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**"CRUSADE"**  
(Cont. From Front)

Evangelist Buell, standing room only attendance is expected before the crusade comes to a climax on June 30.

**GOSPEL MEETING TO BE HELD AT MT. ZION CHURCH OF CHRIST.....**

A Gospel Meeting will begin at the Mt. Zion Church of Christ in Lincoln County, on Road 39, July 14th and will continue through July 20th. Services will begin each evening at 7:30. Evangelists will be Thaddeus and Zenas Eubank and Arnold Larkin. Everyone is welcome to attend.

**"BROWN-SEWELL"**  
(Cont. From 5)

Paula Burchfield, Brian McClure was Ring Bearer, Phillip Hansel served as Best Man, and Ushers were Robert Willoughby and Doug Baker. Mrs. Sewell is the granddaughter of Mrs. Ernest Bullock of Mt. Vernon.

**Why The Price of Milk Has Increased**

By: H. Lee Durham  
County Agent for  
Rockcastle County

During the past several months, the consumer has faced a constantly rising food bill. Generally, the increases have occurred across the board. In some cases, the economics associated with these increases may be rather easily understood. For example, today's consumer fully understands why the price of orange juice suddenly jumps following a freeze in California or Florida. The reason is evident. In some instances, however, the reasons are not always so obvious. One such example is the recent increases in the retail price of milk.

Increased milk prices have raised questions and suspicion in the minds of consumers. First, they are asking why the increase and secondly, who

reaps the profits? These seem logical concerns for today's consumer who has been fighting a losing battle against an ever-increasing food budget. While there is no simple answer, perhaps an explanation of the procedure used in marketing and pricing milk would be helpful in answer to both questions.

To answer the question of "why the increase?" by saying that supply and demand conditions warrant such, while correct, simply begs the issue and leaves one even more frustrated and confused. To say also that retail prices have risen in response to rising raw milk prices, again correct, is to be equally evasive. The answer lies primarily in an explanation of the pricing procedures at the farm level, i.e., why the increase in raw milk prices?

While a decrease in milk production last year influenced prices, perhaps the greatest factor was the strong demand for manufactured products (cheese, butter and non-fat dry milk powder) which sell on national markets. More specifically, the price of fluid milk in Kentucky is closely tied, through a pricing formula, to the price of manufacturing milk in Minnesota and Wisconsin.

So, much of the increased price of fluid milk in Kentucky during the last year and a half can be explained by looking at what happened to the price of manufacturing grade milk in Minnesota and Wisconsin. During that period, the Minnesota Wisconsin price for manufacturing milk climbed steadily from \$3.43 in January to a high of \$8.15 in March 1974, or a 50 percent increase.\* Two factors weigh rather heavily in explaining this rapid increase.

First, the strong demand for manufactured dairy products, especially cheese and non-fat dry milk, has tended to push up the manufacturing milk price. The strong demand is reflected in the higher market prices for these products. Since early 1973, the market price of butter climbed to a high of 85.9 cents per pound in September. Cheddar cheese prices jumped from 61 cents to 91 1/4 cents per pound between January 1973 and March 1974. Likewise, the price of nonfat dry milk increased from 39 cents per pound in January 1973 to 88 cents per pound in April of this year.

A second factor contributing to the increased manufacturing milk price is the cost of production. Feed costs have skyrocketed. Kentucky dairymen paid an average 29 percent

more for 16% mixed dairy feed in April 1974 than in January 1973. Other costs of production have likewise increased.

Thus, the combination of increased demand for manufactured dairy products and lower milk production associated with increased cost of production contributed to higher manufacturing milk prices and, in turn, increased fluid milk prices.

\*Even though the Minnesota-Wisconsin price dropped 42 cents per hundredweight the following month, this has not yet been reflected in the price of fluid milk because of the 2-month lag built into the pricing formula.

**.....CEDAR RAPIDS.....**  
.....EVENTS.....

On July 4th - Family Potluck Picnic at Cedar Rapids Recreation Center. All members and friends are urged to attend.

July 27th - Pool side dinner and dance. All adult club members are invited to attend. There will be a buffet style dinner and a 4-piece orchestra will feature music of the 50's to dance by.

Join your friends for these events at the Cedar Rapids Recreation Center and join in the fun!

**The Week at Livingston**

Mrs. Pansy McKay, Mrs. Minnie King, Mrs. Ella Mobley, and Mrs. Mary Adams of Brodhead visited Mrs. Sarah Murphy in the home of her daughter Edna in Lexington last Tuesday. Mrs. Murphy is very ill.

Thomas Spivey visited his sister Mrs. Bennett Mullins of Hamilton, Ohio. All five daughters with their families furnished a potluck dinner. Mrs. Mullins is recuperating from a serious illness. He was accompanied there by J. S. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hurt of Jeffersonville, Indiana visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Argenbriht. They were accompanied home by his mother Mrs. Maggie Hurt who will return to her home in Crawfordville, Florida.

Mrs. Hurt will spend three weeks visiting in Jeffersonville. Miss Vona Haynes of Bethel, Ohio is spending a two-week vacation with her cousin Miss Arnetta Halcomb.

Mrs. Carl Sahli and daughter Judy of East Bernstadt and Mrs. Doris Mullins of Jackson visited Mr. and Mrs.

**Oscar Mullins Sunday**

Mrs. William Loudermilk and son of Turner's Station spent Monday night with Mrs. Carrie Loudermilk and was accompanied home by her daughter Tina.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norman and daughter Eva Marie of Knoxville spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips.

Russell Mullins is confined to the Rockcastle County Hospital.

Miss Elisha and Regina Waddle of London are visiting their grandmother Mrs. Vashli Mullins.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fordyce accompanied Mrs. Estil Jones to Bloomfield Tuesday where she will visit her sister who is seriously ill.

James Argenbriht of Cincinnati is spending a few days with his brother Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Argenbriht.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Mullins visited their son Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Mullins, Jr. and family in Louisville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fritz of Mt. Vernon, Illinois were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mullins and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McClure and son visited his mother Mrs. Lula McClure Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnel Taylor spent the weekend at Dale Hollow, Tenn. fishing.

Little Miss Tonya Waddle of Louisville is spending the week with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Curtis McHargue and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Waddle.

**HOMECOMING AT BLUE SPRINGS HOLINESS.....**

Bro. Ted Satterfield of London will be doing the COMMONWEALTH OF KY. Dept. of Transportation Bureau of Highways Notice to Contractors

Sealed bids will be received by the Bureau of Highways, at its office, Frankfort, Kentucky, until 10:00 A.M. Central Daylight Time on the 11th of June, 1974, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read for the improvement of:

**RS GROUP 5 (1974)**  
Bituminous Concrete Surface Class 1.

Rockcastle Co., RS 102-107 - The Negro Creek Road from US 150 extending westerly to the Herbert Halcomb residence, a distance of 1.000 mile.

Rockcastle Co., RS 102-317 - The Mt. Vernon - Sand Springs - Billow Road (KY 1249) from the Pitman Hill Road (CR 1221) extending easterly to 0.66 mile south of Mile Post No. 5, a distance of 1.200 miles.

Rockcastle Co., RS 102-677 - The Wildie-Clear Creek Road from end of new blacktop extending southerly, a distance of 0.900 mile.

Rockcastle Co., RS 102-877 - The Hammonds Fork Road from end of blacktop surface extending northeasterly to the Hardin Cemetery Road (CR 1051), a distance of 1.500 miles.

Bid proposals for all projects will be available until 9 A.M. CENTRAL DAYLIGHT TIME on the day of the bid opening at the Division of Contract Procurement at a cost of \$2 each. Bid proposals are issued only to prequalified contractors. Remittance payable to the State Treasurer of Kentucky must accompany request for proposals.

preaching for the homecoming scheduled for Sunday, June 30th at the Blue Springs Holiness Church.

Everyone is invited to attend the all-day services and dinner on the ground.

**DON'T FORGET THAT DAIRY DAY IS THIS SATURDAY**

**.....COMING SOON.....**

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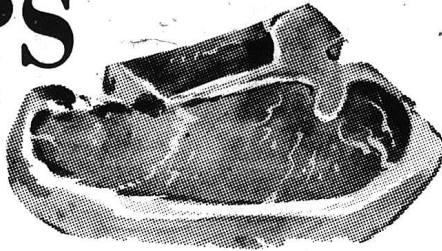
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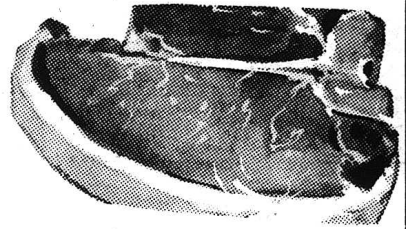
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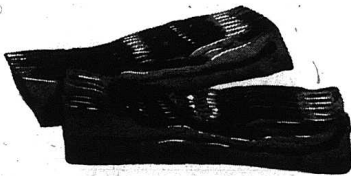
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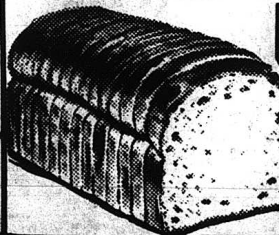
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### Local Citizens Meet With State Survey Team

#### Make Recommendations For MVES

A State Department of Education Facilities Survey team was in Rockcastle County Monday and Tuesday for the purpose of looking over the existing school buildings and helping the local Board of Education to determine what should be done during the next five years toward providing adequate housing and facilities for school use.

In conjunction with the survey, an open hearing was held Monday night at the Rockcastle County High School cafeteria to give interested citizens the opportunity to express their views on the school building plans for the future.

Superintendent Charles B. Parsons informally called the meeting to order introducing the three members of the five-man team, which were present. Heading the team was Joe Sabie, a member of the state's Department of Administrative Services.

Mr. Sabie explained to those assembled that following the conclusion of the team's survey Tuesday, there would be a set of recommendations compiled, dealing with the school organization and program of study, listing the views of the team concerning what necessary steps should be taken in this county in priority order to further education in Rockcastle

County. Mr. Sabie stressed to the group that these recommendations were based on the team's judgment and will take into account, only in a general way, the school system's ability to carry them out - an ability naturally limited by funds available. Mr. Sabie also said that once the report is compiled, it will go to the cabinet of the State Department of Education and then, if approved at that level, will be returned to the local Board of Education which will have the option of accepting all or any part of the report or of rejecting it in its entirety. Of course, if the latter course is chosen, the board would then have to hire, at its own expense, an independent survey team which would compile another facilities report for the county school system.

Mr. Sabie also stressed that at the time the recommendations are returned to the Board - it would be a matter of public record and concerned citizens would be able to see for themselves which steps had been recommended and in what priority.

Of course, as Mr. Sabie pointed out, the ultimate control of guiding the school system lies with the local Board of Education - with approval for new buildings and grounds

needed from the State Department of Education.

During the discussion period, several of the parents present spoke out openly about their concern for the overcrowded condition at Mt. Vernon Elementary School.

And, this concern took the shape, at one point, of a direct request that some recommendation to alleviate this condition be included in the team's report. It was pointed out that at the end of the school year, almost nine hundred students were enrolled in MVES which had, in the opinion of the parents present, proved an almost unbearable strain on the school's lunchroom and restroom facilities, not to mention on the teachers themselves because of the size of some of the primary classes.

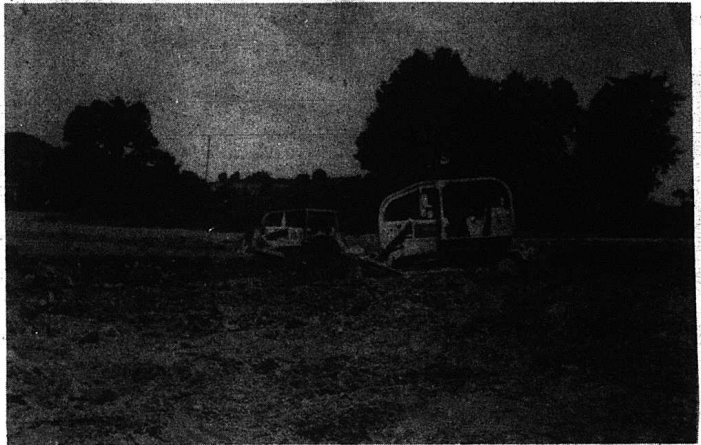
The idea of a middle or junior high school was also brought out by RCHS principal Cleston Saylor - but the parents present seemed to feel that this was too far in the future, because of the Board's bonding potential situation, to provide the necessary relief which they felt was needed at MVES by this school term, if possible. Supt. Parsons said that due to building the new high school and the fact that there were approximately three more years left to pay on the bonds for Roundstone Elementary School, the system's bonding potential would not be adequate to finance another new school until around 1980.

Restricting or an added tax were ideas discussed for helping to alleviate the overpopulation at MVES with restricting seeking to get the most support since additional taxes would require a referendum.

On restricting, Supt. Parsons told the group that the Board would no doubt encounter problems with this idea since at present Roundstone's district came to within approximately two miles of Mt. Vernon and Livingston's district reached out almost to the Burr interchange. Mr. Parsons said that there was always resistance encountered from parents who told they would have to send their child out in the county to school when they actually lived nearer the elementary school in town.

The meeting broke up with nothing concrete coming out of the discussion except for the request that the recommendation concerning MVES be considered by the facilities survey team as part of their report.

### Football Field Construction Underway....



EXCAVATING WORK on the new football field at Rockcastle County High School is underway. William Robinson Construction Company of London has the contract for the project but has subcontracted the excavating part of the job to T & T Equipment Company of Somerset. The photo at the right shows the drainage system which is being installed to carry water off the parking lot under the football field. The contract for seeding the field has also been let and an attempt is being made to raise money in the community for the lighting portion of the project.

### Bigger Lifetime Incomes In Rockcastle County

Under present conditions, the average young man in Rockcastle County who is just starting out to make a living can expect to earn close to \$261,000 in the next 45 years or so.

Such are his lifetime income prospects, based upon the economic environment in which he lives, the amount of schooling he has had, his probable life span and other factors.

Education is a major determinant, according to the conclusions reached in a recent Commerce Department study of the relationship between schooling and lifetime earnings.

From that point of view, the Rockcastle County resident is in a good position because the education level, locally, is above that in many areas of the country and is constantly moving upward.

At the present time, the median amount of schooling being acquired by local men is about 8.1 years, according to the latest Census Bureau findings.

They show that 25.7 percent of the local male population over age 25 are elementary school graduates, that 11.4 percent completed high school and that 2.1 percent are college graduates.

The conclusion reached in the government survey is that education pays off handsomely. Each added year of schooling produces greater income for the average person throughout his entire working career.

The current differential between an elementary school graduate and a high school graduate is about \$135,000 in lifetime earnings, it finds.

There is a big advantage, also, in going beyond this point and getting a college degree. The prospective lifetime income of the college graduate, based upon current conditions, is estimated to be \$279,000 more than that of the high school graduate.

There is evidence that Rockcastle County's younger people have become aware of this situation and, as a result, are staying in school longer than they did in the recent past.

The adult population, too, has gotten the message. Many of them have been returning to school in their spare time, taking courses to improve their basic knowledge and skills.



JUNE JACKPOT WINNER ANNOUNCED

Miss Marita Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stewart of Wildie, was the winner in the recent Southern Belle June Jackpot contest.

Miss Stewart won a new combination refrigerator-freezer filled with Southern Belle products for guessing closest to

the correct amount paid raw milk producers in Rockcastle County during the past year. Entries in the contest ranged from a high guess of \$3,162,480 to a low of \$4,000.

The correct figure was \$65,676.59 and Miss Stewart was within \$10,000 of the amount.

Southern Belle will present Miss Stewart with her prize on Saturday, June 22nd, during Dairy Day activities.

### Deaths and Funerals

#### MRS. GRACIE MAE JONES

Mrs. Gracie Mae Jones, age 74, of Livingston, passed away Saturday, June 22, 1974, in Berea, Ky. She was born in Rockcastle County on September 14, 1899, the daughter of the late Doc and Belle Russell Jones and was a member of the Pine Hill Church of God.

She is survived by: her husband, Esker, of Livingston; three sons, Billy of Livingston, Ernie and Ralph, both of West Chester, Ohio; one daughter, Mrs. Bernice Davis of Richmond, Indiana; one sister, Mrs. Nettie Hensley of Cincinnati; eight grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, June 25, 1974 at the Dowell and Martin Funeral Home with Bro. Lester Arnold officiating. Burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery.

#### PHILIP DALE HARPER

Philip Dale Harper, 28, of Mt. Vernon passed away

suddenly June 20, 1974 at the Marymount Hospital in London, Kentucky. He was born November 8, 1945 in Rockcastle County the son of Junior T. and Bertha Barnes Harper. He was a Heavy Equipment Operator and a member of the Rockcastle County Saddle Club.

Besides his parents he is survived by his wife, Bernice Mullins Harper; two daughters, Phyllis Ann and Donna Denise at home; three sisters: Mrs. Jean Newberry of Cincinnati, Ohio, Mrs. Ann Hammond and Mrs. Judy K. Rowe, both of Route 1, Mt. Vernon; paternal grandmother, Mrs. Josie Harper of Route 1, Mt. Vernon.

Services were held Sunday, June 23, 1974 at 2 p.m. at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Bert Martin officiating. Interment was in the Elmwood Cemetery.

#### REMEMBER, ATTEND DAIRY DAY ACTIVITIES THIS SATURDAY

Bro. Ernie L. Johnson has accepted the pastorate of the First Christian Church in Mt. Vernon. Bro. Johnson, a native of Letcher County, received his Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Theology degrees from Kentucky Christian College in Grayson, Kentucky. Prior to moving to Mt. Vernon, he served churches in Covington, Virginia, and Grayson, and is a member of the Lions Club and of Trimble Lodge 145 in Grayson. Bro. Johnson is married to the former Ruth Fricker of Covington, Virginia and they have two sons, Wade and Busby.

### Baptist Crusade Continues

Jesse Buell, the Kentucky Mountain Chaplain, continues in the Rockcastle County Crusade for Christ at Brodhead, through June 30th. Preaching from the big tent Monday night, the evangelist told the crowd of six hundred "Unless you let God use you, He will put you on the shelf." He added "If a great Christian like Paul was concerned about being cast aside, then how much more should we be concerned."

Sponsored by the Baptist Churches of the area, the crusade is for everyone. Crusade Co-ordinator, Rev. Sam Sowder, who has the responsibility of guiding the activities of the several committees, which have been planning the event for several months, invites the public at large to join him in this joint endeavor to present the gospel of Christ.

According to K. Maynard Head, Director of Crusades for the Cumberland Mountain Evangelistic Association of Middleboro, which sponsors

HOLIDAY STEAK HOUSE, owned and operated by Rosben and Leonard Hammonds, opened for business this week. The restaurant, located on the Burr Interchange, features dining rooms which will seat 134 persons on both ends of the building with kitchen facilities in the center. The restaurant to open 7 a.m. to 10 p.m., seven days a week. In the foreground is a portion of the foundation for the 40-unit double decker motel which will be built in the near future.

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# AROUND BRODHEAD

Out of town friends who stopped by to see Mr. Albert Albright over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Millard Tallant of Seattle, Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bray of Reading, Ohio, Mrs. Margie Brock of Clarkville, Tennessee, Jeff Saylor of West Chester, Ohio, J. B. Albright and Walker Saylor of Eubank, Willard Belcher of Walton, and Mrs. Ruby Stewart and Mrs. Betty Lewis of Mt. Vernon.

Carl Clark of Houston, Texas has been visiting his mother Mrs. Lloyd Monk and his sister Mrs. Glady Roberts.

Mrs. Johnny Newland entertained with a supper Saturday night honoring her husband's birthday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Newland, Mr. and Mrs. John Giovac and children, Mrs. Willie Cummins, Mrs. Mary Saunders and baby, Everett Watson and Mrs. Frank Watson.

Mrs. F. Earl Mullins has returned from a week's visit with Mrs. H. B. Morgan in Corbin.

Mrs. Edna Marie Carson of Lexington visited Everett Watson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Newland and Mr. and Mrs. John Giovac attended the ballgame in Cincinnati Sunday.

Mrs. Homer Smith and Mrs. Forest Banks and Ray of Stanford visited Mrs. Lucy Smith Friday. Junior Smith who had spent the past week with his grandmother returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Smith and Jon were in Danville Wednesday for Mr. Smith to consult a doctor.

Mrs. John L. Saylor is visiting his niece Mrs. Billy Joe Rash and family in Milford, Ohio.

Mrs. Freddie Pruitt and Mickey were in Lexington

Saturday shopping and visiting Mrs. Brenda Moore and Scotty, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Craig of West Chester, Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed McWhorter Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Parsons of Lexington visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed McWhorter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hall of Lexington visited relatives in Brodhead over the weekend.

Mrs. Mary McWhorter was in Lexington Wednesday and Thursday with her grandson little Scotty, Moore, who underwent a tonsillectomy.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Howard of Crab Orchard visited Mrs. Lucy Smith Sunday afternoon.

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The Willing's Lexington Homemakers met Thursday night with Mrs. E. J. Taylor. Those present were Mrs. Robert Machal, Mrs. Richard Shivel and Jenny, Mrs. Bobby Shivel and Robyn Lynn, Mrs. R. C. Crawford, Mrs. Jerry Brooks, Mrs. Albert Martin, Mrs. Frank Watson, Mrs. Ray Johnson, Mrs. Willie Cummins, Mrs. J. C. Newland, Mrs. Tip Adams, Mrs. E. J. Smith, Mrs. Cheryl Witt, County Extension Agent and guest were also present. A white elephant sale was held following the business session after which delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. The July meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Frank Watson.

Mrs. Carl Thompson of Preachersville visited Mrs. Lucy Smith Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Burke of Brodhead and Mr. and Mrs. John D. Burke of Lexington were in Cincinnati Sunday to attend the ballgame.

Mrs. Richard Cheatham has returned home from Somerset City Hospital after undergoing surgery.

Mrs. George Brooks has returned home after spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Brooks and family in Ohio.

Mrs. Bill Cass took Mrs. Elizabeth Haff to Lexington Monday to consult her doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Landrum of Mt. Vernon visited Mrs. Elizabeth Haff one day last week. Mrs. Haff accompanied by Mrs. W. S. Cass, was in Lexington Monday to consult an ophthalmologist for Mrs. Haff, who is recovering from eye surgery.

The occasion was to celebrate Mrs. Owens' 81st birthday. Those present to help her celebrate it were: Sister G. Owens, Mrs. Christeen Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Thompson and Gall of Owen, Mrs. Mary Bell, Mrs. Mollie Bryant, all of Mt. Vernon. A nice dinner was served at noon.

She received many nice gifts. We wish her many more birthdays.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Ping were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Adams and family of Indianapolis, Indiana, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ping of Indianapolis, Indiana, Mrs. Virgie Brown, R. G. Whitaker, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Deborde of Brodhead, Jimmie Bullock, Arvil Burton and Roger Burdine.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray McClure are building a basement.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burton were Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Owen, Mrs. Janet Burton, Randy Parsons of Mt. Vernon, Willis Thompson, Dale Whitaker, Cella Thompson, Mrs. Ethel Thompson, Lewis A. Brown, J. M. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Burton, Mrs. Edna Whitaker, Joe Martin, Jill Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ledford and Michelle Lee of Richmond, and Jackie Simpson of Crab Orchard.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Blair of Miami, Florida are vacationing with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Russell Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burton and Allen of Cincinnati are weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Grover Burton.

Mrs. Hettie Duvall is visiting her daughter Dorothy in Lexington.

Mrs. Gail Lee Ledford and Michele of Richmond attended church at Fritchview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Thompson and sons spent the weekend in Cincinnati visiting Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith and other relatives.

Selma Stevens of Louisville is spending her vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Stevens and brother Earl.

Mr. and Mrs. Zion Robbins of Dayton, Ohio spent the weekend with her father Sam Marcum, Mrs. Ethel Thompson and family.

Mary Jane Randolph visited Mrs. Dollie Stevens recently.

Dean Taylor and C. J. Brown joined the Rockcastle County Saddle Club ride to S Tree Tower over the weekend.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Thompson and Gail were Mr. and Mrs. Tex Payne and Rochelle Lynn and Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson all of Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Poynter and son of Georgetown, Kentucky spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Glen Elder.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie McKinney are the proud parents of a daughter.

Mrs. Ola Burton and Mrs. Zora Burton visited Mrs. Dianne Adams at Somerset recently.

Mrs. Ola Burton spent Friday night with Mrs. Dianne Adams and Kevin Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. John Deborde have bouled the home of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charley Thompson.

Mrs. Martha Hasty visited Mrs. Ola Burton recently.

Jim Brown visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lewis recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Long visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Long a few days ago.

Charles William McClure visited his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Charles McClure recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Brown spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brown.

Debbie Reynolds has been visiting Mrs. Dorothy Todd and family.

Mrs. Ethel Thompson and Cella Thompson visited Mrs. Maggie Herrin recently.

Mrs. Ruth Ann Lark is employed at the shoe shop in Danville.

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Arnold Larkins is going to Alabama to hold a revival.

Mrs. Dimple Goff visit/d Mrs. Marie Taylor recently.

Mrs. Marie Taylor and Mrs. Sharon Taylor visited Irvin Denney at the Rockcastle Hospital recently.

NEWS FROM YOUR SADDLE CLUB SCHEDULE.....

Remember! This Saturday is our Dairy Day Parade. Be sure to join in on the fun and excitement of our annual DAIRY DAY!

Also this Saturday night, our young riders (under 18 years of age) will meet at Willalla at 5:30 for a winner roast and your hosts will be Jeff and Tracey Lyons, Regina Taylor and Danny Hunt. Why not contact one of these young people and make plans now to join this trail ride and winner roast?

The June 30th Trail Ride will leave Ft. Sequoyah at 1:30 p.m. Sunday afternoon. Hosts will be Russell Robbins and James Allen.

BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

The Rockcastle County Bookmobile will be in the following areas for the week of June 30 - July 6:

- July 1 - Copper Creek and Brodhead; June 2 - Green Hill, Conway, Boone; July 3rd - Brindle Ridge; and July 4th - Maple Grove, Climax.

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Willalla

Irvin Denney is ill in the Rockcastle County Hospital. A speedy recovery is wished for him.

Others on the sick list are W. E. Burton and Mrs. Julia Norton.

Mrs. Ellen Owens was surprised with a dinner Saturday, June 22nd at her home.

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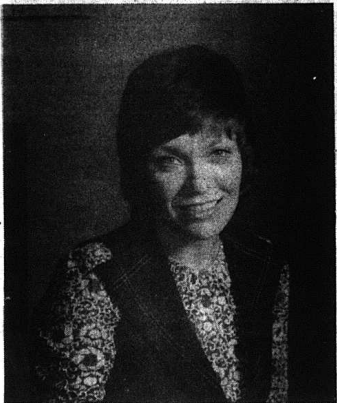
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# Social and Women's News



Mr. and Mrs. Alfred B. Sparks, Jr. of Mt. Vernon announce the engagement of their daughter, Sharon Elaine, to Mark Lee Arnold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Arnold of Danville, Illinois. Miss Sparks is a graduate of Murray State University where she majored in business and was a member of Alpha Gamma Delta Social Sorority. She is presently employed at the Comprehensive Care Center in Corbin. Mr. Arnold also attended Murray where he majored in Business Administration and was a member of Alpha Tau Omega Social Fraternity. He is presently employed at Arnold General Contractors in Danville, Illinois. A July wedding is planned.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henderson and daughter Valerie of Somerset visited his mother Mrs. Lona Logsdon Saturday night awhile.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Phillip Harper who passed away last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Owens of Somerset Route 3 and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anglin and Nancy and Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Burton and Sheila visited Mr. and Mrs. George Burton Sunday evening.

Sheila spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. George Burton.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Stokes of Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hunt over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cox, Jr. visited their daughter Mrs. Juanita Robinson and husband in Louisiana a few days recently.

Mrs. Robert Anglin and Nancy were in London Monday.

Mrs. Rissie Wright and Mrs. Elsie Cross have returned home after visiting relatives in Ohio.

Mark Henderson of Dayton,



Mrs. Eudene Sewell, Jr.

## Brown - Sewell

Miss Susan Dawn Elva Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Brown of West Chester, Ohio and Eudene Sewell, Jr., son of Mrs. Ona Sewell of West Chester, Ohio were united in marriage on Saturday, June 1st at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore McClure in West Chester in a Garden Ceremony.

The bride was attired in a jersey knit overlaid with lace and her headpiece was lace trimmed with pearls.

Maid of honor was Miss Phyllis Brown, sister of the bride, and bridesmaids were Sherry Bullock of Mt. Vernon and Edith Cunnagin of Blanche, Ohio.

Miss Karen Bullock served as flower girl. Providing music for the ceremony were organist Marsha McClure and soloist

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BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Lucas Jesse Mullins of Route 3, Berea, announce the arrival of a son, born May 17th at the Somerset City Hospital. He weighed 6 pounds and 3/4 ounces and has been named Kevin Lucas.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lucas Jesse Mullins of Route 3, Berea, and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Burdette of Mt. Vernon. \*\*\*\*\*

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BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Michael W. Ponder, Rural Route 3, Berea, wish to announce the birth of a son, Christopher Michael, born May 18th at the Fattie A. Clay Hospital in Richmond. He weighed 7 pounds, 2 ounces.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Glen Ponder of Route 3, Berea. \*\*\*\*\*

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DAUGHTER BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy L. Owens of Bossier City, La. announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, born May 28th. She weighed eight pounds, seven ounces and has been named Robin Gay.

Mrs. Owens is the former Mollie Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Brown of Brush Creek.

Mr. Owens, who is presently serving with the Air Force, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Owens, Sr. of Mt. Vernon. \*\*\*\*\*

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-BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT-

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Rash of Millford, Ohio announce the arrival of a daughter, Vickie Lynn, born on June 12th. She weighed 6 lbs. 13 oz. She was welcomed home by a sister, Tammy Susan.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Owens of Broadhead and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ottie Rash of Mt. Vernon.

Mrs. Rash is the former Virginia Ann Owens.

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Paula Burchfield, Brian McClure was ring bearer, Phillip Hansel served as best man, and ushers were Robert Willoughby and Doug Baker.

Susan is the granddaughter of Mrs. Ernest Bullock of Mt. Vernon.

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Mrs. Earl Cornett was admitted to the University Hospital, Lexington, Wednesday.

Mrs. Logan Willmott has returned home from Somerset where she has been with her mother Mrs. Lela Floyd. Mrs. Floyd recent underwent surgery at the Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Winkler and children Kimberly Sue and Veneti Lynn of Bagdad, Kentucky were recent visitors of his mother Mrs. Grace Hasty.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Davis of Fairfax, Virginia spent Monday and Tuesday with her mother Mrs. Emma Thompson.

Mrs. Ethel Greenwood of Bedford, Indiana and Mrs. Alpha Kineer of Erlanger are visiting their sisters Mrs. Emma Thompson, Mrs. Amanda Maggard and Mrs. Lella Stokes at the home of Mrs. Maggard.


Roy and Wayne Tallent are with the U.S. Air Force.

Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Ramsey have returned from a recent visit with their daughter Mrs. Eddie Warren and Mr. Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Delmer in Louisville. They report their granddaughter Mrs. Delmer, recovering nicely from surgery.

While there, they also visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Ramsey and Mr. and Mrs. Woody Chasteen while in Louisville.

Mrs. Ella Ponder had as her guest for dinner Thursday evening her sister Mrs. Christine Vanzant of Dayton, Ohio, Mrs. Florida Doan of Muskegon, Michigan, Mrs. Nancy Holcomb of Somerset and Mrs. Lella Stokes.


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"ROCKCASTLE RECOLLECTIONS"  
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repair center and "roundhouses" that the company hired detectives to guard their property there. After one of these had been dismissed for killing a Rockcastle citizen who was attempting to knife him a man by the name of Harland was hired to take his place. Harland went to Livingston disguised as a traveling salesman, or "drummer," registering at a hotel operated by Champ Mullins and his wife, Susan. Dee Bryant, who for many years later was a conductor on a passenger train through Rockcastle County, was then a railroad guard, patrolling the grounds at night, carrying a Winchester rifle, two big Colt revolvers and a lantern, which had often been shot out, leaving him in the dark.

Writing for a railroad magazine years later, Harland reminisced of some of his experiences on the job. He tells of having suspected four boys of being involved in a series of thefts and going to the home of two of them one snowy wintry night, finding the whole family seated around a good fire, seeming to be enjoying life to the fullest. Having his eye on a big Winchester on pegs above the door, he considered it best not to start anything at the time, but persuaded the two boys to return to Livingston with him on some trumped-up excuse, and once he had them there, arrested them and got a full confession from them, involving also the two other boys. At their trial two were sent to the penitentiary; two released on probation.

Detective Harland later hired a man named Andy Johnson to assist him in his work. According to Harland, this man seems to have been a most desperate character and was said to have killed eighteen people, many of them from ambush. Just a few weeks before he was hired, he is said to have killed a family of five people, who were in their church, in a hotel-horse wagon. Johnson opened fire from ambush, first killing the father, with whom he had recently had some trouble, and finishing up by killing the mother and three children.

Later on, Johnson had some difficulty with Col. Bill Dillon, which many people thought was very bad judgment on his part, the Col. being considered a bad man to have trouble with. This reputation was founded partly on the fact that Col. Dillon had exchanged hands with the infamous Quantrell, near Crab Orchard, Kentucky, and the further fact that two of his sons had shot and killed a member of the James Gang, near Pine Hill. To show his disregard for their reputations, Johnson went to Dillon's big sawmill on Rockcastle River, near Hazard Patch, drew the employees away, soaked the mill building and stacks of sawed lumber with coal oil and set them on fire. Seating himself on a big rock near the scene, within easy rifle shot, he kept the employees from attempting to stop the fire until everything had been destroyed. Apparently, nothing was done about this by either the Dillons or law enforcement officers.

In the next installment of this series we will go further into the history of the railroads and the part they played in the development of Rockcastle County.

The Dry Cow

By: Bill Ponder  
Vocational Agriculture Teacher  
Rockcastle County High School

Milk and its by-products serve as one of the most important and vital sources of food for all civilizations. In fact, there is a very close relationship between the amount of milk and dairy products people consume, and their mental development and standard of living. It is no coincidence that the most prosperous nations of the world, and also the best developed physically and mentally, are those which dairying has been a keystone of their agriculture.

One part of a dairy operation in terms of the well being of the cow, and increased milk production is the dry cow. Producing a liberal amount of milk puts a tremendous strain on a cow. This strain can be partly relieved with proper care of the cow during the dry period. Just to produce a moderate 6,000 pounds of milk a year means a cow must manufacture 750 pounds of dry matter,

matter, which is actually more than the total dry material contained in the carcass of a 1,250 pound steer.

Experiments definitely prove that if a mature cow receives a rest of eight weeks between lactation periods and is fed properly during this time, she will produce up to 20% more milk during the following lactation than if she were given no rest. Second-calf heifers may increase production as much as 35%.

If properly fitted, her body reserves of minerals, vitamins and flesh will be built up so that she will be able to start her lactation at a high level of production. Usually when a cow starts at a high level, she will continue at this level throughout her lactation and will not go dry as soon. In addition to building up her reserves, the milk secreting glands need a rest.

With low producing cows, it is usually more difficult to keep them milking than it is to give them a rest. With high producing cows, however, the

opposite is frequently true. Such cows will milk continuously unless intentionally dried up by the owner. If the cow has no mastitis and is not producing more than 15 to 20 lbs. of milk daily, the best way to dry her up is simply stop milking her. At the same time, grain ration should be cut off and poor quality forage be fed for a few days. Her udder may become full, but if left alone, the milk will be reabsorbed without any difficulty. There is very little danger of injuring a cow's udder when drying her this way. Cows with mastitis should be given special care when being dried off. In turning high-producing cows dry, it may be necessary to start by milking once a day or removing some milk from the udder from time to time. Reducing feed and water intake may be necessary in difficult cases.

Throughout the entire dry period, ample forage of very good quality should be fed. Legume hay is excellent and provides a good source of calcium. Also, pasture, silage, and well-cured hay are recommended because of their high vitamin A content.

In conclusion, we can see that proper care of the dry cow will help the dairy man to increase milk production, produce stronger, healthier calves, and reduce some of the strain placed upon the cow during lactation.

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# How To Buy Dairy Products

By: Cheryl Witt, County Extension Agent for Home Economics

Milk is an excellent source of calcium, protein, and riboflavin. It contains other vitamins and minerals as well. It also supplies fat and sugar for energy. If you shop wisely for milk and other dairy products, you will not only save on your grocery bills, but you may obtain a better quality and more nutritious product.

**Milk:** Fresh whole milk is usually homogenized and fortified with vitamins and minerals. It must meet the requirements for minimum milkfat set by the state where it is sold. The milkfat content is usually 3.25 percent. All Grade A and milk products sold today are pasteurized-heated to kill harmful bacteria. Grade A milk must come from healthy cows and be produced, pasteurized and handled under strict sanitary control enforced by State Milk Sanitation officials. In homogenized milk, the cream does not separate and the product stays uniform throughout.

**Chocolate flavored milk** is made from pasteurized whole milk with sugar and chocolate syrup or cocoa added. Strawberry, coffee, or maple flavoring are sometimes used for other flavored milk and milk drinks. Chocolate milk can be heated for quick and easy hot chocolate. It can also be used in cookie or cake recipes that call for both milk and cocoa.

**Cultured Buttermilk:** Cultured buttermilk is made by adding a lactic acid-producing bacterial culture to fresh pasteurized skim or partially skim milk. The resulting buttermilk is much thicker than the skim milk and has the same nutritive value. It has an acid flavor. Always keep buttermilk chilled. If allowed to warm, it may separate. If your buttermilk should separate, just stir it.

**Nonfat Dry Milk - Nonfat dry milk** is made by removing nearly all the fat and water from pasteurized milk. "Instant" nonfat dry milk is made of larger particles which are more easily dissolved in water. Nonfat dry milk has about half the calories as whole milk and the same

nutritive value as fresh skim milk. Look for nonfat dry milk that has added Vitamins A and D.

Nonfat dry milk needs no refrigeration and can be stored for several months in a cool dry place. After it is reconstituted, however, it should be refrigerated and handled like fresh milk.

Nonfat dry milk can be used both as a beverage and in cooking. When using as a beverage, reconstitute it several hours before serving to allow time to chill. Use cool water.

Nonfat dry milk is very economical. It can be used in baked and cooked products to replace whole milk to save money and calories. It can also be added to gravies, cakes, breads, pudding, etc. in powdered form to add milk's nutrients to our family's needs.

**Skim Milk - Fresh skim milk** usually has less than 0.5% milkfat. It is usually fortified with Vitamins A and D. Skim milk contains all the nutrients of whole milk except the fat. The flavor and nutrients of skim milk can be improved by adding a teaspoon of instant nonfat dry milk to each glass.

**Low Fat Milk - This kind of milk** may also be labeled "2%" or "2 1/2%" milk in the store. Lowfat milk can be made at home by using half whole milk and half skim or nonfat dry milk.

**Evaporated Milk - This type of milk** is made by heating homogenized whole milk to remove half its water, then sealing it in cans and sterilizing it. When mixed with an equal amount of water, its nutritive value is about the same as whole milk. Refrigerate evaporated milk after opening. Evaporated milk is handy to store and evaporated milk makes an inexpensive infant formula. Evaporated milk with an equal amount of water added may replace fresh milk in recipes. If used full strength, evaporated milk adds nutritive value. It also can be used in coffee or on cereal.

**Sweetened Condensed Milk - Sweetened condensed milk** is a concentrated milk with at least 40% sugar added to help preserve it. It is prepared by removing about half of the water from whole milk. It is often used in candy and dessert recipes, and diluted, for infant formulas.

Many dairy products like other foods found in the supermarket are now coded with a "last date of sale." This date, stamped on a carton or package is helpful to insure purchase of fresh products. In

most cases, the date is the last date the item may be sold. The product may be still safely used at home one to two days to a week after the date.

Be sure your family gets enough milk. Your body needs milk every day. It is especially important for growing children, pregnant women, and nursing mothers. You need:

Children under 9: 2 1/2 glasses per day.  
Children 9-12: 3-4 glasses per day.  
Teenagers: 4 glasses per day.  
Adults: 2 glasses per day.  
Pregnant Women: 3-4 glasses per day.  
Nursing Women: 4-5 glasses per day.

## Buying Extra Dairy Nutrients

By: Clay A. Colson, Chairman Rockcastle Forage Council

Protein is precious these days - use your best skills and knowledge to save all you've grown in forage fields.

Many dairy farmers look to extra cropping or nutrient supplement to fill their herd's feed requirements.

Before any Dairy Farmer considers additional crop acreage or purchasing extra feed or supplements on a regular basis he should take a hard look at his present crop management. Chances are his cows may not be seeing as much nutrients from his harvested forages as they should.

Cornell University Agronomy Department says that the natural loss of alfalfa hay is 15% of its nutritive value from the field to the cow. This is just the normal loss that occurs from harvest to storage to feeding and there isn't much anyone can do about it. The important thing is you don't want to lose any more. If you do you are going to have to have to add to your feed sources and this costs time, labor and money.

Is your hay weed free? Weeds don't interfere with bulk but, they can seriously reduce nutritive value and they sometimes take over a crop. What are your plans for keeping your forage weed free? Rotations, clippings at the proper time, chemical herbicides all may assist in producing weed free forages.

Another important factor in getting the most from your crop is harvesting. Be on time.

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If your family does not care for milk, the following foods have the same nutritive value as one cup of fresh whole milk:

- 1 1/2 ounces processed cheese
- 1 1/4 cups cottage cheese
- 1 cup cocoa
- 1 cup custard
- 1 1/4 cups ice cream
- 1 cup ice milk (soft served)
- 3/4 cup homemade macaroni and cheese
- 1 milkshake
- 1 cup oyster stew
- 1/5 of 15" pizza with cheese
- 1 cup pudding
- 1 1/2 cup cream soup (made with milk)
- 1 cup yogurt.

contact the Admissions Office at Somerset Community College for additional information.

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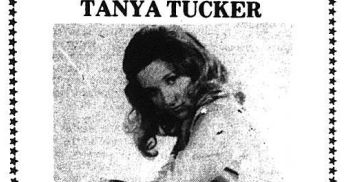
The menus for the coming weekend at Cedar Rapids Recreation Center are as follows:

**Friday Night:** Salmon Croquettes, Roast Beef with

Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Spaghetti with Tomatoes, Green Pepper and Onion, Buttered Broccoli, Cottage Cheese with Fruit, Rolls, Cole Slaw, Cream Pies.

**Sunday Lunch:** Country Style Steak with Gravy, Baked Ham, Green Beans, Scalloped Tomatoes, Mashed Potatoes, Fried Apples, Hot Rolls, Choice of Salads, Cake.

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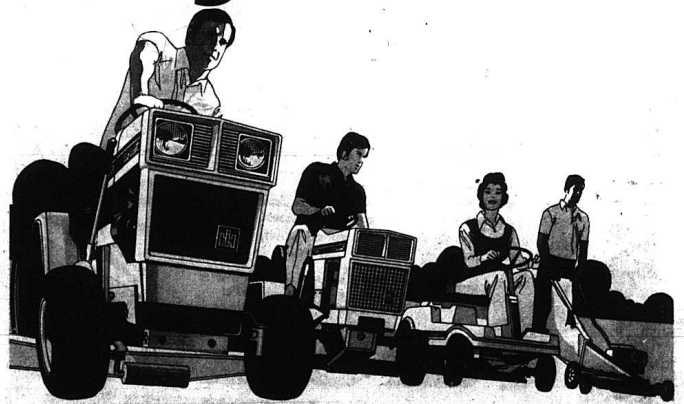
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# Rockcastle Recollections

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Rockcastle County's first wave of prosperity came with the advent of the railroads. Up until this point her resources of timber, coal, limestone and agricultural products had remained practically untouched, limited to the confines of horse and wagon transportation.

As early as 1828 there had been talk of a railway connection between the Ohio Valley and the South and in that year a group of South Carolinians advocated such a road between Charleston and Cincinnati and in 1835 the South Carolina Legislature chartered a company to construct such a line. In January 1836 the Kentucky legislature granted the company a charter to build the railway through Kentucky. Some few years ago I bought, at an auction sale, a map made in 1839 showing all steamboat landings and stage coach stops in Kentucky, as of that date. I was surprised to find on this map a railroad, the Charleston and Cincinnati, crossing Rockcastle County, running through Mt. Vernon. Knowing there had never been such a railroad here, I called on the state historical society, at Frankfort, for help in figuring this out. I learned that when the map was printed it was considered a certainty that the road would be constructed, but plans later fell through, largely as a result of after-effects of the national panic of 1837.

The need for such a road continued to exist, however, as became more and more apparent during the War Between the States. With the close of the war and the return to normalcy, extended efforts were made to get rail connections between the North and the South. As early as 1853 the Lebanon Branch of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad had started out in an effort to reach the coal fields and make connections at Knoxville, Tennessee, with the Atlantic Seaboard lines. Tracks got to Lebanon by 1857, but were stopped there, on account of the war, until 1866 and were extended to Crab Orchard by the end of that year. They got as far as Brodhead by February the fourth of 1868, and on to Mt. Vernon in that same year. By 1870, tracks had reached Livingston, which remained the terminus of the line until 1882, when it was extended to London. First through train from Louisville to Knoxville passed through Mt. Vernon on July fourth, 1883.

When tracks had reached Mt. Vernon, in 1868, the first train came in. It was pulled by the small engine of that day, with a huge funnel-shaped smokestack. Its tender was loaded with cordwood, as fuel. It was made up of two or three small empty flatcars and two small coaches filled with railroad officials and their friends. It was decorated with streamers and flags and heralded its arrival by a prolonged blast of its whistle, which scared most of the horses and many of the spectators into running away. My uncle, Olmstead Lair, a small boy at the time, remembered being among the leaders of the stampede.

Since the tracks ended here, the people of Mt. Vernon assumed that the train was marooned here until additional tracks would allow it to proceed toward Livingston. But when the speaking and general celebration was concluded, they were both surprised and disappointed to see it back out in the direction from which it had come and the big day was over.

While most of the citizens of Rockcastle were sensible of the great general benefit to be derived from the coming of the railroad, there were some who saw in it only a chance for vandalism to their own personal profit. This was especially true when it was learned that the pay car made regular trips over the line, carrying the money to meet the salaries of all the railroad employees in the area.

This money at first generally in gold, was the biggest bonanza local would-be bandits had ever had a chance at and the first attempt in the county to wreck the payroll took place on the Big Fill, below Mt. Vernon, but was unsuccessful. The same gang tried it again at the top of Crooked Hill and this time succeeded in derailing the train but were scared away before getting at the money it was carrying. In connection with this, two young section hands living near Mt. Vernon were arrested and jailed in London. Mobs formed in Roland, Richmond and Livingston to go to London and take them out and hang them, the mobs consisting mainly of relatives and friends of the payroll crew whose lives had been endangered by the wreck. Before action could be taken, they were removed to Latonia for safekeeping. At another time two Negro boys derailed an engine to watch it roll down the hillside away from the tracks. They confessed, when captured, but were not punished, it being the general belief that they had been put up to it by older miscreants.

But the greatest loss to the railroad, extending over a longer period of time (even down to the present) was the matter of theft from boxcars and tool sheds. These thefts became so numerous at Livingston, which was long the terminus of the road and later the

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## VANHOOK RECEIVES DOCTOR OF EDUCATION DEGREE AT UK

Harold Van Hook, Assistant Director for Academic Affairs at Somerset Community College, received his Doctor of Education Degree at the May 10th commencement exercises at the University of Kentucky. In addition, the University of Kentucky Board of Trustees approved the promotion of Vanhook from Assistant Director for Academic Affairs to Associate Director of Somerset Community College.

Dr. Van Hook has been associated with the College for the past eight years. His duties have included: Instructor of Biological Sciences; Chairman, Division of Biological Science and Related Technologies; Coordinator of Student Services; Assistant Director for Academic Affairs and presently Associate Director.

Dr. Van Hook was born in Pulaski County, but was reared in Rockcastle County. He graduated from Brodhead High School (1954), received his Bachelor of Arts Degree in Biology from Berea College (1959), and his Master of Arts Degree in Biological Education from Eastern Kentucky University (1962). During the interim and prior to beginning work on his doctorate, he completed a Counseling Certificate and a Principal Certificate at Eastern Kentucky University.

Dr. Van Hook's major for the Doctor of Education Degree was Adult and Higher Education. His dissertation was entitled "A Study of Community College Transfer Students in Kentucky." A copy of the dissertation is on file in the Somerset Community College Library.

In addition to the above education and work experience, Dr. Van Hook has been very active in community activities and professional organizations. He was president of the Lions Club in Brodhead, Kentucky and is beginning a term as Secretary of the Somerset-Pulaski County Rotary Club. He was president of the Mid Cumberland Personnel and Guidance Association (1970), president of the Kentucky Personnel and Guidance Association (1972), and is currently serving a three year term on the American Personnel and Guidance Association Board of Directors. Dr. Van Hook was listed in the 1971 edition of Outstanding Young Men in America.

He is married to the former Carol Ann Riddle of Brodhead. They have two children, Martha - age 15, and Mark - age 12.

Crucial Private Schools - The state Board of Education has voted to require all new non-public schools in Kentucky to have at least three certified teachers and sixty students if they expect to operate with the approval of the state. Current state regulations require only 12 students to operate a private school.

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