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Thirteen Now In Race For Council Nominations

Thirteen persons have now filed for city council in the May Democratic Primary, according to County Clerk Marvin Harris.

John Neubauer, a Republican, has also filed, and will be on the November general election ballot.

In Ward A, candidates for the Democratic nomination are Art Lee, 1316 Main; Loyd B. Arnold, 504 North Second; Buel Stalls, 407 North Fifth; Billy Balentine, 1700 Miller; Dave Willis, 211 Spruce; Ed Chrisman, 814 North 20th; and

Phillip Tibbs, North 20th.

In Ward B, candidates are Tom Perkins, 1001 South 16th; Roy A. Harmon, 1606 Sycamore; Gary Haverstock, 200 South Sixth; William R. Furches, 604 Poplar; Carl R. Miller, 713 Riley Court; and Tom Rushing, 1401 Henry.

Of the field so far, five are incumbents, Lee, Willis, Chrisman, Furches, and Rushing.

Tomorrow is the last day to file for office in the May 27 primary, and several other candidates are expected to enter the race.

More Candidates Enter Field For State Offices

FRANKFORT, Ky. (AP) — Elmer Begley Jr., Hyden, is the fourth Republican to file for governor in the May primary while Ronald E. Butler, Madisonville, has swelled the Democratic lieutenant governor's field to nine.

Both men filed their papers Monday, two days before the deadline.

Filing for other statewide offices Monday were George Herman Kendall, Lexington, as the fourth Democrat for state auditor, and Joe Whittle, Leitchfield, the first Republican for attorney general.

After filing, Begley showed newsmen a telegram he said he had sent to federal authorities asking for a probe of \$100,000 in former President Nixon's campaign money that allegedly went to the 1971 Kentucky gubernatorial race.

Robert Gable, Stearns, the leading Republican candidate for governor this year, was campaign treasurer for that 1971 campaign of Tom Emberton's.

Gable could not be reached for comment Monday but he previously has declined to discuss the \$100,000 on the ground it was

part of a past campaign.

The money allegedly was transmitted through former Republican Gov. Louie B. Nunn to Emberton campaign aides but never was mentioned in that campaign's financial reports.

Begley said Monday he had sent the telegram asking for a full investigation to the special prosecutor of the U.S. Senate Election Investigation Committee and to U.S. District Atty. Eugene Siler Jr., Lexington.

Begley said a Watergate Committee investigation of the transaction was covered up by U. S. Sen. Howard Baker, R-Tenn., who was the Watergate Committee's vice chairman. Begley said Gable had helped manage Baker's campaign for the Senate when he defeated then-Tennessee Gov. Frank Clement.

As Kendall filed for the auditor's race, he said he would not seek repayment for his expenses while in office. He also advocated uniform records systems for all county business and a special training program for nominees for auditor.

Leaf Growers Oppose Termination Of Controls

LAKE BARKLEY STATE RESORT PARK, Ky. (AP) — A U. S. Department of Agriculture hearing at this Western Kentucky park has been told by tobacco growers that they oppose termination of 1975 production controls on dark leaf.

About 300 to 400 dark-leaf growers attended the hearing Monday, called by the Agriculture Department in the face of reported critical shortages of the leaf.

Rep. Carroll Hubbard, D-Ky., appeared at the hearing and asked farmers who opposed elimination of quotas to stand. Nearly 100 per cent of the crowd responded.

"We'll be shocked if Secretary of Agriculture Earl Butz eliminated quotas after all this opposition," the 1st District representative said.

Dark-leaf dealer James Marvin of Mayfield said growers would lose their markets if supply continues to fall short of demand. "If that should happen, it would be very difficult to get the markets back," Marvin said.

Agriculture Department officials say fire-cured dark tobacco is 7 million pounds short of a normal supply of 80.4 million, and that air cured dark leaf is 400,000

pounds short of a normal supply of 49.4 million pounds.

Three options were offered by officials at the hearing:

—Letting current acreage allotments for 1975 stand.

—Increasing the 1975 allotments.

—Doing away altogether with production controls in 1975 crops.

A decision on the issue will be announced in about 30 days, officials said.

Brokers See Improvements

NEW YORK (AP) — The New York Stock Exchange has concluded the biggest quarter in its history.

In the first quarter which ended Monday, 1.31 billion shares were traded on the exchange. The old quarterly record was the 1.21 billion shares traded in the final quarter of 1973.

The Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks also posted a record gain in the quarter. Closing Monday at 768.15, the Dow was 151.91 points above its close on Dec. 31, 1974.

The gain in the widely watched market indicator far surpassed any previous quarter.

The brokerage houses on Wall Street will issue their earnings reports for the period in a few weeks, but those which have commented say they will report significant improvements over the depressed levels of last year.



HANGING ON—Five-year-old Kristi Mobley holds on to her pet puppy Brandy as they take each other for a walk in Murray. Kristi is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mobley. (Photo by Wilson Woolley)

Ohio Predicted To Crest At Paducah

PADUCAH, Ky. (AP) — The swollen Ohio River at Paducah was predicted to crest today at its highest level in 24 years, as flooding in McCracken County isolated more than 100 homes and businesses.

A crest of 51.1 feet was forecast — the highest stage since 1950 when waters hit 53.3 feet—but still well below a flood wall built to protect Paducah itself from a stage of 64 feet.

County officials said an estimated 125 homes were evacuated in an area south of the city. In another area west of Paducah, emergency officials said about 50 homes were flooded or nearly flooded.

Still other areas were isolated as floodwaters covered roads.

High water at Paducah was predicted to recede only gradually, standing near the crest through Wednesday and dropping to 51 feet Thursday.

Headwater areas of Clark's River received a four-inch rainfall last Thursday and Friday, and water rushing downstream is meeting backwater from the swollen Tennessee and Ohio rivers. Clark's River empties into the Tennessee just above Paducah.

Barkley and Kentucky lakes, which lie

upstream on the Cumberland and Tennessee rivers, were held seven feet above normal pool Monday — at 361 feet above sea level — by the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers.

"We want as much water as possible to move out of the Cumberland, Tennessee and the other rivers before we pour much more water out of the lakes," said a corps official.

McCracken County highway engineer Buddy Smith said damage was "tremendous," but he said an estimate of the financial loss can't be made until the water goes down.

Many county residents who were unable to remove their possessions before the flood were still taking soggy belongings out Monday by pickup truck and boat.

Lennis Rule, 57, who said he couldn't save anything, observed: "Just got my wife and three dogs out, that's all."

Communists Gobble Up More Territory In Vietnam Conquest

By The Associated Press

Communist troops gobbled up more territory today in their speedy conquest of the central coast of South Vietnam, leaving the Saigon government in control of only about one-third of the country's land mass.

Nha Trang, 200 miles northeast of Saigon, and Qui Nhon, 100 miles farther north, both major cities with populations of more than 200,000, fell without any real opposition when government officials and soldiers abandoned them.

Fear, panic and demoralization moved in advance of the North Vietnamese columns. Government officials were reported abandoning Phan Rang and Phan Thiet, within 100 miles east of Saigon, apparently conceding the two provincial capitals before a shot is fired.

Rioting broke out in Nha Trang as the Saigon regime's representatives fled. The U.S. consulate in Nha Trang burned its records and evacuated the staff. Some shooting was heard in the city, and at least one building was seen burning.

With the abandonment of Qui Nhon in Binh Dinh Province, the Communists now occupy the upper half of South Vietnam and all of the central part except a dwindling strip along the coast — a total of 14 of 44 provinces and 74 of 243 district towns or two-thirds of the country.

The Saigon government is crowded into the southeast corner of the country.

However, Communist forces also control scattered areas in the Mekong Delta although the government still holds all the major towns and cities there.

The Saigon command reported fighting at Duc My and Minh Hoa, district capitals 15 miles north of Nha Trang, but other sources said North Vietnamese sappers

had been spotted inside Nha Trang. The sources said most government administrative and military staffs had been evacuated from the threatened city.

Some fighting was reported around the Phu Cat air base, once a major U.S. Air Force base 20 miles north of Qui Nhon. But it, too, was overrun, and the Communist advance down the coast rolled on unchecked.

In neighboring Cambodia, President Lon Nol left the country for Indonesia and the United States expressing the hope that his departure would open the way for peace negotiations with the Khmer Rouge insurgents.

The Viet Cong in a broadcast said if President Nguyen Van Thieu of South Vietnam was ousted, it was ready for peace talks with a new-Saigon government "to quickly settle all the affairs of South Vietnam." Former Premier Nguyen Cao Ky also called again for Thieu to quit, accusing him of poor leadership.

The United States began a new airlift of military supplies to Saigon to replace some of the hundreds of millions of dollars worth of equipment abandoned by the South Vietnamese army in the northern and central provinces. A big C-5A Air Force transport made a nonstop flight from California with 14 howitzers and tons of ammunition and communications equipment.

The U.S. government also announced it was continuing efforts to evacuate South Vietnamese in front of the Communist advance. It said four U.S. ships were loading off Qui Nhon, one each off Tuy Hoa and Nha Trang, and one was still standing by off Da Nang in case any more escaped from that northern port, which the North Vietnamese occupied Sunday.

Farm Prices Decline; Food Costs Still Up

WASHINGTON (AP) — Farm prices have declined for the fifth straight month but consumer food costs are expected to continue rising because of higher middleman costs, the Agriculture Department says.

The Crop Reporting Board said Monday that the 2 per cent drop in prices paid farmers for raw agricultural goods from Feb. 15 to March 15 was due chiefly to lower prices for wheat, corn, cotton, soybeans, tomatoes and milk.

The decline was partially offset by higher prices for cattle, onions and apples.

Retail food prices have continued to rise because of higher middleman costs for transporting, processing and selling the products. Department officials say those will continue to push up consumer food costs through midyear although at a lesser pace than in the first six months of 1974.

As of March 15 the average of all farm prices was .15 per cent below a year earlier, the department said. Prices farmers pay to meet expenses dropped one-half of one per cent during the month but averaged 10 per cent above March 15, 1974.

The farm price index began its current slide last Nov. 15 when it dropped 1.5 per cent from mid-October. It was 3 per cent lower on Dec. 15, dropped another 1.5 per

cent on Jan. 15 and fell 3 per cent on Feb. 15.

The food grains portion of the latest index, including prices for wheat and rice, was down 7 per cent from Feb. 15 and averaged 28 per cent below a year earlier, officials said. The vegetable price index was down 5 per cent from mid-February but was 29 per cent above March 15 last year.

Farm prices of meat animals as a group rose one per cent from Feb. 15. But the index was 20 per cent below a year earlier.

Oratorical Contest To Be Held Tonight

The Oratorical Contest, being sponsored by the Murray Optimist Club, will be held tonight at 7:30 p.m. at the University School Auditorium instead of the Lovett Auditorium at Murray State University as previously announced.

Optimist Club members said the contest is open to all boys and girls of Murray and Calloway County who have not reached the age of 18. Trophies will be awarded and judges will be from the Communications Department of Murray State University.

More Clouds Coming

Increasing cloudiness tonight with a slight chance of rain by morning. Mostly cloudy with a chance of rain Wednesday. Lows tonight in the upper 30s to low 40s. Highs Wednesday in the 50s. Winds easterly five to 15 miles per hour tonight. The outlook for Thursday: partly cloudy and mild. Precipitation chances are 20 per cent tonight and 30 per cent Wednesday.



Barbara Williford, right, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Williford of Murray Route One, is presented a check for \$150 given by the Calloway County Medical Auxiliary for the Medical Auxiliary Nursing Scholarship in recognition of Doctors Day March 30. Making the presentation is Mrs. Gary Marquardt, president of the Medical Auxiliary. Miss Williford, a graduate of Calloway County High School, is a sophomore nursing student at Murray State University.

Civic Music Concert Postponed To April 24

The Murray Civic Music Association concert by the Kentucky Opera Association, scheduled for Wednesday, April 2, has been postponed until Thursday, April 24, according to Richard W. Farrell, president of the association.

Farrell said the place of the concert has been changed from the MSU Lovett Auditorium to the University School Auditorium due to the change in date.

The Civic Music officials said they regretted the necessity of having to change the date and place of the concert.

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Friends of the Library elected new officers and directors at the meeting held Monday evening at the Calloway County Public Library with Dr. Durwood Beatty presiding. Named, left to right, are, Dr. James Byrn, director; Dr. Stan Hendrickson, vice-president; Jack Benton, treasurer; Joanna Sykes, director; Jan Hough, secretary; Dave Willis, president; and Johnny Bohannon, director.

Dorgan-Carpenter Vows To Be Solemnized Friday

Miss Marsha Lee Dorgan has completed plans for her marriage to Rev. Mickey R. Carpenter.

Dr. James A. Fisher, Sr., will perform the double ring ceremony on Friday, April 4, at 7:30 p. m. at the First United Methodist Church, Murray. Musich will be by Mrs. Richard W. Farrell, organist, and Mrs. James H. Hurley, vocalist.

Miss Dorgan has chosen her sister, Mrs. Jane Glover, as her matron of honor. Serving as bridesmaids will be Miss Deborah G. Tully, Lexington,

Miss Linda Gresham, Murray, and Mrs. Nika Carpenter, Newbern, Tenn.

The flower girl will be Deborah Lee Glover, and the ring bearer will be Stephen Boyd Flatt.

Attending the groom-elect as best man will be his brother, Danny Carpenter. Groomsman will be Rev. William Hart, Bill Fisher, and David Alexander.

Only out of town invitations are being sent. All friends and relatives are invited to attend the wedding and the reception to follow the ceremony.

Local Scene

Miss Cindy Colson, Bride-elect, Is Honored With Tea

Miss Cindy Colson, April 27th bride-elect of Steve Payne, was honored with a delightfully planned tea held at the Community Room of the Murray Federal Savings and Loan building on Sunday, March 16.

The hostesses for the bridal occasion were Mesdames J. R. Story, Alvis Jones, David Thompson, William Johnson, Charles McCuiston, Derrell

Wilson, and Linda Wren. Receiving the guests with the honoree were her mother, Mrs. Cletus Colson, the groom-elect's mother, Mrs. James Payne, and the groom-elect's grandmother, Mrs. O. E. Greenfield.

Miss Colson chose to wear from her trousseau a natural muslin and cotton lace floor length dress, and was presented a corsage of yellow daisies and baby's breath by the hostesses. The mothers and grandmother were also presented white carnation corsages, gifts of the hostesses.

The guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. David Thompson and asked to sign the guest register by Miss Lisa Wilson. The register table was covered with a yellow satin floor length cloth and held a miniature bouquet of shasta daisies and baby's breath.

The beautifully appointed tea table was overlaid with a white satin floor length cloth under yellow net which was caught up at the corners and center front with yellow bows and streamers. The centerpiece was a beautiful arrangement of yellow and white daisies and snapdragons in a silver container flanked by yellow candles in silver candleabra.

Punch, cake, nuts, and mints were served from silver appointments. Guests who called between the hours of two and four p. m. were invited to view the gifts by Linda Wren.

Mrs. Mathis Speaks, FHA Mother-Daughter Banquet

Treva Mathis was the featured speaker at the fifteenth annual Mother-Daughter Banquet held by the Calloway County High School Chapter of the Future Homemakers of America on Tuesday, March 25, at seven p. m. at the Colonial House Smorgasbord.

Mrs. Mathis in her delightful and charming manner spoke to the mothers, daughters, teachers, and guests on the theme, "Lucky Is...F.H.A." Her talk was interspersed with solos including "On Top of the World" and "Let There Be Peace." She spoke of her membership in FHA and challenged the members to continue to strive to do their best as they go through life.

The speaker was accompanied on the organ by Richard Jones. Mrs. Mathis is now associated with the Purchase Area Dairy Council after having received her Master's degree in home economics from Murray State University. She is a former Youth Director of the First Baptist Church. Her husband, Dr. Gilbert Mathis, a professor in the Department of Economics, Murray State University, was also a guest along with Mrs. Richard Jones.

Mrs. Mathis was introduced by Renee Thompson. Anita Chaney, Chapter president, was toastmistress and the welcome was given by Renee Tobey. The salute to the seniors was by Peggy Rogers and the introduction of officers was by Vicki Butterworth.

The school principal, Ronald McAllister, was surprised by being named for the honorary membership this year. Making this announcement was Rhonda Towery.

Named as the FHA Beau was Tommy Futrell, who also gave the invocation. Cheryl Jackson presented this award to the Calloway student.

Mary Beth Hays, dressed as an "Easter Bunny," presented the names of students working on their Junior and Chapter degrees.

Special guests also introduced included Supt. William B. Miller; Board Members Lubie Parrish, Billy Joe Stubblefield, Joe Dyer, and Walter Byers; Director of Pupil Personnel Charlie Lassiter; Supervisor Edward Curd; Mark Miller and Russell Hopkins of the Laker Annual staff; Honorary members—Mrs. Leon Adams, Miss Lorene Falwell, Larry Dunn, Mrs. Bess Kerlick, Miss Lucy Ann Forrest, Mrs. Glen Kelso, and Mrs. J. B. Burken; Chapter Mothers—Mesdames Eugene Chaney, Curtis Hays, Max Smotherman, J. B. Burken, and Alfred Murdock; Principal Ronald McAllister; Asst. Principal James Felner; Chapter Beau Tommy Futrell; FHA State Historian Norita Cassidy.

The speaker's table was adorned with a large arrangement of red and white carnations using the FHA colors.

Officers of the chapter are Anita Chaney, regional and chapter president; Patsy Burken, first vice-president and photographer; Mary Beth Hays, second vice-president; Brenda Outland, secretary; Linda Miller, treasurer; Renee Thompson, reporter; Sandra Gray, parliamentarian; Janet Murdock, historian; Pam Todd, recreation leader; Debbie Eldridge, song leader; Gail Smotherman, devotional leader.

Mrs. Bess Kerlick and Miss Lucy Ann Forrest are chapter advisors.



Ronald McAllister, principal of Calloway County High School, was presented an honorary membership by the Calloway FHA Chapter at the Mother-Daughter Banquet held at the Colonial House Smorgasbord. Rhonda Towery, left, made the presentation. Anita Chaney, chapter president, is at right

(Photos by Patsy Burken)



Treva Mathis of the Purchase Area Dairy Council is pictured as she speaks at the Calloway FHA Mother-Daughter Banquet. She also entertained with songs during her part of the program.



Tommy Futrell, Calloway FHA Chapter Beau, is kissed by Cheryl Jackson, left, who presented him with the award, and Anita Chaney, toastmistress at the 15th annual Mother-Daughter Banquet.

Mary Beth Hays, dressed as an Easter Bunny, announces the names of the members working on Junior and Chapter degrees at the Calloway High FHA Chapter Mother-Daughter Banquet.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Tuesday, April 1
Group II of First Christian Church CWF will meet at the home of Mrs. W. J. Gibson at two p. m. with Mrs. C. B. Fair as cohostess and Mrs. Dan Hutson giving the program.

First Baptist Church WMU will meet at nine a. m. at the church.

Dorothy Group of First Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. Homer Miller at ten a. m.

Elizabeth Newnam, assistant professor of voice at MSU, will present a recital at 8:15 p. m. at the Farrell Recital Hall.

First United Methodist Church Women will meet at ten a. m. at the church with a luncheon to be served at noon.

Murray Assembly No. 19 Order of the Rainbow for Girls will meet at the Masonic Hall at seven p. m.

Senior Art Exhibits of Cathy Brettman, Memphis, Tenn., Margaret Herald, Murray, and Larry Pink, Belleville, N. J., will open at the Clara M. Eagle Gallery, Fine Arts Center, MSU, and run through April 9.

Murray TOPS Club will meet at the Health Center at seven p. m.

Library Exhibit for National Library Week will be in the Main Lobby and Hallway, MSU Library, through April 20.

Delta Department of Murray Woman's Club will meet at 7:30 p. m. at the club house with Mesdames Joe Nell Rayburn, Charles Mercer, Stanford Andrus, Misses Hazel Tarry, Frances Sexton, and Ruth Lassiter as hostesses.

Wednesday, April 2
Nature's Palette Garden Club is scheduled to meet at the Ellis Community center at 1:30 p. m.

Jessie Ludwick Circle of First Presbyterian Church will meet with Mrs. Leroy Cunningham at 1:30 p. m.

Flint Baptist Church Mission Groups will meet at the church at seven p. m.

North Elementary School PTC will meet at seven p. m. at the school. Note change in date.

Cherry Corner Baptist Church Women and BYW will meet at the church at seven p. m.

Thursday, April 3
Kirksey Baptist Church Women will meet at seven p. m.

Kentucky No-Fault Insurance Seminar will be at the MSU Auditorium at nine a. m.

Murray Women of the Moose will meet at eight p. m. at the Lodge Hall.

Garden Department of the Murray Woman's Club will meet at 1:30 p. m. with Mesdames Wayne Williams, Halene Visser, Eurie Warren, Peter Whaley, Greene Wilson, and Ted Vaughn as hostesses.

WMCF of the First Assembly of God is scheduled to meet at seven p. m. at the church.

Senior Recital of Cathy Propst Benton, piano, Crystal City, Mo., will be at seven p. m. at the Recital Hall, Fine Arts Annex, MSU.

She-Male Contest, sponsored by Kappa Delta Sorority, will be at Lovett Auditorium, MSU, at 7:30 p. m. Advanced tickets are fifty cents and at the door 75 cents.

Concert by Trombone Choir, directed by Prof. Raymond Conklin, will be at 8:15 p. m. at the Recital Hall, Fine Arts Annex, MSU.

Art exhibits of Barry Johnson, Murray, masters of art show in photography, and exhibits from 1973 International Ceramics Symposium, will open at the Clara M. Eagle Gallery, Fine Arts Center, MSU, and run through April 30.

Friday, April 4
The Golden Age Club will have a potluck luncheon at the social hall of the First United Methodist Church at noon with Mesdames Floy Caldwell, Eva Sue Galloway, Callista Clanton, Frances Beach, Flora Ford, and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Burgoyne as hostesses and host.

Military Ball for ROTC Cadets and Dates will be held at the MSU Student Union Ballroom at eight p. m.

First Regional High School Band Festival will open at four p. m. at Lovett Auditorium, MSU, with 25 bands expected.

PERSONALS

NOW AT HOME
Miss Michelle Alexander, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Alexander, is now at home after having been a patient at Lourdes Hospital, Paducah. She suffered a broken leg on Thursday.



Dear Abby
By Abigail Van Buren

Guests in her house aren't asked to use the john

DEAR ABBY: After three generations of Johns, my son prefers a nickname. Anything but "John." He was named John for his father, grandfather and great-grandfather. Also after Saint John. Not a toilet! Abby, how did that ridiculous fad ever get started? It has become such an accepted part of our language now that even visiting friends have asked: "May I use your john?" I reply: "Of course not!"

What is wrong with using, "restroom, bathroom, or lavatory"? Please, anything but john.

WIFE AND MOTHER OF A JOHN
DEAR WIFE: My consultant on words, Ted Bernstein, informs me that since the earliest times, there have been countless synonyms for "toilet" because people were reluctant to use that word. He suspects that "john" came from the word "jakes," an old English word which means privy. Jakes is a far cry from John, however. Perhaps someone from Flushing has the answer.

DEAR ABBY: I can't believe it. Here I am, a 78-year-old woman, writing to Dear Abby! At age 32, I was married by a Presbyterian minister.

Before we were married, my fiance and I discussed our true feelings for each other. We admitted we weren't wildly in love, but we felt that we could be good companions, work together in a compatible way, and have a good life together. And it turned out that way.

After I was 40, I gave birth to two sons. We were very successful in our farming project, accumulated acreage, and became financially well off.

Now, my oldest son's wife tells me that because I married without being in love, I lived the life of a prostitute. She keeps throwing it up to my son that his mother was a "prostitute."

Abby, my husband and I lived together in peace and harmony for 30 years, and we would be together today, but death took him from me. Meanwhile this daughter-in-law who calls me a prostitute has a very stormy marriage, and if that's the result of a "love match" I will take my kind of marriage any day.

Would you say that a woman who married without being passionately in love led the life of a prostitute?

NEEDS BACKING UP

DEAR NEEDS: Certainly not! Your reasons for marrying were nobody's business but your own. Too bad you didn't keep it that way.

DEAR ABBY: Recently, we had a gathering of friends and family in our home. One of the guests removed his shoes and stockings and proceeded to put his foot up on the coffee table on which I had chips, dips and food for nibbling. (He said his feet itched!)

My husband and I were both upset, but neither of us said anything because we felt it would have been poor manners to correct a guest in our home.

We felt that his wife should have quietly said something to him, but since she didn't, we let it go.

Later, another guest told us that we were wrong to have ignored such gross behavior. How do you vote?

HOSTESS

DEAR HOSTESS: With you. Don't invite him back.

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Mrs. Max Farley is Hostess For Meet Of Suburban Homemakers

The home of Mrs. Max Farley was the scene of the March meeting of the Suburban Homemakers Club held at seven p. m. with the president, Mrs. Holmes Dunn, presiding. Mrs. Farley read the scripture from Luke 24:49.

Lesson Topics selected for the coming year were Indoor Landscaping, Accessories For the Home, One Dish Meals, Family Entertainment, Think Metric, Property Rights, Furniture Arrangement, Medicare and Medicaid, and Time Saving Sewing.

Mrs. Roy Hancock presented the craft lesson on "Teneriffe Embroidery."

An interesting lesson on "The Middle-Years" was given by Mrs. Harry Russell, and Fashion Notes were given by Mrs. Robert Hendon.

Mrs. Billy Wessel, a visitor, became a member of the club.

Mrs. Farley and her cohostess, Mrs. Hancock, served prune cake with coffee and spiced tea during the social hour.

The next meeting will be held on Monday, April 14, at seven p. m. at the home of Mrs. Roy Hancock, 1505 Belmonte.

Local Scene

Down the Garden Path



By MRS. W. P. WILLIAMS

This is about the last chance you will have to do any planning in your garden. Planting time is at hand and it will save you so much time and energy if you know exactly where each new plant, or one you plan to move, is to be placed.

Consider where they will look the best in the yard, where they will not obscure the driveway or road, where the size of them will not interfere with other plants; where the colors will not clash with plants already in the yard; where they will spread out into a path and be a nuisance.

All of these things are to be considered for convenience, but there is the placing of plants where they will get the proper amount of sun. Or perhaps they may need plenty of shade. Or

do they need perfect drainage? Some flowers need to stay in moist soil, like Japanese Iris, certain Hydrangeas and Ferns. Others like plenty of water, but don't like for their feet to stay wet.

So you see there is a lot to this business of planning your garden. In the first place, know your plants. The firm from which you buy your shrubs or trees will tell you exactly what kind of soil, how much moisture, how much sun, and other requirements of each plant. Then you can start out more confident in the success of any project, knowing you have the basic needs.

One need of plants that is not too often mentioned is air. If crowded closely together they are easier prey to disease, and over-crowding certainly doesn't look pretty. Let each shrub stand out for itself. Or if you have a shrub hedge, space them far enough apart so that they get good air circulation around them.

I would suggest that you keep on hand plenty of either peat moss or humus of some sort. There is nothing that will help a plant as much as having humus worked in around its top soil. Then mulch it with some of this shredded bark that is easily obtainable. Mulching is just as necessary in the summer as it is in the winter. It helps to keep the roots moist and protected from the hot rays of the summer sun.

So now is the time to check on all these things. Have your peat moss or humus ready. Have your mulch at hand. Then you can go right to work when planting and digging time is here. Good luck.

By University of Kentucky County Ext. Agents for Home Economics

AS YOUR FAMILY GROWS

Each child needs a place of his own, whether it's a whole room or a special corner and things that are his alone. It's easy enough to tell 6-year-old Johnny that he should share his things with his little brother and let it go at that, but the wise parent understands the frustration of the older child when the 2-year-old gets into Johnny's things. Remember that each child is an individual, a total person with his own strengths and weaknesses, likes and dislikes, goals and dreams. Within the network of family relations, every child should have the chance to work out his own identity, free of others' notions of how he should look or act or what he should want to do with his life. — Sue Fraser, Bardwell.

SOFA BEDS — WHAT TO LOOK FOR

An important aspect of sofa beds is their ease of operation. You shouldn't have to wrestle a good sofa bed open or closed, even if you aren't used to operating one. Be sure to have the salesman demonstrate how it works and then try it yourself. Also find out whether the sofa bed you're interested in can be tilted forward on its front legs. This feature makes cleaning under it much easier. The sofa bed is usually quite a bit heavier than its conventional counterpart, so this particular feature can be very handy. — Mrs. Mildred W. Potts, LaCenter.

GOOD NUTRITION BEGINS WITH BREAKFAST

You can have a nutritious breakfast without loading up on calories, too. Substitute lower calorie foods for calorie-rich ones. Serve skimmed milk rather than whole milk, or have a poached egg instead of a fried one. Have one piece of toast instead of two. If you like hashed brown potatoes with your egg, skip the toast or cereal. For your vitamin B source, eat toast or cereal — not both. If the mid-morning

Coffee Cup Chatter

hungries tempt you with coffee and donuts, take a milk and fruit break instead. Or try splitting your breakfast, eating half at the regular time and the rest at mid-morning. Just be sure that second half doesn't consist of high-calorie low-nutrition foods like soft drinks, sweet rolls, candy or potato chips. — Mrs. Patricia Curtsinger, Benton.

The study of human environments is bringing up some astounding facts as to how housing affects the homemaker. There's a relationship between good housing and good mental health — and bad housing and poorer mental health. A home that supports a mother so she's relaxed, happy and creative is beneficial; but if bad housing results in a frustrated mother, she is likely to take her frustrations out on members of the family. The kitchen is the mother's domain and when it's poorly equipped, crowded or awkwardly arranged, the homemaker takes the brunt with a pass-on adverse influence on the rest of the family. Inadequate storage facilities in the kitchen and all through the house make it difficult to maintain and keep it clean and control clutter. Actually lack of storage contributes to low morale — and the likelihood of uneven tempers and inconsistent discipline from mothers. — Juanita Amonett, Paducah.

SAVE ENERGY — ON THE KITCHEN — ON THE ROAD

Use pots that completely cover the stoves heating element. More heat thus enters the pot and less is lost in the air. Before traveling in your car, check tire pressure. Under-inflated tires increase gas consumption. Travel as light as possible. The lighter your car, the less gas you will buy. — Mrs. Maxine Griffin, Clinton.

Looking forward from 1975 to 1980, security will be an increasing problem, with 10 percent of all new homes having security systems. Also, there is some feeling that walled city concepts may be prevalent by 1980. — Mrs. Barletta Wrather, Murray.

When the dinner table is set, put coffee cups and saucers, sugar, creamer and dessert plates on a large tray. When it's time for coffee and dessert, the dishes will be ready and can be taken to the table in one trip — and the tray is also handy to help clear away dinner dishes. — Mrs. Dean Roper, Mayfield.

Tau Phi Lambda Has Meeting At Home Of Mrs. Carolyn Parks

The Tau Phi Lambda Sorority of the Woodmen of the World held its regular meeting on Tuesday, March 25, at the home of Carolyn Parks with Carol McDougal as cohostess.

An initiation ceremony was held before the meeting for Phillis Whitney, Diana Lyons, and Carol McDougal.

Final plans were made for the trip to Louisville to attend the WOW convention.

Refreshments were served with Loretta Jobs winning the door prize.

Members present were Martha Andrus, Bettye Baker, Edna Bogard, Ernestine Garland, Jackie Goodwin, Cynthia Hart, Jeanie Lamb, Diana Lyons, Carol McDougal, Carolyn Parks, Frances Robertson, Peggy Shoemaker, Ann Spann, Melody Swift, Dinah Westerman, and Phillis Whitney.

The next meeting will be on Tuesday, April 22, at seven p. m. at the home of Phillis Whitney with Edna Bogard as cohostess.

For "instant meals," keep diced cooked chicken in the freezer. It can quickly be converted into tasty casseroles, salads, sandwiches, pies or a la king. Cooking two birds together saves energy, too.



Beth Richardson, right, brought her pet rabbits to both Story Hours held March 26 at the Calloway County Public Library. Assisting her with the rabbits was Nancy Reed. Both girls are juniors at Murray High School.

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EDITORIAL

Legislature Could Aid City Problem

In view of the current revenue crisis faced by the City of Murray as well as many other counties and municipalities across the Commonwealth...

A case in point would be our neighboring city of Paris, Tennessee. Paris, as well as Henry County, enjoys the benefit of one and one-half per cent local sales tax...

Just to keep the record straight, total sales tax in Henry County is five per cent, the same amount paid in Calloway County and the rest of Kentucky.

We think it is time for our state

legislators to take a giant step toward helping government at the local level by adopting measures that would allow such a sales tax structure within the Commonwealth...

Based on the Murray Chamber of Commerce's figures for retail sales in Murray and Calloway County for 1974...

Regardless of what the General Assembly does in its next session in 1976, the City of Murray must find additional revenue in order to supply the demands of its citizens.

We prefer legislation that would allow a local sales tax (keeping the maximum of state plus local tax at five per cent).

MSU Schedule Of Events

- Tuesday, April 1
MSU BASEBALL - Murray State vs. Brown University and Providence College.
PURCHASE FFA DAY - Applied Science Building, 3:30 p. m.
CONCERT - Featuring Trombone Choir, director, Prof. Raymond Conklin.
SHE-MALE CONTEST - Sponsored by Kappa Delta Sorority, Lovett Auditorium, 7:30 p. m.
WOMEN'S TENNIS - A quadrangular meet, featuring MSU, Western Kentucky, Austin Peay and UK, MSU courts, beginning at 2 p. m.
MURRAY MAGIC THEATRE - University School Auditorium, 6:30 p. m., admission free.

Garrott's Galley

Whether You Like It Or Not, Zip Code System Works

By M. C. Garrott

George Ed Overbey, Sr., who is recovering from a heart attack suffered March 19, had previously read here about Preston Jones' experience in picking up the wrong hat at the barber shop...

Three days later, the letter was delivered to Preston here in Murray. "He never would mention even having received it for the longest time after I got home," George Ed recalls with a chuckle...

I had a pleasant visit on the street the other day with Cletus Young, who lives on a 100-acre farm north of town. Cletus at one time was a custodian in the Administration Building at Murray State.

I recall one Saturday morning when I walked in unexpectedly and found him sound asleep in an easy chair in the 4th floor lobby. He had been vacuuming the rugs and decided to sit down for a moment.

have ever done in my life!" he said. "I mopped, I mopped and I mopped. You'd never believe how they really mean for you to keep that place clean!"

Herbert (Hub) Perry, 1302 Olive, read the column about the perfume bottle collection Kenny and Mary Beth Imes had inherited, and told me about the collection his son-in-law, Don Christie, Humbolt, Tenn., had fallen heir to...

Congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Wells, 306 South 5th Street, who recently celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary! Dr. and Mrs. Wells, both natives of the Murray area, were married March 1, 1915, in Paris, Tenn.

Ford May Have Deepened Difficulties

By CARL P. LEUBSDORF AP Political Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - By signing the tax cut bill, President Ford appears to have deepened his difficulties with Republican conservatives who had urged him to veto the bill in order to limit the federal budget deficit.

At the same time, however, Ford may have helped himself in an over-all political sense by combining actions that demonstrated moderation and conciliation with words that were sharply critical of Congress.

If the tax cut succeeds in its basic purpose of stimulating consumer spending, it could help bring about an economic recovery that would strengthen the President's position going into the 1976 election campaign.

The size of the federal deficit, now estimated by Ford at about \$60 billion and by congressional experts at least \$10 billion higher, has been one of the chief

points of difference between GOP conservatives and Ford.

They were critical of the President's original budget with its \$52 billion deficit and were cool toward the idea of spurring economic recovery by a reduction in taxes that would increase the deficit.

During the congressional debate on the tax measure, conservatives led the battle against it and provided most of the negative votes on its final passage.

While top Democratic leaders who fought for the tax cut hailed Ford's action Saturday night, negative reactions were coming from conservatives, including Sen. Barry Goldwater, R-Ariz.

"I am very disappointed that he did not veto the bill," Goldwater said. "This country cannot go on having the kind of deficit this will mean without going bankrupt in a period of five years."

More significantly, perhaps, the No. 2 man in the House Republican leadership, Rep. Robert H. Michel of Illinois, indicated there would be widespread disappointment in the party's right wing.

"I think some of the conservatives who voted against a tax relief bill are going to be a bit perturbed after they went out on a limb for this thing and then the President signed it," Michel said.

He added that he had leaned on House conservatives to demonstrate their coolness toward the tax cut in order to show Ford that a veto could be sustained, only to have the effort go for naught.

Some Democrats speculated privately that the entire White House verbal campaign on a possible veto had been aimed at placating the conservatives.

Guest Editorial

Strange Bench

A strange scene was enacted recently in a courtroom at Sulphur, La.

The case on the docket was that of a man stopped for doing 42 miles in a 35-mile zone. When Judge E. W. Thompson asked how the defendant pleaded, Thompson left his chair, moved around to the other side of the bench and said, "Guilty, your honor."

He then returned to his chair and fined himself \$17.50. "I felt I needed to be slowed down," Thompson explained.

Well, everyone knows that a physician does not heal himself, and that a cobbler's own shoes never are repaired.

But, a "do-it-yourself" judge? Strange, indeed.

-Lubbock (Tex.) Avalanche-Journal

Holding Of Saigon By South Is Doubtful

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following assessment of the rapidly developing Vietnamese situation was written by AP Special Correspondent Peter Arnett, who has reported the major developments in the Vietnam War since the early 1960s and won a Pulitzer Prize for his coverage.

By PETER ARNETT Associated Press Writer

SAIGON, South Vietnam (AP) - The South Vietnamese government's military debacle in the northern and central part of the country raises strong doubts that it can hold Saigon.

President Nguyen Van Thieu's power base among senior military officers is being rapidly undermined, and political changes could follow more Communist successes, according to informed sources here.

The sources say Thieu may be challenged by generals who believe they can rally South Vietnam's military forces, or by other senior officials who see negotiations with the Communists as the only way to avoid complete disaster for South Vietnam.

Communist forces have increased the number of provinces under their control during the past month from one to 13, and have put more than half of South Vietnam's 20 million population in captivity, on the run or in a position forcing them to

decide soon one course or the other.

Major cities are now prey to Communist attack. Da Nang, South Vietnam's second largest city, fell Sunday, and others along the coast also were crumbling.

Western military analysts see little Thieu can do about it. Should the remaining coastal enclaves fall, the area immediately north of Saigon will be the front line of defense.

Many observers fear the defense of the capital might be as chaotic and fruitless as that of Da Nang, where government troops did not even put up token resistance.

With one-third of the Vietnamese army destroyed, another infantry division in danger of annihilation and hundreds of millions of dollars worth of guns, vehicles, planes and other military equipment abandoned to the Communists, Thieu and his military commanders are left with a minimum of forces to defend Saigon.

Three infantry divisions protect the city, along with two brigades of the airborne division. The Communists oppose them in the jungled war zone just north of the city with five infantry divisions and possibly a sixth and a formidable array of sapper, armor and anti-aircraft units.

Thieu said he abandoned the Central Highlands and then the northern provinces because his forces were hopelessly outnumbered. He is now also outnumbered in the Saigon area.

LOOKING BACK

10 Years Ago

The Harry Berry Construction Company has been granted the contract for paving of the Johnny Robertson Road and the Kline Road in Calloway County.

The Calloway County Spelling Bee will be held April 10 at the courthouse with Leon Grogan as director.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart are observing their 65th wedding anniversary today at their home.

Ray Moffield, assistant to the president of Murray State College, spoke at the meeting of Parks Employees held at Frankfort.

Four school records were set at Murray State won the track meet over Missouri State College.

20 Years Ago

Plans to conduct the first annual Teen-Age Road-E-O were made here last night by the Murray Jaycees, according to Maurice Crass, Jr., president, and O. B. Boone, Jr., Road-E-O chairman.

Mrs. J. M. McKinnon, age 85; mother of Mrs. J. O. Chambers, died at her home at Trimble, Tenn.

Leslie R. Putnam has been appointed as pastor of the Cottage Grove Methodist Circuit.

Births reported include a girl, Kathy Ann, to Mr. and Mrs. James Rogers, March 24, and a girl, Deborah Kay, to Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Garland, March 24.

A kite made of rulers from the J. H. Churchill Funeral Home has been found in Booneville, Miss., according to a letter received yesterday by Ronald Churchill.

Today In History

By The Associated Press

Today is Tuesday, April 1, the 91st day of 1975. There are 274 days left in the year. This is April Fool's Day.

Today's highlight in history: In 1839, Generalissimo Francisco Franco announced that the Spanish Civil War was over, and the United States recognized his government.

On this date: In 1578, the English physician who explained the circulation of blood, William Harvey, was born.

In 1789, the U.S. House of Representatives held its first full meeting, convening in New York City.

In 1918, the Royal Air Force was organized in Britain.

In 1937, Britain separated Burma from India, making it a separate crown colony.

In 1945, in the Pacific war, more than 1,400 ships began the invasion of Okinawa.

Ten years ago: President Lyndon Johnson disclosed jokingly that he had had to borrow money to pay his Federal tax of \$100,000.

Five years ago: France called for a general conference on Indochina to make the area as a whole what the Paris government called "a zone of neutrality and peace."

One year ago: The U.S. Supreme Court upheld a Federal law which requires

banks to report to the government on customers' large financial transactions.

Today's birthday: Actress Debbie Reynolds is 48. Lady Clementine Churchill is 90.

Thought for today: For what is a man profited, if he shall gain the whole world and lose his own soul?—the Bible.

Bible Thought

And as he went, they spread their clothes in the way. Luke 19:36.

Jesus' triumphal entry into our hearts calls for us giving him everything we have.

Isn't It The Truth

by Carl Riblet Jr.

The world is plagued with ostrichism, a reactive ailment peculiar to a large, flightless, pin-headed bird of Africa that shoves its head into the sand when frightened and unable to run away, and is imitated by humans in efforts to cut themselves off from what's going on around them so that they won't be made uncomfortable by knowledge.

Let's Stay Well

Zinc Essential In Diets

By F.J.L. Blasingame, M.D.

The 1974 revision of the federal government's Recommended Dietary Allowance listed zinc for the first time among essential minerals to be included in diets.

Severe zinc deficiency has been noted in the diets of peoples in other parts of the world, especially the Middle East. However, food intake in the United States contains adequate zinc in the majority of instances.

Recent studies revealed inadequate intake of zinc in children in some segments of the population. When the needed zinc was supplied to the children, their health improved, and evidences of zinc deficiency disappeared.

Severe zinc deficiency results in hypogonadism, which leads to

retarded growth, impaired sexual development, and dwarfism. Less severe zinc deficiency causes inadequate growth and impairment of smell (hyposmia) and taste (hypogeusia), as well as delayed wound healing.

The amount of zinc adults need daily is about 10 mg., but 15 mg. are recommended to be certain that enough is absorbed. Pregnancy requires an additional 5 mg. and nursing a baby increases the mother's need by another 10 mg. per day.

No medication is usually required, and any zinc deficiency can be corrected by eating foods rich in this mineral, particularly meats, seafoods, eggs, legumes, and whole grain products. Zinc is less readily available for ab-

sorption from cereals and vegetables, but a balanced diet that includes animal products will provide an adequate supply of zinc.

Q: Mrs. F.T. writes that a physician told her husband he has asthmatic breathing, and she wants to know if that means that he has asthma.

A: In listening to your husband's chest sounds with a stethoscope, the physician probably heard wheezing breath sounds. Asthmatic breathing is characterized by more wheezing during expiration, when the breath is blown out. If your husband has not had recurrent

heart attacks occur every year in the United States. A: The number of heart attacks that occur in the United States annually is about 3,900,000. United Feature Syndicate



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Your Individual Horoscope



Frances Drake

FOR WEDNESDAY,
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Look in the section in which your birthday comes and find what your outlook is, according to the stars.

ARIES
(Mar. 21 to Apr. 20)
Your fine imagination, used constructively, will win out now. Never mind detractors. YOU are one of the UP-graders. Compete: Help form new plans. **TAURUS**
(Apr. 21 to May 21)

In a wide variety of desires, concentrate on the one which offers the greatest possibility of worthwhile success. Seek counsel from experts.

GEMINI
(May 22 to June 21)
Some changes may be proposed. Study everything from an objective viewpoint. Change for its own sake could cost you ground. Think in long-range terms.

CANCER
(June 22 to July 21)
Synchronize endeavors so that persons working with you will cooperate in surer fashion. Crystallize thoughts and plans before swinging into action.

LEO
(July 24 to Aug. 23)
New techniques, novel ventures, unusual methods could bring real advancement. Day especially favors experimentation, pioneering.

VIRGO
(Aug. 24 to Sept. 23)
You may encounter an unusual and somewhat knotty business problem. Don't try to solve it yourself. Consult an expert for guidance.

LIBRA
(Sept. 24 to Oct. 23)
Your lively imagination may be running out of bounds right now. So, in trying to launch your ideas, be sure to separate the fantastic from the feasible.

SCORPIO
(Oct. 24 to Nov. 22)
As with Libra, you also will have to dampen enthusiasm a bit. Excessive optimism could lead you to impractical extremes.

SAGITTARIUS
(Nov. 23 to Dec. 21)
Reject the foolish notions of others. That logical mind of yours will come up with answers that are reasonable and solid.

CAPRICORN
(Dec. 22 to Jan. 20)
Don't get wrought up over the spending habits of a partner—marital or business. With a little thought, compromise is possible.

AQUARIUS
(Jan. 21 to Feb. 19)
This will be one of those days when you'll have to "go at it alone." Cooperation is likely to be spotty or nonexistent. But you can cope.

PISCES
(Feb. 20 to Mar. 20)
You are still in a mood to explore areas off the beaten path, but be careful not to wade beyond your depth. Trends are changing.

YOU BORN TODAY, as a native of Aries, are a quick-thinking and quick-acting individual, highly original in your ideas and endowed with the practicality to carry them out. You are unusually gregarious and make friends with people in all walks of life, but you best enjoy those with whom you can have stimulating and intelligent discussions. You love to travel and could succeed in any occupation which involves journeying afar—doubly so if your trips bring you into contact with many persons. Music is your great forte and, properly educated along this line, you could become an outstanding performer or composer. Other fields which provide a great outlet for your talents include art, literature, statesmanship and science. Also, you are one of the few Arians who have the patience to succeed in the educational field. Birthdate of: Hans Christian Anderson, Danish fabulist; Charlemagne, Roman Emperor and King of the Franks; Emile Zola, author, champion of Albert Dreyfus; Alec Guinness, Eng. film star.

METHUSELAH TREE
The oldest tree in the United States is "Methuselah," a 4,600-year-old bristlecone pine located in California's Inyo National Forest. — CNS

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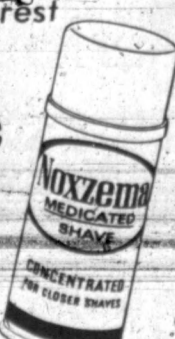
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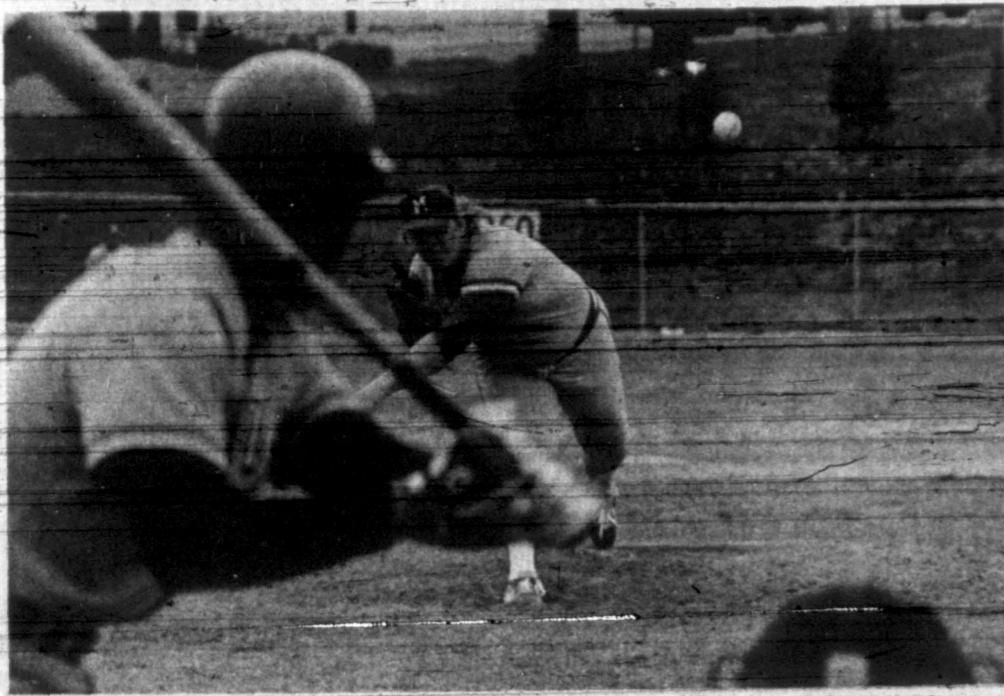
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BIG O ON THE HILL—Randy "Big O" Oliver fires one right down the middle for a hitter from Brown University. Oliver fanned 10 batters and allowed just five hits Monday in pitching the 'Breds to a 14-0 win over Brown.

(Staff Photos by Mike Brandon)

Lakers, Bucks And Knicks All But Out Of Playoff Running

By The Associated Press
When the National Basketball Association season began 5½ months ago, there seemed little doubt that three of the playoff berths would be gobbled up by the Los Angeles Lakers, Milwaukee Bucks and New York Knicks.

Now there's doubt whether any of them will be around when 10 NBA teams begin slicing up the post-season pie.

Took Loss Hard

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Normie Grevey tried, in his own way, to ease the pain he and his friends felt.

The 6-year-old brother of Kevin Grevey, the Kentucky forward who led the Wildcats with 34 points in their NCAA title game defeat to UCLA here Monday, suffered along with his friends. His father, Norman, said the youngster cried when his older brother and the rest of the Wildcats were unable to capture a national championship.

Kevin held his tearful brother in his arms in the quiet dressing room and told him, "Don't worry Normie. You'll be a player someday."

The Lakers are dead, mainly last in the Pacific Division with a record that surpasses only that of the New Orleans Jazz.

The Bucks, last year's finalists against defending champion Boston, are all but dead. They've got to win all four of their remaining games and Detroit must lose all three for Milwaukee to make the playoffs as the Western Conference's wild-card team. In the unlikely event that the Bucks sweep and the Pistons collapse, they'd finish tied with 39-43 records and the Bucks would qualify by having won the season series against Detroit.

But the Pistons can make the whole question academic by beating the Bucks tonight in Milwaukee — or Saturday in Detroit.

The Knicks have at least a reasonable chance for a playoff berth. They're scrambling with the Houston Rockets and Cleveland Cavaliers for the two remaining Eastern Conference berths.

Houston and Cleveland are fighting for second place — an automatic playoff spot — in the Central Division. Whichever team loses that scuffle (Houston has a one-game lead over the Cavaliers with two games apiece to go) will then be matched, record-wise, against the Knicks to see who gets the East's wild card. Right now, the Knicks are in a virtual tie with the Cavaliers, but they have four games to go, one of them Thursday night in Cleveland.

The remaining seven playoff

berths have already been clinched — by the Golden State Warriors, Seattle SuperSonics, Chicago Bulls and Kansas City-Omaha Kings in the West and the Boston Celtics, Buffalo Braves and Washington Bullets in the East. Only a few positions in the final standings — which comes down to a healthy chunk of tough and a home-court playoff advantage — are still to be decided.

The Celtics lead the Bullets by one game in the duel for the best record in the league and in the East. It could be decided when the Bullets play at Boston Friday night.

The Warriors and Bulls are fighting for the top spot in the West. Golden State leads by two games and can lock out Chicago by winning both its remaining games.

Chicago is also in another race, with the Kings for first in the Midwest Division. The Bulls hold a 1½-game edge there.

Murray is now 25-1 for the season, the only loss coming to Iowa State back on March 8. Since that time, the 'Breds have won 18 games in a row.

The record for the most wins in succession was set in 1963, that being 21 wins. The 'Breds are now only four short of snapping the record.

It was also in 1963 when George Dugan, who holds just about every pitching record at Murray, hurled 14 consecutive innings, a mark that stood until Monday when Oliver snapped it.

In the first inning, Brown got two hits off Oliver and had men on at first and third before the big hard-throwing senior from Hazel worked out of the jam.

And from there on out, Oliver was in complete control. He allowed just five hits while fanning 10 men. In his last game, a 14-0 shutout over Rutgers, Oliver sacked up 15 strikeouts.

Murray got on the board in

the first inning when Richie White walked and John Siemanowski followed with a one-out single. Then shortstop Leon Wurth, who had five hits on the day and raised his average to .388, ripped a two-run single, giving the 'Breds a 2-0 lead.

Then in the second inning, it was all fun and games for the 'Breds as they exploded for 12 more runs.

Sophomore first-baseman Don Walker led off the inning with a long shot over the 355-foot sign in leftcenter for a solo homer, giving Murray a 3-0 lead.

After the 'Breds loaded the bases, Jack Perconte walked to force in a run and Siemanowski reached on an error, bringing in another run and giving Murray a 5-0 lead.

Then came the big blow of the

game. Wurth drilled a liner that took off over the head of the Brown centerfielder and rolled to the fence. Three runs came in and Wurth wound up on third with a triple.

Murray added four more tallies in the frame.

In the opening contest, Murray scored a run in the first on Wurth's double and added two in the third on a triple by Perconte and a single by

Siemanowski. Then in the fifth, Murray wrapped the game up with a bases-clearing double by Terry Brown being the big hit.

Durham, gaining his second mound win of the season, allowed just four hits while fanning five and walking four.

Murray will play Brown at 1 p.m. today before hosting tough Providence at 3:30 p.m. On Wednesday, the 'Breds will be playing Purdue and Providence.



TAKING A RIP—Former Murray High star David Hughes take a cut at a pitch in the game against Brown University. Hughes is batting near the .300 mark for the season.

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White-if	3	1	2
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Siemanowski-1f	3	0	1
Wurth-ss	3	1	2
Hughes-3f	3	1	0
Brown-3b	3	0	1
Walker-1b	3	0	1
Derrington-dh	1	0	1
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Second Game			
	ab	r	h
White-if	4	2	0
Perconte-2b	4	2	0
Siemanowski-1f	5	2	2
Wurth-ss	4	1	3
Hughes-3f	2	0	0
Brown-3b	3	1	1
Walker-1b	3	2	1
Derrington-dh	2	2	1
Calhoun-c	3	2	1
Mantooth-3b	1	0	0
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MURRAY LEDGER & TIMES SPORTS

Tired Colonels Keep On Winning, Saddle Spurs

By The Associated Press
Kentucky never gets tired of winning. But the Colonels are getting tired, period.

"We've won seven games in nine days, so you have to feel happy about that. But the fatigue factor is getting to be incredible," said Coach Hubie Brown after Artis Gilmore and the Colonels demolished San Antonio 103-88 Monday night to move into a first-place tie in the East Division of the American Basketball Association with the idle New York Nets.

In the only other ABA game, the Utah Stars beat Virginia 103-97.

"Dan Issel has a foot infection. He was only able to give us about 15 minutes tonight. We're down to seven healthy guys," Brown said.

Without Issel's outside shooting, the Colonels had to rely even more than usual on Gilmore. And the 7-foot-2 center came through in style, pouring in 36 points and hauling down 25 rebounds.

The game was all but decided in the first period, when the Colonels blew out to a 33-18 lead. From then on, the two teams played virtually even. San Antonio, paced by James Silas' 23 points, closed within 11 points late in the third period but a quick burst by Kentucky widened the margin to 18 midway in the fourth period.

Bass, thinking ahead to the playoffs, observed: "Right now, Kentucky is playing a lot better defense. But I've got to say that three weeks ago New York played the best defense against us that I've ever seen in this league."

The only two teams that will sit out the playoffs after regular season play ends next Thursday night are Virginia, last in the East, and San Diego, at the bottom of the West.

against the runner-up, Utah, the defending Western champ but fourth this season, opens the first round at Denver while second-place San Antonio hosts Indiana.

Stars 103, Squires 97
Ron Boone and John Roche combined for 60 points in the Stars' triumph over Virginia. Boone scored 36 points, 20 of them in the second half, and Roche hit 24.

Rookie Moses Malone had 14 of his 18 in the final quarter to add some more Utah punch. Red Robbins paced Virginia with 20.

Washington Named As Tourney MVP

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Richard Washington, a 6-foot-9 sophomore who drilled in 28 points as UCLA downed Kentucky 92-85 for the NCAA basketball championship Monday night, was named the tournament's Most Valuable Player.

Washington was selected by a poll of sports writers and sportscasters covering the 37th annual NCAA tournament here. Washington also was the outstanding player in UCLA's 75-74 semifinal victory over Louisville. He scored 26 points against the Cardinals, including the winning basket with three seconds left in overtime.

Joining Washington on the All-Tournament team were teammate Dave Meyers, who scored 24 points against Kentucky; Kentucky's Kevin Grevey, a 34-point performer in the championship game; Louisville's Allen Murphy, and Syracuse's Jim Lee.

SWIMMING
LONDON — Jenny Turrall of Australia broke the world record in the women's 800-meter freestyle with a time of 17 minutes, 43.48 seconds, taking more than four seconds off the set last August by Jo Harshbarger of the United States.

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Bridgeman Comes Through Late To Give Cardinals Third Place

By GREG GROSS
AP Sports Writer
SAN DIEGO (AP) — Junior Bridgeman waited until almost the end of the NCAA consolation basketball game to make his presence felt against Syracuse.

But when he did, it made all the difference.

The 6-foot-5, 205-pounder from Chicago, Ind., scored 12 of his 21 points in overtime and had two key steals to boost Louisville over the Orangemen 96-88.

After a stirring comeback by underdog Syracuse tied the game 78-78 at the end of regulation play, Bridgeman, who made only three of six shots in the first half, went to work.

He picked off a rebound after Jim Lee missed a 16-foot shot and fed Allen Murphy for a nine-footer that put Louisville ahead. He then ran off six straight points for a 90-86 lead.

And when Syracuse pulled to within two points, Bridgeman intercepted a Lee pass, hit on two free throws, and made another steal to choke off the last of the Syracuse push.

"I think they'll both be great pros because they can both play guard or forward," said Louisville Coach Denny Crum of Bridgeman and Murphy. "They seldom have a bad game because they maintain the same mental approach."

Murphy wound up with 20

points.

After the game, Crum also ended speculation that he would make the move to UCLA to replace the retiring John Wooden.

"I haven't accomplished what I set out to do at Louisville yet," he said.

The heroics of Bridgeman and Murphy nullified a gutsy comeback by the Orangemen, who rallied from a 42-26 half-time deficit to take a 66-65 lead with five minutes left.

"I don't know if we got lulled to sleep with a big lead or if Syracuse played better," Crum said. "Syracuse worked hard at its press and I have to give some credit to them."

Bill Bunton, a 6-8 center, led Louisville with 24 points, but he was overmatched in the second half by Syracuse's Rudy Hackett, a second-team All-American who scored 28 points.

"My team showed character in coming back," said Syracuse Coach Roy Danforth.

Hackett, speedster Jim "Bug" Williams and Lee led the aborted comeback. Lee had 27 points over-all while the 5-10 Williams contributed crucial steals.

"We were sluggish in the first half," said Williams. "We weren't doing what we were supposed to do. We had the last shot at the bucket, but Bridgeman's steal with 41 seconds left was their big break."

Lee said "it seemed like no-body cared" in the first half, but "we got together at half-time and talked about it."

Hackett said Coach Danforth let them think about their performance at the half.

"He said that if we'd played this way in the middle of the season, he'd be yelling and throwing things all over the locker room," said Hackett.

But because this was the last game of the season, he was just going to let us think about it."



AND THE WINNER — Brian Rutter of England crosses ahead for teammates Martyn Brewer (left background) and Clint Strohmeier (right background) in the three-mile run Monday at Stewart Stadium. All three will be running Saturday when the Racers visit Western Kentucky for a dual meet.

(Staff Photos by Mike Brandon)

Bruins Present Wooden Farewell Gift: Title 10

By KEN RAPPOPORT
AP Sports Writer

SAN DIEGO (AP) — And the beat goes on for UCLA, if not for John Wooden. The Maestro and his changing cast of characters — that remarkable duo of wisdom and tenacity — have left an imprint on their sport that will forever be felt.

College basketball's greatest combination, its leader directing his pupils in a textbook display for the last time, showed it had not grown rusty with age, or incapable without a superstar. The team and the man did it for the 10th time in 12 years.

"Everyone would like to go out with a victory," said the

professional Wooden who gave his last lesson Monday night as his beloved Bruins gave their coach a tremendous last hurrah — a 92-85 victory over physical Kentucky in the NCAA's title game.

The fact that the victory is for the national championship... well, that certainly doesn't lessen the pleasure," the 64-year-old Wooden said as he bade farewell to a 40-year coaching career, a love affair with excellence which may never be equalled.

If this UCLA team — one of Wooden's favorites — didn't have a Jabbar or a Walton, it did have something else. The Bruins had Wooden's direc-

tions, his sometimes fiery presence, and with it they played nerveless basketball, exercising an old UCLA tactic called game control.

Wooden switched defenses to cool Kentucky's hot Kevin Grevey. He used his only substitute — 7-foot-1 Raloh Drollinger — to offset Kentucky's powerful bulk. He designed, in a very rare Monday morning practice, a play to free Pete Trgovich, and it was responsible for the Bruins taking control late in the first half after Kentucky had led most of the first 15 minutes.

And then he and the Bruins controlled the game's tempo, shutting off Kentucky every time the Wildcats rallied.

"We hoped to wear 'em down with a fast tempo," said Wooden. "We felt that we had to run on them and keep running. And it worked out exactly as we planned."

Wooden leaped up more than once to argue with officials, particularly when forward Dave Meyers was tagged with a technical, which gave Kentucky's Grevey, who had a game-high 34 points, a one-and-one free throw and the Wildcats would still have the ball.

UCLA led 76-75. Kentucky had just completed a charge that had all but wiped out a 10-point lead which was built by Rich Washington and Meyers, who led UCLA with 28 and 24 points, respectively.

Kentucky blew it. Grevey missed both free throws and the Wildcats threw the ball away when they worked for a shot. They were never closer than three points after that.

"Everyone played very tough," said the 6-foot-8 Meyers, who combined with

Washington and Drollinger to blunt Kentucky's muscle and hold the Wildcats' three huge freshmen centers to eight points.

Catching Meyers' competitive fire were Washington — this tournament's Most Valuable Player — and Drollinger, the three of them combining for 62 points and 36 rebounds.

"When Drollinger came in, it created mismatches for us," Kentucky Coach Joe B. Hall said. "Wooden's power team Drollinger, Meyers and Washington was outstanding."

When Drollinger went into the game, Kentucky, powered by Grevey, was leading. He hit his 18th point of the first half with eight minutes remaining, giving the Wildcats a 31-27 lead.

But with the lineup change, the 6-5 Grevey had to contend with the 6-9 Washington rather than 6-6 Marques Johnson. And the Kentucky ace did not score for the next 18 minutes. By that time, Drollinger was leaving and UCLA was ahead 66-56.

The big men were not alone for the Bruins. Guard Andre McCarter moved quickly with looping passes when UCLA needed speed; he played with caution when Wooden wanted the tempo changed. He had 14 assists.

And there was Trgovich, whose 16 points were primarily the result of a trap play Wooden had worked out in his secret Monday morning practice. It produced five field goals in a five-minute stretch of the first half when the Bruins were turning the game around.

And at the end, there was Johnson, getting critical rebounds, scoring two key baskets.

"It seems impossible that anyone can beat that well-coached Kentucky team with only six players," said Wooden. "But I guess we were a little quicker and had a little more finesse."

And they had Wooden.

Kuhn To Be At Game

CINCINNATI (AP) — Baseball Commissioner Bowie Kuhn plans to attend the opening day baseball game at Riverfront Stadium between the Los Angeles Dodgers and the Cincinnati Reds.

U.S. Sen. Robert Taft Jr., R-Ohio, will throw out the first ball.

The Reds said President Gerald R. Ford had declined an invitation to attend.

Deadline Wednesday For Scout Bass Tournament

Area Bass fishermen are reminded that Wednesday, April 2nd is the deadline to register for the Second Annual Scout Benefit Bass tournament.

All entries must be postmarked no later than April 2nd to qualify according to tournament Coordinator Willis R. Snyder of Owensboro.

The Scout Tournament scheduled for April 12th and 13th will be conducted at Ken Lake State Park as a benefit for the Scouts of Western Kentucky.

The first Tournament of this type ever conducted in America was held last October at Ken Lake and was won by Ralph Morgan of Russellville, Kentucky with a total two day catch of sixteen (16) pounds, nine (9) ounces. Ninety-seven (97) per cent of all fish caught were

weighed and released live back into Kentucky Lake according to Snyder.

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Purcell Wins Little Rock Tourney

Mel Purcell added some more trophies to his already huge collection as he won the Southeastern Junior Invitational Tennis Tournament Sunday in Little Rock, Ark.

Playing in the 16 and under division, Purcell romped through competition in the singles and combined with Chad Foster of Lafayette, La., to win the doubles.

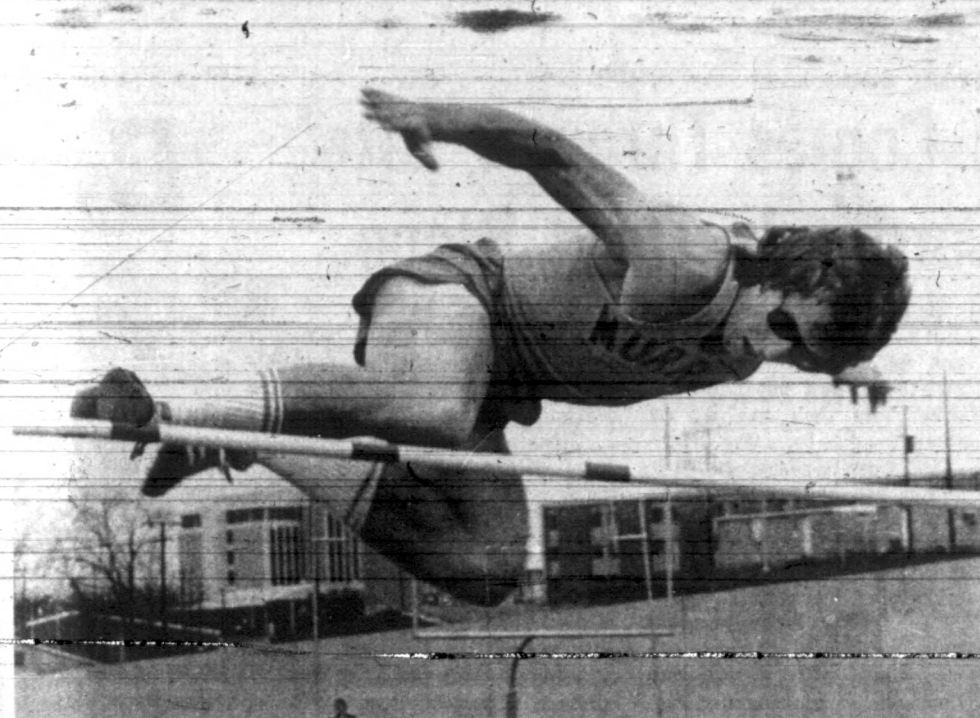
In the first round singles, Purcell, a sophomore at Murray High, romped Dale Tommy of Little Rock 6-9 and 6-0. In the second round, Purcell won 6-4 and 6-2 over Pat Hamilton of Little Rock.

The next victim for Purcell was Steve Hamilton of Kansas in the quarters as Purcell won 6-2 and 6-2. Then in the semifinals, Purcell won in shutout sets over Rob Worley of New Orleans.

The finals was just about as easy as Purcell defeated Mark Shoptaugh of Baton Rouge 6-1 and 6-3 for the singles championship.

Purcell and Foster got a draw in the first round of the doubles and in the quarters, won by default, thus reaching the semifinals without even having played a match.

In the semis, Purcell-Foster won 6-1 and 6-0 over Worley and Jim Hicks of Birmingham. Then in the finals, Purcell and Foster won 7-5 and 6-3 over Nick Forbess and Gus Palafox of Little Rock.



OVER THE TOP—Flip Martin of Murray State has his body well over the bar, which is resting at 7-0 1/2. However, on three tries at the height, Martin hit the bar with his trail leg. His goal is clearing the 7-0 mark before the end of the track season.

(Staff Photos by Mike Brandon)

Racer Tracksters Get Third In Triangular

Despite having one school record broken and another one tied, the Murray State track team finished third in a triangular meet Monday at Stewart Stadium.

Lincoln University won the meet with 69 points, just nipping Western Illinois which had 68. Murray was a very distant third with only 43 points.

Murray had two regulars out with injuries, including sprinter Lester Flax and hurdler Gary Craft.

The new school record came in the high jump where senior Flip Martin cleared 6-10 1/4. Of course, he won the event.

On three tries at 7-0 1/2, Martin actually had the bar cleared but all three times, he just nipped it after he was already over and on his way down. Martin's goal is to clear the 7-0 mark before the Ohio Valley Conference Championships next month.

Patmore Chatham, who has developed into one of the best jumpers ever at Murray, won the long jump with a 23-10 and tied a school mark. Taking fourth place in the event was sophomore Trevor Athill.

Chatham was also a winner in the triple jump where he went 47-4. Third in the event was Kevin Caines who had an effort of 46-10 1/4.

The only other winner Murray had was Brian Rutter in the three-mile run.

Rutter led a sweep of the event, winning in 14:25. In second was Martyn Brewer with a 14:27.6, third was Clint Strohmeier in 14:28.3 and fourth was Gordy Benfield in 14:52.9.

Running open in the event was Sam Torres, a former All-American at Murray State. He won the race with a 14:12 but since he is no longer on the track team at Murray, his finish was not recorded.

With the exception of a third-place finish by Mike Campbell in the 440, Murray was shutout in all of the running events under the mile. Campbell had a 49.6.

In the mile, Brewer was second with a 4:16.1 while Benfield was third just .7 second behind Brewer.

In the field events, Steve Ford's 50-6 earned a second in the shot put while in the pole vault, Norman de Caussin was second with a 13-6 and Flip Martin, trying the event just for the heck of it, was fourth with an 11-6.

Murray will be at Bowling Green Saturday for a dual meet against one of the top teams in the nation, Western Kentucky.



FAMILIAR SCENE—This was a familiar scene for the past two years in Murray State track with Sam Torres winning a race. However, this picture was taken Monday. Torres ran "Open" in a triangular meet at Stewart Stadium and outran the field in the three-mile run. Behind Torres is standout Sonny Wilburn of Lincoln Land College of Springfield, Ill. Wilburn was also running "Open".

Marathoners Do Well At Weekend Nashville Race

Four members of the Murray Marathoners represented the local running club at the Sixth Annual Music City Run in Nashville, Tennessee this past weekend. The event attracted over 500 competitors of all ages from many states.

The nationally known event, notable for its hilliness, consisted of three races of 1.6, 5.8, and 11.2 miles, and was held at the Percy Warner park.

In his first post-high school competition Bob Hancock, a freshman at Murray State

University, placed 13th in the Open division of the 11.2 mile race with a time of one hour 12 minutes and 24 seconds. Running in the same race was Dr. Adam Lanning of the department of sociology and anthropology at MSU. Lanning took second place in the Master's (40-50) division in 1:16:55.

Rev. Martin Mattingly of St. Leo's Church, and Dewey Seigler, a standout two-miler as a sophomore at Murray H.S. last year, competed against more than 80 runners in the tough 5.8 mile race.

Mattingly, running for the first time since last fall due to a foot injury sustained in the Andrew Jackson marathon, finished sixth in the Master's division and 57th overall in 49:01. Seigler finished in 20th place in the fine time of 38:23.

Dr. Lanning and former MSU graduate student Mark Bauman, now a teacher in Largo, Florida, plan to renew their friendship when they meet in Boston on Patriot's Day, April 21st, to run in America's oldest, continuously run long-distance race, the Boston Marathon. Bauman and Lanning, the first and second presidents of the Murray Marathoners, ran at Boston last year in the grueling 26.2 mile event.

Other races upcoming which will have local representation are the Kentucky Derby Festival 13.1 mile "mini-marathon" at Louisville on April 28th, the Georgetown (Ky.) Marathon on May 28th, and the Governor's Regatta Road Race, a 10-miler at Owensboro in June.

For those interested in age-group competition, the Murray Marathoners welcomes all inquiries and suggests that he or she contact any member of the club for information.

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 - Period of time
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 - Place
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The family of Bob Evans wishes to acknowledge with grateful appreciation the many expressions of sympathy and concern extended them at the time of his death on March 26, 1975. Mrs. George T. Bonner Mrs. L. D. Nance The Grandchildren

WE WISH to express our most sincere thanks to our neighbors, friends, relatives, for the many deeds of kindness extended to us during the illness and death of Carlin Riley, our Dad, Granddad, Great Grandad and Brother.

Special thanks to all the nurses on the second floor, Intensive Care Unit of the Murray-Calloway County Hospital, and Dr. Clark, and Dr. Marquardt. Also to Rev. Terry Sills for his words of comfort and to Mrs. William Edwards for the music. We wish to thank each one who helped in any way to ease our burden of sorrow. Thanks to Blalock-Coleman Funeral Home for their services. May God bless each of you. The family of Carlin Riley, Children, Grandchildren, Great Grandchildren, Brothers and Sisters.

WE WOULD like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who helped in any way during the illness and death of our loved one, Ida Williams. A very special thanks to Dr. Hal Houston who was so faithful for so long. To Dr. Hugh Houston, to all the nurses who were so nice. A special thanks to Bro. Smotherman and Bro. Turner for their words of comfort. To the pallbearers. To all the friends and neighbors who sent food and flowers. God bless each and everyone of you. The children and grandchildren

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WELL, MY NAME IS LINUS AND THIS IS SNOOPY... HE'S SORT OF AN UNUSUAL DOG...

CAN HE DO TRICKS?

SEE THIS COIN? NOW WATCH CAREFULLY.

NANCY

NANCY, GO TO BED... YOU NEVER GET ENOUGH SLEEP.

YOU GET UP VERY EARLY AND YOU GO TO BED VERY LATE.

REMEMBER, YOU CAN'T BURN A CANDLE AT BOTH ENDS.

YES I CAN.

BETTYE BAILEY

OH, Golly, HERE COMES SOMEONE!

THEY LOVE TO CATCH ME NOT WORKING!

BEAT IT! NOT A SINGLE PAPER ANYWHERE!

YES!!

THE PHANTOM

IN THE CAVELANDS...

HISSSS...

ENRAGED... THE MONSTER CHARGES...

YOW-HISS

AND GRABS HIM IN A CRUSHING GRIP!

HISSSS...

BLONDIE

HERE'S AN INTERESTING ITEM

IT'S ABOUT A FELLOW WHO TAUGHT HIS PET CHICKEN TO WALTZ

THAT'S SILLY

YOU'D THINK THE CHICKEN WOULD BE TOO SHORT FOR HIM

LIL ABNER

ONE FINAL TRIFLING INSTRUCTION! IT IS FORBIDDEN TO TOUCH THE COO—

GULP!—AH! GOTTA FIGHT AN OPPONENT AH CAINT TOUCH?

WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

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Deaths and Funerals

Mrs. James Darnell Dies This Morning

Mrs. James Noel (Estelle Darnell) Bazzell of Farmington Route One died this morning at the Western Baptist Hospital, Paducah. She was 59 years of age.

Survivors include her husband, James Noel Bazzell; two daughters, Mrs. Porter (Anna) Mangrum, Mayfield Route Six, and Mrs. Milton (June) Cochran, Farmington Route One; five grandchildren, Mrs. Valerie Mangrum Deik, Bob Mangrum, Carol Mangrum, Dennis Cochran, and Allen Cochran; one great grandchild.

Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Ola Brown, Murray, and Mrs. Lola Smith, Farmington Route One; seven brothers, Tommy, Herman, Hess, Kodie, and Stanley, Darnell, all of Farmington Route One, Herbert Darnell of Leavittsburg, Ohio, and Homer G. Darnell of Lincoln Park, Mich.

The Blalock-Coleman Funeral Home will have charge of the funeral arrangements.

Reuben T. Berkley Dies At Hospital;

Rites Wednesday

Reuben Taylor Berkley of Route One, Buchanan, Tenn., died Monday at four p. m. at the Murray-Calloway County Hospital. He was 68 years of age.

The deceased was a farmer in the Buchanan community. Born November 7, 1906, in Henry County, Tenn., he was the son of the late Thomas R. Berkley and Maggie Robinson Berkley.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Mary Sturdivant Berkley; one daughter, Miss Ruby Fay Berkley, Chicago, Ill.; two sons, Ronnie K. Berkley, Elgin, Ill., and Curtis C. Berkley, Murray; three sisters, Mrs. Gabriella Outland, Hazel, Mrs. Stella Rind, Raleigh, N. C., and Mrs. Louise McClure, Ypsilanti, Mich.; three brothers, Walter Berkley, Knoxville, Tenn., and Sidney Berkley, Covington, Ga.; two grandchildren, David Allen and Todd Jamason Berkley.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. at the chapel of the McEvoy Funeral Home, Paris, Tenn., with Bro. Charlie Sweatt officiating. Burial will be in the Hillcrest Cemetery there.

Palbearers will be Keys Jackson, C. L. Cherry, Sims Garner, Lindsey Roberts, Wilburn Clayton, and Joe Hal Stan. Friends may call at the funeral home.

Mrs. Herndon Dies Monday; Rites To Be Held At Church

Mrs. James H. (Juanita) Herndon of 810 Broad Street, Murray, died Monday at 2:05 p. m. at the Murray-Calloway County Hospital. She was 45 years of age and had been in ill health for several years.

The deceased was a member of the Seventh and Poplar Church of Christ. She and her husband, who survives, were married December 24, 1953. Born July 3, 1929, in Calloway County she was the daughter of Earnest Phillips and Cosie Outland Phillips.

Survivors are her husband and one daughter, Miss Debra Gail Herndon, 810 Broad Street; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Phillips, Murray Route Five; four sisters, Mrs. Ernestine Norman, Murray, Miss Marion Phillips, Murray Route Five, Mrs. Glen (Evelyn) Koerber, Belleville, Mich., and Mrs. Houston (Hazel) Ray, Murray Route Four; six brothers, R. J. Phillips, Plymouth, Mich., Mozelle, Edward, and Joe Phillips, Murray, Garvin Phillips, Murray Route Four, and Harold Phillips, Murray Route Eight.

The funeral will be held Wednesday at two p. m. at the Seventh and Poplar Church with Bro. John Dale and Bro. Hollis C. Miller officiating.

Palbearers will be J. H. Walston, Earl Nanny, Sam Calhoun, Jerry Humphreys, Larry Hurt, and Bernice Wisheart. Burial will be in the Murray Cemetery with the arrangements by the Blalock-Coleman Funeral Home where friends may call.

Mrs. Johansen's Rites Wednesday

The funeral for Mrs. Mabelle Ward Johansen of 321 South 13th Street, Murray, will be held Wednesday at eleven a. m. at the chapel of the Blalock-Coleman Funeral Home with Rev. Jerrell White officiating.

Palbearers will be Gordon Moody, Claude Miller, Luther Nance, Mahlon Frizzell, Scott McNabb, and Everett Ward Outland. Burial will be in the Murray City Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home.

Mrs. Johansen, age 63, died Sunday at the Murray-Calloway County Hospital.

She is survived by her husband, James Johansen, Murray, one son, Robert Charles Johansen, one sister, Mrs. G. B. Jones, one brother, Robert Ward, three aunts, two nieces, and one nephew.

Final Rites Held For Mr. Latham

Final rites for William Lewis Latham of Mayfield are being held today at one p. m. at the Pleasant Valley Baptist Church in Hickman County with Rev. Cecil King and Rev. David Brasher officiating.

Russell Willie, Earl Murphy, C. J. O'Neil, Terry Holder, W. A. Bugg and Wayne Garland are serving as pallbearers and burial will be in the church cemetery.

Mr. Latham, age 72, died Sunday. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Bertha Latham, two daughters, Mrs. Florentine Latham, and Mrs. Catherine Parker, one son, Hubert Latham of Calloway County, three sisters, one brother, three grandchildren, and one great grandchild.

Mrs. Provine Dies; Rites, Wednesday

Mrs. Will Ella Provine, age 63, of Route Two, Paris, Tenn., sister of Tommy Cavitt of Murray, died Saturday at her home.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. at Birds Creek Baptist Church with Rev. James Williams officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Williams and Rawls Funeral Home, Paris, has charge of the arrangements and visitation will be today from noon to eight p. m.

A native Tennessean, Mrs. Provine was born August 16, 1911, a daughter of the late George and Annie Ellis Diggs. She was a member of the Birds Creek Baptist Church.

Survivors are her husband, James Provine, and a daughter, Mrs. Willie Dean Travis, Paris, Tenn.; stepson, Carnell Jones, Mayfield; two half sisters, Mrs. Augusta Payne, Paris, Tenn., and Mrs. Salley P. Johnson, Evansville, Ind.; three brothers, George Diggs of Paris, Tenn., Jerry Diggs of Martin, Tenn., and Tommy Cavitt of Murray; three grandchildren.

Charlie Rowland Is Dead At Age 78

Charlie Rowland of 208 Elm Street, Murray, died Monday at 10:30 p. m. at the Convalescent Division of the Murray-Calloway County Hospital.

He was 78 years of age and was preceded in death by his wife, Mrs. Cora Rowland, on February 17 of this year. He was a member of the Grace Baptist Church. Born August 6, 1896, in Calloway County, he was the son of the late Robert M. Rowland and Mary Frances Payne Rowland.

Mr. Rowland is survived by five daughters, Mrs. Noble (Louise) Bray, 306 South Third Street, Murray, Mrs. Thomas (Nadine) Hendon, Murray Route Five, Mrs. Brant (Jessie) Hill, Fort Wayne, Ind., Mrs. Clyde (Wanda) Willoughby, Murray Route Three, and Mrs. Lonnie (Carolyn) Garland, Union City, Tenn.; three sons, Robert Rowland, Evansville, Ind., Joe Pat Rowland, Panama City, Fla., and Hubert Rowland, Louisville; thirty-five grandchildren; twenty-five great grandchildren.

The funeral will be held Wednesday at two p. m. at the chapel of the Max Churchill Funeral Home with Rev. R. J. Burpoe and Rev. Gerald Owen officiating. Music will be by the Grace Baptist Church Choir.

Grandsons will serve as pallbearers and burial will be in the Elm Grove Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home.



Hutson Chemical Company, Inc. hosted the dinner for the Lynn Grove Adult Farmer Class on Monday at Perkins Pancake House. Pictured, left to right, are Max Workman, class president, Billy Smith, company vice-president, Carroll M. Rogers, class vice-president, Hyland Darnell, class secretary, Dan Hutson, company president, and James Lawson, principal of Murray Area Vocational School.

Staff Photo by Jo Burkeen

Lon Noll Leaves To Pave Way For Peace Talks With Rebels

PHNOM PENH, Cambodia (AP) — With insurgent shells exploding only 100 yards from his plane, Cambodian President Lon Nol left his country today in a move to pave the way for peace talks with the Communist-led rebels.

He stopped briefly in Thailand, then flew to the Indonesian capital of Jakarta in a jet belonging to the state-owned Indonesian oil corporation, Pertamina.

After an hour's stay at the Jakarta airport's VIP room, he and his entourage took off for the Indonesian island of Bali accompanied by Indonesian Foreign Minister Adam Malik.

Lon Nol will spend the next 10 days relaxing in a mountain top summer palace overlooking lush green valleys on Bali, then continue on to the United States.

As he left Phnom Penh, the Indian government recognized Prince Norodom Sihanouk's government in exile as the government of Cambodia.

At the same time, former Cambodian President Cheng Heng arrived in Paris and said he hoped for a quick cease-fire in his homeland. Both Cheng Heng and Lon Nol were marked for death by the Cambodian rebels.

The ailing, 61-year-old Lon Nol and an entourage of 27, including Premier Long Boret and their families, took off in a jetliner for Thailand as insurgent rockets fell on Phnom Penh airport.

Military sources said the government operation against the insurgent firing positions northwest of the airport was "temporarily suspended" as troops were moved back to bolster the capital's northern defense line.

Carroll Campaign Headquarters To Open

The headquarters for the Julian Carroll for Governor Campaign in Calloway County will officially open on Thursday, April 3, 1975. The headquarters is located at North Fifth Street, adjacent to the Houston-McDevitt Clinic and will be open from 2:00 to 5:00 p. m.

Bill Cox, state campaign chairman for Julian Carroll, will be present at the opening. All persons interested are invited to attend.

STOCK MARKET

Prices of stock of local interest at noon EDT, today, furnished to the Ledger & Times by First of Michigan, Corp., of Murray, are as follows:

U. S. Homes	6 1/2
Kaufman & Broad	5 3/4
Ponderosa Systems	8
Kimberly Clark	29 1/2
Ashland Oil	56 1/2
Union Carbide	68 1/2
W. R. Grace	24 1/2
Texasco	24 1/2
General Elec.	46 1/2
GAF Corp.	39 1/2
Georgil Pacific	39 1/2
Pfizer	31 1/2
Jim Walters	31 1/2
Kirsch	15 1/2
Danney	45 1/2
Franklin Mint	18 1/2

Prices of stocks of local interest at noon today furnished to the Ledger & Times by I. M. Simon Co. are as follows:

Airco	14 1/2
Amer. Motors	5 1/2
Ashland Oil	56 1/2
Al. T. & T.	68 1/2
Boise Cascade	15 1/2
Ford	36 1/2
Gen. Motors	40 1/2
Gen. Tire	17 1/2
Goodrich	17 1/2
Gulf Oil	13 1/2
Quaker Oats	12 1/2
Singer	12 1/2
Tappan	5 1/2
Western Union	17 1/2
Zenith	17 1/2

Five howitzer rounds exploded 100 yards away as Lon Nol was helped from a helicopter that took him to the airport from his presidential palace. He walked about 10 yards with the aid of a cane and waved weakly before three escorts helped him up the steps into the Air Cambodge Caravale.

The party flew to Thailand to board an Indonesian air force plane there for the flight to Indonesia. Indonesian Foreign Minister Adam Malik said the Cambodian president would rest for 10 days in Indonesia and then would go to the United States.

Although he retains the title of president, Lon Nol is not expected to return to Cambodia. He led the coup that overthrew Prince Norodom Sihanouk and is on the Khmer Rouge death list.

"I am leaving ... to pave the way for a peace settlement," he told his top generals at a farewell meeting at his palace Monday.

"The country now needs your leadership. I ask for your unity in solving the problems to the best of your abilities."

Illinois Man Is Jailed In Paducah Church Shooting

PADUCAH, Ky. (AP) — An Illinois man was jailed under \$100,000 bond in connection with a fatal shooting in a Paducah church.

Frank Wiley of Brookport, Ill., was charged with murder Monday and lodged in the McCracken County Jail.

Sheriff Harold Cole said Wilson Gunn, 57, of Paducah was wounded fatally while attending a service at the Southland Baptist Temple.

Gunn was shot after a man ran through the side door into the church. The assailant fled, firing once at a man who pursued him, and escaping in a car driven by a woman, Cole said.

Wiley was apprehended at Brookport in Southern Illinois. He waived extradition Sunday night and was returned to McCracken County authorities.

Federal State Market Report

Federal State Market News Service, Saturday March 29, Murray, Ky.
Murray Livestock Market: Livestock weighed on arrival.
Compared to Last Week: Slaughter cows \$1.00 higher, feeders \$1.00-1.50 higher.
Slaughter Cows: Utility \$18.00-22.00, Culler \$17.00-19.00, Canner \$14.00-17.00.
Feeder Steers: Choice 300-500 lbs. \$22.00-25.00, 500-800 lbs. \$25.00-28.00, Good 300-500 lbs. \$19.00-22.00, 500-800 lbs. \$22.00-25.00.
Feeder Heifers: Good 200-500 lbs. \$20.00-23.00.

Purchase Area Hog Market

Federal State Market News Service April 1, 1975
Kentucky Purchase Area Hog Market Report Includes 9 Buying Stations
Receipts: Act 94 Fed. 700 Barrows & Gilts mostly \$1 lower Sows under 450 lbs. 50¢ lower, over 450 lbs. \$1 lower
US 1-2 200-230 Lbs. \$38.50-39.00 few at \$39.25
US 3 190-240 Lbs. \$38.00-38.50
US 240-260 Lbs. \$37.25-38.00
US 34 260-280 Lbs. \$36.75-37.25
Sows
US 1-2 270-350 Lbs. \$32.50-33.50
US 1-3 300-450 Lbs. \$32.00-33.00
US 1-3 450-650 Lbs. \$35.00-36.00
US 1-3 650-800 Lbs. \$31.00-32.00
Boars \$26.00-28.00

LAKE DATA
Kentucky Lake, 7 a.m. 361.0, up 0.5. Below dam 339.1; up 0.1.
Barkley Lake, 7 a.m. 361.0, up 0.5. Below dam 347.5, down 1.5. Sunset 7:18 p.m., sunrise 6:43 a.m.

Hutson Company Host For Lynn Grove Class

Members of the Lynn Grove Adult Farmer Class, their wives, and guests were entertained with a dinner at Perkins Pancake House on Monday, March 31, at seven p. m. by the Hutson Chemical Company, Inc.

Max Workman, class president, presided and gave the invocation. Other officers are Carroll M. Rogers, vice-president, and Hyland Darnell, secretary, who were reelected, along with Workman, for another year at the Monday meeting.

W. H. Brooks, teacher of the class which now meets at the Murray Area Vocational School, spoke of the class work and expressed appreciation to the Hutson Chemical Company for sponsoring the dinner.

Dan Hutson, president of the company, welcomed the group and introduced his wife, and other members of the company and staff present who were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Smith, Dan Hutson II, Miss Ada Sue Hutson, Miss Beverly Brittain, Mrs. Rozella Williams, Miss Debbie Keen, Mr. and Mrs. Lester

Burnett, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lamb. Gifts were presented by the company to the members and guests. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burkeen, and Mr. and Mrs. James Lawson.

Class members are Thomas Lee Armstrong, Glenn Crawford, Bill Collins, Leon Cooper, Hyland Darnell, Hubert Deering, James Dixon, Gail L. Doran, Udell Erwin, Steve Ernstberger, Herman K. Ellis, Joe Fridy, Joe Bill Fridy, Thurston Furches, William Gargus, James Harris, C. E. Jones, Clifton L. Jones, Glenn Kelso, Tom Lewellyn, Clifton McCallon, Alfred H. Murdock, Bill Edd Murdock, Thomas Murdock, William N. Murdock, Ray Murdock, Eugene Nance, Jerry Don Nance, Don Overby, Marvin Parks, Jamie Potts, Carroll M. Rogers, Duane E. Rogers, Steve Rogers, Steve Rowland, Richard Spann, Robert Wright, Max Workman, Eddie Workman, Howard Wendt, W. P. West, and Tommy West.

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