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LHS SENIORS IN WASHINGTON.—Twenty-eight seniors made the jaunt to Washington, D.C. on this year's senior trip. They are shown in the above photo standing in front of the capitol building. They are, top row, from left: Reuben Witt, Kenneth Mullins, Charles Durham, Danny Reynolds, Jackie Strickland, Billy Kelsey, Preston Ferrett, Boyd McGuire, Gary Mason, Kenny McGuire, Kent

Mullins, Bobby Wabb. Bottom row, from left: Rose Mullins, Reva Roder, Carcille Carlotts, Anna Yanzant, Teresa Baker, Shirley Newcomb, Judy Renner, Miss Josephine Dickerson, Mary Ann Mason, Verla Hellard, Ruth Ann Brown, Delores Shepard, Trula Mink, Janet Argenbright, Virginia Mullins, and Marietta Gostiff.

BOONE

Much sympathy is extended the families of Thomas Steven Gann, Fred Garfield Jordan, and Gilbert Elkins. May God bless each member in their time of sorrow.

Mrs. Hattie Anglin returned home last Thursday from Union, Ohio where she visited her son, Lloyd Anglin and family. She also visited her son, Ronald and family and Paul, David and family of Walton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Chasteen returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Chasteen and daughter of Berea visited his brother, John Henry Chasteen and Mrs. Chasteen Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Rhoad Anglin and family of Walton visited Mrs. Hattie Anglin Sunday. Monday visitors of Mrs. Anglin were Ison Lamb, Mrs. Lorene Graves, Mrs. Barbara Terrill, Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Banks and children. Mrs. Anglin accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Banks to Conway to visit Mr. and Mrs. John Banks, Alice and Martha.

Bro. Ralph Sears visited Carl Durham Thursday afternoon.

A speedy recovery is wished for Mrs. Mary Baker who is a patient at the Berea College Hospital suffering from a stroke. Carl Durham will celebrate his 36th birthday Wednesday, May 1. His

cousin, Mrs. Verna May White Smith will celebrate her birthday, Friday May 3.

WILLAILA

Those on the sick-list are: W.D. Gentry, Irvin Denny, Tom Albright, Cecil Gentry, and Mrs. Rose Shepperd. A speedy recovery is wished for them.

Leslie Brown remains ill at his home in Dearborn, Michigan.

Mrs. Ruby Thompson and Mary Jane Randolph were in Somerset, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Stevens and daughter of Dayton, Ohio spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Brown and Ray Long of Ohio spent the week end here.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Ping were John Ping and Arvil Burton.

George Stevens is ill at the Veteran's Hospital in Louisville. A speedy recovery is wished for him.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Todd were Mrs. Wanda Todd and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jay Brown.

We are glad to report Denny, Tom Albright, and Mrs. Dorothy Todd, who have both been ill, are now able to attend church.

Mrs. Elzade Burton fell and broke her arm. A speedy recovery is wished for her.

The Eubank seniors have been on their senior trip to Mammoth Cave and other places.

QUAIL

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ponder and Mrs. Johnnie Todd and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ponder and family Sunday afternoon.

Thelma Ponder visited

Janice Rogers Sunday. Louise Proctor spent Thursday night with Ann Mink.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Mink of Ohio visited Ruth Mink and Ann over the week

end. Mrs. Ray Rogers is spending a few weeks with relatives at Valley Station. Cecil Gentry is in the University Hospital at Lexington where he underwent surgery. Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Bryant visited Miss Ruth Mink and Ann Mink Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. M.J. McMillin and Mrs. Pattie Baker spent Sunday with Mrs. Grace Elder at Crab Orchard. (Cont. To Page 9)

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REPORT OF SALES FRIDAY, APRIL 5.

The Federal-State Market News Service reports these receipts and prices for the sale held Friday, April 5, 1968, at the Garrard County Livestock Market, Lancaster, Ky. Total receipts, 1,260.

CATTLE—Receipts, 609: All classes fully steady. Slaughter hifers, standard, \$19@20.90; slaughter cows, utility and commercial, \$16.90@18.50; conner and cutter, \$13.70@17.10; slaughter bulls, utility to good, \$19.40@22.70; feeders, steers, standard, 790-850 lbs., \$19@20.90; good and choice, 550-750 lbs., \$23.20@26.50; 350-550 lbs., \$23@28.50; standard, \$20@21.50; hifers, good and choice, 350-700 lbs., \$21.50@24; standard, 180 lbs., \$18.50@21.25.

CALVES—Receipts, 924: Steady; good and choice vealers in graded pens, \$36.50 to 262 lbs., \$34; lot 169 lbs., \$32; standard and good, \$26@33.

HOGS—Receipts, 282: Barrows and gilts about steady; some nominal; barrows and gilts, U.S. 1-3, 190-235 lbs., \$18.45; 1-3, 240-360 lbs., \$15@18.15; lot 1-2, 169 lbs., \$16.50; feer pigs, 1-3, 90-148 lbs., \$16.25@22.50; boars, \$14.50@15.70.

HORSES, PONIES & MULES—Receipts, 35. No quotations.

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Area Agent's Notes

BY H. LEE DURHAM

WHY RAISE A GARDEN?

Why do families raise a garden? Reasons differ for different families, says H. Lee Durham, area Extension specialist.

Some raise a garden because it's economical, he says. Home-grown vegetables help stretch the food budget, especially when the family has a freezer.

The thrill of producing the largest tomato or the first ear of corn in the neighborhood draws some persons to raise a garden. Even though commercially grown vegetables are usually of high quality and reasonably priced, many people get personal satisfaction from growing their own.

Gardening also is a good hobby, Mr. Durham con-

tinues. Pride and pleasure result from watching plants grow and produce. However, gardening requires adequate land and careful planning.

A garden can be a challenge to the science-minded youngster in the family. New varieties can be planted, different kinds of fertilizer can be compared, plant breeding can be tried, and many other phases of gardening can stimulate the imagination of the future scientist.

What ever your reason, why not raise a garden this year if you have the space? Gardening is no longer the hard job it once was because of such water-savers as garden tractors and tillers. New pesticides also are available to give nearly perfect control of many insects. And new fertilizers that are quickly soluble en-

able the home gardener to do a better job than ever before.

For information on planning, planting and caring for a home garden, contact your Rockcastle County Extension office at Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

WATCH FOR ANTHRACNOSE INFECTIONS IN PLANT BEDS

The anthracnose fungus has caused losses in most Kentucky areas in plant beds. Last few years, says Dr. J.H. Smiley, U.K. Cooperative Extension Service Tobacco Specialist.

"The fungus is well distributed where tobacco is grown. It occurs in grasses and clovers. It probably gets into the plant bed from turning under infested sod not properly treated to kill the fungus, or by water that flows over the bed from the outside. Well-ditched plant beds raised

above surrounding ground should be safer than beds on the level," he says.

When anthracnose appears in beds-it causes many small spots on leaves, first reddish brown but later papery white-spray or dust the beds with one of several materials: Ferbam, five level tablespoons per gallon of water or a 15 percent dust; Zineb, two and one half level tablespoons per gallon of water or a 10 percent dust; or Maneb, one level tablespoons per gallon or a two percent dust.

Apply sprays at 100 pounds pressure to insure coverage on both sides of the leaves. Use a hand-powdered crank duster for good coverage with dusts. Spray or dust two or three times a week until setting-out.

The disease may be unusually severe in wet weather, and kill large and small seedlings. Plants sometimes have a silvery appearance, with brown, sunken, elongated spots along the leaf midrib and veins, causing leaves to pucker or break.

HAY-MAKING TIME EARLY

MAY Get ready to harvest hay the first week of May, says Dr. Darwin C. Braund, U.K. Cooperative Extension Service dairy specialist.

"Early harvesting is the most important thing a dairyman can do to improve hay quality and milk production per cow and per acre," he says. This means harvesting during bud stage. Mid-April reports indicate bud stage for alfalfa and clover should occur the first week of May in southern and western Kentucky, and the second or third week of May for eastern and northern Kentucky areas.

Highest quality forage is the key to profitable milk production in Kentucky, Dr. Braund emphasized. "The dairyman who harvests his hay several weeks late has two strikes against him before he ever starts feeding it. First,

his cows will eat less of his hay. Research shows that a delay in harvest-

ing, while the hay matures from early bud to three-quarter bloom, causes a 25-30 percent reduction in the amount eaten."

"Second, every pound which cows do eat contains fewer digestible nutrients. End result is a sharp decline in milk production. A few days delay may not seem important but recent data indicate hay declines in feed value, about 50 cents per ton each day harvesting is delayed. Larger milk checks next winter will be the pay-off for an early start now in hay harvesting."

WHITE GRUB CONTROL IN LAWNS NECESSARY

Get after the white grub lawn pest right now, says the U.K. Cooperative-Ext. Service. Dr. Rudy Scheibner, entomologist, says there are about 15 kinds of white grubs that damage lawns and turf in Kentucky. They live in the soil and feed on grass roots. March and April is when they do most damage. Large lawn patches turn brown and die in April and May.

Control Measures: (Use one of these) Granular insecticides: Aldrin (two percent strength), at 3½ pounds per 1,000 square feet of lawn; Chlordane (five percent strength), five pounds per 1,000 square feet, or Heptachlor (2.5 percent strength), two and one quarter pounds per 1,000 square feet.

Wettable powders: Aldrin 2½ percent strength), 4½ ounces in 3 to 5 gallons of water; Chlordane (40 percent), 10 ounces in 3 to 5 gallons of water; Heptachlor (25 percent strength), 4½ ounces; and Toxaphene (40 percent) one and one-third pounds.

Emulsifiable concentrate: Chlordane (75 percent strength), 4 fluid ounces in 3 to 5 gallons of water; Heptachlor (25 percent) 4½ fluid ounces, and Toxaphene (60 percent)

10 fluid ounces. Apply before light rain, or water the treatment in lightly with a hose. Keep children and pets off treated areas until the insecticide has been washed off by sprinkling or rain, and the grass has dried.

Best time to treat for white grubs is late summer or early fall, when grubs are small and easy to kill. The grubs, which can be found by rolling back a small piece of sod, are from a half inch to two inches long, white or gray-colored and curled into a C shape. The head usually is brown.

POPLAR GAP

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Singleton were Mr. and Mrs. Kenney Goosemann of Dayton, Ohio, Mrs. Billy Joe Hobbs, and Renee, and Casper of Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. David Singleton of Turlington, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Bob French, Coy and Sondra, and Jean Alcorn of Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Durham and Jeff of Goshen, Ohio, Miss Emma Durham and friend, Hufst Alan of Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Vanzant of Burr were recent guests of Mrs. Ethel Durham and family.

Boyd McGuire, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manley McGuire, went on the senior prom at Livingston High School to Washington, D.C. last week. They

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Our sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Himes in the loss of their little baby, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mullins and Rea of Cincinnati, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frost and son

of Dayton, Ohio were recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Mullins.

COMPLETES BASIC - Pvt. Michael E. Ledford has completed 8 weeks basic training at Fort Knox and graduated on Friday, April 12. He is now stationed at Fort Dix, New Jersey in the Signal Corp.



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KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE NEWS
 by J. Robert Miller, Commissioner

Since assuming the duties of Commissioner of Agriculture, I have had the pleasure of speaking to a number of non-agricultural groups and organizations. I not only get a lot of personal satisfaction from appearing before these groups, but I also greatly appreciate the opportunity of speaking on the subject of Kentucky's basic industry.

I am much appreciative of the fact that so many groups are interested in having an agricultural speaker appear before them. This indicates to me that there is an awareness of what agriculture means to our total economy.

This is a day and age when much emphasis is placed upon public relations and image building. While we have a number of agricultural groups which speak for the farmer and agri-business, agriculture is perhaps one of the major industries which does not have a full-time, public relations program

in operation. Of course, agriculture as an industry is comprised of individual farmers and agri-business firms which do not lend themselves to an overall public relations program as readily as other types of industrial concerns.

By statute, the Kentucky Department of Agriculture is a promotional agency for agriculture. Along with promotional duties, the Kentucky Constitution delegates regulatory and service responsibilities to the Department.

These three areas of activity are to a great extent closely related, particularly services and promotional work. Being a constitutional agency, all of the Department's programs and activities are operated under statutes enacted by the General Assembly, and, of course, funds must be provided by the General Assembly to carry out the services designated by the various statutes.

In many of my speeches I discuss the scope and activities of the Department. I point out that just as our total economy is affected by agriculture, many of the services of the Department are carried out in the interest of both the agricultural and non-agricultural segments of our society.

For instance, some 80 per cent of the work of the Division of Weights and Measures is mainly for the protection of the consumer. A small percentage of the scales inspected by division personnel are used in agricultural trade alone.

The Division of Markets is interested in expanding and developing better markets for farm commodities. At the same time, the Division seeks to improve the quality of products being offered to consumers.

These are but two examples of how the Department serves all Kentuckians. When we regulate, service, or promote, it is not only for the farmer or agri-businessman but also for the consuming public as well.

"QUAIL"
 (Cont. From Pg. 7)

Mrs. Bobby Broughton and daughter spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Brown and family. Mr. and Mrs. Casper Owens visited them in the afternoon.

Mrs. John Albright spent Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Brown and family.

Mrs. Ernest Godbey and Tommy of Ohio spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Taylor. Mrs. Benton Owens visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes and family Friday evening.

Mrs. Willie Todd and Bonny spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pittman.

Mrs. Ruby Taylor spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Taylor. Mr. and Mrs. Marquis Brown visited Mrs. Willie Todd Saturday evening.

tion stations, Shirley said. "But you have to request them." The sticker exempts qualifying vehicles, such as many farm trucks and other trucks driven in the daytime only, from the "special lighting" provision in the inspection law. Among other things, the provision calls for marker lights for both the cab and bed of trucks operated at night.

Shirley also reminded, camping trailers are subject to inspection, although many motorists think they are exempted from the program. "Those trailers have lights and brakes," Shirley said. He reports the program is "picking up steam" again following a lull when the Legislature was in session and many motorists awaited the outcome of an attempt to repeal the inspection law. "Sticker orders have been tremendous," Shirley said.

The 1968 inspection law became compulsory March 1 but motorists scheduled for inspection last month — those with license plates ending in the numeral three — were allowed to join the April group — those with plates ending with the numeral four — and have until midnight April 30 to have their vehicles inspected.

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Being the property obtained 3/9th by Lora Evans, 1/9th by David O. Evans, Lula Evans Eubanks, and Bertha Evans Taylor and 1/27th each by Juanita Reynolds Mink, Geraldine Reynolds Cline, and Dallas Reynolds. In deed dated September 3, 1949, executed by Opp Bussell and Majsie Bussell, recorded in Deed Book page 564.

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Master Commissioner ROCKCASTLE Circuit Court

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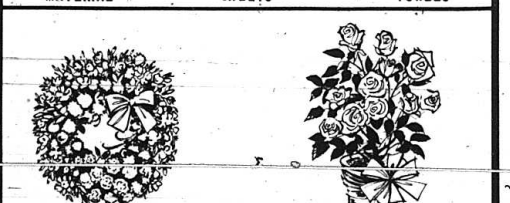
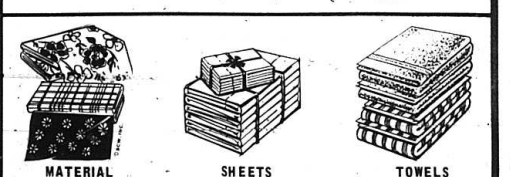
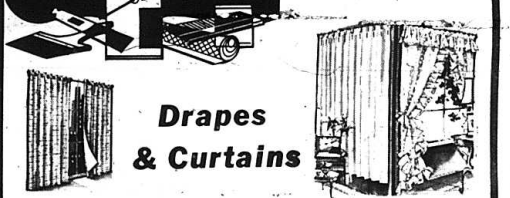
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MOUNT VERNON, KENTUCKY

County Chorus Groups At Music Festival

The Rockcastle County Chorus, under the direction of Mrs. Johnny Wilcox, received an "excellent" rating at the Music Festival held at Eastern Kentucky University last Friday. They sang "Let There Be Music" and "Verdant Meadows."

"The festival is a wonderful experience for our students. They hear other groups and receive helpful suggestions on how to improve from the judges. The director and students use this evaluation as a guide in continuing their study," Mrs. Wilcox said.

Taking part in the competition were, Brodhead students: Ann Gentry, Judy Bullock, Lisa Ennis, and Betty Blevins. Mt. Vernon students: Jenny Barnett, Rita Sans, Kaye Childress, Gail McKinney, Donna Stanley, Sharon Mullins, Connie Ramsey, Judy Fain, Susan Bray, and Sue Wynn. Livingstone students: Vickie Ross, Vickie Renner, Darlene McClure, Koula Carolifia, Linda Holsing, and Phyllis Francisco. The Livingstone Ensemble received an "excellent" rating on their performance. Members of the Livingstone group are Gail Kelly, Vickie Renner, Vickie Ross, Linda Holsing, and Koula Carolifia. The Mt. Vernon Ensemble is composed of Maxine Thacker, Linda Alexander, Jenny Barnett, Jana Comer, Kaye Childress, Donna Stanley, Gail McKinney, Sharon Mullins, Susan Bray, Connie Ramsey, Sue Wynn and Connie Smith.

AMBROSE SEXTON, 73 BURIED AT BEEA

Ambrose Joseph Sexton, 73, died at a Paris hospital Saturday, April 27, after an illness of about four months.

A native of Rockcastle County, he had lived here all his life. He was survived by his wife, Mrs. Sarah Miracle Sexton; four daughters, Mrs. Ethel Kirby of Boone, Mrs. Hazel Cox of Conway, Mrs. Bernice Langan and Mrs. Edna Burdette, both of Indianapolis, Ind.; one sister, Mrs. Cora Baker, of Paris; four grandchildren and ten great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, April 30 at the Brodhead Baptist Church. Burial was in the Berea Cemetery.

MRS. MALINDA OWENS DIES APRIL 26

Mrs. Malinda Susie Owens, 77, died Thursday night, April 25 at the Rockcastle County Baptist Hospital. She was born in Rockcastle County, the daughter of William and Sarah Roberts Albright and was a member of the Brodhead Baptist Church.

She is survived by one foster son, Pete Owens and one daughter, Mrs. Mary Payne; one brother, Arch Albright, both of Brodhead; two foster grandchildren, Bill Owens and Carole Owens of Brodhead.

Funeral services were held Sunday, April 28 at the Brodhead Baptist Church with Rev. John Zupancic officiating. Burial was in the Piney Grove Cemetery.

STILL SMASHED

Deputy Sheriff Frank DeBorde and a Federal Revenue officer smashed a five barrel still Tuesday in the High Dry section of the county. Twenty-two gallon jugs were also destroyed. According to Deputy Sheriff DeBorde, the still was not in operation and had not been for some time. No arrests were made.

Letter To The Editor

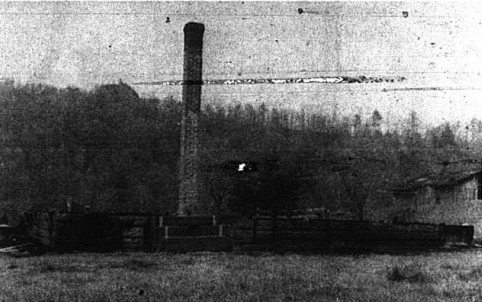
The Executive Board of the Rockcastle Baptist Association, at their regular meeting April 6, voted to recommend to all churches of the Association that they take an offering on Mother's Day, May 12, for the Rockcastle County Baptist Hospital.

It has been the policy of the hospital in the past to turn no one away who needs hospital care regardless of whether they are able to pay or not. This has incurred a major indebtedness, some of which the hospital has been unable to collect. Other factors involved have also added to the debt until it is necessary to have income, other than that which comes from the patients, in order to operate.

As a Baptist, we realize this is our responsibility



PEPPER STATION--Work was begun Wednesday on a pepper station for Rockcastle County. The station will be located on US 25 just south of Mt. Vernon at the old Hall Way House site. In the above photo, William Lewis Barrett, operator of the back hoe is digging a pit for truck scales. Looking on from left is: Roscoe Bullock, Edd Hubbard, and Robert Hubbard, station manager.



The home of the Walter Oliver family on Old US 25 4 miles south of Livingston was completely destroyed by fire Thursday morning about 4 a.m. The fire was out of control when it was discovered by Mr. Oliver's father, James according to the older Oliver, the home was partially covered by insurance. He said he had no idea how the fire started.

MVHS Baccalaureate Service Set For Sunday, May 12

Baccalaureate Services for the Mt. Vernon High School graduating class have been scheduled for 7:30 p.m. EDT May 12 at the First Christian Church, Rev. Ray Cummins, pastor of the First Baptist Church will deliver the invocation and Rev. Robert Baasum will bring the Baccalaureate sermon to the 66 graduates, relatives and guests. Benediction will be given by Bro. Norman Howard, pastor of the church.

Commencement exercises have been scheduled for the school gymnasium at 7:30 p.m. EDT May 16. Dean Robert L. Wilson of Morehead Kentucky University will be the guest speaker for the commencement program.

The Rockcastle County Chorus will present "Climb Every Mountain" and "Halls of Ivy," under the direction of Mrs. J. J. ... The Rockcastle County High School Band, under the direction of Robert Pybas, will present "Hymn of All Nations" and "Toccata for Band." Awards of Honor will be presented by Clenton Saylor, principal and William Landrum, assistant principal.

Radio Auction Nets \$1,735

The net proceeds from the Radio Auction held last week for the Mt. Vernon Recreation Council's summer program was \$1,735.30. This figure is about \$25 under last year's total.

The playground will open shortly after school lets out June 6 and will continue for about 10 weeks under the direction of Charles "Tuck" Baker. The money collected is used for equipment, salaries, any damage to property, lights water and other miscellaneous items. Any excess funds are deposited with the Bank of Mt. Vernon for future use.

Mrs. Jack Craig, secretary of the Council and Jim Cox, president would certainly have to be mentioned in connection with this year's drive for their hard work and effort on behalf of the fund raising drive and the summer program.

KELSEY'S RESTAURANT CHANGES HANDS

Mrs. and Mrs. Rodney Tolan have purchased Kelsey's Restaurant on Main Street in Mt. Vernon.

The purchase was effective last Friday. Mrs. Tolan is the former Marie Price of Mt. Vernon. Mr. Tolan was chef at the Beverly Wilshire Hotel in Hollywood, California, for twenty-one years said the name of the restaurant would be changed to "The Hen House," and extensive remodeling and redecorating would be done. The restaurant will be open seven days a week, as in the past and the same personnel will be kept.

MT. VERNON FFA ELECTS OFFICERS

The Mt. Vernon Chapter of Future Farmers of America, held their monthly meeting April 24 and elected new officers for the 1968-69 school year. New officers are: Bobby

1968 County Tax Assessment Increases By Three Million

Rockcastle County's 1968 Property Tax Assessment increased by \$3,021,316 to a total assessment of \$37,709,226, according to the first estimate filed this week with the Department of Revenue by Robert Cromer, County Tax Commissioner. The 1967 assessment was \$34,687,910.

A breakdown of the 1966 assessment, shows: Total Real Estate \$26,588,685; Total Tangible Personal Property \$4,877,763; Total Tangible Personal Property (livestock, farm machinery, etc.) \$1,420,665; Stocks, bonds, and other Intangibles \$1,306,344; Annuities \$22,900, and bank shares \$471,553.

According to Mr. Cromer the assessment increased by this amount in spite of the county losing 485 acres at Renfro Valley from the tax books. This is the land purchased by the City of Mt. Vernon for the Renfro Valley Lake Project.

Breakdown of the various 1968 assessments follows:

Total Real Estate \$27,603,030; Total Tangible Personal Property \$6,160,576; Total Tangible Personal Property (livestock, farm machinery, etc.) \$1,763,330; Stocks, bonds, and other intangibles \$1,578,951; Annuities, \$55,210; and bank shares \$493,985.

The bank shares are for both the Bank of Mt. Vernon, valued at \$337,070 and Citizens Bank at Brodhead, valued at \$156,915.

Any taxpayer desiring to meet with this board to appeal their property tax assessment should go to the county clerk's office between May 6 and May 10 and state their reason for wishing to appeal. The clerk will then give the taxpayer the needed information for when to meet with the board.

Round About

by: Perlina M. Anderkin

OPEN HOUSE
The public is cordially invited by the First Baptist Church and Rev. and Mrs. Jay Cummins to the Open House at the Baptist Church, Parsonage Sunday, May 5 from 2 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. A hearty welcome is extended to everyone.

MRS. HOLLAND NAMED CANCER CHAIRMAN
Mrs. Laura Ruth Holland will again serve as Rockcastle County Chairman for the Cancer Crusade. Mrs. Holland has named co-chairmen for the three county towns and business chairmen for Mt. Vernon. They are: Mrs. James Tanner, Mt. Vernon Chairman; Mrs. Billy Riddle, Brodhead Chairman; Mrs. James Eversole, Livingstone Chairman; and Mrs. Fred Baker, Mt. Vernon Business Chairman.

FISH AND GAME CLUB TO MEET MAY 3
The Rockcastle County Fish and Game Club will meet Friday, May 3 at 7:30 p.m. at the Rockcastle County Courthouse. All members are urged to attend this important meeting as officers for the coming year will be elected, according to Estil McBee, president.

NEW NUMBER
The phone number of the Mt. Vernon Christian Church parsonage has been changed. It is now 256-4352. The number listed in the telephone directory 256-2876 is listed for the church and parsonage. However, you can only reach the church by this number now.

L.H.S. SENIOR PLAY THIS FRIDAY P.M.
The senior class will present "Everybody's Crazy," Friday, May 3 at the Livingstone School gymnasium at 7:30 p.m. Admission is 25 cents for children and 50 cents for adults.

OK, WE WERE WRONG
We have been reminded numerous times about our misinformation in last week's issue of the Signal concerning when the daylight saving time went into effect. So, we take this opportunity to admit you were all right and we were wrong, and to tell you that we set our clocks up Sunday morning at 2 a.m. like everybody else.

Pfc. Boyd Mink Killed In Vietnam

Army Pfc. Boyd Carl Mink, a native of Rockcastle County, died Monday, April 22 nineteen days after being assigned with the First Infantry Division at Di An, Vietnam.

Shortly after graduation, he went to Lockland, Ohio and worked for three years with the Jones Langland Steel Company.

He entered the service from Mt. Vernon in October of last year and had left from his home in Ohio March 26, following a leave, for Vietnam. Born in the Sand Springs area, he attended Blue Springs School and graduated from Brodhead High School.



Pfc. Boyd C. Mink

He received \$50 a month, paid quarterly, for the remainder of his life. The 1914 Legislature provided that pensions and a Confederate home be given to widows of Confederate soldiers. The new state budget contains a provision for Confederate pensions, "amount necessary."

Mrs. Luncford was born in Harlan County and wed William Luncford, a farmer, when she was 16 and he was 62.

Mrs. Rachel Luncford, 74, of Brodhead will receive a small portion of the \$2.5 billion biennial state budget. She is the last known of a Confederate veteran and will receive \$50 a month, paid quarterly, for the remainder of her life.

Besides his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mink, with whom he made his home until going to Ohio, he is survived by his wife, Charlotte of Lockland, Ohio; his mother, Mrs. Stella Mink of Cincinnati, Ohio; his father, John Wesley Mink of Lexington; two brothers, Lewis and Gene Mink, both of Ohio, and another grandfather, Willie Miller, of Mt. Vernon. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at this time. Burial, however, will be in Redding, Ohio.



NEW OFFICERS--Phillip Hunt, outgoing president of the Mt. Vernon High School Beta Club, is shown congratulating Howard Saylor, newly elected president of the club for the year 1968-69. Other officers are, from left: Kenneth Mackworth, vice president; Linda Jones, secretary; Cathy Thomas, treasurer; Jessica Holland, reporter.

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If you or your family enjoy camping, fishing, boating or cookouts, or just being outdoors and intend to visit parks and recreation areas this summer, you will find these passports can save you money on entrance fees.

Information is available at the Local Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation office in Mt. Vernon. With your passport you get a parks directory as well as an informational leaflet.

Handmade Items Exhibited

Several county residents exhibited handcrafted articles recently at the Phoenix Hotel in Lexington during a conference of the Council of the Southern Mountains. Ralph Rinzler, representative of the Smithsonian Institute in Washington, D.C., who is present at the conference, bought several of the articles made locally for display in the Institute. (Cont. to Page 10)

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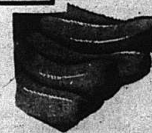
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THE JOKER IN SOCIAL SECURITY

Since it became operative more than 30 years ago, the social security system has grown—like all get out. Most of us take it pretty much for granted. We are encouraged and cuffed whenever Congress sees fit to increase benefits, and we grumble only half-heartedly when Congress votes a boost in the social security tax.

NOT INSURANCE

Perhaps we would be more deeply concerned for its future (and ours!) if we knew that social security is not really re-

insurance. Right now social security is obligated to pay out some \$400 billion. However, its reserve is scarcely more than 5% of that amount!

What, then, has happened to your social security tax payments? The answer is quite simple: These payments are channeled into the U.S. Treasury, along with other tax money and used as Uncle Sam sees fit. Hence your future social security benefits are not being financed by your tax payments of today. That money is being paid out to older Americans already drawing benefits.

DISAPPOINTING AND DIMINISHING RETURN

Both minimum and maximum benefits under social security have been increased a number of times. Of course, more people are receiving more dollars from the system than ever before. But the return relative to social security taxes paid is still disappointing.

Though their benefits may have been small compared with those available today, workers who retired during the early years of the program have actually collected many times their contribution. But as the program has embraced more people, tax payments to support it have outpaced the return from it.

SOME BASIC INEQUITIES

Right now, the average young worker could buy from a private insurer—a combination life insurance and retirement policy that would provide him a much better return than he will get from his social security. Hence, compulsory social security as we have it today is unfair. We and our employers combined should have the choice of making payments for social security either to Uncle Sam or to an insurance company.

Another inequity in the present system which cries to heaven for correction is the inhumane, anti-social ruling which forces a post-65 worker to forego his full benefits until he reaches 72 if he earns more than

\$1680 per year in wages. Yet, retirees who have income from sources other than employment are not similarly penalized.

CAN THE FEW SUPPORT THE MANY?

The real joker in social security is the lack of a sufficient reserve to assure payment of benefits over the longer term. When the system was established, it was confidently expected that a steadily increasing population would provide an ever greater number of taxpayers. It was also expected that constantly expanding productivity would provide these workers with more dollars to pay into social security.

But earlier plans for ever more taxpayers and perpetual productivity advances seem to be going awry. In recent years, the nation's birthrate has plunged to a new low last year. Ever-mounting cost-push inflation has been curbing America's vaunted productivity gains. Projecting these adverse trends -- and there's no reason not to -- we shall run smack into a situation shortly after the year 2000 that may ring the death knell for social security. For, by that time, the war baby of the '40's will be the retirees. Their numbers will be legion. But the taxpayers who will have to support them will be small in mass, relative to a then huge army of pensioners. Will they outh-

ful taxpayers rebel at carrying the heavy burden for those over 65?

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Q -- I served for two years in the Army from April 1955 to March 1957. Am I entitled to hospitalization benefits from the Veterans Administration?

A -- Yes, but if it is not for a service-connected disability, hospital care from the VA is on a bed-availability basis. The veteran must also affirm his inability to defray the cost of hospitalization.

Q -- May I borrow on my G.I. insurance to help pay college expenses for my son? How much may I borrow?

A -- If you have a permanent plan G.I. insurance policy you may borrow up to 94 per cent of the cash value of that policy. The interest charge on this loan is 4 per cent.

Social Security News

Within the coming weeks, older people in Rockcastle County will be receiving a new copy of "Your Medicare Handbook," a new up-to-date guidebook on their Medicare, benefits, how the program works, and how payments are made.

James Mustian, social security officer-in-charge said the new Handbook highlights the changes enacted in the 1967 social security amendments, improving protection and simplifying Medicare procedures. It has also been made easier for older people to read and understand.

In developing the new edition of "Your Medicare Handbook," Mustian said, the SSA sought the suggestions of elderly readers as well as experts in the field of communications and representatives of professional organizations.

Discovery of the new, red, white, and blue edition to the 19.6 million Americans 65 and over will be cycled over the next 6 weeks, Mustian said. In an introductory letter on the inside front cover of the new Handbook, Robert M. Ball, Commissioner of Social Security, reminds older people: "If you need information or want help concerning your Medicare protection or other social security matters, please get in touch with your social security office. The people there are always glad to help you."

HOOK COMPLETES BASIC TRAINING
 Airman Earl Hook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester R. Hook of Route 3, Brodhead has completed basic training at Amarillo AFB, Texas. He has been assigned to the Air Force Technical Training Center at Sheppard AFB, Texas for specialized schooling as an aircraft maintenance specialist.

Airman Hook is a 1967 graduate of Brodhead High School.

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OTTAWA
 Master Roger Proctor spent Friday night with Jeffrey Laswell.
 Mr. James E. Payne of Dayton, Ohio spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hamm. He was here to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Susie Owens.
 Much sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Susie Owens.
 Mrs. John Cash celebrated her 81st birthday at her home with a wonderful dinner. Those present were her husband, Mr. John Cash, Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Cash, Mrs. Jewel Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Cash and son, Mrs. Ruby Taylor and Wayne, Mrs. James Burdine and Annette, Mr. and Mrs. Abbie Cash and Brenda, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Cash and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Davidson and family. We wish her many more birthdays.
 Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Roberts of Newport News, Va., attended the funeral of Charlie Clark in Weaverville, N.C. last week.
 We are sorry to report Tom Albright being in the Central Baptist Hospital very ill. We wish him a speedy recovery.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Denny are the proud parents of an eight pound fourteen ounce baby born at the Rockcastle County Baptist Hospital, April 25. He has been named Ronnie Calvin.
 Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Proctor visited Mrs. Bertha Owens who is a patient in the Lancaster Hospital. We are sorry to report Cecil Gentry being a patient in the University Medical Hospital in Lexington. We wish him a speedy recovery.
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Personals

in the death of Mrs. Susie Owens.
Mr. and Mrs. Craig Allen and children of Bronley spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Fugate.
Emma McClure has returned home from Berea College Hospital where she has been a patient.
Tom Albright is very ill in Central Baptist Hospital at Lexington.
Mrs. W.T. Davis is a patient at Sower's Nursing Home. Mrs. Lela Stokes visited with her mother Sunday.
Mrs. Mae Roberts has returned home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. S.F. Bowman in Mt. Vernon.
Miss Annie Barton, who resides at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Woodall was taken to the

Rockcastle County Baptist Hospital recently very ill. She is reported improving.
Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Bradley and children of Milwaukee, Wisconsin are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thurnie Bradley and Mr. and Mrs. John E. Harris.
Jerry Bradley, who has been stationed in Germany is now at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thurnie Bradley.

(delayed)
Mrs. Theo Smith and Mrs. Geneva Brown of Broughtontown were visiting in town Wednesday.
Mrs. Cecil McKinney and Mrs. Harve Bowman of Berea visited friends and relatives here Friday.
Oscar Day, who is a patient at the State Tuberculosis Hospital, at London, was visited by Mrs. Day Sunday.
Miss Charlotte Robbins

of Transylvania College visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D.A. Robbins over the week end.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ponder have returned from Haines City, Florida after spending the winter there.
Mr. and Mrs. Benny Woodall and Karen of Middletown are visiting Fred Woodall.

State Parks Open May 1

Major Kentucky resort parks, lodges, dining rooms and housekeeping cottages will all be open by May 1, according to Robert E. Gable, Parks Commissioner.

The only exception is the Penrylle Forest State Park lodge which was damaged by the recent storm that hit parts of Western Kentucky. Repair work is under way and the Penrylle lodge and cottages are expected to open June 1.

Pine Mountain State Park and Pineville and Buckhorn Lake State Park at Buckhorn are the last major resort parks scheduled to open.

According to the large number of advance reservations and early park visitation, it is apparent the 1968 travel season in Kentucky will break previous attendance records, Commissioner Gable said.
All beaches and swimming pools will open on Memorial Day, May 30. New 500 person capacity swimming pools will open at the Jenny Wiley and Cumberland Falls State Parks. A new bathhouse and restaurant facility will be available at Fort Boonesborough State Park. Boat docks are now open at all the resort parks. New boat slips have been added at Kenlake, Barren

and Lake Barkley State Parks.
Golf courses are now open at all state parks where these facilities are available.

Supervised recreational programs will begin at all resort parks on Monday, June 10. Recreational programs will also be available at Fort Boonesborough State Park, near Fichmond; Levi Jackson Wilderness Road State Park, London; John James Audubon State Park, near Henderson; Greenbo Lake State Park, near Greenup and General Burnside State Park at Burnside.
Parks, Shrines and Museums opening on May 1 are Columbus-Belmont Battlefield State Park; General Butler Home, Carrollton; Levi Jackson Wilderness Road State Park, London; and the Lincoln Homestead State Shrine at Springfield. All other Shrines and Museums are now open.

Brindle Ridge

We are glad to report that Harrison Mink and Mrs. Cynthia Mink, who spent a few days in the hospital recently, are home and improving.
Vernon Mullins of Ohio is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charley York.
David Holland stationed with the U.S. Air Force

in Mississippi spent Easter with his mother, Mrs. Patricia Holland, his sisters and grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Kaiser of Indiana spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Mink.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulus Ramsey were in Falmouth last Wednesday visiting their daughter, Mrs. J.W. McKinney and Mr. McKinney.

Several members and leaders of the Brindle Ridge 4-H Club were in Jackson County recently for Area Rally Day.

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businessman of cheating on his income tax return. Even if the senator has no proof at all, he cannot be held liable for defamation of character. As a member of Congress, he is protected by what the law calls an "absolute privilege" against liability for slanderous statements.

In fact, a congressman is protected not only against slander suits but even against criminal charges.

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if based on what he says in the course of debate. For example: A bribery charge was brought against a congressman on the basis of a speech he gave on the House floor favorable to a certain financial institution. There was some evidence that he had collected a payoff from the institution for giving the speech.

But the court ruled that, even if the charge was true, he still could not be convicted—because that would be an infringement of a congressman's special freedom of speech.

Such an occurrence is the rare exception rather than the rule. And while it has been argued that there are grave dangers in entrusting to any individual so much leeway, there is a powerful purpose behind this principle of law: to encourage the utmost freedom in congressional debate.

The fear of unpleasant legal consequences, either justified or unjustified, could well put a real damper on a congressman's performance of his job. For the same reason, similar protection is given

to lawmakers in almost all democratic countries.

Still, a congressman's freedom of speech is not totally without limits. One restraint (seldom used) is Congress' own power to discipline a member who abuses his "privilege."

Another, more important restraint is that the congressman loses his immunity if he repeats his statements outside of Congress, apart from his official functions.

But probably the most effective restraint on an unscrupulous congressman lies in what the voters can do to him, come next Election Day.

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TERMS: Real Estate 25% down day of sale, balance when deed is delivered which will be within 30 days. Personal property, Cash.

For further particulars see W.S. Cass, Executor to will, Brodhead, Ky. Or

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Social & Women's News



Mr. and Mrs. William Haywood Hull

Miss Hunt - Mr. Hull Vows Said March 23

Miss Janice Devona Hunt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Arvil Hunt of Mt. Vernon became the bride of William Haywood Hull, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Haywood Hull of Oakton, Virginia on March 23. Rev. James D. Cox officiated at the ceremony. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white satin wedding gown of empire style with lace appliques. The A-line skirt was highlighted with a scalloped edge matching the neckline and

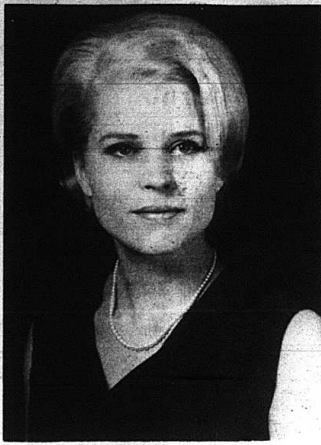
a large bow with streamers fell from her waist. The dress was custom made by Alice Bzowy of Vienna, Virginia. She carried a bouquet of yellow sweetheart roses centered with two white orchids. Miss Helen Hull, sister of the groom, was maid of honor and wore a yellow dress of empire style and carried a bouquet of white daisies. Kelly Hunt, brother of the bride, served as best man. The couple are now residing at 2530 Chain Bridge Road in Vienna, Virginia.

Personals

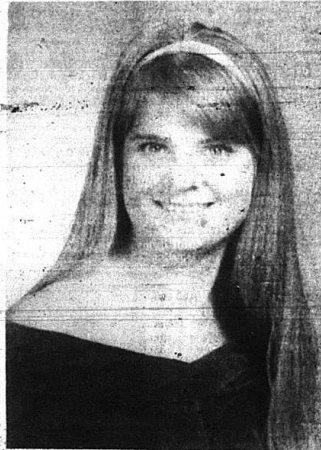
Ed Whitaker of Route 1, Brodhead is a patient at the Veteran's Hospital in Louisville. Mrs. Lyda Howard and

Bryant. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chance and son, Robert Cue, of Madeira, Ohio spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.B. McKenzie and attended services at the Baptist Church Sunday. Current guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lige Woodall are their daughter, Mrs. John Payne and Mr. Payne and granddaughter, Mrs. Danny Collins and family, all of Dayton, Ohio; their son, Paul Woodall of Cincinnati; and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Toler of Ingleswood, Ohio. Elmer Woodall, who has served two years in the U.S. Army, arrived home Saturday with an honorable discharge. He served one year in Vietnam. Kermit Bullock was in Lexington Monday on business. Rev. and Mrs. Ray Cummins were in Lexington Monday where they took their son Billy to a surgeon to have six teeth extracted. The Mt. Vernon Woman's Club was represented by Mrs. John Allen, president, at the KFC Annual Convention held at the Phoenix Hotel in Lexington last Wednesday. Mrs. G.H. "Hobe" Griffin returned home Monday after spending a few days in the Rockcastle County Baptist Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Jack L. Adams and sons, John Lawrence II, of Westport, Connecticut are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Adams and Dr. and Mrs. William L. Adams of Mt. Vernon. Young William Lawrence II was born February 5 and weighed eleven pounds. Mr. and Mrs. John W. Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Oliver, Sr., spent the week end in Mt. Sterling with Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Oliver, Jr., and family. While there, they attended the annual Lion's Club Minstrel Show Saturday night. Mr. Oliver and son, John Norman, were on the program.

John W. Griffin was in Mt. Sterling on business Wednesday. Trenches dug by Confederate soldiers during the Civil War are now campus walkways at Western Kentucky University in Bowling Green.



Miss Suzannah M. Wilcox



TO BE WED—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Combs of Route 1, Paint Lick, announce the engagement of their daughter, Irene, to Barry Renner, son of Walter Renner of Mt. Vernon and Mrs. Edna Hansel DeLand. Mr. Miss Combs will be a 1968 graduate of Madison Central High School and Mr. Renner will graduate this month from Mt. Vernon High School. The wedding will be on or about May 17 at the Mt. Vernon First Baptist Church. No formal wedding invitations will be sent. All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.



Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lee Grove, Sr.

Vows Said In Home Ceremony

Miss Nell Wanda Swinney and Roger Lee Grove, Sr., were united in marriage April 27 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mullins of Vandalia, Ohio. Rev. Paul Mullins performed the double ring ceremony. Mrs. Rose Mullins and Mrs. Carma Lanham, sisters of the bride, were matrons-of-honor, and John Lytle served as best man. Ringbearers were Gary Joe Lanham and Roger Lee Grove, Jr.

Those from out-of-town who attended the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Millie Swinney, parents of the bride; Mrs. Joe Lanham of Danville, sister of the bride, and Miss Bobbie Lancaster of Danville. Also present were Brenda Lytle, daughter of the bride. A reception followed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mullins. The couple will make their home in Dayton, Ohio where both are employed.

Hospital Notes

PATIENTS REGISTER 4/23/68 - 4/30/68

ADMITTED:

Opal Arnold, Mt. Vernon; Carl Kelley, Mt. Vernon; Terry McClure, Livingston; Viola Rich-

Wilcox-Cox Betrothal Told

The engagement of Miss Suzannah M. Wilcox of Austin, Texas to Byron E. Cox also of Austin, Texas, is announced by her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Leigh E. Wilcox of El Paso, Texas. Mr. Cox is the son of the late Mrs. Mattie Cox of Mt. Vernon and nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Cox, Jr. and Mrs. John McFerron, and Mrs. Georgia Bryant. Miss Wilcox, a graduate of Christian Junior Women's College and the University of Texas at Austin with a Bachelor of Arts degree in mathematics and statistics. She is presently employed as a systems engineer for IBM in Austin. Mr. Cox, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bennett Cox of Houston, Texas, attended Victoria Junior College, is a graduate of the University of Texas at Austin, attended the University of Houston Law School and is presently a mid-law student at the University of Texas School of Law where he is a member of Phi Delta Phi honorary law fraternity. The wedding will be held in El Paso, Texas June 1.

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This is the January 1, 1968 assessment on which state, county, and school taxes for 1968 will be due on September 15, 1968.

The tax roll is in the office of the county tax commissioner in the county courthouse and may be inspected between the hours 8:30 and 4:00.

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5th Grade
Debbie Barnett, Kenny Burton, Margaret Craig, John Clontz, Judy French, Jeffery Hunt, Barbara Hayes, Johnny Kirby, Connie McClure, Sherry Smith, Billy Baker, Blossom, Cameron, Laura Durham, Ginger Graham, Roxanne Hammons, Connie Hayes, Mark Jasper, Teresa Jones, Lisa Lewis, Larry Lake, Faye Newton, Judy Robinson, Lori Stewart, Kimberly Kirby, Fred Whitaker, Shannon Franklin, Brenda Kaye Baker, Joyce Ann Hansel, Dwight E. Griffin, Deborah Ann Hayes, Debbie Jo Morris, Anita Sue Pruitt, Mattie Marlene Sowder, Sue Kindred.

6th Grade
Lori Kindred, Brent Kirby, Linda Hayes, Sue French, Paula Cummins, Casey Carroll, Mark Bray,



ON TO BEREÄ--The above six Mt. Vernon high school students plan to enroll at Berea College in the fall. They are, front row, from left; Marsha Whitaker, Barbara Rader, Suzy Hayes, back row, from left: John Parsons, Gary Allen, and Lee Rice.

Billy Bailey, Elizabeth Allen, Gregory Mullins, Johnny Saylor, Paul Travis, Clinton Winstead, Virginia Albright, Catia Cloutz, Edwina Halcomb, John Hammond, Teresa Woodall.

7th Grade
Gwendolyn Alcorn, Karen Kay Cummins, Leonard Davis, Lucille Dooley, Lida Henderson, Bobby Kirby, Troy McClure, Douglas Mullins, June Smith, Joe Alcorn, Janice Baker, Sharon Baker, Quentin Childress, Pamela Cummins, Pamela Spoonmore, Patricia Dishon, Debra Falin, Julia Kidwell, Michael Ponder, Linda Powell, Larry R. Travis.

8th Grade
Kay Burdette, Judy Carter, Brenda Dishon, Alma Jean Gentry, Terry Kindred, Patricia Kirby, Lois McClure, Jim Mullins, Bonita Norton, Bill Stewart, Gayle Taylor, Judy Hines, Phyllis McClure, Pamela Parrott, Lisa Kelsey, Etta Croner, Frank Bullock, Joan Alcorn, Larry Carter, Linda Cummins, Patty Kirby, Melvin Machal, Christine Nicely, Linda Overbey, Gary Woodall, Mitzi McCauley.

9th Grade
June Dixon, Catherine J. Baker, Debra L. Craig, Teresa A. Hunt, Iris J. McFerron, Phyllis M. Noe,

Larry R. Parsons, Lena Gail Abney, Delphy Mae Doan, Dallas Graves.

10th Grade
Kenneth Hackworth, Linda Jones, Sharon Neely, Larry Ponder, Judy Reese, David Shivel, Joy Thackee, Cathy Thomas.

11th Grade
Loretta Kirby, Sharon Childress, James Phillips, Howard Saylor, Sharon Sparks.

12th Grade
Charles Denver Baker, Stephen Chaaten, Lowell



IN VIETNAM-- Army Pfc. Russell M. Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Morris formerly of Mt. Vernon, is now serving in Vietnam with the 553rd Engineering Co. FB 1. Pfc. Morris has been in Vietnam since January 12, of this year. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Myrt Isaacs of Mt. Vernon.

Notice

Any taxpayer desiring to come before the Board of Supervisors to appeal their property tax assessment by the county tax commissioner should come to the county clerk's office between May 6 and May 10 and state the reason you want to appeal. The clerk will then give you the information when to meet before the board.

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