

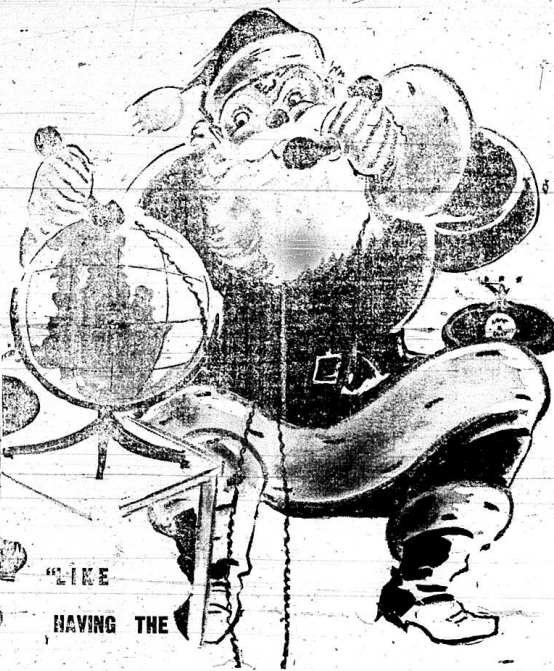


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New striped MADRAS shirts unusually well tailored. All style colors.

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Exceptionally smart lounging pajamas in the most desired patterns and shades from —

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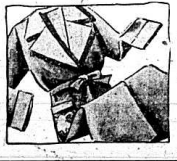
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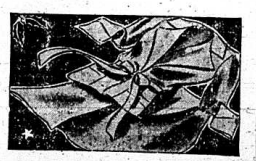


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LIVINGSTON NEWS

J. T. PIKE, Editor

Devoted to The Interest of Livingston and Community

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Livingston School News

Charles and Bill Singleton were called to Covington Saturday because of the death of their aunt, Mrs. Nannie Oliver.

Coach Linville was in Mt. Vernon Saturday on business.

Katherine Mullins spent the week end with her parents at Disputanta. We regret to hear that Arlie Nicely, who has been out of school for some time because of sickness is very serious and at this time is confined in the London Hospital.

Several teachers and students attended the Mt. Vernon-Basketball Basket Ball game at Mt. Vernon Friday night.

Mrs. Turner and her fifth grade gave an interesting and well prepared chapel program Wednesday morning in the form of a Christmas pageant "The Little Shepherd".

We are sure that the Basket Ball team appreciated the many congratulations they received from winning the Tyner game Tuesday night of last week. Both Livingston teams emerged victorious. The boys played a swell ball game and won their first game of the season and by the spirit they are displaying on the hardwood it will by no means be the last game they will win this year.

The Livingston Independents will play East Bernston here Tuesday night. The proceeds will be used to buy uniforms for the cheerleaders.

KEYHOLING WITH A KEY

How many of you here in Livingston ever realized that we were living on an island? Charles (Robinson Crusoe) Singleton who said that the reason for his having so many colds was that we were surrounded by water, here in Livingston.

While motoring to London recently Mr. Chestnut and Mr. Linville were spinning a few yarns about their old bird hunting days and as usual Mr. Chestnut took the cake. He said that he once knew a bird dog (the dog is dead now) as are all other victims of tall tales) which was a specialist in retrieving birds from under ice. Was that a bird dog, Mr. Chestnut or a seal?

Chine Ponder is doing his Christmas shopping rather early. Cline by the way has grown so much in the last year he seems to be a little confused about his sizes. He was down at Jones' the other day buying stocking supporters to include with his "basketball" equipment. What color are they, Cline?

We hope that Sonny Mullins can get a new set of monopoly rules during Christmas to replace his old rules which have been worn threadbare by his trying to interpret the rules for putting houses and hotels on keys.

A. P. McHargue made the startling (and we do mean startling) announcement that Virgil McHargue had quit Basketball and according to Mr. Linville gave good reasons for Virgil's doing so.

Katherine Mullins and Jalette Jones are reported to have had a hang-over Wednesday. The morning after the night before was the morning after Tyner game at which time Jalette and Katherine were really feeling the effects of their cheerleading antics executed at the game.

The various forms of communication that some people use are fascinating. While going to Mt. Vernon Friday night to the game we were behind a car with several girls in the rear seat who started waving at us. C. D. McKinley, who we might say was waving a little also put his arm out the window of the car and said, "I'll see if they know deaf and dumb language." P. S. No reply.

Several of the boys were up at Sonny Mullin's the other night playing monopoly. Wilbur Shrock kept saying "It's getting a little late isn't it boys?" At the we hour of 10 p. m. a knock was heard at the door and the name "Wilbur" called. You might ask Mr. Shrock for the details.

Mr. Foynter's basement quarters is beginning to look more like a hospital than a boiler room. He has everything spick and white paint from the shovel to the coal pile. Don't be surprised if you should see him firing the furnace in a white uniform.

Meat cooking demonstrations were features of the homemakers' program in Madison county last month. The homemakers' club, market at Henderson has not been able to supply the demand for eggs and other products.

Parent Teachers Met Monday

The Livingston Parent Teachers Association met Monday Dec. 8. Mr. Linville acted as president. Devotional was given by J. T. Pike. Song "Joy to the World" was sung by congregation. The financial report by C. F. Mullins stated that we have \$156.81 in our treasury. A suggestion was made by Mrs. Ball that immediate action be taken to install waterworks in the school. A lengthy discussion was held on the waterworks problem and it was decided to have the committee that was previously appointed to obtain bids for the system meet before the board and decide what action should be taken. Mr. Linville gave an interesting and rather amusing discussion on "the types of toys that should be given children at Christmas." Mrs. Lee Mullins discussed the topic "entertaining with ease at Christmas." Mrs. Mullins stated that due to the great crisis that is confronting us at the present time that our thoughts should turn toward the boys who are defending our country and to pray the Christmas instead of so much entertainment. Mrs. Brewer talked on the subject "Health at Christmas." She gave several interesting ideas on the preservation of the child's health by correctly controlling their eating habits and exercise, through the holidays. Our next meeting is scheduled for Monday Jan. 12.

Livingston Swamps Tyner 43-21

The Livingston Blue Devils swung into high gear Dec. 2, defeating Tyner 43-21. Clicking from the start the Blue Devils calmly went through the game. The Livingston team, lanky Livingston center who made 18 points in the Mt. Vernon game, last week regained his old form sacking a total of 23 points. Jones was next in scoring order for Livingston with 11 points. Sanitized for Tyner in individual scoring ranking up 10 points. The Livingston second team also took their game by a score of 30-13.

Neck Broken in Car Wreck

Monroe Crawford is in London Hospital suffering from a broken neck he received in an automobile collision near Livingston. He is recovering satisfactorily.

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING NOW.

Livingston Locals

Pvt. Buster Clark of Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind. is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Mrs. R. G. Webb was in Louisville Monday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Hellard of Winchester were here over the week end. R. L. McKinney who works in Cincinnati spent the week end here with home folks.

Miss Bonnie Fields who has been visiting Mrs. Sam Halcomb returned to Cumberland Monday.

Mrs. J. C. Kelley and daughter, Ruth are visiting relatives in Hamilton, Ohio.

Dennis Mullins who has been working in Covington has returned home. Lorraine Black is confined to her room with a severe case of flu.

Mrs. Rankin returned Sunday from a visit with her son Garnet in Dayton, Ohio.

Mrs. Eva Black was in Mt. Vernon Tuesday on business.

Mrs. W. N. Riggs has returned from Dayton, Ohio where she has been visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. H. Dickerson is reported to be some better.

Gilbert Bales left Friday for Meade, Penn, where he is planning to work.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Owens are planning to leave for Silver City, N. Mexico Thursday to visit their son who is ill here for his health.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Singleton were called to Covington Friday because of the death of Mrs. Singleton's aunt, Mrs. Nevi Oliver.

Mrs. Brewer spent the week end at Oakley with home folks. "Grandma" Rice who has been confined to her room because of illness is improving.

Mrs. Bertie Rice was in Lexington Saturday shopping.

Members of the Livingston branch of the Christian Church were in Richmond Thursday of last week shopping in preparation for the Christmas program to be given at the church Christmas Eve night.

Pine Hill Baptist Church

Eld. Furman Jones, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a. m. Preaching 1st. and 3rd. Sunday 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Bible Study Classes each Sunday 8:00 p. m. November 23rd, we began a series of meetings with the Pastor preaching a series of sermons on the book of Revelation. Sickness and bad weather have militated against the attendance, nevertheless many attended, and souls are being saved. The meeting will close Wednesday night December 10. Baptismal services will be in Mt. Vernon Baptist Church 2:30 p. m. Sunday, December 21.

Safety Assured for Tiny Tourists



Tiny tourists sometimes grow restless on long motor trips and their limitless energy and curiosity require double checking to insure that every safety precaution is being taken by their parents. With the entire rear compartment of the family Chevrolet as his personal playground, this youngster assumes a favorite perch that ordinarily would be dangerous. However, a simple adjustment, easily made by Chevrolet mechanics, converted the rear door handle to a safety-action handle, which "free wheels" and does not open the door. After the lock is adjusted to safety position, as indicated in the inset, the lock button is depressed and the inside handle then will not open the door, rendering it "child-proof." Release of the lock button enables the driver to open the door as usual.

Luner

By Mrs. J. R. Logsdon
Children and Mrs. W. F. Phelps and Mrs. Phelps' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kirby Saturday and Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Lovins and

son Gerald spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Cromer Sr.
Wilson Cromer is moving his family to a tenant house on G. C. Cromer's farm.
Mr. and Mrs. John W. O. Cromer were in Mt. Vernon Saturday on business.
Mr. and Mrs. Estill French and

Mrs. Lola French were in Mt. Vernon Saturday on business.
Miss Fern Cummins, "teacher at Sinks School," gave her pupils some surprise when she announced her marriage, a few weeks past to Mr. Olin Godby of Louisville.
B. F. Cromer is able to be up again.
Mrs. W. L. Kincer is getting along fine and expects to be home soon.

91 YEARS OF PROGRESS

A Historical Tour of the Louisville & Nashville R.R.

Into Eastern Kentucky Coal Fields

Most revision of existing trackage was prosecuted by the Old Reliable during 1910-1914, including the re-building of considerable portions of the original line of the old S. & N. A. between Decatur and Montgomery, Ala., and of the original line between Henderson and Safford, Ky.

The Louisville & Nashville had long regarded the coal fields of Eastern Kentucky, particularly those located in Breathitt, Perry and Letcher counties, as great potential sources of traffic. In 1909 and 1910, following a thorough investigation of these coal deposits, it purchased the Louisville and Atlantic and Lexington and Eastern railroads, both of which made partial penetrations into this territory and which made connection. Subsequently, in January, 1911, the L. & N. commenced the construction of what was known as the North Fork Extension because this 100-mile line from Jackson to McComb, Ky., closely followed the North Fork of the Kentucky River. It was completed in November, 1912.

Simultaneously, and for some time thereafter, the Company was actively engaged in the construction of new lines or the revision of existing trackage designed to expedite the movement of coal from Eastern Kentucky through the Cincinnati and Louisville gateways. This included the building of a new low grade line between Winchester and Irvine, Ky., compared in *low grade* to the *high grade* line.

Now, as in the days when it first made the coal of Eastern Kentucky available to the outside world, the Old Reliable is constantly improving its facilities. Thus, in 1941 and for the early part of 1942, expenditures have been approved and incurred aggregating over \$14,150,000. Most of this huge sum has been or will be spent to expedite the Old Reliable's National Coal Traffic Act and to provide its patrons with an even better service.

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Locals Of Interest

DINNER BRIDGE

Mrs. L. M. Miller, Mrs. W. R. Chapman and Mrs. B. H. Miller were hostess Thursday evening at a dinner followed by bridge honoring Mrs. W. I. Hadfield of Danville and Mrs. C. E. Donovan of Mt. Sterling. Guests included Mrs. B. N. Egan of Clarksville, Tenn., Miss Shirley Miller, Mrs. Ann Miller, Mrs. W. G. McGee, Mrs. E. R. Denton, W. I. Hadfield of Danville and W. R. Chapman.

Mrs. Donovan Entertains

Mrs. C. E. Donovan entertained Wednesday evening, December 3rd, with a dinner party at the home of Mrs. B. H. Miller and Mrs. T. J. Nicely, honoring Mrs. W. I. Hadfield of Danville and Mrs. B. N. Egan of Clarksville, Tenn. After dinner bridge was played at three tables. Guests included Mrs. W. G. McGee, Mrs. D. C. Crandall, Mrs. W. R. Chapman, Mrs. Ann Miller, Miss Shirley Miller, Mrs. Katherine McKinney, Mrs. R. B. Bird, Mrs. R. H. Miller, Mrs. L. M. Miller, Mrs. Fritz Krueger, Mrs. R. B. McKinzie and Mrs. J. W. Griffin. Mrs. Fritz Krueger received first prize and Miss Shirley Miller second. Mrs. Hadfield and Mrs. Egan were given guest prizes.

Get Little Sister-or Brother, A Rocker at Bills 5 & 10c Store.

Mrs. W. I. Hadfield of Danville arrived Wednesday to spend a few days with Mrs. C. E. Donovan.

Mrs. O. H. Gibson of Elihu spent the week end with her son, Charles Gibson and family.

Mrs. George Griffith spent the week end in Louisville with her husband.

Mrs. R. L. Daniels of Statesboro, Ga. arrived Sunday to spend the Christmas holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Fritz Krueger and Mr. Krueger.

Miss Susie Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Thompson of Bowling Green left Tuesday to spend till Thursday attending the Hotel Convention in Lexington.

Reasons and Trivials, Bill's Prices, They Give before at Bills 5 & 10c Store.

Master Bill Thompson of Bowling Green spent the first of the week visiting his aunt, Mrs. C. D. Sutton.

Mrs. John Kincer, son John-William, and daughter, Connie Jean are spending this week in Cincinnati with Mr. Kincer.

Lois and Betty Kincer spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Farmer and son Wayne of Lexington were here Sunday to bring Mrs. J. S. Helton, who had been the guest for the past two weeks home.

Miss Nancy Helton had as her guests Tuesday night, Misses Laverne Owens, Geneva Dillingham, Elizabeth Helton and Addie Marie Simpson.

Mrs. Dora Ball is visiting her daughter, Mrs. S. M. Proctor at Fort Knox, Ky.

Dave Clark was in Lexington Friday to visit his sons, Verne and Ballard Clark and their families.

Mrs. Mary Turner, and daughter spent Friday here.

Mrs. N. J. Tipton, Mrs. Dolores Fajehild and Dr. M. Pennington went to Louisville last Thursday where Mrs. Fairchild consulted an ear specialist.

Are You Left II For You At Bills 5 & 10c Store.

N. M. Smock and Harold J. Mitchell spent Tuesday in Lexington.

Mrs. Bergen Bordes and daughter, Julianna are spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Ann Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cox, James Cox and Miss Alma Jean Griffin were in Stanford Sunday to visit Mrs. Cox's sister, Mrs. John W. Fields.

Mrs. John W. Fields of Stanford spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Cox.

Friends of Mr. R. A. Whitehead of near Stanford will be glad to learn that he is slowly improving from his illness.

OHI Mama I Saw What I Want At Bills 5 & 10c Store.

Mr. L. J. Connor and daughter, Mildred and sister-in-law, Mrs. Mary Kain of Cincinnati, Ohio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Thompson. All motored to Burnside to see the dam and enjoyed a pleasant time.

Edward Southard returned after spending some weeks with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Southard.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Gosnell were called to St. Charles last week because of the illness of their daughter, Ella Jean, a student at Lindenwood College. Miss Ella Jean returned home with them Saturday.

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING NOW.

Bummer

By Virgie McGuire

EVERYONE around Bummer are very busy gathering corn and stripping tobacco, several tobacco crops have already been put on market.

Mr. and Mrs. Vester Allen of Ohio are spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Abney.

Mr. Wolkie Ballinger and son Roger, Mr. Vernon Ballinger and Miss Matjie Lou Ballinger all of Hamilton, Ohio spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wall Ballinger.

We were very sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Bob Pennington and Mrs. Mary Gabbard of Berea.

Miss Hazel Abney of Berea College spent Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Abney.

Mrs. Polio Yan and children visited Mr. and Mrs. John Van Saturday night.

Mr. William Overbay of Camp Shelby, Missis. is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Wall Overbay at Bummer.

Misses Ruby and Elsie Van spent Saturday night with their sister, Mrs. Elsie Cameron at Orlando.

Miss Pearl Abney is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Abney and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rigby in Richmond, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ackley and son Edward, Mr. and Mrs. John Lowback, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chumley, Mr. Joe Wiggins, Ohio, H. Chasteen all of Cincinnati, and Mr. Hermon Abney of Richmond, Ind. spent Sunday with Mrs. Cora Abney.

Irene Rigby visited Irene Abney Sunday afternoon.

Calloway

By Mrs. Jack Stallworth

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reynolds have been numbered with the sick this week.

Eddie Price went to Annville School and stayed one week. He was absent last week and came back Sunday and is now going to school at Mt. Vernon again.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Cummins spent the day Sunday at Livingston with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cummins.

Rev. Charlie Chestnut of London filled his appointment Sunday at the Methodist Church, a good crowd was present.

Mrs. Jack Stallworth and son Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. C. West and son Russell were in Mt. Vernon Saturday.

Mrs. Cap Spivey visited her mother Sunday, Mr. Est. Elkins.

Mrs. Janie Payne spent the day Sunday with Wilma Stockmyer and Carnelia Short.

Rev. Charlie Chestnut was dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore Sunday.

Charlie Cummins of London was in Calloway Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Pitman was Sunday guests of Mrs. Rosa Howell.

Mrs. Celia Payne has moved back home.

Mrs. Laura Pike is with her son, Filmore near Covington for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Graves was in London Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morris was week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Captain Morris of Piney Branch.

George Denney has moved to Sand Hill.

Mamie Luce is spending this week at Brush Creek with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Burnett.

Tom Hundy was with his family over the week end.

Conway School Honor Roll

Lower Grades
1st Grade—Paul Sears, Bobby Mullins, Fern Riddle, Cynthia Hayes, Freida McCracken.

2nd Grade—Banford Falbot, 3rd Grade—Wendith Ward.

4th Grade—Leroy McCracken, Roy Riddle, Dorothy Holmes, Wendine Ward, Edna Powell, Ruby Sears, Louise Wynn.

Elizabeth S. Mullins, teacher.

Fairview 4-H Club Met

Our 4-H Club held its regular club meeting at Fairview Saturday, Dec. 6, 1941. The club was called to order by the president Ruth Reppert. We repeated the 4-H club pledge. We elected one new leader, Mr. Connie Lee Gill for boys project leader. Our closing song was "God Bless America". We also revised our roster program. We had a very interesting club meeting. We have reorganized our club for 1942. We are going to try harder and harder this year to bring that banner and pig back to Old Fairview next year.

Miss Mary Jane Reppert, reporter.

Jack Henderson in Berea Play

Jack Henderson, Mt. Vernon, junior at Berea College, played the part of Christopher, a Yorkshire farmer, in "Moor Born," a five act play depicting the tragic lives of the Bronte sisters, famous family of English authors, presented by the Berea College Dramatic Society organization, here Saturday night. He also served as technical director for the play.

NOTICE

The public is hereby notified that Arthur Payne has filed application to operate a tourist camp in Rockcastle County, Kentucky, to be known as Little Centre, near Renfro Valley on what is known as the Old Dick Sowler patent.

T. J. NICLEBY, Clerk.
Rockcastle Circuit Court 3-3p

What is the speed of a U. S. Navy destroyer? Many destroyers can travel as fast as thirty-five knots. (A knot is a speed of one nautical mile per hour, or about one and one-sixth (and miles per hour.)

—Buy Defense Bonds and Stamps—

NOTICE

Brodhead, Kentucky, Dec. 6, 1941. This certifies that I have this December, 6, 1941, sold and transferred to Bob Jasper, all my right, title and interest in and to the business in which I have been engaged in Brodhead, Kentucky, known as the Brodhead Produce House No. 1, in which I have been engaged in buying and selling farm produce including chickens and eggs.

Said owner, W. M. Bullock will pay all obligations incurred in said business up to and including said Dec. 6, 1941, and thereafter said Bob Jasper will assume and pay all obligations incurred thereafter.

Said W. M. Bullock will not be responsible for any debts and claims incurred hereafter under the name of said produce house or in which the name of Brodhead Produce House No. 1 is used by said Bob Jasper.

Dated this December 6, 1941.
W. J. Bullock
Bob Jasper 4-1p

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WANTED—FORTY THOUSAND FEET—BROWN YELLOW PINE DIMENSION AND BOARD IN RANDOM WIDTHS AND LENGTHS. ROYALTY-KEIGHTLEY LUMBER CO. HARRODSBURG, KY. 4-1n

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LET'S TALK IT OVER—William Powell and Asta have a man-to-dog chat during one of the scenes in the latest M-G-M "The Shadow of The Thin Man" co-starring Myrna Loy.

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Brodhead School News

SCHOOL SPORTS NEWS

Brodhead played McKinney here Tuesday night Dec. 2, and defeated them by a score of 23-14.

Another game Friday night Dec. 5, on our home court also led us to our first defeat on our home floor this season. East Bernstadt beat us 38-23. In spite of this, Brodhead led 17-14 at the half, and 2 regulars fouled out in the third quarter.

Friday night Dec. 12 we have another game on our home court with the strong Madison Co. team, Kingston.

John Allen

GENERAL SCHOOL NEWS

Everyone was excited about the first year, and shouting defiance against Japan Monday.

The famous picture show, "Sergeant York," is being attended by many students.

The Brodhead Tigers will play Kingston at Brodhead Friday night. Many students are enjoying the lunches that are being prepared at the school house.

Mrs. Vivian and Mrs. Worth were absent from school last Friday because of the death of Mrs. Meda Barton. School was in mourning because of this unfortunate incident.

By Jewell Cooper

BILL OF RIGHTS DAY

Since the President of the United States has just signed a proclamation which designates December 15th as Bill of Rights Day, I think this is a most opportune moment for all teachers of the social science to make a concerted effort to instill within their pupils a true perspective of the real meaning of the Bill of Rights. It is incumbent upon every American to thoroughly acquaint himself with this historic document, so that he, too, may be wholly aware of the blessings it implies. The ratification of our Constitution was imperiled until the people were assured that their rights would be made secure by incorporating a "Bill of Rights"; this promise was subsequently kept by the addition of the original ten amendments, Bill of Rights, on December 15, 1791. Are you acquainted with them?

I think it is impossible for us to understand the real significance of this document unless we know briefly the conditions prevalent in the world today. I don't propose to do that here, but I think every teacher should direct the thinking of his classes in a way that will tend to a fuller understanding and a greater appreciation of the American way. This could be accomplished, in part, by establishing parallels involving comparisons between our system and the European and Asiatic systems of government. We should happen to the liberties of the European and the Asiatic people? Answer this question and you will of necessity be more appreciative of our own system. In Europe we find turmoil, passion, brutality, vengeance and terrorism reigning. We should find gruesome, hideous and inhuman atrocities being committed in the name of a "New Order"; we further find that the perpetrators of these insidious crimes claim to be attempting to effect a better world in which man may dwell when, in reality, their program, if it should materialize, would destroy every tradition which is sacred to a freedom loving people.

We Americans are too proud to take our ideas and our institutions too lightly; we are too inclined to think that our institutions do not differ greatly from others; we are too likely to pursue a course which is not conducive to an understanding of our great traditions and liberties. So, in closing, let me implore you to wake from your lethargy; so that you will possess an intellectual as well as a traditional patriotism.

Teacher of History, Brodhead

LAUGHS

Affroncer: "Miss Periwinkle will now sing, "Oh, That I were a dove I'd Fleec."

Junior: "Dad, what's a dove-eyed flier?"

Mrs. Jones was spending a day in bed with a severe cough and her husband was working in the back yard, and hammering nails into some boards, presently his neighbor came over, "How's the wife?" he asked "Not very well," replied Jones, "Is that her coughing?" "No, you fat-head, it's a chicken house."

Prof: "Oxygen is essential to all animal existence. Life would be impossible without it. Yet it was discovered only a hundred years ago." Freshman: "What did they do before it was discovered?"

Boogy: "What are those holes in the woods?"

Woogy: Those are knot holes. Boogy: Not holes; don't you think I know a hole when I see one.

Level Green

By Jewell Cooper

Mr. W. M. Hurst was a Wednesday night guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. DeBorde.

Mr. Willie Sowder spent last week in Tennessee.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grover were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Brown of Juali, Mr. John A. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McKinney, Miss Ina McKinney also Mr. Robert McKinney of Ocala.

Mr. Jack DeBorde Jr. left Saturday for Indianapolis where he has a job with the Standard Oil Co.

Mrs. James Hurst and grandson Bobby Cummins of Willalla, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown and family of Quail were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur DeBorde.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff DeBorde spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Rebecca DeBorde, Mrs. DeBorde is not so well at the present.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hastly and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hastly spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hastly.

Mrs. Dewis Hurst and son spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Doley Abney of Reno.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shepherd and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gentry at Quail.

Miss Sallye Hastly was Saturday night guest of Miss Cartelle DeBorde.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Creek and daughter Jane spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burton at Willalla.

Miss Eileen Burton spent Sunday with Miss Lucille DeBorde.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gurnett of Hansford were Sunday guests of Mrs. Virgil DeBorde.

Mrs. S. G. Lathium and Mrs. Loyd Owens have been on the sick list for a few days.

Negro Creek

By Mrs. Rose Chandler

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Proffitt and children of Lockland, Ohio are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshal McKinney and baby Joyce while at Brodhead for the funeral of his brother Charles Henderickson, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Chandler.

Mr. William Parsons and family are with Rev. Proffitts family for the winter.

The pastor of the holiness church at this place has moved his family in Mrs. Ole Stevens' house.

Little Miss Yolander Nell Atkinson of Norwood, Ohio has been visiting her cousins Jessie, Teddy and Mary Louise Chandler for several days.

Tobacco stripping seems to be the order of the day around here. Farmers are getting their crops to the market as fast as possible to take advantage of the rising prices.

A revival has been in progress for the past two weeks at the holiness church here, Rev. Bloomfield is conducting the services.

A baby daughter was born Dec. 5th to Mr. and Mrs. Dock Bailey of this place.

Miss Edna Proffitt spent the week end with her cousin Miss Lydia Jones on Brindle Ridge.

BRODHEAD LOCALS OF INTEREST

Miss Magdalene Selvey has returned to her home in Pineville after an extended visit with Mrs. Henry R. Lavefers.

Mrs. Thurnie Bradley left Monday for her home in Knoxville, Tennessee after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Brummitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hysinger and daughter, Sharon Ray of Elizabethtown were the week end guests of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hall were here from Elizabethtown as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hall last week end.

Mrs. Bob Hicks of Louisville was the week end guest of her sister, Mrs. C. H. Frith and Mr. Frith.

Mrs. C. W. Smith has been detained at home a week because of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robins were in Berea Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Creed Russell were in Danville Tuesday on business.

Two boys were born to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Noe on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lunsford were the dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Payne Sunday.

Mrs. Hope Cox and Mrs. Virginia Owens were in Danville Thursday, shopping.

Mr. Clarence Frith of Louisville spent Tuesday and Wednesday with his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Frith.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Shafer, daughters Barbara and Shirley of Morehead were the Sunday guests of his mother, Mrs. Rose Shafer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks and son Billy of Hamilton, Ohio were the guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mr. C. H. Frith was in Cincinnati Saturday and Sunday with his sons, Fred and Bill.

Mrs. Alfred Frith and children of Cincinnati were here the latter part of last week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Frith.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Riddle and children returned to their home at Stone after being here because of the death of Miss Meda Barton.

Mr. Carl Holman of Berea was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Holman Sunday.

Mrs. Edward Hesterman returned to her home in Louisville after being here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Yaden.

Rev. W. G. Colson of Bee Lick was here Friday to attend the funeral of Miss Barton.

Pvt. Ben Attkinon, who is stationed at Ft. Knox is at home for a few days visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. "Doc" Chandler.

Mr. John Pike of Lebanon Junction was here for a visit with relatives over the week end.

Mrs. Dave Riddle is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Machal were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith Sunday.

Mr. Russell Baker was called to his work in Ohio Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Denver Belcher left Sunday to make their home in Covington.

Tobacco Vs. Poultry

Poultry pays better, than dark tobacco, some Logan county farmers are telling their county agent, John R. Watlington. Melrose Wilson last year received \$105 for his share of a crop of nearly three acres of one-sucker tobacco. The same season he made a profit of \$130 from a flock of pullets. Ben Stuart received \$55 gross from his interest in the tobacco crop, while a flock established from 200 baby chicks returned \$129.

4-H Scholarships Offered Kentucky

The Farm Underwriters Association of Chicago has notified the State College of Agriculture and Home Economics that it will give four \$100 4-H club scholarships to Kentucky in 1942. They will be awarded to two boys and two girls on the basis of club work, leadership and scholarship.

"Keeping the family fit" is the major program of homemakers' clubs in Daviess county.

Homemakers' clubs had the food concessions at the annual dairy show at Mayfield.

Card of Thanks

We wish to take this opportunity to thank those who were so kind helpful and sympathetic to us at the death of Mrs. Meda Barton, who was as near and dear to us as a mother.

The A. E. Albright family.

Roscoe Free of Metcalfe county reports a profit of \$130 on a litter of 11 pigs that weighed 2,168 pounds when 165 days old. They were fed corn, wheat, tankage and 600 gallons of skim milk. Grazing of rape helped keep down the cost.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all our friends for their kindness and sympathy extended to us in the death of Charles Henderickson. We especially thank Rev. Kutz for his consoling words.

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Trucks paid more than one-third of the entire expense of the Kentucky Highway Department in 1940-41—\$4,216,048, as compared to \$18,151,587.

(These figures furnished by Kentucky Department of Revenue and Kentucky Highway Department, Frankfort.)

TRUCKS PAY		KENTUCKY COLLECTED IN 1940-41	
Licenses	\$1,318,439	Total tax revenue	\$49,294,095
Permits	\$6,130	Kentucky Highway Dept. expended	\$18,151,586
Weight tax	4,870	New road construction paid for by the State	\$6,072,167.38
Drivers' licenses	18,097	The State built the following new road mileage:	
State Gas tax	4,684,584	High type	190.9
TOTAL	\$6,296,048	Medium type	172.9
		Low type	228.6
		Roadbed improvement	28.4
		Reconstruction	20.5
		Co-opp. Construction	42.7
		TOTAL	765.5

(\$659,220 of the foregoing total was earmarked for local farm-to-market roads. The entire remainder went to the road construction fund.)

The Truck tax figures do not include the Federal gasoline tax of 1 1/2c per gallon—totaling for Kentucky trucks \$1,405,363. This returns to the State for road building purposes. Nor do the foregoing figures include sales taxes on new trucks, registration fees, nor real estate, tangible personal property, franchise, income tax, and other contributions by the trucking industry and its personnel to the State Government.



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There's Got To Be A Santa Claus!

By Channing Pollock in the December Rotarian Magazine.

When she was a very little girl, my daughter asked, "What would you do if there weren't any trees?" "Why," I answered, "I'd have to invent some. We couldn't get on without trees."

There are quite a lot of things—food, shelter, clothing—we couldn't get on without, and we couldn't get on without them. What we must have even more than these are food for the mind, shelter for the spirit, that which clothes the nakedness of mere animal existence, and gives warmth to human contacts.

We celebrate Christmas as a religious festival, but Christmas was celebrated hundreds of years before Christ. The ancient people of the Angli, in what is now Britain, had in December a Modranect, or "mothers' night". There had to be a day set aside for kindness, and generosity, and remembering those we love, and these less fortunate.

Before and since Dickens wrote his immortal A Christmas Carol, there have been a few Scrooges who cried "No Christmas, Bah, humbug!" I have heard modern Scrooges call it a shopkeeper's holiday, and a nuisance, but for the overwhelming majority of us, as for Scrooge's nephew, it is "a good time; a kind, a giving, charitable, pleasant time; the only time of in the calendar of the year when men and women open their shut-ups hearts freely. . . . I say God-bless it!"

There is a certain magic in a day when even strangers bid us to be merry; when the mail and telephone and telegraph and all the means of communication commonly devoted to business bring chery wishes for Merry Christmas! Shopkeeper's holiday? Bah Humbug! It isn't a necktie or a dollar bill that we slip into the hand of the junior or the senior; it's the goodwill and thank you for a year of service. It isn't a toy train that we put under the tree for Junior, or a muffler that we wrap in red tissue for Aunt Julia, but we know that Junior has always wanted a train. What Aunt Julia has needed a muffler, and the loving desire that, just this one day, they shall have what they want and need, and that we shall see the pleasure in their eyes, and feel the warmth of their joyful kisses.

Believe it or not, and smile if you like, but at—well, say 60, my wife and I still hang up or stockings. What a lot of love and laughter and tenderness goes into the trifling gifts we select for those symbols. We trim our little tree with bright stars and tinsel, and for days ahead, in secret we write messages, and

wrap things in gay paper, and hide them from one another until the morning of mornings.

Shopkeepers' holiday! Was it only a shaving kit I could have got myself that went into that starchy package, or was it my daughter's heart that remembered the times, ages ago, when I said, "Damn that old razor! Some day I'm going to have one that fits into my hand properly!" What about the crate of oranges that comes every Christmas from a colored elevator boy in Florida? I can buy better oranges, but I can't buy what comes with these.

What every day, but there is only one Christmas dinner. For years that was a family festival, with all our dear ones about the table. Most of them are gone now, and our Christmas guests are people who, whatever their means, have no home of their own. Why? Well, when I was 19, and away from my home for the first time at Christmas, a very lonely lad, the mother of a chap employed in the office with me asked me to be home. I never saw her again; she has been dead nearly 40 years, but she and that dinner live in my memory.

Last Christmas my wife and I had half a dozen old actors, forgotten now, and we talked of the great days in the theatre, and lived them again until long after midnight. Irene Franklin, who had been the idol of vaudeville, sang several of her best songs to us, and a very old Shakespearean actor repeated—and how!—the soliloquy from Hamlet. It took Christmas to restore their health for an hour or two, and that memory goes on our golden pile of Christmas.

During a radio broadcast not long ago, I met the middle-aged woman who, as a child of 8, wrote to the New York Sun, "Please tell me the truth, is there a Santa Claus?" Every year the Sun reprints the reply it made editorially in 1897: "Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist—There is a well covering the unseen world which not the strongest man, nor even the united strength of all the strongest men that ever lived, could tear apart. Only faith, fancy, poetry, love, romance, can push aside that curtain and view and picture the supernatural beauty and glory beyond. Is it all real? Ah—in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding."

Of course there's a Santa! And if there weren't, he would be the very first of the things we'd have to invent. Life must have love and a little childlike faith to be endurable; and the year must have at least one day when we are more conscious of faith and love than of business, and bombs and all the realities nobody doubts—and nobody wants!

Hybrid corn in Adair county is yielding 10 to 14 bushels to the acre over common kinds.

Sand Springs

By Mrs. J. D. Miller
Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Robbins were in the Hansford section Sunday. Messrs Dewey Graves and Ernest Bullock were in Danville recently. Mrs. Mary Hayes returned from Ohio Saturday. Miss Daisy Renner was able to be taken home Sunday. She has had pneumonia fever at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. Daily. Miss Laura Anderkin visited Miss Helen Graves Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Miller have been shopping in Middlesboro and visiting in Tennessee. Mr. Russell Nicely is moving this week. Messrs. Chas. Stevens, Eugene Hayes and wife, Miss Minnie Bloomer were in Danville shopping Saturday. McKinney—Scott Mr. C. S. McKinney and Mrs. Marie Kirby Scott surprised their many friends by getting married on Nov. 28. We wish them a happy successful life together. Roy Bussell and Hubert Robbins returned to their work in Harlan County. Mr. and Mrs. B. Cromer visited at Hansford Sunday. Mrs. Jake Anderkin visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Renner. Mr. and Mrs. Walker-Cummins and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Dec Graves, and son all were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Graves Sunday. Mrs. W. L. Wheat and daughter visited Mrs. Jake Anderkin and daughter recently. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Norton and Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

children visited her ill sister in Stanford Sunday. Mrs. Mort Cromer visited her daughter and family here Sunday. The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Graves is improving. Mrs. C. Stevens has been very ill. We keep getting small donations for the church, all are appreciated. Due to cold weather we put off starting the building as a lot of it will have to be concrete. Mr. Lonnie Payne remains in a very bad condition. Mrs. Mae Bullock has been very ill. Mrs. Mae Phelps is moving here. Herbert Evans is moving here from Ohio. Calloway county farmers are planning to set about 100,000 trees on eroded land. Approximately 25,000 pounds of vetch seed were sowed by 313 farmers in Lee county. "Mayhews' Bloody Butcher" corn, out-produced all other varieties in one test in Knox county.

Clear Creek

By Pearlle Van
Mr. Willie Childress of Dayton, Ohio visited his mother, Nancy Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Bodie Van Saturday morning. Mr. Virgil Childress of Dayton, Ohio, Mr. Huston Childress of Seaford care section visited grandmother Childress Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Childress, Miss Wiletta Childress were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Barnett. Mr. John Berry and Uncle Rube Abney visited Mr. and Mrs. Bodie Van Saturday. Mr. Dewey Ballinger, Jess Peters and Johnnie Gadd visited Bodie Van Sunday morning. Mr. Eli Barnett visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barnett of Wolfe Creek section Thursday night.

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Hogs—Receipts, 508; lights, \$9.50 to \$10.15; mediums, \$9.65; packers, \$9.60; heavies, \$9.15 to \$9.40; sows, \$7.90 to \$9.55; sows and pigs, none; stock notes, \$9.75 to \$10.90.
Calves—Receipts, 91; tops, \$13.45; seconds, \$11.35 to \$11.60; heavies, \$11.50; butchers, \$8.90 to \$10.80; others, \$8.50 down.
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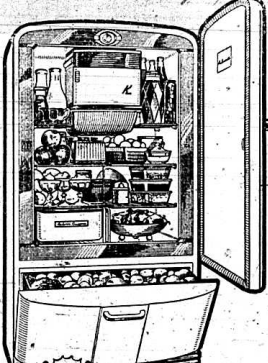


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SLANTS

By W. L. S.

America is again at war. The quiet of a peaceful Sunday afternoon was rudely shattered with the announcement that the Japs had attacked Pearl Harbor, an American possession, and on Monday, Congress declared war on Japan.

Nobody likes war, nobody wants war, but when a power such as Japan wantonly attacks our ships and possessions, killing U. S. citizens, then we say war it shall be, to the bitter end. The entire country is united as one. Republicans, Democrats, labor, and capital. Every man, woman and child has a stake in this great conflict, it is our country, and the fact that we have the greatest nation in the world, is enough for all citizens to make the utmost sacrifice, in order to preserve our liberty, and to show the dictators, that free people are willing to fight for their ideals. Hitler's brag that we could easily be beaten by internal dissension is another myth of this master fabricator of lies. An intelligent people are not misled by promises.

The question of winning the war is certain, no matter how long the path or long the road. In the Revolutionary War, many times Washington's half-starved soldiers were on the verge of defeat, but the thought of liberty drove them on to victory. In the War of 1842, the British burned our capital, and thought they had an easy victory, to their sorrow. The United forces in the Civil War rallied from what looked like certain defeat to a hard-won victory. The last World War was a titanic struggle, and the Kaiser's armies were crushing all opposition until we got into the fray. The German soldiers had never seen men like ours, half-trained, but who fought with a spile on their faces, like they really enjoyed whipping the opposition. This war will be no exception. The conditions are different, and warfare had gone modern, but a free man who loves his liberty will always win in the end. The President has asked for co-operation from all citizens.

Rockcastle county will not only cooperate but we will go over the top to further the victory march.

Our handsome and debonair editor of The Livingston News suffered a severe shock to his mental capacities last week when his girl after building him up to an awful, devastating climax with "There's not any Santa Clause." Our editor was horrified at the fact that the young lady had lost her faith in Jolly Old St. Nick, and he immediately destroyed the letter for fear his fourth grade pupils would read the sad news. Young wrong, young lady there is a Santa Clause. Ask any of Tommy Manville's five ex-wives and they will set you right.

New Forest Fire Record

Cumberland National Forest guards and rangers are knocking harder on wood every day, because no forest fires has occurred on this vast 455,000 acre Federal area since October 16th. Supervisor H. L. Wenden of Winchester claimed the present fireless period to be the longest since 1928. Fire wardens, look-out-men, and other guarding and using the forests can be justly proud of this record, made while colorful but crisp autumn leaves are falling. Segner or later this record will be ended, but in the meantime hundreds of acres of trees have been saved from destruction.

Mr. Barden added a word of caution to all hunters in the fields and woods. "Break your match after using," he said; "drown your campfire and grind every cigarette stub or pipe heel into the ground.

—JOIN THE RED CROSS—

Baptist Church

By Rev. W. C. Younce

Japan's premeditated and treacherous attack upon the United States in the Pacific area brought great sorrow to our hearts. For months we have been praying that peaceful relations between our government and the government of Japan might be maintained. As a matter of fact, many of us have been displeased with the part that our government has played in the present Japanese-Chinese conflict which has been going on for several years, during which time we have been supplying the Nipponese with war materials, which have not only been used against China but also being used against us at this time. The situation is indeed appalling. However, we must shoulder our responsibilities in this grave hour in the history of our country and march on in the strength and wisdom of Him who has seen nations rise and fall. Many years may pass before this war will be over, but there will be "an earth peace" just before we will toward "men." Right will triumph.

Was there ever a day the world's need of Christ was so great as it is today? Who but Jesus can ever bind this torn and discordant humanity together? We have tried to do it with trade, and it could not be done. We have tried to do it with diplomacy, and it failed. We have tried to do it with secular education, but it has failed. Obviously, the only one way in which the world's need can be met. "And I, if I be lifted up from the earth," said Jesus, "will draw all men unto me." In the one Head of humanity, the one shepherd of the whole flock of every race and every people and every tongue can offer hope of humanity to be found.

In a day when we are weary of strife and hatred of war, the needs of the world challenge the church as never before. We would do well to ponder the things which are expiring at present. Here weeping, will do nothing without action. Hence we need to get on our feet and lift our voices on behalf of Him who has called us out of darkness into light. We need to study the example of Jesus who was always under the pressure of a great task.

No danger could keep him from answering this urgent call. He says by his life that we should attend to our work "while it is day for the night cometh when no man can work." Therefore, whether we are in the period of youth, in the middle years, or in the sunset of life, let us put forth our best and save the day!

In these days of trials and hardships there is need of constant communion with our Heavenly Father in order that we maintain our courage. It is not enough to read the Bible and pray in our homes. One must attend, if possible, the worship services of the church. There is no substitute for these. We need the comfort, the strength and the encouragement that comes through fellowship in the Lord's house. The lion-hearted apostle had this in mind when he said, "Forsake not the assembling of yourselves together, as the manner of some is." It was that more than anything else that enabled him to bear his testimony. A good anchor endures hardship and does not ask for the safe place and the easy task.

The spiritual needs of men.
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.
Training Union—6:00 p. m.
Public Worship—11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

The preaching services will be profitable to the worshipper when he considers that "the Word of God is quick and powerful," and sharper than any two edged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart; that "the natural man receiveth not the things of the Spirit of God; for they are foolishness unto him, neither can he know them because they are spiritually discerned."

There comes into every life hour of crisis in sickness, in sorrow, in suffering, in sin. Certainly those

hours have a divine purpose. When they come, we may be assured that God is testing us with the hope of making us better. In the darkness of the night God changed Jacob. It was a night of prayer, wrestling with God. Hence he is called the Prince of God.

Mrs. Arthur Franklin is in the Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington, and Mrs. Wade Livesay is in the London Hospital. Let us remember these and others of our number who are sick in our prayers.

The Christmas Program will be held at the church on December 23, at 7:00 p. m.

Johanna

By Miss Oshie Jennings

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Owens spent Sunday with their home folks.

Miss Nancy Jennings spent part of this week with Mrs. Minnie Abney at Brush Creek who has been ill.

Mrs. Lizzie Creech spent last week with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Scott visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Morris Sunday night with Pauline Gregory.

Mrs. Creacy Gregory visited Mrs. Louis Owens Friday evening.

Miss Mandy McCracken spent part of last week with her brother, Mr. Johnnie McCracken.

Mr. Thos. made a business trip to Mt. Vernon Friday.

Mrs. Reatha Allen spent the week end with her parents at Crooked Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Vanzant spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Jennings.

Miss Anna Belle Owens spent Sunday with Mrs. Gladys Owens.

Crooked Creek

By Mrs. A. F. Shell

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Gregory of Weston, Ky. returned from their business trip Thursday.

Miss Ruth Shell and Mrs. Alice Abney spent last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Abney of Conway.

Several people of this vicinity were in Richmond, Ky. last week.

Mr. Wolford Adams is still numbered with the sick.

Mr. Luther Allen and Edward Scott made a business trip to Mt. Vernon last Thursday.

Mrs. J. T. Miller and son Cecil spent last Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Gregory of Seaford Cane.

Mrs. Annie McCracken and Mrs. Emma Parrott were in Mt. Vernon last Tuesday evening.

Mr. Edgar Miller of Berea spent Saturday night with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Shell and daughters Ruth, Ruby and Alpha attended church at Brush Creek last Sunday.

Mr. Orbin Owens of Harlan spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCracken.

Mrs. Lee A. Gregory and daughters, Pauline and Lena Opal spent last Friday evening with Mrs. A. F. Shell.

Mr. Oscar and Cecil Miller who have been working in Madison County returned home for a weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Shear spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCracken.

Miss Pauline Gregory spent Saturday night with Mrs. Lena Miller.

Mr. J. T. Miller was in Mt. Vernon Saturday on business.

Mrs. Alice Abney spent Saturday night with her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Abney of Orlando.

Miss Edna Shell spent Saturday night with Miss Shirley Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Leeroy Morris and Mrs. Omar Allen spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Scott.

Miss Nancy Jennings is spending a few days with her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Abney.

The county landscape committee, headed by Mrs. Garnet Toin, held a conference with William Schlosser, state highway architect, when plans were made for roadside plantings.

Model plantings, both private and public, will serve as guides for a long-time program of growing trees, shrubs and flowers.

Women Co-operate In Beautifying County

Combining their orders, in a county-wide beautification project, members of homemakers' clubs in Boone county, Kentucky, received 2,188 narcissus, jonquils, hyacinth, tulip and crocus bulbs. Mary L. Scott Moore, county home demonstration agent, says interest in flowers developed after the flower show last spring.

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Farm News

Twenty-two tobacco presses were made after a series of stripping demonstrations in Hart county. Information gathered at the meetings indicates that tobacco will average about 1,000 pounds to the acre, and of better quality than was expected earlier in the season.

Accomplishments in the homemakers' club home furnishing program in Ballard county include 149 rooms reconditioned, 161 floors re-finished, 36 new floors and 91 floor coverings and 176 walls refinished by papering or painting.

The tree planting program in Calloway county next year will include improvement of existing stands, protection from fire and a general clean-up or woods sanitation project. Plans call for setting about 100,000 trees.

Casey county farmers are selling large amounts of lopespeda hay. Production was boosted by the use of 128 carloads of 40 tons each of phosphate. Several farmers saved lopespeda seed, but most of them made hay.

The seeding of barley in Hancock county increased 300 percent this year. Some of it will be used as a green manure crop but most of it will be threshed.

Sales of whole wheat and enriched flour are being stimulated by homemakers' clubs in Muhlenberg county.

High egg prices are creating interest in poultry raising in Bullitt county.

Several carloads of western ewes were distributed among farmers in Pendleton county.

Vernon Theatre

Mt. Vernon, Kentucky

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Tue., Wed., Dec. 16-17

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Evelyn Keyes

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Thu., Fri. - Dec. 18-19

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Farmers Urged To Order Repairs Now

Due to the needs of steel in the defense program, it is probable that farm machinery production will be reduced next year. Farmers who wait until new machinery and repair parts are needed next summer, may have difficulty in getting their orders filled.

Claude R. Wichard, secretary of agriculture, notes that farmers have been asked for a record food production next year. In face of this, there will be less farm machinery manufactured. There also will be less wire for farm fences, steel posts nails and other steel farm materials. There also may be a farm labor shortage in many areas.

To offset these shortages as far as possible, an effort is being made at this time to provide repairs for farm machinery. Much machinery that normally would be discarded should be repaired and used at least another season, it is suggested.

Each farmer will be urged to check old machinery, order necessary parts from dealers immediately, and notify county defense boards if parts cannot be obtained.

Kentucky 201 hybrid corn topped yields in tests in Bracken county, doubling the production of open-pollinated varieties. Farmers in Western Kentucky counties have thousands of bushels of surplus sweet potatoes.

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COUNTY AGENT NOTES

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and rather than clean the floor so often it is better to take off an inch or so of the top and add more clean litter.

Yes, lice live on the hens during cold weather and their presence costs many dollars. Continued vigilance is necessary if we are to control these pests.

I want to remind you that cracks in the house that will permit drafts or a leak that will cause the house to be damp can cause much trouble.

Another cause of dampness in the house is a lack of floor ventilation due to closing all openings in the house.

Remember fresh air is necessary regardless of temperature.

PLANTING WALNUTS

The fall season of the year is the best time to plant walnuts. This allows the nut to become settled in the soil and if the kernel is a good healthy one, the nut shell cracks open by spring and the sprout becomes well started to growing by the time the summer dry season arrives.

The nuts should be planted from three to four inches deep, depending on the type and looseness of the soil. The nuts may be planted with the outer hull on or off. Three nuts should be placed in a planting spot of approximately eight inches in diameter.

The Black walnut should be planted only in good fertile soil. The fact that walnuts will germinate on poor soil and grow fairly rapid for the first few years, is no proof that they will produce large, worthwhile nuts.

Only land fertile enough to grow a good crop of corn will produce mature walnut timber. It is recommended that care should be exercised in choosing the planting site.

Protection from all livestock should be given the planted nuts at all times and especially after the sprouts come through the ground.

To secure rapid growth, all lower limbs to a height of eight feet from the ground should be kept pruned from the young tree after it gets well started in its growth.

If the walnut nuts are not planted during the fall season, they should be placed in a pit dug in the ground and covered to a depth below the freezing line. The nuts should be planted as early as possible in the spring, after the ground becomes workable.

Boys and girls between the ages of 10 and 18 are as well as men and women are invited to join this campaign of planting walnuts for future nuts and timber.

Figure out how much land you want to plant to walnuts and save enough walnuts to do this planting. We want all boys and girls to join our 4-H club who desire to plant walnuts, looking forward to a few years from now when we will have more walnut kernels for sale as well as timber.

The planting of walnuts is a good 4-H project. We are encouraging this as well as asking farmers to earn Soil Building allowance of the National Farm Program in this way.

Lamero

By Bessie Smith

Luther Abney of Crooked Creek visited friends and relatives of this part Saturday night and Sunday.

Jesse Smith has been working at Richmond, Indiana but is at home now.

Mrs. George Matt Lakes has been very sick with gall stones but is reported better. Her mother, Mrs. Della Lance of Clover Bottom has been staying with her.

Ená Gilliam spent Sunday with Myrtle Fay and Josephine Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith made a business trip to Henry Shell's last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Livingston Burdette and family visited Mrs. Burdette's sister in Laurel county Sunday.

Burley Marketing Regulations Same As For Last Year

Tobacco marketing cards similar to those used for the 1940 Burley crop will be required for recording sales of both Burley and dark types of the 1941 crop, the State AAA office announces.

Regulations for marketing Burley are virtually the same as those applied last year, it is pointed out.

Marketing quotas for fire-cured and dark air-cured tobaccos are in effect for the first time since 1939, but the regulations are basically the same as for Burley tobacco.

Under regulations for all three types of tobacco, a marketing card will be issued from the county AAA office to the operator of each farm on which tobacco is harvested. If the acreage of tobacco harvested on the farm does not exceed the acreage allotment, a "within quota" card will be issued and all tobacco harvested on the farm can be marketed without penalty.

If the acreage harvested exceeds the acreage allotment, an "excess marketing" card will be issued for the farm. This card will show the amount of the excess and the percentage of the tobacco on which a penalty is to be collected.

The penalty on excess tobacco is to be paid by the buyer or warehouseman, who may deduct it from the price paid to the grower.

No tobacco may be sold under a marketing card except tobacco grown on the farm for which the card is issued. The card is to be presented for recording on tobacco produced on excess acreage is 10 cents a pound for Burley and 5 cents a pound for the dark types. Marketing quota regulations also provide additional penalties for violation of quota law.

Attempted evasion of marketing quota penalties by misuse of marketing cards will mean reduction of the tobacco acreage allotment for the farm in the following year and will also make the farmer subject to additional penalty on tobacco involved.

One change in Burley quota regulations calls for each sale other than a regular auction warehouse sale to be recorded on a "bill of non-warehouse sale" to be prepared by the buyer and the farmer when the tobacco is sold. This regulation also applies to "non-warehouse sales" of dark types.

The Farm Bureau gave \$40 to the Boyd county state champion poultry judging team to help defray its expenses to Chicago.

A Fight For Our Lives

Since the funds received from the sale of Christmas Seals are used to help in the fight against tuberculosis, those who are helping in this great work should find out what they really know about tuberculosis.

It is imperative that we know all we can about tuberculosis, for knowledge is our real weapon against the prevention of disease. There is no vaccine for the prevention of tuberculosis, no drug for its cure. The victories gained in the past have been truly victories of education. Yet, surprising enough, there are still many misconceptions about the disease held by many people.

The medical profession and the tuberculosis association have been telling, showing us, for years what we should know, what we should do to prevent, control, and cure tuberculosis in this country. But many of us have paid little attention. Many of us do not know even the few facts that we should know—the facts which, if we knew and put into practice, would drive tuberculosis out of this country in a relatively few years.

The mistaken belief that tuberculosis can be inherited still tortures some people. But tuberculosis is caused by a germ—the tubercle bacillus. Every person having the disease has "caught it" from someone else who has it.

Despair, based on ignorance, still strikes some people when they hear the verdict—tuberculosis. Another wrong belief has persisted—the incurability of the disease. But tuberculosis can be cured if found early. The hope in getting well lies in beginning treatment early.

Tuberculosis can be in an advanced stage before any symptoms appear. It can hide behind apparently "healthy looks" for months. But the X-ray can find tuberculosis before any symptoms appear. When the time comes that a chest X-ray will be a routine part of every physical examination, tremendous strides can rapidly be taken toward complete eradication of the disease.

Not even the symptoms of tuberculosis are known by all of us. Unexplained "firedness" is a danger signal. Other signals that point toward the necessity for a competent medical examination are loss of weight, loss of appetite, indigestion, an afternoon fever, a cough that hangs on, blood spitting.

Some of us are not yet rid of the belief, long since exploded, that climate is of major importance in the treatment of the disease. With ex-

pert medical care and absolute bed rest the disease can be cured in almost any climate.

Another fact that too few of us pay attention to is the extent of the disease in this country. We emphasize the declining death rate because it is good news. We need to emphasize the alarming number of persons still dying with tuberculosis every year. Sixty thousand persons died from tuberculosis last year! We need to emphasize the tremendous mortality among young people. Tuberculosis kills more persons between the ages of 15 and 45 than any other disease!

These are only a few things we should know about tuberculosis. We can prevent the attack by this enemy by using our one weapon—knowledge.

"We have a double duty in the fight against tuberculosis. We must support it financially—it is a fight for our lives, remember—and we must take an active part in the fight by using the knowledge about the disease that is available to us."

Mrs. Walker Owens, chairman Tuberculosis Xmas Seal Sale.

4-H's Produce

Members of 4-H clubs in Scott county raised livestock and produced crops worth a total of \$14,081, according to James L. Stephens, assistant county agent. Tobacco led the list in point of value—\$5,560. Sheep raised by 4-H'ers were worth \$1,793; poultry \$2,048; and hogs, \$1,380. Other production included garden crops, beef calves, potatoes and dairy products.

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M. L. Brodie, a Logan county Utopia club member, will realize about \$2,150 from his projects.

A Christian county hybrid corn grower reports a crop 12 to 18 feet high, which he considers too tall. Kentucky 103 hybrid corn produced 25 bushels more to the acre than a red cob local variety, in Powell county tests.

Hog raising is increasing in Martin county, where 1,700 head averaging

about 300 pounds were butchered last year.

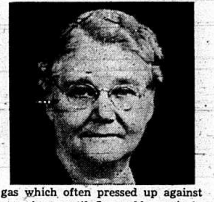
A goal of alfalfa on 75 percent of all farms has been set in Carroll county.

Seven 4-H club boys in Fleming county sold 692 pounds of Jimmy seed for \$32.18.

A yield of 137 bushels to the acre gave to Oliver Cecil the corn growing championship of Daviess county.

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