





"FOLLOW THE HARVESTS. IN THE CHERRY PIE SEASON I WORK THE CHERRY COUNTRY, IN THE APPLE PIE SEASON, THE APPLE BELT."



"NO, IT'S ENOUGH! YOU REMEMBER! THE BOY YOU WERE GOING TO SPEND THE REST OF YOUR LIFE WITH LAST MONTH!"

### WRIGHT A. PATTERSON

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#### No Real Choice

FROM 1932 to the last political campaign the American people have had no real opportunity to choose between two political programs. In 1932 the Republican party faced a condition for which it was in no way responsible. The depression was not American made. It was the aftermath of World War I and was, or had been, world-wide. In that campaign the two parties faced much the same problem. There was right and he left. In that campaign Mr. Roosevelt ostensibly stood for much the same governmental program as did Mr. Hoover. Both promised allegiance to the American economic system of free enterprise; both promised a continuance of governmental economy. The depression was a reality, though it was not a plank in either party platform. Because it had during his administration it was the basis of Mr. Hoover's defeat.

#### PATTERSON

IT WAS NOT until after that 1932 campaign that the New Deal, as representing a new American policy, came into being and turned government definitely toward the left. Previous to that time political movements had been shown only by splinter parties that had been bypassed by the Republicans, such as the Bull Mooseers and the Laborite Progressives.

Then came the New Deal ideologies. They represented a distinct turn toward the left, to government planning; to the appeal to minorities; to a move on the road to socialism, or state capitalism, which is much the same thing.

IN THE 1940 campaign Wilkie stood on a turn to the left. He represented the New Deal policies. He called it liberalism and, like Landon, insisted he could do a better job along the New Deal lines than the voters did not have policies, but only candidates, from which to choose.

In 1944 the war was the big issue. It was not whether or not we would fight the war, but who would lead in it. Even before the war conditions Governor Dewey stood largely on his interpretations of the New Deal policies.

OUR WHOLE concept of government is based on the two party system. Those two parties should represent different governmental policies. One should be reasonably conservative, should stand definitely for our free enterprise economy and for government as a servant, and supported by the people. The other should quite as definitely represent a change in governmental policy, government planning, centralization and those policies that mean a turn to the left. The party should attempt to straddle, attempt to appeal to all elements.

That would provide the voters with an opportunity to determine the kind of government a majority wants. It would mean the voters choosing policies rather than candidates.

AS BETWEEN the two parties and what each stands for, the voter should not have to guess or supply his own interpretation. Those who wish a continuance of our capitalistic system; those who wish to avoid any turn to the left; those who would have the citizens support the government, not the government support the citizens; those who would oppose centralization of government and preserve the rights of the states and local government could vote for those candidates representing conservative policies. Those who favor a turn to the left; who believe in government planning for the individual; who would have government support for the individual and a centralization of governmental activities, could vote for the liberal candidates.

The old time general store that served our towns and villages in the last century has about disappeared. The store keeper of the past days has been replaced by the merchant of today, or the town or village in which he operated has disappeared as a market place. The present day American consumer demands attractive appearance, service and adequate stocks. He must have merchandising instead of storekeeping methods from the stores in which he spends his dollars.

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- 1 cup bran
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- 1/2 cup sugar
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- 1/2 cup salt
- 1/2 cup baking powder
- 1/2 cup baking soda
- 1/2 cup vanilla
- 1/2 cup nutmeg
- 1/2 cup cinnamon
- 1/2 cup cloves
- 1/2 cup allspice
- 1/2 cup ginger
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- 1/2 cup ginger



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FOR SALE—About 100 acre Farm, 9 room frame exceptionally good. New shingle roof. Good brick chimney, two fireplaces, large barn, cellar, good well, spring water in barn lot. Outbuildings, orchard, timber and lot of rich bottom. Tobacco base. Known as the Albert Allen farm, on Crooked Creek gravel road, close to house. Electricity this next spring. A bargain at \$3,500.00. John Reese R. R. 2, Orlando, Ky. t21p.

Reliable man with car wanted to call on farmers in Rockcastle County. Wonderful opportunity. \$15 to \$20 in a day. No experience or capital required. Permanent. Write to day. Mc Ness Company, Dept. A, Freeport, Ill. t20p.

of the above named decedent will please call and settle said debts.

Arnela Wells, Administrator. Arnela Wells, c-o E. Selby Wiggins, Atty. P. O. Box 535 Madison - Southern National Bank and Trust Bldg. Richmond, Ky. t27c.

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**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Ira Wells, to please file same at my office at the address given below, and all persons indebted to the estate

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF**  
**Citizens Bank**  
OF BRODHEAD, KENTUCKY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 31, 1948

**ASSETS**

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection. \$ 240,859.12

United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed. 392,800.00

Loans and discounts (including overdrafts). 222,516.22

Bank premises owned and fixtures. 4,000.00

**TOTAL ASSETS** 860,175.34

**LIABILITIES**

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations. 759,260.01

Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations. 44,976.00

Deposits of United States Government, including postal savings. 351.96

Deposits of States and political subdivisions. 2,072.06

Other deposits (certified and officers checks, etc.). 1,293.95

**TOTAL DEPOSITS** \$ 808,553.98

**TOTAL LIABILITIES** not including subordinated obligations shown below) 808,553.98

**CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**

Capital. 20,000.00

Surplus. 15,000.00

Undivided profits. 19,621.36

Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital). 6,000.00

**TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS** 51,621.36

**TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS** 860,175.34

\*This bank's capital consists of 50 shares first preferred stock with total par value of \$5,000.00, total retireable value \$5,000.00; and 150 shares common stock with total par value of \$15,000.00.

**Poplar Gap**

Mr. John Reese returned home Saturday after being in Ohio and Indiana for the past week.

Mr. Bill J. Durhapp is still in a critical condition by self infliction with a chopping axe.

Miss Elsie Griffin was in Mt. Vernon last week.

Mr. Vester Singleton is spending a few days with friends and relatives in Indiana.

Mr. Lee Roy Morris of Dry Fork section was in our vicinity Saturday on business.

Mr. M. A. Vansant made a business trip to Richmond Friday.

Miss Fannie Mullins of Dayton, O., was a recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Danie Mullins.

There is quite a bit of sickness in our neighborhood, in the way of lagrippe and colds.

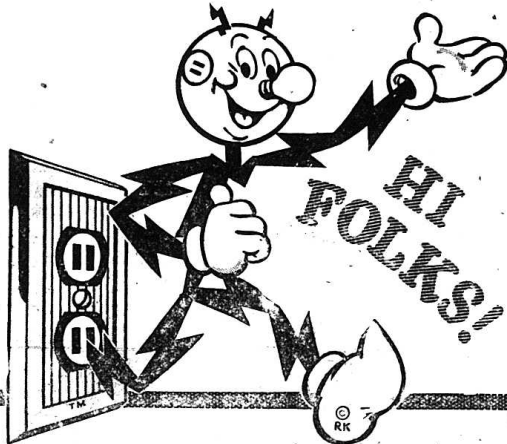
Mr. Hubert Vansant and family of Bummer were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Vansant.

Some of the Poplar Gap folks attended church at Crooked creek Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Delia Black and son, Laurespen, Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davidson.

Mrs. Rachel Jennings of near here is visiting with relatives. Several people of this section attended circuit court at Mt. Vernon Monday.

Mr. O. C. Vansant was the guest of Clinton M. Allen Monday.



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**COMMUNITY PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY**

**MEMORANDA**

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities for other purposes. 5,000.00

I, R. C. Anderson, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: R. C. ANDERSON,  
O. R. CASS, W. S. CASS, W. H. ANDERSON  
DIRECTORS

State of Kentucky, County of Rockcastle, ss:  
I, sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of January, 1949, and hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

D. H. GRAY, Notary Public  
My commission expires January 20, 1951.

**Signal From the Quarterback**



Engine "revved up" for take-off, a Naval Aviation Cadet aboard the practice carrier USS Wright at Pensacola Naval Air Station gets the go-ahead signal from the flight dispatcher of an air group. Pensacola Naval Air Station, the "Annapolis of the Air," is the focus of the recently reactivated Naval Aviation Cadet training program, which is open to healthy, single young men between 18 and 25, with at least two years of college. Upon graduation they are commissioned ensigns in the Naval Reserve, or second lieutenants in the Marine Corps Reserve, are awarded their wings and assigned to two years' active duty. (Official Navy Photograph)

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SATURDAY - JAN. 22  
Johnny Mack Brown  
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Wake Up Kentucky

I think you'll like this editorial quoted in part from the Los Angeles Daily News...

"One of the flaws in our democracy that seem to become more apparent around election time is its uneven development."

"We find men and women taking leading roles in movements who do not seem capable of teamwork because they exert pressure in different directions."

"The state of Kentucky was like that or even worse. It was rapidly becoming a backward state, living on the fame that America."

business concern in Louisville met and decided to do something about Kentucky. They formed the 'Committee for Kentucky'...

"This fine group of men, representing the great organizations and institutions of the state, not only did something but they are continuing to do something. It wasn't something political for it was a non-partisan project."

"First there was a survey by 1940. It was found, Kentucky was next to the lowest state in the South in industrial payrolls. Its per capita income was 59 per cent of the United States average in 1943."

"The committee is having such great success that Mr. Schacter was led to believe some committee could do a great deal for America. Accordingly, he has proposed a 'Committee for America'..."

"I wish to say to us that we in California could start with an examination of what the 'Committee for Kentucky' has done and see if some of its ideas

would be of help in California. From that we may well proceed to participation in the work of the 'Committee for America'...

Three Links

Every one seems to be enjoying these spring days and are just wishing they may continue for a while, but old man winter will return soon we know...

Mrs. Lloyd Phillips and Mrs. Andrew Cox spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Ethel Cox. Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Henderson, son of Mt. Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Ward of Lexington were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jason Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Owens at the Sunday night and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. David Henderson.

Mr. Henry Martin and wife made a business trip to Lexington Friday.

Mr. Lee Mitchell and son have moved to the Hager farm. Mrs. Addie Martin spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. J. T. Dooley.

Mr. John Cox was home over the week-end.

Scaffold Case

We are having some very warm weather in this community at present.

son, Johnny, of West Union, O., spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Stephen and family. Mr. Tom Barrett and W. T. and Maurice Stephen made a business trip to McKee last Wednesday.

Conway

Mr. L. C. Towery underwent an operation Saturday morning in St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington. He has been reported doing nicely.

Mr. Raymond Huff and Mr. Ruben Conley of Richmond, Ind., were home over the week-end. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Huff and family.

Mrs. George Thacker and little daughter and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bowman were in Berea Sunday.

Mrs. L. C. Towery was in Lexington Saturday morning to visit daughter who is in the hospital there.

Mrs. Edna Smith spent the week-end with Miss Mable Huff.

Mr. Shirley Phillips was home over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore and Mr. Hiram Thacker were in Richmond Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Maricle were in Berea Saturday.

Quail

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Taylor and son spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Taylor.

Mrs. Charles McClure and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Albright Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mink and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Taylor and family. Mrs. Taylor who has been ill for some time remains about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Casper Owens spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Long and son of Ohio spent last week-end with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Tony Mink and son spent a few days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Owens.

Mrs. Willis Logsdon who has been ill for some time remains about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Adams visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adams Sunday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Taylor. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mink spent the night.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Bank of Mt. Vernon

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON DECEMBER 31, 1948

Table with columns for ASSETS and LIABILITIES. ASSETS includes Cash balances, reserves, and loans. LIABILITIES includes demand deposits and time deposits.

Table with columns for CAPITAL ACCOUNTS and MEMORANDA. CAPITAL ACCOUNTS includes Capital and Undivided Profits. MEMORANDA includes Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities.



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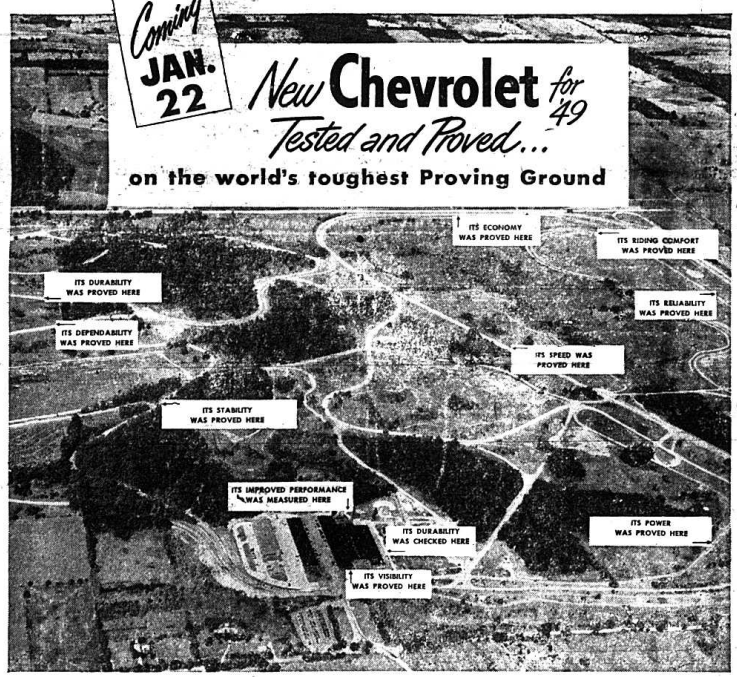
VERNON THEATRE Mt. Vernon, Ky. SUN-MON. - JAN. 16-17 Deanna Durbin - Dick Haymes - Vincent Price

TUE-WED - JAN. 18 - 19 Montgomery Clift - Aline MacMahon THE SEARCH Children 9c Adults 25c THU-FRI. - JAN. 20-21 Leo Gorcey and The Bowery Boys

MEMORANDA Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 135,000.00 I, R. B. McKenzie, Cashier, of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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Attention All Veterans Drawing Compensation or Pension or any Veteran who thinks he is entitled to such is invited to attend the Disabled American Veterans Meeting on Monday, January 17th, 7:30 P. M. at the basement of the Nazarian Church.



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