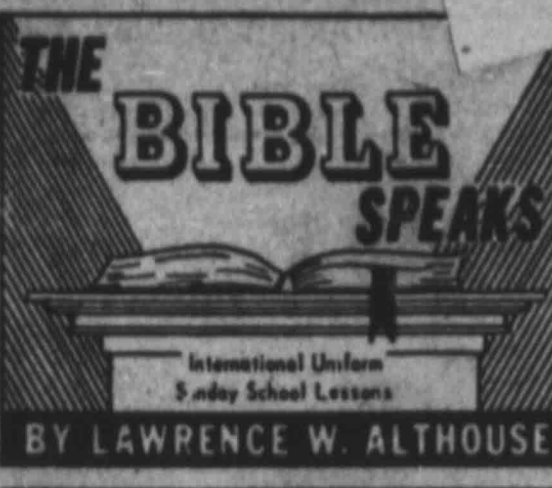


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Lesson for January 3, 1971

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We wish you a better 1971!

Roy A. Bizzell

Roy A. Bizzell, 72, of Memphis, brother of Miss Winnie Lee Bizzell, of Ripley, died Tuesday of last week.

Services were Wednesday of last week in McLemore Christian Church, with burial in Memorial Park.

He was reared in Henning.

He had been employed by William R. Moore Dry Goods Co. in Memphis and later the Mason-Fowles Co. He retired from Dixie Belle Textures a few years ago.

He also leaves his wife, Mrs. Catherine Bizzell; a son, David Bizzell, of Memphis; a daughter, Mrs. Wallace Mills, of Austin, Tex.; another sister, Mrs. W. E. McGarrity, of Memphis; and a grandson, Russell Bizzell, of Memphis.

H. E. Ezekiel

Hardin Elic Ezekiel, 67, farmer of near Halls, died about 12:55 a.m. Wednesday in his home.

Services were set for 1:30 p.m. Thursday in Halls Funeral Home, with burial in South Fork Cemetery.

Born in Hardin County, he moved to the Halls area in 1941. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Ruby McGarrity Ezekiel; four sons, William Elic Ezekiel, Calvin E. Ezekiel, and Lynn Wayne Ezekiel, all of near Halls, and Larry Ezekiel, of Gates; two daughters, Mrs. Bonnie Juanita Blankenship and Mrs. Jo Ann Cook, both of Halls; and a sister, Mrs. Rosie McGarrity, of Selmer.

C. B. Wright Killed In Highway Crash

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He leaves his wife, Mrs. Willie Adams Wright; four sons, Joe Wright, Boyd Wright, Louis Wright, and David Wright, all of near Halls; nine daughters, Mrs. Pearl McAllister, Miss Judy Wright, Miss Linda Wright, Miss Lisa Wright and Betty Wright, all of near Halls, Mrs. Doris Paris, Mrs. Mary Louise Coker, and Mrs. Margie Williams, all of Dyersburg, and Miss Willie Marie Wright, of Jupiter, Fla.; a brother, Walter Wright, of Phoenix, Ariz.; five sisters, Mrs. Velma Phillips, of Bolivar, Mrs. Archer Austin, of Brownsville, Mrs. Elsie Sincabaugh, Mrs. Nell Doyle, and Miss Mary Wright, all of Phoenix, Ariz.; and his mother, Mrs. Ida Wright, also of Phoenix.

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Kirby In Alaskan Joint Maneuvers

Specialist-4 Robert D. Kirby, 22, son of the Aron D. Kirbys, of Route 2, Gates, and a 1966 graduate of Ripley High School, participated in Exercise Acid Test III, a joint U.S.-Canadian northern warfare training operation at Fort Greely, Alaska, during the first half of December.

Kirby, who entered the Army in June, 1968, is stationed at Fort Richardson, Alaska, as communication chief in the 90th Aviation Company.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Higgins, of Rt. 2, Gates—a daughter, born Dec. 25th in Lauderdale County Hospital.



Concord Locals

By Mrs. Sam Fennel

Mr. and Mrs. James Savage and children and Mrs. Jessie Mai White were dinner guests Christmas Day of Mr. Savage's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Savage, in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hartman and children, of Dayton, Ohio, are visiting Mrs. Hartman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gilliland.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ingram and sons, of Fowkes, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Rickman and son, of Newbern, were supper guests last Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Finis Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Jansen and children, of Lafayette, Colo., are visiting Mrs. Jansen's father, A. D. McNeill, and other relatives.

Mrs. Nancy Robbins and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Ray at Fort Pillow Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McNeill were supper guests Thursday of last week of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Barbour in Kerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lomas Garrett spent Thursday night of last week with their daughter, Mrs. Bill Isom, and Mr. Isom. They were dinner guests Christmas Day of their son, Warren Garrett, and Mrs. Garrett in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jackson and sons, of Memphis, spent the weekend with Mrs. Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gilliland.

Miss Gwen Thrasher, of Savannah, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Savage.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Burks and children and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright, Jr., and children, of Halls, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Davis, of Dyersburg, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Burks and children, of Denmark, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McMahon, Mrs. Jim McMahon, and Blake Williams, all of Ripley, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Burks and children, of San Antonio, Tex., and Mrs. Gary Howard and son, Duane, of Memphis, had breakfast with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burks Christmas morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Carmack were dinner guests Christmas Day of their daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Howard, and Mr. Howard in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Turner, Jr., and daughter, Elaine, and Tim Turner, all of Nut Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sellers and daughter, Nina, of Curve, Mr. and Mrs.

Jimmy Sellers and children, of Dresden, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brooks and daughter, Myra, of Columbia, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Grooms and son, Eric, of Louisville, Ky., were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Turner, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fincher and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Fincher, of Crockett County, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jackson and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fincher and children, of Memphis, and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Koontz and children, of Milwaukee, Wis., were supper guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gilliland.

A. C. Darden, of Alamo, spent last Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Finis Garrett.

Mrs. Mary Gaines and Mrs. Virginia Elam, of Ripley, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burks Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Langley and daughter, Susan, visited Mr. Langley's mother, Mrs. Nina Langley, at Central Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmon Fowles and Clyde Fowles, of Fowles, visited Mrs. Lena Dodd Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fennel and baby, of Batesville, Miss., spent the weekend with Mr. Fennel's mother, Mrs. Louise Fennel, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith and sons, Pat and Eric, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Robinson and daughter, Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Robinson, and Mrs. Joe Alonzo and Mrs. Rosa Howard, all of Gates, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fennel and children, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Fennel and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Meeks and son, all of Friendship, visited her over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Baker and children, of Milan, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Gilliland and son, of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Don Allen, of Huntsville, Ala., Mr. and Mrs. Benny Voss and children, of Halls, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Voss, of Hawaii, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Voss over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McNeill visited Marvin Garrett in Crockett County Sunday.

Nancy Lynn and Eddie Robbins visited their father, Jimmy Robbins, in Halls Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hallman and daughter, JoAnn, of Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Barnett and children, of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Barnett and children, of Brownsville, and Mr. and Mrs. Coy Summar, of Whitefield, were supper guests Christmas Eve of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Watkins and daughter, Debbie, of St. Louis, Mo., spent last Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lewis Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burks were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Swims at Double Branches.

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Airman First Class Daniel L. Pope, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen T. Pope, Sr., of 326 Eastland, Ripley, has graduated from a radio repairman course at Lowry Air Force Base, Colo.

He is being assigned to Oso Air Base, Korea.

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Study Fine Points Of Farm Program

Must Report Bale Weights; May Transfer Allotments; Soybean Supports Fixed

By F. H. Paschal

Before farmers are ready to sign up their farms under the 1971 program, they need to bring to the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) office actual gin bale weights of all cotton produced on particular farms identified by farm numbers from the 1970 crop.

These records certified by producers will be used in determining the new projected yields which will determine payment rates under the 1971 program.

William Hall, county executive director, says that when parts of farms are sold or when operators for 1971 will be different from those in 1970, that these facts should be reported to the county office.

Mr. Hall reports cotton allotments may be sold or leased during the next month or more, but they cannot be added to a farm which has no cotton allotment at present. If the farm now has a cotton allotment, the owner may add to it as much allotment as he can buy and grow on the land.

The first checks to be paid out on the new farm program will get to producers as soon as July 1st as practicable.

Some new accounts of the new farm program have included statements to the effect that hay may be harvested from the set-aside acres, but this can only be done when the hay is baled and stored in sealed warehouses to be used only under emergency conditions.

Otherwise, nothing can be harvested from this set-aside land from about April 1st to Sept. 1st, or such other period as the state committee shall designate. After that time the land may be grazed.

The loan price on soybeans for next year will be based on \$2.25 a bushel, with about the same variations as were in effect in 1970.

Regulations on all phases of the farm program are still subject to changes in details which will probably be worked out before the sign-up period which begins March 1st.

Hog Producers Adjust

Top hogs are still selling under 16c a pound, but feeders are hoping for higher prices, and they are still paying as much as \$10 for good feeder pigs weighing around 50 pounds.

Isaac Ringer, of Halls, is considering putting pigs in the cooperative feeder pig sale at Brownsville Jan. 13th. Pigs in the last two sales averaged \$10 each, although some brought as little as \$7.

Bumbardy Driver, of Goldust, has been producing feeder pigs right along, and he plans to build some additions to the inside of his farrowing house that may prevent sows lying on pigs and killing them when they are tiny.

All hog producers are reducing operations somewhat until prices improve. They are culling their least profitable sows and trying to get down to business on feeding more efficiently in order to stay in business for the time when prices will be profitable.

Soil Testing Planned

Cotton Elder, of Durhamville, is working toward taking soil samples whenever the land is dry enough to plow and getting them to the testing laboratory in Nashville through the County Extension Office to find out just what each field needs in the way of lime, phosphate, and potash in order to get the highest practical yield at the lowest cost.

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On the bright side of the coin was the bringing home of many soldiers from Viet Nam, the continued efforts to bring the war to a close, the change in direction of many citizens as they voted more conservatively in an attempt to halt our trend toward a more socialistic government, the sudden realization that pollution is a threat to all of us, and the Tennessee Volunteers won ten of eleven football games, but on the other hand, Archie Manning broke a wrist and Arkansas lost two, one of them to Texas.

We wish you a better 1971!

Roy A. Bizzell

Roy A. Bizzell, 72, of Memphis, brother of Miss Winnie Lee Bizzell, of Ripley, died Tuesday of last week.

Services were Wednesday last week in McLemore Christian Church, with burial in Memorial Park.

He was reared in Henning. He had been employed by William R. Moore Dry Goods Co. in Memphis and later the Mason-Fowlkes Co. He retired from Dixie Belle Textures a few years ago.

He also leaves his wife, Mrs. Catherine Bizzell; a son, David Bizzell, of Memphis; a daughter, Mrs. Wallace Mills, of Austin, Tex.; another sister, Mrs. W. E. McGarrity, of Memphis; and a grandson, Russell Bizzell, of Memphis.

H. E. Ezekiel

Hardin Elic Ezekiel, 67, farmer of near Halls, died about 12:55 a. m. Wednesday in his home.

Services were set for 1:30 p. m. Thursday in Halls Funeral Home, with burial in South Fork Cemetery.

C. B. Wright Killed In Highway Crash

By Miss Byrd Sloan

Charlie Boyd Wright, 56, farmer of near Halls, was killed about 8:30 p. m. Thursday last week in a collision on old Highway 51 north of Halls.

Services were at 2 p. m. Saturday in Halls Funeral Home. Burial was in Holmes Cemetery.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Willie Adams Wright; four sons, Joe Wright, Boyd Wright, Louis Wright, and David Wright, all of near Halls; nine daughters, Mrs. Pearl McAlister, Miss Judy Wright, Miss Linda Wright, Miss Lisa Wright and Betty Wright, all of near Halls, Mrs. Doris Parise, Mrs. Mary Louise Coker, and Mrs. Margie Williams, all of Dyersburg, and Miss Willie Marie Wright, of Jupiter, Fla.; a brother, Walter Wright, of Phoenix, Ariz.; five sisters, Mrs. Velma Phillips, of Bolivar, Mrs. Archer Austin, of Brownsville, Mrs. Elsie Sincabaugh, Mrs. Nell Doyle, and Miss Mary Wright, all of Phoenix, Ariz.; and his mother, Mrs. Ida Wright, also of Phoenix.

Plunge From Span Claims Man's Life

John W. Stewart, 24, of Ripley, employed by Trend Construction Co. in Dyersburg, was killed when his convertible struck the railing of the bridge across Old River, west of Halls, and plunged off the bridge hurling Stewart from the driver's seat, about 1:30 a. m. Christmas Day.

Services were at 2 p. m. Sunday in Dry Hill Assembly of God Church. Burial was in Concord Cemetery, with Ripley Funeral Home in charge.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Bonnie Stewart; a daughter, Miss Johnnie Belinda Stewart; a brother, Thomas Stewart; a half-brother, Avery Cobb; a sister, Mrs. Virginia Braden; and two half-sisters, Miss Virginia Cobb and Miss Phyllis Cobb, all of Ripley.

Mrs. Naomi Hart

Mrs. Naomi Hart, 73, of Halls, died at 11:40 p. m. Sunday in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg, after long illness.

Services were at 2 p. m. Tuesday in Halls Funeral Home. Burial was in Halls Cemetery.

Born in Tigrett, she had lived in Halls for 50 years. She was a member of Halls First Baptist Church.

She leaves a step-daughter, Mrs. Doris Hines, of Halls.

Mrs. Fankboner

Mrs. Tribby Parrish Fankboner, 58, of Salem, Ill., who was born in Halls, died at 6:30 p. m. Saturday in Salem Memorial Hospital of cancer.

Services were at 2 p. m. Tuesday in Salem First United Presbyterian Church with burial there.

She leaves her husband, J. Cody Fankboner, of Salem; three brothers, Emmett L. Parrish, of Memphis, Thaddeus Parrish, of Martin, and Dr. J. M. Parrish, Jr., of Oklahoma City, Okla.; and two sisters, Mrs. H. W. Fisher, of Trenton, and Miss Rebecca Parrish, of Memphis.

BASKET FUND DONORS

Halls' annual Christmas Basket Fund collected \$694.75 for 155 baskets distributed to the needy and aged.

Donors included Bank of Halls, Simmons Men's Shop, Britt's Variety Store, Joe McCarthy, Fehrer Shop, Perry's Shoe Store, Belton Electric Service, Jean Ellis, Halls Hdw. & Supply Co., J. T. White, Tom Raspberry, George Parnell, Cash-Way Grocery; Isaac Young, J. M. Rose, Vaden Cleaners, Paul Jordan, Mrs. Viola Sawyers, Halls Frozen Food Lockers, Halls Auto Parts, Dyer Bros. Lumber Co., Smith Drug Co., Robert and Dot Craddock, Paul Henderson, John D. Scott, Frank Moore, Ken's Barber Shop, Sammie L. Arnold, H & S Furn. Co., Joe L. Levy & Son, Joe's Cafe, Rodgers Grocery, Halls Flower Shop, Halls Insurance Agency, Smart Shop, Mayo's Flower Shop; Bowie TV Service, Archie's Barber Shop, Halls Post Office, Clyde Hardin, Joe Clyde Escue, Planters Gin Co., Mrs. M. L. Dugan, Pete Smith, Woodrow Godwin, Fitzhugh's Grocery, Sumrow Gin Co., Billy Vear Meat Co., E. K. Jackson, E. O. Dew, Charles Moore, McDearman Motors, Garrett's Cafe, Dr. J. G. Olds, Harold Hart, Texaco Service Station, James L. Jones;

Lewis Garage, First Baptist Church, Tupperware Co., Allentown Boxes, Inc., Custom-Craft Mfg. Corp., First Christian Church.

Kirby In Alaskan Joint Maneuvers

Specialist-4 Robert D. Kirby, 22, son of the Aron D. Kirbys, of Route 2, Gates, and a 1968 graduate of Ripley High School, participated in Exercise Acid Test III, a joint U.S.-Canadian northern warfare training operation at Fort Greely, Alaska, during the first half of December.

Kirby, who entered the Army in June, 1968, is stationed at Fort Richardson, Alaska, as communication chief in the 90th Aviation Company.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Higgins, of Rt. 2, Gates—a daughter, born Dec. 25th in Lauderdale County Hospital.

Gates Locals

By Miss Byrd Sloan

Mrs. Mary Hamill spent the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Lee Allen, and family in Sturgis, Ky.

Mrs. Ella Harrell and daughter, Celeste Ann, of Nashville, spent several days last week with Mrs. Harrell's mother, Mrs. E. G. Parker.

Guests during the holidays of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Sloan and Miss Byrd Sloan were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sloan and daughter, Shena, of Lubbock, Tex., and Marianne and Suzanne Sloan, of Kennett, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beard's Christmas dinner guests were all their children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Heathcott's dinner guests Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Francis Perot and daughter, Becky, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Weaver, all of Newbern, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Haynes and daughter, of Hammond, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rice and children, and Mrs. Minnie Lee Haynes, all of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Heathcott, Mr. and Mrs. Scott White and children, and Mrs. Johnny Heathcott, all of Ripley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Puckett and daughters had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Sloan.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Voss spent the holidays with relatives in Memphis.

Miss Ruth MacIn, of Union University in Jackson, Miss Helen MacIn, of Dyersburg State Community College, and Mackie MacIn, of the University of Tennessee at Martin, spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. Ann MacIn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Baker had Christmas dinner Sunday with Mrs. Troy Savage in Ripley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pennington's guests during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wright and children, of Nashville. They all had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Jordan Christmas Day.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Estol Wood were Mr. and Mrs. Preston Kizer and children, of Apopka, Fla., Dr. and Mrs. Sanford Tritt and children, of Martin, and Jack Wood, of Decatur, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Holley and daughter, of Euleas, Tex., spent Christmas with Mrs. Holley's mother, Mrs. Annie Mae Pickard.

The Rev. and Mrs. Walter German and daughter, Diana, spent the holidays with relatives in Somerville and Hickory Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Frewl Buffalo and Mrs. Ruth Buffalo had dinner Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Goodwin in Halls.

The willing workers Sunday School Class of Mt. Vernon Baptist Church near Halls held their Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Lewis O'Bryant during the holidays. Yule decorations were throughout the home. Mrs. Rachel Gean conducted the devotional. Cake and coffee were served.

The children's division of Gates Methodist Church carried Christmas night. Mrs. Linda Meeks accompanied them.

The Young Married Couples and the Young People's Class of Gates Methodist Sunday school held their Christmas party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bishop Monday of last week. The home was decorated in the Yule motif. A covered dish dinner was served and gifts were exchanged.

Rebecca, Laverne, and Randall Kennedy spent last week with their brother, Ronald Kennedy, and Mrs. Kennedy in Memphis. Their mother, Mrs. Ruth Kennedy, joined them for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy returned home with them for the weekend. The Gates Home Demonstration Club met Dec. 17th for the annual Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Frewl Buffalo.

Mrs. Buffalo served an assortment of Christmas cookies with punch.

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Concord Locals

By Mrs. Sam Fennel

Mr. and Mrs. James Savage and children and Mrs. Jessie Mai White were dinner guests Christmas Day of Mr. Savage's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Savage, in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hartman and children, of Dayton, Ohio, are visiting Mrs. Hartman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gilliland.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ingram and sons, of Fowlkes, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Rickman and son, of Newbern, were supper guests last Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Finis Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Jansen and children, of Lafayette, Colo., are visiting Mrs. Jansen's father, A. D. McNeill, and other relatives.

Mrs. Nancy Robbins and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Ray at Fort Pillow Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McNeill were supper guests Thursday of last week of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Barbour in Kerrville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lomas Garrett spent Thursday night of last week with their daughter, Mrs. Bill Isom, and Mr. Isom. They were dinner guests Christmas Day of their son, Warren Garrett, and Mrs. Garrett in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jackson and sons, of Memphis, spent the weekend with Mrs. Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gilliland.

Miss Gwen Thrasher, of Savannah, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Savage.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Burks and children and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright, Jr., and children, of Halls, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Davis, of Dyersburg, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Burks and children, of Denmark, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McMahon, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McMahon, and Blake Williams, all of Ripley, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Burks and children, of San Antonio, Tex., and Mrs. Gary Howard and son, Duane, of Memphis, had breakfast with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burks Christmas morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Carmack were dinner guests Christmas Day of their daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Howard, and Mr. Howard in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Turner, Jr., and daughter, Elaine, and Tim Turner, all of Nut Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sellers and daughter, Nina, of Curve, Mr. and Mrs.

Jimmy Sellers and children, of Dresden, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brooks and daughter, Myra, of Columbia, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Grooms and son, Eric, of Louisville, Ky., were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Turner, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fincher and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Fincher, of Crockett County, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jackson and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fincher and children, of Memphis, and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Kooz and children, of Milwaukee, Wis., were supper guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gilliland.

A. C. Darden, of Alamo, spent last Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Finis Garrett.

Mrs. Mary Gaines and Mrs. Virginia Elam, of Ripley, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burks Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Langley and daughter, Susan, visited Mr. Langley's mother, Mrs. Nina Langley, at Central Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmon Fowlkes and Clyde Fowlkes, of Fowlkes, visited Mrs. Lena Dodd Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fennel and baby, of Batesville, Miss., spent the weekend with Mr. Fennel's mother, Mrs. Louise Fennel, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robison, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith and sons, Pat and Eric, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Robison and daughter, Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. Alanzo Robison, and Mrs. Joe Craig and Mrs. Rosa Howard, all of Gates, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fennel and children, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Fennel and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Meeks and son, all of Friendship, visited her over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Baker and children, of Milan, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Gilliland and son, of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Don Allen, of Huntsville, Ala., Mr. and Mrs. Benny Voss and children, of Halls, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Voss, of Hawaii, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Voss over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McNeill visited Marvin Garrett in Crockett County Sunday.

Nancy Lynn and Eddie Robbins visited their father, Jimmy Robbins, in Halls Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nesbert Jackson and children, of Ripley, and Miss Donna Eaton, of Halls, were supper guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stanley and children, of Forked Deer, Mrs. Winfred Lee and children,

of Frayser, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Jansen and children, of Lafayette, Colo., and David Lemons, of Halls, were supper guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Emerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hallman and daughter, JoAnn, of Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Barnett and children, of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Barnett and children, of Brownsville, and Mr. and Mrs. Coy Summar, of Whitefield, were supper guests Christmas Eve of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Watkins and daughter, Debbie, of St. Louis, Mo., spent last Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lewis Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burks were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Swims at Double Branches.

William Dodd and children, of Brownsville, visited his mother, Mrs. Lena Dodd, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lomas Garrett were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Smith in Brownsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Parker, of Brownsville, were dinner guests Christmas Day of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Langley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barnett were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Summar at Whitefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Young and baby, of Forked Deer, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Mitchell and son, Mike, of Memphis, spent Saturday night with Mr. Mitchell's mother, Mrs. Audrey Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sanford, of Ripley, were dinner guests Christmas Day of Mrs. Agnes White.

Mrs. Nancy Robbins and children visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ray in Ripley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Emerson and children were dinner guests Christmas Day of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stanley at Forked Deer.

Cindy Ball, of Memphis, is visiting Christy Ball.

POPE ENDS COURSE

Airman First Class Daniel L. Pope, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen T. Pope, Sr., of 225 Eastland, Ripley, has graduated from a radio repairman course at Lowry Air Force Base, Colo.

He is being assigned to Ogan Air Base, Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stanley and children, of Forked Deer, Mrs. Winfred Lee and children,

Study Fine Points Of Farm Program

Must Report Bale Weights; May Transfer Allotments; Soybean Supports Fixed

By F. H. Paschal

Before farmers are ready to sign up their farms under the 1971 program, they need to bring to the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) office actual gin bale weights of all cotton produced on particular farms identified by farm numbers from the 1970 crop.

These records certified by producers will be used in determining the new projected yields which will determine payment rates under the 1971 program.

William Hall, county executive director, says that when parts of farms are sold or when operators for 1971 will be different from those in 1970, that these facts should be reported to the county office.

Mr. Hall reports cotton allotments may be sold or leased during the next month or more, but they cannot be added to a farm which has no cotton allotment at present. If the farm now has a cotton allotment, the owner may add to it as much allotment as he can buy and grow on the land.

The first checks to be paid out on the new farm program will get to producers as soon as July 1st as practicable.

Some new accounts of the new farm program have included statements to the effect that hay may be harvested from the set-aside acres, but this can only be done when the hay is baled and stored in sealed warehouses to be used only under emergency conditions.

Otherwise, nothing can be harvested from this set-aside land from about April 1st to Sept. 1st, or such other period as the state committee shall designate. After that time the land may be grazed.

The loan price on soybeans for next year will be based on \$3.25 a bushel, with about the same variations as were in effect in 1970.

Regulations on all phases of the farm program are still subject to changes in details which will probably be worked out before the sign-up period which begins March 1st.

Hog Producers Adjust

Top hogs are still selling under 16c a pound, but feeders are hoping for higher prices, and they are still paying as much as \$10 for good feeder pigs weighing around 50 pounds.

Isaac Ringer, of Halls, is considering putting pigs in the cooperative feeder pig sale at Brownsville Jan. 13th. Pigs in the last two sales averaged \$10 each, although some brought as little as \$7.

Bumbardy Driver, of Goldust, has been producing feeder pigs right along, and he plans to build some additions to the inside of his farrowing house that may prevent sows lying on pigs and killing them when they are tiny.

All hog producers are reducing operations somewhat until prices improve. They are culling their least profitable sows and trying to get down to business on feeding more efficiently in order to stay in business for the time when prices will be profitable.

Soil Testing Planned

Cotton Elder, of Durhamville, is working toward taking soil samples whenever the land is dry enough to plow and getting them to the testing laboratory in Nashville through the County Extension Office to find out just what each field needs in the way of lime, phosphate, and potash in order to get the highest practical yield at the lowest cost.

Corn producers are getting more interested in testing soils for potash, because research has indicated that corn stands up better when it has all the potash it needs, and it may even resist diseases more effectively.

Under present weather conditions farmers would have to distribute lime by helicopter, but it is normal for weather to change, and all farmers need to watch for opportunities between now and crop planting time to get soil tested and apply the needed elements for most profitable yields.

Gary Jackson

Gary Shannon Jackson, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Jackson, of Halls, died at 2:15 a. m. last Friday in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg.

Graveside services were at 11 a. m. Saturday in Archer's Chapel Cemetery.

He also leaves his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian London, of Gates, and Mr. and Mrs. Pershing Jackson, of Halls.

Looking Around

Since 1911 the dairy farm at Gumbria, Maryland, to provide pure milk for milkmen at the Naval Academy. It now appears that the Navy could buy its milk and save \$6,000 a year. A lieutenant commander runs the farm, and someone suggests that the workers have ratings of "airman, first class."

Two gunmen picked up Tom Cashon, 25, at his home and forced him to open a safe in Charlotte, N.C. super-market from which they took \$18,000 in a midnight robbery. They had previously called police for assistance in putting Cashon's address.

Long Beach, New Jersey, has learned that junk auto mobiles will not stop erosion of its land by the sea. The town dumped hundreds of them along its waterfront. Ocean waves tore the old cars apart, tossed pieces of them all over the landscape and continued to eat away at the shoreline.

In Miami Tony Duval, owner of the Swap Shop, was arrested for receiving stolen property. He decided not to hire a lawyer but to handle his own defense. His closing argument before the jury was a masterpiece of dramatics, from whippersnappers to jollies. Then the jury brought in its verdict. Guilty.

Sawmill Lodge, a summer vacation resort north of Tofte, Minnesota, reports moose damage to its roof. The snow was so deep last winter that it was level with the roof and the big animals tramping over it broke through into the dining room and kitchen.

New auto-loan customers at Miami's Coconut Grove Bank receive a premium a record album of hit tunes made under the baton of the bank's president, Fred S. Smith.

A young tract entered David Doran's nursery in Manchester, Conn., one night and didn't find anything of value. But he knew the nurseryman had money somewhere. He finally located Mr. Doran's truck outside a nearby restaurant, searched it and got \$150. When they caught him, police called him a persistent young thief.

Dr. Floyd Cornelius and two other psychiatrists at a Philadelphia medical college are helping cure alcoholics by showing the patients candid moving pictures of how they looked and acted and talked while under the influence. In many cases the alcoholics are so disgusted with themselves that their cure is made complete.

A vigilant Russian lady night watchman may have heard about the Dutch boy who stuck his finger in the hole in the dike. She found a leak in Lenin's grave at the Hermitage Museum and stuffed her jacket into it until repairs arrived, saving priceless articles from damage.

Mrs. Beatrice Griffin, 21, was shot at and slumped in the face at the same time by two different men in a Hamilton, Ohio, tavern. Police say the slumped man had just enough so that the bullet didn't kill her. But the man who slumped her was still charged with assault and battery even though he saved her life. Police are still looking for the gunman.

Mrs. Edmund Gevin, 44, just had her 20th child in Fort Myers, Florida. The Gevins have been married 20 years, 17 of the children are still living, 10 of them are at home.

Donald Snowden did not leave his bride waiting at the church in Kingston, England. He got there on time but minutes later he was arrested for stealing the car in which he went to the wedding.

With what he spends for equipment, food, travel and handling horses, figures show that venison costs a deer hunter about \$3 per pound.

Reo, Nevada became famous as the divorce capital of the world, but now County Clerk Harry Brown says during 1965 Reo had 4,255 divorces to 25,000 marriages.

The city of Knoxville, Tenn., no longer has sewers. It now has a "Waste Water Control System."

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We Will Be Open
1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Each Sunday
JONES BIG J SUPERMARKET

AFTER CHRISTMAS SALE
All Dresses \$1.00 Off
Skirts and Blouses \$2.00
Slacks \$3.00 and \$4.00
All Shoes, Pair \$4.00
Smart Shop
West Main St. Halls, Tenn.

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held at the Halls City Hall on
February 8th
at 7:00 P. M. for the purpose of rezoning the following described area from R-1 (Residential) to B-1 (Commercial).
Lot at corner of Highway 51 and Sharp Street. Starting at Sharp Street 137 feet north along Highway 51 then going west 80 feet; thence south 190 feet; thence back to Sharp Street.
Above property is the present location of Carmack's Repair Shop.
All interested parties are invited to attend and voice their opinion.
Sammie Arnold, Mayor

Lewis Garage
And Used Cars
PE. 234-7271 W. Tigaret, Halls
DO YOU NEED A CAR FOR CHRISTMAS? IF YOU DO STOP BY TO SEE US FOR WHOLESALE PRICES.
1971 Ford, Loaded
1969 Opel, Automatic transmission
1970 Volkswagen, air conditioning
1970 Ford pickup
1966 Chevrolet, Caprice, loaded
1966 Ford LTD, loaded
1965 Ford pickup
1964 Ford 2-door hardtop
—SPECIAL UNTIL CHRISTMAS—
1970 28-Ft. Camper-Trailer, fully equipped including television. All you need is your suitcase.
Lewis Garage

Brevities
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Medlock during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Scott Medlock, of Sallis, Miss., and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Scott, of Tupelo, Miss. Visiting in the Medlock home Sunday were Mrs. W. E. Hurt and daughters, Miriam, Stella, and Linda, all of Memphis.
Mrs. Ruth Hallman is spending the holidays with her daughter, Miss Alice Hallman, in Washington, D. C.
Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Rook spent Saturday and Sunday with their son, John Nunn, in Memphis.
Col. and Mrs. Bernard Rainey and children, of Washington, D. C., have been visiting Col. Rainey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rainey.
Mrs. C. M. Kimbrough is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Simpson Williams, and family, of Richmond, Va.
Tom Martin, of Texas Christian University, Ft. Worth, Tex., is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Martin, Jr.
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jackson during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jackson, of Summerville, S. C., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jackson, Jr., and son, Mr. George Heron, over the holidays.
A birthday dinner was given Sunday in honor of J. D. Bentley. Attending were Mrs. Vassar Miller, Jr., and children, of Centerville, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Beasley and daughter, of near Gales, Cheryl Powell, of Chisholm Bluff, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bentley and Mrs. Lois Bradford.
Mr. and Mrs. Terry Little and Mrs. Phillip Garrett, all of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Frost and daughter, of Bell; Cathy Jackson and Sandra Jackson, both of Dyersburg; Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Little, of Chester Bluff; and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garrett and daughter.
Mrs. M. E. McDermar is spending several days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Burns in Harrison, Ark.
Mr. and Mrs. Warren Nunn, of Memphis, spent Christmas week with Mr. Nunn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Nunn.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Permenter, Fred Permenter, Jr., and Mrs. Freddy Fortier, all of Ripley, Miss., visited Mrs. Beulah Murchison Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Bop Quarles, of Kansas City, Mo., spent Christmas week with Mrs. Quarles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Smith.
Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Murchison and daughters, Michelle and Wendy, of Huntsville, Ala., and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Murchison and daughter, Jennifer, of Nashville, were guests of Editor and Mrs. Henry Murchison during Christmas weekend.
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mondell Hayes during the holidays were The Rev. and Mrs. Mike Hayes and children, of Dallas, Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Sims and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Mullikin, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hayes, of Memphis.

YEAR-END CLEARANCE
400 Fall And Winter Dresses Reduced Up To 50%
First Quality Hose 2 pr. 50c
Hats All Sportswear 1/2 Price
Dusters Quilted, Fleece, And Cottons
Up To 50% Off
Entire Stock-- Girdles And Bras Reduced 20%
The Dailey's Store
Ripley

Sick & Ailing
Hal Wallace, of Jackson, is seriously ill in Jackson-Madison County Hospital after major surgery Dec 23rd.
Mrs. Walt Lucas, of Route 3, Friendship, is in Jackson-Madison County Hospital.
Miss Gular Halliburton is in Lauderdale County Hospital.
Discharged From Lauderdale County Hospital
Halls - Bud Fowles; Rt. 1, Omer Hoppers; Rt. 2, Mrs. Charles Mynatt, Mrs. Homer Steelman, Sr.; Rt. 3, Rice E. Davis; Star Route, Mrs. John W. Keen.
Gates Rt. 2 - Bobby Ammons.
Many friends called during the day. Some had been at an earlier date and some came later. She received many lovely and useful gifts, cards and telephone calls. Her children join her in expressing thanks—not only for this day—but for the many visits, cards, prayers and gifts through these many years from all of our many friends and loved ones, especially since she has been confined to the bed.
We again say "Thanks and may God bless each of you."
Mrs. Jettie Escue and children.
CHRISTMAS PARTY
The Ladies Sunday School Class of Elon Baptist Church had its annual Sunshine Christmas party Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. Neely Hogue read scripture, Mrs. Alma Webb led prayer, and Mrs. Marcus Spiller gave a reading, "Three Symbols Which Mean Christmas."
Members exchanged gifts and kin, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hayes and daughter, all of Memphis; and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hayes, of Memphis.
learned their "secret pals" for the past year. Names were drawn for the coming year, and Cokes and cookies were served.
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Halls Homeowners
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Halls, Tennessee
You're in good hands with **ALLSTATE INSURANCE**
Happy New Year To All!
I would like to thank all of my new friends for your patronage this year. May God bless each of you.
SMART SHOP

Reece's Supermarket
Ph. 234-7377 Highway 51, South Gales, Tenn.
Open Weekdays—7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Open Saturdays 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Plenty of Free Parking at Front, Side, and Rear of Store
Prices Good Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Monday, Dec. 31, Jan. 1, 2, 4
—WE ACCEPT FOOD STAMPS—
SUGAR With \$5.00 Purchase **5 lbs. 49c**
Yellow Elpe Lb. Bush Kidney 15 Oz. FlavorKist Lb. Box
Bananas 10¢ Beans 10 cans \$1 Crackers 35¢
Yellow Onions 3 lbs. 25¢ Blade Cut Chuck Roast lb. 59¢ Nabisco Nutter Butter 13 1/2 Oz. Cookies 49¢
No. 1 Red 10 Lbs. Medium Grade A
Potatoes 59c Eggs 2 doz. 94c
32 Oz. Bottles Coca Colas 4 for \$1 Nu Kris Bacon lb. 45¢
Folger's Coffee Lb. Can 99¢ Small Reg Bologna By The Stick lb. 39¢
CRISCO 3 lb. can 94c
Little Chief Lb. Double Luck Cut 15 Oz. Wrigley 5 Stick Pak
Wieners 49¢ Green Beans 4 cans 49¢ Gum 6 pkgs. 25¢
Hunt's 28 Oz. Hyde Park 8 Oz. Jack Sprat 18 1/2 Oz.
Catsup 39¢ Biscuits 6 cans 55¢ Cake Mix 3 for 89¢
Mixed Cut Hyde Park 1/4 Galn.
Pork Chops lb. 55c Ice Milk 2 for 99c
Hyde Park Ice Cream 1/2 gal. 75¢ Alpine Flour 25 lbs. \$1.89
3 Lb. Box Cheese Spread 89¢ Florida Oranges 35¢ Fresh Cabbage Lb. 8¢
Parkay Soft Lb. Fresh Corn on Cob 6 ears 35¢ Fab Detergent 48 Oz. 69¢
Oleo 49¢
Sausage CIRCLE B PURE PORK **3 lbs. \$1.29**



PEOPLE PROTECTORS

Did you ever think of ads as guardians of your individuality? They are, you know.
In a time when the edges are being eaten off our personalities and we're all being reduced to card-index numbers, we need to hang on to some things.
Like our freedom of choice. And that choice is yours only so long as competition and free enterprise and advertising are working for you. Guard them. For they stand between you and a dull and standardized life.

Looking Around

In Italy they have a small truck called a "Lanzetta" which is a three-wheeled car. It is a very safe car, but it is not a very fast car. It is a very safe car, but it is not a very fast car. It is a very safe car, but it is not a very fast car.

Police refused to let Johnny Cooney drive his truck in Odessa, Texas, because it did not have a safety sticker. He got a wrecker to haul it away, but the wrecker was stuck in the mud. The truck was stuck in the mud, and the wrecker was stuck in the mud.

The automobile manufacturers haven't yet picked it out, but New York State's prototype of the new safety car has shock-absorbing bumpers and a rooftop periscope rear vision mirror.

In Salisbury, Massachusetts, a car was driven away from a supermarket when they mistook a produce truck for police. The truck was driven away from a supermarket when they mistook a produce truck for police.

Two armed masked men held up Mrs. Ellen Woodhouse in Sheffield, England. They gave them some sound advice and bus fare, but refused to part with her handbag. They asked her forgiveness and took the bus.

In Sandridge, England, a touring band has installed a TV because without it the dogs didn't feel at home.

In Pretoria, South Africa, a dry-cleaner recently received his largest single order. He got the job of cleaning a stuffed giraffe, 15 feet high.

After Federal agents and State troopers raided a gambling place in New Britain, Conn., they returned to their car to find a parking ticket on the windshield.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl D. Chipman of Memphis, are spending several days with relatives this week. Mrs. Doyle Davis and Mrs. Howard Shelton and daughter, Leola, shopped in Jackson Thursday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Knox visited Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Knox in Dyersburg Monday. Mrs. Henry Moore is in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brandon spent a few days during Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Paul Moore, and family in Owensboro, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chipman and son, Chip, returned to their home in Louisville, Ky., after having spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Vier, near Halls, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chipman.

David, Jackie, Mary Alice, and Tommy Watts, of Maury City, spent the holidays with their father, Clyde Watts. Mrs. Nellie Harris was in Ripley Tuesday.

Mrs. Thomas Smith returned to visit the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Dell Salemi, and family in Chicago, Ill. Dorris Rodgers, of Halls, visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Davis Sunday.

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Bath Towels 24x40 Casson Reg. \$1 heavy weight, reversible. Solids, pastels, florals, stripes, etc. 30 doz. to go. Jan. Clearance Sale— 49c	Capris—Slim Jims Reg. \$3 stretch denim, Reg. or bell bottom. Navy, olive, tan, brown, etc. 4-36. 200 pr. to go. Jan. Clearance Sale— \$1.29	Electric Blankets Twin or double bed. Reg. \$11, first quality, guaranteed one year. Washable. Satin bound e.d.g. Cello pack. Blue, gold, green, beige, rose, etc. Single control. 100 to go. Jan. Clearance Sale— \$7.99	50x84 Fabric Drapes Reg. \$4 polished cotton floral and solid dr. Wash 'n' use. Blue, green, rose, gold, beige, etc. 144 pr. to go. Jan. Clearance Sale—pair \$1.99
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Greater Than Ever ... Now In Full Blast

SALE

JANUARY

Panty Hose Reg. \$3 60-gauge, 15-denier. Nylon or mesh. 6 wanted shades. Petite med. tall, tall, etc. 300 doz. to go. Jan. Clearance Sale—pair 49c	Bath Towels 24x40 Casson Reg. \$1.50 extra heavy Florida, stripes, plaids, etc. More than 300 to choose from. Petites, 3-11; juniors, 12-20; women's, 14-24. 24 1/2. Jan. Clearance Sale— 89c	Polished Cotton Fabric 36-42 INCH Reg. \$2.00. Beautiful dark tone florals, stripes, checks, plaids, etc. Wash 'n' wear, for little or no ironing. 800 yards to go. Jan. Clearance Sale— 3 yds. 99c	Chenille Bed Spreads Reg. \$5 first quality, closely woven, lint free. Fringe ends. Twin or double bed size. 8 beautiful colors. Jan. Clearance Sale— \$2.69	BOYS' WINTER JACKETS Reg. \$11, 7 styles, 6-18 \$6.99
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Ladies' Dress Closeout! Up to \$7. Nationally known high styling. Bonded, man's wear suitings, polished cottons, knits, etc. More than 300 to choose from. Petites, 3-11; juniors, 12-20; women's, 14-24. 24 1/2. Jan. Clearance Sale— 2.99	Foxcroft Sheets White sale. Regular \$3 100 count, guaranteed 100 washings. Jan. Clearance Sale— \$2.09	Sport Coats Up to \$18 solid blazers, plaids, checks, etc. Ivy single and double breasted, 6-20. Regs. slim. Jan. Clearance Sale— \$8.99	Men's Sport Coats Up to \$30; all nationally known; 100% all wool; blazers, checks, plaids, solids, etc.; blacks, white, blue, green, brown, blue, tan, etc.; 35-43; regular. Jan. Clearance Sale— \$16.99
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Blankets Up to \$5 extra heavy, 8-inch satin bound edge. Machine washable solids, florals, etc. Just 108 to go. Jan. Clearance Sale— \$2.99	Corduroy 36-42 Inch Reg. \$1.20 first quality pinwale. 15 beautiful pastel, medium, dark solid shades. Wash 'n' wear. Jan. Clearance Sale— 57c yd.	Men's Suits Up to \$38.00 nationally known Dan Mart, Sewell, Brookfield, etc.; regular Ivy, continental models; blacks, olive green, brown, blue, greys, tans, etc.; 35-43; regular. Jan. Clearance Sale— \$24.99
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Ladies' Coats Entire coat stock must go—cost forgotten. \$17 Coats Now \$10.99 \$25 Coats Now \$16.99 \$35 Coats Now \$22.99	Millinery Entire stock of ladies' fall and winter hats. Up to \$10! Out they go, you pick 'em. Jan. Clearance Sale— 1.99	Super Closeout! Skirts Entire stock 100% wools, flannels, polished cottons, poplins, etc. 22-38. 30 styles to go. Jan. Clearance Sale— \$2.00 Skirts ... Now \$1.99 \$4.00 Skirts ... Now \$2.99 \$6.00 Skirts ... Now \$3.99
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GUTTMAN'S

East Side Of Square Ripley, Tennessee

Mrs. Heathcote's Birthday Feted

Mrs. Johnnie Heathcote, of Ripley, was honored Sunday with a surprise birthday luncheon served buffet in her home.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. James Edward Heathcote and family, of Lenoir, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Abernathy, Jr., and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rice and family, Mrs. Minnie Lee Hayes, Mrs. Leola Hayes, Mrs. Joy Bray, Mrs. Gene Davis and daughter, and Mrs. Lorene Williams, all of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Buford Osteen and daughters, of Brownsville; Mrs. Annie Robinson, of Halls; Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Heathcote, Mrs. Ruby Lynn Heathcote, Miss Beale Hendrix, Miss Dorothy Hendrix, Miss Dale Hunter, Mrs. Johnny Hendrix, and W. B. Hendrix, all of Gates; and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Heathcote, H. H. Hendrix, Miss Opal Hendrix, Miss Bethel Hendrix, and Mrs. Leonard Connel, Mr. and Mrs. Scott White, Jr., and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Connel.

Brevities

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Alley during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hall, of Houston, Tex.; Mr. L. M. Hall, of Hixsonville, Ark.; Mrs. Chester Holfield, of Paragould, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Trkija, of County Club Hills, Ill.; Mrs. Larry Moore, of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. James Hartfield and daughter, Kathy, of Big Sandy; Mr. and Mrs. Perry Henson, of Ellettsville, Ind.; and Mrs. Lynn Nelson and children.

Tommy Elmore and Ronnie Robertson, both of the University of Tennessee at Martin, attended the Sugar Bowl football game between the University of Tennessee at Knoxville and Air Force Academy in New Orleans, La., during the weekend.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hardy during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hartly, and Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Watson and children, all of Memphis; Mrs. Gerlie Mathis and daughters, of Fulton, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. James McGarrity and children, all of Ripley; and Mr. and Mrs. Finis McGarrity and R. T. McGarrity, Sr.

Dr. and Mrs. William McFee and children, of Lafayette, Ind., spent several days last week with Mrs. McFee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Steelman. Dr. McFee, piloting his own plane, flew to Knoxville and Jackson before landing at Dyersburg. The Steelmans and the McFees attended the 40th wedding anniversary honoring the Rev. and Mrs. F. H. Wiley in Hayes Avenue Methodist Church in Jackson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Pritchett and children, of Kansas City, Mo., have been visiting Mrs. Pritchett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Andrews.

The Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Mayes, of Memphis, attended Bethesda Church Sunday and visited Mrs. E. B. Wiley in Dyersburg during the afternoon.

Mickey Rooks will return to the University of Oklahoma at Norman next week after having spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rooks.

Mrs. M. E. McDearman returned home Sunday after having spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Burns in Harrison, Ark. Mrs. McDearman and Mrs. Burns visited in Little Rock, Ark., and Springfield, Mo., during the week.

Mrs. H. G. McCorkle returned home Sunday after having spent the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Jasper Brewer, and family in Collinswood.

Col. and Mrs. Bernard L. Rainey and children returned home in Washington, D.C., Saturday after having spent the holidays with Col. Rainey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rainey. Others visiting the Raineys during the holidays were Miss Claudia Rainey, of Dallas, Tex., Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hardin, of St. Paul, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. Tilford Woodard and son, Mitchell, and Mrs. Dorothy Pittman, all of Memphis.

Miss Dean Collier, of Oklahoma City, Okla., spent last week here as the guest of Mickey Rooks and Mrs. T. E. Reed.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker were Mr. and Mrs. Nellie Evans and daughter and Mrs. Charles Hally, all of Jackson; Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Baker and daughter, of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Baker and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baker and daughter, all of Joppatowne, Ark.

CHURCH OF GOD 'HOLINESS'—Gates, Tenn. JOHNNY SMITH, Pastor. 10 a.m.—Sunday School. 11 a.m.—Worship. 7 p.m.—Worship.

Concord Locals

By Mrs. Sam Fennell
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barnett were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Barnett in Brownsville.

Mr. and Mrs. James Savage and children and Mrs. Jessie Mae White spent last Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Savage in West Helena, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Burks and daughter, Martha Ann, of Ripley, Ark., visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burks Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hartman and children, of Dayton, Ohio, spent the holidays with Mrs. Hartman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gilliland's.

Mrs. Willie Phillips and son, Terry, of Gumflat, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McNeill Monday of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Buford Osteen and daughters, of Brownsville; Mrs. Annie Robinson, of Halls; Mr. and Mrs. Talmage Heathcote, Mrs. Ruby Lynn Heathcote, Miss Beale Hendrix, Miss Dorothy Hendrix, Miss Dale Hunter, Mrs. Johnny Hendrix, and W. B. Hendrix, all of Gates; and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Heathcote, H. H. Hendrix, Miss Opal Hendrix, Miss Bethel Hendrix, and Mrs. Leonard Connel, Mr. and Mrs. Scott White, Jr., and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Connel.

Mrs. Pharis Eacue visited her daughter, Mrs. Winfred Lee, and Mr. Lee in Fryer Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Sunshine Miller, of Ripley, Ark., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Langley New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Garrett and son, Warren, Jr., of Memphis, visited Mr. Garrett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonas Garrett, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gilliland spent the weekend with their daughter, Mrs. Joe Jackson, and Mr. Jackson in Memphis.

Mrs. Ben Barnett visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Barnett at Nut Bush Monday of last week.

Nancy Kelly, of Gates, visited Wanda Sue Clark Sunday.

Cindy Ball, of Memphis, spent last week with Christy Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burks visited Mr. and Mrs. William Walker in Ripley Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McNeill and Mrs. Mike, were in Memphis Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Isom and children, of Memphis, visited Mrs. Isom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lomas Garrett, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Baker and children, Wanda and David, of Milan, visited Mrs. Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Voss, Saturday, Mon. and Mrs. Harold Andrews.

The Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Mayes, of Memphis, attended Bethesda Church Sunday and visited Mrs. E. B. Wiley in Dyersburg during the afternoon.

Gates Locals

By Miss Byrd Sless
Miss Fanny Griffin, of Chattanooga, and Miss Hazel Griffin, of Clarksville, visited friends here during the holidays.

Mrs. Linda Meeks and son visited relatives in Memphis last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellet Lawrence and daughters, Ann and Kay, of Greenwood, Miss., spent the weekend with Mrs. Lawrence's mother, Mrs. E. G. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robinson, of Halls, and William Robinson spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. David J. Stewart in Stuart, Fla.

Mrs. Willette Fisher spent Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. Billie Rodgers, and family in Munford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lilly has returned from Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg.

Frew! Buffalo entertained the Young Peoples Class of Gates Church of Christ Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Martin, of Parsons; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Isom and family; and Warren Garrett, all of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Lomas Garrett; and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Kelley, visited Mr. Gates.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Beard were honored with a housewarming in their new home Saturday. Among the many gifts was a lamp given to them by their Sunday school class.

Mr. and Mrs. Bilbo Hill and daughter, Billie, and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Kelley, visited Mr. Hill's and Mrs. Kelley's father in an Inka, Miss., hospital last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Jesse Johnson, of old brown paper bags inside it.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Milam and grandchildren, of Brownsville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dee Richards.

Mrs. Lillian Jamerson and Mrs. Sallie Cullipher's guests during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Moody Castlaw, of Brownsville; Mrs. Jane Phillips, of Fowler, Miss.; Mrs. Patty Borden, of Dyersburg; and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore, of Ridgely.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Hardy's dinner guests Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Yarbro, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butler and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Yarbro and children, all of Decaturville.

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STATEMENT OF CONDITION

BANK OF HALLS

HALLS, TENNESSEE

At The Close Of Business December 31, 1970

RESOURCES		
Cash and Due From Banks		\$1,461,832.10
U.S. Government Securities		1,197,375.00
State and Municipal Securities		1,059,942.20
Loans and Discounts		3,006,936.41
Bank Premises and Equipment		77,786.71
Total Resources		\$6,803,862.42

REPORT OF CONDITION

GATES BANKING & TRUST COMPANY

GATES, TENNESSEE

At The Close Of Business December 31, 1970

RESOURCES		
Cash And Due From Banks		\$ 380,231.89
Loans And Discounts (Including \$761.48 Overdraft)		1,401,985.96
U.S. Government Bonds And Other Securities		1,968,197.40
Banking House, Furniture, Fixtures		2.00
Total Resources		\$3,749,617.27

LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock	\$200,000.00	
Surplus	300,000.00	
Undivided Profits	235,210.48	
Capital Accounts		\$ 735,210.48
Reserves		90,628.65
Unearned Interest		74,544.15
Deposits		5,902,884.14
Total Liabilities		\$6,803,862.42

Perry's Shoe Store

Main St. Halls

Sale

Jan. 11th thru Jan. 16th

Ladies' Shoes, Pair .. \$3.50

2 Pair For \$6.00

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Jack Sprat Bleach	64 Oz. 29c	Trend Detergent	12 1/2 Oz. 2 for 39c	Feb Detergent	49 Oz. 69c
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Bread

3 for 99c

Hyde Park	1 1/2 Lb. Loaf	32 Oz. Bottles	
Hyde Park Flaky	9.5 Oz.	Biscuits	10 cans 99c
Armour Chili & Beans	4 for \$1.00		

Ice Milk

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Small Reg Bologna	By The Stick 1b. 39c	Sliced Smoked Jowl	lb. 29c
Hyde Park Salad Dressing	32 Oz. 47c	FlavorKist Crackers	Lb. Box 35c
Merit All Purpose Crackers	11 Oz. 29c	Light Crust Biscuit Mix	10 for \$1.00
Adams Frozen Orange Juice	3 for \$1.00		

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Paper Napkins 29c
Hunt's Peaches 3 for 89c

Chicken Breasts 2 lb. box 99c
Shortening 85c
Blue Plate Mayonnaise 65c

White Cloud Bathroom Tissue 4 Roll Pack 59c
Potatoes 10 lb. bag 59c

Bar Locals
Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Phillips and family, of Curve, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Freeman.

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1968 1,221,569.25
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Fl. Pillow Park Soil Purchased

Checks and deeds changed hands Wednesday for the state's purchase of about 1,200 acres of southwest Lauderdale County land for the new Fort Pillow State Park.

Vegetable Grower Conference Slated
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Births
To Mr. and Mrs. Joe McKinstry, of Halls, daughter, born Dec. 28, 1970...

The Halls Graphic

Courians Join Inaugural Fete

Lauderdale County will be well represented this weekend when Dr. Winfield Dunn, of Memphis, first Republican governor in Tennessee in 50 years, takes the oath of office...

Halls, Gates Banks Post New Records
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Gates Local - The Rev. and Mrs. Walter Germain attended a congress on evangelism in New Orleans, La., several days last week.

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ASSETS - Cash and due from banks (including non-vested deposits) \$380,231.80... LIABILITIES - Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations \$1,533,256.22

ROBERT VAUGHN, Cashier... R. V. LILEY, WILDER PEARSON, C. P. HUMPHREYS, Directors

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of January, 1971, at Halls, Tennessee... MARY NEAL STANLEY, Notary Public

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Plan Ripley, Halls Meetings To Scan New Farm Rules Friday, Monday Events Set To Explain New Program As Enacted By Congress

HAILING NEW GOVERNOR Ripley's 288th Military Police Company, saluted Capt. Everett Hammon as the inaugural parade, in which Ripley and Dyersburg were chosen to represent the Tennessee National Guard.

Westale's Industry Growth Last Year Best For 3 Years 23 New Plants Chose Area 3,900 New Jobs Created Annual Meeting Leads

Robert M. Sugg Robert Michael Sugg, 4, of Annandale, Va., grandson of Mrs. W. O. Sugg, of Halls, died of leukemia Tuesday morning at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Md.

Birthing Mrs. Mary Wilma Armstrong, 68, of Halls, widow of Walter M. Armstrong, American Airlines mechanic, died at 11 a.m. last Friday in Lauderdale County Hospital, which she had entered Monday, after a heart attack.

Sick & Ailing Johnny Vaden, of Memphis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Judson Vaden, Halls, had emergency surgery Monday in Memorial Hospital in Chattanooga, where he had spent the weekend.

A. L. Page Amis Lonzo Page, 58, of Lexington, brother of Mrs. Eddie Alexander, died Tuesday in Ripley, Tenn. after a long illness.

W. T. Brasfield William Thurman Brasfield, 54, of Memphis, died at the Lauderdale County Hospital in Ripley, Tenn., after a long illness.

LUCKY FOODS STORE Gray Mills, who purchased Reece's Supermarket in Gates in October, has announced that the supermarket has joined the Lucky Foods grocery distribution system.

Halls Cagers Win One Game In Six Halls High School basketball team will travel to Atwood Friday evening and host Ripley Tuesday evening at the basketball season draws to a close.

ROOK SALES SET RECORD Rook card sales set a new record last year of around a million dollars, with more than 42 million decks since 1966, when the late George C. Parker first published the game.

AGENTS TO STUDY RESULTS Extension Agents and Leaders will spend a day next week with specialists in Jackson studying results of experimental work carried out there and at other stations in 1970 and getting recommendations on crop varieties, insect, disease, and weed control methods; and fertilizer applications.

RIPLIAN HELPED GREET 6,500 GUESTS AT DUNN RECEPTION Mrs. A. R. Walker, of Ripley, was one of the hostesses who entertained 6,500 guests at a governor's mansion reception during inaugural festivities Sunday afternoon.

HONORED AT LAMBETH Justice Claire Craig, freshman, daughter of Judge and Mrs. O. Dean Craig, Mary Revere Crockett, daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. Russell Revere, Janet McPherson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. McPherson, and Jean Reid, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Russell Reid, of Ripley, and Mrs. Osh Crockett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur O. Crockett, of Memphis, made the first semester dean's list at Lambeth College in Jackson.

GIVEN HEADING HICKMAN SALUTE Ed Given, Ripley High School graduate who is assistant public relations director of Western Kentucky University in Bowling Green, will be the principal speaker for the Jim Hickman Day banquet at 7 p.m. next Thursday in the Ripley High School cafeteria.

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Looking Around

WITH MR. HATHAWAY

In Italy they have a small truck called a "Lion." Joseph Mitchell, of Union, Italy, lost his Lion truck in a card game. The next week his wife sent him back into the game with a new Lion truck to win his little truck back. Joe was lucky. But when he collected he found that his "friendly" opponent had traded the truck for a real lion and paid off his debt with it. Joe was still in trouble.

On Lake Estabula, as well as others of Oklahoma's big lakes, resort owners are making fishing a "gentleman's sport." Rods, reels, bait are provided and if the weather is hot you can sit in an air conditioned room with plush furniture built on a dock and fish through a hole in the floor.

Around the world, many countries are now conferring with our own Keep America Beautiful campaign directors to see how they can control the litter problem which gets worse as people have more things to throw away.

Twelve crabs escaped from their cages at Ory Airport in Paris, came upon a site when they crawled out of the airfreight section into the passengers' lounge.

Two armed masked men held up Mrs. Ellen Woodhouse in Sheffield, England. She gave them some sound advice and bus fare, but refused to part with her handbag. They asked her forgiveness and took the bus.

In Sandridge, England, a boarding kennel has installed TV because without it the dogs didn't feel at home.

In Pretoria, South Africa, a dry-cleaner recently received his largest single order. He got the job of cleaning a stuffed giraffe, 18 feet high.

Woodstock, Vermont, was the site of the first ski tow in the United States. In January 1934, on a pasture hill of Clinton Gilbert's farm, an endless rope tow, powered by a Model "T" Ford engine, hauled skiers uphill for the first time.

The term "mule" referring to soft slippers without back worn by women, comes from Babylonia and is derived from the Sumerian word "mulla." This type of slipper, sometimes called babouche, is still a favorite type among women of Asia Minor.

Little Dix Bay is a resort hotel on the island of Virgin Gorda, second largest of the British Virgin Islands. It can never show a profit because it cost too much to build it; \$4,500,000. You might call it the hobby of Laurence Rockefeller, who could afford to take the loss.

Mailmen in St. Louis now use taxicabs to get them to and from their starting points and the Government foots the bill. They used to take buses, but the Government found it was paying overtime because mailmen spent too much time waiting for buses.

A nine-foot South American eel can discharge more than 500 volts of electricity in one shock, strong enough to kill a man swimming 20 feet away. C. W. Coates of the New York Aquarium says that eels generate electricity in their cells and store it like a battery.

Name of the boy was not released, but police took one look at his long hair and locked him up with 18 girls following a demonstration in Amsterdam, Holland, recently. Police did not say how they eventually found out their mistake. Apparently the boy did not object.

The story goes that a man bet the late President John F. Kennedy he could not say at least three words at a banquet. Kennedy looked at the man and said, "You lose."

The Canadian National Railway is replacing its old rail cabooses with luxury "pods" cars having every modern convenience including oversized furniture.

Harman Jino, a fishing resident of Canajoharie, New York, said on his 100th birthday that he intended to live long like to "not roughing it up like they do now."

Police refused to let Johnny Conner drive his truck in Colorado, Texas, because it did not have a safety sticker. He got a wrecker to haul it away, the chain broke and his truck crashed into a gasoline pump and set it afire.

The automobile manufacturers haven't yet picked it up, but New York State's prototype of the new safety car has shock-absorbing bumpers and a roof-top periscope rear view mirror.

In Salisbury, Massachusetts, safetycrackers were scared away from a restaurant when they mistook a produce truck for police. They not only left the safe, unopened, but also abandoned their own tools and a walky-talky radio.

Packing education into every minute of school time, some elementary classes in Berkeley, California, analyze and discuss during the lunch hour the composition of foods being eaten.

Leo Horn was studying a book on the "Fundamentals of Criminal Investigation" and left it in his car, parked in Houston. He reported to police that somebody stole his "criminal" book.

Firemen in Montpellier, Idaho, just had to do something about the number of private cars that followed them to fires, marling traffic and causing confusion. So one day, on city council order, the fire engines went screaming down Main Street and at the end turned its hoses on the motorists, just to teach them a lesson.

After Federal agents and State troopers raided a gambling place in New Britain, Conn., they returned to their car to find a parking ticket on the windshield.

Because their daughter was born in a taxi racing across the Tagan River bridge in Lisbon, Portugal, Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Dos Santos named her Maria da Ponte (Mary of the Bridge).

Robert Swartz of Oakland, California, told the court after he was found guilty of marrying five women, "I had a longing to be wanted."

An autopsy on a Hippopotamus that died in a Bangkok zoo showed that the animal had indigestion from eating an umbrella.

A collection of Old Testament stories is breaking records in Moscow. Long lines formed outside bookstores to snap up the 100,000 copies offered for sale.

Ronald Collins ran out of gas near Evansville, Indiana, and a man obligingly dropped him off at a gas station. When Mr. Collins got back to his car he found the "good Samaritan" stripping the car.

In Boston, Madelon LeFevre went on a co-ed fishing party where the women, of course, were not expected to catch many fish. Madelon dropped her hook in the water and almost immediately said: "I think my line is caught on something." Her six-pound cod was the largest fish caught.

Police report that burglars ransacked a Roman Catholic Church at Centocelle, Italy, and stole more than a million lire. Before leaving they lighted a candle before the statue of St. Anthony.

Candidates for public office in Rabbit Creek, Alaska, can make speeches at the community fair, and talk as long as they want to. They must, however, rent a soap box at the rate of \$2 per minute.

A Boston woman who had just witnessed a holdup yelled to policemen to "grab that man." Policemen collared the suspect as he ran down the street but found that he was an amateur runner practicing for a marathon race.

According to the California State Automobile Association, the freeways are fast but it's the country roads that see the most deaths. Seventy per cent of all fatal auto accidents occur in places classified as rural. The death rate is highest on older, two-lane roads.



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Brevities

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Medlock during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Scott, of Tupelo, Miss., and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Scott Medlock, of Sallie, Miss.

Wynond Hurt spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week with his son, Wynond Hurt, Jr., and family in Memphis. Mrs. Hurt joined them for the weekend.

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Sellari Speaks To Chi Chapter DKG

Ben Sellari 14-year-old science student, of Brownville, gave a lecture on the space program when Chi Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma held its luncheon meeting Saturday in Harvey's Restaurant in Brownville.

Approximately 40 members attended the meeting presided over by Mrs. Rebekah McDearman, president.

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Concord Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Escue and granddaughter, of Memphis, visited Mr. and Mrs. Pharis Escue Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hallman and daughter, Joann, of Jackson, visited Mrs. Hallman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barnett, Sunday.

William Dodd, of Brownville, visited his mother, Mrs. Lena Dodd, Sunday.

Mrs. Shirley Wright and children, Teresa and Phil, of Charleston, and Mrs. Nettie Sue Springer, of Stanton, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Langley Sunday.

James Savage made a business trip to Polson, Ga., Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fuis Garrett visited Mrs. Audrey Mitchell in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg Sunday.

Jon Savage spent Saturday night with Mrs. Danny Young at Forked Deer.

Mrs. Maggie Rhodes, of Nashville, and Mrs. Madeline Robison, of Gates, spent Tuesday night of last week with Mrs. Louise Fennel.

W. H. Moore toured the John Deere plant in Waterloo, Iowa Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Pharis Escue and Mrs. J. D. McNeill visited Mrs. Audrey Mitchell and Mrs. Billy Davis in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Voss returned to Hawaii Thursday of last week after having spent a month with Mr. Voss' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Voss.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Mitchell and son, Mike, of Memphis, visited...

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lewis and family of Brownville, visited Mrs. Audrey Mitchell in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg this afternoon.

Mrs. J. D. McNeill visited her father, Harvey Billwell, at Edith Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. L. Burks visited her daughter, Mrs. Billy Davis in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gilliland spent Thursday night of last week with their daughter, Mrs. George Fincher, and Mr. Fincher in Crockett County.

Mrs. John Dickerson, of Lake Charles, La., and Mrs. Ruby Leggett, of Halls, visited Mrs. Fennel Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Voss visited in Camden Sunday.

Nancy Kelly, of Gates, visited Wanda Clark Sunday.

Mrs. Jerry Parker, of Brownville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Langley, Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Simpson, of Goldsby, spent Tuesday night of last week with Mrs. Simpson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pharis Escue.

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self denial was held in Concord Church Sunday evening with 14 present and Mrs. James Savage, leader.

It takes all kinds to make a world. Including those who think they're doing it all by themselves. —Franklin P. Jones

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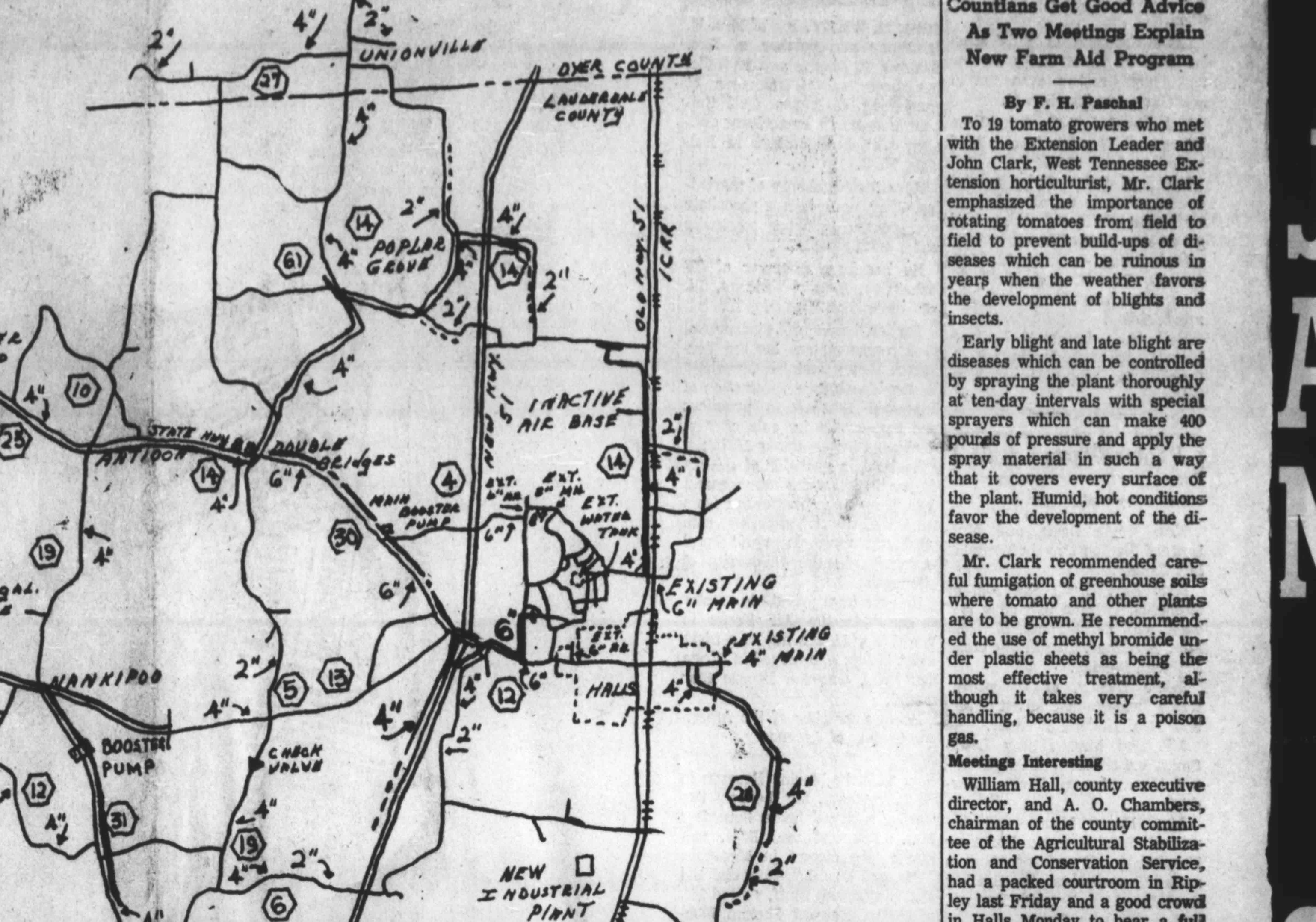
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PROPOSED RURAL WATER LINES



RURAL WATER SYSTEM which the Town of Halls will construct will serve the areas indicated by heavier lines. Bids will be called for next month...

Anderson Directs Universal Electric Ripley Operations... Howard Allison, assistant manager of Universal Electric's Ripley Works...

Confidential Corner... Mrs. Lorene Newman, 96, of Gates, died at 10:30 p.m. Tuesday in Lauderdale County Hospital.

Sick & Ailing... Hal Wallace, of Jackson, who had major surgery in late December, was discharged Tuesday from Jackson-Madison County Hospital.

New Honor For Hick... Henning's Jim Hickman, hailed by his home county with a Jim Hickman Day banquet this Thursday evening...

Jones Big J Supermarket... Phone 234-7800... Plenty of Free Parking Space... Open Monday Through Friday 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. - Saturdays 7 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Notice To Lease Public Land... Monday, Feb. 8, 1971... Mayor's Office, Halls, Tenn. Sealed bids will be received at the Mayor's Office in Halls, Tennessee, for the Lease of certain public lands hereinafter described until 7:00 p.m.

Board of Mayor and Aldermen... TOWN OF HALLS, TENNESSEE... come out of the cold... install electric heat... Beat old man winter at his own game. Heat with electricity. An electric heating system gives you complete control of indoor temperatures.

Ernest Jennings... Ernest Eugene Jennings, 49, of Ripley, former employee of Memphis Funeral Home, died at 9:30 p.m. Saturday in E. H. Crump Hospital in Memphis.

Schneider Named To Firm's Board... O. W. Schneider, Jr., vice-president and manager of Siegall-Robert's subsidiaries, Tennessee Electrolighting, Inc., and Ripley Metal Finishing, Inc., in Ripley was elected to the board of directors of Siegall-Robert, Inc., of St. Louis, Mo., in the annual shareholder's meeting in St. Louis.

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT GRANT FOR FORT PILLOW PURCHASE... The U.S. Department of the Interior has approved a grant of \$208,175 for acquisition of 1,430 acres in Lauderdale County for the new Fort Pillow State Park...

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Sick & Ailing... Hal Wallace, of Jackson, who had major surgery in late December, was discharged Tuesday from Jackson-Madison County Hospital. John Vaden, of Memphis, who had surgery Monday last week in a Chattanooga hospital, was discharged Monday. He arrived in Halls Wednesday to recuperate in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Judson Vaden.

New Honor For Hick... Henning's Jim Hickman, hailed by his home county with a Jim Hickman Day banquet this Thursday evening in Ripley High School, will get the Memphis Jaycees' Mid-South All-Sports award at a banquet in the Rivermont Holiday Hall in Memphis next Saturday evening. He will share the spotlight with Archie Manning, All-American Ole Miss quarterback who was chosen amateur athlete-of-the-year.

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Halls Cagers Lack Only Four Games

Only four games remain on the schedule as the Halls cagers host Dyer County Friday evening, and Coalinga comes here Tuesday.

The Tigers Friday evening reversed an earlier game as they won a close 78-75 victory over Alwood.

Lewis Crockett led Halls' scoring with 30 points, Ricky Laune and Jerry Crockett each had 18 and Gary Jennings had 14.

Halls trailed 41-30 at halftime but scored 26 points in the third period to lead 56-35.

Tuesday, a fine Ripley quintet got 20 points in the second quarter to lead 46-34 at halftime and go on to a 82-66 victory.

Ripley (32) - Green 12, Morgan 13, Post 7, Springfield 21, Trooper 21, West, Newman 6, Jarrett 6, Keefe.

Halls (6) - Laune 19, L. Crockett 11, Jones 2, Jennings 6, Crockett 13, Camp 8, Dyer 2, Reynolds 2.

Poplar Grove Locals

Mrs. Doyle Davis and Mrs. Howard Shelton were in Memphis last Friday.

Mrs. Earl Orwig and son, of Memphis, spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Knox. Mr. Orwig came for them Sunday.

Eddie Orwby, of Dyersburg, was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Holford Swanner.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lewis Smith and children, of Gates, visited Mrs. Thomas Smith Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Moore was dismissed Sunday from Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg. She is spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Bentley, and family near Gates.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shelton visited Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Eneke and son in Chestnut Bluff last Friday.

JOHN H. WILEY, son of Mrs. E. B. Wiley and brother of Mrs. Sumrow Steelman, both of Halls, has been named manager of marketing of Texas Gulf Sulphur Company's agriculture division, with headquarters in Raleigh, N. C.

He will be in charge of marketing all of the division's phosphate and potash products nationally and internationally.

He has been manager of CF Industries, Inc., of Chicago, Ill. and resided in Hinsdale, Ill. Earlier, he was an agricultural field representative for the Tennessee Valley Authority, working in development and promotion of improved fertilization practices and responsible for sale of TVA fertilizers in the upper Midwest.

He holds a bachelor of science degree in industrial management with a major in marketing from the University of Tennessee, with graduate study in agricultural economics in the University of Minnesota.

He rose from private to master sergeant in the Air Force in World War II, serving as a flight chief. Wiley, who served in Africa and Italy, won the Bronze Star medal.

He is a member of the American Society of Agronomy, duty with the Marine Reserve in El Toro, Calif., for the past two weeks, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Cook and son, Bret, met him at the airport in Memphis. Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Eneke and son, of Chestnut Bluff, visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shelton Monday.

Wayne Wallace, of Newbern, visited Mr. and Mrs. Holford Swanner Monday.

CAMP AIDES NEEDED Applications are being taken from students interested in working this summer at the Easter Seal Camp for Crippled Children and Adults at Lebanon.

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Nankipoo Locals

Mrs. Plasterwood Cates - Mr. and Mrs. Vernon (Monk) Duncan have moved to Edith.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Buckner and children have moved to Halls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hilliard and daughter left last Friday for Columbus, Miss., where Ronnie will be stationed with the Air Force.

Mr. and Mrs. James White, of Halls, accompanied them to Columbus.

Rex Arnold Hilliard, on leave from the Air Force, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hilliard.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Buckner were in Friendship Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Thompson, of Memphis, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hughes Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Roberts and sons, of Memphis, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sorrell and son, of Dyersburg, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pritchard.

First United Methodist Church The Rev. Wm. H. Mann, Pastor 9:45 a. m. -Worship Service. 5 p. m. -Methodist Youth Fellowship 8 p. m. -Young Men's Workshop

Weddings

DEC. 11 - Harry Thomas Parsons, Brenda Jean Brown, by No. 1 Criner.

DEC. 13 - Herman Lee Midkiff, Carolyn Jean Hillon, by Paul Burns.

Joseph Mooney, Kay Frances Tins, by Roland Henderson.

DEC. 17 - Louis Dennis Pettibone, Eva Mae Breaux, by Nolan Criner.

DEC. 18 - Tommy Sydney Moore, Jr., Brenda Kay Martin, by R. B. Owens.

DEC. 19 - Danny Thomas Cates, Rita Fay Buckner, by Ivan N. Raley.

Dwight Wayne Cox, Lana Elaine Kirkpatrick, by Robert L. Cole.

Michael Donald Mann, Rosie Mae Whitley, by Odean Craig.

DEC. 20 - Thomas Dallas Ewing III, Pearlina Field, by Paul E. Dew.

JAN. 4 - George Lee Shan, Mary Lee Pearson, by W. H. Sims.

Michael Louis Wiley, Barbara Sims, by Odean Craig.

Brevities

Miss Judith Gail Marchison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan H. Marchison, of Sikeston, Mo., is engaged to James Lynn Kirby, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Cleveland Kirby, of Ripley.

Miss Murchison, a graduate of Sikeston Senior High School, is a member of Chi Omega sorority.

Mr. Kirby, a graduate of Ripley High School, is a senior at Union, where he is retiring vice-president of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

The wedding will be solemnized at 7 p. m. Feb. 8th in First Baptist Church in Sikeston.

Dry Hill Locals

By Mrs. Sam Harrell Mrs. Beulah Ellis visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harrell and Mrs. Sam Harrell Monday.

The wedding of Miss Jeannette Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jackson, and Mr. Jerry Summar at Cedar Grove Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harrell and Mrs. Sam Harrell Monday.

Mrs. Henry Eley was a supper guest last Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Craig at Edith. She also attended the singing in Olive Branch Baptist Church at Lockport.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Gooch spent the weekend in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Haly and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jacobs and son had dinner Saturday at Reelfoot Lake.

Mrs. Judson Vaden and Louis Vaden spent the weekend in Chattanooga with Johnny Vaden.

A senior in Union University in Jackson. She is listed in "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities", and is a member of Chi Omega sorority.

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Monday, Feb. 8, 1971

at which time they will be opened and publicly read at the Mayor's Office, Halls, Tenn.

This is an offer to lease all tillable land owned by the Town of Halls and located on that area of about 300 acres on what was formerly known as the Dyersburg Army Air Base in the 12th Civil District of Lauderdale County, Tennessee. The amount offered to be leased being the tillable land on the area which is 102 acres more or less.

Lessee is to have no control of the balance of the land on the area and the city reserves the right to enter same for the maintenance of gas and water lines without penalty. There is a cotton allotment which will be a part of this lease now set at approximately 27.7 acres, but the Lessor does not guarantee the exact amount of the cotton allotment.

This lease will be for the calendar year of 1971. Leased on a cash basis with the successful bidder to make and deliver to the Lessor a bankable note in the amount of his bid, said note payable November 15, 1971, and a landlord's lien is retained to secure the payment of the note. The exact boundaries of the land leased in this area are to be designated by the Lessor. The Lessor reserves the right to reject any and all bids and no member of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen or other City employees shall be eligible to bid.

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sins, Jennifer and Angela Vaughn.
Mrs. Lillie Ann Hampton, of
Somerville, spent the weekend
with her brother, The Rev. Wal-
ter German, and Mrs. German.
Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Vaughn
visited Mr. Vaughn's brother in
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The Estate of
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deceased, were issued to the undersigned
by the County Court of Lauderdale
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and non-resident, having claims, mat-
ured or unmatured, against said estate
are required to file the same with the
Clerk of the above named Court within
nine months from date of first publica-
tion of this notice, otherwise their claims
will be forever barred. This
18th day of Jan., 1971
E. T. Palmer
Executor, Estate of
Mary Wilma Armstrong
Palmer & Palmer
Attorneys. 22-2f

CHURCH OF GOD 'HOENESS'
Gates, Tenn.
JOHNNY SMITH, Pastor.
10 a. m.—Sunday School.
11 a. m.—Worship.
7 p. m.—Worship.

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9:45 a. m.—Bible School
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8 p. m.—First Monday, Chris-
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To Dog Owners
Of Lauderdale County

This is another year 1971, and it is time again to
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This must be done before May 31, 1971. There will
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State and County rabies control law requires
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All female dogs must be confined, while in heat,
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Yours very truly,
R. E. Goad
Rabies Control Officer

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20% Of Premium

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weekend.
Mrs. J. D. McNeill and Mrs. W.
Pharis Escue shopped in Alamo
last Friday.
Charles Moore spent Saturday
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Forked Deer.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Furr, of
Woodville, visited Mr. and Mrs.
W. B. Voss Sunday.
Joni Savage spent last Friday
night with Millie Larson in Halls.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gilliland
visited Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jordan
at Forked Deer Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McNeill
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Meeks and
son and Mr. and Mrs. Marcus
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