

Rockcastle County Ideally Suited for Pasture Land

By Wayne Stewart

During a drought year such as the one we have just witnessed good pastures can be appreciated more than ever before. Rockcastle county is now in the third year of the Green Pasture Program, a program designed to put "green gold" on every farm in the county. We live in a county with hillsides and rolling land which is not adapted to corn raising but is adapted to the development of an ideal pasture program.

We are fortunate to live in an area that normally enjoys a plentiful rainfall, a long grazing season, and good markets for our livestock. The long grazing seasons and abundant rainfalls are our greatest natural resources, the resources which have unlimited possibilities of development. It is the responsibility of the farmers of this area to develop good green pastures to utilize our greatest natural resources.

Growing a mixture of good grasses and legumes on our farms means less labor on our farms with a larger income, and probably the most important of all the checking of soil erosion. Very few farmers in Rockcastle county have had the opportunity of farmers to step out the privilege, or we might say the misfortune, of plowing a hillside for corn or some other row crop. We all know what happens to these hillsides when cultivated, gullies soon appear and the rocks seem to grow. Actually the topsoil, which is the life of the soil, is being eroded away and carried into creeks and rivers to clog them with silt and rock.

Several years ago no one seemed to have the answer to such problems. In fact we didn't feel there was too much need for an answer because there was always a new hillside to move to when an old one was worn out. The days of new hillside are gone and we have to be content with the ones that we have left.

The solution to erosion in our county is a very simple one and seems to be one that we should have started following years ago. The solution is simple and easy to follow, since it only requires an easy conservation method of farming. That idle land we now have which is covered with sassafras, sage brush, and a dense field for our animals but we are not interested in making track stars out of cows. If you are now following a plan of rearing rather than farming, it is time for a change. By coaching we mean that the old cow

has to be coached over eight or ten acres to fill her paunch rather than doing it on an acre. Instead of developing a cow who can walk great distances it seems we have developed one that has a big stomach and has to get it filled rather quickly if we expect her to produce.

The conversion program means the seeding of grasses and legumes with a fertilization program on the athletic fields. This program means improved pastures which will furnish pasture eight to ten months each year. In return for a program of this kind we can enjoy larger incomes from our farms as well as increasing the value of the farm.

The farmers of Rockcastle county have made great strides in the last few years in developing a sound pasture program, but we have only started developing our unlimited resources. Not many years ago we were seeding pastures just to give the field a rest before we cropped it again. We then began to realize that pasture was

also a crop and began liming and phosphating our pastures. This was a very important step because it was during this period that we realized that pastures could pay off as much as any other crop with the exception of tobacco. Following the lime and phosphate "era" came the permanent pasture with complete fertilizer added to the lime and phosphate to insure a better stand we are now emerging into a plan of continuous pasture which means not only feeding the young plants but maintaining the pasture by top dressing annually with phosphorus and potash, and nitrogen where needed. The top dressing of a pasture this year means that we will have a pasture next year to dress with added production instead of a dead pasture to reseed.

We, the agricultural teachers of Rockcastle county, wish to take our hats off to the farmers for the progress you have made in making our county a green county. You are beginning to keep your farms at home in-

stead of letting them drift down the Mississippi where they are not wanted. The future of Rockcastle county rests in the hands of the farmers who are willing to continue the development of a sound pasture program for a permanent agriculture.

Progress Made In Rockcastle County

By Carl Williams, County Judge

Rockcastle county has made wonderful progress in the past few years in many ways. We have more and better roads, better farms, better homes, schools and churches than years ago. The farmers have done much in introducing better livestock and new crops. They have increased the crop yields by improving the soil. We now get three times as much corn per acre and four times as much tobacco as we

got years ago. Farmers are now plowing with tractors and power operated machines instead of the bull tongue plow and grubbing hoe.

The Pasture Improvement Program has done much to bring about this widespread improvement. The seeding of the hill sides to grasses and legumes and improving the bottom land for grain has lifted the standard of living for all of us. The pasture program has and will continue to make the county more prosperous.

The Agricultural Agencies

and the farmers working together, are to be congratulated for the progress made. Let us look forward to greater improvements in our county. It was said years ago that we would never have electricity in the home and on the farm, but today half of the farm homes in the county are lighted and farmers are enjoying some of the comforts the town and city people enjoy. Let us keep on with the same progressive spirit and hope and work for a county wide telephone system sometime in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anderkin and family of Cincinnati, Ohio visited their parents last week, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Anderkin of Mt. Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown of Marseburg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderkin of Mansfield, O., also visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Anderkin and Mrs. Sudie Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Shreveberry and son and Mrs. W. L. Wheat also visited Mr. and Mrs. Jake Anderkin and family.

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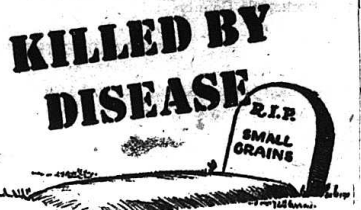
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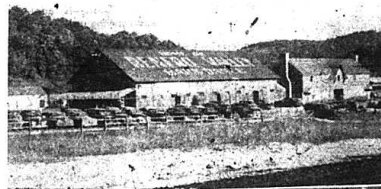
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Chamber of Commerce Deeply Interested

The Rockcastle County Chamber of Commerce is deeply interested in the welfare of the county. We have tried to get some industry located in the county to bring more income to the people of the county. This is primarily an Agricultural County and one of the best ways to increase the income of its people is to develop many acres of cleared land to its maximum production. A great amount has been done toward this goal, but much remains to be done. Many acres of our cleared land can produce most in the years ahead if it is put in "Green Pastures" or hay.

The Rockcastle County Chamber of Commerce is wholeheartedly behind the "Green Pasture" program for the county. We know that with good pastures and hay and the livestock to use them, farmers will enjoy a higher standard of living with greater incomes. This turn will mean better business for all businesses in the county. Therefore, we urge all farmers and business men to get behind the "Green Pasture Program" and help to make Rockcastle county green.

O. V. Hiltzo, Pres. Rockcastle Chamber of Commerce.
L. D. Bryant, Secy. Rockcastle Chamber of Commerce.

Use Land According to Ability

Bradley Saylor, Chairman The supervisors of the Brodhead Soil Conservation District are interested in the conservation of our soil in Rockcastle County. The Supervisors are Bradley Saylor, Robert Snodgrass, W. S. Stewart, John Houston and Wm. Coffey. We believe that the motto of the Soil Conservation Service, "Use the Land According to Its Capability and Treat It According to Its Need," is a basic fact, and in order to keep our top soil with its fertility as a heritage to future generations, which is so badly needed in we must cast now. Our motto is a complete soil and water conservation program on every farm. Technicians help for developing such a conservation program is available to every farmer who requests assistance through the Soil Conservation District.

Green Pastures is one of the good practices that aids in erosion control. Development of pastures and hay on land that is capable of pasture and hay production, receives major emphasis in the conservation program. Making a supply of stock water available in the pastures so the grasses and legumes may be utilized by livestock is also important.

In starting on a pasture program, begin on a few acres which can be treated with lime and fertilizer according to its needs and sow a good mixture of grasses and legumes. A few acres treated and seeded properly will produce and help one to sow more. Large areas improperly treated and seeded are many times money and time wasted.

Clubs Boost Green Pastures

The Lions Club of Mt. Vernon takes this opportunity to congratulate the farmers of Rockcastle County on the job they are doing in the Green Pastures Program. The Club also wants the farmers to know it is 100 per cent behind them in this undertaking.

We have reached our peak in tobacco acreage and the number of pounds per acre. Therefore, it becomes necessary to turn to some other field for increased income in order to raise the standard of living in good old Rockcastle County. Dairy cattle, the Kentucky Cow and Galf Plan or beef cattle grazing our hillsides on good pasture is the ideal plan to increase the standard of living.

The writer happens to be connected with the Rockcastle Telephone Co-op and he can say that we are getting closer to a county wide telephone system, which is so badly needed in the county. Rockcastle is not my native

county, but I have learned to love the people there and I have grown to think this is the best county in the United States in which to live.

Bradley Saylor
President of Lions Club.

Green Pastures and Green Forests
By S. G. Hile
U. S. Forest Ranger

The Cumberland National Forest congratulates the Rockcastle County Green Pasture Program—Congratulations to all those far-sighted people who have seen the need for such a program and have spent their time and efforts in helping establish the present large participation by farmers throughout the county. It has meant more effective land use, more beef and milk production, more money in the pocket. Almost all things are done because they mean more money in our pocket.

Green Pastures and Green Forests go hand in hand. Green Pastures and Green Forests show that the value of its natural resources and aggressively taking steps to protect that which God has given us for our well being. These Green Forests in Rockcastle County cover one-half of the total land area of the county. If only one mule in a team was used for plowing

there would be no reason for keeping the other mule. This holds true with forest land. Unless it is protected and put to work growing trees, one half of Rockcastle county is loafing on the job.

Pastures and Forests do not require yearly plowing, fertilizing or cultivating. If we put back in the soil a reasonable amount of fertilizer, then with our turning a hand, nature will go to work and make both the grass and trees grow. Nature's way of fertilizing trees is to make use of everything in the forest. The leaves, twigs, limbs, dead trees and under brush as they fall to the ground are the raw fertilizer rains and show pack down this material close to the soil where it can constantly be damp from the moisture of the earth. This helps decay the leaves quicker. The chemicals in the leaves combine with other things in the soil to make all the fertilizer the trees need. Since it takes five years or more for a leaf to rot, think how many years trees are starved when a forest fire burns all the litter on the ground.

Pastures are no longer green when they are not fertilized for several years or are over grazed. A fine crop of weeds and briars are the result. This same thing happens to a wood lot that has been cut too much. Instead of getting valuable tree seedlings back on the land, a fine crop of weed trees start to grow but produce no

money for the owner. A program similar to "Green Pastures" is starting in Kentucky.

This program is called "Keep Kentucky Green." That means Green Forests.

Let each and every one who is proud of Kentucky "Keep Kentucky Green."

Mt. Vernon Lions Club



Believes in every forward movement for this Community and for Rockcastle County.

WE SALUTE THE FARMERS

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Billy McHargue, Vice President
Earl Watkins, Secretary
Kenneth Mullins, Treasurer

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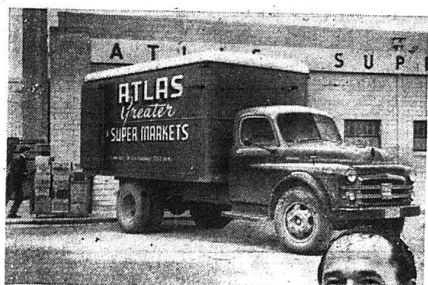
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Rockcastle County Program

The Executive committee of 1951 Green Pasture Program met with W. J. Colson, Field Agent in Agronomy, on January 25, 1952, and started the program for 1952. The members of the Green Pasture committee are as follows:

Officers
Roy Brown, Pres., Bradley Saylor, Vice Pres., Bill Norton Sec. and Treas.

Executive Committee
Robert F. Spence, Wayne Stewart, Clay Colson, E. H. Herrin, Robert Thompson, N. M. Smock, W. L. Hiatt, Clyde Linnville, John Houston.

Publicity Committee
Clyde Linnville, Bill Norton, Roy Brown, Albert Schumacher, Robert F. Spence.

Veteran Teachers
Wayne Stewart, Bill Norton, Elmer Anderson, Bruce Mayhew.

Agriculture Agencies
Roy Brown, P. C. A., Clay Colson, S. C. S., Bill Norton, Farm Bureau, W. S. Stewart, Dist. S. C. S. Supervisor, R. Turner, Voc. Agr., John Bullock, P. M. A., Robert Winn, H. A., Holt, Thompson, Voc. Agr., Robert F. Spence, County Agent.

Fertilizer Dealers
W. L. Hiatt, Bill Cass, C. E. Herrin, Bob Jasper, Boone Saylor, E. E. Bullock, D. B. Bullens, H. C. Anglin, C. B. Bussell.

Bankers
N. M. Smock, Bank of Mt. Vernon, W. M. Hiatt, Citizens Bank.

Editor of County Paper
Albert Schumacher
These men set up the following goals and program to be accomplished in 1952 with all agricultural agencies cooperating:

- 1. Get 250 farmers to enroll in the county Green Pasture Program.
2. Cooperate with the editor of the Mt. Vernon Signal and get a Green Pastures edition of the paper published.
3. Provide each farmer enrolling with a green sign showing him to be in the Green Pasture Program.
4. To conduct at least 10 community meetings on Green Pastures explaining the Green Pasture Program to the farmers and show the Green Pastures Film which belongs to the county.
5. Conduct a Field Day on a farm to show Green Pastures.
6. Conduct three Field Tours with the Lions Club and business men of Mt. Vernon, Brodhead and Livingston to see good pastures.
7. Select County Master Pastureman.
8. Award Certificates and Prizes to farmers making greatest progress in developing pastures.

The purpose of the Green Pastures Program is to provide a cheap supply of feed for livestock on the farms of Rockcastle County in order to increase the incomes of the farmers. Also to conserve our soil and prevent erosion on the many idle acres of cropland. The standard of the Green Pasture farmer having Green Pastures will be higher and as a result of increased incomes every business in Rockcastle County will profit.

Rockcastle Green Pasture Committee

Rough Land Used For Wildlife
By F. C. Hardy, Dist. Biologist Dept. of Fish and Wildlife Resources.

In the more modern application of good land use of our farm land, provision is not always made for food and cover for wildlife. In using every acre according to its capability, we find that areas of rough land that have been cleared, borders around the woods where field crops are shaded out and cover around sink-holes can be used for the production of feed and cover for wildlife. The use of such areas for growing lespedeza bicolor, lespedeza japonica, multiflora rose and similar crops will at the same time furnish food and cover for wildlife and assist in the control of erosion.

A memorandum or working agreement has been worked out with the Supervisors of the Soil Conservation District of Rockcastle County in which the Department which furnishes Wildlife Resources will furnish

wildlife planting materials, fish for stocking ponds and guidance in using these materials in the best manner. The Conservation officer, Irvin Smith, working with the Soil Conservationist, Clay Colson, has already established some demonstration wildlife plantings and stocked several ponds with fish.

Mr. Smith and Mr. Colson have application blanks for farmers who wish to apply for these materials and assistance.

The Rockcastle Union Sportsman Club is establishing a wildlife planting on the farm of W. J. Colson. Several farmers have established wildlife plantings, also Roy Brown, Maurice Thompson and Wallace Proctor have plantings that are producing food and cover for wildlife. Mr. Smith reports about 40 ponds in Rockcastle County have been stocked with bass and brook.

NEGRO CREEK

S-Sgt. Dale Chandler is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Chandler and sister Shirley and little nephew, Dale Patrick a few days last week. Mrs. Leon Chandler visited relatives in Cincinnati, O., over the week-end.

Ted Chandler who was operated on a week ago in Ephraim McDowell Hospital, Danville, Ky., for stomach ulcers is getting along nicely and will soon be home.

Teddy Chandler was home from Cincinnati, O., over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Atkinson and family of Louisville were visiting relatives and friends here last week at Brodhead a few days last week.

Mrs. Jessie Atkinson, who has been helping care for recuperating polio patients in St. Joseph's Hospital, Louisville, expects to come home soon. She says many of the patients are being released, and the need of extra help is not so great in that hospital.

Mrs. Shelby Cummins spent

Friday with her daughter, Mrs. E. F. Chandler. Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Chandler Sunday were Mrs. Bill Carson and son, Mrs. E. F. Chandler and daughters, Mrs. E. H. Atkinson and little grandson, Mrs. Marshall McKinney and daughter Joyce.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Chandler were here from Corbin Monday on their way to see Ted Chandler who is in the hospital.

WITHERS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill T. Mullins and Mr. and Mrs. Estell Mullins visited Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Mink Friday evening.

Miss Anita F. Mullins spent Sunday night with Mrs. Shade Waddle of Livingston, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Saylor spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Money Cummins.

Miss Anita Mullins of Detroit, Michigan is home for a two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Bass from Falmouth, Ky., and Mr. and Mrs. Clell Pike of Livingston and Mrs. W. H. Ponder visited Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Mullins and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Mink last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Shade Waddle and girls and Elizabeth Mullins of Livingston visited Mr. and Mrs. Casper Mullins and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Mink Sunday.

RED HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ames from Richmond, Ind., were visiting their daughter, Mrs. Gilbert Shepherd and family over the week-end.

Mr. Virgil Morris and son Michael, were here from Cloumbia, South Carolina, guests of his grand parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Ponder and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hurley are visiting relatives in Covington, Ky., and parts of Ohio.

Mrs. Albert Morris from La-

tonia Ky., is spending her vacation here with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Ponder and other relatives.

Mrs. Earl Phillips and children, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Willie Furnon back home in Hamilton, O., for a visit.

Saturday night August 23rd is regular church time and business meeting at Red Hill Baptist Church. All members are urged to be present. Every one is invited to attend.

Mr. Edd Owens from Harlan Ky., was here on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bee Griffin from Dayton, O., were here over the week-end with her brother, Mr. Joe Daughtrey and family and other relatives.

Mrs. Jepp French was taken to the Berea Hospital Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Harris of Richmond, Ky., were Sunday guests of her sister Mrs. Quentin Barnett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Lockety and children were down from Mt. Vernon Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Barnett and Aunt Alice Barnett.

Pvt. E2 Millard Shepherd arrived Sunday after completing his basic training at Indian Town Camp, Pa. He will report to Seattle, Washington Sept. 8 for reassignment.

I have just received word from my son, Floyd L. McDaniel, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill McDaniel of Livingston, and husband of Mrs. Rachel McDaniel of Pine Hill, he has one sister, Mary Katherine, he left the States July 5th, and arrived in Insandia, Japan August 5th. We regret that, he a-

long with other boys, has to be so far away from home. We miss him so much. Let's all join and pray for all our boys in service and for our nation that God will return the boys safely back to us, and that this awful war will soon be ended, and we shall once more know peace. Our prayer is "May the Lord bless and keep all our boys and send them back soon to us. The mother of Floyd McDaniel.

POPULAR GAP

Our school started Tuesday, last week, with Miss Lula Mullins of near Renfro as teacher.

Mr. Burgess Shell of Hamilton, recently visited relatives here and at Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Jennings and children returned to their home in Ohio last week after being with relatives here and elsewhere in county.

Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Lockety of Middletown, O., were recent guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Logan McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. Randie Allen and children of Maud, O., were recent guests of their parents here and at Jolietta.

Mrs. Zora Shell and son Ran Eldon and Mrs. Howard Abram and daughter, Bernice, all of Hamilton O., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Allen.

Mr. Raymond McGuire and family recently visited with relatives here and elsewhere.

Mrs. Hubert Pierson and children returned to their home at Dayton, O., last week, after this spending several weeks with their parents here, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Davidson.

Mr. Dewey McGuire and sister Wanda have returned to Ohio after a brief visit with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Allen and family returned to their home in Ohio last week after visiting relatives here and at Jolietta.

Miss Velma Allen who works at Richmond, Ind., spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Allen and other relatives in this part of the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie McCracken and children of Richmond, Ind., and Mr. Ernest Willie Higgins of Spring Lake, Ky., have returned to their homes after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Hacker Higgins and other relatives.

Sgt. John T. Cook was a guest of his mother, Mrs. Della Black and Mr. Cook a part of last week, having just returned from Korea, where he saw ten and one half months of active service. At the expiration of a 30 day leave he will return to Camp Atterbury, Ind., for future military duty.

Mr. and Mrs. William Deborde and family of Richmond, Ky., and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wallin and daughter of Crab Orchard, Ky., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Deborde and family over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Howard visited Mr. and Mrs. Hagen Brod Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Voy Thomas visited her sister Mr. and Mrs. James Tuttle Sunday.

The people of this community wish to thank Mr. Urban Hamm for graving the road they appreciate it very much. It rides very smooth.

Louisville leads the south in pork processing and packing and is one of the largest meat-packing centers in the south-eastern United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett McGuire of Dayton, O., were guests of relatives here part of last week.

GUM SULPHUR

Mrs. Del Saylor and daughters of Brodhead visited Mr. and Mrs. James Tuttle last week.

Mr. Duffy Masters and son S. D. of Norwood, Ohio spent the week-end with their wife and mother.

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Cattle—Receipts, 394; steers, \$21 1/2 to \$29.90; heifers, \$19.40 to \$28.40; best baby heaves, \$29.10 to \$32; others, \$23 to \$27; cows, \$9.50 to \$20.80; milk cows, \$87 to \$193; cows and calves \$119 to \$279; bulls, \$15.30 to \$23.30; stock bulls, \$92 to \$187; stock cattle, \$4 1/2 to \$12.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 398; packers, \$22.25; mediums, \$21 1/2 to \$22.25; heavies, \$21; lights, \$19; sows, \$14 to \$19.20; sows and pigs, \$42 to \$110; best shoats, \$17 to \$22.30; others, \$15; down.

Calves—Receipts, 187; tops, \$35 to 50; seconds and butchers, \$32.40 to \$33.40; heavies, \$34.70; common and medium, \$28 to \$32; others, \$24; down.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 539; best lambs, \$31 to \$20 1/2; 31.50; medium, \$26 to \$28.30; common, \$12 1/2 to \$22.10; best sheep, \$9.70; common, \$5 to \$8.10.

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Mrs. Mattie Creech's Two Fine Farms, Personal Property

Friday, August 29th 1952

10:00 A. M. - 11:00 A. M.

LOCATION: On U. S. No. 150 between Crab Orchard and Brodhead, Ky. 75 acres joins the School house and is known as the Jeff Holman place. 36 1/2 acres about 1/2 miles South toward Brohead, Ky., known as the Steve Eaton farm.

FARM NO. 1. Contains 75 acres of Land, Tractor Farm, 1 acre Tobacco Base, Has Fine Two Story Home up in Good Condition, Stock Barn, New Tobacco Barn, all other necessary Outbuildings, Extra Nice Lawn with Wonderful Shade facing the East, this is a REAL Farm.

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POSSESSION: Jan. 1st, 1953, subject to Tenants contract if he can get out sooner.

TERMS: Personal Property - Cash, On Farms, 25% of purchase price, day of sale, 25% when deed and possession is given, Jan. 1st 1953, balance in one, two three and four years with Lien retained with 6% interest and usual maturity clause, Insurance to be carried to protect Note Holder. Cash accepted if desired. Farm No. 2 will be sold just after Farm No. 1, then Personal Property. Fall Seeding privileges.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 21, 1952

Extensive Road Repairs In Progress

Entire stretch between Boone's Gap and Roundstone being repaired.

The eighth district maintenance crew for the state highway department is at present extensive repairs on U.S. 25 between Boone's Gap and Roundstone. The repairs are made with hot asphalt rock which is being repaved by the Curtis Cantrell Company at Pine Hill. The prepared rock while still hot is hauled by trucks to the desired spot and is then spread over the road where necessary. At some places the repaired stretch will be as long as 300 feet and take at least 70 tons of material. A large scraper churns the rock asphalt into a ridge to keep the temperature hot enough for a certain length of time or until the roller will be able to smooth it on the highway. It takes about two hours to spread an hour to cool the material so that it will be easily worked. During the period when this rock asphalt is not being used the traffic has to be stopped for about twenty or thirty minutes. Mr. Gravelly Burton wants the public to know that it is necessary to keep all traffic off the hot asphalt until there is no danger of doing any damage. The crew is able to lay about 200 tons of material a day. Mr. W. M. Clines of Monticello is the foreman of the crew.

We asked about the other stretch of U.S. 25 leading from Boone's Gap to Berea which is in a far worse condition. This stretch does not come under the jurisdiction of the same crew but belongs to the sixth. However it is understood that the company which will receive the contract for rebuilding the highway will take care of the repairs in time before the bad weather sets in. It is believed that construction of the highway will begin soon.

The Safety Belt of Agriculture

By Roy Turner

All farmers who have been convinced that grasses and legumes are good crops to grow and have tried to grow some, deserve the praise and thanks of all their fellow men. Many of you farmers here in Rockcastle can be justly proud of your accomplishments in making good pastures grow where weeds, brush and bushes had been growing. You farmers who have succeeded in getting these grasses and legumes to grow are happy. If no one has offered you any praise for you have been well rewarded by being able to have well fed dairy cows and cattle. It seems that you farmers who have become sold on grassland farming are not content merely to get their crops to grow on your own acres but you are going out after your neighbor to do likewise. This is something that is fine to see cause this indicates that you are taking pride in your pastures. Around your pasture program you can organize the production of your other crops so as to use good practices that make for permanency in agriculture on your farm. It is a good idea in mind you as a pasture farmer can help elevate grassland farming to a place that more and more people will want to appreciate. I have heard a farmer say to his neighbor you should plow up that acre of grass and raise corn. I have never heard a farmer boast of his gullied hillside that is in corn or attempt to sell his neighbor on corn. Good pastures and grassland farming fits the needs of Rockcastle farmers for four reasons. 1. Little labor is required to produce a pasture because the livestock do the harvesting. 2. Less equipment is needed to graze grassland farming than most crops because once the pasture is established, mowing and fertilizing is about all that is needed to raise the crop. An acre of good pasture will yield more feed than will an acre of any other harvested crops. 4th. The farmer in Rockcastle need to keep what soil they have in Rockcastle, for if the land is growing good

Leroy Bullock Claimed by death

Leroy Bullock, 44 years old, passed away at his home in Mt. Vernon early Monday morning August 18, 1952, after a long illness. He was the son of Robert Bullock and Alice McClure Bullock.

Those who survive him are his wife, Mrs. Hettie Bullock, children: Lucy, Glenna and Russell Bullock all of Mt. Vernon, Mrs. Wanda Henderson of Nashville, and James Bullock of Richmond, Ind., four grandchildren two brothers, Herbert Bullock of Mt. Vernon and Raymond Bullock of Covington.

Services were held Wednesday afternoon at the Mt. Vernon Christian Church by Rev. W. A. Stokes and Wendell Bell, arrangements by Cox Funeral Home.

HAVE 5 ADDITIONS

The Mt. Zion church at Oak Hill closed a successful year with five additions to the church, two by baptism and three by letter. The preacher at the services was the reverend W. S. Watley. There was a good attendance through out the meetings. Last Sunday the church school had an attendance of 70. The Sunday before it was 100. Rev. Hillman is the pastor of the church.

Look to Your Pastures!

Robert Spence County Agent August is Green Pastures Month in Kentucky. That doesn't mean to say that the pastures are at their best in August because often drought and starvation make many of our pastures brown and bare in that month. But August is the beginning of the new pasture season. It is the best time to start new pastures and to improve old ones. August is one of the best times to test soils and to spread lime on acid soils; it is a good time to fertilize poor pastures. August is the beginning of the cover crop season when vetch, crimson clover and small grains should be sowed



A. J. C. Dennis Gregory AF 154-82410, 764 A. C. and W. Sqdn., Saint Albans, Vermont, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee A. Gregory of Route 3, Crab Orchard, Ky. He received his basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

or gotten ready to sow. Pasture improvement offers great opportunities for Rockcastle farmers. We have thousands of acres of idle, wasteland that would make excellent pastures if properly fertilized and seeded. We have thousands of acres of pasture which could be improved with fertilizer or better management practices. Rockcastle County is a natural pasture country. Our soils are not adapted to corn or other row crops except on very limited scale. Tobacco acreage is pretty well fixed by law, and if not by law, by supply and demand so that leaves pasture and livestock practically our only opportunity for agricultural expansion. Fortunately there is an increasing demand for milk, meat and wool. The population of the United States is increasing at the rate of 7,000 people per day. We have fewer acres of land and fewer people per acre than in the past. That means that the farmer who does a good job will have a better chance of making a profitable living. The progress of Rockcastle farms is practically determined by the progress in making pastures so let's make August a great Green Pastures Month in this county everyone fixing to buy one or more acres of pasture during the next few days.

Kentucky grows more burley than any state in the United States. In over all tobacco production the Bluegrass State ranks second.

Kentucky Ex-Service Men's Board

Mr. D. B. Cook a contact Representative of the Kentucky Ex-Service Men's Board will be present on Wednesday, Aug. 27, at court house to assist veterans and their dependents with claims for benefits due them as a result of their military service. He will be present from 8:00 A. M. to 4:00 P. M.

TO HOLD REVIVAL AT THE GLADES CHURCH

The reverend G. W. Long of Brodhead and his wife Mrs. Long will hold a revival service at the Glades Christian Church near Berea from August 25 to September 6th. The services will be held every evening beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Close Successful Revival

The Fairview Church near Snider held a very successful revival service for the past two weeks. On several nights the attendance reached over 600. There were 14 additions to the church. The reverend Dean was the preacher at all the services.

The Old State Capitol building, at Frankfort, now state Historical Society headquarters, is considered one of the best examples of Greek Architecture in the world.

Jim Farris Dies at Ottawa

Mr. Jim Farris, age 81, of Ottawa passed away August 18th. The funeral was held at the Ottawa Baptist Church. The Rev. Charlie Philbeck conducted the services.

He is survived by his wife, Cynthia and two sons, Burgess and Vernon.

Morgan and Ball undertakers of Stanford were in charge.

Fairview Baptist Church

There will be a revival meeting starting at the Fairview Baptist Church August 17 and ending August 31. We cordially invite all churches to come and worship with us. Rev. James I. Dean and Rev. Roscoe Hunter will conduct the services. Rev. James I. Dean is the pastor of Fairview. We are now in the act of building our church larger and adding a Sunday school room. We are rapidly progressing and have had many new additions in the past few months. We have services on Saturday, Sunday and Wednesday nights at 7:30 and Sunday School at 10:00 and Sunday morning worship at 11:00 o'clock. Services during revival will start at 7 o'clock. The public is invited.

Joint Revival Comes To Close at Renfro Valley

Many attend unusual gathering where Baptists and Christians cooperate in two-weeks' service.

Two churches of Mount Vernon, the Baptists and the Christians joined together in a cooperative plan to carry on a two-week revival service held at Renfro Valley two miles north of Mt. Vernon, from August 13-17.

Each denomination had its own time and personnel. The Baptists had the first week and the Christians the second, and both reported an unusually successful service with large audiences made up of local people but many coming from other communities. The reverend Eldred Taylor of Louisville was the speaker for the first week and the reverend Gilbert Belew was the evangelist of the Christian church, speaking during the last week. Rev. Wendell Belew was directly in charge for the first week and also directed the singing, while Mr. Hughes of Minerva, Ohio did the singing during the second week. Mr. Hughes is a well-known evangelist and had a great deal of experience in public speaking. Both ministers emphasized the evangelical note throughout the services and preached with fervor. Reverend Howard Ray of the Mt. Vernon Christian Church directed the services during the second week. At many of the meetings there was special music by visiting choirs and singers. Delegations came from Casey County, LaRue County, Harlan County, and Madison County. There was a delegation there from Texas that remained on the grounds for four days. They came from Stanford, Hodgenville, Harrodsburg and Lexington. A large number of tourists were present in every service. On the last night the barn was filled to capacity. The singing outdid himself, singing songs new and old. His lyric tenor voice was unusual and created a lot of comment. The preacher preached on the subject: 'He came to seek and to save.' The meetings came to a successful conclusion Sunday night.

Our Appreciation and Thanks

By Roy Brown, Chairman

Gov. Lawrence W. Wetherby has proclaimed August as green pasture month in Kentucky.

The Rockcastle green pasture committee is proud to have leading part in having a part in this green pasture edition.

The green pasture committee is proud to have leading part in promoting green pastures in Rockcastle.

We can point with pride at the fact that our counties of grasses and legumes in the last few years.

We know that for Rockcastle to obtain its greatest wealth is through grasses and legumes for which it is naturally adapted.

We can see the improvement of our soils, buildings, fences, and general appearance of farm and farm homes which is largely due to the counties of dairy and beef cattle grazing on nearly all year green pastures.

We are proud Rockcastle has ranked high in the counties of the state in the improvement of its pastures. Last year Rockcastle took first place in its district for its green pasture program.

Rockcastle's income has doubled several times in the last few years from the sale of dairy products and beef due to a better pasture program.

Grasses and legumes seeded and fertilized properly several things, they save the soil from eroding and leaching away. They add nitrogen and fertility to the soil, and are the cheapest feed for our livestock with the least amount of work.

Rockcastle grasses and legumes produce some of the best seed in the state from which other pastures can be seeded. We especially want to thank Mr. Albert Schumacher and Mr. Elmo Anderkin and the rest of these having a part in our green pasture edition.

We want to urge everyone to promote the seeding and fertilizing of grasses and legumes for a better Rockcastle county in which we and future generations must live.

Green Pasture Committee, Roy Brown, Chairman.

Space Controllers in Korea

Combat Cargo, Korea—One of the big reasons for the success of the United States Air Force space control system which allows aircraft crews to know before they land, what they will carry on

their return trip. A-1C Luther Slater, Jr., 208 Westford Ave., Springfield, Mass., gives a carrying capacity of 2-2000 lbs. Ernest H. Hanke, of the North Killpatrick Ave., Portland Ore., who writes in on a master schedule sheet, A-222, suggests that the Conley F. Saylor of Boone, Ky., is also a member of space control.

Hay Available to Farmers in Drought Emergency

Hay will be made available to farmers to replace hay and pasture lost or damaged by the drought at prices ranging from \$28 to \$36 a ton, depending on the kind of hay. Ernest E. Bullock, chairman of the Rockcastle County Agricultural Mobilization Committee, said here today.

Prices of hay to be supplied under the drought disaster hay program are \$36 a ton for alfalfa or clover hay; \$32 a ton for mixed grass and legume hay, and \$28 a ton for timothy or other grass hay of recognized feed value.

These prices are for hay received at the car at Mt. Vernon, Ky., the rail distribution point for the purchase of agricultural mobilization committee for Rockcastle county farmers.

Cost of hauling the hay from the rail distribution point will be borne by farmers.

No additional charge will be made for the hay, however even if the purchase price and handling charges exceed the price quoted.

The hay will be purchased in North Central states—largely in Iowa, Wisconsin and Michigan—by PMA committees in those states, acting as agents for the Commodity Credit Corporation.

Requests for the hay may be filed in the county PMA office. A deposit of \$5 a ton will be collected when the hay is ordered and the balance will be collected when the rail distribution point.

The County Agricultural Mobilization Committee will be supplied under the program (Continued on page 7)

What Bradley Burdette Says of Grassland Farming

By Clay Colson Soil Conservationist

Bradley Burdette, Renfro Valley farmer, says the grassland method of farming is lots easier and more profitable. Mr. Burdette farms a 75 acre farm that has about 40 acres of cleared land. All the level land on the farm is used for the farmstead and his tobacco and garden. All the remainder of the crop land is used for pasture or hay. Mr. Burdette used the customary methods of farming until 3 years ago. At that time he requested the Soil Conservation Service to make a soil Capability Map of his farm. With the soil capability map as a guide, Mr. Burdette, his son Rudolph, who was a Veteran Instructor, and Clay Colson the soil conservationist, went over the farm field by field to work out a farming plan. The capability map showed that there was very little land suitable for row crops. He decided to use that for the garden and tobacco where a diversion ditch could carry the water away and prevent erosion. Since the other land was rolling he decided to not grow any corn but use his land for hay and pasture. Fescue, ladino clover and lespedeza are the grasses and legumes he seeded for pasture. He borrowed a bush-bog harrow from the Brodhead Soil Conservation District to tear up the broom-sedge and make a seed bed. The smoother part of his farm was seeded to alfalfa and orchard grass for hay. He failed to get a good stand on some of the alfalfa and 3 acres will be reseeded this month. He still wants to convert 3 acres of pasture he had when he began to put his farm plan into effect into better pasture. He

What John Houston Says Of Green Pastures

By Clay Colson Soil Conservation Service

John Houston, Brodhead, says green pastures is just hay. They must be planned and seeded for. Mr. Houston was selected as Rockcastle County Master Pastureman for 1951. He is a member of the County Green Pasture Committee, a member of the Brodhead Soil Conservation District, supervisor and a full time farmer. Mr. Houston and his son Johnny farm a 380 acre farm which has about 248 acres of crop land. This farm now has 117 head of cattle on it, 3000 calves of hay have been put in this barn already with more to be cut, 837 bushels of wheat were threshed, 8800 pounds of Ky 31 fescue were harvested in 1952.

Mr. Houston seeded the first 5 acre plot of fescue in the county in 1946 with seed furnished by Soil Conservation Service. Johnny Houston won the County corn derby two straight years with a high yield of 9.9 bu per acre.

Mr. Houston says a farmer should first decide what the land is best suited for. Level land should be used for row crops and sloping land for hay or pasture. Then have it tested to see what it needs. If you don't use lime and fertilizer you want have pastures that are very green, according to Mr. Houston. Prepare a good seed bed and sow plenty of the best adapted varieties of grasses and legumes and you can expect pastures that will produce a lot of hay. He says that a farmer must continue to fertilize pastures at frequent intervals and keep them clipped and not grazed too close if he wants to keep productive green pastures.

When asked if his new way of farming furnished any increased income Mr. Burdette answered, 'I've got it all down in my record books. I'll say it has way yonder more than doubled.' Of course, he said, 'I'm spending more for fertilizer than I used to.' And when he tells of testing soil, using lime, potash, phosphate, nitrogen and complete fertilizer once a week Mr. Burdette says his money is going and what he is getting when he spends close to \$400 for plant food.

Mr. Burdette says he sold last year about \$1200.00 worth of beef calves, \$1200.00 worth of milk, \$400.00 worth of sheep and a lot of other things. He makes around a ton of tobacco per acre on his 2.7 acre allotment. Records show his 1947 yield was 1,947 pounds per acre.

The whole family is interested in the improvement of the farm. Mr. Burdette and Rudolph, who is home on vacation from Veterinary School in Alabama, were clipping pastures. Mr. Burdette was just getting over an attack of flu and had not been



Bradley Burdette (in background) with some of his 37 head of livestock on the farm.



John Houston, Clay Colson and John Houston observing the field which had a good stand of fescue and ladino clover was saved for pasture.

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Brodhead

By Mrs. Jennie Robbins

To see ourselves as others see us would make us wish we didn't be us.

Mrs. Jennie Gramer has returned to her home in Ft. Thomas, Thursday last week accompanied by Mrs. Lela Murphy who will also visit relatives and friends in Cincinnati, O. and New Port.

Pfc. George Harvey Berry returned to Ft. Campbell, Ky. after a 15 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Elias of Cincinnati, O. were guests of her sister, Mrs. Ernest Hughes and Mr. Hughes.

We are glad to report Miss Benita Martin recovering nicely.

Mrs. Mary Hornback of Louisville is spending her vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Berry and family.

Mrs. Ernest Hughes is spending the week in Harlan with relatives and friends.

Master Jimmy Wallin son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wallin, who underwent an operation for appendicitis in Frisbee Hospital, Stanford is reported doing nicely.

Mrs. Wayne Carson and son Billy are here from Hazard to visit her mother, Mrs. Lily Osborne and attend the fair.

The "Little World's Fair" is in full swing and as usual a good time is being had by everyone.

Little Miss Sue Renner is reported very sick with rheumatoid fever at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Renner.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Maddox are visiting their sons, Mr. Oscar Maddox and Mr. Clarence Maddox and their families in Hamilton, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis were down from Mt. Vernon Sunday guest of their aunt, Mrs. Jenny Robins.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Deiters and daughters, Miss Sylvia are here from Cincinnati, O. guests of her mother, Mrs. Lily Osborne and family and attending the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane Emma and children of Chastown, Ind. are with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Roberts and family.

Mrs. L. T. Davis and daughter, Miss Jane Earl Browning and son James Logan of "Chickadee", Rantown, Ind. visited their aunt, Mrs. J. W. Brown and family Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Busell were here from Lockland, O. with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mary Gravelly is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. H. Hutchinson and family in Middleboro, Ky.

S-Sgt. Katherine Howard of New York who is stationed at Washington, D. C. with the Marine Corps spent last week with Mrs. Lily Howard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Gray is here from Louisville to attend the "Little World's Fair." Mr. O. J. Collett is in from Dayton, O., for the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Sutton of Lancaster were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Anderson.

The Ladies Aid met Thursday evening of last week with Mrs. Jennie Robins at her home on Silver St. Bro. Long gave a most interesting missionary lesson showing souvenirs collected while in the Navy. A most delightful time was the report of all. Our next meeting will be with Mrs. Hugh McBee at her home on Main St., Sept. 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith and son Kenneth are here from Dayton, O., to visit their mothers, Mrs. Betty Newland and Mrs. Wright Smith and other relatives and attend the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Duran of Cincinnati, O. were guests of Bro. and Mrs. George Long Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. G. R. Carson and daughter, little Miss Edna, spent the week-end with relatives and friends at Crab Orchard and Stanford.

Mrs. Mollie Sigmon of Louisville were in Morrow from Friday until Sunday, guests of Mr. Roscoe and Mrs. Lester Houston and families.

A lovely time was had at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Saylor last Sunday, August 17 when the following met to celebrate the fifty-third birthday of Mr. Saylor. Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Saylor and son, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Saylor and son, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Saylor and daughter of Richmond, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Deffoubert and daughter of Bellfountain, O. Miss Wanda Saylor of Louisville, Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Taylor of Quail. A delicious dinner was served on the spacious lawn. Many nice gifts were received by Mr. Saylor.

Sixteen friends of Mrs. Walter Dees gave a surprise party Monday evening in honor of her birthday. A most enjoyable time had been planned delicious refreshments were served and a grand time reported. Many nice and useful gifts were received.

Mrs. Joe Busell was in Cincinnati, O. last week to visit her mother, Mrs. Arthur Bry-

on business. Mrs. H. Russell and Mr. Mrs. Laura Howard.

Mrs. Robert Coffey and baby daughter of Cincinnati, O. are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Coffey and other relatives.

Mrs. R. H. Hicks of Shively, Mrs. E. J. Brown of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., Mrs. Sallie Cummins Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Raines of Wichita, Kan., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pike during the fair.

Mrs. and Mrs. Eugene LaFevres were in Lexington Monday Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pilkenton, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cherry Owens of Louisville were with relatives here last week-end.

Mrs. J. W. Kincer Sr., Mr. and Mrs. O. Tuckler left Sunday for Los Alamos, New Mexico. They will tour the south-west and Mexico.

Mrs. and Mrs. Cleo Osborne and daughters, Misses Janet and Rita June, Mrs. C. J. Osborne and daughters, Misses Mary Morgan and family were down from Corbin to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. W. Kincer Sr. visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kincer Jr., Mrs. and Mrs. in Norwood, O. last week.

Mr. Ernest Masters was at home from Ft. Knox over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. William Painter and daughters, Janet and Susanne and Mrs. Ernest Masters were guests of Mrs. Henry Morgan and family last week.

Mrs. J. W. Kincer and Mrs. Eugene LaFevres were in Danville shopping.

A week of revival meeting is starting at the Ottawa Baptist Church next Monday night the 24th, with Bro. Charles Moore of Alabama doing the preaching along with Bro. Ralph Galyon. Everyone is invited.

Jim Farris is awful sick at this writing. His two sons are with him, Vernon and Burdette.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Hayes of Middletown, O. is spending their 2 weeks vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayes and sister, Sue. They spent three days in Chattanooga, Tenn., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Gentry and daughter Doras Ann and Ambrose Albright spent the week-end in Nashville, Tenn. visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jones and family.

Bro. Rowleigh Brady, our occasional missionary filled and filled with joy at Ottawa Bro. Galyon's place at Ottawa

Saturday night, Sunday and 4 weeks' visit with her aunt, Lydia Howard and family.

The third annual "Home Coming" at Mrs. W. P. Hayes was celebrated last Sunday, August 10, 1952. Dinner was served to a large crowd of friends and relatives. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Vernice Hayes and daughter, Shirley and her girl friend, Gale Rusehl, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hayes and son, Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jones and Gayle, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Hayes and Stevie all of Middletown, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hayes of Corbin, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hamm, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richman and son Robert of Norwood, Ohio.

Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Hayes and Mrs. Hayes' mother, Mrs. McCormick, Mrs. Smith of Shelbyville and Mr. Bert Hayes of Miamisburg, Ohio.

Tommy Hayes of Conway, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Thomas and son Danny of Mt. Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayes and daughter Sue and Mode Hamm of Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Whitt, Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Howard spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laswell at their home from Boloxi, Mississippi. Mr. and Mrs. Whitt visited their daughter, Mrs. Cay McGlor, whose husband is stationed there.

Mr. Schumacher, editor of the Mt. Vernon Signal was visiting correspondents in Ottawa last Wednesday.

Rev. Garland Singleton of Indiana was visiting his sister Mrs. and Mrs. Homer Cash last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Payne and daughter, Jeanette of Dayton, O. are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Vernon, Mr. James Blanton has returned home after an operation at St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington.

Mr. Clarence Howard was called to Jefferson City, Tenn., Saturday on account of serious illness of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertie Davis and children of Xenia, O. visited Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Wright.

Mrs. Patsy Adams visited Mr. and Mrs. Sief Parkerson at Hill last week.

Mrs. Mary Wallin of Mt. Vernon visited Mrs. Lydia Howard Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Senate Purrell of Alexandria, O. is visiting friends here.

Miss Bettie Hansel has returned

er home to Livingston after a

and Mrs. Asbil Brown and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Helton of Ind., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Anderson and daughter Saturday night.

Mrs. Russell Albright spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cupp and family of Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Cupp are the proud parents of a son, named Johnny Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eastham and family and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Davis and family were guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cook and family of Fla., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ponder and family.

Mrs. N. T. Gibbons who has

been ill for some time is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown and Mrs. Maude Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eastham and grandchildren were in Tenn., Monday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertie Davis and family of Ohio are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Brown of Somerset spent the week-end with her father, Mr. Matt Adams and Mrs. Patty Baker and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Mink and her sister of Corbin spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Mink and daughter.

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RECEIPTS

State per capita	\$159,902.80
Equalization	45,322.18
Agriculture	3,004.16
Lunch Program	4,500.14
Property Tax	53,325.18
Bank Shares	149.37
Franchise	46,271.73
Poll Tax	2,975.88
Revenue other sources	5,831.52
Sale of Property	34,771.33
Other Non-Revenue	192.10
Temporary Loans	23,000.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS	344,771.33

DISBURSEMENTS

General Control	8,934.47
Instruction	214,405.61
Maintenance	7,127.00
Fixed Charges	732.66
Auxiliary Services	42,514.92
Tuition	586.39
Capital Outlay	22,352.30
Debt Service	31,778.09
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	341,708.22

RECAPITULATION (A)

Balance on hand beginning of year	\$390.59
Total received during the year	344,771.33
Total of balance and receipts	345,161.92
Total disbursed during year	341,708.22
1. Balance on hand at close of year	3,453.70
2. Balance in bank at close of year	8,062.58
3. Outstanding checks at close of year	4,608.88
4. Actual bank recapitulation	3,453.70

RECAPITULATION (C)

ASSETS	
School buildings and ground	\$615,529.38
School furniture and equipment	40,424.78
Office equipment	1,000.00
School Buses	10,398.14
Cash in general fund	3,453.70
TOTAL ASSETS	670,806.00
LIABILITIES	
Funding bonds outstanding	225,000.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES	225,000.00
NET WORTH	445,806.00

All of the information on this financial report is a true and accurate account of the condition of our district as taken from the treasurer's books which were fully posted for the fiscal year and closed as of June 30, 1952.

Signed - N. M. Smock, Treasurer
Signed - Carlo Saylor, Chairman
Signed - Neureul Miracle, Secretary

P.M.A. Helps Farmers

The Production and Marketing Association has been interested in the Green Pastures Program since its beginning. The County Committee has emphasized the treatment, establishment and maintenance of good pastures in the County

Agriculture Program for the past several years. Our records indicate that farmers have received assistance through the PMA program for using 2,638 tons lime, 3,112,000 pounds phosphate and 45,900 pounds of potash. Also for seeding and reseeding 10,437 acres of pasture and hay crops.

Farmers in program year 1951 earned \$51,000 for carrying out conservation practices. Farmers over earned their soil building allowances and if funds had been available they carried out conservation practices to the amount of \$78,000 in the 1951 program year. Lime and phosphate have been available to farmers as

grant of aid material in the 1952 program year. 440 tons of 30 per cent Superphosphate have already been furnished the farmers to date. The PMA were pioneers in getting farmers to treat pastures with lime and phosphate. As a result today it is a commonly accepted practice and many acres of pasture and hay have been produced.

Ernest Bullock, Chairman, Rockcastle County PMA Committee. Many nationally famous figures are buried in the historic cemetery in Frankfort. Among them are Daniel Boone, soldier-poet Theodore O'Hara, Vice-president Richard M. Johnson, and General Simon Bolivar Buckner.

"More Greenbacks in the Pocket"

W. C. Johnston

Now in its third year, Kentucky's Green Pastures Program is still rolling along, gaining more and more momentum as it goes. Probably no other agricultural movement in the past fifty years has had the wholehearted support of so many organizations or has appealed to so many individuals as the "Green Pastures Program."

income can be materially increased. Kentucky is naturally a pasture state. Its rolling topography, its long grazing period, its wide adaptability for many grasses and legumes, and its nearness to good livestock markets, makes pasture and grazing types of livestock a "natural" for Kentucky. The Green Pastures Program is merely an activity program to get people to do the things that they know are best for themselves, their community, and their state. Kentuckians can look with pride upon the pasture development that has taken place in recent years. Long known as the Blue Grass State, Kentucky now can simply be called the "Grass State" because beside Kentucky Blue Grass the State

is equally as well known for its orchard grass and Ky 31 fescue—but grass without legumes produce poor pastures. Here again Kentucky is fortunate in producing so many legumes. Kenland red clover, ladino and other legumes of high value. The slogan of the Green Pastures Program is "Make Kentucky the Center of the Pasture Belt." Proud of our progress, we are humbled by the job yet before us. There are few, if any, pastures that could not be improved by efficient fertilization and other improved management practices. Even though Kentucky is a state of relatively small farms—and larger units are needed for efficient use of machinery and livestock, we are shocked when we learn that there are over 3 million acres of idle land in the State that could profitably produce pastures and livestock. Much progress is being made in clearing waste and idle land to profitable pastures but as we drive over the state we realize the immensity of the task.

In the Green Pastures Program the efforts of all the state and federal agricultural agencies, the Farm Bureau, and many agricultural organizations, firms and related industries are pooled in one giant effort to promote more and better pastures. For the third year the Governor has proclaimed "August a Green Pastures Month," local banks and other groups are sponsoring "Better Pastures" Field Days; many county newspapers are publishing "Green Pastures" editions; county and district master pasturemen are being recognized and many other activities are being conducted to promote "Green Pastures." It's a true saying that the "More green pastures on the hills, the more greenbacks in the pockets."

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Wednesday Evening Prayer and Bible Study Service 7:00 p.m.
Willing Workers Meeting and Fellowship Dinner each fourth Wednesday at noon.
Bill Coffey, Bible School Supt.
Brethren Baptist Church
Pastor Rev. Elmer Elliott
Sunday School 10 A. M.
John Holbrook Supt.
Preaching 11 A. M.
B. T. U. 6:30 P. M.
Preaching 7:30 P. M.
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Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
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Sunday School Supt. Willard Scott
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
Training Union 6:30 P.M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P.M.

PINE HILL BAPTIST CHURCH

Eugene Bradley, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00 A.M.
B. T. U. 6:30 P.M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P.M.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7:00 P.M.

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Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7:30 P.M.

ROSE HILL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Lord's Supper 11:00 a.m.
Church Service 11:15 a.m.
Christian Endeavor 6:30 p.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

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Evangelistic Services 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

Loafing Acres By D. C. Sherman

Probably the acres most neglected by most farmers today are those in grass. We fertilize and build up those crops where production is measured in bushels of grain or dollars of income. But neglect those acres in grass where production is not as easily measured. Farmers who have pushed up production of their cultivated crops are now finding it profitable to do the same on their pastures. Successful farmers have demonstrated that improving pasture lands is one of the best ways to increase their income. conserve their soil, reduce the amount of feed they buy, reduce the cost of raising and increase the value of their farms. They have, by improving pasture production and harvesting it with the right livestock actually put loafing acres to work. Producing a ton of beef to the acre seems fantastic. Yet, it has been done in the southern states where 12 month grazing is possible. In the northern states, with six-month grazing, improved pastures have boosted beef production from a custom-

ary 200 pounds to the acre to as much as 600 or 700pounds. Comparable increases have been made in the production of milk, wool and lamb, pork and poultry. This added production can be obtained at lower cost.

TEST FIRST

The first step in improving pastures is to test the soil. Your county agent can help you get this done. Then, knowing how much lime, nitrogen, phosphate and potash is needed, you are in position to bring your land up to the proper fertility level for successful pasture production.

GOOD SEED IS IMPORTANT

Improving pastures usually involves liming, fertilizing, and good seeds. Your agricultural agencies can help in advising the kinds of grasses, legumes or grass-legume mixture most likely to provide the pasture you want. Certified seeds of known quality are essential to getting a satisfactory stand and growth.

MORE LIVESTOCK NEEDED

Greatly increased pasture production calls for more livestock—beef cattle, dairy cattle, sheep, hogs, or poultry. It calls for rotation grazing and harvesting part of the lush spring growth either as grass silage or hay. Good livestock management will make your pastures carry more improved pastures and will carry more of the livestock load not only through the regular grazing period, but thru the heat of summer and also will provide lots of winter feed.

The Cumberland Production Credit Association is vitally interested in the Green Pasture Program. Roy Brown, PCA representative, and a master pastureman, will be glad to advise and work with all farmers in promoting the Green Pastures Program.

Better Pasture, More Income

W. C. Johnston

Better pasture more income. Bankers, like farmers or any other group, like to think and talk about profits, net gains, and conservation of assets. They like to see investments increase in value, business expand, and new money come in to the community. That's the reason Kentucky bankers are interested in the Green Pastures Program. Good pastures conserve the assets of known quality are essential to getting a satisfactory stand and growth. The continuous growth and the decay of grass and legume roots add "humus", the thing that our soils need most, thus conserving part of the lush spring serving and increasing the assets.

A pasture program brings new wealth to the community. The production of meat, milk, and wool use only natural resources that can be easily replaced by simple fertilizers. When sold they bring new cash to the community. The income

from the sale of such livestock and livestock products benefits every citizen of the county—whether farmer, merchant, banker or teacher.

A county like Rockcastle needs a lot of new money coming into the community—money for better schools and churches and roads; money for food and clothing. About the only source of new money for Rockcastle county at the present time must come from agriculture, and that means pastures

and livestock, because our hills are not adapted to row crop production. Suppose one thousand farmers would each improve their pastures enough to produce just one more steer or feed one more dairy cow—that would bring in an additional \$200,000 of new needed wealth to the county each year. These are the reasons that Kentucky banks are interested in better farming—it simply means better business in the home county, and that means pastures

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Anderkin and Mrs. Carter motored to Chattanooga, Tenn., and Rock City and the old Chickamauga Battle Field where Mr. Anderkin fought two battles in the Civil War. They also visited the Old Soldiers Cemetery. Mrs. Della Cromer visited Mrs. Jake Anderkin Sunday. Kentucky's forests keep some 2,000 saw-mills in operation.

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Farmers Plan Pasture Management According to Robert C. Winn

I dipped into the future as far as my mind could see. Saw Old Rockcastle County as green as grass and clover could be. Saw the pastures filled with grazing cattle and sheep and swine. While their owners in leisure looked on them in peace...

When we consider the improvements made in farming during the last twenty or thirty years this dream, as expressed, is not too far fetched. The farming trend of tomorrow is to make one acre of ground produce five tons of feed and one acre of pasture carry one animal unit. Using each acre according to what is best suited for and adopting improved management practices will lead to this goal.

Following good management practices after seeding is also most important. The following points were considered at a recent pasture meeting in:

PASTURE MANAGEMENT

- 1. Pastures need to be clipped off the new stand, it may be necessary to clip two or three times during first year. 2. The new pasture should not be grazed the first year. A pasture established in the spring which under favorable conditions makes good growth by late summer may be grazed lightly. 3. Controlled grazing should be practiced at all times. Do not overgraze. 4. Pastures should be allowed to get a good start before livestock is turned in the pasture in the spring. Serious harm is done to pastures when grazed close early and because of limited pasture available can not recover. 5. Rotate livestock and clip pasture. Plan fencing so as to have at least three pasture fields and change livestock from one field to another. Clip each field after the livestock is moved to another field. By clipping, fertile spots will be eliminated where livestock will not graze and cause the plants to grow back tender and palatable. 6. Stop grazing early enough to allow the plants to get growth of about 3 inches before killing frost. 7. Minerals become depleted from a meadow or pasture in proportion to the kind and amount of crop taken off them, therefore, meadows and pastures should be top-dressed at regular intervals with phosphate, potash, and lime according to their need. Manure makes an excellent top dressing. Along with the manure 200 pounds to 300 pounds of 20 per cent phosphate should be used every two years. And application of lime should be made every six to eight years. 8. Have shade and good water available to all fields. Mr. Winn stated that the goal of the Farmers Home Administration in supervised credit is to help the cooperating farmer to have a better living through better farming. Some of the finest clay beds in the world are found in Kentucky. This resource is mined and turned into fire bricks, tile, and ceramic products at plants in Ashland, Ellettsville, Graham, Olive Hill, Louisville, Clearfield and Mayfield, to mention a few.

The United States Gold Depository at Fort Knox, which cost the government \$560,000 to erect, now holds over twelve billion dollars worth of gold. What is called the world's plant is located in Louisville. It uses Kentucky lumber almost exclusively.

SAND SPRINGS

There was a baptizing at Blue Springs last Sunday. Rev. E. H. Miller of Ga. will hold a revival at Blue Springs Church of Christ on August 27. The daughter of Mrs. J. R. Harper is improved after an appendix operation. Chas B. Renner has been in the hospital recently. Mrs. Della Bullen who has been ill is much better. Mrs. Nannie Renner and family visited Mrs. Isaac Faulkner and family Sunday. Miss Ruby Graves visited her grandmother here last week. Mr. J. D. Miller visited Mrs. Eliza Bulock who is ill a few hours Wednesday. Mr. Herman Evans who is ill is improving. Miss Carolyn Graves has been ill. Jesse Doan has a bad bruise on his back from a bicycle wreck. Mrs. Levora Calhoun, Mrs. Emma Doan and children, Mrs. Mona Doan and Helen spent last week in Indiana with relatives. Mr. Carl Price was here from Ohio last week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cromer are moving to Blue Springs; he will have a store there. Mrs. Daniel Robbins has been on the sick list.

GREEN HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Reed and family of Wildie and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Reed of Conway spent last Sunday with Misses Mina and Eliza Coffey. Mrs. Lillian Anglin and children Dorothy and Bobby have returned home from a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coffey and family of Richmond, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stephens of Gas. Ind. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coffey accompanied them home for the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parsons and family of Oak Hill were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Coffey. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Daley have returned from a two weeks visit with relatives in Richmond, Ind. Tom Mink spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Peasley Burdette. Mr. and Mrs. Edd Martin of Covington spent part of last week with Mrs. Minnie Parsons.

WILL LALLA

The revival called at Poplar Grove with twelve additions to the church. The baptizing was held Sunday at Mt. Vernon Baptist church. Mr. and Mrs. Cossie McKinney were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine McKinney. Those spending the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cress and family were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Broyles and two sons and Mr. Ray Broyles of Plato, Mr. Robert Broyles of Science Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Mink and two children of Sugar Hill. John Cress of Indianapolis, Ind. spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cress.

Miss Fanny Cress who has been staying at Plato waiting on her grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Broyles who is sick, spent the past week at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Cress, her sister Miss Ruby Cress stayed with her grandmother while Fanny was at home. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes and four daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Delph and family at Conway. Mr. and Mrs. Blaine McKinney visited her sister Mrs. Hugh Fuller and Mr. Fuller at Somerset Sunday. They were accompanied by little Kenny Fuller who had been visiting them and Mr. Windfield Cress who will visit his daughter, Mrs. Morris Brown and Mr. Brown at Somerset. Mrs. George Hasty and son Glenn visited Mrs. Emma Capps who is ill at the Stanford Hospital one day last week. Master Clarence Mink of Sugar Hill spent the past week here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Cress and other friends. He spent Wednesday night, with Kenny Fuller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine McKinney. Mr. John A. Brown visited his daughter, Mrs. Bob Bray and family at Ottawa Wednesday night. Mr. Windfield Cress of Indiana spent the past week with his brother, Mr. Mitchell Cress. His nephew, Cecil Cress visited in the Cress home Thursday. Little Marilyn Fuller of Somerset is staying with her aunt, Mrs. Blaine McKinney and Mr. McKinney while her mother is teaching school. Mr. D. M. Cress has a Jersey cow which gave birth to twin male calves. Mrs. Robert Hayes had four teeth taken out last week. She is getting along fine. Mr. W. W. Mullins of Hamilton, Ohio is visiting relatives and friends in this neighborhood.

MACEDONIA

Mr. Samuel Coffey who has been in the hospital at Berea is home not very much improved. Master Sonny Woodall of Hamilton, O. is visiting his grand parents Mr. and Mrs. Sam Coffey. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes and daughters Wanda Sue and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bullens Dianna, spent Saturday night with Mrs. Etta Coffey at Johnetta. Mr. Bill Northern who has been seriously ill is improving.

Mr. Della Bullen has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Nancy Isaac at Cynthiana this week. Her granddaughter, Lora Roy accompanied her home. Mr. Newt Ogg of Afton, Ok. Iahoma was Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Abney. Mr. Vester Allen of Richmond, Ind., and Mrs. Della Allen of Crooked Creek spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Abney. Mrs. Jess Bullen is with her father this week, who is seriously ill in Berea. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Chasteen are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chasteen in Richmond. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Abney and son Keith of Roundstone, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Abney and attended the baptizing at Clear Creek. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Holt and Mr. Bill Peters of Berea visited his father Mr. T. C. Holt Friday. Mr. Holt is improving. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hill and son Preston were in Berea Saturday shopping. Mr. Ellis Abney and son Garry Wayne, visited Mr. and Mrs. Willard Todd Saturday. Miss Louise Todd of Louisville is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Todd. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cole of Berea were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bowman. Mr. John M. Abney has been numbered with the sick this week. Mrs. Oma Davidson and children will move to Berea very soon. Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Abney of Clear Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bullen visited Mr. and Mrs. Della Bullen this week.

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Mr. John M. Abney Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd A. Mink, Mansford, a boy, James Derl, July 23. Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Kirby, Well Hope, a boy, George Washington, July 22. Mr. and Mrs. John H. Moore, Livingston, a boy, Paul Edward, July 29. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gentry, Well Hope, a girl, Brenda Sue, July 25.

Marsburg Baptist Church

B. Samuel Mink, Minister Saturday Evening, 7:30 P. M. Sabbath School 10:00 A. M. Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.

Pvt. Floyd L. McDaniels who is stationed at Schimmelpenninck Japan was at home for a

16 day furlough with his wife Mrs. Rachel McDaniels of Pine Hill and his parents Mr. and Mrs. Elihu McDaniels of Livingston, Ky.

Revival meeting starts at Ottawa Monday, August 25th, and continues for two weeks. Bro. Charles Moore from Louisville is the Evangelist. Every one - Welcome.

Ottawa Baptist Church R. E. Galyon, Pastor. Louisville, Kentucky Preaching on 1st and 3rd Sunday. Sunday school at 10: A. M. R. H. Hamm, Supt.

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Advertisement for E. G. Miracle's Four-Room Home and About one Acre Land. Located on the South Side of Jeffersonville Street, BRODHEAD, KY. Absolute Auction Saturday, 30th August. AT 2:00 P. M. On The Premises. LOCATION: This home is conveniently located on the South side of Jeffersonville Street (Old Mt. Vernon Road) in the good town of Brodhead, Ky. Within easy walking distance of the heart of town, stores, churches, etc. Adjoins property of Messrs. Henry Crawford and B. F. Brown. The Home: Contains living room, dining room, bed room and kitchen. New flues, new roof, city water at rear door, electricity throughout and has a large veranda. Tenant house of 3 rooms also located on lot which contains about one acre. Has good garden. Mr. and Mrs. Miracle have bought a home in Crab Orchard, Ky., and will move to it soon - hence the reason for this sale. Our signed contract has but One Price and that is the HIGH DOLLAR BID AT THE AUCTION SALE - an Absolute Sale. This sale presents an opportunity for some one to own his or her own home and at a price to be set by the bidder. If you are looking for a rental investment, this will make a good proposition. Look this property over prior to sale day and meet us on the premises SATURDAY, AUGUST 30, at 2:00 P. M. and pound your bids home. Some money will be given away at this sale Absolutely Free. TERMS: 25% on day of sale and the remainder upon delivery of deed. POSSESSION: On or before 10 days after day of sale. For further particulars see, write or phone either of the owners, Mr. or Mrs. E. G. Miracle, Brodhead, Ky., or Messer, Sutton & Carter, Agts. Crab Orchard, Brodhead & Stanford, Ky. Col. James B. Messer on the Block.

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CLEAR CREEK COMMENTS

By Cleatus Tussey

When I was presenting to you the editor's address to have a Green Pasture...

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What has a young man to look forward to when the farm does not pay...

WILDIE

U.S.N.R. Andrew Jackson Hiett is taking two weeks training aboard Atlantic ships...

Farm Bureau

List of members who joined the farm bureau during July...

them fillers I wanted to go to Laura's house. And they up and did me where did I want to live...

Robert F. Spence

Letta W. Jasper

Use Land Wisely - Determine the best use of land and use it accordingly...

Use Lime, Fertilizer and Manure - Good pastures require soils that are sweet enough to grow good legumes...

Home Demonstration Agent - Home Demonstration Agent South Madison - Rockcastle Homemakers' Annual Day...

Livingston - Dr. and Mrs. R. G. Webb spent the week-end here with home folks and returned to Boston, Ky. Tuesday...

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et and records. Come out and let's have a good time together...

Thursday September 18, 10:30 A. M. Mt. Vernon H. M. Mrs. C. C. Cox.

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Mr. Burdette and Rudolph in the tobacco field that has been making more than a ton per acre.

Managing Mountain Pastures

E. N. Ferguson University of Kentucky

Livestock production must be an important part of successful farming in the mountains of Kentucky.

Good pastures are not easily secured and maintained in the mountains largely because the forests are so crowding in on them.

Good pastures grow only on good soils. The soil must therefore be improved before other good practices of pasture management will be of any use.

Farmers should consult their county agent about having their pasture soils tested to determine lime and fertilizer needs.

Good pastures, too, must be limed and fertilized, otherwise they will gradually become poor. Pastures on poor land tend to revert to woodland faster than those on good land.

Poor pastures may need nothing more than liming and fertilizing to make them into good pastures.

The Spottswold Home near Glasgow supposedly was designed by George Washington and built around 1790.

Turkey raising constitutes one of the biggest money commodities in the areas around Winchester and Grayson.

disked before reseeding. If the grass is fairly good it may be best to disk only enough to cover the seed lightly or the disking may be omitted altogether and the seed sown with any implement that sows the seed to a proper depth.

Most pastures should be limed every eight years and phosphated every year or two. Potash also should be used on many pastures.

Nitrogen fertilization will often aid in producing and increasing grazing as well as the pasture's low in legume content. If nitrogen is used it should be applied two to three weeks before extra grazing is needed.

For most purposes the best pasture consists of one or more grasses and legumes. The grasses usually live many years if the pastures are properly fertilized and grazed.

Mowing as often as necessary to control weeds and bushes is essential. Bushes, particularly, are likely to destroy pasture unless they are held in check. Fortunately they gradually become less troublesome in the well fertilized and properly managed pasture.

More than 25,000 of the estimated 100,000 farm ponds in Kentucky have been stocked with game fish by the State Department of Fish and Wild Life Resources.

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Build Your Farm Business on a Solid Foundation—Pastures!

By Bill Norton, (Farm Bureau President - Teacher of Agr.)

If you were asked to select the one crop that a sound farming program should be built on in Rockcastle County, what would your choice be?

What should it be? Corn? We can rule out corn in a hurry because we know we don't have much land suitable to commercial corn production.

If again we select the crop that will grow best on the land we have left after we grow our corn and tobacco it will be forage crop. The proper selection of grasses and legumes adapted to the soil and climate combined with a balanced livestock enterprise are essential to a sound and permanent type of agriculture.

12% slope and should always be in forage crops. This type of farming has always resulted in large herages of thin and eroded land.

Recent trends of the county have been towards a pasture-livestock farming. Many of the once abandoned and idle acres in this county that are now carrying one animal unit per acre and doing a much better job than 5 or 7 acres of the same land used to do.

It's true, it takes a lot of money to get the rest of our acres to pay for as they should. We have to wait a little longer for the returns to start rolling in but the main thing is, it pays. The proof of the pudding is in the eating. Try it. Talk to those who are making it pay off. I heard a farmer say just the other day that he couldn't buy any more land so he was going to make a big farm out of his little one. That he is doing. He now has, on a 60 acre farm 19 dairy cows, 8 dairy heifers and 4 dairy calves.

One of the nations largest bluegrass seed plants is located at Paris, Kentucky.

CALLOWAY

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Langford and son of Cincinnati visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Langford last week.

Mrs. Cleo Goforth and sons of Cincinnati are spending their vacation at their home here. Mr. James Cromer was taken to Berea College Hospital Sunday for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ponder, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mullins visited Mr. Bob Robinson at Lamonia Friday.

Mrs. Wilbert Kincer spent the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Russell in Blue Ash, Ohio.

Mrs. Bill Mink and Mrs. Phil Nieceley were in Harrodsburg Monday.

Mrs. Fred Baker of Pine Hill visited her daughter, Mrs. Joe Mink and family Friday.

Mrs. Earl Renner and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mullins and children have returned to their homes in Hamilton after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Langford and children of Cincinnati and Miss Atha Langford of Louisville are visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Cummings Wednesday at Cumberland Falls.

Mrs. Irvin Smith of Livingston spent Monday night with her father, Mr. A. H. Cole. Misses Cornelia Short, Wil-

ma Stockmyer and Mrs. Ballard Cummings spent Tuesday. Mrs. Bill Mink and Mrs. Phil Nieceley were in Harrodsburg Monday, shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Hasket Mullins of Dayton, O., visited her mother, Mrs. Maggie Block, recently.

James D. Goforth and Miss Ruth Jablouski spent last week end touring the Smokie Mountains.

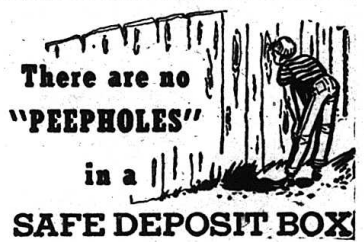
Johnny Pittman of Dayton, O., is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Maggie Pittman.

Mr. and Mrs. Tennyson Lovell and daughters left Wednesday for a vacation in Ohio and Indiana.

Mrs. W. S. "Sallie" Cummins of Wichita, Kan., and Mrs. Dr. E. J. "Eliza" Brown of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., on August 21 will be visiting at the home of their nephew, Mr. Ben Pike of Broodhead, Ky. They would love to see all old friends and relatives while there.

The production of Kentucky 31 fescue seed is growing into a top state money crop. Growth and marketing of the seed netted over three million dollars for Kentucky farmers last year.

George Rogers Clark plotted his conquest of the British Northwest at Fort Harrod, now a Kentucky State park at Harrodsburg.



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Advertisement for Rockcastle Farm Service. Lists accessories like Porcelain Line Post Insulators, Kwik Clips, Barbed wire, and electric fence gates. Includes contact information for Mt. Vernon, KY.

Advertisement for the Kentucky State Fair. Features the slogan 'GREATER than ever before!' and lists exhibits like 'INTERESTING EDUCATIONAL EXHIBITS', 'SPECIAL FREE GRANDSTAND SHOWS', and 'SPECIAL EVENTS'.