



The Livingston High School Class of '68 held a reunion last Saturday night at the Holiday Steak House. Shown in the above photo are, from left: Mrs. Marie Burns, Mrs. Carolyn McCracken, Mrs. Anna O'Leary Harris, Mrs. Yonie Mink, Jerry Mink, and Mrs. Judy Brock. Back row, from left: Perry McCracken, Mrs.

Clara Anglin, Joe Anglin, Mrs. Helen Durham, Darrell New, Mrs. Ellen New, Mrs. Anita Phillips, Clyde Phillips and Nat Brock. Not shown in the picture were: Bobby Singleton, Truman McQuinn, Mr. and Mrs. Gordie Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dewell Smith and family and Preston Parrett, sponsor, and daughter, Tonya.

## Down on the Farm

By: Roy G. Brown  
Assistant Vice President  
Cumberland PCA

This week sees the end of another year and the beginning of a new one.

The year 1975 has been somewhat on the dark side for most farmers with beef prices still way below production costs and tobacco prices cheaper than last year and the cost of production up. The brightest thing was probably the hog prices which helped some few farmers.

We need to take a good look at our farming operation the next few weeks while the weather is bad. There is a lot of necessary planning for the year 1976 and on into the future if we are to be above average in our farming business. We need to cull out the things which are the least profitable and put more effort into the things most profitable. The time has come when it is essential to keep farm records if we want to keep up with what we are doing and whether it is a profitable crop of

livestock enterprise in our farming program. We at PCA would like to wish everyone a most happy, healthful and prosperous 1976. **DOWN ON THE FARM.**

## SMALL WONDER

How Little Things Can Really Mean A Lot

Few Americans realize it, but microfilming has become so highly developed that it is now possible to put 8000 manuscript-size pages on a single sheet of film. In fact, a typical copy of the Holy Bible can be placed on a piece of film measuring 2 inches by 2 inches.

Not only do businesses use microfilming as an efficient method of storing and retrieving information used daily, but it is used in schools, hospitals and libraries, too.

Literally hundreds of thousands of rare books and



documents have been microfilmed by the Library of Congress, not only preserving them for all time, but making valuable research materials available to schools and scholars!

The use of microfilm (reproducing original documents in reduced form) touches the life of every American. Because it saves business money, by allowing them to use less paper and space, it ultimately helps keep prices down.

Never use cleaning fluids or chemical cleaners on the glass face of your television set.

## QUAIL

By Mrs. Vivian Owens

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Baker and Cathy were Tuesday supper guests of his mother, Mrs. Pattie Baker.

Mr. Virgil Deborde of Ohio visited his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Owens, Christmas morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Owens and Sha wn of Ohio spent the Holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Anderson, Betty Lou Hojge, and Mr. and Mrs. Benton Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. M.E. McMullin were Christmas dinner guests of her sister, Pattie Baker.

Christmas Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Perry were Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses Gibson and family of Danville, Mr. Crit Riddie and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Modie Dillingham of Ohio and Mrs. Lance Dillingham visited Mrs. Willie Todd, Wednesday afternoon.

Christmas Dinner guests of Mrs. Willie Todd were Mr. and Mrs. Arnie Todd and family of Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Rogers and Jill, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Barron and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Barron and Mrs. and Mrs. Wayne Todd and

## Jessica

Mrs. J.A. Hasty spent Sunday and Monday with her sister, Mrs. Maude Hasty.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Biggs and family, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Gentry and Lisa, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Owens and Mark and Ronnie Owens of Ohio spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie B. Owens.

Mr. Willie Logsdon has been transferred to the Somerset City Hospital.

The family of Alza Shotts have our sympathy in the loss of their loved one.

Christmas Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Caldwell were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Caldwell and son, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Caldwell of Ohio, Mrs. Mary Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burton and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Lee Cash, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Middleton and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hellard and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Caldwell.

Mr. Thomas Hayes, Sr. was Christmas Dinner guest of his son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes and family.

Bro. Ed Gibbs was Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Mink.

Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Bryant visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. John Owens, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Ronald Rogers and

## Jill, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Barron

and family and Mrs. Wayne Todd and Jessica visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Todd, Sunday.

Visitors of Mrs. Florence Albright over the Holidays were Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Reynolds, Roxanne, Jamie and Rhonda; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Owens and Rusty, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bullock and Tana; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ponder and Linda; Mrs. Charles Casey and Mrs. Deborah Rogers and Jennifer.

Mrs. Josephine Burdette recently spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Bertie Taylor.

Linda Ponder spent the week end with Florence Albright.

Mr. Charles McWhorter of Valley Station and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Martin of Indiana visited Mrs. Bertie Taylor, last week. Mrs. John Deborde has been on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Casey, Chris and Bethany of Ohio spent Sunday night with Florence Albright.

Mrs. Bertie Taylor and Mrs. John Deborde were in Somerset shopping, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cummins and Rebecca and Ruth Mink were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mink and family of Berea.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Todd and Mrs. Nannie Craig were dinner guests of Mrs. Bertie Taylor, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown spent the Holidays in Ohio with relatives.

Christmas Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Auther McKinney were Mr. and Mrs. Victor M. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Gervis Burdine and family, Mr. and Mrs. Novis Gentry and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy McKinney and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy McKinney and family, Mr. and Mrs. Danny McKinney and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie McKinney, Mr. Darrell McKinney and Mrs. Vera Gentry.

Mr. Arthur McKinney of Louisville spent five weeks vacations with his wife, Mrs. McKinney and son, Darrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Arther McKinney and Darrell were at Monticella, Wednesday and visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Danny McKinney and Angie.

This week visitors of Mrs. Christine Brown and family were Mr. Casper G. Owens, Mrs. Marshall Thompson, Mrs. Juanita Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Cledis Brown and son, Robbie, Jerry, Terry and Gary.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pope visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cash, Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cash were Christmas Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Ray Cable and family.



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## Area Deaths

### MRS. PEARL HASTY, 63 DIES AFTER ILLNESS

Mrs. Pearl Hasty, 63, of route 1, Brodhead died Saturday, December 27, at a Lexington hospital after an illness of several months.

Mrs. Hasty was born March 9, 1912 in Jackson County, the daughter of the late Neal and Sarah Deamhoe Cope and was a member of the Union Chapel Holiness Church.

Survivors are one son, Glenn Hasty of route 1, Brodhead; two daughters, Mrs. Sarah Raye Scherley of route 3, Berea and Mrs. Flora Mae Proctor of Cincinnati, Ohio; three brothers Ray Cope and George Cope, both of Maretsburg and Ray Cope of Atlanta, Georgia; two sisters, Mrs. Clara Busch of Mt. Vernon and Mrs. Ruth Pogue of Cincinnati, Ohio and seven grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Samuel Hasty, by two brothers, Bob and Leonard Cope and by two sisters, Mattie Reynolds and Rose Cope Hasty.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning, December 30 at the Watson Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Virgil Brock officiating. Burial was in the Oak Hill Cemetery.

### JAMES P. HACKER DIES AT MOREHEAD

James Pearl Hacker, 70, of Brodhead died Saturday, December 27, 1975 at the St. Clair Hospital in Morehead.

Mr. Hacker was born in Jackson County, the son of the late Stephen and Ollie House Hacker. He had worked as a miner for several years and was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors are one brother, Dan Hacker of Brodhead; two sisters, Mrs. Ruby Taylor of Columbus, Indiana and Mrs. Robert Sullivan of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, December 30 at the Watson Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. B.C. Flynn officiating. Burial was in the Piney Grove Cemetery.

### MRS. MINNIE S. DECKER DIES AT RESIDENCE

Mrs. Minnie S. Decker, 75, of route 4, Mt. Vernon died Saturday evening, December 27, 1975 at her home. She was born in Rockcastle County April 8, 1900, the daughter of the late Henry and Mary Mink Deatherage and was a member of the Pine Hill Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, James D. Decker of Route 4, Mt. Vernon; seven sons, Elmer, James A. and Clarence, all of Mt. Vernon, Raymond

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### MRS. ALZA LU SHUTTS DIES DECEMBER 26

Mrs. Alza Lu Shutts, 79, of Route 1, Brodhead died Friday, December 26th at the Rockcastle County Hospital.

Mrs. Shutts was born June 18, 1896 in Rockcastle County, the daughter of the late John Mason and Rilda Harness Brown. She was a member of the Providence Church of Christ.

Survivors are one son, Lloyd Shutts of route 1, Brodhead; three brothers, Lytle and J.L. Brown, both of Route 1, Brodhead, and Klingman Brown of Cincinnati, Ohio; two sisters, Mrs. Charlie (Coo) Hasty and Mrs. Albert (Fannie) Albright, both of Route 1, Brodhead and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Willie S. Shutts and by three brothers, Bennett, Willie and Everett Brown.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, December 28, 1975 at the Providence Church of Christ with Bro. Charles Brown officiating. Burial was in the Providence Church Cemetery.

Cox Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

### BRO. M.H. CLARK DIES AFTER SHORT ILLNESS

Bro. Muffie Harrison Clark 81, of Livingston, died Friday, December 26, 1975 after a short illness.

He was born in Rockcastle County April 27, 1894, the son of the late Preston and Jane Sloan Clark and was a member of the Union Chapel Free Pentecostal Church, a retired L&N Railroad and a minister.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ida Harrison Clark of Livingston; three sons, Henry Clark of Frankfort, Warren Clark of South Lebanon, Ohio and Raymond Clark of Loveland, Ohio; one daughter, Mrs. Roseda Arnold of Walton; one brother, Cline Clark of Route 2, Brodhead; one half-brother, Freddy McQueen of Trenton, Ohio; 20 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday, December 29 at the Union Chapel Free Pentecostal Church with Bro. Virgil Brock and Bro. Carrel Blanton officiating. Burial was in the

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### WATCH NIGHT SERVICE AT FIRST BAPTIST

A Watch Night Service will be held at the First Baptist Church on Main Street in Mt. Vernon Wednesday, January 1 (tonight) at 9 p.m. A film entitled "The Enemy" will be shown. There will also be fun, food and fellowship. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.



Christmas Day was not a happy one for Mrs. Hazel Bryant of Mt. Vernon. The day before Christmas, Mrs. Bryant was taken to the local hospital suffering from a heart attack and the next day her home, located on Lawrence Street, caught fire and was extensively damaged. City Fire Chief John Cox said it was believed that the fire started in an electric box in a utility room. In the picture below, City Firemen are shown fighting a fire at the home of Raymond Nickels in the corner of Fairground Hill and West Main Street. Mr. Cox said that this fire apparently started around the fire of a homemade wood heating stove. Damage to the Nickels home was confined to a dining room and the floor of the room above. The Nickels fire was last Saturday evening.



### PUBLIC MEETING ON HEALTH PLANNING SET

A public meeting to discuss new health planning legislation will be held in the Rockcastle County Courthouse Courtroom, second floor, at 7 p.m. on January 6th.

Local and state spokesmen will discuss the National Health Planning and Development Act (Public Law 93-641).

Opportunities will be outlined for citizen input into the organization and operation of Health System Agencies which are required by the new law.

These agencies will have basic responsibility for planning and development of all health delivery services in the area. A question and answer session will follow the presentation.

All interested Rockcastle Countians are encouraged to attend.

### RETIRED TEACHERS TO MEET JANUARY 7TH

Squire R. Cummins of Moreland, president of the Central Kentucky Retired Teachers Association, announces

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## Anglin Resigns Post; James Durham Named

Cledith "White Jack" Anglin, Deputy Jailor of Rockcastle County since his father, Ivory Anglin, took office as Jailor in 1974, resigned that post Saturday, December 20th.

Mr. Anglin's resignation was accepted by County Judge Hubert Thacker and in a separate order, Judge Thacker

approved the appointment of James E. Durham to replace Mr. Anglin. Mr. Durham is the son of Luray Durham of Berea, formerly of this county.

Mr. Anglin presently holds an indictment handed down by the Rockcastle County Grand Jury for Public Drunkenness while on duty as a deputy jailor.

## 81 From County Are Enrolled at Eastern

A total of 81 students from Rockcastle County were enrolled at Eastern Kentucky university for the 1975 fall semester.

Eastern enrolled a record high of 13,430 students for the semester, an increase of 6.8 percent over the previous record enrollment in 1974.

The total enrollment includes students from all 120 Kentucky counties, 41 states, the District of Columbia, the Panama Canal Zone and 28 countries.

The names of the EKU students from Rockcastle County, listed by hometown, are:

Brenda K. Baker, Catherine J. Baker, Charles T. Baker, Sharon D. Baker, James M. Brown, Kathryn Bullen, Stephen G. Bullen, Susan O. Bullen, Lois R. Cameron, Juanita A. Chasteen, Nancy R. Coffey, Judy G. Conley, Karen P. Deibach, Laura L. Durham, Norma R. Everett, Sue A. French, Will T. Goins, Edwina Hancock, Joyce A. Hansel, Patricia A. Hickey, Mary A. Hunt, Virginia L. Hunt, Azy Johnson, Kimberly J. Kirby, Rhonda G. Lakes, Marcia G. Lamb, Brent R. Lawwell, Jack B. Lawless, Judy E. Lawless, John D. Lester, Deborah J. Miss, Teresa A. Parrett, Jeanne M. Parsons, Pamela B. Phillips, Janet M. Radar, Lisa G. Randolph, Theresa D. Sams, Patricia M. Smith, Sherry L. Smith, Jennifer J. Spires, Phyllis Stallworth, Carol A. Stewart, Jesse W. Thacker, Lawrence R. Travis, Judy M. VanZant, Jeanne M. Wheeler.

Jimmy D. Whitaker, Jerri L. Wren, Carol J. Zimmerman, all of Mt. Vernon; Duane D. Allen, Larry R. Hammond, Doreen G. Russell, Trina F. Russell, all of Livingston; Ruth A. Allen, William O. Bentley, Karen K. Brown, Wanda E. Brown, Janet S. Burson, James G. Busch, Terri S. Daughtery, Brenda G. Dula, Lyla M. Davis, Gregory L. Ebnis, Everette F. Harper, Jr., Lisa D. Holbrook, Stanley C. Hoskins, Phillip E. Howard, Mary A. Lawrence, Rodney D. Purcell, Lewis R. Remas, Jeleka K. Taylor, Walter Theobald, Jr., all of Brodhead; Terry W. Parker, Carter L. Parsons, Kenneth G. Stewart, all of Wildie; Norma D. Robinson and Gary W. Witt, both of Orlando.

### NORTHERN WATER DISTRICT TO MEET

The Northern Rockcastle County Water District will hold its regular meeting Monday, January 5, 1976, at the home of Byron Baker at 7 p.m. We urge all residents of the Seaford Cane area who are interested in water to attend this meeting.

### KU REDUCES FUEL ADJUSTMENT CHARGE

Fuel adjustment charges on Kentucky Utilities Company electric bills to residential, commercial and industrial customers will be 15.6 per cent lower during January, February and March.

The amount will be 0.3865 cents per kilowatt hour compared to the 0.4577 cents per kWh in the October, November and December bills. The reduced charge reflects the lower cost of coal burned in KU's generating plants during September, October and November.

The first quarter 1976 fuel adjustment charge is 50.88 per cent below the charge in effect during the second quarter of 1975 when it reached its highest point of 0.7836 cents per kilowatt hour.

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Ashland Lodge 610 P&AM elected officers for the coming year Saturday night, December 27th. Elected were, from left: Altona McCollum, chaplain; John Bullock, trustee; George Clark, Junior Steward; Joe Diluca, Senior Steward; Jack Lawless, Junior Deacon; Kenny Robinson, Senior Deacon; Bert

Herrin, Secretary and Ed Blair, Tyler. Back row, from left: Jack Cromer, trustee; Henry Coffey, Senior Warden and Trustee; John Rush, Master; Bill Dorell, Junior Warden and Robert Robinson, trustee.



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## FRANKFORT WATCHLINE

A year after taking office, Gov. Julian Carroll is yet to demonstrate specifically just what kind of governor he is going to be.

The proof of his mettle is, however, but a few short weeks off now, when Carroll comes up with his first executive budget.

It is in an executive budget that a governor most clearly sets forth his priorities for programs, his view of what state government can and should be doing.

Too often, the executive budget is read by interested parties: local agencies, state agencies, taxpayers, etc. with a "what's in it for me" attitude.

If the budget contains a heavy appropriation for the Governor's Council on Aging, then those interested in the Council on Aging are likely to consider the budget to be fair and good and just, and the governor is pleased.

If the budget does not contain subsidy money for urban mass transit, then those with particular interests in mass transit be they bus drivers or bus passengers, are likely to view the entire budget with distaste, describe it as unfair, bad and unjust, and the governor is rightly cursed for his action.

Theoretically a governor must consider each request in

light of what is good for the entire Commonwealth, and surely that will be the official reason for what appears or does not appear in Carroll's executive budget.

But barring the allocation or removal of funds within the budget for other than good and true reasons, the budget document is a governor's monument to his own philosophy of government.

Carroll's philosophy, but thus far evidenced only by his campaign statements, is that government has gotten too big, demonstrating his concern for big government will be on paper to a few weeks and will be presented to the General Assembly.

Substantially, Carroll will have to take positive actions on stemming the growth of government and/or cutting back on the growth of the last few years.

Carroll's philosophy fits in neatly with what appears to be a national trend against big government, what Ronald Reagan at the forefront and Hubert Humphrey bringing up the rear, and a host of governors somewhere in between.

While such presidential contenders as Reagan can be content for the next few months with talking about change.

Carroll and some of his fellow governors are faced with translating rhetoric into dollar figures in the framework of their respective multi-billion-dollar budgets.

Public and legislative reaction to major shifts in emphasis by Carroll and other governors could reinforce, or dampen, the anti-big government rhetoric of the candidates for the presidency.

The rhetoric is obviously politically popular, examples being Reagan's and Carroll's big victory here in Kentucky, and California Gov. Jerry Brown's high marks from the public.

Action on that rhetoric could be something else again, since almost no one wants to be on the losing end of the stick in the end.

Public reaction to the budget process being what it is to the voters and the legislature might anticipate the likelihood of some no silent votes rising with the cry of: "If you have to vote on the road fund, cut it! you do your trimming in another district, not mine!"

## County Statistics

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Terry Gene Bullock, 19, Rt. 3, Mt. Vernon, factory worker, to Sandy Lee Barron, 22, Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon, December 27, 1975. Lewis Dowell Abney, 20, Orlando, Ky., railroad worker to Judy Kaye Foytner, 22, Brodhead, Ky. December 27, 1975.

### HOSPITAL REPORT

#### ADMITTED

Edmond Hubbard, Cincinnati, Ohio; Imogene Reed, Mt. Vernon; Eva Woodall, Brodhead; Purter Smith, Mt. Vernon; Martha Denny, Mt. Vernon; Myrtle Gray, Mt. Vernon; Harry Rasmick, Orlando; Donna Lear, Mt. Vernon; Glenn Hasty, Brodhead; Jack Vaughn, Orlando; Ota Bond, Mt. Vernon; Anetta Jean Mallicoat, Orlando; Norma Brummett, Brodhead; Roosevelt Bowman, Orlando; Lloyd Monk, Brodhead; Paul Owens, Brodhead; Regina Brown, Mt. Vernon; Reva Allen, Mt. Vernon; Robert Rown, Mt. Vernon; Curtis Allen, Mt. Vernon; Bonnie Barron, Brodhead; Hazel Bryant, Mt. Vernon; Carolyn Osborne, Mt. Vernon; Delbert Leger, Mt. Vernon; Pearl Barron, Mt. Vernon; and Ramona Carpenter, Livingston.

## RELEASED

Ronnie Owens, Inez Stephens, Donna Albright, Nancy Childers, Albright Newborn, Children's Newborn; Imogene Reed, Marie Cox, Charlie Smith, Pearl Russel, Darlene Kirby, Connie Noe, Donna Lear, Brenda Adams, Wade Norton, Eva Woodall, Kitty Newborn, George Allen, Mary, Basie, Bessie Burdette, Ed Hubbard, Ronald Rogers, Harry Rasmick, Carolyn Jones, Purter Smith, Imogene Reed, Adams Newborn; Jones Newborn, Harry Chastain, Myrtle Gray, Regina Brown, Paul Owens, Hazel Bryant, and Robert Barron.

## NEWBORNS

George Adam Carpenter, born to Bentley and Ramona Carpenter of Livingston. Jamey Mascal Allen, born to Reva Allen and Reva Allen of Orlando. Ronald Shayne Adams, born to Brenda Adams of Crab Orchard.

## ramblings...

With this week's issue of the Signal, my husband and I will have completed ten years in A. Vernon as publishers of the Signal. My husband and I are now a rewarding ten years with much time and effort on our part expended on the paper but with an equal amount of cooperation extended by our readers.

In this period of time, we have seen the circulation of the paper grow from 2,300 readers to its present 10,000. This is a very gratifying increase. We have also seen the number of pages printed per week grow from eight to fourteen. We have also seen the number of letters in the ten years we have been here, not the least of which has been the addition of three children during this time, but mainly through our becoming a part of the community with our interests solely here.

Of course, the growth of the Signal would not have been possible without the help and cooperation of our readers who furnish us with news items concerning us and the community's activities. Perhaps at this time, we are both guilty of

not paying enough attention to national affairs in our paper but this has not been to the detriment of interest or knowledge of them but more a feeling that a country's problems primarily consist of news of our country and its residents. Daily papers, which go into a large portion of our homes, and television news seem to take care of that end of the news quite well and we never felt the need or had the resources to delve into the why's and wherefores of the news, political scandals, etc. which have plagued this nation during the past ten years.

Some years back, we were made an offer for the Signal, a fair one which would have enabled us to go into some other type of business which would not have required the grueling hours of a newspaper. After giving the offer the consideration, we chose not to accept it because of the type of work my husband has always been involved in and the type of work which I have done for the past ten years and we felt it would have been hard to have found the satisfaction we have found in the newspaper business is some other type of business. I suppose the main reason that we decided against the offer was that we felt we would be leaving the Signal in order to find a business we would want and, when the subject was brought up at home at a family discussion, we faced a total rebellion in the form of five children, all threatening to go and live with friends and relatives in the area until they were past ten years and we felt, "Howbeit, we didn't and have not regretted the decision since that time."

Quite recently we were discussing the coming New Year and the resolutions that always seem to get a large part of your attention at this time and it seemed the first resolution that came to mind was that of providing a better county newspaper in which as many people in the county, as possible, were involved.

We realize, of course, that this resolution sounds fine and easy on paper, but means nothing without the cooperation of you, our readers. This cooperation comes in the form of keeping us informed of activities in your community so that we are aware of them and

can take steps to cover them. At times, in the past, we have failed to cover some news items, mainly because of a lack of personnel and an inability to divide ourselves physically to be in several places at once. With the beginning of next year, we plan to increase our news staff by at least one person in order that this problem can be somewhat alleviated.

On your part, a simple telephone call to our office will usually assure our presence at any community affair which is taking place and will be greatly appreciated by us and by our subscribers. Of course, you should not limit these calls to strictly community events. We have subscribers in every state in the nation, besides several countries, who are hungry for news of homefolds.

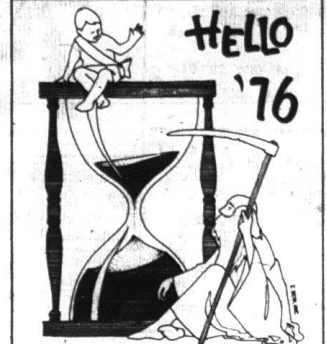
Anyway, it's time to say thank you for your cooperation over the past ten years and to tell you that we look forward to many more years of serving you through the pages of the Mount Vernon Signal.

Our sincere wish for you is

that your New Year will be a happy, peaceful and prosperous one.

Jim and Purina Underkin  
Rick, James, Jane, Paige  
and Sara

FIRST BIRTHDAY - Justice Elaine Alcorn celebrated her first birthday December 28th. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Alcorn of Mt. Vernon and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Alcorn, all of Mt. Vernon.



Best of luck in the year ahead!  
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## Rockcastle Circuit Court Commissioner's Sale

CIVIL ACTION FILE NO. 2956  
KARL C. NICHOLS, JR. PLAINTIFF  
LOLA B. MEYERS and husband, JAMES A. MEYERS; JOHN JAMES NICHOLS, an infant, age 15, and RONALD REGAN NICHOLS, an infant, age 8 DEFENDANTS

By virtue of a judgement and order of sale of the Rockcastle Circuit Court rendered on the 3rd day of December, 1975, in the above cause, a partition action, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court House door on Main Street, in Mount Vernon, Kentucky, to the highest bidder, a partition of the 17 1/2 acres of land, more or less, Ten O'clock A.M., or thereabout, the following described real property, to-wit:

Tract No. 1 - Located on the waters of Sinking Valley, and beginning on a stone where once stood a water oak down and gone; thence south to a black gum McQueenies with line of McQueenies with line of McQueenies and also Logan McKinneys corner; thence west to a double post; thence to a white oak and stone a north corner; thence with Bullock line West 30-30 poles to a stone his corner; thence his line 15 1/2 North 18 poles to a line in the mouth of a branch; thence North 21 West 31 poles chestnut oak; thence and dogwood his corner; thence North 21 West 31 poles; thence east course with said Broyles line to a double poplar; thence North 43 1/2 West 151 poles to a double chestnut oak; thence and dogwood his corner; thence north to a stone in Broyles line; thence East course with said Broyles line to a double poplar; thence North 43 1/2 West 151 poles to a double chestnut oak on a hill corner to William Foynters 88 acre tract; also corner to Susie Gilmore's land; thence with Foynters line North 14 West 44 poles to a white oak passing a white oak and hickory marked at pointers to a gum in Foynters line; thence a new line 46 1/2 East 80 poles to a forked maple; thence east course 28 poles to a stone in the lock of a fence; thence a south course about 400 yards to a sulphur spring; thence South 28 East 159 poles to a stake in Wickliff line to gum, maple and sourwood at pointers; thence west course 30 poles to a stone; thence south course with a fence to a stone on the east side of a branch to a stone; thence east course to the beginning, and containing 150 acres, more or less.

This tract excluding an eighty (80) acre tract heretofore sold by Charley McKinney and wife, Cora McKinney to George Hise and wife, Lillie Hise on the 21st day of February, 1946, and is recorded in Deed Book Number 45, page 215 in the Rockcastle County Court Clerk's office and is described as follows:

Beginning at a double chestnut oak on a hill, corner to William Foynter 80 acre tract, also corner to Susie Gilmore's land; thence with Foynters line, North 14 West 44 poles to a white oak; passing a white oak and hickory, marked at pointers to a gum in Foynters line; thence a new line 46 1/2 East 80 poles to a forked maple; thence East 28 poles to a stone to a lock of the fence; thence a south course about 400 yards to a sulphur spring; thence South 28 East 159 poles to a stone on a ridge; being McKinney's and Hise's corner; thence thence south 155 yards to a stone in Broyles line; thence North with said Broyles line 517 yards to the point of beginning and containing 80 acres, more or less.

Tract No. 2 - Beginning at a stone on the branch on the west side supposed to stand in the Meese line; thence with the Meese line 40 poles to a stone in Childers and McKinney's corner; thence with Childers line to a white oak on a cliff; thence with the cliff to a poplar and stone on the east side of same including the Martha Pennix survey; thence a south direction a straight line to a stone where Elijah Bullock and

James W. Bullock's fence join a corner in Elijah Bullock's line; thence with Elijah Bullock's fence to a hickory near James W. Bullock's gate; thence a straight line to two pines, turn a corner to William McQuary; thence McQuary line to a stone where a spotted oak tree been; thence a straight line to a stone on the east side of the Meese branch in Elijah Bullock's line where Bullocks and George Childers fence join; thence up the fence and with Elijah Bullock's line to the beginning, containing 50 acres, and there is excepted from the above boundary 6 acres sold to Cindie Garrison, leaving 44 acres conveyed in this deed.

Tract No. 3 - Beginning on a stone in W.M. Chaney line about 30 yards from Valley Branch on south side of branch; thence up the branch northeast with stone; thence northwest to a stone; thence north to a stone; thence northwest to a stone; thence northeast to a point of the hill to the intersection of the line of W.M. Chaney a stake his corner; thence with his line nearly south to the beginning corner, supposed to contain 30 acres more or less.

Tract No. 4 - Bounded on the north by the lands of C.H. McKinney; on the east by C.H. McKinney; on the south by McKinneys land; on the west by Virgil Carlton and containing 15 acres more or less.

Tract No. 5 - Located on the waters of Line Creek, to-wit: Beginning at a steeping black oak at the point of a cliff, Prewitt's corner; thence with Prewitt's line nearly north northeast to the cliff at the William McKinney line; thence with the said line to the top of the hill at Kinley corner; thence nearly south with Prewitt line to a hollow chestnut and hickory pointers; Prewitt corner, also J.W. Bullock's corner; thence with his line nearly west to a stone; thence South 5 1/2 West 30 poles to a large pine, McKinney corner; thence South 55 East 21 poles to a stone; thence South 41 West 28 1/2 poles to a post; by natural set rock in McKinney line, also his corner; thence with said set rock southeast 20 3/4 Poles to a stone; thence South 22 1/2 West 1 1/2 poles to a stone; this is a cut off of one hundred and 35 feet from another tract, stone corner; thence a new line 294 feet northeast to a stone corner; 27 feet from the spring, 75 feet to a stone, southeast corner 128 feet northeast to a stone; thence south east course across a branch, 35 feet to mouth of drain; thence with drain, southeast course to a stone, corner in tract number three thence with No. three line an east course to a stake in county road; thence with the county road, North 30 10 poles to a corner to tract number 6; thence with the road to a stake in the county road; thence east to the beginning, containing 171 acres, be the same more or less.

The property shall be sold to the highest bidder on terms of ten (10%) per cent of the purchase price in cash at time of sale, the balance in six (6) months, with the purchaser being required to execute bond with surety thereon to be approved by the Commissioner, to secure the unpaid balance of the purchase price; said bond to bear interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum from date of sale until paid. The purchaser shall have the privilege of paying all of the purchase price in cash, or paying said bond before maturity by paying the principal and interest accrued to the date of payment. The purchaser shall have possession of the premises after complying with the terms of sale.  
/s/ Money E. Cummins  
Master Commissioner, Rockcastle Circuit Court  
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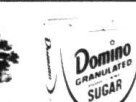
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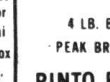
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Sausage or  
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CORNER



JOE CREASON, center, snapped talks with two men in front of his exhibit at the Salute to Kentucky held at the Smithsonian Institute in Washington, D.C. in the summer of 1973. The drawing in the background [over Creason's right shoulder] is of the courthouse in Benton "The only town in Kentucky where I was born," he once wrote.

Joe Creason Remembered

By John Davidson

Countless thousands of Kentuckians are still finding it hard to break an early morning habit they developed through the years... that of waking up on the east and hum of Joe Creason.

of 56 Courier Journal cartoonist Hugh Haynie fittingly eulogized him with a cartoon depicting two angels floating around Heaven saying, "Hurry up, Creason's telling another whopper."

time. Quite often he would come home and find a note pinned to the wall. It was the only time she could remember her husband being rude with anyone.

"People would call Joe at, any hour of the day or night," Sheila Creason remembered. "One time a lady called for him and I told her Joe was outside on a ladder cleaning out our rain gutters. She said, 'Well, can you call him in? I just thought of a funny story.'"

expecting sparkling conversation, attendees were disappointed. "It was the only time she could remember her husband being rude with anyone."

She did, however, help her husband with the screening of material to be included in his first book, "Joe Creason: The Original Title of his Column. But she does not like the picture used on the back cover of the book. She feels the picture makes her husband look 'rumped,' and explained, "Joe was a meticulous dresser. You never saw him with a crease in his pants and his shirt tucked. The picture just doesn't look like him."

at the house and proceeded to some of the other rooms. He said at the dinner party. After the ordeal was completed and all the guests had wearily departed, Mrs. Creason said she never again saw her husband's wife ask the butler if the dog had a painful death. The butler replied that death was instantaneous.

Outside of storytelling, Creason found time to play Scrabble as often as he could. He had another of his fascinations was the game of Scrabble. His wife said that he had to turn to Scrabble when he was "terrible at bridge."

Mr. and Mrs. Bob HOH, Sr. and Mrs. Orlan SCHROEDER, Mr. and Mrs. Elsie LAWELL and Hannah LAWELL who were there Sunday afternoon.

"RETIRED TEACHERS" (Cont. From Front) that a meeting of retired teachers in the area, including the counties of Lincoln, Rockcastle, Boyle, Garrard and Mercer, will be held at Danville on January 9.

ESTATE AUCTION 30 ACRE FARM AND PERSONAL PROPERTY SATURDAY, JANUARY 3, 1976 10 A.M. BELONGING TO HUGH AND LILLIE BULLOCK LOCATION: Take Hwy 80 east from Somerset about 8 miles to Hwy. 461 Turn on 461, go about 7 miles to property Located next to Sunnyside Baptist Church, about 15 miles from Somerset.

Creason wrote for the magazine for 17 years following stints as a sportswriter for the Courier-Journal and editor of the daily newspaper, the Murray Ledger & Times. Then the newspaper turned him loose with his daily column.

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Highly civic-minded, the Joe Creason list of civic activities and organizations included membership on Kentucky's Historic Preservation Review Board and the executive committee of the Kentucky Historical Society. In his memory, the Historical Society has erected markers for him in Benton and in the Bath County town of Bethel, where his wife is from and where he is buried.

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Decker of Berea, Paris and William Decker, both of Cincinnati, Ohio and Simmie Decker of Alexander, three daughters, Mrs. Thelma Bullock of Mt. Vernon, Mrs. Ruth Middleton of Hamilton, Ohio and Mrs. Mazzie Childress of West Chester, Ohio; two brothers, George and Delbert Deasterage of Somerset; two half-brothers, Raymond Mink of Cincinnati, Ohio and Amos Mink of West Chester, Ohio; three sisters, Mrs. Mae McPerron and Mrs. Loie Kirby, both of Mt. Vernon and Mrs. Orlan Renner of Indianapolis, Indiana; two half-sisters, Mrs. Vada Barron and Mrs. Ethel Barron, both of Mt. Vernon; 26 grandchildren and 24 great grandchildren.

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# Social and Women's News

## DORCAS FRIENDSHIP CLASS HOLDS MEETING

The Dorcas Friendship Class of the First Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon and their teachers, Mrs. Jean Allen, held their annual Christmas Dinner and Party on December 19th at the home of Mrs. Louise Owens.

Following a delicious luncheon, Mrs. Gertrude Hilton, president, presided over the meeting.

Devotions and prayer were given by Mrs. Nancy Helton and Mrs. Louise Owens. Old and new business were taken care of and officers for the coming year were elected. They are: Mrs. Gertrude Hilton, president; Mrs. Nancy Helton, secretary; Mrs. Viola Clark, treasurer. Gifts were exchanged and everyone enjoyed the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Oranstein of Louisville and Mrs. Boor of Florida visited their sister, Mrs. Francis Barnett, recently. Mrs. Barnett has been a patient in the Rockcastle County Hospital.

The guests of Mrs. Aaher Cummins at Christmas were all her children. Mr. and Mrs. George Houaker of Loveland, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cummins of Garland, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cummins and Teresa of Westerville, Kentucky; Mrs. Lucy Cummins and son, Ralph Wayne, Carl and Debbie Woodall.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Babes of Cincinnati, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mastaglio and daughter, Vicki Lynn of Richmond, Indiana spent the Christmas holidays with their mother, Mrs. Mollie Bates.

Visitors of Mrs. Lydia Howard during the Christmas holidays were Rev. and Mrs. J.W. Hall and daughters, Belinda and Amy, of Danville; Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Turner and Donnie, Jeffrey and Susan of Lebanon, Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ball of London; Miss Dolores Bond and Miss Teresa Marlow of Hamilton, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ponder of Livingston; Mrs. Grace Mullins and daughter, Pauline, of Pine Hill and Harve Ben and son, Bobby, of Orlando.

## MT. VERNON PERSONALS

By: Mrs. Geo. Burton

Mrs. Gravelly Burton visited Mr. and Mrs. George Burton, last Wednesday evening.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Burton Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Harris Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Burton and Shelia, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anglin and Nancy and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Owens.

Mrs. Hazel Cummins visited her daughter, Mrs. Sylvia Bledsoe at Richmond, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anglin and Nancy and Robert L. Coffey of Richmond, Ind. were Thursday night supper guests of Lillian Anglin and W.R. Coffey.

Sympathy is extended to the families of James Griffin and Lonnie Cash, who passed away recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Burton visited Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cox, Jr. awhile, Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Burton left Friday for New Mexico, where he is stationed with the U.S. Air Force.

Mrs. Elsie Cress is visiting relatives in Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. George York, Albert and Eliza spent the Christmas holidays with relatives in Ohio and Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter Owens visited their son, Terrill Owens and family during the Christmas holidays.

Albert York, who is attending college at Berea, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George York.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Blanton, Jr. and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Burton and Shelia were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carol Blanton, Sr., Thursday night.

Helissa Sabree of Columbus, Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Burton and Shelia during the holidays.

Sympathy is extended to the Shuttis family in their time of sorrow; also to the Harrison Clark family.

Mrs. Robert Anglin and Nancy visited G.W. Burton and family, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ina Sears visited her sister, Mrs. Hazel Cummins, during the week end.

Mrs. Lois Logsdon has returned home after spending the Christmas holidays in New Smyrna Beach, Florida, with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Noland.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henderson and daughter, Valerie of Somerset accompanied Mrs. Lois Logsdon to Florida. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Dale Noland and other places of interest.

Robert Kirby had the misfortune of falling and breaking his arm, Christmas Day. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harper and children, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Owens and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Owens of Somerset, last Wednesday night.

WILLAILLA  
By: Arvil Burton

Glenn Hasty is very ill in the Rockcastle County Hospital. A speedy recovery is wished for him.

Irvin Denney remains on the sick list.

John Mobley remains ill in the Rockcastle County Hospital.

Mr. Bob Whitaker remains about the same.

Mrs. Hazel Hamm is getting along very well.

Those visiting Glen Hasty recently were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burton of Connersville, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Browning; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Taylor, all of Brodhead; Mrs. Maggie Herrin and Arvil Burton.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Aliza Shuttis, also to the family of Mrs. Mollie Todd.

A large crowd attended the funeral of Mrs. Aliza Shuttis at Providence, Sunday.

Charley Thompson has suffered a heart attack at his home. He is the father of Mrs. Velma Lee Brown and Mrs. Joyce Thompson of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mrs. Joyce Thompson and son visited her father, Charley Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Betty Clayburn and other relatives.

The children of Mrs. Betty Clayburn had Christmas dinner with their mother and Mr. Clayburn.

Norman Brown has purchased a new motorcycle.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Phelps visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Taylor, recently.

Fred Gentry had surgery on his eye a few weeks ago. He is doing very well.

Lewie Brown has suffered a stroke. He is in a hospital in Dayton, Ohio. A speedy recovery is wished for him.

Mrs. Mary Long is on the sick list.

Jimmie Whitaker spent Christmas night with Gerry Burton.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Thompson were Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Tex Payne and Rochelle Lynn of Cincinnati, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reynolds was supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Long, Christmas Eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Burton and Jerry were in Somerset shopping a few days ago.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Brownie Martin was destroyed by fire recently.

Oella Thompson has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith of Crab Orchard.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Stevens

were Mr. and Mrs. Oades Stevens of Crab Orchard, Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Whitaker and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Broughton, of Arvil Burton visited Bob Whitaker, recently.

Edward Burton and Arvil Burton visited Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Sutton in Brodhead, recently.

Recent guests of Mrs. Zora Burton on Christmas Day were Kevin of Somerset and Randy Parsons of Mt. Vernon.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Zora Burton were Mr. and Mrs. G.D. Burton; Mr. and Mrs. Owen Burton and Janet; Mrs. and Mrs. Edward Burton of Frankfort; Mrs. Gail Lee Ledford and Michele of Richmond; Mrs. Dianne Adams and Kevin of Somerset; and Zora Parsons of Mt. Vernon.

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Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grover J.E. Burton were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Burton and Paula of Cincinnati; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hurst of Hamilton, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burton and Allen of Mason, Ohio.

Christmas Eve Dinner guests of Mr. M. E. Burton were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gover of Bronston and Mrs. Fannie Hines of Somerset.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burton and Arvil Burton visited Mr. J.M. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Reynolds, Edd Mink and Mrs. Flonnie Mink, recently.

Lloyd Burton of Cincinnati brought the message at the Fairview Church of Christ, Sunday.

QUAIL  
By: Mrs. Vivian Owens  
(Delayed)

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Long and Mrs. Charles McClure visited Florence Albright, Thursday.

A birthday dinner was given for Ruth Mink at her home of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cummins and Rebecca, Sunday evening.

Others to help her celebrate were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mink of Berea, Mrs. Flonnie Mink and Florence Albright.

Bro. and Mrs. Austin Mobley of Ohio were dinner guests of Bro. and Mrs. Carl Phelps, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Staton and family have made their home in South Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes visited Mr. and Mrs. John Owens, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Benton Owens and Mrs. Delmas Bullock were at Somerset Tuesday shopping.

Mrs. Bobby Barron, Mrs. Dean Barron and Mrs. Willie Todd were at Somerset Tuesday shopping.

Mr. Willie Logsdon, Mr. John Mobley and Mr. Glenn Hasty are patients in the Rockcastle County Hospital.

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We wish them a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Maggie Herrin spent Saturday night with Mrs. Elva Mobley.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Whitaker and family were Mr. and Mrs. Burch Carl and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Tracy of Versailles, Mrs. Bobby Brock and Chris of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Dyer and Amy of Berea, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Bowling.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmus Bullock and sons were Sunday dinner guests of her parents.

During the week visitors of Mrs. Pattie Baker were her sons, Mr. Clodis Baker and son, Bill; Mr. Charles Baker of Mt. Vernon and Mrs. Sella Scoggins (Cont. to 9)

# HAPPY NEW YEAR



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# WELCOME 1976

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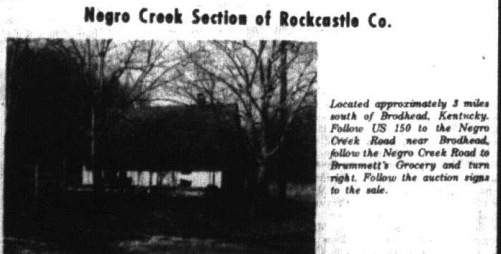
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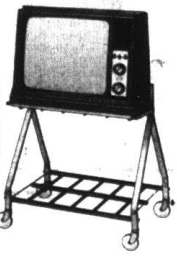


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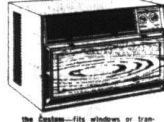
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BY: CHERYL WITT

## HELP YOUR CHILD EXPLORE HIS WORLD

"No, no, Johannes! Leave those things alone."  
 "Susie, you're a bad girl! You mustn't do that!"  
 "I don't know, Jimmie. Now run along and play."

Do these words sound familiar? How often these and similar expressions are heard in homes where there are small children. Parents want to teach their children about things they may or may not do. But while they are doing this they may also dull their initiative by making them afraid to explore their world and ask questions about it.

It is only natural that small children are curious about themselves and world about them. As soon as they are able to do so they explore by getting into things and asking questions. These are important



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**YOUNG'S PHARMACY**

ways of satisfying their curiosity and learning.

If these experiences are happy and satisfying, these children will feel that it is "safe" to go on learning. They will take this spirit of adventure into their subsequent relationships and will be eager to learn about the larger world as they continue to grow. However, some parents kill a child's initiative and make that child afraid to explore his world, or make him afraid to have confidence in himself, or make him feel that he is "bad" if he becomes too inquisitive.

Let us look at the meaning of the unhappy experiences from the viewpoint of the child. When a child is not allowed to explore, even when it is safe for him to do so, he gets the feeling that the world is a forbidden sort of place. He will be afraid to learn about it for fear of punishment. He will also fail to develop confidence in himself and will be afraid to try new things or enter into new experiences. These same feelings will also be present when he enters school and is called upon to learn many new things or enter into new experiences. He may be too shy and retiring or appear to have a lack of interest in the learning experiences about him. But his fears and lack of self-confidence are the real causes back of this.

On the other hand, what will be the results of the happy experiences when the child first begins to discover his world? He will feel that the world is a safe, good place to live. He will find an outlet for his curiosity and will likely continue to wonder about and explore the world about him. At this time, and later when he enters school, learning will be an exciting venture and he will be few years to block the learning experience.

A child has a hunger for food just as he has a hunger for knowledge. When parents block or fail to nature the desire for knowledge they stunt the child's learning ability just as they would stunt his growth by failing to give him proper food. Some parents fail to encourage a child's curiosity by closing their own eyes to the world around them. They keep their wonder of the sprouting seed, the building tree, the colors of nature. They take for granted the miracles of radio and television, the advances in space flight and the larger universe around us.

Through their own curiosity, parents can "introduce" the child to the wonders about him, can help the child discover the miracles that abound in every seed, and leaf and star. Here

# Christmas is giving...



The Raymond Hall family, who lost their home and all belongings to fire a week before Christmas, were treated to a Christmas Dinner at the Hitching Post Restaurant on Christmas Day. The meal was prepared for the 15-member family by Mrs. Ernest Mason and Mrs. Bill Hois. As can be seen in these two photos, several other friends joined in the meal including Bro. and Mrs. Sam Broening. The Hall family has now rented a home on Red Hill and they received \$4,000 worth of clothing from Evangelical Loyd Merida of Cincinnati, Ohio. At present, beds and bedding are their most needed items, including silverware. Also just before Christmas, the Browne Martin Family of the Willitsia section lost their home and almost all their belongings. They are being given a household shower by the Broadhead Homemakers and Broadhead Fire Department on Thursday evening, January 1st.



are some definite steps which parents may take in helping to keep curiosity alive and make learning a happy experience.

1. Give the child freedom to explore things around him. However, do not let him get into dangerous places or play with things by which he may hurt himself.
2. Answer the child's question and encourage others. However, don't be too detailed in the answer, and don't be so skimpy that learning doesn't really take place. If you don't know say so. But offer to explore with him.
3. Be awake and alert to the world about you and explore it with your child as he grows. Take him on trips. Ask the why of things yourself. You can enter into a partnership of learning with your child as he explores and learns. Complicit him. This will give him added self-confidence and he will want to use his new powers.
4. Encourage the child as he explores and learns. Compliment him. This will give him added self-confidence and he will want to use his new powers.

In a day when it is more true than ever before that "knowledge is power" there is no greater gift (outside of love) we can give our children than to help them keep alive their sense of curiosity and wonder. And we can nurture and guide this into creative ways of thinking about and exploring the world about us.

## The Week at Livingston

By Mrs. Eva Black

Mrs. Minnie King spent Christmas with her family in Cincinnati. She was accompanied home by her grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Boaz of Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Allen of Salem, Ind. spent the holidays with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Mounts. Other Christmas dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bales, David and Kelly of Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. C.F. Mullins spent last Tuesday with his sister Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pence at Ford, Ky.

Miss Beulah Black spent the holidays with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. S.C. Smith in Louisville. Other guests were their sister, Mrs. Ed Ping and Mr. Ping and daughter, June of Burlington, Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Webb spent Christmas Day with her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Taylor of Corbin.

Mr. and Mrs. C.F. Mullins, Jr. and daughter, Kelly.

granddaughter Donarbes and daughter Miss Shonae Mullins of Washington D.C. visited Mr. and Mrs. C.F. Mullins Sr. Christmas Day.

Mr. Tommy Hurt of Jeffersonville, Indiana, and his mother, Mrs. Maggie Hurt, of Crawfordsville, Florida spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Argenbright. Mrs. Hurt stayed for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Webb spent the holidays in Louisville with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Durham and other friends.

Holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fordyce were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Nichols and four daughters; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Fordyce and two children; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Fordyce and two children, all of Louisville.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Josephine and Francis Dickerson were Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Dickerson and daughter, Lis. Mr. and Mrs. Will Dickerson of Dayton, Ohio.

Mr. Michael McClure of Lancaster, Ohio visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles

McClure during the holidays.

Sgt. and Mrs. Finley Wooten and son, Jerry, of Langley AFB, Virginia spent Christmas week with her mother, Lois Jones.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Bond, Patty, Danny and Mark were S/Sgt. and Mrs. Finley Wooten and Jerry, Lois Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mason.

Freda Woodall spent Sunday with L.D. Bond family. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mayhew visited his sister, Mrs. Bill Parker and Mr. Parker over the week end.

Judy Mason is in Virginia visiting her aunt, Betty Wooten before the Wootens leave for Germany for a three-year duty.

Alberta Rose and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Ellis of Pleasant View, Ky. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L.D. Bond and family.

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**Mrs. McCay Holds Annual Christmas Party**

For the fourteenth consecutive year, Mrs. Pansy McCay sponsored a Christmas for underprivileged families in the area at her home Saturday, December 20th.

Mrs. McCay and several churches, the Strothmore Presbyterian Church of Louisville, the East Side Pentecostal Church in Hamilton, Ohio and the Trinity Gospel Tabernacle of Indianapolis where Bro. Tinsley Rector, formerly of Rockcastle County, is pastor, furnished clothing, toys, dolls, household items and other items, including candy and fruit, to persons attending.

Rev. and Mrs. Herman Vanderpool and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Turner accompanied the trucks from Bro. Rector's church in Indianapolis. The Strathmoor Presbyterian Church of Louisville sent food to prepare baskets for widows and orphans and extremely needy families and the East Side Pentecostal Church of Hamilton, Ohio sent a money donation for the party.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. William Rollins of Springfield, Ohio brought a truck load of clothing and toys to be distributed.

Assisting Mrs. McCay and the church workers in distributing the items were Mrs. Lul Adams of this county along with Mr. and Mrs. Garner Harges and Marsha, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Britton, Mrs. Joyce Jones and Mrs. Sherman Lovell.



These two photos show a portion of the crowd which attended the Christmas Party. In the top photo, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Dennis Britton pause for a moment in their work of handing out items to persons present. The items were dispensed mostly from the trucks which came filled with essentials and some toys for the children from about three churches. (See story elsewhere on this page).



Mrs. Pansy McCay, sponsor of the annual Christmas party at her home at Burr, is shown with Santa who was present to delight the hearts of children brought to the party by their parents. Mrs. McCay is well-known for her work among underprivileged families in this area and spends her Christmas Day preparing food baskets for widows and orphans.



Mrs. Lul Adams dispenses items to persons who attended the fourteenth Christmas party sponsored by Mrs. Pansy McCay of Burr. Several churches each year help to supply the toys, clothing, household items, candy and fruit which are dispensed. Watching Mrs. Adams at work is Santa Claus who made his first appearance at the annual affair this year.

**"QUAIL"**

(Cont. From )

**GUILTY UNTIL PROVEN INNOCENT**

The assumption that an accused person is innocent until proven guilty is the very cornerstone of American justice. Its origins can be traced from Rome through English law into our modern courtrooms.

Our judicial system gives even the most obvious felons their day in court.

And yet, during this year's Congressional session two senators are sponsoring an amendment to a bill which would reverse this premise and place the burden of proof on the shoulders of the accused.



Senator Phillip Hart and Clayton Nelson are proposing an amendment to the Toxic Substances Act, now before Congress, which would require defendants in environmental lawsuits to prove their actions caused no demonstrable harm to anyone's health.

In any such case, it is not difficult for a plaintiff to show when harm has occurred from some source; to demand of defendants that they prove the negative is more than difficult. Indeed, it is statistically impossible to show an absence of any chance of harm.

Senator Nelson justifies

his amendment by saying that in situations where there is potentially a "real" or "grave" risk to health, "it is better to err on the side of safety."

Noblest intentions aside we must not err and allow this bill to become law, because of its implications for other judicial sectors.

Incredible as it may seem this amendment was passed by the Senate in December 1974. However, a majority of House members recognized its implications and rejected its passage.

It is the duty of Congress to protect the nation's environment and the health of its citizens. But that duty must not be assumed at the sacrifice of a cornerstone of democratic justice older than our country—inocent until proven guilty it must remain.

Mr. Ray Scott and Mr. Wayne Caldwell of Ohio spent the week end with their parents, Mrs. Mary Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Caldwell.

Miss Ann Ivey, Mrs. Doris Baker of London and Mrs. Larry Jarvis of Mt. Vernon visited Mrs. Elva Mobley, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Doris Brown graduated from Nursing School at Somerset, Sunday afternoon. Those to help her celebrate were Mrs. Christine Brown, Mr. Ronnie Brown, Miss Debbie White and Mr. Gary Caldwell.

Miss Karen Hamm is spending some time with Mrs. Elva Mobley.

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Mrs. Judy Johnson, an accounting teacher at the Harry Sparks vocational School, was honored with gifts at the annual Christmas Dinner of the FBLA Club, held recently at the Holiday Steak House. Mrs. Johnson, center, left the school at the end of this semester. Also shown in the picture are, from left, Mrs. Donna Hopkins, commerce teacher at the school and, right, Mrs. Shelby Pathergill, another commerce teacher.



MORNING OFFICERS of the FBLA Club are shown in the above photo, they are, from left: Bobby Buchanan, president; Sandy Hubbard, historian; JoAnn McLaryne, vice president; Beverly McClure, senior historian; Barbara Bullen, treasurer; Carol Dooley, secretary; Debbie Woodall, Parliamentarian and Kathy Hammond, reporter.



AFTERNOON OFFICERS of the club are, from left: Phyllis Bishop, vice president; Joanna Smith, secretary; Sandra Daley, president; Teresa McKinney, reporter; Ruth Martin, historian and Dawn Kirby, parliamentarian.



GUEST SPEAKER for the occasion was football coach Glenn Polly, far left. Also at the speakers table were: Lloyd Cain, Co-ordinator; Mrs. Cain and Tony Hopkins.

## County Agent's Notes

BY: H. LEE DURHAM

### LET SERIES TO EXPLORE FARM MARKETING SYSTEM

Hedging - futures - speculators - brokers - these terms usually bring to mind big city trading on the stock exchange, not the upcoming sale of your steers or soybeans. Yet, understanding terms like these could mean the difference between profit and loss for your farm operation.

Starting February 2, a series of television programs will explore how these and other aspects of the marketplace relate to the sale of agricultural produce and how you can do most profitable job of marketing your farm products.

"Farm Marketplace," planned especially for the Kentucky farmer, will be shown over Kentucky Educational Television each Monday night from February 2 to May 17 at 7 p.m. Central Time and 8 p.m. Eastern Time. The 16 half-hour shows are planned to give you a better understanding of today's farm marketing system and show ways of using this knowledge to get more money for your farm products.

If you enroll at your County Extension Office, you will also receive free printed material related to the program topics. Details on TV channels carrying the series are also available at Extension offices.

"Farm Marketplace" is sponsored by the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture's Cooperative Extension Service and produced by KETV. The programs will feature members of UK's Department of Agricultural Economics and selected guests.

Programs in the series will cover such topics as: how and when to sell crops and livestock; the advantages and disadvantages of different marketing methods; forward contracting; and the future market; how the future's market operates and how to trade on futures; the benefits and pitfalls of using futures as a tool in farm business management; hedging and other market strategies; and the role of transportation and storage in the market system.

Enrollment by mid-January is required so that the free printed material can be prepared and sent to those planning to watch the TV programs. Call or stop by your County Extension Office now to enroll or to receive more details about the series.

### WHAT TO DO IN JANUARY

January is the month of resolutions and every gardener may well resolve to have a better garden this year than ever before. For the most part, actual garden work is now at a standstill but spare time may be used to a good preparation for spring.

Spare time can also be used to study the seed catalogs that always arrive soon after the Christmas cards. Make your selections of seeds, plants and shrubs, and "get your name in the pot" early. Extension horticulturists at the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture recommend. Some seed houses give discounts for ordering early. Also, getting your orders in before the spring rush begins will help assure that your selections will be in your hands by the time you want and need them.

January is also a good month in which to catch up on your garden reading. Elbert Hubbard once said that we write books in order to get things straight in their minds. Sometimes we think there has been too much of this writing in books, even garden books, but there are enough really good ones around to improve anyone's knowledge. Select a few, read, enjoy and profit from them. And don't forget to visit your County Extension Office and look over the booklets and pamphlets available there. In this supply, you will find trustworthy reading and information on many subjects which may stand you in good stead this spring and summer.

Your County Extension Office is also a good place to go for information if you are having problems with your houseplants. Perhaps the lighting in your house is wrong for the kind of plants you have - some foliage plants do well in low light intensities, while others do not. Some have high intensities to survive. Another common source of houseplant trouble is watering too often. Extension horticulturists say that houseplants should be watered only when the soil is dry to the touch, even if this means watering only once a week. Using a little commercial plant food once

help your plants, although little fertilization is necessary for houseplants.

Since most foliage plants are tropical, they grow much better in a room with high relative humidity - but high humidity is hard to maintain in most homes. The Extension horticulturists say that setting houseplants on a tray of moist sand or pebbles can help. They also warn against placing plants in drafts or in front of powerful heat exhausts.

And if, in January, you would like to speed up spring blooming somewhat, you might try your hand at forcing Hyacinths, - Lilies-of-the-valley, Narcissus, and other similar flowers. Bulbs and pipes of these plants may be obtained at seed stores and preparing them for bloom is simplicity itself. After a pre-cooling period, usually all

that is necessary is to put the bulbs in bowls of pebbles and water and place in some sunny window. Complete information on forcing blooms can be found in almost any good garden book.

### BROADHEAD PERSONALS

By: Mrs. E.J. Smith

Christmas Day dinner guests of Mrs. Lula Bussell were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bussell and son of West Carrollton, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Bussell, Teresa, Marie Ann and Barbra of Broadhead; Rev. and Mrs. Luther Lykins of Knox, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Glass and son of Goshen, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bussell and boys of Broadhead; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Burton and son of Blue Ash, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Glass, Jr. and son of Perrington, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Joe Bussell and family of Broadhead; Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Bussell and Kristy of Somerset; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bussell and Angie of

Broadhead and Mrs. Ruby Adams of Broadhead.

Kevin Bussell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bussell of Broadhead was admitted to the Patti A. Gray Hospital in Lexington, Ky., Sunday for minor surgery. He is reportedly doing fine.

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## ROCKCASTLE COUNTY COURT

**VS. APPLICATION FOR PERMIT**

The plaintiff, Isabel Mason, being a citizen of Rockcastle County, Kentucky hereby make application for a permit to operate a place of Entertainment and to sell soft drinks, serve eating tender camp at the following described location to-wit: Burr Exchange, Interstate #75, Hatching Post.

The said plaintiff, Isabel Mason, 40 years of age, married or single has been a citizen of Rockcastle County for lifetime.

Plaintiff says she has not been convicted for a public nuisance nor any other violation of the peace. Applicant hereby agrees and promises the court that if a permit is issued him on this application he will not violate the law governing any violation without a search warrant at any time, so desires.

Isabel Mason, Applicant  
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 ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that DAISY WAGNER, Livingston, Ky. has been named administratrix of the estate of Everett C. Wagner, deceased. Anyone having claims against said estate shall present them, verified according to law to the said Daisy Wagner or James W. Lambert, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky, attorney for said estate, on or before March 24, 1976.

**NOTICE:** The Rockcastle County Fiscal Court will sell at Public Auction two Ford Trucks on Saturday, January 10, 1976 at 10 a.m. The sale will be held in front of the Courthouse. 14x5

**EXECUTOR NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that Joe Foist Norton has been appointed Executor of the Estate of Dovie Norton, deceased. All persons having claims against said Estate shall present them, verified according to law, to the said Joe Foist Norton, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky, or to William D. Gregory, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky, attorney for said estate, no later than March 18, 1976. 16x3

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