

Rockcastle Recollections

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First religious services in Kentucky were conducted at Boonesborough on May twenty eighth, 1776, by Rev. John Lytke, an Episcopalian, in the early days of the settlement. There is no further record of his activities, except that he was later killed by Indians.

First minister to preach regularly in Kentucky was Rev. Thomas Tinsley in Harrodsburg, Kentucky, beginning in April, 1776, a Baptist. First minister to locate permanently was Rev. William Marshall, who settled in Lincoln County, in 1779.

Among earlier workers in the vineyard in the new state were Baptists, Methodists, Presbyterians and Episcopalians, probably the most active of which was Bishop Ashbury, who characterized his reports of trips across Rockcastle County by scathing remarks on the condition of Skaggs Trace and the inhospitality of stopping places along the way.

In the way of establishing churches in the Wilderness more was accomplished by the Baptists than by any other denomination, in our county as well as elsewhere.

The first fully organized church to function in this area was not organized here, but in Virginia. It was what was long known as "The Travelling Church," which followed its pastor, Rev. Lewis Craig, from its old home to a new location in what is now Garrard County, Kentucky. Rev. Craig had previously made a trip to Kentucky in search of a place to which to migrate. Incidentally, no part of his holdings were located on Skaggs Creek, according to land office records. After acquiring property to his liking, he returned and informed his congregation of his intention of moving to Kentucky and so great was their affection for him that the entire congregation, numbering around five hundred, immediately decided to make the move with him. From September until the summer of 1781 they struggled across the Wilderness, pausing only a few days at a time. The next morning they were met by an Indian ambush, wild animals and severe winter weather. They were active as a church throughout the entire journey, stopping along the way to observe the Sabbath and conduct full religious services.

In such a study as we are now able to make after such a lapse of time and further hampered by the absence of well kept church records, we must conclude that the majority of the churches in Rockcastle County, regardless of present affiliations, were Baptist, in their beginnings. One notable exception, however, is the Mt. Vernon Christian Church. It seems likely that the first church building erected in this county was built by those of the Presbyterian faith. It stood on what is known as Fairground Hill, in the outskirts of Mt. Vernon, and occupied a spot later encircled by the race track of the Old Rockcastle County Fair. Col. James Maret was authority for the statement that from 50 to 75 graves were once visible around the old church site but had been plowed under and obliterated by 1913.

We do not know how long the Presbyterians occupied this building when it ceased to serve as a church. The next religious building in this area was on a site nearer the courthouse and just back of land later occupied by Krueger's Lime Kiln. For many years it served as both a church and school house and continued to be used for school purposes until replaced by a new building in 1887. In the meantime the Baptists seem to have taken over the church and had early become a member of the Boone Creek Baptist Association. In 1830 the Boone Creek Association dropped the Mt. Vernon church from its membership, stating as their reason for doing so that it had "accepted the position of the reformers," meaning that its congregation had become followers of the new Christian denomination being set up by such leaders as Alexander Campbell, Barton W. Stone and Hacoon John Smith.

The name of the Mt. Vernon Christian Church next appears in print in the June, 1835 issue of "The Gospel Advocate" where mention is made that a number of churches in the area surrounding the Bush Branch Church of Lincoln County, Kentucky, had been invited to attend a meeting there, that only eleven churches did not respond, the Mt. Vernon Church being among that number.

Next printed reference is in the book, "Without Scrip or Purse," written by Rev. George O. Barnes, styling himself "The Mountain Evangelist." Brother Barnes, who lived during a part of his youth in Rockcastle County, set out to preach in every mountain county in the state, later extending his evangelistic work to include not only all of Kentucky but the whole of the United States and many foreign countries. He conducted revival services in the Mt. Vernon Christian Church from February ninth to twenty-ninth in 1881. He was much discouraged with results in the beginning of his revival, which later, however, resulted in more than one hundred additions to the church, causing him to write in his diary at the conclusion of his campaign "And thus closes the Rockcastle meeting, which for boldness of effort and first and warmest at last we have never seen equalled anywhere."

The building in which Bro. Barnes held his memorable revival had been erected in 1865, on land given by E. T. Fish and wife. It was a two-story frame building, with a Masonic Hall occupying the second floor. After the present Christian Church building was erected, the frame building, which is still standing, was occupied for several years by the office and plant of the Mt. Vernon Signal. While still being used as a church building, it was the scene of a

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Quail

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Mink and Mrs. Hollars of Ohio visited his sister Ruth Mink and Ann last week.

Bro. and Mrs. W. C. Sawyer and son, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bullock and Tana, and Florence Albright were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pender and family Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Reynolds and children spent Thursday night with Florence Albright.

Mrs. Lucy Bullock and Rosie visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Bullock and Tana last week. Mrs. Bullock recently fell and hurt her foot.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie N. Owens and Shana of Ohio spent Easter weekend with their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Anderson and Betty Hodge and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Owens.

Mrs. and Mrs. Bobby Bullock and family of Ohio spent Easter with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bullock Sunday.

Easter Sunday visitors of Mrs. Willie Todd were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Rogers and Jill, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Barron and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Barron and Wayne Todd.

Easter Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes and family were Mr. and Mrs. Butch Carl and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Brock and son, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Dyer and Amy, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Whitaker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Tracy, Rev. and Mrs. Edd Gibbs, Gus Whitaker, and Sunday afternoon guests were Thomas Hayes and Mrs. Don Hopkins and Regina.

Randy Hasty of Louisville spent Easter with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hasty and grandmother Mrs. Maude Hasty.

Monday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cash were Mrs. Shirley Caldwell and Mrs. Mary Scott.

Jim Brown visited Mr. and Mrs. Estel Gentry Monday.

Ernest Brown visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cash Saturday afternoon.

Weekend visitors of Mrs. Christine Brown were Mr. and Mrs. Casper G. Owens and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Broughton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Caldwell and son, Ray Scott and Wayne Caldwell of Ohio spent Easter weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Caldwell and Mrs. Mary Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lawrence and Mrs. Christine Brown visited Mr. and Mrs. Casper G. Owens Sunday afternoon.

A Birthday Dinner was given for Mrs. Shirley Caldwell at her home Wednesday. Those to help her celebrate were Mr. Caldwell, Mrs. Mary Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burton.

Roy Mink was Sunday dinner guest of his sister Ruth Mink and his daughter Ann.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Price of Broodhead are the proud parents of a son born at Somerset City Hospital Friday, April 12th. They have chosen the name Scotty Wayne. He is welcomed home by a sister.

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remarkable exhibit of Christian fellowship and co-operation. After the present Mt. Vernon Baptist Church was organized in 1887, they shared with the Christian Church the use of this building in a most novel manner. The congregation of each church attended services, regularly, as one group. On one Sunday the Christian minister preached, on the next the Baptist minister occupied the pulpit. This system was continued in perfect harmony for a period of ten years, when the Baptist Church erected their own church building and moved into it in 1897. Ministers for most of that time were Rev. John Carmichael, for the Baptists, and Rev. P. J. Hiatt for the Christian Church.

Aunt Fann Adams, in 1939, the oldest living member of the Mt. Vernon Christian Church congregation, remembered that in 1865, while the church building referred to was being built, services were held in the old log court house, built in 1811.

In 1925 the Mt. Vernon Christian Church erected its present brick building on West Main Street at a cost of about twenty thousand dollars. The Willing Workers raised three thousand dollars of this amount and Mrs. W. J. Sparks gave two thousand. Ten people gave five hundred dollars each and there were about twenty others who gave from two to three hundred dollars each.

In a brief history of the Mt. Vernon Christian Church written in 1939 by its pastor, Rev. W. A. Fite, he listed ministers to that date as Dickey, Payne, Huffaker, Elliott, Wheatley, Mills; Colyer, Gibson, Owens, Chestnut, Kirtley, Allen (pastor when the Barnes Revival was being held); Hiatt, McCall, Ballou, Forrer, Boswell, Campbell, Hartsfield, Cole, McCollum, Masters, Schaefer, Tinsley, Young, Burnette, Ligon, Bonwasser, Roe, Groby and Fite.

A few notes will be added to the above, which is otherwise corrected and written just as it will appear in our history of the county. This will probably be followed by a series of sketches of Rockcastle Churches, intended for the same purpose. If readers wish to make any additions or corrections, it is hoped that they will contact me immediately upon reading the article with which they are concerned so that they may be attended to promptly.

Since we have begun this series with the history of the Mt. Vernon Christian Church, which we are led to believe is the oldest in the county, we will continue treating with Christian Churches until the list is exhausted, after which we will take up the many Baptist Churches and their early work in Rockcastle County.

In the meantime, so that no church - especially the older ones - will be omitted from the county history, anything anyone can tell us about any church, of any denomination, will be greatly appreciated.

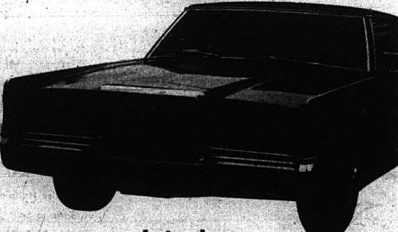


ATTENDING THE STATE TEEN LEADER Environmental Workshop from this county are Dale Bradley and Tommy Cook. One hundred teen teens from forty-three counties were expected for this April 15-19 event. Most of the workshop delegates are sophomores and juniors in high school and members of 4H or other youth groups. Each will do some follow-up work in his or her home county on environment and resource conservation, using the training received at the workshop. The delegates from Rockcastle County were sponsored by the Soil Conservation Service.

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was a member of the Walnut Grove Church of Christ since 1938.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Betty Jones Cromer of Route 1, Mt. Vernon and one brother, Sam, of Brodhead.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, April 16, 1974 at the Dowell and Martin Funeral Home with Bro. Lorraine Wilson officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

MRS. SARAH SCOTT

Mrs. Sarah Scott, age 80, of Lexington and formerly of Rockcastle County, passed away after a long illness, Thursday, April 11, in Lexington. She was born in Lincoln County on July 28, 1893, the daughter of the late Sherman and Margaret Wren and was a member of the Providence Church of Christ.

She is survived by: two sons, Dexter of Vine Grove and Homer of Lexington, one and one great grandchild also survive.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday, April 15, 1974 at the Dowell and Martin Funeral Home with Bro. Charles Brown officiating. Burial was in one Providence Cemetery.

MICHAEL ARNOLD

Michael Arnold, age 11, of Route 1, Mt. Vernon, passed away Saturday, April 13, 1974 in a Lexington Hospital. He was born in Rockcastle County on May 10, 1962, the son of James and Hilda Bowling Arnold and was a sixth grader at Brodhead Elementary School. He attended Fairview Church of Christ.

Besides his parents, he is survived by: four brothers, James Frankie Arnold, Donald Lynn, Ronald, all of Mt. Vernon and David of Paducah; two sisters, Robin and LeAnn, both of Mt. Vernon; his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Arnold of Route 1, Mt. Vernon and his maternal grandfather, Bernard Bowling of San Antonio, Texas.

Services were held Monday, April 15, 1974 at 2 p.m. at the Fairview Church of Christ with Bro. Arnold Larkin officiating. Burial was in the Fairview Cemetery.

Arrangements were by the Dowell and Martin Funeral Home.

9TH DISTRICT WOMEN'S CLUBS MEET

Miss Tina Cain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cain of Mt. Vernon, represented the Mt. Vernon Woman's Club at the annual Spring Music Co. contest in art, music and sewing.

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Sunday Dinner Menu: Oven Baked Steak, Chicken Salad, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Pickled Beets, Fried Apples, Cottage Cheese with Fruit, Tossed Salad, Hot Rolls.

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BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION...

Those attending the birthday celebration for Mrs. Clara Bustle Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bailey, Sharonville, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Don Von Borgen and Donna, Reading, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monahan, Deer Park, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bustle, Milford, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sears and Kim of Cheviot, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Bustle of

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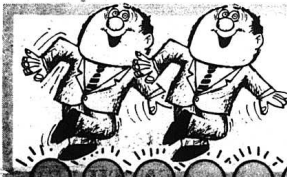
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Fairview

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Also several members gathered at the Fairview Cemetery for an Easter Sunrise Service. Everyone enjoyed it so very much.

Alvie Reynolds of Macedonia has returned home from the Somerset Hospital. Please remember him when you pray.

The Lord's Supper was served at the Fairview Baptist Church Wednesday night April 10th with 57 members taking part in the service.

We extend our sympathy and prayers to the people who have lost loved ones, homes and property during the recent tornado. May God bless and care for them. I thank God, too, for the thousands of people who have come to their aid in many different ways. We all thank God for sparing us through this section of the county. But we have all learned something from all this destruction: God can take us or He can leave us. He has all power both in Heaven and on earth. He is showing us that he still lives and rules. I feel he is displeased and maybe even angry with us. And who knows this may be just the beginning. But the one consolation is this - if you dedicated Christian, you can't have to worry or be afraid. You will be ready to go "anytime" He calls. May God bless you all to be ready.

Mrs. Cletus Peters and Beverly and Mrs. Barbara Peters were in Louisville Monday to consult with Barbara's physician.

Visiting Mrs. Nell Bales in Berea recently was Mrs. Cletus Peters.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. John Vaughn and Bertie to our community. They moved here from Crossville, Tennessee last week. Mrs. Vaughn is the former Bertha Reppert, daughter of the late Eugene Reppert and Mrs. Liddie Reppert.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Chasteen visited Mr. and Mrs. John T. Stephens Tuesday night last week.

Mrs. Liddie Reppert of Mt. Vernon was Easter weekend guest of her daughter Mrs. Hubert Chasteen and Mr. Chasteen at the home of the returned to the Singleton Nursing Home Monday morning.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Chasteen were Mrs. Liddie Reppert, Mrs. Bertha Vaughn and Bertie. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Chasteen and sons of Berea.

Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tip Reppert and Melody were Mrs. Estil Saylor of Lynn, Indiana, Mrs. Liddie Reppert of Mt. Vernon, and Mrs. Mrs. Hubert Chasteen of Saffold Cane. Dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Reppert of Conway.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Vaughn have been Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Alexander and family, William Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. John Church and family, Mrs. Liddie Reppert and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Chasteen. The Fairview Homemakers met at the home of Mrs. Preston Anderkin Friday night. Five members attended.

Miss Dorothy Lambert of Ft. Gordon, Georgia has returned home following a visit with her family Mrs. J. H. Lambert and other relatives.

Mrs. Ann Deaton and family and Mr. Morton Jett of Jackson were, Easter dinner guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Powell. They also visited her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Alexander during the afternoon.

Spending the Easter weekend in Dayton, Ohio at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ballard Rader were their daughter Gerry of Berea and Louise Reppert of Saffold Cane. They reported a very enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. James Seals and Kim of Berea visited her sister Mrs. John Church, Mr. Church and daughters Sunday. Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cope were Mr. and Mrs. Mill Miller and family of Poplar Gap and Bill Patrick of Fairview.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cope and Buddy attended the funeral of Mrs. Artie Rowland in Berea Friday.

Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Pender were their sons Mike and Doug and families.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tip Reppert and family last Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Peters and Beverly.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Smith and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Preston Anderkin and Cheryl Monday night.

Guests of Mr. Laura Gabbard of Snider Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs.



4-H'ers who will be judging clothing at the State Fair include: Michelle Staton, Mary Sue Alsip, Lisa Parsons, Patricia Alsip and Nancy Case, all of Brodhead. Alternates in clothing judging were Karen Hamm, Marie McGuire and Sheila Morgan of Brodhead and Lynelle Hammonds and Vanessa Hopkins of Mt. Vernon. Selection of all those judging at the State Fair, both in clothing and foods, was based on the top five scores in the junior age group and top five scores in the senior age group. Alternates were selected by the top ten scores. Thanks go to leaders who helped in the judging activity. They included: Mrs. Martha Hamm, Mrs. Noretta Thompson, Aslee Bray, Alice Hunt and Patsy Hopkins. The clothing judging training was presented by Cheryl Witt and the foods training was presented by Evelyn Sinclair of McKee.

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Showing food and buying fabric at the 4-H Clothing and Foods Economics Agent in Jackson County, Mrs. Evelyn Sinclair, home lesson on "Meals in Minutes" to leaders from Homemakers Clubs in Rockcastle County. This lesson will be presented at the clubs during their April meetings.



Thirty-eight girls and thirteen boys learned more about buying and selecting food and buying fabric at the 4-H Clothing and Foods Judging activity held Monday, April 8, at the Rockcastle County High School. The top five juniors (ages 9-13) who will judge foods at the Kentucky State Fair are Audrey Faulkner, Shari Martin and Jill Martin of Brodhead; Mike Hopkins and Eddie Hubbard of Mt. Vernon; Sembers, ages 14-18 judging at the State Fair will be Judy Bussell and Kathy Hamm of Brodhead. Alternates in food judging are David Mullins and Mark Hopkins of Mt. Vernon; John Masters and Eddie Thompson of Brodhead and Lori Cash and Kelli Payne of Brodhead.

Hugh Gabbard and baby of Richmond and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Gabbard and Gail Lee. The Hugh Gabbards later visited his brother Buddy and family at their home.

Other guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Gabbard recently were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gabbard and son of Garrard County, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams and Mrs. Chiffene Bowman and Robin of Berea.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith of Wildie last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Cetus Peters and Beverly of Fairview and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Peters and son of Berea.

Visiting Alvie Reynolds in the Somerset City Hospital Sunday were Mrs. Thurlina Blair, Mrs. Bill Stephens and his wife and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Alexander visited Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Chasteen recently.

A speedy recovery is wished for Mrs. Alta Berry of Disputanta. She has returned from the Bee Hospital where she spent a 2 1/2 days last week. God bless her.

Please remember church and Sunday school. Praise and honor God always. Let's pray for our people everywhere. We need the prayers of each other. God bless you all

Down On The Farm

By: Roy G. Brown
Assistant Vice President
Cumberland PCA

I wonder if we take time in our busy life with all the hustle and bustle in trying to make a living, to just look and admire the beauty and grandeur of old "Mother Nature." This time of the year is especially beautiful with the green fields of grass and grain dotted with little and horses grazing the lush pastures.

Then there are the fence rows and woodland mixed with the gorgeous bloom of the dogwoods, redbuds, wild plums and all the fruit trees. Beneath all of this beauty are the many flowers with their fragrant blooms to fill the air.

It would do us all good to take a little time out and observe all this beauty that God has gifted to us including the

wild animals. If looking isn't enough, try listening to the birds singing those delightful tunes.

Let's all take a little more time to enjoy this wonderful life "Down on the Farm."

Further Unemployment Assistance - Gov. Wendell H. Ford announced that residents of thirteen additional Kentucky counties are eligible for unemployment assistance funds if left jobless as a result of tornado damage. The counties are Boone, Boyle, Bullitt, Clark, Grayson, Green, Harrison, McCreary, Pulaski, Rockcastle,



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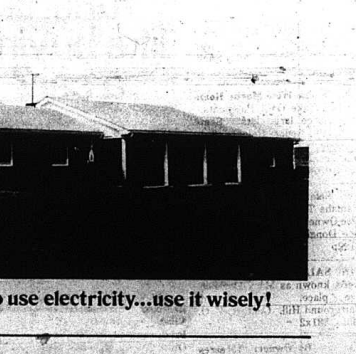
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NOTICE Precinct East Mt. Vernon No. 1 at Library will be changed to Fred Baker Garage on Main Street, Mt. Vernon.

NOTICE Election Officers: Clifford Biles, Clyde Barnett, Walter Hyndman and Manuel Shepherd 31x2

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Thomas J. Hansel, deceased. All persons having claims against said Estate shall present them, verified according to law, to the said Sara H. Ramsey, 612 Ravine Avenue, Frankfort, Kentucky, 40601 or to James W. Lambert, Mt. Vernon, Ky., attorney for said Estate, no later than July 15, 1974. 31

EXECUTRIX NOTICE Notice is hereby given that Mae Brown, Brohead, Kentucky, has been appointed Executrix of the Estate of J. S. Burke, deceased. All persons having claims against said Estate shall present them, verified according to law, to the said Mae Brown, Brohead, Kentucky, or to James W. Lambert, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky, attorney for said Estate, no later than July 25, 1974. 31

IN MEMORY OF EMMETT McCLURE... In memory of our dear loved one, Emmett McClure, who passed away April 17, 1973: One year has passed since that sad day God called our loved one home. There is a Gate at the end of the Road through which each must go alone. And there is a Light we cannot see. Our Father claims his own. We loved him so, we could not bear to part. Until a loving God, gave us comfort for our heart. And left us dreaming how very often. It must be since he lingers here. When the sweetest love of his life he gave. As Dear In the love of there as the love of here. When the sweetest love of his life he gave. To the simple things, where the violets grew. Sure as the eyes they were likened, too. The touches of his hands have strayed As reverently as his lips have prayed. We will meet again soon on And never's shore And heaven has to part anyone our love, has found happiness and rest. And there is comfort in the thought That a loving God knows best. Sadly missed by his wife, Mary E. McClure, Children and Grandchildren.

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BFD PANCAKE SUPPER FEB. 21, APRIL 26TH

There will be a "Pancake Supper" at the Brodhead School Luncheon on Friday night, April 26th, from 6 to 8 p.m. Tickets will be \$1.50 for adults and children under 12 years, \$1.00. Door prizes will be given. This supper is sponsored by the Brodhead Fire Department. This is a voluntary organization and their proceeds come from donations and various money-making projects.

The door prizes to be given at the "Pancake Supper" were donated by interested citizens of the community.

Four names and address will be written on the back of your ticket when you attend the supper and deposited in a box for the drawing. You will not have to be present when the drawings take place. No firemen or any member of his immediate family will be eligible for prizes.

Tickets may be purchased from any fireman or at Brodhead Hardware, Elder Dry Goods, Brudley Arco, and Dillingham Supply. *****

VA CONTACT REP HERE APRIL 24TH

A. E. Moore, a Contact Representative of the Bureau of Veterans Affairs, will be present on Wednesday, April 24th at the Sheriff's Office in Mt. Vernon to assist veterans and their dependents with claims for benefits due to them as a result of their military service. Mr. Moore will be present from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. *****

COUNTY-WIDE SPELLING CONTEST WINNERS NAMED

The annual county-wide spelling contest was held April 11th at Brodhead Elementary School.

Participants from the 7th and 8th grades were: Steve Centers, Roundstone; Tommy Baldwin, Brodhead; Kevin Roberts, Mt. Vernon and Patricia Barnes, Roundstone. Participants from the 4th, 5th and 6th grades were: Tony Saylor, Mt. Vernon; Harold Whisker, Brodhead; Lyle Mullins, Livingston and Gary Pickle, Roundstone.

Winners were Steve Centers from Roundstone and Harold Whisker from Brodhead, both of whom were given an award pin. *****

FELLOWSHIP MEETING SET FOR APRIL 27

There will be a Kentucky Clear Creek Alumni Fellowship Meeting held Saturday, April 27th, at the Renfro Valley Lodge.

The day will begin with a coffee hour from 11 to 11:30 a.m., followed by lunch from 11:30 to 12:30 and 12:30 to 1 p.m., an informal program of testimonials will be given. According to Ralph Duncan of the Clear Creek Baptist School in Pineville, 70 reservations for the event have been received and only a few more can be accepted. If you are interested in attending, please contact Mr. Duncan at Clear Creek Baptist School in Pineville. *****

Rockcastle Land Area Is 311 Square Miles

In Rockcastle County smaller or larger, in terms of land area, than it was ten years ago? Has it changed at all in that respect?

Figures released by the Census Bureau show that many sections of the country are quite different in size than was previously reported. Others have remained the same.

Interest in how local communities have been affected on that score stems from government findings which indicate that the United States as a whole has lost over 12,000 square miles of its recorded land area since 1960.

In fact, the country's area figures have been dropping steadily since 1940, when the records were begun.

Currently, the nation has a total land area of 3,336,855 square miles, the official figures show. This compares with the 3,548,974 listed in 1960. It is a drop of 12,119 square miles.

Despite the ups and downs noted in many communities, Rockcastle County remains the same as before, with a land area of 311 square miles.

The figures for the State of Kentucky, on the other hand show a decrease in size, from an area of 39,863 square miles in 1960 to 39,650 square miles now.

Why has the United States lost so much ground? To some extent, land losses have resulted from rising waters encroaching on their banks.

Much of the recorded change, too, is attributed to a more accurate method of computing land areas. The Census Bureau, using a new electronic machine, has been able to eliminate and correct.

Break-In Attempt At Drive-In Filled

A seventeen-year-old youth from Akron, Ohio was foiled in his attempt to break in the Kiwi Drive-in on U.S. 25 North of Mt. Vernon about 3 a.m. Saturday morning.

Alfred Cummins, owner of the business, discovered the attempt in progress and held the youth at gunpoint for 45 minutes until State Police could arrive.

A companion of the youth, eighteen-year-old Thomas Thompson, also of Ohio, reportedly did not take part in the robbery attempt but was arrested at a nearby motel and charged with unlawfully and knowingly possessing marijuana, a controlled substance, and other controlled substances. He was fined \$200 and costs and released.

A juvenile hearing was held Wednesday and the youth was turned over to local Child Welfare authorities. *****

LIVINGSTON LIONS CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS.....

Livingston Lions Club met for their regular meeting last Thursday night.

Officers elected were: Arnel Taylor, President; Jerry Mink, Vice President; Charles B. Parsons, Secretary and Treasurer; and Tail Twister, Russell Mullins.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS it appears to the Rockcastle County Jaycees that the county of Rockcastle is now without ambulance service and

WHEREAS this leaves the citizens of our county and others passing through the county in a desperate condition upon a calamity befalling them in the nature of illness, accident, or other serious happening, and

WHEREAS it appears the Fiscal Court as the general government of Rockcastle County should assume their elected duty to provide for the general welfare of the populace of Rockcastle County,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Rockcastle County Jaycees go on record as favoring assistance for the citizens of Rockcastle County by providing ambulance services in some manner, be it by subsidy from Revenue Sharing Funds or from any excesses in the County Treasury.

It is further Resolved that a copy of this Resolution be published in the Mt. Vernon Signal, the newspaper of general circulation for Rockcastle County, in order to draw attention to the plight of our citizens.

ROCKCASTLE COUNTY JAYCEES

errors that have occurred in the past.

It was found, for example, that most communities had mapped their boundaries to the midpoint of bordering streams, counting all of it in with their land mass.

The removal of this extra amount from the totals made a big difference in the aggregate. By virtue of the adjustment, some 12,030 square miles of inland waters were added to the United States total.

Rockcastle County, based upon the latest figures, now has a density of forty persons per square mile, the Census Bureau states. *****

MVHS REUNION FOR CLASS OF '49

Don't forget the MVHS Class of 1949 will hold its reunion at the Rockcastle County High School Dining Room May 29th.

April 29th is the deadline for reservations to be received by Joyce Baker in Mt. Vernon. All '49ers - Make your reservations now! *****

ACREAGE SOLD....

18.71 acres of the late Mrs. Betty Parsons at Renfro Valley was sold at Public Auction Saturday morning, April 13, to Mr. and Mrs. James H. Mullins of Mt. Vernon.

The sale was handled by Ford Realty and Auction Company of Mt. Vernon. *****

NOT RESPONSIBLE.....

Mrs. Alleyne Davis, Rockcastle County Librarian, has asked us to remind users of the Recreation Center that the Center and the Library are separate functions and that library personnel cannot be responsible for children left at the Recreation Center.

**TOLL-FREE HOTLINE
ASSISTS TORNAIDO VICTIMS**

The Federal Disaster Assistance Administration in Louisville has set up a toll-free hotline to provide information and assistance for tornado victims. Those seeking help in obtaining small business or home repair loans, food stamps, emergency medical care, em-

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Grand Jury Reports On Investigations

The March term of the Rockcastle County Grand Jury adjourned last Friday afternoon and made their regular report to the Court and a special report concerning their inquiry into the possible illegal use of drugs in the County.

The Special Report heads as follows:

The Grand Jury has investigated the possible illegal use of drugs and controlled substances in Rockcastle County and has heard from many witnesses. This body's allotted time has expired without its being able to complete the investigation and hear all the proof it needs.

In view of this, all the evidence we have gathered is being referred to the July Grand Jury for the further proceedings it deems best.

In the meantime, law enforcement officers are continuing their further investigations and are directed to report to the July Grand Jury. Any person having actual knowledge of the use of drugs is urged to bring this to the attention of the July Grand Jury. Of course, the Grand Jury can only operate on actual proof.

The Grand Jury's regular report concerned their follow-up on the condition of the courthouse facilities, which had been the subject of the November, 1973 Grand Jury's report.

This report reads as follows: "We, the March 1974 term of the Rockcastle County Grand Jury, have inspected the

ANNUAL RED CROSS DRIVE STILL IN PROGRESS

According to Mrs. Sue Burdette, local Red Cross Chairman, the annual drive for funds to aid local servicemen is still in progress.

Mrs. Burdette said that due to requests for assistance to those who lost possessions when the tornadoes struck recently, some may be under the misapprehension that the Red Cross drive is over. Mrs. Burdette said, the annual drive is still in progress and volunteers will still be seeking donations for their local chapter. *****

ANOTHER TORNAIDO SOUVENIR.....

R. W. Henson of Trace Branch tells us that he came across a check, written on a Byrdstown, Tennessee bank dated May 29, 1971, in the wreckage of his father-in-law's barn on Trace Branch.

M. Henson said that thought Byrdstown was located about 100 miles south of Monticello. He said that he came across the check while looking for some tools in the wreckage, which he did not find, and surmised that perhaps they wound up in Tennessee. *****

EMERGENCY FOOD STAMPS AVAILABLE THROUGH 4/19

Ed Hunt, of the local Public Assistance office, reported Wednesday that he had just received word from State Government that emergency food stamps would be available through Friday, April 19th.

Mr. Hunt said that anyone who suffered damage during the recent tornadoes which struck here could sign up for their allotment based on the number of individuals in their family.

You may sign up for these stamps at either the Public Assistance Office or there will be a worker in the County Courthouse at the Courthouse to assist you. *****

PRECINCTS CHANGED.....

Effective with the May, 1974 Primary, the East Mt. Vernon Precinct (No. 1) formerly located at the old Library building, has been changed to the Fred Baker Garage Building on Main Street in Mt. Vernon.

The precinct No. 5 at Conway to the Dewey Lamb Garage, next door to the Conway Post Office. *****

Tornado Victims Receive Assistance



Over 15 different organizations were represented Monday and Tuesday at the Rockcastle County Courthouse to aid victims of the April 3rd tornado which struck Rockcastle County. The One Stop Disaster Center was manned by representatives of FHA, HUD, ASCS, SBA, IRS, Social Security, Red Cross, etc. In the above photo, members of the Red Cross Organization assist Mrs. Russell Blackburn, far left, whose home was destroyed by the tornado. In the photo from left: Mrs. Blackburn, Mrs. Blackburn's mother, Mrs. Wilma Thomas, Kathie Bell of Webster Springs, West Virginia, Red Cross Volunteer, Mrs. Ola Lawson, Disaster worker from New Orleans, La. and Mrs. Sue Burdette, Local Red Cross Chairman.



Several programs were covered at this area of the One Stop Service Center. James Baker of the Social Security Administration; W. E. Hunt and Mrs. Pat Miller assisted those in need of emergency food stamps and Adam P. Walker who aided those persons who lost their jobs because of the tornado, with unemployment insurance claims.



In this area of the One Stop Service Center, Mr. Ronnie Caudill, in rear of photo, with FHA and Harold Ballinger, far right, of the ASCS Office were assisting the Scalf family. In the above photo are, from left: Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Scalf and one of their children, Mrs. Susie Scalf, her daughter, Anna Scalf and the child of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Scalf. The Boyd Scalf family took refuge in their mother's home and while there, their trailer home which they had left, was completely destroyed by the tornado. Mr. Scalf's home was moved 15 feet from its foundation but none of the 23 persons inside were injured.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

JAMES DOUGLAS PREWITT

James Douglas Prewitt, infant son of Jimmy and Debra Sower Prewitt passed away suddenly April 15, 1974 at his home. He was born January 18, 1974 in Fayette County.

Survivors are: paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Prewitt, Mt. Vernon; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cromer of Mt. Vernon; and paternal great grandfather, Logan Prewitt of Mt. Vernon.

Services were held Wednesday, April 17, 1974 at 1 p.m. at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel

PAUL ROBBINS

Paul Robbins, age 54, of Norwood, Ohio and formerly of Rockcastle County, passed away Wednesday, April 10, in Ohio. He was born in Rockcastle County on October 8, 1919, the son of William and Marguerite Cromer Robbins and was a Veteran of World War II.

Mr. Robbins is survived by his wife, Francis McFerron Robbins of Norwood, Ohio; two sons, Paul Jr. and Steven Duane, both of Norwood, Ohio; three brothers, Hugh of Mt.

Funeral services were held Saturday, April 13, 1974 at 1 p.m. at the Dwell-Martin Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Norman Paslay officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery. *****

JOHN CROMER

John Cromer, age 88, of Route 1, Mt. Vernon, passed away suddenly Sunday, April 14 at his home. He was born in Rockcastle County on October 2, 1885, the son of the late Jarvis and Minta Renner Cromer and

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Frankfort Watchline

What blithering idiot, in his wildest ravings, could have dreamed up as wild a set of circumstances as face Sen. Marlow Cook, who's frantically searching for a way to get on the May Primary election ballot?

Has there ever been a more bewildering development in all of Kentucky politics than this one?

It began as the matchup of the century. Rarely before had we seen a pair of candidates as well conditioned and finetuned as were Marlow Cook and Wendell Ford. Apologies to their primary opponents but we were realistically looking to the future.

Cook was the attractive, silver-haired Jefferson Countian who, against all odds - religion included - went to the state in 1968, and was destined, as we see it, to go back every six years for almost as long as he wanted.

Then comes Ford, doing a magnificent job as Kentucky governor, fulfilling through deft manipulation of the Legislature, all of his campaign pledges and finally seeing his way clear to try and become Kentucky's second Democratic senator.

So, now what? Well, the Senator's already said he's taking this case as far as he must to get adequate relief. He says he's in substantial compliance with the law and he'll allege that his civil rights are being tampered with.

renomination before the April 3rd deadline ... it's just that silly.

There are some who attach sly cunning to Cook, hinting that he deliberately failed to file correctly, to either draw attention to himself or - and get this - to have himself thrown out of the campaign so that he might later be in a position to accept an attractive federal judgeship.

That's stupid. Cook may have been overheard complaining about the salary he's drawing, but don't forget, the United States Senate is still the world's most exclusive club and once you've been there, it's awful tough to turn your back on.

There's that item printed in Paducah the other day in which Cook was blamed for doing all of this on purpose - and important Kentucky Democrat even quoted as calling Cook "the Houdini of Republican politics in Kentucky."

Cook's response to that? "If anyone had known what I've been through the last few weeks, he'd never say that I did it deliberately."

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use of all that property -- homes, cars, everything -- was blown away by this month's killer tornadoes. And the victims got but three months' use of the goods. And that ain't right.

And Ford's got the money in surpluses to make up the difference to public agencies' budgets that change this tax law would create.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor:

I read the story that Kentucky Telephone Company has filed to increase the price on telephone service. I enjoyed reading Paul McNew's letter, too. I feel the bill is too high, anyway, for service which is very poor. Long distance and at home, too. You can't hear a party calling you three miles away at Berea. W. W. Thomason wants extra money for nothing, people of Rockcastle have been promised to have better service. Why haven't they fixed it before now? You who have phones know how sorry the service is that you get. I don't feel a price increase is justified for the lousy service we get.

You can hardly get through direct distance dialing and when you ask the operator for assistance the first thing they ask you is if you have used the direct dialing. You stand and dial for thirty minutes. I think some citizens of Mt. Vernon should draw up a petition and leave them in all public places, such as the Post Offices, Stores and Bank and let everyone who is concerned sign them. I am disgusted with W. W. Thomason for asking for price increase for such sorry service. Some folks write Kentucky Public Service Commission. I have done this already. Write the newspaper also.

Yours truly,
Carl Durham
Route 3
Berea, Kentucky

County
Statistics
...Deeds Recorded...

First Baptist Church, real

property located in Mt. Vernon, to Northside Baptist Church. No Tax.

George S. and Pauline Travillian and Georgia Catherine Robertson, real property located on the waters of Rockcastle River, to Phyllis Jean Toney. No Tax.

Carter and Jane Lawson, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Harold and Myrtle Durham. Tax \$3.00.

Oscar and Mary Saylor, property in Rockcastle County, to William O. and Gayle E. Saylor. No Tax.

Thomas L. and Mary N. Raines, Thomas Dale and Susan Raines and Steve and Jureta Ann Wells, real property located on the waters of Brush Creek, to C. Frank and Katherine Bradley. Tax \$20.00.

Henry M. and Rinda Brown, real property located on Ky. Highway 70, to Opa! M. Williams. Tax \$2.00.

Lucy Morris, real property located in Rockcastle County, to Victor H. and Linda Sue Francisco. Tax \$5.00.

Coy and Ella Baldwin, real estate located on Slattery Branch, to Eldon Baldwin. Tax \$5.00.

James A. Blair, real estate located on the waters of Little Creek, to Edgar and Della Barnett. No Tax.

James W. and Sudie Mae Kincaid, real property in the town of Brodhead, to Everett Douglas and Billie Sue Lear.

Tax \$13.50.

Melira J. Randolph, real property in Rockcastle County, to William F. and Mable Randolph and B. D. Randolph. No Tax.

Donald Ambrose, real property to Tom and Fannie Wallin. Tax \$5.00.

J. R. "Boone" and Wanda Jeanne Cromer and Eddie B. and Cleda Cromer, land located on the waters of Skaggs Creek, to to Herd and Randy G. Inc. Tax \$7.00.

...Marriage Licenses...

David Elwood Saylor, 19, Mt. Vernon, Butcher, to Darlene Marie Pierson, 20, Orlando. April 18, 1974.

Billy Douglas Gambrel, 23, Route 2, Mt. Vernon, Electronic Technician, to Phyllis Jean Toney, 31, Route 2, Mt. Vernon, Ky. Factory. April 13, 1974.

...County Court...

Drunk in Public Place, \$10.00 and costs; Paul Keith, Roy Truitt, Kenny W. Gibson, Fannie Dotson, Charles Wood, all, Sam L. Whitaker, Asbil James Gentry.

Transporting Alcoholics Reversion In A Local Opinion Territory For The Purpose of Resale, \$100.00 and costs; Carter-Morgan.

No Operators License, \$2.00 and costs; Charles E. Adams and Dale Edward Phillips.

Permitting Unlawful Operation of Motor Vehicle, \$10.00 and costs; Ruth Helton Montjoy.

Drunk Pedestrian on Highway, \$10.00 and costs; Tom Mason.

Operating Motor Vehicle While Under the Influence of Intoxicants and Amended to Reckless Driving, \$100.00 and costs; Jack Hansel.

Speeding, \$10.00 and costs; Charles G. Tarlton, Patrick LaRouche, William A. Smithers, Patricia K. Nicolla, Alma F. Crosby.

Speeding Charges Amended to Disorderly Conduct, \$10.00 and costs; James S. Barger.

Operating Motor Vehicle On Revoked or Suspended License, \$2.00 and costs; Marvin E. Rigby.

Drinking Beer on Highway, \$10.00 and costs; George B. McMullin and Eugene Falin.

Flourishing Deadly Weapon, \$50.00 and costs; Clyde Harper.

Disorderly Conduct, \$100 and costs; Billy Wayne Harper.

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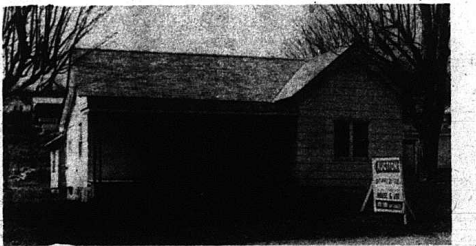
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Stanford, Ky. 40484
Phone: 606/854-6732

AUCTION

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carter's
HOUSE and EXTRA LOT
PERSONAL PROPERTY

Saturday, April 20th, 10:30 A.M.

Located on West Main Street in Mt. Vernon, Ky. Watch for auction sign in yard.



REAL ESTATE - The above-pictured house is situated on a large spacious lot measuring approximately 100 x 200. The house has three bedrooms, living room, kitchen, and bath. It is paneled throughout. The property has both city water and sewer. There's plenty of shade and ample space for a garden.

LOT #2 - is approximately 100 x 100, faces Poplar Street and joins the above house and lot on the rear. This lot is a good building lot with both city water and sewer.

Owner reserves the right to sell each parcel separately, then combine them, selling whichever way brings the most money.

PERSONAL PROPERTY - 7-piece matching oak dinette set - includes round table with four chairs, buffet and curved glass china cabinet, living room suite, refrigerator, electric range, old oak three-piece bedroom suite with high back bed, old picture frames, stand tables, forty-piece set of blue willow dishes, No. 2 farm bell, spindle back rocking chair, smoke stand - copper lined, nice maple end tables, brass cuspidor, solid walnut glass front china cabinet, kitchen cupboard, old lamps, cast iron skillet, several old iron items, odd chest and dressers, electric fan, black and white TV, stereo, plus many more items.

TERMS - Real Estate - 20% down day of sale, balance due in thirty (30) days upon delivery of deed. Personal Property - Cash or good check.

For additional information, contact Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carter at 256-2617 or 256-2102 or

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Pork Chops or Pork Chops
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Del Monte 303 Cans W/K or Cream Style CORN
4 For **\$1.00**

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46 Oz. Pineapple-Orange, Pineapple-Grapefruit, Pink Pineapple JUICE
39¢

Heinz 9 Oz. RELISH For Hot Dogs Or Hamburgers
3 For **1.15**

FROZEN ORANGE JUICE 6 Oz. Cans 6 PACK
\$1.15

32 Oz. Smuckers GRAPE JELLY
69¢

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32 OZ. LUX LIQUID
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5 Lb. Bag FLORIDA ORANGES
59¢

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NESTLE HOT COCOA MIX 14 OZ. PAK
79¢

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Food Fair Coupon
64 Oz. 1/2 Gallon WISK Reg. \$1.39
With This Coupon **73¢**
Save 42¢
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10 lb. bag SAVE 50¢ **\$1.89**
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Around BROADHEAD

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fletcher of Vandalia, Ohio were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Fletcher and Audrey. They attended the Broadhead Alumni Banquet Saturday night. Mr. Fletcher was a member of the class of 1944 which was honored that night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Smith and Jon were in Richmond shopping Friday night. Mr. Carl Thompson of Boonesboro, Mrs. Ted Geisby of Lancaster and Mrs. Carl Howard of Crab Orchard visited Mrs. Lucy Smith and other relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Harrison and boys of Lockland, Ohio spent the weekend with Mrs. Ollie Harrison. Sympathy is extended to the Cromer and Arnold families.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Owens Hensley of Richmond, Indiana visited Sam Cromer and Mrs. Clyde Austin over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Owens of Stanton, Ky. spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Owens, Jr. and attended the Alumni Banquet.

Dr. and Mrs. Finley Hendrickson of Lexington visited Bob Hendrickson Saturday and attended the Alumni Banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Vanhook of Somerset attended the Alumni Banquet Saturday night. Mrs. R. C. Crawford and Mrs. Ruby Adams were in Somerset shopping Friday. They also visited Mrs. D. A. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vaughn and Tommy of Lawrenceburg and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kidwell of Lexington visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Kidwell over the Easter weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lunsford and son of Leckland, Ohio spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lunsford. Mr. and Mrs. Danny Price and children of Harrodsburg visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Vester Floyd over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Mink and children of Reading, Ohio spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Payne and attended the banquet. Mr. and Mrs. John D. Burke of Lexington attended the alumni banquet Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. David Shivel and Debbie Howard of Berea were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shivel and family Sunday. Mr. Ed McWhorter has returned home from Berea Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crowley

Carolina visited their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Junior Harris and family over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Ray Carson and John of Richmond and Miss Edna Marie Carson of Lexington were the weekend guests of Everett C. Watson.

Saturday night was spent at the Broadhead Lunni Banquet. Mrs. Irene Vertrees of Somerset joined the above group for dinner Sunday. Mrs. E. J. Smith, Mrs. Frank Watson, Master Chris Newland and Rev. James E. Wilkin and sons paid a social call Sunday afternoon.

The Baptist Women of Rockcastle Association held their quarterly meeting at the Broadhead Baptist Church April 2nd. Five churches were represented. They were Freedom, Ottawa, Mt. Vernon, First Baptist, Mt. Zion and Broadhead. A very interesting program was presented by Mrs. Jean Allen and her group, of Ateen. Mrs. Raymond Lawrence of Corbin was shown a film on the Mental Health Program. After the program refreshments were served by the host church.

Those who attended the community Sunrise Service Easter morning report a very inspiring service. The Ladies Aid Missionary Society of the Christian Church met Thurs. night at the home of Mrs. Lou Payne. Those present were Mrs. Payne, Mrs. J. C. Newland, Mrs. Willie Cummins, Mrs. Richard Shivel and Jenny, Mrs. R. C. Crawford, Mrs. E. J. Smith, Mrs. Ruth Shivel, Mrs. P. Earl Mullins, Mrs. Ruby Adams, Mrs. Frank Watson, Mrs. Albert Martin, Mrs. Mary Martin and Mrs. Robert Machal. Mrs. Machal presented the Easter lesson after which delicious refreshments were served.

Richard Shivel and Mrs. Jerry Brooks and Mrs. Richard Shivel were in Burnside shopping Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Machal, Anthony and Alicia were in Somerset Sunday for their Easter dinner.

Mrs. Ina Williams of Pennington Gap, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams of Dayton, Ohio were visitors of Mrs. R. H. Atkinson on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. M. L. McKinney and Miss Teresa McKinney of Louisville spent Easter with Mrs. R. H. Atkinson.

Mrs. R. H. Atkinson and Mrs. Eva LaFavers and Mr. and Mrs. Ruby McKinney took Miss Teresa McKinney back to EGU at Richmond Sun. afternoon. Mrs. Lula Bussell spent the weekend in Cincinnati with Mr. and Mrs. John McKinney.

Mrs. Martha Owens and Mrs. Jean Albright and Mrs. Mary Ann Brown were in Richmond shopping Friday night. Mrs. Ruby Adams, Mrs. Lela Mae Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stevens were in Lexington Saturday to consult a doctor for Mr. Stevens.

Mrs. Ruby Adams entertained with a Stanley Party at her home Friday night. Mrs. Eva LaFavers has returned home from a three weeks visit with her sister Mrs. Grace Gill in Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Smith and Jon were in Richmond Friday night at Turpin Funeral Home due to the deaths of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Pearson. Mr. and Mrs. Pearson were killed when the tornado struck Wednesday night in Madison County.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Harrison and sons of Hartwell, Ohio visited Mrs. Ollie Harrison and other relatives over weekend. Mrs. Willie Kidwell and Mrs. Charles Norris were in Lawrenceburg Thursday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vaughn and Tommy.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith and Junior of Stanston spent Saturday night with Mrs. Lucy Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Moore and Mrs. Sue Travillian are in Chicago, Illinois. Their daughter underwent brain surgery there Wednesday.

Mrs. P. J. Burke and Mrs. Preston Parrett and girls visited with Mrs. Preston Parrett, Sr. in Bond Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John D. Burke of Lexington were Saturday night dinner guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Burke.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Burke were in Harlan on Sunday. Mrs. Everett Bradley, Cathy and Chris, Mrs. Lucy Smith and Mrs. E. J. Smith and Jon attended the birthday party of Patricia Smith in Lancaster Sunday afternoon.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Jimmy Burke who passed away last Tuesday. Wednesday night is one we will remember for years to come. I think it only fitting to say "Thank You" to the twelve or fifteen or so men in Broadhead who stayed in town all night patrolling our streets and watching the weather. I've heard many people say they slept better just knowing they were there. Thank you, men, from all the citizens in Broadhead.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wilcox and children spent the weekend in Louisville with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hall. The Sowder Nursing Home wishes to thank all of those who called and offered to help and gave assistance to the Nursing Home during the power failure last Wednesday night and Thursday.

Mrs. E. J. Smith and Jon were in Stanston and Danville on business Monday. Mrs. Dwight Whitehead and children were in Danville shopping Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Payne

representatives reported that estimated damage to Kentucky resulting from the April 3 tornadoes was well over \$100 million. Damage in Jefferson County alone was reported at approximately \$37.5 million. The representatives said about 850 insurance adjusters and clerical workers from nationwide insurance firms have been sent to Kentucky to aid property owners in filing claims.

About half of our trouble comes from wanting our way. The other half comes from being allowed to have it.

Tornado Damage Over \$100 Million - In a recent meeting with Gov. Wendell H. Ford and state insurance Com. Harold B. McCulley, insurance industry

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Notice of Public Hearing

Notice is hereby given that Kentucky Telephone Company has filed tariffs with the Public Service Commission of Kentucky increasing its rates for local exchange service in all exchanges served by the Company. The effectiveness of these tariffs has been suspended by the Public Service Commission, pending a public hearing thereon, which has been scheduled for 9:00 a.m. Central Daylight Time on Monday, April 15, 1974, in the Commission's offices in Frankfort, Kentucky. The proposed rates, which are uniform within each group, are as follows:

	RESIDENCE*				BUSINESS*				
	1-Pty.	2-Pty.	4-Pty.	Rural Multi-Pty.	1-Pty.	2-Pty.	4-Pty.	Rural Multi-Pty.	
GROUP 1 Mount Olivet	8.75	7.45	6.55	7.00	5.25	14.60	11.70	10.20	7.30
GROUP 2 Arlington Augusta Bardwell Brooksville Columbus Everts Germanatown Johnsville Mammoth Cave Milburn Round Hill	9.00	7.65	6.75	7.20	5.40	15.00	12.00	10.50	7.50
GROUP 3 Bee Spring Brookfield Brownsville Livingston Manchester Mount Vernon Onsdala Smithland	9.25	7.85	6.95	7.40	5.55	15.40	12.30	10.80	7.70
GROUP 4 Bourbville Flatlick Irvine	9.50	8.10	7.15	7.60	5.70	15.85	12.70	11.10	7.95
GROUP 5 Caneyville Clarkson	9.75	8.30	7.30	7.80	5.85	16.25	13.00	11.40	8.15
GROUP 6 Calvert City Dover Fernleaf Jenkins Lewisburg Mays Lick Washington	10.00	8.50	7.50	8.00	6.00	16.65	13.30	11.65	8.35
GROUP 7 East Bernstadt London	10.25	8.70	7.70	8.20	6.15	17.10	13.70	11.95	8.55
GROUP 8 Faubush Park City Science Hill Shippville White Lily	10.50	8.95	7.90	8.40	6.30	17.50	14.00	12.25	8.75
GROUP 9 Eubank	10.75	9.15	8.05	8.50	6.45	17.90	14.30	12.55	8.95
GROUP 10 Smiths Grove	11.00	9.35	8.25	8.80	6.60	18.35	14.70	12.85	9.20
GROUP 11 None	11.25	9.55	8.45	9.00	6.75	18.75	15.00	13.15	9.40

*Grades of service shown may not be available in all exchanges in each rate group.

	Percent of Appropriate One-Party Line Rate
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Princess Telephone	.75
TEF Touch Calling Service	2.00
Business per line (includes all stations)	1.50
Residence per line (includes all stations)	1.50
Speakerphone	7.50
Trim-Line Telephone	1.25

DIRECTORY LISTING RATES	
Additional, Alternate and Foreign Listings - Business	.75
Additional, Alternate and Foreign Listings - Residence	.50
Nonpublished Number	1.00
Unlisted Number	.50

Monthly charges associated with color telephones will be eliminated. Changes in rates applicable to paging equipment, PBX/PABX and Key Systems, miscellaneous service arrangements, auxiliary equipment and the installation thereof have also been filed.

All persons who desire to be heard with respect to the above-quoted rates must present themselves at the time and place indicated above.

KENTUCKY TELEPHONE COMPANY
London, Kentucky 40301

THANK YOU!

We, the Rockcastle County Jaycees, wish to thank all of you who donated money, clothing, furniture and food to the disaster victims.

It is impossible to mention every name but a special thanks should go to WRVK and Larry Burdette for providing their facilities and time, free of charge, and also to the women of the Livingston Baptist Church for spending their time sorting the clothes, furniture, etc.

To all others who did so much, we simply say "Thank You."

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Social And Women's News

Personals

Mrs. Cepha Kincer, daughter Mrs. Albert Hampton, Mr. Hampton and Bonda of Estlinger, Ky., visited her sisters Mrs. Amanda Maggard, Mrs. Emma Thompson and Mrs. Leila Stokes over the weekend. Mrs. Kincer and Mrs. Harold Jones visited her uncle Leonard Bowman Sunday at Stomerset Hopkinton. Mr. Bowman is reported slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Bullock and his mother Mrs. Effie Bullock of Tyler visited Mrs. Lydia Howard Sunday. Mr. Bullock is a retired Army Officer, now making his home in Jackson County.

Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Turner and children of Virginia visited Mrs. Lydia Howard Saturday, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ball of London spent Monday with Mrs. Lydia Howard.

Ann B. Farris and Miss Virginia B. Bray spent Sunday afternoon in Somerset with Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Farris and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Turner and children Jimmy, Joey, Dave, Jr., Beverly and Michelle of Louis, Mississippi, on returning home from a visit with Mrs. Turner's mother, Mrs. John W. Kincer of Estlinger stopped over Wednesday to visit relatives in Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. VanWinkle and little daughters Joan and Judy of Orlando were in Mt. Vernon Saturday shopping.

Mrs. Sallie Whitaker spent Easter Sunday and Monday at the home of her niece Mrs. Ollie Harrison at Brodhead. Mrs. Whitaker had the privilege of visiting with her sister Mrs. Mary Gipson of Virginia, whom she had not seen for thirty years, also her brother Charles Smothers and Mrs. Smothers of Ottawa and another sister Mrs.

Effie Norris all were visitors of Mrs. Ollie Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lawson and friends from Michigan, were in Mt. Vernon Friday and Sat. with relatives, on their return home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Danny Wisemer and sons in Brandenburg, Florida.

Mrs. Wanda Taylor and Barbara from Ohio visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nicoley of Maresburg, Easter weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Saylor and Heather of Johnson City, Tennessee visited with their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nicoley and Mr. and Mrs. Carlo Saylor from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cash were in Lexington Friday to consult a dentist for their son Lonnie who has been suffering from an abscessed tooth.

Mrs. Pearl Nicoley has been ill for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nicoley and Wanda Taylor and daughter visited Mrs. Edith Brown Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Remner and children visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nicoley Saturday night.

Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. James Reppert of Eubank were Eugene Alexander and Kenneth of Fairview.

Easter visitors of Mr. and Mrs. James Reppert and Loyd of Eubank were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Reppert of Paxton, Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ross of Amherst, Ohio and Mrs. Pamela Laocok of Washington, D. C.

James and Everett Reppert and sister Mrs. Myrtle Ross visited their mother Mrs. Liddie Reppert, their cousin Mrs. Patricia Azbill and family and their niece Mrs. Dolores Albright, all of Mt. Vernon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Reppert returned home to Illinois after spending four days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Reppert and Loyd at Eubank.

Winners Announced

Top winners in the recently completed Mt. Vernon Woman's Club essay contest were Gina Cornelius and Sharon Farthing. The theme of this year's essay was "Our Community Heritage and How It Can Be Preserved"

and both Miss Cornelius and Miss Farthing's essays are reprinted below.

Our Community Heritage And How It Can Be Preserved by Gina Cornelius (Age 12, MVES)

Rockcastle County is located in the South Central Section of Kentucky. It is situated at the foothills of the Cumberland Mountains.

In 1750, the first exploration to this county was made under the leadership of Dr. Thomas Walker. The Boone Brothers were said to have met somewhere in the region of Saltpetre Cave. Daniel Boone traveled over the trail, one branch of which is still followed by our present Highway U. S. 25.

Rockcastle County was organized in 1810 as the 52nd county. One of the first settlers to come to this section of Kentucky was Robert Langford.



Gina Cornelius

who built the first home in the county. It was built in Mt. Vernon and stood until 1896 when it was torn down for a building site.

The early settlers built

IN MEMORY OF BURGESS HYSINGER

O Dear Lord, I've been thinking From day to day, Of how we'll all feel Where we know, the life You have given ended, and that it is time. We must go to meet you up in Heaven. How we'll wish our lives more of a blessing, when you come to add up our score. And our biggest regret will be this one. Why didn't I, Jesus, do more.

Dear Burgess, I will never forget you. And hope to meet you again over there for we love each other.

Mrs. Pearl Hysinger and Family

houses near springs of drinking water, as a result the valleys of Roundstone, Brush Creek, Renfro and Crooked Creek were settled.

Saltpetre Cave, one of the outstanding tourist attractions today, was supposedly discovered in 1792. John Lutz has been the dominant figure in the preservation of the Cave. John Cox's store was the local office of the first telegraph lines. Many of the earliest

buildings have been destroyed and replaced by modern buildings. The first church was built near Climax in 1800. The first Court House was erected in 1810, the next one in 1873, and the Old Jail in 1887. A new court house and jail were completed in 1955.

Renfro Valley is a main attraction of the county. Here, we may find many things that remind us of our heritage. The Renfro Valley Museum, located

I feel that, we the community, should try to preserve some of the oldest buildings and try to make the community as a whole, become aware of the importance of preserving our heritage.

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April 21 - 28

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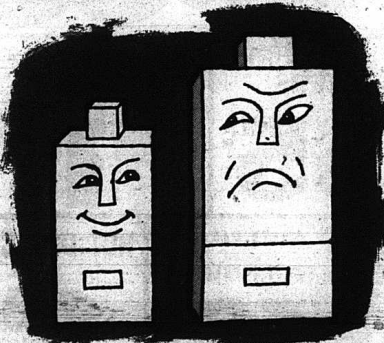
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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED - Mr. and Mrs. William F. Rowlette, Route 1, Berea, announce the engagement of their daughter, Virginia Lynn, to Don G. Stocker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stocker, Route 1, Richmond. Both Miss Rowlette and Mr. Stocker are seniors at Madison Central High School. Mr. Stocker is employed by Radio Station WKXO, Berea. A June 10th Wedding is planned. Miss Rowlette is the granddaughter of Mrs. Virgie Payne Williams and the late Tine Williams of Berea.

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LOCAL RESIDENT Richard C. Sweeney (center) of Richmond Street in Mt. Vernon, is congratulated by Richard H. Headlee (right), president and chief executive officer of Hamilton International Corporation and its principal subsidiary, Alexander Hamilton Life Insurance Company of America, for winning the Company's Insurance Sales Achievement Award. Also taking part in the annual ceremony is Arlen D. Beck, vice president of agency sales.

"ESSAY CONTEST"
(Cont. From 5)

My Community's Heritage How Should It Be Preserved
By: Sharon Elaine Farthing
(Age 14, RES)

I live in a community that doesn't worry about the smog and political problems in Washington, D. C. We don't worry about the smog because we don't have any. We will worry about Watergate when it gets to us. My community is as peaceful and quiet as anyone could possibly want.

The name of my community is Scaffold Cane. Scaffold Cane is a small place with a population of about two-hundred fifty or more people. Some of the residents haven't lived there very long, but they don't want to leave once they move in. The many people who live there are friendly and not at all selfish. They are always willing to help a neighbor when he is in need of help.

with the surroundings, it would be better. Neither history nor scenery would be affected as much in this way. If they refused to do so, I might be able to get a petition started against the factory itself. This would help a great deal.

Ottawa
Mr. and Mrs. Frank ... and family from St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Renner and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Renner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bullock and boys, all of Cincinnati, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bullock and Debbie, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bullock and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cash and daughter of Boardman, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Bullock and family of Crab Orchard, Miss Rita Pollard from Lancaster and Mr. Bill Bradley from Sharonville, Ohio were all visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bullock Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hamm visited Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bench and Mrs. Maude Hamm at Crab Orchard Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Simpson and Mrs. Nancy Burdine visited Mr. and Mrs. Brian Simpson last week and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bishop and Angela of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Polly of Whitesburg, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hopkins, W. D. Davis and Glen Burton visited Mr. and Mrs. Shiri Brown, Randall, and Mrs. Minnie Jones, over the weekend.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Lawrence and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harper and Tammy were all Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lawrence and Mark.

Mrs. Clarice Payne and Christine of Dayton spent two days last week with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hamm.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Simpson and son of Dayton spent the week with Mrs. Nancy Burdine and other relatives.

Little Miss Tammy Cummins of Winchester is spending a few days with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bradley.

The children at Ottawa had an Easter Egg Hunt at the Church Sunday afternoon. They enjoyed it very much.

Don't forget about the singing at Ottawa Baptist Church Saturday evening, April 20th at 7:30. Everyone is invited. The Revival starts Monday the 21st through the 27th with Rev. Houston Perry preaching. Bro. Sam Sowder is the pastor. Services will begin each evening at 8:00 p.m. and there will be special music.

More and more companies are trying to locate their factories in the country. This would make the countryside look bad.

If we, the people of the community, could persuade the factory owners to build their factories so that it would blend in

Now I come to the history of our community. Scaffold Cane was established sometime during the eighteenth century. The Indians built shelters called scaffolds from the wild cane that grew in the vicinity, thus giving it the name of Scaffold Cane.

When I get older I would like to remain in Scaffold Cane because I believe it is a good place to grow old in. As I have mentioned before, the people are nice, friendly, and helpful. Besides this the scenery is beautiful the year 'round, and probably will remain as such.

Scaffold Cane does have her faults. Some such faults are erosion and trash on the roadsides. I could help my community by keeping it clean and free of debris in the future.

I can help preserve my community's heritage by writing a book about the past residents, explorers, and other persons. If it was possible to write a book, I could keep a journal on happenings that are occurring during my generation.

QUAIL HOMEMAKERS HOLD MEETING...
The Quail Homemakers met

Sympathy is extended to the family of Michael Arnold. Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Burton were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ping, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip McClure of Indianapolis, Indiana, Mrs. Martha Weaver of Columbus, Indiana, Mrs. Dianne Adams and Kevin of Somerset.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Burton were Mrs. June Burton and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Owens and Mark of Cincinnati and Darwin Cromer of Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Brown and family of Advance, Indiana spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thompson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Long and daughters of Indianapolis, Indiana spent the weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Russell Long.

Fred Sanders who suffered a heart attack recently, is ill in Somerset City Hospital. A speedy recovery is wished for him.

at the home of Mrs. Hattie Owens Monday evening with twelve members present. The lesson was on "Meals in Minutes" and a discussion was also held on our cookbooks. Pictures were taken, after which Mrs. Owens served delicious refreshments.

Willaila
Dessie Reynolds celebrated her sixty-eighth birthday recently. We wish her many more birthdays.

Those who remain on the sick list are W. E. Burton, Irvin Denney and Mrs. Julia Norton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hasty of Louisville spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Denney.

Clarence Jay Brown is ill in Good Samaritan Hospital at Lexington. A speedy-recovery is wished for him.

Mary Jane Randolph visited Mrs. Dollie Stevens recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Grider and family of Indianapolis, Indiana visited J. M. Burton and Gennie over the weekend.

Mrs. Julia Norton and Mrs. Dora Burton remain about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson of Cincinnati are vacationing with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stitts of Louisville spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gentry and family.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burton were Mr. and Mrs. Willard Davidson, Lewis Brown of Dayton, Ohio, Mrs.

Ethel Thompson, Mrs. Carol Martin, Russell Long, Mrs. Velma Lee Brown, Marrie Brown of Cincinnati, Darrell Brown of the Air Force of New York, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Grider and family of Indianapolis, Indiana, Mrs. Ola Burton, Dianne, Adams and Kevin of Somerset, Mrs. Lillie Brown, Mrs. Lillian Gooch, and Mrs. Owen Burton and Janet.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ping were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McClure. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Savage and family of Chicago, Illinois are visiting her mother Mrs. Fannie L. Albright. Mrs. Albright has been visiting them in Chicago recently.

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By Cheryl Witt
County Extension Agent
For Home Economics

5th & 6th Graders Learn About Nutrition From "Mulligan Stew"

"Everybody's body needs vitamins... Proteins, carbohydrates and fats. Everybody's body needs minerals. Everybody has to know that!"

That's one of the songs many Rockcastle County fifth and sixth graders are singing after watching "Mulligan Stew" the 4-H television series designed to make kids "tune in" and "turn on" to good nutrition.

The final program in the six-part series was Monday, April 8th. Fifth and sixth graders in Livingston and Roundstone have watched these 30-minute shows, which were

broadcast statewide on KET the past six Monday afternoons.

The "Mulligan Stews" - five members of a kid rock band - were the stars of these fast-moving programs. Lots of music, humor and color, along with cartoon figures and come-alive puppets in a "Sesame Street" atmosphere, were used in the programs to teach good eating habits.

In each program, the "Mulligan Stews" took on a "Mission Impossible" type assignment related to good nutrition. For example, the final program - "The Racer That Lost His Edge" - concerned a fat race driver (who kept stuffing him with goodies). The "Stews" helped them learn why a healthy body is important to becoming a champion and that just being full of food is not necessarily good eating.

Emphasis in this program was on nutritious snacks and meal-planning to include the right foods.

The TV series has been part of the fifth and sixth graders

health studies, and games, puzzles and other fun activities related to nutrition supplemented the programs. For example, they made no-bake cookies and posters showing good nutrition.

The main purpose of the series was to help boys and girls learn how to eat better and how good nutrition relates to good health - and to make that learning fun. The importance of the four basic food groups - fruits and vegetables, breads and cereals, milk products, and meats - was stressed in all the programs. With "4-2-2" slogan used in various ways as a reminder of the number of servings needed daily from each group.

This is how Shirley Jean Mullins, 5th grade at Roundstone, feels about "Mulligan Stew".

"I think Mulligan Stew was a worthwhile program. It showed us how we could have good nutrition and what can happen if we don't have it. If we didn't have good nutrition, we would be out of gas. On the program, 'The Racer That Lost His Edge,' the 'Mulligan Stew' gang put too much oil in the snowmobile and it didn't run too

well. It is the same with our body, if we stuff too much candy in it, it won't run well. Sure we're getting carbohydrates but what about proteins, fats, vitamins, and minerals. You need nutrients to live and grow! Do you have them? You are what you eat."

County teachers report evidence that their fifth and sixth graders have learned a good deal about nutrition from "Mulligan Stew" and that they have noticed improvement in the eating habits of some of their class members.

Some 65,000 fifth graders watched the series, which was shown as a cooperative effort involving KET, local and state Departments of Education, and the Cooperative Extension Service of the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture. Locally, the Rockcastle County Extension Agents and Mr. Charles Parsons, E. J. Smith and Tom Payne have worked together to make the programs a success.

The fifth and sixth graders will have a chance to take part in the fun and learning 4-H activities in the future. Plans include a foods judging activity.

men" and "Fly-by-night" salesmen who may try to take advantage of your situation. Usually you'll be better off dealing with local people whose reputation you are sure of, because a "bargain" offered by a stranger may turn out to be worthless - or very expensive. If you have any doubts about salesmen, check with the nearest Better Business Bureau or your local Chamber of Commerce before signing any sales agreements or giving the salesman any money.

According to Durham, "If a building is damaged to the point that repair and renovation would be more than 50 percent of new or replacement cost, consider tearing down the building. Cost of new farm buildings vary considerably, depending on size, type of construction, equipment included, etc., and this factor should be investigated before construction begins."

"We have information on this at the Extension Office," Durham continues, "as well as materials that can help you plan repairs and rebuilding." Call the Extension Office at 256-2403 or stop by if you need assistance. "We are located on the 2nd floor of the Rockcastle County Courthouse."

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Simpson, 560; Milton Barron, 553 and Ernest Brown, 530. Men's high game: Hulen Simpson, 215; Roy Winstead, 211 and Milton Barron, 202. Ladies' high series: Sylvia Reynolds, 487; Hazel Brown, 462 and Virginia Winstead, 461. Ladies' high game: Betty M. Simpson, 181; Hazel Brown, 178 and Sylvia Reynolds, 173.

Maroon Lanes - The Wildcats still hold down the first place in the Rockcastle Mixed League at Maroon Lanes in Richmond with a 78 and 42 record. In second are the Gutter Dusters at 75 and 45 and the Jets have third at 74 and 46.

High team game for the week went to the Hi Lo's with a 761 and the Gutter Dusters took high team series with a 2,171. Individual highs for the week were: high game, men: Bill Reynolds, 243; Terry Cummins, 213 and Glen Faulkner, 211. High series, men: Bill

Reynolds, 847; Terry Cummins, 582 and Dale Bray, 537. High game, women: Asie Bray, 205; Mildred Reynolds, 160 and Ada Noe and Alice Faulkner, 157 each. High series, women: Asie Bray, 500; Laura McFarlane, 455 and Mildred Reynolds, 433.

ARMY PROMOTION - Barney F. Dalton, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barney E. Dalton, Brookfield, Ky., was promoted to Army Private First Class at Ft. Hood, Texas, where he is serving with the 2nd Armored Division. Pvt. Dalton is a Cannonier in Battery C, 1st Battalion of the Division's 3rd Field Artillery. His wife, Doris, lives in Belton, Texas.

According to a 16th century surveyor, the way to find what a foot stood for was to line up 16 men, measure their left feet and take the average.

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County Agent's Notes

By: H. Lee Durham

Determining Repairs Needed On Storm-Damaged Buildings...

If your home or farm buildings were struck by high winds or tornadoes, but the damage is not total, here are some guidelines, as given by H. Lee Durham, County Extension Agent for Agriculture, to help you decide what repairs are needed.

Remove enough boards at the eave to check roof anchorage. Make sure that rafters are still securely fastened to the plate. Check all walls for cracked and broken studs - these will show up as broken plaster or wall board.

Inspect all chimneys from top to bottom for cracks, and check foundation walls for new cracks. If the foundation has been moved, it will require major repairs.

Also check all plastered walls for new cracks. Look for diagonal cracking, particularly around openings; these could indicate serious damage inside the wall and thus should be inspected further. If cracks are less than about 1/4 inch wide, the wall probably can be repaired.

Determine whether all doors fit properly. If they don't open and close as freely as they did before the storm, there has been movement of the walls or floor.

You can find out whether

the building was lifted off its foundation and let fall back by checking along foundation walls for evidence of movement of the building off the foundation, damage to furnace pipes and plumbing breaks in the basement.

If any of your buildings need major repair work or should be replaced for other reasons and someone else will be doing the work, reach an agreement - before work begins - about costs of repairing or restoring the buildings the way they were before the tornado. How much your insurance will cover may determine what major repairs you want to make immediately.

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Bowling News

-Briar Bowl-


First place in the Briar Bowl at Somerset on Saturday Night League went to the Barrons with 60 wins and 30 losses. Parkway Shell was second with 57½ wins and 32½ losses and Reynolds Grocery came in third with 56½ wins and 33½ losses.

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