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NOTICE

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ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that Delia Vanzant, Orlando, Kentucky has been appointed Administratrix of the Estate of Andrew Lee Vanzant, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate shall present them, verified according to law, to the said Andrew Lee Vanzant, or to James W. Lambert, attorney for estate, Mt. Vernon, Ky. on or before April 13, 1977. 17x3

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This is the 7th Grade Students at the Mt. Vernon High School in 1977, taught by J. Marvin Fairchild. Left to right, bottom row are: Aden Ramsey, J.L. McHargue, Foister Soward, Robby O'Mara, Clark Brown, Earl Parsons, Jesse Cummins, Arthur Coffey, Walter Renner, Charles Cox and Esmer Owens. Second row: Bessie Anglin, Edna Rickels, Marguerite O'Mara, Martha

McBee, Jenny Maro Brown, Reba Proctor, Tessie Soward, Nancy Laswell, Mable Noe and Irene Tallant. Third row: Ruth Dalley, Vera Bell Chastean, Walter Turner, Delphy Stephens, Ida Roberts, Charles Brown, Anna Lee Badgley, Mary Mullins, Ruth Rickels. Mr. Fairchild is in the back of the picture.



The first class to move into the new Mt. Vernon High School was the 6th grade taught by Mrs. Rose Christie of Brodhead. From left to right, bottom row are: Ruby Peas, Daisey Cummins, Edna Rickels, Verla Ball, Ruth Rickels, Mary Mullins, Marguerite O'Mara, Mable Noe, Martha McBee, Reba Proctor. Second row: Jesse Cummins, J.L. McHargue, Foister Soward, Nancy Laswell, Beverly Thompson, Irene Tallant, Hugh Percival, Walter Renner, Earl Parsons, Homer Stokes, Ruth Dalley, Arthur Coffey, unknown, Esmer Owens, Aden Ramsey, Charles Cox and visiting Bobby O'Mara. Back row: Burgess Griffin, teacher Mrs. Christie, behind her unknown, Walter Turner.



The above photo is the 1925 pupils of the Norton School, grades 1-8. From left to right are Marguerite Renner, Lucille Graves, Agnes Norton, Bessie Bloomer, Martha Graves, William Norton, Nola Norton, Chester Whitaker, Larence Whitaker and Paul Robbins.

Dana Owens Enlists In U.S. Air Force

Dana Roy Owens, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Owens of Rt. 4, Mt. Vernon, Ky., recently enlisted in the U.S. Air Force's Delayed Enlistment Program, accordingly to SSgt Jerry C. Huffman, Air Force recruiter, Robbins Motel, 415 Eastern by Pass, Richmond, Ky. This program, known as DEP, allows young men and women to reserve an Air Force job for themselves up to 270 days prior to actually starting their active duty.

Dana, a senior at Rockcastle County High School will graduate in June 1977. Dana is scheduled to enlist in the

Regular Air Force on July 1, 1977. Upon graduation from the Air Force's six-week basic training course, he is scheduled to receive technical training in the General Career Field.

He will be earning credits toward a Career Education Certificate through the Community College of the Air Force while attending basic and other Air Force technical training schools.

Persons interested in learning more about this or any other Air Force program may do so by calling SSgt. Jerry C. Huffman, collect at 606-623-9418.

Real Estate For Sale

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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Area Deaths and Funerals

Pearl Hysinger

Mrs. Minnie Pearl Hysinger, age 80, of Mt. Vernon, passed away after an illness Tuesday evening, December 29, 1976 at the Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington, Ky. She was born in Rockcastle County in September, 1896 the daughter of the late Steve and Minerva Baker Anglin and was a member of the Mt. Vernon Christian Church.

She is survived by two sons, Ray Hysinger of Dayton, Ohio and Lee Ear Hysinger of Mt. Vernon; 2 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two son and three brothers, and her husband, Mr. Burgess Hysinger.

Funeral services were held Saturday, January 1, 1977 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home with Rev. Ernie Johnson and Rev. Buford Herrin officiating. Burial was in the Rose Hill Cemetery.

Arrangements were by the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home

Marvin Blackburn

Mr. Marvin Blackburn, age 21, of Indianapolis, Indiana passed away Monday, December 27, in Indianapolis. He was born in Rockcastle County on August 15, 1955 the son of Russell and Glenna Boone Blackburn.

Besides his parents, he is survived by one brother, Stanley Blackburn of Indianapolis, Indiana; 5 half-brothers, Carl Pletcher, Rickey Pletcher, of Indianapolis, Indiana, Darrell, David and Daniel Blackburn all of Livingston; one half-sister, Carla Pletcher of Indianapolis, Indiana; his paternal great grandmother, Mrs. Josie Blackburn of Indianapolis, Indiana and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Mae Boone of London, Ky.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday, December 30, 1976 at the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home by Bro. John Craig. Burial was in the Phelps Cemetery.

Arrangements were by the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home.

Flem Parrett

Mr. Flem Parrett of Heartwell, Ohio passed away December 11, 1976.

Mr. Parrett is survived by three daughters Mrs. Winna Bryant of Mason, Ohio, Mrs. Dorothy Sharp of Arlington Heights, Ohio and Mrs. Pansy Robinson of Hamilton, Ohio; two sons, James Parrett of Richmond, Indiana and Henry Parrett of Michigan; one sister, Mrs. Eliza Pennington; 35 grandchildren, 54 great grandchildren and 10 great great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Mrs. Maggie Bullock Parrett and 5 sons and 1 daughter.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning, December 14, 1976 at West Chester Church of Christ with Tom Murphy officiating. The Vorhis Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Six of his grandsons were pallbearers.

Roy Green

Mr. Roy Green, 79 of Route 3, Mt. Vernon passed away Wednesday, December 29, 1976 at the Berea Hospital after a long illness. He was born on December 16, 1897 in Johnson County, Indiana, the son of the late Gus and Ollie Dill Green. He was a member of the First Christian Church of Mt. Vernon and the Masonic and Odd Fellows Lodges in Trafalgar, Indiana and was a retired supervisor of the Eli Lilly Co. in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Survivors are: his wife, Mrs. Anna W. Coffey Green of Rt. 3, Mt. Vernon; one sister, Mrs. Alfred Miller of Warren, Michigan; three nieces, Mrs. Fred Bumbaugh of Muncie, Indiana, Mrs. Leslie Teeters of Saginaw, Michigan and Mrs. Herman Trautman of Nashville, Tennessee; two nephews, Nolan Green of Greenwood, Indiana and Norman Green of Paragon, Indiana. A host of other relatives and friends also survive.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, December 31, 1976 at the First Christian Church with Bro. Ernie Johnson officiating. Burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery.

Arrangements were by the Cox Funeral Home.

Maymie Gentry

Mrs. Maymie A. Gentry, 77 of Rt. 1, Mt. Vernon, passed away Friday, December 31, 1976 at the Berea Hospital. She was born on July 18, 1899 in Rockcastle County, the daughter of the late Leroy and Mary Adams Williams. She was a member of the Ottawa Baptist Church.

Survivors are her husband, Eugene F. Gentry of Route 1, Mt. Vernon; two sons, John Starlin Stevens of Bartonville, Illinois and Woodrow Williams of Brodhead; four daughters,

Mrs. Beth Albright of Tucson, Arizona, Mrs. Christine Frazier of Bartonville, Illinois, Mrs. Mildred Lough of Caryville, Tennessee and Mrs. Marie Renner of Stanford, Ky.; two brothers, Clyde Cox of Louisville, Ky. and Melvin Cox of Florida; one sister, Mrs. Grace Burton of Brodhead; 17 grandchildren and twenty two great grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were held Monday, January 3, 1977 at the Ottawa Baptist Church with Bro. Sam Soward officiating. Burial was in the Ottawa Cemetery.

Arrangements were by the Watson Funeral Home.

M. J. McMullin

Mr. M. J. McMullin, age 72 of Rt. 1, Mt. Vernon passed away Thursday, December 30, 1976 at the Lake Cumberland Medical Center in Somerset. He was born in Rockcastle County on May 16, 1904, the son of the late Jack and Thula Ann Proctor McMullin. He was a member of the Providence Church of Christ.

Survivors are: one daughter, Mrs. Vivian Owens of Rt. 1, Mt. Vernon; two grandsons, East and Nelson Owens both of Springdale, Ohio; four great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Sunday, January 2, 1977 at the Providence Church of Christ with Bro. W. C. Sawyer and Bro. Austin Mobley officiating. Burial was in the Providence Church of Christ Cemetery.

Arrangements were by the Cox Funeral Home.



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Cash & Due From Banks	\$3,168,982.59	\$ 1,490,741.09		
U. S. Government Bonds	849,182.26	1,356,856.64		
Federal Agencies	625,000.00	800,025.97		
Other Securities	2,573,370.27	2,130,789.36		
Federal Funds Sold		100,000.00		
Loans	11,017,083.28	9,501,833.60		
Banking Facilities	159,876.50	38,547.22		
Other Real Estate	44,176.00	45,001.00		
Total Assets	\$18,437,390.90	\$15,463,794.88		

LIABILITIES	Dec. 31, 1976		Dec. 31, 1975	
Deposits	\$17,056,404.95	\$14,298,623.84		
Subordinate Capital Notes	200,000.00	200,000.00		
STOCKHOLDERS EQUITY				
Capital	200,000.00	200,000.00		
Surplus	300,000.00	300,000.00		
Undivided Profit	680,985.95	465,171.04		
Total Liabilities and Stockholders Equity	\$18,437,390.90	\$15,463,794.88		

Note: Loans Less Reserves of \$174,124.64.

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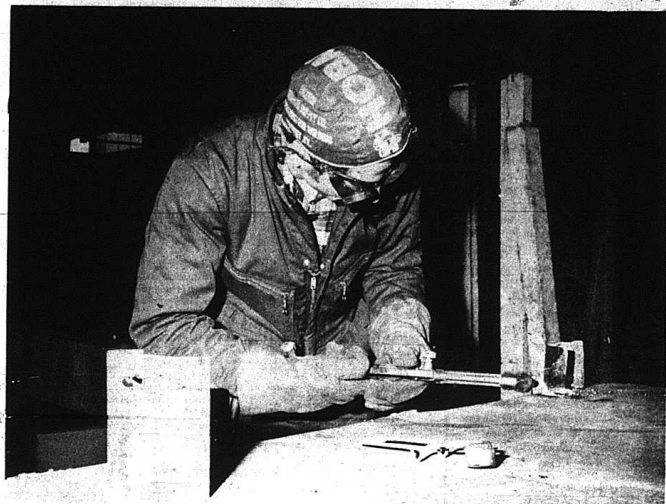
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Lannie Cash, shop foreman for the newly formed Rockcastle Steel Co., has been preparing for the start of production which

will be this week. The new firm is awaiting only the delivery of materials with which to begin full production.

Sam Ford Appointed to State Board of Auctioneers

Gov. Julian Carroll has appointed three members of the state Board of Auctioneers to serve terms expiring June 30, 1979.

They are Sammy L. Ford, Mt. Vernon, replacing J.H. Bernard, Jr.,

Bowling Green, Fred Burch, Jr., Frankfort to represent citizens at large who are not associated with or financially interested in the practice or business regulated and C.W. Borden of Bowling Green.

Their appointments were ordered December 22.

Mrs. Irene Bales Will Seek

Nomination as County Court Clerk

Mrs. Irene Bales, widow of former County Court Clerk Clifford Bales, announced this week her intention to seek the Republican nomination for County Court Clerk in the May 24th Primary. Mrs. Bales, who was appointed last July to fill the unexpired term of her husband, has served as Deputy Court Clerk since 1966 when her husband first took office.

Upon making her announcement, Mrs. Bales said, "It has been an honor and a privilege to serve the people of Rockcastle County during my years as Deputy Court Clerk. I feel that my years of experience in this office qualify me to serve as your County Court Clerk. My husband always strived to accommodate the people of Rockcastle County while operating an efficient and orderly office and I pledge myself to continue these efforts. I do realize the responsibility involved in keeping the records of the county accurately and the trust put in the County Court Clerk's hands in keeping the records, that are supposed to be, confidential."

Mrs. Bales is a member of the First Baptist Church in Mt. Vernon of Eastern Star Chapter 353 in Livingston and the

Mt. Vernon Woman's Club. She has two children, David, 29 and Kelly, 16.



Mrs. Irene Bales

Spring Registration at Eastern Will Begin Week of January 10th

The action at Eastern Kentucky University's Alumni Coliseum the week of Jan. 10 will not be all basketball but will include registration for the spring semester as the between-semester holiday ends for students.

Juniors, seniors and graduate students will register beginning Monday at 1 p.m. and continuing through Tuesday morning. Freshmen and sophomores will get their turn beginning at 1 p.m. Tuesday. Dormitories open this Sunday and classes begin Jan. 13.

Students will also be accepted into classes during late registration Jan. 13-24.

Besides Eastern's regular academic schedule, there are 250 evening classes, mainly for part-time students, and 29 special interest, non-credit courses for residents of Madison and surrounding

DANIEL BOONE NAT. FOREST RECREATIONAL MAPS ON SALE

Forest Supervisor Richard H. Wengert said today that beginning January 1 the Daniel Boone National Forest will begin selling the recreation map, with money from the sales being used to reprint maps when needed.

Cost of the maps will be 50 cents each and they will be on sale at the

Fiscal Court Agrees to Purchase Radio Monitors for State Police

By: Roger Coldiron

The Rockcastle County Fiscal Court met for the first time in the new year on Tuesday, January 4th and discussed a new crime prevention apparatus

BOARD MEETING RE-SCHEDULED
County Schools Superintendent Charles B. Parsons announced Wednesday that the monthly board meeting, originally scheduled for Monday night, January 3rd and cancelled due to inclement weather, has been re-scheduled for Thursday night at 7 p.m. in Mr. Parsons's office.

DECORATING WITH HOUSEPLANTS

With houseplants as popular as they are, many homes look like small greenhouses. How can you use these house plants in your home as accessories and to add to your home's decor?

Learn how to decorate with house plants at a program presented by the Cooperative Extension Service on Thursday, January 8, 1977 at 7:00 p.m. at the PCA building in Mt. Vernon. This program is open to the public, there will be no fee. A slide program and discussion on how plants fit into home furnishings will be presented by Rebecca Gibson, County Extension Agent for Home Economics from Whitley County. Everyone who attends is also asked to bring a plant with them for a trading session. Be sure to mark the time and place on your calendar and make it a point to come!

requested by the State Police. Trooper Greg Ennis of the Kentucky State Police requested the Court to provide sufficient funds to equip the state police cruisers in the county with radio monitors. It was reasoned by Trooper Ennis that with the equipment the state police could listen in on calls to the City Police as well as the jail and could respond when needed by the other agencies. Presently, the state police can only monitor their own channels.

After some discussion, the court decided that county court clerk Irene Bales would be given authority to amend the cost of the monitors to the budget. The total cost for all the cruisers will be approximately \$1,000. However, due to the receipt of unexpected funding by the county government, it was decided that the amount could be absorbed into a revised budget.

Representatives from the state highway department were on hand to discuss highway improvement and maintenance for the county road and Rural - Secondary Road programs. However, the programs were not discussed because only three of the magistrates were present at the meeting and it was felt that more members should be on hand.

The court received two bids for coal hauling - both at the rate of \$6 per ton. James McClure was awarded the contract in view of his past dealings with the county.

County Judge Hubert Thacker suggested that the court begin to consider the possibility of building a new garage to house the ambulances and personnel. But, again, the three Magistrates present felt that there should be more members of the court present to properly discuss the proposal.

A Few "Odd" License Plates Will be Seen in County This Year

At least six Rockcastle Countians anted-up \$25 extra for their very own personalized license plates this year - (I wish I had thought of it now because I have \$25 I don't have a better use for but it's not often in this world you get to be an individual.)

Most of the plates contain personal identification such as Arthur, Ken, Bud Cox, Martin, but one man, Wesley Lambert, decided to do his own thing another way. Mr. Lambert holds a 12 year perfect attendance at Sunday School record, so when you see Mr. Lambert's car sporting a SS12YR license plate, you will understand what it means right? Another car owner, whom we could not identify chose the insignia ANY 1, the significance of which is probably known only to him.

In addition to the \$25, those

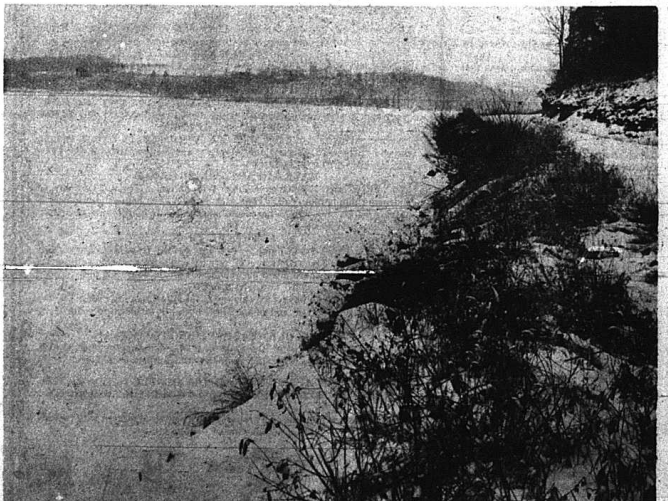
purchasing the personalized plates had to also pay the regular \$12.50 plus a \$1.00 clerk's fee. Then, if they should be so unlucky as to have the plates lost or stolen, that's it since they cannot get a duplicate but will have to settle for a regular old license plate with a decal like the rest of us peasants. And, should the vehicle for which the license plate was issued be stolen, then the personalized plates must be turned into the County Court Clerk's office and a regular plate will be issued along with a new Certificate of Title and Registration. If the plate is to be issued to another vehicle belonging to the original holder of the personalized plate, then it may be transferred by the licensee paying the county court clerk an additional \$1 re-issuance fee.

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"Any 1" and "SS12YR", as displayed by Deputy Clerk's Janice Rogers, left, and Norma Hays. These were just two of the selections by Rockcastle Countians for personalized license

plates, available for the first time this year. Applications had to be in in September of last year and will have to be in by September this year for '78 plates.



Sub-zero temperatures over the week end and snow combined to completely freeze over Lake Livville for the first time in a long time. We thought it was the first time ever but have been informed that it isn't so... Anyway, Garry Hansel reported Tuesday that on December 31st one and three-quarters inches

of snow fell and one and one-half inches on January 3rd. Garry also said that on both New Year's Eve and New Year's Day, the temperature dropped to a cold, cold one below zero. Of course, this combination caused schools in Rockcastle County to be called off at least through Wednesday.



You hear a great deal these days about equal rights for women - well, Mrs. Polly Abney of Newcomb Street in Mt. Vernon decided to carry it a step further. There is no longer any such thing as just a snowman. The middle picture shows Mrs. Abney and son, Chad's (in middle photo) "Snowperson" which has a

right good looking "snowlady" on one side (right-hand photo) and the traditional snowman on the left. Mrs. Abney who studied art in college seemed to be trying to achieve the "Mona Lisa" smile with her snowlady.

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FRANKFORT WATCHLINE

By Ferrell Wellman

One year ago there were widespread fears the nation's budding economic recovery could peter out in 1976. It didn't happen, but the year turned out to be a mixed bag for the economy.

In 1976 there was some progress in business, but it could not be called a boom. Fortunately, Kentucky fared better than most states, and 1977 looks even more promising for the commonwealth.

Economic observers in Frankfort say one key to a profitable year in Kentucky is the supply of energy. "With proper conservation, energy should not be a problem this year," says Kentucky Energy Commissioner Damon Harrison.

Kentucky's industrial giants, Ashland Oil, Rockwell, and Westinghouse Electric's Appliance Park in Louisville, have effective energy efficiency programs under way. Commissioner Harrison still warns, though, that not enough effort is being made toward conserving natural gas which is vital for industrial production and jobs.

Harrison, however, does think Kentucky can make it through the cold winter with few problems.

The growing demand for electric energy is good news for Eastern and Western Kentucky. The power punch nationwide will keep the trucks rolling and the men working in the coal fields. Coal mining, the state's major industry, should remain solid in the year ahead.

President elect Jimmy Carter prom ises getting back to work but is a top priority for his administration, but this probably won't have a major impact on Kentucky. Our state's unemployment average has consistently been a couple of points below the national level. That trend will continue in 1977 according to Robert McDonald of the Kentucky Department for Human Resources.

McDonald, an analyst for the state, says Kentucky's unemployment level should remain between five and six per cent. The present average is 5.4 percent.

1977 will be a mixed year for farmers. The Department of Agriculture says beef prices will climb in 1977, but the year won't be kind to dairy and hog farmers.

If you're thinking about buying a home in Kentucky this year, there's good news. Savings and loan associations are starting to pile up money indicating mortgage loan rates could drop.

Industrial production has slowed recently. Retail sales have almost stopped growing, but figures are too

skippy in these areas to predict a clear trend for 1977.

How the new Carter administration tackles the economy will play a significant role in determining what happens to Kentucky's economy in 1977. Carter's designated cabinet is chock with influential members of the American business community.

Even before the cabinet was announced the publisher of the Kentucky Business Leader, Rodney Wenz, said the business leaders with whom he had spoken were clearly optimistic about 1977. "We hope for continued, stable growth," Ashland Oil Vice-President John Hall told me.

"We're expecting growth somewhere in the area of six to ten per cent."

It's likely the state will continue its efforts in 1977 to enter the international business community. Focusing on international commerce, according to state government, is a means to broaden Kentucky's economy.

County Statistics

Quarterly Court

Speeding: George H. Holmes, Aaron Walker Trout, Carmela S. Costa, Shabbot Behrooz, Estill Lunsford, George A. Herrick, Reynold H. Juengel, Freddy J. Hill, Linda Sue Partin. \$10 and cost.
Public Intoxication: Curtis Cawood Horn.
Operating a Motor Vehicle While Under the Influence of Intoxicants: Harold Haney Kidd, [Amended to reckless driving], \$100 and cost.

Marriage License

William Franklin Stewart, 22, Mt. Vernon, Ky., student to Ginger Lee Baker, 21, Lexington, Ky., student.

Deeds Recorded

Ardella Mullins, real property

Banking and bonds

America's Practical Partnership

The nation's banking community is a firm supporter of the U.S. Savings Bonds Program. Thousands of bankers actively volunteer their time and talents to help promote Bonds. Thousands of banks issue Bonds and distribute informational literature about them to their customers. Many sponsor advertising for the Program. The county-level volunteer organizations — the grass-roots Bond sales force — are led primarily by bankers. Many State Savings Bonds Chairmen are bankers.

How did banking and the Bond Program come to be so close? On the surface they make a strange combination — after all, banks offer their own savings plans which would seem to be in direct competition with Savings Bonds.

A look below the surface quickly reveals the reasons why the banking community has been so deeply involved in the Bond Program virtually from the moment of the Program's birth in 1941. First and most obvious, it is to every bank's advantage to encourage saving. Studies have shown that the Series E Bond — through easy, automatic purchases with the Payroll Savings Plan — pick up new savings, money that would not otherwise have been saved, and help establish regular savings habits. The new habit often carries over to bank savings accounts.

Second, by selling Savings Bonds — which almost all commercial banks and many savings banks do — banks increase non-customer traffic. These people then have the opportunity to acquaint themselves with the bank's other services, and often end up becoming regular customers. Too, there is a real increase in community good will toward any institution which promotes a public-service program like Savings Bonds.

Finally — and perhaps most importantly — bankers know that

located in Rockcastle Co. to Edward Allen, tax \$8.50.

Cleis R. and Rosamond E. Brown, real property located in Rockcastle County to Charles D. and Gracie Shelton, tax \$12.50.

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David R. Bales, real property located in Rockcastle County to Elsie Rowe, tax \$50.

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William L. and Katherine Oliver, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to Reuben and Pauline Hammond, tax \$50.00.

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Robert and Norma Danrell, to real property located in Rockcastle Co. to James M. and Wattana Cain, tax \$1.50.

Jesse and Lorene Doan, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to Wilbert and Lena Busst, tax \$15.50.

Virgil and Evelyn Mullins, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to Charles D. and Gracie Shelton, no tax.

R.V. and Dorothy Brock, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to Leon, Darral and Ludy Brock, no tax.

R.V. and Dorothy Brock, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to Cleo, Steve and Debra Brock, no tax.

R.V. and Dorothy Brock, real property located in Rockcastle Co. to Kermit Bowling, Steve Brock, Debra Brock, Judy Gail Bowling, Linda Brock and Robin Bowling, no tax.

"FOREST MAPS" (Cont. From Front)

Forest Supervisor's Office in Winchester, Kentucky and at District headquarters in Morehead, Stanton, Berea, London, Somerset, Whitley City and Big Creek, Kentucky. Maps also may be bought by mail. Checks or money orders should be made payable to Forest Service, USDA.

Wenger's said that other brochures relating to recreation facilities on the Daniel Boone National Forest would be available free of charge.

Savings Bonds make an important contribution to national economic stability by helping to finance the public debt in a relatively low-cost, noninflationary way. By lengthening the average maturity of the privately-held portion of the debt, Savings Bonds reduce the need to refinance the debt and thus save every taxpayer money. The bottom line is a better economic climate for all businesses, including banks.

The banking community, then, has solid support for its support of the Bond Program. What has its contribution been?

The plain fact is that without the cooperation of banks and bankers, the Bond Program, as it has operated for 35 years, could not exist. First and foremost, banks are the principal issuing and redemption agents for Bonds — issuing some 80 percent of all Series E Bonds and handling well over 90 percent of all redemption transactions. This puts the Bond Program squarely in the midst of virtually every community in the nation, an invaluable asset for any sales program.

Bankers actively support the Bond Program in their local communities, in their states, and at the national level. The American Bankers Association Savings Bonds Committee participates in many promotional activities, as it has since the 1940's. W. Liddon McPeters, President of the ABA, says, "We firmly believe that the Bond Program, through its encouragement of saving, is in the best interests of business, banking, and the American people. We will continue to support this worthy endeavor."

What really exists is a partnership; a community of interests between (Cont. to 8)

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APPLICATION FOR SALE OF TELEVISION SIGNAL DIST. SYSTEM

To: Honorable Hubert Thacker and the Honorable Members of the Rockcastle County Fiscal Court.

Gentlemen: Section I. Application is hereby made for a franchise, the same to extend for a period of no longer than 10 years for the privilege of constructing and operating a television signal distribution system including necessary poles and lines upon, and over, the public highways and the road systems of Rockcastle County, and specifically to be seen Livingston and the Burr Hill area of 1 1/2 and one mile on either side of U.S. Highway 25 and Old U.S. Highway 25. The applicant further asks that the successful bidder be allowed to set poles on property belonging to Rockcastle County where it would be necessary to conduct his television signal distribution system.

Section II. The applicant asks that the erection of all poles and lines must be done by qualified personnel and any and all damage resulting from the installation and/or operation of said system shall be born by the owner, the successful bidder.

Section III. The applicant asks that the successful bidder indemnify Rockcastle County to the extent of any liability Rockcastle County may incur as a result of said work.

Section IV. The applicant asks, as provided by Section 164 of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Kentucky and KRS 84.270, that the Rockcastle County Fiscal Court place an advertisement in the Mt. Vernon Signal, the newspapers having greatest circulation in Rockcastle County, for a period of three weeks, the expense to be born by the successful bidder.

Section V. The applicant, Cecil Lewis, agrees, if he is granted said franchise, to start construction of apparatuses necessary to implement the franchise within 6 months after the granting of the said franchise and to have the system in operational condition within a period of 1 year after the granting date.

Section IV. Nothing herein shall prevent private citizens from establishing, constructing, and maintaining their own private T.V. antennas and cables.

Cecil Lewis, Applicant

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Kentucky at Large by Cecil Lewis, this 4th day of January, 1977.

James H. Lambert

My commission expires August 11, 1977.

Real Estate For Sale

HAPPINESS FOR SALE
There's a heap O' happy living offered in this newer 3 bedroom home. The living room is graced by a picture window, giving a view of the hills. One and one half baths complete this home as neat as a pin. Excellent neighborhood in Mt. Vernon. At \$29,500.00.

BRAND NEW AND MIGHTY TEMPTING TOO
This three bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, brick home located in one of Rockcastle's most desirable wooded areas. This is only a complete home offering quality wall to wall carpet throughout. Central air conditioning and heating unit and quality construction throughout. The beautiful kitchen has built-in range, oven and expertly finished oak cabinets. Other features highlighting this fine home - one carport, utility room and large lot. Priced to sell at \$37,900.00.

COZY - FOR A COUPLE
Here is a neat five room brick that would be mighty "cozy" for the couple looking for convenience. Located near town, this home is as neat as a pin. All five rooms are spacious. There is a separate garage and a perfectly level lot. Reduced to only \$24,900.00.

BRAND NEW BEAUTY
Three bedrooms, bath, living room, eat-in kitchen, brick home. Near Mt. Vernon city limits. Can be yours for only \$25,000.00.

GO AHEAD AND FALL IN LOVE!
THIS TIME YOU CAN AFFORD IT!
The owners have loved this home but they are moving. You will know the care it has had as soon as you open the door. Just 6 years old, 3 bedrooms, bath, ranch, kitchen with built-ins, 2 car carport on approximately 3/4 acre near Brodhead. Reduced to \$27,500.00.

A WORKING MAN'S HOME AT A THINKING MAN'S PRICE!
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41 SCENIC ACRES
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RING THE BARGAIN BELL!
100 acres of raw land located only 5 miles from Mt. Vernon. There is coal and timber. Truly a Bargain Bell Ringer at only \$150 per acre.

BEST BUY ON EARTH IS EARTH
27 acres located in Lincoln County, 20 acres cropland and the balance in grass. Improved with a newly improved home through out, barn and other outbuildings, approximately 900 lbs. of tobacco. Only \$22,900.00.

AS TIME GOES ON!
You will be paying more and more rent, so why not buy your home now. This exceptionally nice 3 bedroom home, carpeted throughout and approximately 1 acre of ground. Call for more good buy at \$12,900.00.

IS YOUR EYE ON PROFIT?
Then take a look at this transmission and service station business, 3 bays, lobby area, storage room and 2 restrooms. All equipment necessary for the operation of the business included. Call for more good buy at \$29,000.00.

YOUR "GET STARTED" HOME
Ideal low cost two bedroom home near Mt. Vernon. The house is only 4 years old, is total electric, has storm doors and windows and much more. Could be yours for only \$9,000.00.

OWNER WANTS TO TALK TURKEY
Bring your offer on this beautiful 3 bedrooms, full bath, located near the Mt. Vernon Elementary School. This house has an oil furnace, washer and dryer hook-up. All for \$18,900.00.

WORDS WON'T DO IT - \$48,500. THREE BEDROOMS
Words won't do it on this one. You'll have to see this home yourself to believe and appreciate all the value that goes with it. This beautiful home is only one year old and has the features to compliment a life-style of gracious living. All features are dreamlike. You'll appreciate the home you'll appreciate the decorators touch here. There is central heat and air conditioning. Kitchen has all built-ins, 2 baths, formal dining room, plus too many features to describe.

HANDY MAN SPECIAL
This one-story home needs only a little love of the do-it-over addict. House has 2 bedrooms, wood, tile and kitchen.

KENTUCKY HUNTER WITH LITTLE GOLD
Here's your opportunity to own 100 acres of Kentucky hill land. Located in Lamerco section, some wooded and timber. Financed by seller - only \$18,000.

OR maybe even closer - 125 MILEWAYS TO HEAVEN
Just off the main road offering more privacy. 5 room house in need of repairs. 3 ponds and approximately 1100 pounds of tobacco. Located on Hwy. 490. Remarkable investment property. Reduced to \$26,900.00.

VERY ATTRACTIVE BUY
47.4 acre Farm located in the Waynesburg section of Lincoln County. The farm is improved by a 3 bedroom home with large kitchen and built-in cabinets. Approximately 1500 lbs. of tobacco, 2 ponds and much more all for \$40,000.00.

\$10,900.00

TOTAL CASH PRICE
For this 4 bedroom frame house located at Waynesburg, Ky. House has aluminum siding, good well and is situated on 1/4 acre. In addition to the house, there are 7 outbuildings.

WALK TO TOWN
Living in this 1973 double-wide mobile home on Mill St. in Mt. Vernon, you could do just that. The home has 3 bedrooms, full bath, kitchen with built-in total electric. On a nice lot measuring 50x100. All for \$11,900.00.

BUY THE LOT AND BUILD THE HOME
In this beautiful new subdivision located 1 1/2 miles W. of Mt. Vernon. Spacious lots, city water and restrooms. \$30,000.

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Mobile home or building lots located at Conway, Ky. City water and blacktop road. Only \$1,588.00.

Nine building lots located in the Orlando section of Rockcastle County. Lots have city water and blacktop street. Priced at \$1,500 for quick sale.

SECLUSION
That's what you get with this 24 acre tract of land near Mt. Vernon. Home sites - good spring and only \$150.00 per acre.

WOODLAND
Located just outside Mt. Vernon city limits. 12 acres and city water for \$6,000.

TAKE ONE LOOK!
Just take one peep at this one and you'll be sold. 6 rooms and a bath, storm doors and windows and approximately 1 acre. Priced right at only \$9,500.

THE END OF THE ROAD
Privacy that's what you'll find in this 2 room cottage and 2 acres of land at the end of the road. Electric and telephone service available, wood, barn and 2 wells. All for \$25,000.00.

HAVE A HEART - YOUNG OR OLD
You'll fit in this 1973 Giles Double Wide Mobile Home. There are 2 bedrooms, dining room and kitchen with built-in. The home is total electric has city water, built-in back porch and much more. In addition to the house, there is a new block garage. All for \$12,900.

COUNTRY LIVING
In this 1972 12x60 mobile home located only 5 miles from Mt. Vernon. The mobile home has 3 bedrooms, fuel oil furnace and much more. In addition to the mobile home, there are 3 outbuildings. Can be yours for only \$6,500.

LAKE LIVING
That's what you can have with this beautiful lot on Lake Linville. The lot has city water, electric and phone service and on a blacktop road. Only \$5,000.00.

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1 LB. BOX ZESTA SALTINE CRACKERS **49¢**

Limit (2) With *10¢ Or More Order

COUPON WORTH 50 S&H Green Stamps With the purchase of 1 lb. or more Baked Beans. Exp. 1-12-77

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Big 40 Oz. Jar Glove Kid PEANUT BUTTER **1.59**

16 Oz. COFFEE-MATE **99¢**

Limit (1) With *10¢ Or More Order

24 Oz. Kelly's BEEF STEW **85¢**

Showboat PORK & BEANS 14 1/2 Oz. Can **1.00**

4 For **1.00**

BUSH'S KIDNEY, CHILI HOT, PINTO, NAVY, GREAT NORTHERN BEANS **99¢**

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Special Value! Buy Ivory Liquid 22 Oz. **93¢**

Buy Era 22 Oz. **1.39**

Buy Era 22 Oz. **2.32**

Showboat 14 Oz. Can SPAGHETTI **1.00**

5 For **1.95**

5 Oz. Swift's VIENNA SAUSAGE **1.00**

3 For **1.89**

25 Lb. Bag Robin Hood FLOUR **3.19**

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FOOD FAIR BREAD **1.00**

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15 Oz. Friskies CAT FOOD **99¢**

5 For **1.49**

Friskies PUPPY FOOD **1.49**

5 Lb. Friskies PUPPY FOOD **1.49**

25 Lb. Friskies SAUCE CUBES **4.89**

Swift's POTTED MEATS **89¢**

5 For **99¢**

Swift's 12 Oz. PREM **99¢**

Stokely 303 Size Can FRUIT COCKTAIL **89¢**

2 For **89¢**

Bananas 2 lb. for **35¢**

Stokely 303 Size Can W/K Or Cream Style YELLOW CORN **1.57**

3 For **1.57**

46 Oz. Stokely TOMATO JUICE

2 1/2 SIZE CAN STOKELY PEACHES **1.00**

2 For **1.00**

Limit (2) Cans With *10¢ Or More Order

Stokely 303 Size Can W/K Or Cream Style YELLOW CORN **1.57**

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Around Brodhead

By Marjorie Shivel
758-8317

Mrs. Mary Martin has been released from Rockcastle County Hospital and is improving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Martin were Christmas Eve dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Brown of Mt. Vernon.

New Year's Eve at 6:30, twenty-four friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Machal and family, for a pot luck supper and New Year's Party. A delicious meal was served after which games were played by all. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baldwin, Melanie and Tommy; Bro. and Mrs. Roger, Cindy and Rodney; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Albright; Mr. and Mrs. Clay Colson and David; Mr. and Mrs. David Cash; Mr. and Mrs. John Glovack, Sr.; Mrs. Ella Mae Martin; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shivel and Jennifer; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Brooks. A wonderful evening was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Clarice McFee is a patient in Rockcastle County Hospital.

Mr. Robert DeBorde is a patient in Rockcastle County Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Glovack Sr. were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Glovack and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baldwin, Tommy and Melanie and Mrs. Ellen Brown and Bobby Scott were in Lexington Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Brooks were in Lexington Monday shopping.

Master Joseph Denny spent the last two weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Denny.

Mrs. Ruby Adams spent part of last week visiting relatives in Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Plummer, Roxanna, Maria and Michael of Louisa, Ky. visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Whitl. Worth Ann, David, Sarah and Susan the first of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ish Riddle of Richmond, Indiana and Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Malo of Cincinnati visited their mother, Mrs. Ged Riddle during the holidays.

Mr. Mitchell Bussell is very ill in St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington.

Mr. Hugh McFee, Jr. of Erie, Pa. and Mrs. Ina Parsons of Louisville, are here due to the illness of their mother, Mrs. Clarice McFee, who is a patient in Rockcastle County Hospital.

Mrs. F. Earl Mullins has returned to her home after a nine day trip to Lexington, Fort Thomas, and Corbin, visiting relatives.

Christmas day guests of Mrs. Lula Bussell were all her sons, those there enjoying the delicious dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bussell and Jerry of Sharonville, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. DeAlva Bussell, Teresa, Mary Ann and Barry; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bussell, Kevin and

Keith; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bussell, Angie and J.D., Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Bussell and Christy of Somerset and Mrs. Ruby Adams.

Mr. Joe and Jack Bussell and Mrs. Lula Bussell were in Lexington Saturday to visit Mr. Mitchell Bussell who is a patient in St. Joseph Hospital, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hampton of High Point, Ohio were there to visit him also.

New Year's Day guests of Mrs. Lula Bussell were her sister, Mrs. Bertha Adams; her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore of Sharonville, Ohio, Mr. Joe Bussell of West Carroll, Ohio; Mrs. Janet Hampton, Mr. Jackie Hampton, and Miss Joanie Smith, all of High Point, Ohio.

Quail Quackers

Homemakers Club Meets

The Quail Quackers Homemakers met at the home of Mrs. Hazel Bullock on December 20th for their annual Christmas Party. Several of the members were present. Snow was falling and when we entered the house the sound of Christmas carols echoed through the air. It seemed to give us all the Christmas spirit. The traditional decorations were used throughout the house.

We played several games, then we received Christmas gifts which revealed our secret plans for the past year. Also we drew names for next year. Everyone enjoyed homemade cake with punch.

The next meeting will be held January 17th at 7 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Rodney Purcell.

Willalla

By Arvil Burton

Mrs. Gladys Burton remains ill at her home in Connersville, Indiana.

Those on the sick list in our community are Mr. Irvin Denny, Mrs. Nellie Emerson, Mrs. Susie Cash and Mrs. Zora Burton.

Sympathy is extended to the family of M.J. McMullin. He was well loved and will be missed by his family and friends. A large crowd attended the funeral at Providence Church of Christ, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Ray and family of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bullock and Andy were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Dovie McClure.

Mrs. Mary Todd accidentally fell and broke her leg. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Burton were in Georgia this week to attend the ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Davidson of

Dayton, Ohio visited Mrs. Ora Brown in Somerset, recently.

Mrs. Maggie Herrin has been ill with a cold. She is feeling better and is able to attend church.

Kenneth Todd is ill at his home with the flu. A speedy recovery is wished for him.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Brown of Somerset attended the funeral of M.J. McMullin at Providence, Sunday.

Edward Burton and Arvil Burton visited Mrs. Elva Mobley and Mrs. Elzade Burton, recently.

Mrs. Pauline Burton is on the sick list.

Earl Adams of Danville, Ky. visited Mrs. Ethel Thompson and Cella Thompson, recently.

Lynn and Joan Burton and G.D. Burton attended the funeral of M.J. McMullin.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Zora Burton were Mrs. Willard Davidson of Dayton, Ohio; Edward Burton of Connersville, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Whitaker, G.D. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Burton, Janet Burton, Lynn Burton, Joan Burton, Mrs. Lottie DeBorde, Mrs. Clara Mae Denney and Mrs. Goldie Pittman.

Mrs. Marie Burton was in Mt. Vernon, Saturday to consult a doctor.

Mr. Harrison Pennington were Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Creech.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thompson and sons and Mrs. Thelma Brown were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Brown and family of Harrodsburg, Ky.

Edward Burton visited his uncle, J.M. Burton, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. German Taylor of Brodhead and Mrs. Fannie L. Albright visited Mrs. Zora Burton, Sunday evening.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Burton were Lena Hurst of Louisville, Ky. and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hurst of Indianapolis, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cromer and Darwin of Goshen, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Owens of Mason, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Burton of Loveland, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Burton visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gover, at Bronston, recently.

Mr. Robert Gover is ill at his home. A speedy recovery is wished for him.

Mrs. Mattie Burton visited Mrs. Elva Mobley and Mrs. Elzade Burton, recently.

Down On The Farm

BY ROY G. BROWN
ASSISTANT VICE PRESIDENT
CUMBERLAND PCA

While we have a blanket of snow on the ground, about all we can do is feed,

Square Dancing To

"My Old Kentucky Home?"

"Weep no more my lady Do-si-do and promenade."

Stephen Foster's "My Old Kentucky Home?" Not exactly. It's a "Gold record" arrangement recorded in Nashville and produced by Kentucky's Department of Parks to promote a successful recreation program. Square dancing has become so popular in Kentucky's state parks that 300,000 to 400,000 people take part in the activity each summer.

For Carl Stout, recreation division director in the Department of Parks, the square dance program is an ideal way to promote tourism by providing people with wholesome recreation and a means of family involvement.

The record, including an original square dance tune by the division's Ed Henson and Ken Frye, a traditional Bluegrass square dance tune and two arrangements—one with music and one with added square dance calls—of "My Old Kentucky Home" is a teaching and promotional instrument.

According to Henson, a recreation specialist, who along with fellow staff members Frye and Steve Kickert and Glasgow banjo player Arthur Hatfield, recorded the record, "So many people who took part in the square dance

instruction at the parks wanted to learn more about square dancing that the group decided to record some of the dances."

Copies of the record, which comes with printed dance instructions to four of the most popular dances taught in the parks and the square dance version of "My Old Kentucky Home," will be available in the parks' gift shops for \$1.

Stout is enthusiastic about the record and about his staff. "We have the talent and the expertise to produce this record. This speaks well for the type of people we've hired," Henson, Frye and Hatfield have recorded a previous record.

The staff's creativity and imagination," Stout said, "serves as a center point for promoting involvement in the parks' programs. Some of the park programs are intended for individual participation, but the square dance program brings families together. Families don't tend to do much together anymore."

By this summer Henson and his group hope to have ready an extensive publication containing instructions for many more dances.

comfort and every other gracious act, we say a very humble and heartfelt, "Thank You."

'The Family of John Mobley



Dana Alan Shatto celebrated his second birthday December 9th. Dana Alan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Shatto of Holder, Florida. His maternal grandparents are Walter Renner and Edna Hanel of Mt. Vernon. Paternal grandmother is Mrs. Clara Shatto of Boise, Idaho.



Angela Darlene Kirby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Kirby of Warner Robbins, Georgia and formerly of Mt. Vernon, celebrated her first birthday, December 19th at her home. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mason of Orlando, Ky. and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mink of Rt. 1, Mt. Vernon.



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We would like to express our appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown us during our recent loss. To the staff of Sowder Nursing Home and the Rockcastle County Hospital and to Dr. Arvin, for their splendid work; to Watson Funeral Home for their help; to our dear friends, Roy and Flora Mae Brown for opening their home to our relatives and to our many wonderful friends who sent flowers and provided us with food.

Our thanks also to Bro. Hugh Thomas for his participation in the funeral services.

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Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brown of Mt. Vernon announce the engagement of their daughter, Debra Lynn, to John Patrick Hall, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Hall of Rt. 1, Watauga, Tennessee. Miss Brown is a junior and Mr. Hall is a senior at Kentucky Christian College at Grayson, Ky. The wedding will be an event of Friday, June 10, 1977 at the White House, Lexington.

Personals

By Mrs. George Burton

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Potter and children of Lexington visited her aunts Mrs. Lona Logsdon, Mrs. Virgil Brock and Mrs. Robert Kirby last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Burton and Mrs. Harris Burton visited Mr. and Mrs. George Burton last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Cecilia Jones has returned home from the Central Baptist Hospital at Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burton, Mrs. Bennett Burton and Sheila were in Somerset last Thursday.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mr. Roy Green, 3014 Blackburn, Mrs. Pearl Hysinger, Mr. M. J. McMullin and Mrs. Gene Gentry in their sorrow.

David L. Henderson, of Dayton, Ohio, visited his mother Mrs. Lona Logsdon Saturday.

Mrs. Jimmy Sebree and children of Columbus, Ohio visited Mrs. Bennett Burton and Sheila Tuesday.

Mrs. Hazel Cummins has been on the sick list. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sears of Covington visited Mrs. Hazel Cummins during the weekend.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Burton were Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Owens of Route 3, Somerset.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Owens and

Michelle, Mrs. Gail Sanders, Billy and Betty, Mr. and Mrs. John Peters, Patty, Phyllis and Perry, Mr. and Mrs. James Cobb and Chris. The day was enjoyed by all, having all the children and grandchildren and great grandchildren there was wonderful. The log cabin had the Christmas tree in it and was decorated, also gifts were exchanged. Thank God for our wonderful Christmas.

Fairview

By Mrs. Hubert Chasteen

Due to snow and icy roads Sunday School attendance at Fairview was down to 77 the first Sunday of the new year, of 1977. A few more people came in for worship services. We've had some bad wintery weather so far this fall and winter with more snow than we've had the past few years. But God knows best and we take whatever He sends. But we can be assured of one thing, after every winter comes springtime. So let's try to stay warm and be happy and thank God for the many blessings of life and for our health. And we must continue to pray for our sick and shut-in friends and the broken-hearted and bereaved families around about us.

New 14 like to correct some misprints in the Signal last week.

Along with Rev. Ray Dean's sons for Christmas dinner at his home were also his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Wilcox of Winchester and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cummins and daughter Dreama of Boone, and Wayne Chasteen was in Detroit, Michigan recently on a business trip. And Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Alexander spent the Christmas holidays in Evans, Ky. with her mother, Mrs. Christine Napier and family.

Sympathy is extended to the families of Mr. Henry Gadd of Berea who passed away Monday of last week and Mr. Burgess Hale, also of Berea, who died Dec. 30th after suffering a heart attack. May God comfort their loved ones in this time of sorrow.

Perfect attendance Sunday School pins for the past year were awarded Sunday Jan. 2nd to the following: one year pins - Melora Wren, Faney Anderkin, Cheryl Viars, Dreama Cummins and Nancy Pickle. There were no two year pins. Three Year Pins - Mrs. Clifflene Staggs and Preston Anderkin.

Four Years - Michael Pickle, Mrs. Gladys Jose, Joyce Cain and Carl Cain. Five Years - Vince Poynter, Gustava Peters, Kenny Pickles, Judy Cain, Cleus Peters, Shirley Poynter, Bill Burdine, Flossie Burdine and Carl Lee Cain. Six Years - Robin Bowman and Jimmy Cummins. Seven Years - Gary Pickle, Jerri Wren, Rev. Ray Dean and Sherwood Pickle. Eight Years - Susan Pickle, Kithy Pickle, Brenda Gentry and Lee H. (Buddy) Gabbard. No nine year pins. Ten Years - Loyd Pickle. Eleven Year Pins - Wesley Lambert. We are all very proud of these 32 members who attended Sunday School last year and hope they and some more of us can do the same this year.

Mrs. Willard (Louise) Todd was admitted to the Berea Hospital Friday of last week. Please continue to pray for her. Bless her heart.

A birthday dinner honoring Jennifer and Loyd Pickle was given by Jennifer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Isaacs at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Pickle of Snider on New Year's Day. Present were members of the Pickle family, the Isaac family and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Pickle of Berea.

Mrs. Alice Davidson of Kewanee, Illinois returned home Sunday following a week's vacation here with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cope and Buddy.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Chasteen enjoyed a very delicious dinner at the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Church on New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Finnell of Berea visited her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Stephens of Rockford Sunday afternoon. They later visited Mrs. Louise Todd in the Berea Hospital.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Pickle and family were Sgt. and Mrs. Ernest M. Lundy, Melissa and Jennifer, and Sgt. and Mrs. J.B. Jackson all of Ellsworth Air Force Base, Rapid City, South Dakota. Sgt. Lunoy is Mrs. Pickle's nephew.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ballinger and family of Berea visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cope Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Chasteen visited Mrs. Louise Todd in the hospital Sunday afternoon. May God bless her and the family in my prayer.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Pickle and family were their son, Lonnie and Mrs. Pickle of Berea and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Isaacs, Jennifer and Carol of Wildie.

Please remember church and Sunday School. The good Lord has blessed us to see another New Year, so let's honor Him by attending worship services every time we can. He has been

so good to us down through the years. I hope each one of you wherever you are, a New Year filled with love, joy and happiness. And let's all of us make Jesus Lord of our life, first in everything we do. God bless you all.

Home Line

BY CHERYL WITT COUNTY EXTENSION AGENT FOR HOME ECONOMICS



FOOD TALK

Canned Meats. Why do some canned meats need refrigeration? Because they have not been fully processed. If large cured pieces of meat such as hams and pork shoulders were fully processed so as to no longer need refrigeration, they would be mushy-textured.

So put into your refrigerator right away any canned meat products that you buy from the refrigerated section of your grocery. Check the expiration date on the can, put there to insure a safe product under recommended storage conditions. (You can usually store these canned meats safely for longer than 6 months.) Once you open the can, use within a few days, just the way you would any cooked meat.

Always refrigerate unused portions of canned food, getting them into the refrigerator no longer than 2 hours after the most after opening. In most cases, it's okay to store food in the can. Cover it with a snug wrapping to keep the smell and flavor from wandering, and also to keep the food from drying out.

To avoid a tummy ache from developing in acid foods such as citrus fruit juices, and tomatoes, pour these into other refrigerator containers after opening. That tummy tangle isn't harmful, but why let it happen.

Store other canned foods in a dry place at moderately cool temperatures. Most air can cause rusting and decomposition of the can or metal jar lids and result in leakage which means the food is no longer safe to eat. It's best to use canned foods up within a year.

If your canned foods are stored in too-cool a place and freeze, one time shouldn't hurt the eating quality, as long as the seal is still tight; and there is no leakage or breakage. But find a better place to store them.

Even when there is a slight breakdown of texture from freezing, heating usually restores the original consistency of the canned food.

Chemical changes due to storage in too-warm a place won't affect the eating safety of your home or commercially canned foods, but color, taste and nutritive value will start to deteriorate. Chemical changes caused by

Nine Rockcastle Countians Named In Heart Fund Drive

Nine appointments to leadership positions in the 1977 Rockcastle County Heart Fund drive have been announced by the state campaign chairman,

enzymes happen in food all the time, before, during and after processing. The high heat of the canning procedure inactivates enzymes and drastically slows down chemical reactions, but it doesn't stop the enzymes completely. This is why even though canned foods will keep much longer than a year as far as being safe to eat, nutritionists recommended using up these foods within a reasonable period of time.

Attorney General Robert F. Stephens of Frankfort. They are: Miss Mary (Mollie) Hamm, Mt. Vernon, as County Heart Fund Chairman; Cleston Saylor, Brodhead, County High School Chairman; Raymond Anderson, Brodhead, County Heart Fund Treasurer; Mrs. Onna Kaye Owens, Brodhead, Brodhead Business Gifts Chairman; Big Towary, Jr., Mt. Vernon, Brodhead School Chairman; Jerry Mink, Livingston, Livingston School Chairman; Mrs. Carol Jean Hamm, Mt. Vernon, Mt. Vernon Business Gifts Chairman; Buford Parkerson, Mt. Vernon, Mt. Vernon Elementary School Chairman and Tom Fawcett, Jr., Mt. Vernon, Roundstone School Chairman.

The month-long Heart Fund appeal will be launched Wednesday, February 2, with Coffee Day. The house-to-house solicitation will be conducted on Heart Sunday, February 27.

Robert F. Stephens urged full support of the 1977 appeal, noting that 50,000 Kentuckians suffer from heart disease and that 57 percent of all known causes of death in the Commonwealth are due to heart and blood vessel diseases.

He also announced that Mrs. William Norton, Mt. Vernon, will continue to serve as the year-round Memorial Gifts Chairman for Heart in Rockcastle County.

A new high total of \$812,512.90 was contributed last year to the Heart Fund in Kentucky, Stephens said.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by the Bureau of Highways, at its office, Frankfort, Kentucky until 10:00 a.m. Eastern Standard Time on the 20th day of January, 1977, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read for the improvement of: Mowing Group 30 (1977) Rockcastle Co., MP 102-0075-51-74. The Tennessee State Line- Lexington Road (I 75) from the Laurel County Line (MP 73.408) to the Madison County Line (MP 73.408) a distance of 22.641 miles. (Prequalification requirements will be waived on this project.)

The Bureau of Highways hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color or national origin in consideration for an award.

Bid proposals for all projects will be available until 8:00 a.m. Eastern Standard Time, Thursday, January 20, 1977, at the Division of Contract Procurement. Bid proposals for all projects will be available at a cost of \$2 each and remittance payable to State Treasurer of Kentucky must accompany request for proposals (non-refundable). Bid proposals issued only to prequalified contractors.

Specimen Proposals for all projects will be available to all interested parties at a cost of \$2 each (non-refundable). Specimen Proposals cannot be used for bidding.

INTERIOR DECORATING BY MAIL

With the holiday season at an end, many of us get the "winter blues." Perhaps you would like something new to redo some of your home surroundings, surroundings.

The Rockcastle County Extension Service is offering a special correspondence course entitled: "Interior Decorations." This special program was designed for anyone interested in interior decoration by Extension Home agents.

The six week course is being offered free of charge to any interested person. Registrations are now being accepted at the Rockcastle County Extension office. Deadline for registration is January 28, 1977. The first lesson will be mailed during the first week of February.

To register call 256-2403 or stop by the Rockcastle County Extension office in the courthouse or drop a card to Box 287, Mt. Vernon giving your name and mailing address.

Ottawa

By Della Mae Wilmoth

Miss Kathy Lawrence spent Thursday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lawrence and Mark.

Much sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Myamie Gentry who was laid to rest at Ottawa Cemetery, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Robbins and family of Rockford, Illinois visited Mr. and Mrs. Buel Robbins over the holiday.

Mr. Michael Robbins and Brenda Gholson visited relatives in Ohio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Shepherd of Westchester, Ohio spent the holiday at their mobile home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lawrence visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hasty in Brodhead one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ray spent Tuesday night with Della Mae Wilmoth. They were enroute to Dayton, Ohio from Florida, on their honey moon.

Livingston

Lance Cpt. and Mrs. Terry L. Ponder of Albany, Georgia have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ponder of Livingston over the holidays.

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By SAM FORD

REALTOR

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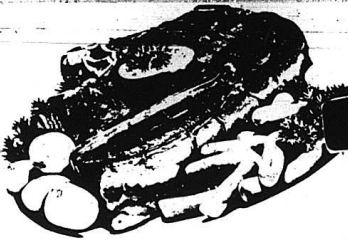
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Winter Weekend For Artists

By Helen Price Stacy

What better way to start the new year than by planning a leisurely weekend get-together with friends in one of Kentucky's most beautiful and comfortable state parks. The Sixth Annual Winter Weekend for Artists and Photographers is for January 28 and 29 at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park near Prestonsburg.

Registration for this popular event will start at 4 p.m. Friday (January 28) and planned programs begin at 8 p.m. Appearing on the Friday evening program will be Donna Walker of Irvine and Al Cornett of Slade. Ms. Walker, graduate of Famous Artist School and recent winner of first, second and third place in pastels at the Blue Grass Fair, will demonstrate painting with pastels. Al Cornett, Kentucky Heritage Artist, will present a slide program on "How I See the Subject." Cornett is well known for his woodland and gorge scenes painted in pastels and oils.

At 10 a.m. Saturday, Jim Thompson, director of photography for Ashland Oil, Inc., Ashland, will speak about his art medium and later lead field trips in the park to demonstrate his photography technique.

At 11:30 a.m. Saturday judging of art and photography in various categories will begin. All photos and art work must be assembled before this time in order to qualify for judging, according to Nellie Meadows, artist of Clay City and director of the program.

Lexington artist Harold Collins, who studies at the Art School of Chicago and Boston Museum School of Art, will speak at 2 p.m. Saturday and demonstrate his use of pencil and charcoal, watercolor and ink. Collins is a Kentucky Heritage Artist.

At the Saturday dinner at 7 p.m. winners in art and photography will be announced and honored. The speaker will be William T. Williams of Owensboro, professor of art at Kentucky Wesleyan College and director of publications of Communication Art Productions, publisher of the new magazine, "Kentucky Artist & Craftsman." Williams, member of the Society of North American Artists, will demonstrate his tempera wash technique.

The following rules and categories will apply to art: All pictures must be original and framed. Ribbons will go to first, second and third place winners in all categories of classes. Grand winner will receive a rosette.

Classifications are: **Painting-1.** Objective oil, landscape and seascape and still life; **2.** Objective acrylic; **3.** Objective watercolor, landscape and seascape, still life and animals, flowers and birds; **4.** Objective portraits, any medium; **1.** Non-objective oils; **2.** Non-objective acrylics; **3.** Non-objective watercolors.

Drawing-1. Objective Pastel; **2.** Objective pencil; **3.** Objective charcoal; **4.** Objective ink; **1.** Non-objective pastel; **2.** Non-objective pencil; **3.** Non-objective charcoal; **Non-objective ink.**

Miniature-Oil. Paintings not falling within any of the mentioned categories will be judged in a category-listed "Miscellaneous." Any painting entered for judging must have been painted by the exhibiting artist and all paintings must stay on exhibit in the judging area until 4:30 p.m. Saturday.

Rules for entry in photography judging must be strictly observed, according to Robert Powell of Frankfort, Jim Mellon and Dr. Z.S. Gierlach of Lexington.

A. Categories for entries: 1. People (portraits, character study, reportage, groups); 2. Pictorial (landscape, still life, etc.); 3. Creative (including experiments); 4. Animals/Birds (domestic wild); 5. Sports (animals/people or animals and people); 6. Miscellaneous (anything which cannot fit into any other category).

B. Category designation: 1. Photographer is responsible for designating category in which each entry is to be judged; Category designations will be placed on front of each entry and readily visible to judges; 3. Entries not properly designated will be judged; 4. Designate category by name.

C. Entries: 1. Each photographer is limited to four pieces; 2. Medium: color or black and white; 3. Size including mat: 11" x 14" maximum; 4. Presentation, all entries must be mounted on heavy matboard, and framed entries Will Not be acceptable for display or competition.

For further information in art exhibit, contact Nellie Meadows, Clay City, Kentucky, Phone 696-663-2264 or Helen Price Stacy, West Liberty, Phone 696-47399. For information in photography, contact Robert A. Powell, 412 Winston Way, Frankfort, phone 502-223-5742. For park information contact 608-886-2711 or recreation director Ted Hall. Others assisting with the weekend are Mr. and Mrs. Russell McLanahan, Irvine.

Kentucky Afield

By John Wilson

The winter fisherman has two goals: catching and keeping. The latter is (although not necessarily in that order). Keeping warm is a lot easier than it used to be, thanks to such marvels as electrically heated socks and very efficient insulated clothing. But still, that breeze that felt so good last July as you motored down the lake now drops the chill factor well below zero, encouraging more fishing and less boat riding.

But those brave and dedicated (or maybe just a little bit crazy) winter fishermen do catch fish, even under conditions that look downright impossible. In fact, there's a group of anglers sitting around right now wishing for muddy water, with maybe a good dark overcast sky for good measure.

These are the jig fishermen, who like nothing better than exploring shoreline cover areas for black bass. Using a stout cane or fiberglass pole with a short length of line with a job nightrawler on the business end, the jig fisherman can often come back to the dock with a limit of bass, some of them big enough to make a person forget about the cold.

Although you won't get a jig fisherman to admit it, I suspect that a large part of the appeal of this angling style is that one can wear gloves or even mittens while jig fishing.

You have to have at least one bare hand for cast, but this doesn't matter those anglers who like to cast the areas where clear streams flow into a muddy lake or river. Bass and sometimes catfish or bluegill will congregate in these areas, waiting for food to be washed down the feeder stream, and the angler is only too happy to oblige with a live nightcrawler.

Winter crappie fishing also has its devotees, usually anglers who know a particular lake well enough to locate the deep submerged cover where crappie school during cold weather. It isn't unusual to see a crappie fisherman breaking his way out of an ice-in-bay to reach the open water of the main lake.

For all cold weather angling, think small and slow. Fish are cold-blooded and their food intake and amount of activity are tied closely to the temperature of their surroundings.

In cold water, most fish are operating at about half throttle. They don't need much food and they don't want to go chasing after it. So fish small lures or natural baits and fish them slowly.

And speaking of slowing down, that's exactly what the human body does when it is exposed to cold water. So be extremely careful on winter fishing trips. A dunking that would be something to laugh about in the summer can be deadly when the water temperature is below 60 degrees.

Even a strong swimmer can't last more than a few minutes in cold water, so be sure to wear a life jacket while on the water. A change of clothing and matches in a waterproof container should also be aboard, and remember that the lakes will be almost deserted, so you can't rely on passing boaters for help if you get into trouble.

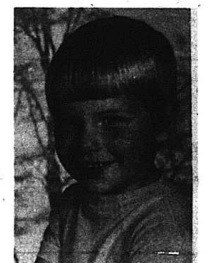
In other words, use a few extra precautions and some common sense, and winter fishing trips can be both enjoyable and productive. And one more thing—don't forget to buy your 1977 fishing license.

QUAIL QUACKERS 4-H CLUB NEWS

By Barry Hurst

The Quail Quackers 4-H Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Taylor on December 2nd. We practiced on our club art for the area 4-H Show. On December 4th we traveled to London to compete with other boys and girls in the Club Art Division of the area which included seven counties. We are happy to be the alternate winners in this area.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank our leaders Christine Taylor and Jenny Lee Hansel for all their help in the past year. Also we thank our parents for their support.



CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY—David Lee Eaton, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. David Eaton of Mt. Vernon, celebrated his fourth birthday January 2, 1977. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Eaton of Mt. Vernon. Maternal grandparents are Mrs. Wanda Hopkins of Rt. 1, Brodhead and Arthur McGargue of Greenwood, Indiana. David, Jr.'s paternal grandfather, John Eaton, also celebrated his birthday January 2nd.

County Agent's Notes

BY H. LEE DURHAM
COUNTY EXTENSION AGENT
FOR AGRICULTURE

CARE OF HOLIDAY PLANTS
Did you have a Christmas plant in your home this holiday season? Certain plants have become part of the holiday tradition. With proper care, these plants can provide extra weeks of beauty and enjoyment.

Poinsettias are the most popular and traditional of the Christmas plants. Red is the favorite color, but there are other varieties available, including white, pink and a combination of pink, white and yellow.

Other popular Christmas plants include the azalea, Christmas cherry, glorioxia, and Christmas begonia.

The ideal temperature for the poinsettia is about 65 degrees. The plant should be kept out of drafts and away from doors opening to the outside. It should be kept in bright light and never allowed to wilt. If the surface of the soil in the pot starts to change color, put some water on.

There are some modern varieties, such as Ekepoints C-1, which you can have in the house in April with the flowers still on.

Trying to make Poinsettia reflower is not recommended. There are too many problems in reflowering. That is a job for professionals.

The azalea needs a temperature of around 60 degrees. Therefore it should be placed in one of the cooler places in the home, away from heat registers. It also needs to be by a window. The azalea is very hard to reflower as a potted plant indoors. However, garden varieties are available which can be planted outdoors in the spring. Ask the producer or seller of the plant if it is a garden variety.

The Christmas cherry, also known as the Jerusalem cherry, is a plant most people find easy to keep. The ideal temperature for this plant is 50-60 degrees, and it should be kept in front of a bright window. This plant can be grown outdoors by taking a cutting, putting it in a glass of water to root, and then setting it outdoors. The new plant will produce cherries outdoors. It is a hardy plant which can withstand cold weather.

The glorioxia is in the same family as the African violet. It has bell-type flowers in reds, blues, whites and pinks. It needs a temperature of about 70 degrees and should not get direct sunlight.

The Christmas begonia should have a temperature of 65-70 degrees. Christmas plants should be kept out of the reach of small children. The leaves of many of these plants, including the poinsettia, are somewhat toxic, and would be harmful if swallowed.

GET BEEF COWS READY FOR SPRING CALVING SEASON
Now is the time to get your beef cow herd ready for the spring calving season. That reminder comes from Russell BreDahl, Extension beef cattle specialist



at the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture.

Cows should be fed enough to gain slightly during the last 60 days before calving. Supplemental vitamin A should be fed during the winter, and low-level feeding of magnesium oxide is advisable in Kentucky as protection against grass tetany.

A clean grass pasture is an ideal place for a calf to be born. Kentucky winter weather is seldom severe enough to be harmful to even newborn calves. Filthy barns and lots with high concentrations of cattle are responsible for far more calf losses than cold weather.

Keep the concentration of cattle on the calving pasture as low as possible by separating cows that will calve in the spring from fall-calving cows and stocker cattle. Ideally, the calving pasture should be located close to shelter and restraint facilities, in case some cows require assistance at calving.

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