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Brodhead

By Mrs. Jennie Roblas

Cummins-Frith
The wedding of Mr. C. H. Frith of Brodhead to Mrs. Willie Cummins of Louisville was solemnized Sunday, Feb. 24th.

Mrs. S. R. Cromer, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cromer and baby and Mrs. Golden Hensley spent Tuesday in Indianapolis, Ind., as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ballard and family.

Mrs. S. R. Cromer Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cromer and baby daughter, Rhonda Faye, were in Richmond, Va. last week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cromer.

Mrs. Martha Webb, Mrs. Rosa Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wechs of Middletown, O., were weekend guests of their father, Mr. Dave Webb and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Clay, Colson and children are reported very ill with flu at their home on Mt. Vernon St.

Mrs. Ada Pitman of Earlinton is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Robins. Mrs. ad Mrs. Brad Pritchett were over from Frankfort to spend Sunday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kincaid, Mr. Arch Albright is numbered with the sick.

Mrs. Jesse Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roberts were called to Cincinnati to attend the funeral of their brother, Mr. John Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson Denney of Brodhead announces the engagement of their daughter, Miss Audrey Eileen Denney of Cincinnati, to Mr. A. B. Gardner of 11619 Rose Lane, Springfield, O. The wedding will take place Sunday June 5th in the Nazarene Church in Springfield.

Leah Schultz
Miss Estelle Lear of Louisville, pretty daughter of Mrs. George Roberts of Ottawa was married February 24th to Edwin L. Schultz, of Madison, Ind.

After a two weeks' honeymoon in Florida they will return to Madison to reside, where Mr. Schultz has his business. Mrs. Schultz was born and reared near Brodhead, a graduate of the Brodhead High School. She has many friends who wish for her and Mr. Schultz much happiness.

Misses Louise and Sallie Mullins of Cincinnati were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Mullins.

Mrs. Della Allen of near here is making an extended visit in Ohio and Indiana.

Brodhead Receives Gift of \$500.00 From Lions Club

Job Hendrickson of Brodhead handing over a check for \$500.00 to Mrs. Neaurul Miracle, county superintendent.



Bob Hendrickson, Secretary of the Brodhead Lions Club, presented a check in the amount of \$500 to the County School Superintendent this week. This money is to be used for the completion of the new Brodhead school building.

When asked how the money for the gift was raised, Mr. Hendrickson replied that the Lions Club made the money through rummage sales and banquets. Mrs. Miracle of the County School Superintendent's Office, says that the new building will be dedicated later this spring.

Pfc. Freddy Ruppe in Technician School

Pfc. Freddy L. Ruppe, Air Force, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Ruppe of Livingston, Ky., is now a student in the Dental Technician Course given at Medical Field Service School, Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

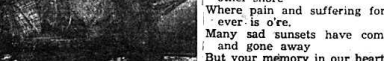
Enlisted personnel and officers from Armed Forces installations throughout the world come to this school for technical and professional training in military medical service.

Completion of this course qualifies graduates for duty as signment as technicians in military hospitals and medical units.

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Three Injured In Wreck



Three Rockcastle County men were injured Sunday morning when the car in which they were riding hit a bridge abutment on the north side of Brodhead. The injured men are Jack Sowder, 20, Claude McHargue, 23, and William Abney, 23.

The driver of the car, young Abney, could not be reached for comment, but the other two men stated that another car was crowding them on the bridge and that when Abney applied his brakes, the car swerved to the west, throwing them into the bridge railing.

Injuries to the three were not serious, consisting mostly of bruises and lacerations about the head and face, but the car was badly smashed on the right side. Albert Schumacher and Mrs. Neaurul Miracle, who were working on another news story in Brodhead, came upon the wreck just a few minutes after it happened and Mr. Schumacher was able to take some pictures of the car. They thought at first that one of the men was seriously injured so they rushed back to Mt. Vernon to call an ambulance. However, all three men are able to walk around now and appear none the worse for their experience with the exception of a few bandages and bruised places.

Rockcastle Farm Bureau List Feb. Members

A total of fifty-two paid up members of the Rockcastle County Farm Bureau was reported by Henry Brown, Secretary-Treasurer. Members who have paid their 1952 dues are as follows: James B. Adams, Ray Adams, Ambrose Albright, John P. Allen, Owen Allen, John Baker, Oscar Barnett, Curtis Bradley, Buford Brown, Exie Brown, R. E. Bullock, Edd Burnett, Billy Bussell, Arthur A. Cain, Nevil H. Chappel, Nathan Clark, Charlie Cummins, Magie DeBord Jesse Fish, S. S. Guthrie, J. W. Griffin, Mode Hamm, W. O. Hamm, Russell Harper, Walter Hasty, Fred Mullins, J. H. Mullins, and C. L. Norton.

EXAM SET FOR PRACTICAL NURSES

The Kentucky Board of Nursing Education and Nurse Registration announced that it will hold examinations on April 1, 2 and 3 for practical nurses. The exams will be given at the Henry Clay Hotel in Louisville.

Practical nurses who want information about the exams should contact Miss Jessie Greathouse, 604 S. Third St., Louisville.

LOWELL, GRIFFIN

Samuel D. Hampton Involved In Wreck
Samuel Dean Hampton, 19, Burr, Ky., escaped injury last Friday afternoon when the car he was driving was involved in a three-car collision on US 25, about five miles south of Richmond. Occupants of the other two cars sustained various injuries, some of them serious. Paul Griffith and Roe Van John and Ted must be brothers, they look alike, and a photo-



Cadet Lowell Griffin, most valuable ball player on the team of Kentucky Military Institute.

Lowell Griffin, son of Mr. Mrs. R. W. Griffin, South Richmond, was named this week as a letter man on the basketball squad at the Kentucky Military Institute. The team has just completed a successful season with a record of 12-3 at Venice, Florida where the Cadet Corps is spending its 39th winter session.

Cadet Griffin was considered the most valuable player on the team acting as Captain during this season. Starting in every game he Center, he had the second high score on the squad.

Mr. John Durham has returned from a brief visit with relatives in Cincinnati. wherein the mistake or fraud occurred to pay costs of a recount, and in event a recount petition is found without basis to require he permit interested parties to inspect bond to identify opposing parties.

Session of Court to begin March 17th

Names drawn from the jury wheel for the March 17 session of court are as follows: Grand Jury: Frank Adams, Wilde; Nathan Mullins, Clumey, Green Carpenter, Mt. Vernon; Homer Hale, Mt. Vernon; W. R. Anderson, Brodhead; J. B. Sexton, Clineax; Jack Bowers, Mt. Vernon; Nick Chasteen, Boone; Luther Cummings, Mt. Vernon; Willie Kidwell, Brodhead; E. H. Hopkins, Crab Orchard; Thurman Mink, Well Hoop; L. Phillips Three Links; C. R. Burdette, Wilde; Virgil Martin, Brodhead; Logan Baker, Sand Springs; John Fugate, Brodhead; John Hopkins Mt. Vernon; Earl Childress, Williams; Sheridan Vanwinkle, Bullmer; Curtis Eversizer, Hammett; Charles Abney, Hummel; John L. Robertson, Lamero and Sam Durham, Crab Orchard.

Henry Green Mullins, Orlando; Mrs. Mammie Williams, Mt. Vernon; Matt Singleton, Orlando; Harry Smith, Wilde; Mrs. Joe Garner, Mt. Vernon; Robert Dooley, Three Links; John Owens Spiro, Ben Link; Jack Wadd; Mrs. Melvin Baker; Nettie Jep Hill; Mrs. J. L. Jones, Mt. Vernon; Robert Reppert, Boone; Zachary Green, Sand Springs; Jack Gott, Williston; William Payne, Level Green; Henry Halcorn, Brodhead; Mrs. Bessie Norton, Wadd; Gilbert Allen, Clineax; Mrs. William Coffey, Renfro Valley; Leonard Kirby, Mt. Vernon; Virgil Hunt, Mareburg; C. H. Baylock, Wadd; James Payne, Wadd; L. A. Alexander, Boone; Mrs. Robert Abney, Morrill; John Rice, Clineax; Walter Norton, Sand Springs; W. H. Coffey, Mt. Vernon; J. A. Malone, LeRoy Mullins; John Rice, Clineax; Mrs. E. L. Saylor, Wadd; Mrs. H. E. G. Brodhead; Mrs. W. M. McCone; James J. Conway and Oscar Hamlin, Wadd.

Wilderness Library Founded At Renfro

Renfro Valley Barn where broadcasting is done. Lower left: Ted Richmond of Mount Sherman, Arkansas, founder of the Wilderness Library and well known writer and promoter of literary work. Right: picture is that of John Lair's home.



Founder of Wilderness Traveling Library in Arkansas, guest of Dr. and Mrs. Gordon 3,000-mile Educational Highway to tell U. S. A. of 'New Wilderness Branch at Renfro Valley, Kentucky.'

(Special to Mt. Vernon Signal) Renfro Valley, Ky., March 2, 1952.

Wilderness Library, unique traveling educational institution, headquartered at Mount Sherman, Arkansas, in the Ozarks, now has a branch in the famous Renfro Valley, Kentucky in the Cumberland foothills. This announcement reached Arkansas over 119 CBS radio stations this morning when wilderness librarian Ted Johnston, as guest of the Renfro Valley Gatherin', was interviewed on the air by John Lair, founder of Renfro Valley Enterprise and emcee of the broadcast. On a three thousand mile hitch-hike in the interests of mountain education, the Wilderness Man stopped over at Berea, as guest of his friend, Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Ross of Berea College from this hospitable home he visited Berea College and attended the annual Council of Southern Mountain Workers at Gatlinburg, Tennessee where he represented the Ozarkouri and Oklahoma, and made other trips. Then the Wilderness Man was introduced to the Renfro Valley Man and the two made educational history as studio visitor remarked that John and Ted must be brothers, they look alike, and a photo-

Eight Radios Donated To Needy Schools In Rockcastle County



Dr. Hazel Noble, local chairman of Save the Children Federation, presents Radios to Mrs. Neaurul Miracle, County School Superintendent

Eight electric radios have been donated to the students of Rockcastle County Schools by the Save the Children Federation. The Federation working through Cadle Tabernacle, of Indianapolis, Indiana, presented the radios to Lloyd Shuttlesworth, Red Hill, Ella Ponder, Sand Springs, Catherine Graves, and Virginia Jones; New Grade day of this week. Seven of the radios have been placed in the schools out in the country and the schools with the aid of the teachers are as follows: Pine Hill, Bertie Rice; Lloyd Shuttlesworth and Ruth Lambert; Red Hill, Ella Ponder; Sand Springs, Catherine Graves; and Virginia Jones; New Grade day of the schools at a later date.

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Rockcastle County's public schools were the recipients of gifts from two entirely different sources. At Brodhead the Lions Club donated to the grades and high school the sum of \$500.00 towards the completion of a certain section of the new building which was not covered by the original contract.

The other gifts, from the schools came from the Save the Children Federation, an organization that is interested in the children who do not have the opportunities and the privileges of learning and education that other favored children have.

Such interest in our schools will go a long way to make progress and bring to the children the help they need for a healthy moral and educational growth.

The Mt. Vernon Chamber of Commerce is virtually interested in a number of projects for our county. Last Tuesday evening the men of this organization discussed the construction of a hospital. No ballot was expressed. This of course, is only a small percentage of the subscribers, but it indicates the trend.

The question remains as how the money will be procured for the construction of such a hospital. When the detailed plans of the building are drawn up and approved, then the possibility of a bond issue will be taken before the people.

As to the telephone situation, they then agreed that something must be done to improve it. Progress has been made in the plans and it is believed that the community will be getting better and more adequate service in the not too distant future.

The establishment of a "Wilderness Library" at Renfro Valley will be unique undertaking for this well-known community. It will be the first project of its kind east of the Mississippi as a branch of Ted Richmond's "Wilderness Library" in Arkansas. The first book for this library is a copy of New Testament donated by the founder of the library in the Ozark Mountains.

Join The Easter Parade to the U. S. Navy Band Concert
Lexington, Ky.
Sunday, April 13... 3 p.m.
All net proceeds go to Kentucky Press Association Fund for Crippled Children.

Memorial Coliseum
Lexington, Ky.
Sunday, April 13... 3 p.m.
All net proceeds go to Kentucky Press Association Fund for Crippled Children.

Ticket Order Coupon
U. S. NAVY BAND
Room 300, 237 W. 5th St., Lexington, Ky.
Please mail me the following tickets for U. S. Navy Band Concert on Sunday April 13, at Memorial Coliseum in Lexington:
Adult tickets at \$1.30 each
Student tickets at 50c each
Mailing fee \$.10c
AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$
Name
Street City

County Agents Notes

Rockcastle and Madison to be served this year—1952 by the Cumberland Strawberry Growers Association. The Association voted last week to place a truck on US 25 to pick up strawberries produced in Whiteley, Knox, Laurel, Hay, Rockcastle, Jackson and South Madison counties and transport them to Cincinnati berry market. This will help with the marketing problem so far as transportation is concerned. There are more than 50 acres of berries in the county which should be placed on the big markets. He has more berries in these counties than the local market will take, therefore the producers should welcome this opportunity to market their Spring Cash Crop, where all the crop can be sold instead of losing the part that can't be sold in the county.

This transp berry truck berries to market. Lets keep it on the road by making plans to market all the berries produced this year. Market all red berries and keep no 2 and over ripe berries for home use. This is a way to make a success in growing strawberries. The County Agents in these counties will be glad to furnish information to help you in picking cups, crates and their instructions as to picking, grading and marketing. See your County Agent for more information you have berries to market. Don't put it off. The County Agents, of each county, would be glad to send you and samples of each grower so that he can last year Rockcastle county supply the needed information, provided over \$3,000 worth of strawberries, about half of this was done by the farmers and the other half by 4-H club members. Dads back your children in starting a 4-H project of one fourth or one half acre each and this will help you increase the

cash income on the farm. Strawberries bring in the cash in the spring, and tobacco bring it in the fall. Why not put out one fourth or one half acre of strawberries this year and be ready when the tobacco base is cut 20 per cent as predicted in 1952. Every strawberry grower of 1942 should set a new patch this year. Plants should be set between March 15 and April 10. Its the new crop that produces the biggest and best yield of berries, and not the old.

It takes 1000 plants for one fourth acre or 4000 per acre. The Tennessee Beauty variety is one of the best berries to grow in this section. If you expect to have a crop of the best berries to sell in the spring of 1953 you must set thousands of plants of 1952. Set plants on good ground and use fertilizer. Remember, you can't sell strawberries to sell this spring that you need to get cups, and crates and other information on picking, grading, packing and can furnish you all this information. Your County Agent makes.

Home Agents Notes
This being National 4H Club Week it is fitting that we review our 4H Club Creed. The majority of us are familiar with the 4H Creed and the Best Better and the 4H flag badge but the creed is just as meaningful and as important to become familiar with it. It is as follows:
I believe in 4H club work for the opportunity it will give me to become a useful citizen.
I believe in the training of my mind for the power it will give me to think, plan and to reason.
I believe in the training of my heart for the nobility it will give me to become kind, sympathetic, and true.
I believe in the training of my hands for the skill it will give me to be helpful, useful, and skillful.
I believe in the training of my feet for the strength it will give me to enjoy life, to resist disease, and to work efficiently.
I believe in my country, my state, and my community, and in my responsibility for their development.
In all these things I believe, and I am willing to dedicate my efforts to their fulfillment.
Recreation Award Given To The County
The United States Rubber Company gives \$25 awards to 25 counties to each state each year for outstanding 4H Recreation Programs. This year South Madison and Rockcastle County received one of the Blue Awards certificates in recreation and \$25 to be spent for the betterment of recreation in the County.
Six Fund Encyclopedias have been purchased with the money. These books will be kept in the offices of the County and Home Agent and may be checked out, as library books are, from them by 4H club members and leaders. The encyclopedia is a 1008 page book with 2,400 suggestions for fun at home, in the club, with hobbies, outdoors, music, and general and seasonal activities. It is informative and recreational reffered and is a good source of facts.
Please feel free to use these books very much in club work and at meetings.
Let's improve our recreational activities in the county and try for another award next year.

WILDERNESS LIBRARY (Continued from page one)
Library. This was gratefully Branch of Ozark Wilderness received by the Renfro Valley Man whose morning theme had been built around Wilderness Work, the bible and Abe Lincoln. Songs by Renfro Singers followed the Wilderness theme dealing with a Wayfarer, Stranger and a House by the

YOUR STATE OFFICIALS



LUTHER T. GOEHN Commissioner of Welfare



DR. BRUCE UNDERWOOD Commissioner of Health

Goheen, Dr. Underwood Direct Welfare, Health Programs

Luther T. Goheen, was appointed commissioner of Welfare last February. Goheen, 48, is a native of Birmingham, Marshall County. He was graduated from Murray College with a B.S. degree in 1927. From 1927 to 1940 he was principal of the high school at Blountville. In 1940, he was named superintendent of the Kentucky Children's Home at Lenoir. He remained there until 1947 and during that period served for a time as acting director of the State Division of Child Welfare. He was superintendent of the Masonic Widows' and Orphans' Home in Louisville from 1947 until he took his present job.

Goheen was graduated from the University of Louisville Law School and admitted to the bar in 1944. He has now nearly completed work for a master's degree in school administration from the University. He is a member of the Louisville Kiwanis Club, the Kossuth Temple Shrine and the Louisville Health and Welfare Council. He belongs to the Christian Church. He is married to the former Ines Cornwell and they have one son.

Dr. Bruce Underwood, 39, Kentucky's commissioner of Health, has been doing public health work since 1940. He was health officer of Union County from 1940-1942 and held the same position for Webster from 1942-1945 and for Henderson County in 1945 and 1946. He was health officer in Tallahassee, Fla. in 1946 and 1947 and then entered private practice in Harlan. He was in private practice in Morganfield when he was appointed commissioner in 1948.

Dr. Underwood was graduated from the University of Louisville with a B.S. degree in 1928. He received his M.D. degree there in 1937. He is a member of the American and Kentucky Health Associations. He is a Baptist and a Mason. He is married to the former LeRue Nance and they have a son.

Dr. Underwood is a native of Louisville, where he now makes his home.

For three or more voluntary librarians willing, like himself, to labor in faraway places without pay, operating tiny wilderness branches in the Appalachian area, because specialists in Ozark and Midwestern literature to promote better understanding between Ozarks and Appalachians.

Following the Renfro Valley interview, Ted Richmond had several more invitations to the radio, to groups, churches, colleges, civic clubs and the like, and as often as possible he hopes to say yes to these invitations over 7500 hundred mile circuit back toward Mt. Sherman, Arkansas and home.

POPLAR GAP By G. W. Allen
Mrs. Della Black remains ill at her home. Mrs. Zora Shell and son, Eldon of Hamilton were weekend guests of the writer and family. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reese of Cincinnati, were guest of relatives here and elsewhere in the county last week.

Mrs. Novella Bell and daughter, Linda, of Richmond, Ind., are spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Allen. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vanzant of Dayton, O., were here last week with relatives. Mr. Bill Durham, who has been working in Ohio for several months has returned home to farm. Mr. Taylor Griffin returned home last week from a visit with relatives in Indiana. He was accompanied home by his daughter, Elsie. The nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Vanzant, who was recently injured by jabbing a corn stalk in his face. He is getting along nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Dewey McGuire and children of Dayton, O., recently visited relatives here and at Corbin. Mr. Walter McCoy bought and moved a saw-mill into our vicinity last week. We are sorry to report Mrs. George Davidson still on the sick list.

30,000 Covered by Social Security
Approximately 30,000 employees of the state, counties, school districts and other governmental subdivisions have been placed under social security coverage as a result of legislation passed by the 1951 special session of the General Assembly authorizing that protection, it was announced today by H. B. Fritchman, director of personal security for the Department of Economic Security. The number includes about 17,000 employees in 106 state agencies. All agencies in this category are covered. Of the State's 253 school districts, 105 are under Social Security provisions. Fifty of the 120 counties are protected, as are 47 of the 302 cities and 40 independent units. Contributions into the fund from all sources are \$1,670,400 a year, the largest portion coming from state employees with a \$1,080,000 contribution. Half of this is contributed by the employer. The school employee contribution into the fund, by 4,128 employees is about \$141,200. Counties, with 2,441 covered employees, contribute \$142,300 and independent units with 152,900; 2,717 city employees contribute \$154,000.

Electronic Takeoff
SYRACUSE, N. Y. — Assembling a guided missile of the future about to be launched, this electronic gas has a multitude of wings. It is called the "Felix" and is an experimental instrument on a railroad derrick at General Electric's plant here, ready for shipment to Cuban station CMC-TV at Santiago de Cuba.

Little Miss Linda Lou Sutton is reported very sick at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sutton on Henry St. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cromer and Mrs. Delbert Doan of Somerset were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Doan and son, last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smithers, Doris and Ella Joe, visited her sister, Mrs. C. M. Osborne and daughter, Mrs. Ed Adams of Pikeville, in Ravens Friday of last week.

Announcing the opening of new garage. Repair all makes and models. Spare parts, welding, Link Mullins Garage, Snider, Ky. m20c

FOR SALE
1937 Pontiac sedan, 6 cyl. A mechanic's nightmare. Only \$69.99. Special deal on floor mats this week \$5.00 each on all late models in stock. 1940 Ford, 2 door sedan. We carry parts for any make car, try us and see. We need a clean truck 1/2 or 1 1/2. Will trade, buy or make a deal. We give service, conveniences, day, night or Sunday. Get into the heart of neon alley, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

DR. D. E. SETTLES OPTOMETRIST
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MT. VERNON HOTEL
Every Tuesday and Saturday Hours: 8:30 to 11 and 1 to 4

You'll want more than a peek!



Come in for a good look at the stunning NEW '52 DODGE
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Mt. Vernon, Ky.



REGATTA QUEEN... She is the star of Miami after her selection as queen of Miami's 23th annual Biscayne Bay regatta. The Biscayne regatta is the oldest consecutive run annual regatta in the United States. She will reign over all of the regatta.

BRINDLE RIDGE

By Mrs. Marjorie Cummins

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Proctor are the proud parents of a daughter, born February 28. She has been named Reda Mae. Pvt. Buford Banks is home on leave from the army. He was called home due to the illness of his father. Mr. and Mrs. Peasley Mink and family of Ohio spent the week-end here with relatives and friends. Pfc. Johnathon W. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Smith has been moved from Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas to Kessler Air Force Base in Mississippi. Rev. Green Ellis and sons, James and George of Williamsburg visited friends here Sunday afternoon and preached at Brindle Ridge Baptist Church Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carpenter (Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Edgus at Brush Creek. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McKinney and Mr. and Mrs. Berry Fischer of Paris spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mr. Ullis Ramsey. Mrs. Willis Coffey and sons of Kentucky Valley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cummins. Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mink Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Daily, Mr. and Mrs. Ullis Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Peasley Burdette. Mrs. Mink remains about the same. Mr. and Mrs. George York and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Smith Sunday afternoon.

UNION-INDUSTRY

Benjamin Fairless, president of U. S. Steel (left), greets Philip Murray, president of United Steel Workers, during a wage stabilization hearing in New York. Fairless is opposing a wage raise.

RADIO JOBS BECKON

UNIVERSITY COEDS An American college coed who 15 years ago majored in radio with the idea seeking eventual employment in that field was embarking on a precarious undertaking. Today, however, the situation is different. Within the past two weeks alone, nine requests for women employees have been directed to the University of Kentucky Department of Radio Arts by radio stations within the state. Not one opening could be filled. Prof. E. G. Suijzer, head of the U. K. department, says the shortage of radio-trained girls is likely to continue indefinitely.

NAVY CONCERT

The United States Navy Band, known as "The World's Finest," will present a special Easter concert at 9 P. M. Sunday, April 13 in the University of Kentucky Memorial Coliseum at Lexington under auspices of the Mt. Vernon Signal and other members of the Kentucky Press Association.

Net proceeds will be to the Kentucky Press Fund for Crippled Children. This fund will be used to instruct buildings for treatment of crippled children and for which funds are available from any other source. Lt. Comdr. Charles Brendler, conductor of the Navy Band, said the program to be presented at Lexington will differ from any other presented this year by the famous musical organization since it will include selections especially arranged for the Lexington concert. It also will include selections of interest to young people of both popular and classical favorites.

An indoor attendance record for a Navy band concert can be set at the Easter Sunday event, since 14,000 seats will be available for Central Kentucky music lovers. Demand for tickets is expected to be heavy because of the large number of persons who will want to "Join the Easter Parade to the Navy Band Concert."

Tickets will be apportioned for sale among 50 or more newspapers in the Central and Eastern Kentucky area, so only a limited number of tickets will be available in any one community. C. S. Sanderfer, concert tour manager for the famous band said yesterday "I hope music lovers who really want to attend this concert do not delay their ticket purchases. We need to turn away thousands recently at Nashville, Tenn."

CLIMAX

Mr. Johnny Baker spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ballinger. Roscoe Himes spent Saturday night with Arnold Owens. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ramsey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clark. Lincoln Whitaker, Clifford Himes and Johnny Baker were in Ohio and Indiana last Friday on business. Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Galt spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ramsey. The family of Mr. Willis Young is very ill at this writing.

Sgt. Robert Johnson has returned from Germany to spend a 30 day leave with his wife. Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Abney of Richmond, Ind. spent the week-end with relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cole and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Coffey of Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Anglin and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clark and family spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Clark and family at Green Hill. The Climax 4H Club had a party last Thursday night. There were thirty-one present. A three time was reported. Lole Mae Baker and Viola with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Owens spent Saturday night

"JOE BEAVER"

By Ed Nofziger



Forest Service, U. S. Department of Agriculture. "They transplant us way out in nowhere, and then civilization catches up with us again!"

we appeared under auspices of the Nashville Banner. Seven hours and five hundred concert goers got inside the auditorium, but thousands of others were turned away at the doors.

The Lexington concert will be the Navy Band's only appearance in Kentucky during its present tour. Tickets go on sale today by mail. They cost \$1.30 each for adults and 50 cents for children and high school students. Orders should be sent to "United States Navy Band, Room 300, 237 West Short St., Lexington, Kentucky." Be certain to include a 10-cent mailing fee. A ticket order coupon appears elsewhere in an advertisement in this newspaper. There will be no reserved seats at this concert. Since tickets will be sold in a large number of Kentucky cities, committee members in charge of the concert will try to guard against over-selling the Coliseum's capacity. Ticket demand for concerts at the Coliseum usually are heavy. The Central Kentucky Community Concert Association, which presents concerts and lectures at the auditorium, ordinarily sells its season's memberships in a short time.

Use of the Coliseum by Kentucky newspapers was authorized by Dr. H. L. Donovan, president of the University of Kentucky, and the UK Board of Trustees.

A number of outstanding musical performers will appear with the band. Featured vocalists will include Richard Groves, a baritone famous for his singing of "Hit Parade" and Ben Mitchell Mirris a tenor whose singing has small-boy appeal and debonair worldliness that rocketed him to stardom.

Other stars of the Navy troupe include William Cameron, known as "The Ace" with the "Slide" harp, Arlington Zesty, world famed piccoloist; Joseph Himes, fourth member of a famous family that has "municipalized" bassoon and contrabassoon sections in the country's best symphony orchestra, Carl Grove, saxophonist; Homer E. Phillips, Trombonist; H. Brass, often called the finest euphonium player in the world; Oscar B. Short, famous cornet and trumpet soloist; Gordon Finlay and Robert Baird, cornet soloists and Frank Scimone, master of the valueless "Pump-Hand."

FUNDS FOR MUSIC LIBRARY GIVEN COUNTY

Dr. Hazel Noble, Chairman of the Rockcastle County Committee of The Save The Children Federation, reported Monday that she had received \$250 from the national federation to be used for music library in Rockcastle County. The county committee is tentatively planning to purchase records and record players which will be loaned out the various schools from a central office.

STATE TESTING ACCURACY OF ALL GASOLINE PUMPS

The Division of Weights and Measures of the State Department of Agriculture is currently checking the accuracy of all gasoline pumps in Kentucky. George L. Johnson director of the division, said that between 40,000 and 50,000 inspections will be made and that the work will probably take until June. It is the first time all pumps in the state have been scheduled for inspection under continuous program. Each pump will be given a five gallon check and its meter will vary more than seven cubic inches from the amount tested. Pumps giving inaccurate measurement will be condemned until corrected and approved by Johnson's division. Law requires that each pump in use bear a seal certifying accuracy either from the division or the oil company operating the pump. The Division of Weights and Measures was charged with inspecting all commercial weighing and measuring devices under a law passed by the 1950 General Assembly.

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A book published last week by the University of Kentucky Press gives public school educators a clear guide to the teaching of moral and spiritual values without risk of violating the American tradition of church-state separation. Entitled "Moral and Spiritual Values in Education" the book was written by Dr. William C. Bower, former professor of religious education at the University of Chicago. The program advocated by Dr. Bower does not call for the teaching of religion but, rather, for emphasis in the classroom and on the school playground of moral values.

UK SPEAKER RAPS SPECIALIZATION

In an address last week at the University of Kentucky, a Chicago theologian gave America's institutions of higher education a sharp slap on the wrist. Dr. Arthur C. McGiffert, president of the Chicago Theological Seminary, charged that specialization is becoming the bane of American universities. Higher education he said, in its efforts to produce specialists has become so departmentalized that it prevents faculty and students from thinking actively in matters outside their own particular field of interest.

ELIZABETH BORGMAN, noted home economist of the famed Linda Marshall staff, will show you the wonderful ease of cooking on Maytag Dutch Oven Ranges. Don't miss this unusual demonstration.

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QUAIL

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Mrs. Gillis Brown has returned home from the hospital in Lexington...

Mr. Victor Todd is ill at this writing...

Mr. Willard Brown is visiting relatives in Florida...

KY. FARMERS

Kentucky farmers are enjoying the first real recovery that they have experienced since the Civil War...

Charging that taxes rather than farm prices are causing inflation...

Underwood said that the sale of agricultural commodities like tobacco...

ADAMS URGES FARMERS TO CONSERVE EQUIPMENT

Commissioner of Agriculture Benn S. Adams today called on all Kentucky farmers to conserve farm machinery...

National goals announced by the Federal Department of Agriculture indicate that crop and livestock production must surpass last year's near-record level...

This would indicate that acreage must be increased but unfortunately new acreage is not available...

Production of new farm equipment has been in a decline since the middle of 1937...

FIRE LOSS IN JANUARY HIGHEST EVER RECORDED

Kentucky's fire loss for January was the largest of any single month on record...

Most of the fires, especially the large loss, were caused by carelessness in the use of open flames...

Surprising how many people mistake a 3 for an 8 when playing cards...

Women, especially, often refuse to recognize the fact that when they wear glasses...

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The children of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bullens, who have been sick are some better...

Mr. and Mrs. Ellen Strunk of Berea are sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Ellen Strunk...

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Croucher are the proud parents of a baby girl...

The singing school at the Christian Church closed Saturday night with a big crowd...

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bullen spent week-end with her sister, Mrs. Joe Rogers in Tenn...

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Martin is very sick with the flu...

Mrs. Mattie Alcorn is improving after being sick for several days...

Tight Phosphate Supply Spurs Need For Early Orders

FARMERS are again facing a tight fertilizer supply situation for the coming year...

The committee lists these suggestions by Michigan State College soils men for helping farmers meet this situation...

SOIL EQUIPMENT LOANS MADE TO 72 COUNTIES

Loans totaling \$581,317 have been made since 1148 by the Division of Soil and Water Resources...

public here today. Declaring that in Kentucky there are an estimated 12,000 cases of tuberculosis...

Staffing of the hospitals with qualified personnel has been a problem which has not been completely solved...

To retain the services of young, well-qualified medical directors and assistants who we now have...

Despite a steady decline in the death rate in recent years, the number of people who have tuberculosis in Kentucky is still public health enemy number one...

State maintained hospitals are located near Hazelwood, Madisonville, Glasgow, Paris, London and Louisville...

KENTUCKY'S DEATH RATE LOWEST SINCE 1911

1950 was the lowest since death rate began in 1911, according to the U. S. Census Report for that year...

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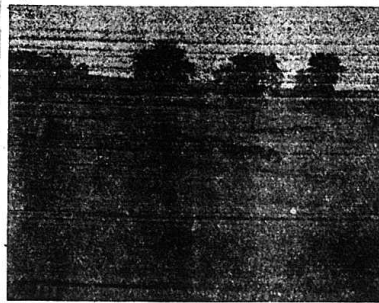
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Higher Per Acre Yields Cut Bushel Cost Help Combat 5-Fold Rise in Farm Expenses



Forty acres of well-fertilized pasture carry 40 head of cattle all summer long on Ed Boeser farm near Watkins, Minn.

FARM expenses that have increased 5-fold in the past 10 years can be combated by using a greater volume of business...

The committee cites a recent study by Paul Robbins, Purdue University agricultural economist, which shows that average farm expense has risen from about \$3,000 annually in the 1935 period to about \$15,000 in 1950...

That have formed soil conservation districts may purchase crawler tractors, drag lines, tire trenching machines, bog harrows and other specialized equipment...

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4H CLUB NEWS

The 4H club of Mt. Vernon held their regular monthly meeting February 27, with 38 members present...

Our Program this month was on 'Stamps'. We had at this meeting some of the new 4H commemorative stamps for everyone to see...

The president brought up the question of our serving luncheon to all club members who attend rally day and achievement day...

THUR-FRI MAR. 8-7

Larry Parks, Barbara Hale, Una Merkel

EMERGENCY WEDDING

SATURDAY, MAR. 9

Brian Donlevy and Ella Raines

IN FIGHTING COASTGUARD AND Rex, Allen

SUN-MON. MAR. 9-10

Anthony Dexter, Eleanor Parker

TUE-WED. MAR. 11-12

Lon McAllister and Larry Stewart

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Advertisement for Curlee Suits, featuring a man in a suit and the text 'Curlee Suits Now \$39.50 All Wool Hardwoven Worsted Real Values. These Suits Tailored Made Would cost up to \$75.00 McBEE & ADAMS'

