

"AVERAGE PRODUCTIVITY"
USED FOR 1972 PROGRAMS

"Average productivity" will again be a governing provision on set-aside acreage for the 1972 voluntary, feed grain, and cotton-set-aside programs, according to Paul Fuqua, Chairman of the Kentucky ASC Committee.

Farmers who sign up during February 3 - March 10 in these programs will agree to set aside part of the production of cropland on their farms as a qualifying condition for program participation.

Purpose of this set-aside is to help control production of agricultural crops beyond what can be marketed at fair prices to farmers, said Mr. Fuqua.

For the 1972 set-aside farm programs to be effective, the average productivity rule needs to be closely followed, he said. Land put into set-aside acreage is to have a productive capacity at least equal to the land on which program crops are being grown or would have been grown in the current year.

"It's no secret that U.S. farmers can produce more crops than can be readily used. Set-aside helps cut back on this potential for excess crop production. But the set-aside program can work effectively only if adequate quality cropland is designated for set-aside acreage," the ASC Committee Chairman said.

He added, "The average productivity rule will be in effect for all set-aside acreage, both the qualifying percentage needed for program participation and voluntary set-aside which may be made under the wheat and feed grain program."

Under the set-aside concept in farm programs, after a participant makes his set-aside and maintains his conserving base, he may plant his remaining cropland to anything he wishes, except for those crops under marketing quotas voted by producers. This puts more decision-making in the hands of farmers than did the crop-by-crop restraints of past programs, the ASC Committee Chairman said.

With set-aside programs now entering their second year under the three-year Agricultural Act of some of the effects of this new decision-making by farmers can already be seen, according to Mr. Fuqua.

County Agent's Notes

By H. Lee Durham

Hybrid Seed Makes It Pay to Grow Pickles

As pickle acreage contract time for the 1972 season is upon us it might be well to review the earnings potential by looking at the 1971 facts. The average yield of \$2,000 per acre barrier was broken by 9 growers raising 3.3 acres of pickles and earning \$7,553.95 at an average of 2,218.00 per acre. The Champion Grower made \$1,385.52 on a 1/2 acre - equal to \$2,771.04 on an acre basis.

There were 239 growers who broke the \$1,000-acre barrier and who average \$1,230.80 per acre.

83 acres of cucumbers were grown under contract to Hirsch Brothers and Company, pickle processors, in 1971 and \$25,081.85 was paid to growers. Some of the top producers received as much as \$1,266.24 for one acre and \$1,000.08 for one-half acre. Cucumbers sold for \$9.00 per 100 pounds for number one; \$5.50 for number two; \$3.00 for number three and \$2.00 for number four.

The \$ per acre returns for all growers has increased 86% since we began to use hybrids four years ago.

Since we started using hybrid seed four years ago, the yield per acre has increased 76% to an average of 218 bushels to the acre while the leading growers produce 700 to 800 bushels to the acre. From questionnaire sent to the leading growers, we find their high yields are caused by the following factors:

- a) well drained land, deep-ly plowed and well disked to form a fine seed bed, b) pickle patch planted on ground prepared for tobacco, and/or c) land was matted, and/or d) use of 1,000 pounds of 5-20-20, e) thorough harvest three times a week, f) some growers applied a second spray dressing 10 days to two weeks after the first, g) good supply of bees.

The University of Kentucky Agricultural Extension Service cites the following advantages to growing pickles: a) guaranteed market, high dollar earnings; guaranteed prices; quick cash crop (12-13 weeks from planting to end of harvest)

planting is normally completed between 1st and 10th of May, picking starts around July 1, and normally ends after the first week in August; good family project; most labor takes place at a date which doesn't interfere with other crops such as corn and tobacco; grower is paid at time of delivery to the receiving station; no special machinery or equipment is required; out of pocket expense is small; income is received when other crops are not ready for sale; income is easy to grow; you don't have to be a big farmer to get a contract; acreage is not government controlled.

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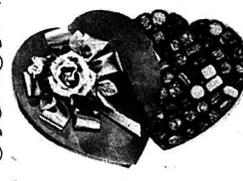
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People who are 65 and haven't already signed up for the medical insurance part of Medicare may enroll now through March 31 at any social security office. The medical part of Medicare helps pay the doctor bills for people 65 and over. "Almost everyone 65 and over is eligible," according to a social security spokesman here. "Most people who didn't sign up in their original enrollment period can sign up now," he said.

The medical insurance program is the voluntary part of Medicare. People who enroll in it are required to pay monthly premiums that are matched by the Federal Government. It supplements Medicare hospital insurance, which is funded by social security contributions by workers, employers, and the self-employed and helps pay the hospital bills of people 65 and over.

"You have 7 months to sign up for the medical insurance part of Medicare the first time after you're 65," said "You can sign up during the 3 months before you're 65, during the month you reach 65, or during the 3 months after you're 65. But if you wish to have the protection beginning with the month you're 65, you must apply during the 3-month period before you're 65.

"Within 3 years after the end of your first enrollment period, you can still sign up in any January, February, or March," he said. "If you enroll then and cancel, you're eligible to re-enroll only once. And you pay a higher premium if you sign up after your first enrollment period."

Nine out of 10 people 65 and over are in the medical insurance part of Medicare. Last year the program paid \$2 billion in benefits on behalf of 9 1/2 million people.

Medicare is administered by the Social Security Administration of the U. S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

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BOWLING REPORT

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First place, Rockers, 57-27; second place, Outer Dues.

FOR SALE

97 acre farm located on the Mullins Station Road. This farm has a good combination, stock and tobacco barn, 765 pound tobacco allotment, 20-25 acres tillable land, a beautiful supply of water for stock. In addition, there's storm doors and windows, and a coal furnace. Reduced to sell at \$13,500.

Modern country home, located on the edge of Lincoln County near Rockcastle County. This lovely five-room home with double-car garage has aluminum siding, storm doors and windows, fuel oil heat, completely built-in kitchen, carpet and paneling throughout. It sits on a large lot measuring over one acre in size with large garden space and pond. There is a blacktop road with mail and school bus service at front door. Owners are moving to another county and this property is priced to sell at \$12,000.

250 acre farm located in the Copper Creek section of Rockcastle and Lincoln Counties. This farm offers 2226 pound tobacco allotment, good stand of timber, beautiful water supply, and approximately 150 acres in grass.

Modern four-bedroom house located on a beautiful shaded lot in Mt. Vernon. This fine house has oil steam heat, tile floors, kitchen cabinets, bath, city water and sewer, and a full basement, and a garage.

10 acres of wood-land with four room house located at Five Hill. A good buy at \$13,500.

Nice five room house located on Town Hill. Complete with three bedrooms, good lot, city water and sewer, bath, and a large front porch. Owner will trade to small farm. Priced at \$6,500.

Good six room house located on beautiful Lake Linville. This house has aluminum siding, storm doors and windows, bath, large front porch, city water, and is situated on a 80 x 180' lot. A good buy at \$10,000.

Good five room frame house located on West Street in Broedhead, Ky. This house is situated on an acre lot with ample space for a garden or even another building lot. It is heated by a gas furnace. City water and sewer are both available at the property. Reasonably priced at \$7500.

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 I wish to express our appreciation to all our friends and neighbors for their kindness and thoughtfulness during the illness and death of our loved one, Lottie Cameron.

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IN MEMORY
 Of our dear parents, Henry and Julia Watkins. Father was called home August 26, 1958, Mother, was called January 16, 1950.

Time has come and time has gone but the emptiness in our hearts can never be filled. The wonderful precious memories of you both will always be in our lives. God knows the heart aches and loneliness we feel, we miss the smiles you could always give. Here we mourn, but not in vain, because Heaven has been your gain. Our last good-bye here were spoken, but some day it will be good morning up there.

Sadly Missed by Children
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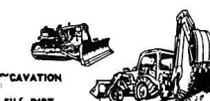
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erty and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Daugherty.

"DEDUCTIONS"
(Cont. From Front)

which can be difficult. Computing interest paid during the year is quite simple, if the taxpayer retains bills and receipts, Mr. Banger says, inasmuch as the Irish-birding laws now require notification in most cases of the rate

of interest charged.

In filing returns, a distinction should be made between interest resulting from non-business transactions and that paid for income-producing purposes. The latter should be deducted from the income that resulted from such activities, a deduction that can be taken even if one uses the standard personal deduction.

As with taxes, only interest payments for which the taxpayer, himself, was obligated may be deducted.

CONG. TIM LEE

Carter Comments

Congressman Tim Lee Carter, Fifth District of Kentucky, today, commented on the President's recent announcement on U.S. policy in Vietnam, which included an eight-point plan for peace that has been the basis of a top-secret effort to end the war in Vietnam.

In his disclosure, the President stated that the United States has formally offered to "agree to a deadline for the withdrawal of all American forces in exchange for the release of all prisoners-of-war and a ceasefire."

"In addition," stated the Representative of Kentucky, "there was a call for the establishment of a withdrawal date and a plan for holding a new presidential election in South Vietnam."

"Officials at the White House said that the plan for peace would mean an end to all United States military activity in Indochina, including bombing by planes based on carriers in the South China Sea."

Dr. Carter continued, "As you know, I have always opposed our entrance into the war in Vietnam. Our nation will not soon recover from the great losses we have suffered in terms of dollars, national resources, and diminishing confidence our government. But needless to say, completely irrevocable are the many lives lost in the jungles of that tragic conflict."

"I have always supported any effective effort to disengage this nation from the war in Southeast Asia, and to see the return of our prisoners-of-war."

"I believe," explained the Fifth District Representative, "that most Americans were pleased that the President presented his eight-point program, and in my opinion, he acted wisely in making his proposals public. The President represents major change in the negotiating position of the United States, and we shall continue to hope and pray that the leaders of North Vietnam will soon agree to settlement terms, and bring about a lasting peace."

"Many problems remain regarding the political future of South Vietnam and all Indochina. The President, however, has made a great step forward in his plan for holding new elections in South Vietnam with supervision by neutral nations. I support this and most of the other points of his proposal."

Congressman Carter concluded, "The war has our nation torn apart by a conflict on the other side of the world. It is my hope—and the hope of the American people—that the day will soon come when the war in Southeast Asia may be a closed chapter in the history of our great country."

HUNTING & FISHING

Those Kentuckians who are reluctant to put into storage their favorite shotguns can take heart. You still have Feb. 28 to get in a bit of hunting.

While the quail and rabbit seasons end Jan. 31 and since the waterfowl seasons, too, are over, the hunter may be a bit lonesome. Yet he still may engage in some of the trickiest, yet most exciting shooting of the entire season—that is, if he wishes to seek out the ruffed grouse in the extreme eastern section of the state.

There are approximately 30 counties in this tier where the grouse, that wily, rough and nervous mountain bird may be found. In other sections, this species is practically non-existent now, although about the turn of the century they were plentiful in all parts of the commonwealth.

A change in the forests played havoc with this fine bird. The grouse biologists will tell you, obtain its principal food from the small nuts and grapes and berries and the succulent buds on the twigs of the forest and woodlands and with the encroachment of civilization.

The grouse, like many other species of wildlife, just doesn't get along very well with civilization.

But in Eastern Kentucky, this deceptive bird was given a second chance. After the wooded sections were cut over, new saplings and grasses, vines and berries emerged within a few years and furnished not only sufficient food but also ample cover, which the grouse demands.

The change started taking place 25 to 30 years ago in the mountain region and the grouse, like many species of wildlife, bounced back in the suitable surroundings. Now huntable populations are available in the hill country.

Another factor affecting the return of the Eastern Kentucky grouse, experts believe, was the outmigration of residents of these sections. In many mountain hollow areas had eked out vegetable and cash crops by cultivating their bottom lands. But when other sources of income were cut off the families were unable to subsist on what they could glean from the land and were forced to move away.

Within a few years these once-cultivated areas became thick with grasses, vines and berries and the grouse returned in fine cover for the grouse. And the grouse came back in ratio to the exodus of people. At first grouse are scattered throughout this mountain section since most areas offer a variety of food and cover. However, if the forest crops should be hard hit in the valleys, the grouse move further up the mountain, feeding on nuts, buds and berries as well as certain types of fern. Or, under given conditions, they may be located right on top of the mountain as other types of food become available there.

The mountain areas are

cut by long, winding logging trails which man can put to good use in hunting. By using a four-wheel-drive vehicle, a hunter can ride through these areas while his dogs fan out on each side. This makes easy

hunting for man but it doesn't help the dog much.

Most often the hunter must seek out the grouse on foot and for this he had best be in good physical condition. That's a prerequisite, and not

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Corbin Man Injured On Interstate Thurs.

A Corbin man was seriously injured in a freak accident last Thursday morning on Interstate-75 at the Burr Bridge. According to State Police Reports, Donald Madison Brewer of Corbin had struck by the out-of-control auto and struck a car belonging to St. Camillus Academy of Corbin, which had slid on the icy interstate onto the median.

After this incident had occurred, another car, traveling north on the interstate, driven by Charles Allen Fultz of Brownburg, Indiana also slid on the bridge, hit a guard rail and slid across the interstate onto the median strip. Several pedestrians, who had stopped because of the first accident, scattered but Brewer was struck by the out-of-control auto and struck a car belonging to St. Camillus Academy of Corbin, which had slid on the icy interstate onto the median.

MRS. LORENE RIGNEY DIES IN LEXINGTON

Mrs. Lorene Rigney, 58, of Lexington passed away Saturday, January 29 in a Lexington hospital after a short illness. She was born in Casey County on December 12, 1912, and was a member of the Arnold Baptist Church in Lexington. She is survived by two sons, Ernest Eugene Rigney of Orlando, Florida and Coy Dean Rigney of Columbia, South Carolina, one daughter, Mrs. Janice Jeanette Miller of Mt. Vernon; one brother, Clyde Goodin of Liberty and 13 grandchildren.

ORDER OF THE AMARANTH TO INSTALL OFFICERS; PUBLIC IS INVITED

The officers and members of the Order of the Amaranth, Rockcastle Court #23, Broadhead, cordially invite everyone to an open installation of officers at 8 p.m. Saturday, February 5 at the Broadhead Masonic Lodge Hall. You do not have to be a member of a Masonic Order to come. The Grand Amaranth Court from Louisville will install the newly elected officers and refreshments will be served afterwards.



Mt. Vernon Chapter FFA held its Creed Contest for freshmen January 26, 1972. The contestants were Ken Stewart, Mark Jasper and Jeff Hunt. Mark Jasper was chosen winner of the contest and will represent the chapter in the FFA Federation Creed Contest March 30 at Berea College. The Chapter is very proud of Mark and believes he will do well in the Federation Contest.

Kentucky Telephone To Increase Rates

Kentucky Telephone Company has announced that effective February 22, there will be an over-all change on the telephone service in the Broadhead, Livingston and Mt. Vernon exchanges. W.W. Thomson, president of the company, said the change is due to the calling scope (number of telephones a customer may call toll free) having grown to over 2,251. This is the dividing line between the current and new rates. Presently, the Broadhead, Livingston and Mt. Vernon exchanges have a calling scope of 2,250.

The increase will be 75c per month for private line residence customers, 50c per month for private line business customers, 25c per month for two-party line and four-party line customers and 50c per month for those who have multi-party service. The present charges for extension telephones and other telephones will remain the same.

COOPER AND COOK ANNOUNCE REA LOAN

Senators John Sherman Cooper and Marlow Cook and Fifth District Congressman Tim Lee Carter announced approval Saturday of a \$865,000 U.S. Rural Electrification Administration loan to the South Kentucky Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation at Somerset. This REA loan, together with general funds of the cooperative, will be used to finance 165 miles of new distribution lines, the conversion of 73 miles of existing lines to high-voltage capacity and 12 miles of new line. The cooperative serves Adair, Casey, Clinton, Cumberland, Lincoln, McCreary, Pulaski, Rockcastle, Russell and Wayne Counties.

BOND SALES

The sales of Series E and H Savings Bonds in Rockcastle County during December were \$2,900,000, which is a record. Sales total \$84,411 or 115% of the county's annual goal of \$74,700. Sales a year ago were \$52,785, \$2,900,000, until 1 P.M. February 20, at which time they will be opened.

REV. HOGG TO HOLD SERVICES AT METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Charles B. Hogg is the new pastor of the Broadhead Methodist Church. Rev. Hogg has announced that there will be services in the church every Sunday morning, with the possibility of having a mid-week prayer meeting, to be announced later. Sunday School and Bible Study are at 10 a.m. with worship service at 11 a.m.

ramblings...

by: perlina m. aderkint

The response Saturday night and Sunday to the March of Dimes Telethon was very gratifying in Rockcastle County. Over \$200 was pledged to the drive through me and I know of several other pledges, including one for over \$50 from the Church of Christ on Chestnut Ridge, which was directly to the Lexington headquarters. All together there was about \$300 collected in that one day and your response to this appeal was highly appreciated.

Received a nice letter from Opie Bessell, Jr. this week informing me that the "Register," official publication of the Kentucky Historical Society, will review his booklet, "The Bogueyway Man" in their summer edition and "The American Motorist," which reviews cars, in their April 7 of July editions.

This is quite an achievement for Mr. Bessell, but after reading the booklet ourselves, we can see why it is fast gaining recognition as an authoritative book on the life and death of the Bogueyway Man. The booklet may be ordered from Mr. Bessell, by writing, Box 202, Lexington, Ky. 40505 and enclosing \$2.00 plus postage.

Well, snow predicted for last night did not get here and, at least, was glad, and, to further lighten your winter-weary heart, no groundhog (Com, 10/12)

Recommendations Made On Rural Road Program

Representative of the Department of Highways met with the Rockcastle County Fiscal Court at their Tuesday meeting to take recommendations from the Magistrates and County Judge for roads to be included in the 1972-73 Rural Road Program.

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LICENSE PLATES SALES ARE SLOW

County Court Clerk Clifford Bales reports to date that sales of 1972 license plates are going very slowly.

TOURNAMENT DRAWINGS TO BE HELD FEB. 10

Drawings for position in the 49th District Basketball Tournament will be held Thursday, February 10 at Anville.

The 49th District is composed of: Clay County, Jackson County (9th winner), Brodhead, Mt. Vernon, Livingston, Anville and Oneida.

MISS PONDER NAMED 4-H COUNTY WINNER

Janiffer Ponder of Mt. Vernon has been named a county 4-H club member contest sponsored by the Courier Journal and The Louisville Times.

COUNTY COURT CLERK AND ATTORNEY REPORT FEES FOR 1971

County Court Clerk Clifford Bales reported total salary and fees of \$21,762.63 for the year 1971 at Tuesday's meeting of the Rockcastle County Fiscal Court.

County Attorney William D. Gregory also made a settlement report with the court showing a take in \$600 salary and \$10,638.86 in fees.

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Improvement of the 79.1 miles included in the program in this county. The Rural Secondary Road Program is financed by the 2c gasoline tax and of course the money available from year to year depends on the amount of funds collected.

Mr. Hilton said that about \$65,000 of the funds was required for maintenance leaving at least \$186,700 for improvements.

The Magistrates also were told that if they would authorize the blacktopping of the Loman Hill Road, Johnetta Road and the Great Saltpeper Cave Road over to the Red Hill Road that all 79.1 miles of roads included in the program would be blacktopped, a feat which not many other counties have accomplished.

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Tigers Score 100 In Beating Shopville

The Broadhead Tigers extended their winning streak Friday night by handily defeating Shopville 100-58 in a game played at Broadhead.

The game was never in question as the Tigers jumped out to an early lead. Tommy Mullins led all scorers with 20 points, followed by Ronnie Brown, 14, Clayton Cash 15, Larry LeFavars 4, Derrell Proctor 4 and Harris, Crawford and Collins 2 each.

Tuesday night, the Tigers hosted McCreary Co. and were again victorious by a score of 77 to 52.

The Tigers again jumped out ahead right at first, fought off a second half rally by McCreary Co. and put the game on ice in the third quarter.

Mullins again led the scoring in a relatively free game generally. Since most sales taxes are paid only a few pennies at a time, only the most conscientious record-keeper is likely to have a list of such payments. So the Internal Revenue Service permits a taxpayer to use a Treasury sales tax guide in preparing an estimate of sales taxes paid, based on income and other factors. If the sales taxes exceed the amount indicated in the guide, the taxpayer may be called upon to supply proof.

Interest And Taxes Are Important Deductions

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Capitol Digest

Democratic presidential hopeful Sen. Edmund Muskie visited Kentucky's capitol city briefly to thank Gov. Wendell H. Ford for his recent endorsement. He met with state officials, legislators, state Democratic party leaders and members of the national news media crowd. The Executive Mansion at both Governor Ford and Lt. Gov. Julian M. Carroll promised Sen. Muskie their full support in 1972.

Governor Ford said the senator's strong stand on issues important to Kentuckians, such as agriculture and urban affairs, merited his full support. Sen. Muskie said Governor Ford's support will have important resonance "beyond the borders of Kentucky" and suggests a response throughout the southern area.

Muskie said he plans to visit Kentucky again later in his campaign.

Amendment May Require Second Hearing

State Atty. Gen. Ed Hancock says approval of Kentucky's air quality implementation plan should be delayed because some proposed amendments may require a second public hearing.

He made the comment in a letter to William D. Ruckelshaus, administrator of the federal Environmental Protection Agency, explaining why he vetoed to delay the plan along with other members of the Kentucky Air Pollution Control Commission (KAPCC). Each state is required to complete an air quality plan and submit it to EPA for approval by Jan. 31. However KAPCC recently voted to delay Kentucky's plan for 60-90 days, defying the federal directive.

Hancock said he voted for the delay because "due to the nature of certain of these amendments it is my opinion that the process of law may require another hearing."

A hearing was held on the plan Jan. 11 and the KAPCC now is studying the necessity of another one on the proposed amendments.

A source within the commission said the amendments

draw out testimony at the Jan. 11 hearing.

GRANTS WILL UPGRADE COURT SYSTEM

Gov. Wendell H. Ford announced three grants totaling more than a quarter of a million dollars to upgrade the Louisville and Jefferson County courts.

Funds will be supplied primarily through the federal Safe Support in 1972.

Some \$145,000 will be allotted to establish a public defender program with six attorneys and two investigators to represent indigent in criminal cases.

Another \$50,000 will be used to purchase a motorcade for the county courts and to launch an efficiency study of both the county and circuit courts.

Also some \$50,000 will be used to hire four full-time prosecutors for the commonwealth's attorney's office.

"This money, together with the work of local officials, will give a substantial boost to the state's court system," Governor Ford said.

He also said that the state Crime Commission will monitor the programs to "insure the money is applied in the most interests of law enforcement."

STATE STOPS MINING OF COAL

The state Reclamation and Water Resources divisions have ordered a halt to operations at a so-called "housing project" in Perry County from which they say about 2000 tons of coal have been mined.

Buddy Beach, active director of the Reclamation Division, ruled Hazard-based 3 Coal Co. is in violation of state strip-mine regulations and ordered all excavation stopped at the site on Lotts Creek.

"The operation originally began as a housing project but excavation at the site uncovered coal seam and mining then began."

"The stripping of coal has gone on there in my professional opinion," Beach said. "They have gone above and beyond the law."

area influenced its selection as a plant site.

Governor Ford, welcoming Tremco to Kentucky, offered full cooperation from state government.

"We are deeply grateful for the contribution you are making to the economic development of southeastern Kentucky," he said.

"In this section, a part of our Appalachian region, there is a definite scarcity of male employment opportunities. An industry employing nearly 100 men will be a great asset to the area."

The plant will be located on a site partially developed through financing from the Kentucky Industrial Development Finance Authority.

STATE REFUSES TO REVOKE MINING PERMITS

The state Reclamation Commission dismissed a petition charging 30 surface-mining companies operating in Eastern Kentucky with repeated noncompliance and asking revocation of their mining permits.

The petition was filed a few months ago by attorneys of the "Nature Research and Defense Fund and charged each of the 30 named companies had violated state mining regulations several times without punishment.

However, the Reclamation Commission ruled it has no authority to revoke a company's strip-mining permit as long as requested remedial measures were carried out by the company.

The commission ruled its authority is "limited to those situations wherein requirements set forth by (either) the notice of noncompliance, or an order of suspension or an order of the commission requiring remedial measures, have not been complied with."

Despite the rejection of the petition, Acting State Reclamation Director Buddy Beach said the action had caused him to devote more time to the problem of strip-mine operators who repeatedly violate regulations.

HOME FROM SERVICE

Sp/5 Boyd McGuire, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maple McGuire of Orlando, has returned home from Bamberg, Germany after completing a two-year tour of duty with the U.S. Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Shepherd and daughter have returned from San Diego, California where Mr. Shepherd was stationed with the U.S. Navy. After two weeks visit with relatives, he will be stationed at Norfolk, Virginia.

Mrs. Eva Black was in London Monday on business. Mrs. Jane Smith visited her sister, Mrs. and Mrs. Robert Chastain in Morrill Sunday. Mrs. Chastain accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Allen of Salem, Indiana visited his sister, Mrs. C.L. Mounds, and

Kate Holland, and niece, Miss Haley Williams, last week. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mullins spent the week and with his son, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Mullins near Mt. Vernon.

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Smokey's ABC's



Only you can prevent forest fires

NOTICE

To raise the sum of \$7,476.19 more or less, plus interest at the rate of 5% until paid, together with costs herein expended, pursuant to a Judgment and Order of sale of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky, Filed on December 6, 1971 in the case of United States of America, Plaintiff and Bobby K. Taylor, et al, Defendants, being Civil Action No. 1977 in the London Division of the Eastern District of Kentucky, Kentucky Court House at Mt. Vernon, Kentucky on Monday, February 7, 1972, at the hour of 1:30 o'clock P.M. Local Time, on terms of at least ten (10%) percent of the bid on the day of sale, with good and sufficient bond for the balance, bearing interest at the rate of six (6%) percent per annum until paid, due and payable in three (3) months, said bond having the effect of a judgment or the purchaser may pay cash at the time of sale. Such sale shall be made free of liens other than such unpaid taxes payable in the year 1971 and all taxes payable thereafter, subject also to such conditions, restrictions and easements of record.

Located on Crawford Street, in Mt. Vernon, Kentucky, and beginning at a point in Crawford Street, corner of Ralph Sigmon, then westerly with Crawford Street 109 feet 6 inches to a post, corner of W.L. Jackson and Gordon Graham, thence southerly 162 feet 8 inches with Jackson's line to iron stakes in Jackson's line, corner to George B. and Marie Gentry's lot, thence easterly with line of Gentry's lot 115 feet 10 inches to a post, corner of Ralph Sigmon, thence N 31 degrees E 175.5 feet dividing a garage to Crawford Street, the beginning point.

Such sale shall be in bar and in foreclosure of all right, title, interest, estate claim, demand or equity of redemption of the defendants and of all persons claiming by, through, under or against him, T. Ed Baber, U.S. District Judge, District Kentucky.

FOOD FAIR

10 LB. IDAHO POTATOES **79¢**

MT. VERNON

100 S & H Stamps With \$10.00 to \$19.99 Order

50 S & H Stamps With \$5.00 to \$9.99 Order

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SAVE 30¢ BAG

Domino GRANULATED PURE CANE SUGAR

5 LBS. PURE CANE SUGAR **29¢**

WITH COUPON AT BOTTOM OF PAGE

WEBBER'S SAUSAGE

2 LB. ROLL HOT OR MILD **1.37**

WHOLE FRYERS

LOW PRICES PLUS SAH GREEN STAMPS

27¢ LB.

WEBBER'S SPARE RIBS

39¢ LB.

GROUND BEEF

59¢ LB.

STOKELY FRUIT COCKTAIL

3 CANS **89¢**

STOKELY CORN

5 CANS **\$1.00**

STOKELY PEACHES

3 CANS **\$1.00**

Applesauce

5 CANS **\$1.00**

Jumbo Paper TOWELS

3 FOR **\$1.00**

churngold MARGARINE

ONE LB. SOFT TUB **1.00**

BANANAS

303 SIZE **59¢**

GIANT Joy

22 FL. OZ. **39¢**

Facial TISSUE

4 Big Boxes **\$1.00**

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POTATO CHIPS

TWIN BAG **39¢**

Instant MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE

10 OZ. JAR ONLY **\$1.19**

Oxydol

GIANT OXYDOL **59¢**

APPLES

4 LBS. RED OR GOLDEN DELICIOUS **39¢**

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COLORED PAPER

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voicing opinions

Time to unlock some doors

Of all the "reform" bills in this year's General Assembly hopper, the most important is still not well known or strongly supported. The bill is HB 140, introduced by Rep. Peter Gonn of Louisville and many others, and is designed to open the doors of most meetings of Kentucky city councils, school boards, General Assembly committees and government agency boards of all kinds.

At present the closed meetings is standard procedure for a great many local governments. Right here in St. Matthews nearly all public business is ironed out in secret sessions held without public notice. The frequent public sessions are held largely for show. If you are a crony you may be able to get in to a closed meeting or two; if you are an ordinary taxpayer, or a newspaper reporter, you are shut out.

St. Matthews is not alone, either. Jeffersontown has its share of secrecy. The Jefferson County School Board is almost completely clandestine. There are many others.

True, there are meetings of government bodies at which it is best to exclude the general public and the press. These include discussions of hiring or firing per-

sonnel, negotiating with unions, weighing the purchase or sale of real estate and a host of other sensitive matters. HB 140 permits closed meetings to discuss that sort of thing, but strictly forbids a vigilant press or other business in closed session. No official action of any kind could be taken in closed session.

At least as important as opening the meetings is alerting the public and press to the fact that the meeting will be held. HB 140 requires advance public notice of all meetings and sets forth a simple, foolproof system for doing that job.

Many will say that no law can prevent a secret session being held in somebody's garage if the officials really want to hide what they are doing. This is only partly true. A vigilant press will catch up with that soon enough, and under HB 140 any mayor who pulled such a trick could go to jail and be fined \$100.

The best policy, of course, is the open door. It is true that operating in the public eye requires more talent and integrity than operating in secrecy. But those aren't such bad things to strive for are they? One way to start opening those doors is to support and vigorous in support of HB 140.

The industry offered a cute bit the other day submitting a severance tax without protest, but using the proceeds to help pay black lung benefits. In other words, the industry was perfectly willing to tax itself to help itself in another impending crisis, but not to let the money accumulate in the General Fund (state treasury).

Any day after the budget is introduced early this month, the administration will submit the authorized version of the severance tax, and it may be substantial.

The industry will fight for a flat rate type of levy to avoid widespread tax evasion or too much collecting by the state. In this connection, it has the experience of almost every coal state to go by.

It's Cold Out There—After a round of sleet and freezing temperatures blanketed Kentucky, a television listener telephoned to note that the governor was boasting about having more than 1,000 highway workers in an economy move.

"Is that why none of the roads were salted this morning?" the listener asked.

County Statistics

Deeds Recorded

George and Ella Mae Barnett, real property located in Rockcastle county, to State of Ky. No Tax.

Annie Creech and Gilbert Creech, real property located on the waters of Wolf Creek, to Ben Barnett, No Tax.

Grace and Willie Coomer, Mima and S.V. Durham, Braddock Baker, Jessie Baker, Nellie and John Coomer, property on the waters of Wolf Creek, to B.H. Barnett and W.W. Barnett. No Tax.

Robert and Helen Madden, real property located in Rockcastle county, to Rollie and Betty Mullins, Tax \$1.00.

Eugene and Bestie Hayes, real property located in Rockcastle county, to Wm. Andrew and Ruby Jean Hayes, Tax \$1.50.

Norman G. and Lola M. Whitaker, real property located on the waters of Branch Creek, to Lewis and Louise Mullins, Tax \$4.00.

James Donald and Evelyn French and Junior and Sue French, real property located in Rockcastle county, to James L. and Virgie C. Durless, Tax \$1.00.

Vera A. Vance, real property located on the waters of Skags Creek, to Clarence Hasty, Jr. and Wanda Hasty, Tax \$6.00.

Clangman Hamm and Betty Marie Simpson, real property located in Rockcastle County.

to Wm. I. and Arletta H. Norlon, Tax \$33.50.

Marriage Licenses

Paul French With, 50, Rt. 3, Mt. Vernon, used Douglas Deal, to Oneda Douglas Deal, 31, Redford Valley, Ky. January 27, 1972.

ROCKCASTLE COUNTY BAPTIST HOSPITAL

PATIENTS REGISTER

1/18 - 1/25/72

Admitted: Roscoe Dorney, Route 4, Mt. Vernon; Dorra Gumm, Rt. 5, Livingston; Birc Cummins, Mt. Vernon; Minnie Spices, Mt. Vernon; Mary E. Jones, Mt. Vernon; Mae Whitaker, Rt. 1, Mt. Vernon; Barbara Camp, Mt. Vernon; Route 3, Mt. Vernon; Pearl Nicely, Route 1, Mt. Vernon; Stephen Joe McClure, Route 1, Mt. Vernon; Elizabeth Baker, 1, Livingston; A.E. Baker, 1, Livingston; A.R. Baker, Mt. Vernon; Judy Petrey, Brodhead; Lizzie McCoy, Livingston; Daniel Robbins, Route 4, Mt. Vernon; Sherman Lovell, Route 4, Mt. Vernon; Letta P. Leger, Orlando; Ernest Jordan, Orlando; Bernice Halcomb, Orlando; Farnice Monk, Mt. Vernon; Tilda Jordan, Orlando; Jewell Thomas, Route 1, Mt. Vernon; Geneva Middleton, Route 3, Mt. Vernon; Joe Vanwinkel, Mt. Vernon; Irving Lisa P. Wilson, Route 3, Berea.

Released: Walter J. Jelo, Carlson Green, George Parrett, George Burton, Lydia Poynter, Charity Doan, Retha Tankersley, Mary Lunsford, Arval Clark, Lottie McFarage, Roger Reed-James, Edna Marie Clark, Dorra Gumm, Birc Cummins.

Mary E. Jones, Pearl Nicely, Steven McClure, Judy Petrey, Lizzie McCoy, Sherman Lovell, Bernice Halcomb, Jewell Thomas.

Quarterly Court

Public Drunkenness, Frank Hines, \$10 fine. No Operators License, \$2.00 fine, Ruby Alcorn. Overweight Coal Trucks, \$500 fine, Old Hickory Coal Co. (2 counts).

Licenses Held in Possession, \$2.00 fine, Dottie Brooks and Ronald Hill. Speeding, \$10.00 fine, Ronnie Jones and Charles Taylor.

OVER 1 1/2 MILLION ACRES OF TIMBERLAND IN KY.

In Kentucky there are over 1 1/2 million acres of forest land. Private farmlands and other small holdings make up the largest part - 47% - of this land. Generally speaking, the forest on privately owned land is understocked and usually poor in quality.

Through good forest management and protection, the productivity of most of the forest land in Kentucky could be increased by as much as 75%. Of course, the management and protection given the forest, depends on the needs and desires of the owner. There are 5 basic things the landowner can do in order to improve and conserve his forested lands. There are site preparation and planting, thinning and pruning established stands, re-

leasing trees of good quality and species from competing vegetation, fencing woodlands in order to exclude livestock, and controlling erosion on access roads. Any woodland owner or manager interested in the forest practices mentioned above should see a professional forester for technical advice and assistance. Foresters employed by the Kentucky Division of Forestry provide these services free of charge. Cost-sharing on some forest practices is available through the local A.S.C.S. office. All requests for professional assistance should be sent to: Service Forester, Box 31, Pineville, Kentucky 40377.

DEADLINES

Personal News Items - 4 p.m., Tuesday of week you wish it in paper. Classified Advertising - 4 p.m. on Tuesdays. Display Advertising - Tuesday at Noon.

Taxpayers Ask IRS

This column of questions and answers on federal tax matters is provided by the local office of the U.S. Internal Revenue Service and is published as a public service to taxpayers. The column answers questions most frequently asked by taxpayers.

Q) What is the personal exemption for 1971?

A) The Revenue Act of 1971 increased the allowance for personal exemption to \$675 for the 1971 tax year.

Q) My son earned more than \$675 from a summer job last year. Can I still claim him as a dependent?

A) If your son was a full-time student regardless of age for some part of each of any five months of 1971 or was less than 19 years old at the end of the year, you can claim him as a dependent regardless of how much money he made, provided you supply all the other dependency tests, including furnishing over one-half of your son's total support.

Q) I received a refund on my 1970 state income tax in 1971. Do I have to report this as income on my 1971 Federal income tax return?

A) You must include in income for the year of receipt that part of the refund that is income on your 1970 Federal income tax return.

Q) How much money can I earn before I have to file a Federal income tax return?

A) You must file a Federal income tax return if you are single and had income of \$1,700 or more last year (\$2,200 if you are 65 or older) or if you are married and you and your spouse's combined income is \$2,200 or more (\$2,900 if one spouse is 65 or older; \$3,500 if both of you are 65 or older). If you are self-employed and had net earnings from self-employment of \$400 or more, you must file a Federal income tax return.

Q) Will the IRS still figure my tax for me?

A) Yes. Except for medical insurance premiums, only those unreimbursed medical expenses you paid that exceed three percent of your adjusted gross income are deductible. In addition, medical expenses are deductible only if you itemize your deductions. You may deduct one-half of your medical insurance premiums up to \$150 without regard to the three percent limitation with the balance also deductible subject to the three percent rule. Payments for medicines and drugs may be included in your medical expenses only to the extent they exceed one percent of your adjusted gross income. This excess is then subject to the three percent limitation.

Q) When will I get my W-2 form from my employer? I can't file my income tax return without it.

A) Employers are required to furnish their employees Wages and Tax Statements, Form W-2, by January 31, 1972.

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Frankfort Watchline

If you think it's a coincidence that George Wallace's endorsement of Edmund Muskie for the Democratic presidential nomination came just hours before the start of the Maine senator's primary campaign in Florida, guess again.

But if you think the whole reason behind it was to blunt Wallace's push through that important southern state, you must take yet another guess.

That's part of it, but it's Wendell Ford's nature not to follow a leader in taking a gamble. So, he gambled, and Kentucky became the first

southern state to support Muskie.

True enough, the move tears at the fabric of Wallace's claim to be taking all the South with him in his repeat bid for the White House. But Ford mainly wants Kentucky to be notified.

He wants the other candidates to sit up and take another look at Kentucky. And it will be worth the while in what's been accomplished. This is a measure of unexpected Muskie strength that the other eight or nine general candidates can't ignore.

What's in it for Kentucky? If Muskie turns out to be the Democratic choice, just about

everything Ford would be viewed as a new governor with guts. Kentucky would be looked upon as the southern state that began the push for the winning candidate.

And if he beat Nixon, Gov. Ford views the potential of that for Kentucky as limitless.

It's pretty well assumed that, though not yet unseated, Kentucky's delegates to the National Democratic Convention will pretty much go as their party leaders are going. We know how Ford feels, but there's been doubt cast on the enthusiasm of Party Chairman J.R. Miller's endorsement of Muskie.

Miller says there shouldn't be. Muskie's his man, too. But he wants it made clear that Wendell Ford's endorsement in Lexington almost two weeks ago was Wendell Ford's decision. Miller says he supports it 100 per cent.

Black Outlook for Coal Industry — Cut it any way you want, Kentucky's coal industry is fighting a rearguard action in trying to emerge with the least offensive severance tax.

The process, of course, will be used by the administration to offset the revenue loss from exempting food from the 5-cent sales tax.

AUCTION

SATURDAY, FEB. 5TH

AT 1:30 P.M.

PERSONAL PROPERTY OF MRS. CHRISTINE PHILLIPS

Located at Red Hill section of Rockcastle County, First house on left past Red Hill Church and School. Watch for signs.

Mrs. Phillips has sold her farm and home and has no further need for part of her furniture which is listed below.

Living room suite, cedar bedroom suite, warm morning stove, deep freeze (upright, good condition), Maytag wringer washer (like new), Tappan gas range, good Hotpoint refrigerator, porch furniture, glider, swing, ironing board, large electric oven, electric churn, large iron kettle with stand, 2 iron beds with springs and mattresses, odd oak dresser, maple bed and desk, antique record cabinet, breakfast set, kerosene lamps, small warm morning heater, kitchen cabinet, 2 televisions, cedar wardrobe, electric fan, china closet, old book-case and books, churn, antique trunk, single trees, iron wash boiler, corn sheller, jars of all descriptions, plus many, many more items too numerous to mention.

For additional information contact: Mrs. Christine Phillips - Phone 453-4210, Livingston, Ky. or

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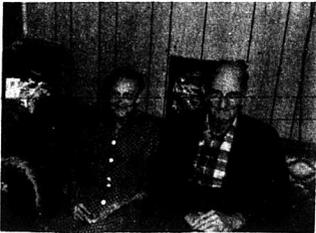
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Around BRODHEAD



Mr. and Mrs. George W. Burton of Route 3, Brodhead celebrated their 71st wedding anniversary January 31. Mr. and Mrs. Burton have lived in Rockcastle County most of their lives and have four children living: Gravelly Burton, Route 3, Brodhead, George Burton, Jr., Mt. Vernon, Clyde Burton, Mt. Vernon and Mrs. Mae Harmon, Route 3, Brodhead. Visiting them on their anniversary were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hay Sower and David Ray, Bennett Burton, Mr. and Mrs. John Lawwell, Thomas Chaney, Gravelly Burton, Mrs. Barbara Anglin and Nancy, Bill Owens, Mr. and Mrs. George Burton, Jr.

Personals

Mrs. Joyce Sowder entertained with a staidy party at her home Friday afternoon. Russell Atkinson is a patient in the Standard Hospital. We

wish him a speedy recovery. Mrs. Ruby McKinney was guest of Mrs. Joyce Sowder and children, Mr. and Mrs. Mark McKinney and sons and Mr. and Mrs. R.H. Atkinson recently.



LOVE STORY—"They've been happy years," is quite a statement for Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Henry of Cottle in Morgan County. The Henry's, ages 98 and 88 respectively, will celebrate their 72nd wedding anniversary, March 6. During army service at Fort D.A. Russell, three miles from Cheyenne, Wyo. (1895-98), Henry became acquainted with Wild Bill Hickock and witnessed skirmishes with the Arapahoe Indians. (Karen Tam Photo)

Clennie Singleton and daughter and Steve Singleton were week end visitors of their sister, Mrs. Arge Bentley, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy P. Riddle. Mrs. Arge Bentley and Mr. and Mrs. Billy P. Riddle visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bullock at Mt. Vernon Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy P. Riddle and Mrs. Greg Lear and Michelle visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bullock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Stevens and Marty visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lear Sunday night.

Mrs. Cora Lear and Mrs. Belle Coffee were in Mt. Vernon Saturday shopping.

Mrs. Dewey Cromer was in Lexington Sunday on business.

Benny Cromer, Larry Bentley and Billy J. Shafer visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cromer at Shelbyville Sunday.

(Delayed)

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dewey of Alabama visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lear a few days recently.

Mrs. Belle Coffee and Mrs. Irene Adams were in Mt. Vernon Monday to consult a doctor for Mrs. Coffee.

Ed Lamb and Bernard Hall visited Mr. and Mrs. Willis Cluffe Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Cora Lear visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mays and Mel-

vin Sunday. Mrs. Cora Lear and Mrs. Wanda Lear and Michelle were in Somerset Tuesday shopping.

Ed Lamb and Willis Coffee were in Danville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy P. Riddle visited Mrs. Wanda Lear and Michelle Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Overbay and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. Greg Lear and Michelle Saturday night.

Linda and Marty Halcomb were in Mt. Vernon Monday to consult Marty's doctor.

Lizette Holcomb and Darrell were in Berea Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Proctor and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Lay of Lexington visited Mr. and Mrs. Mary Payne was in Berea Monday to consult a doctor.

Mrs. Martha Lunsford is on the sick list.

Greg Lear and David Payne were in Lexington Sunday on business.

Mrs. Irene Adams, Mrs. Bertha Adams and Mrs. Minnie Harp were in Mt. Vernon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis J. Gussell of Blue Ash, Ohio visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. McKinney over the week end.

Mrs. Dewey Cromer was in Nashville, Tennessee over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cromer, Rhonda and Bobby of Shelbyville visited Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Cromer over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bentley and Sandy and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Cromer were in Science Hill Monday night.

Mrs. Yerna Martin Diette Simpson and Mrs. Albert Martin were in Danville Thursday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Adams of Shelby City announce the birth of a boy born Sunday, January 23. He weighed seven pounds, five ounces and has been named Chad Allen. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lunsford and Mrs. Bertha Adams.

Mary Stevens celebrated his fourth birthday Monday night at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lear. Marty is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Stevens.

Bill Collins of Eubank visited Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Holcomb, Linda and Marty, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Holcomb of Jamesgown visited Mr. and Mrs. Dora Holcomb, Linda and Marty Sunday.

Mrs. Lizette Holcomb, Linda and Marty were in Mt. Vernon Monday to consult a doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Osborne of Dayton, Ohio visited their grandmother, Mrs. Jane Hens-

ley, and aunt, Mrs. Byrda McCall, over the week end.

Mrs. Stella Burke is a patient in the Berea Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Houston of Morrow, Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. Arch Cash and Mrs. Alberta Robbins and girls over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Payne were in Lexington Monday shopping.

Mrs. Willis Webb of Ft. Valley, Georgia visited her uncle, Dan Gray, and Mrs. Gray recently.

The Ladies Aid met Thursday, January 13 at the home of Mrs. E.J. Smith, Jr. Mrs.

Clay Colson gave the lesson on the "Devil." Delightful refreshments were served by the hostesses.

The Brodhead Homemakers met at the home of Mrs. Frank Watson Thursday, January 20. The lesson was on "Fabrics."

I were present and refreshments were served.

Mrs. F. Earl Mullins visited Mrs. Dick Morgan in Corbin last week.

and Mrs. Clarence Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Taylor visited Mrs. Bertie Taylor Wednesday.

Mrs. Elmer Ponder is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rogers and daughter at Ludlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McWhorter spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Berta Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Long, Mrs. Beulah Barker and Willie Taylor were in Somerset Thursday to consult a doctor.

Mrs. Irene Taylor and Tommy spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Long.

John Mobley celebrated his 91st birthday Thursday, January 27. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Bley and Delbert Long.

(Cont. To 5)

FROZEN VEAL PARMIGIANA DINNERS SUGGEST PARTY



Italian cuisine sets the stage for something special in eating, judging by its popularity in almost every home. Instant extra special dining with Italian charm is now at your command—with frozen prepared veal parmigiana dinners.

Take a taste of the breaded parmigiana and you'll find flavor "superb!" It's the savory sauce of redripe tomatoes, onions, and spices. Four kinds of cheese mingle in the topping. . . Mozzarella, Romano, Parmesan and Cheddar. Accompanying the tender chopped veal are peas in butter sauce, juicy cooked apples, and a piping hot lemon muffin for a piquant note.

Because this is an instant meal, you have plenty of time to "arrange" an easy party dessert while the frozen dinners heat. Suggestion: Lady fingers luxuriously combined with prepared chocolate pudding and whipped topping. Or mix up an intriguing new continental topping for ice cream.

DREAMY CHOCOLATE SWIRL

1/2 teaspoon rum extract
1 cup whipped topping
1 cup prepared chocolate pudding
4 lady fingers, split and halved

In bowl, stir rum extract into pudding. Fold in whipped topping. Place half the lady fingers around sides of each sherbet dish. Spoon in pudding. Makes 2 servings.

RIVIERA SUNDAY

2 teaspoons slivered almonds
2 tablespoons grape jelly
2 servings vanilla ice cream

Combine almonds and jelly, thin with a teaspoon or so of water; serve over ice cream. Makes 2 servings.

QUAIL

DAUGHTER BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rogers of Ludlow announced the birth of a daughter, Jennifer Lynn, born Thursday, January 27. She weighed six pounds at birth.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ponder and Mr.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

1. Dr. Jack Henderson's prestige home and four acres (m/1) on Valley View Farm about 1 1/2 mile out of town. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large living room with stone fireplace, 2 car garage, city water, beautiful home in a beautiful setting. Inquire on price and terms.
2. New home just off US 25 about 1/2 mile from court-house. Home has 3 bedrooms, bath, kitchen with dining area, large living room with stone fireplace, wall to wall carpet and patio with grill. Reduced from \$18,900 to \$17,250.
3. School house suitable for business such as furniture store, antique shop, etc. or remodel into nice home, on large lot, \$6,500.
4. Nice building lot in Brodhead, level, city water, city sewer. Terms can be arranged.
5. 65 acres, tobacco base, barn and old house, lays good, near Climax. Good road. Only \$8900.



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NOTICE! NOTICE! NOTICE! NOTICE! NOTICE!

TELEPHONE RATES CHANGE

EFFECTIVE

FEBRUARY 22, 1972

Kentucky Telephone announced today that effective February 22, 1972, there will be an over-all change on the telephone service in the Brodhead, Livingston, and Mt. Vernon exchanges.

W.W. Thomason, President of the Company, said the change is due to the calling scope (the number of telephones a customer may call toll free) having grown to over 2,251. This is the dividing line between the current and the new rates. Presently, the Brodhead, Livingston, and Mt. Vernon exchanges have a calling scope of 2,298.

The increase will be \$.75 per month for private line residence customers, \$.50 per month for private line business customers, \$.25 per month for 2-party line and 4-party line customers, and \$.50 per month for those who have multi-party service.

The present charges for extension telephones and other telephones will remain the same.



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IN MEMORY OF JOHN L. SAYLOR

Who would have been 64 years of age February 4, 1972.

He was a man among men and though not very tall he seemed to stand head and shoulders above us all

With his friendly smile and charming wit into any group he could easily fit

He was never boisterous and never loud Yet he always seemed to stand out in any crowd

His students remember him as a teacher and friend For of his time and money he would readily lend

When books were too few for the learning they sought With his own money were extra books bought

He was capable of succeeding no matter the test But he kept on doing what he liked to do best

Despite his talents and abilities he was never greedy For he was always considerate of the wants of the needy

He was thoughtful and went beyond his "duty" to help others For he looked upon everyone as his sisters and brothers

He was deeply faithful to his church and his Sunday School And he was always trying to live by the Golden Rule

To his family and friends he was loving and kind A better person than he would be impossible to find

If we're fortunate enough to make it to the Promised Land We know John L. will be there to welcome us and shake our hand.

His Friends *****

Social And Women's News

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mason are spending the week with their daughter, Mrs. Floyd Halcomb, in Albany while Mr. Halcomb is attending the Shamrock Stone Convention in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hurley of Louisville spent Tuesday night of last week with his father, Bill Hurley, at the Rockcastle Hotel.

Russell Ramsay returned to the Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington Sunday where he will spend a few days for tests.

Mrs. David Gregory and Mrs. Leroy Brown were in Lexington Monday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gregory and children of Lexington spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Gregor;

Bill Hurley is spending the week with his brother, Edwin Hurley, in Walton, and is also visiting his nephew, Roscoe Denney, there.

Mrs. Jim McPhee of Stanford spent last Tuesday with Mrs. Eugenia Skidmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Skidmore and son, Scott, of Lexington spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Eugenia Skidmore.

Miss Precia Bowling underwent surgery at Berea Hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray Osborne of Corbin visited his grandmother, Mrs. Dorcas Webb, at Skidmore Rest Home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ward and Eula Jane were in Middle-

boro Saturday night and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ward at Harlan Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Newby and family of Lexington are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Stokes, and Rossann.

Mrs. Robert Cromer is back at her post of duty as teacher at Roundstone Elementary School after being ill at home with flu a few days.

TWIN DAUGHTERS BORN TO DEBORDES

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lee DeBorde announce the birth of identical twin daughters, Bridget Sue and Brandi Lee, born Monday afternoon.

January 31 at the Somerset City Hospital. The twins weighed five pounds, eleven ounces and five pounds, thirteen ounces at birth.

Mrs. DeBorde is the former Vicki Sue Burdette.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank DeBorde of Mt. Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Burdette of Brindle Ridge.

salads. The wild leek is sometimes called "ramp" and is usually cooked with Canadian Bacon fat.

What is a "bell type" pepper? It is generally marketed as a "green" pepper even though it includes kinds that are red when ripe. The seeds were sure to remove the seeds before eating.

Did you know that horse-radish is a root crop, grown for the very pungent roots? Roots contain an oil with a strong pungent odor and hot, biting taste. That's whatseems so strong.

The Package isn't Free

The retail food dollar is down to 91 cents before the package or can is opened, according to a study which shows that packaging materials take the first nine-cent bite out of every retail dollar spent on farm foods.

Out of the \$10.6 billion that consumers paid in one year for farm foods, \$8.8 billion went into the packaging materials, according to research by the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture's Economic Research Service. The materials are second only to labor in their share of the marketing bill.

Paper is the most popular of the packaging materials, and paper products accounted for more than forty percent of the packaging bill. The greater part of paper's share went into sanitary food containers, solid fiber and corrugated boxes and folding paper boxes.

Metal was second in popularity, with such things as cans, aerosols, metal foils, and pails accounting for nearly a quarter of the cost of packaging materials.

Glass and plastic containers cost less than a tenth of the total.

The trend in packaging is toward more ready-to-serve foods.

USDA'S Agricultural Research is working on grapefruit halves already segmented in a disposable bowl, intended initially for commercial use—hospitals, hotels, restaurants—this item is expected to become available for home use.

Polyethylene bags for fluid milk have caught on, especially in Canada, where a third of all fluid milk is sold in film bags.

Plentiful Foods

Plentiful foods which are good buys in February include milk, eggs, peanut butter, split peas, potatoes, apples, pears, oranges and grapefruit; canned foods are corn, green beans, tomatoes, apple sauce, fruit cocktail, and Clint peasches. Other good buys are frozen french fries, instant potatoes, prunes, spaghetti, macaroni, noodles, and grits.

Home Line

By: Cheryl Witt
Food Clips

Use up your lemons and oranges for baking casseroles containing a high proportion of milk. Raw apples may darken when the cut surface is exposed to air, especially if the fruit has touched the iron in a knife blade or chopper. Protect apples from darkening by mixing with fruit juice - lemon, orange, grapefruit, or pineapple - before adding other ingredients.

Meat cooked at low to moderate temperatures is more tender, juicy and flavorful than meat cooked at high temperatures.

To best preserve the valuable nutrients and good flavor of milk, keep it cold, covered, and away from strong light.

Hoasting beet to the rare stage conserves more thiamin than cooking it to the well-done stage.

For an easy snack or a colorful dessert, serve cheese and fresh fruit.

A leek is an onion with flat, smooth leaves and little bulb development and is used for flavoring in cooking and in



IN CHARGE--Senate pages Rob Ueltschi (seated) and Mark Coleman, both of Frankfort, try their hands at directing Kentucky Senate business "page-like" while the chamber is adjourned. Rob, 14, a freshman at Frankfort High School, and 13-year-old Mark, an eighth-grader at Bridgeport Junior High, will serve the legislators throughout the current session of the General Assembly. (Steve Mitchell Photo)

WEIGHT WATCHERS

IS COMING TO Mount Vernon !!

FREE Open Meeting

Thurs. Feb. 3
7:30 P.M.

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(There will be no charge, of course, for the open meeting. However, registration may be arranged after the meeting if desired.)

SNIDER

(Delayed)

Pearlie VanWinkle has returned home from the Berea Hospital after suffering from double pneumonia. She is reported slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cromer and children of Cave City visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aster VanWinkle, and family last week.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bodie VanWinkle were Mr. and Mrs. Dave VanWinkle and son, Louie, Captain B. Mullins, Mr. and Mrs. Elka Lunsford, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Baker and family.

Mrs. Jimmie Harris of Berea visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aster VanWinkle and family and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bodie VanWinkle recently.

Mrs. Mary Ann Williams of Covington visited Mrs. Thurs Blair over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thacker of Scaffold Cave visited Mr. and Mrs. Eli Barnett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Renfro of Richmond visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Barnett Sunday.

Mrs. Ernie Barnett is on the sick list. We wish her speedy recovery.

WILLAILLA

Those on the sick list are Mary Gentry, Joe Price and Gary Caldwell. We wish them a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Pattie Baker visited Mrs. Jack Cash Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie B. Owens visited Mr. and Mrs. John Owens Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Mink and son, of Ohio spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Mink and Becky Owens.

Sandy Hayes spent Wednesday night with her sister, Mrs. Donah Whitaker, Mr. Whitaker, and Kim.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ponder visited her sister, Mrs. Betty Jo McKinney, and Mrs. Charlie Todd Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Rogers and Jill spent Sunday night with her mother, Mrs. Willie Todd, and family.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Maude Hasty were Lester Hasty and Eddie Hill of Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. James Hasty of Louisville, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Noe and Sue Hayes.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Sella Taylor were Roy Brown, Maude Brown, Mrs. Clarence Eastham, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Taylor and family, Phyllis and Janie Leigh, Mrs. C.D. Reynolds and May and Betty McFerron.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Chatelle and Scotty visited his mother, Mrs. Arthur Lodge, over the week end.

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