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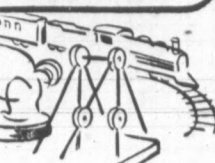
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Merry Christmas, everybody!

This unusually-large, 20-page edition of the News comes to you today filled with the sincere greetings and best wishes of over 110 business firms in Fulton to YOU. These folks have appreciated your patronage and are thanking you for it.

Most of those who did not take space in the paper have sent out cards to their customers, so one way or the other, you will know that Fulton firms appreciate your business.

All they ask in return is to give them an opportunity to show you what they have, anytime you start out to do any shopping next year. We know of a fellow who drove 45 miles last week to buy a topcoat, didn't find what he liked, and came on back only to find exactly what he wanted in about ten minutes.

Someone certainly gave us a bum present this week. Several of our correspondents (including Patricia Latane) slipped their columns under the door Tuesday evening after we had closed the office. . . and Wednesday morning they were gone. The only thing we can figure is that a passerby, thinking the envelopes might contain money, carefully pulled them out and carried them off.

While we're on the subject of correspondents, we want to express our sincere appreciation to our correspondents for their contributions through the past year. Many of you have been faithful weekly contributors week in and week out through the whole year, and although we don't express ourselves to you nearly as often as we would like to, we feel that our paper would be cold indeed without this warmth of community life that is mirrored in its pages. We want to welcome to our "family" those of you who just started writing for us this year.

Before the busy Spring season gets underway, we are going to do something that we have been wanting to do ever since we came here. . . get all of our correspondents and all of the plant together for a big dinner and a big party, and make the occasion an annual affair.

Picking up last week's papers from around the area, we noted that three of them carried accounts of fatal hunting accidents; two men were accidentally shot and killed, and the third died of exposure following the overturning of his overloaded boat. (He spent six hours in the water). The tragic thing about all of them is the fact that they could have been prevented if normal caution was observed. Remember that, you hunters.

CRUTCHFIELD SUICIDE

"Pom" Palmer, 73, ended his life with a shotgun last Saturday afternoon at Crutchfield. Palmer was reported to have been in failing health for several years.

Services were conducted by Rev. Sam Kendall in the Obion Chapel church near Troy, Tenn., last Wednesday, with burial in Camp Ground cemetery.

Palmer is survived by his wife, one sister, Mrs. Lillian Roberson of Crutchfield, and two grandchildren, both living in Detroit.

WHITNEL HOME DAMAGED

The 2-story frame home of Will Whitnel on West State Line road was partially destroyed by fire last Monday morning.

The fire, reported to have been caused by a defective flue, destroyed most of the second floor and caused considerable damage to the balance of the structure before being brought under control by the Fulton fire department.

THE NEWS

The Farm and Home Paper of the Ken-Tenn Territory

Fulton, Kentucky; Friday, December 24, 1948

CLINTON YOUTH INJURED IN TRAGIC HUNTING ACCIDENT

Carl Sarten, Jr., 15 year old Clinton youth, lost his right leg last Saturday, as a result of the season's first serious hunting accident.

Carl, the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Sarten, was shot by the accidental discharge of a shotgun in the hands of another 15 year old hunting companion while hunting on "Middle Bar" Island in the Mississippi River, below Columbus and near Wolf Island. Young Sarten and several other students of Central school were hunting on the island and at about 1:30 p.m. Saturday the gun was accidentally discharged while it was being reloaded. The full charge of shot tore through Carl's thigh just above the knee.

WEST KENTUCKY IS MECCA FOR DUCK HUNTING

Reports from hunters and conservation officers received by the Division of Game and Fish indicate that more ducks and geese are visiting Kentucky this season than in many recent years. From the flyway areas in the Western part of the state, along the Ohio and Mississippi rivers, come reports that many ducks and geese are being bagged. However, the weather conditions have not been good for duck hunting and the hunters' take is being cut down due to this factor. So far, the hunters report, the waterfowl are flying high, but with colder weather they are expected to fly within shooting distance. However, severe cold weather will force both the ducks and geese to continue their journey southward.

Dale Hollow lake offers good hunting for ducks while large numbers of ducks are reported along the Ohio and Kentucky rivers and smaller streams in other sections of the state. A large percentage of the ducks visiting Kentucky are mallards while some of practically every species have been seen. Mostly the Canadian geese are in Kentucky now, the Blue Geese having already made their southward trek. The bag limit and possession limit for geese is four, which limit may not include more than two Canada or white-fronted or one of each. The daily limit for ducks is four with the possession limit double that amount. However, not more than one wood duck may be held in a hunter's possession.

CHARLEY HASTINGS DIES IN CHICAGO

Funeral services for Charley D. Hastings, who died in Chicago last Sunday while visiting in the home of his son, were held Tuesday afternoon with Rev. Randall Johnston, pastor of the Riceville Baptist church conducting the services.

The well-known resident of Riceville was visiting his son, John, when he died. He was a devoted and life-long member of the Woodland Mills Baptist church and was loved by all who knew him.

Mr. Hastings was born in Shelbyville, Tenn., August 1863. He came to Fulton in 1890 and in 1895 was married to Catherine Reece who preceded him in death August 10, 1948.

Survivors include three sons, John of Chicago; C. D. of Crutchfield and Ernest of Cairo, Ill.; three daughters, Mrs. Ed Hollis; Mrs. Rufus Southerland; Mrs. Allie Mack all of Fulton. Twelve grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Hornbeak Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

KEY RINGS FOUND

Two key rings, one containing five keys and the other eight keys, have been turned in to the police department after being found on the city streets.

The respective owners may claim them at the police station in the city hall.

By the time the motorboat could be brought to take him to Columbus and then by ambulance to the hospital in Clinton, considerable time had elapsed and it was approximately three o'clock before he arrived at Jackson Hospital in Clinton.

Unstinted praise has been given the boys in the party for their skilled application of a tourniquet to check the loss of blood from the wound. Several of the boys had been given first aid training in the Clinton Boy Scouts and this training may have saved a life last Saturday.

A boat belonging to the State Division of Game and Fish was used to bring the injured lad to Columbus.

An amputation was performed shortly after Sarten arrived at the Jackson Hospital, when it was found to be necessary to do so.

As of today, Sarten continued to improve in fine fashion, and expected to leave the hospital for his home in the near future.

DR. ROBERT BARD DIES IN MEMPHIS

Dr. Robert E. Bard, 43, prominent Fulton dentist, died last Monday night at the Baptist Hospital in Memphis, where he was taken a month ago following a heart attack.

Dr. Bard had practiced dentistry in Fulton for the past fourteen years.

Services were conducted at the First Methodist church last Wednesday by Rev. W. E. Mische, with burial in Greenlee cemetery.

Dr. Bard was a past Exalted Ruler of the Elks Lodge 1142, and held a life membership in that organization. He was also a member of Roberts Lodge 172 of the Masons.

Born near Fulton on April 29, 1905, Dr. Bard was the son of Sam and Lela Stevenson Bard. He was married to Margaret Lutten on September 14, 1924, and to this union one daughter, Mrs. Nell Lutten Valentine, was born. His widow and his daughter survive him, as well as one sister, Miss Margaret Bard, and two grandchildren, Gwen and Sherry.

\$18,000 In Gifts To Kroger Company Branch Employees

Cash Christmas gifts totaling \$18,000.00 are being distributed this week to Kroger Company employees in the Memphis area, G. E. Berg, Kroger Branch Manager announced.

These Kroger people are among the 2,000 store, warehouse, office, and manufacturing plant employees located in 19 midwestern and Southern states who will participate in the firm's Christmas gift plan, announced recently by Joseph B. Hall, Kroger President.

The checks, enclosed in a colorful illustrated Christmas message from Mr. Hall, will go to every employee with six months or more service with the exception of those employees who participate in a company incentive plan. Incentive plan checks will be distributed early in 1949.

JIM McGEHEE
J. B. ("Jim") McGehee, secretary of the Fulton County Farm Bureau, suffered a heart attack at his home near Cayce last Tuesday.

His condition Wednesday was reported to be improved, although he is expected to be confined to bed for several weeks at his home.

The News, together with the thousands of his friends throughout this area, wishes genial "Jim" a speedy recovery.

QUEEN CROWNED
Lydia Nabors was crowned basketball queen of South Fulton High School on December 16 in a pre-game ceremony. Team captain Curtis Cates placed the crown on Miss Nabors, climaxing

A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL

By COLLIER



FARM BUREAU FEDERATION SPLIT OVER SUPPORT PRICES

Continuance of government support prices for farm products at their present rigid level of 90 per cent of parity, or "fair price," has been voted down by the resolutions committee of the American Farm Bureau Federation in convention here.

Instead, the resolutions committee gave its approval Dec. 14 to a flexible system of price supports, permitting a decline to a minimum of 80 percent of parity. It urged also that if the secretary of agriculture felt conditions called for quotas to restrict production and the farmers refused to agree, the support price on the crop would drop to 50 per cent.

These are provisions of the Aiken bill passed by the last Congress. The federation worked to get them written into a law which is effective in 1950 as a long-term farm program.

However, southern, cotton, tobacco, and peanut growers, who insist the maintenance of government price guarantees at 90

per cent is indispensable to southern prosperity, are battling strongly. They want to see the flexible price plan of the Aiken bill repealed. They lost by more than 2 to 1 in the resolutions committee.

They propose to take their fight to the floor of the farm bureau convention Dec. 16. If defeated there, they intend to go to Congress, where they figure they have a good chance of success.

The resolutions committee also declined to endorse the wholesale application of price supports to all crops, as urged by a number of delegates.

The extent and strength of sentiment in the South for the maintenance of high price supports for the major southern crops was evidenced at the only open hearing of the resolutions committee Dec. 14. One delegate after another, mostly from Texas, North and South Carolina, and Georgia, rose to protest against any possible cut in support prices.

A Texas delegate declared that if the farm bureau federation worked against the 90 per cent guarantee in Congress, this might cost it the loss of half a million members.

No such sharp conflict ever before has broken out in the 30-year history of the federation, which is one of the largest farm organizations in the country.

The majority of its leaders feel, nevertheless, that it will be in the best interest of farmers as a whole to avoid the perpetuation of government price guarantees at their high wartime level, with the consequent reintroduction of crop restrictions so as to prevent the production of crop restrictions so as to prevent the production of large surpluses under the spur of high price supports.

DON'T FORGET TRIPLETS IN YOUR XMAS GIVING; MORE NEEDED TO BUY DWELLING

When you start planning that happiness for the Christmas holidays, think three times before you sit down to enjoy your blessings. . . yes, think of the triplets of Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis who may not be as comfortable as they prepare to see their first Christmas.

The triplets were born early in the Fall at the Haws Hospital in Fulton, and shortly after their birth a group of ladies got together to see what could be done for them. Much had been

done for them, but much more is needed to buy them a dwelling available at their home-town of Harris Station.

Put the triplets on your shopping list. They are in dire need of help and if their little hearts could tell you how much they appreciate it, they certainly would tell you.

Other donations received are:
Mrs. Carrie Adams \$5.00
Second donation by Mrs. Elizabeth Snow \$5.00
John Fugia Kizer \$5.00

YMBC, Legion Plan Fall Fair and Show

Fulton is going to have a fair next year, and it promises to be a dandy.

After being talked up around town for the past year, the plans were crystallized by YMBC President Foad Homra, who last month appointed a "fair" committee headed by Barney Speight.

Speight and Russ Anderson, YMBC vice-president, immediately scheduled a trip to Hopkinsville and attended a meeting of the West Kentucky Fair Association, enrolling the interested Fulton group as members and enabling Fulton to be included on the top-notch circuit of show and racing horses next fall. Following the definite inclusion of Fulton in the circuit, the "West Kentucky-Tennessee Fair

and Horse Show" was organized jointly with the American Legion here, with W. S. Atkins as director and Foad Homra, secretary, and plans are currently being mapped for a four-day program near the end of August or the first of September.

The American Legion, in jointly sponsoring the project, thus indicates that it will schedule its excellent annual horse show during this time.

Besides the Horse Show, which will probably run more than one day, the plans propose "big" stake races every day on the race track which will attract more top-flight horses; a carnival on the grounds; and the invitation of the country farm bureau picnic, dairy show, and exhibits.

The West Kentucky Fair Association includes 10 cities in Western Kentucky, most of whom have outstandingly successful fairs every year. These include LaCenter, Central City, Hopkinsville, Marion, Mayfield, Paducah and others.

A delegation from the Fulton group will go to Louisville in January to co-ordinate the local dates with the Kentucky State Fair Association. Following their return, a joint meeting of YMBC and Legion officials will be called for the purpose of completing the organization of committees and mapping out the start of actual work on the project.

KROGER GIVES FREE TRIPS TO 50 EMPLOYEES

Among the 50 winners of a 10-day all expense trip to Florida and Cuba in the Kroger Company's inter-store contest are Charlie Deaton of Corinth, Miss. and Vernon Guynes of West Memphis, Ark. They were judged winners after attaining the highest percentage of increased sales during the eight week anniversary sale among 98 store managers in Kroger's Memphis Branch.

The winning store managers and their wives will leave for Cincinnati, O., on January 3, where they will meet the other winning couples. Each of the winners will receive \$75 for extras, and all expenses of the trip will be paid by Kroger.

The group will go by special train to Jacksonville where they will change to motor coaches for an extensive trip to scenic spots in Florida. The trip including stops at Silver Springs, Cypress Gardens, Palm Beach, Daytona Beach and Box Tower, ends with a two-day stay in Miami Beach's famed Hotel Vanderbilt.

Climax of the 10-day vacation is a cruise to Havana abroad a luxury liner. Here the winning couples will tour Havana and country side before returning to Cincinnati.

Mrs. Ronnie Copeland

Mrs. Ronnie Copeland, Riceville, died last Tuesday morning at her home following a lengthy illness.

Services were conducted Wednesday afternoon near Pryorsburg, Ky., with burial there.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. E. B. Core, Riceville; Mrs. Linnie Frazer and Mrs. Virgie Holland of Fulton; Mrs. Gertie Holt, Mayfield; two sons, Joe of Hickman and Sam of Fulton; fifteen grandchildren, thirty-three great grandchildren, numerous nieces and nephews; one brother, Lee Watson, Mayfield; two sisters, Mrs. Minnie Copeland; Pryorsburg; Mrs. Callie Bradley, Mayfield. Pallbearers were Bill and James Albert Holfield, Dalton Gore, Denver Weaver, Richard Guest and Mrs. Ross.

CHURCH NURSERY ADDED

A nursery, located in the newly completed addition to the First Baptist church in Fulton "opened for business" last Sunday, with the invitation being made to parents to bring their children in and leave them in the care of the attendant while attending services.

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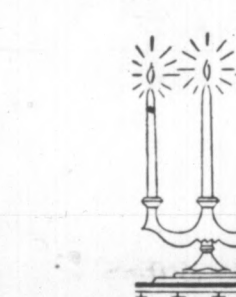
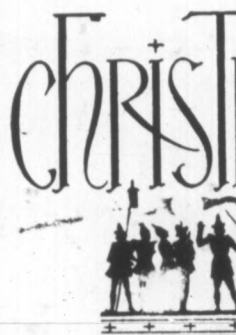
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There is nothing that keeps the heart young like sympathy, like giving oneself with enthusiasm to some worthy thing or cause.—Anonymous.

God's Christmas Gift

The peace and joy of Christmas for all real Christians is rich and full to overflowing. But one cannot escape a pang of regret at the millions of men throughout the world, and the throngs in our own land, who neither understand nor believe that the Son of God became Man.

In its deepest significance, Christmas is a mystery of faith which no mind can completely fathom. But the human mind and heart, illumined and warmed by grace, will find in contemplation of the Christ Child food for a lifetime of reflection, and strength for all the troubles and sorrows of life.

Before the coming of Christ, sinful man was adrift from God. A darkness enveloped his mind which prevented him from knowing the way to his heavenly home; a fatal weakness made it impossible to travel the road to God's kingdom; and a roadblock—created by sin—made entrance into heaven an utter impossibility.

But God is a God of love. He had it in His heart, not only to forgive man's indignities and transgressions, but to do so in such a way as to soften the most obdurate of men. Of course, in His thought and will there were all manner of possibilities for man's enlightenment, sustenance and redemption. And among those possibilities was a Bethlehem, which was to lead to the Hidden Life, the Public Ministry, the Cross, the Resurrection—and to man's temporal and eternal salvation.

Could God have chosen a better way to teach us than by sending His only-begotten Son, Jesus, to instruct us in our own native tongue? Could He have made virtue more attractive than by showing us, in the daily actions of Christ, how God would have us live? And though He might have redeemed us at less cost to Mary's Son, He wished to show us how much God can love—that was His Christmas Gift to you, to me, and to all mankind.

Kentucky Leads The Way

Reprinted from the Los Angeles Times

One of the flaws in our democracy that seem to be more apparent around election time is its uneven development.

We find men and women taking leading roles in movements who do not seem capable of teamwork because they exert pressure in different directions. We find, for example, some who want to take California back to the days of the gods and feudalism. They appear to aspire to be back-country barons rather than mere lieutenants in a forward-marching army of citizenry.

Others seem to want to rush too far ahead of the parade into the future while others pull to the right or left in lines tangential to the main, progressive trends. California finds it has its share of these people, all well meaning but lacking civic co-ordination.

The state of Kentucky was like that or even worse. It was rapidly becoming a backward state, living on the fame that its bluegrass, beautiful women, fine horses and Bourbon whisky had given it. One day a group of men headed by Harry W. Schacter, president of a large business concern in Louisville, met and decided to do something about Kentucky. They formed the "Committee for Kentucky."

This fine group of men, representing the great organizations and institutions of the state, not only did something but they are continuing to do something. It wasn't something political for it was a nonpartisan project. It wasn't something religious for the clergymen and lay leaders were taking care of that. It was something that can best be described as socio-economic—a sort of recharging of the batteries of the state's civic morale.

First there was a survey. By 1940, it was found, Kentucky was next to the lowest state in the South in industrial payrolls. Its per capita income was 59 percent of the United States average in 1943. Population was decreasing. The state lost 250,000 persons in three years. And so on.

The committee is having such great success that Mr. Schacter was led to believe some such committee could do a great deal for America. Accordingly, he has proposed a "Committee for America."

"At no time in the history of our country has our democracy faced a greater challenge than it does today," he says. "Unless we can meet this challenge the future of our way of life will be in serious danger."

"It has become the deep conviction of many people that the hope of democracy lies in the local community. If all groups in every American community can get together to discuss, plan and work to solve their local problems, our democracy will become so strong that it will not only be able to meet every challenge, but it will actually grow stronger with each challenge."

"It seems, therefore, of real importance that a nationwide program be set in motion, aiming toward the formation of local citizens councils throughout America. These would concern themselves with the over-all problems of each community."

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The Rural Viewpoint TOWN & FARM ANALYSIS IN THE WASHINGTON NEWS BY AGRICULTURAL NEWS SERVICE

Income Down

This year, net farm income will take a slump—the first in a decade—according to Department of Agriculture economists.

Falling prices for agricultural products, together with stable or rising prices paid by farmers, will put a tighter pinch on farmers' pocketbooks.

Due to record crop production, cash receipts in November remain slightly below those of the same month last year. Total receipts for the year are likely to be a little larger than 1948 receipts; however, higher production costs will leave the farmer a lower net share than he enjoyed last year.

During the first eleven months of this year, farmers received \$28 billion—two percent above receipts in the same period in 1948. Livestock receipts rose seven percent. Crop receipts dropped four percent.

Farmers and Unions

Protection of the independent farmer against union organizing drives was requested by a special Congressional Committee last week.

A House Labor subcommittee, headed by Representative Wint Smith (R., Kan.), also urged that Congress make certain that farm workers are excluded from provisions of the Taft-Hartley law.

In a special report on hearings conducted from July to September 1947, the group declares that both of these objectives can be attained if Congress will define the term "agricultural laborer."

Congress has already exempted farm workers from operation of the Wagner and Taft-Hartley laws, and relieved farmers from obligation to bargain collectively with any labor organization. But the politicians failed to mention just what they meant by "farm worker."

Subsequently, says the report, court interpretations of this term have created the danger that farmers may be subjected to regulations and decisions of the National Labor Relations Board.

In the meantime, unions, "have refused to be so restricted," the report declares. "There is grave

danger that labor groups may destroy thousands of independent farmers within the near future."

The study, signed also by Representatives Schwabe (R., Mo.) and Fisher (D., Tex.) concludes that "Congress should spell out its definition of agricultural laborer to assist NLRB in carrying out intent of Congress."

Machinery Supply

Next year, farmers will come nearer to getting the model and type of farm machinery they want, than at any time since prewar days.

Officials of the Agriculture Department made this prediction last week, as it became apparent that some lines of machinery may be starting to catch up with backlog of demands.

"There isn't a buyer's market yet in farm machinery," said one expert. "But we should be closer to one next year."

In 1949, total farm machinery output is expected to be more than 15 percent larger than that in 1947 production. This year, it is 250 percent above 1935-39. Exports will be smaller, in next twelve months.

Reason for this brighter outlook is the fact that—barring a sudden war scare—more steel will be available for tractors and other machinery.

However, supplies are still small in relation to current dollar income of farmers. "Average" farmers tends to spend about seven percent of income on machinery—and there just isn't enough machinery to go around.

More fertilizer

Farmers will be able to obtain more fertilizer next year, but still not as much as they need and are able to buy.

by the Agriculture Department. Officials estimate that nitrogen This was announced last week supplies will total about 955,000 tons—seven percent above last year (those figures were revealed in this column last October 4).

Effective demand for nitrogen in this country is expected to reach about 1,000,000 tons. Supplies will apparently be tightest in the East and South.

Supplies of potash will prob-

ably be about 10 percent larger next year than at present. However, many regions will be short of this material. There should be more than enough phosphate to meet all demands, according to officials.

Experts still expect that within two years, Western Europe may be producing nearly enough nitrogen to fill its own requirements.

Christmas Joy



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News From HENRY I. SEIGEL-CITY

Originated in 1937

We extend our deepest sympathy to Lucille Yates whose infant grandson passed away recently.

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Garvine Austin spent Sunday

in Union City visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Legons.

Sue Cope is showing off one of her Christmas presents early. It's a pretty new ring from her uncle.

A few of the girls in "T" section surprised Mavis Yates with a little party during rest period Thursday, honoring her on her birthday.

Vada Walker celebrated her birthday the past week.

Those who missed work due to illness were Alma Bolton and Baker Cosby.

We take this means of welcoming to Seigel City, Irwin Kushmer, whose home is Brooklyn, N. Y. He is training to be a foreman and he is not married, girls. Which reminds me there are only a few shopping days left in this leap year.

Do you know Edith Day's favorite song? "All I Want For Christmas is My Two Front Teeth." That's all she wants too, really.

If anyone has a gold button, please donate it. It is for Mary Samons who was at her machine Thursday morning before the

last buzzer sounded.

At last someone is a jump ahead of Kilroy. The reason I know? On a post by one of the coke machines is this little verse, "Glee, Glee, Joy, Joy, I got here before Kilroy."

We would like to have a contest to see who can eat the most Raymond Briskley or Gene Calis.

The factory was closed Monday afternoon for the Christmas holidays.

Work will be resumed Jan. 3rd.

The annual Christmas party for the employees will be held at the factory Friday Dec. 24th at 10:30 to 12 noon. All employees are invited.

Mary Nell Page

Russ Taylor, three year old son of Lois Taylor, was treated at the Haws Hospital Tuesday night, December 14 for dog bite. The dog was a pet of Russ.

Helen Nall's mother, Mrs. Edith Nall, was dismissed from Haws Hospital December 15. She has been a patient there since November 27. While there she underwent a major operation. She is able to sit up some now.

We had two absent from our floor Friday, Rex Ruddle and Lois Taylor.

Friday afternoon looked like clean-up day on the cutting floor. The boys were sanding the tables getting them ready for a new coat of varnish.

My daughter celebrated her second birthday December 17.

We had as our guests, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jeffress and Patricia, Mrs. Tom White and Bruce White.

Helen Nall was absent from work Tuesday because of illness.

Murray has been planning on going home for Christmas but the last time I talked with him he was awfully disappointed for he thinks now he won't get to go. I still believe in Santa, Murray, and here's hoping you get to go.

I don't have much news for this week. Guess between Christmas shopping and holding down two jobs I don't have time.

"B" SECTION
Martha Luther

Rita Cashion and Pat Wilson of Martin were week end guest of Mrs. Pauline Yates.

Mr. and Mrs. Zora Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walberton and Mrs. J. C. Weatherspoon and children were guests of Mrs. Emma Butts last Sunday.

Helen Robertson and Ollie Harris were supper guests of Mrs. Iris Cook and family.

Eraddell Latha spent Saturday in Paducah shopping.

Lydia Payne had as her guest last week end Mr. and Mrs. Angus Thornton of Union City and Mr. and Mrs. John R. Dedmon of Monroe, La.

Miss Martha Strayhorn of Lilburn, Mo., visited her mother, Mrs. Ruth Strayhorn last week end.

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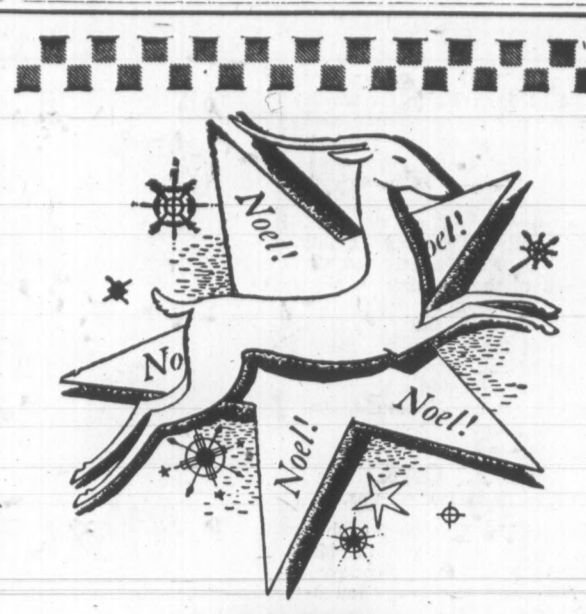
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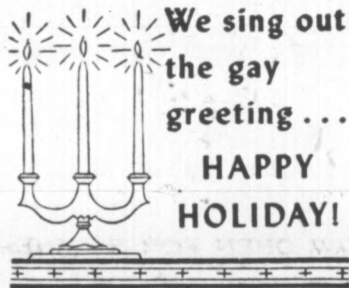
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PILOT OAK

Mrs. B. G. Lowry, Cor.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Murphey were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Finley Sunday.

Mrs. Hershel Floyd and daughter of Detroit, Mich. and spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Casey and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Gossum shopped in Mayfield Saturday.

Brother Billy Yates will preach at the Pilot Oak Church of Christ Sunday morning at the eleven o'clock hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stephens and family of Union City spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Yates and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hill.

Mrs. Paulette Hill and Mrs. Edith Yates spent Monday with Mrs. Allene Lowry.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bushart and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orby Bushart Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hill and Randall are visiting Mrs. Hill's brother, Bernie Yates in Mayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mount were visitors in Pilot Oak Monday.

Mrs. Evelyn Melton and Sherry, Mrs. Allene Lowry and Jimmie Allen, Mrs. Louise Olive, Tobl, Terry and Dana were in Fulton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gossum and son of Water Valley were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Gossum Monday night.

ROCK SPRINGS

Mrs. Nettie Copelen, Cor.

Curt Prince spent Sunday and Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Hopkins and family.

Mrs. Jenny Pully visited with Mrs. Nora Copelen Tuesday. Several from this community attended the funeral of Mr. Howard Friday.

Misses Marie and Gladys Moore visited a while Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Elmoore Copelen and family.

Sandra Lou Hale spent Friday night and Saturday with Martha Kay Copelen.

Luther Veatch spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Veatch.

Mr. and Mrs. Herchel Elliott and Beverly spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John McClanahan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmoore Copelen, Martha and Marie spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Green.



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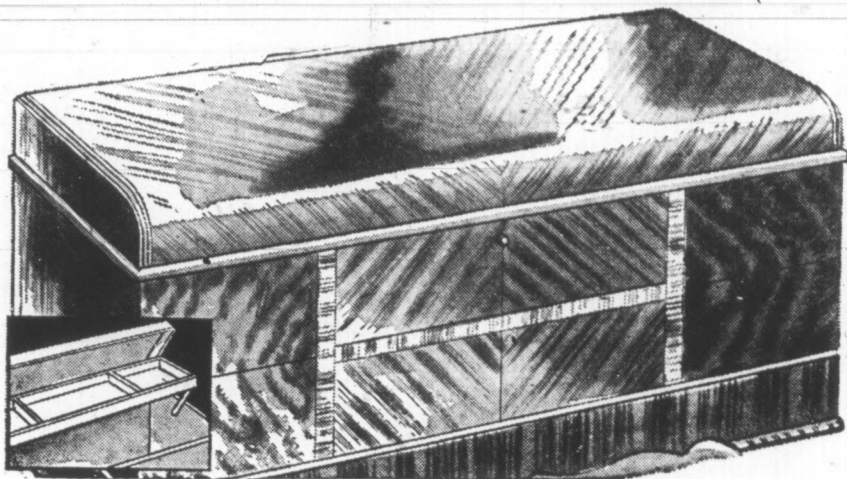
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JET-MOBILE bomb wagons; metal; were \$9.50 now \$5.

FULTON Thunderbolt wood wagons; rubber tires; removable sides were \$14.50; reduced to \$9.95.

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STUDENTS CONDUCT COMMUNITY SURVEY

Approximately 600 University of Kentucky students are conducting a survey of social conditions in 250 communities throughout the state during the

Christmas holidays. Purpose of the survey is to gather information which will be used by various state agencies in civic improvement programs.

The students, who are working under the direction of the University of Kentucky Bureau of Community Service, will collect data on almost every phase of community life, including the number of hospitals, doctors, nurses, dentists and lawyers serving each town or city; whether or not electricity is available to the community's residents; local Red Cross units; types of fire departments; number of churches and the denominations; whether or not the community has a teen-age recreation program; communication and transportation facilities; and which newspapers circulate in the area.

Also scheduled for coverage in

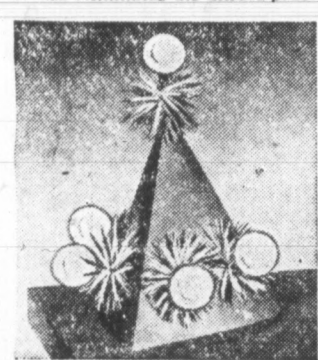
Wiring Specialists Give Outlet Tips For Xmas Lighting, Year-Round Living

YOU can go "all out" on lighted Christmas decorations, wiring specialists advise, if your home has enough electrical outlets in handy spots. Properly located outlets not only make it easy to place

Yuletide decorations in appropriate places, the experts claim, but also provide greater convenience and flexibility in lighting and appliance use throughout the year.

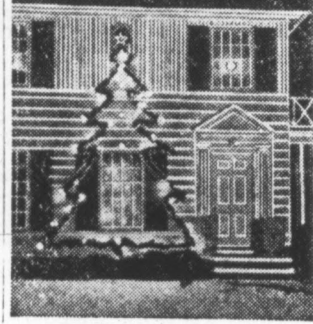
Three unusual arrangements are pictured and the following wiring installations are recommended for lighted holiday ornaments as well as general year-round use.

Floor Outlet—A sunken floor outlet under the dining table that can be connected by a cord to a multiple plug-in receptacle attached to the table itself. It provides convenient use of small cooking appliances and special centerpieces like the one below. It also eliminates the unsafe practice of trailing extension cords over or under the rug. The triangular tree illustrated is made of heavy red flameproof paper. The light cord is fastened in place on the inside with gummed tape. The lights are set into holes cut in the "tree." Fire-resistant green crepe paper, fringed to look like pine needles, hides the bases of the bulbs and gives a finishing decorative touch.



distinctive decorations like the home-made church scene pictured can be set up without limiting the use of lamps and appliances in other parts of the room. Outlets spaced according to the twelve-foot rule eliminate the need for unsightly extension cords and make it possible to arrange furniture where desired.

Outdoor Outlet—Installed near the front entrance and other appropriate spots for outdoor decorative lighting, garden or cooking appliances. Weatherproof cord sets should be used for exterior decorations like the one shown.



Outlets Every 12 Ft.—When convenience outlets are spaced every twelve feet along the wall,

the survey are the local organizations interested in sponsoring civic improvement programs.

Students from the sociology departments of Berea, Georgetown, and Centre are also participating in the survey. John Given, director of the UK bureau stated.

THURSDAY EVENING CLUB GIVES DINNER PARTY FOR MEMBERS

The members of the Thursday night bridge club and one guest, Miss Marjory Shannon, enjoyed a delightful progressive dinner.

All the homes were beautifully decorated in keeping with the holiday season.

The first course, cocktails, was served at the home of Mrs. J.L.

SOCIETY

MESDAMES STILLEY AND SIMONS GIVE PARTY FOR CLUB

Mesdames Ruvet Stille and Mel Simons entertained the members of their bridge club and two guests, Mrs. Boren Rogers and Mrs. Dudley Meacham, with a pot luck luncheon Thursday at the home of Mrs. Stille.

The luncheon was served buffet style with the table centered with a crystal bowl filled with colorful Christmas balls and candles.

The guests were seated at card tables centered with candles garlanded with greenery and red berries. An added feature to the decorations was a prettily decorated Christmas tree.

Following the luncheon bridge was enjoyed. Mrs. Boren Rogers was high scorer for the afternoon and Mrs. Dudley Meacham won travel prize.

Members attending were Mesdames N. T. Morse, Bunn Copeland, Don Hill, C. L. Maddox, Felix Gossum and R. B. Roberts.

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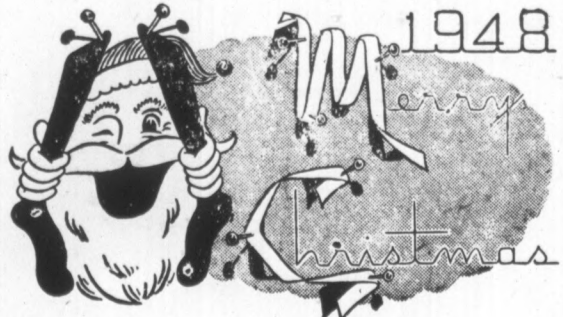
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CHRISTMAS PARTY GIVEN BY BUNCO CLUB THURSDAY

A Christmas party was given Thursday night for the Bunco Club and their guests at the home of Mrs. Irby Holder on Valley street with Mrs. Pat Matheny and Mrs. Eph Dawes co-hostesses.

The house was decorated throughout with Christmas decorations. The beautifully lighted Christmas tree was surrounded by gifts that were exchanged by the guests later in the evening. The guests arrived at 6:30 and a delightful pot luck supper was served. The guests were seated at card tables with each place marked with attractive place cards and a Christmas corsage for each guest.

After supper bunco was played with prizes being awarded to Mrs. Mary Weeks who won first bunco, Mrs. C. P. Bruce, second bunco, Mrs. Irby Holder, third bunco, Mrs. Rollie Miller, had first high, Mrs. W. B. McClain, second high, and Mrs. Johnny Sharp won low and Mrs. James Matheny, travel.

Guests attending were Mes-

dames, J. H. Ponds, Mary Weeks, Florence Goodwin, Raymond Bowles, Robbie Miller, Dick Hughes, James Matheny, Johnny Sharp, Mertie Cardwell, John Moore, Max McKnight, John Morris, Joe Mullins, Vernon McAlister, C. P. Bruce, C. A. Boyd, Sr., and W. B. McClain.

GIRL SCOUTS HAVE CHRISTMAS DINNER TUESDAY EVENING

The Girl Scouts had a Christmas program and dinner Tuesday night at the Woman's Club.

The club room was beautifully decorated by the girls. An interesting program was given with each patrol presenting a playlette written and directed by the girls of each patrol. A prize was awarded the Busy Bee Patrol for having the best dramatization and will be given the prize at the January meeting.

Following the program a delightful Christmas dinner was served to 50 girls and Mrs. Fred Gibson, Mrs. Joe Hall and Mrs. W. L. Durbin.

After the dinner the group sang Christmas carols and the presents from the Christmas tree were distributed.

The dinner was part of the Scout work and by sewing, dec-

orating and presenting the playlette they will work off portions of their badges.

CHRISTMAS PARTY ENJOYED BY CLUB THURSDAY EVENING

The Fulton County Utopia Club had its annual Christmas party at the home of Miss Katherine Adams Thursday, Dec. 16.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe McAlister, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pewitt and son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adams and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Dowdy, Mr. Curtis Hancock and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Watts and children, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hopper, Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Bard, Mrs. Lewis Atwill and son, Mr. and Mrs. Harold McClellan, Mrs. Bertha McLeod, Mrs. Margaret Lawson, and Miss Martha Fondow and Robert Adams.

The group spent the evening playing rook after which gifts were exchanged.

The hostess served pecan pie and coffee to her guests.

PALESTINE CLUB HAS MEETING AT COMMUNITY HOUSE

The lesson on the methods for natural finishing of furniture was presented by Mrs. Thomas Bruce to the Palestine Home-maker's Club which met at the community center December 17. Mrs. Robert Thompson called the meeting to order at 10:30 after which Mrs. Lora Brown conducted the devotional by reading Luke 2: 8-20 and "Christmas Bits" by Edgar A. Guest.

During the business session plans were completed for the Christmas supper and party December 21. Each family is expected to bring toys which are to be sent to the Crippled Children's Hospital in Louisville. Mrs. Bertha Nugent in the landscaping lesson told about mulching plants and the care of gladioli and dahlia bulbs during the winter months.

Mrs. Percy King directed the game, Santa's Pack, and Mrs. Harold Pewitt led the group in singing the Christmas carols, "Silent Night" and "O Little Town of Bethlehem."

Lunch was served at noon. Each member brought sandwiches for herself and coffee and tea were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Browder, Mrs. Frank Stroud and Mrs. Cecil Burnette. Mrs. McLeod, agent, displayed a Christmas tree for table decoration. Eighteen members and Mrs. McLeod attended the meeting.

TUESDAY EVENING CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. BEN EVANS

Mrs. Ben Evans entertained the members of her bridge club Tuesday night at her home on Edwings street.

The Christmas theme was used in the decorations which added a festive note to the home.

Several progressions of contract were enjoyed with Mrs. Martin Nail receiving high score prize and Mrs. L. O. Bradford, bridge bingo at the close of the games.

The hostess served a lovely party plate to Mesdames Nail, Bradford, Clanton, Meacham, Abe Jolley, L. O. Carter, Vester Freeman, R. C. Pickering and A. G. Baldrige.

LADIES AUXILIARY ENJOYS CHRISTMAS DINNER TUESDAY

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen enjoyed a lovely Christmas dinner at Kellen's Derby Cafe Tuesday night.

Covers were laid for 18 guests and a delightful turkey dinner was served.

Following the dinner gifts were exchanged from the Christmas tree after which games were

OH! CHRISTMAS STAR

Oh! Christmas Star that shines afar
From Heaven's jewell-lit case
Our prayerful thoughts of this world
Upon your beams we place.

Give us the faith of the Shepherds
Who took the starlit way
To worship the little Christ child
Who asleep in the manger lay.

Give us new happy songs
To sing with added cheer,
With the beauty of the Angel carols
Who announced the Babe was here.

Give us peace, so warm and deep
Across our weary land.
Power to love as He has taught
To share with our fellowman.

Give us wisdom of the Wisemen
Who brought their gifts to Him.
And knew He was the Saviour
Who came to enlighten them.

Bless our star of hope
Fill it with treasures rare
Bright dreams for our future years
To scatter here and there.

Let us walk in His way
As taught in the Bible Holy
No place, He would not enter in
No home too humble-lowly.

Let your bright heavenly light
Warm our hearts today.
Give us patience to understand
As we travel along life's way.

As you caressed the Christ Child's birth
Within those stable walls
Bare our message unto Him
Who loves and keeps us all.
By EMMA L. ROBERSON
Fulton

played with Mrs. Raymond Bowles and Mrs. John Alfred receiving prizes.

Those present were Mrs. Clyde Omar, Mrs. E. H. Knighton, Mrs. Joe Mullins, Mrs. Roy McClellan, Mrs. Raymond Bowles, Mrs. Sam Steele, Mrs. A. E. McKenzie, Mrs. Claude Shelby, Mrs. Claude Linton, Mrs. J. L. Hagan, Mrs. J. W. Fenwick, Mrs. John Alfred, Mrs. W. E. Black, Mrs. L. M. Roberson, Mrs. Francis Edwards, Mrs. J. L. McCree and Mrs. E. Babb.

ADVANCED CHILD CARE CLASS

The second in this series of three meetings will be held at Palestine Community House Wednesday night, January 5, at 6:30. The group will meet for supper and the topic for discussion will be "Standards of Health—(Reading Throats)."

TEA FOR FACULTY GIVEN BY HOME ECONOMICS CLASS

The third year Home Economics Class of Cayce high school gave a Faculty Tea on December 17 in the Home Economics room from 10:20 till 11:20 a.m. All the faculty was present.

The table was draped with a lace table cloth with a centerpiece of a miniature Christmas tree and tall red candles in cry-

stal holders. The room was decorated to carry out the Christmas motif.

Patsy McMurray poured the tea. She was assisted by Wilma Sue Brasfield and Ann Rose Phebus.

Hostesses were Rheudell Hastings and Alceon Bazzell.

INTERMEDIATES GROUP ENJOYS HOLIDAY PARTY

The teachers of the Intermediate department of the First Baptist church entertained their classes Monday night with a Christmas party.

Games were enjoyed during the evening after which refreshments were served to 38 children.

The teachers were Mrs. Ralph Brady, Mrs. G. B. Butterworth, Mrs. Charles Gregory, superin-

tendent, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sams, Mrs. Charles Looney and Oden W. Fowler were Mrs. Oden W. Fowler and son, Glenn, Nutch Benny Sams, Rhey Looney and Billy Gregory.

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT TEACHERS OF BAPTIST CHURCH HAVE PARTY

The Junior Department of the First Baptist church were entertained Tuesday night with a Christmas party given by the teachers, Mrs. William Scott, Mrs. W. T. Hinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bondurant, Mrs. Clifton Hamlett, Paul Butts, Richard Willey, H. C. Sams, Buel Carlisle and the superintendent, William Scott.

Games were feature entertainment. Hot dogs, candy and ice cream were served to about 70

children. All the classes were represented. Gifts were exchanged from the Christmas tree.

COFFEE SHOPPE EMPLOYEES HAVE CHRISTMAS PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gambill, owner of the Coffee Shoppe, entertained their employees, husbands and friends with a dinner party at the cafe Tuesday night at eight.

Mr. Gambill presented all the ladies with a corsage and gifts were exchanged.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Upton, Jr., Mrs. Lera Weather-spoon, Jess Blair, Miss Mary Lou Colley, Mrs. Carlene Boon, John P. Morgan, Miss Jeanette Starks, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lee Parks, the host and hostess and their son Michael.

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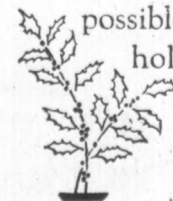
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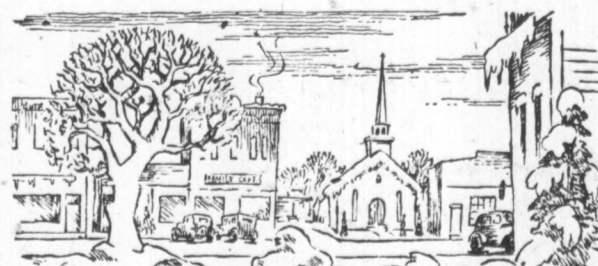


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Town Topics

Shannon Murphey, a student of the University of Texas, Austin, Texas arrived home Sunday to spend the Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Murphey, west of town.

Danny Baird who attends the University of Kentucky is spending the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Horton Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Merville Mullins and daughters, Melinda and Marsha and Jerry Mullins, all of Lexington are the holidays guests of their parents, Mr. and

Mrs. A. W. Mullins on the Mayfield Highway.

Miss Marilee Beadles arrived home Sunday night from Tampa, Fla., where she attends college to spend Christmas with her father, Frank Beadles and Mrs. Beadles.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Khourie and little son, Fred Wayne of Cairo, Ill., will spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Alex Khouri.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hardy, Jr., have arrived from Dallas, Texas to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hardy, Sr.

Hugh Earle, a university of Kentucky student, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Earle.

James Thompson of Nashville, Tenn., is spending the holidays with Mrs. Thompson and little son and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Thompson.

R. C. Pickering spent Tuesday in Memphis on business.

Joe Davis, Jr., has arrived home from Washington University, St. Louis, Mo., to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Binford and children of New Or-

leans, La., will be the Christmas guests of their parents, Mr. and J. E. Fall, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Pomp Binford.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Polk and little daughter, Mary Eleanor and Miss Mary Jones of Memphis will arrive this week to spend the holidays with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Jones, Sr., on Edgings street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bell will spend the holidays with their son, William Irvin Bell and family and in Detroit, Mich.

Henry Locke has arrived home to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Locke.

Mr. and Mrs. Flynn Powell of Murray are the holiday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Evans.

Read Holland is home from the University of Kentucky to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Evans will leave Friday for Water Valley, Miss., to spend Christmas with their son, Dr. Ben P. Evans and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde B. Hill and son, Freddie, left Wednesday, Dec. 22 for St. Petersburg, Fla., to spend Christmas with Mrs. Hill's parents, Mr. and Mrs.

A. C. Krayner. Mrs. Hill's brother and sister, students at Duke University, will also be home for the holidays. Mr. Hill will remain two weeks while Mrs. Hill will stay until February.

Miss Margaret Brady who teaches in Mayfield will spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brady.

Mrs. Sam Winston left Thursday for Cincinnati, O., where she will spend the holidays with her daughters, Mrs. Art Adams and Miss Mary Nell Winston.

Pal Boaz is home from Western Kentucky State College to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Boaz.

Miss Helen King who attends Bowling Green Business College has arrived home to spend Christmas with her father, Percy King and Mrs. King, west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Maddox, Mrs. Frank Cole and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Durbin will spend Christmas with their sister and daughter, Mrs. James A. Holderman and family in Decatur, Ill.

Mrs. Ed Roberts spent Monday in Memphis on business.

Jimmy Rogers who is in the Navy at Millington, is spending Christmas with his parents on Theford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McGee of Vicksburg, Miss., will spend the Christmas holidays in the home of her father, Joe Bennett on Carr street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cullum and son, Kenny, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Flake of Jackson, Tenn., will be Christmas guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Pearl Weaver and Eleanor.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nall and children Craig and Martha Allen of Calhoun, Ky., arrived Thursday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Nall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Roberts of the Hickman highway.

Mrs. Vincent Splane and little son, Douglas of Memphis are the holiday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Trevor Wheayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Shawie Noffel and children, Sandra and Edwin will spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Noffel.

Frank Cequin will leave Friday for Huntingdon, Tenn., to spend the holidays with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Baucorn Tegethoff and son, Bobby will be Christmas guests of her mother, Mrs. B. J. Williams.

Bobby Ann Grisham of Stephens college, Columbus, Mo., is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Grisham.

Christmas will be a gay occasion at the Clyde Williams home in Fair Heights as all the children will be home. Mrs. Nicholas Kish and family will

arrive this week from Buffalo, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams from Nashville and Peggy Koeling, Robert and the baby from Chicago.

Dick Harris of Louisville, Ky., will arrive this week to spend Christmas with his daughter, Eugenia at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Plott of Duquion, Ill., arrived Thursday to spend Christmas with her father, T. M. Exum and other relatives.

Jack Browder of Vanderbilt University, Louisville, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Browder.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Jenkins of Detroit are spending Christmas in Fulton with their daughter, Mrs. James W. Lowe and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lowe and family of Paducah are spending Christmas with their son, James

W. Lowe and family and other relatives and friends.

SPENDING HOLIDAYS HERE. Bill Cannon, a student of Abilene College, Abilene, Texas is spending the holidays with his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cannon.

He will preach at the Lone Oak Church of Christ Sunday, Dec. 26

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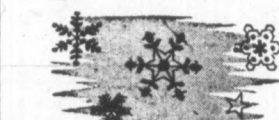
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Mrs. Agnes Russell and daughter, Elizabeth of Baton Rouge, La., are the guests of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. B. J. Russell.

Miss Katherine Taylor of Caruthersville, Mo., will spend the Christmas holidays with her mothers, Mrs. Lynn Taylor.

Mrs. Ira Dixon has been admitted to the Haws Hospital.

Mrs. C. W. Curlin, mother of Mrs. Clarence Reed, who has been quite ill in the Baptist Hospital in Memphis is slowly improving.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reed were Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Shelby of Clarksdale.

Kentucky Junior Growers Win Four National Contest Awards

KENTUCKY junior vegetable growers were named winners of four state awards in the 1948 production-marketing contest of the National Junior Vegetable Growers Association at its fourteenth annual four-day convention in Detroit, Mich. State honors were captured by Emma K. Conder, 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Conder of Harrodsburg; Frank Heller, Jr., 17-year-old son of Mrs. Adeline Heller of Peewee Valley; Louis Day, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Day of Cromwell; and William J. Stutzenberger, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Stutzenberger of Jeffersonton. The four youngsters were awarded cash prizes from the \$6,000 scholarship fund provided each year by A&P Food Stores to promote better production and marketing of vegetables by farm youth.

Other results announced by Prof. Grant B. Snyder of the University of Massachusetts, adult advisor to the association, included the awarding of the national championship and the top \$500 agricultural scholarship to David Pratt, 16-year-old grower of Ithaca, N. Y. Miss Conder's garden project, measuring 125 by 135 feet on her father's 42-acre farm produced tomatoes, potatoes, peppers and corn which earned her a profit of \$474.70 on her investment of \$97.50. She is a tenth-grade student at McAfee high school, ranking first in her class. Emma has been doing 4-H Club work for the past seven years and has had a garden project for four years. In county, district and state competitions, her canned foods, clothing and garden produce have won many ribbons.

Frank Heller won the Blue Grass State honors with his garden project of three-fourths of an acre planted with assorted vegetables such as rhubarb, potatoes, tomatoes, and corn. Used for both home consumption and for sales to retail outlets, his produce brought him \$346.60 of which

parents, Rev. and Mrs. Perry L. Stone. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mullins and little daughter of Lexington will spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mullins. Joe Holland is a patient in the Fulton Hospital. Miss Mary Louise Simons of Murray State college arrived home Friday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Simons in the Highlands. Joe Stephens of the University of Kentucky will spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stephens. Miss Peggy Scott of Nashville, Tenn., will spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Ruth Scott. Miss Elizabeth Ann Roper

Miss, Mr. and Mrs. Luby Roper, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stokes, Mrs. C. B. Travis and Miss Helen Tyler, all of Hickman.

Billy Carr will arrive from Madisonville Thursday to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Herbert Carr on Second Street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Mack Scates of New Orleans are expected this week to spend the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. J.H. Maddox and Mr. Maddox.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hitchcock and Dianne of Urbana, Ill., are spending the holidays with his parents, in Karnak, Ill., and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graham in Fulton. Mr. Hitchcock is a student at the University of Illinois.

Mrs. Robert Graham has returned from Dresden, Tenn., where she has been attending the bedside of her aunt Mrs. J.E. Shannon, who has been quite ill with a heart ailment. Mrs. Shannon formerly lived in Fulton and has many friends who will be glad to know she is improving.

Miss Anne Stone who attends college in Russellville, Ark., and Paul Stone who attends college in Enid, Okla., have arrived to spend the holidays with their

has arrived from Stephens College, Columbia, Mo., to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawason Roper.

CHICAGO FEED-EGG RATIO

The Chicago feed-egg ratio for the week ending December 10, 1948, was 6.00 as compared with 5.48 last week and 8.16 for the same period a year ago. The higher figure resulted as egg prices declined and a slight increase was registered for poultry ration. The average figure for the past 10 years is 5.45.

LAMB FEEDING

According to BAE development in the lamb feeding situation during November continued to indicate a greatly reduced number to be fed this winter. The reduction is general with nearly every State showing fewer lambs on feed this year than last and the total number fed may be the smallest in more than 20 years.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mrs. Lon Howard wish to thank those who were so kind to us during the recent illness and subsequent death of our beloved husband and father. Especially do we wish to thank all those who were so kind to send us flowers.

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EGG SALES

Egg markets in Kentucky towns last week ranged from 44 to 60 cents per dozen for current receipts. Beaver Dam was the lowest point at 44 cents. At Paintsville and Cadiz eggs were selling at 53, Centertown 50, Monticello 48, and Pleasureville 53 to 60.

Food Prices Lower

Index to average of all food prices declining. Dunn and Bradstreet index on December 7 was 11.1 percent lower than a year ago with U. S. Department of Labor wholesale food average down 3.1 percent.

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Illinois Central Issues News Items

Privacy DeLuxe

Something new is being added this winter for Florida travelers. For the first time in the history of the co-ordinated Chicago-Florida service including the Illinois Central Railroad, it will be possible to enjoy the extra privacy of moderately priced roomette accommodations between Chicago and Miami.

So reports Albert C. Linton, passenger traffic manager of the Illinois Central Railroad, in announcing his road's seasonal winter train, the Sunchaser. This train goes into service on an every-third-day schedule between Chicago and St. Louis and Miami, Jacksonville, West Palm Beach and other resort areas.

Roomettes are the single berths that close off into separate rooms with all needed travel facilities. The Sunchaser will provide regular sleeping car service and reserved seat coaches between Chicago, Jacksonville and Miami, supplemented by the extra advantage of connecting coach service and through sleeping car accommodations between St. Louis and Miami. The train will operate on a 34-hour schedule from Chicago to Miami.

For the further convenience of travelers to and from Florida, Mr. Linton reports that during the year one coach has been added to the every-third-day all-coach streamliner, the City of Miami, and that equipment on this train will be increased to handle Christmas vacation and student travel to and from Florida.

The old stand-by for both the east and west coasts of Florida is the daily Seminole, Illinois Central's year-around coach and



Roundhouse Round-Up

By Alice Clark

His honor "Go ahead and tell the court just exactly what passed between you and your wife during the altercation."

Defendant: "A flatiron, rolling pin, six plates and a tea kettle." Let's all remember to teach our children to look before crossing the railroad track, as there is a lot of children crossing railroad tracks now that school has started, to look before crossing a street, and not to walk between cars in crossing the street; and when playing at school not to run out in the street after a ball etc.; until they have looked both ways to see that there isn't any cars coming. Let's all do this before someone's telephone rings telling that mother that her child has been killed by some careless play.

Let's teach our children to be safety minded at all times.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Holloway and son, Dickie, will spend Christmas with his mother in Memphis.

Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Drape and children will leave for a visit to their parents in Owensboro and Livermore, Ky.

Jimmy James of Murray College is spending Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George James.

Miss Katherine Homra of Louisville will spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. Homra.

Pullman train cars operate to and from Jacksonville, Miami, St. Petersburg, Tampa and Sarasota.

Concerning living conditions in the resort areas, Mr. Linton reports that a good many new hotels have been built at Daytona Beach and Miami. Miami, he said for example, will have approximately 30,000 rooms for vacationers.

Christmas Spirit

Holiday spirit is bursting out all over on the Illinois Central Railroad. Trains, ticket offices and waiting rooms have taken on a festive air.

In the waiting room of Central Station, Chicago, travelers are greeted by a stately 47-foot tree attractively ornamented and adorned with 480 colored lights. Christmas carols will be sung by the Illinois Central Octet. Wreaths and small Christmas trees decorate the newly remodeled station dining room.

Holiday travelers will find the Christmas spirit also rides Illinois Central rails. Small illuminated Christmas trees will decorate the observation cars on the Panama Limited, City of New Orleans, Sunchaser, Seminole, Green Diamond, Daylight, City of Miami and Miss Lou. Lounge and parlor cars of the Land O' Corn, Louisiana, Hawk-eye and Iowan will be similarly decorated. Christmas wreaths and other festive trimmings will be used in dining cars.

Station employees elsewhere have also begun to decorate.



Best Wishes

1948

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Commuters and shoppers on the Illinois Central electric suburban service at Chicago walk through the gaily decorated passage-ways.

Supervision Changes

O. O. Albritton, director of purchases and stores of the Illinois Central Railroad, with headquarters in Chicago, announces the following changes in supervision, effective December 16:

Clarence S. Burt, manager, Forest Products Bureau, Memphis, becomes assistant to director of purchases and stores, succeeding the late Gordon P. Bier.

George D. Tombs, assistant manager of stores, succeeds Mr. Burt.

Robert E. Godley, supervisor of scrap and reclamation, succeeds Mr. Tombs.

Charles L. Foust, Jr., general foreman of the reclamation

shop, succeeds Mr. Godley.

Mr. Burt is a native of Oakland, Miss., and a former student of Millsaps College, Jackson, Miss., and the Mississippi State College at Starkville. He entered Illinois Central service in April, 1919, at Grenada, Miss., as a treatment inspector in cross tie service and has been stationed at Carbondale, Ill., New Orleans, Hattiesburg, Miss., Memphis and Chicago. He became manager of the Forest Products Bureau in June, 1941. He is a Marine veteran of World War I.

Mr. Tombs is a native of Jackson, La., and attended the Business University at Bowling Green, Ky. He began his railroad career as brakeman and flagman at Princeton, Ky., in 1907 and served in other posts at Vicksburg, Miss., and New Orleans. He was promoted to assistant manager of stores in

August, 1945.

Mr. Godley is a graduate of the University of Mississippi and came to the Illinois Central in September, 1924, as a clerk at Vicksburg. He was appointed supervisor of scrap and reclamation in December, 1946, after serving as a captain on the staff of Gen. Carl Gray in the Military Railway Service in Italy and France in World War II.

Mr. Foust came to the Illinois Central in April, 1927, at Memphis and has worked as a laborer, clerk, foreman and storekeeper. He became general foreman of the reclamation shop in September, 1948.

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How erosion control and building up the soil results in larger yields is seen on the farm of Avery Hancock in Fulton county. Mr. Hancock used three tons of limestone and 500 pounds of phosphate per acre upon buying his farm in 1939, relates Farm Agent John B. Watts. Hill land was terraced and a large area seeded to permanent pasture, while 175 acres were put in a two-year rotation of corn, small and sweet clover. This year, Mr. Hancock produced 113 bushels on a one-acre plot in the corn derby contest.



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The Woman's Page

ELIZABETH WITTY, Editor.

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SARAH DEAN CLASS HAS HOLIDAY PARTY AT LITTLE HOME

Mrs. Ira Little and Mrs. R. C. Pickering were hostesses to the Sarah Dean Class of the First Christian Church at the home of Mrs. Little on Third street.

The attractive home was beautifully decorated throughout in keeping with the holiday season.

Mrs. L. O. Bradford presided over a short business session after which a Christmas program was presented by Mrs. Perry L. Stone, leader, in the absence of the teacher, Mrs. H. B. Murphy. The Christmas Story was given under the leadership of Mrs. J. L. Buckingham. Those taking part were Mrs. Jake Huddleston, Mrs. B.G. Huff, Mrs. J. W. Gordon, Mrs. B.B. Alexander and Mrs. Clyde Williams.

The story of the writing of "The Little Town of Bethlehem" was given by Mrs. Clara Caldwell and Mrs. Hubert Bennett told of the writing of "Silent Night."

Mrs. F. D. Phillips and Mrs. D. A. Rogers played the carols on their violins. Mrs. Stone closed the program with a prayer.

Following the program a contest was enjoyed with Mrs. Huddleston winning the prize.

Gifts from the Christmas tree was distributed by Mrs. Santa Claus in the absence of Santa.

Lovely refreshments of punch, sandwiches, cookies and nuts were served from the beautifully draped lace dining table centered with a crystal epergne of colorful Christmas balls with Christmas candles casting a soft glow over the festive scene.

Those attending were Mesdames, W. I. Shupe, Joe Mullins, George Simpson, J. J. House, L. O. Bradford, Lon Pickle, Craddock, Clyde Williams, Sr., Poynter DeMyer, D. A. Rogers, F. D. Phillips, Perry L. Stone, Hubert Bennett, B. G. Huff, B. B. Alexander, Jake Huddleston, Ben Evans, J. W. Gordon, J. L. Buckingham, Jess Nichols, Clara Caldwell and Gordon Baird.

MALCO EMPLOYEES ENJOY CHRISTMAS DINNER MONDAY

The employees of the Malco Theater enjoyed a lovely Christmas dinner at the Rainbow Room Monday night.

Following the dinner gifts were exchanged from a prettily decorated Christmas tree. The employees presented the manager, Joe Brown, with a gift and he in turn presented all of them with a nice bonus.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Brown and daughter, Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Shupe, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bizzle, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Boaz, Mr. and Mrs. Thurmond Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Benedict, Josephine Pickle, Joyce Rhodes, Barbara Ann Roberts, Betty Lynn Johnson, Virginia Brady, Betty Lou Bushart, Joan Nelms, Kenneth McAlister, Betty McCullom.

Wayne Norman, Harlen Craven and Charles Shupe.

M. LIVINGSTON COMPANY COMPLIMENTS EMPLOYEES WITH CHRISTMAS PARTY

The M. Livingston Company complimented their employees and their wives with a lovely turkey dinner at Kellen's Derby Cafe Monday night.

The dining room was attractively decorated in the Christmas theme. The feature decoration was a beautifully decorated Christmas tree under which there was a gift from the company for each one present.

Following the dinner music was enjoyed during the rest of the evening.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Larimore Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. James Dinkerson, Mr. and Mrs. Neal McAlister, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Liliker, Mr. and Mrs. Cleatus Wilbanks, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Johnson, Miss Doris Bratton and Ray Hood and Miss Neucene Elliott.

DESSERT BRIDGE PARTY GIVEN BY MRS. L. WEAKS

Mrs. Leslie Weaks was gracious hostess to a dessert bridge Thursday afternoon complimenting Mrs. Parks Weaks.

The home was beautifully decorated throughout with greenery and red candles.

Mrs. Hendon Wright received high score prize and Mrs. Ernest Fall, Jr., low.

The guest list included the honoree, Mrs. Robert Sanger of Hickman, Mrs. Gene Williamson, Mrs. J. L. Jones, Jr., Mrs. Ward Johnson, Mrs. C. D. Edwards, Mrs. Hendon Wright, Mrs. Frank Beadles, Mrs. Arch Huddleston, Jr., Mrs. Glenn Bushart, Mrs. Gilson Letta, Mrs. Harry Bushart, Mrs. R. V. Putnam, Jr., Mrs. Ernest Fall, Jr., Mrs. Louis Weaks and Mrs. Mary Carr Johnson.

MRS. SUNDWICK'S PUPILS PRESENT MUSICAL MONDAY

Mrs. David Sundwick presented her voice and violin pupils in a private musicale Monday night at the Woman's Club.

The pupils presented a Christmas program to their families and friends. Following the program light refreshments were served.

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RUSH CREEK HOMEMAKERS HAVE MEET

The Rush Creek Homemakers club held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Charles Adams.

The president, Mrs. W. H. Harrison presided over the meeting. The devotional was read by Mrs. Ray Adams and the group repeated the Lord's Prayer in unison. The poems for the month were read by members of the club.

Minutes and the treasurer's report of the last meeting was read by the secretary, Mrs. Murrell Williams.

Mrs. W. H. Harrison gave a report on the Advisory Council. Reports were taken and the landscape lesson was given.

Lunch was served at the noon hour. Each member brought her own sandwich and the hostess served hot spiced tea, a frozen salad and a vegetable salad with cranberry salad and cottage cheese carrying out the Christmas color.

Mrs. Lewis Atwill had charge of the recreational program immediately after lunch. The group sang several Christmas carols and exchanged Christmas gifts.

Mrs. Harvey Bondurant and Mrs. Charles Adams gave the major lesson "various finishes for furniture."

A very merry time was enjoyed by nine members, the agent, Mrs. McLeod, and two visitors, Mrs. Roy Wade and Mrs. Paul T. Shaw.

The meeting adjourned to meet January 11 at the home of Mrs. Ray Adams.



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HOME FURNISHING LEADERS TRAINING SCHOOL

The home furnishing leaders will meet in the Hickman Homemakers club room 10:00 a. m. Thursday, January 6, for the fourth lesson on refinishing furniture. The training school will be conducted by Miss Vencie Lovelady, Home Furnishing Specialist from the University of Kentucky. Each leader is asked to bring her piece of furniture or other article with the final coat of paint thoroughly dry and ready for the lesson on "Decoration of Painted Furniture."

Little Bailey Binford is ill of chickenpox at his home of Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Dalton, Jr., and little son are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene DeMyer in LaFeria, Texas.

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We have with us today the town of Somerset, seat of Pulaski county, and the story was turned in by Maurice D. Bement, Executive Director of the Committee for Kentucky.

"Somerset now has a huge new tobacco warehouse, built by the people themselves," says Mr. Bement. "Farmers and business people furnished the capital. It is called the Farmers Warehouse. Covers four acres of ground and cost \$200,000.00.

"It opened November 29 and on that day over a million pounds was unloaded. The new warehouse is serving many farmers in adjacent counties.

Somerset is working on a playground and recreational project, under the auspices of the Junior Chamber of Commerce. Of course in addition to the Junior Chamber many other local clubs and organizations of Somerset are participating in this project. They are building a public playground and intend to hire a recreational director to offer a comprehensive recreational program to the young people of Somerset.

"Until about two years ago, Somerset had no manufacturing, but now has a Goodall plant manufacturing men's clothing. The manufacturing process is housed in a new structure and employs several hundred local people.

"Another item of interest is taking place in the Somerset high school, Superintendent Hopkins and Professor Meece of the city school system, have been working for the last year on a course of study on Kentucky, to be used in Somerset high school. They are collecting and compiling all available information on the state, since we do not have an up-to-date text that can be used in a study of Kentucky. This is one of the first cases I have learned about that is concentrating on the development of a full course for high school students on the study of Kentucky. After this course is perfected, it should attract considerable interest and could be used to a great advantage by all other high schools of the state of Kentucky."

What Mr. Bement says, about the work of Hopkins and Meece makes me wonder why there is not a high school textbook on the state. Or perhaps a brief supplementary reader to go with a course in geography.

NOVEMBER MILK PRODUCTION

In November for the first time this year monthly milk production on U. S. farms exceeded that for the corresponding month of 1947. Milk production per cow, favored by milk weather in the more important dairy areas and a record high level of grain feeding, exceeded the 1946 previous high for November by nearly 4 percent. Numbers of milk cows on farms, however, were the smallest for the month since 1930. Total milk production in November estimated at 8,048 million pounds, slightly higher than last year but lower than in 5 of the past 7 years. Milk production per capita at 1.82 pounds per day was the second lowest for the month in records dating from 1930.



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With the waterfowl season over in the northern states and just underway in the south, sportsmen the nation over already are campaigning for a longer season and a larger bag limit for 1949.

Most every one you talk to has a different idea on just how long next year's season should be and the number of ducks that should be allowed, but the average is six to seven weeks of gunning and a bag limit of six to eight birds per day.

We've seen more ducks passing on our favorite flyways this year than for the last couple of seasons. And, naturally, that would lead us to believe that the waterfowl population is up. Just how much this increase is we would hesitate to guess but there is an increase.

We have gone along with the

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service 100 per cent in its methods of controlling the waterfowl seasons. The flyway management system, in our opinion, is okay; however, there are plenty of sportsmen yelling loud and long that its definitely unfair to give one section of the country a longer season than other sections.

Many sportsmen feel that everyone is equal and entitled to equal hunting rights. They are probably right and its reasonable to assume that the pressure will be heavy to make next year's regulations the same the nation over. And we're betting right

now that the 1949 rules will be the same as to the length of the season and the bag limit.

But we think it's too early to be discussing next year's regulations. Reports of the number of ducks are too spotty to be of real value in accurately figuring the waterfowl population.

After the season is over and the federal agencies have the opportunity to check the wintering grounds, the year's kill and other essential details is the time to start talking about the 1949 set-up.

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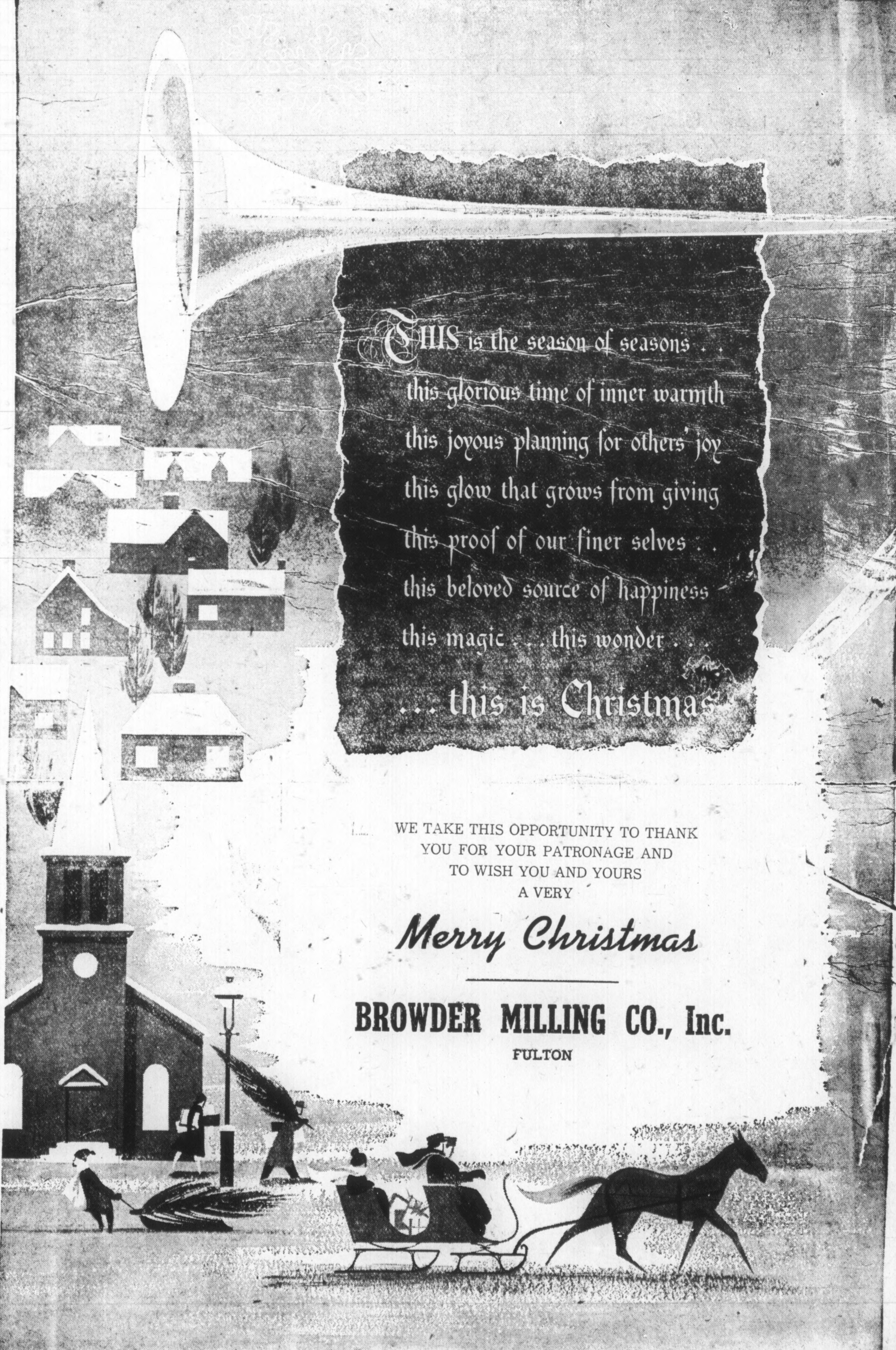
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this beloved source of happiness
this magic... this wonder
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YOU FOR YOUR PATRONAGE AND
TO WISH YOU AND YOURS
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Merry Christmas

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ROUTE THREE

Miss Martha Williams, Cor.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Taylor and Mrs. Sam Taylor near Mayfield, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foster and daughter spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Jones. Elder and Mrs. E. C. Lowry attended church at Oak Grove Sunday.

Sunday.

Linda Hedge visited her grand mother, Mrs. Lola Mae Foster last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Gossum and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. B.H. Lowry Sunday.

Why did Daddy Pete spend Monday at Kingston Store and wonder what Mamma Mae was doing?

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Mrs. Estelle Williams, Martha, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Cloy Yates and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Williams were in Mayfield Friday.

We are sorry to hear of the illness of Elmo Foster who is a patient at Jones Hospital. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Miss Naomi Williams spent Tuesday night with Miss Edna Reeves in Mayfield.

Miss Betty Lou Foster was hostess to a slumbering party Monday night. Refreshments of hot tamales, chili, fruit salad, cake and coca-colas were served to Misses Charlene Clayton, Joan Pitts, Joyce, Stell and their boy friends.

Mrs. E. C. Lowry is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloy Yates spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Morgan.

We regret the moving of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Irvan who have moved near Kingston Store.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Witt and family into the neighborhood.

We regret to hear of the death of Mrs. Al Allen who passed away Sunday at her home in Detroit. She will be remembered to her friends as Miss Effie Mae Morgan. We extend our deepest sympathy to the family.

AUSTIN SPRINGS

Mrs. Carey Fields, Cor.

Mrs. Nora Vincent is steadily improving from injuries sustained in a fall a few months ago. She is up and walks about the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Cunningham of Paducah visited grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Friels near here Sunday after spending the weekend in Dresden as the guests of parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Cunningham.

Harold Tucker and Buddy Johnson arrived home from Detroit to spend the weekend with their families. Mrs. Johnson and baby, Olivia will return with them to the auto city to reside.

Rev. Jack McClain filled his appointment at Salmé Baptist church the past Sunday.

Little Karen Gayle Friels spent Monday with her great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Friels.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Peery entertained several couples the past Friday night with a dinner party when Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell gave a demonstration in pressure and surfaced cooked foods. The meal was well planned thus saving time, fuel, etc., and was served hot to the entire group. Each guest was most enthusiastic and enjoyed the hospitality in the Peery home.

Leslie B. Lassiter is improving after an attack of intestinal flu that kept him indisposed several days.

A number of farmers in this

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Here's wishing the News, its staff, correspondents and all the many readers and friends everywhere a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Frank Lacewell

Frank Lacewell, 85, died Saturday at Haws Hospital following a brief illness.

Services were conducted Monday afternoon at Chapel Hill by Rev. Smithmeier, with burial in Chapel Hill cemetery.

Mr. Lacewell was born in Obion county on March 14, 1863. He spent his entire life in this county, near Pierce, and was engaged in farming.

He is survived by four sons, Dorris, Guy and Cecil Lacewell, all of Fulton, and L. J. Lacewell of Detroit; two daughters, Mrs. John Bynum of Union City and Mrs. Raymond Jones of Detroit and one stepson, Clarence Sedberry of Martin, 21 grand children and 8 great grandchildren. His wife, Mrs. Katherine Elrod Lacewell preceded him in death several months ago.

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As the wonderful, star-crowned story of Christmas moves once more through our lives, there is no one of us who is not conscious of the inexpressible divinity of the season. It is a time to be generous, a time for deep happiness, a time for neighborliness and good will towards all.

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SCHOOLS GET FLAGS
Max Hurt, national treasurer of the Woodmen of the World, presented flags to the Fulton County High Schools last Tuesday.

Appropriate acceptance ceremonies were conducted at Cayce, Hickman, Western and Fulton, with the latter school also receiving one for its newly-uniformed band.

**CHRISTMAS CHEER**

As Christmas approaches, ties of friendship grow stronger and we open our storehouse of memories. We like to remember our friends at this time with a MERRY CHRISTMAS greeting and a word of thanks for their kindness.

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BOND PROGRAM IS MAPPED FOR STATE, BY ADV. COMMITTEE

A U.S. Savings Bonds ad-
vertising campaign designed to
reach the grass roots of Ken-
tucky was mapped at a meeting
of Kentucky editors at the Pen
dennis Club held recently.

The editors and publishers as-
sembled in Louisville for an or-
ganized meeting of the newly
appointed State Advertising
Committee for U.S. Savings
Bonds by Martin K. Speckter,
Louisville, public relations rep-
resentative for the Kentucky
Brewers, Distillers and Distribu-
tors, and Victor R. Portmann,
Lexington, secretary of the Ken-
tucky Press Association, co-
chairmen of the committee.

Purchasers of U. S. Savings
Bonds become better citizens be-
cause they feel they are closer
to the financial structure of their

government, Elihu Harris, Wash-
ington, National Director of Ad-
vertising of the U. S. Savings
Bonds Division, Treasury De-
partment, told the editors in a
talk during the meeting.

He said the Treasury Depart-
ment was following a policy of
getting as many people as pos-
sible to purchase savings bonds
so that "all Americans can own
more shares of their country."

He said Kentuckians now hold
\$270,000,000 worth of bonds which
pays them an annual interest of
\$5,000,000. Interest from these
bonds, he declared, amounts to
as much in any Kentucky coun-
ty as the annual payroll of the
county's largest industry.

These savings bonds constitute
a financial reserve for the peo-
ple themselves, Harris declared.
Newspaper advertising, he
pointed out, is the only hope the
government has to reach all of
the people of Kentucky.

Harry Lee Waterfield of Clin-
ton is a member of the commit-
tee from this area.

Chicago Painter Leaves \$100,000 To Mooseheart, The Child City



Some of Mooseheart's Happy Children

Mooseheart, Ill., the famed Child City owned and operated by the
Loyal Order of Moose for children of its deceased members, became
the recipient recently of a \$100,000 fortune, bequeathed by the late
Herman J. Englehard, 78, a painter and decorator of Chicago, Ill. Mr.
Englehard was well known in his own community for his kindness to
and love for little children. Although not himself a member of the
Moose fraternity, he chose Mooseheart as the beneficiary of all the
money he had saved as a hard working laboring man because, as he
told his attorney prior to his death, "I want to help little children."
Mooseheart is both a school and home for nearly 1,000 children. It is
an entire city in itself, with 150 buildings spread over 1,200 acres of
lush farm land in the picturesque Fox River Valley, 35 miles west of
Chicago. Nursery, elementary and high school education plus a trade
are provided to the students. Mr. Englehard's humanitarian gesture
saddened by the fact that he met a tragic death. He was found
fatally beaten in his home by an unidentified assailant. The Supreme
Council of the Loyal Order of Moose has offered \$5,000 reward for the
arrest and conviction of Mr. Englehard's slayer.

PILOT OAK

Mrs. B. G. Lowry, Cor.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Elam
and family of Fulton were guests
of Mrs. Paulette Hill and Mr. and
Mrs. John Yates Sunday after-
noon.

Mrs. Pauline Carr visited with
Mrs. Margaret Carr Wednesday
evening.

Mrs. Lillie Garden of Fulton
had dinner with Mr. and Mrs.
Jack Olive Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Puckett
and Sue spent the weekend with
Mr. and Mrs. Pug Puckett.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr.
and Mrs. Bernal Lowry were
Mr. and Mrs. Willis Jackson,
Mrs. Owen Jackson of Clinton,
Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Lowry, Mr.
and Mrs. R. S. Gossum, Jim-
mie Allen Lowry, Larry and
Jerry Gossum.

Mrs. W. L. Rowland and Allie
Rowland of Lone Oak spent the
weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Vir-
gil Rowland and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Olive shop-
ped in Mayfield Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Finley
visited Monday evening with

their daughter, Mrs. Chester
Murphy and Mr. Murphy.

Mrs. Paulette Hill spent Tues-
day with Mrs. Allene Lowry.

Richard Lowry, Earl Moore
and Jimmie Allen Lowry attend-
ed the ballgame Tuesday at Se-
dalia.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Lowry and
Jimmie Allen are leaving the

22nd for Tampa, Fla., to spend
the Christmas holidays with his
sister, Mrs. Barkley Parrish and
Mr. Parrish.

Terry Mac Olive spent Tues-
day with Mr. and Mrs. Elzo
Lowry.

Mrs. R. S. Gossum has been
discharged from the Fulton Hos-
pital after treatment.

Honor and shame from no
condition rise; Act well your
part; there all the honour lies.
—Pope.



At Christmas-
time we want you to
know we're grateful for
your patronage.



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LIVESTOCK MARKET SUMMARY

On the major terminal mar-
kets hog prices fluctuated
throughout last week. However,
they closed today about one dol-
lar higher than Monday's open-
ing. The veal calf market open-
ed strong, up one dollar to 1.50
the early part of the week and
since remained steady for the
most part. The cattle market op-

ened strong and then gradually
declined at the close of the week
with slaughter cattle 1.00 to 2.00
lower. Sheep remained steady
throughout the week. Good na-
tive lambs ranged from 24.00-
25.00 per hundred.

The surest way to live with
honor in the world is to be in
reality what we appear to be.—
Socrates.



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Christmas
Season
To All ...



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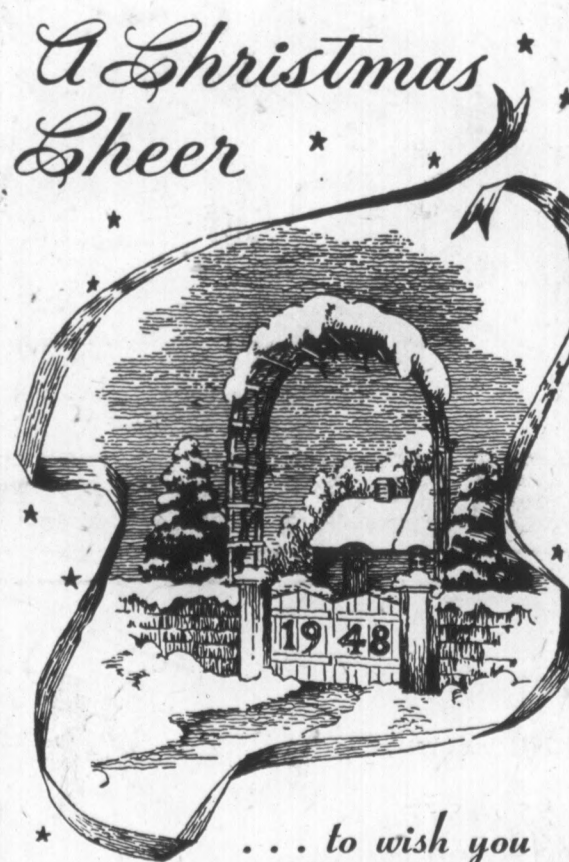


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spiritual values of
Christmas is the
church spire in the
distance. Let's not
forget this phase of
the Season.

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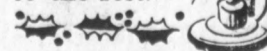
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the present in
the holiday
season and
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with bright lights and
shiny tinsel, is the age-
old symbol of the
Yuletide season.

★ May your gift from the
Yule tree be a year of true
peace and happiness.

1948

From the Officers and Members of

Moose Lodge, No. 1265

Fulton, Kentucky

TRAFFIC DEATH TOLL HITS PEAK IN DECEMBER

Remember December — it can boast of the shortest days, the longest night, and the gayest holiday season.

But December can be remembered for another reason — not one to boast of. The National Safety Council reports that December has the highest traffic death toll of the year.

Traffic deaths in the final month of 1947 totaled 3,190. The Council says there are three main reasons for this peak:

1. Slippery streets and poor visibility—the mileage death rate in northern states goes up 24 to 53 per cent in winter as compared to summer.
2. Pedestrians — the December pedestrian toll last year was more than 42 per cent above that for the average month, and early darkness is one of the big reasons.
3. The holiday season—deaths from traffic mishaps both on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day are two or three times the annual daily average.

The Christmas-New Year holiday



The friendly scent of the cedars is typical of the Spirit of Christmas. It is in that spirit that we wish for you all the joys and blessings of this Yuletide season.

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Phone 126

Theatre Suit



A truly aristocratic suit has a formal dignity such as this lovely theatre ensemble worn by Rosalind Russell whose current stellar vehicle is "The Velvet Touch," Independent Artists production for RKO Radio release. Co-starring are Leo Genn, Claire Trevor and Sydney Greenstreet in the Frederick Brisson production, with the feminine members of the cast wearing one of the most glamorous of the cinematic season's wardrobes.

Note the rounded shoulders and buttoned-to-the-hipline jacket on this soft beige wool. Magnificently embroidered sleeves match the embroidered gauntlets. With it, Miss Russell wears an asymmetrical hat of matching material draped in solid color tulle, a flat suede bag and suede opera pumps of dark brown.

days season is the most dangerous single period of the year, according to the Council. Heavier travel and the festive spirit of the season increase the normal winter hazards, such as bad weather slippery roads and more hours of darkness.

More drinking by both drivers and pedestrians during the holiday season also is partly responsible for the increase in the traffic toll, the Council declares.

In an attempt to hold accidents to a minimum during the festive season, when death or injury is doubly tragic, a national campaign is again being launched behind the slogan—"Don't Let Death Take Your Holiday!"

Final Effort of Year

More than 130 national organizations, city and state officials, safety councils and civic groups have joined forces with the Council in the year-end campaign. Together they seek to raise in the public mind an awareness of the special voluntary cooperation on the part of every individual.

The Council emphasized that

the campaign is the final effort of the year to hold the 1948 traffic toll below the 1947 total of 32,300 deaths. At the end of the first nine months this year, the nation clung to a small reduction in traffic deaths—3 per cent—from the same period of 1947. But the final quarter of the year always is the one with the most traffic deaths.

Make it a wary Christmas, and it will be a merry Christmas, the Council urges.

Little Miss Eugenia Harris is improving after a weeks illness at her home on Third street.



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PERSONALS

Mrs. J. C. Yates will spend the holidays with her son, Lawson Yates and Mrs. Yates in Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. J. W. Gordon is a patient in Jones Clinic.

Mrs. Ernest Bell has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Carlton Wilkes and family in Memphis.

Mrs. E. F. Stedman of Mem-

phis spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Charles Andrews and family.

Mrs. Howard Edwards has returned from Memphis where she visited Dr. and Mrs. Robert Bard.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Yates of Nashville spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. J.C. Lawson on Park avenue.

Miss Emma Ruth Cavender, a student of Memphis State college

and her brother Jerry Cavender, a student of the University of Kentucky, will arrive home this week to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John

Cavender. Joe Holland is a patient in the Fulton Hospital.

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THERE'S DANGER IN PORK, HEALTH OFFICERS WARN

It's hog killin' time in the country. With the approach of cold weather farmers are getting ready to convert their pigs into succulent pork roasts and chops, delectable hams, and savory sausage. People in the cities are searching for country hams to add to the enjoyment of the coming holiday season.

In the midst of all this activity Dr. Bruce Underwood, State Health Commissioner, asks us to remember a very important thing—the danger of eating un-

dercooked pork. The most tempting slice of fresh ham, (curing kills larvae) the most flavorful sausage can be the home of literally thousands of the parasite known as the Trichinella spiralis. The larvae of these deadly little worms reside in the muscular tissues of hogs, and are transferred to the human stomach when insufficiently cooked meat is eaten. In a period of from one to two weeks the larvae which have been swallowed grow into mature worms and, in their turn, hatch out new larvae.

One dangerous factor of this disease is that the symptoms are so similar to those of so many other diseases that diagnosis is frequently difficult. Since there is little to be done, once an attack has started, but wait for the encystment of the worms, the thing to be concentrated on is prevention.

It must not be assumed that all trichinosis comes from home killed meat. This is by no means the case, and there is just as much danger in commercially slaughtered and packed pork. All pork should be slowly and well cooked before being eaten. The color should be a pale grey throughout, with not a trace of pink remaining.

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Stormy Weather



The modern wardrobe prepares for autumn rains by including a number of raincoats and boots. This outfit worn by Martha Hyer, who appears in the Rosalind Russell stellar vehicle, "The Velvet Touch," is guaranteed to brighten the darkest day. Buttoned firmly under the chin, the coat which has a flared back, boasts of a detachable hood. The deep pockets eliminate the need for any purse. Miss Hyer's role in the Independent Artists production for RKO Radio release is that of a coming young actress. Leo Gann, Clark Trevor and Sydney Greenstreet co-star. Her forthcoming vehicle is RKO Radio's "The Judge Steps Out," starring Alexander Knox and Ann Sothern.

Winter Sledding Danger To Young

Winter sledding too often results in "slay" rides.

The National Safety Council's files contain case after case of death or injury to children enjoying the winter pastime of coasting.

Most of these accidents could have been prevented by cooperation between parents and community, the Council said.

The community officials should provide a blocked off street or hill where there are no traffic hazards, because children should not be denied a traditional winter pleasure. Police should enforce speed regulations in residential areas.

Parents first should see that their children have sleds with continuous runners—not those that end in a sharp point at the rear. Many children have suffered when they were doing a "belly-flopper" and crashed into the rear of another sled. Parents also should enforce the rule against coasting in the street down terraces or driveways which lead to the street, or hooking on behind moving vehicles.

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Be gentle and of a good countenance even in bitter quarrels, win through experience and never let it hard that inward treasure.—Romain Rolland.

When angels visit us, we do not hear the rustle of wings, nor feel the feathery touch of the breast of a dove; but we know their presence by the love they create in our hearts.—Mary Ed- dy.

Fulton county homemakers surpassed by 33 their goal of 150 slipcovers made this year.



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WARD ASKS FOR IMPROVEMENT TO STATE PARK SYSTEM

State Conservation Commissioner Henry Ward said Tuesday he has asked the Kentucky Building Commission to ap-

propriate \$500,000 for immediate improvements in the state park system.

If the parks get the money, Ward said, every attempt will be made to complete some needed additions and new construction to get the attractions in shape for next summer's tourist trade.

He said he would soon compile a list specifying the work that must be done this winter and

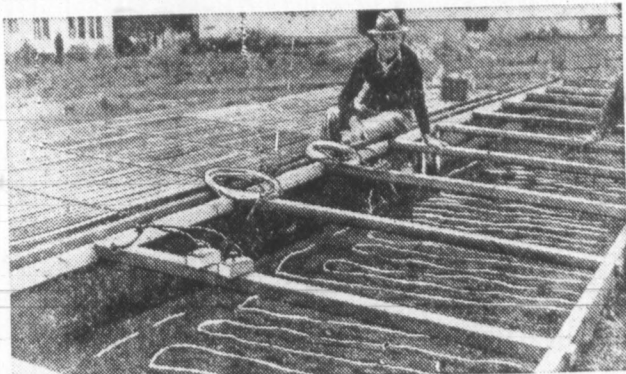
Hotbed Heating by Electricity One of First Rural Power Uses

By IRA MILLER
Farm Electrification Bureau

It often takes time to catch up with early developments. Hotbed heating, for example, has just recently risen to its present high point of popularity on average farms. And yet it was one of the first of many later applications of electric power designed to

though they come in direct contact with the cable.

Some farmers attach soil heating cable to the sides of cold frames to guard against frost. Sixty feet of cable is considered enough for a standard 6 x 6 foot hotbed. Strands are spaced 7 inches apart and laid uniformly back and forth across the ground. The use of a



HOTBED HEATING—is simple matter when electricity is used.

benefit agriculture and farm families. Electric hotbeds give the grower control of plant development. They can be built at any convenient time and put into operation simply by closing the switch. Once installed, they can be used for several seasons without being reworked.

Heat for them generally is supplied by a special soil heating cable. Most users bury the cable from 4 to 6 inches below the surface where it is permanently out of the way. However, it can be laid flush with the ground. Plants are not injured even

thermostat will save electricity and labor, since it automatically guards beds against sudden temperature changes.

Tests recorded by the Department of Agriculture show that seeds germinate and plants take root in from 20 to 30 percent less time in electric hotbeds than in those "heated" by manure. A well constructed hotbed will use an average of from 1 to 3 kilowatt hours of power per day, depending upon the outside temperature, the construction of the bed, the protection given at night and the temperature maintained in the bed.

early spring to rehabilitate the parks.

Commissioner Ward announced the employment of O. D. Rose, Hazel Green, as assistant superintendent of park operations and James Rosenberger, formerly of Cave City, as a technician in the park planning unit.

Rose has worked for the parks division for 15 years, chiefly as an inspector. Rosenberger has been connected with the National Park Service for about 10

During the day, the commissioner conferred with J. M. McAlister, Louisville manager of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company.

The state wants to install telephone service at Kentucky Lake.

The best of all the preachers, are the men who live their creeds.—Edgar A. Guest.

GOLDEN GLOVES CONTESTS TO BE HELD IN STATE

The 1949 Kentucky Regional Golden Gloves Boxing Tournament will be held at Male high school gymnasium in Louisville on January 12, 13, 19, 20, 26, and 27th.

Radio Station WINN of Louisville of which Harry McTigue is manager has taken over sponsorship of the Golden Gloves Tournament. Net proceeds will be turned over to the East End Optimist Club of Louisville, which will use the money to help construct a new boys' club in the city. The City Recreation Division of Louisville is to present the tournament.

For the first time in many years, the white open division champions will be sent directly, with all expenses paid to the tournament of champions in Chicago. In the past they have first been sent to the tourney at Evansville, however champions in

the Negro Open Division again will be sent to the Evansville meet. Boys who win championships in the tournament at Lexington, sponsored by the Lexington Herald, will go into the Louisville meet in the semi-final stage.

Novice and "peanut division" champions in the Louisville Seneca

tournament will be presented handsome awards.

Entry blanks for the Louisville tourney are available at the Recreation Division Office in Central Park, Louisville 2, Ky.

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Ducks — Dec. 10-Jan. 8—4
Geese — Dec. 10-Jan. 8—4
Coot — Dec. 10-Jan. 8—15
The bag limit on ducks must not include more than one wood duck.

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PARENTS URGED TO BE SURE SANTA'S SACK HOLDS SAFETY

A toy maker says only a few parents will select the proper playthings for their children this Christmas. Most will buy toys that please themselves rather than the children.

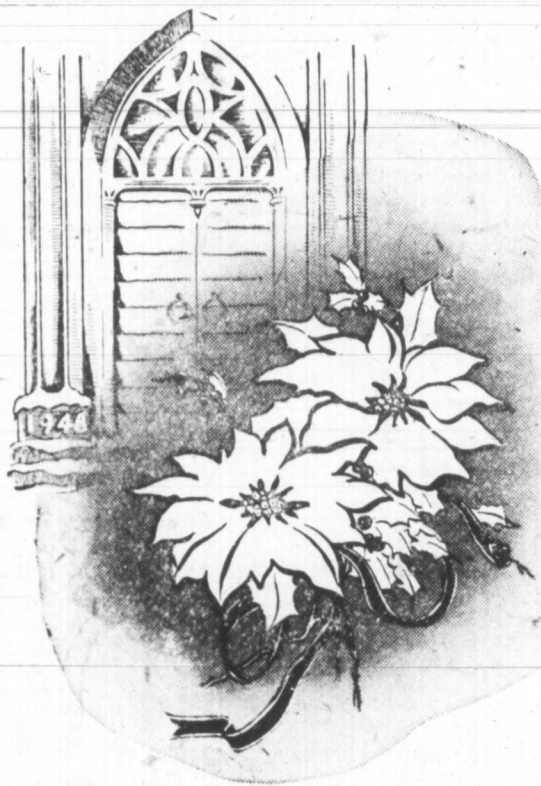
The National Safety Council adds that too few parents will

keep safety in mind when they choose toys, because they fail to realize the hundreds of ways children get hurt.

Here are the hazards to avoid in choosing toys for various ages:

The Hand to Mouth Age (up to

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Inspect your gun for excessive grease left from its off-season storage before going into the field. While in the field, check the barrel periodically for signs of an obstruction of mud or snow. Never under any circumstances, try to shoot out an obstruction.

In the case of a jammed cartridge in a gun, be especially careful, John Morganthaler, of Los Angeles, California, recently tried to force a jammed cartridge from his gun chamber when it accidentally went off and killed him. That's not a job for amateurs. Take a jammed or disabled gun to a competent gunsmith for repair.

2 years—Avoid small toys which can be placed in mouth... flammable objects... toys with small wheels or knobs that can be pulled off... poisonous paint on any object... stuffed animals with glass or button eyes (most of them will come off. Either remove at once or buy animals with stitched eyes).

The Explorative Age (2 to 3 years)—Avoid anything with sharp or rough edges which will cut or scratch... objects with small removable parts... poisonous paint or crayons... marbles... beads... jacks... flammable objects.

The Let's Pretend Age (3 to 4 years)—Avoid toys too heavy for child's strength... sharp or cutting toys... cowboy suits or other costumes which are not flame-proofed... electrical toys.

The Creative Age (4 to 6 years)—Avoid shooting or target toys which will endanger eyes... sharp whistles, horns or other mouth objects that can be fallen on... sharp scissors or cutting instruments... sewing machines.

The Dexterity Age (6 to 8 years)—Avoid electrical toys not approved by Underwriters Laboratories... transportation toys which entice children into the street... sharp-edged tools... conductive kites... dart games.

The Specialization Age (8 and older)—Avoid air rifles, chemistry sets, darts, bows and arrows, dangerous tools and electrical toys UNLESS used under parental supervision... motor scooters or motorized bikes.

MUSIC CLUBS TO AGAIN SPONSOR STUDENT CONTESTS

The Biennial Young Artists Auditions and Student Musicians Contests, sponsored by the National Federation of Music Clubs, will again be held in 1949. The Kentucky State Contests will be held on Saturday, February 5, at the University of Louisville School of Music.

In cooperation with these contests the Louisville Philharmonic Orchestra is offering a prize of \$250 and an appearance with the orchestra if a winner is deemed of sufficient artistic and professional caliber.

Any publicity given this worthy enterprise of the Federation of Music Clubs will be greatly appreciated. Application blanks must be filed with the State Chairman not later than January 22, 1949. Bulletins, application blanks, or further information may be obtained by writing to the State Contest Chairman, Claude M. Almand, University of Louisville School of Music, Alta Vesta Road, Louisville 5, Kentucky.

Eleven entrants in the corn derby in Knox county had an average yield of 103.9 bushels per acre.

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Victorians are rapidly becoming a part of the fashion line in the world of interior decoration. This lovely clip attached to a black velvet band is just the thing to accent your most dress-up gown. It is worn by Betty Drake who makes her screen bow in RKO Radio's "The Girl Should Be Married," starring Cary Grant, Franchot Tone and Dana Lynn, a Don Hartman production presented by Dore Schary.

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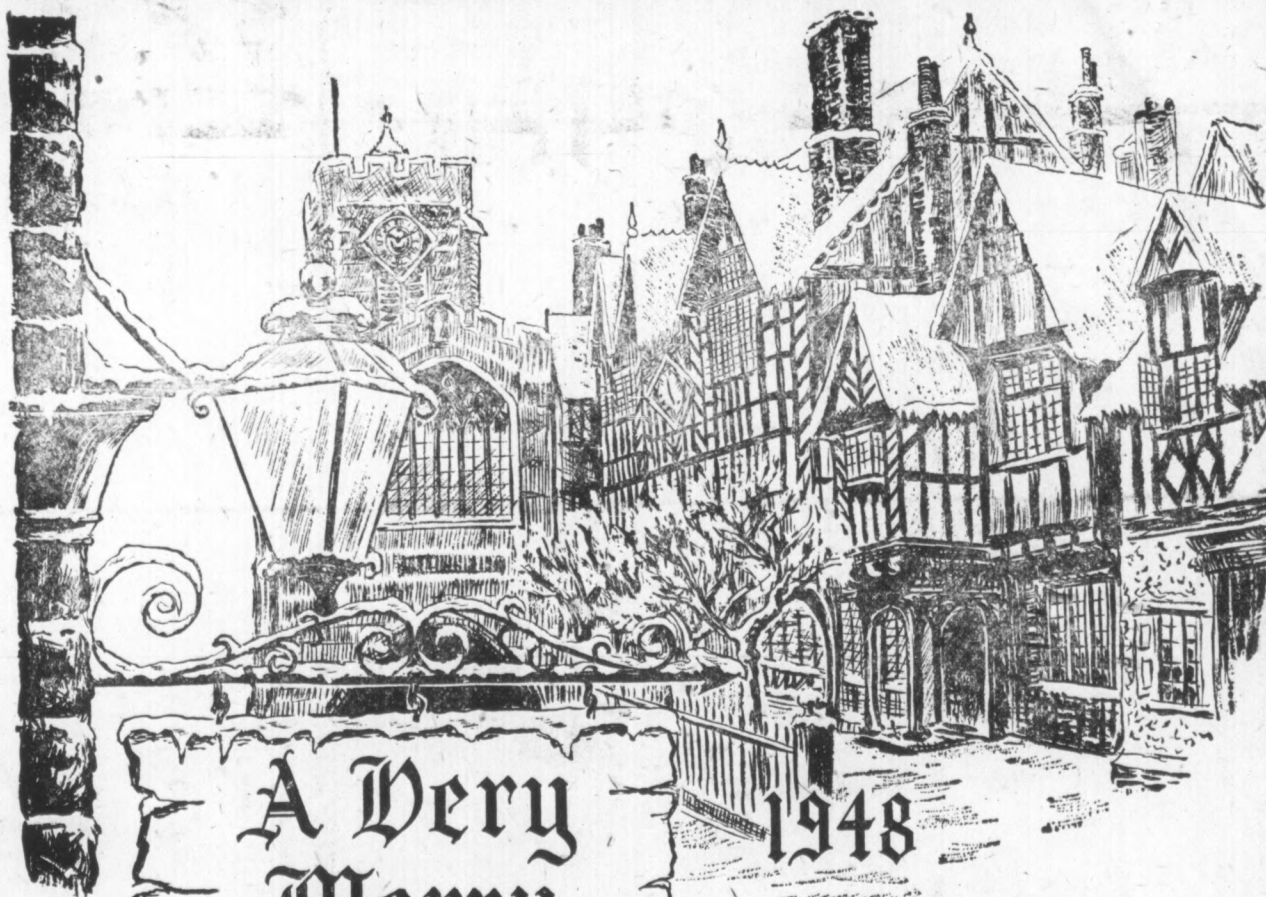


1948 Christmas Greetings

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Field Units To Check Frauds In Unemployment Files

Formation of a field investigation unit in the Department of Economic Security was announced today by V. E. Barnes, commissioner. The unit established with approval of federal Social Security Administration authorities will provide constant check on irregularities and fraud in the Unemployment Insurance, Public Assistance and Child Welfare programs administered by the Economic Security Department, Barnes explained.

Under direction of Paul M.

Thomas, Frankfort, recently returned to the Department after serving a year on the Governor's staff, the unit will be a "watch-dog" of payments made to Kentucky beneficiaries under state and federal laws. Thomas has worked in the Unemployment Insurance administrative office for 11 years.

Commissioner Barnes pointed out that the department annually disburses more than 38 million dollars to Kentuckians. Of this, 22 million dollars will go to persons qualified under public assistance program and the balance to unemployed persons covered by the state's Unemployment Insurance law. "We pro-

3 Civil Service Exams Announced

The Civil Service Commission today announced the following examinations: Substitute Railway Postal Clerk, Student Nurse and Veterinarian.

The Substitute Railway Postal Clerk examination is open only to persons entitled to veteran preference and to non-veterans who have served in the position of substitute railway postal clerk since August 28, 1947, under appointment not limited to 1 year or less.

Student Nurses at St. Elizabeths Hospital, one of the nation's outstanding psychiatric hospitals, receive \$752 for the 3 year training course, plus quarters, subsistence, laundry, and medical attention. To qualify, applicants must have been graduated from an accredited 4-year high school.

The veterinarian positions to be filled pay \$3,727 a year and are located in Washington, D.C. and throughout the United States. Most of the vacancies are in the Bureau of Animal Industry of the Department of Agriculture.

Persons applying for the Substitute Railway Postal Clerk examination must have their applications on file with the U.S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D.C., not later than January 4, 1949, and for Student Nurse, not later than January 25, 1949. Applications for the Veterinarian examination will be accepted until further notice.

Further information and application forms may be secured from the Commission's Local Secretary, J. C. Sugg, Jr., located at Fulton postoffice.

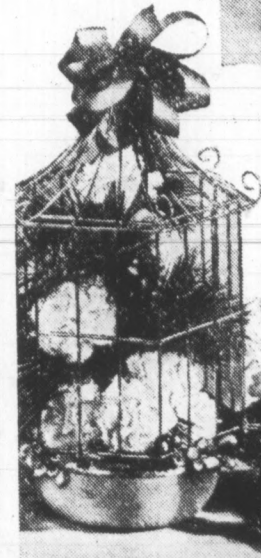
pose through the special investigating unit to keep a close check on all benefit payments; correct any irregularities and prosecute all fraud cases," Barnes said.

The public is entitled to know whether these public funds are properly expended and the department through this special unit will tighten its administration of funds.

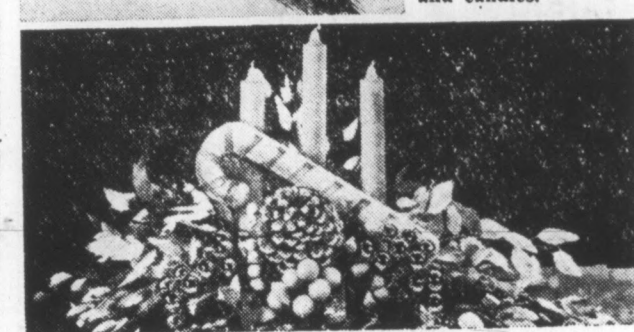
Since inception of unemployment compensation in Kentucky, there have been field representatives assigned to fraud detection, Barnes said.

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Honor to faithful merit is delayed, and always has been; but it is sure to follow.—Mary Baker Eddy.

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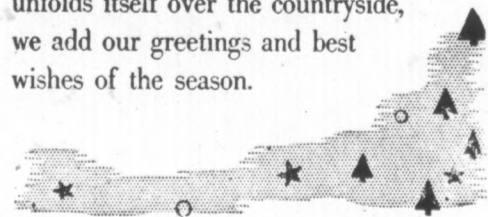
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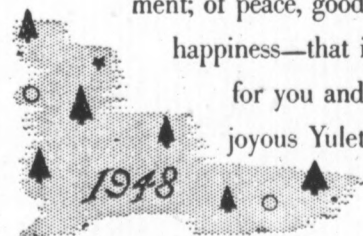
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NO INCREASES ON 1948 ASSESSMENTS CLYDE REEVES SAYS

"In keeping with a policy of home rule, the Kentucky Tax Commission will not initiate blanket raises on 1948 assessments," H. Clyde Reeves, Chairman, Kentucky Tax Commission, announced in a speech before a state meeting of County Judges in Louisville.

Notice of this decision was mailed to local county officials by Reeves' office on December 10.

Since becoming Commissioner of Revenue, Reeves has maintained that blanket raises were "stop gap" measures which did not solve the local assessment problem but aggravated assessment inequality and increased the property tax burden.

In his talk before the County Judges Reeves said, "Bad assessments are bad for local government. Because some taxpayers pay less than their share, local government and schools need outside help and they have to go to Frankfort or Washington for financial aid."

Reeves said, "No program for improving property assessments

Can You Stop? That's Winter Safety Query

Can I stop in time?

That's the question every motorist must ask himself as more than 30,000,000 motor vehicles roll into the hazardous months of winter driving.

The National Safety Council says that in the northern half of the United States, the mileage death rate is from 24 to 53 per cent higher during the winter months than in summer.

The importance of stopping is emphasized by the fact that about two-thirds of all winter traffic accidents in four typical snowbelt states occurred on snowy and icy surfaces, according to a special Council study.

Here's How to Stop Safely

While there are many ways to have wintertime traffic accidents such as too much speed on a slippery curve the Council says that stopping control would prevent many of them. Here's how to answer "Yes" to the question "Can I stop in time?"

1. Find out how slippery it is when starting out. Get this feel of the road, by stepping on the brakes lightly or "gunning" the motor. But be sure you are going slow and that no other cars are near.

2. Keep your speed down. On ice, don't ever drive faster than 10 to 20 miles an hour. Speed too fast for conditions is the No. 1 winter bogeyman.

3. Use tire chains—good ones that bite into the surface. On ice and snow, tests have proved chains reduce braking distances 40 to 50 per cent. They are the best self-help you have. Council studies show that tires with abrasive particles imbedded in the tread, recently placed on the market, have almost no effect on stopping on ice at low or moderate temperatures but help some at temperatures above 23 degrees.

4. Slow down well in advance of intersections, railroads or any situation which might require a stop. Sudden maneuvers are dangerous on slippery surfaces.

5. Follow other cars at a safe distance. And use hand signals to give the driver behind you a break.

6. Keep windshields and windows clear with good defrosters and wipers. If necessary, roll down the window a little. You

would be successful unless the approach and the plan meet with the substantial approval of the taxpayers of the county or city in which the property is located. To secure such approval the taxpayer must be assured that if by equalization total assessments are increased tax rates will be compensatingly lowered.

Counties where assessment ratios do not qualify them for state educational equalization funds may petition the Tax Commission on their own initiative and hearings will be held in their own county to determine if a raise is justified.

No Longer Necessary for Farmer To Outshout Storm to Be Heard

By IRA MILLER

Farm Electrification Bureau

Farmers whose throats grow sore (and whose doesn't) when trying to



TIME MEANS MONEY—particularly on the farm. And here's one way to save time—an inter-communication system in action.

make themselves heard above the elements during those shouted barn-to-house conversations are in for a pleasant surprise. Agricultural engi-

neers have been eavesdropping on these farm problems. What's more, they have done something about them.

Out of the laboratories has come electrical communications equipment that makes two-way conversation possible between the house and part of the farm where conversation stations are located.

The basic system consists of a master station and one speaker. However, four speakers may be used, and they can be placed inside any of the farm buildings or at convenient outdoor locations on the farmstead. Ordinarily it is not even necessary to stop work to converse over the system, for voices can be picked up and transmitted from a distance of thirty feet from the speaker installation.

Another advantage in the use of the system is that farm women can leave sleeping children in their rooms and go about their work, indoors and out, without worrying over their welfare. The speaker is so sensitive that even the very slight noise made by an infant in breathing can be transmitted from the nursery to any place on the farm where a master station is located.

Power for the system—a step and time saver if ever there was one—is supplied through an ordinary house lighting circuit.

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That means you, you...and you!

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Fulton

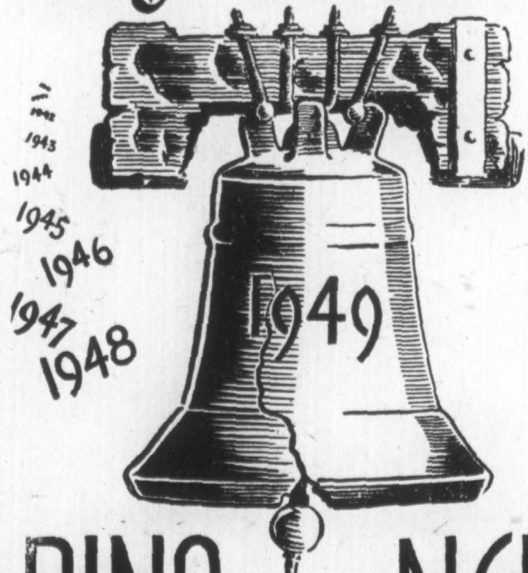


Once again, as the glow of the holiday season envelops the land, we extend our friendliest greetings and warmest wishes for a joyous Yuletide season.

Gardner's Studio

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Ring Out the Old



RING in the NEW

...and our very best wishes for each of you!

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Lake Street

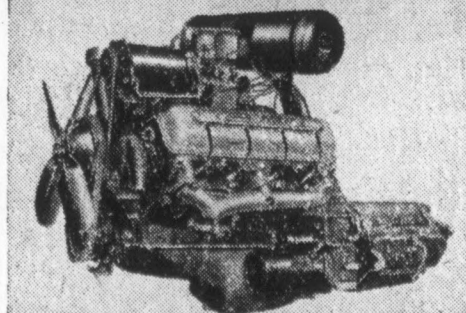
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Here they come — THE NEW FUTURAMICS!



White sidewall tires optional at extra cost. Hydra-Matic Drive standard equipment on Series "98," optional at extra cost on "76."

OLDSMOBILE "ROCKET"



HERE IT IS! Oldsmobile's "Rocket" Engine, which offers all these features: Rigid-Block Valve-in-Head Construction; Dual Down-Draft Carburetion; Five-Bearing Crankshaft; Hydraulic Valve Lifters; Short Sturdy Camshaft; Steel-Reinforced Alloy Pistons. The result: incredible smoothness, spectacular power!

Oldsmobile rolls forward into '49—with an All-Futuramic line—a new "76," a new "98," and a revolutionary new "Rocket" Engine

They're here! They're new! They're both Futuramic! Two sparkling new Oldsmobiles...rolling forward into '49. Upper left, the Futuramic "76"...with Fisher's newest body, panoramic vision, plus a remarkable new "Big Six" Engine. And out in front, a newly styled Futuramic "98"...with that revolutionary new "ROCKET" Engine you've heard so much about. It's a completely

new, high-compression, valve-in-head eight that actually gives you more power on less gasoline! Combined with GM Hydra-Matic Drive, the "Rocket's" performance is so smooth, silent, and spirited, you've got to try it to believe it! Your Oldsmobile dealer invites you to inspect the new Futuramics—experience the new "Rocket"—experience "The New Thrill!"

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Kentucky Motor Company

210 East State Line
Fulton, Kentucky

Sh...



...isn't that
Santa?

Each year as we observe the Christmas Season, we are reminded of the many things for which we should be thankful. We remember innumerable instances of your good faith and good will and we recall the countless courtesies and favors with which we have been blessed and of the friendships, tried and proven, that have been ours to enjoy.

Mindful of these fine expressions of friendships, and of the thoughtfulness back of them, we desire to again send our Christmas wishes to each of you, and to thank you for everything. You have made the past year a pleasant one for us, and we trust that we shall enjoy many more among the people of this community

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FULTON KENTUCKY

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Farmers in Fulton
until today (Dec. 31)
for CCC Government
purchase agreements
oats, rye, barley, an
produced during 1948
to Chas. E. Wright o
the Fulton County
Conservation Commi

On corn loans and
agreements the deadli
applications is March
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USDA to carry out
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The price support
Mr. Wright said, is n
to boost farm prices
to prevent a repetit
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Wheat price supp
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Lambda Nu Sor Elects Officers

Newly elected offic
Lambda Nu Chapter
Phi Lambda Sorority
preme Forest Wood
are as follows: presi
Edith Milner; vice
Miss Majorie Puckett
Miss Doris Winfrey;
Mrs Essie Carver; wa
La Jean Bynum; hist
Ouida Jewell; chap
Mai Dea Carver; mus
Mary Frances Robert
visor, Mrs. Georgia I
Honorary members
are Mrs. Florence Goo
Buelah Jewell, and M
McAlister.

Alumnae members o
Mrs. Thyra Province,
thy Dale Winsett and
es Cagle.

Three new member
the sorority are M
Chambers, Miss Hele
and Miss Dorothy R
Hickman.

Birth Announc

Mr. and Mrs. Z. W
Pigue announce the
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Mrs. Pigue is the for
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Mr. and Mrs. Huber
are the parents of a se
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pital.

Mr. and Mrs. Carnell
Hickman Route 4, ann
birth of a seven and
pound son, Terrell Lee,
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eight pound one ounce
December 23 at the Fu
pital.

Mr. and Mrs. William
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ents of a seven pound t
son, Robert Austin, b
24 at Haws Hospital.

CLUB MEMBERS PLA DUCK HUNT NEW YE

About 35 Fulton high
Junior Conservation Clu
bers are planning a du
for New Year's Day. T
leave the high school
at 9 a.m. Each boy will
picnic lunch.

Game Supervisor Jo
Clintock of Clinton will
pany the group on the t
Those planning to att
asked to call James Hibb

\$443.92 RAISED IN CHRISTMAS SEAL SA

Miss Virginia Howar
dent of the Junior Woma
announced today that
was raised during the
Christmas Seal Sale and
for that amount has bee
to Mrs. Claud Middleto
ton County Chairman.

The total amount rais
year was \$425.56.

Mrs. Hortense Johnson
turned to her home in G
Miss, after a visit to Fri
Fulton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cart
returned to their home
Louis after spending th
days with his parents, M
Mrs L. O. Carter and oth
atives.