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RCHS Choral Students Attend Music Festival at Morehead

By: Ernie Blevins
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Last week, the Choral Department of the high school went on a trip to the 17th Annual Choral Festival at Morehead State University, under the supervision of Mrs. Margie Wilcop, Choral Director at Rockcastle County High School.

Twenty-one of the Chorus students

went and had a great time singing and meeting some new friends.

The Choral Festival is divided into two groups. The Chorus and the Chorale in which participation is based on individual audition. Those participating in the Morehead Chorus were: Marilyn Brown, Kim Bullock, David Craig, Earl Hammons, Lisa Hansel, Karen Harding, Ty Huffines, Bo Huffines, Mike Miller, Sherwood Pickle, Paula Proctor.

JoAnn Riddle, Debbie Rowden, Sandra Sweeney, Tracy Gabbard and Daniel Smith. Each of these students said, when asked, that they enjoyed the experience tremendously. The music provided for the Chorus was hard but not as hard as the Chorale Music - but it was still a challenge. Those participating in the Chorale were Audrey Faulkner, Kaye Payne, Arnetta Halcomb, Brenda Treon and Ernie Blevins. Each of these students also said they had an enjoyable trip. These five students had to audition for their position in the Chorale in front of a judge. The Chorale was very hard but all five said, after they had been in rehearsal with everyone else, that it seemed easier.

After two days of hard practice, we gave a concert on the night of the 19th in

which we all participated and I thought it was a smashing success. After the concert, we loaded onto the bus ready to come home. Even though we were very tired, we still talked of our trip and how much fun we had singing and running around together. Although we hated to leave, we were glad when we saw the sign that said Rockcastle County and were glad to be home.

Now that Morehead is over, we will begin work on our Christmas Cantata, "God/Man," a contemporary Cantata with sounds of today, such as electric pianos, guitars, etc. The date will be announced later and we hope everyone will make plans to attend.

This year, we have organized a new Swing Choir. Our first time to perform

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will be this Friday night when we will sing the Star Spangled Banner at the basketball game and will continue through the season at each home game. The choir will be learning and performing "pop" rock selections.

ATTENTION

The "Kentucky State Hospital in Danville" is again this year preparing gifts, candy, and fresh fruit donations for their patients on Christmas Day. Organizations interested in donating items for gifts, volunteers able to assist in wrapping and sorting gifts, and cash

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donations will be welcomed. If you, or your organization are able to support our Volunteer Program, please contact by phone (606-236-2200), our Volunteer Department, or write to: Volunteer Department, Kentucky State Hospital, P.O. Box 81, Danville, Kentucky 40422.

We will be very happy to assist you or your group in providing any information you will need to help you in this effort. The hospital community appreciates your help and extends to everyone our warmest wishes for a joyous holiday season.

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MEMBERS OF THE RCHS CHORALE are, from left: Audrey Faulkner, Brenda Treon, Ernie Blevins, Arnetta Halcomb and Kaye Payne.



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That holiday feeling is in the air. It's the season to enjoy the traditional holiday dinner of turkey and all the trimmings.

It is also the time of year for "outbreaks of foodborne illness," according to Shelby Johnson, director of the division of Consumer Protection, Department for Human Resources.

Even though advances have been made in food preparation, many cases of food poisoning are reported in Kentucky each year. "Most occur during the holidays, and most result from improper preparation and storage of turkey and related foods," noted Johnson.

The most common type of food poisoning transmitted by poultry is salmonella which develops when food is undercooked or is allowed to sit too long at room temperature before refrigerating.

To avoid illness during the holidays (or anytime you prepare poultry), follow a few simple rules. Janice Bullens, food branch coordinator in the Department for Human Resources, offers some tips for cooking, serving and storing the turkey. They include:

1. Wash your hands and all utensils thoroughly before and after handling the turkey.

2. Follow conventional methods for thawing the turkey—in the refrigerator with the temperature not exceeding 45 degrees or under cold running water at a temperature of 70 degrees or less.

3. If the question is whether to stuff the turkey, it is safer not to stuff. Bake dressing separately in a casserole dish. However, should you decide to stuff, do it immediately before cooking. Stuffing should be removed as soon as the turkey is cooked to prevent underdone juices around the bones from dripping into stuffing. Underdone juices can go to work with bacteria to produce salmonella. Never stuff turkey the day before baking.

4. The most reliable way to be sure the turkey is cooked to perfection is to use a meat thermometer. It should be inserted into the thick part of the thigh. The turkey then is baked in a 325 degree oven until the thermometer registers 180 to 185 degrees. Be careful that the thermometer does not come in contact with a bone. This will produce a false temperature reading.

5. To check for doneness when no thermometer is used, move the leg and thigh. It should move easily, and thick part of the thigh should feel soft when it is pressed with protected thumb and forefinger.

Any meat left on the carcass after serving should be promptly removed and refrigerated immediately. Stuffing should be placed in a shallow pan and stored separately. If you plan to keep the leftovers for longer periods, store in the freezer.

If these tips are followed, food poisoning should not occur, said Ms. Bullens. However, if abdominal pain, diarrhea, fever, chills, nausea, vomiting and malaise occur, please consult your physician.

If your doctor confirms that you have food poisoning, please notify your local health department.

CONSUMER COMMENT

By Robert F. Stephens
Attorney General

The Christmas season is quickly approaching and many people will be buying toys. To insure that your family members are safe, check all toys to make sure that they cannot hurt your child.

There are toys with obvious hazards. Hot cars, guns, or shockers are also many unsafe toys that might not appear so hazardous at first glance. Be sure. Ask yourself six basic questions when you shop for toys:

1. Are there any detachable parts which could easily fall off or be taken off, and then caught in the throat, ear, nose, or swallowed?

2. Is this toy marked "flame resistant," "flame retardant" or "non-flammable"? Is it washable? Look for these labels on dolls and stuffed toys, especially.

3. Is the toy appropriate for the child's age? A chemistry set may be fine for an older child, but remember that younger children in the home may injure themselves on an older child's toy. To be safe, heed the minimum ages recommended by manufacturers.

4. Is the toy made of a substance that will splinter or shatter easily? Try to buy flexibly constructed toys, with smooth, rolled edges. Sharp points could cause punctures, so avoid toys made with nails, staples, pins or wires.

5. Are there non-toxic labels on any art supplies or painted toys?

6. Finally, beware of electric toys which could cause burns or shock. Propelled objects which could injure eyes, or toys which are terribly noisy and could cause ear damage.

If toys have instructions for children, make sure that they are easy to read and understand. If necessary, explain or demonstrate how to use a toy properly.

Teach children how to disconnect electrical toys; show them how to hold on to the rubberized plug and pull, without tugging on the cord.

And just because a toy was in good condition when you bought it, don't forget to check toys periodically for breaks, jagged edges, loose parts or deterioration.

Should you have questions about the safety of any particular toy or discover that one appears to be hazardous, contact Edie Moore, Kentucky Product Safety Program, Department for Human Resources, 275 E. Main, Frankfort, Ky. 40601. The Product Safety Program investigates products which are hazardous, unsafe, or defective in their design, construction or composition. The Product Safety Program will be glad to answer questions about any toy you are considering purchasing.

If you have a consumer complaint, write to the Attorney General's Division of Consumer Protection, Frankfort, Ky. 40601. This office has found that it can most effectively deal with written complaints and encourages you to write when you have a complaint. However, if you have an emergency situation, call the Consumer Hotline. The number is 1-800-372-2960.

NOT CONSTITUTIONAL

A sales tax cannot constitutionally be levied by a county, according to an opinion by the Office of the Kentucky Attorney General.

Assistant Deputy Attorney General Charles W. Runyan issued the opinion in reply to an inquiry by Tom Scheffey, with the Frankfort bureau of the Kentucky Post, who questioned the constitutionality of a northern Kentucky county fiscal court levying a sales tax to support a mass transit program there.

Runyan cited a Kentucky Court of Appeals decision in *Driver vs. Sawyer* (1965), where it was made clear that a county can only levy two kinds of taxes: ad valorem taxes (on property) and occupational taxes.

KENTUCKY HAS DECLINE IN MOTOR FUEL CONSUMPTION RATE

For the third straight year since 1973 energy crisis, the Kentucky Department of Transportation is reporting a significant decline in its

annual motor fuel consumption rate.

According to State Transportation Secretary John C. Roberts, current figures indicate that the department's usage of gasoline and diesel fuel is not expected to exceed six million gallons for 1976 - or 13 per cent fewer gallons than were consumed during 1975, the year the energy crisis began.

In 1975, the combined gasoline-diesel fuel consumption figure was eight percent below the 1973 figure. In 1974, it was 15 per cent below the 1973 figure.

Roberts said the predicted 13 per cent reduction for 1976 was based on gallons consumed during the first nine months of this year, and an anticipated decline in the amount of roadwork which always occurs in the final quarter of each year when weather conditions force a halt to most highway construction and maintenance projects.

The number of gallons of fuel consumed between January and September 1976 was "just slightly over five million gallons," Roberts said.

"In doubt if an action be just, abstain," Zoroaster

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London: Gettin' Bigger Every Day

(Ed's Note: Mr. Adams is Director of Community Development for Ky. Highlands Investment Corp. and an ex-officio member of the Rockcastle Co. Improvement Council.)

By Ike Adams

The City of London, Kentucky in 1976 is booming. Residents of Clay, Leslie, Rockcastle, Whitley, Bell, Knox, Jackson and Pulaski Counties drive from their homes at least five days a week to work at manufacturing, service or retail establishments in London. The retail establishments especially are experiencing excellent levels of sales because the other jobs, over 6,000 of them, are located in London. The workers who hold these jobs do much of their shopping locally and additional jobs are being created almost on a daily basis.

The big reason that London is booming lies in the fact that it has been highly successful in attracting new industry to move in and create those new jobs. The reason that it has been successful in attracting new industry lies in the simple fact that Laurel County residents have shown a commitment to and pride in their community for the last thirty years to make it grow.

We talked with and gathered historical information on London's efforts in industrial development from Mr. Rex Wesley, a specialist in economic development for the University of Kentucky, who has lived in London since 1956. Mr. Wesley has not only followed London's progress; he has also been involved in it.

According to Mr. Wesley, the first

community attempt at industrial development in London began in the late 1940's by the Kiwanis Club, which was then the county's major civic organization. The Kiwanians developed and offered their first site to Kern's Bakery free of charge if the company would move to London. The reason they offered the site free of charge was to demonstrate to Kern's officials that their desires to have the bakery located in London were, indeed, sincere. After seeing that there was a real commitment to the site free of charge was to demonstrate to Kern's officials that their desires to have the bakery located in London were, indeed, sincere. After seeing that there was a real commitment to the site free of charge was to demonstrate to Kern's officials that their desires to have the bakery located in London were, indeed, sincere.

In 1949, London residents and other Laurel Countians formed the London/Laurel County Development Association specifically to address the problems of economic development and then to do something about them. This organization, which is still very active and growing today, has been the key for a great number of community development projects that have included building an airport, an 800-acre site for a water supply, street and road projects, county-wide as well as city water and sewer lines, and the development of industrial sites.

In 1955, at the urging of the Development Association, London be-

came the first town in Kentucky to approve an industrial development tax bond. When we spend money out of our own pockets, we do hope to get it back, but we're not going to spend more on a piece of property than we can sell it for."

The Corbin Industrial Development Commission has joined forces with leaders from the rest of Whitley County as well as leaders from Laurel and Knox County to form The Corbin Tri-County Industrial Development Authority. This organization has just finished planning a new industrial park outside of Corbin that will contain about 450 acres of highly developed industrial property which will include the necessary water, sewer, and gas lines, as well as electrically paved roads to every plot, and rail sidings on several. The cost of developing this huge park is going to be about \$4.5 million of which the community is putting between \$750,000 and \$1 million. The price per acre will be between \$2,000 - \$6,000 depending on the size of the plots which will range from 5 to 35 acres and whether or not they have rail sidings. The cost, however, for developing the park will average \$10,000 per acre, most of which will be financed by State and Federal Agencies and which the community does not expect to get back.

Another side of attracting new industry into a community depends entirely on the support the community is willing to give and on its attitude in general. If the Community members, particularly those of the business community, are willing to spend a great amount of time raising money, assisting

in locating and purchasing land that can be. Currently, it employs over 270.

The Caron Spinning Company, London's largest employer, has expanded its operation in London twice since moving to the city in 1963.

It currently employs over 600 people. As with several other local companies, the city developed the site and then sold it to the company at an attractive price.

"London has had a real spurt of growth since 1970," notes Mr. Wesley. "One reason is because we've got a few companies who have come here and like us, and that caused our reputation to grow and move and more favorable," says Mr. Wesley. Six new companies have moved in since 1970 and several others are waiting for London to complete a new 150-acre industrial park adjoining the city. The London/Laurel County Development Association is itself, standing good for the park. The fiscal cost is putting up \$126,000 of the \$80,000 the new park will cost, and local banks and a State Agency will finance the rest. In short, London's future is looking brighter than ever.

worship with us. We welcome you anytime at Fairview.

Sympathy is extended to Willard Neely and family and other relatives of his sister, Mrs. Marie Anglin who passed away recently. May God be with them all.

Having supper at Burger Queen in Berea Friday night, Nov. 13th was Mrs. Betty Poynter and members of her Sunday School Class: Fanny Anderson, Timmy Anderson, Penny Coffey, Dawna O'Connell, Mrs. Ray Deas, Wesley Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Peters, Kitty, Sherwood, Kenny, Gary and Michael Pickle, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Anderson, Cheryl Vavra, Shirley Mullins, Mrs. Mullins, Ronnie Abner, Walter Malone, Vonda Croucher and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burdine. They enjoyed the good meeting with Mrs. Lonnie (Gerry) Reppert of Berea and Mrs. Wayne (Thelma) Harding of Macedonia were in Dayton, Ohio last week visiting their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Ballard Rader. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Chasteen visited Mr. and Mrs. Willard Todd last Tuesday night. Mrs. Todd continues very ill and her prayers are deeply appreciated. Bless her heart, she is such a wonderful person and loved by everyone.

Mr. Carl Gaid is improving since his stay in the Rockcastle County Hospital last week. We hope and pray he can be feeling better soon.

Mrs. Beverly Brock of Berea was Sunday dinner guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Peters.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Chasteen of Hamilton, Ohio were weekend guests of his brother Hubert and Mrs. Chasteen.

the Attorney General's Division of Consumer Protection and it is one which can be avoided if certain precautions are taken before you do business with a repairman.

You should have a good idea of what you want done and how much you can afford to spend. When you ask for an estimate on the work, ask for a written estimate and ask if the estimate itself will cost you anything. Make sure the estimate includes parts, materials, labor and the length of time you need to complete the work. It is a good idea to get written estimates from several reputable businesses so you can compare the services and prices they offer.

Since your time, money, and maybe, your peace of mind will be involved in the work you need, the reputation and reliability of the companies you approach should be carefully considered. If a company refuses to give you a written estimate, you should be hesitant about doing business with it. If several estimates are extremely low, you should ask a lot of questions about the reasons why the company can do the work so much more cheaply than its competitors. The price is usually a usually competitive among reputable companies.

Sometimes, an estimate can only be made after the repairman has had a chance to examine the item that needs repair. Find out how much this will cost. Remember that people in business cannot afford to work for free. It is necessary to gain an insight into the problem will be costly. Don't accept any estimate made by a person who does not ask all the questions and get all the terms in writing before you agree to have any work done.

An agreement to have repair work done would be no legal document unless both parties should know exactly where they stand and what responsibilities they have assumed. It is too late when you are asked to pay a fee and then you find out that what you thought he said it would be much less.

If you have a consumer complaint regarding a repairman or any other consumer complaint write to the Office of the Attorney General, Division of Consumer Protection, P. O. Box 40601, or call toll-free 1-800-372-2960.

Fairview

By Mrs. Hubert Chasteen

[Delayed]

Sunday School attendance at the Fairview Baptist Church November 14th was 110. We enjoyed having the visitors from Conway and invite them back any time any one else who wishes to

Bowling News

[Week of Nov. 11]

Top three teams -- Streakers, Rockets, and Ding Bats. High Series Team - Rockets, 1947; Crushers, 1822; and Streakers, 1742.

High Series, Men - Doc Brown, 697; David Eaton, 538; and Bear Bradley, 550.

High Series, Women - Aslee Bray, 483; Evelyn Mullins, 453; and Faye Thompson, 441.

High Game Team - Struglers, 695; Crushers, 685; and Rockets, 672.

High Game, Men - David Eaton, 233; Doc Brown, 212; and Mike Hansel, 200.

High Game, Women - Evelyn Mullins, 191; Aslee Bray, 173; and Faye Thompson, 172.

Jackpot Winners were the Rockets with 2136.

Consumer Comments

By Robert F. Stephens

Have you ever needed the services of a repairman, asked for an estimate, agreed to have the work done for what seemed to be a reasonable figure and then were presented with a bill which was two, three, or five times as much as the estimate. This problem is one of the more common complaints received by

NOTICE

To All Property Owners Through Which Western Rockcastle Water Association, Inc. Has Laid Water Lines.

All owners located west of I-75 are requested to notify the association of any clean-up work or repair work not completed on said property.

The Association is authorized to accept the work completed on this portion of the project on Dec. 3, 1976 and unless notified in writing of your complaint on or before this date, the association will not be responsible.

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Real Estate For Sale

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6 ROOM FRAME HOUSE at the Corner of Popular and Quarry Street in Mt. Vernon. The floor plan consist of 2 bedrooms, kitchen, dining room, living room and bath downstairs and two bedrooms upstairs. House also has wall to wall carpet and vinyl floors throughout, built in cabinets, storm doors and windows, small basement, oil furnace, fireplace and washer and dryer hookup. It is situated on a large corner lot with a new garage and is within walking distance of church, grocery and school.

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Gary Gilmore Case Now In Considerable National Focus

The Utah case of Gary Mark Gilmore and the consideration of constitutional death penalty for Kentucky in the upcoming special legislative session have brought the issue into considerable national focus recently.

In Kentucky, the electric chair at the Kentucky State Penitentiary near Eddyville has taken the lives of 162 Kentuckians in its nearly 52 years of use. It has not been used in more than 14 and one-half years, however.

Gov. Julian Carroll has requested that a constitutional death penalty for Kentucky be considered in the special session. The Governor has been a long-time supporter of capital punishment.

Coincidentally, as a young Paducah attorney, Carroll unsuccessfully defended the last man to be executed in the Commonwealth. Kelly Moss, convicted of willful murder, was executed March 2, 1962.

He is the only man from Henderson County to have been sent to the penitentiary's chair.

The first man sentenced to die in the chair at Eddyville was James Buckner, a black man sent to the penitentiary from Marion County, on July 8, 1911. He had been convicted of murder.

Besides the 162 executed men, two others died on death row, awaiting their execution dates.

Kentucky holds the national record for the most men executed in one day. On July 13, 1928, seven men were sent to the chair at the penitentiary. All seven were convicted murderers. Those seven men were all the men executed that year.

The most men executed in a single year in Kentucky is 10. They met their fate in 1936. They also were all convicted murderers.

GOV. JULIAN CARROLL APPROVES FEDERAL GRANT

Gov. Julian Carroll announced approval of a federal grant which will provide personnel and fiscal management assistance and training to local governments in the Commonwealth.

The grant of \$172,965 is from the U.S. Civil Service Commission and Kentucky is adding \$203,110 in state funds to that amount.

It will provide continuation of Department for Local Government program of local government personnel management, assistance, Intergovernmental Personnel Act (IPA) administration and training for local officials.

Department for Local Government staffers are available upon request for local government personnel management, assistance and IPA program administration. The staff provides on-site advice and technical assistance in personnel administration and management.

Training programs that will be made available to local governments include:

- small cities training course for city managers and principal city officials.
- A training package on budgeting, accounting, reporting, and other areas of fiscal management for municipal officials.

- A budgeting and accounting training package for county officials.
- A course on developing and implementing grievance procedures.

Training of local government in maintenance and operation of a personnel classification and compensation job.

The grant also includes funds for continuation of a municipal personnel management information system at the University of Kentucky.

New programs funded under the grant provide training and education for public accounts auditors and affirmative action plan training for local governments.

David Caldwell, director of the Atlanta region of the U.S. Civil Service Commission, notified the governor of the grant approval.



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questions and answers

Q. I just started working as a waitress and know social security must be deducted from my wages. But how about tips?

A. If your cash tips add up to \$20 or more a month with the same employer, you must give that employer a written report of your tips within 10 days after the month ends. The employer will collect the social security taxes due on the tips from you.

Q. I was in a bad accident on Labor Day and the doctor says it will be April or May before I can return to work. Can I get social security?

A. Social security cannot pay benefits for temporary disability. Social security disability benefits are paid to eligible

workers and their families if the worker is severely disabled and not expected to be able to do any substantial work for a year or more.

Q. When I applied for SSI, my total resources were about \$1,350 cash and savings. Since then, a cash gift from a relative and bank interest on savings may have put me over the \$1,500 limit on value of property. What should I do?

A. Notify a social security office right away to avoid being overpaid. An increase in resources or income from gift and interest can affect supplemental security income (SSI) payments. If you visit the office, bring your savings passbook.

4-H'ERS PERFORM IN 1976 VARIETY SHOW

Over one hundred Rockcastle County 4-H'ers participated in the 1976 Variety Show held Tuesday night, November 16, at the Roundstone Elementary School. First place club honors went to the Quail Quackers 4-H club. Christine Taylor and Virginia Hansel are their leaders. "The Boogey Fever Gals," Jane Anderkin, Mary Beth Baker, Jennifer Cox and Desiree Thompson won first place in the Specialty Act Division. They are 4-H members from a Mt. Vernon 5th Grade Club.

Second place club act went to the Mt. Vernon Go-Getters: Perline Anderkin and Patsy Thompson are the leaders. The second place specialty act winner was Jeletta Burdette of Mt. Vernon's Lucky Leaf 4-H Club.

Prize money for the winning club and specialty acts was provided by the Bank of Mt. Vernon. The judges were Greg Stephens, Rachel James and Willita Owens. The Variety Show committee chairman for the Rockcastle County 4-H Council was Thelma Farthing, Sharon Farthing was the Master of Ceremonies.

The first piece acts will go on to represent Rockcastle County in the Wilderness Trail Area 4-H Variety Show on Saturday, December 4, 1976 at London.

QUAIL HOMEMAKERS

The Quail Homemakers met Monday night, Nov. 15th at the home of Mrs. Paul Hamm.

President Norietta Thompson called the meeting to order. The devotional was read with the main thought taken from 1 Thessalonians 5:18. Jenny Lee Hansel called the roll with each one present giving a recipe to the other club members.

The lesson was on table decorations and was taught by Orr Lee Hurst. Some of the club members presented decorations they had prepared depicting the four seasons: spring, summer, fall and winter. Also, miscellaneous decorations were on display for Christmas and other occasions.

The game for the month was played and won by Lillie Parsons. Delicious homemade cakes were served with coffee and soft drinks.

Gals, mark your calendar now for Monday, Dec. 20th at 7 p.m. which will be our annual Christmas Party at the home of Mrs. Ray Bullock. Everyone bring a game gift. We'll see you then!

QUAIL QUACKERS 4-H CLUB

By Barry Hurst, Reporter

The Quail Quackers 4-H club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Taylor, Nov. 4th for their regular monthly meeting.

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Barry Proctor, president, presided over the meeting. Sherry Hansel called the roll with each one telling something they were thankful for. We sang a song and repeated our club pledge.

We decided to participate in the Annual 4-H Variety Show to be held at Roundstone School, Nov. 16th. We all agreed to do a club act entitled "Down On MacDonald's Farm." It was voted and decided upon what part each would play.

We had refreshments of homemade cake, potato chips and kool-aid. At this writing we are ecstatic that we won first place in the club act division at the Variety Show. It was from much hard work and determination that we were able to put on this act.

We, as a club, along with our leaders, Christine Taylor and Jenny Lee Hansel, want to say a special thanks to all our parents for their cooperation in taking us to and from practice sessions, making our costumes, etc. Without you it would not have been possible. Again, thanks to you Parents.

DISABLED VETERANS AUTO ENTITLEMENT

Disabled veterans are entitled to only one free registration certificate and two license plates, according to an opinion from the Office of the Attorney

General. The opinion, written by Carl Miller, assistant attorney general, was in answer to a letter from Bruce Simpson, legislative analyst for the Interim Joint Committee on Health and Welfare.

Simpson had asked whether a disabled veteran could purchase a second certificate of registration and a second set of "Handicapped Veteran" license plates.

Miller said that the privilege was confined to cars provided by the Veterans' administration and owned by handicapped veterans. Since veterans are only given one vehicle, they should only be allowed one set of plates, Miller said.



At Christmas, Swiss youths may visit nine fountains on their way to midnight church services, and take three sips of water from each, according to World Book Encyclopedia. Legend says that if they do this, they will find their future spouse waiting at the door of the church.

Happy Thanksgiving

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VIGIL ENDS— Hearses carrying the bodies of 11 men killed in the second of two explosions last March at a Letcher County coal mine, leave the Scotia Coal

Co.'s compound. The bodies remained entombed in the mine for more than eight months since officials determined

that a safe rescue could not be attempted until the volatile atmosphere had calmed.

Scotia Vigil Ends

By Paula Alexander

Oven Fork, Ky.—Their lights glaring against early afternoon sun on Nov. 18th, the hearses slowly wound down the dirt road and out the gate of Scotia Coal Company's Black Mountain Mine No. 1 in Letcher County.

The long wait was over—the bodies of 11 men killed in the second of two explosions at the mine last March had been recovered.

Officials said the dead men were brought to the surface at 12:05 p.m., EST. The bodies of the three federal inspectors and eight Scotia employees had been entombed in the mine since March 11.

The team had been preparing the mine for an investigation of an explosion that had killed 15 men two days earlier when they met a similar fate. Shocked by the double tragedy, officials declared the mine too volatile and ordered it sealed until the atmosphere had calmed.

All openings were sealed and for four months the interior was monitored

until the oxygen level had decreased to a safe reading. Finally, Scotia was unsealed July 14 and rescue crews began the long "air-locking" process to reach the men. The three and one-half mile journey was hampered by flooded areas and roof falls.

Now, the bodies recovered, the investigation to answer the "why" will begin. A team from the federal Mining Enforcement and Safety Administration (MESA), the state Department of Mines and Minerals and mine employees reentered Scotia the day after the recovery to begin their research.

According to Sam Johnson, deputy commissioner of the Kentucky Department of a section known as No. 2 Southeast Main.

Johnson said MESA has taken dust samples from the site, mainly to determine the percentage of coke present. Heated coal produces coke so an analysis may determine the explosion's extent, he explained.

Johnson noted that investigators still do not know what caused the explosion. (It has been suggested that a spark from a motor near the explosion area may have touched off the blast).

Johnson said that air-locking is expected to resume No. 29 following a week-long moratorium to honor the dead. When the mine has been entirely reventilated, further detailed investigations will be held.

Citing the many unexpected setbacks encountered by rescue workers before the bodies were located, Johnson declined to say when the mine would be ready for the investigation.

"The bodies are where we thought they were; where we were told they were," announced MESA head Robert Barrett during a press conference held a few hours before the men were brought to the surface.

Harrel N. Kirkpatrick, commissioner of the Kentucky Department of Mines and Minerals, also appeared at the briefing. He and Barrett were the first men to reach the bodies.

Kirkpatrick said that six of the men, apparently tried to run just before the explosion but fell to the ground. Three men were pushed against an eight-inch thick concrete building in which electrical equipment was stored, knocking down a portion of the wall.

Moreover, self-rescue breathing equipment was found unceasing by about four or five men. It is not known if the blast was responsible or whether the men themselves removed the self-rescuers.

Officials said indications suggest that the men were killed instantly. Autopsies were later scheduled for several of the men to see if their survivors qualify for black-lung benefits.

U.S. Rep. Carl Perkins, D-7th District, presented Basil Holbrook, brother of one of the Scotia victims, to reporters after the last hearse had pulled out of the mine site. Holbrook had worked at Scotia for several years before quitting in 1969. "I quit because I knew it (Scotia) was going to blow up, I didn't know when, but I was getting out," Holbrook stated.

Perkins suggested that the explosions could have been avoided if Scotia had been "properly inspected." He added that the bodies could have been removed within a week if rescue workers had entered through a bore hole some 1,000 feet above the bodies instead of the more lengthy route.

However, Kirkpatrick noted that it is the company's duty to submit a rescue plan for approval by MESA and state officials. The plan was offered by the Blue Diamond Coal Co. of Knoxville, Tenn., Scotia's parent company. It was the only plan drawn up by Blue Diamond and was okayed by officials in charge of the rescue operation.

Roundstone Honor Roll

2ND SIX WEEKS

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Bryan Anderkin, Matthew Dees, Wendy Baker, Ethan Eversole, Steven Gabbard, James Hamilton, Rebecca Harding, Nicole Hill, Lisa Livesay, Christopher Nicely, Sherri Spires, Sharon Stephens, Troy Williams, Donnie Coffey, James Anderson, Christine Cope, Chris Manzi, Donnie Damrell.

GRADE 5

Joy Burdette, Kimberly Farthing, Jo Ann Ingles, Rhonda Montjoy, Rebecca Thacker.

GRADE 6

Carl Cain, Darryl Chasteen, Teresa Cope, Patricia Isaacs, Melody Reppert, Cheryl McCracken, Vonda Spillman, Ricky Adams, Dana Hill, Phyllis Conn, and Peggy Murphy.

GRADE 7
Melanie Burdette, Patrick Craig, Billy Kirby, Mike Lear, Theresa Mathis, Tim Mink, Gary Pickle, Regina Russell, Lisa Sears, Bessie Polly, Vicky Walden.

GRADE 8
Cameron Abney, Michelle Adams.

Tammy Coffey, Valerie Isaacs, Kelly Ponder, Jo Reese, Michelle Taylor, Kenneth Thacker, Rebecca White, and Geraldine Cope.

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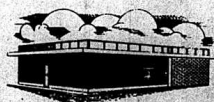
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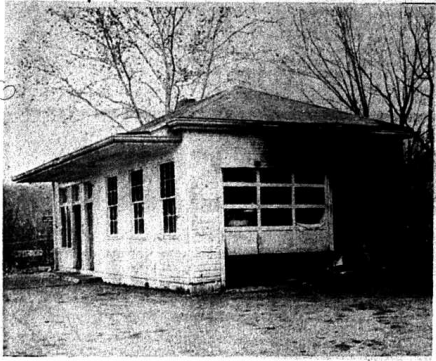
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"WHERE THE BOONEWAY JOINS THE DIXIE"



Broadhead firemen were called out very early Sunday morning to a fire at Seage's Standard Station in Broadhead. The fire apparently began in the right hand corner of the side of the building (as shown in the above photo). Mr.

Seage had been operating the station for several years, since buying it from his father-in-law, Virgil Brock. Ray Hornaby of Somerset owned the building. Broadhead firemen said the blaze was of undetermined origin.

OLD FASHIONED BOX SUPPER AT LIVINGSTON DEC. 3

The Livingston Willing Workers Club is sponsoring an old fashioned box supper Friday, December 3 at 8:30 in the Livingston gym. There will be a cake

walk, ugly man contest, pretty girl contest and many more activities. Live entertainment will be provided. The proceeds will go to the Willing Workers Club and will be used to buy needed supplies and equipment for the school. Come and be with us and enjoy an old fashioned evening!

SERVING ON GRAND JURY

The following persons are presently serving on the Grand Jury for the November term of Circuit Court in Rockcastle County.

Billy Hiatt, foreman, Tommy Harrison Burdette, Harry Elmer Hale, Jamie McLenore Hines, Wayne Deener Hines, Charlie Hurd, Ray Kirby, Boyd Wayne Mullins, Lloyd Owens, Loyd Phillips, Delmer Vanzant and Alice Faulkner, secretary.

Petit Jury

Serving on the Petit Jury are: Carolyn Abney, Steve Albright, Elmo C. Anderkin, Billy Burch Bailey, Billy Bales, Donna Brewer, Franklin D. Bond, Billy Joe Brown, Rosamond Brown, Joe Clarence Bullen, Herbert Coffey, Mary Craig, Mable W. Cressch, Joe Daugherty, Trula Faye Davidson, Katie Doyle, Elaine Hansel, Harry Loman Harmon, Brenda Gayle Hayes, Owen Hensley, Jones Conn Hiatt, Flora B. Mullins Kirby, James Mallicote, Walter Mason, Ben Burgess Mink, Ima Jean Mullins, Irl Owens Poynter, Viglia Baker Richards, James Edward Smith.

(Reprinted from the Tuesday, November 23, 1976 edition of the Lexington Herald-Leader.)

Record \$115.07 Paid For State Leaf First Sale Day

By H. CARLISLE BESUDEN
The 1976-77 burley tobacco marketing season opened yesterday with record first-day prices and mixed emotions.

An average price of \$115.07 for one hundred pounds — exactly 99 over last year's \$106.07 average — was paid for burley in Kentucky yesterday. This price also topped the \$107.61 opening day average for the 1974-75 crop.

Burley officials said yesterday the average was the highest they could recall on an opening day.

Predictions are that Kentucky producers this year could have their first one-half billion crop.

Despite a record price, emotions were running high yesterday, as buyers limited their bids to between \$115 and \$117 a hundredweight. Many burley producers were expecting "at least" \$120 a hundredweight this season.

At Lexington's Little Broadway warehouse, auctioning was temporarily suspended after two rows were sold. Most of that two rows were purchased by the warehouse for \$118 to \$119.

"The buyers were hesitant at the very beginning to come out strong on the good grades of leaf," said Billy Bradshaw, assistant manager of Little Burley, "... and we tried to help them along.

"We stopped the sale for about 30 minutes while the purchasing company representatives held a conference," he added. "When they came back, the practical ton raised to \$120 for the best grades of

leaf and leaf groupings. "Although farmers were hoping to average \$120," Bradshaw added, "I think, deep down, they accepted what they got." Bradshaw said the house did sell its full quota of baskets — 596 — "and the pool only got four of them."

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General Business on Agenda for Special Legislative Session

Gov. Julian Carroll is expected to call the Kentucky General Assembly into special session before the end of the month to consider such topics as the implementation of the state's new Judicial Article, mining safety, workmen's compensation and Kentucky's death penalty.

The session was originally planned strictly to remove time-consuming decisions about the Judicial Article from the 1976 regular session of the General Assembly. Since the legislature adjourned March 20, however, it has become clear that other problems need attention as well.

The Judicial Article's implementation, nevertheless, will be the main topic under consideration.

Approved last November by Kentucky's voters, the article's specifications are to be in full operation by January 1, 1978. (Sections of the article relating to the state's new Supreme Court and the new Court of Appeals, became effective January 1, 1976.) To meet that deadline, state legislators during the special session must decide more than 100 specific questions in the structuring of district and restructuring of circuit courts across the state.

Among the complications legislators will face is Gov. Carroll's promise that cities and counties will not be hurt financially by the new court system. Court-generated revenue, part of which now goes to local treasuries will belong to the state under the new system.

If deep mining safety is taken up by the General Assembly, Kentucky could emerge with a model program.

The need for more and better regulations governing deep mining recognized after the Scotia mining disaster last spring, prompted Gov. Carroll to appoint a Deep Mining Safety Commission. The commission has

Lexington

On the Lexington market, the opening day average — \$114.26 a hundredweight — was just slightly under the state average. Last year, Lexington's average was \$108.52 on opening day; in 1974, the average was \$108.06.

Volume in the state yesterday was a total of 13,628,787 pounds up from last year's opening day volume, 12.2 million pounds. And Lexington's volume, 2,189,674, also surpassed last year's opening day volume of 1,833,146 pounds.

Over Supply

The state average yesterday was \$5.77 over the U.S. Department of Agriculture's average support price of \$109.30 a hundredweight.

KIRBY PROMOTED

Larry B. Kirby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Kirby, of Rt. 2, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky, has been promoted to senior airman in the U.S. Air Force.

Airman Kirby, an aircraft maintenance specialist, is assigned at Ellsworth AFB, South Dakota, with a unit of the Strategic Air Command.

The airman is a 1969 graduate of Livingston High School.

Local Mining Company Signs Agreed Order With State

W.T. Lobb Mining Company, of Mt. Vernon, has consented to pay a civil penalty of \$2,000 and to perform remedial measures at its Rockcastle County operation.

A notice of noncompliance has been issued to the firm on August 31 by the Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection for violation of state reclamation regulations. By signing an agreed order of settlement and order of reinstatement with the department, Lobb Mining sealed the agreement.

In addition to paying the penalty, W.T. Lobb Mining agreed to apply for a strip mine permit for the area on which it had conducted illegal mining operations, and upon obtaining the permit, to post bond to insure reclamation of the disturbed area. The company agreed to complete its site structure according to departmental regulations, to have it certified, and to construct a ditchline on part of the access road where no ditchline had been constructed.

Agreement has also reached for W.T. Lobb Mining to provide a berm, or wall, on the areas of the mining site where it would be required by the method of operation to dress down, seed, mulch, and fertilize any outcrops disturbed by the mining operation. The

company also agreed to maintain current standards of backfilling and grading.

W.T. Lobb Mining agreed to return its equipment to the permitted area and to completely perform remedial measures before moving it.

Mt. Vernon - Brodhead To Receive Reimbursements

Eleven local governments in the Fifth Congressional District will be receiving a total of \$165,700 over the next three months in reimbursements from the federal government for building sewage treatment systems, Congressman Tim Lee Carter has reported.

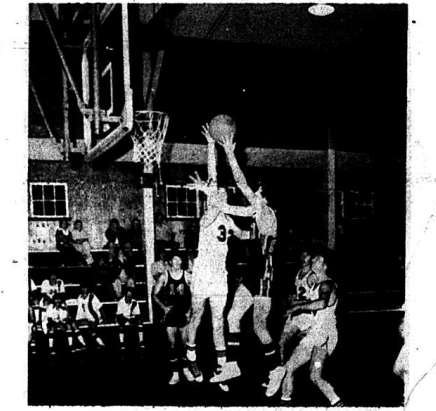
Rep. Carter said the local governments were listed by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency as among those in Kentucky expected to receive the further funding this fall.

The reimbursements, which the Congressman explained are one way the federal government helps local governments pay for sewer systems, will be third-installment payments authorized

under Section 206 of the law which set up the wastewater treatment system construction grants program.

The following cities were listed by EPA as those expected to receive the following amount: Brodhead, \$3,500; Berea, \$9,600; Campbellville, \$5,500; Corbin, \$28,700; London, \$14,500; Mt. Vernon, \$1,300; Nicholasville, \$2,400; Owensboro, \$26,900; Somerset, \$60,100 and Tompkinsville, \$11,300.

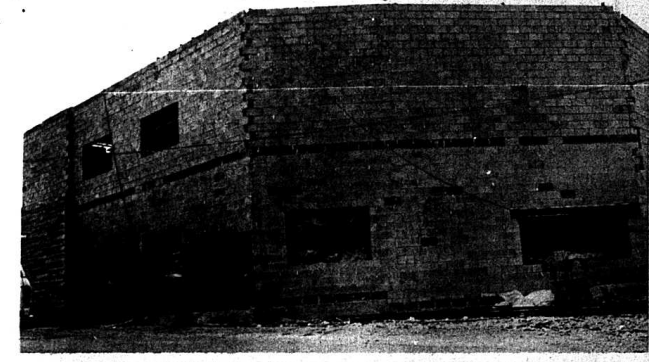
In addition, the Harlan County Board of Education will receive a \$500 third-round reimbursement. The Statewide EPA will pay out \$3,565,500 over the next three months under the reimbursement program.



John Nugent, No. 20, for the Rockets is shown in the process of getting a shot blocked during the Rockets season opener last Friday night at Ansville. The Rockets were defeated 70-54 by the hot-shooting Bulldog team, who were

playing their fifth game of the season. Nugent got 12 points on the night which saw two Rocket players have to leave the game with injuries. (More picture and story elsewhere in this week's Signal).

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The new addition to the Bank of Mt. Vernon is progressing and is expected to be completed sometime very early in the Spring. The top floor will house the

bookkeeping department, the second floor will be where the loan officers will be located and the basement will be used as a community room. Three new

drive-in windows will also be a part of the addition. Stevens and Craven of Lexington are contractors for the project.

DR. THOMAS A. GRIFFITH DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Dr. Thomas Augustus Griffith, 66, of Simpsonville, and formerly of Mt. Vernon, died Sunday, November 21, 1976 at the Ft. Logan Hospital in Stanford after a long illness.

He was born May 4, 1910 in Woodbridge, Tennessee, the son of the late Edward and Mary Chantoff Griffith. A member of the Methodist Church and a graduate of the University of Louisville Medical School, he practiced medicine in Rockcastle County several years.

Survivors are one son, Bobby Griffith; one brother, Dr. George H. Griffith of Mt. Vernon; two sisters, Mrs. Claude Hungate of Frankfort and Mrs. Cecil Baker of Spring City, Tennessee; his step mother, Mrs. Margaret Reynolds of Burnside and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, November 23rd at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Ernie Johnson officiating.

Burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery.

CITIZENS OF ROCKCASTLE COUNTY

DEAR CITIZENS:

On Thursday, November 11, 1976, the Kentucky Industrial Development Advisory Team visited Rockcastle County and discussed the potential for industry in our county. On behalf of the Rockcastle County Improvement Council, I would like to thank each of you for the enthusiastic support and appreciation shown to the members of the Advisory Team.

Since November 11, I have received several letters from individuals who visited our county. All of the team members were complimentary regarding the support and enthusiasm shown by Rockcastle County on that day. In particular, Mr. Art Crowe of the L & N Railroad said "the meeting Thursday was one of the best that I have had the pleasure of attending. The turnout was wonderful and it appears to me that the people of Mt. Vernon are ready to proceed with the development of the area." Mr. Gene Glins of the Department of Commerce, commented "I was very much impressed by the tremendous turnout and enthusiasm of your people. I think this is indicative of their desire to see the area develop programs that will further enhance economic development in this area."

In the near future decisions will need to be made regarding the purchase of the industrial site, currently under option, development of that site, and the procurement of industry. We encourage your participation in helping those in responsible positions make the proper decisions. Again please accept our appreciation for the support you have shown.

Sincerely,
William W. James, President
Rockcastle County Improvement Council



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FRANKFORT WATCHLINE

By Ferral Williams

Looking at Governor Julian Carroll no one would imagine the state's chief executive as the strongest man in Kentucky, but it's true. He doesn't lift weights, toss drinks or bars, wrestle bears or wear a loincloth and swing through trees, but he does push around the General Assembly.

The 138 men and women who spent three months in Frankfort earlier this year were at the mercy of the Governor's muscle, but don't expect the Governor to exert the same amount of force during the special session of the General Assembly.

Some of the Governor's leverage in dealing with the lawmakers has been stripped from him through no fault of his own. During the special session Kentucky lawmakers can only work on legislation dealing with the specific items the Governor included in his call.

With the number of issues facing the lawmakers severely curtailed by the restrictions of the call, the Governor won't be able to flex his political biceps to push through a lawmaker's pet legislation in exchange for the son's support on other issues. Wise lawmakers will have greater independence from the Governor's office, at least they will if they want it, the Governor won't be standing idly by in the warm-up jacket waiting to get in the game.

The special session call is primarily for the lawmakers to enact legislation to implement the new state-operated district court system created by the Judicial Article which was approved by the voters last year. In 1978 the district courts will replace the state of local police, county, quarterly, magisterial and justice of the peace courts.

Originally, the ticklish question in implementing the district court system was determining the amount of money the state would return to the local governments in restitution for stripping the cities and counties of their revenue producing courts. The Governor and most lawmakers generally agree now that local governments should get back approximately the amount of money the locally operated courts had been producing for them in the past. The new courts shouldn't cost the locals any money, nor should they be a windfall.

The bugbear now is the number of district judges to be included in the system, and how the judges will be allocated to the counties. Some in the legislature are pressing for 127 to 134 judges. The Governor favors fewer than 100 citing the high cost of having a large number of full-time district judges.

Governor Carroll favors appointing a greater number of trial commissioners. They would be part-time and cost much less than a judge. Carroll earlier drew the wrath of judicial reform proponents by saying he didn't think it necessary for district judges to be attorneys.

Fewer district judges and more appointed trial commissioners could open the door to a good deal of political

patronage getting involved in the new court system. Some of the Governor's suggestions are irritating Supreme Court Chief Justice Scott Reed.

Chief Justice Reed may be the only individual in the state with the clout to battle the Governor toe-to-toe over the courts issue. Justice Reed will still be on the bench five years after Carroll vacates the Governor's mansion.

Proponents of mine safety legislation feel the Governor was behind the effort to cut back the number of deep mine safety analysts to 100. Carroll's only public statements on the program were in support of the safety analyst concept. A bill to expand the program will be filed, but the curtailed mine safety program will likely get a proved without much difficulty.

The Governor has little to say about the other questions facing the lawmakers. The workman's compensation issue and revision of the death penalty will be emotional issues, but not topics likely to consume a great deal of time.

On the other hand, the problems surrounding the \$75 million sewer expansion program for Jefferson County will be divisive. Carroll has left the issue in the hands of the Jefferson County delegation which during the last session could agree only one issue: when to get together to have a photograph taken.

County Statistics

DEEDS

Betty T. Sutton, Tony Michael and Patricia Sutton, Tangene Elaine and Johnny Mink, Peggy Sue and Danny Ray Jowder, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to Bobby Singleton, tax \$13.00.

Rude and Daphne Ooslink, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to Joe Ooslink, no tax.

Geneva Delaney, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to James T. and Ruth P. Moore, tax \$4.00.

Elmer and Gertrude Bales Leadingham, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to Harold and Ann Miller, tax \$10.50.

Dennis and Janice Chaney, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to Carl and Nannie Hazel Barron, tax \$7.50.

Harvey M. and Emily J. Pensol, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to Kenneth Ray Taylor, tax \$9.00.

Robert and Mae Bryant, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to William D. and Mary T. Gregory and David W. and Betty A. Henderson, tax \$4.00.

C.B. and Ruby Cooper Adams, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to Peggy Ann Adams Pizer, no tax.

Clyde and Tenny Hale, Armanda and Wile Allen, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to J.P. Hale, tax \$5.00.

Robert and Dorothy Brock, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to Tommy H. and Lora Lee Mink, tax \$4.00.

37. Paini Lick, Ky., teacher, November 20, 1976.

John and Mable Hunter, Monty and Mary Phillips, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to Sammy L. and Judy M. Ford and Danny and Sue Ford, tax \$23.50.

Danny R. and Sue Ford, and Sammy L. and Judy M. Ford, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to Clarence A. and Irene Thompson, \$24.00.

Glenn William Polly, 45, Mt. Vernon, Ky., school teacher, to Myrtle May McKnight, 41, Route 3, Berea, Ky., factory, November 19, 1976.

Bobby Kay Davis, 27, Paint Lick, Ky., teacher to Margaret Ann Jennings, 37, Paint Lick, Ky., teacher, November 20, 1976.

Terry Franklin Burton, 21, Route 1, Brodhead, lab technician, to Cynthia Dawn Whitehead, 21, Brodhead, Ky., student, November 18, 1976.

Herbert E. Crass, Gene Drenn, Vernon N. Walters, Carl W. Petyjohn, Jimmy J. Cotter, Howard John Schoenfeld, Tommy George Bruce, David J. Yannarella, Donald Gene Volaw, John M. Bruggeman, Ada B. Rice, Joseph P. Sweeney, Walter Green, Jr., Patrick Lawrence Disher, Howard G. Ginnadi, Dennis Michael Otto, Margaret E. MacIvor, Dorothea M. Campbell, James P. Cavanaugh, George Clifford Sawyer, Thomas A. Hite, \$10 and cost.

Nice Brick located on Hwy. 150 between Brodhead and Crab Orchard, House has 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, utility room, full bath and carport. Home is total electric with built in range and washer/dryer hook-up. All for \$29,500.

A Good 6 Room House located on US 150. House has living room, kitchen, dining room, 3 bedrooms, and a bath. The house has wall to wall carpet in 3 rooms, also a washer/dryer hook-up and storm doors and windows, and city water. There are approx. 4 acres of land which give ample space for a garden. Priced right at only \$19,000.

47 Acre Farm located on the Parlor Grove Rd. at Waynesburg. The farm has approx. 135 acres tillable ground and the balance in grass. There is approx. 1500 lbs. of tobacco. Stock water is provided by 2 ponds. In addition there are 2 dwellings. The main dwelling has 5 rooms, 3 bedrooms, living room an kitchen, aluminum siding, storm doors and windows, washer/dryer hook-up, tent house is frame - 4 rooms. All for \$40,000.

Almost New Brick located in the Barnett Subdivision. House has 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen and bath. The house has wall to wall carpet, built-in range and oven, ample cabinet space, garbage disposal, washer/dryer hook-up, total electric and black top drive. The lot measures approx. 100 x 130 with ample space for a garden. Priced to sell at \$26,500.

Nice Brick located on Quarry Street, Mt. Vernon. The house has 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, utility room and bath. House is total electric, washer/dryer hook-up, storm doors and windows, city water and sewer, and is within walking distance of town. In addition to the house there is a garage and a metal utility building. \$25,900.

5 Room House located in the Maple Grove Section of Rockcastle County. House has 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, and bath. House is total electric, wall to wall carpet, built-in kitchen cabinets and city water. all for \$12,900.

80 Acres more or less - retreat land with a cottage - in the hills of Rockcastle County, only \$14,500.

27 Acre Farm located on the Parlor Grove Road at Waynesburg, Ky. the farm has 6 room house, 4 bedrooms, living room, and kitchen. In addition to the house there is a combination stock and tobacco barn. Approx. 20 acres tillable and the balance in grass. Approx. 900 lbs. tobacco, stock water is furnished by a pond. All for \$22,900.

4 Room House and 7 acres located in the country, in the Red Hill Section of Rockcastle County. Only \$8,000.

New Brick located in the Maple Grove Section of Rockcastle County. This fine home has 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, carport and full bath. It is situated on a nice lot measuring approximately 125 x 200. The house has wall to wall carpet, built-in kitchen cabinets and city water.

Almost New Brick located in the Hillview Subdivision. House has 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, 1/2 baths, and carport. The house is total electric, built-in kitchen cabinets, wall to wall carpet, city water and sewer, storm doors and windows, washer and dryer hook-up, lot measures approx. 100 x 200 and there is a blacktop drive. Only \$25,500.

Bedford Stone Home located near the Mt. Vernon city limits, house has 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, and full bath. There are hardwood and vinyl floors throughout, storm doors and windows, city water and located on a large lot. \$20,900.

3 Restricted Building Lots located near the Mt. Vernon elementary school. Lots have city water, blacktop street and are within walking distance of town. Reduced to \$3,500 and up.

1969 Holly Park Mobile Home on large lot - located on Terry St. in Mt. Vernon. The mobile home has large living room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms, and full bath. In addition to the mobile home there are two added rooms with wall to wall carpet, city water and sewer.

3 Lots located at Conway, Kentucky. Lots have city water and blacktop road. \$1,588 each.

2 Acres and a 2 Room House - located in the Maple Grove Section of Rockcastle County. Water is provided by 2 wells, electric and telephone

Speeding: [Amended to def. exp.] Joseph Bertram Zuisenberger, \$10 and cost.

Public Intoxication: J.L. Finley, \$50 and cost; Bob Hodges, \$10 and cost; Vernon Crisp [amended to disorderly conduct], \$1.00 and cost; Charles E. Hodges [Amended to disorderly conduct], \$1.00 and cost.

Disorderly Conduct: Danny D. Clark, \$15 and cost.

Viola of Special Permit: Monte Duane Whiting, \$50 and cost.

No operator's license: Gene Dunn, \$2.00 and cost.

Operating a Vehicle While Under the Influence of Narcotics: James Dale Carmack, \$100 and cost.

Carrying a Concealed Weapon: James Dale Carmack, \$50 and cost.

Operating a Motor Vehicle While Under the Influence of Intoxicants [amended to reckless driving]: Harold Haney Kidd, \$10 and cost; William Ray

Hellard, \$50 and cost.

Money Ed Cummins, Circuit Court Clerk reports the following driver license and learner permits issued on Friday, November 19, 1976:

DRIVER LICENSE: Melvin Dean Powell, Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon; Donald Lewis Hurst, Jr., Rt. 1, Brodhead; Billy Junior Stewart, Rt. 1, Brodhead; Karen Jeanette Bullock, Rt. 1, Orlando; Brenda Cope Griffin, Rt. 3, Mt. Vernon; David Kenneth DeBarr, Rt. 1, Brodhead; Barney Ed Anderson, Rt. 1, Orlando; Michael Robert Beck, Rt. 1, Mt. Vernon; John Scott Master, Rt. 3, Crab Orchard.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

service is available. In addition to the house there is a small barn, privacy and woods, all for \$25,500.

New Brick located in the Orlando Section of Rockcastle County. House has 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, and full bath. Total electric, wall to wall carpet, washer and dryer hook-up and fully insulated. All for only \$25,000.

41 Acres Farm - located on the Parlor Grove Road at Waynesburg, Ky. The farm has a good 6 room frame house which consists of 4 bedrooms, living room, kitchen and full bath. In addition to the house there is a combination stock and tobacco barn. The farm has good fencing and stock water is furnished by a good pond. Approx. 1400 lbs. of tobacco, approx. 30 acres cropland and the balance in pasture. \$37,900.

Nice 6 Room Brick Located in the Maple Grove Section of Rockcastle County. The house has 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, carport and full bath. The lot measures approx. 125 x 200. The house has wall to wall carpet, built-in cabinets, total electric and city water.

9 Building Lots located in the Orlando Subdivision. Lots have city water and blacktop street.

A New Brick located in Beautiful Countryside Estates. This fine home has 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, dining room, utility room, 1 1/2 baths, and carport. The house has central heat and air conditioning, built-in oak cabinets, wall to wall carpet, thermopane windows, washer/dryer hook-up, city water, built-in range and oven - continuous clean and much more. The home is situated on a 170 x 170 lot. All this for \$37,900.

GOING BUSINESS - Located on Hwy. 70. The business is presently operated as a transmission service and service station. The building includes 3 bays, station area, storage room, and 2 restrooms. It is situated on approximately one acre of ground, having ample space for expansion. All equipment necessary to run the business is included at only \$45,000.

Approx. 130 Acres undeveloped land located on blacktop road. Approx. 12 miles S. of Mt. Vernon, there is both coal and timber on this land. \$20,500.

1973 Double Wide Mobile Home - located on Mill St., Mt. Vernon, Ky. Home has 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, and full bath. Total electric, both front and back porch, wall to wall carpet, washer/dryer hook-up, city water, washer, stove and refrigerator and is situated on a 50 x 100 lot. All this for \$11,900.

Good Level Building Lots located near the Country Club - city water on blacktop road, restricted. \$3,000.

5 Room House and 17 Acres located at Pine Hill, Ky. House has 3 bedrooms, living room, and kitchen. Home is heated with a wood burner stove and water is furnished by a spring. There is some coal on the property. \$18,000.

100 Acres Raw Land located about 5 miles S. of Mt. Vernon in the Chestnut Ridge Area. There is some timber and coal on the property. Priced right at only \$5,000.

Home and Business in Town Located near the Rockcastle County High School. House has 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, full bath and built-in back porch. Home also has city water, storm doors, and windows and in addition to the house there is a store building, which is presently occupied as a fabric shop but could be converted into several other types of businesses. The store building measures 15 x 40. Financing is available to qualified prospects. Both for \$26,500.

Almost New Brick Home and 1/2 acres - on Hwy. 150 between Brodhead and Mt. Vernon. Home has 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, dining room, family room, bath and full basement and garage.

Home and 1 1/4 Acres located on the parlor Grove Road, Waynesburg, Ky. Home has 4 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, and family room, floors are covered with vinyl and the house is completely covered with aluminum siding. Water is furnished by a good well and in addition to the house there are 7 outbuildings. \$10,900.

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No. 2 Can Thank You PIE FILLING

APPLE **59**

PEACH **69**

Whole or Jellied CRANBERRY SAUCE Limit 2 **69**

Birdseye 9 Oz. COOL WHIP **59**

FOOD FAIR COUPON 18 Oz. POST TOASTIES With This Coupon **59** Expires 11-24-76

FOOD FAIR COUPON 10 1/2 Oz. PQQ CHOCOLATE SAVE 40¢ **55** Expires 11-24-76

FOOD FAIR COUPON With This Coupon Heinz Strained BABY FOOD **99** Expires 11-24-76

FOOD FAIR, BROWN & SERVE ROLLS 2 For **69**

32 Oz. HEINZ GENUINE DILL OR SWEET CUCUMBER SLICES **79**

Del Monte 303 Size Can FRUIT COCKTAIL 2 For **89**

Del Monte GREEN OR FRENCH BEANS 4 For **1⁰⁰**

303 Size Del Monte PUMPKIN 3 For **\$1**

14 Oz. HEINZ TOMATO CATSUP 2 For **79** Limit (2) With '10" Or More Order

10 Lb. Russett POTATOES **\$1⁰⁹**

Del Monte MANDARIN ORANGES **39**

303 Size Can ARGO PEAS 4 For **1**

No. 2 Can Del Monte PINEAPPLE Sliced or Crushed **55**

5 Lb. Bag Robin Hood FLOUR **49** Limit (1) With '10" Or More Order

FRESH CRANBERRIES **39**

NESTLE'S SEMI-SWEET CHOCOLATE or BUTTERSCOTCH Nestle's 12 Oz. Pkg. **\$1⁰⁹**

Baker's 14 Oz. Angel Flake COCONUT **\$1⁰⁹**

Royal No-Bake CHEESE CAKE **69**

IVORY LIQUID 32 Oz. **\$1⁰⁹**

Sunshine DOG FOOD 25 LB. **\$3⁷⁹**

SOFT PLY TOWELS SINGLE ROLL 2 For **95**¢

Reynolds Wrap HEAVY DUTY REYNOLDS WRAP **66**

Royal No-Bake GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 8 Oz. Can **49**

Sunshine DOG FOOD 25 LB. **\$3⁷⁹**

COUPON WORTH 50 S&H Green Stamps With the purchase of 1 lb. Colgate Raisins. mv cpn exp 12-1-76

Around Brodhead

BY MARJORIE SHIVEL
PH. 758-8317

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart of Louisville spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Dan H. Gray and Mr. Gray. They were enroute to Pine Mountain State Park for a few days vacation. On their return, the Grays accompanied them to Berea to visit their niece, Mrs. Gordon Smith and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Derrel Proctor of Covington spent last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Proctor, Doug, Paula and Elizabeth.

Mrs. John Glovak, Sr. and Mrs. E.J. Smith were in Danville Thursday on business.

Mrs. Elizabeth Mullins was guest of Dr. and Mrs. Byron Young and sons in Lexington Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan H. Gray were in Somerset Wednesday.

Walter Dees and Mrs. Bessie Whitman were in Lexington Monday to consult a doctor for Mrs. Whitman.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Owens, Jr. were in Western Kentucky over the week end to attend an Art Festival.

Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan H. Gray were Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Frith and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wright of Louisville.

Mrs. George Adams is a patient in the Berea Hospital.

Carter Caudill of Covington spent a few days last week with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Proctor, Doug, Paula and Elizabeth Ann, while helping fence the cemetery at Bethel.

Mrs. Judy Cash of Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. Arch Cash Friday. She was here due to the death of her uncle, George Allen.

Mrs. Ina Parsons of Louisville spent from Sunday thru Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Clarice McLee and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watson.

Mrs. Mary Payne has returned home after a short visit with her daughter, Mrs. Dale Mink and Mr. Mink in Ohio.

Mrs. Lula Russell has returned home after a two week visit in Ohio with her children.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sutton were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eastham of Lawrenceburg, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hiddle of Middletown, Mrs. Maude Brown and Mrs. Roy Brown of Qual.

Have to admit I made a Boo Boo! Mrs. Betsy Smith's name should have been included in the Ladies Aid Missionary Society attending members at the last meeting and Mrs. Jean Albright was omitted from the attendance of the W.M.U. of the Baptist Church Group.

The annual Community Thanksgiv

ing Program will be Wednesday November 24th at 7 p.m. at the Brodhead Christian Church. Bro. Raymond Flynn will be speaker for the service and music will be presented by the Baptist Youth Choir. Come on out and join this fellowship.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Smith of Yakima, Washington have been visiting their families, Mrs. May Holbrook, Champ Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Gravelly Burton. Mrs. Smith visited her niece, Mrs. Marjorie Shivel, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Colson and David were in Stanford Sunday afternoon to attend the dedication of the new Federal Land Bank Building.

Mrs. Gary Asher has been confined to her home the past week, due to an illness.

Mrs. Richard Shivel and Jeffrey were in Stanford Monday morning on business.

Bobby Singleton of Chicago, Illinois visited his mother, Mrs. Mary McWhorter and Mr. McWhorter from Friday till Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Mary McWhorter, Bobby Singleton and Micky Prewitt visited Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Parsons and Elizabeth Ann and Mrs. Brent McMullin and Scotty in Lexington Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary McWhorter, Mrs. Elmer Ponder, Mrs. Hubert Hunt and Florence Albright were in Lexington recently to consult a doctor for Mrs. McWhorter and Florence Albright. They also visited Mrs. Janice Parsons and Elizabeth Ann while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McWhorter of Valley Station and Mr. and Mrs. Gervis Singleton and family of London visited their mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Ed McWhorter last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Singleton and family of Louisville visited his mother, Mrs. Mary McWhorter and Mr. McWhorter this past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hopkins of Hamilton, Ohio visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hasty, this past week end.

Mrs. Myrtle Barger was Sunday guest of her sister, Mrs. Ernest Robbins and Mr. Robbins.

WILLING WORKERS MEET AT MRS. NEWLANDS

The Willing Workers Homemakers Club met for their November meeting at the home of Mrs. J.C. Newland, Thursday night, November 18th.

There were 13 members and 2 guests, one of which became a member.

A very interesting lesson on "Simple Table Decorations" made from things you have in the kitchen, was taught by Mrs. Glenna Brooks. She had several

very pretty centerpieces made for display, along with some made by Mrs. Elizabeth Mullins and Loraine Newland.

After a short business meeting, Mrs. Betty Machal led some games. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Those attending were Mrs. Emily Glovak, Mrs. Elnora Gray, Mrs. Catherine Flynn, Mrs. Ella Mae Martin, Mrs. Mary Johnson, Mrs. Jean Albright, Mrs. Marjorie Shivel, Mrs. Elizabeth Mullins, Mrs. Betty Machal, Mrs. Glenna Brooks, Mrs. Betty Glovak, Mrs. Janet Glovak, Mrs. Loraine Newland and Mrs. Gladys Russell, whom the club welcomes as a new member.

Saturday afternoon visitors of Mrs. Elva Mobley were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Croucher of Lancaster, Judy Mobley of Cooper Creek, Marie Burton and Mary Jane Randolph.

Sunday evening visitors of Mrs. Elva Mobley were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Todd of Ephank and daughter, Vicki Lynn of Crab Orchard.

SCHOOL MENU
November 29 to December 3

BREAKFAST
Monday: Cereal, toast, jelly, juice and milk.
Tuesday: Sweetened Rice, toast, butter, juice and milk.
Wednesday: Pancakes, syrup, butter, juice and milk.
Thursday: Ham and eggs, toast and jelly, juice and milk.
Friday: Pop Tarts, juice and milk.

LUNCH
Monday: Fish sandwich, mashed potatoes, green beans, milk, fruit.

Tuesday: Pork and potatoes, corn, cornbread, peanut butter cookies.
Wednesday: Vegetable soup, Crackers, Cheese Slices, Carrot sticks, milk, Yellow Cake with cherry topping.
Thursday: Dried beans with pork, relish, corn, cornbread, milk, fruit cobbler.
Friday: Chuckwagon on bun, french fries, cole slaw, milk, pudding.

Down On The Farm

BY ROY G. BROWN
ASSISTANT VICE PRESIDENT
CUMBERLAND PCA

Another crop season has come and gone ending the year 1976. After all it has been a very good growing season for most crops. Corn has been the best in

history. We have a good tobacco crop and prices look pretty good.

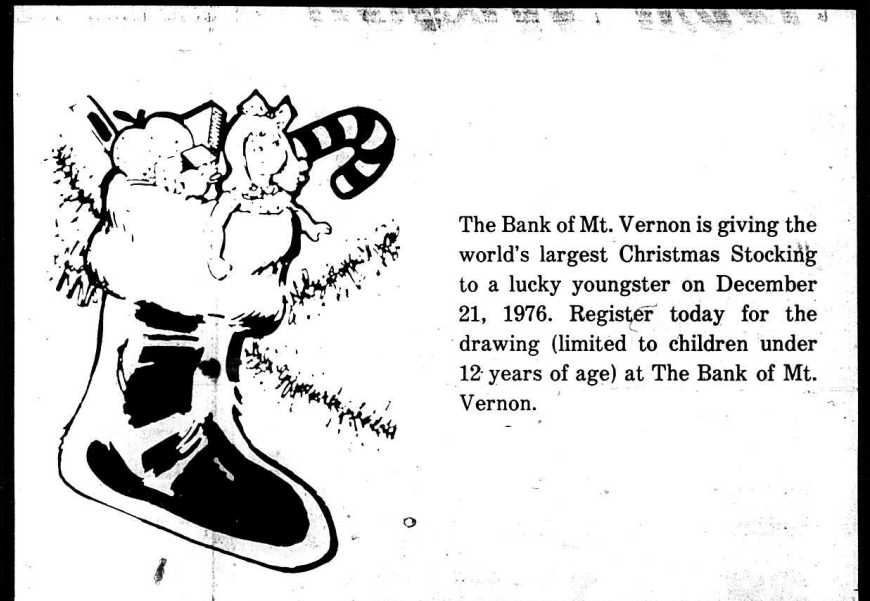
This Thursday, here in America, we will enjoy a day set aside as Thanksgiving Day.

The Pilgrims, years ago, set out across the ocean seeking freedom and happiness, landing their ship "The Mayflower" at Plymouth Rock, soon to be greeted by savage Indians. Many lost their lives. The survivors planted, cultivated and reaped a bountiful harvest. In appreciation and thanks for this bountiful harvest they gathered together for a plentiful dinner from their labors, which was the beginning of our Thanksgiving Day.

As we gather around a table heaped with delicious food of all kinds, including the celebrated Thanksgiving turkey, I wonder if we will pause long enough to count our blessings one by one and give

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Social & Women's News

MORGAN - COATES VOWS TO BE SAID

The wedding of Miss Kathy Morgan and Hank Coates will be solemnized Sunday, November 26th at Northside Baptist Church at 2:30 p.m. All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

TO BE WEDD

The wedding of Vickie Lynn Hasty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hasty of Route 1, Mt. Vernon, to Delbert Lee Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Reynolds of Route 3, Mt. Vernon, will be an event of Saturday, November 27, 1976 at 3:00 p.m. at Northside Baptist Church.

All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

A reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents.

BURTON GRADUATES

Staff Sergeant Stanley Harris Burton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Burton of Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon, has graduated as an honor graduate from the Air Force Recruiting School, Lockland AFB, Texas.

S. Sgt. Burton has served 5 years with the U.S. Air force. He will serve the next four years as a recruiting officer in Champagne, Illinois, where he and his wife Carol and daughter Penny will be making their home. S. Sgt. Burton and family are at home on leave at the present time.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Smith of Yokina, Washington are visiting his sister, Mrs. Gravelly Burton and Mr. Burton. They are also visiting Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Mae Holbrook and other relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Stevens and daughter were dinner guests of Mrs. Gravelly Burton, last Wednesday.

Mrs. Hazel Cummins and Mr. and Mrs. George Burton were in Stanford, last Wednesday.

Ronnie Stevens left Thursday for Ft. Hood, Texas, where he will be stationed with the U.S. Service.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hysinger were, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Adams, Chester Hysinger, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Earl Hysinger.

Roscoe Hysinger attended the funeral of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert Martin at Crab Orchard, last Wednesday.

Mrs. Andrew Cox, Sr. has returned home from the Central Baptist Hospital. She is slowly improving.

Mrs. Gravelly Burton and brother, Hubert Smith were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Purrell and Johnny Saturday.

Wade Hysinger visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Whitaker last Wednesday morning. He also visited Mr. and Mrs. Everett Purrell and Johnny Saturday evening.

Harris Burton was in Lexington, Friday to consult his doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Owens of Rt. 3, Somerset, Mrs. Mary Smith, Mrs. Pearl Bleacher of Broughtown, and Cinnie Clark visited Mr. and Mrs. Gravelly Burton, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Harris Burton and Mrs. Stanley Burton were in Lexington, Saturday shopping.

Sunday evening guests of Mrs. George Burton were Mr. and Mrs. Troy Roberts, of Rutledge, Tennessee, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Owens of Somerset, and Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Burton and Sheila, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Hazel Cummins was in Somerset, Monday and Tuesday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anglin and Nancy visited W.R. Coffey and Mrs. Lillian Anglin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Burton and Sheila visited Mr. and Mrs. Carol Blanton, Sr. Sunday evening.

Sympathy is extended to the families of Mr. Ott Kirby and Mr. George Allen in their sorrow.

C.G. Holman of Berea was in Mt. Vernon, Monday.

Willaila

By Arvil Burton

Those sick in our community are, Irvin Denny, John Mobley, Mrs. Susie Cash and Mrs. Nellie Elerson.

Mrs. Gladys Burton underwent surgery in Richmond, Indiana hospital last week. A speedy recovery is wished for her.

Mrs. Zora Burton is doing about the same at her home.

Mr. Lewis Brown is ill in a Nursing Home in Dayton, Ohio.

Mrs. Dovie McClure had surgery in a Lexington hospital, recently. She is home and is resuming feeling better.

Mrs. Dovie McClure visited Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Ray in Lexington, last week.

Austin Ping is feeling better.

Mrs. Dessie Taylor has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Gladys Burton in Connersville, Indiana. Mrs. Burton had surgery last week.

Mrs. Gladys Burton of Westchester, Ohio has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. G.D. Burton and other relatives.

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

J.W. Brown visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jones W. Brown, Jr., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Jones of Bradenton, Florida are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Brown at Bandy.

A large crowd attended the sale of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Adams of Southfield, Michigan visited Mr. and Mrs. G.D. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Burton, Mrs. Pattie Baker and Mrs. Jewell Brown, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Adams and Mrs. Pattie Baker had supper at a restaurant, one evening, recently.

Mrs. Dolores McClure and her son visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goff one night recently.

Ed Brown of Brodhead visited Mr. and Mrs. David Brown, recently.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Zora Burton were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Adams of Southfield, Michigan, Mrs. Clara Mae Denney, Mrs. Lillian Gooch, Mr. and Mrs. G.D. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Burton, Janet Burton, Mrs. Dianne Adams and Kevin, and Mrs. Gladys Dick.

Arvil Burton visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Long, recently.

Billy Brown visited his uncle, David Brown, recently.

Sunday night visitors of Mrs. Zora

Burton were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Taylor of Brodhead, Mrs. Fannie Albright, Mrs. Okley Hammonds, Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Whitaker, Mr. M.J. McMullin, Mrs. Gladys Dick of Westchester, Ohio.

Mrs. Ola Burton was Monday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Goff and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hacker and son; Mr. Arthur Burton, Mr. Denver Burton of Brodhead, James Whitaker, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Burton, Dan Haineb, and Mrs. Dorothy Todd were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Burton.

Mrs. Fannie L. Albright was Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Okley Hammonds.

Ottawa

By Della Mae Wilmott

Mrs. Christine Brown and daughter, Doris and Mrs. Reet Holt were in Somerset, Wednesday, shopping.

We are glad to report Mr. Billy Lawrence home from the Rockcastle County Hospital.

Mrs. Mamie Hamm is home from the Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington. Her visitors over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Proctor, Mrs. Dorothy Brown, Miss Debbie Hamm, Mrs. Michael Hamm, E.J. Hamm, Clingman Hamm, and Mrs. Reet Holt.

Those attending the funeral of Donald Polly, one of the Scotia miners who lost their lives, were Mr. and Mrs. Shiril Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Minnie Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bishop and Angela of Lexington, Mrs. Duane Jones of Texas, Mr. and Mrs. W. Robert Jones of Paris, Mrs. Bruce Mook of Versailles, Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Potter of Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bishop were given a pass to be at the entrance of the mine when the body of Donald Polly was taken to the hospital, Mrs. Bishop (sister) was the sister of Mr. Polly.

Brindle Ridge

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. George Wyatt of Berea are the proud parents of a new daughter born Saturday, November 20th at a Lexington hospital. She has been named Stephanie Lynn and will be welcomed home by a sister, Tricia. Mrs. Wyatt is the former Doris Coffey. Tricia Wyatt is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Coffey while her mother is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burdette, Mrs. Martha Burdette, Mrs. Elsie Burdette were in Dayton, Ohio over the week end visiting Mrs. Rufus Cornett, who is very ill in a hospital there. While there they also visited Mrs. Betty Moore and family.

Several from here attended the singing at Macedonia Baptist Church, Saturday night.

Stanley Burton of the US Air Force is on leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Burton. Mr. Burton, his wife and daughter will be leaving soon for their new home in Champagne, Illinois where he will assume the post of Air Force Recruiter.

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Burdette and family spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Berkeley Bullock of Willaila.

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Dwayne and Chad Burdette spent Friday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Burdette.

Mr. Virgie Mullins of Ohio visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Mullins over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Mink, visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pace, Friday morning. Brigitte and Brandi DeBorde of Mt. Vernon spent Saturday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Burdette.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cameron and sons spent Sunday evening with his mother, Mrs. Martha Cameron at the Extended Care in Berea.

Billy Cameron and Jeffrey Burdette were in Middlesboro Saturday with the R.C.H.S. band to march in a parade.

Mrs. Harris Burton and Mrs. Russ Powell of Berea were in Lexington Saturday, shopping.

We extend our deepest sympathy to the Robert Jones family of Copper Creek.

Mrs. Pat Holland returned home Saturday from Texas where she had been visiting her son, David Holland of the Air Force, who had heart surgery. He is reported doing good.

"COUNTY STATISTICS"

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PERMITS:

Winnie Norton Bullock, Rt. 1, Mt. Vernon; Gary Dwight Cromer, Rt. 3, Crab Orchard; Linda Vance Bullock, Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon; Brenda Kirby Morris.

Lamero; Retha Joann Harper, Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon; Carl Randal King, Rt. 2, Livingston; Mika Lee Arnold, Rt. 2, Livingston.

Circuit Court Clerk Money Ed Cummins reports that Driver's tests will be given this Friday, November 26th, 1976.

SWINE FLU IMMUNIZATION STILL AVAILABLE

"If you missed your county's swine flu immunization day, the vaccine is still available in your county health department," said Dr. C. Hernandez, director of the Division for Preventive Services, Department for Human Resources.

Some counties will have make-up clinics. These will have to be scheduled as soon as possible to allow individuals to build up an immunity to swine flu before the tough flu months of December, January and February.

"If you plan to get the vaccine don't put it off; get it as soon as possible," urged Dr. Hernandez.

About two-thirds of the state's 120 counties have held flu clinics so far. By Nov. 18 all counties will have had at least one immunization clinic.

Average turnout rates are running to a disappointingly low 18 per cent, this will barely provide protection to the population against a flu epidemic, said Dr. Hernandez.

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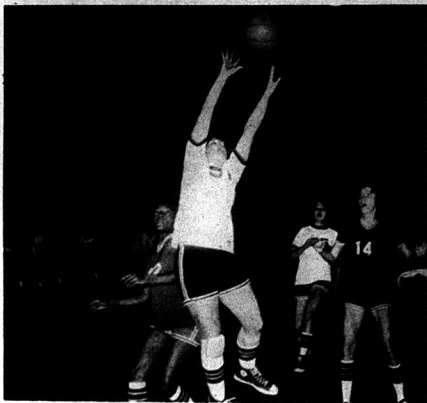
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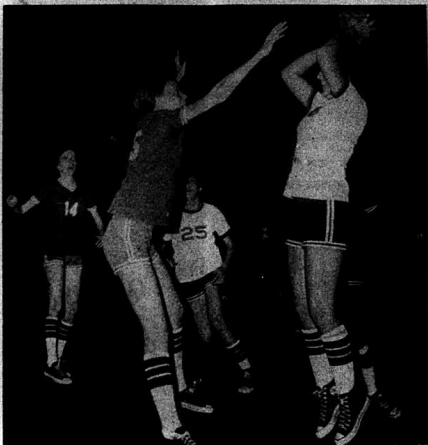
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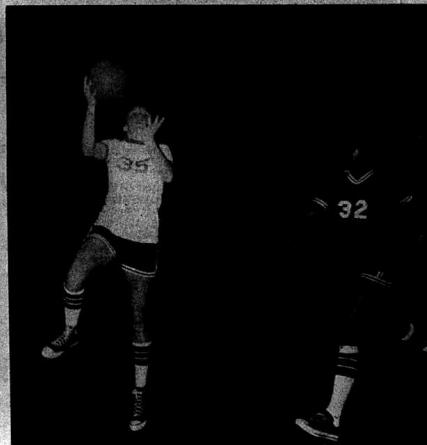


The RCHS Girls Basketball Team won their first game of the season last Thursday night by defeating Onsdia 56 to 14 in a dual game with the RCHS freshmen played at the high school. In

the above photo, sophomore forward Diane Thayer, tries for two with several Onsdia defenders around her. Diane scored five points on the night.



Regina Ruppe, No. 40, who tied for high-point honors in the girls game with Nancy French, tries for two of her total of 12 points. Regina, a junior, is the



Sandy Sturgill, another of the Rockets' fine sophomores, goes for a lay-up in the game with an Onsdia defender hot on her heels. Sandy scored 8 points in the

game. Others scoring in the rout were: Barbara Bullen, 10; Anita Lakes, 3; Tammy Shepherd, 2; Patricia Faulkner, 2 and Lisa Mullins 2.

Timber Harvest Assistance Available

In Eastern Kentucky forests, 1976 has seen a marked increase in logging activities over 1975. The timber market picked up in the spring and has stayed in good condition throughout the summer and fall. Prices offered for standing timber are up, and many forest landowners have decided to sell their stumpage. Investments in timberland are long term, sometimes resulting in income only once during the owners' lifetime. Therefore, it is important that the harvest be conducted in such a way as to assure maximum return on the investment.

There are several practices which help the landowner get the best deal for his timber. Perhaps the most important steps to have several buyers bid on the timber, instead of selling to the first man that makes an offer. Getting several bids gives the landowner a better idea of

what his timber is worth, and allows him to sell for the maximum price available. It is also advantageous to have a written contract with the logger to assure that both parties agree on the terms of the deal. The contract should specify which trees are to be cut, location of logging roads and trails, a time limit for the logging to be completed, responsibility for preventing and suppressing forest fires and penalties for contract violation.

A common practice in Eastern Kentucky is to sell timber by the boundary. The logger then cuts all trees of sufficient size to make sawlogs. Even young, vigorously growing trees may be cut. This is not always the best harvest system for the uneven aged hardwood stands which are typical of this area. A better method is to allow only mature trees (those too old to be growing vigorously) and low value or defective

trees to be cut. Healthy trees should be left to become future harvests.

Management foresters are available through the Kentucky Division of Forestry to assist woodland owners in setting up timber harvests. The forester will first examine the woodland, free of charge, and determine if there is a sufficient volume of sawtimber to make up a harvest. If a harvest is recommended, the forester will mark the trees to be cut, leaving the small, faster growing trees to make up the next stand. He will estimate the volume of marked trees, giving both the landowner and the timber buyer a better idea of the amount of timber involved. The management forester will also supply landowner with sample contracts, bid forms and names of prospective buyers.

The landowner uses the foresters volume estimates to obtain bids on the timber, and sells to the highest bidder. It is best to require a lump sum payment for the timber in advance of cutting.

The common practice of payment as the timber is cut encourages the logger to stop cutting after he gets the best and

most accessible timber. The residual, lower quality timber is often difficult or impossible to sell by itself.

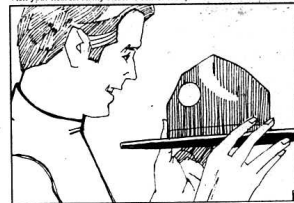
After the harvest is complete, the landowner should again contact the management forester for recommendations on future treatment of the stand. Such treatment is designed to assure maximum stocking with vigorous, good quality trees.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Mayme L. Allen has been appointed Executrix of the Estate of George W. Allen, deceased. All persons having claims against said Estate shall present them, verified according to law, to the said Mayme L. Allen, Route 1, Brodhead, Kentucky or to William D. Gregory, Mt. Vernon, Kentucky, attorney for said Estate, no later than February 26, 1977. 12x3

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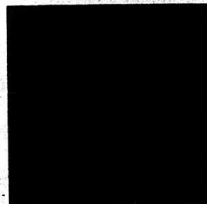


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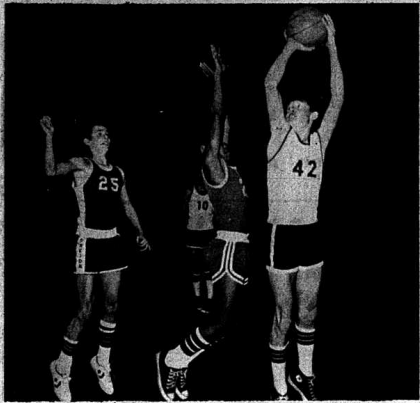
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Trent Mullins, No. 42, center for the Rockets, puts up a jump shot during last



Thursday night's game between the RBCH freshmen and Oneida. Kevin Robbins, No. 22, for the Rockets' freshman team, goes for two during action last Thursday night between the freshmen boys and Oneida's freshmen. Trent Mullins stands ready to try for the

welfare rolls. Swain added.

"LEGISLATIVE SESSION"
(Cont'd from front)

formulated extensive recommendations to improve safety conditions for Kentucky's deep miners and has submitted those recommendations to the Governor.

The recommendations propose miner training programs, safety analysts within the mines, creation of a Division of Miner Training, Education and Certification and establishment of a Department of Mining Engineering at the University of Kentucky.

Problems which may bring workmen's compensation to the legislature for consideration stem from two state Supreme Court rulings this year. The decisions, which increased disability benefits under workmen's compensation insurance, were greatly responsible for a July 1 rate increase.

The rate increase, called necessary for adequate coverage by the insurance companies, has placed serious financial burdens on many of Kentucky's employers. In turn, the employers say, the increase hampers the state's economic development by discouraging expansions or new facilities.

The Workmen's compensation Revision Commission, appointed by the Governor in September to find solutions to these problems, made three recommendations: 1) Increasing injured workers' benefits; 2) not necessarily general personal disabilities and 3) allotting \$10,000 to the estate of a person killed on the job.

When the U.S. Supreme Court upheld constitutionality of death penalties in several states and offered guidelines for drafting acceptable capital punishment laws, state Attorney General Robert Stephens accepted a task force to determine if Kentucky's laws were constitutional. The task force decision was that because of a mandatory death penalty for murder in aggravated circumstances and for kidnapping when the victim is not released alive and substantially unharmed, Kentucky's capital punishment law are unconstitutional.

Attorney General Stephen, in summarizing changes the legislature could make to bring Kentucky's capital punishment laws into line with the U.S. Supreme-Court rulings, said that guilt and sentencing of an offender should be determined in two separate proceedings: the punishment should fit the crime, with consideration of any mitigating circumstances, and adequate appellate review must be provided.

Other topics which have been mentioned for consideration by the General Assembly include voting equipment in the state, sanitary sewers in Jefferson County, no-fault insurance, and inheritance tax.

"DOWN ON THE FARM"
(Cont'd from P-5)

God (the One who made it all possible) thanks.
Here in America most homes will enjoy plentiful good food, while millions

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of people in other parts of the world will be starving to death.

Even though we grumble and complain about many things here in America, we still have, by far, the best nation in the world.

Where else in the world could we enjoy the freedom, privileges, opportunities, recreation, fun and happiness - I wish everyone a day of blessing as you gather around a table heaped with delightful food with loved ones and friends "Down on the Farm."

"SWINE FLU"
(Cont'd from P-5)

Dr. Hernandez hopes that making the vaccine available in county health departments and through make-up clinics will increase the turnout percentage.

Some clinics are having as high as a 50 percent turnout. About half a million Kentuckians have received the vaccine to date. There have been no serious side effects or problems, said Dr. Hernandez, and the clinics are running very smoothly.

Kentucky Ranks High In Helping The Handicapped
In Rockcastle County, the Kentucky Bureau for Rehabilitation Services

Real Estate
By SAM FORD
REALTOR

Interest Down - Cost Up

Are you waiting until interest rates drop before you buy a home? Do you think that this will save you money? The home you have your eye on will cost you more in monthly payments two years from now - even if the interest rate drops one percent.

For example, take a home that costs \$40,000. With a 20% down-payment and financed with a 25 year, 9% mortgage, the monthly payment would be \$268.80. But, two years from now, if prices keep rising at the average rate, the now \$40,000 home would likely cost \$45,000. If the interest rate decreased to 8% not only would the down payment be \$1,000 more, but the monthly

payment would increase to \$277.99. If the interest rate stayed at 9%, the payment would come to \$302.40.

So, it's obvious that the overall value of the home - not the interest rate - makes the biggest impact on your monthly payment. Since there is no indication of property values decreasing, the moral of the story is - Buy now or pay more later.

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served 203 people and rehabilitated 51 during fiscal 1975-76, according to figures released by the state bureau.

Kentucky continues to rank among the top 10 states in the nation in helping the handicapped, especially the severely disabled, reach their full potential as wage-earners. According to U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare (HEW) statistics, Kentucky has ranked in the top 10 in the nation over the past decade for its rehabilitation program.

Almost 50 per cent of the 25,079 handicapped Kentuckians served during fiscal year 1976 were severely disabled persons," said Marshall Swain, assistant superintendent of education for Kentucky's Bureau of Rehabilitation Services. "A total of 9,275 were rehabilitated and 5,338 of this number were severely handicapped."

The increase emphasis on rehabilitating and serving the severely handicapped was mandated by the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. Top priority is given to those individuals who have a disability which seriously limits their functioning capacities.

According to Swain, the entire list of disabilities which makes an individual eligible for services is stated in the Act and may result from the following: amputations blindness, cancer, cerebral palsy, syctic fibrosis, deafness, heart disease, hemiplegia (paralysis of one side of the body), paraplegia (motor and sensory paralysis of the lower half of the

body) quadriplegia (total paralysis from the neck down) and other spinal cord disfunctions.

Other severe disabilities included may result from mental retardation, mental illness, muscular dystrophy, multiple sclerosis, renal failure, respiratory or pulmonary disfunction and neurological disorders, including stroke and epilepsy.

Upgrading medical treatment, counseling, facility evaluation and training services are some of the Bureau's efforts aimed at helping the severely handicapped.

In addition to expanding and improving existing services, the Bureau is initiating new programs, such as the End-Stage Renal Program.

"Through this program rehabilitation services are provided to individuals with severe kidney disease," explained Swain. "Last year 55 persons received kidney transplants as a part of their vocational rehabilitation program."

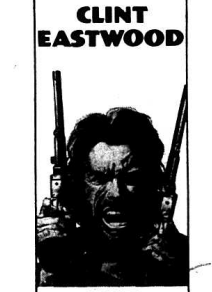
Along with these efforts, Kentucky is pioneering the concept of advanced funding - paying a workshop one month in advance the operational costs of its vocational rehabilitation component.

Swain continued: "Of those enrolled in the rehabilitation program during fiscal year 1976, college training was provided to 4,893, on-the-job training to 474 and 2,276 attended vocational schools."

The cost of rehabilitation was less than \$2,200 per person, said Swain. After rehabilitation, the individuals go into the job market as taxpayers who will pay back much more than the cost of their rehabilitation according to HEW statistics.

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This is a nine-room frame house with floor plan consisting of living room, kitchen, dining room, 5 bedrooms and utility room. The house is in need of repair making it ideal for the investor and is situated on approximately 2 acres of ground, having ample space for a garden. City water is on the way.

In addition to the house, there is a 30 ft. x 40 ft. garage building.

If you're in the market for a home on property for investment DON'T MISS THIS SALE - Saturday, November 27, 1976 - 3 p.m.

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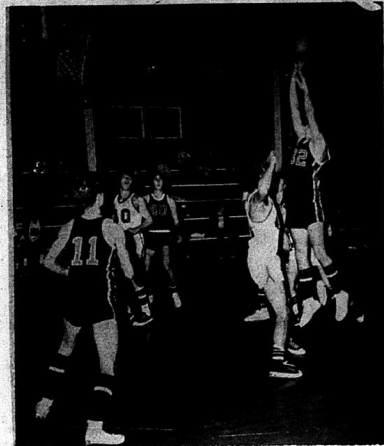
GOOD SELECTION OF BUTTERBALL TURKEYS

LARRY HARMON, No. 25, one of the Rockets starting forwards on their A team puts one up during last Friday night's action at Annville. Larry, who drew three fouls in the first half and had to ride the bench, wasn't back in action long in the second half before he slipped

on a wet spot on the floor and pulled ligaments in his foot. Right now, it looks as though Larry may be able to play in the week end Thanksgiving Tournament. Larry was still high-point man in the game with 16.

The other starting forward for the Rockets is junior **Frankie Durham**, who garnished 10 points for the night. He is

shown here all by himself going for a lay-up.



Sophomore **Jeff Hammonds**, a reserve guard for the A team, goes over a Bulldog defender for his shot during action last Friday night. Also in the picture for the Rockets is No. 11, Warren Cash and No. 40, Tim Arvin. Hammonds got 2 points in the game; Arvin, 1; Jeff Burdette, 6; David Noe, 2; Eddie Thompson, 2; David Pensol, 1; Jack

Farthing 2. The Rockets take on Lynn Camp in the second game of the Thanksgiving Tournament which begins this Friday night at the high school. Madison Model, last year's tournament winner, meets Lone Jack in the opening game. The championship and consolation games will be played Saturday night.

Thanksgiving In A Park Can Build Family Memories

By Helen Price Stacy

Soft lights and glowing embers from logs in an open fireplace combine with food spiced with both a Kentucky and Bicentennial theme to make this Thanksgiving in a Kentucky state resort park a time to build family memories. If mothers and grandmothers do not want to spend hours in a kitchen this year, why not treat them and all the family to the holiday - or holidays - in a state resort park.

The Kentucky Department of Parks has arranged a holiday menu for its dining rooms. This menu features traditional roast young tom turkey, but a special fillip has been added.

There will be Kentucky cornbread dressing, Kentucky wonder green beans, Bluegrass ham and Kentucky Rifle rum cake; then for Bicentennial flavor there will be Pilgrim roast round of beef and

Mayflower whipped potatoes.

Along with a festive buffet at Natural Bridge State Resort Park served Nov. 25, Park Manager Dan Glass invites everyone to the second annual Thanksgiving Art and Crafts Show and Sale in the new activity building Nov. 27-28.

Other parks have holiday festivities planned along with the following menu to be served in all parks: "Serving," said Glass, "will be straight through on the 25th, from noon until 8 p.m."

Entrees: roast young tom turkey with Kentucky cornbread dressing and cranberry sauce; baked Bluegrass sugar cured ham with holiday fruit sauce; Pilgrim roast round of beef au jus, carved on the line. Vegetables: old-fashioned candied yams, Kentucky wonder green beans, Mayflower whipped potatoes with giblet gravy. Desserts: Kentucky Rifle rum cake.

mince meat pie and pumpkin pie. There will be hot homemade rolls and assorted congealed and green salads.

"At Natural Bridge," Glass commented, "we will decorate with dried flowers, mums, corn shucks, pumpkins and horns of plenty spilling nuts and fruit. We also will have at each table folders listing artists and craftspersons who will exhibit works at the park Nov. 27-28."

Carole Bush, gift shop manager at Natural Bridge and coordinator of the arts and crafts events, announces that Harold Collins and Tom Armstrong, both of Lexington, are replacing Don Ensor of Louisville and Russell May of Prestonsburg in the show.

"Ensor," said Mrs. Bush, "is going to Moscow to sketch an antique car for a print to be released late in 1977, and May is recovering at his home from a heart attack."

Approximately 25 outstanding artists and craftspersons have been assigned space for the holiday weekend show. "We're proud to schedule this art and crafts program during Thanksgiving," Mrs. Bush said. "It is expected to attract a crowd of holiday visitors as well as those who want to purchase a piece of art or crafts item for Christmas giving."

For families who want to eat together without hours of baking and cooking, a state park might provide just the right homey atmosphere. Check with a park near you or one suitable for your family to see what has been scheduled. The food will be the same in all parks, but programs will vary.

Make it a time for pleasant memories with thankful hearts, harmony and warm friendship to go with the good food and entertainment.

DAUGHTER BORN

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Wyatt of Berea announce the birth of their second daughter, **Stephanie Lynn**, born November 22, at the St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Coffey of Rt. 3, Mt. Vernon.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wyatt of Berea. Maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. H.E. Jones of Rt. 1, Brodhead.

Stephanie is welcomed home by a sister, Tricia.

MT. VERNON PERSONAL

George York visited Mr. and Mrs. Carol Saylor, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

B-TEAM WINS TWO IN A ROW

The Rockets B team have had a little more success than the A team thus far this year by defeating Annville last Friday night 51-27 and Jackson County Monday night 53-25.

The Rockets B team's starting

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He will be present from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m.

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Sealed bids will be opened at 2:00 p.m., EST, December 3, 1976, in the office of the Division of Real Property, 698 Wilkinson Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky for the sale of the following described surplus property.

Rockcastle County Old State Maintenance Garage and Lot: A tract of land lying in the City of Mt. Vernon, Kentucky and bounded on the north by Tevis Street, west by Langford Avenue, and south by McLee Street. This tract contains 1.36 acres, more or less, of level land, and is surrounded by a six foot chain link fence with two strands of barbed wire along the top. The tract has all city utilities and seventy five percent of the tract is rooked.

The garage is a 3,360 square foot metal building with a concrete floor. There are two small front buildings measuring 10' x 18' and 8' x 14' on the lot. Being the same tracts of land conveyed the Commonwealth of Kentucky by L.M. Miller and Helen A. Miller, his wife and N.M. Smock, his wife.

Bid forms and additional information may be obtained from John Sturgill at 478-1111 at the District Office in Somerset or from Joe Gilbert at 502-564-3040 at the Division of Real Property, 698 Wilkinson Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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NOTICE
 All persons having claims against the Estate of Bessie Cable, deceased, will please promptly file said claims, duly proven according to law, with me, before February 13, 1977. All persons indebted to said Estate will please promptly pay same to me.
 Thaddeus Cable, Executor
 Bessie Cable, Deceased
 Route 1, Brodhead, Ky. 40409 11x39p

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 Notice is hereby given that James W. Lambert, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456 has been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Robert Mullins, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate shall present them, verified according to law, to the said James W. Lambert on or before February 25, 1977. 10x3

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participation in the pre-application process, two public hearings will be held. All citizens are urged to attend.
 The first public hearing will be held on Thursday, December 2nd, 1976 at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall. At this hearing, eligible activities will be discussed, citizen suggestions on community development projects will be solicited and past proposals will be reviewed.
 The second public hearing will be held on Monday, December 13th, 1976 at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall. The pre-application proposals will be presented to the public for comments and suggestions, prior to completing the application and submitting it to the Area Development District and the State for review.
 Submission of an application does not insure automatic HUD approval, since HUD generally has sufficient funding to finance less than a majority of the applications submitted.

The maximum grant for which the City may apply is \$500,000. The HUD criteria for ranking pre-applications includes the amount and percent of substandard housing and poverty; the project benefits to low and moderate income families; the community's housing efforts; any serious threats to health or safety in the project area; and the use of matching federal or state resources for the project.
 If the application is approved, a Citizens Advisory Committee will be appointed to insure full public participation of the final application preparation of the community development plan proposals, and implementation of the proposals. Members of this committee will represent a cross-section of the community in terms of age, sex, race, geographical locations, business, and labor, and other important community characteristics.

Roland D. Mullins
 Mayor, City of Mt. Vernon, Ky.

NATIONAL FOREST TIMBER FOR SALE

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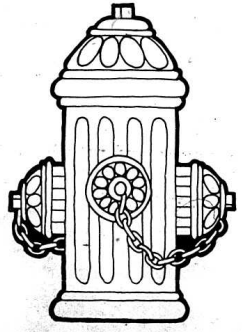
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The Family

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 The family of George W. Allen would like to express their thanks to all their friend and neighbors who were so kind and helpful during the death of our loved one. A special thanks to those who sent food and flowers and to Bro. Sam Sower and the Ottawa singers, Dr. G.W. Griffith, the Veterans Hospital staff, in Lexington, Dewell & Martin Funeral Home and the pallbearers. May God bless each one of you.
 Wife and Children

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
 The City of Mt. Vernon, Kentucky, is preparing a pre-application proposal to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for community development block grant funds. These funds may be used for activities such as property acquisition, public works, code enforcement, and other public projects. In order to secure public



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SHORT ROWS

By Neryll Shackelford

Gardening Tips from Extension Specialists at the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture

With our modern supermarkets and greatly improved methods and practices of agriculture and horticulture, we no longer have to depend upon the products of Mother Nature's garden for survival. There was a time, however, when the situation was different. In times past, man, as well as many wilderness creatures, found wild fruits indispensable.

To the Indians and early settlers to the shores of North America, Mother Nature's garden not only was a source of food but also of healing agents, and, in many instances, played an important part in shaping the way of life. Various berries formed the basic ingredient for pemican, acorns were ground and used for meal, and nuts of all kinds were gathered and stored for winter use. Wild seed such as maize, oats, rice and foxtail were the staple food grain of the Indians.

Early settlers also used many of the wild fruits. jams and jellies were made from blackberries, raspberries, huckleberries, plums and wild apples. Chestnuts, walnuts, hickorynuts, and hazelnuts were gathered and stored for winter eating and as with the wilderness creatures, the autumn ripening of wild fruits meant an abundance of food for their human neighbors.

Therefore, each day in autumn became one of haste and hurried activity as the feast and harvest began. Bears

and ground hogs fed heavily in order to build up reserves of fat before crawling into deep, cozy dens for the long winter nap. Ground squirrels, field mice and some bird species gathered large quantities of weed seeds and nuts, eating some but storing away a larger supply for later use. Migrating birds sought the juicy berries, finding them ready as a food source during their hurried migratory flight. Later when winter snows covered the ground, it was often the few dried pomeberries, grapes, shumac berries and wrinkled persimmons left clinging to frozen twigs that meant the difference between life and death for many of the resident birds and animals.

As it was with the animals of the wild, no autumn passed by without the Indians and the settlers collecting a plentiful supply of the various wild seeds and berries for food, along with roots and herbs for use in concocting home remedies.

Although, as mentioned before, we no longer find it necessary to go out and harvest fruits from the wild, there is an aesthetic enjoyment to be had in doing so. Many of these wild fruits provide an unforgettable taste treat, and as nearly all will agree, going out and wandering the colorful autumn woods and fields in search of persimmons, paw paws, walnuts and hazelnuts can be an exhilarating experience.

The Week at Livingston

BY Mrs. Eva Black

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Singleton and family of Louisville visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.O. Singleton over the week end.

Mrs. Bertie Rice spent Tuesday with Mrs. Nettie Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. B.H. Griffin near their home in Stanford.

Mrs. Evelyn Blackburn spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Betty Oliver and daughters in Berea. Mrs. Eva Black and Mrs. Beulah Black were in Somerset Monday on business.

Mrs. Minnie Hopper of Louisville is visiting her brother, Clyde Fordyce, and Mrs. Fordyce.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ziegler is a patient in the Somerset Hospital.

Mrs. Bertie Rice visited Mrs. Alma Pike in Mt. Vernon Sunday.

Mrs. Evelyn Blackburn visited her son at the Veterans Hospital in Lexington one day last week.

David Chasteen of Morrill and his sister, Mrs. Jane Smith Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Price of Louisville and children spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fordyce.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mullins were in Lexington last Monday on business.

Ronald D. Black has arrived in Korea where he will spend the following year. Before leaving the states, he visited his sister, Mrs. Valerie Born in Chicago, Illinois, his mother, Mrs. Eva Black and his sister, Mrs. M.A. Thomas, Mr. Thomas and family of Newberry Park, California.

Bill E. Singleton and daughter, Mona, of Knoxville, Tennessee stopped by Sunday afternoon and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.O. Singleton

and his sister, Mrs. Mary E. Leach.

Mrs. Jane Smith visited her sister, Mrs. Ethel Chasteen Sunday night. Mrs. Chasteen is confined in the Berea Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Webb visited in Corbin Sunday.

Rudolph Hammonds was a recent visitor with his mother, Mrs. Evelyn Blackburn.

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8TH GRADE

Jessie Hayes, Robyn Arnold, Melba Mink, Sheila Morgan and DeeAnn Sargent.

STUDENTS LEARN HOW TO SPIN, IN THIS CASE, RABBIT HAIR

By Helen Price Stacey

"One of my dearest memories of my boyhood is watching my mother spin," recalled a mountain man during an Eastern Kentucky festival. "She had her big wheel in a corner and walked and forth, back and forth, spinning the wool into yarn. I have often wondered if

her steps had been measured how far she walked."

Learning to spin on a wheel, but first carding the wool and even before that, plucking wool was part of a four-day program at Rogers Elementary School in Wolfe County. This event was made possible by the Kentucky Arts Commission and National Endowment for the Arts through cooperation of the Wolfe County Board of Education.

In the Wolfe school students were initiated into plucking hair from Angora rabbits, rather than wool from sheep. "When it is spun it looks like thread," said student Sandra Proffitt, "but when it is crocheted and washed it fluffs out real pretty."

She added that "it doesn't hurt the rabbit when you pluck the hair and you only pluck five inches or longer. When spun, rabbit hair is much stronger an eight times warmer than sheep's wool."

Donna Shotts was one of the students who enjoyed spinning the rabbit hair into yarn on a walking wheel. (Oldtimers usually refer to a smaller type of wheel as a flax wheel.)

"The rim of the walking wheel," she explained, "is made of ash because this wood bends easiest. Five kinds of wood are used in a wheel. People used to have spinning bees in which they tried to see who could spin the longest yarn without stopping."

Sandra Proffitt also learned how to card rabbit hair on a carding comb, and Noah Collier became familiar with the yarn winder. Sandra told how in early days families picked teasel plants and mounted them on two pieces of wood "shaped in a cross," compared with today's carding combs made of hardwood and metal.

Collier said yarn winders, similar to a wheel without the rim, once were called weavers. "A gear inside the box would pop after a certain number of turns and that is where the song 'Pop Goes the Weasel' comes from." As yarn is wound on the winder it stretches, is tied into skeins, removed and washed, then put back on the winder. "So it won't shrink."

Jane Fields learned about vegetable dyeing. She discovered that a greenish yellow could be obtained from mountain alder, gold from apple bark, yellow from white ash or aster, blue from bayberry and if walnut leaves, hulls would pop after a certain number of turns and that is where the song 'Pop Goes the Weasel' comes from. As yarn is wound on the winder it stretches, is tied into skeins, removed and washed, then put back on the winder. "So it won't shrink."

The program was under direction of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Southworth of Knott County and was a Folk Arts pilot program in the Wolfe County school system.

"We are involved with three complete crafts," said Mrs. Southworth. "We do spinning, natural dyeing and textile production."

As to how far the mountain man's mother walked when she paced back and forth, spinning wool into yarn, Donna Shotts explained that "a long time ago a person might walk as much as 20 miles a day while spinning with this type of wheel."

The program will do much to preserve mountain traditions. The Folk Arts venture is designed to create interest in traditional music, arts and crafts on the local level and is directed by John Harrod.

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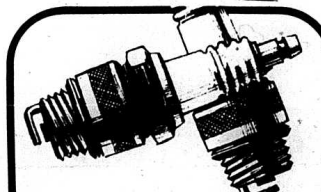
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The "unfunny thing" happened in Louisville as he was enroute to the Kentucky State Fair to supervise the second annual bike safety rodeo. It emphasized the reason for the safety program and the competition in the bike rodeo.

Mallory said a little girl rode her bicycle out into an intersection in Louisville—and was struck by a car. Fortunately the little girl was unhurt.

"She was in the wrong all the way," Mallory said. "She was riding across an intersection after the light had already changed against her. And she should have been walking her bike through the intersection

to teach bicycle safety and to encourage skill in bike riding so the youngsters will be better prepared to avoid danger and to cope with danger should they ever face it."

He said the 4-H bicycle safety program has been in existence for some time, but the competition involving the safety and skills aspect is only two years old. At the first bike rodeo, held in connection with the 1975 Kentucky State Fair, there were 29 entries. There were twice as many participants this year. The entries in the state event came from all

over Kentucky, many having previously participated in bike rodeos at the county level.

"This isn't a fun thing," Mallory said. "This is really serious business. If we can be responsible for keeping one child from being injured in a bicycle accident—or save one life, it'll be worth much more than any effort we might put into the program."

Before the participants enter into the competitive riding, they take a test that has true or false and multiple choice questions. The test is not particularly time consuming, but to pass it the 4-H'er must have knowledge of bike safety.

After the test, it's on to the rodeo-course, where five events are conducted on a paved

area—the competition course marked off with chalk.

The first event is a straight line control test in which the rider has a 15-foot starting area before being required to travel 60 feet between two lines that are only four inches apart. "I think that's the toughest course of the lot," Mallory said.

The second event is a spiral course on which the rider starts in a wide circle and spirals in to ever smaller circles, all for the purpose of determining the rider's ability to balance the bike.

The third event is figure eight steering, the rider being required to move over a figure

eight course with the left hand extended while steering with the right hand. It is for the purpose of determining skill in steering and balance.

Stopping ability is determined in the fourth event. The rider travels between two lines three feet apart for a distance of 50 feet as fast as possible and then applies the brakes so as to stop within a 14-foot space.

The final event is the road test. Approaching a stop sign intersection, the bike rider



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TOUGH ASSIGNMENT—David Medley, 4-H'er from Springfield, anyway, rides the "straight and narrow" in the 1976 4-H Bicycle Rodeo at the Kentucky State Fair. The straight line control test requires the rider to travel 60 feet between two lines only four inches taking her with me to enter the "rodeo" competition course. The Bike Rodeo is the climax the of the annual 4-H instruction program to develop bicycle safety, occurring at the time it did. A judge in the competition is shown in the background (left) closely watching Medley's progress. In the right background another judge, a police officer, is scoring a rider in another event. about," Mallory pointed out.

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Youngsters To Be Immunized Against Swine Flu

Although youngsters who are immunized against swine flu will be protected this winter and next, the quantity of vaccine being supplied by the federal government for such a program is not enough to prevent an epidemic, if one should break out, said Dr. C. Hernandez, director of Preventive Services for the Department for Human Resources.

The federal government recently decided to supply the state with enough vaccine to immunize 10 percent of the nation's youngsters age three through 17 years. The first portion of Kentucky's shipment is on the way.

Human Resources will distribute the vaccine to Kentucky counties on the same basis as the 10 percent distribution of Kentucky, said Dr. Hernandez. Each county health department will receive enough to immunize 10 percent of its youngsters. As yet, no mass clinics are being scheduled as they were for immunization of adults, but the vaccine probably will be available on a first come, first served basis at the county health departments. Dr. Hernandez

emphasized that the details of vaccine distribution on the local level will be up to county health department officials.

"Children cannot take some of the vaccine prepared for adults because it results in too many side effects," said Dr. Hernandez, explaining why a special vaccine had to be developed for this age group. "Healthy children will have to take two doses of this vaccine, each four weeks apart, to build up immunity," he added.

While this vaccine has been developed especially for healthy youngsters, a vaccine has been available since the beginning of mass immunization for children with chronic health problems.

Dr. Hernandez called the distribution of the children's vaccine an "ill advised decision" on the part of the federal government, in light of the fact that there is not enough for everyone.

Dr. Hernandez continues to stress the safety of the swine flu vaccine for all age groups and the fact that all types of the vaccine will be available in the county health departments until the supply runs out.

"And I must point out that the 1975 record of accidents itself was higher than the 15-year low in 1974," Maffei added. The reduction in the number of accidents in 1974 has been variously attributed to lower speeds and fewer vehicles on the roads during the fuel crisis.

"Apparently we could not sustain that new safety record," Secretary Roberts said. "We are urging a return to the 55 miles per hour limit for those motorists who have gradually let their driving speeds increase."

"And with the holiday season now beginning, we urge ~~saturday~~ behind the wheel. There's no better advice than the old expression 'if you drive, don't drink and if you drink, don't drive.'"

4-H Traffic

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Demonstrates how to signal, yield, right-of-way to pedestrians, make a full stop before proceeding across an intersection and continuing to a traffic light intersection to demonstrate a safe left turn in traffic.

Each event is worth 10 points, with blue ribbons going to all 4-H'ers making a perfect score to 15 points below perfect. Red ribbons go to the riders in the next 10-point range.

Mallory said there are five classes in the competition—starting with a class for 9-10 year old riders and going up to a class for riders 14 and over. Each county may send one participant per class to the state bike rodeo.

"The youngsters take the rodeo as seriously as any other competition," Mallory said. "I think they realize it's all designed for them—for their safety. And they practice what we teach."

Leo Bauer
UK College of Agriculture

Thanksgiving Holiday - Make It A Safe One

It's as American as pumpkin pie—the tradition of going to Grandma's house for a big family gathering and Thanksgiving dinner.

There's turkey with all the trimmings, catching up on the family news, and getting acquainted with the new family additions.

And while no one wants to talk about it, there is the inevitable and seemingly growing list, each year, of those who never make it home at all. Last year over 13 people were killed on Kentucky highways over the long Thanksgiving weekend.

State safety officials like state

Transportation Secretary John C. Roberts and his transportation safety coordinator — Bonnie Maffei — are concerned that the record might be even worse over this holiday season.

This year the number of fatalities occurring in Kentucky remained comparatively low until summer, but since then the record has taken on ominous overtones, Maffei said.

The number of fatalities has risen by approximately 12 percent in the past two months over the same month in 1975. In September 58 persons died as a result of highway accidents in Kentucky.

In October, the toll was 64.

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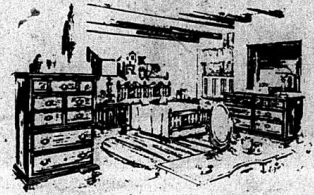
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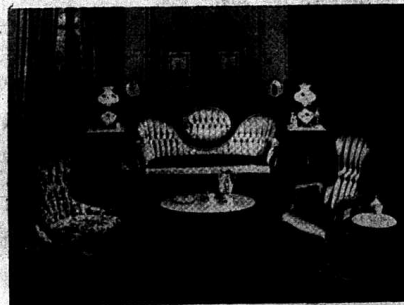
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Participants in the FFA Creed Speaking Contest held recently at RCHS are shown in the above photo. They are, front row, from left: Mike Hayes, Billy Cameron (first place), Lee Cain (second place), Back row, from left: Tracy Gabbard, Anthony Holbrook, Steve Zupanec and Mike McClure.

Kentucky's Population Continues To Increase

Kentucky's population, generally speaking, is growing up. The number of Kentuckians under age 20 is decreasing while the number over 65 is increasing. And, interestingly, the percentage of females is continuing to rise.

These are just a few of the trends revealed in a new report published by the Urban Studies Center of the University of Louisville. The Center officially represents the Commonwealth in the Federal-State Cooperative Program for Local Population Estimates organized by the U.S. Census Bureau.

The new report, entitled Kentucky's population: Disaggregations of 1975 Estimates, was developed by Drs. Michael A. Spar and James M. Brockway, co-directors of the Urban Studies Center's population research division. The report disaggregates new population estimates for each of Kentucky's 120 counties by race, age and sex.

On a statewide basis, it shows that between 1970 and 1975 the number of Kentuckians under age 20 decreased by 30,000 and the number of those over 65 increased by 34,000 during the same five-year period. Those under 20 now constitute 35.6 of the total population

whereas in 1970 they made up 38.5 percent. Those over 65 now constitute 10.9 percent of the total Kentucky population, compared with 10.5 percent in 1970.

The report further reveals that the total population of Kentucky increased in the five-year period by an estimated 175,811 persons, from 3,220,711 in 1970 to 3,396,500 in 1975. This represents an increase of 5.6 percent. One-third of the increase was attributed to a net migration into the state, while two-thirds was the result of the excess of births over deaths.

The report estimates that the total number of females in Kentucky's population in 1975 rose to 1,747,488 to constitute 51.45 percent of the total. The estimated number of male was 1,649,032 or 48.55 percent of the total population.

In comparison, the percentage of females counted in the 1970 Census constituted only 50.94 percent of the total population while the percentage of males was 49.06 percent.

Copies of the new county-by-county and statewide estimates and disaggregations are available through the Urban Studies Center at \$2.50 per copy.

Down on The Farm

**BY ROY G. BROWN
ASSISTANT VICE PRESIDENT
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Your starting lineup for the farming game in 1977 may easily include 150 h.p. tractors, corn hybrids averaging 175 bushels per acre, and market hogs reaching pig weight in less than 5.5 months.

That's now! But in the next century, when your great grandson puts on his work boots, he'll likely see machine designs, crop yields and weight gains that would seem impossible today.

Change is certain. Farmers, drawing from a well of new ideas from ag-scientists, will see to that. Just look back. A Roman peasant farmer would not have felt too out of place on an American farm of 100 years ago.

But what a change since then - all because of technology.

Brawny tractors and sleek implements have replaced tired horses and awkward tools. New hybrids and varieties have beaten out their less productive ancestors. Genetically superior livestock, fed fine-tuned rations keep supermarket shelves stocked with quality meat, milk and other food products.



Several FFA Students recently attended the FFA National Convention held at Kansas City, Missouri November 9 - 12. Thompson. Absent when picture was taken was Tommy Lawrence. Back row, from left: Douglas Adams, Eddie They were, front row, from left: Jeff Taylor, Dale Noe, Dennis Busell.

New ideas are routine. It's easy to take for granted the technology, making your farm efficient, productive, profitable - the envy of the world.

But American agriculture is neither a miracle nor an accident. The new ideas and tools filling your management kit are the result of ag research. Products, implements and practices you use on your farm were, once only untested ideas.

The idea may have been your own. Farmers are great experimenters, they like to try new ideas or put a new wrinkle in a proven practice. The main thing is that it works - and is profitable.

Most credit for new developments in farming methods goes to land grant colleges, private industry and the USDA. Even so, the raw ideas, tested and polished in laboratories and research

Holiday Foods 1776 and Today

Christmas, 1976 can be made extra special with foods that our ancestors prepared for their holiday meals two hundred years ago.

Mrs. Sue Burrier, Extension Food Specialist, University of Kentucky, will present a program on holiday foods, sponsored by the Cooperative Extension Service, on Monday, December 6, 1976 at the PCA Building in Mt. Vernon from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Mrs. Burrier will feature

foods from one hundred to two-hundred years ago. Also, there will be plenty of new recipes to take home.

This program will be open to the public with a 50c fee required to cover the expenses of the workshop. (You'll have an opportunity to taste and sample the food). Please register by calling the County Extension office at 256-2403 or drop a card to P.O. Box 297, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 40456, if you wish to attend.

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