



Director Jay Hugely, Managing Producer George Malzone, and Production Designer Gordon Pearlman discuss the renovations of Indian Fort Theatre, home of the summer production of Paul Green's award winning outdoor drama Wilderness Road which opens June 29 in Berea, Kentucky.

Staff Appointments Made For Wilderness Road

Staff appointments for WILDERNESS ROAD, the new production of Paul Green's prize winning drama to be produced this summer in Berea, Kentucky have been released by George Malzone, Managing Producer for the production. Already named as Director is Jay Hugely.

Gordon Pearlman is set to design the production. Currently the technical coordinator for theatre at the University of North Carolina, Mr. Pearlman received acclaim for his new designs last year for Trumpet in the Sand, another Paul Green outdoor drama presented in Dover, Ohio. He will work with the production design including sets, lights, costumes and sound. He has served as managing director of the Harvey Playhouse in Burlington, North Carolina, and is currently head of auditions for the Southeastern Theatre Conference.

Paul Power, professor of drama at Berea College for several years, has been named Production Coordinator. Well known in the area for the Summer Area Theatre and the Henietta Child's

Children's Theatre which he has produced for Berea College, Mr. Power will serve as an associate to Director Jay Hugely and will be responsible for the coordination of the production throughout the summer. Part of his duties will include the supervision of workshop productions and extra-curricular activities for the Wilderness Road Company. In addition, he will supervise the continuation of the college's children's theatre.

The Music Director for Wilderness Road will be Dr. Roll Hovey, Chairman of the Berea College Department for Music and the Music Director for the original production of Wilderness Road from 1955-1958. Hovey was an exchange professor of music at Oslo University, Norway in 1958-59. His Berea College Choir has received three albums of Appalachian folk music, and in 1967 made a successful tour of Europe. He is also co-author of "The Appalachian Square Dance" with Frank Smith.

Assistant Music Director and Organist for the production will be John E. Cuffter, member of the music faculty at Berea College. Mr. Cuffter was organ soloist and accompanist for the Michigan based "Youth for Understanding" Chorus during their tour of Denmark, Finland, Russia, West Germany and South America.

In making the announcements of staff appointments, Producer Malzone expressed satisfaction in being able to have exceptionally talented Berea College personnel on the staff and to be able to supplement this with expert personnel from the outdoor drama field and other professional sources. Malzone says, "I am especially happy that the Berea College Children's Theatre which has so much to offer will continue this summer and I hope the Wilderness Road company members can be able to contribute their talents to this project."

Wilderness Road is scheduled to open in Indian Fort Theatre on June 29 and will play through Labor Day, September 4. Casting is now underway. Playwright Paul Green is making extensive re-

visions to the script and renovations to the theatre and the theatre grounds are underway.

Saylor Receives Scholarship

A Rockcastle County native has received a Southeastern Kentucky Health Professions Scholarship and is studying at the University of Kentucky Albert B. Chandler Medical Center in Lexington.

C. Howard Saylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Saylor of Brodhead, is studying pharmacy at the University. He is a graduate of Mt. Vernon High School where he was a National Honor Society and Beta Club member and lettered in basketball and football. He attended Cumberland College at Williamsburg where he was on the Dean's list for three semesters.

The Southeastern Kentucky Health Professions Scholarship Program is funded by a \$54,800 grant from the Appalachian Regional Commission to train health manpower for a 16 Kentucky county area. These are the Counties of Bell, Breathitt, Clay, Harlan, Jackson, Knott, Knox, Laurel, Lee, Leslie, Letcher, Owsley, Perry, Rockcastle, Whitley and Wolfe.

This and other health projects are endorsed by the Cumberland Valley and Kentucky River Health Councils of the Southeastern Regional Health Demonstration Program. Scholarships in the program are available to provide financial help for students from these counties and in exchange for this assistance students are expected to return to one of these counties for practice their health profession.

Hunting & Fishing

That bewhiskered rascal, the catfish, any one of the many species that inhabit Kentucky's waters, is held in disdain by some fishermen. But is also has legions of friends whose finest days are when his bottom-feeding fellow is on the prowl for live bait cast his way by fishermen.

Indeed, there are a great many fishermen who pride themselves on their ability to catch the catfish and sell it they might. Though the species has a yen for hitting hard and almost hanging itself by its exuberance, it takes skill and much knowledge of the lake or river to be an adept catfish fisherman.

There are several species fairly common in Kentucky's plentiful waters, but the one most sought after by sports fishermen is the channel cat. Other species, such as the flathead, the blue and the bullhead families along with a few scattered white catfish in western Kentucky, have their followers too.

The flathead and the blue, because of their size, are a couple of prime objectives of the commercial fisherman, but they surely do not frown on the channel catfish, either. The bullhead family was probably designed for the beginner fisherman, and few are the boys who have not confounded their parents with a string of these tasty but pestiferous fish after a day at a nearby farm pond or on the creek. They are found in the larger lakes, but are shunned by most fishermen because of their small size. And they are probably the most adept of all catfish at ramming their "horns," or poison-tipped pines on the dorsal and pectoral fins, into the hands of the catcher.

The channel, which is first choice of sports cat fishermen, may be found in most of the major lakes and all running waters of the state. When hooked, the channel cat gives with a battle that is comparable to that of the fighting black bass, except that it does not clear the water's surface in its wild gyrations. However, it can do in the water with equal skill the tricks for which the black bass is noted and still fishermen of the bait catcher will attest to this.

The channel is not opposed to taking a casting lure. This is not the accepted manner

of fishing for them, but they frequently are caught on fairly deep runners.

Perhaps the best bait, however, is the live minnow, usually a fairly large one, dropped in the right spot (this is important because the channel is not one for coming after bait). The conventional nightcrawler also will work wonders, and the channel is not averse to taking a hunk of cutbait either.

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Miss Julie Lloyd Shepherd celebrated her second birthday Saturday, February 26th at her home. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shepherd of Route 4, Mt. Vernon.

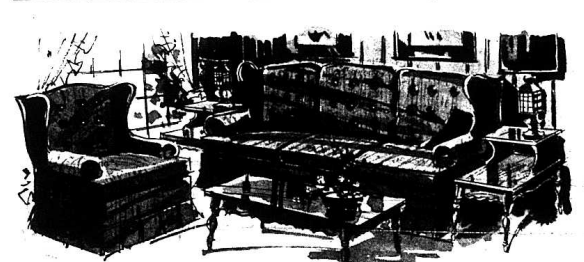


HOUSE'S YOUNGEST—Rep. Kenneth C. Imes, D-Murray, takes notes of the proceedings in a recent session of the legislature. At 25 Imes is currently the youngest member of the General Assembly. (Karen Tam Photo)

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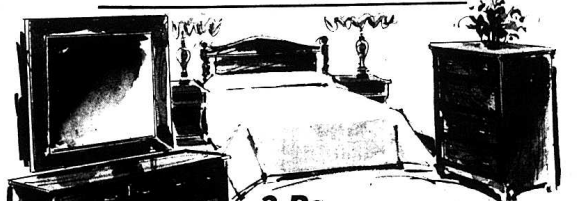
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Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ed J. Brown were Bennett Brown and Henry of Dayton, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lawrence and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitaker and Mrs. Frank Brown.

Joe Gentry is a patient in the Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington to undergo surgery. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Emory Stewart and son of Loyall and Mrs. Tony Laswell of Brothead visited Mr. and Mrs. Elva Laswell, R.T. Laswell and Mrs. Hanna Laswell recently.

Bro. Don Roberts took Mrs. Doris Wright and Rhonda to Somerset Tuesday to consult a dentist.

Della Mae Wilcox celebrated her birthday Wednesday evening with a supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hamm and family.

E.G. Hamm of Sharoville, Ohio visited his mother, Mrs. Alba Hamm and Mrs. Mary Preston last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Casper Jones and Gene's last week end guests were Mrs. and Mr. Hill Coffey of Brindley Ridge, Mrs. Lola Roberts, Mrs. Etta Jones and Mrs. Frankie Brown.

We are glad to report Graydon Wright feeling better. He was on the sick list last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Holt of Chaplain are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Wright and Bobby.

Roy Wayne Wright and Jerry Roberts celebrated their 40th birthdays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Valroy Wright recently. Those present were the Wright family, Bro. and Mrs. Donald Roberts and Steve, Jeffery Laswell, Miss Doris Pope and Bobby Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Holt and Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Wright visited Mrs. and Mrs. Cass Owens Monday afternoon.

Monday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Wright and Bobby and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Holt were Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Davis of Mt. Vernon and Miss Doris Pope. After supper guests were Mr. and Mrs. Logan Bryant of Mt. Vernon.

bridges are ideal spots. They'll be found all around fallen tree logs, and also beneath jutting rock formations. And they'll be caught mostly on live minnows, worms or catfish.

The channel catfish in Kentucky usually runs around two or three pounds, but they do grow to 10 or 15 pounds, although that size is rare. It's a fine, fighting fish to catch and many are the persons who think the meat of the channel catfish is beyond anything else in the fish line.

Berryman officiating. Burial was in the Walton Cemetery in Estill County. Arrangements were by the Lewis Funeral Home in Irvine. *****

FARM MANAGEMENT SCHOOL
Twenty-three farmers have enrolled in the Farm Management School now being conducted by the County Agent in the PCA Building, Dr. Wil-

son Showing, Extension Specialist in Agricultural Economics, University of Kentucky, is instructor for the classes which started February 17 on a weekly basis.

The purpose of the school is to determine what combination of crops and livestock will pay best on a particular farm. Mr. Tommy (Cont. to 10)

OUR MAN IN WOODFORD COUNTY



Henry C. Shipp
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Henry probably knows every creek and hollow of Woodford County better than any man alive. Last year, he spent 1,753 hours patrolling them and drove 19,241 miles in all kinds of weather, day and night, to do it. To hear him tell it, he was doing a job.

To hear those who know him tell it however, it's the way he did that particular job which sets him apart. But somehow, Henry always forgets to mention the 141 motorists he stopped to help when their cars broke down, sometimes in the middle of nowhere or the accidents that never happened because he was out there, writing citations for another 150 drivers who ignored our traffic laws.

But, most of all, Henry isn't apt to say much about the night a deranged man pointed a .38-caliber revolver at his belt buckle and threatened to kill him. Henry dismissed the man without shot being fired. It's likely he would say he was just doing a job that time, too.

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T/Sgt. Jack D. Parkerson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Self Parkerson of Brothead, has been named Outstanding NCO of the military instructor in the 355th Student Squadron, was cited for his active and driving force in the Married Airman's Survival Training program which provides coordinated organization and guidance to young married families. He is an infantry Air Force careerman and is married and the father of two boys and two girls.

"BASKETBALL"
Cont. From Front

and Robert Cromer, it was not until the early 1950's that Mt. Vernon really outgrew the "cracker box" gym, with Cornelius, Noe, Baker and company, packing them in from far and near.

If you got to a game early and were able to hang your feet over the rail, you had a better view than the referees. If you got there late, you were fortunate to get an occasional glimpse of the scoreboard.

I can vividly recall the frenetic emotion of a Mt. Vernon-Brothead game of the fifties, the intense rivalry that existed between the two schools, and the packed gym that accompanied those games. It was with these thoughts in mind that prompted me to write an "Ode to a Mt. Vernon-Brothead Basketball Game" (played at Mt. Vernon) and I published it anonymously in the March, 1961, edition of the Mt. Vernon High School paper, The Devil's Gazette. I would like to close with that poem, but in paying final tribute to the "old gym," as we look back upon 11 years from now, perhaps the best words that would describe it are, "Gosh, it sure was little in there."

And for parting remarks about Charlie, perhaps the most appropriate thing we could do for him would be to reserve a place for him as an honorary member on the "all-time best team."

It is with much sadness that we look upon the passing of "another era," Charlie and the "old gym." Gosh, we are going to miss them both.

ODE TO A MT. VERNON-BROTHEAD BASKETBALL GAME
(Played at Mt. Vernon)

All I could see from where I sat.

Was the score board and a column of wood.

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A thousand people lined the hall.

So with my eyes I traced the gym.

My chances for seeing were very slim.

Straight around until I was come.

Back to where I'd started.

And all I saw from where I stood.

Was the scoreboard and a column of wood.

Over these people I could not see.

These were the things that I missed me.

A hand could touch them with my hand.

A hand and ten from where I stand.

All at once I saw the ball.

My breath came short and scarce at all.

A thousand screams did I hear.

And every scream tore through my ear.

But surely the blowing is on I said.

The whistle is blowing and the scoreboard is red.

And so I looked and all I saw.

Was when some player shot high the ball.

the goal.
And every scream tore through my ear.

I could not see, O woe is me, O woe is me, I could not see.

The ball sails on, its aim is true.

The horn does sound, the game is through.

It ceased—the noise did rise on me.

A thousand fans filed through the door.

"MAYOR WOLFE"
(Cont. From Front)

of this money has been used to help floodling industries and to develop industrial sites.

During the question and answer period following Mayor Wolfe's talk, the question was asked, "what are some of the first things to do in floodling industry?"

Mr. Wolfe said that foremost would be the organization of an industrial foundation. Secondly, an Industrial Commission should be formed which would be composed of representatives from business, civic organizations and officials.

Finding suitable industrial sites came next followed by investigating financing available from state and federal agencies. Then a glance at the site included Mayor Wolfe obviously was well versed in the subject of which he was speaking since in recent years, Middleboro has obtained fifteen industries.

"HUNTING & FISHERY"
(Cont. From 7)

The best strings of this fish will be caught in the next couple of months from swift waters below locks and dams, Kentucky Lake's tailwaters, in the Tennessee River, is a prime spot. (From these waters came the record-breaking bluecat, a monster that weighed exactly 100 pounds a few years ago.)

But the channel will also be found in the Cumberland River below Wolf Creek Dam and in tailwaters that meet about every dam in Kentucky, including those in the small rivers.

The best time for harvesting the fish, however, is during its spawning period which occurs in the major lakes just after the white bass run, in May and June. A sandy bottom or the rip-rapping slopes around a dam or near

LONSEY FURMION DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Lonsley Furmion, 69, of Route 2, Livingston passed away Thursday, February 24, at the Rockcastle County Baptist Hospital after a long illness.

He was born in Clay County on November 11, 1902, the son of the late Albert and Sarah Melton Furmion, was a retired farmer and carpenter, and a member of the Red Hill Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Eva Morris Furmion of Route 2, Livingston; three daughters, Mrs. Roye Noe of Mason, Ohio, Mrs. Ardella Mullins of Route 2, Livingston, and Mrs. Anna Blackburn of Richmond, Indiana; one son, Owen and Stanley Furmion, both of Route 2, Livingston; three sisters, Mrs. Virginia Jennings of Hamilton, Ohio, and Mrs. Ethel Morris of Richmond, Indiana; two brothers, Willie and Lloyd Furmion, both of Hamilton, Ohio, eleven grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, February 26, at the Red Hill Baptist Church by Bro. Harvey Penzol and Bro. Floyd Carter. Interment was in Red Hill Cemetery.

Arrangements were by Cox Funeral Home. *****

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Three Mt. Vernon boys escaped serious injury early Tuesday evening when their car left the Old Brothead Road near the residence of Ed Hunt, Buddy Dean Price, 23, told State Police that he was traveling east on KY 1326 (Old Brothead Road) when he met a car which caused him to slip off the edge of the pavement. He said he then lost control of his car when coming back on the road, went across the road and hit a concrete culvert, going into a ditch and then up onto a bank. The car then turned crossways and came to rest partially in the road. Price sustained only minor injuries. His two passengers, Phillip Owens and Jerry Wayne Carter, were also unharmed.



The last Mt. Vernon Red Devil team goes into a huddle during last Friday night's home battle with Williamsburg around Coach Jack Laswell. The Devils were ahead at half-time but couldn't fight off a hard Williamsburg rally in the last half and took the loss. In the photo are, from left: Troy McClure, Casey Carroll, Jerry Blackworth, Lyndon Smith, Coach Laswell and Jim Mullins.



The first tip-off of the last game for the Mt. Vernon Red Devils occurred last Friday night in a game with Williamsburg. There was a capacity crowd to see the game which drew the curtains on high school basketball at Mt. Vernon after 45 years. For 25 years, Jack Laswell has been at the helm of teams at Mt. Vernon and this season's end also sees the end of his coaching career.



ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM—Ten players were named to the All-Tournament Team during the Rockcastle County Jaycees Grade School Tournament which was held last week at Mt. Vernon School. Named to the team were, front row, from left: Bill Henderson, Mt. Vernon; Jim Jasper and Billy Shotton, Summersville. Back row, from left: Jerry Pansol, Mt. Vernon; Rick Wolfe, Roundstone; Wayne Gilliam, Livingston; Roger Baker, Crab Orchard; Garland Van Hook and Roger Hopkins, Brookfield. Not present when the picture was taken was Roger Lackhard of Burnside.

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Burlord Parham, left, principal at Livingston School, is shown presenting a trophy to basketball coach Preston Parrett. The trophy was given to Mr. Parrett by the faculty and students at the school as a token of appreciation for Mr. Parrett's 18-years of service as head coach of the Livingston Blue Devils.

"FARM SCHOOL" (Cont. From 9)

Mink's 252 acre farm is being used as a "case farm." Land, labor, capital and management are being considered in determining alternative enterprise combinations. Mr. Clay Colson, Soil Conservationist and Mr. Jim Ross, Soil Scientist, have assisted the group in soils and land use management. Those attending are: Tommy Mink, Kenneth Stewart, Wayne Adams, Jack Whitaker, Harlin Farthing, Earl Roberts, Dexter Roberts, Paul Hansel, Steve Bullen, William K. Bullen, Russell Parsons, Edward Sower, Jr., Billy Randolph, Lew Hunt, Hal Hunt, Harold Ballinger, Jack Owens, Rolla Perry, William Lewis Coffey, John Houston, Roy Brown, Clay Colson and Jack Roberts.

Cong. Tim Lee

Carter Comments

Congressman Tim Lee Carter of Kentucky stated in Washington this week that the largest killer of infants in the United States between the ages of one month and one year is a disease called Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS).

Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS)

For many years, officials called this disease "crib death" and were almost totally at a loss to explain the cause. Kentucky's Fifth District Representative announced, "I have recently introduced, along with my colleagues of the Subcommittee on Public Health and Environment, House Joint Resolution 1070, which would pave the way for new research into this mysterious killer. My colleagues and I feel that this measure is vital. The cause and prevention of this disease are unknown, and there is a lack of adequate knowledge about SIDS and its effects among the public and professionals who come in contact with it." H.J. Res. 1070 would provide for a greater concentration of medical research into SIDS, and the extension of services to families who lose children from the disease. The National Institute of Child Health and Human Development of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare would be directed to make the search for a cause and prevention a top priority. Part of this effort would be through the awarding of re-

search training grants and fellowships.

There would be an increase in the distribution of appropriate literature for the education of medical examiners, social workers, families, and others who deal in some way with this disease.

The resolution provides that the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare be directed to work toward the institution of statistical reporting procedures that will provide for a reliable index to the incidence and distribution of SIDS cases throughout the nation.

Sudden Infant Death Syndrome would also be added to the International Classification of Disease.

"It is time," Congressman Carter pointed out, "that we focus new attention upon this killer, about which we know very little. The Subcommittee on Public Health and Environment will soon be examining this legislation, and I shall work for the adoption of this long-needed measure."

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LEGISLATIVE VISITORS—Students from the Kentucky School for the Deaf in Danville visited the General Assembly in Frankfort last week. Here the political science students watch as Arch Walker, an instructor at the school, interprets the action on the House floor below. (Gary Robinson Photo)

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Corporation Formed To Assume Hospital Operation

Four Mt. Vernon men have formed a non-profit corporation and have technically assumed operation of the Rockcastle County Hospital. The Rockcastle County Baptist Association served written notices on the Rockcastle Fiscal Court February 5 that they would discontinue operating the hospital within 120 days. The Association had operated the hospital since it was built 16 years ago.

Forming the new corporation are: Bill Bailey, James W. Lambert, Wayne Stewart, and Robert Cromer. The group's first chore was to bring the hospital's operation up to Medicaid and Medicare standards.

One of the major obstacles will no doubt soon be hurdled, Mr. Bailey said that it is expected confidently that the hospital will be accredited once again by Medicaid by the first part of April.

The hospital was cut off from receiving payments for Medicaid patients as of December 10 and were also notified that they were in the process of being cut off by Medicaid. However, the men went to Frankfort and asked for an extension from Medicaid and obtained one for sixty days.

Of course, the corporation's prime interest at this point is to get the hospital back on Medicaid and to keep on Medicare since with the loss of Medicaid the hospital also lost 12 1/2 percent of their income. At present, this goal is almost realized since the only thing which stands in the way of the hospital meeting the Medicaid standards is the acquisition of a Registered Nurse and with feelers out state-wide,

These men have now assumed complete control and operation of the hospital's operation and are hereafter in complete control of all assets of the corporation and will assume all liabilities.

Then the big job started, that bringing the hospital up to standards. Several big jobs were required for this. Among them were the building of a fire wall and fire calling in the basement; setting up nursing procedures; making the auxiliary power unit automatic; boiler repairs, up-dating and typing medical records and policy procedures and a hundred and one other smaller items.

According to Bill Bailey, 90% of the work has been completed and the credit is due, in large part, to the cooperation of County Judge Charles Carter. For example, the building of the fire calling wall, the boiler repairs, new lights for the kitchen, painting which is to

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The year, the classes of 1922, 1932, 1942, 1952, and 1962. Tickets to the banquet are \$2 per person and you should call 748-3385 to make reservations.

THREE CALLED FOR PHYSICALS
Three Rockcastle youths will undergo physical examinations on March 14, according to Mrs. Della M. Seals, clerk of Selective Service Board No. 85.

Called for physicals are: Billy Ray Ballinger, volunteer, James Tommy Adams and Donald Dale Mason. Induction call for March is set.

MRS. PEARL C. WISE DIES FEBRUARY 25
Mrs. Pearl C. Wise, 71, of Springfield, Ohio, passed away Friday, February 25, at the Berea Hospital.

Two perennial favorites of the Renoir Valley Bandstand will be on stage at the Big Barn Saturday night to help usher in another Bandstand season. Old Joe Clark, left, and Pete

She was born in Jackson County on February 26, 1900, the daughter of Mrs. Lula Phillips Carpenter of Mt. Vernon. She was the late Isaac Carpenter, was a member of the Livingston Order of the East Star Chapter and the Livingston Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, G.L. Wise of Route 2, Livingston; one son, Oral Wise of Centerville, Indiana; one sister, Mrs. Mandy Moyer of McKee; four brothers, Fieldon, Huey and Walter Carpenter, all of Livingston, and one brother, Charles W. Wise of Walton and Miss Peggy Wise of Livingston and two great grandchildren.



Shown above is some of the 64 persons who were on hand Monday night to hear Mayor Chester Wolfe speak to the Rockcastle County Improvement Council. Mr. Wolfe has been Mayor of Middletown for the past six years. He is also president of the Cumberland Valley Area Development District and of the Municipal League.

Mayor Wolfe Speaks To RCIC On Industry

Sixty-four persons were on hand Monday night at a meeting of the Rockcastle County Improvement Council to hear Middletown Mayor Chester Wolfe speak.

around the efforts of Middletown in obtaining industry in that city.

The meeting was called to order by Roy Brown, president, who introduced Galiff Craig, Executive Director of the Cumberland Valley Development District.

Mayor Wolfe told the group that last year's sign was a turning point in getting industry in Middletown. At that time, a half-million industrial development bond issue was floated and to date, \$335,000



BURGESS L. KIRBY DIES AT RESIDENCE
Burgess L. Kirby, 60, of Route 1, Mt. Vernon passed away Friday, February 25 at his home.

He was born in Rockcastle County on July 19, 1911, the son of the late W.M. and Mattie Rowe Kirby.

Also along this line, Rex Wesley, extension specialist in development, spoke to the group about a study that has been made on solid waste disposal for Rockcastle and Laurel Counties combined.

She is survived by one son, Arthur Wynn of Livingston; two daughters, Mrs. Fannie Rogers of Carl Orchard and Mrs. Maude Olin of Livingston; one brother, Joe Blevins of Harlan; one sister, Mrs. Sally Whit of Harlan, 18 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren.

MIDDLETOWN MAYOR CHESTER WOLFE

JOHN C. CLOUSE, 80, DIES FEBRUARY 25
John Christopher Clouse, 80, of Spud Hill passed away Tuesday, February 22 in Cincinnati, Ohio.

MRS. GRACE V. HARPER FORMER RESIDENT DIES
Mrs. Grace Viola Harper, 71, of Springfield, Ohio, and formerly of Mt. Vernon, died away Tuesday, February 29, in Dayton after a long illness.

She was born in Rockcastle County on June 24, 1900, the daughter of the late George and Magdalene Scarborough. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon.

The Berea Tigers Grade School team won the championship game of the Jaycees Tournament held last week by defeating Pulaski County Junior High 38-32. The Tigers advanced to the finals by defeating Burdette and Mt. Vernon while Pulaski County rolled over Livingston and Berea in the preliminaries.

Mr. Wolfe's talk centered around the efforts of Middletown in obtaining industry in that city.

LOOK BACK THROUGH THE YEARS

"Basketball At Mt. Vernon and Charlie Hines' Contribution to it"

By: Billy Hiett
Having a seven-year-old son who aspires to play basketball for the University of Kentucky some day, I have found my interest in basketball blossom once this year. Last week, Willie Lee and I wound up at the Mt. Vernon High School gym no less than four times. Frequenting the gym so often, I was with your article, "Basketball at Mt. Vernon School," which has brought back many pleasant memories of basketball at Mt. Vernon.

The Kentucky Freshman "cream" Florida, as Willie Lee said. He didn't have much time to make an observation concerning the size of the gym since he was too busy eating his dogs, pop corn, drinking colas, and observing like a veteran of the Kentucky score a point. It was only after we were leaving the coliseum that he looked up to us and said, "Gosh, it sure was big in there."

Nov on Saturday, 40 years after his "career" began at Mt. Vernon, I take Willie Lee down to "Charlie's Clinic" and he is still there, supervising the gym, teaching the young boys to shoot, pass and dribble.

Now on Saturday, 40 years after his "career" began at Mt. Vernon, I take Willie Lee down to "Charlie's Clinic" and he is still there, supervising the gym, teaching the young boys to shoot, pass and dribble.

While the farm boys were out milking cows, the town boys were indoors developing their skills, which contributed much to Mt. Vernon's early domination of the other county teams. It was not until the county grade schools began to consolidate, that Berea and Livingston began to play on an even par with Mt. Vernon; and in the last few years, the busy farm boys from out in the rural sections have more than held their own.

In paying final tribute to the "old gym," it was adequate until after World War II. After the war, cars became more plentiful and better roads enabled basketball fans to travel farther to see their favorite team play. The "old gym" began to "rock and reel" under the pressure of the large crowds that came to see Coach Albert Albright and his fine teams play. In fact, Coach Albright and his 1947 team won the district championship for the first time in 13 years for Mt. Vernon. Starting for this team were: Keith Arnold, Jack Bullock, Billy Kirby, Douglas Woodall and Milford Talan, Jr. Substitutes were: Buddy Childers, Carol Gilliland, Mickey Smock, Don Treon, Kenneth Cummins, Terrill Owens

the annual stockholders meeting of the Cedar Rapids Country Club will be held at the club house on Tuesday night, March 7 at 7 p.m.

MENU: Friday night - Salmon croquette, fried potatoes, mashed potatoes, greens, macaroni and cheese, deviled eggs, cole slaw, hot rolls and chocolate and coconut cream pies. Saturday - Fried chicken, pork roast with dressing, mashed potatoes, hot rolls and chocolate and coconut cream pies.

CHARLIE HINES "Basketball Player and Unofficial Instructor at Mt. Vernon for over 40 Years." (Cont. to 9)



SENATE'S YOUNGEST—Sen. Michael R. Moloney, D-Lexington, takes time to discuss the recent abortion reform hearings with some young lobbyists. From left to right are Moloney, Ernest Scorsone, lobbyist for the Kentucky Student Assn., and Reddy C. Westerfield, University of Kentucky student government vice president, and Ann Friend of Legal Action for Women. (Karen Tam Photo)

Letter To Editor

Kentucky Legislative Report

rump, not a bawling out for a misjudged play, and that boy went back to to do it. Sportsmanship goes a long way with a team, not to mention trust, honor, honesty, dignity (which is plain to see when our clean-cut young Tigers hit the floor), and love for their fellowman, even when that fellowman sometimes gives you the elbow.

Every parent in the Brohead district can give thanks to Coach Riddle for instilling these qualities in the boys, even when the parents fall a little short. For example, we carelessly begged, threatened, screamed, pulled hair and cried trying to get our boy to bring up his grades all to no avail. Then, all at once, on his own, he decided to bring up those grades in order to play ball under Coach Riddle and he has. He may not make the "big team" but that's not what counts.

Few men would part with their summer vacation to keep an eye on our young people. But this is exactly what Coach Riddle has done for the past several years at the Brohead playground. Through sun, mud, rain, scratched knees, pulled hair, bloody noses and black eyes Coach Riddle has been there as a "built-in-baby-sitter" for parents just not there.

It is too much to hope that in later years some of his former "stars" will come back to try and fill his shoes. Goodness knows we need all the "Coach Riddle's" we can get.

Grateful Parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lear Brohead, Ky.

Gov. Wendell H. Ford sent an administration-backed bill to the House last week which would relieve the threat of raising municipally-owned utility taxes throughout the state.

The legislation, which received bipartisan sponsorship from Northern Kentucky representatives, provides that costs of relocating utility fixtures along public right-of-ways will be borne by the Kentucky Department of Highways and the federal government.

These fixtures include wires, poles, towers, cables, pipes, mains and conduits.

Presently, the cost of relocating utility fixtures is the responsibility of the utility or municipality. Such action often prompts higher rates or local taxes.

During the press conference announcing the bill, Governor Ford said there are planned utility relocations at Ashland, Louisville, Lexington, Frankfort and numerous other communities where passage of the law would be beneficial.

House Panel Reports Governor's Budget

The House Appropriations and Finance Committee favorably reported Governor Ford's \$3.2 billion 1972-73 state budget without changes despite efforts to amend certain sections.

House Minority Leader Rep. Harold DeMarcus, R-Stanford, proposed amending the four percent coal severance

tax to impose an additional 25-cent-a-ton levy on stripped coal.

DeMarcus argued that strip mining is far more profitable than deep mining and better able to pay a 25-cent-a-ton tax.

Under the governor's proposal a 30-cent minimum tax would apply to all types of coal.

DeMarcus proposed that 15 cents a ton of his extra tax should go to schools in coal-producing counties, with the remaining 15 cents going to those county governments.

The amendment was defeated by a vote of nine to six and the budget proposal given favorable approval.

Home Rule Measures Advance in Both Houses

Legislation to grant home rule for Louisville and all of Kentucky's 120 counties advanced in both houses of the General Assembly.

The Senate passed Senate Bill 165 that would provide broader powers to all county fiscal courts and House Cities Committee favorably reported House Bill 355 which would grant more power to

the Louisville Board of Aldermen.

Both measures are designed to allow local governments greater powers to solve local problems without relying on the legislature to provide solutions.

Opponents of the bills argued they might grant fiscal courts too much taxing authority and take it away from the General Assembly.

Supporters replied that only authority "not in conflict with the state constitution and statutes" would be granted.

The Senate bill narrowly passed 18-16 and the House bill was approved by the committee 12-1.

House Panel Reports Higher Education Bill

The House Education Committee favorably reported a bill that would in effect create a new state Council on Public Higher Education with increased coordinating powers over Kentucky colleges and universities.

The measure, Senate Bill 54, unanimously passed the Senate and has the backing of the Ford administration. It would expand the council's voting membership from nine to ten by making the state school superintendent a voting member, and give Governor Ford the option of naming all new members or reappointing current members.

The bill also would give the council increased power to approve or disapprove graduate and professional education programs and campus construction projects exceeding \$100,000.

It also would:

- * Make UK and the University of Louisville the only institutions in Kentucky authorized to offer full-scale graduate and professional programs.
- * Provide university status for Kentucky State College.
- * Give legislative approval to the controversial merger of the Salmon P. Chase School of Law with Northern Kentucky State College.

Presidential Primary Bill Moves to House Floor

A bill that would make Kentucky the nation's 23rd state with a presidential primary election was favorably scored by the House Elec-

tions and Constitutional Amendments Committee.

The measure now goes to the full House for passage.

It is a committee substitute for a measure originally introduced by Rep. Carl Nett, D-Louisville. The revision contains an emergency clause that would make it become law upon signature by the governor.

Thus, if passed, it would allow the state's first presidential primary to be held next May 23.

Every candidate on the ballot of two or more presidential primaries before Kentucky's and who won at least 5 percent of the vote in those primaries, would automatically be placed on the Kentucky ballot.

The bill would have a "winner-take-all" feature insuring the victor would get all the delegate votes from Kentucky for at least three ballots at the national convention.

The winning candidate in Kentucky would be required to name his own state delegates to the national convention.

Nine More Bills Signed by Gov. Ford

Gov. Wendell H. Ford signed into law nine more bills passed by the 1972 General Assembly including the landmark consumer fraud bill which he supported.

The measure, which becomes effective in mid-June, outlaws "false, deceptive and misleading" sales practices and gives the attorney general enforcement power.

Other measures signed would:

- * Reclassify Flemingsburg as a fourth-class city.
- * Prohibit General Assembly members from serving on the boards of trustees or regents of any state-supported college or university.
- * Reclassify Wilmore as a fourth-class city.
- * Pay a state death benefit to widows and children of police officers killed in the line of duty.

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A crisp tossed salad and chunky Italian bread are perfect go-alongs.

PARMESAN CHICKEN STEW

1 can (16 oz.) Chicken Stew
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1 can (16 oz.) Orzo
1/2 cup Parmesan cheese
1/2 cup Italian dressing
1/2 cup olive oil
1/2 cup red wine
1/2 cup white wine
1/2 cup chicken broth
1/2 cup tomato sauce
1/2 cup mushrooms
1/2 cup onions
1/2 cup carrots
1/2 cup celery
1/2 cup bell peppers
1/2 cup mushrooms
1/2 cup onions
1/2 cup carrots
1/2 cup celery
1/2 cup bell peppers

Cooking stew, beans and orzo for 15 minutes. Add individual baking dishes. Top with tomato sauce. Bake at 350°F for 15 minutes or until hot. Makes 2 servings.

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Frankfort Watchline

The shape of things to come is pretty apparent as the Kentucky Legislature goes into its final two weeks. That is, the people who watch closely have a fair idea of what is and isn't going through.

Let's touch briefly on strip mining. For instance, one guess is that nothing drastic will be done to curtail it. Oh, maybe a few restrictions on blasting higher than 100 feet, but that would really injure an industry which is growing all the time, or give ultimate protection to an environment which is paying the price of that growth.

Then there's no fault insurance. The lawyers oppose it, the insurance industry advocates it, the public is thoroughly confused. So, this time around, no go. The lawmakers, besieged from both sides, aren't going to take a chance with such a controversial matter as this.

A really important topic is the proposed new Kentucky Penal Code, which for the first time organizes and specifies crimes and punishment on a modern basis. We're guessing it will be approved, but minus at least one section: the one which allows therapeutic abortion

under certain conditions. Abortions now are illegal in Kentucky except to save the woman's life, and the pressure is too heavy at the moment against reform. There also has been some static from law-and-order types against changes in the drug statutes, but this is somewhat weak because not even law authorities are agreed on just what they do.

If any administration proposal is in real trouble, we don't know about it. However, look for a tough fight on the proposed 2-cent gasoline tax increase. It's probably not at this time if only for one reason: the Road Fund really is the central affair. Tom Emberton went through as the party's prime candidate for governor last year.

The Republicans have become convinced that one of Emberton's mistakes was to avoid a real fight in the primary. Sure, such fights leave scars, but they also generate publicity and identification for the winner.

More legislators than you might think had only recently learned from removing the 5-cent sales tax from foodstuffs, but this is a campaign pledge. Many of the same legislators oppose a gas tax raise.

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A DEAD ISSUE?—When inviting newsmen to a Capitol building Agriculture Com-



SELLING KENTUCKY—Directors and managers of numerous private tourist resorts joined with representatives from state agencies recently at the Columbus, Ohio, Sport and Vacation Show to attract out-of-state travelers to Kentucky. The Columbus show was one of 14 travel shows being manned by the tourism promoters to sell Kentucky's tourist attractions. From left to right are: Jack Lynn and Paul Oliver, Department of Fish and Wildlife; Shanna Columbus, Department of Public Information; and Don Peck and Weldon Pettoy, members of the Lake Cumberland-Date Hollow Tourist Assn. (Ray Scott Photo)

Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor:
As a native of Mt. Vernon, Rockcastle County, I wish to express my deep appreciation to Opp Bussell, Jr. for the excellent little book he has written about Col. James Mearl, The Boone Way Man, who pioneered the good roads movement in our county and other parts of Kentucky early in this century and who really put Rockcastle on the road map.

Equally important to the subject matter of this book is the fact that, so far as I know, this is the first published bit of history concerning one of the most historic counties in Kentucky. In fact, I believe the Rockcastle County file at the Kentucky Historical Society in Frankfort is an empty one. With this booklet as a model, I wish it were possible to prevail upon Opp Bussell to consider writing and publishing a long overdue general history of Rockcastle County. It would require much work, but I believe he would

be helped by such history lovers as John Lair, Mrs. Blaine Coffey, Robert Shodgrass, Mrs. Roscoe Adams and many others, including myself—*all of whom could contribute from their recollections.* Above all, the sponsorship of the Rockcastle County Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution would be invaluable. It would be financially unprofitable as I am sure Mr. Bussell has learned from his present book, but I am sure there are many Rockcastle people present and former residents, who would help in this respect.

Wm. W. Thompson
Pompano Beach, Florida

Dear Editor:
More and more young women from Mt. Vernon come to Louisville every year to seek employment, to further their education and training, or to visit. Many need secure, comfortable and reasonable living quarters.

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We, as parents, feel that a "two-way gun salute" would not have been enough honor to be paid to Coach Billy Riddle as we saw the last high school basketball game played on the floor at Brodhead February 18.

From back in the early fifties, Coach Riddle has been a "big guy" to look up to on the playground and on the gym floor. We never saw a boy go back to the game without a pat on the back.

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COUNTY STATISTICS

Deaths Recorded

Helen and Lester Bullock, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Bentley and Joyce Bullock. Tax \$10.00.

Johnny Lee and Tennessee Northern, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Jerry Northern. No Tax.

Marriage Licenses

Kenneth Ray Cobb, II, Route 3, Mt. Vernon, carpenter, to Alice Precia Bowling, 24, Mt. Vernon, February 23, 1972.

Earl Ernest Randall, 67, Cincinnati, Ohio, retired, to Florence Katherine Smith, 69, Somerset, February 26, 1972.

County Court
Public Drunkenness, \$10.00 fine, Cecil Gibbons, Gian

Smith.
Disorderly Conduct, \$50.00 fine, Wayne Denny.
No Operators License, \$2.00 fine, Joyce Cox.
Overweight Truck, \$8.50, Albert Morelock.

COMPLETES BASIC

Army Private Pearl T. DeBord, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis DeBord, Route 1, Brodhead, has completed eight weeks of basic training at the U.S. Army Training Center, Infantry, Ft. Polk, La.

He received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, combat tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and army history and traditions.

Pvt. DeBord received his training with Company E of the 1st Brigade's 4th Battalion.

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JOHN T. WRAY, et al.,
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vs.
VIRGIL ANGLIN, et al.,
Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to a judgment and order of sale of the Rockcastle Circuit Court rendered on the 28th day of January, 1972, and for the purpose of selling jointly owned property and satisfying a judgment in favor of John T. Wray and Mildred S. Wray, d/b/a Wray Funeral Home, in the amount of \$1,150.00 plus interest at the rate of 6% per annum from the date of said judgment, I shall proceed to offer for sale on the premises on the Copper Creek Road, near Conway, in Rockcastle County, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder at public auction, on the 11th day of March, 1972, at 10 a.m., the following described property:

A certain parcel of land lying and being in the County of Rockcastle, State of Kentucky, and on the waters of Roundstone Creek bounded as follows:

Beginning at iron stake now Elmer Hale's corner and on South side of Copper Creek Road; then N 46 1/2 E 13 poles to stake; then N 17 1/2 W 13 poles to white oak; then N 80 W 14 poles to stake at county road; thence S 17 E 21 1/2 poles to beginning, containing 1 1/4 acres, being the same more or less.

And being the same property conveyed to William H. Lamb and his wife, Ollie Lamb, by deed from Richard Van Winkle and his wife, Genesey Van Winkle, dated April 2, 1946, and recorded in Deed Book 48 at page 369 in the Rockcastle County Clerk's office. And being the same property acquired by Berry Lamb, et al., by descent from William H. Lamb, as shown by affidavit of descent dated August 26, 1971 and recorded in Deed Book 48 at page 369 in the Rockcastle County Clerk's office, and being the same property acquired by Virgil Anglin, et al., by descent from Ollie Lamb Anglin, as shown by affidavit of descent dated _____, 1972, and recorded in Deed Book _____ at page _____ in the Rockcastle County Clerk's office.

The 1972 taxes shall be assumed and paid by the purchasers.

Said property shall be sold on the following terms: cash at the time of sale, or for \$500.00 cash with the balance due within three (3) months, bearing interest at the rate of 7% per annum from date of sale.

If sold on a credit of three (3) months as aforesaid, the Commissioner shall take from the purchaser or purchasers a bond with good and sufficient surety for the balance due on the purchase price.

Said property shall be sold free of all liens.

/s/ Carl B. Williams
Master Commissioner
Rockcastle Circuit Court

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These students in the new four-year nursing program at Eastern Kentucky University check charts at the Patten A. Clay Hospital, Richmond, where they will gain their first experience in patient care. They are, from left, Glenna Bentley, Knott County; Ann Gentry, Brodhead; Lucy Sawhill, Basking Ridge, N.J.; Janice Reeves, Richmond; Tom Osko, Lexington; Karen Hill, McDowell; Yvonne Forkal, Nicholson, Pa. The nursing program leads to a baccalaureate degree at Eastern.

Around BRODHEAD

Personals

Bessie Bowling returned home Friday from the Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Kemmer, Jackie and Ina, and Mrs. Sarah Barnett were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Mays.

Mrs. Edna Miller of Mt. Vernon visited her daughter, Linda Mays, Monday.

Mrs. Pat McKinney and Chris were in Berea Monday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby McKinney and Chris were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mays and family.

Chris McKinney spent Thursday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mays and Melvin.

Frank Mays and Cecil Sargent visited Woodrow Harris Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Taylor visited Mr. and Mrs. Bobby L. Taylor and girls Sunday.

Mrs. Cora Lear and Mrs.

Jenny Stevens and Marty were in Richmond Friday. Mrs. Stevens consulted a doctor.

Glan Burton is confined to his home with the flu.

Mrs. Argie Bentley, Mrs. Wanda Lear and Michelle and Mr. and Mrs. Billy P. Riddle were in Mt. Vernon visiting Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Cromer visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mink Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Cromer visited Mr. and Mrs. William McFerron at Sand Springs Sunday.

Thursday night visitors of Rosemary Wilson and Connie were Stella Burke, Mrs. Eugene Halcomb and girls and Gary Wilson.

Dessie and Norma Mobley of Lancaster spent Saturday night with her sister, Rosemary Wilson and Connie.

Sunday evening guests of Rosemary Wilson and Connie were Junior Blohm and nieces, Dessie and Norma Mobley of Lancaster, Mrs. Eugene Halcomb and girls of Brodhead and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stevens and children

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Mckee, Ky.

Mrs. Hallie Frith and Mrs. Illa Wade Lambert were in London Friday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Self Parkinson and Mr. and Mrs. Buford Parkinson were in Lexington Sunday to attend the funeral of Earl Shaffer.

Mrs. Cora Lear, James Lanford of Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lanford and Mrs. Jean Emma over the week end.

Mrs. Teresa Adams and sons of Shelby City, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lanford of Mt. Vernon, and Miss Mrs. James Lanford of Ohio were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lanford.

Mrs. Ella Mae Martin and Mrs. Vieta Simpson were in Danville Wednesday shopping.

Mrs. Brenda Bradley and Allen visited her sister, Mrs. Everett Wodall, Mr. Woodall and family Sunday.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Payne in the death of their son in Ohio, Bro. Charles Hogg of Science Hill visited Mr. and Mrs. Billy P. Riddle Monday night.

A.A. Proffitt has returned home from the Lancaster Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pope visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cash Sunday afternoon.

Ray Proffitt spent Saturday night with Larry Bentley.

Sandy Bentley spent Friday night with her grandmother, Mrs. Argie Bentley.

Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Bentley and Sandy were Mrs. Argie Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. Billy P. Riddle, Mrs. Wanda Lear and Michelle and Wayne Burton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Cromer and Rita were in Berea Sunday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gray were in Berea Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smith and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ellison and Mrs. Rhonda Riddle of Lexington visited Mrs. Minnie Harp over the week end.

Mrs. Clarence Riddle visited Mr. and Mrs. Edna at Copper Creek Sunday.

Mrs. Lilly Dillingham of Mt. Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Dillingham and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Rigby last week.

QUAIL

Miss Regina Cash, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Lee Cash, celebrated her sixth birthday recently. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cash and Mr. and Mrs. David Cash, Allison and Lorrine.

Mrs. Mary Scott celebrated her 84th birthday at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Caldwell and Ella, with a dinner recently. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Caldwell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burton and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Middleton and Sherry, Wayne Caldwell and Ray Scott.

Mrs. Olney Sutton and Mrs. Mable Thompson were dinner guests of Mrs. Clarence Eastham Tuesday.

Mrs. Delta Brown is a patient in the Somerset City Hospital where she underwent surgery.

Ann Mink and Thelma Ponder visited Doris Brown Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Eastham, Mrs. Olney Sutton and Mrs. Mable Thompson visited Florence Albright Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Eunice Poyner and boys visited Mrs. Irene Taylor and sons Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Mink, Florence Albright, Mrs. Clarence Eastham, Mrs. Olney Sutton and Mrs. Mable Thompson visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Logsdon Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Alza Shotts is on the sick list. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Brown of Somerset visited Mr. and Mrs. M.J. McCallin Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Austin Taylor visited Mrs. Delbert Long Tuesday.

Monday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. M.J. McCallin were Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Owens of Ohio, Mrs. Pattie Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Benton Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. M.J. McCallin visited Mr. and Mrs. Ron Burton and Paul at Plato Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Rogers and Jill and Mrs. Willie Todd visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barron and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Joe of Shoptville visited Mrs. Maude Hasty Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Ethel Barron spent

Sunday in Ohio visiting her brothers, Willie and Caleb Mink, who are on the sick list.

Mrs. Doug Smith and daughter were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Holla Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie B. Owens are on the sick list with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kattelle and Scotty spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Arthur Logsdon.

Miss Louise Bullock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bullock and family Sunday.

A household shower was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Barron at the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bullock. They received many nice gifts.

Robert Scott visited his mother, Mrs. Mary Scott Monday. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Smithers at Crab Orchard Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Victor Todd visited Mrs. Mary Scott Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pope visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cash Sunday afternoon.

Sunday afternoon visitors of Mrs. Christine Brown were Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Brown and Mary Jo and Mrs. Cleis Brown and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Brad Barrens and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thompson and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Casper G. Owens Sunday afternoon.

WILLAILLA

W.E. Burton remains about the same.

Those on the sick list are Clarence Jay Brown, Joe Yeakoch, Irvia Dennis, Mrs. Mary Taylor and Mrs. Julia Norton.

Ben Smith is reported getting along very well. A speedy recovery is wished for him.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Norton of Cincinnati, Ohio, Mrs. Oma Vaught and Bobby and Lewis Burton visited Mrs. Julia Norton Sunday.

Mrs. Gemmie Thompson visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Thompson and Cella Thompson recently.

Russell Long is getting along very well.

Delbert Long visited Mr.

and Mrs. Russell Long recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sanders of Indiana visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Long recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Stevens and family of Dayton, Ohio have been vacationing here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McClure and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stevens.

Carlton Brown and Carol Brown of Pine Bluff, Arkansas visited their uncles, W.E. Burton and J.M. Burton recently.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Reynolds were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Reynolds and family of Quail and Arvell Burton.

Dorothy Duvall of Lexington spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Heddie Duvall, and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Burton.

Mrs. Thelma Brown has

returned home after visiting in Ohio and Indiana.

Junior Price is getting along very well in Veterans Hospital in Dayton, Ohio.

Lloyd Burton preached at Fairview Sunday.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Burton were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Burton and family of Cincinnati, Ohio.

J.M. Burton was in Somerset Saturday to consult a doctor.

Carlton and Carroll Brown were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. G.D. Burton.

Mr. and Mrs. G.D. Burton, Lewis Brown and Arvell Burton visited Mr. and Mrs. Buswell Long recently.

Dale Taylor, who is attending Somerset Community College, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Taylor.

Jackie Gelf received his 17th birthday recently with a

party at his home.

Junior McKinney has returned home from Somerset City Hospital. A speedy recovery is wished for him.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Burton were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Price of Bandy, Mrs. Ruby Sutton of Otawa, Mrs. Mabel Thompson of Somerset, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Norton of Cincinnati, Ohio, Robert Gentry of Lava Green, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Brown of Bandy, Carl and Carroll Brown of Pine Bluff, Arkansas, Betty Lou Vaughn of Frankfort, Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Whitaker, Grover Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. G.D. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Burton and James, Mrs. Heddie Duvall, Willis Thompson, Mrs. Lora Ping, Mrs. Edith Pilgipe, Matt Burton, Mrs. Noretta Thompson, Carl Stevens, and Lewis Brown.

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IN BEREA

Social And Women's News



both been transferred to Rockcastle County Baptist Hospital.

Mrs. Cartrude Hilton is back on duty at City Cafe after being confined to her bed at home several days with flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Andrikin of Mansfield, Ohio, and their daughter, Mrs. Dennis Burbin and her, Burton of North Carolina visited Mrs. Minnie Andrikin at the Mullins Rest Home last week. They were here to attend the funeral of John Colton, father of Mrs. Roy Andrikin.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Tanner of London, Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Welles and daughters, Cynthia and Rose Mary, of Burnside spent Sunday with Mrs. Hastie Mullins.

Charles Ray Caborn of Corbin spent Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. Dorcas Webb, at the Skidmore Rest Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Skidmore and son, Jerry Scott, spent Sunday with Mrs. Lydia Howard.

Mrs. Grace Mullins of Pine Hill visited Mrs. Loris Howard Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ball of London spent Sunday with Mrs. Lydia Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Hurlay of Louisville spent Tuesday night of last week with the father, Bill Hurlay, at the Rockcastle Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leach and Mrs. Edgar Mullins of Louisville were in Mt. Vernon Tuesday on business and visited Mrs. Carrie Baker. They also visited their sister, Mrs. Ed Abney in Berea.

Mrs. Robert Cromer is back at her post of duty as teacher in Roundstone Elementary School after being confined to her home with laryngitis, part of last week.

Recent guests of Mrs. Ella Ponder were Mr. and Mrs. Leive Ponder of Richmond and Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. McDaniel and daughter, Virginia, of Cincinnati, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Burdette, Joy and Vincent, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Himes and family of Paint Lick were in Nashville, Tennessee over the weekend and to attend the Grand Ole Opry.

Friday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Burton were Mr. and Mrs. Troy Roberts of Rutledge, Tennessee. Mrs. Roberts and daughter, Mrs. Robert Anglin and Harrison Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Jones of Lexington and Mrs. Robert Kirby visited Mrs. Lona Logsdon Monday.

Mrs. George Burton and Mrs. Robert Anglin and Nancy were in London Saturday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burton were in Stanford last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Durbin and Sheila visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Blanton, Dr. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Ward and daughter, Rebecca Sue, of Dayton, Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ward and Eula Jane over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Wright, Teresa and Todd, of Middletown, Ohio spent a few days recently with her parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bray. Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Doan were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knox and children, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Malott and Burgess Leon Doan. Also visiting the Doans were Mrs. Nanale Tyree and daughter of Lexington and Mrs. Ella Raley.

Mrs. Lewis (Florida) Doan, who underwent surgery at the St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington in December, is gradually improving at her home in Mt. Vernon. Her sister, Nancy Holmbeck of Somerset, has spent some time with her.

Visitors of Mrs. Shelby Smith at Berea Hospital Saturday were Kenneth Hanes of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy McClure of Paint Lick, Mrs. Lena Parsons and Mrs. Patsy White, both of Brodhead, Mrs. Smith is suffering from a broken hip.

Home Line

By Cheryl Witt

March 1 - 11 is National Peanut Week

The more you eat, the more you want—that's what people have been saying for years about peanuts. They are nutritious as well as plentiful. Two tablespoons of peanut butter is equal to one half a meat serving in protein.

Well, right now there are enough peanuts to satisfy everyone's appetite. So many in fact, that the U.S. Consumer and Marketing Service reports that the country produces on their plantations 1.5 billion pounds of peanuts a year.

So serve peanuts, and peanut butter, in a variety of ways. Here are some recipes you may want to try:

Peanut Butter Fudge Cake

3/4 cup butter or margarine
3 eggs
2 1/4 cups sugar
3 1/2 squares unsweetened chocolate (melted)
1 1/2 teaspoons baking soda
1 1/2 cups ice water
1/2 cup peanut butter (smooth or crunchy)
3 cups sifted cake flour.
1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla
3/4 teaspoon salt

Cream butter, peanut butter, sugar and vanilla. Add melted chocolate, blend well. Stir together dry ingredients, add alternately with water to peanut butter-chocolate mixture. Pour into 3-inch greased layer pan, or 1 ten-inch tube pan. Bake in moderate oven 350 until done (top will spring back when pressed), 30-35 minutes for layer pans; 45-50 minutes for tube pan. Cool & frost.

Peanut Butter Fudge Frosting

2 cups sugar
2 1/2 squares unsweetened chocolate
1 cup light cream
1/2 cup peanut butter

Combine ingredients in a heavy pan. Boil over high heat 3 minutes without stirring. Reduce heat and cook until it reaches soft ball stage, 238 degrees. Cool. Beat until creamy and of spreading consistency. Add cream if too thick. Spread on sides of cake

first, and a little over to edge. Frost top last.

Peanut Butter Bread
1 3/4 cups flour
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup peanut butter
1/4 cup milk
1 tablespoon baking powder
1/2 cup sugar

Preheat oven, 350. Mix flour, baking powder, salt, and sugar in large bowl. Mix in peanut butter with a fork until crumbly. Set aside. Beat eggs slightly and add milk. Add liquid mixture to flour mixture. Stir just enough to mix. Fill a greased loaf pan half full. Bake in 350 oven about one hour.

Peanut Butter Pie
Pie Crust
1 cup flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup peanut butter
2 tablespoons cold water

Pie Filling
2 eggs
1 cup light corn syrup
1 cup peanut butter
1 teaspoon vanilla

Preheat oven, 350. Mix flour and salt well. Mix in fat with fork, two knives or a pastry blender until crumbly. Sprinkle two tablespoons water over mixture. Mix lightly with fork. Add a little more water if needed to make dough into a ball. Roll out dough on lightly floured surface. Fit into 8 inch pie pan.

Beat eggs. Mix in corn syrup, sugar, peanut butter and vanilla. Pour into unbaked pie crust. Bake at 350 45 to 50 minutes until top is browned and crisp. Cool before serving.

The U.S. Consumer and Marketing Service reports peanuts in plentiful supply right now, so it's a good time to try your hand at some homemade peanut butter. Just place one cup of freshly roasted or salted peanuts and 1/2 tablespoons of peanut oil in the container of a blender. Blend the mixture until it's smooth, adding another 1/2 tablespoons of oil gradually (or enough to make the peanut butter the proper consistency). Add 1/2 teaspoon salt if the peanuts are unsalted.

County Agent's Notes

By: H. Leo Durban

Don't Forget! Dr. C.J. Kaiser, Extension Forage Specialist, and Dr. Russell L. Bradall, Extension Beef Specialist, will be here March 7 at 8:30 p.m. in the PCA Building for an important meeting with beef producers of Rockcastle County.

Dr. Kaiser will talk about a 365 day forage program for beef cattle and Dr. Bradall will discuss breeding, selection, and performance testing.

Dr. Charles E. Eastin, President, Kentucky Livestock Improvement Association, and Mr. Hugh Finley, District President, will be here for a brief meeting of the Wilderness Trail Livestock Improvement Association.

Topdress Small Grains With Nitrogen Now
Topdress small grains with nitrogen now for a better harvest next summer. The ideal time to topdress is in late

February or early March, on dry days or days when the ground is frozen. Nitrogen increases yields by increasing the number and size of tillers and leaves. The nitrogen is applied too late in the spring the rate of leaf area to stems will be increased, causing too much vegetative growth and late, uneven maturity.

Topdressing with nitrogen is also important in reducing incidence of rust disease on wheat. Topdressing late in the season increases chances for severe rust damage.

The amount of nitrogen to apply depends on soil characteristics, previous crop, and characteristics of the particular variety. In general, rates should be from 20-30 pounds per acre. These rates are based on the use of 20-40 pounds of nitrogen at seeding time.

Use the higher rates of the recommended range on the stiffer strawed wheat and

TO BE WED— Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Carlottis of Livingston announces the engagement of their daughter, Koula, to Durrill Dee Collinsworth of Mansfield, Ohio, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Collinsworth. Miss Carlottis is a student at the Eastern School of Hair Design in Richmond. The wedding will be an event of March 11 at the Livingston Baptist Church at 8 p.m. No invitations are being sent. All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

MISS PRECIA BOWLING HONORED WITH SHOWER

A bridal shower was held in honor of Miss Precia Bowling Friday, February 18 at the home of Mrs. Faye McCandley.

Hostesses were Mrs. Joyce Baker, Martha Carter and Doris Robbins.

Miss Bowling received many gifts and delightful refreshments were served.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS FEB. 22

The Mt. Vernon Woman's Club met Tuesday, February 22 at the First Baptist Church with 16 members and two visitors present.

Mrs. Hazel Owens, president, presided over the meeting and Mrs. F. Earl Mullins gave the devotional.

"Freedom is well as Love," taken from Gal. 5:13-14.

The program was presented by the Public Affairs Committee and Mrs. John Griffin, chairman, introduced the speaker, Gailiff Craig, Executive Director of the Cumberland Valley Development District. Mr. Craig spoke briefly on the progress of work in this area and then showed a film of progress reports. Many local scenes such as Lake Lilyville, the city housing project and construction of the Marymount Hospital in London were featured in this film.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. David Gregory, Mrs. Henry Mason, Mrs. Carrie Baker and Mrs. John Allen.

FIRST DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mullins of Mt. Vernon announce the birth of their second child and first daughter born Wednesday, February 23 at the Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington.

She has been named Carrie Calla and weighed eight pounds at birth.

The Mullins have a son, Roland D. Mullins, 15, age 5. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Van Hook and Mrs. Hattie Mullins, all of Mt. Vernon.

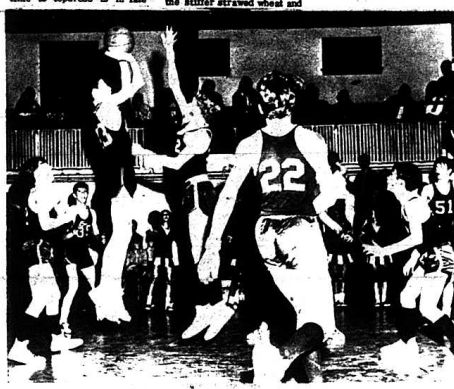
DAR TO MEET

The Rockcastle Chapter of the DAR will have its regular meeting Saturday afternoon, March 4 at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Roy Green in Renfro Valley.


Speaker for the meeting will be the State National Defense Chairman, Miss Frances Moore.

Personals

Mrs. Burgess Blanton, who has been a Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington since February 12, when she underwent surgery there, and Mr. Hystinger, who was in Berea Hospital during that time for treatment, have



Garland Van Hook 45, of Brodhead goes high for two-points in the Joyce tournament Saturday night. Van Hook, an outstanding young player, scored 16 points "in spite of playing with a broken finger."



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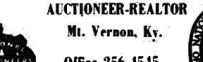
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Several Rockcastle County Educators recently visited the Title III Curricula Experimentation Component, which is located in the Taylor County Elementary School at Campbellsville. During their visit, these educators observed teachers utilizing educational television (Kentucky Educational Television programming and local Closed Circuit Broadcasts), the team teaching process, linguistic approach to the language arts, and direct access information retrieval system. Gary N. Seaborn, Curricula Coordinator, Title III, is coordinating the innovative program with Walter Green, Taylor County Superintendent, Mrs. Carole Whitely, Title III Curricula Developer, and administrators and faculties of the Taylor County Schools. The Curricula Experimentation Component is a part of the Somerset Regional Supplementary Education Center in Region V. The innovative curricular programs in L-14 County are financed by special federal grants from the United States Office of Education through the Kentucky State Department of Education, Rockcastle Co. Educators in the above photo are, from left: Diane Masters, Doty Williams, Laura Durham and Mary Sawyer.

From Our Files

37 YEARS AGO
 MARCH 7, 1935
 State Treasurer Elam Hudleston has sent to Rockcastle County a check for \$5,251.96 which represents the county's share of 1/3 of the total collections from the state tax for the second quarter of the fiscal year. Rockcastle County received \$5,121.71 from the sales tax distribution for the first quarter which brings to \$11,373.67 the amount required by the county for the first half of the year. The law requires that this money be applied on the road and bridge bond indebtedness of Rockcastle County which totals \$211,000.
 Mr. and Mrs. Estil McBees announces the birth of a daughter, born Saturday.
 Mrs. Eugene Stokes, Mrs. Harmon Helton, Mrs. Everett Bryant and Miss Ruby Bryant attended a district meeting of the O. of A. in Corbin Wednesday.
 Robert Robinson celebrated his 14th birthday Friday night with a party for 22 of his

friends given by his mother, Mrs. W. W. Anglin.
 Mr. and Mrs. Marlon Hamilton and daughters returned Saturday from a three-month stay in Florida.
32 YEARS AGO
 MARCH 7, 1940
 The Woman's Club met at the library of the Mt. Vernon School Tuesday February 27.
 Hostesses for the meeting were Miss Clarissa Hicks, Mrs. Fritz Kraeger, Miss Wollie Davis, Mrs. R. H. Bird, and Miss Mary McBees.
 The Fidelis Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church, at their regular monthly class meeting Friday evening, March 1 surprised Mrs. Clayton Ponder (Lucille Wood) with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Berna Rose Ferguson with Miss Mae McFerron as co-hostess.
 The Mt. Vernon Commercial Club will take on the Mt. Vernon school faculty in a basketball game Tuesday night, March 12. Playing for the faculty will be: William Landrum, Kearney Campbell, W.R. Champion, Lester McHargue, Charles Brown, Charles Hines and Walker Hines. The Commercial Club line-up is as follows: R. B. Bird, Hope Griffin, L.D. Bryant, W.L. Simpson, Fritz Kraeger, E.R. Demme, R.N. Egan, M.R. Maggard, Dr. J. D. Henderson, H. Westmoreland, N.M. Smoot, financial secretary, Dr. M. Pennington and Dr. Walker Owens, trainers, T.J. Nicely, publicity and R.B. McKennie, mascot.
 Mr. and Mrs. William Dowell returned home Friday after spending the winter in Florida.
18 YEARS AGO
 MARCH 4, 1954
 Mrs. Alfred L. Cummins of Renton Valley left Saturday for Ladd Air Force Base in Fairbanks, Alaska where she will join her husband, who is stationed there. Alie and Mrs. Cummins will make their home in Fairbanks for the few months.
 A bountiful supper was served February 24 in the Brotherhood School cafeteria in honor of the Brothred "Tigers," Coach Albert Albright, manager Byron Owens and the six cheerleaders. Special guests were D.A. Robbins and Rev. Elmer Elliott.

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Capitol Digest

Gov. Wendell H. Ford announced the appointment of Miss Cattie Lou Miller as the new commissioner of personnel, replacing Ralph Howe. Governor Ford mentioned Howe as the result of recent legislation removing the personnel commissioner and certain of his staff from the state merit system.
 Miss Miller, of Horse Cave, was served as commissioner in various capacities since the 1940s.
 During that period she has twice served as commissioner of public information under Gov. Bert Combs and Edward Breathitt and also as an advisor to Governor Breathitt.
 "She served as an assistant to Ford when he was lieutenant governor."

FAIR BOARD MOVES TO CORRECT FIRE HAZARDS
 The state Fair Board announced it is launching a program to correct fire safety deficiencies at the Kentucky Fair and Exposition Center which recently was criticized for 27 hazards by Louisville Fire Marshall Merle Brown. A lack of automatic fire sprinklers was noted in some areas as well as a need for fire resistant construction and wider exits.
 Brown also said Freedom Hall, the center's main arena, has exceeded its safe attendance capacity of 22,000.
 Donald L. Johnston, executive director of the center, said there is no deadline for meeting the safety standards and a study will be made before work begins.
 He said the state Insurance Finance, Public Safety and other departments will be consulted when plans are made for improvements.

LACK OF GUIDELINES CAUSED AIR PROBLEMS
 Frank P. Partee, technical director of the Kentucky Air Pollution Control Commission, gave a U.S. Senate subcommittee his views on why states have had problems in implementing 1970 amendments to the federal Clean Air Act.
 Partee testified in Washington before the subcommittee "on-water and air pollution during hearings on solidification of the amendments."
 He said many of the problems resulted from interference by the Office of Management and Budget which prevented the Environmental Protection Agency from drawing implementation guidelines soon enough.

"Kentucky like all states, was caught in a bind," Partee said. "Few states were equipped to perform complicated analyses of the effectiveness of regulatory measures needed to meet air quality goals, much less determine in any meaningful fashion all the related social and economic ramifications." He questioned how any state could plan air quality measures and minimize social and economic disruption "without cohesive national policy."

Bowling Report

The Rockers still head the League Mixed Bowling League with a record of 86 wins and 24 losses through Thursday night, February 24. In second place is the Outlets, 64-36 and in third is the Noe St. Squares, 60 1/2 - 39 1/2.
 Individual highs for Thursday night, February 24 were as follows:
 High game, men: Bill Reynolds, 207; Del Bray, 201 and Jack Noe and James Noe, 200 each.
 High series, men: Jack Noe, 552; James Noe, 552 and Bill Sowder, 528.
 High game, women: Mildred Reynolds, 167; Shirley Mullins, 162 and Ada Noe, 178.
 High series, women: Astlee Bray, 485; Ada Noe, 475 and Virginia Winstead, 443.
 High team game, Rockers - 758. High team series, Rockers - 2,167.

Committee chairman Rep. Joe Clarke, D-Daviess, who introduced a bill to remove the presidents from their rotating council posts, asked, if they didn't dominate the body and impede independent discussion.
 Gilbert replied that the presidents are expensive because of their expertise and broad knowledge.
 "I want to assure you that the presidents have to relate not only to the council but also to the other presidents," Gilbert said.

COMPANY SEIZURE ORDER MODIFIED
 Franklin County Circuit Judge Henry Meigs modified an order allowing the state to seize three Louisville insurance companies and permitted company officials to return to their offices.
 Governor Ford obtained the order against Teachers National Life Insurance Co., American Businessman's Life Insurance Co. and Western Pioneer Life Insurance Co. All are controlled by American Pyramid Companies, Inc. of Louisville.



LEAP YEAR BIRTHDAY
 Steven Johnson, son of Junior and Doris Johnson of Lexington celebrated his fourth birthday February 29 with a party at his home. Even though Steven is four years old, this is the first year he has had a birthday. Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Ella Mae Proctor of Mt. Vernon and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson of Route 3, Mt. Vernon.

The firms were charged with "certain irregularities and alleged violations of Kentucky statutes."
 Under the seizure order state insurance commissioner Harold McCutney, appointed as "rehabilitator" for the companies, had installed appointees to run the firms. However an attorney for the three firms argued that, while seizure without a hearing is legal, appointment of a rehabilitator without a hearing is not.
 Meigs then issued a new order which in effect allowed company officials to again operate the three firms with McCutney monitoring their actions.

"BURGESS L. KIRBY"
 (Cont. From Front Page)
 and Mrs. Mary Suter of Westchester, Ohio, one brother, Rob Kirby of Midland, Ohio, and two grandchildren.
 Funeral services were held Monday, February 28, at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel by Rev. Loraine Wilson. Interment was in Walnut Grove Cemetery.

"MRS. GRACE HARPER"
 (Cont. From Front Page)
 held Friday, March 3, at 5 p.m. at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel by Bro. Raymond Offert and Bro. Ray Cummins.
 Interment will be in Elmwood Cemetery.
"MRS. PEARL WISE"
 (Cont. From Front Page)
 Pallbearers were Holt Carpenter, Clyde Carpenter, Fletcher Wise, Tommie Wagner, Joe Robinson and Orvil Buchart.

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We are also in the process of installing a walk-up window which will be located in the front of the bank building. As quickly as this is installed, which is anticipated to be by the 15th of March, the walk-up window will also be open each Friday night and Saturday afternoon.

We are complimented that you have placed your confidence in The Bank of Mt. Vernon by entrusting us with your banking transactions. This is one of the reasons that we are continually striving to serve you, the customer and the community, with better service and we hope that our customers and future customers will take advantage of these added conveniences.

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