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Polio Fund Drive Gets Underway

symbol of the state which is familiar to all Kentuckians. It is the 1954 March of Dimes campaign, which this year is being held on an unprecedented scale of \$75,000,000 a year.

Governor Wetherby, in ceremony Chairman John D. Darby, Frankfort, turned over to the fund-raising campaign the plot of burley tobacco which state raises behind the State Capitol for exhibition to tourists.

Receipts from the sale of the tobacco will be received by the Franklin County March of Dimes during January.

Kentuckians were called upon by the Governor to lead the way in January toward a fund-raising effort which for the first time in history will finance a polio prevention program inaugurated by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis at an estimated cost in 1954 of \$10,000. This program will use the use of a polio vaccine which is to be mass-tested on children this winter in Kentucky throughout the country.

The Governor reminded Kentuckians that the state's share of the national fund will be \$6,000 or about 50 percent of the total raised last year when \$12,000 was contributed.

Support of every March of Dimes activity conducted in the county will leave no doubt to a successful campaign, Governor Wetherby concluded.

H Girls To Hold Luncheon Saturday

Luncheon has been planned for the 4-H Club girls, leaders and mothers of 4-H girls on Saturday, Jan. 9 at 10 a.m. at the Community Building at Benton. Edith Lacy, field agent of 4-H Club work, University of Kentucky, will meet with the girls. Medals will be presented to the county champions and will be presented to the girls who received blue ribbons in county style show.

Calvert City 7th grade club girls will furnish music at the program.

ENTS HOME FROM MURRAY STATE COLLEGE

Students from this county who are attending Murray State College are:

Julia Cole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole; Miss Mims, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Mims; Miss Evers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Evers; Dale Egan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Egan; Daffene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daffene; Pat Eley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eley; Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clark; Jerry Don Walcott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walcott; Nick Marsh, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Marsh; Bob Egan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Egan; and Billy Joe Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. Young.

Ben Cannon of the U. of K. and Ben Cannon of the Western College, Bowling Green, and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cannon in Benton.

Daffene Butler of the Benton College, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Butler.

Coulter Has Home Of Andparents

Miss Joanna Coulter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coulter, celebrated her fourth birthday Monday with a party at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Phillips.

Cream and cake was served to the following guests: Mrs. Simmons, Vicki Wyatt, and Mimi Craynon, Betsy Cain, Judy Cooksey, Jeanne Egan, Barbara Copeland, Toni Egan, Angela Austin, Sherry Egan, Beverly and Pamela Egan and Joanna Coulter.

Miss Audrey Pace Host Of Honor At Christmas Party

Miss Audrey Pace was guest of honor at a Christmas party given during the Christmas days at the Kenlake Hotel.

Games were played, prizes were given, and delicious refreshments were served. Music furnished by the band.

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Benton, Ky., January 7, 1954

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Council Names Joe Faughn New City Police Chief

Benton's new City Council, in its first session Monday night at City Hall, named Joe Faughn as police chief to succeed Neal Owens.

The Council retained the town's two policemen, Charles Carroll and Bobby McCrady.

Faughn officially began his duties Tuesday morning, and will appear in uniform as soon as he can get fitted.

The Council also named Herman McGregor as street and water foreman. Previously, these duties have been supervised by the police chief.

Dale LeNeave, veteran chief of the Fire Department, was re-employed by the Council.

Joe Williams, city clerk, also was retained.

Mrs. Stella Foust Enjoys Visit With Long Lost Brother

Mrs. Stella Foust of Route 6 had one of her happiest Christmas.

She received a greeting card from a brother, Harry Williams, from whom his family had not heard in 10 years. He is residing in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Foust and her son, Alvie, and her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Fiel, immediately drove to Oklahoma and enjoyed a visit with Mr. Williams.

Miss Phyllis Nelson student of the University of Kentucky at Lexington spent the Christmas holidays in Benton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson.

Rural Telephone Co-op Hearing On Application Is Set For Jan. 27

The Kentucky Public Service Commission has set January 27 for hearing of the West Kentucky Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., application for certificates of convenience and necessity and other matters.

When the Cooperative completes this transaction with the Commission and gets the required amount of equity payments deposited in the bank, it will be in a position to reorganize money and move into the construction part of the program, which means that in early spring there will be staking crews in each community and other visible work that will make people see that soon they will have a telephone.

One or two of the units are out in front as far as equity payments are concerned. Fairdeal is one of them. Since we are in an area more or less by ourselves, it is in our favor that we continue getting more equity payments. The more we have the better opportunity our community will have being the beginning point of the construction work, and if anyone is able to talk before others, we hope we will be the first.

Ellis Vance Of Brewers Dies In Mayfield Tuesday

Ira Ellis Vance, 72 years of age, died Tuesday, January 5, at the Fuller-Gilliam Hospital in Mayfield.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the Filbeck-Cann Funeral Home Chapel. The Rev. Paul Lyles of Murray and the Rev. B. J. Barron of the Brewers Circuit officiated. Burial was made in the Brewers Cemetery.

Besides his widow, he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Palmer Lyles of Carrollton, Ky.; a son, Gordon Vance, of Paducah; a half-sister, Mrs. John Cathcart of Hazel and three grandchildren.

Nichols Is New Master Of Lodge

K. A. Nichols is the new worshipful master of T. L. Jefferson Lodge No. 622 of Benton.

Other officers are: Ralph Vaughn, senior warden; Leonard Hill, junior warden; Buck Brien, senior deacon; E. P. Allen, junior deacon; Chester Ray Powell and Joe Tom Halton, stewards.

Others elected are J. Frank Young, chaplain; James R. Cope, tiler; Joe Williams, treasurer; and Louis O'Daniel, secretary.

Leona Dowdy Is Buried New Year's Day

Mrs. Leona Dowdy, 65, died early morning of Dec. 30 at her home in Benton. She had suffered a stroke.

Funeral services were held New Year's Day at the Filbeck-Cann Funeral Chapel. The Rev. J. J. Gough officiated. Burial was made in the Benton Cemetery.

Survivors include her step-mother, Mrs. Annie Gilson of Benton Route 5; four daughters, Mrs. Aaron Hamlet of Benton Route 2, Mrs. Louis Holley and Mrs. Joe Niles of Benton Route 4, Mrs. Varnell Pitt of Benton; three sons, Ellis and James Dowdy of Benton and Herschel Dowdy of Benton Route 2; one sister, Mrs. Lulu Nance of Peoria, Ill.; four half-sisters, Mrs. Alice Holt of Benton, Mrs. Ethel Jones and Mrs. Imogene Freeman of Benton Route 5, Mrs. Clara Cope, way of Benton Route 1; two half-brothers, Dallas Gilson of Walled Lake, Mich., and Leon Gilson of Benton; ten grandchildren.

Homemakers Of Cherry Grove Hold Annual Yule Party

The annual Christmas party of the Cherry Grove Homemakers was held in the home of Mrs. Aaron Ivy on Wednesday night, Dec. 16. The home was beautifully decorated for the holiday season.

The party was very much enjoyed by eight members and eight visitors. Gifts were exchanged and Sunshine friends revealed. The major lesson on "Clothing and Accessories" was given by the clothing leaders, Mrs. Rubie Cope and Mrs. Hollie Cole.

The next meeting will be held the third Thursday in January at the home of Mrs. Wesley Stone at 10 o'clock.

Aurora P-TA Will Offer 3-Act Play In The Near Future

The Aurora P-TA held a called meeting the night of Jan. 4 and made plans to present a three-act play in the near future.

Popluck supper was served at the meeting.

The P-TA program committee met Dec. 30 at the home of J. L. Hicks.

The P-TA held its annual Christmas program and tree at the school building in December.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fleming left Sunday for Chicago where they will attend the Furniture Market.

Eugene Craynon and daughters Laura and Mini spent the past weekend in Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ford of Calvert City are the parents of a son born last week at a Paducah Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Cole of Detroit visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Cole in Benton and other relative last week.

Mrs. Frances Smith was injured in a fall at home on Benton Route 3 during the past week.

The Ollie Hensons of Route 5 were Saturday visitors in Benton.

Mrs. George Sautley and children of Stanford, Ky., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bradley and children of Lenoir City, Tenn., were guests during the past week of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lovett in Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Creason and children of Blountville, Tenn., were guests during the holidays of his mother, Mrs. Zelma Creason. They all were guests Christmas last at a sister of Mrs. Creason in Wickliffe, Mrs. George Lovett.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Sanders visited relatives and friends in Detroit, Mich., during the past two weeks.

Mrs. Ruth Cothron of Myers-town had as her Christmas guests: her children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Binkley of Galatin, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson of Millington, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ringold of Sellersburg, Ind., Jasper Cothran of Birmingham, Ala., and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nannery of Murray.

Mrs. B. O. Walker visited her father in Wickliffe, Ky., during the past week.

Denny Gillilan is slowly improving at his home on Route 5 after a several week's serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cole of Detroit were recent visitors in Benton and the county.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Miller of Murray and Mr. and Mrs. Russ Phelps of Mississippi were guests during the holiday of Miss Lute Brown, who is ill at her home on Route 5.

Mrs. H. D. Dublin has returned from Chattanooga, Tenn., where she spent the Christmas holidays.

Miss Betty Brandon visited her brother, David in Louisville last week and attended the K. I. B. Tournament.

Miss Betty Smith of Dyersburg, Tenn., was the week-end guest of Betty Brandon. They returned to Murray Sunday where they both are Southerners in Murray State College.

New Directors Named By Benton Banks

J. Brandon Price, a Paducah attorney and former resident of Benton, was named a new director of the Bank of Marshall County at the December meeting of the bank's directors.

Price is a son of the late Joe L. Price, former circuit judge and long-time president of the Bank of Marshall County.

R. R. McWaters, Benton contractor, was elected a new director of the Bank of Benton.

Both banks re-elected all other officers and directors at their December meetings.

Both banks also declared year-end dividends of 6 percent to stockholders, and both banks issued excellent financial statements, which appear on other pages of The Marshall Courier.

Junior High Team Beats Briensburg Basketball Quint

Benton Junior High basketball team was handed its second defeat of the season by a well-trained Briensburg team. Although Gammell, 6'2" center, racked up 30 points for a record, the Indians were not able to make the well-balanced scoring attack led by Bragg, who made 21 points.

In the last minute or two of play, Briensburg had a comfortable lead and by playing possession ball in the back court they were able to keep their lead and win over the Indians, 77 to 70.

Benton, however, got revenge by taking the B-team game by a one-point margin. In the closing seconds, Briensburg went ahead 32-31. A 10-foot jump shot gave the Indians the victory. Final score on the game was Briensburg 22, Benton 23.

W. F. Goheen Rites Are Held Wednesday

W. F. (Uncle Billy) Goheen, 88, died Monday at 10 a.m. at his home on Bloomer Avenue in Paducah.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Briensburg Church of Christ with Lake Riley officiating.

Mr. Goheen was born in Graves County and moved to Paducah 15 years ago. He was a member of the Church of Christ and the carpenters and painters union.

He is survived by three sons, Charles Goheen, Calvert City, Frank Goheen, Paducah, Leona Goheen, Benton; five daughters, Mrs. Nellie Stark, Paducah, Mrs. Bertha Holland, Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. Lou Willie Wyatt, Benton, Mrs. Naomi Brooke, Los Angeles, Mrs. Floyd Pirtle, Los Angeles; 212 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Dublin had as their New Year guest for dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pool. Their afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Dublin and Mrs. Lloyd Dublin were shoppers in Paducah Wednesday.

Advice For New Year On The Farm Is Given By County Agent

By J. HOMER MILLER

The New Year brings on new jobs to be done now. This is a good time to:

1. Get the baby chicks. This would give laying hens in good production in July.
2. Order pine trees to set this spring.
3. Clean up fence rows and repair or build fences.
4. Start building plant beds if it hasn't already been done.
5. Get the soil tested and find out what plant foods are needed for this year's crop.
6. Order fertilizer and get it delivered to the farm. It is better to have it when you need it.
7. Buy grass and legume seed for spring seeding.
8. Finish checking the farm machinery to make sure it is ready for spring work.

9. Plan the home garden and get seeds for spring planting.

10. Recess the lawn with blue grass and fertilize the grass.

Jess McNeely reports starting the New Year by plowing all day. "I decided I might as well get started early since I would have to do all the work myself."

Bob Cone was busy the latter part of last week mulching strawberry. If this job hasn't been done it should be as soon as possible.

Roy Schmaus bought a truck load of cedar posts and is doing some fencing on his farm.

Orders are now being taken for hay at the FMA office.

Place your order now for pine seedlings at this office, 40,000 have been ordered to date.

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Fire Damages Holland House Here Sunday

Fire damaged the Thomas Holland house Sunday night at 10:45 o'clock.

The fire ruined the living room and its contents. Smoke damaged the other part of the house.

Intense heat caused the wood to buckle.

The living room is set off away from the other part of the house and was the only room which burned.

Fanned used up water supply in fighting flames in the living room.

Damage estimated at \$2,000 to \$3,000 was covered by insurance.

Aurora Lodge Elects New Officers

Alford Masonic Lodge No. 925 elected new leaders at a meeting on December 28.

Ray Gordon is the new worshipful master; Jesse Jones, senior warden; Joe H. Hill, junior warden; Howard McNeely, senior deacon; Marshall Freeman, junior deacon.

Edison Burken, secretary; Paul Turner, treasurer; Carl Sirls, tiler; Doris Hill and Lewis Mathis, stewards; Rev. R. J. Burpee, chaplain; Homer Morgan, marshal, and Joe Cathey, reporter.

The lodge is located at Aurora.

Musical Program Will Be Given By Briensburg P-TA

The Briensburg P-TA will present a musical program at the school this Saturday night, Jan. 9, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Featured performers will be Doc Smith of Grand Rivers, Missus Baker of Benton and James (Mickey) Cothran of Mayfield.

Admission will be 25 and 50 cents.

New Ford Cars And Trucks Are Now On Display At Kinney's

The 1954 Ford passenger cars, now on display at Kinney Motor Co. in Benton, features the following Ford exclusives in the high volume field:

An entirely new 130-h.p. Y-block V8 engine with overhead valves.

A new 115-h.p. I-block Mileage Maker Six engine, noted for economy.

New ball-joint front suspension which Ford engineers call the greatest advance in front suspension in 20 years.

The Skyliner—an entirely new hardtop model with tinted, transparent plastic roof over the driving compartment.

A smart new Ford Sunliner convertible with an unusual transparent plastic panel insert.

ed in the top over the front seat to provide overhead visibility.

Four new power-operated driving assists: Power brakes, power steering, 4-way power seat, power-lift windows.

Formidable transmission. Kinney Motor Co., will give away free a new UHF Motorola television set during the showing of the 1954 Ford here, Wednesday, Jan. 6 through Saturday, Jan. 9.

All you have to do is register; you do not have to be a registered voter to win the TV set if your name is called. There is nothing to buy. Just register.

Kinney Motor Co., invites everyone to see the new 1954 Ford.



Blades Of Blue Grass

By BOB FORD

Lexington, Ky.—Back in George Washington's time about 90 percent of our American people lived on farms, but even with virgin land the inefficient farming of that day produced barely enough food for the farm families and the few town people. Farming required a stout heart and a strong back, with long hours of drudgery and toil.

How times have changed! Now we have plenty of food in this country and only one-sixth of our people are required to produce it. Five-sixths of our people are free to live away from farms—to carry on other businesses and professions that contribute to a high standard of living.

Farmers are living better, too, as well as producing so much more. And what makes the modern farmer tick? It's largely a matter of information—of know-how. The modern farmer must be a walking encyclopedia of accurate information based on modern science. Farmers today do not farm like the farmers of a hundred or even of ten years ago.

Modern farmers are eager for today's information—for tomorrow's know-how about more efficient farming.

Where do farmers get their farming information based on modern science? There are many sources, but unquestionably most of it comes from the agricultural experiment stations of the land grant colleges and the U. S. Department of Agriculture—from such research institutions as the Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station at the University of Kentucky. Here trained scientists labor the year round, seeking truths that will help our farm men and women. Nature gives up her secrets slowly and grudgingly, but the trained scientists through research have dug out many things that contribute to better farming in this country—hybrid corn, high yielding varieties, disease resistance, fertilization, artificial breeding, better feeding and such. These findings are carried to farmers through agricultural extension workers, county and home demonstration agents, enabling today's farmer to produce several

times as much as his forerunner of forty or fifty years ago. The farmer benefits from all this extra farm production, but so does his brother and sister in town. After all, we're all in the same boat and isn't it worth a good deal to live in a country where we've never had a famine or a real shortage of food—to live in a land of plenty?

NOTES ON KENTUCKY AGRICULTURAL SITUATION

CATTLE — Slaughter cattle prices normally show some seasonal weakness during the early winter as supplies increase. This year, however, prices of the better grades are expected to remain near present levels during the next month or six weeks, as supplies of feed cattle are not expected to show much increase. Fewer cattle are in the feedlots this fall than a year ago. This indicates smaller supplies during the early part of 1954. On the other hand, supplies of lower grade cattle are likely to remain large and prices for them may show some weakness.

LAMBS — Prices of better quality lambs should show some improvement during the next 30 to 60 days. The trend is normally upward during that time and with prospective lower supplies, as there are fewer lambs on feed than a year ago, the price increase may be somewhat sharper than usual. Large quantities of beef carcasses are being marketed during the next month or six weeks, but prices are expected to remain at relatively low levels, however.

HOGS — Hog prices should continue to show seasonal strength

during the next month or six weeks as marketings of 1953 spring-crop pigs decline. Consumer resistance to higher pork prices and the reluctance of packers to store pork at the highest price levels for December since 1947, will combine to temper the usual seasonal advance in hog prices and hold them near present levels. Hog prices likely will decline when the fall pig crop begins to appear on the market. Pigs from the fall pig crop usually begin to come to market late in February.

A strong demand for feeder pigs has been in evidence on all terminal markets during the past month, and the limited supply sold at strong prices. Choice feeders at Lexington, Ky., sold above \$30 per 100 pounds early in December.

EGGS — Egg prices probably will work lower while poultry meat prices will

may have somewhat of a depressing effect and prevent as sharp an increase as the decreased supplies would indicate. Prices of lower-quality lambs will probably remain at about present levels.

WOOL — Wool prices during the next few weeks should remain fairly steady at present levels. Reports indicate prices in Southern Hemisphere markets were strong early in November with some easing later in the month.

DAIRY PRODUCTS — Steady to lower prices for milk and dairy products appear to be the prospect for the period ahead. National milk production is past its season allow. The supply of all products is ample for current needs. Prices of butter and cheese have tended to weaken and production is relatively high for this season of the year. Sales of butter and cheese from government stocks have been less than the volume purchased by CCC in price support operation. Large storage stocks and uncertainty about the 1954 price support level are contributing to a relatively weak market situation.

CHICKEN and **EGGS** — Egg prices probably will work lower while poultry meat prices will

fluctuate around present levels for the next few weeks. Seasonal increases in egg production will tend to weaken the market for eggs. But, for the next few weeks of uncertain weather, the central market prices will be sensitive to short time changes in supply. Broiler prices are expected to fluctuate near present levels. The demand for fowl and roasting chickens will likely improve. The heavy marketing of hens from the Midwest is past and reduced marketing of hens is likely to strengthen prices, especially on top-quality fowl.

State's Forests Could Yield More

If well managed and protected, the sawtimber volume of Kentucky's forests could be doubled or tripled, according to a report of the United States Department of Agriculture on a survey made by several agencies, including the Kentucky Department of Conservation and the University of Kentucky.

Forests cover 45 percent of the land in Kentucky or a total of 11 1/2 million acres. Ninety-four

percent of the forest land is privately owned—about half by farmers. Less than a million acres are in public ownership.

The government report says Kentucky has about 25 billion board feet of sawtimber and is growing more than a billion board feet a year. Though the amount being cut each year by about 60 percent, it is said that there is still room for improvement in the condition of the forests in this state.

In general, the report states, the timber lands are understocked in volume and poor in quality.

PERSONALS.....

Jack Johnson was carried to the Murray Hospital during the latter part of the week. He was very ill but is reported to be slightly improved.

Solon Pace of Route 1 was in town Monday and renewed the Marshall Courier for two years. W. J. Brien of Route 7 was in town Monday and while here renewed the Marshall Courier for his daughter in Detroit.

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GOVERNOR'S PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the March of Dimes is moving toward blessed freedom from polio's threat, with a trial vaccine which is the most hopeful aspect of a bold Polio Prevention Program, and,

WHEREAS this humanitarian Program is pledged to provide an increased amount of gamma globulin to the national stockpile during 1954, and,

WHEREAS the cost of gamma globulin and the field trials of the vaccine will total \$28,500,000 in addition to the cost of patient aid, scientific research and professional education financed by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, and,

WHEREAS the need is thus greater and more urgent than ever before, amounting to \$75,000,000, for all four programs, and,

WHEREAS the National Foundation must continue to give home to those who already have fallen victim to polio's crippling as well as to the many who must yet be stricken.

THEREFORE, I, Lawrence W. Wetherby, Governor of the State of Kentucky, do HEREBY PROCLAIM the month of January "March of Dimes Month" and call upon every citizen's enlightened generosity so that a great cause may be continued and a thrilling victory hastened.

Lawrence W. Wetherby

My Neighbors
By BILL PATLSON



"I'd be glad to adopt you, Hazel, but I'm afraid it would be like starting a government bureau!"

Papa

David

Says:

(on NBC's "Life Can Be Beautiful")

Summer romances bloom with the daisies and die with the frost. Like the daisies, most summer romances were not meant to last. Of course, it's hard not to hope that infatuation will flame into love. Hope is essential to love and to life itself. And for some the heartache is very real. But you know, when you see a broken heart these days it isn't fashionable.

Fashion exists in romance. It used to be the knight on the white charger. Later, it was prince charming with a pot of gold... or his opposite, the starving artist. When the movies became popular, things got a bit more romantic. First romance called for an Arabian sheik, then for cops and robbers. Prizefighters, too, became romantic.

Nowadays, romantic heroes have become more comfortable, more real. The real hero is the pips-and-toppers fellow who likes to stay at home, loves his wife, and thinks his kids are wonderful. I think this fellow always was the hero. After all, isn't that how the ladies wanted all their romantic ideals to settle down. And if he couldn't, or wouldn't, who then he was just a summer romance, leben, not meant to last.



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NELSON'S Rexall Store

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McDermott had as their guest during Christmas holidays Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Davis of Saudi Arabia. Mr. Davis is employed with American Oil Co. there.

Mrs. Pearl Holley and Mrs. Bob Poague were visitors in Paducah Saturday.

Mrs. Jimmy Williams (Linda Sue Hanley) of Corpus Christi, Texas visited Mrs. Bob Poague, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Poague and children visited his home E. A. Poague during the holidays.

Emmett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy City was in town Monday.

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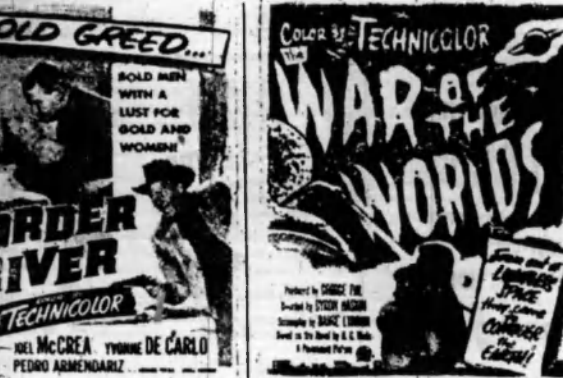
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Annual Board Of Woman's Club Is Set

The annual board meeting of the Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs is scheduled to be held in Lexington, Ky., on Jan. 13 and 14, it was announced this week by Mrs. I. D. Thompson, president of the Federation.

Mrs. Carlos B. Embry, governor of the first district K. F. W. C., is urging all first district club officers to make plans to attend the two day session.

The federation conference will open at nine o'clock in the Phoenix Hotel, Lexington, on Wednesday, January 13. Most of the sessions are scheduled to be held in the Phoenix Hotel but the dinner meeting is at the LaFayette.

The Board consists of the state Executive Committee, the Governors, the Chairmen of Departments, Standing and Special committees, the honorary presidents and honorary vice-presidents, Club presidents, vice-presidents and district publicity chairmen are cordially invited to attend as conference members.

An outstanding program has been planned in addition to Women's Club officers who will appear on the program, several outstanding speakers have been secured.

Dr. Frank A. Rose, president of Transylvania College, is scheduled as the luncheon speaker at the January 13, 12:30 p.m. session at the Phoenix Hotel. Mr. Dan Kurzman will speak at the dinner session at the LaFayette Hotel that evening.

Dr. Howard E. Short is the speaker for the Thursday, Jan. 14 luncheon meeting at the Phoenix.

Mrs. Thomas will preside at all sessions.

PERSONALS

Miss Charlotte and Muriel Ford from Detroit, Michigan have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ivey and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Sewell on their way home from Key West, Fla.

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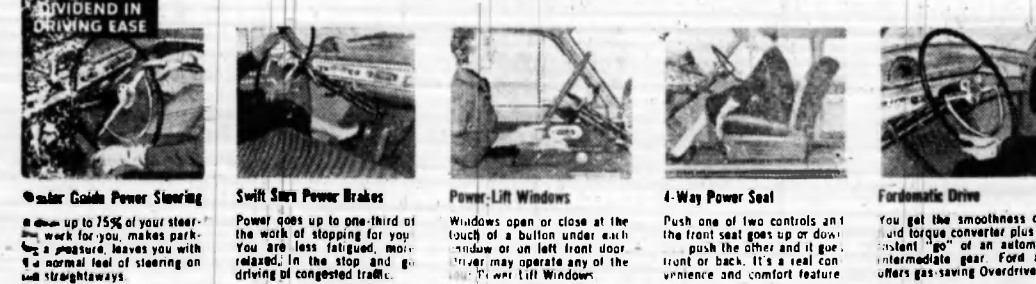
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NOTICE

A hearing will be held beginning at 1:00 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, January 27, 1954, by the Public Service Commission of Kentucky at its offices at Frankfort, Kentucky, as to the reasonableness of the following rate schedule which the West Kentucky Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc., of Mayfield, Kentucky, proposes to place in effect upon completion of construction of the telephone system for which it has heretofore made application to said Commission for certificates of convenience and necessity for authority to construct and operate or upon completion of a portion thereof and the placing of the same in operation, but which rates in any event are not to be effective before March 1, 1954:

RATE SCHEDULE

Class of Service	1-party	2-party	4-party	Multi party (a)	Station	Ext.
Business	\$8.00	\$7.25		\$7.00	\$8.00 (b)	\$1.50
Residential	4.50	4.00	3.50	3.75		1.00
Mileage (c)	.70	.40	.25			

(a) Flat-rate for operating area

(b) Guarantee basis

(c) Per 1-4 mile or fraction thereof.

Application to the Commission for approval of said rate schedule is being made for all telephone services proposed to be rendered by the undersigned in Calloway, Carlisle, Graves, Hickman and Marshall Counties, Kentucky (including but not limited to the towns of Cunningham, Fancy Farm, Farington, Hazel, Lowes, Sedalia and Wingo) in the areas shown on a map there of heretofore filed with said Commission.

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FOR RENT - 5 room house, custom Garage, 1-2 mile from Highway 68 at Scale. See J. D. Ford, Benton Rt. 7. \$25 month or will sell. 33p

LOST - Fox dog - color red and black. Name on collar. Bill Harbuck, Route 4, Benton. 33p

FOR SALE - Chest of drawers, maple bedstead and oak washstand. Mrs. A. A. Cross, 1003 Poplar. 33p

LADIES, earn extra cash by addressing advertising postals at home. Write, Vail Co., Box 1042, Muncie, Ind. 33p

FOR SALE - 1 - 4-room house bath, 2 lots 50x100 on highway 64 near Hilltop Grocery. Priced right. See Tom Anderson or

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks for the kindness, messages of sympathy, food and beautiful flowers received from our kind friends, neighbors and relatives during the illness and death of our mother and grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Beasley, also we thank the preachers, Hoyt Jones, Leslie Lee, Wilson Jones, and R. J. Burpee, Dr. Jones and the Linn Funeral Home. The children and grandchildren.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank everyone for their acts of kindness and kind words during the long illness and death of our father and husband, Joe L. Smith.

Especially do we thank Dr. Miller and Dr. McClain for their faithful services; the Rev. J. J. Gough and the Rev. J. Frank Young; Linn Funeral Home; the neighbors; Van and Gladys Hendrickson; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Niles; his many other friends and neighbors; the beautiful floral offerings; and all Masons. This Christmas did not mean very much to us with his passing, but with all his friends and our friends sharing our sorrows and burdens will make it more pleasant than we could expect.

Wife, Grace
Children, Othel, Paul
Evelyn and Joe Jr.

Mrs. Robert Arnold Entertains Woman's Club Of Calvert City

Mrs. Robert Arnold was hostess to the Calvert City Woman's Club Christmas party Friday afternoon, Dec. 18. She was assisted by Mrs. Robert Van Ness and Mrs. Hunter Gaylor.

The president, Mrs. H. Vernon Duckett conducted a brief business meeting after which Christmas gifts were exchanged and refreshments were served.

Christmas carols were played by Mary Frances Oxford, Susan Pfeifer and Mary Ann Arnold.

News From Hardin

Crate Edwards visited in Paducah last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Richards, of Montgomery, Ala., are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Caly Darnall and Mrs. Flo Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gardier, of Murray, spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Hall, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Martin, of Calvert City, spent Christmas Day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Ian Erwin and Mrs. Terrell Darnall spent Saturday shopping in Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wall and children, of Benton, visited Mrs. Wall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Norwood, last weekend.

Mrs. Willie Trevathan returned to Detroit last week after attending the funeral and burial of her husband, Boyce Trevathan. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. Bertie Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Inman spent Christmas Day with their daughter, Mrs. Harvey Selwitz, and Mr. Selwitz and children, in Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Lyler, of Kirksey, Mr. and Mrs. John Padgett and children, of Paducah, Mr. and Mrs. William Perry, of Brewers, were the guests Christmas Day of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Lawrence, of Hardin.

Mrs. Clint Miller left Saturday for East St. Louis. Edd Kellow, coach and teacher in the high school at Peru, Ill., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Kellow. He was in the Peru Hospital several weeks.

Charlie Miller Hughes, who spent three years in Porto Rico, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Hughes, last week. He has been sent to Ohio to remain indefinitely.

Mrs. Hazel Putman and family of St. Louis, visited in the homes of Rudy and Mrs. Gardner and Mrs. Ella Putman last week.

Miss May Walters spent a few days last week in Benton, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Temple Sloan. She was accompanied home by her sister and by her nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sloan and children.

John Crosby and sons, James and John Jr., and Miss Jessie Crosby visited Mr. and Mrs. Hardin Crosby, of Paducah, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Inman and baby have gone to Paducah to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Duke, of Denver, Colo., Mrs. D. W. Satterfield, Mr. and Mrs. George Drennan, and Miss Blanch Oliver all of Princeton, Ky., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Story last week.

James Crosby, son of Mr. John Crosby of Hardin, and Miss Violet Brooks, of Paducah, were married Saturday night. They left immediately for Monahan, Texas, to reside. Mr. Crosby is a geologist and civil engineer.

Benson Gives Views On Farm Problems

By Ezra Taft Benson
Secretary of Agriculture

Part II
Any effective solution of today's farm problem must provide methods for reducing our huge stockpile of agricultural commodities and at the same time prevent further burdensome accumulations.

Getting rid of these surpluses is only half of our problem. Even if we were able to bring them down to manageable proportions, we would soon acquire new hoards of wheat, corn, cotton and butter under the existing system of price supports.

We already have approximately \$2.5 billion tied up in loans on farm commodities, in addition to an equal amount invested in goods which we own outright—\$5 billion in all.

Our present program does not encourage the production shifts which are required to meet the changing market demands for various commodities.

Of course, we could destroy some of our surpluses. Remember the government's potato fiasco of a few years ago?

Or we might plow under every third row of cotton and kill little pigs. Remember the mid-1930's?

Actually, we would not even consider such wasteful practices. We are attempting to move surplus food and fiber into foreign markets. World prices, however, are well below the figures at which we acquired these commodities under our price support operations. This means that we will be forced to take substantial losses on whatever we sell abroad.

At the same time, we must avoid

outright dumping, which would disrupt normal trade channels and bring down upon us the wrath of other friendly countries.

There are these other alternatives: We can make a real effort to move surpluses out of warehouses and into stomachs by promoting greater public consumption of some commodities. We can push forward in our research programs to uncover new uses for

entire weight behind plans for expanding present foreign markets and finding new outlets overseas. Such methods, while they will not produce results as quickly as dumping or destroying food, offer a far sounder approach to our basic problems.

Along those lines, I can report that our promotional campaign, undertaken with the meat industry and food stores, is producing real results. We are consuming beef this year at the rate of 75 pounds per person, the highest in our history.

Farm exports have turned upward since July 1, reflecting our emphasis upon expanding trade.

Continued high home, with farm goods, demand for farm products in the United States.

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J. O. Walters, spent a few days house guest of Mrs. Walters.

Mr. and Mrs. South Bend, Ind. Brenda and Charlie Lovetta are in the Christmas holidays.

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Henry O. Gilbert Funeral Is Held At His Calvert Home

Henry O. (Toble) Gilbert, 74, died Dec. 26 at his home at Calvert City. Funeral services were held Sunday at Gilbertsville Baptist Church. Burial was made in the Leonard Cemetery. He is survived by a nephew, Clifton Buchanan, of Paducah; four step-daughters, Mrs. Goble Harris of Gilbertsville, Mrs. Claud Banks of Benton Route 7, Mrs. Pearl Grady of Golden Pond, Mrs. Owen Martin of Paducah.

Seeing Red?

Have you been seeing red lately? On your Courier, that is. If there is a red ring around the dates on your paper it means your subscription has expired. The dates are opposite your name in the upper right hand corner of the front page. If your paper has a red ring on it please drop by the Currier office or mail in your subscription renewal. Thank you.

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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Cox of Calvert City are the parents of a daughter born Christmas Day at the Western Baptist Hospital in Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rudolph of Benton are the parents of a son born Saturday, Dec. 26 at the Riverside Hospital in Paducah.

At McClain Clinic

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ham of Benton are the parents of a daughter born Dec. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie D. Thompson of Benton are the parents of a daughter born Dec. 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hoppgood of Benton are the parents of a son born December 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Treas of Route 1 are the parents of a son born Dec. 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Budde Harper of Benton are the parents of a son, Douglas Ray, born Monday Dec. 28. Mrs. Harper is the former Sue Wyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Inman of the county were visitors in Benton Thursday of the past week.

Miss Martha Lou Chambers visited Mr. and Mrs. John Jordan in Whitesburg, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Chambers and daughter of Glendale, Calif. visited Mrs. T. A. Chambers during the past week.

Folks At County Farm Appreciated Christmas Gifts

The caretakers of the County Farm, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Griggs, wish to thank all persons who sent gifts for Christmas.

Calvert City Presbyterian Church, Gilbertsville Baptist Church, Tatumsville Homemakers, Altoona Baptist Church, Filbeck-Cann, Linn Funeral Home, The Pipefitter's Local 184, Paducah, New Zion Baptist Church, The Boone Hills, The Sparrows, and the Erlensburg Methodist Church, Mr. and Mrs. Artel R. Henson, Detroit, Flat-top Grocery, Olive Baptist Church. They also want to thank the visitors for the nice things they said concerning the way the home was handled.

W. M. S. OF NEW ZION BAPTIST CHURCH HAS DECEMBER MEETING

The New Zion Baptist Church W.M.S. observed the Week of Prayer in December and brought gifts to send to Korea.

The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Myrvin Mohler. Gifts were exchanged.

Present were: Mesdames Edward Crowell, Helen Parker, Evalina York, Mozell Darnell, Audrey York, Sarah M. York, Lillie Anderson, Kathryn Brew-



Funeral services for Kenneth Sweet, 63, who was killed by a car Saturday, Dec. 26, in Detroit, Mich., was held Thursday, Dec. 31, at 3 p.m. at Unity Presbyterian Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Winona Goodwin and Leona Unbuck of Detroit, Mich.; two sons, Curdum of Detroit and Amos of the U. S. Army; two sisters, Mrs. Ervin McDaniel of Dexter, and Mrs. Rena Nantel of Detroit, and three brothers, Amos Sweet of Melber, Hannibal Sweet of Missouri, and Oliver Sweet of Indiana, and four grandchildren.

Linn Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Burial Is Held For Kirksey Airman Who Died In London

Airman 2nd Class Charles Royland Crick, 25, resident of Kirksey Route 2, died Dec. 26, near London, England.

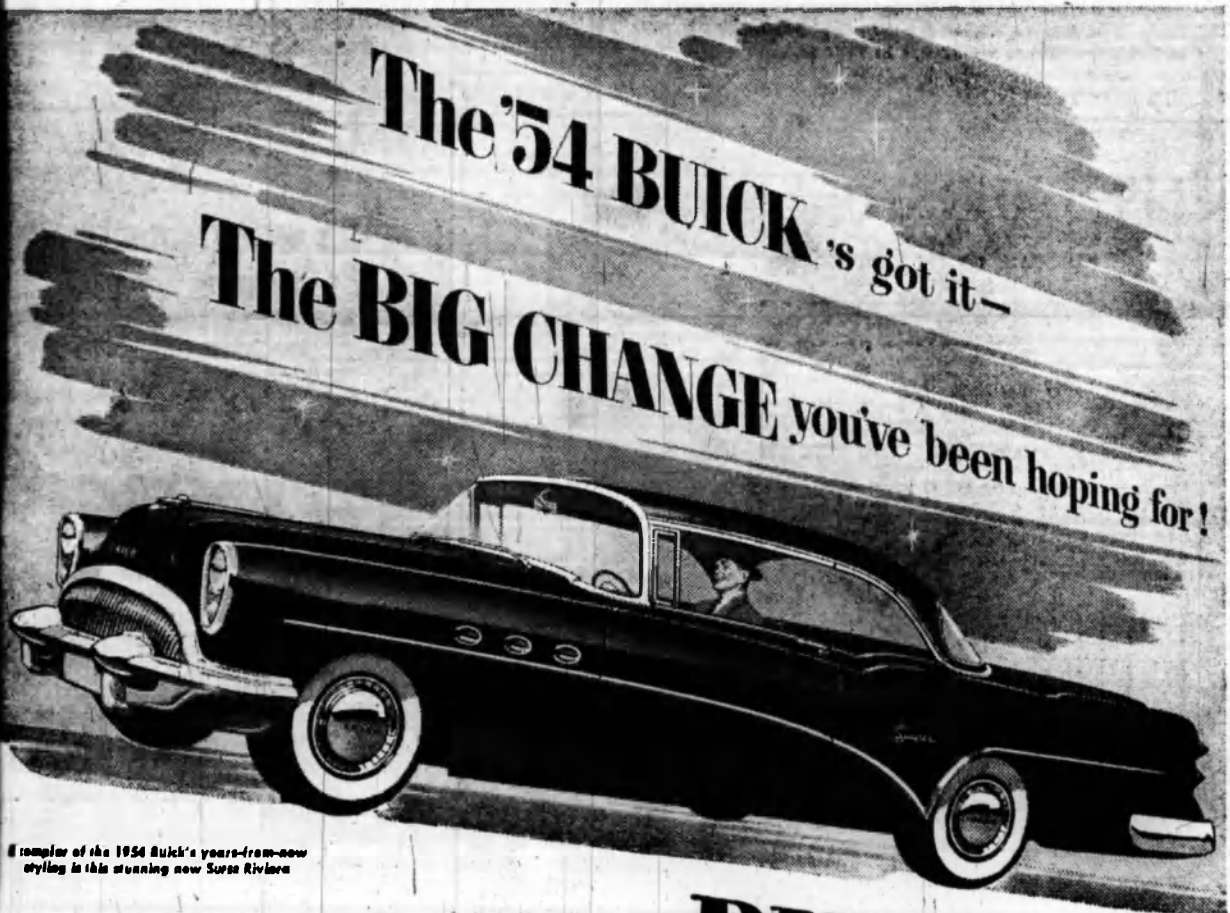
He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Crick; three sisters, Mrs. Blanche Beach of Kirksey, Mrs. Doris Edwards of Kirksey and Mrs. Shirley Smith of St. Louis; two brothers, Marion Crick of Kirksey, and grandfather, Henry Mohler.

He was a member of Mt. Carmel Methodist Church.

The funeral was held at Mt. Carmel Methodist Church, with the Rev. Orval Easley and Rev. Leslie Lee officiating.

Linn Funeral Home of Benton was in charge of arrangements.

H. W. Kilpatrick of Benton visited relatives in Memphis, Tenn., during the holiday season.



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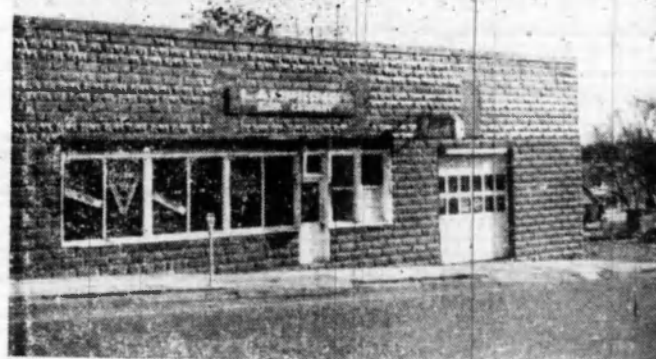
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Mt. Carmel
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Church Grove
Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a.m. Preaching 2nd Sunday at 11 a.m., and 3rd and 4th Sundays at 7 p.m.
Maple Springs
Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a.m. Preaching 3rd Sunday at 11 a.m., and 1st Sunday at 7 p.m.
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Sunday School each Sunday morning 10 a.m. Preaching 4th Sunday at 11 a.m., and 2nd Sunday at 7 p.m.

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Hoyt Owen, Pastor
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BENTON FIRST METHODIST

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Church School at 10 a.m.
Morning worship at 11 a.m.
Evening worship at 7:00
Youth meeting at 8:30
Midweek services Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.

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Bible study at 10 a.m.
Worship services at 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday evening service at 7:30 p.m.

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Young Peoples' Class Wednesday 8 p.m.
Mid-Week Bible Study Wednesday 8:15 p.m.

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on Billington, Supt.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning worship 11 a.m.
Training Union 6:15 p.m.
(Clarence Newton, Supt.)
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Prayer meeting, Wed. 7:00 p.m.

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Worship service at 11 a.m.
Sunday night service 7:30
Wednesday night prayer meeting at 7:30 o'clock.

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LAKEVIEW MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. James Reed, pastor
Roy Barlow, S. S. Supt.
Paul Gregory, Trn. Union Pres.
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Worship services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. each Sunday.
Training Union at 6 p.m.

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Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.
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BTU at 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday prayer services at 7:30 p.m.

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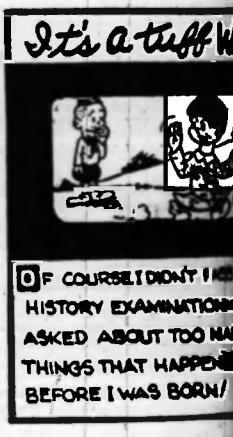
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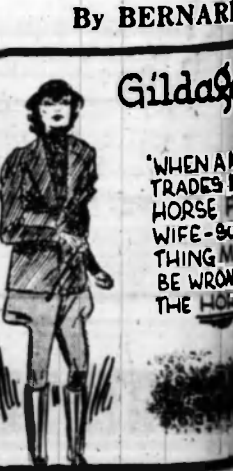
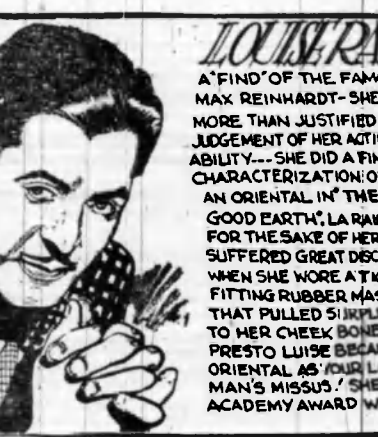
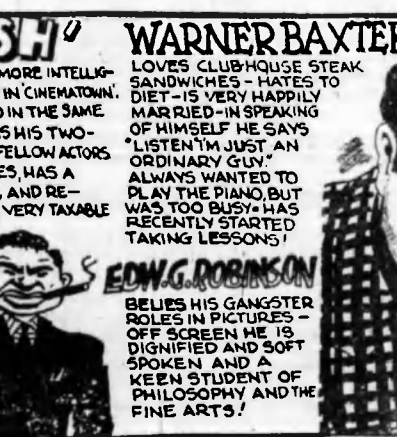
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Harvest Apple Crisp

1 tart apple, cut in 1/2 cubes
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup salt
1 bar (1/2 cup) Good Luck margarine
1 cup grated sharp or American cheese
1 cup all-purpose flour
1 ham in bottom of greased oblong 10" x 6" x 2" baking dish.
With sliced apples. Mix sugar and lemon juice and spoon over
the flour, salt, and sugar in mixing bowl. Cut in margarine with
mixture is crumbly. Add grated cheese and stir lightly. Sprinkle
pies. Bake in moderate oven (350°F.) 40-45 minutes, or until
tender and crust is crisp. Makes 6 servings. Or bake in 4-6
casseroles (same time and temperature).

PRINCIPLE OF THE WEEK

Old day, there is nothing
so good as home-made
soup. Miss Florence
of the University of Ken-
tucky learned that long, slow
simmering is important in making
a good soup.

Vegetable Soup
1 beef, shank or neck
1 diced potatoes
1 carrots
1 celery
1 turnips
1 green beans
1 onion
1 peas
1 chopped kale or other
greens
1 tablespoon salt
1 tomatoes
1 chopped cabbage

Wash meat, cover with cold
water and simmer for 2 1/2 hours,
or until meat is almost tender.
Add water to make about 6 cups.
Add diced or chopped vegetables
(except the last two) and sim-
mer another hour. Then add
tomatoes and cabbage and cook
10 minutes.

If desired, the meat may be
cooked in the pressure saucepan
for 40 minutes in 1 1/2 cups of
water, then continue with the
above directions. Serve with cro-
tons (toasted stale bread cut
in cubes).

Lunch or supper menu: Vege-
table soup with crotons, fruit
salad and chocolate pudding with
cream.



So David waxed greater and
greater, for the Lord of hosts was
with him. (I. Chronicles 11, 8.)

We must not allow certain of
our countrymen to govern us, prin-
cipally because of what they
promise. But all too often they
betray our trust by becoming ap-
parent in high places, and then
there is no true greatness except
the Lord be with them.

PERSONALS

Christmas Eve Day dinner
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burrett
Bearden were relatives of Mrs.
Bearden: her father, O. D. (Bud)
Lovett, the family of her brother,
Rollie Lovett and the families of
her sisters, Mrs. Philip Thomp-
son and Mrs. John Barnett of
Benton Route 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Collier were
guests on Sunday during the
holidays of her parents, Mr. and
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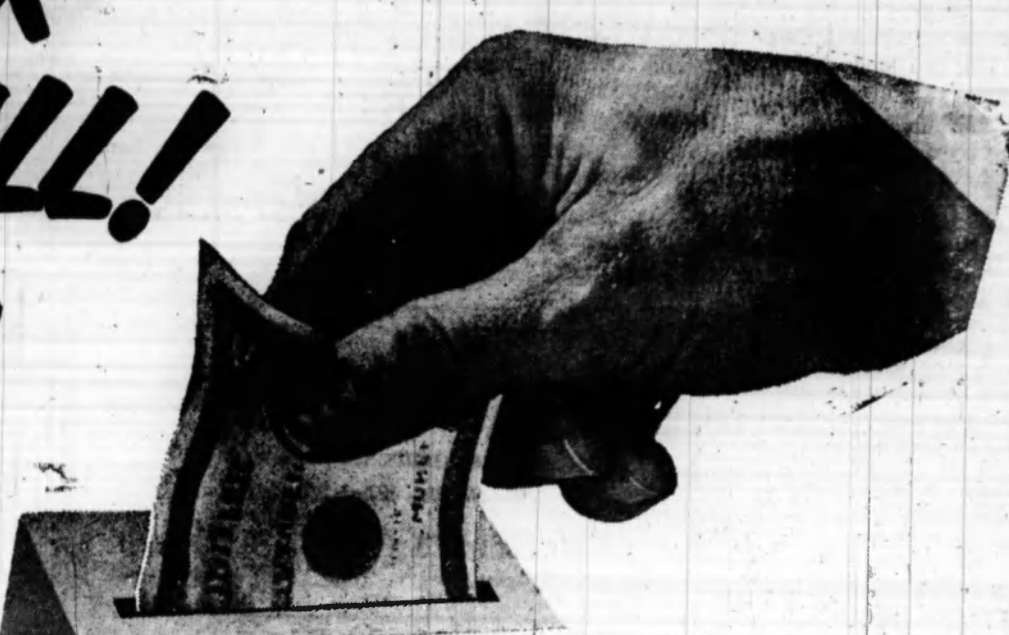
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PERSONALS

Joe Vick, student at Castle Heights Military Academy, Lebanon, Tenn., visited his father, R. O. Vick and family during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Vick had a Sunday dinner guests during Christmas his children from Auburn, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Mack Wilson and children, Miss Linda Vick, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gaines and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Broadfoot of Murphy, N. C., spent a portion of the holiday season in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Joe Brooks Phillips in Benton.

Mrs. Sara Prince and daughter of Kevill visited relatives in Benton for the past two weeks. Her husband, E. W. Prince was in for the holidays.

Charles Glen Prince of the U. S. Navy of San Diego, Calif., made a visit in Benton with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie

Prince during the holidays. Bobby Putteet visited his parents, R. L. and Mrs. Putteet during the past two weeks. Bobby works in Taylorville, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hodges of Trenton, Tenn., were guests during the holidays of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Morkan in Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Berry (Jane Ferguson) visited her mother, Mrs. Laura Ferguson during the holidays. The Berrys reside in Staggart, Ark.

Mrs. E. C. Landrum had as

guests during the holidays her children, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hern, of Champaign, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Reed Wilks and sons of Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Vaughn of Hopkinsville visited her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Thompson during the holidays.

Mrs. E. C. Landrum has had word from Robert Ellis Landrum that he has landed in Japan. He went from Big Spring, Texas. This is his second venture in Japan.

Mrs. R. L. Putteet, Mrs. E. W.

Prince and daughter and Bobby Putteet were in Florence, Ala., during the past weekend.

James Cooper of Evansville, Ind., visited the R. L. Putteets during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hovencamp and son, of Little Rock, Ark., were guests during the holidays of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gillard Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Wyatt and daughters visited the family of her brother, Harmon Sullivan

during the weekend and this week.

Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Myre were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patillo and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maulden, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watson and daughter of Paducah.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Hiett of Benton Route 3 on Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Luck Henson, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Myre of Benton, Ivan Jones and wife, Mrs. Betty Lou

McGregor and Mrs. Cecilia Jones of near Almo, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nelson and children of Paducah, and Henry Hudson Phillips of Fort Bragg, N. C.

Mrs. D. E. Booker and Miss Blanch Booker of Louisville spent the past week in Benton in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Joe Darnall.

Mr. and Mrs. George Erickson and family visited in Cleveland, Ohio, during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jennings and daughter visited his relatives in Horse Cave, Ky.

Mrs. Leslie Wallace is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Scott Dycus.

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J. T. Kinney
J. Brandon Price

RESOURCES

U. S. Government Bonds	\$ 950,981.25
Other Bonds	8,000.00
Loans and Discounts	1,679,256.55
F. H. A. Loans	167,288.34
Banking House	11,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1.00
Other Resources	2.00
Cash on hand and due from banks	724,166.18
TOTAL	\$3,540,695.32

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock (common)	\$ 100,00
Surplus	\$ 100,00
Undivided Profits	20,11
DEPOSITS	3,320,50
TOTAL	\$3,540,69

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Local News of

JoAlice Solomon, student of University of Kentucky at Lexington, spent the holidays at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Solomon.

Mrs. Ralph Hall of Paducah visited in the home of her parents, John Hall and wife, and were accompanied by Eddie Hall who stayed a few days in Paducah.

Mrs. and Mrs. Shelby McCallum and Mrs. Smith Dunn and W. H. Harper of Benton visited during Christmas in Washington, D. C., the sons of their sister and daughter.

Mrs. Robert Reed and family, Mr. and Mrs. Solon Wyatt and daughter, Mrs. Annie Stringer, Mr. and Mrs. Budde Harper, the guests Christmas Eve for short while of Mr. and Mrs. T. Henson in Fredonia, Ky.

Mrs. Gaut Henson spent the Christmas holidays in Greer, Ky., with her grandchildren.

Rob Brandon and family of Ankfort, Ky., were guests during the holidays of their parents, J. R. and Mrs. Brandon in Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brandon re in Brownsville, Tenn., Christmas time to visit the family of their daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Ulker.

Mrs. Mabel Peel of Oxford, Mo., visited in the home of her sister, Miss Gladys Allen, Benton from Christmas Day to Monday.

Mrs. Sweet Roberts of Cincinnati, Ohio, visited Mrs. K. Jor in Benton and sisters, a. Roberts here during the holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow H. d were guests of Mrs. Blinn and Long in Memphis Christmas time. Two other sons were also at the home of a. Long during that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rompfe in Alabama during the past visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Connit visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. Bill Butler and brother, Walter Cepelant Benton during the holidays.

Miss Lydia Acree of St. Louis at the Christmas holidays in the home of her sister, Mrs. J. T. Acree.

Miss Marguerite Hicks of St. Louis, spent the holidays in Benton with her mother, Mrs. M.

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George Erickson in Cleveland, Christmas holi-

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He is ill at daughter, Mrs.

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Marshall Courier, Benton, Ky., January 7, 1954

Local News of Our Neighbors

Alice Solomon, student of University of Kentucky at Lexington, spent the holidays at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Solomon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hall of Paducah visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hall and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hall who stayed in Paducah, and Mrs. Shelby McCallum, and Mrs. Smith Dunn and W. H. Harper of Benton, the holidays during Christ-

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Good time to look both ways!

Along about now Southern Bell folks like to look back at the year's record of telephone growth, and ahead toward our job of providing more and better service for Kentucky.

1953

More than 18,000 new telephones were added, making a total of about 372,000 in the state. Large amounts of cable, central office and other equipment were provided.

1954

Wherever you look, Kentucky is moving ahead. This means another busy year for us—building to meet continuing telephone needs.

To get investors to supply the money to continue expanding and improving telephone service requires a fair profit on the money already invested in telephone equipment.

C. HUNTER GREEN, Kentucky Manager

SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY

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OUR SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENTS
SHOW STEADY HEALTHY INCREASES

We Proudly Present

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

BANK OF BENTON

December 31, 1953

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$1,126,434.90	Capital Stock (Common)	\$100,000.00
F. H. A. Loans and Discounts	120,898.34	Surplus	\$100,000.00
U. S. Government Bonds (948,122.50)		Undivided Net Profits	\$15,000.00
Other Securities (25,000.00)	1,009,122.50	Reserve for Taxes	
Banking House	25,000.00	and Depreciation	4,358.60
Fixtures and Furniture	22,500.00	DEPOSITS	\$1,897,434.47
Cash on Hand and Due From Banks	603,257.33		
TOTAL	2,907,213.07	TOTAL	2,907,213.07

The officials of this bank are very much pleased to be able to present to the business public the above splendid statement. We sincerely appreciate each and every one of our customers because it is you that makes possible this financial statement. We thank you sincerely, from the bottom of our hearts.

OFFICERS

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Kathleen Jennings, Asst. Cashier
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Maurine Jones, Bookkeeper
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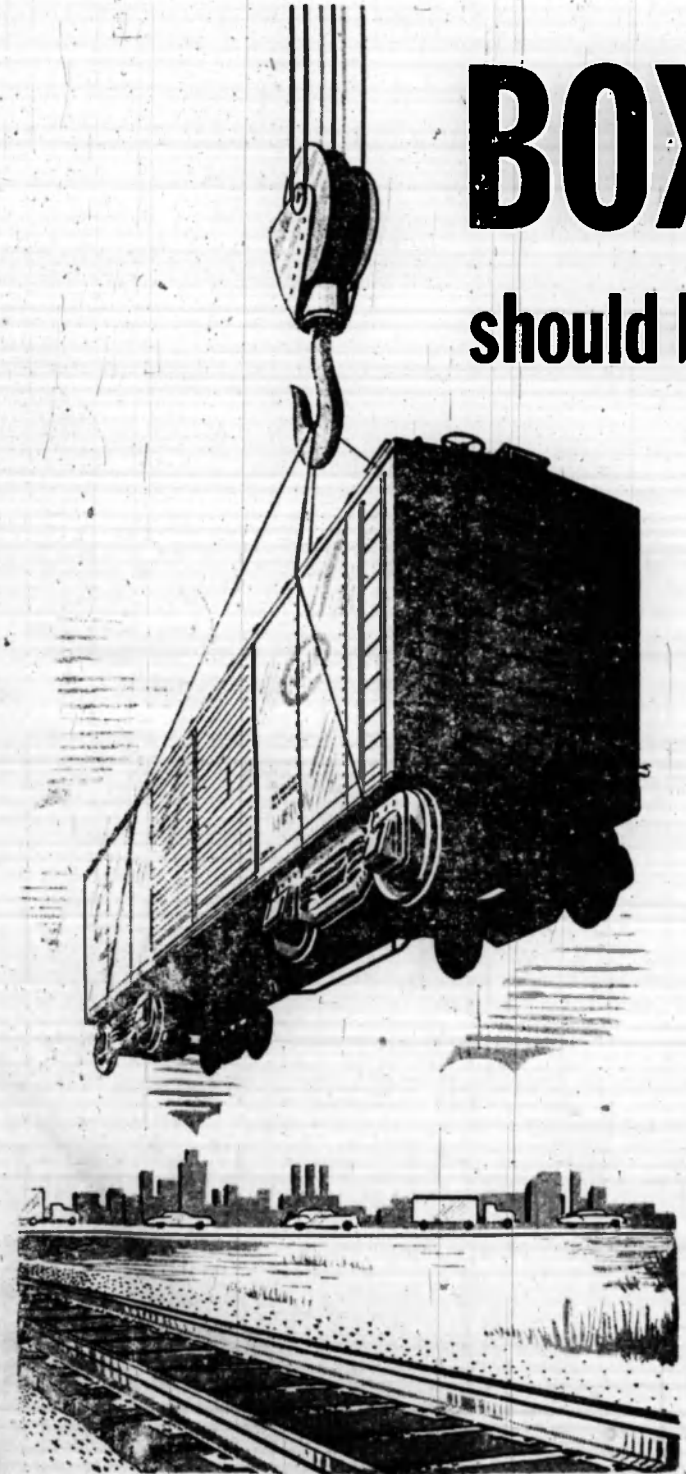
A GAIN OF OVER \$309,714.48 IN THE PAST 6 MONTHS

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF
BANK OF BENTON
BENTON, KENTUCKY
JUNE 30, 1953

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$1,125,725.35	Capital Stock (Common)	\$100,000.00
F. H. A. Loans and Discounts	\$128,190.78	Surplus	100,000.00
U. S. Bonds and Other Government Obligations	666,813.00	Undivided Net Profits	15,000.00
Other Bonds and Securities	36,000.00	Reserve for Taxes	
Banking House	1.00	and Depreciation	4,358.65
Fixtures and Furniture	1.00	DEPOSITS	\$1,897,434.47
Other Assets	3,352.00		
Cash on Hand and Due From Banks	637,415.46	TOTAL	2,907,488.55
TOTAL	2,597,498.59		

The Old Reliable BANK OF BENTON

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should be on the rails...

When box cars are on the rails it is not necessary for the public who use passenger cars and small trucks to compete with the box cars to find space to operate upon the public highways.

Another good reason why box cars should be on the rails is that the railroads construct and maintain their own roadways.

The best reason of all, is that the railroads pay taxes on those rails and roadways which are used to build and maintain the county roads and to support the schools which the children attend.

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NEW higher octane CROWN EXTRA
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Wedge Heels by
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Adams offers great savings in ladies' dress shoes, wedge heels, loafers and flats . . . in a variety of colors and materials.

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SHOE STORE

312 Broadway

Paducah, Ky.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Sid Pace of Route 1 was a business visitor in Benton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harper of Route 1 were Saturday shoppers in Benton.

Dewey Riley was a business visitor in Murray Saturday.

Bruce Morgan has been back at home from the Veterans Hospital in Marion, Ill., for three weeks. He went back to Marion recently for a check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Andrews and Don Andrews have returned from Florence Ala., where they visited relatives.

Miss Audrey Pace was ill at her home in Benton last week.

Mrs. Leeman Walker was confined to her home by illness during the past week.

Herman Kanatzer has been removed to his home in Benton from a Paducah hospital. He recently underwent surgery.

The Paul Claxtons spent a part of the holidays in her hometown, Paris, Tenn.

Miss Marjorie Ross of Hardin Route 1 spent Friday night with her sister, Mrs. Dale LeNeave.

Glen Edwards of Route 1 renewed his paper while in town one day last week.

Mrs. J. D. Wilson of Paducah visited her daughter in Dallas, Texas and her sister, Mrs. J. D. Peterson in Benton during the holidays.

Mrs. Henrietta Martin of Bardwell visited her brother, Hailey Wood and other relatives during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Jones and children of Ohio, visited her parents, Harley and Mrs. Wood and his father, Tom R. Jones during Christmas.

Mrs. Louis Lilly visited her uncle, Tom Gold in Nashville during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny English and Mrs. Nina English went to Florence, Ala., during the weekend to visit Lester English and family. Mrs. Nina English remained for a longer visit with the family of her son in Florence.

Mr. and Mrs. Buel Ray and daughter, Jettie, visited her parents, Sid Larimer and wife during the holidays.

Miss Martha Kaye Morgan, student at David Lipscomb College, Nashville, visited her parents, H. E. and Mrs. Morgan during the holidays.

Gene Turner of Fort Knox visited relatives in the county during the holidays.

Miss Nancy Cobb, student at Bowling Green Business University, visited her parents, William and Mrs. Cobb during the holidays.

Mrs. Gellie Woods of Paducah visited the families of Avery and Alva Green during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hicks and daughters of Detroit visited their parents, Mrs. Modena Hicks of Benton, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Walker of Route 6 during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Brien of Route 1 had as visitors during the holidays the family of their son, Johnny Brien of Danville, Ill. Mrs. Mary Soberburg of Bowling Green, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Burquen and Mrs. San Brien of McCracken County.

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CONTEST HEADQUARTERS

621 S. 4th, LOUISVILLE, KY.

Draffen Brothers Honor Employees With Yule Party

Employees of the Draffen Brothers Store in Calvert City were entertained with a Christmas Party Tuesday evening before Christmas. There were 22 present at the Kentucky Dam State Park Cafeteria.

Seasonal decorations adorned the cafeteria and there was also a Christmas tree from which gifts were exchanged by the following:

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Draffen, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Draffen, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Butler, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Draffen, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. James L. Draffen, Mrs. Emma Davis, Miss Myrtle Hamm, Sam Davis, Jane Draffen, Jimmy and John Morris Draffen, Jimmy and David Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cooksey and daughter, Judy, spent the holidays in Bowling Green, Ky., and Boaz, Ala., with their parents.

JoAnne Walker, student of Campbellsville College, Campbellsville, Ky., spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Walker.

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COX INFANTS' HOMES PARENTS HOME CALVERT CITY, Ky.

Graveside services for Ann Cox, 40-day-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. of Calvert City, were held in Munfordville, Ky. Funeral and burial arrangements were made by Peak Funeral Home.

Physicians of the hospital had to carry out the cause of death. The physician of the hospital selected for his examination the cause of death. The physician of the hospital selected for his examination the cause of death.

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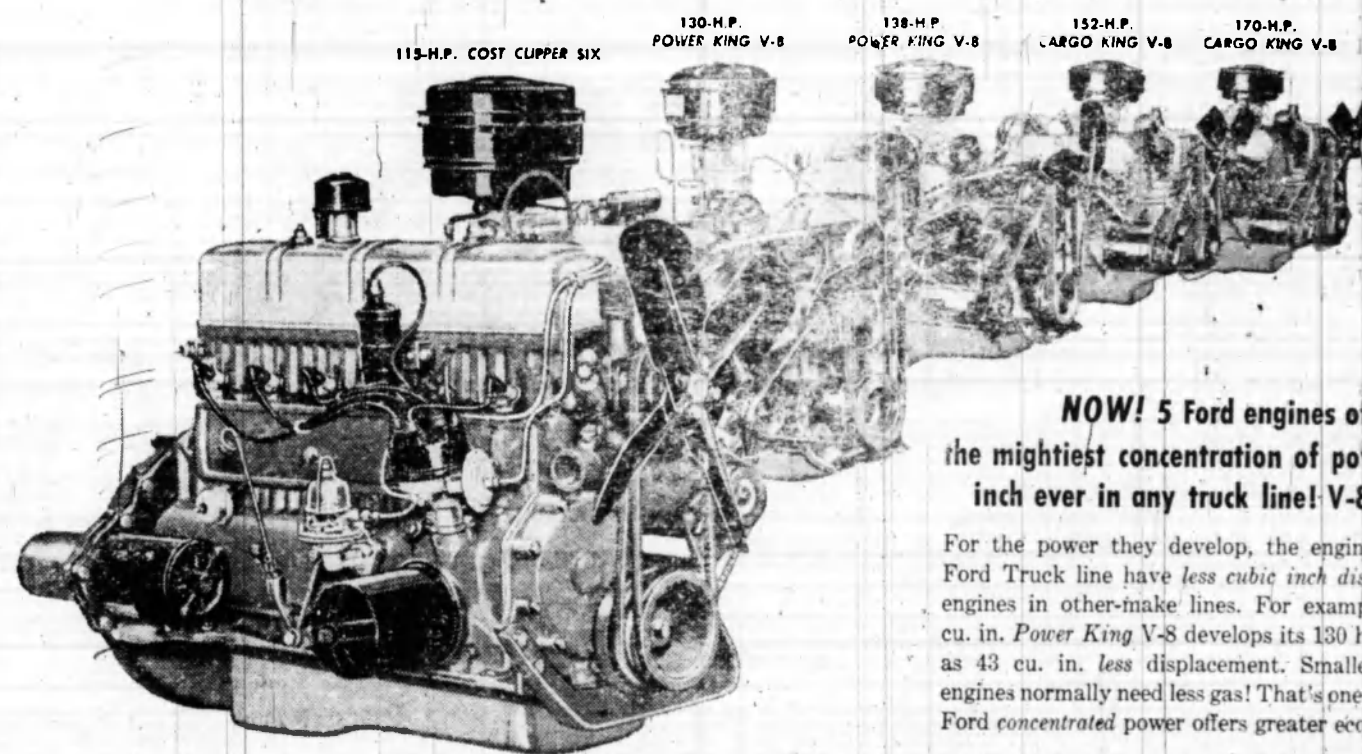
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