

MACEDONIA

Mrs. Della Waldon, who has been confined to her room for so long, still remains in a serious condition.

We were shocked to hear of the sudden death of Mr. Schumacher. The family have our deepest sympathy.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Abney were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Abney, Mrs. Etta and Annis Abney of Johnetta.

Mrs. F. L. Abney, who has been visiting her children in Cincinnati, has returned home. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Monroe Davidson, and Mr. Davidson.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Della Bullen were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Isaac, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Bullen, and Mr. and Mrs. Feldin Isaac.

Miss Bonnie Powell spent Saturday night with her cousin, Miss Lula Burnett of Berea.

Several from here attended church at Clear Creek Sunday night.

Mrs. Della Bullen spent Wednesday in Richmond with Mr. and Mrs. Chalt Bullen.

Mr. Lewis VanWinkle has just bought the Thacker farm and will move there soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bullen visited her mother, Mrs. Lona Burnett, in Berea Sunday.

Mr. Delbert Alexander has moved to his farm near Fairview.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Chastain and children visited Mr. and Mrs. John Abney Sunday.

Mrs. Mollie Coffey and Mrs. Leona Abney Thursday.

Mr. Lyman Powell has returned to Ft. Knox after spending two weeks with his wife and son and other relatives here and at Berea.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Bullen and children were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Isaac of Richmond.

Mrs. Howard Meace of Cincinnati is visiting her mother, Mrs. Carrie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Guinn have moved to Mt. Vernon.

Mrs. Ann Abney has returned home after spending a week with her children in Ohio and Indiana.

Rev. Hooper Lamb filled his appointment at Macedonia Baptist Church April 3rd with a good attendance.

Mrs. Etta Abney and Miss Annis Abney from Johnetta attended church at Macedonia Sunday and visited Mr. John Abney and Mrs. Forester Abney.

We are glad Mr. and Mrs. Willard Todd, who have been sick, are able to be out again. Simon Gadd purchased a car

from Howard Possel Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stephens were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stephens.

Etta and Frances Gadd visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Croucher over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Williams of Latonia, are visiting friends and relatives here for a few days.

Bennie and Genevieve Stephens visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Blair Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller from Middletown attended church at Macedonia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sears of McKee visited her sister, Mrs. Carroll Gadd Sunday.

Miss Ruby Jean Croucher of Clear Creek visited Miss Frances and Etta Gadd Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Stephens and Hubert Stephens were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stephens.

Mr. Lewis Linville has bought the late George Thacker farm and will move there as soon as it is vacated.

We were glad to hear Mr. Davis Northern is home from the hospital.

Mr. W. J. Hamilton filled his regular appointment at the Scaffold Church over the week end.

Rev. W. J. Hamilton filled his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday. A large crowd was present for Sunday School and church.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Linville of Berea have bought the George Thacker farm and will be moving to it soon. We will be glad to have them settle in our community.

Rev. W. J. Hamilton and Mr. Charley Hamilton of Berea were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mart Malicoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barrett visited their daughter, Mrs. Margaret Hayes, in Berea Sunday.

We were very glad to have Bro. Ballard Rader of Orlando to preach for us Friday night at our prayer service. We really enjoyed his message and invite him back. We were also glad to have members from Fairview and Disputanta.

Mr. John Daugherty of Erlanger, spent the week end with his grandmother here.

Mr. Bruce Mayhew and Tom Barrett enjoyed a week end of fishing in Tennessee.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Albert Schumacher, former editor of the Signal. Our sympathy goes out to his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Malicoe and boys spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Anglin.

Bro. Ervin Ray filled his appointment at the Christian church over the week end. Mr. Cecil Abney has moved

to Clear Creek. We are sorry to give up a good neighbor like Mr. Abney and family.

Mrs. Frances Saylor and children have moved to the house vacated by Mr. Abney. Miss Sue Brock spent Sunday night with Miss Jean Brock of White.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Morris Calico and Mr. Schumacher. The families have our deepest sympathy.

Mrs. Ethel Tracker and Mrs. Sylvia Gabbard visited Mrs. R. D. Brock one day last week. Watch for the announcement of the revival in your paper.

The Sunday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brock and daughter, Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Foster Brock and girls, Catherine and Geraldine.

Miss Margie and Laverne Thacker spent Saturday night with their sister, Virginia, at Richmond.

The egg hunt for the Sunday School will be Sunday afternoon at 2:30 P. M. It will be held at the church. Every one is invited to come and have fun with the children.

Miss Nannie Rowlette is very sick at the home of her son, Roy Rowlette, of Berea. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Wayne Ambrose, who has been sick with polio, is reported improving.

RED HILL

Sunday dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Ponder were Mr. and Mrs. Felix Muncy and Mrs. Leona Adcox of Berea.

Mrs. Jesse Mobley of Petersburg visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Mobley, and family. His sister, Margaret, accompanied him home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Mullins and Sharon attended the funeral of Uncle Taylor Mullins at Climax Church Friday of last week. The family have our deepest sympathy.

Mrs. Jepp French and Millie spent the week end with friends at Olaton, Ky.

Rev. H. A. Bunch is holding a week's revival at Pilot Knob Church in Madison Co. this week.

Funeral services were held at Red Hill Baptist Church Sunday afternoon for Harrison Bunder who passed away at his home at Burr Saturday afternoon. Officiating ministers were Rev. George Anderson, Rev. H. L. Ponder and Bro. G. W. Murphy. The family have our deepest sympathy.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ponder were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Daniels and son of Cincinnati, Pa. and Mrs. Rovie Ponder and children of Hamilton, O., and Mr. and Mrs. Jas-

per Mullins of Dayton, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Mullins and Albert Mullins of Richmond, Ind., and Mrs. Roscoe Shell of Covington, were here last week for the funeral of their aunt, Polly Owens.

This community was shocked and saddened to learn of the sudden and tragic death of Mrs. Polly Owens of Pine Hill. Her family have our heartfelt sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robertson and family of Lexington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Sharman Ponder over the week end and attended church at Red Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Barnett and children spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Mullins at East Berea.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Mullins and twins of Richmond, were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wilson and family.

CLEAR CREEK NEWS

Most every one at Clear Creek attended church at Disputanta Sunday.

There was an egg hunt at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aster VanWinkle Sunday afternoon for the children and visiting children.

More work has been done on the Harriett Berry house. We hope it will soon be completed. We welcome her and her children back home again.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry VanWinkle and Mr. and Mrs. Joe VanWinkle and children were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bodie VanWinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley VanWinkle and children of Bummer attended the singing at Fairview Sunday afternoon.

They stopped on their way home and visited with Bodie and Pearl for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Aster VanWinkle and children and Mrs. Pearl VanWinkle were in Mt. Vernon Saturday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Bodie VanWinkle attended the funeral of her aunt, Polly Owens, at Pine Hill

Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Aster VanWinkle and children also attended the funeral.

WILDE

Mr. Kenneth Stewart and Mr. Bill Stewart were in Mt. Vernon Tuesday.

Mrs. Kenneth Dowell and son, visited Mrs. Mitchell Abney Tuesday morning.

Little Bill Jack Parsons spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. June Stewart.

Mrs. Kenneth Dowell was the guest of Mrs. Stewart Parsons Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Stewart Parsons was in Mt. Vernon Monday.

Mr. C. G. Stewart was in Frankfort Wednesday.

Bro. Eroy Gentry will be with us to hold a revival due to ill health. He has been in the hospital. His many friends hope he will be well soon.

Miss Ruth Guthrie was the Wednesday night guest of Miss Margaret Powell of Scafold Cane.

Everyone enjoyed the singing here Saturday night. The church house was full. There were several different groups from different churches singing. There will be another singing here April the 30th. We invite each and every one to come.

Bro. Howard Ray of Mt. Vernon will hold a revival here May 2nd.

Bro. Clifford Dean of Clever Bottom filled his regular appointment here over the week end. We invite everyone to come out to church and Sunday School. We also have prayer meetings each Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Proctor of Paint Lick visited Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Shelton Friday night.

Miss Jean Bullen was in Louisville Friday. Miss Bullen will attend school there when her school is out at Bowling Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dowell and son spent the week end at Louisa with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Baldock.

Miss June Hiatt of Eastern College was home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hiatt over the week end.

WABD

Pet. Shelby Payne of Fort Knox, was at home with his parents over the week end.

Mrs. Jess Norton, Mrs. Homer Scott and Mrs. Lina Taylor spent last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hickey at Orlando.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bray, Jr., and Mr. Kermit Norton, Norwood, Ohio spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Bill McKinney and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bullock of Ohio were here for the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bullock and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Meace of Indianapolis, Ind., and J. M. Scott of Arlington Heights, O., were here for Easter holidays with their mother, Mrs. Homer Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bullock of Ohio were here for the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Payne and family.

Mr. Don Cummins and Billy Norton who work in Ohio were here for the week end with their parents.

Mr. Quentin Allen and Mrs. Allen were here from Georgia over the week end visiting her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Norton and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Scott of Broughtontown were here Sunday afternoon visiting their parents, Mr. John Scott and Mrs. Bessie Cummins.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Cummins and family of Crab Orchard visited Mrs. Bessie Cummins Sunday.

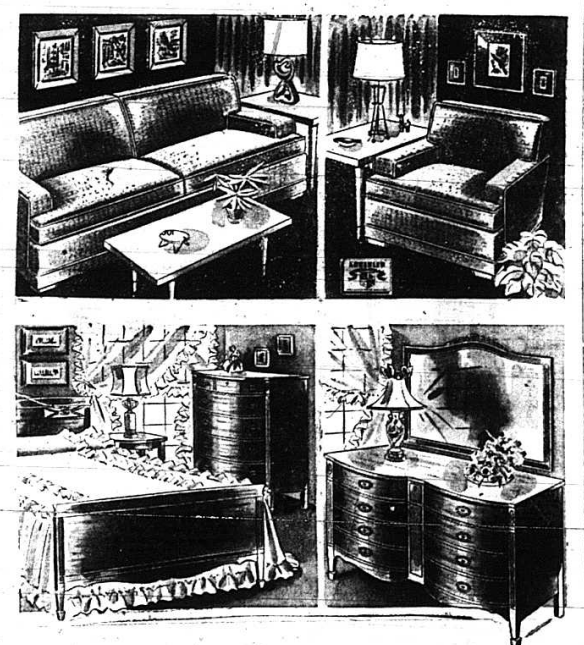
Bruce Mayhew, Jr. Assigned to USS Monrovia

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Mayhew, Sr., of Mt. Vernon have received word that their son, Bruce Mayhew, Jr., has been flown from Norfolk, Va., to Naples, Italy, and assigned to the USS Monrovia.

Mayhew is a radarman seaman apprentice with the U. S. Navy.

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CALLOWAY

Mrs. Jim Cromer is reported much better.
Mr. and Mrs. Edt Mend of Mt. Vernon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Kirby over the week end.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Payne of Loyall spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Myrtle Cox and Chester.
Mrs. Lorene Peek and children of Mt. Vernon spent a few hours with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mink and Mike Saturday.
Miz Cummins says "it sure is remarkable how with unerring instinct people are led to our home when we are meat cooking. Six years ago we got a turkey when the turkey truck landed upside down. Fortunately for Kineers and Minks the stone landed on the opposite side of the highway. One piece of stone about the size of the \$50.00 ice box landed on the side of the cab crushing it.

BRODHEAD

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Wright and sons, Billy and George, of Louisville spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Panter.
Mr. and Mrs. Leland Beck of Pensacola, Fla., were guests of their aunt, Mrs. Jennie Robinson on Silver St. and Avenue B. They were accompanied by the Atkinson Nursing Home Wednesday last week.

CROOKED CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Vanzant received word that their son, Mr. Boyd Vanzant, and Mrs. Vanzant are the proud parents of a baby boy. He has been named Stephen Boyd. Mrs. Vanzant will be remembered as the chairman but members of all clubs are expected to attend if you have been asked to serve.
Garden Lettovers
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Mrs. Don Ridgeway of Crab Orchard visited her sister, Mrs. Carl McClellan and family last week.
Miss Edna Carson is able to return to school after an absence due to illness.
The Ladies Aid held their April meeting at the parsonage. Mrs. McClellan was hostess. Fifteen members were present and a most enthusiastic refreshments were served and a service hour greatly enjoyed.
Mrs. J. G. Devault will be hostess at the May meeting at her home on Main St.
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MT. VERNON, KENTUCKY

Polio Vaccine Now Licensed, Called Safe And Effective

Final plans being made here for inoculating first and second grade school children.

The Salk polio vaccine now has been licensed and Rockcastle County along with the nation at large has started making final plans for inoculation of first and second grade school children.

Here polio request slips have been sent to the parents of this group of children, but less than half of the slips have been returned. The County Health Department, under the direction of Dr. Walker Owens, is making a last minute survey in an attempt to get all eligible children in on the program and the Signal is printing a question and answer form on the subject in the hopes that more parents will be persuaded to let their children take advantage of the free inoculation.

The date set for starting the inoculation in this county will be around next week. In the meantime parents of first and second grade students may still secure request slips from the County Health Office. The vaccine is being provided by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. All parents are urged to read the question and answer form on the editorial page of the Signal if any work get in touch with the County Health Department if any doubt remains as to effectiveness of the program. It is hoped that every eligible child in the county will be able to take advantage of the county's first clinic.

Civil Cases Tried In Court This Week

Verdicts have been returned in three civil cases called in Circuit Court here since last Friday.

On Friday Roy Turner was awarded damages of \$300 in a case against Roscoe Frith, with 10 jurors concurring to the decision.

A total of \$293.46 was awarded in the case of Joseph A. Obeneyer versus Robert P. Blowers and \$847.21 in the case of W. M. Patrick versus the Mt. Vernon Telephone Company. Nine jurors concurred in the latter decision.

The cases of Mrs. Lillie Holcomb versus the L. & N. Railroad and Mrs. Lewis Holcomb versus the L. & N. Railroad were settled out of court. The Holcombs had sued for damages in the deaths of Mrs. Lillie Holcomb's son and Mrs. Lewis Holcomb's husband, both of whom were killed in a car-train wreck at Orlando.

Three Churches Report 882 In Sunday School Easter

Mt. Vernon's three largest churches, the Baptist, Christian and Nazarene report a combined total of 882 persons at Sunday School for Easter.

The Baptist Church, which had set a goal of 400, reports an attendance of 402, the Christian Church, with a goal of 255, reports an attendance of 281, and the Nazarene Church reports an attendance of 199, one less than the goal set but still a record attendance for the church.



Senior 4-H Champions of Rockcastle County are Miss Shirley Hammons of Mt. Vernon and Elwood Treon of Brodhead.

Bessie Hayes Wins County Spelling Contest

Bessie Hayes, sixth grade student from Conway, won the county spelling contest held last Thursday at the County Administration Building. Runner-up was Betty Jean Maples, seventh grade student at Fairview.

Plans Are Announced For Cancer Drive

A quota of \$250 has been set for Rockcastle County in the 1955 American Cancer Society crusade which is underway throughout the nation this month. Chairman of the local drive is Mrs. Joe Henderson, who reports that April 20 has been set for the drive in this county. On that day the Mt. Vernon High School Band will tour the town, playing up and down Main Street and out Richmond Street and other high school students will canvass the side streets. The band will be directed by Miss Mary Bryant.

As the band passes residents in each block are asked to signal if they have a donation to make to the drive. The students will collect the money. Nationally the goal \$24,000,000. The money is used for education and research as well as for service to cancer patients. Here the drive has been taken over by the Meridian Women's Club, with Mrs. Earl Hammons, president.

County Now Receiving Bids For Hospital Construction

Rockcastle County Hospital is advertising for construction bids. The county board of health and the county Fiscal Court is advertising for construction bids. The board will receive bids for construction of the hospital until noon May 3. The work is up to four separate contracts or one contractor may bid on all four proposals.

Separately proposals will be received for the following:

1. General construction
2. Electric work
3. Heating and ventilating work
4. Plumbing work

Heating, ventilating and plumbing work also may be combined in one bid. Work on the hospital is expected to get underway shortly after the contract is awarded.

Harrison Ponder Dies At His Home At Burr

Harrison Ponder, son of the late Will Ponder and Mary Broughton Ponder, died at his home at Burr on April 9, 1955 at the age of 73 years. He was born on April 1, 1882 in Clay County but had spent most of his life near Red Hill.

In 1902 he was married to Mary McDaniel and to them were born three sons, one son, Sammy, is deceased. Those who survive are his wife, Mrs. Mary Ponder; two sons, Henry and Alva Ponder, both of Burr; eight grandchildren; two brothers, Jake Ponder of Livingston, and Jason Ponder of Burlington, and several other relatives and friends. One grandchild, three brothers and one sister preceded him in death.

He was a member of the Red Hill Baptist Church for over 50 years. Funeral services were held at 2:00 P. M. Sunday at the Red Hill Baptist Church, with Bro. Hugh Ponder, Boss Anderson and G. W. Murphy officiating. Burial was in the Red Hill Cemetery.

Cox Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Mt. Vernon Delegates Attend Youth Assembly

Mt. Vernon delegates attending the 10th annual Kentucky Youth Assembly in Frankfort last week end were Shirley Hammons and Billy Steve Cox, representatives of the Owens press representative, and Judith Bullock, senator.

The Mt. Vernon students were accompanied by Harry Bryant, advisor. The assembly was attended by about 565 teenage high school leaders from throughout the state.

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Officers Re-Elected By Mt. Vernon P. T. A.

All officers of the Mt. Vernon Parent-Teachers Association were re-elected at a meeting Monday night at the Mt. Vernon School. The officers are: Mrs. Glenn Pennington, president; Mrs. Joe Noe, Jr., first vice-president; Mrs. Bob Gentry, Jr., second vice-president, and Mrs. Edna Fain, secretary-treasurer.

The program for the meeting was presented by students of the First, Second and Third grades and was called "Mother Goose's Big Fable Separation of King Cole." Room count was won by the First Grade.

The devotionals was given by Mrs. Earl Hammons.

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A native of Mt. Vernon, the new Livingston principal is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parsons, who now live in Brodhead, and is married to the former Bonnie Berry of Brodhead.

He is a graduate of the Mt. Vernon High School, in the Class of 1934, received his B. S. degree from Eastern State College, Richmond, in 1933, and received his master's from Eastern this summer.

Prior to joining the Brodhead faculty, Mr. Parsons taught six years in the rural schools of the county, at Fairview, Negro Creek and Mareburg. Mrs. Parsons, also a teacher, has taught at Oak Hill this year.

The Parsons have one child, a two-year-old son, Lawrence Randall.



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To the Citizens Of Rockcastle County

If you want to be one of the first to get a new co-op telephone see Bradley Saylor or Dix V. Hilton at Mt. Vernon; Dr. R. G. Webb, Livingston; W. S. Stewart, Wildie; or Robert Snodgrass, Othawa, and make a application by Monday, April 18, at which time the subscription list will be turned over to the engineering department for man and pre-lon cost estimate to be made.

Remodeling Underway At Locker Plant

A remodeling program has been started at the Mt. Vernon Locker Plant. The work is being done by Owens Bros. of Burr.

Meetings Planned On Tobacco Referendum

The Rockcastle County Farm Bureau has suggested that meetings be held in the county to acquaint farmers with the facts concerning the tobacco referendum to be held April 28th. A large number of people who will be affected by this vote have asked that they be permitted to express their views at these meetings. Farmers, businessmen, bankers, fertilizer dealers, Farm Bureau representatives, workers in agriculture, representatives of The Chamber of Commerce will have a chance to say what they think at these meetings.

The facts will be given to farmers about tobacco. How much tobacco is on hand, how many acres of farmers growing burley, size of allotments, the law as passed by Congress, and other questions on burley tobacco will be discussed. All tobacco farmers are urged to attend one of these meetings.

Four-H Rally Day Program Draws Club Members From All Over County

Four-H Club members from Mt. Vernon, Brodhead, Livingstone and a large number of the rural schools of the county were in Mt. Vernon Friday to attend the Rockcastle County 4-H Rally Day held at the Mt. Vernon School.

The 275 club members, visitors, teachers and 4-H leaders saw county champions named and were on hand for public speaking and demonstration. Lunch was served during the noon hour, with sandwiches furnished by the Rockcastle County Homemakers Clubs and the Mt. Vernon 4-H Club, with the Mt. Vernon and Conway Clubs furnishing milk for the rally.

After lunch a dress revue was held on the stage and winners for the day were announced.

Miss Shirley Hammons of Mt. Vernon was named Senior Champion Girl and Elwood Treon of Brodhead was named Senior Champion Boy.

In the Junior division champions were John Gilliam of Pleasant Run, Linda Sowder of Brodhead and Francis Cameron and Helen Cummins of Mt. Vernon.

Miss Hammons won the senior speech contest with a talk on "How 4-H Contributes to Citizenship" and the senior dress contest with her demonstration on "How to Measure Ingredients." Elwood was named champion of the boys after his demonstration on "How to Eat Evergreens" and a speech on "The Intangible Values of Farming."

Taylor Mullins Dies At The Age Of 79

Taylor Mullins was born October 16, 1885 in Rockcastle County and departed this life on April 4, 1955 at Newport at the age of 79 years. He had spent his life in Climax except for the past eight years which he spent with his daughter, Mrs. Rosie Mullins of Withers.

On April 2, 1897 he was married to Fannie Baker, who preceded him in death 18 years ago. To this union were born ten children. One daughter and two sons are deceased. Those who survive are four daughters and three sons, Mrs. Nell Woolery of Berea; Mrs. Rosie Mullins of Withers; Hardy Mullins of Orlin, Ohio; Mrs. Viva Weber of Newport; David Mullins of Richmond, Ind.; Mrs. Effie Anglin of Berea, and Taylor Mullins of Richmond, Ind. Also 39 grandchildren, 19 great grandchildren and several other relatives and friends.

He joined the Christian Church at an early age and had lived a good Christian life. He was a good, kind father and was loved by all who knew him and will be sadly missed.

Funeral services were held at 1:00 P. M. Friday at the Mt. Vernon Church with Bro. John Rose-officiating. Burial was in the Johnetta Cemetery.

Conway Students Win Bankers Essay Contest

Three students from the Conway School, who took part in the essay contest sponsored by the Kentucky Bankers Association.

The essays were written on "Financing the Minimum Foundation Program."

Winners were: Bessie Hayes, sixth grade contest; Charles Chappell, seventh, and Patsy Isaacs, eighth grade contest. The winning essays will be entered in the district contest to end April 20. Teacher of the Conway was Miss Dixie Holt.

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County 4-H Champions in the Junior Division at the 4-H Rally were, left to right, Francis Cameron, Mt. Vernon; Johnny Gilliam, Pleasant Run; Helen Cummins, Mt. Vernon, and Linda Sowder, Brodhead.

In the dress revue, first place was taken by Miss Virginia Brown of Quail, who also recently won the honor of being named District Farm Bureau Queen. Miss Brown modeled a frost blue rayon shantung dress and jacket ensemble she had made with matching hat-trimmed with apple blossoms.

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Two Injured In Wrecks Here Over the Week End

Two persons were injured in wrecks in this county over the week end, but neither was critically hurt although cars involved in both accidents were badly wrecked.

Jerry Hamm, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hamm of Brodhead, was treated at Berea Hospital for a slight brain concussion after the car in which he was a passenger collided with one driven by William Painter, also of Brodhead, and an Illinois woman was treated at a Lexington hospital after the car in which she was a passenger after the car in which he was a passenger collided with one driven by William Painter, also of Brodhead, and an Illinois woman was treated at a Lexington hospital after the car in which she was a passenger.

Hamm was a passenger in a 1953 Buick driven by Garland Cummings. The Buick was damaged to the extent of about \$750 after colliding with a 1948 Dodge driven by William Painter of Brodhead. The Painter car was considered a total loss, although neither the driver nor a passenger, Walter Pettie of Crab Orchard, suffered more than slight injuries. The wreck occurred between Mt. Vernon and Brodhead on U. S. 150 and is reported to have involved three cars, the driver of the third car leaving the scene of the accident.

Three cars also were reported to have been involved in the accident South of Mt. Vernon, with the third car leaving the scene of the accident too. The Illinois woman, Mrs. Kenneth Carpenter of Chicago, went over the embankment in a 1954 Buick driven by her husband, a director for the National Broadcasting Company. The husband and a nine-year-old grandchild were thrown from the car after a collision with a 1948 Buick driven by William F. Pardue of London.

1,542 County Voters Purged This Week

The Rockcastle County Purge Board met this week in the Courthouse with County Clerk Clendenen Carter and purged the registration books of 1,542 voters who have not voted since 1952 and whose names have moved out of the county. All will be notified by mail and will have five days to come before the board and show cause why their names should not be purged.

W. H. Anderson
Dany Mullins
T. C. O'Mara

The Illinois woman escaped death as car heads over 75 foot embankment.

The Illinois woman suffered only lacerations, abrasions and minor cuts although the car landed upright at the bottom of a 75-foot decline.

The wreck is believed to have occurred after Carpenter put on his brakes to stop for a car in front of him. He then lost control of his car and hit the London car, the force of the collision throwing both Carpenter and the boy out of the front seat of the car. Mrs. Carpenter was in the back seat. The Carpenter's were headed North and were returning to their home in Chicago after a trip to Florida. The London car was headed South.

A truck also was demolished near Callaway, but no injuries were reported.

Barnett Brothers Buy Bullock Service Station

The Barnett Brothers, Clyde and Goldie, have taken over the Bullock Brothers Service Station on Richmond Street, formerly owned and operated by Ernest, Jr., and Hoover Bullock.

The service station will be managed by Goldie's son, Calvin, assisted by another son, Bill. You have until April 18 to sign for a co-op telephone.

NEW HOPE

Several attended Sunday School at New Hope Sunday School. Mr. William H. VanWinkle and T. J. VanWinkle visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Van Saturday night.

DISPUTANTA

Rev. Ira Dean filled his appointment this week end with a large crowd. There were 178 on Sunday School and a nice egg hunt was enjoyed by the children.

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Rev. John Norman Meadows filled his appointment at the Hummel Grove Church Sunday and his Easter sermon was greatly enjoyed.

Bessie Duncan was home from Richmond, Ind., over the week end.

Aster McGuire was at home with his family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Adams and Pauline McGuire of Richmond, and Orville McGuire of Dayton, Ohio all spent Easter here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aster McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ahney and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Abney and son of Covington and Mr. and Mrs. Lefe Abney of Poplar Gap all spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Abney.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Busell and daughters, Sharon and Carol, were guests of Mrs. Aster McGuire Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Coffey of Richmond, Ind., were here over the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Coffey, and Bessie Duncan.

and little daughter left Sunday for Dayton, Ohio.

The revival closed at the Livingston Christian Church Sunday night with ten additions, one by letter and nine for baptism. There were 166 present at the Christian Church Sunday School, 84 at the Baptist.

We failed to get the number present at the Holiness. If you were not one of those present last Sunday, please plan now to attend a church of your choice.

Miss Anna Loyd Mink of Midway Jr. College is spending her spring vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mink.

Mrs. Christine and Miss Adelle are spending their spring vacation at their home on River Road.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bass and little daughter, spent the week end with Mrs. Bass' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clell Pike.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Webb were in Knoxville last Thursday shopping.

Correction: The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bell was named Laney Micheal instead of Larry as was printed last week.

Stearns, Ky., spent Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. Victoria Holbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Holbrook of Irving, Ky., were home over the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Holbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Coffey and daughter of Richmond, Ind., spent Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coffey of Renfro.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses Baker were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Cook and children.

Master Preston Halcomb and Jerry Belevins spent Sunday with Cecil and Virgil Abney.

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Glen W. Sigmon Serving Aboard Aircraft Carrier

Machinist's Mate 3-c Glen W. Sigmon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob L. Sigmon of Mt. Vernon, is serving aboard the aircraft carrier USS Essex.

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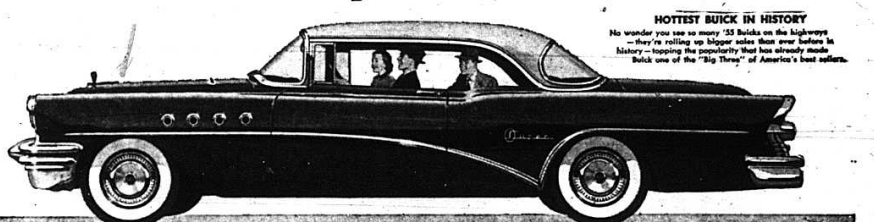
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Local delivered price of the 1955 Buick SPECIAL 2-Door, 6-Passenger Sedan, Model 42 (Rearquipped) is \$2312.95

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Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Calves, heavies, steers, hogs, and sheep.

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Viewpoint

On Thursday, April 28, 1955 the farmers in this county, along with the rest of the Burley Belt, will decide in a referendum whether marketing quotas and price support will be in effect on the 1955 crop.

Do the farmers of this county really just how important it is to them that price control is kept on for the 1955 crop? With the surplus tobacco situation now and no price control, there would be no market for tobacco this year. Not only would it affect the farmer, but the processors and professional men also. Without the tobacco income in Rockcastle County everything would be a standstill.

If farmers who have been growing tobacco for several years will think back to the time when good crops brought only 15c per lb., they will be in favor of the referendum. Being raised on a farm and doing farm work, you know what I have a good knowledge of farm life. I can remember one year that we had a good crop of tobacco and a number of pounds but high in quality. There was something over 500 lbs. that netted my father \$8.75 after the marketing expenses were taken out. We did not raise any more tobacco until price support came along.

Of course, to keep price controls there must be acreage control. A revised allotment notice will be sent to the proprietor of each farm prior to the referendum. The revised allotment is based on the re-determined national marketing quota reflecting the latest available supply-demand statistics. For most farms, the revised allotment will be 25 percent more than the 1954 farm allotment. On farms with a Burley allotment previously determined, the 1955 farm allotment will be a reduction in the revised allotment will be 1 acre. Farms with a previously determined 1955 farm allotment of 0.5 acre or less will not be further reduced.

The 1953 tobacco crops in Rockcastle County produced 2,856,000 lbs. In 1954 tobacco brought to this county an income of \$1,816,975. To keep this income coming into the county, the farmer must favor the referendum. Any person who shared in the Burley tobacco crop as owner, operator, tenant or share-cropper is eligible to vote in the referendum. The Burley tobacco crop for the future if you vote "yes" in favor of the present Burley program at the Burley Referendum Thursday, April 28 8:00 A. M. until 5:00 P. M.

4-H RALLY DAY

(Continued from page 1)
Brothead, Judy Adams, Quail; Mattie Bullock, Quail; Betty Leger, Cover, Dorothy Gray, Orlean; Barbara Ann Smith, Mt. Vernon; Nannette Milen, Mt. Vernon; Grace Wilcox, Brothead; Louise Falkner, Livingston; Minnie Ballinger, Brothead.

Sleepy Time Clothes

Girls winning blue ribbons for housecoats and pajamas were Shirley Brown, Charlotte Brown, Gayle Brown and Christine Brown, all of Quail; Kathleen Brown for her play suit, and blue ribbon skirts were entered by Jealen Scott, Brothead; Sally Bell, Jewell; Clara Amanda Napier, Brothead; Bertha DeBorde, Brothead; Nancy Vanhook, Wabed; and Linda Sowder, Brothead.

First Year Winners

First year winners entering aprons, towels, pin cushions and pot-holders, were Susan Moran, Mt. Vernon; Linda Sowder, Brothead; Janet Carol Stepp, Mt. Vernon; Linda Caylor, Brothead; Martha Sue Sowder, Mt. Vernon; Fannie Jasper, Mt. Vernon; Judy Hunt, Renfro Valley; Louella Gentry, Brothead; Martha Sue Sowder, Mt. Vernon; Linda Owens, Mt. Vernon; Lela M. Allen, Brothead; Pearl Hurlie, Disputant; and Brenda Clark, Livingston.

Sunday Best

In the dress up unit blue ribbons went to Beulah Owens, Mt. Vernon; Anita Bullock, Brothead, and the style revue winner, Virginia Brown. Blue ribbon sewing boxes were made by Linda Owens, Judy Hunt, Martha Sue Sowder and Pearl Hurlie.

Foods Division

this week as Mr. Vaughn is in ill health.



By Alfred Sparks, Jr.

"Those Who Can Command Themselves, Command Others" is a quality which rightly begins with the individual. Although the majority of us harbor no great desire to command others, it is quite necessary to exercise leadership over our own destiny unless our existence is to be a will-nilly life of worry and unsteadiness.

It is surprising how many people in the world have little command over their own emotions. It is surprising, too, how many people lead fretful and worrisome lives because they lack the will or the courage to make and enforce decisions which are actually nothing but workday problems which confront them regularly.

Although, as I said, the majority of us do not necessarily seek to command others, it is most important that we take command of ourselves. For it is this command which will benefit us in terms of stability, self control and a greater peace of mind.

SPARKS FUNERAL HOMES

Mt. Vernon, Ky., and Livingston, Ky.

Mt. Vernon D. A. V. Recognized Nationally

The Mt. Vernon Chapter No. 48 of the Disabled American Veterans gained national recognition within the ranks of disabled veterans last month by surpassing its membership enrollment of last year with a total of 29 members.

This achievement brought a special message to local Chapter officials from Judge Alfred E. English, National Commander of the DAV.

"Your Chapter is to be commended for this fine achievement," Judge English said. "Only through a strong membership can we achieve the goals we have found necessary for the successful rehabilitation of our war handicapped."

"I would like to take this opportunity to invite every veteran who is wounded or injured during war service or who is currently drawing disability compensation to join the DAV now, in order that the DAV might accomplish the single purpose for which it exists - SERVICE of, by, and for our disabled veterans."

Generally speaking, American veterans who have been wounded, gassed, injured or disabled while serving in the armed forces of the United States in America's wars, are eligible for membership. This DAV eligibility includes, in addition to

World War I disabled veterans, those who have served in the armed forces at any time between December 7, 1941, and the conclusion of the Korean campaign.

Attention Veterans

A membership drive has been started by the Claude Smith Post 291 of Crab Orchard. We expect to rebuild the Claude Smith Post to one of the strongest in the state and will appreciate your membership. Did you know this post handled twenty-four cases last year in either getting men in hospitals, claims re-opened. Many have since started drawing that were previously cut out and advised by others that their cases were impossible. Three men had serious operations, several others treated. All this was done through the Post-Servicer Officer. We mention this to show you how you can be helped and how you can help others, by being a member. Maurice Howard - Servicer Officer, Claude Smith Post 291, Crab Orchard, Ky.

Practice Teachers

Two practice teachers from Berea College have been working with the Mt. Vernon School faculty. The teachers are Mrs. Barbara Oldaker, who is practicing teaching in English and assisting Mrs. Arletta Norton in directing the Senior play, and Miss Betty Waldrop, whose field is social science.

School Bonds Out Total \$222,000 Here

Rockcastle school districts totaling \$222,000 at the end of the fiscal year last June 30, according to a report this week by the State Department of Education's Bureau of Administration and Finance. Of this total, \$207,000 was listed for the county and \$15,000 for Mt. Vernon.

For the state as a whole the total \$58,882,700. Of this total \$2,196,500 voted bonds and \$413,500 funding bonds. The state school districts had revenue bonds outstanding-bonds to be retired by June 30, 1955, \$29,242,000. Of these, 29 had outstanding voted bond issues and 18 had funding bonds outstanding.

To Attend K. E. A.

Mt. Vernon School Superintendent Clyde Linville, Mrs. Aliza Mitchell and Mrs. Shirley Chrisman will attend the Kentucky Education Association

convention in Louisville this week end. Mrs. Mitchell will attend as delegate and Mrs. Chrisman as alternate.

Hugh Collett To Direct Area Tourist Program



Hugh Collett, who originated the idea, will direct the tourist-promotion campaign that will be conducted this summer in the 10 South Central Kentucky counties surrounding Lake Cumberland.

Collett, for the past five years, a staff member of the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce, resigned April 7 to become executive director of scenic Cumberlands, Inc., the permanent organization set up inside the test area. One of Collett's jobs with the state chamber was director of its Tourist and Travel Council. It was he who proposed to the council that a specific area be selected in which to try and evaluate various kinds of tourist promotion. The Lake Cumberland zone was selected for the tests after five different areas had applied for the designation.

Besides being director of the Tourist and Travel Council, Collett also headed the State Chamber of Commerce's public relations program and edited "Kentucky Business," its monthly magazine. During three of the five years he was editor, the magazine was picked as the outstanding publication of its kind in the nation. He will resume his new duties on April 11 scenic Cumberlands, Inc., which will become a permanent organization. Collett will get the tourist development under way immediately after moving to Somerset. His first promotional programs to sell the man on the street on the importance of the tourist dollar to him.

"We will try to emphasize basic rudiments of courtesy."

cleanliness, co-operation in preparation for what was hoped will be a big increase in the tourist business," he said. This program will be carried on through meetings in the 10 counties, and by posters, newspapers articles, and trailers shown in local theatres.

Later, specific promotional ideas will be tried. Those that prove successful will be blue-printed and tried elsewhere in the state.

In order to qualify for selection for the test area, the Cumberland area raised \$23,000. That sum, plus additional money from outside, will be used to finance the experiments. The Kentucky Chamber of Commerce will supply field workers during the campaign.

The 10 counties included in the test area are Pulaski, Madison, Rockcastle, Laurel, Whitley, McCreary, Russell, Wayne, Clinton, and Cumberland.

"So Joseph's brethren sold him as a slave to the Ishmaelites for 20 pieces of silver, and now Ruebin, coming to the pit to release him, called to Joseph but received no reply and was afraid his brethren had destroyed him after he had departed from them, of which he complained to his brethren, but when they had informed Ruebin that they had sold him as a slave, he ceased to be sorrowful any longer."

To Be Continued

Qualified County Teachers Employed For Next Year All qualified teachers in the Rockcastle County School System have been employed for next year by the County School Board, according to an announcement this week by Mrs. Neureul Miracle, county school superintendent. The teachers to be employed later, Mrs. Miracle said.

You have until April 18 to sign for a co-op telephone.

Questions And Answers On Polio Vaccine

1. Is the vaccine endorsed by the American Medical Society? Yes, it is endorsed by the Rockcastle County Board of Health, the Kentucky State Board of Health and the Medical Society.
2. Is the reaction severe? No. There is little or no reaction. Last year in the field tests 100,000 children in 6,000 had disseminated Biantoxia. The reaction is much milder than that of any other serum given.
3. Where are the shots given? In the muscle of the arm with the same size needle as is ordinarily used for typhoid.
4. Is the vaccine still in the experimental stage? No. It will be a definite step ahead against polio.
5. Can other children get the vaccine? Yes. From the family doctor shortly after it is accepted. Only first and second grades will receive it from the health department free.
6. Why were the first and second grades chosen to receive the vaccine? Because there is more polio in the children of this age group.
7. Are all three shots necessary for immunity? Yes.

Editorial -- Licking Valley Courier Thursday, March 24, 1955

The Tobacco Amendments Are Not So Bad As We First Thought

First off, when we heard details of the amendments for cutting burley allotments we were sorely disappointed. We had hoped that the seven - tenth acre bases would not have to be cut.

But, actually those who have one acre or eight-or nine-tenths will be hurt worse proportionately than the seven - tenths man. They will take the 25% cut - and that will be two tenths for the eight - and nine - tenths acre men and the one acre man. But the seven - tenths acre man takes one one - tenth - acre cut this year.

And, the larger grower will have one-fourth of his base cut. A two - acre base thus will be cut to 1 1/2 acre - and all the others at the same ratio.

Two sections of the new amendment seldom mentioned in our wallings over the cuts will hurt (and thus help) nearly as much as the cuts. These are the provisions to eliminate falsifying excess acreage grown, and elimination of red card acreage as a basis for qualifying for new allotments the following year. And these will hurt the sincere grower not at all, but will be very painful for the one who fudges a little and for the large bluegrass growers who have hired cheap labor

tend red card acres in order to gain more base the following year. So all in all, the amendments will not hurt so much as we first thought. On the other hand, the amendments will adjust the problem much sooner than we think, in all probability. Because they not only cut base acres by 25% but they will practically eliminate both red card and excess tobacco.

We predict that within two years allotments will have to be increased in order to catch with the demand. And here's a good feature of the act - those who were cut will get any new acre allotted before new growers get them. So, everything considered, it seems a much better law than we first thought it was.

That's why we urge growers in this section to get over their first burst of anger and disappointment as quickly as they can and get down to calm, hard thinking. When this is done we think good sense will prevail and growers here will vote overwhelmingly to retain the program as amended.

It seems to be the best method that could be found to cure the sick patient and get him back to robust health.

Burley Tobacco Growers Cooperative

Tobacco!!

Average price paid for tobacco in previous 10 years before price support and control was 16 cents. Average price paid in past 10 years under price support and control was 47 cents.

Don't vote the props out. Vote yes for continued control. Referendum April 28th.

The Bank of Mt. Vernon



