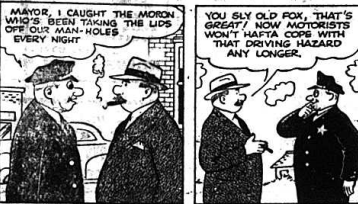


MAYOR McGUP By John Jarvis



YOUR brain budget

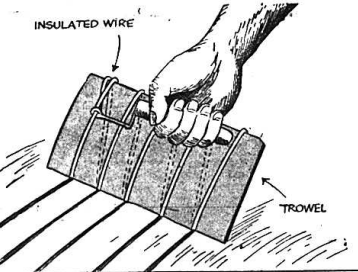
- 1. He has plundered our seas, ravished our coasts, burst our towns, and destroyed the lives of our people. Who was he: (a) Napoleon, (b) Adolph Hitler, (c) George III, (d) George Washington, (e) George III, as described in the Declaration of Independence.

The Verda 4H club in Harlan county is planting trees and seeding the school lawn as one of its projects.

Kenland red clover is proving to be popular in Spencer County, many farmers having soil tested in their clover fields.

In Lyon county, 76 fireside baskets, eight waste baskets and 82 bread baskets were made by 144 homemakers at club meetings.

Thirty-two farmers in Carlisle county bought more than 1,000 bags of ammonium nitrate in February, most of it to be used to increase grass seed production.



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FARM AND HOME NEWS



Robert F. Spence

"FOOD AND PEOPLE" Mr. W. L. Wilson, Director of Extension Work, U. S. Department of Agriculture, makes the following statement about the food and the people of the world.

"Food production has risen materially since the war, but most of the increase has been in the countries that were already high producers. Though total world production is now some nine per cent greater than the average of the five year period, 1934-38, the number of people is twelve per cent greater.

Thus, if all foods were evenly distributed, each of the more than 2,000 million people in the world would have to eat less to eat today than in the five pre-war years. But of course foods are not evenly distributed; those who were well fed have as much as they had before, or more. Most of those who were hungry are now better fed than they were in the past in most of the under-nourished areas falling to keep pace with the population growth; the volume of world trade in food is also about a third less than less than before war.

The demand for Ky. 35 tobacco seed in Hancock county is greater than for any other variety.

It is estimated that 40,000 chicks will be brooded as broilers this year in Elliott Co.

Eastman Foley of Russell county produced cockers that weighed three pounds at 8 weeks on seven pounds of feed; they are the Arbor Acre White Cross variety.

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Letitia W. Jasper

District meeting planned for three women and the home agent attended the Wilderness Trail Homemakers planning meeting at Corbin, Friday Mar. 7.

The following plans were made: The meeting will be held on Monday, March 26, at the First Christian Church, Pineville. The meeting will start at 10:00 A. M. Eastern Standard time and adjourn by 2 P. M.

The theme of the meeting will be "Women in the world today". The home agent will have a bus chartered to take members to the meeting. The cost of the bus fare is not definite but the entire cost, bus fare and lunch on would be approximately \$5.00.

Homemakers Clubs Help Communities

How homemakers clubs work for the betterment of their communities is seen in the active work of clubs in Perry County.

The Combs County Homemakers Club is buying window shades for the local school, food sales providing \$133 for the purpose. The Lohrath Club has a dual purpose, that of buying books for the school library, and black topping the school grounds.

"JOE BEAVER" By Ed Nofziger



Forest Service, U. S. Department of Agriculture

Take soil samples. Know what is needed. Buy legume seed and inoculant. Buy and store fertilizer for both pastures and crops.

Dairying is of first importance among McCracken county farmers this year, the demand for milk increasing much more rapidly than the supply, says S. C. Bohanan, University of Kentucky county agent in that county.

In using the methyl bromide treatment for tobacco beds, Robert Reid of Daviess county says he puts on the cover 24 to 36 hours before using the gas.

Fertilizer Bought Now Can Be Safely Stored On Farm Until Spring

BUYING fertilizer now and storing it on your farm this winter is one way of having on hand the plant food you need for the 1952 crop season.

Good quality fertilizer can be satisfactorily stored on farms during the winter. It can be kept in good condition until spring planting time, if a few simple precautions are followed.

You'll have plant food for spring use if you buy it now.

From 10 to 25 per cent in the 1950 demand for plant food. So it is important to act promptly if you want to be certain of having plant food when you want it.

Store fertilizer sacks only in a barn or some other dry building that has flooring on the ground; 2-If you have to use earth or concrete floors, stack fertilizer bags on a crib of blocks and boards; 3-Keep the piles close together, if sacks are of burlap. This will reduce the circulation of air from which fertilizer may soak up moisture; 4-Prevent caking by piling sacks only seven or eight high; 5-Keep broken bags separate from the main pile. Loose fertilizer soaks up moisture faster than that in a bag.

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CHAS. H. GARTRELL Commissioner of Aeronautics

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John M. Kinnaird, 30, is the youngest man at the head of a department of Kentucky State government.

Chas. H. Gartrell, 37, was appointed commissioner of Aeronautics in 1948. He is the first commissioner of the Department of Aeronautics.

Gartrell is a native of Boyd County and makes his home in Ashland. He was an alderman in Ashland, 1940-1942, and president of the Ashland City Council in 1941.

Gartrell is a member of the American Legion, the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Masons, Shriner's, and is a past president of the Kentucky Junior Chamber of Commerce.

State Sets New High In Dairy Income

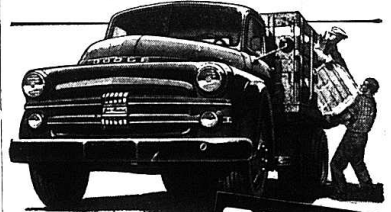
A new all time high cash farm income of \$65,889,000 was received by Kentucky milk producers in 1951.

This was 16.8 per cent greater than for the previous year. Kentucky climbed up to 8th place nationally in the production of cheddar cheese and maintained fourth position in butter.

A series of six regional dairy rallies throughout Kentucky, late in '51, it was announced by Ben Allen Thomas, Shelbyville, president of the American Dairy Association of Kentucky and Dan Baldwin, Louisville, manager of the Kentucky State Association of Kentucky.

He pointed out that over 2 billion pounds of milk are produced annually on 97,580 farms in Kentucky. If this total amount, 33 per cent is used on farms, 20 per cent in the manufacture of butter, 17 per cent in processing evaporated milk, 15 per cent in fluid milk consumption, 10 per cent in cheesemaking, 3 per cent in ice cream and 2 per cent miscellaneous uses.

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ONE MAN'S FAMILY... In Joliet, Ill., dinner on a mass-production basis in shifts is served in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Baker, parents of 18 children. Papa is a pipe line company machinist.

Employers Must Report Income Tax Data

Persons and firms making payments to others are required to furnish the Kentucky Department of Revenue this information under Kentucky law and Departmental regulations...

NPA Opens Way For Needed Church Building

Now that the National Production Authority has approved construction of 446 churches, whose applications had been held up by defense controls...

Green Pastures Tour In Southern Counties

The second annual Green Pastures tour will be held April 22, 23, and 24, it is announced from the University of Kentucky...

Your Garden

The first insects will soon be here. Among them will be lice and green worms on cabbage, black fleabeetles and Colorado beetles on white potatoes...

Livestock Marketing Discussed by Farmers

Orderly livestock markets in our state would give Kentucky a chance to rid itself from the livestock dumping ground stigma...

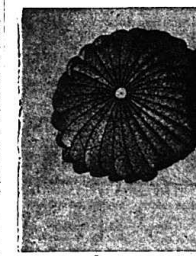
Armless Forger

In Chicago, Clifford Blount, armless Negro, was arrested for forgery. He denied he forged a government income tax check.

Champ Fire Eater

In New York, Bob Noble, 16, won a pie contest at the Bay's Bay Boy's club. He won a two-week's vacation at a camp in Valhalla, N.Y.

Collision



COLLISION... The parachutes of two jumpers became entangled in mid-air during an air-drop at Camp Drum, N.Y., but both landed safely.

Highway Deaths Down Last Two Months

Kentucky is compiling a better highway safety record than during 1951, according to a report issued here today by Chas. B. Jones, executive secretary of the Governor's Highway Safety Committee.

Church Street Building Gets Face Lift

The old building on Church Street formerly known as the Widow Griffin Place and now owned by O. V. Hilton is razed in preparation for remodeling...

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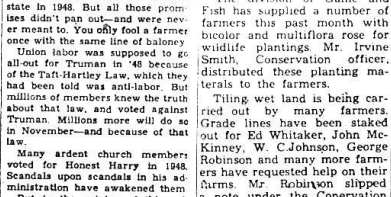
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2 Day Sale Fri. & Sat., March 14-15. Another chance for you to get bargains and save money. My entire stock will be reduced. Best dress print 39c yard. Cannon Towels, 25c each. Peter's Shoes priced low. Ladies dresses, \$1.49 up. Mrs. R. G. Webb LIVINGSTON, KY.

Soil Conservation Committee Named

The supervisors of the Broadhead Soil Conservation District their regular monthly meeting Friday at the Soil Conservation Office in the County Education Building...

Joe How Come Such a Fine Corn?



Joe How Come Such a Fine Corn? I planted Broadbent Hybrid. Say, I like Broadbent Hybrid seed corn gives higher yields of the kind of corn you want.

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Serves 20 Years As Club Leader

Mrs. Anna Lee Gregory, one of the first 4H club members in Harlan county, has consistently held to the belief expressed in the 4H club motto...

4-H Club Collects Load of Scrap Iron

Members of the Milburn 4H Club in Carlisle county gathered and sold a truck load of scrap iron, then bought a sewing machine for the club...

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EDITORIAL

We want to make some kind of an explanation to our many readers for the defective printing of our first two issues. Probably you have noticed the white streaks across some of the pages that made pictures look pale or washed out. There were several reasons for this. In the first place the large ink rollers on the press which transfer the ink from the fountain to the form, were hard. These rollers should be soft and have what the printers call "kick". In the second place it happened to be a cold day last Thursday, not enough warmth to give resiliency to these rollers. In the third place the rollers are old and have deep grooves in them, and have deep grooves in them, causing white streaks. Just as soon as possible the old rollers are to be replaced with new ones. The Signal should then look much better. You may rest assured that the printing done by the Signal, whether it be the newspaper or other kind of printing, will soon be of the highest order.

Is there anything that can give a man more worry than to figure out his income tax? The instruction seems simple enough but by the time a person has collected all the data of his in-

come and deductions possible, there are devious ways that seem to take you into dark recesses or unexplainable, mathematical mysteries. At one point it stays abstract, then goes multiply by two, and then go to the back of the instructions sheet and find out the nearest amount of your income and multiply by the rate of percentage. The result may be all right, but who is certain of the results. And then there hangs over your head that you have given too much or too little.

These are windy days. They remind one that Spring is near at hand. A few days ago the weather was perfect. On the next day a chilly rain fell and the wind blew in gusts that drove the sheets of rain into your face. Many umbrellas took on that strange appearance. But it will not be long and the drab valleys will be come green. The wild flowers will peep through the blanket of leaves, the trees will take on a new dress and there will be music in the air from the throats of myriads of winged creatures. Take heart, it will soon be Spring!

The daily newspapers of late have had their front pages covered with murder stories. There was the case of the kidnapped

lawyer in Louisville and the killing of Schuster in Brooklyn. Both cases had long detailed accounts. They are sorted stories. They make one feel as though this world is going to the dogs. They are not the only stories of murder and tragedies and accidents.

However when one takes in to account the small percentage these tragedies are of the entire population, they are few in proportion. Unusual events always take the spot light. Good deeds are so many that they are taken for granted, and rarely get into the daily papers.

TO BE OR NOT TO BE

That is the question. Since federal aid is not available for the construction of a hospital in Rockcastle County, the question is left up to the voters—will we have a hospital, or will we not? The Fiscal Court has gone on record as being willing to put the question on the ballot in November. The rest is left up to the individual voter.

There is no need to stress the importance of having a hospital in Rockcastle County. Everyone knows how far away the nearest hospitals are, located and they also know how crowded the hospitals are. The backers of the hospital drive here do not promise that a local hospital would take care of everyone or eliminate the crowded conditions elsewhere. They do maintain, however, that a hospital here would keep the sick folks closer to their homes and loved ones, as well as giving them the medical attention they need.

It is reported that local doctors and civic leaders have tried in vain to procure more and better doctors for Rockcastle

Churches Sponsor Ball Broadcasts

As an expression of its faith in the state's young athletes, the Elkhorn Association of Kentucky Baptists will sponsor the complete radio broadcast of the Kentucky high school state basketball tournament over station WVLK, Lexington, March 19 to 22. This is the first time that a religious organization has ever sponsored a broadcast of this kind.

In announcing the Association's decision, Dr. T. J. Powers of Versailles, moderator of the group, said he knows that because of the mistakes of a few here in Kentucky, the faith of a great many people has been shaken. But we have faith in all of the young men playing for Kentucky's high school, and we hope these broadcasts will help them resist certain temptations in the future, and make better citizens of them today.

Detailed accounts of the broadcast were worked out between Dr. Powers, Donald J. Horton, manager of station WVLK, and I. C. Lexington, who relinquished his obligation to sponsor the games so that the time could be bought for the Association.

Need Fertile Soils For Health Building High Protein Foods

FARM soils must be kept fertile if we are to supply the protein foods needed for good growth, sound health and the creation of new life, declared the Middle West Improvement Committee, in citing a recent statement by Dr. W. A. Albrecht, head of the University of Missouri soils department.

"Foods high in protein, such as meat, milk and eggs," said Dr. Albrecht, "are the very products of reproduction. Protein are nature's complex creations through which alone life can flow."

"When a soil loses its protein-making elements either through over-cropping or erosion, it grows starchy, or woody plants, if any at all. White these foods are filling and may put on fat, they do not cause growth in animals or children."

Many of our farm soils are reaching the point where they are losing their ability to create, Dr. Albrecht said. When that happens, erosion is more rapid and serious.

Dr. Albrecht recommended a soil building program that adds nutrient elements through the use of fertilizers. This, he said, will result in more production and less erosion.

high school boys and girls on street with terms. Dr. Powers said, "We realize that basketball is the favorite sport in Kentucky, and we feel that we can reach the largest potential audience of impressionable people with a spiritual message on this broadcast."

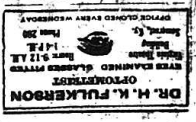
St. Joseph's Cathedral, in Bardonia, Ky., contains nine paintings by European old masters, the gift of Louis Phillip, Duke of Orleans and later the King of France.

Theodore O'Hara, colonel in the confederate army days and author of the poem, "Bivouac of the Dead," was born in Danville, Kentucky.

Billy Clary of Logan county is building a poultry house in which he will house approximately 9,000 broilers, "town which the south RARRR." One of the largest clothing stores is located in Mayfield, manufacturing plants in the Kentucky stands in the town which one Morehead State College nurtured one of Kentucky's "bloody" duels, the Tolliver-Marti feud.

Kentucky's new state capital building, in Frankfort, was completed in 1909.

Lawrence W. Wetherby, present governor of the state of Kentucky.



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MAINTAINING high crop yields year after year depends on getting and keeping a well-balanced supply of nutrients in a soil well conditioned with organic matter, declared the Middle West Soil Improvement Committee in a recent statement.

"No one element is the sole answer to high production over extended periods," says the statement. "It is true that some soil for a time gives startling responses to one element. But the reason for this is that such soil is deficient in that one element, while well stocked with others."

"Take for instance, a soil lacking in potash. As soon as potash is added, the crop response is tremendous." But continued additions of potash alone will soon pull down

the available supply of nitrogen, phosphate and other nutrient elements. When that happens there will be no response to potash until these other elements are added.

"All this emphasizes the fact that an adequate, well-balanced nutrient level is essential to continued high crop production. But for the top in profitable production this high nutrient level must be coupled with practices that give: 1—A plentiful stock of organic matter to give the soil good condition and promote the maximum use of nutrients; 2—Good drainage to save essential moisture and draw off excess water; 3—Adequate soil ventilation to provide crop roots with all the oxygen they need."

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