

Commissioner's Sale
 The Commonwealth of Kentucky, Rockcastle Circuit Court, **NOTICE OF SALE**
 Other Nicley ET AL Plaintiff, **VERBUS**
 Orville Nicley ET AL Defendant.
 By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Rockcastle Circuit Court rendered at the November Term thereof, 1953, in the above cause, for the sum of To Settle With Heirs I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door in the Mt. Vernon, Kentucky, to the highest bidder, at public auction on the 21st day of December 1953, at One-O'clock P. M. or thereabout, upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit: Said lands are described and bounded as follows: 1st Tract:

Beginning at a beech on East bank of Long Branch: thence S. 45 W. about 78 poles to a stone with black oak pointers also a corner of W. M. Langford; thence a South course with W. M. Langford's line along the top of the ridge a short line crossing the road to the point of the cliff to a stone with hickory pointers; thence running with East side of ridge with the cliff and with the variations of the cliff around the hill with the above said line to the East point of cliff to a chestnut oak stump with maple and beech pointers thence down the hill side or near-East direction to a beech corner of W. M. Langford; thence North 10 W. about 100 poles to the beginning, containing 45 acres.
 Tract No. 2: Beginning on a beech partly grantee corner thence with the grantee line

to a beech in a hollow; thence with said hollow a South East course to John Jones corner in the Evans line; thence with the Evans line to the beginning containing 20 acres more or less. Tract No. 3: Beginning at a sugar tree in the west bank of the branch and a beech and poplar pointers, it being the second corner in the Thomas 3 acre survey for John Maret; thence N 85 S 4 poles crossing the branch to two white oaks; thence S 30 E 68 poles to a beech by the branch; thence S 50 E 28 poles to two beeches; thence S 43 W 80 poles to a stake; thence N 45 W 12 poles to a small poplar on west side of a hill and corner to John Maret 3000 acre survey aforesaid thence with his line N 50 E 88 poles to the beginning; 95.3 ± or sufficient thereof to produce the sum of money so ordered to be made: For the purchase price, the purchaser must execute bond, with approved securities, bearing legal interest from the day of sale, until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.
JOHN W. GRIFFIN
 Master Commissioner Rockcastle Circuit Court.

POPLAR GAP
 About 7 P. M. Wednesday last week, we experienced a severe wind storm, to date no major damages have been reported.
 Some bulecy growers of this section are counting their money proceeds from sale of their ware, while others are grading right and left getting their leaf ready for market.

Mr. Edward Harriil, spent the week end with friends at Berea.
 Mr. Everett Higgins former employee of the L. & N. R. R. Co. is at home due to reduction of labor.
 We are sorry to report Charles D. Mullins who is a patient at the Jewish hospital in Cincinnati not doing so well due to being victim of a crushed ankle and leg.
 Our school is making preparation for their Christmas tree and holiday program.
 Mrs. Fannie Allen and daughter Odella were at Mt. Vernon Saturday looking for Santa. And I judge from the packages they had on returning that they surely found him.
 Mrs. Mattie Owens of near here who has been quite ill for some time at home, remains about the same.
 Mrs. Gertrude Allen was at

Mt. Vernon Saturday shopping at Santa's stores.
 We continue having showers down to keep the forest fire enough, but not enough to re-

plenish the dry springs and wells. As well it's quite easy to satisfy folks, but not so well people.
 To the Signal staff and all the readers, Merry Christmas.

CLYDE BARNETT'S GROCERY
 We have received a full line of Christmas candy.
 Special price to all Churches and schools. Be sure and see our prices before you buy. Also over 100 bushels of nice apples at \$2.95 per bushel.



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 General repair & machine work. All kinds welding, wheel balancing. Allignment service. All work guaranteed.
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 Used auto parts of every kind. We buy old or wrecked cars. Also scrap iron and metals.
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 Nead and Halliday gas appliances. Pyrofax bottled and bulk gas for all domestic and farm needs.
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 Where the whole family may be outfit at real money saving prices.
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 Fertilizers for all Kentucky crops.
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 Baby chicks, Red "A" and Ubico feeds. Poultry supplies.
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 All sizes new and used tires. Distributors of Goodyear and Armstrong tires, tubes, batteries, and seat covers.
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 Complete automotive machine shop. Modern equipment. Guaranteed work.
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 Recapping, vulcanizing. Any size passenger or truck tire.
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 We invite the people of Rockcastle County to make our modern theatres their picture home for the very latest films. Some in the new 3-dimensional films. Remember movies are better than ever.
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 General hardware, paints, farm supplies, building supplies, sporting goods.
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 and a Happy New Year from all of us to all of you!

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 Complete modern home furnishers. Liberal trades and easy terms.
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 Studebaker automobiles and Allison Chalmers farm equipment.
 Sales - Service - Parts
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 Complete welding and machine shop service. Structural steel, ornamental iron. Estimates furnished free.
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 Auto seat covers, custom body styling-interiors - speed equipment. Baked on enamel finishes.
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Classified Ads

FOR SALE

We have a full line of bath room fixtures in stock all sizes of pipe and fittings to do your job complete. See us for the best price in town.

For Sale: John Deere Automatic wire tie baler, late model. Cheap. L. B. Bruner, Lancaster, Ky. P. 658J 40ntf

Ready for immediate delivery—corn binders, combination corn shucker and shredders, easy Grain drills, hay rakes, and balers. Can furnish any piece of equipment wanted on request. L. B. Bruner, Lancaster, Kentucky Phone 658J 52ntf

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Corn planters, tractor and horse drawn, 1 Ferguson corn planter, like new, tobacco setters, all makes, one Holland automatic setter, combines, threshing machines, grain binders, all sizes and makes, New Holland hay baler, stationary balers, one New Holland power take off side rake, like new, 1 New Idea side rake, lots of side and dump rakes, Fertilizer spreaders, cultipackers, mowers, spreaders, plows; 1 Ford Dearborn two way breaking plow, one VAC Case single plow, cultivators, tractor and horse drawn, with fertilizer attachments, one McCormick Deering milker. One portable milker, garden tractors and lawn mower outfits. Tractor mowers.

L. B. Bruner, Lancaster, Ky., Phone 658J. 31ntf

For sale: Carbon paper, any size, any quality. Priced right. Signal Office.

For sale: A new 7 room semi-modern house and lot on U. S. 25, 2 miles south of Mt. Vernon, Ky.

FOR SALE: 150-acre farm near Roundstone has 3-room, good barn, 50 acres level tractor land, 1.2 acre tobacco base, some timber. See Glenn Ponder at farm or write P. O. Highway, Kentucky. 112p.

FOR SALE: 23 acre farm, with tobacco base. On Sand Springs Road, 2 miles South of Mt. Vernon. See Eugene Bradley. 114p

FOR SALE: The Ideal Cafe at McKee, Ky. This restaurant is well equipped and has a big business, right in the business section of McKee. See Fred Clontz, McKee, Ky. 1112p.

See new modern magic oil heaters, looks like T. V. Set. Sinclair Bulk Plant W. Main St., Mt. Vernon, Ky. 11110.

FOR SALE: Good bale hay, oats and lesbedeza. See Mrs. Lucy Moore, Brindle Ridge. 1112 paid

FOR SALE: Lesbedeza hay, \$1.00 per bale. Write J. D. Daugherty, 3911 Decoursey Ave. Covington, Ky. 112p.

Mechanical Santa Claus with moving head. Half-round, 5'8" high, wide. Dancing clown in his hand. Spun-plastic beard. Excellent detailing. Slightly used, priced reasonably. See in action at Purcell's New Appliance Center, Main Street in Lexington. Inquire at Personnel Office. 1113.

For Sale: One cash register with adding machine combination. New. Signal Office.

Army shoes for men and used. Also agent for mail chain saw and farm easy Bush saw and mower. New Kelley Axes \$2.95 each. Tarpaulins all sizes. Bishop's Army Store, Broodhead, Ky. 112ntf

For sale: Typewriter ribbons All kinds. Signal Office.

For sale: Maxwell Stapling machines. All sizes. Good for any kind of stapling work. Signal Office.

For sale: Adding machine type. Signal Office.

FOR SALE: 1940 Ford, 2 door radio, heater, seat covers, nice inside and out. See Kenneth Cromer, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 9x2p - ntf

FOR SALE: A Coleman oil heater, like new, 5 rooms, with blower, which greatly decreases oil consumption, 65 gal. drum and 5 gal. can. Bargain. See Dave or Jack Craig Mt. Vernon, Ky. 10 ntf.

Private Sale: Lance Dillingham's store building, merchandise, fixtures and 34 acres of land. Located 2 miles South of Mt. Vernon on Sand Springs road at crossroad. Nice general store and living quarters together. Lighted by REA. Well on porch, also gas and oil business with store. See Lance Dillingham. 1012p.

LOT OWNERS Convert vacant lot into good income property with Taster-Preez Drive-in Store. Over 700 now in operation. Taster-Preez Corporation of America will sign lease for land and building on liberal rental to give you a big return on your investment. Location wanted in Mt. Vernon. Send complete description of lot. Our representative will con-

tact you. Wright Taster Freez Co., P. O. Box 167 Mt. Orab, Ohio.

FOR SALE: Good used washing machine. Reconditioned. Mt. Vernon Hardware 1012.

FOR SALE: 1 1947 B-John Deere tractor and plow. Good condition. \$675.00. Mt. Vernon Hardware 1012.

FOR SALE: Corn in the crib on the farm of Ray Price near Mt. Vernon. See Tony Kirby at the place 3/4 mile on Sand Springs Road. 1114p.

FOR RENT

For Rent: Furnished apartment. Richmond St., Mt. Vernon. See Millie Swinney. 26ntf

FOR RENT: 4 room house, electric. Scaffold Cane. Write J. D. Daugherty, 3911 Decoursey Ave. Covington, Ky. 112p.

NOTICES

Lost: Bill fold at Mt. Vernon theatre last Sunday-evening Dec. 13. Finder please return to C. A. Thomson, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 1111p.

Lost: Dog, 1 1/2 years old, 13 in., Beagle, black and tan, 4 white legs, white tipped tail, white breast, male. If found see Earl Smith, Crab Orchard, Rt. 1. 10-12-p

Administrators Notice: I have been appointed administrator of the estate of Charlie Sargent, deceased. Any one having claims against the estate kindly present the same properly proven to me. Those indebted will please contact me for settlement. Sherman Sargent Broodhead, Ky., Administrator. 11-13-p.

Posted - No Trespassing: We, whose names appear below have posted our land and will not permit any hunting, fishing or trespassing of any kind. Those who persist in trespassing in any way will be dealt with according to law: J. D. Daugherty, Scaffold Cane.

John Staverson, Scaffold cane. Ivan Staverson, Mt. Vernon, Ky. Roscoe Staverson, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Harrison Cook, West side of Fair ground hill, Mt. Vernon. Blaine McKinney, Willalla, Ky.

R. L. McPerron, property Ruth Leach, Sue Abney, Fannie Mullins. Wash Dash farm. M. J. and J. B. Fain farm,

Pine Hill and Calloway. A. B. Thomason, Pine Hill. F. C. Bowling, Route 461, Mt. Vernon, Ky. Roscoe Adams, Level Green. Arch Sexton, Quail, Ky. J. M. Brown, Quail, Ky. Fred Matt Ramsey, Renfro Valley, Ky. Robert Jones, Crab Orchard, Ky., Route 3. Tom England, Pine Hill and Calloway.

Posted: No hunting allowed on my land. Walter Mason, Brush Creek, Ky.

NOTICE INCOME TAX CLIENTS Will be at Dixie Boone Hotel, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky from January 1st through March 15, 1954. Maureen Laswell Egan 1115.

WANTED Will pay highest price for clean cotton rags. No wool, silk denim or flimsy material. Only cotton can be purchased. Signal Office.

CARD OF THANKS The family of the late Christopher C. Howell of Detroit, Michigan and formerly of Broodhead, Ky., wishes to extend their appreciation for the many kindnesses shown in their recent loss.

To the many friends who assisted Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Yadan and their family through their gifts, their services, and their presence while the body lay awaiting interment.

To the Pastors, Brother Long and Brother Elliott, who assisted in the services.

To the Broodhead Christian Church and its members where the Services were held.

To the Broodhead Lodge No. 566 A. F. & A. M. for acting as the final interment, with special thanks to Mr. Henry Anderson for his fine work.

And finally to the many, many others who by their expressions of sympathy, condolence and helpfulness made an almost trying time somewhat less trying.

To all of you a most heartfelt "Thank You."

Pfc. Carl L. Harper has completed his basic training at Paris Island and was home for his first furlough Thanksgiving. He is now stationed at Jacksonville, Fla., for 2 months of school where he will take aviation mechanic. Carl is a resident of Mt. Vernon where he attended school. He joined the Marine Corp in June, 1953. He belonged to the National Guard before going into the Marines.

A Friendly NOTE



By Alfred Sparks, Jr.

"The only way to have a friend is to be one."

It's an everyday occurrence for us to expect others to prove their loyalty and friendship for us. Generally speaking, most people wait for others to take the first step toward to prove



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their friendship before they return will do likewise for them. We disagree with that approach to friendship for it is our opinion that if we take the initiative by first doing a friendly turn that we open the door to a better understanding and belief and thereby are deserving of the confidences and trustfulness of others.

Lasting friendships are not purchased with money or material things in spite of today's common belief in that direction. The giving of material things

is generally measured by a person's financial ability to give whereas the giving of congratulations, sympathy, or other expressions and indications of "giving from the heart" are more deeply absorbed by the receiver and remembered for years and years to come. Go back in your memory to situations that you have encountered in your lifetime and we're positive you'll agree with our contentions.

SPARKS FUNERAL HOME W. Main St. Mt. Vernon, Ky.

SPECIAL USED CAR SALE

- "MUST SELL THIS WEEK" 1951 Chevrolet cars were \$1495. now \$995. 1950 Chevrolet cars were \$1295. now \$895. 1949 Chevrolet cars were \$1000. now \$795. 1948 Chevrolet cars were \$795. now \$600.

MANY OTHERS TO CHOOSE FROM At rock bottom prices. Lowest possible down payments. Easy convenient terms

We have in stock an International 1/2 ton truck 1953, almost new, only 900 miles. Original cost over \$1600.00. We don't like Internationals. Make us an offer.

YOUR CHEVROLET DEALER Baker Motor Co. "Your Chevrolet Dealer" "Growing With Mt. Vernon"

HERE NOW See It - Try It - Buy It

Chieftain Four-Door Sedan for '54



The ever-popular Chieftain Deluxe Four-Door Sedan for 1954 features new styling with a new grille, new side molding, new nameplate, new silver streak, new radiator ornament and even more luxurious interiors of nylon pattern cloth and nylon leather. On a 122-inch wheelbase, it is available with an eight-cylinder engine of increased horsepower, Dual-Range Hydra-Matic and a number of new accessories, including air-conditioning, power brakes, Comfort Control Seat, electric window lifts and many others.

Only a few dollars more than the lowest priced "3", but - oh boy - Look at what you get.

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Walter Saylor's Good 6-Room Concrete Block Home and About Three Acres Located in Frith Addition to Brodhead, Ky.

Absolute Auction Saturday, Dec. 19th At 1:30 P. M. On Premises

Location: This home is located in the Frith Addition to Brodhead, Ky., a short distance North of the Conway Road. High, dry and healthy and not crowded and is located a short distance from the heart of Brodhead, Ky.

The Home: A well built concrete, block structure with 4 rooms on first floor, which is double floored, with a concrete veranda, rear porch, fire place in living room, has city water and K. U. electric service. Second floor contains 2 bed rooms. Other building consist of a poultry house and some 3 acres of land are embraced in the boundary, this home has a new approved composition shingle roof.

Mr. and Mrs. Saylor have instructed us to sell this good property to the party or parties making the last bid on Sale Day. They are returning to their farm in a short period of time which is the reason for this Auction Sale.

The housing situation, even with this great spread of building, still is critical. Homes are hard to find and when found usually are priced very high. This Sale presents to you that wonderful opportunity to buy and own your own home and at your own price.

Remember the date, Saturday, December 19th, at 1:30 P. M. and come prepared to bid and buy.

Some money will be given away at this Sale Absolutely Free. Possession: On or before 30 days from day of sale.

Terms: Very reasonable and announced on day of sale. For further particulars see or write either the owner, Mr. Walter Saylor, Brodhead, Ky., or Messer, Sutton & Carter Agents Crab Orchard, Brodhead and Stanford, Ky. Col. James B. Messer on the Block

DAVID McCAULEY SEZ



- 1949 Chevrolet with radio, heater, sunvisor, backup lights, horn signals, chrome wheels, bumper guards and all extras. Only \$695.00. 1938 Chevrolet \$75.00. 1940 Pontiac \$45.00. 1952 Chevrolet \$850.00. 1942 Chevrolet Fleetline \$85.00. 1948 Ford \$49.00. 1948 Packard Convertible \$148.00. 1948 Dodge 4 dr. in real shape \$285.00. 1940 Mercury Club coupe \$35.00. 1939 Plymouth \$65.00. 1938 Chev. a good one \$30.00.

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MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY

Farm Bureau Holds Annual Banquet at Brodhead

Roy Brown chosen to be president and also wins honor of Master Pasture Man.

Roy Brown of Quail was elected president of the Rockcastle County Farm Bureau for the year 1954 at the annual banquet held at Brodhead last Thursday evening. On the same occasion Mr. Brown was honored with the plaque as the best pasture-man of the county for the year just past.

This annual banquet of the Farm Bureau is a gala annual event that brings together the members of the Bureau for a Davis Branch, as the outstanding 4-H Club member for the year who has served as the president of the Rockcastle County 4-H association last year.

Mr. W. I. Norton presented Billy Bullens as the winner in the corn Derby for the F.F.A. He grew 107 bushels of corn the acre. He lauded Bullens for many outstanding achievements not only in the F.F.A. but also in other organizations. He was the champion sheep raiser of the state.

Assistant County Agent Durham presented Preston Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hill of a Davis Branch, as the outstanding 4-H Club member for the year who has served as the president of the Rockcastle County 4-H association last year.

William F. Warren Dies

William F. Warren, age 82, died of pneumonia Friday Dec. 14 at 4:10 P. M. at his home in Richmond, Ind. Mr. Warren was the son of Fieldon Warren and Jane Keese Warren, born in Pulaski County, Ky., May 13, 1871. He was married to Ida Burdette April 18, 1898 she preceded him in death twenty two years ago. He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Mae Bullock, Mrs. Lucile Marshall and Mrs. Pearl McQueen. Three sons, Robert H. Warren of Long Beach, Calif., Charles H. and John W. Cincinnati, Ohio. One sister, Eliza Cress of Topeka, Kansas. One brother, Matthew Warren of Osgan, Kansas, 18 grandchildren and nieces and nephews.

He was laid to rest in the Arba Cemetery, Arba, Indiana.

Baptist Church News

Raymond Lawrence announced today the following activities for Christmas week at the First Baptist Church of Mt. Vernon. Next Sunday morning Dec. 20th the Christmas treat of candy, fruit and nuts will be given to all of the children in attendance in Sunday school. At the morning worship service the congregation will present its birthday present to Jesus, a special offering for foreign missions. This offering will be sponsored by the ladies of the W. M. S.

On Tuesday night Dec. 22 at 7:30, the Sunday school will present a Christmas program. After the smaller children have presented their part, the Intermediate and Young Peoples departments will present the play, "Follow the Star" with the church choir singing Christmas hymns. Mrs. Lucile Hyatt is director of the pageant.

On Sunday morning Dec. 27 there will be installation services for new officers. Officers and on Sunday evening Dec. 27th there will be a special "Student night at Christmas," program, which is being held at the home of college and our High school students leading the service. The public is invited to all of this service.

CHRISTMAS CANTATA

To be given at the Brodhead Christian Church, December 20th at 7:00 P. M. Every one is urged to attend. The soloists are: Clay Colson, Miranda De Vault, Mrs. Ernest Hughes, Wanda Masters, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anderson and Byron Owens Jr. The reader will be Charles Eddie Hurt.

Issac Drew Dies

Issac Drew, born March 25, 1871, died Dec. 11, 1953 at his home at Johnetta, Ky. He is survived by his wife, Candice Drew and four children, George Drew of Johnetta, Willie Drew of Johnetta and Paul Drew also of Johnetta. He also leaves many relatives and friends.

He was 82 years of age. Services were held Sunday Dec. 15, 1953 at Pine Grove Presbyterian Church and interment was in Pine Grove Cemetery. Minister officiating was Bro. John Rose.

INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENT

Eight teams have accepted invitations to participate in the Sixth Annual Berea Foundation School Lions Club Invitational Tournament here Dec. 31-Jan. 2. The teams are: Foundation, the host team; Berea High (Kingston, Waco; Kirksville; Madison Central, Paint Lick; and McAfee.

Pairings for the Christmas Tourney, again to be played in Berea College's Seabury Gymnasium, have not been held yet but are to be completed and announced at a later date. Officials for the cage site will be John Cooper of Danville and Brockton County and interment was in Pine Grove Cemetery. Minister officiating was Bro. John Rose.

In the five previous years that the tournament has been held, Kingston High has taken the championship, Kirksville High has taken the runner-up, and Berea High came away with last year's winning laurels.

SINGING AT BRINDLE RIDGE

There will be a singing at Brindle Ridge Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, Dec. 20, at 1:30. Everybody is invited.

WOMAN'S CLUB NEWS

The annual Christmas meeting of the Mt. Vernon Woman's Club was held Tuesday evening, Dec. 15 in the basement of the First Baptist Church. Mrs. R. W. Griffin presiding.

The theme of the program was "Spiritual Values." The Rev. Wendell Belew demonstrated to a delighted audience his rare artistic ability thru a chalk drawing of a winter landscape made more realistic by colored lighting effects and soft music. Miss Phyllis Milen sang "White Christmas." The members of the club led by Mrs. Ruth Blazier sang a group of songs including "Jingle Bells," "O Come All Ye Faithful" and "Silent Night."

The Rev. Howard Ray, pastor of the Christian Church gave a most appropriate and inspirational message on the subject, "Over the World." The basement was fittingly decorated in the true Christmas atmosphere of lighted trees, evergreens, centerpiece and red candles.

Delicious refreshments of spiced cranberry punch, fruit and stuff dates were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Helen Miller, Mrs. Ruth Blazier, Mrs. N. M. Smock, Mrs. Howard Ray and Miss Nell Wanda Nicely.

More than thirty decorated Christmas packages donated by club members and containing gifts for needy children contributed to the effectiveness of the program on Spiritual Values.

Janet Albright In Who's Who

Janet Albright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Albright of Brodhead, was one of the seniors of Berea College who was voted as an outstanding member of her class, and her name will appear in the 1954 edition of Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. Miss Albright is at present one of the co-editors of the CHIMES, the college annual. She is a graduate of the Mt. Vernon High school and an honor student there making straight A's. For the past two summers she has worked as stenographer for the Girdler Corporation in Louisville and also for the Louisville Paper Company.



Roy Brown receiving the certificate of recognition from another man at the Rockcastle County Farm Bureau banquet.

Rain and Snow Made Traveling Hazardous

A drizzling rain on Monday which later in the day turned into snow made motor traveling very hazardous. By evening the roads became icy and on Tuesday morning the highway was covered with a sheet of ice. Many cars were wrecked or ditched. At some points huge trailer trucks blocked traffic. Basketball fans here who went to Lexington to see the game did not return until the wee hours of the morning, because the road was blocked. Between Boone's Gap and Mt. Vernon at least a dozen cars were stalled or ditched. Tuesday, as we traveled the distance roads became icy and on Tuesdays at the Gap, one near Snyder and a large truck at Hay's Cut.

Baker Motor Company reported six car wrecks over the weekend. Some of them were badly damaged and several persons were injured. The Halfway Garage operated by Stokes and French had to help clear the traffic through the "chutes" where snow and ice caused many cars to slide off the highway.

Death of Mrs. Martha E. Bullock

Martha Elizabeth Bullock passed away at Quail, Ky., on December 14, 1953 at the age of 80 years, 10 months, and two days. She united with the Church of Christ at an early age.

Relatives to mourn her passing are a host of nieces and nephews.

Services were held at 2:00 p. m. Tuesday, Dec. 15, 1953 at Providence church, and interment at the Providence Cemetery.

Minister officiating was Hugh Thomas. Arrangements were made by Cox Funeral Home.

A bad stretch was also encountered near Livingston and several cars were ditched. Mack Bales, too was busy over the week-end helping tourists who were caught in the slippery pavement.

The snow amounted to about four inches in places. By Tuesday night the highway through Rockcastle County was cleared of all snow and ice. Highway maintenance crews were busy all day scattering cinders on the steep hills and watching for danger spots.

Mareburg Baptist Church recalls pastor

The Mareburg Baptist Church held its annual meeting for pastoral call Saturday evening, December 12th. The Rev. B. Samuel Miller was recalled as pastor for the coming year. The church has shown great progress under Rev. Miller's outstanding leadership. During the sixteen months he has been pastor of the church, there have been eight baptismal services with twenty four candidates being baptized. Several others have been added during the same period by letter.

There has also been great



Newly elected officers of the Rockcastle County Farm Bureau. Reading from left to right: Bradley Saylor, Secretary and Treasurer from Wabst; Roy Brown, President from Quail; James E. Reynolds, Vice-president from Wildie.

And there was food in abundance. A big piece of sumptuous steak filled the platter. And there were all the other concomitants to make a delicious meal, ending with a deep dish of cherry pie. I think the fellow who sat right across the table from me, Edgar Mullins, thought the pie so good that he filled up on more than one!

Wayne Stewart, past president of the organization, was the toastmaster and called upon the various speakers on the program. Supt. D. A. Robbins extended the welcome to the farmers in behalf of the school.

County Agent Robert Spence then made a report of the progress being made in the county. He stated that the average number of bushels of corn used to be 13 to the acre, now it is 44. But one farmer in Rockcastle County made as high as 187 bushels of corn per acre several years ago. That was on the farm of Mr. Bullens in the Clear Creek section. Mr. Spence then reported on the progress of the Green Pasture Program and stated that 103 farmers enrolled and of these 26 made a final report. From them Mr. Roy Brown won first place and was presented with a beautiful plaque for his achievements in this program and was named the master pastureman for the county.

Mr. Spence also stated that the county had an income of \$10,000 last year from the strawberry crop, and that as high as \$2,000 worth of strawberries can be harvested from one acre.



Bradley Saylor presenting the plaque to Robert Spence for being the oldest agent in point of service in the state of Kentucky. The plaque was donated by the Lederle Laboratories Division of the American Cyanamid Company.

Native of Livingston Killed as Car Skids Into Truck

Henry Ancel Loudermilk, 39, of Berea, Route 10, was injured fatally in an auto accident on U.S. Highway 421 six miles south of Richmond last Monday evening.

Corner Jack Turpin said the man suffered a fractured skull and internal injuries. Loudermilk was employed by the L. & F. Co. and was en route to Winchester to go to work.

State police said the mishap involved the car and a truck which was struck and thrown to Winchester. Jamison was treated at a hospital and was released.

State Trooper Carl M. Farmer said Loudermilk, driving north on U. S. 421 applied the brakes of his car on a hill and it skidded on the wet road and struck the front of the truck. He said Loudermilk was thrown from the car.

Loudermilk died a few minutes after he had been admitted to the Pattie A. Clay infirmary.

Loudermilk is survived by his wife and four small children living in Madison, 27.

Funeral services were held at the Christian church Wednesday with the Rev. Danny Bowman, minister of the Nazarene Church of Berea, officiating at the service. Mrs. Loudermilk is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mink of Livingston.

Mr. Loudermilk was a native of Livingston where he had resided for nineteen years until the family moved to Madison County.

ARRIVES IN GERMANY

Pfc. Robert V. Nixey, son of Mrs. Pearl Nicely, Route 3, Brodhead, Ky., recently arrived in Germany for duty with the 28th Infantry Division.

The 28th Division is undergoing intensive training as part of the NATO Army guard in western Europe. Nixey, who is a member of the "G.I. Class," recently entered the Army in 1949 and was last stationed at Fort George G. Meade, Md.

Retirement Funds Total \$26 Million

Kentucky's Teacher Retirement Funds which aggregated more than \$26 million in 1952, are being managed efficiently and investments are producing a yield of 2.646 per cent a year, according to State Auditor T. Herbert Tinsley in a report released today.

Funds for administration, averaging approximately \$60,000 are invested in the four per cent maximum set by law for that purpose, the auditor added.

The fund is built up by teacher payments into the fund, matched by an equal state contribution. In addition, the fund earns interest on its total investment.

The current investment includes \$25,400,000 of which all but \$100,000 is in United States Government bonds. The latter sum is invested in the common stock of the Ashland school system.

Payments into the fund last year totaled \$4,266,414.37 including \$1,474,460.29 in contributions of \$1,172,020.02 and interest earnings of \$630,234.06.

Debitures included \$62,768.93 for administrative purposes; refunds of \$312,979.48; retirement allowances of \$646,847.25 and investments of \$3,033,656.82.

RADIO PROGRAM

W. H. A. S. will broadcast the radio program of the County School next Monday Dec. 21, at 3:15 P. M. Listen in at that hour and hear the children from Conway.

Miss Lottie Hensley, who has been confined to her home due to illness, is some better at this writing.

Mrs. Dale Ray entertained with a Stanley Party at her home Friday evening.

Strawberry Growers Urged to Increase Acreage

At a meeting of Rockcastle County farmers last Tuesday afternoon the administrative building, Mr. Rolft Spence, county agent, urged that the strawberry program for the county be increased. He asked that at least 100 acres be devoted to this crop. At present the income from strawberries is approximately \$10,000 when it should be twenty times that amount. A few days ago the strawberry growers from several counties met at Somerset and discussed the program with some commercial buyers. There were representatives from Tennessee and Philadelphia. Representatives from Philadelphia were interested in buying all the strawberries for the manufacture of icecream. This concern buys strawberries by the million pounds. They are interested in buying here because the firm is unable to purchase sufficient berries to supply the demand.

Last year the firm had to go to California to buy. If sufficient strawberries can be grown here the Company will build a processing plant in the Cumberland region.

Due to the inclement weather the speaker from the University of Kentucky was unable to be at the morning meeting but came later the day.

A group of boys from the Brodhead high school, under the leadership of Roy Turner, attended the meeting. Mr. Turner and Wayne Stewart asked the boys from the F.F.A. are willing and ready to plant at least thirty acres. Because of the absence of some officials, complete plans could not be made at the time, but it is believed that a sufficient number of farmers will be interested in the enlarged acreage program to give the strawberry project a big boost.

Notice To Taxpayers

The Tax Books will be closed January 1, 1954, through January 8, 1954. No collections will be made during this time due to the fact that the tax books will have to be readied for the Sherit-Elect.

A 2% penalty will be added January 1, 1954, and a 6% penalty will be added February 1, 1954.

Lela M. Payne, Sheriff

HARTS

Several folks attended Sunday school at Galilee church Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Campbell were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. Garnett Howard and family at Cottonburg. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Robinson visited Mrs. Fannie Hammons at Paint Lick Sunday.

Mrs. Bertha Lakes of Berea spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lakes. Mr. Alf Gadd visited his uncle Mr. J. W. Johnson recently. Mrs. Mary Eta Cameron visited Mrs. Sam Robinson Friday afternoon. Mrs. Allen Legear and baby from Richmond, Ind., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe McCrackens. Several folks from here have

been doing some Christmas shopping in Richmond.

WITHERS

Mr. and Mrs. Jones Singleton and boys from Conway were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Cummins. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Halcomb and daughter from Livingston visited Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Mink Sunday. Miss Lehina Mullins who is employed in Lancaster spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Casper Mullins. Mr. Robert Carpenter from A-land, Ky., was Sunday guest of Lehina Mullins. Mr. Glen Burke from Negro Creek visited Miss Betty Jean Cummins Saturday night. Mr. Rovie Cummins was in Mt. Vernon Saturday. Dale and Keith Singleton and Benie Cummins were in Mt. Ver-

non Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Casper Mullins and son, Cline were in Livingston Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. George Wynn and baby daughter were through here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles French are the proud parents of a baby girl. Mrs. Elizabeth Weaver, and Betty Jean Cummins were in Pine Hill Thursday afternoon. Mr. Gene Mink visited his sister, Mrs. Byrd Cummins Friday night. Mr. Byrd Cummins, Junior French and D. J. Cummins visited Mr. and Mrs. Charley French at Mt. Vernon Friday night. Mrs. Grace and Pauline Mullins attended a fish fry at Livingston. Mrs. Elizabeth Weaver and Betty Jean Cummins were in Mt. Vernon Monday Christmas shopping.

Mr. W. F. Mink and Gene Mink and Estell Mullins were in Berea Saturday night to attend a Lodge supper. Money Ed, D. J. and Henry F. Cummins spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Nell Cummins. Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Mullins and daughter, Rachel, were in Mt. Vernon Wednesday. Mr. Mullins went to see the doctor. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ponder of Livingston visited her grandmother, Mrs. W. F. Mink, Wednesday afternoon. Uncle Taylor Mullins is still about the same at this time. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mink and son, Garry, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Mink Saturday and Sunday. Bennie Cummins visited Dale and Keith Singleton Saturday night. Miss Patsy Ann Mullins, who attends school at Livingston, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Casper Mullins. Mrs. Elizabeth Weaver visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs.

Byrd Cummins Saturday afternoon. Anna Bell Cummins spent Saturday night with her grandmother, Mrs. W. F. Mink. Mr. Donald Mullins visited his sister, Mrs. Arthur Wadde at Livingston Saturday. Mrs. Rose Mullins and daughter, Rachel visited Mrs. W. F. Mink Monday. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cummins still remains about the same. Mr. Donald Mullins from Richmond, Ind., was in our community last week. Gene Mink and Bill T. Mullins was at Gaultey Branch Sunday. Vernon and Garland Cummins were in Mt. Vernon Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Donald French visited his mother Saturday. Mr. Dickie Mullins visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mullins Saturday. Mrs. Bell Mullins and Dickie Mary French and daughter, Jean, and sons Everett and Donald, and Mrs. French had a nice card and pop corn party. We are sorry to hear that Mr. Parson of Brodhead is very ill.

Mrs. Grace Mullins had a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of Dickie Mullins. Sunday afternoon Mrs. Grace Mullins, Pauline Mullins, Bill T. Mullins and Dickie Mullins visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie B. Parson at Brodhead. Mrs. Bell Mullins and Dickie visited Mrs. Nell Cummins Thursday. Mr. Everett French, Mrs. Mary French and daughter Jean visited Mrs. Bell Mullins Thursday. Miss Elsie Cummins visited Mr. W. F. Mink Thursday. Every one is welcome at the Mullins school Xmas play Dec. 23. Miss Elsie Cummins was in Stanford shopping Saturday.

NEW HOPE

Mr. Cope Mullins visited Mr. James Barnett Saturday night. Mrs. Lillie Rigby visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rigby Sunday night. Mrs. Ruth Richards and children visited her mother and dad, Mr. and Mrs. Henry VanWinkle Saturday night. Mr. John Rigby was in Mt. Vernon Saturday morning. Mr. John Rigby and son, Marvin, visited Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Rigby at Richmond Thursday. Every one around here are busy stripping their tobacco getting ready for market. An Invitation This is to my dear friends and neighbors: I want one and all to come to our church at Fairview and let us worship together. We have called our new pastor Ballard Rader for the coming year and I want all to come and lend a helping hand. Brother Dean has done a good work and he needs our prayers wherever he serves the church and God's kingdom. (The above invitation was contributed by Mrs. Tollie Childers of Fairview.) Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cope, Barbara Sue and Charles spent Friday evening with Mrs. Nadine Creech and sons.

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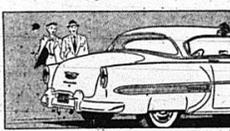
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GREEN HILL

Joe Howard and Emmitt Cummings and Jack Dailey were in London Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Coffey spent Sunday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Stephens at Seaford Camp.

Cecil Rymel, J. C. Rymel and William Weaver were in Richmond Tuesday. Mr. Rymel's tobacco brought \$3.16 per hundred.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coffey and Robert J. of Richmond, Ind. spent the week-end here visiting relatives.

Miss Dorothy Anglin spent Friday night with Miss Bettie Sue Dowell and attended the ball game at Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Coffey and Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of Mt. Vernon were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith. It was Mrs. Smith's birthday, and all enjoyed a nice birthday supper.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jordan Jr. of Richmond, Ind. spent the week-end with Mrs. Flossie Abney and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rance Coffey and family were Sunday guests of Mrs. Lou Moore and family in Berea.

Miss Shirley Clark spent Friday night with Bettie Sue Dowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dailey were Sunday guests of Mrs. Mollie Coffey of Disputanta.

Mrs. Lillian Anglin and Dorothy and Bobby were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Brocade Holt Saturday afternoon.

Rance Coffey, Luther Coffey and Jack Dailey were in London Monday with a load of tobacco.

WILLAILLA

Mrs. Susie Hasty spent Monday with Mrs. D. M. Cress. They visited Mrs. Thula McMullins and Mrs. Ada McMullins in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hayes of Ottawa spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Hasty. Misses Lorene and Bobby Jean Hayes spent Saturday with Christine Cress.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hasty and Mrs. Bobby Keller and baby daughter, Susan Kay, of Louisville spent Sunday with Mrs. Susie Hasty. Other visitors were Mr. Eugene Hasty and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hasty and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine McKinney spent last Sunday with Mrs. Alice Herrin and Mr. and Mrs. Lem Herrin and daughters at Shopville.

Mrs. Bob Turner and children spent Wednesday with Mrs. Beatrice Cress.

Little Darlene Hayes spent Saturday night with Uncle Mr. and Mrs. Chester Whitaker and sons.

Rev. Buckner Bowling of Ohio spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cress.

Tuesday and Wednesday night with Christine Cress.

Mrs. Beryl McKinney received word of a great nephew born to Mr. and Mrs. Gene Whitaker of Somerset. He was named Jerome Bishop, for his great uncle, Mr. Home Graves of Sand Springs.

Mr. Mitchell Cress was a dinner guest of his daughter, Miss Ruby Cress, at the Kentucky Hotel at Somerset Saturday.

Miss Evon Hurst had a bad car wreck Friday night. We are happy to report she was not hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hasty and Glenn were in Stanford Saturday where Mr. Hasty consulted his doctor. Mr. Hasty is not feeling well.

BURR

Mr. F. Dean Bell and sister, Maxine Bell, visited in Burr and Cove Branch Saturday.

Maxine will remain until after Christmas before returning to Louisville.

Mrs. Millard Bell and Mrs. Hubert Bell were in Mt. Vernon Monday.

Mrs. Nora Bell, and Mrs. Hubert Bell were in Crab Orchard Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jones and family.

People around here have been very busy stripping their tobacco, and getting it ready for market.

Mrs. Maggie Frederick and Mrs. Maggie Thomason were in Mt. Vernon Saturday to see the doctor.

Mrs. Margie Jones of Crab Orchard received a letter from Mr. Demsy Ramsey that her daughter, Betsy Ruth, was in the hospital.

Little Jeannie Mink, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mink, was on the sick list last Sunday.

Mrs. Pauline Souder is improving, after being in a car wreck last week.

There was a large crowd at Chestnut Ridge Church of Christ Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Owens visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mink Sunday.

Miss Nina McClure and sister, Suella were in Mt. Vernon Saturday.

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B. & O. Jewelers, Mt. Vernon, Ky. Expert Watch Repairing. Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Parrett visited his father and brother, Sam, and Coda Parrett Sunday.

Mr. Sam Parrett visited his sister, Mrs. Nancy Treadway Sunday.

Merry Christmas to everyone.

RED HILL

Much sympathy is extended the family of Uncle Ike Drew, who passed away at his home Friday evening. Burial was at death of Mr. Kenneth Ham-

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Ponder are much better at this time after being confined with flu.

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RAMBLINGS

Winter has settled down on us. It was two degrees above zero at my house. The pipe froze and I knew that it must be cold. Outside the weather was clear. The stars were still shining brightly and the air was quiet and still. There was no breeze. Later in the morning then as the sun began to dispel the darkness and the dawn came into day, the entire surroundings glittered in the sunlight. Every bush and tree, hills and meadows were shimmering in the morning glow. It was really winter, the kind that makes the snow squeak under your tramping feet and turns your breath in to white vapor and the cold air puts a tickling sensation into your nostrils. Up north such mornings were not out of the ordinary, but here in Kentucky it is somewhat rare. This kind of weather makes for a Christmas season that we like and expect.

Does anyone know what is happening to some of our young soldiers in Korea who prefer to remain in the Communist country? Are they telling the truth or are they under the control of some fantastic imagination or fear of reprisals or have they been under some kind of compulsion or coercion. It is difficult for us here to understand what is happening. When a mother makes the long flight to Japan for the sole purpose of helping her prisoner son and then only to be slighted by him, is something that is very hard to believe. There must be some kind of an explanation, but we may not understand until long time later.

Are you patronizing your home merchants I hope so. The merchants in your community are making every endeavor to keep the best merchandise possible, and if they do not have what you want they can get you what you need. The merchants help to make our community. They support our churches. They pay heavy taxes. They are interested in schools and take a pride in every worthy enterprise. The dollars we send out to mail order houses do not come back. They do not help pay taxes. They do not support our schools or churches or highways. Those dollars are gone.

Believe in home-trade and take pride in community building. It will eventually pay off in big dividends.

Letter To The Editor

Please find enclosed a money order for \$2.50 for the good old paper.

Yours, W. E. McNew
94 Ft. Wayne Ave.
Richmond, Ind.

Letter To Editor

Dear Sirs: Please find enclosed a money order for \$2.50. Please send the Signal to Mr. W. J. McFarquie, Pittsburg, Ky. I am sending this as a Xmas gift for 1 year. You may begin with next weeks issue. We both are former residents of Rockcastle County and always enjoy the Signal so much.

Mrs. Lloyd Harp, Louisville, Ky.

Letter To Editor

Find enclosed money order for \$2.50 for the renewal of the Signal. I would be entirely lost without it.

Yours, Steve Gabbard, 1031 Hunt Ave., Hamilton, Ohio.

SPORTS

BY TOMMY GAY

BAD WEATHER HAULTS GAME

Due to icy roads, Coach Liasue's Red Devils were benched with the McIntire game postponed.

This postponed game was rated to be in the twelfth region. Also it was to decide which team would be favored as the pace setter.

RED DEVILS STOP BROAD-HEAD TIGERS

Red Devils and the Red Devil Imps took the measure of the

Broadhead Tigers A and B teams in their respective games. (B teams) Mt. Vernon Imps 12 28 40 55
(Broadhead Tiger Cubs) 4 14 23 38

(1st teams) Mt. Vernon Red Devils 6 23 44 59
Broadhead Tigers 8 25 38 51

RED DEVILS TO PLAY AT CORBIN

The Mt. Vernon Red Devils will play in the Cumberland Falls Invitational tournament to be held at Corbin Dec. 30, 31st, Jan. 1 and 2nd.

At the present time Mt. Vernon are the eighth in the nine games played losing to Clay County.

BROADHEAD TIGERS WIN 6 OF 8 GAMES

Won over Pulaski Co. Hi 63-40
Lost to McKee 87 - 65
Lost to Kirksville 93 - 54
Won over Middleburg 64 - 7
Won over Livingston 61 - 48
No novover Houanville 78 - 55
Won over Crab Orchard 53-50.
Lost to Mt. Vernon 58-51.

Home Agents Notes



BAKELESS FRUIT CAKE

Several people have asked me about an unbaked cake this year. Below is a recipe that I have been using for many years. It was given to me last year by Mrs. Harvey Bowman, Berea. I did one in January right after Christmas while the nuts and candied fruits were still available. It has been frozen until recently when I took it out and cut it. It was wonderfully moist and tasty. I share it with you so you may try it if you wish.

Bakeless Fruit Cake

- 2 lbs. Graham Crackers
 - 1 lb. Ginger Snaps or Vanilla Wafers
 - 1 tsp. ground cloves
 - 1 tsp. cinnamon
 - 1/2 lb. dates
 - 1/2 lb. figs
 - 1/2 lb. candied pineapple
 - 1/2 lb. candied cherries
 - 2 lbs. seedless raisins
 - 20 lbs. red and green gumdrops
 - 1 lb. nut meats
 - 1 lb. nut syrup
 - 1 1/2 c. fruit juice (grape is fine)
- Crush crackers finely. Add spices, cut fruit, nuts and gumdrops and mix well. Add the syrup and fruit juice and have been blended together. Stir thoroughly seeing that all cracker crumbs are evenly moist. Press firmly into a pan which has been lined with waxed paper. Store in the refrigerator or a cool place a week or until well set.
- May you have good eating! I counted the cost on mine this year and the total was slightly less than \$3.00. This recipe makes a 10 lb. cake.

COPPER CREEK

Cpl. Clarence Wilmont has returned to Georgia after spending a ten day tour with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Wilmont.

Dianne Sanders, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Sanders has returned home from Berea hospital where she was a patient part of last week.

Miss Opal Jones of Cincinnati is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kidwell of the Berea spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Martha Kidwell.

Leonard Harris, who is employed in Pennsylvania, spent last week with his family.

Marie Kidwell was in Berea Saturday night visiting her brother, Raymond Kidwell and Mrs. Kidwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sears are the proud parents of a baby son born Dec. 13th at the Berea hospital. He has been named Ronald Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson Jr., of Mr. and Larry of Versailles spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Watkins.

Mrs. Elmer Kidwell and children spent Sunday in Carters-

ville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Cramer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Reed and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Powell of Ohio visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Powell over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Wilmont and son Earl of Somerville, Ohio spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Wilmont.

Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Sears and family of McKee were Friday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sears.

ORLANDO

Every one here is getting ready for Christmas.

Mrs. Sarah Croucher has moved to Rufus Bakers place.

Miss Lela Mae Baker spent Sunday night with Miss Mary and Lillie Baker.

Miss Lela Mae Baker spent Friday night with Mrs. Robert Cope.

Mrs. Richard Anglin visited her mother who has been ill.

Miss Lucy Gibbons spent Monday night with Polly Anglin.

Mr. Levin Baker has just returned home from Richmond, Ind. after spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Dock Abney.

Mr. John Anglin visited Mr. Granville Mullins Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Mullins spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Gaud.

Mr. Earl and Herman Baker visited their parents over the week-end.

Miss L. Kates spent Wednesday with Goldie Cope.

Mr. Lowell Mullins of Climax attended church at New Hope Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Northern and Mr. Bobbie Mullins visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Baker Thursday night.

Miss Opal Baker and Mary Baker visited Mrs. Willie Croucher Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Mary and Lillie Baker visited Miss Lela Mae Baker Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Curtis Vanzant spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Vanzant.



John W. Koon of Frankfort speaking to the members of the Rockcastle County Farm Bureau at their annual banquet held at Broadhead last week. Seated next to the speaker is Wayne Stewart, toastmaster, and president of the Farm Bureau.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Martin are visiting his daughter, Mrs. James Shoemaker and Mr. Shoemaker in Dayton, Ohio.

The Christmas program will be Sunday morning at 10: A. M. at Calloway church.

QUAIL

Mr. Marvin Saylor, Raymond Saylor and Levi Burnes of Indiana spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Taylor.

Mrs. Casper Owens spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Mink and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ponder and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Todd and family Sunday.

Miss Stella Thompson spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Adams.

Mrs. Martha Mink Bullock died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Cable and Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Cable were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Brown and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Taylor and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones Sunday.

Brindle Ridge

Bro. Estus filled his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday and Bro. Craig Holman, our missionary and Bro. Elliott, pastor of Broadhead visited us Saturday night.

We wish to invite them back.

Mr. Henry Mink is able to be back home after being in the hospital several days. Mrs. Mink remains about the same, she is still in the hospital. Let's all remember to pray for our sick in this community.

Several from here are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cummins and children, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Burdette, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coffey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Coffey of Renfro.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wylie and family Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Mink.

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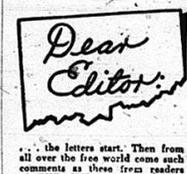
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Mrs. Neal Cope has been ill at Berea hospital.



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Four boys who have done outstanding work in agriculture. Reading from left to right: Billy Bullens, Johnny Huston, Preston Hill and Billy Huston. The picture was taken at the Farm Bureau Banquet last week Thursday at Broadhead.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

MIDDLETON PARK

Miss Lucy Middleton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Disney Middleton of Mt. Vernon became the bride of Mr. Walter Park, of Richmond, Saturday December 12. The double ring ceremony took place at the Presbyterian Church in Richmond.

The bride looked lovely in a light trimmed navy suit, with navy accessories. She wore two gardenias presented to her by the groom. The groom was also dressed in a navy suit.

The only attendants were the witnesses, Miss Phyllis Milan and Mr. Grant Bales.

The bride who has worked at Bely Acres for several years, will graduate from Mt. Vernon High School in May. The groom at the present time is attending Eastern College. After a short wedding trip the young couple will make their home in Richmond.

Dr. and Mrs. Jack Henderson and David Henderson spent the week-end in Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Brown, Mrs. Ewell Cummins and Jimmy Cummins were in Richmond shopping Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Winstead and family were in Nicholasville, Ky. Sunday.

Starting to think about what to give this Christmas? Stop in at B. & O. Jewelers and you'll find gift ideas galore for everyone on your list.

Best of all there's no need to wait. At our jewelry store you can put it in layaway and avoid the problem of last minute shopping.

B. & O. Jewelers, Mt. Vernon, Ky. Expert Watch Repairing. Mrs. Hoover Bullock and family spent Thursday in Lexington.

Mr. Tom Marcum of Richmond, Ind., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Cummins.

Mrs. Emma Taylor is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Holl Chestnut, in Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Robbins and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bussell, of Lockland, Ohio.

Mr. Charles Stallworth, of Connersville, Ind., spent the week-end with friends in Mt. Vernon.

Mrs. Clyde Barnett and Mrs. Charles Machal were in Lexington Thursday shopping.

Mr. Boyd Whitaker was in Louisville on business.

Mrs. Ulysess Hansel, has just returned from Corbin where she visited her father, Mr. Arthur Lynch, who has undergone a serious operation. He was reported doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lovell and Mrs. Virginia Pittman and son, Stevie spent Wednesday week Mr. and Mrs. Lovell Clontz, Mrs. Fred Randolph of Cincinnati, Ohio is visiting her sister, Mrs. Herbert Evans.

Mr. Russell Owens of Cincinnati, Ohio spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Cummins.

Pfc. Albert Proctor, who is in the Marines, is home on leave. Albert is stationed at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.

Mr. Glen Faulkner was in Lexington Monday.

Miss Barbara Hilton of Georgetown College spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hilton.

Miss Dollie Winstead had a neg. quest Friday.

Misses Patsy Noe and Tiney McCall who attend Bryant & Stratton Business School in Louisville, spent the week-end with their parents.

Mr. John Smith was in Nicholasville, Ky., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hatcher and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Hatcher of Corbin visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Langford, Sunday.

Mr. Thomas Payne, Jr. left Monday for the U. S. Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Lillie Roberts, Louise Kelley, and Evelyn Owens and children of Danville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Noe, Tuesday.

Mrs. Charlie Hines and son, Wayne were in Danville shopping Saturday.

Mrs. Foster Hawkins is in the St. Anthony Hospital in Louisville. Mrs. Hgkins is recovering from an operation.

Mr. James Winstead has been confined to his home with influenza.

Mr. Billy Martin who is employed in Louisville spent the week-end in Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hale are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hale.

Mr. Charles Stanley left for the U. S. Marine Corps Monday. Charles will be stationed in San Diego, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Coffey announce the arrival of a baby son born Wednesday. He has been named Billy Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Skeen, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Payne shopping.

Miss Jane Browning spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Florida Davis of Crab Orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. James Browning of Dayton, Ohio were home over the week-end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ulysess Hansel and Mrs. Florida Davis.

Glen Faulkner spent Saturday in Parkersville, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruth Blazier spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Shirley Riddle and family of Somerset, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cummins of Lexington, Ky., were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cummins Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Darral Parkey and son of Danville visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Faulkner, over the week-end.

Thos. Emma Farrett spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. James Winstead and family.

Mr. Roscoe Stallworth is very sick at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whitaker visited his brother, Mr. Tom Whitaker and family.

Mr. David Gregory and children, Carolyn and Marie, spent Tuesday in Louisville shopping.

Johnny Machal of Eastern College spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Machal and family.

Miss Rose Katherine Fred of Ohio State is spending the Christmas holidays with her mother and family.

Mr. Byron Crawford of U. K. spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crawford. Accompanying Byron home was his room-mate, Mr. Jay Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Stokes are the proud parents of a baby girl born Saturday Dec. 12th. The infant weighed 6 lbs. 14 oz. and has been named Carol Sue.

We are glad to report Mr. Ben Riddle much improved after suffering from pneumonia at his home on Main St.

Mrs. Bessie Cox was down from Mt. Vernon to visit her daughter, Mrs. Roy Turner and family last week.

Mrs. F. F. Robbins remains very sick at her home on Main St.

Mrs. John Bullock of Mt. Vernon is with her father, Mr. W. S. Robins who remains very ill at his home on Old Fair-

ground St.

Little Martha Rose Northern was able to be brought home from Berea College hospital last week. She is reported doing very nicely.

We are glad to report Mrs. D. Smithers able to be out after a siege of flu.

Sgt. and Mrs. Robert Henderson, Paint Lick, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Newland and family.

Mrs. James Meredith and Mrs. Bill Leger entertained at the home of Mrs. Meredith Thursday evening of last week.

Mrs. Walter Doan, Many beautiful gifts were received and a lovely night.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Gobdy are the proud parents of a son who arrived at Ephraim McDowell Hospital, Danville, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Miracle were up from Crab Orchard last week.

The ladies aid enjoyed their annual Christmas party, at the parsonage, Thursday evening of last week. The house was beautifully decorated in the Christmas spirit.

Gifts were exchanged and most delicious turkey dinner was served by our most gracious hostess, Mrs. Long. Our next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Henry Crawford across the river.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Coffey, Danville where she has been suffering from a broken shoulder and arm which she received from a fall in Mt. Vernon Baptist church where she was attending W. M. U.

We are glad to report her doing nicely.

A Christmas Cantata will be given at the local Christian church, Sunday night, Dec. 23. The Christian Endeavor and smaller children of the Sunday school will give a program.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Wright and son, David, are here from Cincinnati with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Allen.

Word comes from Detroit, Michigan that Mrs. Nanette Howell is very sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. Earnest Wallin is suffering from a very severe cold. The Christmas season is here again and we wish to extend best wishes to all our readers. A happy prosperous New Year.

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The funeral of Henry Anceff was held last week at the Leandermirk, who was killed in an auto wreck Monday morning at 5:20 A. M. will be held at the Livingston Christian church Wednesday at 1:00 P.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bullock of Ohio spent last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bullock.

Mr. Shelby Payne who works in Ohio spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Daisy Norton, who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKinney at Spina.

Mrs. Helen Saylor entertained the United Neighbors Homemakers club with a Christmas program Friday night. All enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

Mr. Owen Norton who works in Ohio spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Daisy Norton, who has been ill.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Rice were in Lexington Saturday.

Mrs. Clyde Fordyce spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Kelley at Mt. Vernon.

Mrs. Lee McClure was called to Covington last week due to the illness of her daughter.

Mrs. James A. Mullins who is now at Somerset with the Highway Dept. spent the week-end with his family.

Miss Lida Cook attended the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. Minnie Gains in Laurel County Friday. Mrs. Gains passed away at a Winchester hospital last Wednesday night after a long illness.

Mrs. H. R. Mason entertained her Sunday school class of Junior girls last Monday with a surprise birthday party for Miss Grace Ann Mason. There were six present, refreshments served and a nice time enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Clifford Bales was in Louisville Monday shopping.

The little son of Bro. and Mrs. B. C. Wright is sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Mason and grandsons Luther and Farris, visited their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Roberts of Berea, Ky., over the week-end.

A good number attended the fish fry Thursday night at the school sponsored by P. T. A. Miss Edna Cook went to Lexington Thursday shopping.

The two small children of Mr. and Mrs. James Middleton are confined with measles.

NOTE: The undersigned, Mary M. Settles, has filled a Petition in the Rockcastle County Court asking for a permit to operate a rest-up, which is a one-story building, four rooms located on the left side of the Highway No. 25 about two miles south of Livingston, Ky., to be used for a rest-up, to operate a restaurant, gas station also a juke box.

Mary M. Settles.

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Howard Funeral Home, Crab Orchard, Compares Prices

Recently a price ad was run in this paper advertising funerals from \$90 to \$395. The Howard Funeral Home would like to compare prices with practically the same merchandise some of which originated from same factories. We have just purchased a quantity of a mortuary suit of business and we will be able to sell merchandise for nearly the same price most morticians pay for it plus a little profit. As long as this merchandise lasts we quote the comparison.

On the flat hinge panel casket advertised by another mortician for \$90.00 we can sell for \$60.00 a saving of \$30.00. On the Octagon hinge cap advertised for \$150.00 we can sell for \$100.00 a saving of \$50.00. On the Octagon half couch advertised for \$295 we can sell for \$195 a saving of \$100. On the Octagon Plush half couch advertised for \$395.00 we can sell for \$285.00 a saving of \$110.00. Our merchandise is all priced at the same price as in a mortuary. For instance, if you have been paying over \$750.00 for a Monaseal you should trade at Howard's at the price most generally all over the country is closer to \$900.00.

We have a stock in two other Funeral Homes and can get anything you want from \$60.00 to \$600.00. It is not, our wish to start a price war but we are in shape financially to live five years and sell below cost if necessary. We intend to live by the slogan "We Are Never Undersold At Howard's." Save the price on any service above \$350.00 at Howard's in Crab Orchard, Ky.

We do our own work. We do not have to pay our profits in salaries and commissions in neighboring towns. We watch for bargains such as other firms going out of business, buy top merchandise below cost, stock pile and pass the savings on to the people.

We have been here hardly two months, but are already becoming part of the area around Brodhead and Crab Orchard. People have already tried our service and can tell you the above is not just newspaper advertising. We can give you names of people who have tried our service and compared our prices and they will tell you that it is the best. Howard has been trained in the best schools and by the largest and best firms in the South.

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THREE LINKS

We are very sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Ike Drew, who passed away at his home Dec. 11. He was laid to rest in the

Pine Grove Cemetery, Sunday December 13. B. C. Martin Jr., who has been in the U. S. Navy for some time is now home. He has served his enlisted time. Mr. and Mrs. Brutus Martin

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spent a short visit with Mrs. J. H. Hayes last Thursday. Mrs. Lloyd Phillips is home now and is reported getting a new fine. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dooley were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Dooley Saturday and Sunday. Most all tobacco growers have their crops on market and are satisfied with the price received this year. The Christmas season is almost here again. We wish all

our readers a very Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year. SCAFFOLD CANE Mrs. Bill Brewer visited her sister, Mrs. Cecil Rector, who is in Berea hospital. Little Johnny Bullens who has been in Berea hospital is back home. We are glad to have him back with us. Mr. Sparks and family have moved to Conway. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hensley are visiting in Ohio and will

be there for the wedding of their daughter, Miss Alice Hensley. Mr. A. Gene Brock who is working in Ohio spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Brock. A gospel film was shown at the Christian church again Sunday night with good attendance. The Christmas program will be Wednesday night Dec. 23. Every one invited. Bro. Jack Holt will preach again Sunday afternoon. Every one come out and hear these wonderful messages. Most farmers in this community have sold their tobacco and are very pleased with the prices. Mrs. Cynthia Croucher is on the sick list. Mrs. Eva Gadd and daughter Myrtle were in Berea shopping Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Blair and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stephens were in Richmond Wednesday shopping. Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Stephens were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Todd and Mrs. Johnny Todd and family. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Thacker and children, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stephens. Mr. Hubert Stephens and daughter, Carol Ann, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stephens Sunday.

FAIRVIEW Rev. Ballard Rader preached at Fairview Saturday night and Sunday with a good attendance for each service. The Fairview church called Bro. Rader as pastor for this coming year. The following officers and teachers were also elected: Jesse Mullins, Supt., Elwood Treon, secretary, J. H. Lambert, teacher for men, Gladys Rose, teacher for women, Anna Lee Chasteen, young people, Virginia Holt, Intermediate, Mary K. Mullins, Juniors, Lillian Thomas, card class, Edgar Barnett, Janitor, Marion Treon, church clerk and treasurer. We thank God for each one of them. May God bless us as we go forth trying to work for the Lord. I know the good people of Fairview church will be praying for us and we'd like your prayers too, wherever you are. Bro. Rader was unable to be with us Sunday night, and Bro. Dean brought us the tape recording of the program of the mothers at Fairview last Mother's Day. Some of the mothers weren't there in person but as

we heard their voice, we were overjoyed. There were many tears shed as we heard those mothers requesting prayer for their lost loved ones and friends. We all enjoyed the program very much and got a great blessing from it. The Madison County Singing was held at Fairview Sunday evening. There was a good attendance and some good singing. We hope they can be with us again some time soon. Mr. Ivory Anglin, of Mt. Vernon attended church at Fairview Sunday night. Mr. Boile Barnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barnett and Miss Christine Cope, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cope, both of Fairview, were united in marriage Friday, Dec. 11th, by Rev. Ira Dean at his home in Berea. We wish this nice young couple much happiness and may God bless them in their new life together. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Reppert of Wellington, Ohio were week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Reppert of Fairview. Mr. Annie Thomas has been ill for the past few days with influenza. Rev. and Mrs. H. K. Estes of Moberly attended the singing convention at Fairview Sunday. Junior member, son of Mr. and Mrs. Laney Poynter of Boone, is visiting his brother, Bob and wife, in Huntington, W. Virginia. Mrs. Barbara Wien Rader is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Charles Owens in Indiana. As Bro. Dean leaves us into the Evangelistic field, let's all continually pray for him. He will be missed at our church, but if God wants him some where else we want him to go as God knows best. He will be working for the Lord where ever he goes and we pray he may lead many people to Jesus. May God bless him.

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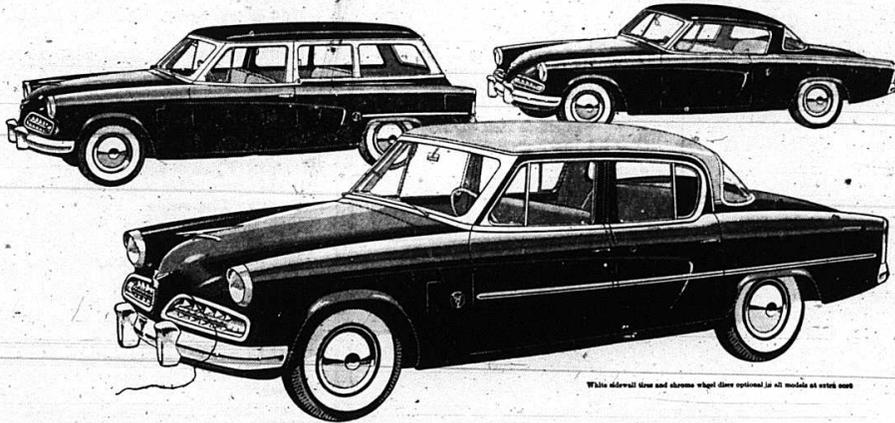


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