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Benton, Ky., January 21, 1954

First In Circulation, First In Advertising First In The Home, First In Reader Interest Number 35

Youth, 19, Accused Of Rape

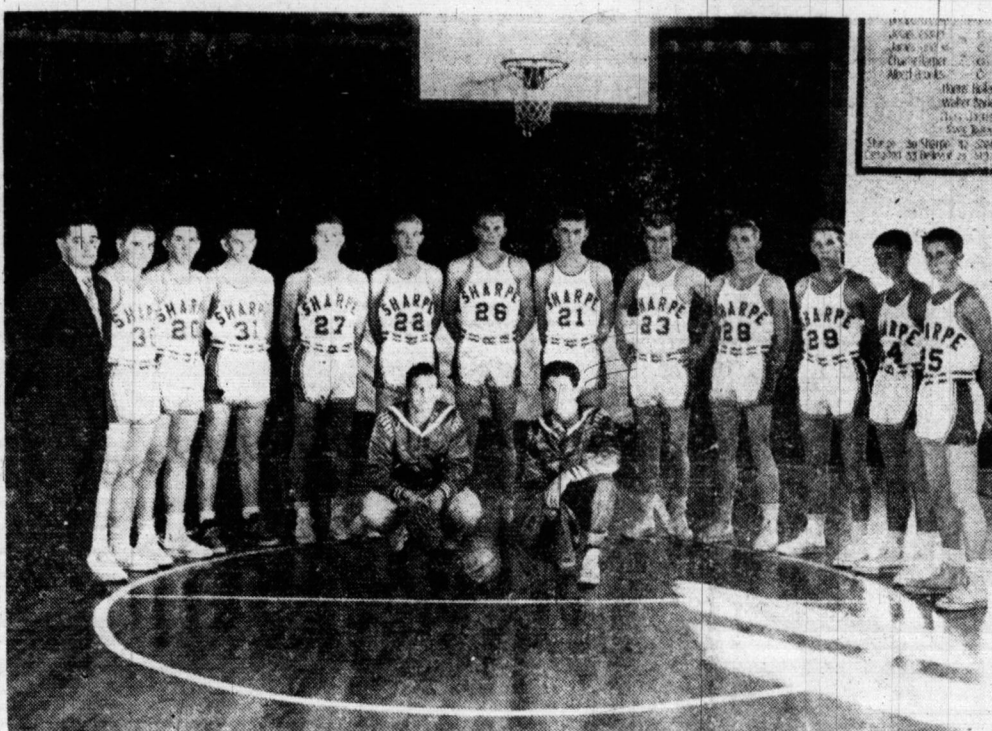
A charge of rape was filed here Monday against Johnny Russell Washburn, 19, of Brainerd. The youth is accused of attacking a 17-year-old girl who resides near Calvert City. The alleged offense occurred last Saturday night. The girl told her parents about it Monday morning and a warrant was issued for the arrest of Washburn. Sheriff Billy Watkins made the arrest. Washburn waived hearing before County Judge Artelle Haltom and the case was held for action by the grand jury. Washburn made \$2,500 bond.

Mrs. Lassiter and Mrs. Lamb Purchase Automatic Laundry

Mrs. Holice Lamb and Mrs. James Lassiter have purchased the Benton Automatic Laundry from Mrs. John Sladd. The new owners announce that the laundry will remain in the same location back of Sladd's Texaco Station, 716 Main St., and that the same good service and same reasonable prices will prevail. Both Mrs. Lamb and Mrs. Lassiter are well known in Benton and they invite their friends to patronize their new business.

Henry Odom Dies at Home On Route 5

Henry Odom, 69, died at his home on Benton Route 5. He had been in ill health for a long period of time. Funeral services were held today (Thursday) at the Union Ridge Baptist Church, the Rev. Otis Jones officiating. Burial, by Linn Funeral Home, was in the Church Cemetery. Besides his wife, Mrs. Gracie Odom, he is survived by one daughter, Miss Marie Odom of Benton Route 5; two sons, Lonnie Odom of Detroit and Clyde Odom of Benton Route 5; one sister, Mrs. Eliza Mathis of Benton Route 5; one brother, Bert Odom of Puryear, Tenn.; four grandchildren and one great grandchild. Mrs. Leslie Wallace is much better after an illness but is still with her daughter, Mrs. Scott Dyeus.



SHARPE'S GREEN DEVILS — This is the latest photograph of Sharpe High School's basketball team. Standing, left to right, are Coach Bill Houchin, Bobby McGregor, Buddy Barrett, Charles Brindley, Don Winn, David English, Jimmy Walker, Bill Lampley, Tommy Harper, C. H. Dunigan, Joe Ed Story and Don Ingram. Kneeling are the team managers, Buddy Poe and Jimmy Kimms.

Brewers Is Upset, 70-68, By Hardin Five

Hardin High School's cage team defeated Benton Tuesday night in one of the season's big upsets. The score was 70 to 68. Brewers led the lead until the fourth quarter, when the Eagles scored 20 points and limited Benton to only 10. Gary Boggs tossed in the two winning points for Hardin. Boggs scored a total of 22 points to win top honors for Hardin. Dale Morgan led the Benton attack, also scoring 22 points. It was the third loss of the season for Benton, against 10 victories.

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Calvert City Will Conduct Fund Drive For Fire Truck

Two of the industrial plants who were not in the original pledge made sizeable contributions. In addition several of the surrounding communities contributed to the fire truck fund. By means of this one campaign, which is to start Jan. 22, the entire amount of \$2,326.02 is to be raised so the fire truck will be entirely debt free. Since its purchase in March of 1951 the fire truck has been extremely valuable in fighting fires in and around Calvert City. Within a month after it was obtained it helped put out a fire in the central section of Calvert City that almost certainly would have wiped out a large portion of the business district if the truck had not been available. To date the fire truck has made 148 calls and the property thereby saved has run into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. This campaign to pay for the

1953 Soil Report Shows Progress

The Marshall County Soil Conservation District issued its annual report this week. On the SCD board of supervisors are Renlee Rudolph, Homer Chester, J. M. Solomon, Sam Gold and E. A. Mathis. The report follows: During 1953, sixty-seven farmers became new cooperators with the district. These new co-operators own and operate 5,000 acres of land. This number brings the total of SDC co-operators in Marshall County to 599. Help in promoting the 1953 district program was provided by the Soil Conservation Service, bankers, newspapers, extension service, vocational agriculture teachers, ASC committee, civic clubs, farmers home administration and others. The County ASC Committee and the district worked very closely in 1953. More than one hundred farmers, who participated in the Agricultural Conservation Program, received help from the district in planning and applying permanent type soil saving practices on their farms. The ASC supplied \$900 for additional technical help to apply these practices. Approximately 50 farmers did some land clearing in 1953. Lime and fertilizers were then applied and grasses and legumes sown for pasture and hay. This indicates that there is an increasing interest in making idle land pay taxes. Eura Mathis, Minnie Holland, Robert Harrison, Otis Warren, Robert Jones, Ed Tucker, Gentry Page, Rollie Cox, Roy Vassau, C. T. Wyatt, A. D. Vanover, Raymond Allen, Earl Smith, Archie Story, O. M. Story, Homer Ward, Morgan Rickman, Roy Story and Arthur Harris are a few who did from five to twenty or more acres of land clearing. The prolonged drought prevented the establishment of much conservation work. The ground became too hard to dig ponds, shape waterways, and construct terraces and diversions. Cover crops and pastures failed to come up in time to make enough growth to hide the ground before winter came. Once again sericea lespedeza proved its worth by remaining green all summer and furnishing pasture and hay. Bermuda grass also provided green forage while other grasses burned. Daniel Devor, Fairdealing, said, "The farm pond I dug last year was the best investment I have made so far this in this farm. It held four or five feet of water during the dry weather." Thirty-seven farm ponds were dug during the year. W. M. Gardner, W. C. Jones, J. W. Creason, Raymond Allen, T. E. Harrison, Delbert Newton, and Raymond Downing are among the farmers who dug drainage ditches. One and two-tenths miles of ditches were dug. Most bottom

Judicial Redistricting To Bring Changes To County

Farmers To Meet Jan. 29

Economical production will be the principal theme of the farm meeting to be held at the Gilbertville School Friday, Jan. 23, according to J. Homer Miller, county agent. The program will get under way at 10 a.m., with Dr. P. G. Summers giving the "Outlook for Farm Prices and Production Cost in 1954." The discussion will include how farmers may meet the price cost squeeze during the year. At 11 a.m., George Corder will lead a discussion on soils and fertilizers. The afternoon program will be devoted to a discussion of Dairying, Good Management Practices. All of the speakers are from the University of Kentucky, College of Agriculture. Proper farm management during 1954 will be important during the year. This meeting should be helpful in planning a more efficient program for the year.

Church, Lodge Leader Dies At Age of 89

John A. Covington, 89 years of age, died Monday at Paducah. He was a resident of Benton Route 7. Mr. Covington had been a deacon in the Zion's Cause Baptist Church for more than 60 years and a member of the Briensburg Masonic lodge for more than 30 years. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the Zion's Cause church with the Revs. J. J. Gough, Buren Richardson and Lake Rife officiating. Graveside rites were in charge of Briensburg Masons. Burial, by Collier & Peak, was in the Wilson Cemetery. Mr. Covington is survived by one son, C. A. Covington of Route 7; four daughters, Mrs. Vernon Dew and Mrs. Earl Mathis of Paducah, Mrs. Jack Edwards of Benton Route 1 and Mrs. Fred Dies of Calvert City Route 2; one sister, Mrs. Dora Chumler of Route 7, and nine grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren.

Bill Voted to Make Calvert 5th Class City

The House of Representatives at Frankfort has approved, without dissent, a bill to reclassify Calvert City as a city of the fifth class. It is now a sixth class city. The bill was introduced by Rep. Shelby McCallum of Benton. The State Senate was scheduled to act favorably on the measure this week. So Calvert City is assured of becoming a fifth class city.

Jess Collier High Priest of Lodge Group

The Benton Commandery installed new officers last Friday night. The new high priest is Jess Collier. Other officers are: Duncan Mallis, king; Whipple Walker, scribe; Buck Brien, captain of the host; Everett Allen, principal sojourner; Joe Faughn, Royal Arch captain; third veil, Thurman Mobley; first veil, Leon Byers; secretary, Milburn Jones; treasurer, Louis O'Danfel, and chaplain, K. A. Nichols.

Deadline is Jan. 31 On Allotments for 1954 Tobacco Crop

Jan. 31, 1954, is the last day to file application for new farm tobacco allotments. If you have grown tobacco two years out of the past five, and don't have an allotment, you would qualify for a new grower allotment. So come to the ASC office and make application before Jan. 31, 1954. Feb. 15 is the last day to file application for new grower cotton allotment. If there is no cotton allotment on your farm, or the one you operate, you are probably eligible. So come to the ASC office not later than Feb. 15, 1954.

Rotary, JCC to Play Ball

Benton Rotarians have accepted—without even a flutter of aching hearts—the challenge of the Marshall County Jaycees to play a basketball game for the benefit of the March of Dimes. The game is an annual affair, and gate receipts are donated to the polo fund. Pont Nelson suggested that the Jaycees' challenge be tabled and that the Rotarians challenge the Jaycees to a game of checkers, but Pont's suggestion died aborning. It is considered likely the Rotarians will resort to strategy in this game with the young and agile Jaycees. As a part of that strategy, Henry Lovett volunteered to keep scores and Bob McWaters said he'd be the cheerleader.

As a matter of fact, the Rotarians probably will play the game by proxy—using young members of the Lions Club. The Jaycees won the game last year, and the Rotarians, or Lions, will be out after revenge. The Rotary Club also voted Friday night to hold a steak dinner for members and their wives on Friday night, Feb. 5. The dinner will be held at Kentucky Dam Village.

McCallum, Asher Address Lions Club

The Benton Lions Club heard talks by Rep. Shelby McCallum and Joe Asher, local attorney, Tuesday night. McCallum discussed the sales tax proposal now before the state legislature. Asher discussed the qualifications of a good civic club member.

Officers Are Elected By Benton Realty Co.

Blockholders of the Benton Realty Co. met Jan. 14 in the offices of Lovett and Lovett and elected directors and officers. Two-thirds of the stock voted at the meeting was represented either by proxy or in person. Directors elected are R. E. Foust, H. H. Lovett, C. C. Hunt, Curt Phillips, Thomas Morgan, Max Petway and Cliff Treas. After the election of directors, the board met and elected Foust as president of the company, Phillips as vice president, and

Marshall May Supply New Judge

On June 28 of this year, Marshall County will have a new commonwealth's attorney and judge. This was made possible by recent action of the State Legislature in creating a new judicial district for McCracken County and changing the apportionment of counties in the 2nd, 3rd and 4th districts.

Under the new law, which was the first enacted by this year's Legislature, Marshall, Callaway and Livingston counties will be linked into a judicial district. Previously, Marshall and McCracken counties were linked together and Callaway was linked with Trigg and Christian Counties.

Marshall County's new commonwealth's attorney and judge will be appointed by Governor Wetherby. Politicians say that Marshall County has been assured that either the judge or the prosecuting attorney will be a resident of this county.

There have been rumors of late that Henry Lovett, Benton attorney, might get the appointment as judge. If that should prove true, then the prosecuting attorney would come from either Callaway or Livingston counties. The growth of Paducah and the heavy court docket there was given as the reason for making McCracken County a separate judicial district and rearranging the other districts.

The House Bill (No. 8) urging the redistricting was introduced by Rep. Shelby McCallum of Benton, Rep. Charles W. Burnley of Paducah and Rep. Fred Morgan of McCracken County. The bill passed the House and Senate both with little opposition.

Fire-Cured Tobacco Mkt. Opens Monday

Marketing of Western-cured tobacco, Type 23, will start next Monday, Holmes Ellis, manager of the Western Dark Fire Tobacco Association, announced. Ellis said the date was agreed on at a joint meeting of his executive board and the Tobacco Boards of Trade of Murray and Mayfield. He said warehouses will start receiving tobacco from growers Saturday.

Western fire-cured tobacco is grown in the eight counties of the Purchase section of Kentucky and three counties in Tennessee. About half the crop usually is used in snuff and cigar manufacture. The rest is exported to France, Holland, and other European countries according to Ellis.

Briensburg OES to Meet

The Briensburg Eastern Star chapter will meet Friday night, Jan. 22. The worthy matron, Mertie Chambers, urges all members to attend.

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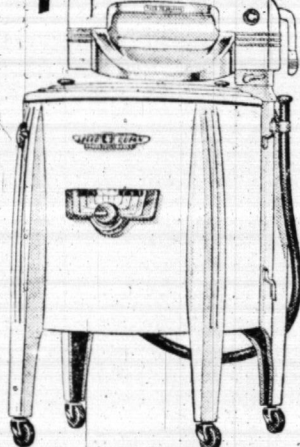
NEW ROTARY MEMBER

Earl St. Marie, owner of the Crown Furniture Co., has been admitted as a new member of the Rotary Club. Mr. St. Marie is a former Kiwanis leader from Michigan.

MR. MRS. LANIS WYATT HAVE GUESTS ON SUNDAY
Mr. and Mrs. Lanis Wyatt of Route 4 had the following persons as guests last Sunday:
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Colom-
to of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs.
Hays Allen and children of
Princeton, Mrs. Sudie Alexan-
der of Henry, Tenn., and Mr. and
Mrs. Tom Clark and children of
Benton.
Mrs. Alexander accompanied
the Colom-bos to St. Louis, where
she will spend the winter with
Mr. and Mrs. Alva Clark, former
residents of this county.

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sure and swing
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dollar. Come in and let us
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4-H Leaders Will Hold Meetings on Foods and Sewing

Miss Sunshine Colley, home demonstration agent, announced meetings of mothers and leaders to start 4-H foods and sewing projects. The meetings will be held at the following schools:
Calvert City, Monday, Jan. 25, 1:30 p.m.
Hardin, Tuesday, Jan. 26, 2 p.m.
Brewers, Tuesday, Jan. 25, 10 a.m.
Sharpe, Wednesday, Jan. 27, 1:30 p.m.
Fairdealing, Monday, Jan. 25, 7 p.m.
Gilbertsville and Briensburg had their meetings on the 19th and 20th of January.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for the wonderful shower of groceries they gave us. Words cannot convey to all of you how much we appreciated everything. We especially want to thank the sponsors for their time and effort. May God bless everyone of you.
Cordie and Bruce Morgan.

Mrs. Zelma Creason who is employed at Watkin's in Paducah is also residing in Paducah.

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Roy Williams Jr. Seriously Hurt In Automobile Crash

Roy D. Williams Jr., son of Rev. Roy Williams of Paducah, district Methodist superintendent, is reported recovering in a Louisville hospital from serious injuries received last Saturday in an auto collision near Leitchfield, Ky.
Young Williams and four other Mayfield men were enroute to a Junior Chamber of Commerce convention at Lexington when their car was in head-on collision with a car driven by a Leitchfield policeman. The policeman was killed and his wife critically injured.
The four other Mayfield Jaycees also were injured. Driver of the Mayfield car, Bill Phipps, has been charged at Leitchfield with voluntary manslaughter.

Ben Hill, 74, Dies At His Residence On Almo Route 1

Ben Hill, 74, died at his home on Almo Route 1 Jan. 15. Survivors include five daughters, Mrs. Beatrice Phillips, Mrs. Myrtle Parrish, Mrs. Ruby Parrish, Mrs. Irene Hill, Mrs. Earline Cunningham; four sons, Norman, Audrey, Leon, and James Hill; one sister, Mrs. Dink Bray; one brother, Gid Hill.
Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at Temple Hill by the Rev. H. P. Blankenship. The Linn Funeral Home was in charge. Burial was in the Temple Hill Cemetery.

DRUNK DRIVER FINED

An Illinois dentist paid a fine in County Judge Halton's court this week for driving while drunk. The dentist was arrested on the Paducah road by a State Trooper.

JAMIE DOTSON IN HOSPITAL
Jamie Dotson, prominent farmer of Route 5, entered Mayfield Hospital at Mayfield Monday of this week for treatment. Mr. Dotson has been in poor health for some time.

PERSONALS

Valera Ann Wyatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus M. Wyatt, has returned home from Murray Hospital, where she had her tonsils and adenoids removed.
Harry Henson entered I. C. Hospital this week for a few days for check-up and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Holice Lamb of Paducah have returned to Benton to reside. Mrs. Lamb is a co-owner of the Benton Laundry.
Mrs. Alice Beggs has been very ill for some time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. A. Hutchens, on Benton Route 5. Charlie Morgan is better after an extended illness.

January Super Values AT

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ELECTRIC RANGE Was 309.95 NOW **\$263.45**

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LIVING ROOM SUITE Was 234.95 NOW **\$197.95**

6 Piece Mahogany
BED ROOM SUITE Was 283.56 NOW **\$241.00**

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Folgers and Maxwell House

COFFEE pound 97c

Southern Maid
OLEO pound 20c

Flavor Kist

One Pound

FIG BARS
29c

Campfire
PORK and BEANS 16 oz. can 10c

Miss America
TURNIP GREENS No. 2 can 10c

Miss America
MUSTARD GREENS No. 2 can 10c

Bush's Best
HOMINY

Bush's Best
CHOPPED KRAUT
Hand Packed
TOMATOES

NO. 1 TEXAS
GREEN

CABBAGE lb. 5c

Large 4 doz. size
LETTUCE 2 heads 35c

New Texas
GREEN ONIONS 10 Bunch

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VEGETABLES**

New Texas Cello 2 pkgs.
CARROTS 25c

No. 1 Cobbler 25 lbs.
POTATOES 79c

PET MILK

PET 2 Tall 29c
2 small 15c

No. 1 Fla. 216 Size
**SWEET
ORANGES** DOZ. 27c

SILVER DUST
Large 29c
Giant 58c

BREEZE
Large 31c
Giant 61c

LIFE BUOY
Reg. - 3 for 25c
Bath - 2 for 25c

LUX Toilet Soap
Reg. - 3 for 25c
Bath - 2 for 25c

Close On
Baby Wipes
Large Wipes

RINZO
Large 28c
Giant 56c

**LUX LIQUID
DETERGENT**
12 oz. can 41c

**LUX LIQUID
DETERGENT**
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Quart 19c
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Mixed Nuts

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la. 216 Size
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ANGES
27c

Toilet Soap
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2 for 25c
PUREX
19c
59c

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MARKET

ings Of Kentucky Legislature

TOM SMITH

With the adminis-
tration program laun-
ching, the legislature
may pay an extra as-
sessment to one year's in-
come for 1954-1955.

Withholding tax proposi-
tion of a 50 per
cent increase for the period
ending passed cigarette
tax to three cents a pack.
House makes almost
message of the remain-
ing proposal announced only
in the Governor's
joint session of the
assembly.

Strong administra-
tive on House members
on the cigarette tax
as opposed to ad-
vance by farmer and
growers' groups who
insisted that
in the Senate.

Groups insisted that
taxes from farm and
growing districts faced
constituent when they
come from Frankfort
last week-end.

House leaders asked for a
vote on the cigar-
ette measure until after the
to give the legislators
time to test sentiment at
this was denied.

Senate delayed its week-
end until it had re-
solved 77 to 14 approved bill
the House in order to
any attempt at recon-
ciling. The Senate vote could
delay.

The initial show of ad-
vance strength little dif-
ference could be expected in put-
ting several gubernatorial
through the legislative
Ranking among these
elections on strip mining
establishing uniform
Kentucky, revising and
ing statutes concern-
mentally ill, jury selec-
tion and probation.
for lobby in Frankfort

Harrison Women Repair TV Stools During Spare Time

Harrison county homemakers
have refinished the wood and
woven the seats of more than
400 TV stools in the past few
months, notes Miss Elizabeth
Donnell, home agent with the
University of Kentucky.

Made by local cabinet makers,
the 18-inch high stools of cher-
ry were finished by the home-
makers with shellac or hot oil
and turpentine, followed by vig-
orous rubbing. They then wove
seats in them of South Sea Island
grass, more than 720 pounds of
it having been bought.

Several of the women plan to
repair old chairs and stools by
weaving similar seats in them.

Mrs. W. V. Kirkland of Mem-
phis visited her son, Donald
Kirkland, and wife, in Benton
Friday and Saturday.

Roy Houser, Loren Houser and
Louise Bloodworth of Route 3
were shoppers in Benton Friday.

was busy campaigning against
a Right to Work bill which is
expected to be presented. This
measure would ban the closed or
union shop and has brought full-
scale opposition from organiza-
tion labor leaders.

Another controversial measure
due for introduction soon is
a proposal to increase the
weight limits of trucks using
Kentucky highways. Chief op-
posing interests in this are
truck operators and railroad in-
terests. Both sides claim they
have enough votes; the truckers
enough to pass their proposal,
and the railroaders enough to
defeat it.

House leadership relaxed its
pressure for a moment and per-
mitted a vote for a public hear-
ing on the proposed sales tax
measure introduced by John
Young Brown of Lexington. This
hearing, with the entire House
membership sitting as a com-
mitted a vote for a public hear-
ing.

Capital observers see the whole
session at this point as formu-
lating the basis of campaign is-
sues in the 1955 gubernatorial
campaign in which the adminis-
tration backed candidate will
stand or fall on the record of
the Wetherby regime.

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indestructible plastic tops you expect
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and Yellow.

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Reg. 339.95 Crosley Auto. Dish Washer	199.88
Reg. 339.95 Crosley Auto. Refrigerator	279.88
Reg. 209.95 Plymouth 7 Cubic Foot Refrigerator	149.88
Reg. 199.95 Desk Model Sewing Machine	159.88
Reg. 49.95 Occasional Chairs -- Only 3	24.88
Reg. 179.95 2 Piece Frieze Living Room Suite	149.88
Reg. 119.95 2 Piece Living Room Suite, Fringe	79.88
Reg. 59.95 Lounge Sofa -- Only 2	44.88
Reg. 179.95 2 Piece Sectional, Modern	99.88
Reg. 39.95 9x12 Belgian Made Rugs	29.88
Reg. 11.95 9x12 Gold Seal Linoleums	8.88
Reg. 6.95 9 and 12-Foot Carpets, Sq. Yd.	4.88
Reg. 2.00 Wool Throw Rugs, Limited Quantity	.88
Reg. 14.95 Hoover Automatic Electric Iron	6.88
Reg. 124.95 Coleman Fuel Oil Floor Furnace	69.88
Reg. 124.95 Norge Washing Machine -- Only One	89.88
Reg. 119.95 Gas Range, 4 Burner -- Only One	89.88
Reg. 89.95 Lewyt Vacuum Cleaner -- Only Two	69.88
Reg. 189.95 3 Piece Blonde Bedroom Suite, Modern	149.88
Reg. 74.95 Hollywood Bed On Frame, Headboard	59.88
Reg. 9.95 to 49.95 Occasional Tables	1-4 Off
Reg. 3.95 to 89.95 Lamps -- 1 Group	1-2 Off

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'Quickie Eye' Tests Frowned Upon By Optometric Group

"Quickie" eye examinations endanger the sight of thousands of Kentuckians every year, Dr. Damon E. Allen, president of the Kentucky Optometric Association, declared today.

"A thorough professional examination of vision takes at least 45 minutes," Dr. Allen said. "In some of the commercial establishments concentrating on the sale of glasses rather than visual care there are hired examiners who devote as little as five minutes to a patient.

"Some labor union health programs also provide only for superficial examinations.

"Hasty examiners are likely to overlook diseases that could eventually cause blindness. In their haste they must ignore all but the simplest visual problems. They may clear up a patient's focus, at the expense of his future comfort and good vision."

Doctor Allen said that the public should seek professional vision care, not "glasses at a price."

News of Our Neighbors

Mrs. Burret Bearden and Mrs. Johnny English were recent dinner guests of Mrs. Charles Wyatt in Benton.

Miss Joetta Ray of Murray spent the past week in Benton with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Larimer.

D. R. Mallin has been nursing an injured foot for the past few weeks. It was injured when something fell on it while he was at work.

L. A. McGregor and Jim Barnes of Route 3 were business visitors in Benton Friday.

Mrs. B. J. Harrison of Route 2 spent Friday in the home of Mrs. Charles Wyatt in Benton.

Dr. James Faughn and family of St. Louis, Mo., were weekend guests of his mother, Mrs. Katie Faughn, and other relatives in Benton.

Mrs. Pearl Rudolph of the county was a shopper in town Saturday.

Mrs. O. S. Faughn and family of Route 3, were among the county shoppers in town.

Mrs. James F. Brown and Elizabeth Brown of Route 1 were shoppers in Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett East and son Gene East of Route 6 were business visitors in Benton Saturday.

Mrs. Clint Park of Route 1 was a shopper in town Saturday.

Rube Lovett and wife of Route 5 were Saturday visitors in town.

The Reid Walkers of Route 5 were Saturday visitors in Benton.

The Goebel Lambs of Route 1 were Saturday visitors in Benton.

The Toy Starks of near Keiv were Saturday visitors in Benton.

Mrs. Effie York and daughter, Mrs. Delmus Goins, of the county were Saturday shoppers in town. Mr. and Mrs. Goins have just returned from Pensacola, Florida, where he had been employed.

Mrs. John Buchanan of the county was a visitor in Benton Saturday.

Mrs. Freeman Collins of Route 4 was a shopper in town Saturday.

The Talmadge Rileys and Mrs. Dal Riley of Route 3 were shoppers here Saturday.

Mrs. Beulah Parker and Mrs. N. J. Bazzell of Benton Route 2 were Saturday shoppers in Benton.

THINGS TO TALK ABOUT

BY FRANKLIN J. MEINE
Editor, American Peoples Encyclopedia



BIRTHS

AT McCLAIN CLINIC

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Epps of Benton Route 4 are the parents of a son born Jan. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeke Collins of Benton are the parents of a son born Jan. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Holland of Benton Route 2 are the parents of a son born Jan. 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fields of Gilbertsville Route 1 are the parents of a daughter born Jan. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cope of Benton are the parents of a daughter born Jan. 18.

PERSONALS

Clay Jones and wife of Route 1 were shoppers in Benton Saturday. They renewed their Marshall Courier.

Mrs. F. W. Chumler of Benton Route 7 was a pleasant visitor at the Courier office Saturday and subscribed for the paper another year.

Mr. and Mrs. James Myers of Route 1 were Saturday visitors in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Cornwell of Benton Route 3 were shopping visitors in Benton Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Downs have nearly completed their new residence located next door to the Willard Travis place and will move there soon.

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Ramsey Martin, former Marshall County resident, has been named first vice president of the Citizens Bank & Trust Co. of Paducah.

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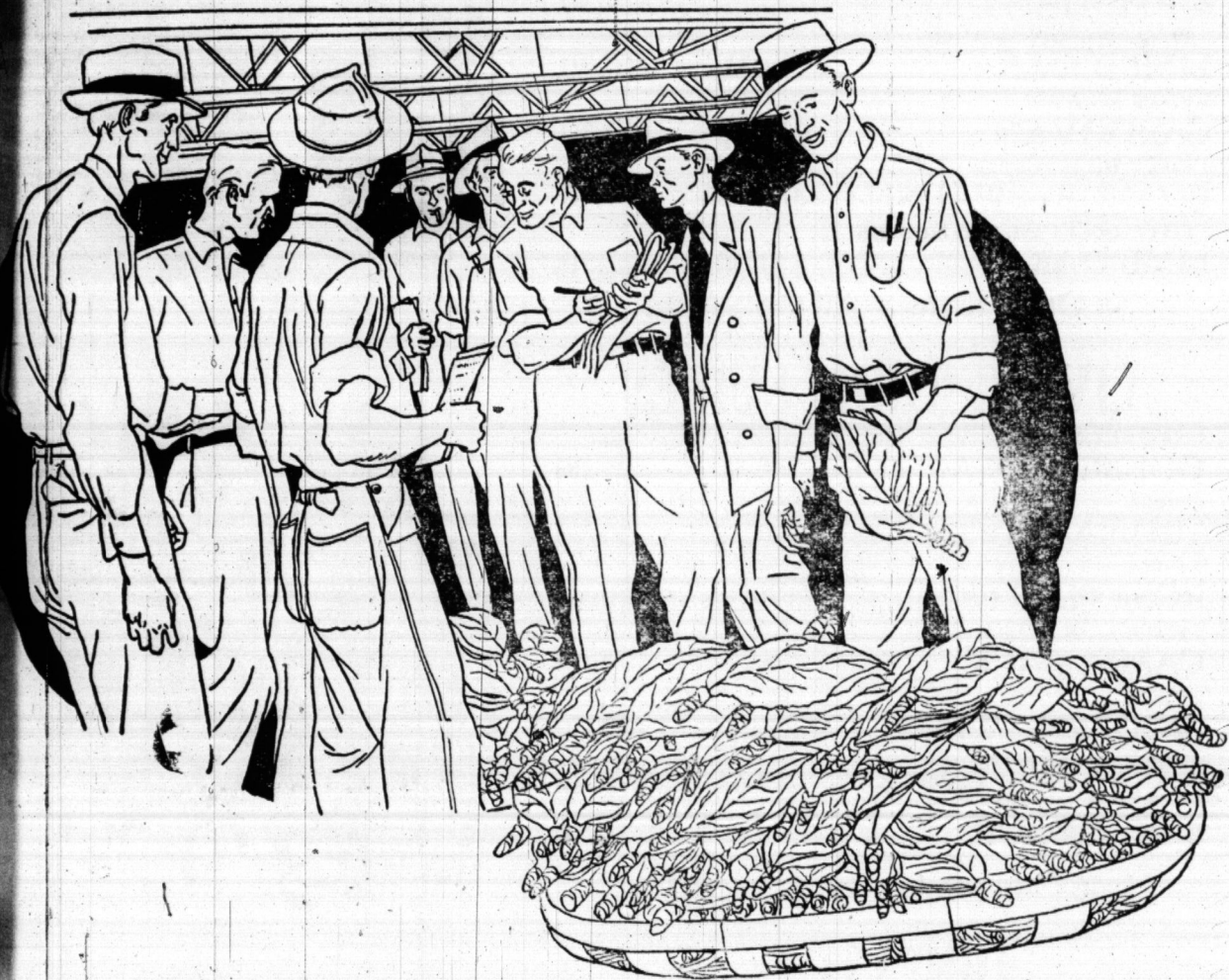
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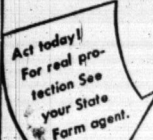
News of Our Neighbors

Miss Betty Brandon had as her week-end guests the Misses Ann Graham of Charleston, Mo., Martha Stinnet, Owensboro, Ky., June Buckingham and Charline White, Lone Oak, Ky., Joanne Henley, Trimble, Tenn., and Betty Smith, Dyersburg, Tenn. All are students at Murray State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Govle Smith of Detroit are the proud parents of a baby girl, named Gail Lynn. Charles is a former resident of Benton.

Relatives in Marshall County have received word that Joe Burradell is seriously ill in the Mound Park Hospital in St. Petersburg, Fla.

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Neal Tolbert's Sister Dies In Louisville

Miss Charlotte Tolbert 36, of Paducah Route 3, died Monday at a Louisville hospital after a long illness.

She was a sister of Neal Tolbert, embalmer at Filbeck-Cann Funeral Home. Other survivors are her mother, Mrs. Mattie Tolbert Route 3, three sisters, Mrs. Tommie Tierney of Alexandria, Va., Mrs. Hillis Moses of Paducah Route 3, and Mrs. Grace Gilson of Paducah Route 3; and two other brothers, Aaron and Crate Tolbert, both of Peoria, Ill.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at Clark's River Baptist Church, the Rev. Lawrence A. Tucker officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery. Pallbearers were Robert Feezor, Johnny Newman, James Robert Crowell, Nell Collier, Garvin Crockett and Howard Kaler.

Farm Bureau Donates \$50 To FHA Camp

By J. Homer Miller
The Farm Bureau donated \$50 to the F.F.A. to help build the state camp.

The Farm and Home Development had its first meeting last week. This is a program that calls for planning and outlining the farm and home program.

Tree orders have been coming in good, so if you want your trees, get your order in now. The first delivery will be made on Feb. 17. Another delivery will be made on March 17.

The Farm and Home Development Club will hold its winter meeting Saturday for the purpose of making plans for 1954. There are 20 families in the club now.

A county-wide meeting will be held at Gilbertsville School Friday, Jan. 29, to discuss the outlook for 1954, soils and fertilizers and dairying. The public is invited.

Soil Report

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Supervisor. Eura Mathis prepared and conducted educational meetings in the schools of the county last spring. Fifteen hundred school children and 90 adults saw films and listened to talks on conservation.

Holland Rose, county school superintendent, promoted the essay contest in the schools last fall. Sixty essays were submitted from six schools. The subject of the essays was, "How Soil Conservation Benefits My Community."

The two bulldozers which were leased to J. M. Solomon have been fully amortized and the titles transferred. The only piece of earthmoving equipment which the district owns and rents to cooperators is a disc plow. This is a single disc especially suited for building terraces and diversion channels.

Conservation needs for the district were revised during the year. A method was worked out by SCS for determining the amount of land in each of the eight land capability classes. The census and land use inventories now on hand gave a basis for determining the present land use.

By using these methods it was fairly easy to determine the land use changes which need to be made and the treatments needed for each class of land.

Anyone interested in seeing the complete estimated conservation needs for the county can do so in the SCS office.

PERSONALS

Louie Bradley of Route 4 was in town Monday and while here renewed the Marshall Courier.

Mr. and Mrs. Gleet Phillips had as their dinner guests on Wednesday the Rev. Lloyd Wilson and family of Murray.

George Thompson and daughter, Linda Sue, of Memphis, are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Wyatt and also Ethan Sattleberry.

Clyde M. Overby Jr., of Richmond, Va., spent last week-end in Paducah as the guest of his uncle, Dr. Bob C. Overby. Clyde has recently returned to the States after having spent six years in Germany. The Overbys are former residents of Marshall County.

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3 PIECE MODERN CARDOVAN	239.50	199.50
4 PIECE HIGH POSTER BLONDE or WALNUT	164.50	139.50
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58 Other Suites - All On SALE!

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2 PIECE MODERN TWEED	224.50	180.00
2 PIECE WOOL FRIEZE DAVENO SUITE	169.50	139.50
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46 Other Suites - All On SALE

DINETTES

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5 PIECE DELUXE CHROME AND PLASTIC, 36x60	126.50	99.95
5 PIECE DELUXE CHROME PLASTIC, 30x48	72.50	59.50

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DINING ROOM

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9 PIECE MAHOGANY DINING ROOM SUITE	426.50	335.00
SOLID CHERRY LADDER BACK CHAIRS	20.00	16.00
SOLID LIMED OAK TABLE - 4 Chairs	112.50	89.50
LIMED OAK BUFFET	77.50	63.00

Plastic Platform Rocker	16.75
SEMI-DELUXE PLATFORM ROCKERS	24.50
DELUXE - FRIEZE PLATFORM ROCKERS	were 49.50, now, 39.50
VELOUR Pull-up Rockers	were 17.95 now, 14.95

STREET Chair & Ottoman	119.50
"T" CUSHION CLUB CHAIRS	54.50
9 DRAWER SOLID WALNUT DESK	64.50

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Miss Kentucky, Emily "Tucky" Baker of Berea, adds her contribution to the 1954 March of Dimes. More support than ever is needed in the current drive because of the costs of the w Polio Prevention Program stepped-up gamma globulin supplies and massive testing of polio vaccine during this year.

Midnight Blaze Causes Damage To Rickman Home

The Fire Department was called to the residence of J. Rickman last Thursday night at midnight to extinguish a fire that originated in the living room. The fire was thought to have started from the oil heater in the room. Flames were soon put out and the damage was confined mostly to the living room. The rug on the floor was damaged and quite a bit of damage was done by the smoke and fire. The insurance was carried by the Fire Department.

Busy Body Group Holds Meeting At Mrs. York's Home

The Busy Body Homemakers held their regular meeting last night in the home of the president, Mrs. Della York, with nine members and two visitors present. The lesson on landscaping and gardening was given by Miss. A very interesting book was given by Miss Jan. Magazines were exchanged. Mrs. Harold Morris gave a report on Switzerland. Games were enjoyed; led by Mrs. Deon. Refreshments were served by Harold Morris, Deon Collins, Farmer, Keith Jones, Dor Dowdy, Billie Watkins, on Byers, Gene Turner, people Walker, Miss Sunshine, Jane Turner and the hostess, Mrs. Charlie York.

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Tobacco Quality Reduced

The 1953 crop of tobacco was grown and cured under very unusual and adverse weather conditions.

The quality, as well as yield has been sharply reduced because of the drought during the growing season, and at curing time a continuation of very dry weather prevented the normal "running" and "uniforming" of colors and quality.

The result is the crop is very badly mixed and there is a considerable amount of green off colored tobacco to be marketed. W. B. Kennedy Sons of Paducah says there will be an active demand for true or decided grades of this crop, and it therefore behooves every grower to use extra care in stripping, keeping green and mixed colors away from the brown or dark, or in other words, true colors.

Nearly every crop contains some useful tobacco, which is spread will command a good price, but it mixed with lower grades will in a sense be lost. It will take a little more time, but will pay big dividends to properly sort and strip this crop. Another word of caution. When stripping and tying, be sure to keep strings, wires or any other foreign material out of your crop. Last year we discovered some rubber bands under the tie leaves, which could not be detected when the tobacco was offered no doubt the farmer who used these bands did so innocently, not realizing the damage to a manufacturer, but it can easily be understood that bands, strings or any foreign matter can destroy the flavor and ruin the blend of any product.

Dark fired tobacco is in keen competition with foreign grown types, produced in many countries, and it behooves us all, farmers and dealers alike, to do the best job possible to maintain our position in world trade.

Gloria Erickson, little daughter of the George Ericksons, has recovered from a recent illness.

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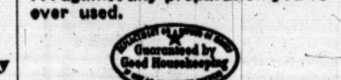
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Farm, Home Convention Feb. 2-5

In addition to sessions dealing with farm and home problems, a number of special events have been scheduled for the annual Farm and Home Convention at the University of Kentucky at Lexington Feb. 2-5. Some of them are:

Monday morning, Feb. 1, board meeting of the Kentucky Federation of Homemakers.

Tuesday night, Feb. 2, dinner and business meeting of the Kentucky Association of Home Demonstration Agents.

Wednesday, Feb. 3, Master Farm Homemakers Guild breakfast; Kentucky National 4-H

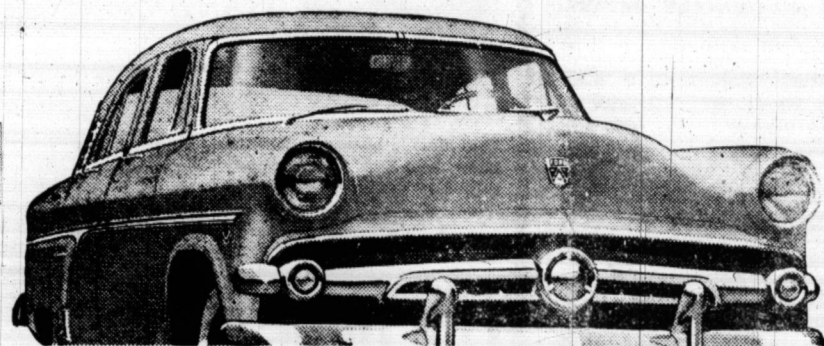
Campers Association luncheon; tea at home of President and Mrs. H. L. Donovan, Maxwell Place; movies in Guilford theater and Open House in Home Economics Building; banquet of the Kentucky Seed Improvement Association; annual dinner meeting of the Kentucky Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers, and party in Memorial Coliseum.

Thursday, Feb. 4, annual business meeting of the Kentucky Federation of Homemakers; all-dairy breed luncheon; Utopia club luncheon; fellowship dinner and recognition of outstanding rural churches, and basketball game in Memorial Coliseum.

Friday, Feb. 5, meeting of the directors of the Kentucky Federation of Homemakers, and homemakers international luncheon.

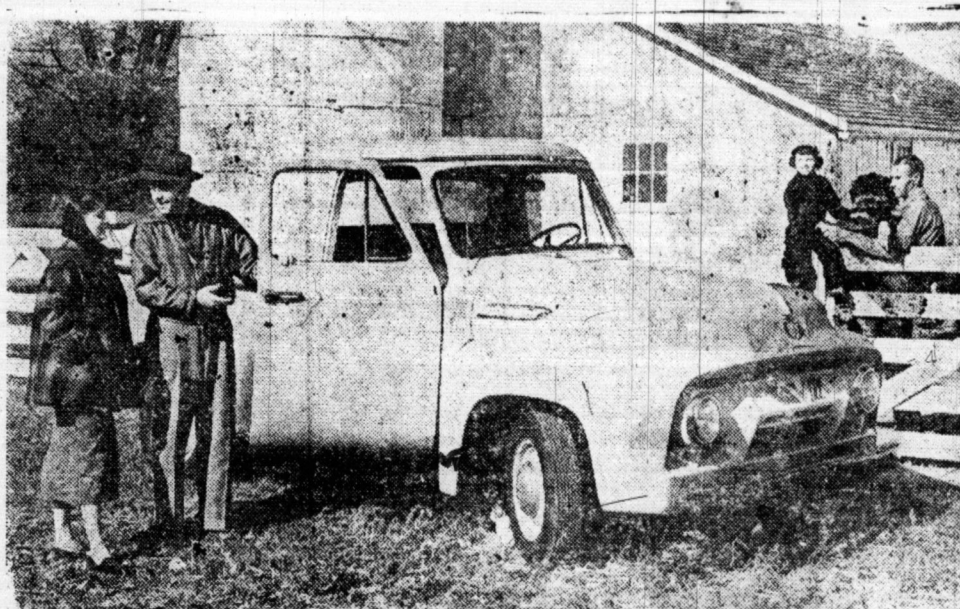
Other organizations to meet during the convention include the Kentucky Seed Improvement Association, Bluegrass State Sheep Association, Kentucky dairy cattle associations, Kentucky Rural Fellowship, and the Kentucky Goat Breeders Association.

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KINNEY MOTORS

Mrs. W. T. McDermott of Route 5 was a shopper in town Thursday.

Homer Fain has been confined to his home in Benton by illness.

Elvis Lovett of Route 5 was business visitor in Benton Friday.

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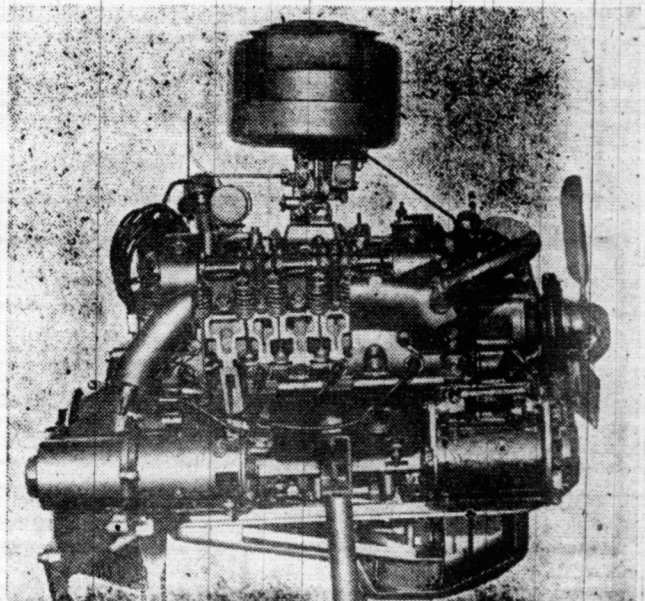
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G. Davidson, Jr., of the University of Kentucky, has been appointed chairman for Brotherhood Week dates back to 1934 when 300 communities participated in the first observance as a period of rededication to the Judea-Christian moral concept of the kinship of man.

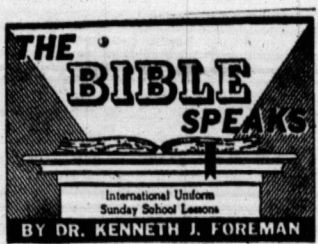
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will be marked by a series of religious, cultural, and social activities. Protestant, Catholic, and Jewish communities will be invited to participate in the "Get Together" building community

good will through home gatherings that will encourage neighbors to know each other better. Brotherly love is the theme.

Miss Jessie Crosby and her father, John Crosby, of Hardin, were business visitors in Benton Monday.

Bob Sheppard has been on the sick list for some time at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harry Henson.



Scripture: John 4:1-42
Devotional Reading: Romans 1:1-16

Crossing Barriers

Lesson for January 24, 1954

NOT all walls are made of brick and stone. Some walls are not to be seen at all, but they are there. Have you ever been a young girl, a stranger perhaps, at a party where everybody seemed to be having a wonderful time? To your mind it almost seemed as if there were a sort of conspiracy against you. Everybody seemed to see the point of jokes you could not see at all. Everybody else felt at ease but you did not in the least. It seemed as if you could feel the wall that shut you in. Or consider another kind of party, a dinner in a home of some wealth. The guests at table are friendly and frank, they talk about matters that perhaps concern the servants who are waiting on the table; but there is a wall there no one can see. The servant would not for the world interrupt, because she is not supposed to hear. The guests talk as if she were not there.



Man-Made Barriers

It is these invisible walls that cause more trouble in the world than most of those that can be felt with the hand. In some countries they are more numerous than in America, but we have them too. The wall between the educated and the uneducated; between those who go to church and those who never do; the wall between the sexes, another between races; walls between old and young, between city people and country people; between management and labor, and so on. Such barriers are not always intentional, they arise naturally in certain situations. If a person has acted in some mean way against his community—if he has committed theft or adultery, and it is known—he finds himself shut out from decent men's company even if they do not put him behind the walls of some prison. He may find these invisible walls so hard and high that he can no longer live in the town where he was born, but must go to live among strangers. Other walls, too, less tragic in consequence, rise without any one's planning them, such as the wall between teacher and students, between the boss and the workman, the customer and the merchant.

Some Walls Are Good

Some walls are actually good. One of these is the wall of privacy. The lady that runs the "Ding Dong School" on TV was saying only last summer that even little children need privacy. Mothers make a mistake when they insist—sometimes right on into the teens—on seeing every scrap of mail the child writes, on knowing every minute of the day what the child is doing. Virginia Woolf wrote a book called "A Room of Her Own." Isn't that what we all need? Many a family has broken to pieces just because the house where they lived was a bit too small. There was no place where any one of the family could get away from every one else for a rest. We all naturally dislike busybodies, asking questions they have no business to ask.

How to Cross Barriers

On the other hand, many man-made barriers are bad in their effects. They act as prison walls behind them men and women sink into dark and poisonous air; living without the sunshine that comes to those living beyond the wall. Such a wall, in ancient times was erected between the Samaritans and the regular Jews. It was an invisible wall; but it had no doors and no one crossed it. Yet one day Jesus walked right through that barrier and several other walls all at the same time, to talk to a Samaritan woman. Between were the walls of segregation; men did not speak in public to women; of morality—she was beneath even "ordinary" respectability; of nationality and race—he was of pure blood, she of a decidedly mixed breed of intelligence—she must have had a pretty low I.Q. But Jesus talked with her—not small talk, which she would have preferred, but something far more serious and searching. Jesus was always doing this kind of thing. How did he manage it? By the simplest way in the world: he would go right through these man-made barriers as if they were not there, because he knew that walls which man's mind has made, man's good-will can make to disappear.

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News of Our Neighbors

Wilson Portis and Fred Reed and their families of Elva Route 1 were among the county shoppers in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Edwards and children of Route 1 were among the shoppers in Benton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Oakley of Route 7 were shoppers in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Morgan of Hardin Route 1 were Saturday shoppers in town.

Mrs. Phillip Thompson of Route 4 was a shopper in town Saturday and while here renewed her Marshall Courier.

Mrs. Lanice Washburn of Route 4 was a shopper in Benton Saturday and renewed her paper while in town.

Harvey Rudd and Y. W. Rudd of Route 1 were business visitors in Benton Saturday.

Clint Fields of Louisville is visiting the family of his daughter, Mrs. Laura Mandell, in Tuscon, Arizona.

Miss Eunice Dawes of Route 6 was a shopper in town Saturday.

Will Henson and family of Route 5 were Saturday visitors in town.

Mrs. Katie Nelson and family of Route 3 were Saturday shoppers in town.

W. F. Knight and family of Hardin Route 1 have moved to Route 3, Benton. He came by the Courier office to have his paper sent there.

Mrs. Kinney Alcock of Route 7 was a visitor in Benton Saturday.

Mrs. Ed Brown of Route 4 was a visitor in Benton Saturday.

Jim Borders of Route 4 was a business visitor here.

Mrs. Henry Gordon of Hardin Route 1 was a business visitor in town.

Cletus and Mrs. Phelps of Route 2 were Saturday shoppers in town.

Will Dexter of Gilbertsville Route 1 was in town Saturday on business.

The John Barnetts of Route 2 were Saturday shoppers in Benton.



The Lord is with me that call upon Him, that call upon Him in truth.—(Psalm 145, 18.)

God is all around us, all-seeing, all-knowing. But having been given will-power, we must make the choice—we must make our prayer to Him if we would receive the blessing of His mercy and forgiveness, the wonder of His love.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lovett have gone to Canton, Ohio, to reside. He is the son of Bern and Mrs. Lovett of Hardin Route 1.

T. D. Gregory of Route 5 was a business visitor in Benton Saturday.

Local News of Our Neighbors

Harve Darnell and wife of Route 1 were Saturday visitors in town.

Leonard Davenport of Hardin was a business visitor in Benton Saturday.

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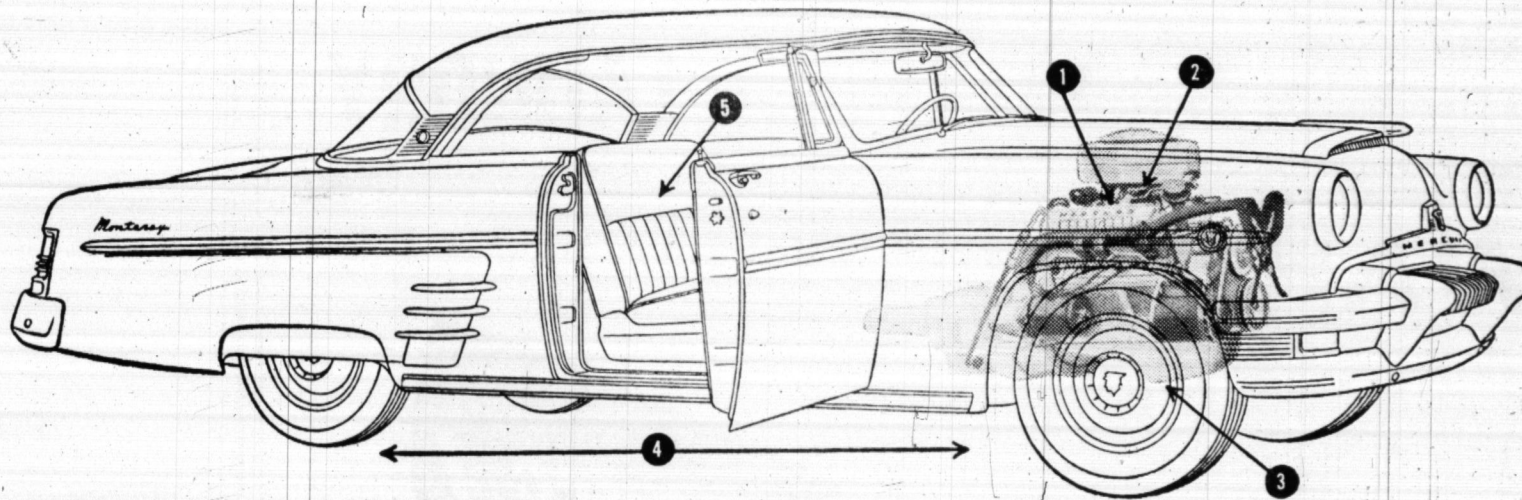
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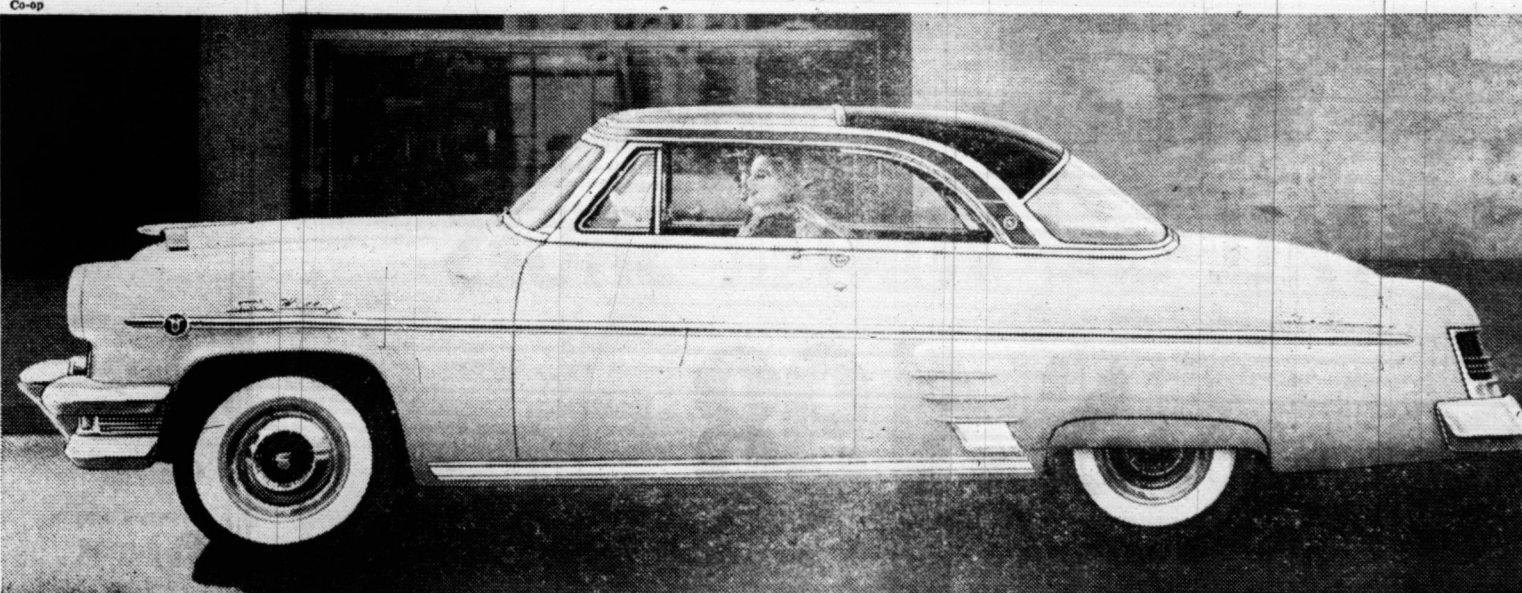
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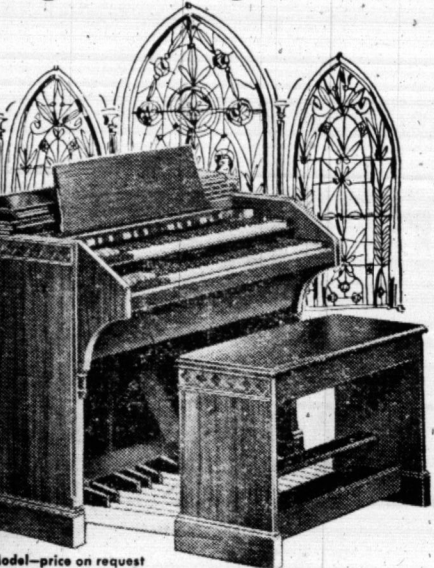
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IN EQUITY

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Marshall Circuit Court, rendered on Dec. 28, 1953, in the above styled cause for the purpose of: Division to the parties herein and all costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Benton, Kentucky, to the highest bidder, at public auction on the 1st day of February, 1954, at one o'clock, P. M., or thereabouts (being County Court Day) upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit:

Lot No. 2 in the Division of the lands of F. Wallace deceased, together with 1 1/2 acres of the N. W. corner of the F. Wallace land known as the J. W. Clark lot, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of the F. Wallace land, a post oak on Military line; thence South 15 Deg. 21' West 40-3-10 poles to a stake with 2 red oaks and 1 small hickory pointer; thence N. 77 Deg. 9' East 58-8-10 poles to the S. W. corner of school house lot, a black oak with 1 red oak and one hickory pointer; thence South 81 1/2 Deg., East, 57-4-10 poles to a stake; thence N. 4 Deg., 45 Min., West, 43-7-10 poles to the N. E. corner of the F. Wallace land and same being the N. E. corner of the J. W. Clark 1 1/2 acre lot; thence S. 84 Deg., 45' West, 101 poles, 10 3/4 links to the place of beginning, which boundary above given contains all that part of the F. Wallace land known as Lot No. 2, in the Division of said land, and lot known as the J. W. Clark lot, containing 1 1/2 acres in the N. E. corner of said F. Wallace land. The entire boundary above given containing 22 1/4 acres, but out of this there is reserved and rejected as the School House Lot, leaving only 2 1/2 acres, which now conveyed in this deed; there is also an exception made in this deed of 1-2 acre sold off of

IN THE SERVICE . . .

W. F. Nance, husband of Mrs. Shirley H. Nance of Benton, has been promoted to airman second class with the U. S. Air Force in the Philippine Islands. He is stationed at Clark Field near Manila.

Pvt. Henry L. Frizzell of Symsonia has completed his basic training with the Third Armored Division at Fort Knox, Ky.

Cpl. W. C. Klapp has been released from active duty in the Marine Corps. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pony R. Klapp of Elva Route 1.

The South side of this land to the Marshall County Board of Education, and being land conveyed to this grantor by Cornelia Wallace, February 14, 1917, and of record in D. B. 42, P. 87, in the Marshall County Court Clerk's office.

There is also conveyed in this deed 1-2 acre off the North end of the old original School House Lot and being 1-2 acre, more or less. Being the same property conveyed to Mamie Clark and Harvey Clark by deed of date October 19, 1917, recorded in Deed Book 45, Page 563 of the Marshall County Court Clerk's office. And being the same property which these grantors inherited through their mother, Mamie Clark. See Affidavit of Descent recorded in Deed Book No. — Page No. —, of the aforesaid Clerk's office.

Or a sufficiency thereof to produce the sums of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price the purchaser with approved security or securities must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

W. B. HOLLAND
Master Commissioner

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS
1. Fellow
2. Searched for
3. Foreign
4. Father
5. Slip
6. Goddes of healing (Myth.)
7. Engrossed
8. Profoundly
9. Finest
10. Ornamented
11. Observed
12. Competitor
13. Ancest
14. Flashes of lightning
15. Practical unit of electrical capacity
16. Student
17. Feminine pronoun
18. Steep, broken cliff
19. Seesaw
20. Breeze
21. Abandons
22. Lodged
23. Capital (It.)
24. Check
25. Tolerate
26. To cut in phrases
27. "snick"
28. Sharp
29. Fortune

DOWN
1. Roman house gods
2. Haze
3. Crust
4. A wound
5. Annoyance
6. Becom firm
7. Walked with long steps
8. Quashed
9. Cox of Route 3 was visitor in Benton

Here's Good Way To Remove Dents From Furniture

Removing dents from a piece of furniture that is being refinished can be successfully done. Miss Vivian Curnutt, UK home furnishings specialist, proved to homemakers at a Washington county training school for leaders.

When sanding does not remove them, she suggested pressing a small amount of dampened cloth into the tip of the steam iron. The steam iron was used to press the damp cloth into the dent. Repeat as necessary, then as desired.

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Rayon Jersey 3 yds. \$1.00
Sateen 3 yds. \$1.00
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