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25 Countians Answered SOS

A FIREMAN CAN BARELY BE SEEN in the center of this UPI photo of one of the buildings set afire by a tank car explosion in Waverly. Halls Fire Chief Phillip Hunt, with civil defense workers Bobby Hart and Jimmy Hastings, took Halls' civil defense fire truck to Waverly, and 17 men of the county Rescue Squad and five off-duty Ambulance Authority drivers answered Waverly's request for aid.

Blast In Waverly Burns Countian

Jimmy Barnes, 34, son of Mr. and Mrs. Finis Barnes, of Lightfoot, received second degree burns when a tank car loaded with propane exploded 50 yards from him in Waverly Friday afternoon.

Barnes, a wildlife officer in Benton County, was sitting in a van with John White, of the state Department of Transportation as a train moved in to take propane from one of two cars, containing 288,800 gallons, which were among 23 cars of a 93-unit Louisville and Nashville freight, bound from Nashville to Memphis, which derailed Wednesday night.

The transfer was scheduled from one of the two cars whose outer shell had been ruptured. The other car, apparently intact, exploded.

Though the van's windows were closed, Barnes' hair and face were singed, and his coat was set ablaze. He received burns on his hands in extinguishing the blazing garment.

He is in good condition in Nautilus Hospital in Waverly. Doctors have told his parents that his eyes are not affected.

His wife, Jennie, was at home with their two children when the tank car blew "like an atomic bomb," killing nine and injuring nearly 100.

Lauderdale County's Rescue Squad and five off-duty Ambulance Authority personnel rushed to Waverly at the request of the Region IV vice-president of the Tennessee Association of Rescue Squads, reporting to Nautilus Hospital. When authorities found they had a portable generator and floodlights, the countians were sent directly to the scene of the blast and at times worked within 20 yards of the second tank car.

Rescue squad personnel in Waverly were Johnny Laton, captain, Bobby and Ted Ward, Jimmy McCaslin, James and Ronnie Moore, Kenny Leggett, Mike Williams, Don Hendren, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Gray, Don Patton, Joe White, Tilford Brown, Bruce Harrison, George Jones, Jr., and Kenny Nelson.

Myron Kissell, Garner Kissell, Johnny Moffatt, Hank Parker, and Herman Simpson went from the Ambulance Authority.

T. J. Falkner, former countian who is a Benton County deputy sheriff, was in a building about two blocks from the blast.

He says the authorities in Waverly were highly appreciative of the county rescue worker's response to the city's call for aid and that their floodlights were invaluable.

Rescue squad members resented a Commercial Appeal report Sunday.

Laton said the report "left the impression that the only reason the rescue squads and fire departments went to Waverly was to show off their 'new-fangled' emergency equipment, eat the free food provided by Red Cross and Salvation Army personnel, and enjoy the tragedy and holiday excitement.

"What the reporter failed to mention," he says, "is that these people actually put their lives on the line trying to get the situation under control.

"Once the situation was under control, all the rescue squad captains met to determine which squads would stay through the night.

"We were told that all the help was not needed any more and that any squad not willing to stay 36 to 48 hours could leave.

"Of the 32 squads present, none left until they were sure their men and equipment were no longer needed."

PAT GAY, 37, son of The Rev. and Mrs. Oliver Gay, of Ripley, and Sunday School superintendent and member of the official board of Whitefield Assembly of God, has announced his candidacy for alderman in Ripley's city election April 6th. 'I enter this race with an open-minded attitude, to serve all the people of Ripley,' he says. 'This is a fine city in which to live, work, and raise a family. I am proud to be a resident of Ripley and would consider it an honor to serve as alderman. I pledge honesty, sincerity, and hard work in efforts of always improving our city. My goal during this campaign will be to contact as many residents as possible before election day. I seek your support and encourage you to vote April 6th.' He and his wife, Elsie Kelly Gay, have two children, Alesia, 14, and Carmen, 12.

SAUL E. MOORE has announced his candidacy for re-election as alderman in Ripley's municipal election April 6th and says he will appreciate the vote and support of every citizen.

He is chairman of stewards of Miles Chapel C.M.E. Church and the superintendent, as well as a teacher in its Sunday School.

A Free and Accepted Mason and Shriner, he has been Worshipful Master of Nathaniel Lodge No. 216, a member of the Order of Eastern Star No. 131, Deputy District Grand Master of Districts 4 and 6, Commander of Saul E. Moore Commandery No. 4 of Knights Templar, High Priest of Keystone Chapter No. 40 of the Royal Arch, a member of Zarah Temple No. 151 of the Shrine, and a 32nd degree Mason.

He is a notary public and has been commissioned a colonel aide-de-camp on the staff of the Governor of Tennessee.

He is a member of the Mississippi-Arkansas - Tennessee Council of Governments, Memphis Delta Development District.

His wife, the former Ella M. Bethel, of Henning, is a second grade teacher in Ripley Primary School and a member of Zarah Court No. 51, Daughters of Isis.

CLARENCE KEELEY, 31, Ripley Middle Grade School teacher, seeks election as alderman in Ripley's city voting April 6th.

He has a master's degree in education, with 30 hours of studies in administration.

He and his wife, the former Julia Todd, have a son, Marcus, 7, in the second grade.

He says he is running to offer voters a chance to 'vote for a change in the community' and will appreciate every vote and influence extended in his behalf.

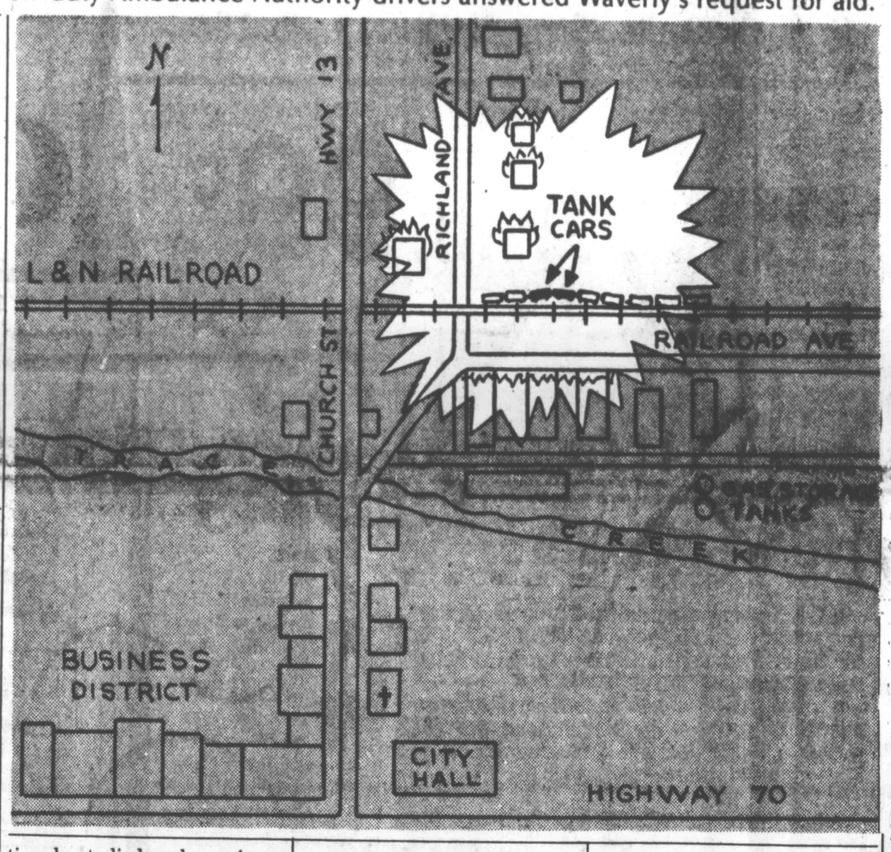
Ripley Ballot Offers Dozen

Ripley's April 6th ballot will offer voters three candidates for mayor and nine for six alderman seats.

Mayor Rozelle Criner, unopposed for re-election since 1968, has two foes this time—incumbent alderman Richard Douglas, co-owner of Allied Lumber Co. and Douglas Mobile Mills and Grain Co., and former alderman Joe Green, director of the Tennessee Opportunities Program here.

Aldermen seeking re-election are Bill Davis, Ripley High School teacher, Ben Emerson, tire dealer, Leon Hargett, Lauderdale Co-Op manager, Saul Moore, retired teacher, and Bobby Walker, contractor.

Other aldermen candidates are Tommy Dunavant, pharmacist, Pat Gay, businessman, Clarence Keeley, teacher, and Jerry T. Pilcher, Jr., masonry contractor.



Hargett Slates Alderman Bid

Leon Hargett this week announced his candidacy for re-election as alderman in Ripley's election April 6th.

"It has been my privilege," he said, "to serve as one of the aldermen for the City of Ripley.

"There have been many decisions, vitally important to the people of Ripley, and I assure you that I have conscientiously studied each one in an attempt to do the things that would be in the best interest of Ripley.

"I am asking for re-election as one of the aldermen and will try to see as many of you as possible before April 6th.

"I shall also be happy to discuss with you any phase of the city's business.

"I earnestly solicit your consideration when you vote April 6th."

Drake Will Lead Taxpayer Group

Billy Drake was elected president of the county Taxpayers Association, to succeed Jim Seeley, at its breakfast meeting Friday.

Ned Poynter was elected vice-president, Harold Murphy secretary, and Jim Seeley treasurer.

Page Box, state government committee chairman, introduced State Sen. Bill Jim Davis, of Covington, who said 55 amendments have been introduced in the legislature to increase Gov. Blanton's requested budget of $3.2 billion—about $800 tax to be collected for every man, woman, and child in the state.

Also discussed was a report that more than 60% of all mileage on state cars is used by employees driving to and from work.

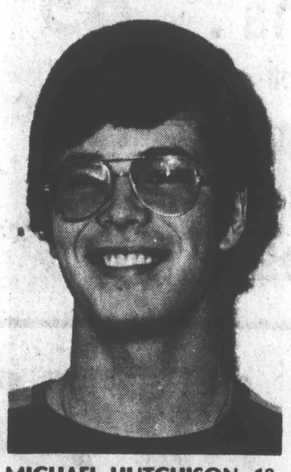
The group also discussed a bill allowing teachers to unionize.

The group voted to sponsor a meeting in the courthouse at 7 p.m. this Friday in which C. S. Carney, this county's delegate to the Constitutional Convention, will review the proposals to go before voters Tuesday.

Halls Five Losers In Regional Meet

The Halls Tigers were eliminated from Region 8-A basketball tournament play Tuesday evening with a 77-61 loss to Middleton. Games are being played at Bolton.

RHS Standouts



MICHAEL HUTCHISON, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hutchison, of Ripley, is valedictorian of the Ripley High School Class of 1978, with a high A average, majoring in mathematics and science. He is a Beta Club member and Science Club president and has been a student council representative two years. He won an outstanding proficiency rating in American history last year. A football player four years, he was a captain this year and earned honorable mention for the all-district squad. He has been on the staff of The Riplian, yearbook, two years.

MONICA LEA WALKER, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Walker, of Ripley, is salatutorian of the class, with a high A average, majoring in mathematics and science. A student council representative, she is a member of the Beta Club, Science Club, and Quill and Scroll and was a Drama Club member last year. On The Riplian staff two years, she is head photographer this year. She has participated in track four years, won her gold track shoe this year and is secretary of the 'R' Club. She was in the mathematics tournament the last two years.

Voter's Guide

Before voting Tuesday, citizens are urged to study the sample ballot on Pages 6A and 7A for a full text of proposals, or the summary on Page 5A.

For the many readers who have asked for even briefer guidance: Only two proposals will have any great effect on this county; the others are recognitions of existing situations or procedural adjustments.

If you wish the County Court limited to 25 magistrates and only two from a district, and if you wish the sheriff to be able to serve an unlimited number of 4-year terms, you should vote for Proposal 11.

If you wish the Circuit and Chancery Courts combined, the state court system simplified and subject to less tinkering by the legislature, and appeals judges less subject to political influences, you should vote for Proposal 13.

Proposal 10 gives the legislature flexibility in setting interest rate ceilings, rather than fixing them in the Constitution. Its passage will have no effect on interest rates here, but would assure Tennesseans the same availability of loans, when interest rates are high nation-wide, as the citizens of other states not straight-jacketed by a constitutional limitation. No law can force a lender to accept less interest than he can get in another state, so this proposal is more a loan availability proposal than it is an interest rate increase proposal, and most qualified observers recommend its passage.

$31,000 Effort For Rice Park

Tupperware and its employees have pledged the first $1,000 to build a double professional size tennis court in Rice Park in Ripley.

Cost of the project, with bleachers, fencing, and lights, is estimated at $31,000.

Noah L. Holcomb, who is the director of this project, has contacted other industries and is very optimistic about pledges from them.

"This court will be available to everyone, regardless of ethnic group," he says.

Mayor Rozelle Criner says the City of Ripley will apply for a federal grant to match the total raised locally.

If the grant can be secured, only half of the total cost need be raised locally.

Cancer Society Memorial Gifts

Mrs. Tigrett Savage, Cancer Society memorial chairman, reports these gifts during February:

In memory of Wesley Webster, by Durhamville Baptist Church.

In memory of Mrs. Mary Hamby, by Grace Williamson.

In memory of Mrs. Lorene Bush, by Mr. and Mrs. John L. Turner.

In memory of Mrs. Mary Hamby, by Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lightfoot.

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Tomato Seeds Being Tended

By Charles T. Peal

Van Colvin, one of more than 145 tomato producers in Lauderdale County ,knows that good greenhouse management pays when it comes to growing a healthy, stocky plant that will produce a good, heavy crop of fruit.

"Attention to many small details during the 6-8 weeks from seeding to field setting is very important," says Van.

Last week, most producers sowed their first seed in small sections of the greenhouse, where they had up-graded the temperature to 70-75 degrees. Once the seedlings have emerged, they will begin potting them in peat pots, using a sterilized growing mix. The temperature will then be lowered to 50-55 degrees at night and as cool as possible in the daytime, to help them grow a short stocky plant.

Attention to such details as lowering the humidity, by giving the plants more air during certain times of the day, is very important.

If this is not done, damping off diseases can destroy the young plants in a matter of two or three days.

The plants are then grown slowly, adding or withholding water as needed.

It is important that the plants be kept growing and not stunted, because it takes several days for them to recover, once their growth has come to a standstill.

Ten to 14 days before field planting, the temperature is reduced, and they are exposed to more outside air to harden the plants.

This allows them to withstand more adverse weather conditions once they are put in the field.

Van says that though the growing of the plants is a very exacting operation, it is most interesting, and a challenge, to grow high quality plants.

Lauderdale County grows well over 500 acres of tomatoes, with a $2,000,000 gross income.

The field operation, too, is very intensive and a considerable investment. About $1,000 per acre is necessary, before the first fruit is picked.

This intensive crop allows many of our farmers with small farms to make a good living and at the same time live off the land.

Farm Tax Information

The minimum wage rate is $2.65 per hour for "covered" workers in agriculture. A farm worker is,covered if his employer—the farmer—hired at least 500 man-days of labor in any calendar quarter of the preceding year (previous four quarters). This is equivalent to about seven full-time workers.

Seasonal or part-time workers, however, are also considered for the purpose of determining if the farmer's hired work force put in 500 days or more.

A man-day is considered to be work lasting one hour or more during a 24-hour period.

If a producer is required to pay minimum wages, he must abide by these regulations for a 12-month period. After that, he can re-examine his hired labor situation for the previous year, to determine if he is required to pay the minimum wage rate during the following year.

Unemployment tax coverage was extended to farmers on Jan. 1, 1978. Federal Unemployment Tax Act taxes must be paid if the producer (a) hires enough farm labor to have a quarterly payroll of at least $20,000 in the current or preceding year, or (b) employ 10 or more workers for part of a day during 20 different weeks (consecutive or non-consecutive) of the year.

If a farmer is required to pay FUTA taxes, the rate is 3.4% of the first $6,000 of annual wages. The tax is borne entirely by the farmer. It may not be collected from the employee or deducted from the employee's wages.

This program is operated by the State Department of Employment Security. Their Nashville phone number is 741-2486.

Farmers are not required to have workmen's compensation coverage on their employees who do agricultural work, regardless of the size of payroll or number of workers. Producers, however, may elect to participate in the program.

Participation in this program can provide benefits simiiar to those offered by a commercial company.

However, due to the extensive nature of the benefits package under Workman's Compensation, most farmers will not be able to reduce the cost of providing employee benefits through this program.

The State Department of Labor has responsibility for administration of this program. Its Nashville phone number is 741-2395.

Potato Planting Time

March is planting time for Irish potatoes, a cool-season crop which can withstand light frosts, though heavy frosts may kill the tops. Irish potatoes will normally recover if the tops are killed back.

Plant only seed potatoes, since potatoes that are to be used for cooking are often treated with a sprout-inhibitor and don't sprout well if planted.

Seed pieces should be one to two ounces in size and should have one or more eyes. The eyes should be breaking when planted.

If they're dormant, they should be pre-sprouted by holding them at 60 to 65 degrees for a few days.

If newly-bought seed are sprouting and can't be planted immediately, they can be checked by holding them at 40 to 45 degrees until planting.

Seed should be treated with a fungicide, such as Captan, Polyram, or zinc-coordinated Maneb, to prevent rotting of the seed pieces.

Ten to 12 pounds of seed will be needed to plant 100 feet of row, with a spacing of eight to 10 inches between each piece.

Cut the seed as near time of planting as possible, and don't let them be exposed to sunlight, dry air, or excessive moisture.

Irish potatoes require 120 pounds of nitrogen and 100-200 pounds per acre each of phosphate and potash. Home gardeners can meet these fertilizer requirements by applying 19.5 pounds of 12-24-24 or 30 pounds of 6-12-12 per 1,000 square feet.

Fertilize Fescue Now

All Lauderdale beef producers need early pasture growth. Fertilizing pastures now will produce this early growth.

Cold winter weather has prevented fescue from making its normal growth. The hay supply is also low, due to the long winter feeding period. Fertilizing fescue now will produce earlier growth than any of our permanent cool-season pasture plants.

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Use soil test recommendations for applying lime and fertilizer. If a soil test isn't available, apply 30 pounds of nitrogen now.

For the phosphate, potash, and lime, take a soil test and apply as soon as possible. Take the sample to a depth of three inches on pastures. Follow soil test recommendations, because nitrogen alone won't produce the most economical forage yield.

Grandmother Made Gown

MR. AND MRS. JERRY A. ISOME were married Feb. 11th in First United Methodist Church in Covington as the bride, Cheryl Lynn Gray, daughter of Mrs. Carolyn Gray and Jeryl W. Gray, of Covington, wore a white gown of peau de soie made by her grandmother, Mrs. Bernard Leggett, of Woodville, featuring a scooped neck-line and lace-edged angel sleeves. A Chantilly lace cape with high neck-line fell into a cathedral train. Lace flowers created the bride's headpiece. She carried a bouquet of miniature blue and white carnations.

The Rev. Frank Bulle officiated, with nuptial music by Janet Wilson, organist, and Mrs. Michael Howard, vocalist.

The bride was given by her father before an improvised altar of greenery and candles.

Mrs. Ronald Townsend, of Memphis, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Betsy Ashley and Jill Mathis, of Covington, and Cheri Dean, of Marked Tree, Ark.

Their gowns were of blue satin with chiffon capes like the bride's. They carried bouquets of yellow silk roses and greenery tied with long yellow ribbons.

Nealie Dean, of Marked Tree, flower girl, in a dress of white eyelet accented with a blue sash, carried a basket made by Mrs. Leggett.

Greg Leggett, of Rosemark, ring bearer, presented the ring on a pillow made by Mrs. Leggett.

The groom's father, Allen Isome, of Covington, was best man. Groomsmen were Larry Isome and Malcolm Wayne Gray, of Covington, Ronald Townsend, of Memphis, and James and William Bernard Dean, of Marked Tree.

The bride's mother wore an aqua gown accented with a cape. The groom's mother chose a green gown. Each wore a corsage of white carnations.

Grandparents—Malcolm R. Gray, of Covington, and the Leggetts—were special guests for the rites.

In the reception in the church, a blue and yellow arrangement with blue candles centered the bride's table, draped in yellow with a white lacy overlay, from which Mrs. Cynthia Craig and Mrs. Marvin Johnson served the cake. Darlene DuPriest, of Covington, and Ruth Leggett, of Rosemark, kept the register. Teri Blanchard, of Covington, distributed rice bags.

After a wedding trip to Memphis, the newlyweds are residing in Covington, where the bride is employed by the Sonic Drive-In and the groom by Charms, Inc.

Swedes develop new mulch paper

A new type of decomposable mulch paper for use in the cultivation of vegetables has been developed in Sweden, called Agroprox. It is a wax and asphalt impregnated paper which is also fungicide-treated.

The market for mulches is considerable — in Europe alone it is estimated at about 100,000 tons a year.

Shorty Noel

Shorty Noel, 61, of Halls, retired mechanic, died Sunday in Lauderdale County Hospital.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Curry Funeral Home in Dyersburg, with burial in Dry Hill Cemetery.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Katherine Noel; four sons, Billy and Raymond, of Ripley, Harold, of Alamo, and Damon, of Dyersburg; three daughters, Mrs. Janie Connell and Mrs. Frances Patton, of Halls, and Mrs. Worcas Snider, of Dresden; and two sisters, Mrs. Gladys Bivens and Mrs. Betty Gamble, of Dyersburg.

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FOR RENT—

YOU can clean carpets professionally clean with portable Rinse-N-Vac. Rent at Western Auto Associate Store, 2-1t

NOTICE—

NOTICE—The shareholders of First Federal Savings & Loan Association Of Lauderdale County will hold their annual meeting at the association office at 114 Jefferson St., Ripley, Tn. on Tuesday, March 14, 1978, at 8 o'clock in the evening. 2-1t

WANTED TO BUY—

WANTED—Used mobile home, 2- or 3-bedroom, $2,500 and under price range. Call 656-2787, Maury City, 2-4tp

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REPORTS FROM WASHINGTON

Three weeks ago, President Carter submitted a proposal to Congress aimed at providing federal assistance to middle income families trying to meet the rising costs of providing a college education for their children. Essentially, this proposal seeks to expand funding and eligibility for student aid programs already in existence. Those programs include scholarships, work-study programs, and loan guarantees for about five million students who would otherwise be unable to attend institutions of higher learning.

Many observers feel that this proposal is an attempt to provide additional federal aid for higher education without the enactment of a tuition tax credit. This type of tax credit obtained some favorable response when it was attached to the Social Security Financing Act of 1977 by the Senate. It was later removed from the final draft of the bill. President Carter and Health, Education, and Welfare Secretary Joseph Califano have already voiced their opposition to such a tax credit because they feel it would be regressive since the same level of benefits would be available to even the wealthiest of families.

President Carter's latest proposal is an attempt to help alleviate the very heavy financial burdens facing middle income families who are trying to send a child through college. The costs of higher education went up 77% in the ten year period between 1966 and 1976, but middle income families remained ineligible for federal student aid programs. In submitting his proposals to Congress, Mr. Carter pointed out that middle income and not just low income families are being stretched to their financial limits by the growing costs of a college education.

One of the most important parts of the Carter proposal is the expansion of eligibility for Basic Education Opportunity Grants. This grant program was begun in 1972 to provide help to low-income students. Under the Carter proposal, this program, for the first time, will be open to families earning between $16,000 and $25,000. In addition, the funds available for use in this program would be increased from $2.1 billion to $3.1 billion.

In addition, President Carter wants to expand the College Work-Study program. This program pays for 80% of a student's parttime job. It would be expanded to include more than one million students and one-third of the participating students would come from families with income over $16,000. To finance this program the President is requesting an additional $165 million for fiscal year 1979.

Finally, the Guaranteed Student Loan program would be expanded with additional funds. The income limit for eligibility would also be raised from $30,000 to $45,000. This program guarantees student loans and helps pay interest on the loans.

The Senate Human Resources Committee and the House Education and Labor Committee held a joint hearing on this proposal on Feb. 9th, one day after it was submitted to Congress. Of course, both committees will hold separate hearings and debate on the proposal. Sen. Harrison Williams, chairman of the Senate committee, and Rep. Carl Perkins, chairman of the House committee, indicated that they plan to bring the legislation up for a vote as quickly as possible.

Cy Young of the Boston Americans pitched the first perfect major league baseball game on May 5, 1904.

Nankipoo Locals

By Mrs. Fleetwood Cates

Williard Uselton, of Bells, and Dawson Uselton, of Alamo, visited in the Marvin Riddick home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hughes spent the weekend with their daughter, Mrs. Robert Carswell, and family, in Chattanooga.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Collins spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Doug Collins, Jr., in Memphis.

Mrs. Catherine Mansfield, of Ripley, has spent a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. B. M. Riddick, and Mr. Riddick.

Sgt. Gilbert Bray, son of the C. L. Brays, is ill in the Army Hospital in Ft. Campbell, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Fleetwood Cates were in Humboldt Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Chambers, of Memphis, visited in the Fleetwood Cates home Sunday.

FIRE CALL

The Halls Fire Department answered a call Thursday for a blaze in a dryer at Halls Cleaners. Minor damage was confined to the dryer.

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Constitutional Charter Proposals Will Be Voted On March 7

Here are the titles and the order under which the Constitutional Convention's proposed 13 amendments will appear on the March 7 ballot:

- Proposal 1. Elimination of prohibition of interracial marriages.

(A vote for the amendment would be a vote for bringing the Tennessee Constitution into technical compliance with the federal constitution.)

- Proposal 2. Changes relative to passage of bills.

(A vote for the amendment would be a vote to remove the present requirement for speakers of the state House and Senate to sign bills in open session and for three 'readings' of bills before the legislative chambers, requirements that are routinely ignored at present but which might lead to a technicality on which lawsuits could be brought to strike down laws.

- Proposal 3. Changes in homestead exemption.

(A vote for the amendment would constitutionally increase the protective homestead exemption from the present $1,000 to $5,000, and give the General Assembly the authority to make further increases when lawmakers feel added protections are needed.)

- Proposal 4. Changes allowing governor to serve two consecutive terms.

(A vote for the amendment would be a vote in favor of allowing a governor to be elected to two consecutive four-year terms, effective with the administration of Gov. Ray Blanton.)

- Proposal 5. Changes relative to education.

(A vote for the amendment, which guarantees state support for public education, could, some fear, also open the door for public support of private schools under some legal interpretations.)

- Proposal 6. Changes relative to the approval or the veto of bills.

(A vote for the amendment would be a vote to increase to 10 days the amount of time a governor has to sign or veto a bill.)

- Proposal 7. Changes in voter qualifications.

(A vote for the amendment would support bringing the state constitution into line with the U.S. Constitution by lowering the voting age from 21 to 18. Also, by deleting the previous section, approval of the amendment could have the initial effect of permitting liquor sales on election days, an act now prohibited.)

- Proposal 8. Changes in method of filling legislative vacancies.

(A vote for the amendment would alter the method of filling vacancies in the legislature by requiring a public election of a successor if 12 months or more remained in the incumbent's term, and permit the lawmaker's home county legislative body to fill the vacancy if less than 12 months remained.)

- Proposal 9. Changes relative to limitations on state spending.

(A vote for the proposal would be a vote to limit state spending by tying state expenditures to the amount of revenues collected and state reserves. The ceiling could easily be broken by the legislature, if it so desired, by expressly appropriating money for a specific program.)

- Proposal 10. Changes relative to interest rates.

(A vote for the amendment would be a vote to undo the present constitutional ceiling on interest charges of 10 per cent, allowing the legislature to determine maximum interest rates permitted within the state.)

- Proposal 11. Changes relative to local government.

(A vote for the amendment would be a vote toward the standardization of county governments in Tennessee, including limiting the membership of county courts to 25, and to allow sheriffs, with four-year terms, the right to succeed themselves in office.)

- Proposal 12. Changes relative to legislative sessions.

(A vote for the amendment would be a vote to alter the schedule of the organizational session of the legislature, ending a wasteful lag in which no legislative business can be conducted.)

- Proposal 13. Changes relative to the judicial branch.

(A vote for the amendment would be a vote toward some standardization of the judicial branch of government, consolidating a number of courts of record; as well as expanding the Missouri plan of judicial elections, allowing gubernatorial appointment of the attorney general, subject to Senate confirmation; and allowing more legislative control of judicial pay.)

Forked Deer

By Mrs. 'Red' Williams

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lewis attended services for James Parks in Brownsville Funeral Home Wednesday of last week.

The Harry Stanleys, the Cecil Escues, and the Johnny C. Emersons attended a Federal Land Bank dinner in the Gold Room of the Brownsville Bank Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Lois Hayes Griffin and Oneal Hayes, of Salinas, Calif., have been visiting their father, S. R. Hayes, in Baptist Hospital in Memphis. Mrs. Hayes is with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin, of Memphis, spent Sunday with Mrs. A. C. Hale. Also visiting in the Hale home were the Johnny Hales and son, John.

Mr. and Mrs. Ailen Bird were dinner guests Tuesday of last week of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McHughes in Jackson, to celebrate Mr. McHughes' birthday.

H. E. Jordan, Jr., was dismissed Thursday of last week from Jackson-Madison County Hospital after surgery. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Reeves, of Curve, visited him Friday.

Mrs. Ann Ray and children, Annette, Kevin, and Keith, and Mrs. Sara Irvin, of Puryear, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Ray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jacocks. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sanford and son, Lee, of Bemis, visited in the Jacocks home Sunday.

Mrs. Lattie May Vaden, of Memphis, is visiting her brother, Hollis Vaden, and Mrs. Vaden.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Bob Savely, of Covington, visited Mr. and Mrs. David Wells Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard English attended services for Luther Dean Gaters and his wife, Mrs. Mary Virginia Roy Gaters, in Brownsville Funeral Home Saturday.

Cecil Escue saw his doctor in Brownsville Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Escue and Harry Stanley accompanied him.

Mrs. Edward Robins, of Guys, Mrs. Donna MacDonald and daughter, Mary, of Atlanta, Ga., Mrs. Douglas Nelson and children, Chris and Lisa, of Ripley, and the W. C. Taylors, of Lexington, visited Mrs. Hilda Daniels last weekend. Sunday, the Taylors and Mrs. Daniels visited the John Kilpatricks in Halls.

The Tommy Escues, of Athens, Ala., visited the Cecil Escues last week. Mrs. Larry Koonce and daughters, Tammy and Cindy, of Jackson, visited them Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bird were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Bird in Jackson Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. "Red" Williams visited Mr. and Mrs. Odell Lucas in Maury City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Moore and son, of Concord, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Nunn, of Brownsville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Steve Stanley and their new daughter, Christine Lee, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clark and daughter, Robin, of Memphis, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Clark Sunday.

Mrs. Dale Hayes is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hayes in Brownsville and driving to Memphis for treatments. Deborah Hayes has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hayes and attending Tennessee Academy while her mother was in the hospital.

Mrs. Demetra Williams returned home Sunday after having visited Mr. and Mrs. Steve Williams and family in Memphis. The Steve Williams family is moving to Dyersburg Friday.

Some used to say that a necklace of elderberries would ease teething pains.

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NOTICE OF CONSTITUTIONAL RATIFICATION REFERENDUM ELECTION TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1978

This election being held for the purpose of voting on thirteen proposed changes to the Constitution of the State of Tennessee. Polls will open at 9 a.m. and close at 7 p.m.

The following officers, judges, clerks, and registrars are hereby named and appointed to open, hold, and make due returns of said election in all precincts of Lauderdale County, Tennessee:

ORYSA PRECINCT
Officer—T. W. Fisher.
Judges—Alan M. Fisher, Sr., Byron Escue, A. D. Hendren.
Registrars—Zane Fisher, Anita Kirkpatrick, Julia Mae Wade.

CONNER PRECINCT
Officer—Norma Summer.
Judges—Lelia Spiller, Rachel Jackson, A. G. Fowler.
Registrars — Mrs. Hershel Chipman, Mrs. Alta Guthrie.

CROSS ROADS PRECINCT
Officer—H. A. Tillman.
Judges—George Ella Davis, Annie Mae Tillman, Roy Crain.
Registrars — Martha G. Crain, Gladys White.

RIPLEY PRECINCT
Officer—Riley T. Pollard, Jr.
Judges—Harold A. Murphy, Robert L. Mays, Milton H. Robinson.
Registrars — Flora Dixon, Ocie Myers, Carol Walker, Ruby Lee Johnston, Mabel Johnston, Emma Lou Paschal, Elizabeth Mosely, Mrs. N. E. Wright, Kathleen Helwig, Annie Laura Jennings, Elizabeth Kimmons, Joan E. Hartman, Mrs. Wardlaw Steele, Frances Gilliland, Susan P. Scott, Marjorie Tucker, Helen Tucker, Martha Webb, Wallace Ann Collins.

HENNING PRECINCT
Officer—F. W. Keller.
Judges—Claude Henry, Fred Montgomery, Jr., Ray C. Graves.
Registrars — Wands Cotham, Edith G. Stevens, Scrap Johnson, Agnes Pipkin.

PRICE PRECINCT
Officer—M. S. Rice.
Judges—Lena A. Kiestler, Aaron Stubblefield, Betty Myer.
Registrars — Julia Stubblefield, Mrs. Chas. P. Henley.

ASHPORT PRECINCT
Officer—Foster Minner.
Judges—William Nichols, Walter Mueller, Wanda Middleton.
Registrars — Mary E. Nichols, Louise Minner, Mae Kirkpatrick.

GOLDDUST PRECINCT
Officer—Sam Henderson.
Judges—Bum Bardy Driver, Sr., Floyd Mooney, Johnny Johnson.
Registrars — Mrs. Jerry Mooney, Mrs. Danny Love.

ARP PRECINCT
Officer—Montee Grimes.
Judges—Kelly Boyd, Mack Harrison, Ray Meadows.
Registrars—Cathryn Grimes, Hazel F. Rossiger, Nell Quick.

CENTRAL PRECINCT
Officer—Paul Williams.
Judges—J. A. Burnham, Mrs. Bill Chipman, J. F. Herron.
Registrars—Alvieteen Caldwell, Hattie Cagle, Inez Hutcherson.

CURVE PRECINCT
Officer—Harvey Newman.
Judges — Charlie W. Morrow, Sidney Carmack, C. L. Worlds.
Registrars—Mrs. James Stanley, Mrs. J. W. Vaden, Mrs. Parker Griffin.

DOUBLE BRIDGES PRECINCT
Officer—T. E. Burroughs.
Judges—Mary Akin, E. W. Sanders, T. C. Meeks.
Registrars—Ann Swims, Laverne Meeks, Christine Meeks.

POPLAR GROVE PRECINCT
Officer—Harry Wright, Sr.
Judges — Lois Brandon, Wanda O'Dell, Raymond Watts.
Registrars—Martha Wright, Norma H. Roberts.

BARR PRECINCT
Officer—J. D. Smith.
Judges—Mrs. Joe R. Arthur, Mrs. D. W. Harrison, Mrs. Robert Timbs.
Registrars—Mrs. Ward Hardy, Mrs. J. D. Smith.

HALE'S POINT PRECINCT
Officer—Jimmy McCaslin.
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Registrars—Tossie M. Jones, Bettye McCaslin.

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Registrars — Joyce Kirby, Dorris Moffatt.

PLEASANT HILL PRECINCT
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Registrars — Lillian Crook, Evelyn Crook.

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Registrars—Mrs. Harold Pegg, Louise Barnes.

LUCKETT PRECINCT
Officer—Kenneth Webb.
Judges—Walter Pierson, Marvin Woodard, Horace Webb.
Registrars—Mrs. James H. Webb, Mrs. J. E. Johnson.

HALLS PRECINCT
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Judges — Aulsie Gean, Joe E. Hurt, George H. Smerchek.
Registrars — Mrs. Charles Alsobrook, Ruby Garrett, Helen Lucas, Shelia Reynolds, Ethel Puckett, Mrs. Mac Sumrow, Ruth Hallman, Mrs. Ethel G. McCorkle.

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Officer—Montelle Bates, Jr.
Judges—Mrs. Paul Morris, Sadie Burgett, C. P. Meyers.
Registrars—Oletta Winn, Dorothy Phillips.

EDITH PRECINCT
Officer—W. S. Meadows.
Judges—Cecil Henson, James E. Midgett, R. H. Latham.
Registrars — Mrs. R. H. Latham, Mrs. Irsa Midgett, Mrs. Talmage Crihfield.

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Judges—Willie Dunavant, J. C. Spray, B. M. Cook.
Registrars—Mrs. Willie Dunavant, Betty S. Ammons.

McBRIDE PRECINCT
Officer—R. Allen McMahan.
Judges—Mrs. Wil Burns, Paul N. McBride, Allen B. Alford.
Registrars—Mrs. Paul McBride, Mrs. Allen McMahan.

NANKIPOO PRECINCT
Officer—Raymond Belton.
Judges—Phillip Hinton, Coy Hilliard, Raymond Walpole.
Registrars—Virginia Olds, Willie Cook, Jewell Hughes.

GATES PRECINCT
Officer—York Henderson.
Judges—Perry Chisholm, L. B. Jones, Lomas Garrett.
Registrars — LaVerne Buffaloe, Zona Childress, Wardell Parish.

Lauderdale County Election Commission

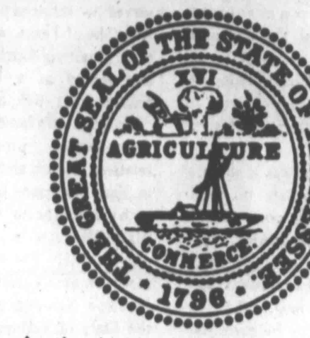
MAR 2 1978

NOTICE OF ELECTION ON PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

An election for the purpose of submitting the following proposed AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION to the voters of the State for RATIFICATION OR REJECTION will be held in every County of the State on

TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1978

which said election will be conducted according to Chapter 848 of the Public Acts of 1976 and the general election laws of the State and at which election all persons qualified to vote as required in elections for representatives to the General Assembly shall be entitled to vote.



This publication made pursuant to the resolution of the Constitutional Convention and the general election laws of the state.
Given under my hand and attested by the Great Seal of the State of Tennessee.

Gentry Crowell
SECRETARY OF STATE

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OFFICIAL SAMPLE BALLOT

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LAUDERDALE COUNTY, TENNESSEE
TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1978

PROPOSAL 1: ELIMINATION OF PROHIBITION OF INTERRACIAL MARRIAGES.

BE IT RESOLVED, That Article XI, of the Constitution is hereby amended by deleting therefrom in its entirety Section 14 prohibiting interracial marriages.

FOR THE PROPOSAL →
AGAINST THE PROPOSAL →

PROPOSAL 2: CHANGES RELATIVE TO PASSAGE OF BILLS.

BE IT RESOLVED, That Article II of the Constitution is hereby amended by deleting therefrom in its entirety Section 18 and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"A bill shall become law when it has been considered and passed on three different days in each House and on third and final consideration has received the assent of a majority of all the members to which each House is entitled under this Constitution, when the respective speakers have signed the bill with the date of such signing appearing in the journal, and when the bill has been approved by the Governor or otherwise passed under the provisions of this Constitution."

FOR THE PROPOSAL →
AGAINST THE PROPOSAL →

PROPOSAL 3: CHANGES IN HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION.

THAT Article XI of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by deleting therefrom in its entirety Section 11 and substituting therefor the following:

Section 11. Exemptions from execution. There shall be a homestead exemption from execution in an amount of five thousand dollars or such greater amount as the General may establish. The General Assembly shall also establish personal property exemptions. The definition and application of the homestead and personal property exemptions and the manner in which they may be waived shall be as prescribed by law.

FOR THE PROPOSAL →
AGAINST THE PROPOSAL →

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PROPOSAL 4: CHANGE ALLOWING GOVERNOR TO SERVE TWO CONSECUTIVE ELECTED TERMS.

That Article III of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by deleting therefrom in its entirety Section 4 and substituting therefor the following:

Section 4. Governor's term.—The Governor shall be elected to hold office for four years and until a successor is elected and qualified. A person may be eligible to succeed in office for additional four-year terms, provided that no person presently serving or elected hereafter shall be eligible for election to more than two terms consecutively, including an election to a partial term.

One succeeding to the office vacated during the first eighteen calendar months of the term shall hold office until a successor is elected for the remainder of the term at the next election of members of the General Assembly and qualified pursuant to this Constitution. One succeeding to the office vacated after the first eighteen calendar months of the term shall continue to hold office for the remainder of the full term.

FOR THE PROPOSAL →
AGAINST THE PROPOSAL →

PROPOSAL 5: CHANGES RELATIVE TO EDUCATION

That Article XI of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by deleting therefrom in its entirety Section 12 and substituting therefor the following:

Section 12. Inherent value of education—Public schools—Support of higher education.—The State of Tennessee recognizes the inherent value of education and encourages its support. The General Assembly shall provide for the maintenance, support and eligibility standards of a system of free public schools. The General Assembly may establish and support such post-secondary educational institutions, including public institutions of higher learning, as it determines.

FOR THE PROPOSAL →
AGAINST THE PROPOSAL →

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PROPOSAL 6: CHANGES RELATIVE TO THE APPROVAL OR THE VETO OF BILLS

That Article III of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by deleting therefrom in its entirety the second paragraph of Section 18 and substituting therefor the following:

"If the Governor shall fail to return any bill with his objections in writing within ten calendar days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall become a law without his signature. If the General Assembly by its adjournment prevents the return of any bill within said ten-day period, the bill shall become a law, unless disapproved by the Governor and filed by him with his objections in writing in the office of the Secretary of State within said ten-day period."

AND, That Article III of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by deleting therefrom in its entirety the fourth paragraph of Section 18 and substituting therefor the following:

"The Governor may reduce or disapprove the sum of money appropriated by any one or more items or parts of items in any bill appropriating money, while approving other portions of the bill. The portions so approved shall become law, and the items or parts of items disapproved or reduced shall be void to the extent that they have been disapproved or reduced unless repassed as hereinafter provided. The Governor, within ten calendar days (Sundays excepted) after the bill shall have been presented to him, shall report the items or parts of items disapproved or reduced with his objections in writing to the House in which the bill originated, or if the General Assembly shall have adjourned, to the office of the Secretary of State. Any such items or parts of items so disapproved or reduced shall be restored to the bill in the original amount and become law if repassed by the General Assembly according to the rules and limitations prescribed for the passage of other bills over the executive veto."

FOR THE PROPOSAL →
AGAINST THE PROPOSAL →

PROPOSAL 7: CHANGES IN VOTER QUALIFICATIONS.

THAT Article IV of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by deleting therefrom in its entirety the first paragraph of Section 1 and substituting therefor the following:

Section 1. Right to vote—Election precincts—Military duty. Every person, being eighteen years of age, being a citizen of the United States, being a resident of the State for a period of time as prescribed by the General Assembly, and being duly registered in the county of residence for a period of time prior to the day of any election as prescribed by the General Assembly, shall be entitled to vote in all federal, state, and local elections held in the county or district in which such person resides. All such requirements shall be equal and uniform across the state, and there shall be no other qualification attached to the right of suffrage.

FOR THE PROPOSAL →
AGAINST THE PROPOSAL →

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LAUDERDALE COUNTY, TENNESSEE
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PROPOSAL 8: CHANGES IN METHOD OF FILLING LEGISLATIVE VACANCIES

THAT, Article II of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by deleting therefrom in its entirety Section 15 and substituting therefor the following:

Section 15. Vacancies.—When the seat of any member of either House becomes vacant, the vacancy shall be filled as follows:

(a) When twelve months or more remain prior to the next general election for legislators, a successor shall be elected by the qualified voters of the district represented, and such successor shall serve the remainder of the original term. The election shall be held within such time as provided by law. The legislative body of the replaced legislator's county of residence at the time of his or her election may elect an interim successor to serve until the election.

(b) When less than twelve months remain prior to the next general election for legislators, a successor shall be elected by the legislative body of the replaced legislator's county of residence at the time of his or her election. The term of any Senator so elected shall expire at the next general election for legislators, at which election a successor shall be elected.

(c) Only a qualified voter of the district represented shall be eligible to succeed to the vacant seat.

FOR THE PROPOSAL →
AGAINST THE PROPOSAL →

PROPOSAL 9: CHANGES RELATIVE TO LIMITATIONS ON STATE SPENDING

That Article II of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by deleting therefrom in its entirety Section 24 and substituting therefor the following:

Section 24. Appropriation of public moneys.—No public money shall be expended except pursuant to appropriations made by law. Expenditures for any fiscal year shall not exceed the state's revenues and reserves, including the proceeds of any debt obligation, for that year. No debt obligation, except as shall be repaid within the fiscal year of issuance, shall be authorized for the current operation of any state service or program, nor shall the proceeds of any debt obligation be expended for a purpose other than that for which it was authorized.

In no year shall the rate of growth of appropriations from state tax revenues exceed the estimated rate of growth of the state's economy as determined by law. No appropriation in excess of this limitation shall be made unless the General Assembly shall, by law containing no other subject matter, set forth the dollar amount and the rate by which the limit will be exceeded.

Any law requiring the expenditure of state funds shall be null and void unless, during the session in which the act receives final passage, an appropriation is made for the estimated first year's funding.

No law of general application shall impose increased expenditure requirements on cities or counties unless the General Assembly shall provide that the state share in the cost.

An accurate financial statement of the state's fiscal condition shall be published annually.

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PROPOSAL 10: CHANGES RELATIVE TO INTEREST RATES

That Article XI of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by deleting therefrom in its entirety Section 7 and substituting therefor the following:

Section 7. Interest. The General Assembly shall define and regulate interest, and set maximum effective rates thereof.

If no applicable statute is hereafter enacted, the effective rate of interest collected shall not exceed ten (10%) percent per annum.

All provisions of existing statutes regulating rates of interest and other charges on loans shall remain in full force and effect until July 1, 1980, unless earlier amended or repealed.

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PROPOSAL 11: CHANGES RELATIVE TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

That Article VI of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by deleting therefrom in its entirety Section 15, and that Article VII of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by deleting therefrom in their entirety Sections 1 and 2 and substituting therefor the following:

SECTION 1. County government. The qualified voters of each county shall elect for terms of four years a legislative body, a county executive, a Sheriff, a Trustee, a Register, a County Clerk and an Assessor of Property. Their qualifications and duties shall be prescribed by the General Assembly. Any officer shall be removed for malfeasance or neglect of duty as prescribed by the General Assembly.

The legislative body shall be composed of representatives from districts in the county as drawn by the county legislative body pursuant to statutes enacted by the General Assembly. Districts shall be reapportioned at least every ten years based upon the most recent federal census. The legislative body shall not exceed twenty-five members, and no more than three representatives shall be elected from a district. Any county organized under the consolidated government provision of Article XI, Section 9, of this Constitution shall be exempt from having a county executive and a county legislative body as described in this paragraph.

The General Assembly may provide alternate forms of county government including the right to charter and the manner by which a referendum may be called. The new form of government shall replace the existing form if approved by a majority of the voters in the referendum.

No officeholder's current term shall be diminished by the ratification of this article.

SECTION 2. Vacancies. Vacancies in county offices shall be filled by the county legislative body, and any person so appointed shall serve until a successor is elected at the next election occurring after the vacancy and is qualified.

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PROPOSAL 12: CHANGES RELATIVE TO LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS.

BE IT RESOLVED, That Article II of the Constitution is hereby amended by deleting therefrom in its entirety Section 8 and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 8. Legislative Sessions—Governor's Inauguration—The General Assembly shall meet in organizational session on the second Tuesday in January next succeeding the election of the members of the House of Representatives, at which session, if in order, the Governor shall be inaugurated. The General Assembly shall remain in session for organizational purposes not longer than fifteen consecutive calendar days, during which session no legislation shall be passed on third and final consideration. Thereafter, the General Assembly shall meet on the first Tuesday next following the conclusion of the organizational session unless the General Assembly by joint resolution of both houses sets an earlier date.

The General Assembly may by joint resolution recess or adjourn until such time or times as it shall determine. It shall be convened at other times by the Governor as provided in Article III, Section 9, or by the presiding officers of both Houses at the written request of two-thirds of the members of each House.

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SUMMARY OF PROPOSAL RELATIVE TO THE REVISION OF ARTICLE VI OF THE CONSTITUTION OF TENNESSEE

Proposed: That Article VI of the Constitution of Tennessee pertaining to the judicial department be amended by deleting the entire present Article and substituting in lieu thereof an Article providing for; the vesting of the judicial power of the state exclusively in a uniform judicial system comprised of the Supreme Court, Court of Appeals, Superior Court, General Sessions Court, Court of Discipline and Removal, and such other courts as may be authorized by this article; the supervision of the judicial department; the composition and jurisdiction of the respective courts; the terms and manner of selection of appellate judges; the terms and election of trial judges; the duties, term and manner of selection of the Attorney General; the duties, term and election of district attorneys general; authorization for public defenders; the qualifications of judicial officers; the terms, manner of selection, and removal of court clerks, the election, terms and duties of constables, and their abolishment; limitations on charges to juries; transitional provisions of this proposed Article is ratified; and alternative provisions pertaining to local government if this proposed Article is ratified and the proposed amendment concerning changes relative to local government is rejected.

PROPOSAL 13: CHANGES RELATIVE TO THE JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

That Article VI of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by deleting therefrom in their entirety Sections 1-15 and substituting therefor the following:

ARTICLE VI
JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

SECTION 1. Judicial power. The judicial power of this state shall be vested exclusively in a uniform judicial system comprised of the Supreme Court, Court of Appeals, Superior Court, General Sessions Court, Court of Discipline and Removal and such other courts as may be authorized by this article.

SECTION 2. Supreme Court.

(a) Composition. The Supreme Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and four Associate Justices. The concurrence of a majority of the justices shall be necessary for a decision. There shall be at least one justice of the Supreme Court from each grand division of the state.

(b) Jurisdiction. The Supreme Court shall have final appellate jurisdiction to be exercised pursuant to the Rules of Practice and Procedure. The Court shall have the power to issue original and remedial writs and orders incident to the exercise of its power and jurisdiction.

(c) Chief Justice. The justices of the Supreme Court shall designate one justice to be Chief Justice. The Chief Justice shall be the administrative head of the judicial system and may assign temporarily any judge to any court in the judicial system except the Court of Discipline and Removal. The Chief Justice with the approval of the Court shall appoint an administrative director of the judicial system.

(d) Rulemaking. The Supreme Court shall promulgate rules of evidence, uniform rules of practice and procedure, and uniform rules for the administration of the judicial system. The Court shall furnish proposed rules to the General Assembly which at the next regular session shall approve or disapprove the proposed rules in whole or in part. A rule shall become effective upon approval by the General Assembly and may be repealed by statute.

(e) Supervision of Judicial Department. The Supreme Court shall upon uniform criteria determine the need for increasing or decreasing the number of judges, district attorneys general, public defenders, magistrates and their respective staffs; and the need for establishing and modifying the subject matter divisions of the several courts. The Court shall furnish its findings and recommendations to the General Assembly which at the next regular session shall approve or disapprove the recommendations in whole or in part. A decrease in the number of judges, district attorneys general, public defenders or magistrates shall be effective only at the expiration of a term.

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SECTION 3. Court of Appeals.

(a) Composition. The Court of Appeals shall consist of not less than eighteen judges, an equal number of which shall be from each grand division of the state. The structure and organization of the Court shall be as prescribed by the Rules for the Administration of the Judicial System. The Court shall sit at Knoxville, Nashville and Jackson.

(b) Jurisdiction. The Court of Appeals shall have appellate jurisdiction as prescribed by the Rules of Practice and Procedure and may be divided into subject matter divisions.

SECTION 4. Selection of Appellate Judges.

(a) Selection. Justices of the Supreme Court and judges of the Court of Appeals shall be appointed by the Governor from three nominees recommended for each vacancy by the Appellate Court Nominating Commission.

(b) Term. The term of office of justices and judges shall be six years.

(c) Appellate Court Nominating Commission. An Appellate Court Nominating Commission shall be established by the General Assembly.

(d) Retention or rejection. The name of each justice and judge seeking retention shall be submitted to the qualified voters for retention or rejection at the regular August election next preceding the expiration of each six year term. A justice or judge appointed to fill an unexpired term shall be considered for retention or rejection at the next regular August election occurring more than two years after the date of appointment or at the regular August election next preceding the expiration of the term, whichever occurs first.

SECTION 5. Superior Court.

(a) Composition. The General Assembly shall divide the state into compact judicial districts composed of one county or contiguous counties. Each district shall have two or more judges based upon uniform criteria established by the Supreme Court. Superior Court shall be held in each county of the state.

(b) Jurisdiction. Superior Court shall have uniform, original, exclusive and general jurisdiction of all civil and criminal actions except as granted to General Sessions or Municipal Courts. Superior Court shall have appellate jurisdiction as provided by the Rules of Practice and Procedure.

(c) Divisions. Superior Court shall be comprised of separate law, equity, probate and criminal divisions.

(d) Administrative Appeals. Any final order or determination by a state administrative agency, except those agencies whose commissioners are elected by popular election, shall be appealable in a manner prescribed by the General Assembly to the Superior Court of the county wherein the dispute arose.

SECTION 6. General Sessions Court.

(a) Composition. The General Assembly shall divide the state into compact judicial districts composed of one county or contiguous counties. Each district shall have one or more judges based upon uniform criteria established by the Supreme Court. General Sessions Court shall be held in each county of the state.

(b) Jurisdiction. General Sessions Court shall have limited original jurisdiction as provided by law. Jurisdiction shall be uniform in every district.

(c) Juvenile Courts. Juvenile jurisdiction shall be vested in the General Sessions Court except in those districts where juvenile courts are created by the General Assembly.

(d) Magistrates. The General Assembly may provide for magistrates where necessary to perform such duties as it may prescribe.

SECTION 7. Municipal Courts. Municipal Courts, where authorized may have jurisdiction of municipal ordinances and such state misdemeanors as may be prescribed by the General Assembly.

SECTION 8. Election of trial judges.

(a) Election—term. Judges of Superior and General Sessions Courts shall be elected by the qualified voters of each judicial district to individual offices for terms of six years. Such elections shall be conducted in a non-partisan manner as provided by law.

(b) Vacancies. Regional Judicial Nominating Commissions shall be established by the General Assembly. A vacancy occurring before the end of the term shall be filled by the Governor from nominees recommended by the appropriate regional judicial nominating commission.

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SECTION 9. Court of Discipline and Removal.

(a) Composition. The Court of Discipline and Removal shall have nine members: two judges from the Court of Appeals, three judges from trial courts, three non-lawyers, and one district attorney general. Each member shall be appointed by the Governor for a four year term from three nominees recommended by the Appellate Court Nominating Commission. No member shall serve more than one term.

(b) Jurisdiction. The Court of Discipline and Removal shall have power to censure, suspend with or without pay, or remove from office the Attorney General, any justice, judge, district attorney general, public defender or magistrate for mental or physical disability or misconduct in office. The Court may declare any officer removed for malfeasance ineligible to hold any judicial office thereafter.

(c) Procedure. The Judicial Standards Commission as established by the General Assembly shall initiate and prosecute charges in the Court of Discipline and Removal. Any charged officer upon demand shall be entitled to a public hearing before the Court. Any officer disciplined under this section shall have the right of appeal to the Supreme Court. The Governor shall appoint a judge of the Court of Appeals to replace any justice of the Supreme Court who may be ineligible to serve on any appeal. Proceedings shall be as provided by the General Assembly.

SECTION 10. Attorney General.

(a) Duties. The Attorney General shall be the chief legal officer of the state and shall perform such duties as prescribed by the General Assembly.

(b) Selection. The Attorney General shall be appointed by the Governor from three nominees recommended by the Appellate Court Nominating Commission and shall be confirmed by the Senate. A vacancy occurring before the end of the term shall be filled in like manner. The Attorney General may be reappointed by the Governor with confirmation by the Senate.

(c) Term. The term of office of the Attorney General shall be four years.

SECTION 11. District Attorney General.

(a) Duties. The District Attorney General shall be the chief prosecuting officer in all trial courts in the district served and shall perform other duties as prescribed by the General Assembly.

(b) Election—term. The qualified voters of each superior court district shall elect a district attorney general for a term of six years.

(c) District attorney general pro tempore. The Superior Court shall appoint a district attorney general pro tempore in the event a district attorney general shall fail or refuse to prosecute.

SECTION 12. Public defenders. The General Assembly shall provide for the adequate defense of indigents charged with criminal offenses. Representation may be provided by public defenders as determined by the General Assembly upon criteria submitted by the Supreme Court.

SECTION 13. Qualifications of judicial officers. The Attorney General and all justices, judges, district attorneys general and public defenders shall be citizens of the United States, residents of the state and the judicial district in which they serve, licensed to practice law in the state and shall have any additional qualifications prescribed by the General Assembly. A person convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude shall be ineligible to serve in these offices. General Sessions Judges may be exempted by the General Assembly from the requirement of being licensed to practice law.

SECTION 14. Clerks

(a) Appellate court clerks. Justices of the Supreme Court shall appoint appellate court clerks for terms of six years.

(b) Clerk and masters. In those counties where provided for by the General Assembly, the Superior Court Judges, equity division, shall appoint a clerk and master for a term of six years.

(c) Trial court clerks. A clerk or clerks as provided for by law shall be elected by the qualified voters in each county for terms of four years. The General Assembly may combine or eliminate clerk and clerk and master positions, but any such change shall take effect only at the end of a term.

(d) Removal. Any clerk may be removed from office for malfeasance; incompetence or neglect of doty in such manner as may be prescribed by the General Assembly.

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SECTION 15. Constables. Constables shall be elected for terms of four years in a manner prescribed by the General Assembly. These non-judicial officers shall serve the courts and perform such other functions as provided by law. Any county by referendum may abolish or subsequently reinstate the office of constable.

SECTION 16. Charge to juries. Judges shall not charge juries with respect to matters of fact, but may state the testimony and declare the law.

TRANSITIONAL PROVISIONS

This article upon ratification shall replace the present Article VI, Sections 1-15, in accordance with the provisions, below, provided no judge or civil officer shall be removed from office prior to the expiration of a term. Upon ratification of this article, Section 13—Qualifications of judicial officers, shall become effective immediately. The remainder of the article shall become effective not later than August, 1982, in accordance with transitional provisions adopted by the General Assembly.

The term of the present Attorney General shall be extended until March 1, 1983.

Judges of juvenile courts created under private act and General Sessions judges presently holding office, but not licensed to practice law, are eligible for re-election to one additional term in 1982.

The Governor shall initially appoint four members of the Court of Discipline and Removal to two year terms and the remaining five members to four year terms.

Justices of the Supreme Court and judges of the Court of Appeals shall be subject to a retention election without reappointment in August, 1982. Judges of the Court of Criminal Appeals shall be eligible for retention election as members of the Court of Appeals in August, 1982, without appointment.

In the event that PROPOSAL 13: CHANGES RELATIVE TO THE JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT is ratified and PROPOSAL 11: CHANGES RELATIVE TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT is not ratified, then Section 15, of the previously existing Article VI shall become Section 18 of Article VI as set forth herein, but shall be amended to read as follows:

SECTION 17. Districts in Counties—Justices—Number Term—Removal from District. The different Counties of this State shall be laid off, as the General Assembly may direct, into districts of convenient size, so that the whole number in each County shall not be more than twenty-five, or four for every one hundred square miles. There shall be two Justices of the Peace elected in each district by the qualified voters therein, except districts including County towns, which shall elect three Justices. The jurisdiction of Justices shall be co-extensive with the County. Justices of the Peace shall be elected for terms of six years. Upon the removal of a Justice from the district in which he was elected, his office shall become vacant from the time of such removal. Justices of the Peace shall be commissioned by the Governor. The Legislature shall have power to provide for the appointment of an additional number of Justices of the Peace in incorporated towns.

These transitional provisions shall be deleted from this article upon their completion.

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The home of John Oliver, the first known settler in Cades Cove, stands today as a tribute to the mountain life of 150 years ago in East Tennessee.

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Pioneer Life In The Smoky Mountains

Blount County in the mountains of eastern Tennessee has a heritage as old and as colorful as the land itself.

Named for territorial governor William Blount, the county was voted into existence in 1795 by the General Assembly of the Territory South of the Ohio River. Much of the county was contained in the Cherokee Indian Nation until 1819, when the Cherokees relinquished their claim to the land.

Today Blount County provides a fascinating glimpse of living history into the rugged mountain life of Tennessee.

Though much of the area was settled in the late 18th century, Cades Cove had a somewhat slow beginning. The mountains surrounding the Cove provided a natural barrier to the rich land, isolating its settlers. The closest town, Maryville, was a full three-day horseback ride over the mountains.

Religion was important to the mountain folk. The Primitive Baptist Church, organized in 1826, still stands in the Cove surrounded by the tombstones of the first settlers.

As early as 1935, there was a plea by interested people to preserve as much of the mountain culture as possible and to make Cades Cove a functional part of the Great Smoky Mountains National Park. With the preservation of the Cove, landowners were given the option of remaining on their original holdings as permittees under strict policies set by the Park Service. However, many chose to move to farms outside the Cove, and the land quickly reverted to forest. Under this initial federal policy, the idea was to return the valley to "natural" conditions. The result was the loss of many of the Cove's largest and finest log structures.

By 1942, plans for the preservation of Cades Cove for cultural purposes were well underway. During the 1950's, some of the pioneer buildings were further restored, and the assembly of buildings at the Cable mill was moved in, including the frame house once occupied by Becky Cable. Today Cades Cove is leased by the National Park Service for farming under restrictions designed to preserve the area as a living history book.

During warm weather there is a beautiful six-mile round trip walk through the mountain countryside to Abrams Falls. The walk is part of a system of more than 650 miles of horse and foot trails in the area.

A few miles away, near Maryville, is the Sam Houston Schoolhouse. Built in 1794, it is the oldest original schoolhouse in Tennessee and is the building where Houston, governor of Tennessee, commander-in-chief of the Army of Texas, and the first president of the Republic of Texas, taught in 1812.

Also nearby is Townsend, a gateway to the Great Smoky Mountains National Park. Every summer evening "The Smoky Mountain Passion Play," based on the life of Jesus or "Damascus Road," the Biblical story of Paul, are presented in the Townsend outdoor amphitheater. Summertime brings all sorts of arts, crafts and music festivals to the tiny mountain town. Nearby is Tuckaleechee Caverns containing one of the largest cavern rooms in America.

For more information contact the Blount County Chamber of Commerce, 309 Washington Street, Maryville Tennessee 37801, or the Tennessee Department of Tourist Development, 505 Fesslers Lane, Nashville, Tennessee 37210.

Barr Locals

By Mrs. Ward Hardy

Joe Hardy spent Friday night with the Randy Hardys at Concord, who with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kitchens and son, of Ripley, spent Saturday night with the Ward Hardys. They all spent Sunday in Memphis.

Rhonda and Kim Phillips spent the weekend with their grandparents, the Rhea Freemans.

Charlie Cherry, of Halls, visited here Friday.

Mrs. J. D. Holmes was ill last week.

The Leamond Arthurs attended services for Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Gaters in Brownsville Saturday. The Robert Mitchells and daughter, Darlene, of Lexington, and Elizabeth Mitchell, of Arp, spent Saturday night with the Arthurs.

The Ithmer Kissells visited E. R. Hrady in Ripley Friday and attended services for Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Gaters in Brownsville. The Garland Kissells, of Ripley, and the Ercle Kissells, of Dry Hill, were Sunday guests of the Kissells.

The Junior Smiths and the Gerald Turners, of Memphis, visited the J. D. Smiths Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Bernell Bowie and daughter, Sherri, of Nankipoo, the Troy Harrisons and son, Mike, of Edith, and Ronnie Olds, of Halls, visited Mrs. Mabel Harrison Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Timbs were in Dyersburg Saturday.

Mrs. Betty Arthur spent Friday night with Mrs. Bernice Hardy at Curve.

The medical term for the fear of work is Ergophobia.

TENNESSEE TRAVELER

SAM HOUSTON'S SCHOOLHOUSE IN TENNESSEE

Nestled in a picturesque cove in the East Tennessee mountains near Maryville is a sturdy little log schoolhouse. Shaded by oak, maple and sycamore trees, the tiny log building stands against a backdrop of green rolling hills and the blue Chilhowee Mountains. In 1794, two years before Tennessee became a state, neighboring frontiersmen constructed the building of hewn logs. omitting a log from the walls on one end and one side to serve as windows. Shutters on the inside of these windows opened downward and served as writing desks for the students. Each year the patrons of the school hired a schoolmaster. In the spring of 1812, they hired a young man named Sam Houston.

Houston was born in 1793 in Rockbridge County, Virginia, one of nine children of Elizabeth Paxton and Major Samuel Houston. At the age of 14, he moved to Tennessee with his widowed mother and his brothers and sisters to settle on a grant of land acquired by his father in Blount County.

The young Houston rebelled at the authority of his older brothers and spent much of his time living with the nearby Cherokee Indians where he was eventually adopted as the son of Chief Oolooteka. His life among the Indians had a permanent effect on him. Many years later he wrote that it was "the moulding period" of his life.

When Houston left the Indian village in the spring of 1812 to seek employment in Maryville as a teacher, he was teased about his "degree" from the "Indian University." He had little formal schooling, but he read every book he could find, had spelled down most of the residents of Blount County, and could recite from memory large portions of the 24 books of Homer's "Iliad." He also had a term at Porter Academy, a local institution of learning.

Houston's school was a success despite his tuition rate of eight dollars per term, two dollars more than former schoolmasters had charged. He stipulated that his pay was to be one-third in cash, one-third in corn, and one-third in the bright colored calico he preferred for his shirts.

Houston's teaching career lasted just one term. In March of 1813, he enlisted in the United States Army, rising to the rank of lieutenant under General Andrew Jackson in his war against the Creek Indians.

In 1818, Houston began the study and practice of law in Nashville. He represented his district for two terms in Congress and in 1827 was elected governor of Tennessee. Because his first marriage was unhappy and brief, Houston resigned his governorship near the end of his term and returned to the Indian chief who had been like a father to him in East Tennessee and who now was living in Oklahoma. He made several trips to Washington in behalf of his Indian friends and was appointed by President Andrew Jackson to represent the Indians in Texas.

After moving to Texas, Houston was named commander-in-chief of the Texas Army and in April of 1836, with the famous battle cry "Remember the Alamo," Texas won independence from Mexico at the Battle of San Jacinto. Houston served two terms as president of the Republic of Texas, was instrumental in obtaining statehood for Texas and served as a United States senator from 1845 to 1859.

As Houston's fame in Texas grew to legendary proportions, his relatives, friends and former pupils in East Tennessee began to point with pride to the tiny schoolhouse in Maryville where he had taught that year of 1812. The structure eventually became known as the "Sam Houston Schoolhouse." In 1945, the State of Tennessee purchased the building. Today it is open to visitors throughout the year.

Houston looked back fondly on his teaching days. Many years later he said of his brief experience as a schoolmaster, "At noon after luncheon, which I and my pupils ate together out of our baskets, I would go into the woods and cut me a sourwood stick, trim it carefully in circular spirals and thrust one-half of it into the fire, which would turn it blue, leaving the other half white. With this emblem of ornament and authority in my hand, dressed in a hunting shirt of flowered calico, a long queque down my back, and the sense of authority over my pupils, I experienced a higher feeling of dignity and self-satisfaction than from any office or honor which I have since held."

For more information on Sam Houston in Tennessee, contact The Sam Houston Schoolhouse, Schoolhouse Road, Route 8, Maryville, Tennessee 37801 or the Tennessee Department of Tourist Development, 505 Fesslers Lane, Nashville, Tennessee, 37210.

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Jeaneice Renfroe Honored At Tea

Miss Jeaneice Renfroe, of Jackson, bride-elect of Owen Henderson, of Jackson, was honored Sunday afternoon at tea in Halls First Methodist Church.

Hostesses were Mrs. Morris Worlds, of Ripley, and Mrs. Pete Burks, Mrs. Jerry Puckett, Mrs. Billy Spence, and Mrs. Robert Craddock, of Halls.

Miss Renfroe wore a rose knit dress, trimmed with cream lace.

In the receiving line with the bride-elect were the couple's mothers, Mrs. Clovis Renfroe and Mrs. R. O. Henderson, of Jackson, and the groom's grandmother, Mrs. James Cheshier, of Halls. Each wore a corsage of shasta daisies.

The serving table was covered with an Army-Navy linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of spring flowers. At either side were glowing yellow tapers in crystal holders.

Miss Debbie Henderson, sister of the groom, presided at the register. Serving the 40 guests yellow and green mints, lime punch, and petits fours decorated with yellow roses were Miss Laura Crihfield and Miss JoAnn Burks.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Ruby Barnes, of Bells, and Mrs. Mainell Elrod and Miss Adell Manning, of Maury City.

Allen H. Webb

Allen Harris Webb, 65, of Halls, employee of Custom-Craft Mfg. Co. in Halls, died at 4 a.m. Monday in Baptist Hospital in Memphis.

Services were at 11 a.m. Wednesday in Dry Hill Assembly of God Church, with burial there.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Lena Webb; four daughters, Mrs. Helen Apperson, Mrs. Louise Apperson, and Mrs. Betty Sue Prescott, of Ripley, and Mrs. Lucille Henderson, of Halls; four brothers, James, Ronnie, and Wilkes Webb, of Memphis, and David Webb, of Baskin, La.; and two sisters, Mrs. Rachel Norman, of Memphis, and Mrs. Lottie McGlothin, of Valparaiso, Ind.

Feted Before Nuptials

HONORED AT A GIFT TEA SUNDAY afternoon in Tupperware Recreation Center in Halls was Donna Marie Charest, second from left, who will marry Michael Dew, of Ripley, March 11th in Holy Angels Catholic Church in Dyersburg. Special guests were, from left, the couple's mothers, Mrs. Paul Dew, of Ripley, and Mrs. Roger Charest, of Halls; seen with them are the bride's wedding attendants and hostesses for the tea, from left, Mrs. Dennis Jones, Mrs. Richard Charest, Miss Debra Bowie, and front, junior bridesmaids Connie Dew and Pamela Jones. Another attendant, Miss Connie Gorham, of Uxbridge, Mass., was unable to attend. The honoree, in a multi-print streetlength knit dress, wore a daisy corsage, a gift from the hostesses. The table, draped with white lace, was centered with a daisy centerpiece flanked by glowing candles. Guests were served punch, mints, and cake made by Mrs. Jones.

Luther D. Gaters

Luther Dean Gaters, 45, brother of Mrs. Bernice Hardy, of Ripley, and of Mrs. Ann Jackson, of Gates, shot his wife, Mrs. Mary Virginia Ray Gaters, 43, twice with a .38-caliber pistol—in the cheek and in the back of the head—and then shot himself in the head Wednesday of last week in the bathroom of their home at Evansville, Miss., a coroner's jury ruled.

Services for both were Saturday in Brownsville Funeral Home, with burial in Haywood County Memorial Gardens.

The Gaters leave two sons, Dean and James, of Tunica, Miss., and three daughters, Mrs. Debbie Campbell and Mrs. Kay Waller, of Tunica, and Mrs. Diane Hayes, of Quantico Bay, Va.

Mr. Gaters, a farmer, also leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Gaters, and two brothers, Jerry Thomas Gaters and Raymond Gaters, of Brownsville, and two other sisters, Mrs. Maudie Gaters, of Brownsville, and Mrs. Peggy Jackson, of Richton, Ill.

Mrs. Gaters, a secretary, also leaves her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Ray, a brother, Gary Ray, and three sisters, Mrs. Joan Hadley, Mrs. Rita Johnson, and Mrs. Charlene Moss, of Brownsville.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere gratitude for the many kindnesses shown to me during the death of my husband, James A. Palmer. I deeply appreciate the beautiful flowers, the food, all your words of comfort, and every consideration shown to me by the friends and neighbors. May God bless each and every one of you.

Mrs. Flora Mae Palmer

Jesse O. Stutts

Jesse Oliver Stutts, 73, of Halls, retired farmer, died Friday in the Jackson-Madison County Hospital.

Services were at 3 p.m. Saturday in Halls Funeral Home, with burial in Halls Cemetery.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Jewel Harris Stutts; a son, Tommy, of Jackson; and a daughter, Mrs. Montine Schultz, of Kinsley, Kans.

Alaska spends most per pupil

Alaska spends the most per pupil on elementary and secondary school education of any state. Its yearly expenditures average $2,700 per student.

New York and Washington, D.C., follow with outlays of $2,360 and $2,200 respectively.

Concord Locals

By Mrs. Louise Fennel

The Winfred Lees, of Memphis, spent the weekend with the Pharis Escues.

Mr. and Mrs. James Savage and daughter, Sharon, spent the weekend with Mr. Savage's parents, the J. D. Savages, in West Helena, Ark.

The Terry Barnetts, of Dresden, and Johnny Barnett, of Millington, visited the Ben Barnetts Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Hardy spent Saturday night with the Ward Hardys at Barr.

Mrs. Donald Voss, of Mobile, Ala., and her daughter, Mrs. Marie Brown, and children, of Smyrna, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Voss.

Joe Fincher, of Frog Jump, visited his grandmother, Mrs. Jennie Gilliland, Saturday.

Mrs. W. H. Moore returned home Saturday from Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Langley and Mrs. Danny Simpson visited the Jerry Parkers in Brownsville Sunday.

Mrs. Pharis Escue visited Mrs. W. H. Moore, Mrs. Lloyd Paris and Mrs. Steve Stanley and baby in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg Friday.

Jennifer Mills, of Lightfoot, spent Saturday night with the Ronnie Carmacks.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Hardy attended the Boat Show in the Memphis Coliseum Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fennel and son, Allen, of Batesville, Miss., spent the weekend with Mrs. Louise Fennel. The Marcus Fennels, of Union City, were dinner guests Saturday.

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An agreement was announced by the United States and the Soviet Union on Feb. 11, 1972, to pool efforts in a fight against cancer.

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Kraft 1,000 Island Dressing ..... 8 oz. 52¢
18 Oz. Assorted Kraft's Barbecue Sauce ..... 69¢

Hershey's Instant Cocoa ..... 16 oz. $1.09
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Crisp Lettuce ..... hd. 39¢
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Chicken Gizzards ..... lb. 69¢
Chicken Breasts ..... lb. 89¢
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Public Speaking Contest Winners

TOPS AMONG 44 PUBLIC SPEAKING CONTESTANTS from county 4-H Clubs who were judged by home demonstration club members in Ripley High School Monday were, with assistant Extension agents Gwen Chapman, left, and Jerry Parker, right: From left, in front row, Jerry Cantrell, Ripley sixth grader; Donna Chisholm, Ripley seventh grader; Dawn Maness, Ripley fifth grader; rear, Anthony Land, of Central's seventh and eighth grade club, David Atkinson, of Halls High School, and Clarice Glimp, of Ripley High School.

Gates Locals

By Mrs. Sally Cullipher

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Lilley remain in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg, bith improved. They have been moved into the same room to reduce one worrying about the other.

Mrs. Willie Kennedy is beginning to improve from shingles. Her husband is showing improvement also. Their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ruth Kennedy, who has been very ill at home with flu and a kidney ailment, is hoping to be able to resume work this week.

The Cecil Bakers had as weekend guests their daughter, Mrs. Dick Gardner, and Mr. Gardner, of Memphis.

Mrs. Flossie Robison went with her daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith and sons, Pat and Eric, of Gates, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hansford and son, Ashley, of Halls, to Memphis Sunday to attend the Boat Show in the Mid-South Coliseum.

David Kelly attended the Southeastern Conference of English Teachers for 2-year colleges in the Hyatt Regency in Nashville Feb. 15th and 16th.

The Cldye Smiths and the Wilbur Turners, of Covington, Mrs. Bud Fitzhugh and daughter, Jennifer, of near Ripley, visited Mrs. Lillian Jamerson and Mrs. Sally Cullipher Sunday.

Mrs. LeRoy Harris, president of Gates United Methodist Women, was able to be present Feb. 13th at the first meeting of the group since October, having been absent because of her iliness and the bad weather. This was a combination of the regular meeting for both. Mrs. Talmage Heathcott and Mrs. Perry Chisholm served a dessert plate and hot chocolate.

Mrs. Bill Kelly and son, Warren, visited her parents, the Willis Warrens, at Forked Deer last week. and she and her mother shopped in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gray, of Memphis, spent the weekend with Mrs. Gray's parents, the Vester Shephards, and Mrs. Gray's sister, Mrs. June Harris, and her family.

Mrs. William Jackson prepared a birthday dinner at her home Sunday before last for her husband and son, Norman. All their children, grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren and their families were there: The Nesbert Jacksons and daughter, Amy, the Bill Sweats and daughters, Tammy and Kimberly, the Lynwood Jacksons, and the Norman Jacksons and children, Rachel and David, of Ripley; the Melton Jacksons and children, Gordon, Robert, and Cindy, and the Jimmy Criners and daughters, Lori and Carrie.

The world's largest non-profit scientific and educational institution is the National Geographic Society, founded in 1888.

Woodville Locals

By Mrs. Frank Butts

WOODVILLE, March 1—Mrs. Bobby Lankford honored her mother, Mrs. Earnest Leggett, of Ripley, with a birthday dinner Sunday. Other guests were Earnest Leggett and Davenar Caldwell, of Ripley, the Herschel Lands, and the George Engs, of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clem and daughters, Tammie and Angie, of Nashville, the William Crowders, of Mary's Chapel, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Summar, Jr., Jerry Don Summar and son, Greg, and Miss Debbie Lankford.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Bolding visited Mrs. Bolding's mother, Mrs. Loyway Carwyle, in Pontotoc, Miss., Friday. Saturday, they visited their daughter, Mrs. Judy Timmer, in Memphis.

The Buford Lawsons visited Mrs. Stella Hayes in Halls Monday of last week.

Mrs. Olin Clark, of Chipman Crossing, visited the Cecil Watsons Thursday of last week.

The A. W. Howards spent the weekend with the Gale Howards in Memphis and were joined by the Gaily Howards and children, of Jackson, Miss., and Miss Joyce Jones, of Memphis, and Mrs. era Jones, of Ripley for dinner at Victoria Station.

Mrs. Minnie Gaines, of Ripley, formerly of Woodville, is in St. Joseph Hospital in Memphis after a heart attack in the home of the M. A. Cunninghams in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hunt visited Mrs. Zora Butler, who is ill, in Brownsville Sunday. They also visited Mrs. Martha Simpson in Ripley.

Mrs. Joe Roland and Miss Tina Roland, of Jackson, and Mrs. Lester Lawson, of Milan, visited the Buford Lawsons Sunday.

Jerre Lawson, of Memphis, spent Saturday with his parents, the Buford Lawsons.

Mrs. Carmen Smith, of Flippin, and T. P. Summar, of Cedar Grove, visited Mr. and Mrs. James Summar Sunday.

Lackey White, of Dyersburg, grandson of Mrs. Emmett White, is in Methodist Hospital in Memphis with "cat scratch fever." Miss Carolyn White, of Memphis, and Mrs. White returned home Sunday. Sunday afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Braden and family, of Arp, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Furr.

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You need a family doctor before illness strikes. Tragedy can befall those who wait to get a physician "until he is needed."

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How do you select a doctor for your family?

Start by calling your local medical society for the names of several physicians in your neighborhood or within convenient traveling distance. If there is no society office in your community, call your nearby hospital, ask friends for their recommendations, or check the pharmacist for his suggestion.

The American Medical Directory, published by the American Medical Association, is available in most public libraries and hospitals. This volume will give the age, professional education, state of licensure, type of practice, teaching affiliation and medical organization membership for all physicians.

Is the prospective family doctor's office convenient for your family? What are his office hours? Do you prefer an older or younger physician? Will he make house calls? Do any of your family members have physical handicaps or disabilities which might require the care of a specialist?

Once you select your physician, call for an appointment for a physical examination. This will give the two of you the opportunity to get acquainted before you become ill. Does he impress you favorably? Are you "comfortable" with him or her? In discussing family health needs, keep in mind your budget. Ask the doctor about his fees; not all charge the same. He may not be able to give you an exact price for every kind of service but he can tell you approximately what his basic fees are.

For your own good -- and the health of your family -- why wait until illness strikes to choose a doctor? Select him now so he can have advance knowledge of your family's medical problems and give you the kind of protective care you expect from both a good doctor and a good friend.

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International Sunday School Lessons — Sunday School Lessons

BY LAWRENCE W. ALTHOUSE

THE GIFT OF PATIENCE

Lesson for March 5, 1978

Background Scripture: Acts 1.
Devotional Reading: John 16:4-11.

I am grateful for the gifts that God has given me. Like most people I probably have considerably more of those gifts than I realize and use. Yet, there is one gift which I often wish had been part of my God-given endowment: the gift of patience.

Rev. Althouse

I would rather fast for 40 days and 40 nights, go on a long pilgrimage, ascend the penitential steps in Rome on my knees, give away my worldly goods (a somewhat cheap offer, I'll admit!), take on a benevolent project or quest, or wear sackcloth and ashes for Lent, and probably almost anything else you can think of...than be patient.

Wait for the promise

Of course, God doesn't usually offer me any of those alternatives. Instead, it seems his customary requirement is that I wait for his promises to be fulfilled. The only comfort I take in that fact is the realization that I am not alone in my dilemma. Throughout the Bible there are numerous stories of people who have had to learn to wait for God to keep his promises, some of them successfully, some of them rather unsuccessfully.

So I can easily appreciate what must have been in the hearts and minds of the disciples when they are told by the risen Lord: "wait for the promise of the Father" (Acts 1:4). Their impatience at this prospect is obvious, for they ask him: "Lord, will you at this time restore the kingdom to Israel?" (1:6). How anxious they are for the promises to be fulfilled NOW! The people of Israel have waited for centuries—surely the time of waiting was at an end! But once again the admonition was one to patience: "It is not for you to know times or seasons which the Father has fixed by his own authority" (1:7).

The times and seasons

That's my problem: I want to know the times and seasons. It's not so much just the waiting, but not knowing when. It is my insistance on "knowing when" that is indicative of both my impatience and my lack of faith. For that's what impatience with God amounts to: lack of faith. It means I still want to substitute my judgement for his, that I still do not really trust him to keep his promise.

Impatient as his disciples were, they responded in the best possible manner: "They returned to Jerusalem...to the upper room" and WAITED! But that didn't mean they weren't doing anything. Luke tells us: "All these with one accord devoted themselves to prayer" (1:14). They waited...but they did it prayerfully and expectantly. They lived each day in anticipation of the fulfilment of the promise and it was probably this expectation that made it possible for the promise to be fulfilled.

I suspect that the disciples were not particularly gifted with patience, but if they learned and mastered this art, so can we!

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DRESSING YOUR WINDOWS

Skirt lengths may vary from year to year, but proper drapery lengths remain consistent.

"Three lengths are satisfactory for a well-dressed window — to the sill, even with the bottom of the window apron, or just barely clearing the floor," says Madge C. Guffey, University of Tennessee Extension housing and home furnishings specialist.

"If possible, draperies should also clear the window glass when you open them, even if it means mounting the rod out on the wall to make space for the stackback."

If you use cafe curtains hung in tiers, let the top layer overlap the bottom rod by a few inches. Otherwise, the curtains look too skimpy, and privacy is sacrificed.

Tie-backs often look skimpy if the naked rod shows in the center. Drapery headings should overlap and swag gracefully from the center point.

U. S. Senator

Jim Sasser

A Report for Tennesseans

Tennessee is blessed with beautiful natural resources, and one of the most impressive areas in the State is the Great Smoky Mountains National Park.

I have introduced a bill to create a Great Smoky Mountains Wilderness Area within the National Park. By setting aside 475,000 acres as wilderness area, we can guarantee the continued enjoyment of the most used national park in the country as well as protect the economic base of support for the Tennessee and North Carolina regions surrounding the park.

The proposed Great Smoky Mountains Wilderness Area has received widespread support from people across Tennessee. Many Tennesseans realize the importance of designating a wilderness area to be preserved in its awesome natural condition for future generations.

I feel that this legislation strikes an equitable balance between the needs of the regions around the National Park and the need to preserve the beauty and usefulness of this mountain chain. The bill will not alter Mount LeConte Lodge and the trail shelters which now exist in the park, including the ones used on the Appalachian Trail. Various activities at other sites in the park, including Cades Cove, Elkmont, and the Clingman's Dome Tower, are also excluded from the provisions of the bill.

Congress should act to preserve this natural area of the Smokies which attracts people from all parts of the country. Forty percent of the Great Smoky Mountains National Park is still in its native forest state, offering one of the few remaining examples of how our country appeared to the early settlers.

The park is the home for 130 different tree species and more than 1300 plants. Several varieties of the plant life in the park can be found in no other part of the United States. The hundreds of hikers who visit the park each year are able to enjoy this variety of vegetation, which provides beauty along the trails.

All Tennesseans should be proud of the unique qualities of the Great Smoky Mountains, and I believe that future generations should be afforded the opportunity to enjoy the unspoiled environment of the mountains.

I introduced my bill to create a wilderness area in the park in December 1977. It is now pending before the Senate Subcommittee on Parks and Recreation, and I hope that the bill will be reported to the Senate in time to assure passage this year.

GOVERNMENTAL ODDITIES

Curiosities And Blunders That Affect Millions

After a government agency banned the use of a plastic bottle for cola drinks, the truth came out. Even if a child could drink 3,000 quarts of beverage every day for a year from the bottles, the child would be no more affected than if the bottles had been made of glass, steel, aluminum or gold! Yet the government ruling is resulting in the elimination of 800 jobs.

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Poplar Grove

By Mrs. Nelle Hopkins

Bob Harris, of Memphis, spent Friday night with the Mitchell Moores.

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

Mrs. Talmadge Kelley and children spent the weekend in Blytheville, Ark., with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rogers.

Clyde Knox was dismissed last week from Parkview Hospital at Dyersburg.

Asa Fisher, of Maury City, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira Knox recently.

Mrs. Reda Houk and Teresa, of Halls, and Mrs. Thelma Smith were in Jackson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Fisher, of Unionville, were Sunday dinner guests of the Mitchell Moores.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Walpole, of Nankipoo, visited Mrs. Thelma Smith Sunday.

Joyce Ann Lovelace, of Fowlkes, spent Saturday night with Robyn Thrasher.

Misses Terrye and Dana Jones spent the weekend with relatives at Jackson.

Mrs. Doyle Davis, Mrs. Jimmy Kendrick, and Mrs. Howard Shelton visited their aunt, Mrs. O. L. White, at Halls Sunday.

Mrs. Kay Cook and son, of Halls, visited the Holford Swanners Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reed Moore, of Frog Jump, were hosts at a catfish supper Saturday evening. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shelton and Lori, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kendrick and Roland Collins, of Nankipoo, and Bubba Moore, of Dyersburg.

The first windmill in America was built in 1632 in Cambridge, Mass. But it would only grind with a westerly wind, so it was moved to Boston.

Health Clinic Will Open Saturdays

C. G. Dyer, administrator of Halls Area Health Service Center, announced Tuesday that effective March 4th, the clinic will be open each Saturday from 8 a.m. until noon.

The clinic is open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Sick And Ailing

Mrs. Wayne O. Hilliard, Jr., of Halls, has been dismissed from Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg, after surgery last week.

Beth Avery, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Avery, Jr., of Halls, is in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg, recuperating from pneumonia.

Mrs. Annie Elmore, of Halls, is in Baptist Hospital in Memphis after a suspected stroke early last week.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Lee Hodges, of Route 2, Halls—a daughter, Thelma, born Feb. 2nd at Parkview Hospital at Dyersburg.

To Mr. and Mrs. Rickey L. Moore, of Route 1, Gates—a son, Michael Brian, born Feb. 4th.

NEW BANK TELLER

Mrs. Barbara Fowler, of South College St., Halls, has joined the Bank of Halls as a teller. She had been employed by Charles Griggs Building Materials, Inc., of Ripley.

SALE VOIDED

A U.S. District Court Judge voided the government's sale of $1.13 billion in leases for oil and gas drilling rights off the Atlantic Coast on Feb. 17, 1977.

P.T.O. PAPER DRIVE

Mrs. Warren Nunn, president of Halls Parent-Teacher Organization, reminds school patrons of the used paper drive which the groupd is staging this month to raise funds for the new school.

Mrs. Nunn says that trucks will be at the elementary school March 15th, 16th, and 17th. Paper should not be sent to the school until those dates since it cannot be stored because of the fire hazard.

"One man's fault is another man's lesson." H. G. Bohn

Some people believed it good luck for a butterfly to fly through their coat sleeves.

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Sav Sum
Salad Dressing ..... qt. 69¢

Coronet Delta Toilet
Tissue ..... 4 rolls 79¢

Hyde Park Fancy
Tomatoes ..... 16 oz. 39¢
9 Oz. Pringles
Potato Chips ..... 79¢

Hyde Park
Bleach ..... 64 oz. 39¢

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CONFIDENTIAL CORNER

By Henry Murchison

We're Back

For the past few weeks, for various and sundry reasons and excuses, we have not written this column, and surprisingly enough, we are beginning to get some inquiries about it.

When we started the Corner more than 30 years ago, we wrote it as the notion struck us, and then later it became a weekly feature of The Halls Graphic and has generally remained so. We have used the space to comment on our likes and dislikes and items of interest to the community, to report various humorous items that we ran across, and on occasion to chide city, county, state, and federal officials on their shortcomings.

On rare occasions we have offended someone, but generally our comments have been well reeceived. We won't promise to write the Corner each week but we will try to run it as regularly as we can come up with an idea for our comments.

Here And There

It seems to us that President Carter's action in pressuring mine owners to accept the huge increases in order to settle the coal strike is likely to be a major cause of further inflation. The increase in the price of coal which will automatically follow will in turn cause increases in the cost of electricity, steel, etc. We're afraid that Mr. Carter's reluctance to act against the striking coal miners is likely to backfire, and also there still remains a strong possibility that the miners will not accept the agreement.

Last week we ran a picture of a huge flock of blackbirds in a grove of trees at Ripley as being of general interest. Well, it seems that all over Halls, householders are having problems and are seeking means to rid themselves of the birds. We knew that there was some problem here but didn't realize that it was so prevalent.

City officials need to take some steps to rid the streets of pack of dogs, many of them apparently not vaccinated. They are particularly troublesome in the area of the school.

Several persons have asked about our opinion on the various constitutional amendments which will be voted on Tuesday, but we're afraid we are as much in the dark as they claim to be. Several of the amendments are merely housekeeping amendments which need to be passed to comply with federal law, while others will have a major impact on the citizens of Tennessee.

We personally think the interest amendment should be passed. We have serious reservations about the judicial and county government changes. The amendment to limit state spending sounds good, but there are so many loopholes that we are of the opinion that it will be of little value, although it could be a step in the right direction.

The only thing that we know for certain is that every citizen should go to the polls and express an opinion with a vote next Tuesday.

Lower Speeds Save Energy

Judging from the number of motorists who exceed the state's 55 m.p.h. speed limit, it seems that few Tennesseans are aware of the substantial energy savings which could be achieved by slowing down, says Ed Spitzer, executive director of the Tennessee Energy Authority.

Figures released by the Authority show private automobiles consume 70 billion gallons of gasoline each year. Reducing highway speeds to the legal limit could reduce gasoline consumption by 200,000 gallons per day.

In addition to reducing highway driving speeds, Switzer suggested several other means in which each Tennessee driver can consume less fuel:

Take advantage of right on red.

Keep your car well-tuned; a tuned car will average 6% better mileage than an untuned one.

Avoid rapid acceleration; it reduces fuel economy 15% over moderate acceleration.

Avoid unnecessary use of air conditioning equipment; cooling equipment cuts gas mileage 1 to 3 miles per gallon.

Don't idle the engine for more than a minute; it takes less energy to re-start the car than it does to idle it.

Use radial tires instead of conventional or bias-ply tires; radial tires give you .5 to 1 more miles per gallon.

Change oil and oil filters at recommended intervals; dirty oil can seriously damage engine parts and cause friction and wear that robs gas mileage.

Make sure your wheels are properly aligned; improper alignment can increase fuel use by .3 miles per gallon.

The Tennessee Energy Authority has specific information available to the public on all types of transportation energy saving measures including how to save money and energy through car pools and van pools. Tennesseans can call the Tennessee Energy Authority's Energy HotLine, 1-800-342-1340, toll-free for additional information.

"Prevention is the daughter of intelligence." Walter Raleigh

Brevities

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Dyer are in Knoxville this week where Mrs. Dyer is attending the state convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mrs. Betty Cole, of Memphis, spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. Bob Poindexter, after bringing Mrs. Poindexter home from Baptist Hospital.

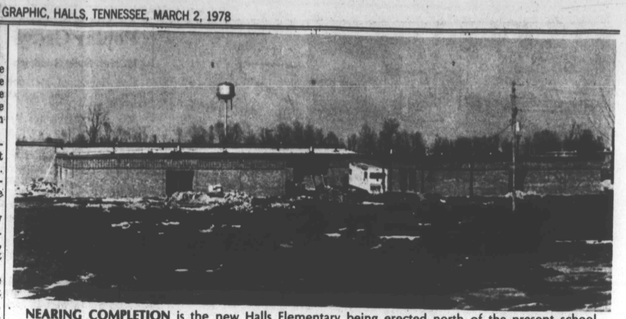
Mr. and Mrs. Perry Williams are visiting Mrs. Williams' father, Bill Neely, and other relatives at Apopka, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Fields, of Helena, Ark., spent the weekend with Mrs. Fields' sister, Mrs. Catherine Phillips.

Weekend guests of Vicky Meeks were Miss Barbara Chi, of Hong Kong, Miss Julie Browning, of Senath, Mo., Miss Regina Davis, of Hornersville, Mo., and Miss Debbie Wilson, of Marianna, Ark. Miss Ginger Sanders, of Halls, joined the group for a country ham dinner Friday evening. All are students at Memphis State University.

GIRL SCOUTS DRIVE

Halls Girl Scouts are this week and next making their annual sales of girl scout cookies. Mrs. Roger Harris is drive chairman.



NEARING COMPLETION is the new Halls Elementary being erected north of the present school campus. Despite inclement weather, work is about on schedule, with painting and other interior work expected to take about 60 days. No agreement has been reached by school officials and the county court for an access road to the school.

Mrs. Ross Hostess For DAR Chapter

Key Corner chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution met Monday at the home of Mrs. W. U. Ross at Dyersburg. Mrs. Charles O. Viar, regent, presided.

Mrs. Russell Moore read the President General's message and Mrs. J. W. Warren, Jr., gave the national defense report. In her report she stated that it is thought that the decision by President Carter to scrap the B-1 bomber could lead to the fall of the western world.

Mrs. Robert Jones, chairman of the American History Month Committee, introduced Penny Patterson, of Ridgely, Amy Johnson, of Newbern, Janet Johnson and Laura Baker, of Dyersburg. All were winners in an essay contest "Growing Up In Colonial Times" sponsored by the DAR chapter.

Club Discussed Food Stamps

Richard Wheelock, of Covington, explained the food stamp program at the meeting of Key Corner Home Demonstration Club Feb. 15th.

The group worked on crafts and exchanged patterns during the activity period.

Mrs. Pat Burroughs, hostess, served barbecue sandwiches, potato chips, pickle, and hot tea. Mrs. Wendell Perry will be hostess for the March meeting.

Mrs. Leonard Andrews, flag chairman, showed the American flag presented to the group by Rep. Ed Jones. The flag flew over the Capitol Jan. 23, 1978.

Mrs. Ross and other hostesses, Mrs. Fred Moore and Mrs. Russell Vandevelde served sandwiches, hot dip, fruit cake and other finger food from a table centered with an arrangement of daisies, Dutch iris, and other spring flowers.

Attending from Halls were Mrs. Viar, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Alvin Hallman, Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Eugene Pugh, Mrs. O. J. Nunn, and Mrs. Charles Alsobrook.

AID AT WAVERLY

Halls Fire Chief Phillip Hurt and civil defense workers Bobby Hart and Jimmy Hastings, took the Halls civil defense truck to Waverly late Friday afternoon to assist with the emergency after the tank car explosion which killed 12 and injured dozens. They returned home early Saturday morning.

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Good Citizens Saluted

PULLING THEIR WEIGHT—High school seniors chosen by the Fort Prudhomme Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution for Good Citizen awards— Pam White, left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe White, Jr., of Route 1, Gates, and Carol Corlew, daughter of County Judge and Mrs. Jerry Corlew, of Church St., Ripley—try their hands at an 1838 Columbian hand press, topped by an ornate American eagle as the counter-weight for the lever which presses dampened paper against inked type. The press, stored since 1917, is being refurbished and installed in the library of the Enterprise building in Ripley, as a now rare museum piece, not yet surpassed at (slowly) turning out fine printing of the highest quality.

County Votes Buck Results On Two Charter Proposals

Lauderdale County voting returns Tuesday differed from state results on only two of 13 amendments to Tennessee's Constitution.

Proposal 13, revising the state's courts, carried this county, with 53% of the county vote, but was the only proposal defeated state-wide, with 46% of the vote.

County voters went nearly 2-to-1 against the first proposal, removing from the Constitution a ban on inter-racial marriage declared invalid by the federal courts. The proposal won, state-wide, but by only a 3% majority—the narrowest margin of any of the winners.

Proposal 4, to allow a governor to serve two terms, did much better in the county than it did across the state, getting 73% of the county vote as compared to only 56% state-wide. Otherwise, the voting returns in this county reflected state-wide margins very closely.

With 98% of all precincts reporting, state results looked like this Wednesday afternoon:

	Yes	No
1—Allow inter-racial marriage	199,510	188,925
2—Reduce bill readings	255,825	112,236
3—Raise homestead exemption	276,843	97,399
4—Allow 2-term governors	215,960	166,917
5—Allow integrated schools	235,502	127,025
6—10-day bill action	241,134	118,535
7—Voting age 18	263,400	95,775
8—Filling legislature vacancies	258,379	95,088
9—Limit state spending	244,694	133,411
10—Ease interest ceiling	218,542	168,424
11—Revise county governments	193,073	165,471
12—End legislature breaks	247,471	109,798
13—Revise state courts	157,746	188,086

Complete County Returns, Yes-No, On 13 Constitutional Amendments

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Orysa	9-29	18-13	29-6	12-24	16-16	20-14	22-11	16-17	24-11	17-18	18-16	17-15	10-19
Conner	1-19	4-12	12-8	4-17	3-16	5-13	6-13	6-15	6-16	2-17	3-18	3-17	3-17
Cross Roads	3-24	15-6	19-7	11-18	20-8	19-4	23-6	18-5	17-7	17-11	15-13	19-4	12-10
Henning	37-69	51-37	67-30	53-59	59-34	54-47	61-29	77-30	62-30	76-44	53-41	67-37	57-45
Price	12-17	14-10	20-4	17-11	13-12	16-9	15-11	20-6	14-11	18-15	13-13	16-9	7-16
Ashport	2-21	12-12	14-12	5-21	7-19	13-13	13-12	13-10	11-13	4-24	1-25	5-16	8-11
Golddust	10-23	7-19	20-15	11-24	15-17	9-20	20-14	10-18	15-16	4-30	6-24	6-23	11-16
Arp	37-51	56-24	64-19	47-41	60-25	59-24	64-18	60-22	53-33	49-42	45-41	56-25	41-38
Central	23-55	42-26	43-24	36-38	32-37	42-27	45-23	49-20	34-35	33-41	29-41	41-27	37-31
Curve	29-45	53-18	52-21	35-42	52-25	50-25	56-20	60-15	57-19	43-33	42-34	49-26	42-29
Double Bridges	6-30	13-16	17-18	16-24	20-16	16-18	26-11	25-8	21-13	16-26	16-22	19-15	12-23
Poplar Grove	8-14	19-2	15-5	8-12	8-10	14-4	15-4	16-3	17-2	14-5	6-12	14-3	7-8
Barr	3-13	8-6	10-4	5-10	8-5	8-6	10-4	11-3	10-4	9-6	9-6	5-9	6-7
Hale's Point	0-10	3-4	7-3	2-8	3-4	2-4	2-6	2-3	1-7	0-10	0-6	3-4	0-5
Glimp	16-26	25-17	28-17	20-26	25-19	21-24	25-19	27-19	24-18	22-24	17-27	28-18	16-25
Pleasant Hill	7-17	12-6	15-7	13-8	13-7	13-7	11-6	14-5	10-10	10-13	9-10	10-9	3-14
Lightfoot	8-38	28-13	31-13	18-28	24-18	32-13	37-10	35-7	33-11	27-18	23-22	34-5	17-23
Luckett	12-28	20-10	29-7	18-22	27-9	29-9	31-8	28-7	27-11	17-22	20-19	21-13	17-14
Halls	50-105	94-52	108-40	84-80	90-64	94-59	109-49	117-37	113-39	97-66	82-75	98-53	68-78
Cherry	11-16	15-7	18-16	16-10	16-6	14-9	17-5	18-4	17-5	10-13	16-9	17-5	11-11
Edith	3-42	19-23	30-13	22-24	18-27	26-21	31-16	28-18	34-13	14-34	25-23	24-23	24-17
Cook's Store	5-35	11-24	18-20	13-26	14-23	15-23	15-23	17-22	18-19	13-27	12-25	15-24	12-12
McBride's Store	6-43	16-30	22-25	17-30	20-28	16-30	26-23	18-28	21-27	19-33	17-30	15-31	8-38
Nankipoo	8-28	14-17	29-5	25-11	14-21	29-5	20-15	34-3	31-3	10-27	17-16	28-7	12-24
Gates	16-64	38-37	47-27	33-50	44-35	38-36	48-28	46-27	39-32	50-38	27-45	45-32	29-40
Absentee Voting	14-16	25-6	31-1	19-14	29-2	25-6	27-4	27-4	26-5	21-11	16-14	27-3	16-11
Ripley	325-395	492-153	532-122	445-272	512-160	505-164	552-127	556-126	511-151	504-229	422-251	521-148	440-238
TOTALS FOR	661	*1124	*1327	*1005	*1162	*1184	*1327	*1348	*1246	*1116	*959	*1203	*926
TOTALS AGAINST	*1273	600	489	950	663	634	515	482	561	879	878	601	820

Hickman Heads Farmers' Group

Jim Hickman, of Henning, was elected county president of the American Agricultural Movement Monday after Buddy Moses, of Brownsville, addressed about 30 community committee chairmen of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service in the Farm Bureau Building in Ripley.

Byron Escue, of Durhamville-Orysa, was elected vice-president and Rob Reviere, of Highway 19 west of Ripley, secretary-treasurer.

The group plans a meeting at 7 p.m. March 20th in the court-room of the courthouse in Ripley, to which all farmers and sympathizers are invited.

Clear Volz Road Site For School

Ripley's city board voted Monday to waive its right to require a new elementary school to be built inside the city limits, clearing the way for County Court consideration Monday of 50 acres on Volz Road, north of the city's south industrial park, between old and new Highways 51.

The court's education committee and the Board of Education favor buying this site at $2,000 an acre, from Herman Reviere and Charles Griggs.

Alderman Richard Douglas cast the only vote Monday against the waiver. He favors building the new school on the T. L. Nelson estate property directly west of Ripley High School.

FASHION SHOW SET

Rice Park's Improvement Committee will sponsor a spring and summer fashions show at 4 p.m. March 19th. Tickets are $2 but will be $2.50 at the door.

EAGLE FORUM MEETS

The Eagle Forum, a group opposing the Equal Rights Amendment, will hold a membership meeting at 7 p.m. Monday in the Farm Bureau Building in Ripley. Women are urged to attend. Information is available from Mrs. Robert R. Taylor, jr., at 635-0263. after 5:30 p.m. daily.

Riplian Is Running In Nat'l Track Meet

Marshall Crawley, 1975 Ripley High School graduate, will run the 440-yard leg of the distance medley relay for Murray, Ky., State University in the National Collegiate Athletic Association meet in Detroit, Mich., next weekend.

The Murray team has the seventh best time in the nation—9:50.2—for the event.

Murray also qualified for the meet in the 2-mile relay and high jump.

Crawley is majoring in physical education.

Haley Cage Meet Set For Henning

An "Alex Haley Basketball Tournament" opens at 6 p.m. Friday in Henning Elementary School, with Henning girls facing Munford Junior High.

Other first round games pit Brownsville's boys against Munford, Mason girls against Brownsville, and Henning boys against Mason.

Consolation games begin at 3 p.m. Saturday, with the title match following.

Halls Cuts Request For Airport Aid

$24,000 IS SOUGHT FROM COUNTY COURT Monday—$10,000 less than last month—of an estimated maximum $100,000 to convert the old Army air base at Halls into an airport. The state would pay about half of the cost, with Halls footing the rest, according to Halls Mayor Sammie Arnold. This is how the base looked on Aug. 11, 1943. Old U.S. Hwy. 51 runs diagonally across the picture. The north and south runways, in left center, running almost parallel to the highway, are proposed for rehabilitation.

Pig Losses Laid To Dirty Birds

Ronnie Carmack, of Route 1, Gates, blames diseases spread by blackbirds for at least some of his losses this year of 60 pigs, weighing 15 to 20 pounds each, and several weighing as much as 100 pounds.

Last year, his losses totaled 150 animals.

The large blackboard roost at Edith-Central Road and Cedar Grove Road has been known for two years, environmentalists Parnell Roark and John H. Webb report.

They soil the soil around the roost may become contiminated with histoplasma capsulatum organisms and "would present a health hazard."

Kenneth Dykes Leaves County

Kenneth Dykes, wildlife officer in this county, was promoted Wednesday of last week to assistant area supervisor.

His area will include this county, plus Crockett, Dyer, Lake, Obion, and Weakley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dykes will make their home in Union City or Martin.

A successor here has not yet been announced.

HUNT SAFETY CLASS

A free class in hunter safety begins at 7 p.m. March 14th in the Ripley courthouse. Information is available from Elton Jones, 635-0161, or Ken Dykes, 635-3345.

ALL-STARS TRIUMPH

A Fort Pillow State Prison farm basketball team suffered its first defeat Wednesday of last week, 109-95, at the hands of the Ripley All-Stars—Charlie, Chuck, Frank, Sam, and Jimmy Lee Morgan, Sammie Green, and Jon Pavletic.

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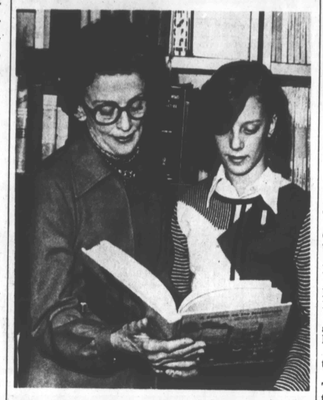


BETSY HOFF, right, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Cook, Jr., of Halls, took first place in the state with her essay on "Growing Up In Colonial Times, 1760-90," and was presented her certificate and medal Saturday at the state convention of the Tennessee Daughters of the American Revolution in the Hyatt-Regency in Knoxville. With her is Mrs. John E. Craig, of Ripley, of the sponsoring Fort Prudhomme Chapter. Miss Hoff's essay will be entered in national competition. She is an eighth grader in Halls Junior High.

David Keltner

David C. Keltner, 73, of Dell, Ark., who was born at Curve on Feb. 25, 1905, died Thursday of last week in Chickasawba Hospital in Blytheville, Ark.

Services were at 2 p.m. Friday in Dell Baptist Church, of which he was a deacon, with burial in Elmwood Cemetery.

A retired Civil Service employee, he was the youngest son of the late William F. and Mary Frances Byler Keltner.

He moved to Dell, from Memphis, in 1943.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Edna Keltner; a sister, Mrs. Lena Rogers, of Sarah's Circle, Ripley; eight nieces and nephews; many great-nieces and nephews; and 15 great-great-nieces and nephews.

Attending services were Mrs. Rogers; Mrs. Louise Latham, Carey and Mary Ann Latham, Mrs. Mary Frances Goff, and Paul Childress, of Walnut Grove; Mr. and Mrs. Jonny Carmack, of Dry Hill; Mrs. Odell Kenzeora, of Blytheville; Pete Groves, of Osceola, Ark.; and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Childress, Jr., of Clarksdale, Miss.

Mrs. Perry

Mrs. Geraldine Perry, 49, of 119 Sharp St., Halls, an employee of Lau-Fay-Ton Community Action Agency, died at 2 p.m. Monday in the Halls Health Center, of heart arrest.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Halls Church of Christ, with burial in Green Hill Memorial Gardens.

She leaves her husband, Ralph Perry, Halls policeman and Lauderdale County Hospital employee; two sons, Ralph, Jr., and Charles Edward Perry, of Halls; two brothers, Calvin and Darnell Sanford, of Cleveland, Ohio; and a sister, Mrs. Ruby Davis, of Memphis.

Mrs. Lee Busby

Mrs. Neely Eunice Busby, 72, widow of Lee Busby, died Tuesday of last week in Field Hospital in Centreville, Miss.

Services were at 2 p.m. Friday in Halls Funeral Home, with burial in Green Hill Memorial Gardens.

She leaves a son, Carl E. Fowler, and a stepson, Richard Busby, of Liberty, Miss.; two brothers, Bernice and Willis Wyrick, of Newbern; and three sisters, Mrs. Christine Lee, Mrs. Aileen Tredo, and Mrs. Lavern Sipes, of Dyersburg.

Mrs. Rumley

Mrs. Marguerite Virginia Rumley, 63, of Dyersburg, sister of James Ledford, of Halls, died Sunday in Parkview Hospital.

Services were at 11 a.m. Tuesday in Curry Funeral Home, with burial in Fairview Cemetery.

She also leaves her husband, Robert Rumley; two daughters, Mrs. Gwen Hopper and Mrs. Etta West, of Dyersburg; three other brothers, J. T. Ledford, of Dyersburg, Willie Ledford, of Linden, and Warren Ledford, of Spring Valley, Calif.; and a sister, Mrs. Clara Cauley, of England, Ark.

School Lunches

Monday, March 13
Corn Dogs
French Fries
Pineapple Salad
Peanut Cup
Hot Dog Buns
Cookie

Tuesday, March 14
Ham
Greens
Corn on Cob
Pickles
Rolls
Banana Pudding

Wednesday, March 15
Spaghetti
Cabbage Siaw
Rolls
Ice Cream Sandwich

Thursday, March 16
Fried Chicken
Whipped Potatoes
Green Beans
Rolls
Peach Slices
Cookies

Friday, March 17
Shrimpettes
Tater Tots
Combination Salad
Rolls
Dessert (Manager's Choice)

HIGH FISHERMEN

Approximately three-fourths of all mountain reservoir recreationists are fishermen, report the State Water Resources Institutes.

Close-Up View Booked For 17

Tupperware's funding of four students from Halls High School brings to 17 the Lauderdale County delegation which will visit the nation's capital in April for a close-up look at the federal government operations, sponsored by the Close-Up Foundation.

Phillip Jackson, county coordinator, will accompany:

From Ripley High:

Mrs. Larry Barfield, of Henning, U.S. history instructor.

Shelia Archie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Aschie, of Ripley.

Rebecca Anthony, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norfleet Anthony, of 283 Church St.

Lynn Allmon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Allmon.

Temple Crain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crain, of 146 Wakewood Place.

Gary Douglas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Douglas, of 132 North Alpine.

Elzora Fitzpatrick, daughter of Mrs. Annie Fitzpatrick.

Brian Lajeuness, son of Mrs. Tommy McWilliams, of Volunteer Drive.

Pam Sutton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Sutton, of 444 Michael.

Minnie Thornton, daughter of Mrs. Virgie Thornton.

All are juniors in RHS.

From Halls High:

Mrs. Bernard M. Higdon, economics and business education teacher, who will be accompanied by her husband.

Jeff Belton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Belton, of 317 South College.

Randy Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown, of 630 Sumrow.

Kenneth Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Carter, of Route 2.

David Doyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Doyle, of 501 James Drive.

Michi Jones, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt Jones, of 222 Laurison.

Patricia Stanley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Stanley, of Route 1, Gates.

All are juniors except Brown and Doyle, sophomores.

Joyce Newman Tours In Choir

Joyce Newman, daughter of Mrs. Ezra Clark, of Ripley, is a member of the 35-voice Baptist Student Union Choir of Campbellsville, Ky., College which is leaving the campus Saturday on its annual spring tour.

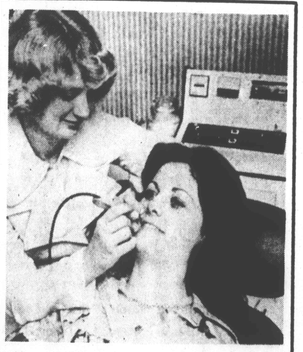
The choir will sing in three states, with Calhoun, Ga., its first stop and other performances in Florida and Tennessee, through March 19th.

PRISONERS RETURN

The first full planeload of returning U.S. prisoners of war from Vietnam flew Feb. 14, 1973, from the Philippines to the United States.

FERDINAND III

Ferdinand III succeeded as Holy Roman Emperor on the death of Ferdinand II, Feb. 15, 1637.



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FOR RENT—

FOR RENT—7-room house in Halls. Call after 4:30 p.m. 234-9487. 9-4tp

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REPORTS FROM WASHINGTON

Last fall, I received in my office a great number of letters, cards, and telephone calls asking that I urge the Food and Drug Administration to approve the drug sodium valproate for use in treatment of certain epileptic seizures. Interest in this particular drug by West Tennesseans apparently stemmed from several medical cases where your children were suffering from these types of seizures. The doctors treating these children felt that the use of this new drug would be very helpful in bringing their seizures under control.

The FDA's advisory group on new drugs had recommended that sodium valproate be approved for use for only certain types of epilepsy. Last week, the FDA announced that it had approved the drug for use for the treatment of patients who suffer temporary seizures in which they lose consciousness for a few seconds. I know that this development will certainly be looked upon with relief among those hundreds of people who have voiced their concerns with the cases of this type of seizure in West Tennessee. It will, hopefully, allow doctors to bring these types of attacks under control.

FDA said that valproate is likely to be useful in the treatment of significant numbers of epileptic patients who do not respond to currently available drugs. The type of seizures most responsive to the drug frequently affects the young, but can also occur in epileptics of all ages. The drug will be sold in capsules and liquid form by Abbot Laboratories.

Though the use of this drug may be very helpful in the treatment of epileptic seizures, it should also be recognized that, like most drugs, it does have some side effects. For example, FDA warns that use of the drug is accompanied by temporary nausea and indigestion when it is first taken. Also, it may have some effects on the liver when taken along with other anti-epileptic drugs and doctors are being warned that they should perform liver tests before prescribing valproate to a patient.

It is these types of side effects that make thorough and complete testing necessary before a new drug is approved for use. Though I do not agree with such actions as FDA proposed on saccharin, I do feel that their testing of drugs and food additives should be very comprehensive so that a new item, that may ultimately be harmful, is not approved for use. In this case, it was absolutely essential that FDA be able to point out any side effects on patients who are treated with it.

Of course, Congress has no say in these scientific tests on drugs, and we shouldn't have. This kind of research should be conducted objectively with no political pressure. It is only under these conditions that solid evidence on the side effects of any drug can be obtained and a valid judgment on whether it should be approved for use by the public can be made.

Certainly, I am glad to see the FDA be able to grant approval for this new drug. I sincerely hope that it does prove to be effective in those cases that have been brought to my attention by the people of West Tennessee.

Fowler To Teach Class In Making Dulcimers

Jim Fowler, of Halls, will teach the art of constructing mountain dulcimers during the spring quarter in Dyersburg State College.

Since parts and materials for constructing the dulcimers must be ordered, registration deadline is March 20th.

Cost for the course is $60, which includes parts and materials. Classes begin March 28th.

Sick And Ailing

Dismissed From Lauderdale County Hospital

Halls—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rice Davis, John Pennington, Mrs. David Stallings, Holly Ann Ballard, Mrs. J. B. Burns, Dave Harden, Sandra Paris.

Gates—Ben Grimes, Mrs. Ben Barnett, Mrs. George Shaw, Mrs. Maggie Lena Dodd.

Dismissed From Jackson-Madison County Hospital

Halls—Hughie J. Walls, Feb. 28th.

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9 Oz. Planters **Potato Chips** ..... 69¢
Hyde Park Black **Pepper** ..... 4 oz. 59¢
Bold **Detergent** .. 49 oz. $1.29
16 Oz. Bush Shelley **Beans** ..... 3 for 89¢
Hunt's **Catsup** ..... 32 oz. 69¢
Pine Sol **Cleaner** ..... 15 oz. 79¢
Kraft Marshmallow **Creme** ..... 13 oz. 59¢
Hyde Park Great Northern and **Pinto Beans** 2 lb. bag 69¢
32 Oz. Log Cabin Regular **Pancake Mix** ..... 59¢
Kraft Singles Pimiento **Cheese** ..... 12 oz. 99¢
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Kraft Barbecue **Sauce** ..... 18 oz. 59¢
48 Oz. Bottle **Wesson Oil** $1.69
10 Oz. Hungry Jack **Biscuits** ..... 3 for 99¢
Snowdrift **Shortening** 3 lbs. $1.49
18 Oz. Kraft Strawberry **Preserves** ..... 89¢
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Hyde Park **Mayonnaise** ..... qt. 99¢
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Fresh **Pork Liver** ..... lb. 39¢
Smoked Jowl **Sliced Bacon** ..... lb. 73¢

Your Horoscope Guide

For The Week Of March 12-18
By GINA, Copley News Service

For more complete forecast, read indications for your Ascendant sign plus Birth sign. To find your Ascendant sign, count ahead from Birth sign the number of signs indicated.

Time of Birth	Probable Ascendant is:
4 to 6 a.m.	Same as birth sign
6 to 8 a.m.	First sign following
8 to 10 a.m.	Second sign following
10 to Noon	Third sign following
Noon to 2 p.m.	Fourth sign following
2 to 4 p.m.	Fifth sign following
4 to 6 p.m.	Sixth sign following
6 to 8 p.m.	Seventh sign following
8 to 10 p.m.	Eighth sign following
10 to Midnight	Ninth sign following
Midnight to 2 a.m.	Tenth sign following
2 to 4 a.m.	Eleventh sign following

ARIES, (March 21 to April 19 — Also Aries Ascendant) — Take direct action to tackle problems and move forward toward your goals. Expect the unexpected in your social sphere — plans may change suddenly. Share ideas and plans with friends for enthusiastic support.

TAURUS: (April 20 to May 20 — Also Taurus Ascendant) — Spark up your wardrobe and buy some new exciting clothes. You are in the role of instructor or teacher now and can influence others greatly. Tensions have eased and your work environment is relaxed.

GEMINI: (May 21 to June 21 — Also Gemini Ascendant) — The tone is definitely up and there is nothing to disappoint you. New people coming into your life on a social level bring joy and a broader outlook. Honors could come now and a loving spirit is all about you.

CANCER: (June 22 to July 21 — Also Cancer Ascendant) — Opportunities for advancement may come later this week. Establish a better relationship with mate or partner by being open and honest about problems. Good time to diet for weight loss or change any habit you choose to.

LEO: (July 23 to Aug. 21 — Also Leo Ascendant) — You are very active and involved now — popular with the opposite sex. A heavy work load in career matters is leading you toward success and recognition. Watch tendency toward a big-shot attitude or making others envious.

VIRGO: (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22 — Also Virgo Ascendant) — The accent is on romance and you can stabilize a loved one by being flexible and understanding. Be calm, relaxed and realistic. Good time to socialize — to entertain at home. Your charisma is high!

LIBRA: (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22 — Also Libra Ascendant) — You feel more outgoing now and social activities are accented. Start laying the groundwork for a goal you have in mind. Discuss your ideas with those who can help. Bosses are watching you so project a positive image.

SCORPIO: (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21 — Also Scorpio Ascendant) — You may suddenly recognize the solution to a current problem and be amazed at how simple it is. Pay loving attentions to mate or partner. Review past accomplishments, attitudes, and set your goals very high.

SAGITTARIUS: (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21 — Also Sagittarius Ascendant) — Home projects can be wound up now and you are pleased with the results. Career matters prosper because you're really in top form now. Romantic life is active and your partner is responsive.

CAPRICORN: (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19 — Also Capricorn Ascendant) — Adhere to your budget and forgo personal desires to meet financial obligations. Personal relationships seem troubled and you feel the need to reach decisions. Some of you may end an old romance and begin a new one.

AQUARIUS: (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18 — Also Aquarius Ascendant) — Travel and communications are accented. Discussions with others regarding your goals can set things in motion. You are in the spotlight and your prestige rises. Financial speculation is not favored now.

PISCES: (Feb. 19 to March 20 — Also Pisces Ascendant) — Changes and new developments mean you must "roll with them" to see their value. Home repairs could be costly so get several estimates. Give attention to affairs of children. Mild speculation is favored.

STITCHING WITCHERY

Straight machine can sew 'stretch'

By BETTY W. KINSER
Copley News Service

So far I have not found much that you can't do in sewing. If it has to do with fabric and a sewing machine, we can do it. Even when someone tells us we can't.

Dear Betty: Could you tell me if it is possible to successfully stitch stretch fabrics on a straight machine? — L. E. Parker, Richmoband, British Columbia

It is possible. In fact, there are two methods we can use.

For soft, lightweight knits, you can "stitch and pull."Release the tension slightly, but keep it balanced. Stitch a regular seam. Allow the fabric to feed through the machine, do not stretch or pull. When you reach the end of the seam, do not backtrack. Cut the thread, leaving a four-inch ball.

Starting at the beginning of the seam, stretch small sections of the fabric, working the excess fabric toward the end of the seam and onto the tail. This puts lots of "give" into your seam and prevents popping threads.

For heavier knits, "stretch and stitch." Hold the fabric behind and in front of the presser foot. As you stitch, stretch the fabric slightly (not too much!).

It can be done!

This method for mending a small hole comes from an Aurora, Ill., reader:

Place a piece of aluminum foil on your ironing board.

Place the damaged area of garment face down, over foil. Place a patch of fusible webbing over hole. Over that, place a patch of fabric face down. (The patch should be larger than the webbing.) Press with lots of steam. While fabric is still warm, pull it away from foil. You now have a neatly patched hole that will hardly show at all.

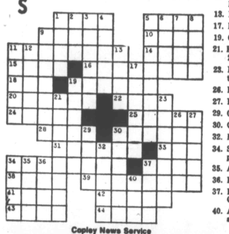
SERVED IN WAVERLY

Gail Koonce, of Ripley, registered nurse, was among Lauderdale Countians who went to Waverly to assist after a railroad tank car of propane exploded there Feb. 24th.

CROSSWORDS

ACROSS
1. Orbit, for one
5. Colorless
9. Communications medium
10. Flowing garment
11. Refuse to change one's mind: 2 wds.
14. Musical composition
15. Salamander
16. Part of the brass section
18. Also
19. Fraternity meeting places
20. Accends: 2 wds.
22. Vending-machine part
24. Brittle cookies
25. Istanbul citizens
28. Realty parcels
30. Dye afresh
31. Swarmed
33. Pod vegetable
34. Prudent
37. Have fun
38. Huge continent
39. Profits
41. Woes
42. Pulverize
43. Son of Adam
44. British school

DOWN
1. Breathe quickly
2. Append
3. Best
4. Cache
5. Stops participating: 2 wds.
6. Lariat
7. Border on
8. A first lady
9. Instance of unfair treatment: 2 wds. (slang)
11. Stocking mishaps
12. Part of a carpentry joint
13. Harbor boats
17. Dissolved
19. Glum
21. Ready money: 2 wds.
23. Increased threefold
26. Massage
27. Remains
29. Ooze
30. Quick reply
32. Mix
34. Speaker's platform
35. Atoll
36. Fine soil
37. Famous Quaker
40. AFL—: abbr.



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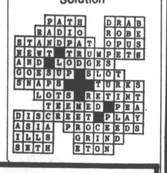

Important Notice To Dog Owners

All dog owners are hereby notified that the "Tennessee Anti-Rabies Law," as passed by the 1957 legislature and approved by the Lauderdale County Court, will be enforced throughout the county.

All dogs three months of age must be vaccinated by a veterinarian.

All cats six months of age must be vaccinated by a veterinarian.

This law requires that all dogs in the county be vaccinated by a licensed veterinarian and licensed at the County Trustee's Office on or before the first day of May, 1978, and of each year thereafter, paying a county license fee of One Dollar ($1.00) for each dog owned, kept, or harbored.

The law also requires that a certificate of rabies vaccination in date must be presented at the time of getting license and that no license certificate shall be issued unless a certificate of rabies vaccination is produced for each dog to be licensed.

In order to help dog owners get their dogs vaccinated, the following vaccination clinics have been set up throughout the county, and a charge of $2.50 for each dog vaccinated will be made by the veterinarian at these clinics. A rabies control officer will accompany the veterinarian to these clinics, and all dogs can be licensed at these clinics. The rabies officer will be on duty full-time thereafter, picking up dogs without tags.

1978 DOG AND CAT VACCINATION SCHEDULE

	Saturday, March 18	Saturday, March 25	Saturday, April 1
12:00-12:30 p.m.	Ripley Farmers Market Parking Lot	McBride's Store	Henning City Hall
12:45-1:00 p.m.		Luckett, Wakefield's Store	
1:15-1:30 p.m.	Flippin	Lightfoot, Hunter's Store	Queen's Store
1:45-2:00 p.m.	Curve Gin		
2:00-2:15 p.m.	Curve Gin	Arp, Morris Gin	Orysa
2:30-2:45 p.m.			Durhamville Gin
3:00-3:10 p.m.	Nankipoo School	Ashport, Fullen's Gin	Spring Hill Store
3:40-3:45 p.m.	Double Bridges		
	Tuesday, April 4	**Saturday, April 8**	**Saturday, April 15**
12:00-12:30 p.m.	Glimp	Central School	Gates Gin
12:45-1:00 p.m.	Pleasant Hill		Gates Gin
1:00-1:15 p.m.		Edith	Gates Gin
1:15-1:30 p.m.	Cherry		
1:45-1:50 p.m.	Trading Post	Knob Creek	
2:00-2:15 p.m.		Porter's Gap	Halls, Planters' Gin
2:15-2:20 p.m.	Fulton		Halls, Planters' Gin
2:30-2:35 p.m.	Fort Pillow Gin	Hale's Point, Keen's Store	Halls, Planters' Gin
2:50-2:55 p.m.		Barr	Halls, Planters' Gin
	Saturday, April 22		
12:00-1:00 p.m.	Ripley, Rice Park		

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All Dogs Must Be On A Leash Or Chain At These Clinics
No Checks Will Be Accepted At These Clinics

Great Paper Dies—Chicago Preferred Law And Order

By MIKE ROYKO
Chicago Daily News
For The Associated Press

CHICAGO — About the only good thing that can be said for working on a newspaper that folds is that it is sort of like reading your own obit.

Since the official anouncement was made on Feb. 22 that the Chicago Daily News would cease publication Saturday, March 4, the nation's press has been lamenting our demise.

We've been reading about how we were one of America's oldest newspapers (102 years), rich in tradition and boasting of great staffs, past and present.

Most of the obits point out that the Daily News had the nation's first foreign service. It was a great one. Over the years it included such star reporters as John Gunther, Edgar Ansel Mowrer, Paul Scott Mowrer, Keyes Beech, George Weller and Bill Stoneman.

This was the newspaper that once employed Carl Sandburg as silent movie critic. Ben Hecht worked here and gathered the material for Front Page, his classic play about the roughhouse days of Chicago journalism. The Daily News invented the daily columnist.

Our 15 Pulitizer Prizes and countless other awards put us right up there with the best of newspapers.

The Daily News was doing investigative reporting, and sending politicians to jail, when Woodward and Bernstein were toddlers.

Our Washington bureau, while not big in number, was always respected. The late Ed Lahey was a living Washington legend.

Bureau chief Peter Lisagor, who died in 1976, was often described by his peers as the best reporter in the capital.

The recent staff was as good as its ancestors. Pulitizers were owned by cartoonist John Fischetti, associate editor Lois Wille and Beech, lately of the Washington staff. More than 50 books have been written by recent Daily News writers.

Well, you read enough glowing obits about yourself, and you can be pardoned for thinking: "Boy, we were really pretty good."

But then comes the inevitable question: "Yea? If we were that good, how come we didn't make it?"

And that is the toughest part of being on a 102-year-old, tradition-laden newspaper that goes under. If it had been a cheap rag, its death would have been easier to take. But the Daily News, while it had some bad days, was still one of the best newspapers in this country.

The very day publisher Marshall Field stood on a desk in the city room to break the bad news, the newspaper was notified that Lois Wille had won the William Allen White award, the nation's top honor for excellence in editorial writing.

In recent months it had dominated the city's new coverage, with spectacular front-page exposes of political scandals. The talk in the news room was about which story would win a Pulitizer Prize — not whether we'd win, but which one.

An indication of the staff's ability was that within hours of Field's announcement, editors from other cities were flying to Chicago to set up recruiting offices in nearby hotels. Newspapers like the Los Angeles Times, Washington Post, Dallas Times and others snapped up talent. One reporter found himself weighing offers from the New York Times, the Wall Street Journal and Forbes magazine. An editor from Seattle flew in, offered jobs to two writers and said, "I wish I could take back 25 of them."

Yes, it was a fine newspaper and getting better. John Justin Smith, who started as a copy boy in 1936 and had worked there 41 years as reporter, writer, columnist, assistant city editor, sports editor and travel editor, said: "What hurts is that it is as good or better right now than at any time in my career."

But in the executive offices, where the bottom line is what they read first, the talk was about the slide in circulation, the resultant loss of advertising, and the growing deficit which would reach $11 million in 1978, more than the other Field newspaper, the profitable morning Sun-Times, could possibly earn.

And that is the puzzler. Why couldn't a good newspaper make it?

People say that expressways are a factor. Twenty years ago Chicago didn't have any. Many more people rode buses, subways, commuter trains. Many bought an afternoon newspaper on the way home. Now Chicago has a network of expressways. More suburban-bound drivers. Fewer rush hour readers.

Most people used to live and work in or near the city. It was easy to deliver their newspaper or put a newsstand on their street corner. Now more people live and work in the suburbs or beyond. Distribution is tougher.

And the competition is tough. The Tribune is rich, powerful and aggressive. The Sun-Times is profitable and a modern tabloid. Both are morning newspapers.

All of these factors contributed to a circulation drop at the Daily News from about 550,000 in the late 1950s to the final figure of about 315,000.

But there were other things, seldom mentioned by professional press critics because they aren't as easy to measure.

Courage, for example. There are times when a newspaper can have too much of it for its own economic good. That, at times, was one of the Daily News' problems.

In the early 1960s, many newspapers treated the civil rights movement quite gingerly. The Daily News recognized it as the most important story in America. Nicholas Von Hoffman, now a Washington columnist, but then a Daily News reporter, wrote brilliant, in-depth reports from the South. When the civil rights movement went north to Chicago, the Daily News was just as aggressive in reporting the racism of its own city. The Daily News was far ahead of any Chicago paper on this story.

All of which made the staff proud. But it made many white readers angry. It was a story they didn't want to know about. Almost very day the circulation director would storm into the news room and scream about cancellations by white readers. The editor told him to stay the hell away from the reporters.

The irony was that the white readers quit in droves. But almost no black readers joined.

In Chicago, Richard J. Daley was mayor, boss, father figure, and the most dominant politician in the city's history. He was viewed with awe by the establishment, common people, and the Eastern press. By almost everybody, in fact, except the Daily News. During and after the 1968 Democratic Convention the Daily News hit him hardest for his co...ibution to the chaos.

But most Chicagoans thought that the splitting of protestors' heads in Grant Park was great sport. So Daley got votes while the Daily News lost readers.

When the Cook County state's attorney's police raided Black Panther headquarters and three black men were killed, the official explanation was that the police had fired in self-defense. The Daily news said baloney and demanded an investigation. The Daily News was proved right, but more white readers, who preferred police to Panther, turned away.

Courage didn't kill the Daily News, but it undoubtedly shortened its life.

And so did apathy. In the Chicago area, 1.6 million people will turn on Welcome Back Kotter. About 2.1 million watch Charlie's Angels. Wonder Woman draws 939,000. There's a big market for mental cotton candy.

But out of 7 million who live in the Daily News circulation area, only 315,000 of them thought one of the better newspapers in America was worth 15 inflationary cents.

When a new dictator takes over a country, one of the first things he does is seize or close the newspapers.

Apathy isn't as heavy-handed as a dictator. But it can get the same job done.

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THE BIBLE SPEAKS

International Uniform Sunday School Lessons

BY LAWRENCE W. ALTHOUSE

PENTECOST ANYONE?

Lesson for March 12, 1978

Background Scripture: Acts 2.
Devotional Reading: Acts 2:16-21.

"Will Pentecost ever happen again?"

This question was asked by a youthful member of one of my confirmation classes several years ago. Actually, the question is hardly one that is limited to the youth generation. Lots of people have wondered whether Pentecost was intended to be "once-and-done," or a continuing phenomenon in the life of the church.

Rev. Althouse

They were "all together"

I have often wondered whether the first Pentecost could have happened if the church then had been of the same mind and heart that exists within it today. In those days, for example, it was possible for them to assemble "all together in one place." Even apart from the considerations of numbers today, that would be a considerable challenge for us today for the chances of us agreeing to be "all together in one place" are not very great.

Even more importantly, however, I think it would be difficult to have another Pentecost today because many Christians would probably look with disdain upon any kind of event in which there would be a demonstration of religious enthusiasm. We seem naturally suspicious of anyone who is enthusiastic about their religion. I can imagine the debates by the theologians and the dogmatists who would seriously question whether such a blatant display of power would be appropriate. A good many church people today seem to think that there is something vulgar in displaying spiritual power. At the same time it is obvious from the New Testament that neither Jesus nor his disciples shared those concerns. Although the miracles were never vulgar or crass, Jesus and his disciples knew and used the power of signs and wonders for the sake of the kingdom.

A promise for all

Another roadblock that Pentecost might experience today would be in the matter of religious credentials. Each denomination would want to be quite certain that the leaders were properly certified and the lay people accredited in some fashion. After all, we can't have the wrong people displaying the power of the Holy Spirit! There would be creedal tests so that different denominational groups would be quite certain that it was "safe" to share this with another group outside its own ecclesiastical structure. Some groups would probably refuse to participate due to the presence of other groups whose doctrinal orthodoxy was suspect.

The end result would probably be a committee to "study" the whole matter. And there, quite possibly, the whole matter would simply end in failure to agree on the essentials of the experience. Pentacost, like so many other worthwhile things, would "die in committee."

But maybe the picture I've drawn above is too dark, too pessimistic. Maybe it can still happen today. All right, let's see: Pentacost anyone?

OBSERVING BIRTHDAY

Halls Girl Scouts troops will join other troops throughout the nation in celebrating the 66th anniversary of the founding of the organization on March 12th. Next week has been designated as National Girl Scouts Week.

Coaches Attend Football Clinic

Andy Pugh, Al Bradford, Ike Taylor, Gary Jennings, and Paul Climer, Halls High School football coaches, attended a football coaching clinic in Hot Springs, Ark., during the weekend.

Aids Heart Fund

FELICIA PITCOCK, 13, daughter of Mrs. Ray Archibald, sang in the Heart Fund Variety Show at 8 p.m. Tuesday in Ripley High School, after a postponement by bad weather.

CONFIDENTIAL CORNER

By Henry Murchison

Wandering Around

Despite all his efforts President Carter has wound up on the hot spot in the coal miners strike. Mr. Carter delayed action in the hope that a settlement would relieve him of a major decision, but the miners' vote to turn down the contract has forced Mr. Carter to invole the Taft-Hartley Act with a strong possibility that miners will ignore the order. Mr. Carter can do nothing but lose since he delayed too long in making his move.

We were somewhat surprised that all but one of the constitutional amendments were approved in Tuesday's election. We had felt that the county government changes probably would be beaten. As a whole the changes would appear good for the citizens of Tennessee.

Election officials at the Halls precinct were justifiably upset Tuesday with the condition of the Community Club building where the election was held. The roof was leaking badly, the heating system was not working properly, and the building was generally uncomfortable. It seems too bad that the building is being neglected to the point that it perhaps soon will be beyond repair without tremendous costs.

Poplar Grove

By Mrs. Nelle Kendrick

Mrs. Lenard Alston and Mrs. Mitchell Moore were in Ripley Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shelton visited Mr. and Mrs. Onie Hicks in Halls last Thursday.

Ed Sumerlin and Wilson Sumerlin, of Crockett County, were dinner guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Lenard Alston, and Mr. Alston Wednesday of last week. Ed Sumerlin remained until Friday when Mrs. Alston drove him home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Davis, of Memphis, and Marvin Jackson, of Dyersburg, were Sunday evening dinner guests of the Roy Brandons.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kendrick spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Harris at Double Bridges.

Mrs. Howard Shelton and Mrs. Doyle Davis visited Mrs. O. L. White in Halls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Orwig and children, of Memphis, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Knox.

The Rev. and Mrs. Nolan Criner, of Ripley, and Mr. and Mrs. Lenard Alston had fish dinner at Reelfoot Lake Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kendrick visited Mr. and Mrs. Onie Hicks at Halls Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shelton spent Sunday afternoon with the R. W. Gillilands at Dry Hill.

Lenard Alston spent Thursday with his sister, Mrs. Dobie Dunaway, and Mr. Dunaway at Halls.

Mrs. Reda Houk and Teresa, of Halls, were supper guests of Mrs. Thelma Smith Thursday. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kendrick.

Visiting the Howard Sheltons Tuesday evening of last week were Mr. and Mrs. David Boswell, of Fowlkes, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Jones, The Rev. Talmadge Kelley, and Mrs. Jimmy Kendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kendrick were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Harris, of near Halls, Saturday evening.

Miss Angela Vaughn, of Gates, and Miss Lori Shelton were in Jackson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry King and son, of Ripley, and Brett Cook, of Halls, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Holford Swanner.

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In New Offices

ROSS W. DYER, retired chief justice of the Tennessee Supreme Court, has moved from the second floor into new offices on the first floor of the W. T. Nunn building on the south side of Main Street, uptown in Halls. Judge Dyer and his cousin, C. G. Dyer, have re-finished the interior of the building with walnut paneling, erected partitions, and laid carpet for private offices. Mrs. E. T. Palmer, of Dyersburg, owner of the building, is renovating the front of the building and portions of the second story, but completion has been delayed by inclement weather. A native of Halls, Dyer served 13 years on the Supreme Court, five as chief justice. He retired in September, 1974. He received his attorney's license in 1939 after attending YMCA night school at Nashville while employed by the Tennessee Department of Finance and Taxation. He served one term, 1957-59, in the legislature, in which he was floor leader for Gov. Frank Clement. He was later executive assistant to Gov. Buford Ellington. He and Mrs. Dyer reside at 205 South College in Halls. They have one son, Thomas Dyer, an attorney in Memphis.

Carter Reluctant To Support Farmer Requests

Seventh District Congressman Ed Jones this week said that his discussion with President Carter on the nation's agricultural situation produced no firm assurances that administrative action he is seeking will be taken but added that the President did show a willingness to discuss possible solutions to farm problems.

Last week, Rep. Jones introduced a sense of the House resolution urging President Carter to take action under administrative powers granted in the 1977 farm bill. The Jones resolution calls for establishment of higher support loan levels, expansion of agricultural sales abroad, reduction in cotton production, and institution of a land diversion program for which farmers could receive payment.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Estate Of Ruth Williams Buffaloe,

Deceased. Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of March, 1978, Letters of Administration in respect of the Estate of Mrs. Ruth Williams Buffaloe were issued to the undersigned by the County Court of Lauderdale County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against said estate are required to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, otherwise their claims will be forever barred. This 6th day of March, 1978.

Frewi Benjamin Buffaloe, Executor,
Estate Of Mrs. Ruth Williams Buffaloe,
Ross W. Dyer Deceased
Attorney 9-2tP.

Landscaping Is Presented By High Schoolers

The Ornamental Horticulture Class of Halls High School presented the program Thursday afternoon of last week when Halls Garden Club met in First Baptist Church.

Ray Griffith, class advisor, introduced the program and discussed the types of shrubs which can be used on local lawns. Mike Robison operated a projector to show films of ornamental shrubs to accompany Mr. Griffith's commentary.

Rick Robison presented a drawing showing the objectives and advantages of using a landscape drawing. Sharon Dugger spoke on mulchesand caring for them. She displayed several types of bark and rock mulches which club members examined at the close of the program.

Joe Hardy spoke on the pruning and fertilization of trees and shrubs. He showed a film on pruning with its own explanatory tape.

Mrs. Warren Nunn, a visitor, spoke briefly on landscaping for the new elementary school, urging the club to have a project for assisting with the landscaping.

Mrs. Roy Patton gave the devotional, reading Psalms 63:3, a poem "Thy Hidden Ones," and thoughts on "Nature and The Seasons" by George Mathison.

Arrangement for the day was a potted plant. The judges named Mrs. Ross Dyer as first place winner for a palm plant with philodendron. Mrs. Sidney Gooch took second place with a blooming "Old Lady's Pocketbook" and Mrs. F. E. Pugh third with a piggy-back plant.

Hostesses were Mrs. Gooch, club president, Mrs. E. S. Crichfield, Mrs. W. G. Neely, and Mrs. Hollis Johnson. They served assorted cookies and Coke.

PTO TO MEET

Halls Parent-Teacher Organization will meet at 7 p.m. Monday at the elementary school. The sixth grade will present the program.

Mrs. Warren Nunn, PTO president, reminded school patrons of the paper drive. Trucks to pick up the paper will be at the school Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday of next week.

CLEO CARTER, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Carter, Sr., of Route 2, Halls, has been accepted as a student at Meharry Medical College at Nashville. Cleo, presently a pre-medical major at Tennessee State College with a 3.82 average, will enter Meharry in August. He will join two brothers, Dennis Carter and William Carter, Jr., at Meharry.

ATTEND DAR MEET

In Knoxville during the past weekend to attend the Daughters of the American Revolution state convention were Mrs. Charles R. Viar, regent of Key Corner chapter, and Mr. Viar accompanied by Amy Johnson, winner of second place in the fifth grade category for her essay, and her father, J. L. Johnson, of Newbern; Mr. and Mrs. Neil Dyer, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cook, Jr. and children. The Cooks were in Knoxville to see their daughter, Betsy Hoff, receive her award as first place winner in the state in the essay contest.

"The liar is caught as quickly as a cripple." Italian proverb

Barnes Resigns Utility Job

Akin Barnes, Town of Halls utility superintendent, resigned Monday effective April 1st. The Board of Mayor and Aldermen, after urging him to re-consider, voted unanimously to accept his resignation. He had been utility superintendent since 1975.

In other business the Board deferred the request of Alonzo Adams to open a barbecue stand until Adams could meet with the zoning board;

Voted to lease Jerry Ward and Richard Deaton two acres of land on the apron on the old air base for construction of a plant to build wooden pallets. The board tentatively set lease price at $125 per acre subject to a satisfactory contract;

R. L. Polk, engineer for TLM Associates, of Jackson, presented a contract for a waste water treatment plant for the Halls-Gates area. The board voted to proceed with the contract if Gates officials approve;

The board, in order to meet legal requirements, voted to rescind previous action of issuing an additional $90,000 in water and sewer revenue bonds. Mayor Sammie Arnold then told the board that legal requirements for public notice have now been met and the board approved a new resolution to issue the bonds;

Approved expenditure of up to $15,000 for repair of water well on Front St. Layne-Central Well Co. is preparing the estimates of cost;

Donny Levy told board members that the Tennessee Valley Authority Townlift study should be completed in the near future and a brochure is being prepared for presentation about May 1st. The brochure will contain suggested improvements including studies on a public library and use of the old Illinois Central Gulf Railroad depot as a city police station. Some estimates of cost will be included in the brochure.

Voted to send Police Chief Buddy Moore and one other policeman to police school in Nashville April 6th-7th.

Brevities

Mr. and Mrs. Jerre Jordan spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Jordan at Memphis. They also visited with their son, Steve.

Mrs. David R. Nunn was in Memphis Friday of last week.

Mrs. Alvin Hallman was in Memphis Monday.

Holice Gilliland, Jr., of the University of Mississippi at Oxford, and Miss Jennifer Boyd spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Holice Gilliland.,

Mrs. E. B. Williams and Mrs. Donald Hogue were in Memphis Monday.

Mrs. Ola Palmore arrived home Tuesday after spending the winter months with Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Smith at Reddington, Fla. Mr. and Mrs. Smith drove her to Halls.

Mrs. Thelma Cox, of Memphis, spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Armstrong.

Vermont was an independent republic before it became a state.

Survey Ranks UT As 19th Largest

The University of Tennessee is the 19th largest higher education institution in the nation in total enrollment, according to an annual survey.

The study lists total UT enrollment as 49,864, which includes students at the Chattanooga, Knoxville, Martin, Memphis and Nashville campuses. Dr. Garland Parker, executive director for enrollment policy and educational research at the University of Cincinnati, conducts the annual enrollment studies.

Last year, UT ranked 18th with an enrollment of 48,550.

Parker said nationwide collegiate enrollments gained about two percent in 1977-78 to an estimated 11,332,500 students. He surveyed 1710 four-year institutions and 1006 two-year schools.

The largest university according to Parker's rankings is the State University of New York with 343,946 students, and second is the California State University and College System with 337,684. The State University and Community College System of Tennessee ranks ninth with 86,020.

Other southern institutions ranked among the nation's largest are the University of North Carolina, the State University System of Florida and the Louisiana State University System.

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Carolyn Brown Vandergriff Is Bride Of Willie R. Griggs

Carolyn Brown Vandergriff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Lewis Brown, of Ripley, was married at 8 p.m. Feb. 10th to Willie R. Griggs, son of Louis Griggs and Mrs. Ruth Griggs, of Ripley. The Rev. Richard Crocker performed the ceremony in First Presbyterian Church in Ripley.

A 1971 graduate of Ripley High School, employed by Tennessee Diecasting, she is the granddaughter of Clyde Brown and the late Mrs. Brown and of Mrs. Allan Alford and the late Guy Wood, of Ripley.

Mr. Griggs, a 1962 graduate of Halls High School who owns Volunteer Carpet Service in Memphis, is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Griggs, of Ashport, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Willie Kirkpatrick, of Ashport.

A reception was held in the lake house of the bride's parents at Open Lake.

The couple will reside in this county.

Flu Maroons Ky. Driver In Gates

By Mrs. Sally Cullipher

GATES, March 7 — Mrs. Ann Maclin's son, David, who drives a large truck for a firm in Louisville, Ky., where he resides, came by several days ago to see his mother, took the flu, and had to stay in bed here five days before he was able to drive his truck away.

Preston Turner, son of the Mack Turners, of Ridgely, and only grandchild of Mrs. Ann Maclin, spent Friday night with her.

Mrs. Flossie Robison attended a going-away party given Saturday by her brother, Bill Smith, and his wife, in their new home near Ripley for a cousin, Mrs. Wallace Dowty, and Mr. Dowty, who are moving to Alabama.

Dr. and Mrs. Tom Avery and son, Paul, of Memphis, visited Dr. Avery's parents, the Paul Averys Sunday. Paul entered a Jackson hospital Monday for tests.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Voss visited "Pete" McWilliams and the R. V. Lilleys in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg Sunday. Mr. McWilliams, who entered the hospital early last week, expected to be out of intensive care early this week.

Mrs. Ivy Yeargin, of Dyersburg, aunt of Mrs. Talmage Heathcott, entered Baptist Hospital in Memphis Sunday, expecting surgery early this week.

Mrs. Norman Sloan, Jr., and son, Sam, of Lubbock, Tex., spent last week with her husband's mother, Mrs. Ruby Sloan, and visited other relatives, including Miss Byrd Sloan in NuCare Nursing Home in Dyersburg. Mrs. Estol Wood and Mrs. Norman Sloan took them to the Memphis airport for their return flight.

A large number of friends called Sunday as the Richard Hunts observed their 50th wedding anniversary. Gifts covered a large bed and full length table.

The Rev. W. B. Bishop, of Middleton, remains in critical condition in Methodist Hospital in Memphis.

Mrs. Flossie Robison and daughter, Mrs. Jerry Smith, took Mrs. Mattie Robison and daughter, Bethel, to Veterans Hospital in Memphis to visit Mrs. Flossie Robison's brother-in-law and Mrs. Mattie Robison's husband, Carl Robison, who is very ill.

On my birthday Saturday, the Bill Moores and Mrs. Billie Morgan and daughter, Paula Sue, of Ridgely, the Ben Franklins, of Memphis, Mrs. Earl Bowden and James Tillman, of Covington, the Grady Kellys and son, David, Mrs. Bill Kelly and son, Warren, Miss Jennie Kelly, and Miss Addie Kelly brought dishes, with me and my mother, Mrs. Lillian Jamerson, furnishing the meat and all but a Texas Delight pie of the desserts. We have left-overs for all this week, which is wonderful, with mother having an appointment to see Dr. Douglas Haynes Wednesday.

Mrs. Ruth Kennedy and son, Randy, visited the Ronald Kennedys and daughter in Ripley Sunday. Mrs. Kennedy accompanied them Monday to Memphis, where Mrs. Ronald Kennedy saw her doctor.

and son, Ronnie Lee, of Nankipoo, visited her grandparents, the Willie Kennedys, who are improving, Sunday.

Mrs. Fay Coffman substituted Monday for Mrs. Dixie Baker, whose sister has been very ill, in leading the program, "Shrouds and Butterflies," when United Methodist Women met Monday. Mrs. Flossie Robison and Mrs. Kathryn Voss served a dessert plate. Mrs. Coffman also substituted for Mrs. Bessie Lilley in leading the World Day of Prayer program Friday.

"A hog in armor is still a hog." Thomas Fuller

Marrying In Michigan

ANGELIA NOLEN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Nolen, of Adrian, Mich., and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nolen, of Gates, and of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Olds, of Halls, will marry Michael Heator, son of Mrs. Patricia Steele, of Adrian, Mich., and of Richard Heator, of Coldwater, Miss., March 18th in Bethany Assembly of God Church in Adrian.

A 1977 graduate of Adrian High School, Miss Nolen is enrolled in the Jackson Business University in Jackson, Mich.

R. G. Willeford

Robert Guy Willeford, 61, of Ripley, factory worker, died Monday in Lauderdale County Hospital.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Ripley Church of Christ, with burial in Mary's Chapel Cemetery.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Altie Smith Willeford; a daughter, Mrs. Lula Mae Simpson, of Ripley; three sisters, Mrs. Willie Hendrix, of Ripley, Mrs. Helen Brown, of Irving, Tex., and Mrs. Jewell Davis, of Richardson, Tex.; and four half-brothers, Lowell Hawk, of Richardson, Curtis Hawk, of Fort Worth, Tex., Jeff Hawk, of Denton, Tex., and Raymond Hawk, of Dallas, Tex.

HOLY LAND SLIDES

The Rev. L. D. Kennedy, of Campbellsville, Ky., former pastor of Macedonia Baptist Church at Edith, will show slides of the Holy Land in the church at 7 p.m. next Wednesday. The Rev. C. H. Wroten, pastor, invites the public.

SPECIAL SINGING

Special singing at 6 p.m Sunday in Curve Church of God Holiness will feature the Pathlighters. The Rev. Mary Kelly, pastor, invites the public.

Earl West Heard In Barr Church

By Mrs. Ward Hardy

BARR, March 7—Earl West, of Ripley, a Gideon, was guest speaker in New Mitchell Grove Baptist Church Sunday.

Guests of Mrs. Mabel Harrison Sunday were Marilyn Critchfield and daughter, of Ripley, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lynch, of Nankipoo, Mrs. Frankie Dunham, of Memphis, and the Troy Harrisons, of Edith. Mrs. Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. Bernell Bowie, of Nankipoo, are spending a few days this week in Hot Springs, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Ithmer Kissell visited E. R. Hardy in Ripley Friday. Sunday guests of the Kissells were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones, of Walnut Grove, the Garland Kissells, of Ripley, and the Ercle Kissells, of Dry Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Holmes have been ill two weeks. Howard Holmes, of Chisholm Bluff, visited them Saturday.

Guests of the J. D. Smiths Sunday were the Junior Smiths and the Gerald Turners, of Memphis.

Bitsy Smith and children, Angie and Eddie, were in Dyersburg Saturday night.

Mrs. Margaret Adkins, of Memphis, spent Saturday night with the Warren Hardys and attended church services here Sunday.

Cathy and Pam Timbs, of Munford, spent last weekend with their father, Robert, and Mrs. Timbs, who accompanied them home Sunday and visited Mr. Timbs' parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Freeman visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Phillips and family at Curve Sunday.

Berniece Hardy, of Curve, spent last week with the Leamond Arthurs. The Arthurs visited the Thomas Gaitors ni Brownsville Sunday.

Glen Arthur spent Saturday night with the Ronnie Nelsons in Ripley.

Little Jake Kitchens spent a few days with his grandparents, the Ward Hardys, while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kitchens, were moving from Ripley to Memphis. Mr. and Mrs. Randy Hardy, of Concord, visited the Hardys Friday night.

Lonnie Cash has spent a few days with his brother, Coy, in Alamo.

Vows Slated Thursday

SHARON RENEE CRAIG, daughter of Mrs. Norris Nix, Jr., and Dolan Craig, of Ripley, will marry James Michael Chisholm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy D. Chisholm, of Dry Hill, at 7 p.m. March 16th in Hurricane Hill Methodist Church, with open invitation.

A 1977 graduate of Ripley High School, she is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Craig, of Cox Pond, and of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Neal, of Hurricane Hill.

Mike, a 1975 graduate of Halls High School, is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Chisholm, of Edith-Central Rd., and of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Avery, of Gates.

The couple will reside in Halls, where Mike is associated with his father in Chisholm Lime, Sand, and Gravel.

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Halls Mom Creates Beauty Out Of Son's Duck Decoys

By Tony Mack

Woods And Waters

If it's molded of cardboard or plastic, artistically painted, and shaped to closely resemble a mallard drake, it's a decoy used by duck hunters to lure waterfowl into shooting range, right?

Not necessarily. It could be a beautiful centerpiece, or at least, part of the makings for one.

Mrs. Charles Haley, of Halls, puts a good many decoys to use each year for that purpose.

To me, her work is really super. But then, my attitude might be slightly prejudiced, since she happens to be my mother.

If you sportsmen make with the sweet talk, you might convince the mom around your house to try putting together a decoy centerpiece similar to our example for the dining table or den TV.

List Of Easily Found Essentials

(Total Cost, About $14)

1 decoy (select a species with color—example shown is a mallard drake)

1 roll floral tape

Makes a wonderful conversation piece, and since the makings are 90% natural, it fits well into any interior design.

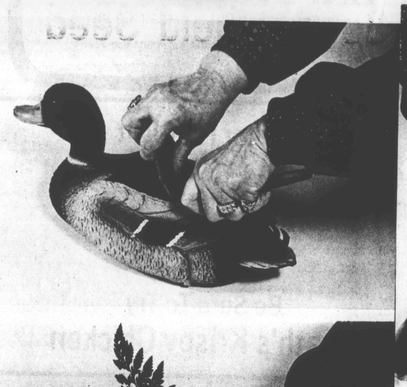
It's a fine family project for the off-season when fishing and hunting opportunities are on the slim side for most of us.

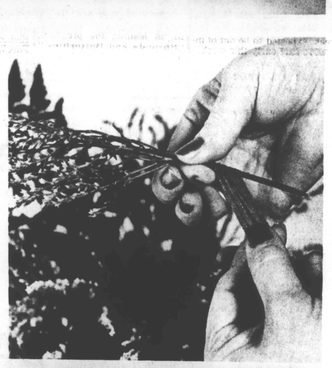
The list of required ingredients is at right and step-by-step directions at lower left.

1 roll floral adhesive
1 styrofoam block, 3x3 inches
1 piece felt, 3x6 inches
1/2 dozen 6-inch lengths of stiff floral wire
30 floral picks
6 treated leather leaf stems
6 dried German statice stems
6 treated eucalyptus stems (3 gold, 3 light brown)
4 dried and dyed wheat stalks (2 gold, 2 orange)
2 dried artichokes
1 dried artichoke bloom
3 dried, miniature cat-tails
1 bundle dried star flowers (orange, gold, green)

Tools Required For Assembly

Wire cutters
Knife
Scissors (optional)





STEP BY STEP—Top row, from left: (1) Using list provided, round up items needed (most available from variety stores or florists) and lay them out; (2) With sharp knife, trim rudder tab from bottom of decoy so it will sit flat; (3) Trim felt and glue to bottom of decoy with floral adhesive—the felt will prevent slippage and furniture scratches. Middle row, from left: (4) Cut 3x3-inch square hole in center of back; (5) Spread adhesive on back of styrofoam block, insert block into opening, and press firmly to bottom; (6) Wind wire of floral pick around each flower stem and wrap securely with tape; three or four star flowers should be bunched and wrapped together, using tape and stiff wire instead of floral picks—so more can be used when space becomes scarce. Lower row, from left: (7) Insert flowers one at a time into styrofoam block; begin with a full, circular base of leather-leaf; (8) Add other flowers in the order in the list, placing artichoke bloom about center front; (9) Try for a well-rounded, lively-looking piece with proper balance, like this one made by Mrs. Haley.

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Wild Turkey Fans Feast

Members, prospective members, and guests are urged to attend a banquet and calling contest of the state chapter of the National Wild Turkey Federation at 7 p.m. March 18th in Brooks Steak House in Jackson, with wives invited.

Famed hunter Jim Humber, of Clarksdale, Miss., national trap champion L. E. Vandeford, of Hughes, Ark., and world champion turkey caller Rob Keck, of South Carolina, will be on hand for the event, reports Haywood Mays, of Ripley, who is a member of the organization.

The calling contest will offer trophies and cash prizes.

Reservations may be made with Ed Labry, E. Main St., Humboldt, Tenn., 784-2041.

Nankipoo Locals

By Mrs. Fleetwood Cates

Mrs. Virginia Olds spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. John Cross, and Mr. Cross in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Riddick were visitors in the Bob Harrell home in Memphis the first of the week. Marvin was checked by his doctor Tuesday.

Mrs. Happie Cavness is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Ike McWilliams, and family in Memphis. Mrs. Cavness remains ill.

Roland Len Collins spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Doug Collins, Jr., in Memphis.

Sunday visitors of the Roy Hilliards were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hilliard and daughter and Paul Allen, Thomas, and David Lancaster, of Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Clement, of Brownsville visited Harrell's parents, the R. E. Clement's, Sunday and attended services in Enon Baptist Church.

Mrs. Beatrice Prichard spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Tommy Roberts, and family in Memphis.

Gale Cavness was home for the weekend from the University of Tennessee, in Knoxville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carpenter, of New Madrid, Mo., spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Jerry Olds, and family. Mrs. Olds suffered a broken ankle when she fell on ice a few weeks ago.

PAULING BORN

Biochemist Linus Pauling was born on Feb. 28, 1901.

MEAT MANAGER

CHARLES GAY has been named meat market manager of Heath Super Market in Gates, effective March 1st. A native of the Whitefield community in this county, he attended a meat cutting school in Toledo, Ohio. He was employed by Kroger's in Jackson and Memphis before going to Cleveland, Miss. He came to Halls in 1976. He joined Heath's in 1977 as a meat cutter. He and Mrs. Gay reside in Town and Country Subdivision, Gates.

Home-buying ability drops

Between 1970 and 1975 the percentage of families able to buy a median-priced house dropped from 50 to 35.

Construction of townhouses and apartments in settled neighborhoods often is opposed by owners of single-family houses who don't want them nearby, according to a recent study.

UT Choir Sings At Holly Grove

The Baptist Student Union Choir of the University of Tennessee in Knoxville will sing "Bright New Wings," under the direction of Judy Mynatt, at 7:30 p.m. next Friday in Holly Grove Baptist Church at 155 College St. in Ripley.

The Rev. W. L. Reid, pastor, invites the public.

Miss Black Ripley Pageant Is Slated

Nathaniel Lodge 216 will sponsor the second annual "Miss Black Ripley" Pageant at 6 p.m. April 16th in Ripley High School.

Young ladies 18 to 25, or who will be 18 by July 31, 1978, are invited to pick up applications at Pitts Barber Shop at 107 South Main.

James O. Jarrett, Worshipful Master, says the lodge is grateful for the support of last year's pageant and expects this year's to be even better.

James T. Pitts is the pageant's co-ordinator.

NIXON VISIT

President Richard M. Nixon made a state visit to the People's Republic of China, inaugurating a new stage in American-Chinese relations, Feb. 28, 1972.

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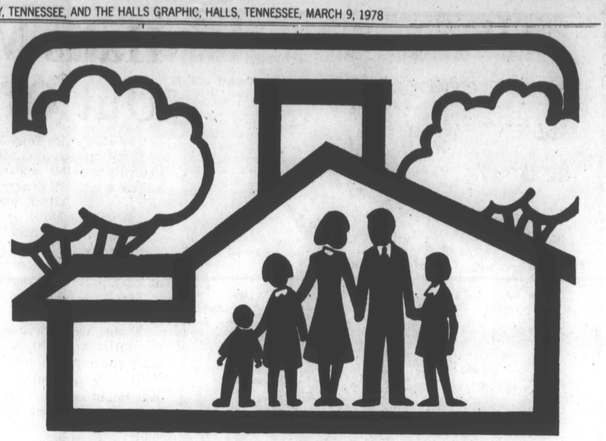

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33 Gal. Size Hefty Trash Bags .. 10 ct. $1.19
8 Oz. Hunt's Tomato Sauce ... 4 for $1
Heinz Hamburger Sliced Dill Pickle ..... 16 oz. 59¢
Bama Strawberry Jam ..... 32 oz. $1.09
Center Cut Pork Chops..... lb. $1.39
Breakfast Pork Chops..... lb. $1.49
Country Style Backbone..... lb. $1.19
Pork Loin Roast ..... lb. $1.19
Smoked Sausage ..... lb. 99¢
Bun Buddies Franks ..... 12 oz. 69¢
Chickasaw Bacon ..... lb. 99¢
Chopped Sirloin ..... lb. $1.39

Turner's Old Fashioned Ice Cream ..... 5 qt. $2.99
First Cut Pork Chops..... lb. 99¢

14.5 Oz. Hunt's Whole Peeled Tomatoes ..... 3 for $1
Purex Toss-n-Soft.... 20 ct. 69¢
Hungry Jack Mashed Potatoes ..... 16 oz. 89¢
24 Oz. Loaves County Fair Bread ..... 3 for $1
Pet Dairy Creamer .... 16 oz. $1.09
Lipton Lemon Flavored Instant Tea ..... 4 oz. $1.49
Green Cabbage..... lb. 19¢
Yellow Ripe Bananas ..... lb. 22¢
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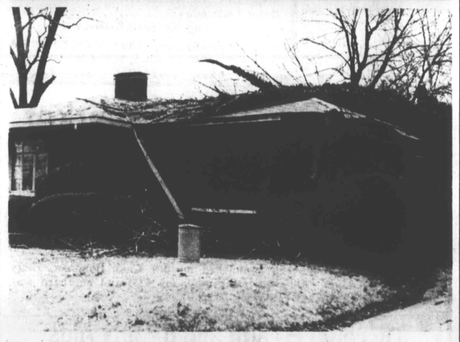
High Winds Lash County



NELL G. GOODWIN'S 1965 PONTIAC CATALINA, parked in front of her home at 108 Church St. in Ripley, was crushed when a tree branch fell on it during high winds and rain at 6:33 p.m. Monday. A tree fell on the carport at the home of Mrs. B. C. Durham, Jr. (lower photo), at 146 Church Street. The carport of the Bill Roberson home at 213 JoAnn Drive collapsed, and a window was broken at James Vanness Grocery on Highway 19 East. High winds battered many homes in the eastern edge of the county, at Concord, Woodville, and Forked Deer

Court Buys Site For School, Delays Remap Until April

Monday's County Court session approved site purchase for Ripley's new school but delayed until April a re-arrangement of the districts from which Court members are elected.

The re-apportionment of districts, for the purpose of electing magistrates, is required by passage of Proposal 10, amending the state Constitution. The amendment limits County Courts to 25 members, with no district to elect more than three magistrates to the Court.

In this county, the change will reduce the court from 28 to 25 magistrates. The Second Civil District, which includes Ripley and has been electing nine magistrates, will have to be divided into three districts electing three magistrates each. The Twelfth Civil District, which includes Halls and has been electing four magistrates, must be divided into two voting zones, each electing two magistrates.

Magistrate William "Bill Pete" Tucker IV, the county election commission chairman, proposed the plan outlined at right to make each magistrate represent about 498 of the county's 12,462 registered voters.

He offered no proposal on how to divide voters in Ripley and Halls.

Besides the 13 magistrates they would continue to elect, his plan would elect three from each of four districts:

- A southeast district including Orysa, Henning, Glimp, and Pleasant Hill.
- A southwest district running from Lightfoot, Luckett, and Cherry west to the Mississippi River and north beyond Open Lake.
- A district across the county's waist, running from Curve and Central, including Arp, and extending to Barr and Hale's Point.
- A district bent around the Halls area, including Gates, Edith, Nankipoo, and Double Bridges.

50-Acre Site Funded

Told that condemnation would be required to get the T. L. Nelson estate's property just west of Ripley High School, the court approved purchase of 50 acres on Volz Road, north of the south industrial park, from Charles Griggs and Her-Man L. Reviere at $2,000 per acre for a new elementary school.

School authorities said the site would also provide room for a junior high school, when authorized.

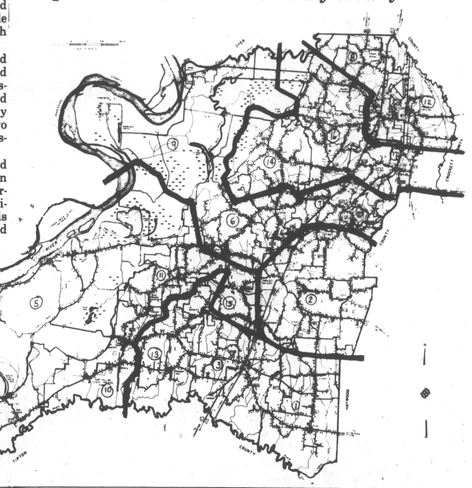
A plaque was presented The Rev. George Hart and Bill Maxwell, Jr., with a resolution from the court and from the city of Ripley praising their rescue of two Henning men from the Mississippi River.

Notaries public elected were Carrie Glenn, Susan L. Weir, Margie Glenn, Larry Joe White, V. A. Gilliland, Shirley Spiller, Doris Moore, James O. Ewell, and Thomas E. Burns.

County Court Re-District Plan Heard Monday

Proposed District	PRESENT PRECINCTS AND REGISTERED VOTERS		Total To Elect 3 Magistrates	Voters Per Magistrate	Over Or Under 498
1	Orysa (285) Henning (890) Pleasant Hill (111) Glimp (246)		1,532	510	+12
2	Cross Roads (134)	+ Part Of Ripley's 4,419	1,651	520	+22
3	Conner (131)	+ Part Of Ripley's 4,419	1,561	520	+22
4	Rest Of 2nd District	Rest Of Ripley's 4,419	1,561	520	+22
5	Price (132) Cherry (126) Ashport (221) Golddust (214) Lightfoot (174) Luckett (147) McBride (219) Cook's Store (177)		1,410	470	−28
6	Arp (461) Central (480) Curve (386) Hale's Point (43) Barr (25)		1,395	465	−33
7	Nankipoo (272) Edith (374) Gates (570) Double Bridges (252)		1,468	489	−9
8	Poplar Grove (172)	Part Of Halls' 1,800	986	493	−5
9	Rest Of 12th District	Rest Of Halls' 1,800	986	493	−5

Proposed Boundaries Shown By Heavy Lines:



Childress In Sheriff Race

Billy Joe Childress, of Central, has announced his candidacy for sheriff in the August general election.

He says he will issue a public statement later.

28 Seek Crown Of Miss Ripley

Twenty-eight Ripley High School girls compete at 7:30 p.m. this Friday in the Little Theater for the title, "Miss Ripley."

A reception for the queen and her court will follow in the home economics rooms.

Ripley Jaycettes are sponsoring the competition. Mrs. Jack Robeson is chairman of the revue, and Mrs. Louis Jennings for the reception.

The contestants are Belinda Hunter, Susan Golightly, Beth Conrad, Regina Taylor, Annette Chalk, Renee Mercer, Lyndi Ammons, Gay Bartz, Teresa Snead, Phyllis Pittman, Penny Conrad, Beth Henderson, Beverly Daniels, Janet Phillips, Terry Parker, Barbara Slaughter, Tina Jo Northcott, Terri Sue Curtis, Judy Vaden, Melody Kay Ellis, Joan Escue, Dawn Pearson, Renee Hardy, Rebecca Anthony, Renee Boyd, Leann Worlds, Danna Glenn, and Debbie Sutton.

SCOUTS RAISE $500

The 22 Boy Scouts of Ripley Troop 63 raised about $500 with a pancake breakfast attended by 260 March 4th in First Baptist Church, Scoutmaster John Collins reports.

The money will be used for the troop's transportation and camping equipment.

Collins expressed appreciation to everyone who supported the event and especially to Douglas Super Market and Turner's Dairy for their contributions.

The troop will attend a Big Hatchie District Camporee in the Fort Pillow State Historical Area March 31st through April 2nd.

Curve School Sets Auction

Butch Eskridge, of Halls, is donating his services as auctioneer from 7 to 10 p.m. this Friday in Curve School, with the school getting from 10% to 100% of the value of items sold, as the owner wishes.

Items may be brought to the school Friday afternoon or Friday night.

Admission is free, and a concession stand will operate.

Information is available from 635-4778 or 234-7358.

Curve Community Council is sponsoring the auction.

$207 MISSING

COLEMAN MOONEY reported Saturday he was asked for two beers at Brown's Fina Service Station on new Highway 51 near Central-Edith Rd. and was struck on the right side of his head, knocking him unconscious, as he bent into the cooler; $207 and three charge tickets were missing when he came to, with a 3-inch mark on his head. He said his customers were two clean-cut white men—one heavy-set and dark-haired, the other one small—in what he thinks was a late model blue Buick with white vinyl top and tags with yellow letters on dark background, headed south. Mooney was alone at the station at the time, soon after 9 a.m.

Easter Story Hour Slated

Children 4 or 5 years old are invited to an Easter story hour at Sugar Hill, Lauderdale County Library, from 10 to 10:45 a.m. next Thursday, March 23rd.

Charles Shoaf Florida Bound

Charles Shoaf, of Ripley and Fulton Landing, is selling farm equipment at Fulton Tuesday as he pulls up stakes to locate on 19,000 acres, 17 miles from Port St. Joe, Fla.

His sons, Steven and Stewart, are already there, getting sun tans. Charles is commuting while winding up his farm affairs here.

Mrs. Shoaf and daughter, Anna, will move to Florida after the school year ends.

"This is the last of the Florida frontier land," she says.

"They're planting corn now, with a lot of land set aside for soy beans."

B. N. LeDuke & Son, of Tiptonville, will conduct the auction sale beginning at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Fulton.

Band In Memphis Concert Festival

Ripley High School's band enters Friday's West Tennessee Concert Festival in Memphis with honors won in Jackson and Humboldt last month.

Donna Langley and Mary Ann Miller won superior ratings in the Solo and Ensemble Festival at Union University in Jackson Feb. 18th.

The RHS Band sent eight members to the Humboldt Honor Band Feb. 24th and 25th, directed by Dr. James Ferguson, director of the University of Alabama's Million Dollar Band.

They were Billy Brooks, Norman Farris, Karen Hutcherson, Angela Jones, Jonathan Matthews, Steven Mitchell, Susan Reviere, and Janet Thurmond.

St. Jude Push Here Tuesday

Universal Electric Co. in Ripley will supply lunch Tuesday to Alpha Phi Omega members at the University of Tennessee in Martin as they pass through the city on their annual wheelbarrow push from Martin to Memphis to raise funds for St. Jude's Children's Hospital in Memphis.

Ripley's chapter of Alpha Delta Kappa will assist the fraternity men with roadblocks here.

The push, leaving Martin Saturday along two routes—Highways 51 and 45—seeks to raise $35,000.

The Ripley area contributed $2,100 last year.

Presbyterians Slate Revival

Dr. David Shepperson, Jr., pastor of First Presbyterian Church in Covington, will lead revival services in First Presbyterian Church in Ripley at 11 a.m. Sunday and 7:30 p.m. Sunday through Wednesday.

Sunday's themes are Obadiah and Job, Monday's Esther, Tuesday's Philemon, and Wednesday's the scapegoat.

Dr. Shepperson will have coffee with men of the church at 7 a.m. Monday and with women of the church at 10 a.m. Wednesday.

Soloists from Covington will provide special music in each evening service.

The public is invited to attend the services.

NEW MANAGER

BOB HUNT, new Goodyear manager in Ripley, comes here from Fort Smith, Ark., where he was retail sales manager for Goodyear. He and his wife, Kathy, are residing at 424 So. Washington.

State Contracts Prison Addition

McAdoo Construction Co, of of Union City, which has won a state contract to add temporary dormitories for 400 prisoners at Fort Pillow State Prison Farm, says completion by March 31st, to meet a chancery judge's deadline for easing prison overcrowding, is impossible.

McAdoo took the contract on a low bid of $415,691.

Forcum-Lannom, of Dyersburg, at $456,000, and T. W. Frierson Contractors, of Nashville, at $515,115, were the only other bidders.

All the bidders said they could not get steam heat installed in the temporary buildings by the deadline.

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FOR SALE—100 year old trunk, excellent condition. See Homer McCree, Gum Flat Road, Halls. 16-1tp

FOR SALE—Nice 3-room trailer with air conditioner. $1,000. Call 234-7909 after 2 p.m. 16-1tp

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HELP WANTED—

WANTED—Full or parttime men or women, help me sell mobile homes in your home town. Top commission. Call M. L. Atkins, (615) 947-2051. 2-4tp

SERVICE—

EBONY SEARCH, Tennessee Walking Horse, now standing at Gallon Smith's Stables, 234-7020, Halls. $100 fee, one-half down, no board. 2-tf

DISCUSSING PLANS for the St. Jude Hospital talent show to be presented at 7 p.m., March 25th, at Halls Elementary School are, center, Mrs. Hunter Mountjoy, chairman of the talent show committee, right, Tommy Jackson. Halls Jaycees president, and, left, Halls Mayor Sammie L. Arnold.

Poplar Grove

By Mrs. Nelle Kendrick

Mrs. Lenard Alston spent last Wednesday night with her father, Ed Sumerlin, near Maury City.

Bob Harris, of Memphis, visited the Mitchell Moores Saturday.

Brett Cook, of Halls, spent Saturday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Holford Swanner.

Mrs. Randy Harris and little daughter, Lindsey, of Alexandria, Va., arrived Saturday to spend several weeks with relatives. They were met at Memphis International Airport by Mr. and Mrs. Mike Harris and son and Mrs. Jimmy Kendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Fisher, of Unionville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Moore Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenard Alston spent Saturday with their children, Mrs. James Knox and children and Mrs. Rodney Davis and children, of Millington.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wallace visited Mr. and Mrs. Onie Hicks in Halls one afternoon last week.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Estate Of Ruth Williams Buffaloe,
Deceased. Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of March, 1978, Letters of Administration in respect of the Estate of Mrs. Ruth Williams Buffaloe were issued to the undersigned by the County Court of Lauderdale County, Tennessee. All persons, resident and non-resident, having claims, matured or unmatured, against said estate are required to file the same with the Clerk of the above named Court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, otherwise their claims will be forever barred. This 6th day of March, 1978.
Frewil Benjamin Buffaloe, Executor,
Estate Of Mrs. Ruth Williams Buffaloe, Deceased.
Ross W. Dyer
Attorney
9-2tP.

Sick And Ailing

Dismissed From Lauderdale County Hospital

Halls—Mrs. Alma Webb, Shirley Diane Hammock, Mrs. Louia Henson, Sylvester Brown.

Gates — Mrs. David McNeil, Mrs. Ella Stokes, Mrs. Lena Wells.

ART EXHIBIT, AUCTION

Dyersburg's Stage Door Players are sponsoring an art exhibition and auction at 1 p.m. Sunday at the Dyersburg National Guard Armory.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to say thank you to all of you who were so considerate at the time of the sudden loss of our wife and mother, Geraldine Perry. We appreciated the food, the flowers, your prayers, and your consoling words more than we can tell you. May God bless each of you.

Ralph Perry
And Family
adv.

Talent Show To Benefit St. Jude

Halls Jaycees will sponsor a talent show at 7 p.m., March 25th, to benefit St. Jude Children's Hospital in Memphis.

Advance tickets are $1 each, and at the door $1.50.

"To teach is to learn twice."

WANTED!

Correspondents for Double Bridges, Porter's Gap, Gum Flat, Chestnut Bluff, and Frog Jump. For further information call Henry Murchison at 234-7540.

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HALLS, TENNESSEE
3 P.M. Saturday, March 25, 1978

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Tissue ..... 4 roll pk. 89¢
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Salmon ... 16 oz. $1.49
Scott Paper
Towels ..... big roll 59¢
Star-Kist Chunk Light
Tuna ..... 6½ oz. 69¢
Miracle Whip
Salad Dressing qt. $1.09
Kraft
Mustard ..... 25 oz. 49¢
Paramount Sweet
Pickle ..... qt. 89¢
Duke's
Corn Oil ..... 48 oz. $2.09
Kellogg Pop
Tarts ..... 11 oz. 49¢
18 Oz. Kraft Blackberry
Preserves ..... 99¢
Mazola
No-Stick ..... 9 oz. 79¢
Purex
Bleach ..... gal. 69¢
Kraft American Singles
Cheese ..... 12 oz. 99¢
200 Count Puffs Facial
Tissue ..... 2 for $1.09
Cheer
Detergent .. 49 oz. $1.29
Palmolive Liquid
Detergent ..... qt. $1.09
Hyde Park Coffee
Creamer ..... 22 oz. 99¢
7 Oz. Glade Spray
Deodorant .... 2 for 99¢
Treet
Lunch Meat . 12 oz. 99¢
Reelfoot
Bacon ..... 12 oz. $1.19
Dinty Moore
Beef Stew ... 24 oz. 89¢
Reelfoot Cured
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Sirloin Tip
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Blade Cut
Chuck Roast ..... lb. 79¢

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BY LAWRENCE W. ALTHOUSE

STALKING IVORY

Lesson for March 19, 1978

Background Scripture: Acts 3:1 through 4:4.
Devotional Reading: Acts 3:18-26.

Rev. Althouse

Despite the fact that I had attended Sunday school as a child—or maybe because of it—when I reached my early teens I drifted away from the church. As a maturing eighth-grader I was too busy with other pursuits, including the pursuit of a beautiful eighth-grade girl who had recently moved to our junior high. It wasn't long until we were "going steady."

As I walked her home after school each day she would frequently mention the youth group of her church. From what she said, it was the most interesting group of youth I could imagine. Still, I was resistant, but since it was an extra opportunity to be with her, I consented to go along one Sunday evening.

Something more

From then on I was "hooked." Although the girl and I soon had a parting of the ways, I continued to attend the Sunday night fellowship meetings, as well as the frequent additional activities. Initially, I went because I liked the people in the group. In time, however, I found something even more important: a faith.

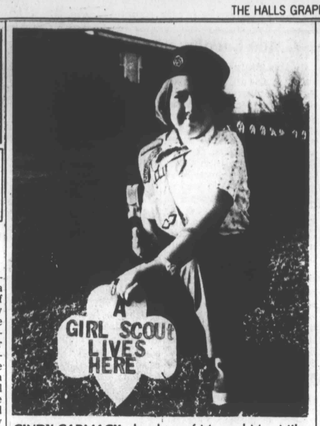
It had been an interesting string of circumstances: to be with a girl I had attended in a meeting; because the meeting was fun I joined a group; because I joined the group I found a faith. I got a great deal more than I was looking for.

Often, that's the way it has been with people's spiritual experiences. They have asked for one thing that seemed important and received considerably more than they asked for. This is what happened that day when Peter and John were going up to the temple for prayer and came upon a crippled man lying at the Beautiful Gate. As was his custom, he asked for alms—a handout (after all, what else was there for a man who was lame from birth?). Unlike many who went up to the temple, these two men stopped and looked at him.

Expecting to receive

Luke tells us that "he fixed his attention upon them, expecting to receive something from them." And he was right, for they would give him something, in fact, more than what he asked for. "I have no silver and gold," said Peter, "but I give you what I have; in the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, walk" (Acts 3:6). Immediately the man received what had been denied him since birth: he could walk. In fact, he could run and leap—and he did, praising God!

What happened with that man at the Beautiful Gate is still happening today: we ask for something that seems important, but God responds by giving us something far better. We may come to him with the wrong motives and desires, but if we are receptive, if we expect to receive something, we will and far beyond our expectations.



CINDY CARMACK, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Carmack, of Route 1, Gates, displays one of the signs that Halls Girl Scouts are placing on their lawns this week observing National Girl Scout Week.

Brevities

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Bowers, of Cleveland, spent the weekend with Mrs. Bowers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O. Martin, Jr. before Mrs. Bowers leaves this week for a tour of Europe in which she will visit France, Germany, Belgium, and Switzerland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hansford and son, Ashley, left Monday for Nashville where Mr. Hansford attended the showing of the 1978 line of Frigidaire appliances Tuesday at Opryland Hotel. Following the showing the Hansfords will visit his sister, Mrs. Carl Newby, and Mr. Newby in Knoxville returning home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Patton and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lewis Smith, of Gates, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Critchfield have returned home after a vacation in Las Vegas, Nev.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Nunn were in Hollywood, Fla., last week where Mr. Nunn attended the convention of the Independent Bankers' Association. Prior to returning they will tour points of interest and visit friends and relatives in Florida.

Laura and Bill Sumrow, Jr., of Memphis, spent last week with their grandmother, Mrs. Ed Sumrow, Sr. Mrs. Sumrow returned to Memphis with them for the weekend.

MILK — NOT FOR CHILDREN ONLY

Milk isn't for children only. According to Etta Mae Westbrook, University of Tennessee Extension specialist with the Expanded Food and Nutrition Program, it contains important nutrients that are needed throughout life, especially the mineral calcium.

"Everyone knows calcium is important for the formation of teeth and bones in children, but it has other roles that are important for healthy adults, too," she says. "Calcium is needed for the normal clotting of the blood and functioning of the heart muscles.

"If the supplies of calcium aren't adequate in the diet, the body will draw from the calcium stored in the body. One result of this will be bones that are delicate and brittle or soft and pliable."

Two glasses of milk each day will help provide enough calcium for the adult with normal health.

PRESENTING THE FLAG CEREMONY at the Halls Girl Scouts banquet Thursday evening of last week were, from left, Kami Jones, Christi Burks, Monette Lacy (hidden by flag), and Mary Ann Vaden. Lenore Crihfield was narrator for the ceremony.

PTO Meeting Is Delayed

The meeting of the Halls Parent-Teacher Organization scheduled for last Monday evening was postponed until 7 p.m. next Monday because of inclement weather.

Mrs. Warren, PTO president, reminded school patrons of the paper drive. Trucks are at the elementary school Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday of this week.

Mrs. Nunn urges a large attendance for Monday's meeting as the group will make plans for the annual Family Night to be held April 7th.

Jaycettes Sponsor Martin Chapter

The Martin Jaycettes chapter received its charter Thursday evening of last week with the Halls Jaycettes as sponsoring group.

Members from Halls making up the extension team were Mrs. Pat Mountjoy, Mrs. Shirley Williams, Mrs. Barbara Jackson, and Mrs. Gara Strong.

Mrs. Ruth Chessor, state vice-president, presented the charter and Mrs. Strong, district director, installed club officers.

Martin Mayor H. C. Brundige was guest speaker.

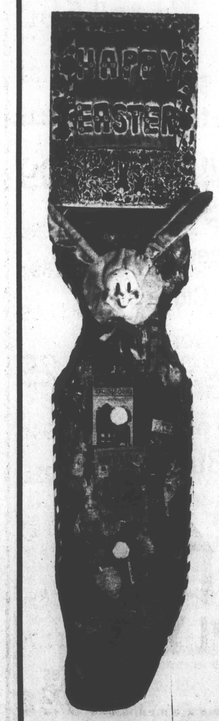
Narcotics Taken In Burglary

Josh Nunn, owner of Halls Drug Store, said Tuesday that approximately $175 worth of narcotics was taken from the store on Main Street last Thursday night.

Entry to the store was gained through breaking in a window at the rear of the building. Nunn said no damage was done other than to the window and apparently nothing else was missing.

No arrests had been made through Tuesday.

"A 1" is a term often used as a slang expression to describe anything unusually good. According to The World Book Encyclopedia, the term originated with Lloyd's of London as an insurance rating for well-built ships not likely to sink.



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65¢
16 Oz. Bush Shelly and Cut
Green Beans ..... 3 cans $1

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Graded Pigs Make Profit

By Charles T. Peal

"Graded pig sales have made money for me," says Raymond Smith, swine producer near Flippin.

He sold some pigs at Brownsville Wednesday of last week at a high of 99¢ per pound for No. 2 pigs, averaging 35 pounds.

George Buck and J. F. Tillman shared in this market.

In the 35 to 40 pound range, No. 3s brought 85¢ per pound, a difference of $14. No. 4s brought 67¢, a difference of $32.

This variation encourages producers to grow high quality pigs, which cost no more than No. 3s or 4s.

Sellers in this graded market must join the County Livestock Association at $10 per year, which also entitles them to sell in Huntingdon and Lexington.

Pesticide Class Slated

Producers without pesticide certification cards can get one by attending a 2-hour class at 7 p.m. next Wednesday in the Farm Bureau Building in Ripley.

A card will be required to purchase restricted use pesticides, when they are classified by the Environmental Protection Agency.

EPA classification has been slow, but there may be side benefits if farmers get their cards.

If convinced they will be handled properly, the agency may not force a product off the market.

Still Time To Test

Fred Gause, of Route 2, Ripley, is using 16 soil tests to guide his use of phosphate, potash, and lime on corn and soy beans.

One field had a 6.3 pH, with medium phosphate level, and low potash level. The lab recommended no lime, 20 pounds of phosphate, 40 pounds of potash, and one-half ounce of molybdenum per acre.

The molybdenum will increase bean yield up to 12 bushels on slightly acid soils. No nitrogen is recommended for soy beans.

It is still not too late to take soil tests. Though fields are wet, farmers can dry soil to crumbly condition by placing it in the garage or barn, put it in a box or plastic bag, and bring it to the Extension Office. Two weeks are required for results.

It's Time To Prune Trees

Jim Lawrence, of Ripley, wants to correctly prune the shrubs and trees around his home during pruning time, which begins the last of February and runs through March.

Shrubs should have dead leaves and twigs removed before they are pruned to the desired shape or cut back to the desired height.

The cuts can be made about ¼ inch above a joint, or even with the main stem.

Cuts larger than a dime should be painted with a tree paint or orange shellac. This will protect the wound from insect and water damage.

Albert Spencer wants to apply dormant spray to peach trees before the buds start to swell. Oil emulsion is the material used here. The first spraying begins just as the flower opens and continues throughout the season.

A fungicide, such as Captan, and an insecticide, such as Sevin or Malathion, are sprayed throughout the season according to a schedule which can be obtained at the County Extension Office.

In fertilizing one or two year old fruit trees, one pound of ammonium nitrate or equivalent per tree, applied immediately after planting and again in April, will give a good start. Spread evenly over a six-foot circle around the tree.

On trees three to six years old, two pounds of ammonium nitrate annually in October or February, broadcast underneath the tree as far out as the branches reach, is sufficient.

Trees seven to 10 years old will need three pounds and those 11 to 15, four pounds.

The amount of phosphate and potash should be based on a soil test.

Beef Cycle Is Turning

Further improvement in demand and price for feeder calves and yearlings lies ahead.

The production phase of the beef cattle cycle is winding down. Liquidation of beef cows has been the most drastic in history. Cattle numbers are estimated down to the 1971 level. Expansion is set to begin.

Good quality replacement cows and heifers won't get cheaper.

On the cattle cycle up-swing, the cow-calf man will be in the driver's seat. He needs to shape his operation to weather the 10-year cycles which are predictable.

These conclusions are drawn from comments of four beef cattle industry authorities during a special meeting of the U. S. Beef Breeders Council in Kansas City, Mo.

Moisture difficulties are diminishing throughout the country, and improved feeder prices are creating banker confidence. Feeder cattle supplies are declining and will continue to do so, past the point in which the cow-herd reduction is reversed. This means the producer's position will improve.

Even cattle feeders are in a better position, with lower grain prices. Prospects are better and prices should increase moderately.

Cheap grain is bringing numerous Mid-Western farmers back into the market for calves and yearlings and is a strong force in strengthening that market.

Lauderdale County cattle producers have cut brood cows considerably from the 28,000 head held recently. Some of our strongest operators have survived. Less productive cattle operations have been liquidated.

Our current cattle are of higher quality, more productive and ready for the owner to capitalize on the turn-around which is in the offing.

Producers are advised to keep abreast of industry-influencing factors, such as grain supplies and demand, competitive meats, governmental actions, and consumer demand; plus keeping accurate records of production costs. More skill in marketing is needed to get the most dollars at the proper time.

Push Electric Heat Pumps

JOE GRIGGS, right, Ripley heating and air conditioning dealer, was certified Tuesday by the Tennessee Valley Authority, represented by Ross Cherry, left, of Jackson, to participate in an effort by Forked Deer Electric Co-Operative, of which Russell Jacocks, center, is manager, to encourage the conservation of energy through the installation of electric heat pumps. This type of central heating and cooling is highly efficient, making maximum use of energy consumed.

ACADEMY BILL
Congress passed a bill on March 16, 1802, creating the U.S. Military Academy.

Gates Locals

By Mrs. Sally Cullipher

Mrs. Annie Robertson, of Halls, spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. E. M. Voss, and Mr. Voss.

Miss Gulnair Halliburton has returned from several weeks with her sister, Mrs. C. Paul Bennett, in Long Beach, Miss. Mrs. Gladys Poindexter and granddaughter, Sally Ann, of Halls, visited her Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cooper, of Birmingham, Ala., visited Mrs. Cooper's sister, Mrs. Faye Coffman, and Mrs. Alice Conyers Sunday.

The Russell Jacksons and the Phillip Jacksons, of Ripley, have visited Mrs. Lois B. Gamble, who had major surgery Thursday of last week in Baptist Hospital in Memphis. Mrs. Blanche Thurmond and son, Buddy, visited her Saturday and Sunday, spending the night with a daughter in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Baker visited their son, Gary, and his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Pearson in Jackson Saturday. The Gary Bakers spent Sunday night with Gary's parents.

Mrs. Flossie Robison kept her grandson, Ashley Hansford, of Halls, until bedtime Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Lilley came home Saturday from Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg. Their son, Loy, of Huntsville, Ala., was visiting them. J. F. "Pete" McWiliiams came home from the same hospital Friday. Carl Robison came home from Veterans Hospital in Memphis Sunday. Paul Avery came home from a Jackson hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelly spent Monday at St. Jude Hospital in Memphis, where Mrs. Kelly's niece, Camon Warren, of Brownsville, had tests.

The Cecil Jacksons, of Memphis, and the Clyde Jacksons, of Halls, were supper guests Sunday of their brother, William Jackson, and Mrs. Jackson. They had attended services for their cousin, Lonnie Littles, in Ripley Sunday afternoon.

The Grady Kellys were in Memphis Monday on business.

Mrs. Corrine Thaggard, of Madden, Miss., was met at the Memphis Airport Sunday by Mrs. Ruby Sloan, with whom she is spending several days.

Mrs. Bettie Bishop and daughter, Cathy, spent Sunday with The Rev. W. B. Bishop in Middleton. Her son, Jimmy, had spent the weekend there.

Mrs. Willette Fisher spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Billy Rogers, and family in Munford. Her granddaughter, Pamela Rogers, is spending a few days with her. Mrs. Fisher's son, Wilfred, and his family spent Saturday with Mrs. Fisher.

TO COLORADO

RICKY J. CRITCHFIELD, son of Bob J. Critchfield, of Route 1, Halls, has been assigned to Lowry Air Force Base, Colo., for training in munitions and weapons maintenance after basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Tex.

GENEVA CONVENTION
The Senate ratified the Geneva Convention on the care of wounded soldiers, on March 16, 1882.

CARTER PROGRAM
President Carter began his "meet the people" program in Clinton, Mass., on March 16, 1977, speaking at a town meeting.

Barr Locals

By Mrs. Ward Hardy

Lonnie Cash visited his brother, Coy, of Alamo, in Jackson-Madison County Hospital last week.

Eddie and Angie Smith spent the weekend with their mother in Memphis.

Kim and Rhonda Phillips, of Curve, visited their grandparents, the Rhea Freemans, last weekend.

The Ward Hardys were guests of their son at the Future Farmers banquet in Hails Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Betty Arthur and Berniece Hardy, of Curve, shopped in Memphis Sunday.

Mark and Dino Harrison, of Hale's Point, visited Glen Arthur last weekend.

The J. D. Smiths spent Saturday night in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Timbs were in Memphis Saturday.

Guests of Mabel Harrison Sunday were the Troy Harrisons, of Edith, Roy Harrison, of Hale's Point, Wesley Wilson, of Memphis, Audie Dunham, of Ripley, and Danny Meeks, of Double Bridges.

The Warren Hardys and daughters, Lori and Donna, of Memphis, spent the weekend here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ithmer Kissell visited Mr. and Mrs. Ercle Kissell and family at Dry Hill Sunday.

Guests of the Ward Hardys last weekend were the Randy Hardys, of Concord, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kitchens, of Memphis. Sunday the Hardys and Mrs. Kitchens and baby attended a shower for Mrs. Alfred Wilson in Ripley and visited Mrs. W. O. Hardy and daughter, Linda, and Mr. and Mrs. Wren Stout at Arp.

Mrs. Ward Hardy accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phillips, of Ripley, to Memphis Friday.

Mrs. Joe Arthur, of Ripley, visited relatives here Monday and Tuesday of last week.

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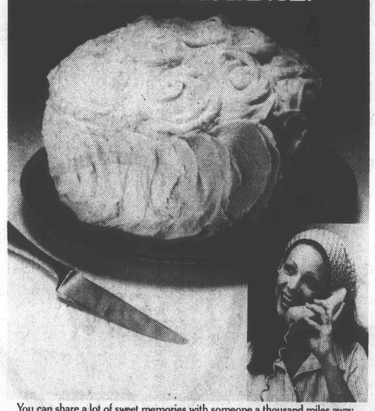

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CONFIDENTIAL CORNER

By Henry Murchison

Reminiscing

Perhaps many of his friends in Halls do not realize that Charlie Dodds, Halls High football and basketball coach from 1927 until the early 1940s, has moved to Jackson to make his home from Columbus, Ga. He has visited in Halls on several occasions but unfortunately we missed him each time.

Thinking of Charlie and his coaching days in Halls starts us remembering some of the humorous and unusual happenings that occurred. Perhaps we have written of some of them in the past but they will bear repeating.

In 1928 the HHS basketball team played in the state tournament at Nashville and were beaten by one point by the eventual state champions. The ususual part of this is that on the day prior to leaving for Nashville Charlie caught one of his starters smoking and wouldn't let him make the trip. The player in question usually had about 8 or 10 points but his substitute failed to score. Wonder if Charlie ever wondered if the team would have won the state championship if he had not been forced to discipline the player.

The next year at the state tournament in Knoxville Halls drew CBC, of Memphis, in the opening game. CBC had been rated number one the entire year but Tilford Adamson, Halls ball handling wizard, proceeded to score more points, 27, that the entire CBC team, 23. The Tigers eventually lost to College Grove in the finals.

Then there was the time J. B. Ellis, later an All-Southern guard at UT, raised up at a crucial moment in a football game at Trenton and yelled, "Hey, look at the wild geese." Charlie probably wanted to murder him but the result was really good since Trenton was threatening to score but a relaxed bunch of Tigers threw them for losses on three successive plays and eventually won the game, 7-6.

Major Problem

Merchants in Halls tell us that shop lifting has become a major problem with losses discovered almost every week. Parents should keep a close watch and when their son or daughter comes up with articles that they know nothing about should question them. Shop lifting is difficult to control but cooperation by parents would be helpful. Shop lifting not only costs the merchant but every consumer since merchants must recover their losses through higher prices.

Asks Help

Halls Police Chief Buddy Moore is asking merchants to check their doors and windows more carefully to help control a series of break-ins. A little more care on the part of business firms would probably save them some losses.

UT Aids Energy Extension Effort in Three Counties

Specialists from the University of Tennessee are helping citizens of Davidson, Henry and Sullivan Counties learn wise energy usage habits through a Tennessee Energy Authority-Energy Extension Service program.

Dr. A.B. Biscoe Jr., UT associate vice president for public service, said the University's Agricultural Extension Service, the UT Knoxville Environment Center and three units of the UT Institute for Public Service are providing literature, training programs, energy audits, exhibits and consultative services to the counties.

Biscoe said Tennessee is one of 10 states selected by the U.S. Department of Energy to test the energy extension program concept through March, 1979. The Tennessee Energy Authority (TEA) subcontracted with several organizations throughout the state, including the UT units, to deliver the services in the project areas.

Dean Lloyd Downen of the Agricultural Extension Service said extension agents already are being trained and by mid-March will begin delivering information to farms and rural homes in the three counties.

Downen said energy conservation in dairying operations will be emphasized, particularly through the use of insulation and heat recovery.

"In the area of crop and animal production, we will teach techniques of minimum tillage to conserve fuels used in farm machinery, insulation and heat recovery in swine production facilities, using solar energy as a supplemental source for grain drying, and conserving heat used in greenhouses by increasing usage of solar power," Downen said.

In rural homes, he said proper insulation and weather stripping will be emphasized as will economizing on hot water usage.

"We also will promote the use of the clothes line as an inexpensive and energy efficient alternative to electric clothes dryers," Downen said.

The IPS units are providing energy audits, specialized training programs and other services targeted for officials of cities, counties, businesses and industries.

"Energy specialists from each of our agencies will be devoting their full-time attention to the energy needs of mayors, county judges, plant managers and other officials in their assigned counties," Robert S. Hutchison, IPS executive director, said.

"The subcontract with TEA is a unique opportunity to expand our assistance efforts in energy-related matters which have been underway for several years," Hutchison said. The three public service units involved are the Center for Industrial Services, County Technical Assistance Service and Municipal Technical Advisory Service.

The UT Knoxville Environment Center is providing technical support and evaluation of services, Nancy Collins, UTEC administrator for the TEA-EES program, said.

The Environment Center is providing field support by supplying engineers from the Center and from the College of Engineering at UT Knoxville.

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HONORED at the Halls Future Farmers of America banquet Thursday of last week were, top picture, center, Debbie Ward, FFA Sweetheart, left, David Meeks, Star Chapter Farmer, and Quenn Perry, Star Greenhand; lower picture, from left, Jimmy Meeks, Walter Lazure, and Whitney Wright, who received special awards from Stallings Implement Co. and Cook Implement Co., Inc.

FFA Chapter Has Banquet

Dr. Bobby Hathcock, plant science instructor at The University of Tennessee at Martin and a native of Lauderdale County, was the speaker Thursday evening of last week at the annual banquet of the Halls High Chapter of Future Farmers of America at the high school.

Special guests were Mrs. Hathcock, Mrs. Bernice Crain, of the Tennessee Vocational Advisory Committee, and Mr. Crain, of Ripley, H. G. Conley, retired HHS agriculture teacher, and Mrs. Conley, Dwight McDaniels, Lauderdale County vocational director, and Mrs. McDaniels, Miss Debbie Ward, chapter sweetheart, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ward.

Students receiving awards included Randy Pratt, agriculture mechanics, Dewayne Hurt, agriculture electrician, Jeff Ward, placement in agriculture service, Whitney Wright, beef production, Alan Ray, swine production, Marshall Holder, diversified livestock production, Terry Bentley, nursery operation, Sharon Dugger, floriculture, David Meeks, Star chapter farmer, David Atkinson and Oneal White, public speaking, Quenn Perry, Star Greenhand, and Bobby Terry, FFA creed award.

Special awards were presented to Walter Lazure, leadership, and Whitney Wright, crop production, by Stallings Implement Co., and to Jimmy Meeks for his general farm program by Cook Implement Co., Inc.

Waitresses for the banquet were HHS students Sharon Dugger, Lori Shelton, Jody Burks, Laura Crihfield, Jane Brewer, Monica White, Christi Sherrod, and Angela Vaughn.

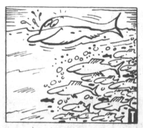
Presiding over the event and inviting guests to tour the new Vo-Ag building was chapter president, Rodney McBroom, assisted by his fellow officers, Walter Lazure, vice-president, Oneal White, secretary, Marshall Holder, treasurer, Tommy Layne, sentinel, and Randy Pratt, reporter. Chapter advisors are Ray Griffith and Terry Spain.

"When an innovation is very difficult to establish, it is unnecessary." Vauvenargues

Protecting Our Environment

DAY OF THE PORPOISE

Now that the dolphin has had its day, the porpoise, who is distinguished from the dolphin by its blunt snout, can have its turn. The snout of the dolphin, by the way, is long and sharp.



The day of the porpoise began when captains of the U.S. tuna fleet—who depend on the porpoises to find tuna—succeeded in inventing new porpoise-saving equipment and developing new fishing techniques which permit them to net tuna while releasing practically all of the porpoises.

In 1976, according to government reports, nearly 99 percent of all porpoises surrounded by American fishermen were released. The day of the porpoises has arrived indeed.

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REPORTS FROM WASHINGTON

In recent weeks, President Carter has presented Congress with his proposal to reform the Civil Service Commission. Actually, the President's proposal includes two separate initiatives: One of a legislative nature and one which is an executive prerogative.

The executive prerogative comes in the form of reorganization plan which must receive approval from the Congress. That reorganization will replace the Civil Service Commission with a Merit Protection Board which will be responsible for protecting federal employees from political abuse, and an Office of Personnel Management which will be responsible for administering the federal government's personnel management system. As with other reorganization proposals, this plan would go into effect 60 days after it is submitted to Congress if neither the House nor the Senate disapprove.

The remainder of the Civil Service Reform package is being submitted as legislation which will have to be acted upon by Congress. Essentially, the proposal is designed to improve government performance by establishing genutine merit incentives for federal workers. It also provides more legitimate flexibility in federal personnel matters.

The legislation President Carter sent to Capitol Hill creates a new merit based senior executive service for top government managers. It authorizes a better merit pay system for 72,000 managers and supervisors below the top level, and it establishes a speedier appeals system. To provide greater management flexibility, the bill modifies current preferences given to veterans, decentalizes personnel management decision making, and expands the manager's range of choice in hiring employees.

These proposals essentially are the broadest reform proposals suggested since the Civil Service Commission was established in 1883. Generally, I have to agree with the President's assessment that most Civl Service employees are dedicated and hard working employees. This reform proposal however is designed to eliminate those workers who are not performing adequately and who are using the inequities in the Civl Service system to keep their jobs.

I realize that many Americans feel that government employees are underworked and overpaid and do not have to fear losing their jobs if they are incompetent. I think, though, that feeling is shared by the thousands of hardworking civil servants who see unqualified people keeping federal jobs that they should not have.

Certainly, the President's proposal is not the answer to all of the problems that exist in the Civl Service system. Parts of it are certain to receive opposition. In fact, I have already begun to hear from veterans living in West Tennessee, and their organizations in opposition to those provisions that would reduce the veteran's preference practices under current law. I am sure that other opposition will also surface,

However, I am sure that the Post Office and Civl Service Committee will seek to present a bill to the House that provides the major elements of the President's proposal; those being continued protection from political abuse for civil servants and better personnel management for federal managers and supervisors.

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Danced Across The Hatchie River

By Albert F. Parker

Days Of Yore

Judge Armistead Green, who owned the farm on which I was born, just west of the present Fort Pillow State Prison Farm, in the 13th District—who operated his own cotton gin and saw mill and dug a huge ice-house, still to be seen today, on a high hill, to be filled with ice, in layers of saw-dust, for preservation into summer—was, no doubt, the man who lit the fuse which led to the battle of Fort Pillow.

Early in 1862, when Confederate Gen. Gideon J. Pillow, with his men, left the fort, the Federal army slipped in and took over. It soon ran short of money and food, and it was then Union soldiers began stealing and taking from people all over the county.

One night, they caught Judge Green, riding horseback on his way home from Ripley—killed his horse and robbed him of all his money.

That was when he decided to send a messenger to Jackson, where Gen. Forrest was stationed, and let him know what was going on in Lauderdale County.

After reading this letter from Judge Green and listening to his messenger, Gen. Forrest rounded up his troops and headed west to Fort Pillow, and that was when they passed by the old log house in which I was born almost 46 years later.

In 1874, Judge Green sold this 1,250-acre farm to Col. James E. Walker, grandfather of Criminal Court of Appeals Judge Mark Anthony Walker, Jr., of Covington, formerly Circuit Court judge in this county for many years, and also grandfather of Dorothy (Mrs. Jack) Palmer of 135 Lafayette, Ripley.

Col. Walker continued the same farm operations as Judge Green had had, but he sold the old boat of the ferry which Judge Green has established across the Hatchie River in the 1840s.

The buyer was Charlie McColester, in 1876. He was the eldest son of George McColester, who owned and operated a little commissary at the mouth of Cold Creek in 1852.

Charlie McColester sold the ferry to my uncle, Jim, and aunt, Leona, Purcell in 1895.

Ferry Ran Until 1935

The Purcells had one child, Jim Tom Purcell (Aug. 14, 1897-Oct. 15, 1966), who was the father of Huey Chester Purcell, now residing at Cherry. Jim died Oct. 16, 1907, and Aunt Leorna Oct. 12, 1910.

My father, Tom Parker, bought the old ferry boat from his nephew, Jim Tom Purcell, and operated it until 1935.

By that time, Highway 87 had been completed from Henning to Fulton for six years, and people could drive to Fulton more quickly and cheaply than via the ferry.

The boat was sold to C. H. Sullivan, to be used on Cold Creek, where there is now a bridge at Sullivan's Camp.

But in the old days, this old ferry was very important to the people of both counties.

It was only ten miles from our house to Covington, while it was 18 miles to Ripley.

The ferry saved a lot of strain on mules and horses.

We charged 40¢ for a horseback, buggy, automobile, or wagon, one way, and 75¢ for a round-trip.

One way, by skiff, was only a dime. and 20¢ for a round-trip.

Goal: Bringle's Bluff

My brother, Edward, and I had a lot of fun on the river together, when the back-water was up, and we had to put someone across the river from Lauderdale County.

We would load them on the boat at our home and push out to the river by spike poles, then turn loose down-stream for about three-quarters of a mile to a big bend in the river.

There we would take our skiff and swing the ferry boat from the channel of the river out into this old ferry road and push it the rest of the way to Bringle's Bluff in Tipton County, by spike poles.

We would always leave the ferry boat in Tipton County, hoping our next passenger would be from Tipton, for it was about two miles from bluff to bluff and would take the biggest part of a day to make a round-trip. We charged ten dollars each way.

HATCHIE MILL CO. was one of the few signs of civilization on the banks of the Hatchie during the era when the Parker ferry was operating across it every day.

Heaved Up The River

But when we put someone across from Tipton to Lauderdale, it was all work and no fun. After we would push back out from Bringle's Bluff to the river, it was up-stream all the way.

First, we would would tie the boat to a tree.

Then one of us would coil a long line up at the stern end of the skiff and pull up-stream 300 or 400 yards, or the length of the line, and tie it to another tree, then go back and start winding the line up by a windlass—and the boat would slowly creep up-stream.

After doing this two or three times, we would be ready to push back out to our house, with them old spike poles.

Snow 18 Inches Deep

Living and working on a river is something else.

It's a good life, if you like it, and a bad one, if you don't.

It's also dangerous if you don't know what you're doing.

From December, 1917, to February, 1918, it snowed a lot.

The ground was covered with snow all winter long.

I would be safe in saying it was around 18 inches deep at Christmas time.

Santa Claus was about a month late in coming to our house.

The Hatchie River was frozen over as solid as the streets in Ripley—eight to twelve inches thick.

Ice Shoes For Beasts

We dropped the boat aprons down on top of the ice.

We let buggies and wagons cross the river if their mules and horses were shod with ice shoes; if not, we would refuse them; it was too dangerous.

In 1926, my brother and I sank the first old boat ever used at this ferry.

It was small, and built out of gum. Anderson-Tully gave my father enough cypress timber to build another boat.

We could carry two wagons and teams across at the same time; the load didn't matter—you couldn't sink this one.

I still have one of the old broad-axes we used in hewing out the two gunnels for this new boat.

Each gunnel measured six inches thick, 22 inches wide, and 52 feet long—plus two 8-foot aprons—a total of 68 feet in length, 12 feet wide.

Square Dance Aboard

Saturday, Dec. 25, 1926, Dad told us boys we could have a square dance down on the new ferry boat that night, if the weather permitted.

My brother and I saddled up our horses and rode all over the county, inviting everyone to a square dance down on Hatchie River, Christmas night.

Late that evening, we rigged up 10 or 12 small bottles filled with kerosene, using short pieces of rope for wicks—stringing them all around on the boat, just in case we needed some lights.

The weather was beautiful, and we had a wonderful crowd.

There were several wagon loads from Tipton County.

Our father invited the high sheriff of Lauderdale County, Mr. Andrew Craig, who had just been re-elected to that office for his third term.

Mr. Richard Brackin and my cousin, Egbert Parker, played the fiddle; W. C. Bragg and I picked the guitar. We would take turns making music and dancing.

If someone came from Tipton County, we would pull over to that side and invite them on the boat, without ever stopping the music or dancing.

We had a wonderful time riding and dancing across Hatchie River that night on the new ferry boat.

(To Be Continued)

HATCHIE RIVER FERRY long provided the only alternative to this method of crossing the muddy stream, boundary between Lauderdale and Tipton Counties.

Woodville Locals

By Mrs. Frank Butts

Bobbie Jean and Lisa Jackson, of Ripley, spent the weekend with their grandparents, the Armour McBrooms.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stokely and family were weekend guests of the Steve Cannons in Elaine, Ark.

Mrs. Minnie Gaines has been transferred from St. Joseph Hospital in Memphis to Lauderdale County Hospital in Ripley.

Mrs. Nelle Butts has been dismissed from Methodist Hospital in Memphis and is spending a few days in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lester Thornberry.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Mrs. Gracie Weaver, of Nashville, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. James Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby White, of Memphis, spent Thursday night with Bobby's parents, the Joe Whites.

Sissy Langley, of Nut Bush, spent Friday night with her aunt, Mrs. Van Hastings.

Mrs. Joe White and Mrs. Steve Cannon shopped in Dyersburg Friday.

Some say it is good luck to own a moonstone.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Lazure, of Nankipoo, a son, March 9th, in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg. Paternal grandparents are the Richard Lazures, of Nankipoo.

To Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harris, of Maury City, an 8 lb. daughter, Hilary Nichole, March 11th in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Harris, of Gates, Mrs. Maggie Bailey, of Halls, and James Bailey, of Ripley.

Mrs. Boyd

Mrs. Claudia Smith Boyd, 75, of 400 South Highland, Memphis, sister of the late Mrs. John Crutcher, of Henning, died at 3 a.m. Friday in her home.

Services were at 2 p.m. Saturday in Memphis Funeral Home on Union, with burial in Munford Cemetery in Covington.

She was a retired bridal consultant and gift buyer for Robert Crump's Hancock House.

The widow of Adrian Boyd, she leaves a daughter, Mrs. Claudia Seagle, of Memphis, a sister, Mrs. Evelyn Bixel, of Chevy Chase, Md., and two grandchildren.

Jimmy Edney

James Edney, 51, City of Ripley street department employee, died Tuesday in Veterans Hospital in Memphis.

Services were at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday in Ripley Funeral Home, with burial in Maplewood Cemetery.

He leaves his mother, Mrs. Ollie Edney, of Ripley.

McCLELLAN REMOVED

President Abraham Lincoln on March 11, 1862, removed General George B. McClellan from overall command of the Union forces but left him as commander of the Army of the Potomac.

Important Notice To Dog Owners

All dog owners are hereby notified that the "Tennessee Anti-Rabies Law," as passed by the 1957 legislature and approved by the Lauderdale County Court, will be enforced throughout the county.

All dogs three months of age must be vaccinated by a veterinarian.

All cats six months of age must be vaccinated by a veterinarian.

This law requires that all dogs in the county be vaccinated by a licensed veterinarian and licensed at the County Trustee's Office on or before the first day of May, 1978, and of each year thereafter, paying a county license fee of One Dollar ($1.00) for each dog owned, kept, or harbored.

The law also requires that a certificate of rabies vaccination in date must be presented at the time of getting license and that no license certificate shall be issued unless a certificate of rabies vaccination is produced for each dog to be licensed.

In order to help dog owners get their dogs vaccinated, the following vaccination clinics have been set up throughout the county, and a charge of $2.50 for each dog vaccinated will be made by the veterinarian at these clinics. A rabies control officer will accompany the veterinarian to these clinics, and all dogs can be licensed at these clinics. The rabies officer will be on duty full-time thereafter, picking up dogs without tags.

1978 DOG AND CAT VACCINATION SCHEDULE

	Saturday, March 18	Saturday, March 25	Saturday, April 1
12:00-12:30 p.m.	Ripley Farmers Market Parking Lot	McBride's Store	Henning City Hall
12:45-1:00 p.m.		Luckett, Wakefield's Store	
1:15-1:30 p.m.	Flippin	Lightfoot, Hunter's Store	Queen's Store
1:45-2:00 p.m.	Curve Gin		
2:00-2:15 p.m.	Curve Gin	Arp, Morris Gin	Orysa
2:30-2:45 p.m.			Durhamville Gin
3:00-3:10 p.m.	Nankipoo School	Ashport, Fullen's Gin	Spring Hill Store
3:40-3:45 p.m.	Double Bridges		
	Tuesday, April 4	**Saturday, April 8**	**Saturday, April 15**
12:00-12:30 p.m.	Glimp	Central School	Gates Gin
12:45-1:00 p.m.	Pleasant Hill		Gates Gin
1:00-1:15 p.m.		Edith	Gates Gin
1:15-1:30 p.m.	Cherry		
1:45-1:50 p.m.	Trading Post	Knob Creek	
2:00-2:15 p.m.		Porter's Gap	Halls, Planters' Gin
2:15-2:20 p.m.	Fulton		Halls, Planters' Gin
2:30-2:35 p.m.	Fort Pillow Gin	Hale's Point, Keen's Store	Halls, Planters' Gin
2:50-2:55 p.m.		Barr	Halls, Planters' Gin
	Saturday, April 22		
12:00-1:00 p.m.	Ripley, Rice Park		

Save $—Have Your Dogs Vaccinated And Licensed In These Clinics
$2.50 For Vaccination
$1.00 For County License

There Will Be No More 5-Day Notices Issued
Any Person Owning Or Harboring A Dog Not Vaccinated Or Licensed Will Be Given A Summons To Appear In Court
All Dogs Must Be On A Leash Or Chain At These Clinics
No Checks Will Be Accepted At These Clinics

American Agricultural Movement Of Lauderdale County

Will Have A Meeting At 7 P.M. March 20th In The Lauderdale County Courthouse

This Ad Paid For By The Concerned Farmers Of Lauderdale County

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Wretched Speller Wins

VERONICA GARDNER, center, Halls sixth grader, is county spelling champion for the second consecutive year. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Gardner spelled 'wretched' correctly in the county bee Thursday of last week, after it had been missed by Ripley eighth grader Kim McBroom, right, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby McBroom. Veronica then spelled 'yacht' to win the crown and a seat in the Mid-South Bee in Tech High School in Memphis May 5th, which will choose an entry for the National Bee in Washington, D.C. Third in the county bee was Brian McBride, left, Ripley sixth grader, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry McBride.

SPELLING BEE CONTESTANTS were, from left, Jeff Kerr, Lauderdale Academy eighth grader, son of Mrs. L. R. Rose, of Henning, and Bill Kerr, of Mississippi; Cindy Haislip, Central eighth grader, daughter of the Gary Haislips; Brian McBride, Ripley sixth grader, son of the Larry McBrides; Jeff Yarbrough, Grace Christian School seventh grader, son of the James Yarbroughs; Veronica Gardner, Halls sixth grader, daughter of the James K. Gardners; Rick Nelson, Curve eighth grader, son of the Bobby Nelsons; Kim McBroom, Ripley eighth grader, daughter of the Bobby McBrooms; Conley Wright, Halls eighth grader, son of the Conley Wrights, Jr.; Sherlene Taylor, Henning fifth grader, daughter of Mrs. Maurine Taylor; and Ricky Bursey, Henning eighth grader, son of Mrs. Mollie Bursey, of Henning.

4-H Speakers Highly Rated

A 4-H Club Public Speaking Contest in Ellington Center in Milan Saturday awarded purple ribbons to two of three county entrants—David Atkinson, Halls senior club member, who spoke on Tennessee, and Donna Chisholm, Ripley Junior High member, who spoke on the Liberty Bell and freedom.

Anthony Land, of Central, a junior club member, took a red ribbon with remarks on water pollution and its control.

Senior members spoke five to seven minutes and junior members three to five.

A 4-H club volunteer training forum begins at 9:30 a.m. Saturday in the Center.

CARTER SPEECH

In a major speech to the United Nations, President Carter stated on March 17, 1977, that the international body had allowed "its human rights machinery to be ignored and sometimes politicized."

School Lunches

Thursday, March 16th
Fried Chicken
Whipped Potatoes
Green Beans
Rolls
Peach Slices
Cookies

Friday, March 17th
Shrimpettes
Tater Tots
Combinatin Salad
Rolls
Dessert (Manager's Choice)

Monday, March 20th
Hamburgers With Trimmings
French Fries
Peach Salad
Milk
Cookies

Tuesday, March 21st
Pizza
Combination Salad
Fruit Cup
Brownie

Wednesday, March 22nd
Barbecue
Baked Beans
Cabbage Slaw
Buns
Strawberry Cake

Thursday, March 23rd
Vegetable Beef Soup
Pimiento Cheese Or
Peanut Butter Sandwich

Half Orange
Crackers
Cookies

Friday, March 24th
Holiday (Good Friday)

Lonnie Littles

Lonnie Littles, 65, a farmer, died Friday in Lauderdale County Hospital.

Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday in Ripley Funeral Home, with burial in Concord Cemetery.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Grace Littles; two sons, James, of Ripley, and Leon, of Fort Mill, S.C.; five daughters, Mrs. Brenda Lenderman, Mrs. Darlene Lenderman, and Miss Linda K. Littles, of Ripley, Mrs. Mary Besheres, of Brownsville, and Mrs. Peggy Sue Barnett, of Fort Mill; five brothers, Jack and J. L. Littles, of Ripley, Vernon, of Halls, William, of Union City, and Eddie Lee Littles, of Columbus, Miss.; and two sisters, Mrs. Carlee Pool, of Halls, and Mrs. Audry Salem, of Atlanta, Ga.

Concord Locals

By Mrs. Louise Fennel

The Ronnie Carmacks were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mills at Lightfoot.

Mrs. J. D. McNeili visited the Odell Duggers at Edith Sunday.

Johnny Barnett and sons, of Millington, and Mrs. Coy Summar, of Whitefield, were Sunday dinner guests of the Ben Barnetts. The Terry Barnetts, of Dresden, visited them Sunday afternoon.

Donna Smith attended a Baptist convention in Memphis last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Voss visited the D. L. Gillilands in Memphis Sunday.

Mrs. Sunshine Miller, of Blytheville, Ark., was a Sunday dinner guest of the J. T. Langleys. Mrs. Jerry Parker, of Brownsville, visited them that afternoon.

The Joe Jacksons, of Trenton, were Sunday supper guests of Mrs. Jennie Gilliland.

The James Simpsons, of Lightfoot, visited the Pharis Escues Saturday.

The Mike Carmacks, of Gates, visited the Winston Carmacks Sunday.

Sharon Kaye Savage spent Friday night with Rhonda Hardy in Gates.

Mrs. Helen Stanley, of Chisholm Lake, spent Saturday night with Mrs. Louise Fennel.

BRUCE RECALLED

President Richard M. Nixon said on March 15, 1973, that he recalled Ambassador David K. E. Bruce from retirement to head a U.S. liaison office in Peking.

Nankipoo Locals

By Mrs. Fleetwood Cates

Twenty-one Youths and Counselors from Enon Baptist Church attended a Youth Evangelism Conference in Nashville, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Sue Fann, of Trenton, Mrs. Corinne Lindsey, of Memphis, and Mrs. Helen Cross, of Nashville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Talbert Tillman Tuesday.

Mrs. Marlene Peters, of Quincy, Fla., spent a few days last week with her parents, the Walton Hutchersons, and with her son, Terry England, and his family in Halls.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Paris, of Edith, visited in the Marvin Riddick home Sunday.

The C. L. Brays spent Tuesday at the Army Hospital Ft. Campbell, Ky., with their son, Gilbert, who has been ill for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John McWilliams, of Memphis, visited Mrs. Cradie Tillman Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Lena Cross, of Milan, is convalescing in the home of her brother, C. L. Bray, and Mrc. Bray.

Andy Griffin, of Memphis, spent last week with his great-grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cates. Mr. and Mrs. Cates spent Saturday night with Mrs. Nettie Cates in Southaven, Miss. Carl visited Mrs. Frances Hundhausen who remains very ill, in St. Joseph Hospital East, in Memphis Sunday.

FIRESIDE CHAT

President Franklin D. Roosevelt made the first of his Sunday evening "fireside chats" on March 12, 1933.

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Kraft Miracle Whip Salad Dressing . qt. $1.09
16 Oz. Tropicana Frozen Orange Juice ..... 99¢
Assorted Celeste Pizzas ..... 89¢
Assorted Morton Dinners ..... 11 oz. 59¢
8 Oz. Dixie Pride Biscuits ..... 6 pk. 89¢

8 Oz. Morton's Beef, Chicken, Turkey
Pot Pies ..... 4 for $1

Kraft Squeeze Mustard ..... 8 oz. 34¢
Kellogg Corn Flakes ... 24 oz. 94¢
25 Lb. Bag Purina Dog Chow $5.59
Mrs. Good Oatmeal and Sugar Cookies ..... 16 oz. 89¢
Juicy Lemons ..... doz. 49¢
Red Grapes ..... lb. 49¢
Crisp Celery ..... stalk 29¢
Garden Fresh Radishes ..... bag 19¢

Brawny — With $15 Additional Purchase—Limit 1
Towels ..... 2 rolls 9¢

Grade A
Whole Fryers ..... lb. 47¢

Sizzlean Bacon ..... 12 oz. $1.49
Oscar Mayer Bologna ..... 12 oz. $1.09
King Cotton 6 Oz. Luncheon Loaf ..... 49¢
King Cotton Beef Bologna ..... 12 oz. $1.09
King Cotton Bologna ..... 6 oz. 49¢
Market Made Sausage ..... lb. 99¢
Smoked Sausage ..... lb. 99¢
Fryer Breasts ..... lb. 89¢

Chickasaw
Bacon ..... lb. 89¢

King Cotton Liver Cheese ... 6 oz. 49¢
King Cotton Salami ..... 6 oz. 49¢
6 Oz. King Cotton P & P Loaf ..... 49¢
King Cotton Souse ..... 6 oz. 49¢
Chicken Livers ..... lb. 79¢
Chicken Gizzards ..... lb. 79¢
Not Sliced Pork Liver ..... lb. 29¢
Sliced Pork Liver ..... lb. 39¢

King Cotton
Bologna ..... 12 oz. 89¢

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Dro[illegible] Hunter Sought

BODY OF LARRY TAYLOR, OF BRIGHTON, was sought by rescue squads of Lauderdale and other counties in the Hatchie River, near the Illinois Central Gulf bridge at Rialto, Wednesday afternoon. His hunting companion, Clarence Smith, left, of Brighton, holds one of the life jackets which were in the boat—but were not on the men—when the boat hit a log, broke off the motor, and spilled both occupants Sunday. Smith got ashore and reached help by 10 p.m., but Taylor remained missing Wednesday.

County AAM Group Names 4 Delegates

A. C. Carter, Talmadge L. Crihfield, Jr., Steve Fullen, and Eugene Pugh were named state delegates of the newly formed county chapter of the American Agricultural Movement as it met Monday in the courthouse in Ripley, with about two dozen members present.

Buddy Moses and Tommy Willis, of Brownsville, were present. Mr. Moses reported on the situation he found in Washington a couple of weeks ago and showed a film on the dilemma of the farmer, made by the late U.S. Rep. Jerry Litton, of Missouri.

Coffee Day Backs Easter Seal Camp

Waitresses in the Tiger Grill in Halls and in the Blue and White Cafe, Stanley's Kitchen, Town Creak Restaurant, and Town Square Restaurant in Ripley are selling Coffee Day tabs at $1 to raise funds for the Easter Seal Camp for handicapped children from this county.

The camp is built especially for handicapped children, permitting normal camp activities without stairs, narrow doors, and other obstacles.

U.S. Rep. Ed Jones Sets Meeting Here

U.S. Rep. Ed Jones will hold an open meeting in the courthouse at 1:30 p.m. next Friday, March 31st, "to listen to how the people of West Tennessee feel about the legislative issues we are going to be voting on in Congress."

He will have members of his staff along to hear complaints of various government programs.

Jones is spending half a day in each of 14 of his 15 counties, beginning Saturday.

Hunter's Death Alleged Murder

Gary Duaine Simpson, 23, of 3223 Guernsey, Memphis, is scheduled to appear in General Sessions Court in Brownsville at 1 p.m. March 28th to face a first degree murder charge in the death of a coon-hunting companion, Steven Wayne Bogue.

Bogue, 21, of Ellendale, was the son of Mrs. Coy Crihfield, of Ripley, and the grandson of Mrs. K. O. Bogue, of Ripley, and of Mr. and Mrs. Bates Sullivan, of Fort Pillow.

He was shot in the head with a .22 caliber automatic rifle which Simpson said discharged when he picked it up from the roof of their vehicle as he, Bogue, and Michael Wayne Dukes, of 3685 Orchi, Memphis, prepared to leave the Hatchie River bottoms near Stanton Dec. 18th.

Bogue died at 5 a.m. that morning in Jackson-Madison County Hospital.

Dukes first supported Simpson's account of an accidental shooting but later told authorities there had been drinking and an argument before the men returned to the vehicle.

Simpson was arrested in Memphis Wednesday of last week, jailed in Brownsville Thursday, and released Friday under $20,000 bond.

Bogue, a painter, left a wife and daughter.

Halls Tiny Tot Revue April 7

Halls Jaycettes will sponsor a Tiny Tot Revue at 7 p.m. April 7th in the Elementary School gymnasium.

Registration, for ages 3-6, will be held in the gym from 7 to 8 p.m. March 28th, with a one dollar entry fee.

Information is available from Diane McCaslin, 234-9894.

Demo Women Forming Club

Two state officers will speak as a Lauderdale County Democratic Women's Club holds an organizational meeting at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the home of the Talmadge Crihfields, Jr., at 126 North Alpine Drive in Ripley.

All interested women of the county are invited. Information is available from Jerry Sue Crihfield at 635-1407.

See Beef Up 50%, Land 75% If 100% Parity Won By AAM

By Charles T. Peal

The Green Scene

Beef up 50% by 1979 and land up 75% by 1983 are foreseen by a U.S. Department of Agriculture analysis of the 100% parity proposal of the American Agricultural Movement. The analysis was prepared at the request of AAM representatives, who reviewed with economists of the Economics, Statistics, and Co-Operatives Service the principal assumptions on which the report is based, and each stage of the analysis as it was produced.

One such assumption is that the program would include effective marketing controls. Farmers could produce unlimited amounts of any commodity, but actual sales would be controlled through marketing quotas and certificates. Farmers would be responsible for storing, without subsidy, any surplus production.

The effects of the proposal through the 1982-3 marketing year were estimated by evaluating anticipated domestic and world demand for U.S. farm products, given U.S. farm prices at 100% parity levels.

Some of the estimated effects of the proposal are:

• By the fourth quarter of 1978, retail food prices up about 20% from a year earlier, compared with the 4% to 6% increase currently projected. After the initial impact, food price increases return to an annual rate of 6% to 7%.

• By 1979, in response to higher retail prices, per capita food consumption well below the high levels of the past two years, with red meats showing the greatest decline.

• Retail beef, pork, and broiler prices up 50%, 40%, and 30%, respectively, by 1979.

• Realized net farm income for 1979 up about 20 billion dollars above current annual levels.

• Much of the gain in income going to present owners of land. As prices and income increase, rental rates rise for those who farm under crop sharing or cash rental arrangements. Less than half of the total cropland acres are now farmed by owner-operators.

• In 1978-9, U.S. exports down about 13.5 million metric tons from the previous year. However, the value of exports up by as much as 7.5 billion dollars the first year, and by 1982-3, almost 10 billion over 1977-8. By 1981-2, wheat exports down 30% from 1977-8, feed grain exports down 34%, rice down 45%, soy beans down 4%, and cotton down nearly 80%.

• The equivalent of about 75 million acres idled by 1982 to bring crop supplies in line with expected domestic demand at parity prices.

• Farm land values up 75% or more to at least 955 billion dollars by 1983, a result of the value of marketing quotas being reflected rapidly in the price of land.

• The rate of decline in the number of farms slowing; by 1982, there are 3% more farms than might be expected if current trends continue.

• At the end of two years, over-all real growth rate of the ecnomy about a half percentage point less with parity pricing than under present programs, and unemployment up by less than half a percentage point. These changes result from the transfer of money from the large number of consumers to a relatively small number of agricultural producers through parity pricing.

Market View Offered

The U.S.D.A. publishes monthly news-letters on the out-look and current situations for all seeds, cotton, wheat, livestock, and feed, plus a general news-letter which can be of value to farmers who produce these commodities.

These news-letters can be obtained free by writing Farmers Newsletter, U.S.D.A., Box 1500, La Plata, Md. 20646.

Jaycee Annual Award Winners

JAYCEE AWARD WINNERS Tuesday evening in joint banquet with Ripley Chamber of Commerce were (from left) Phillip Jackson, assistant superintendent of schools and Jaycee president, named man of the year, Mrs. Charles Cutlip, Jaycette president, chosen outstanding young woman, Rob Reviere, Shrine Club president, outstanding young farmer, and Jerry Little, State Area Vocational School director, outstanding young educator. The banquet installed Chamber president Rick Gilliland and new directors Don Ammons, Freeman Bartz, Charles Walker, and Jack Dailey.

Janet Phillips New Miss Ripley

JANET PHILLIPS, second from right, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phillips, won the 'Miss Ripley' crown Friday, with Beth Conrad, second from left, daughter of Bill Conrad and Mrs. Willard Norvell, as first maid. Susan Golightly, right, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Golightly, was chosen second maid and Gay Bartz, left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Bartz, third. Judges were state Jaycette president Kathy Ricketts, of Watertown, with husband Ken, Mrs. Betty Smith, of Huntingdon, and Nick and Gerry Emmons, of Selmer. Mrs. Jack Robeson directed the pageant for the Ripley Jaycettes, with 28 girls seeking the honor of representing Ripley in the Humboldt Strawberry Festival and at other events throughout the year of the beauty court's reign.

BETH HENDERSON, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Henderson, of Golddust, was chosen by other contestants as 'Miss Congeniality' and presented a silver bowl, as were the other four contest choices.

Sanders Heads Red Cross Plea

Larry Sanders, manager of Texgas Corp. and Ripley Exchange Club president, heads the county's Red Cross fund drive, which began yesterday, running through April 10th.

He is seeking volunteer captains in all communities of the county.

The chapter is interested in re-establishing the blood program in the county to give blanket coverage to anyone who needs blood.

The county has 12 qualified first aid instructors and four swimming instructors.

Hundreds of phone calls are made in aid to military personnel and their families in emergencies.

The Red Cross provided assistance in the recent disaster in Waverly and during recent mud slides and floods in California.

The Red Cross assists in tornado disasters and has assisted in other areas of the world when need arose.

"If a disaster should strike our area, we want to be prepared to cope with it and have the necessary funds and personnel available," says Mr. Sanders.

"Your contributions to the local chapter are vitally needed and will be very much appreciated."

Don Connell is the chapter chairman. Patsy Smith is executive secretary.

Land Constructs Hardware Store

Marvin Land is building a hardware store south of Sonic Drive-In in Ripley.

The building will have 3,500 square feet and will cost an estimated $25,000.

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SERVICE—

EBONY SEARCH, Tennessee Walking Horse, now standing at Gailon Smith's Stables, 234-7020, Halls. $100 fee, one-half down, no board. 2-tf

"It usually takes more than three weeks to prepare a good impromptu speech."
Mark Twain

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REPORTS FROM WASHINGTON

Two weeks ago, it was revealed that an agreement had been reached on one of the issues that has stalemated the conference committee which has been at work trying to iron out the differences of the Senate and House passed versions of the National Energy Act.

As many of you will remember, this conference committee has been at work since last October trying to resolve these differen es. Two aspects of this massive bill have prevented the two sides from reaching an agreement that could be brought to the floor of the House for a vote: natural gas pricing and a new crude oil equalization tax.

It was announced that an agreement had been reached on the natural gas pricing issue. This is one issue had kept the Senate members of the conference deadlocked. However, Sen. Henry Jackson, of Washington, said that a slim majority of 9-8 had agreed to the new compromise. This compromise will gradually deregulate the price of natural gas by 1985. After June 30, 1985, the President or Congress could re-impose price regulations for a two year period if the prices went too high.

In addition, new gas prices would start at $1.75 per thousand cubic feet and would rise annually at a rate equal to the rise in the consumer price index plus 3.5% through April 20, 1981. This new agreement also calls for new definitions for "new" natural gas resources. The provision also gives the President the authority after declaring a national gas emergency, to reallocate natural gas supplies from low priority users to others for 120 days. Finally, it provides that gas described as high cost would be freed from price regulation immediately after the bill is passed. This type of gas is natural gas which requires expensive, sophisticated, methods of discovery and development.

Of course, this agreement among the Senate conferees is not a guarantee that the final language will be approved by the entire conference committee. There is also some disagreement to it among some of the House conferees who must also approve it before it goes to the full House and Senate for a final vote. In fact, it has been reported that a slim margin in favor of the provision is very shaky.

It should also be remembered that this agreement is no guarantee that the energy package will finally be brought out of conference for a final vote. The other item of great controversy is the crude oil tax which President Carter recommended. There is still no agreement on how this provision should be put into the bill, if at all. Many experts on the issue feel that the crude oil tax is a dead issue and that the remainder of the energy package should be brought up for a final vote without it.

Many of us in Congress are still hoping that this vitally needed piece of legislation will be brought up for final votes this year. It is essential that we move on it this year. We cannot delay for another year before the establishment of a National Energy Policy becomes a reality. I have said before that this legislation is only the beginning of what is going to have to be done. I am sure that there will be refinements to it and changes that will make any energy policy more effective. This comprehensive legislation cannot possibly contain the right answers for all of the problems it addresses. But it is a beginning and it needs to be brought out for a final vote.

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Solo
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Hyde Park
Cocoanut .... 14 oz. 99¢
Dixie Lily
Flour ..... 5 lbs. 79¢
Decorator Jar
Tang..... 27 oz. $1.59
Dixie Lily
Meal..... 5 lbs. 79¢
Jeno's Frozen
Pizzas..... 13 oz. 79¢
Sunshine
Crackers..... lb. 59¢
Lb. Pkg. Hyde Park
Rice ..... 3 for 89¢
Sunshine Vanilla
Wafers..... 11 oz. 59¢
27 Oz. Future
Floor Wax $1.69
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Hyde Park
Bleach ..... ½ gal. 39¢
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Mayonnaise ..... qt. 89¢
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Sauce ..... 32 oz. 69¢
Pine Sol
Cleaner ..... 15 oz. 79¢
15 Oz. Bush Purple Hull, Blackeye Peas, Gr. Northern or
Navy Beans ..... 4 for $1
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Pickle ..... 22 oz. 69¢
15 Count, 2 Mil Thick Glad
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Lemon Juice ..... 89¢
7½ Oz. Martha White Muffin
Mix ..... 3 for 39¢
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Pork Chops.... lb. $1.29
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Morrell Boneless Center Sliced Fully
Cooked Ham .. lb. $1.89
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ACCEPTING CONGRATULATIONS from Mrs. Eugene Pugh, center, chairman of the Halls Girl Scouts cookie sale, are, right, Cindy Carmack, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Carmack, of Route 1, Gates, and Hope Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Harris, of Halls, Cindy was top salesman with 200 boxes, and Hope placed second with 194 boxes. The troop sold $1,350 worth of cookies, with delivery to start about April 1st. Troop leaders are Mrs. Mike Carmack, Mrs. Kenneth Bridges, and Mrs. George Hurt.

Brevities

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Nunn returned home Thursday of last week after attending the Independent Bankers' Association meeting at Hollywood, Fla. After the meeting they drove to Ft. Myers where they spent a night with Mr. and Mrs. David N. Hall. Joining Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Younger, of Halls, at St. Petersburg Beach for several days the group enjoyed driving and sight seeing with Mrs. Wiley Perry, of Dyersburg, and Mrs. Elmer Hoffius, of Madisonville, Ky., both formerly of Halls, who are spending the winter months at St. Petersburg. Later they drove to Tampa, Fla. where they visited with former Halls Postmaster E. J. Shannon, and Mrs. Shannon.

Mrs. Allan Thomas, of Ripley, and C. L. Dodds, of Jackson, visited friends in Halls Tuesday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Mike Haynes and daughter, Margaret, of Garland, Tex., spent the first of the week with Mr. Haynes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Montell Haynes. Joining them Tuesday for the day were Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Sims and Mrs. Bernie Mullikin and son, Bau, all of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Taylor have occupied their new home on West Main Street. They have been residing on Circle Drive.

Mrs. George Cogbill and daughter, Holly, of Paris, spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Holice Gilliland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Brown, of Rutherford, were in Halls Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. T. G. Avery is spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. V. Lightfoot, and Mr. Lightfoot at Dickson.

Holice Gilliland, Jr., of The University of Mississippi at Oxford, is spending the spring break with his parents.

David Dyer and Mike King, of The UT Medical College at Memphis, David Smithson, of The University of Oklahoma Medical College at Norman, and Charlie Dyer are vacationing in Florida.

Mrs. Delbert England, Miss Sandra Myrick, and Mrs. Roger Harris spent the weekend in Paragould, Ark.

Miss Cindy Keen, a student at UT at Knoxville, is spending spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerre Keen.

Mrs. Roy Patton and Mrs. David Nunn, of Halls, and Mrs. Nell Kester, of Paducah, Ky., were luncheon guests of Mrs. Harry Johnsey at Jackson Tuesday of last week. They are former classmates at Union University at Jackson.

Mrs. Harold Wesson and son, Cheddy, of Norman, Okla., have been guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Baker, of Germantown, and Mr. and Mrs. Neill Bivens, of Jackson, visited Mrs. Robert Baker Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McDearman and children met Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Conner and children at The Hungry Fisherman at Memphis for lunch Sunday. Later part of the group visited Dr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Avery.

Mr. and Mrs. David Nunn and Mrs. Roy Patton attended a dinner last Thursday evening given by Dr. and Mrs. Robert E. Craig in the President's Room at Union University at Jackson. Later they attended an operetta, "The Devil and Mr. Webster" in the Little Theatre on the school campus.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Simmons and sons were in Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Gooch visited their children at Memphis during the weekend.

Mrs. David Nunn, Mrs. Roy Patton, Mrs. E. S. Crichfield and Mrs. R. J. Nunn were guests of Mrs. W. A. Smith for lunch at Rolling Hills Country Club in Ripley Wednesday of last week as Mrs. Smith entertained for her daughter, Mrs. Harold Wesson, and son, of Norman, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Ringer, of Germantown, visited his sister, Mrs. A. G. Hargett, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. L. Siler returned home last week after spending the winter months with her daughter, Mrs. A. G. Blakely, and Mr. Blakely, at Dallas, Tex. The Blakelys accompanied her here and remained for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Koontz, of Madison, Wisc., are spending this week with Mrs. Koontz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy H. Williams.

Mrs. McKinley Cherry and Bobby Cherry spent last week in New Orleans, La., with Dr. and Mrs. Billy Cherry.

Mrs. R. V. Agee and Mrs. Cherry Hurt and son, Jason, spent the weekend in Nashville with Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Agee.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Smith and son, of McMinnville, plan to spend the Easter holidays with Mrs. Douglas Hurt and other relatives here.

Halls Students Place High In District Meet

Debbie Ward, Halls Future Farners of America Chapter Sweetheart, was selected to represent District 5 in competition Tuesday evening of last week at the Little Theatre at Ripley High School. Participating schools were Halls, Ripley, Covington, Bolton, Brighton, Bartlett, and Munford.

Other Halls students winning awards were Bobby Terry, first place in the creed competition, and Oneal White, third place in public speaking.

The winners participated in the West Tennessee meet at Jackson Monday but did not place.

Sick And Ailing

Earl Hoggard was dismissed Saturday from Baptist Hospital at Memphis where he had a pacemaker inserted earlier last week.

Morris Currie remains in Veterans Hospital at Memphis.

Virgil Hines has been dismissed from Methodist Hospital at Memphis.

Ewell Moore entered Veterans Hospital at Memphis Saturday after injuring his back from a fall while trimming a tree.

Douglas Hurt entered Jackson-Madison County General Hospital Saturday for possible surgery.

Elvis Cannon, who entered Baptist Hospital at Memphis Tuesday of last week after an apparent heart attack, has been moved to a private room. Mrs. Cannon is in Memphis with him.

Dismissed From Lauderdale County Hospital
Halls — Mrs. Lillie J. Keen, Mrs. Carrie Cates.
Gates—Charles Gay, Mrs. Zelma Smith, Roger G. Erwin.

"Nothing under the sun is ever accidental." G. E. Lessing

PTO Paper Drive Is Successful

A total of 11,000 lbs. of waste paper, yielding $148.60, was donated in last week's Halls Parent-Teacher Organization drive to raise funds for the new school.

Mrs. Warren Nunn, president of the group, stated she was highly pleased with the results and expects to hold another later in the year. A. C. Carter donated use of a truck and Tommy McDearman, of McDearman Motors, donated gasoline for the drive.

At the PTO meeting Monday evening the first grade class of Miss Carol Hartz won the attendance award. The annual spaghetti supper and cake walk has been set for April 7th.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Town of Halls Board of Mayor and Aldermen will meet in a called session at 1 p.m., March 28th, to complete plans for the new building for the Halls Area Service Center.

Katie L. Davis
Adv. Recorder

Work Continues On Re-Modeling At Dellwood

Ken Orr, manager of the Dellwood Division of Anderson-Hickey Co. at Halls, said this week that work on re-modeling and re-decorating the plant is nearing completion. Installation of machinery is expected to begin in about two weeks.

The plant, which manufactures metal office furniture, is expected to resume operation in May.

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38-Year Employee Hailed

J. R. (RUFUS) PATTON, 38-year employee of Forked Deer Electric Co-Operative, was surprised with a birthday cake and gift Thursday of last week by Clifford Sweat (left), president, and Russell Jacocks (right), manager of the Halls-based co-op.

W'dville Baptists Holding Revival

By Mrs. Mildred Lawson

WOODVILLE, March 21—The Rev. Bob Gaines, of Curve, will lead revival services in the Woodville Baptist Church Wednesday through Saturday evenings, March 29th through April 1st. The public is invited to attend.

Randy Lankford, of the University of Tennessee in Martin, is spending the spring holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Lankford.

Mrs. Wallace Stanley, of Curve, visited Mrs. Tessie Clark Saturday. Her guests Sunday were Mrs. Morris Stallings and Mrs. Katie Davis, of Halls.

The Joe Lawsons, of Memphis, spent Saturday night with the Buford Lawsons.

The A. W. Howards visited Mr. and Mrs. Mike Gooch at Halls Sunday.

Visiting the Hugh Chalks Monday were Mrs. Jerry Yancey, of Waverly, Mrs. Nell Yancey, of Curve, and the Harvey Stanleys, of Brownsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Bolding visited Mrs. Judy Pinner in Memphis Sunday.

The James Stewarts, of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Mrs. Gordon Weaver, of Nashville, visited the James Hunts last weekend. The Hunts took Mrs. Weaver to Nashville Monday and visited in her home.

Mrs. George Eng, of Memphis, visited her mother, Mrs. Bobby Lankford, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Scoggins, of Bemis, visited the Armour McBrooms Wednesday of last week. Miss Eva Scoggins visited them Thursday of last week.

Week Of Prayer Noted

The Baptist Woman's Missionary Society met Wednesday of last week with Mrs. Hattie McBroom and Miss Mary McBroom for an all-day meeting in observance of the Week of Prayer for Home Missions.

Miss McBroom led the program, with each member taking part. Mrs. Lawson Bray reviewed the book, "The Leaven And The Salt."

Eight members and one visitor were present.

ARMS BANNED

The United States banned arms shipments to opponents of Mexican President Madero on March 14, 1912.

WRESTLING STAR

JIMMY VALIANT will wrestle Bill 'Super Star' Dundee in the feature match at 3 p.m. Saturday in the Halls High School gym, with Bearcat Brown meeting Sonny King in second billing. Other matches pair Jim Starr vs. Steve Kyle and Len 'Kojak' Shelly vs. Norvell Austin.

Max J. England

Max James England, 73, of Halls, retired employee of Custom-Craft Mfg. Co. in Halls, died at 6:15 a.m. Saturday in Reelfoot Manor Nursing Home near Tiptonville.

Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday in Halls Funeral Home, with burial in Halls Cemetery.

He leaves a son, Ralston, of Fallon, Nev.; a brother, Bert, of Halls; and two sisters, Mrs. Lilly Pernell, of Fowlkes, and Mrs. Ada Pernell, of Nashville.

Robert M. Hanna

Robert Madison Hanna, 61, of Halls, retired carpenter, died Thursday of last week in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg.

Services were at 11 a.m. Saturday in Curry Funeral Home in Dyersburg.

He leaves four sisters, Mrs. Beatrice Glenn and Mrs. Ruby Seat, of Halls, and Mrs. Mattie Sue Maxwell and Mrs. Lillie Rogers, of Dyersburg.

History Society Slates Meeting

Mrs. J. S. Scott will discuss county history when the county Historical Society meets at 7 p.m. next Thursday, March 30th, in the courtroom of City Hall in Ripley.

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Important Notice To Dog Owners

All dog owners are hereby notified that the "Tennessee Anti-Rabies Law," as passed by the 1957 legislature and approved by the Lauderdale County Court, will be enforced throughout the county.

All dogs three months of age must be vaccinated by a veterinarian.

All cats six months of age must be vaccinated by a veterinarian.

This law requires that all dogs in the county be vaccinated by a licensed veterinarian and licensed at the County Trustee's Office on or before the first day of May, 1978, and of each year thereafter, paying a county license fee of One Dollar ($1.00) for each dog owned, kept, or harbored.

The law also requires that a certificate of rabies vaccination in date must be presented at the time of getting license and that no license certificate shall be issued unless a certificate of rabies vaccination is produced for each dog to be licensed.

In order to help dog owners get their dogs vaccinated, the following vaccination clinics have been set up throughout the county, and a charge of $2.50 for each dog vaccinated will be made by the veterinarian at these clinics. A rabies control officer will accompany the veterinarian to these clinics, and all dogs can be licensed at these clinics. The rabies officer will be on duty full-time thereafter, picking up dogs without tags.

1978 DOG AND CAT VACCINATION SCHEDULE

	Saturday, March 25	Saturday, April 1
12:00-12:30 p.m.	McBride's Store	Henning City Hall
12:45-1:00 p.m.	Luckett, Wakefield's Store	
1:15-1:30 p.m.	Lightfoot, Hunter's Store	Queen's Store
1:45-2:00 p.m.		
2:00-2:15 p.m.	Arp, Morris Gin	Orysa
2:30-2:45 p.m.		Durhamville Gin
3:00-3:10 p.m.	Ashport, Fullen's Gin	Spring Hill Store
3:40-3:45 p.m.		

	Tuesday, April 4	Saturday, April 8	Saturday, April 15
12:00-12:30 p.m.	Glimp	Central School	Gates Gin
12:45-1:00 p.m.	Pleasant Hill		Gates Gin
1:00-1:15 p.m.		Edith	Gates Gin
1:15-1:30 p.m.	Cherry		
1:45-1:50 p.m.	Trading Post	Knob Creek	
2:00-2:15 p.m.		Porter's Gap	Halls, Planters' Gin
2:15-2:20 p.m.	Fulton		Halls, Planters' Gin
2:30-2:35 p.m.	Fort Pillow Gin	Hale's Point, Keen's Store	Halls, Planters' Gin
2:50-2:55 p.m.		Barr	Halls, Planters' Gin
	Saturday, April 22		
12:00-1:00 p.m.	Ripley, Rice Park		

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$2.50 For Vaccination
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There Will Be No More 5-Day Notices Issued
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.36 Wholesaling & Transportation (Railroad, Trucker, Wholesaler)
.14 Retailing (Local Grocer)
Of Each $1.00 Consumer Spends For Bread

How A Loaf of Bread Is Sliced

(Cents)
22.3 Baker-Wholesaler
4.3 Grocery Store
.6 Flour Miller
2.3 Farm Milk
2.8 Farm Wheat
3.0 Other
35.5 Cents Paid by Consumer

Some Wheat Facts:

If a farmer GAVE his wheat away today and its value deducted from the price of a 35.3 cent loaf of bread (one pound) the bread would still cost 32.5 cents.

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4-H Banner Club Leaders

LEADERS OF COUNTY'S TOP 4-H CLUBS last month were, upper left photo, of Henning sixth grade club, from left, Terry Driver, vice-president, Tony Prestridge, president, and Dawn Vowell, secretary, with teacher Ann Fisher, leader; upper right photo, from left, of Ripley sixth grade club, Ray Bentley, vice-president, Lori Linebaugh, president, and Kelly Belleque, secretary, with Mrs. Doyle Bryant, teacher-leader; lower left photo, from left, of Central seventh and eighth grade club, Mark Langley, president, Kevin Hardy, vice-president; and Cindy Haislip, secretary, with Melvin Simpson, teacher-leader; and lower right photo, from left, of Curve fifth and sixth grade club, Stan Langley, president, Dana Hendren, secretary, and Wendy Valadez, vice-president, with Mrs. Ron Johnsey, teacher-leader.

Gates Class Visits Leader In Hospital

By Mrs. Sally Cullipher

GATES, March 21—Seventeen - agers of her Sunday School class in Gates United Methodist Church, and one former member of the class, surprised Mrs. Lois Gamble with a visit to her Saturday in Baptist Hospital in Memphis. They also presented her a gift. Mrs. Bettie Bishop, Mrs. Ann Smith, and Mrs. Ruby Lynn Heathcott accompanied the group.

Mr. and Mrs. Bilbo Hill visited their daughter, Mrs. Shirley Crockett, in Memphis two days last week.

Mrs. V. L. Shephard is being transferred this week from Lauderdale County Hospital to Baptist Hospital in Memphis, for surgery.

Mrs. Monteen Moore saw Dr. Lyerly in Dyersburg Monday to have her cast removed.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike McWilliams and daughter, Karen Jo, of Memphis, visited Mr. McWilliams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. "Pete" McWilliams, Sunday. "Pete" is slowly improving after his stay in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg.

The R. V. Lilleys are improving at home. Mrs. Paul Griffin and daughter, Marietta, of Memphis, visited them Saturday. Mrs. Leon Lilley and Miss Audrey Lilley, of Memphis, visited them Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Cooper, of Birmingham, Ala., and Mrs. James Branch, of Memphis, visited Mrs. Faye Coffman and Mrs. Alice Conyers Tuesday of last week. The Coopers were Sunday guests.

Miss Avis McWilliams, of Ripley, spent Saturday night with the Carl Robisons and Miss Bethel Robison. Mr. Robison has scheduled a check-up in Veterans Hospital in Memphis.

Mrs. Marie Campbell, of Oberlin, Ohio, and Mrs. Marion Jamyson, of Wellington, Ohio, are spending several days with Mrs. Mary Hamil. They all visited Mrs. Lena Wells in Reelfoot Manor Nursing Home and had a meal at Reelfoot Lake Friday.

The Paul Averys visited their son Dr. Thomas Avery, and family in Memphis Sunday. Dr. Avery has been a research doctor in St. Jude Children's Hospital since it opened.

Rev. W. B. Bishop

The Rev. W. B. Bishop, father of Jimmy Bishop, of Brownsville, and pastor of Gates-Concord-Eureka Methodist Church about 20 years ago, died Saturday in his home at Middleton.

Services were at 10 a.m. Monday in Bishop Cemetery.

He also leaves his wife, Mrs. Lucille Bishop; another son, John, of Middleton; three daughters, Mrs. Charles Callahan and Mrs. Joe Dickerson, of Middleton, and Mrs. Bobby Neely, of Louisville, Ky.; and two sisters, Mrs. Lyndall Jones, of Middleton, and Mrs. Clara B. Dunaway, of Memphis.

Alexander Graham Bell received a patent for a telephone on March 7, 1876.

Readers Speak

Editor:

In my campaign two years ago, I promised the people I would be fair; I would enforce the laws, as written, to the best of my ability; I would show no partiality.

Our County still has some good laws on our books. The problem is finding people to enforce them equitably.

Unfortunately, our laws, like religion, have been watered down so that they are now almost meaningless. Which ones do we close our eyes to, and which ones do we enforce?

Where do we draw the line?

What does leadership mean in our county? Does it mean lead by example, more privileges, power, prestige, and/or immunity probably when caught wrong?

What do we want in this county in the way of law and order?

I am aware that we have some laws on the books that have not been enforced for a long time. Does this make them any less current or applicable to everyone? I would like to quote portions of a few Tennessee Codes as a matter of information to those who are unaware of these and how they read:

T.C.A.-39-2007 reads: "It is declared to be the duty of every judge, justice of the peace, and sheriff to apprehend, or cause to be apprehended, any person known to him, upon his own view or upon information, to be guilty of this offense, and to commit him or cause him to be committed to jail, to await his trial at the next succeeding court having cognizance of the offense of gaming."

T.C.A. 39-2008 reads: "It is the duty of every magistrate, when he knows or is informed that any persons are engaged, or suspected to be engaged, at any common gaming house or place at unlawful gaming, to issue a warrant to arrest all persons found at such place. And it is the duty of the officer to whose hands such process may come, to arrest all persons found at such place, and for this purpose, to break doors or other constructions, and to summon a guard or posse to aid and assist him."

T.C.A. 39-2011 reads: "Officer gambling or failing to give information—Misdemeanor in office—Removal from office. It is a misdemeanor in office for any judicial or ministerial officer to be found guilty of gaming under the preceding sections of this chapter, and, in addition to the ordinary punishment attached to the offense, such officer shall be removed from office, and be incapable of holding any office for the term of (5) years."

So, of any civil officer failing to give inforamtion of any gaming or betting contrary to the law known to him.

If these laws are not good laws, they should, by legislative act, be changed or removed from the books.

So long as they constitute the law, I, as sheriff must and will fulfill my oath of office to see they are obeyed by all eitizens, regardless of race, creed or position.

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Tribble Directs Curve Services

Sgt. Rick Tribble will be the evangelist leading revival services April 2nd-9th in Curve Baptist Church, at 9 and 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sundays, 7:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday. The Rev. Bob Gaines, pastor, invites the public.

Macedonia Sets Easter Cantata

The choir of Macedonia Baptist Church at Edith will present an Easter cantata, "Our Risen and Living Lord," at 7 p.m. Sunday.

The Rev. C. H. Wroten, pastor, invites the public.

Set Special Easter Services At Curve

The Rev. Mary Kelley will speak in special Easter services in Curve Church of God Holiness at 7 p.m. Saturday and 6 p.m. Sunday, with special singing in both services by the Jubilees, of Covington. The public is invited.

Joe Bruce Craig

Joe Bruce Craig, 37, Illinois Central Gulf Railroad employee, died Monday in Methodist Hospital in Memphis.

Services were at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday in Ripley Funeral Home, with burial in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Peggy Downing Craig; two sons, David and Jeff, of Memphis; and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe P Craig, of Gates.

U.S. families and down payments

A recent Wall Street Research report asserts "even in 1975 — during deep recession — approximately 34 million families, representing 60 percent of all American families, has sufficient resources to finance a typical $8,500 down payment plus closing charges toward acquiring a (median) $44,000 residence."

"During the first half of 1977, approximately one-third of the houses sold were priced under $40,000," the report states, "and this is considered affordable by families with annual income of $16,000 or less."

School Lunches

Thursday, March 23rd
Vegetable Beef Soup
Pimiento Cheese Or
Peanut Butter Sandwich
Half Orange
Crackers
Cookies

Friday, March 24th
Holiday (Good Friday)

Monday, March 27th
Ham
Corn
Green Beans
Rolls
Apple

Tuesday, March 28th
Spaghetti
Cabbage Slaw
Rolls
Peanut Cup
Frozen Chocolate Pudding

Wednesday, March 29th
Bologna And Cheese
Potato Rounds
Peach Salad
Bread Slices
Strawberry Cake Squares

Thursday, March 30th
Fried Chicken
Whipped Potatoes
Green Peas
Rolls
Banana Pudding

Friday, March 31st
Cheeseburgers
French Fries
Pear Salad
Hamburger Buns
Ice Cream Sandwich

Barr's Robt. Timbs Family Lost To Arp

BARR, March 21—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Timbs and family have moved to Arp.

The Junior Smiths and the Clifton Smiths, of Memphis, visited the J. D. Smiths Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kitchens and baby, of Memphis, and the Randy Hardys, of Concord, visited the Ward Hardys Sunday.

Mrs. Mabel Harrison and the Ward Hardys spent Thursday of last week in Dyersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Jones, of Walnut Grove, and the Garland Kisseils and the Ercle Kissells, of Ripley, spent Sunday with the Ithmer Kissells.

The Ithmer Kissells visited E. R. Hardy in Ripley Friday.

The Leamond Arthurs visited the Raymond Gaitors in Brownsville Sunday.

Forked Deer

By Mrs. 'Red' Williams

Mrs. Hollis Vaden honored Mr. Vaden with a birthday dinner Sunday. Guests were Miss Lillian Wiley and Mrs. Lattie May Vaden, of Memphis, the Hollis Vadens, Jr., and son, Gary, of Halls, the Billy Vadens, of Woodville, and the Lynn Vadens and sons, Jerry and Jimmy.

Cecil Escue remains in Baptist Hospital in Memphis. Mrs. Escue is with him. Tommy Escue, of Athens, Ala., and Mrs. Larry Koonce, of Jackson, visited him last weekend.

Mrs. W. D. Daniels returned home Friday after having visited the W. C. Taylors in Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Robins and family in Guys, and the Pete Paganos and the Elliott Vaughns in Memphis. The Vaughns accompanied Mrs. Daniels home, and they visited relatives in Bolivar.

Mrs. Allen Bird visited and shopped in Jackson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jacocks were in Memphis one day last week and visited in Baptist Hospital.

Mrs. Cecil Humphreys, Mrs. Louise Pearson, and Mrs. Mable Humphreys had lunch in Dyersburg Sunday and visited Mrs. Hazel Wells in Chandler Nursing Home near Ripley in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kilpatrick, of Halls, Mrs. A. C. Hale, and Johnny Hale were in Jackson one day last week to see Mrs. Hale's doctor.

Mrs. Billy Pace, of Brownsville, visited her sister, Mrs. Louise Pearson, Friday.

The Allen Birds invited Mrs. Bird's parents, Mr. and Mrs. "Red" Williams, to dinner Monday to celebrate Mrs. Williams' birthday.

Mrs. Douglas Nelson and children, of Ripley, were Sunday luncheon guests of Mrs. W. D. Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Lucas, of Maury City, visited Mr. and Mrs. "Red" Williams Saturday.

The Harry Stanleys and the Jimmy Hartmans attended a Federal Land Bank dinner in Covington Friday.

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DISCUSSING SOIL CONSERVATION with a group of Halls Future Farmers of America members are, second from right, Earl West, and far right, Matt Crowell, of the Soil Conservation Service. Students are, from left, Tommy Layne, Terry Bentley, Donna Shands, Sherri Langley, and Lydia King.

PUBLIC NOTICE!

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the municipality incorporated as 'Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Halls" Tennessee, met in business session at the regular meeting place at 7 o'clock p.m., on March 6, 1978, with Sammie Arnold, Mayor, presiding, and the following members present: Marcus Spiller, Noel Sherrod, Eugene Pugh, Paul Jordan, Joe McCarthy, Morris McCorkle, and none absent. Katie L. Davis, Recorder, was also present.

It was announced that public notice of the time, place and purpose of the meeting had been given and accordingly the meeting was called to order by the Mayor and the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

The following resolution was introduced and read in full:

INITIAL RESOLUTION authorizing the issuance of $90,000 Water and Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 1978 of the "Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Halls," Tennessee.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the municipality incorporated as "Mayor and Aldermen of the town of Halls," Tennessee that for the purpose of financing in part the construction of essential public works or facilities, consisting of waterworks system improvements and extensions, there shall be issued bonds of said municipality in the aggregate principal amount not to exceed $90,000, which shall bear interest at a rate or rates not to exceed five percent (5%) per annum, and which shall be payable solely from revenues of the water and sewer subject to prior lien bonds.

After consideration and discussion of the foregoing proposed resolution, it was moved by Noel Sherrod and seconded by Paul Jordan that said resolution be adopted as read, and upon the question being put, the following voted: Aye, Marcus Spiller, Noel Sherrod, Paul Jordan, Joe McCarthy, Morris McCorkle, Eugene Pugh, Nay, none.

Thereupon, the Mayor declared said resolution to have been duly and regularly adopted and said resolution was signed and approved by the Mayor and Recorder in open meeting.

The following resolution was then introduced and read in full:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the town of Halls, Tennessee that the Mayor and Recorder be, and they are, hereby directed and instructed to cause the foregoing initial resolution relative to the issuance of $90,000 Water and Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 1978, to be published in The Halls Graphic, a newspaper having a general circulation in the town of Halls, Tennessee, for one issue of said paper.

NOTICE

The foregoing resolution has been adopted. Unless within ten (10) days from the date of publication hereof a petition signed by at least ten percent (10%) of the registered voters of the municipality shall have been filed with the Recorder or Mayor protesting the issuance of the bonds, such bonds will be issued as proposed.

Sammie Arnold, Mayor
Katie L. Davis, Recorder

After a consideration and discussion of the foregoing proposed resolution, it was moved by Joe McCarthy and seconded by Morris McCorkle that said resolution be adopted as read, and upon the question being put, the following voted: Aye, Marcus Spiller, Noel Sherrod, Paul Jordan, Joe McCarthy, Morris McCorkle, Eugene Pugh; Nay, none.

Thereupon, the Mayor declared said resolution to have been duly and regularly adopted and said resolution was signed and approved by the Mayor and Recorder in open meeting.

The following resolution was then introduced and read in full, and after motion for its adoption being made and seconded, was unanimously adopted:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the town of Halls, Tennessee, that if no petition is filed with the Mayor or Recorder protesting the issuance of such bonds within ten days after publication of the foregoing initial resolution and statutory notice, the Recorder be, and he is, hereby directed and instructed to publish a Notice of Sale of such bonds, in form approved by counsel, in The Halls Graphic, a newspaper having general circulation in town of Halls, and in such other newspapers as the Recorder may determine; and that following receipt of bids this Board shall adopt a resolution providing bond details in accordance with the terms of the notice and the requirements of Farmers Home Administration, if it is the successful purchaser of the bonds.

There being no further business, the Mayor, upon motion duly made, seconded, and passed, declared the meeting adjourned.

Sammie L. Arnold, Mayor
Katie L. Davis, Recorder

STATE OF TENNESSEE:
COUNTY OF LAUDERDALE:

I, Katie L. Davis, hereby certify that I am the duly qualified and acting Recorder of the municipality incorporated as "Mayor and Aldermen of the town of Halls," Tennessee, and as such official I further certify that attached hereto is a copy of excerpts from the minutes of the meeting of the governing body of said municipality held on March 6, 1978; that these minutes were promptly and fully recorded and are open to public inspection; that I have compared said copy with the original minute record of said meeting in my official custody; and that said copy is a true, correct and complete transcript from said original minute record insofar as said original record relates to $90,000 Water and Sewer Revenue Bonds, Series 1978 of said Municipality.

WITNESS my official signature and seal of said municipality on this 6th day of March, 1978.

Katie L. Davis
Recorder

adv.

The elephant shrew of Africa weighs just six ounces!

Poplar Grove

By Mrs. Nelle Kendrick

Mrs. Carolyn Winn and children, of Dyersburg, were supper guests of the Talmadge Kellys Wednesday of last week.

David Rodenhouser, of Halls, spent Sunday with the Don Porters.

Miss Teresa Griffin, of Forked Deer, spent Monday night with Miss Lori Shelton.

Visiting Mrs. O. L. White at Halls Sunday were Mrs. Doyle Davis, Mrs. Howard Shelton, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Moore and children, of Gates, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Fisher, of Unionville, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Moore.

Mrs. Randy Harris and Lindsay, of Alexandria, Va., spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kendrick.

Annessa Kelly is ill with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Orwig and children, of Memphis, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Knox.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams, Carolyn Piphus, Carol Puphus, Jerry Patrick, Alyce Adams;

Others will be Victor Mosby and the Ripley High School Band, Patay and Michelle Higdon, Melinda Humphreys, Debbie Fitzhugh, Pam Beasley, Keith McCaslin, Scott Spiller, Linda Ingalls, Barbara Waddell, John Sneed, Becky Vaughn, Bill Smith, Carolyn Hanson, Chuck Hendren, Keith Mercer, Shelia Hurt, Ricky Howard and Band.

WANTED!

Correspondents for Double Bridges, Porter's Gap, Gum Flat, Chestnut Bluff, and Frog Jump. For further information call Henry Murchison at 234-7540.

CONSERVATION FILM

The Halls FFA Chapter in cooperation with the Soil Conservation Service will present a film, "Lauderdale County, Its Land and Its People," at 7 p.m., March 28th, at the Halls High Vo-Ag building. The public is invited.

Thrasher visited his mother last Friday at Parkview Hospital at Dyersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Knox are spending a few days in Memphis. Mrs. Knox will see her doctor. Hollis Knox, of Dyersburg, drove his parents to Memphis.

Harry Reed Moore, of Frog Jump, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kendrick Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dobie Dunaway, of Halls, visited the Lenard Alstons Thursday of last week.

Lenard Alston spent Sunday with his brother, B. G. Alston, at Edith.

Jaycees Sponsor St. Jude Benefit Talent Show

Halls Jaycees and Jaycettes will sponsor the third annual St. Jude Children's Hospital talent show at 7 p.m. Saturday in the Halls Elementary School gymnasium.

Advance tickets may be purchased at Williams Auto Parts, Levy's, Western Auto, and S. N. Anthony, Insurance.

Among those performing will be Theresa Flowers, Felicia Pitcock, Mary Martha Dyer, Holly Bridges, Halls Girl Scouts and Brownie Troops, Johnny and Becky Kerby, Curtis Lents, Roy Harkness, Mrs. Wymond Hurt, Bill Kelly, Carlos

Some people believe that honeysuckle will cure an obsession with the past.

Public Notice!

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Halls, Lauderdale County, Tennessee, meets in regular public session at 7 o'clock p.m., April 3, 1978, at City Hall.

Public notice is hereby given that an Ordinance on the following will be read:

REGULATION OF SEWER
USE ORDINANCE

An Ordinance regulating the Use of Public and Private Sewers and Drains, Private Sewage Disposal, The Installation and Connection of Building Sewers, and the Discharge of Waters and Wastes into the Public Sewer System(s): and Providing Penalties for Violation Thereof; in the City of Halls, Tennessee, County of Lauderdale, State of Tennessee.

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RESURRECTION AND YOU

Lesson for March 26, 1978

Background Scripture: Acts 4:5-31.
Devotional Reading: 1 Peter 1:3-9

Most of us tend to think of Easter solely in terms of Christ's victory over the grave and the forces of opposition. Well, it is that, but it is considerably more, too.

Rev. Althouse

Easter is Christ's victory, but it is also our victory. Unless the resurrection was something that we also can experience in our lives, Easter would be little more than just another celebration of a historic event in the chronicles of time.

By what power?

So it was in the early church, too. Easter was important, not only because it restored the Master to them, but because with his own victory he brought to them a power that would utterly transform their lives. Wonderful as was his escape from the tomb in Joseph's garden, the most wonderful part of Easter was the effect that it would have on the lives of the disciples ever afterward.

As we trace their story in the four gospels, the disciples are not all that impressive. To be sure, they have some high moments, but often they are slow to believe and understand and even slower to put the Good News to work in their lives. Particularly at the death of Jesus they are anything but impressive in their faith and courage.

But after Christ has risen from the tomb something remarkable happens to these men. It becomes obvious that the same power that restored Jesus to life and rolled a heavy stone from his tomb has brought new life to them and rolled away from their lives some momentous barriers. After the resurrection of Jesus Christ there is a continuing resurrection taking place within their lives.

In Jesus' name

We see this power evident in them in two ways. First, as the Master had performed marvelous signs and wonders, so now would they. Peter and John on the way to the temple for prayer stop to heal a man born an invalid. For many years afterward these signs and wonders would continue to be important in the outreach and witness of the church.

Of course, the signs and wonders got them into trouble and gave occasion for another instance in which the resurrection power became visible in their lives. Although they were common and uneducated men, as they stood before the officials in Jerusalem, the power of the resurrection moved within them and gave them the ability to speak and witness boldly and convincingly for Christ. No wonder, as Luke tells us, "when they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were uneducated, common men, they wondered" (Acts 4:13).

For the early disciples the resurrection was not just something that Jesus experienced; it was also the power of God let loose in their own lives. And that's what it can mean for you too.

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SUSAN ROXANNE CHAPMAN, daughter of Mrs. Argylene Chapman, of Halls, and Robert Chapman, of Morningside, Md., will marry John Charles Elliott, son of Mr. and Mrs. William S. Elliott, of Steward, Ill., at 2 p.m. April 1st in Archer's Chapel United Methodist Church, without formal invitations.

She attended Halls High School and is employed by S-R of Tennessee in Ripley. Mr. Elliott, who attended high school in Steward, is employed by Hurt Grain & Farm Center in Halls.

The couple will reside at Gates.

Concord Locals

By Mrs. Louise Fennel

Mrs. Winfred Lee and daughters, of Memphis, were Sunday dinner guests of the Pharis Escues. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Bob Saveley, of Covington, visited them Sunday afternoon.

The Ben Barnetts visited the Odis Moores at Edith Sunday.

The Billy Bakers and Dwight Gilliland, of Memphis spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Voss.

Mrs. Jennie Gilliland and Miss Thelma Joyner attended Archer's Chapel Service Sunday and were dinner guests of the George Finchers at Frog Jump.

The Finis Garretts attended church in Fowlkes Sunday and were dinner guests of the James Ingrams.

The Jimmy Howards, of Bartlett, spent Saturday night with the Winston Carmacks. The Pat Carmacks, of Halls, and the Mike Carmacks, of Gates, visited them Sunday afternoon.

The J. T. Langleys and Mrs. Danny Simpson were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Nettie Sue Springer in Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Voss visited D. L. Gilliland in Methodist Hospital in Memphis last week.

The J. D. McNeills visited the J. B. McNeills in Dyersburg Friday night.

Sam Archer, of Halls, visited Mrs. Jennie Gilliland one day last week.

The Women's Society of Christian Service met Tuesday of last week with Mrs. Louise Fennel, with ten members and two visitors present. Mrs. Fennel presented the program, "Shrouds and Butterflies." Cake, nuts and Coca-Cola were served.

When your feet are cold, put on your hat. That makes more sense than you might think. An uncovered head can lose up to 50% of the body's heat on a cold day.

Mrs. Dyer Named To DAR Office

Mrs. Neil A. Dyer, of Halls, has been named senior state president of the Children of the American Revolution by Mrs. W. A. Berryman, of Mt. Pleasant, state regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The appointment was announced and Mrs. Dyer was introduced Saturday at a luncheon at the Hilton Hotel at Memphis where the state DAR convention was in session.

She will be installed next month at Mt. Vernon while in Washington, D. C., to attend the national convention of the DAR. She will represent Tennessee on the national board of the DAR.

Mrs. Dyer is presently state conversation chairman of the DAR and past regent of the Key Corner Chapter, of Dyersburg.

Nankipoo Locals

By Mrs. Fleetwood Cates

NANKIPOO, March 21—Members of Melville Methodist Church and Enon Baptist Church will join Dry Hill Assembly of God Church for Easter Sunrise Services at 6:30 a.m. Sunday. The Rev. William Franklin, Melville pastor, will bring the message. The Rev. E. T. McCoy, pastor at Dry Hill, invites the pubic.

Debbie Lazure, of New York, spent the weekend with her parents, the Richard Lazures. She also came to see her nephew, Richard Glynn Lazure III, son of the Ricky Lazures, who was about ten days old.

Mrs. Nealie Taylor is spending this week with her son, Jim, and his wife at Kentucky Lake.

Teresa Hall is home for the spring break from the University of Tennessee in Martin.

Cathy Hilliard, of Memphis State University, spent the weekend at home.

Mrs. Jesse Mathis, of Edith, and Mrs. C. L. Bray spent Friday at Lawrenceburg.

Mrs. Laverne Olds, of Bollvar, spent Sunday with Mrs. R. E. Clement. Mr. and Mrs. Bence Cates returned home Sunday after five weeks' tour of the Southwest. They spent a week-end with Bence's nephew, Troy Smith, and family in Yuma, Ariz.

Mrs. Virgil Thompson, of Memphis, visited her sister, Mrs. Bill Hughes, Sunday. She also visited in Miss Mary Underwood's home at Edith.

Weekend guests in the Marvin Riddick home were the Jake Baskins, of Covington, Mrs. Jim Young, of Morehouse, Mo., the Decatur Duvalis of Cedar Grove, George Crews, of Memphis, and Odell Ellis, of Edith.

The C. L. Brays visited their son, Gilbert, in the Army Hospital at Ft. Campbell, Ky., Sunday. Gilbert's doctors are preparing him for surgery, but no date has been set.

Weekend guests of the Roy Hilliards were the Ronnie Hilliards and daughter, Tonyia of Trenton and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Danelz, of Germantown.

Key Corner Club With Mrs. Perry

Members of the Key Corner Home Demonstration Club met for an all-day meeting Wednesday of last week at the home of Mrs. Wendell Perry, near Double Bridges.

Mrs. Ann Swims, president, welcomed the eight members present. Mrs. Theron Burrough led the devotional "Eternal Spring" and prayer, "God Is Just A Prayer Away."

The club which sends an annual gift to St. Jude Hospital at Memphis, voted to donate $15 this year. A plant was sent to Pete McWilliams, of Gates, who is recuperating from a heart attack.

Miss Gwen Chapman, home agent, discussed altering patterns.

Mrs. Roy Brandon will be hostess for the April meeting.

SUNRISE SERVICE

The Rev. Frank Ward, pastor, will be the speaker for a sunrise Easter service at 5:30 a.m. Sunday at Poplar Grove Cumberland Presbyterian Church. A breakfast of ham, sausage, eggs, and all the trimmings will be served at 6:45 a.m. The public is welcome.

Regular Sunday services will be at 10 and 11 a.m.

U. S. Senator
Jim Sasser
A Report for Tennesseans

I am encouraged that a badly needed reform of our veterans' benefits program is now underway.

Last year, President Carter appointed Mr. Max Cleland to be his Administrator of Veterans Affairs. Mr. Cleland is a disabled veteran who distinguished himself in serving on the staff of the Senate Committee on Veterans Affairs, so he is extremely qualified to lead these reforms.

Too often, the response to the needs of veterans has been slowed by red tape and inadequate bureaucratic procedures. Max Cleland is an energetic servant of veterans who intends to provide responsive federal attention to those who have served our country in the armed forces.

President Carter and Congress have already received a comprehensive study of the entire veterans disability system. This review will allow Congress to enact reforms which will make the disability compensation system more just and effective. I hope that Congress will use this study to formulate a meaningful improvement of the disability system during this session.

In order to solve another current problem facing many veterans, I recently introduced a bill to extend the period of eligibility for a Vietnam era veterans' readjustment appointment with the federal government.

More than 558,000 Vietnam veterans are presently unemployed, which means they are shouldering a disproportionate share of our unemployment problem. Under the provisions of this program, the eligibility period for appointment with the federal government is limited to the first year following separation from military service. My bill extends the benefits of this program until September 30, 1980, allowing more veterans to take advantage of this job opportunity.

I have recently provided testimony to the Senate Committee on Veterans Affairs, urging them to take immediate action on this proposal. Senator Cranston, Chairman of the Committee, has endorsed this reform, so I am encouraged that the bill will be brought before the Senate for consideration this year.

I firmly believe that a commitment to provide adequate benefits for veterans is one promise that our government simply must keep.

The ancient Egyptians included books on how to reach the other world when they entombed their mummies.

Dr. Stallings Cutting Ties

Dr. John Morris Stallings has ended his connection with Butler-Tucker Clinic and resigned from the staff of Lauderdale County Hospital.

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Tasting Tea For Chapter

Mrs. Bill Davis, program chairman, introduced her mother, Mrs. Cecil Massey, who presented a musical program while Tennessee Pi Chapter of Alpha Delta Kappa enjoyed a "tasting tea" of many "goodies," served with punch or coffee, March 14th in the home of Mrs. Marvin Land.

Mrs. Joe H. Walker, Jr., and Mrs. Bob Mays were co-hostesses. Miss Carolyn Crihfield, president led business.

Mrs. W. A. Smith's daughter, Mrs. Harold Wesson, of Norman, Okla, was a guest.

Recipes were exchanged before the meeting adjourned.

Sidewalk Sale This Weekend

Lauderdale County's Junior Auxiliary will sell good used clothing and cakes and pies for Easter this Friday and Saturday in front of the former Shainberg's building in downtown Ripley.

Another booth, at Wal-Mart's, will offer baked goods only.

The group, which meets the first Monday of each month in First United Methodist Church in Ripley, plans at least three projects each year, with proceeds to go to civic projects, club approved charities, and child welfare projects.

Mrs. Don Bevis is president, Mrs. Pam McNeill vice-president, Mrs. Danny Beaird, recording secretary, Mrs. Mitchell Ammons treasurer, Mrs. B. B. Douglas corresponding secretary, Mrs. Dan Walker parliamentarian, and Mrs. Jimmy Fullen publicity chairman.

Australia follows U.S. divorce rate

Between 1965 and 1977, the U.S. divorce rate doubled from 2.5 per 1,000 population to 5 per 1,000.

The next highest divorce rate, reports the Family Economist, is in Australia, with about 4.3 divorces per 1,000 population. Russia is third with 3.4.

Boston was once known as Beantown because it was famous for its baked beans.

Married In Dyersburg

MR. AND MRS. MICHAEL EDWARD DEW were married at 10 a.m. March 11th in Holy Angels Church in Dyersburg, before an altar flanked by twin candelabra. Arrangements of white gladioli, daisies, and baby's breath were placed at vantage points on side altars. Flowered markers graced the pews.

Mrs. Harvey Gardner, of Memphis, and Alphonse Courteau, of Uxbridge, Mass., soloists, and Mrs. Dee Emery, church organist, presented nuptial music.

Given in marriage by her father, Roger Charest, of Halls, the bride, Donna Marie, wore a gown of white sataglow with peau de ange pearls on a Chantilly lace yoke. long tapered sleeves were appliqued with lace, ending in a ruffled neck and cuffs. Wide lace bordered the tunic skirt and hem flowing into a chapel train. The bride wore a picture hat of Denise lace on petit d'esprit lace, with narrow satin streamers. She carried a Colonial bouquet of white carnations and baby's breath.

Mrs. Dennis Jones served her sister as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Debra Bowie, Miss Betsy Gorman, and Mrs. Richard Charest. Connie Dew, sister of the groom, was junior bridesmaid. Pamela Jones was flower girl. Each wore a light blue Princess style long knit dress with a capelet of printed voile and carried a Colonial bouquet of multi-colored flowers.

Paul Dew, of Ripley, was his son's best man. Ushers were Randy Dew, Wade Kiestler, Tony Dew, Richard Charest, Benji Pope, and Rickey McLemore.

The bride's mother chose a light green "Qiana" long dress. The groom's mother selected a multi-colored light blue long dress. Each wore a white orchid.

The bride's parents hosted a reception at Rolling Hills Country Club in Ripley. Presiding at the register's table was Miss Cindy Fowler.

The bride's table featured a 3-tier ice blue cake, trimmed with white daisies. Finger sandwiches, assorted fruits, wedding punch, and the champagne fountain were offered guests. Ken Kennedy, of Memphis, performed at the organ.

After a wedding trip to New Orleans, La., Mr. and Mrs. Dew are residing in the Hill-top Apartments in Ripley.

April Vows Set By Miss Escue

Bonnie Lou Escue, granddaughter of the late Dave and Viola Escue, of Route 2, Ripley, and of the late Oscar and Sadie Yarbrough, of Route 2, Gates, will marry Bruce Barry Beausoleil, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beausoleil, of Chicago, Ill., at 3 p.m. April 29th in the First United Congregational Church of Christ in Elmhurst, Ill.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Escue, of Addison, Ill.

The couple will reside at 1936 South 16th Avenue in Broadview, Ill.

Hardy Honored On 88th Birthday

E. R. Hardy, retired postmaster at Barr, celebrated his 88th birthday Monday in his home at 206C Northcrest in Ripley.

Enjoying sausage and biscuits, cake with hot caramel icing, and a beverage during the evening were some of his children and grandchildren, including Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hardy and Calvin Hardy, of Halls, and Mrs. Theron Burrough, with Mr. Burrough, of Double Bridges.

The cake was baked by Mrs. Burrough, using a favorite recipe of her late mother.

Telephoning her father during the evening was another daughter, Mrs. Gene Burrough, of Melrose Park, Ill.

Indian Artisan Judges Pottery

MRS. RONNIE ROBINSON, of near Curve, Choctaw Indian who makes beaded jewelry for sale at Chucalissa Indian Village in South Memphis, working one to two days on an average size piece, and who also makes Indian dresses, hand sewn of 100% cotton, which take about a week each, judged a pottery contest Wednesday of last week in First Christian Church in Halls for Girl Scout Troop 151, of which Mrs. Virginia Hurt is leader. Winners were, from left, Lucinda Bridges, Krista Hendren, and Tammy Holt. Mrs. Robinson, 62, was born on the reservation at Philadelphia, Miss.; the husband she married at the age of 18, Jimmy, lived there until his death. She moved to this county 26 years ago. She has six surviving children—a son and five daughters, ten grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

SQUASH TOURNAMENT

More than 3,000 are expected to enter the first national tournament for average squash players this year, making it the largest tournament in the history of the sport, say the sponsors.

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Tissue..... 4 rolls 87¢

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Grapefruit..... 2 for 25¢
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Apples ..... each 15¢
For Baking
Sweet Potatoes .. lb. 19¢
Crisp
Lettuce ..... hd. 37¢

18½ Oz. Assorted Duncan Hines
Cake Mixes..... box 69¢

Reelfoot Smoked
Picnics ..... lb. 69¢

Center Cut
Chuck Roast ..... lb. 89¢
English
Roast ..... lb. 99¢
Shoulder
Roast ..... lb. $1.09
Boneless
Chuck Roast .... lb. $1.29

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Revues Set This Weekend

The Halls Community Club will sponsor the annual Junior Revue at 7 p.m., Friday at Halls Elementary School with Paul Henderson, Jr. as master of ceremonies.

Bobby Baker, of the Dyersburg Stage Band, will be master of ceremonies for the senior revue at 7:30 p.m. Saturday at the school.

Winners in the revues will represent Halls at the Humboldt Strawberry Festival and at other events in Memphis and West Tennessee.

Among those participating in the junior revue will be:

Christie Burks, Mary Ann Vaden, Lori Olds, Regina Stanley, Kim Keen, Heather Hogue, Toni Alley, Mary Helen Davis, Rhonda Phillips, Suzanne Myrick, Kelly Jacobs, Lisa Jacobs, Angela Hansbrough, Lee Ann Viar, Kim Hilliard, Donna Young, Angela Yanders, Tabatha Criswell, Libby Broglin, Kim Phillips;

Monette Lacy, Kelly Thrash, Lora Reece, Tammy Cole, Tina Patton, Carol Terry, Angela Koonce, Shannon Ballard, Regina Delph, Patricia Sawyer, Kim Harris, Rhonda Riddick, Stephanie Lovan Twill, Lori AnnAdams, Jina Hurt, Jennifer Ewell, Lucinda Bridges, Melissa Sanders, Lorie Criner;

Bret Cook, Stephen Belton, Chris Kapadia, Brad Brown, Wade Johns, Scott Wyatt, Chuckie Nelson, Pete Goforth, Ronnie Moore, Billy Gibbons, Jason Haley, Kevin Corlew, Harry Delph, Jr., Brian Vaughn, Mark Reynolds, Brian Burns, Clay Hurt, Mark Lemons, Adron Wiggins.

Some of the participants in the senior revue will be:

Tracie Horner, Beverly Lane, Patricia Stanley, Vanessa Jennings, Lisa Thompson, Cathy Bishop, Jane Brewer. Alesia Stanley, Susan Burks, Debbie Ward, Sandy Myrick, Barbara Hardy, Linda Ingalls, Tammy Hooper, Tammie Griggs, Lisa Potter, Diane Walton; Kim DeSollar, Debbie Bell, Cindy Harber, Cindy Hilliard, Shirley Moore:

Vicki Abernathy, Angela Hodge, Pam White, Candy Parker, Sandra Paris, Kay Clark, Monica White, Sandy Hayes, Donna Smith, Debra Edenfield, Carla Reynolds, Kim Coffey, Kathy Currin, Laura Myrick, Laura Crihfield, Rita Prescott, Pam White.

Escorting the contestants will be Max Arnold, David Atkinson, Jimmy Bishop, Jeff Brewer, Ricky Crihfield, Bill Lindley, Rodney McBroom, and Ladd Roberts.

Old Coca-Cola Cards Found

Everett Kirby, of Gates, has presented your editor two Coca-Cola advertising cards which he found between the walls while remodeling his home, the old Luther Hardy house, at Gates.

The cards, about 2x3-inches, are two of a series distributed by the Coca-Cola Co. picturing wild flowers and urging their preservation.

No date is printed on the cards but information on them states that there were 20 cards to a set and the set could be obtained by sending 2¢ in postage to the Coca-Cola Co., Atlanta, Ga. Exact age is not known but the postage requirement indicates that the cards are at least 40 years old.

8th Graders To Take State Tests

All Lauderdale County eighth graders along with eighth graders throughout the state will be tested in April to determine their readiness for the type of tests that will be required for a high school diploma beginning in 1982. Exact dates and plans have not been announced.

Mighty Mississippi Moves In

—Elton Jones Photo

CROSSING THE HIGHWAY NEAR JOHNSON'S LAKE near Ashport last weekend, back waters from the Mississippi River spread over lowlands at Ashport and Golddust. The National Weather Service predicted a Cairo crest of 50.6 feet Wednesday, 10.6 feet above the bank-full stage, with no major rains in sight and no immediate threat of a flood like 1975's, which had a Cairocrest of 56.6 feet.

Street Dance, Trade Day Set In Henning

Henning's Townspeople, Inc., will have the Loretta Lynn Band, from Nashville, in Henning on Saturday, April 8th, for a street dance beginning at 7 p.m.

The first Saturday in May, a trade day is planned, with anyone invited to set up a booth on the street without charge.

Both the street dance and the trade day are planned as monthly events in Henning in the future.

Benefit Show Yields $544 For St. Jude

A total of $544.75 was raised for St. Jude Children's Hospital, of Memphis, at the benefit talent show Saturday at Halls Elementary School. Sponsors of the benefit were Halls Jaycees and Jaycettes.

Reigning over the show as 1978 St. Jude Queen was Jane Brewer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Brewer. First maid was Tracie Horner, daughter of Mrs. Joan Van Dyke and Jerry Horner. Second maid was Barbara Hardy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hardy, and alternate was Patricia Stanley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stanley. The girls collected $183.91 for St. Jude.

Another contribution of $1 each came from the Girl Scouts who also participated in the talent show.

Sick And Ailing

Elvis Cannon remains quite ill in Baptist Hospital in Memphis.

Mrs. G. W. O'Dell entered Baptist Hospital in Memphis Sunday.

Dismissed From Lauderdale County Hospital

Halls—Robert J. Reese, Auzie Douglas Collins, Wilbur Thurmond, Lisa Bonds.

Dismissed From Jackson-Madison County Hospital

Halls—Angela D. O'Neal, March 22nd; Aylmer D. Lilley, March 25th.

HEAR REP. JONES

Among those from the Halls area attending the Soil Conservation meeting at Ripley High School Friday evening were G. W. O'Dell, Roger Charest, Billy Spence, Gerald Cherry, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Dyer, Mayor Sammie Arnold, H. G. Conley, Oliver Nunn, Dick Lazure, Ricky Lazure, Anderson Carter, and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Steelman, Jr.; also Hal Pennington and Bobby Vaughn, of Gates. Seventh District Cong. Ed Jones was guest speaker.

MEETING ON SCHOOLS

The county Board of Education and Building Committee will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the courtroom of the county courthouse.

Softball League Teams Register

The county's women's softball league must receive team applications, with $60 fees, by April 15th.

Information is available from Charles Crook, secretary-treasurer, 635-2092, or his assistant, Frances Jackson, 738-5637.

Seeks World Title

MELANIE FLYNN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dicky Flynn, of Eylau Farm, has had her fourth birthday since Saturday, when she became Easter Queen of the 2- and 3-year-old group competing from five states in the Young American Model Association's Easter Pageant in West Memphis, Ark., repeating the victory she scored in the same event last year and earning entry in the 'Model of the Year' competition in Gatlinburg this month, plus a trip to Paris, France, to compete in the World Pageant. She now owns five crowns and twelve trophies, up to a foot high. She is the great-niece of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clay Davis, of Eylau Farm, who employ her father. The family moved here in January from Tunica, Miss.

Family Night By Halls PTO

The Halls Parent-Teacher Organization is sponsoring a spaghetti supper and cake-walk from 6 to 8 p.m. next Friday, in Halls Elementary School, to buy equipment for the new school. Carry-out orders will be available.

There will be live entertainment during the cake-walk.

Pre-schoolers are admitted to the supper free. Other admissions are $2 and $1.

WIN SAVINGS BONDS

Winning $25 U.S. Savings Bonds in Friday's Easter egg drop at E. W. James & Sons Super Market in Ripley were Bonnie Hatfield, Joan Lynnette Lane, and Willard Lynn Lane, of Ripley.

PRACTICES HERE

DR. JOE JOHN HARPER, husband of the former Melissa Wheeler, of Ripley, who teaches special education in Halls Elementary School, has opened an optometry practice at 479 South Washington in Ripley. A graduate of East Carolina University in Greenville, N.C., and of Southern College of Optometry in Memphis in 1973, he completed a 4-year scholarship loan obligation with the state of North Carolina to practice in a needy area of that state for four years. In January, he completed a post-graduate course in pharmacology and therapeutics in Pennsylvania College of Optometry. He was one of the clinical investigators for gas permeable contact lenses, recently approved by the Federal Drug Administration for marketing in the United States.

Grace Bible Church Shows Color Movie

A 2-hour color film, "Azariah-Uzziah, The Church Vs. The State," will be shown in Grace Bible Church at 6 p.m. Sunday and 7 p.m. Monday.

The film is based on the Bible account of King Uzziah invading the Holy Place and assuming the authority of Azariah, the High Priest, in burning incense to the Lord.

"This same thing is happening in our country today, as the bureaucrats of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare are trying to control the churches and bring them under their rule," says The Rev. Harold McMurry, pastor.

"One mother in Ohio was told she could not force her child to go to church nor to a Christian school, nor could she ever speak to him of God in the home.

"The child was told that if she did, all he had to do was notify HEW, and he would be removed from the home.

"Evangelist Lester Roloff, of Corpus Christi, Tex., has gone to jail three times rather than bow to the Texas Department of HEW, which wants to license the ministries of his church.

"The state of Virginia department of HEW wants to license preachers and Sunday Schools, since Sunday Schools are concerned with education.

"We invite the public to see this 2-hour color film."

New Phone Building May Alter 234- Calls

Construction has started on a new building to house the central office of South Central Bell in Halls.

The building, located on the west side of old Highway 51 South, opposite Jones Big J Equipment Co., will be one-story, with 1,400 square feet of floor space. Materials will be fire-resistant retarded sheet rock and brick. Estimated cost is $62,000.

Architects for the building are Gower, Sullivan Associates, of Nashville. Contractors are Watlington Bros., of Jackson.

Mrs. Shirley Loftin, Dyersburg district manager, said Tuesday that the building should be completed and equipment installed by January, 1979. The most up-to-date and sophisticated equipment will be instaled, with the latest in telephone equipment available to Halls patrons.

Mrs. Loftin said the present 234 prefix will likely be changed when the new equipment is placed in service. Announcement will be made later this year.

Ripley Ballot Offers Dozen

Ripley's April 6th ballot will offer voters three candidates for mayor and nine for six alderman seats.

Mayor Rozelle Criner, unopposed for re-election since 1968, has two foes this time—incumbent alderman Richard Douglas, co-owner of Allied Lumber Co. and Douglas Mobile Mills and Grain Co., and former alderman Joe Green, director of the Tennessee Opportunities Program here.

Aldermen seeking re-election are Bill Davis, Ripley High School teacher, Ben Emerson, tire dealer, Leon Hargett, Lauderdale Co-Op manager, Saul Moore, retired teacher, and Bobby Walker, contractor.

Other aldermen candidates are Tommy Dunavant, pharmacist, Pat Gay, businessman, Clarence Keeley, teacher, and Jerry T. Pilcher, Jr., masonry contractor.

Boating Death Mourned Here

Services in Ripley Funeral Home at 2 p.m. Friday lamented Michael Eugene Rodenhauser, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fred Rodenhauser, of Halls, who drowned Monday while boating on lake Conine at Winter Haven, Fla.

The bodies of Rodenhauser and Miss Fonda Faye Owens, 20, of Winter Haven, were recovered at 2:09 a.m. Tuesday from the center of the lake, which is two miles across.

Rodenhauser was employed as a truck driver.

He also leaves a daughter, Jennifer Ann Rodenhauser, of Dyersburg, and two brothers, David Lynn Rodenhauser and George Nathan Rodenhauser, of Halls.

Halls Tiny Tot Revue April 8

Halls Jaycettes will sponsor a Tiny Tot Revue at 7 p.m. April 8th in the Elementary School gymnasium.

5 Counties Enter 300 In Olympics

Five counties will have about 300 handicapped children in Wednesday's Special Olympics on Knee Field in Ripley.

About half will be from this county, with Dyer, Crockett, Haywood, and Tipton also participating.

Events beginning at 9:30 a.m. will include the 50-yard dash, the 220-yard dash, the softball throw, the standing long jump, a frisbie clinic and a ring toss.

Mrs. Jim Dixon will be on hand dressed as Sesame Street's Big Bird.

Larry and Elayne Sanders are chairmen, with Mike Allmand as fund-raising chairman, for the sponsoring Jaycees and Jaycettes of Ripley. They hope to expand the project to year-round events.

Donations would be welcomed by Larry Sanders, P.O. Box 347, Ripley, or Mike Allmand, 635-3644.

C. H. Sullivan, Sons Buy Shoaf Acreage

C. H. Sullivan and sons, of Highway 87 west of Henning, have purchased 2,830 acres of land from Charles Shoaf, Jr., who is moving to Florida.

Remap Waits State Action

Lauderdale County Court cannot proceed with its plans to change the districts from which magistrates are elected until the state legislature enacts guiding legislation, a special committee of the legislature was told Monday.

Assistant Attorney General Everett Falk told the 10-member panel that Madison County Attorney Hewitt Tomlin was correct in advising his County Court that state action to implement the new local government amenment to the state constitution—which cuts court members to 25—must precede action in individual counties.

Falk told the committee he felt the legislature should enact guidelines governing how the new magistrate districts can be set up.

Such guidelines could materially alter the reapportionment plan proposed in this county's last regular County Court meeting.

Other questions the legislature must answer concern the new "county executive" and the fate of civil district constables.

County judges elected in 1974 will remain in office until 1982. Then county executives will be elected to serve 4-year terms.

Falk said, however, it is not clear that county judges can now assume the duties intended to be turned over to the county executives.

Constables are no longer provided for in the constitution, but there is still legislative authority for them.

The legislature must decide whether to continue them after their current terms expire at the end of August. 1978.

OK $750,000 For Armory

The Department of Defense and the National Guard Bureau have approved $750,000 to construct a new, 150-man National Guard Armory in Ripley, Mayor Rozelle Criner reports.

Bids are expected to be let this summer, with construction scheduled to begin in October.

The new armory will be located on a 10-acre site of the city's south industrial park, west of new Highway 51.

Collision Fatal To Sawyers, 26

Richard Dean Sawyers, 26, McKenzie grocery clerk who was the brother of Mrs. Ann Reynolds, of Ripley, was fatally injured at 8:15 p.m. Monday when his car was struck broadside by another vehicle.

Highway Patrol dispatcher Billy Bush said he was turning left off Highway 124, five miles west of McKenzie, when struck by a car driven by Richard Reed, 18, of McKenzie, who was treated and released from a McKenzie hospital.

Services for Sawyers were set for 2 p.m. Thursday in Sand Hill Baptist Church, with burial there, Brummitt Funeral Home in charge.

He also leaves his father, J. P. Sawyers, of McKenzie; a brother, Lowell, of Gleason; and six other sisters, Miss Judy Sawyers, Mrs. Shirley McDaniels, and Mrs. Lucille Winstead, of McKenzie, Mrs. Doris Danesworth, of Gleason, Mrs. Vickie Middleton, of Puryear; and Mrs. Janice Grase, of Helton, Ky.

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Taiwan takes U.S. apples

Taiwan will import 110,000 cartons of apples from the United States this year, priced at around $15 per carton.

The island will also buy 100,000 cartons from South Korea and 60,000 cartons from Canada.

FOR SALE—Moving, immediate possession 3 BR brick house, 2 full baths, LR, DR, den, enclosed garages, Call 234-5319 after 4 p.m. 30-1tp

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CLEAN carpets professionally clean with portable carpet cleaner. Rent Rinse-N-Vac at Western Auto Associate Store, Halls. 30-1t

SERVICE—

EBONY SEARCH, Tennessee Walking Horse, now standing at Gailon Smith's Stables, 234-7020, Halls. $100 fee, one-half down, no board. 2-tf

ED JONES

7th DISTRICT of TENNESSEE

REPORTS FROM WASHINGTON

Last year Congress enacted into law increased Social Security tax rates and taxable wage bases on which those taxes would be paid to restore the Social Security system to a sound financial footing. Since that law went into effect, several other methods of financing the Social Security system have gained the attention of members of Congress. Each of these proposals has as its aim the reduction of future Social Security tax increases. Under the 1977 law, Social Security taxes would increase gradually over the next 12 years.

The alternatives that have been suggested include a number of changes, the most prominent of which is the use of general tax revenues to help finance the Social Security trust funds. The first alternative, and the one apparently gaining the most support, is a bill sponsored by Rep. James Burke, of Massachusetts. That bill proposes that one-third of the Social Security expenditures would be financed by general tax revenues. The remainder would be made up of one-third financing by payroll taxes to the individual worker, and one-third paid by the matching amounts of the employer. It is estimated that this bill would cost approximately $30 billion in 1979 and it would cut the payroll tax to 3.9 percent of income. That change would result in the payroll tax rate being lower than it has been since 1965.

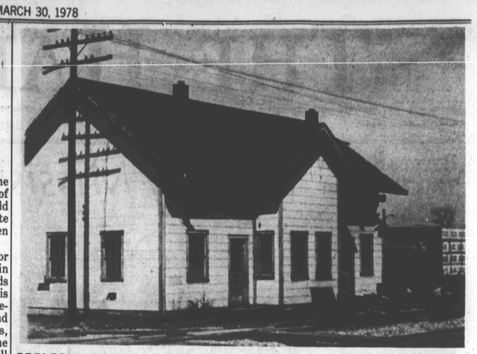
Another proposal calls for the partial funding of certain Social Security trust funds from general revenues. This would use general tax revenues to finance disability and health insurance benefits, and it would also have the effect of reducing the payroll tax rate. It is estimated that this proposal would reduce payroll taxes by $34 billion and would cost the federal treasury $22 billion.

Those are the two major proposals that are receiving attention by various members of Congress. There are others that are not gaining as much support including the use of income tax credits to offset higher payroll taxes. Under this proposal, a taxpayer would be able to claim a percentage of his or her annual contributions to the Social Security system as a tax credit on their income taxes. There has also been some thought given to the establishment of new revenue sources for Social Security though those proposals have not yet been firmed up.

Throughout all of this discussion, one of the primary arguments has been the need to protect the integrity of the trust funds and the need to continue fiscal restraints on the system. Many opponents of using general revenue funds to help finance Social Security point out that such a move would result in higher federal expenditures, and they would potentially have the result of eliminating the fiscal restraint that already exists in the system.

On the other hand, supporters of these methods of financing feel that some relief from higher payroll taxes should be enacted into law. From my own perspective, I question the use of general tax revenues for Social Security because of the increase in federal spending it would require; and, of course, there will have to be taxes to support that increase in spending.

I plan to continue following the development in Social Security financing as these proposals become the subject of debate and discussion in the various committees. I hope that Seventh District constituents will pass along to me their feeling on this matter.



FORLORN LOOKING while awaiting a decision on its future is the old Illinois Central Gulf Railroad depot on Front Street in Halls. A study is being made to determine the feasibility of using the building for a city police station and public restrooms. Mayor Sammie Arnold says a decision should be reached in the near future.

FARMING ENERGY
The nation's farmers are not to be considered energy hogs with their usage of only 3½ to 4 percent of the energy buget, says Countryside Magazine.

HIGHEST POINT
Highest point of all 50 States is South Churchill Peak on the summit of Mt. McKinley, Alaska. The peak has an elevation of 20,320 feet.

VIETNAM RECOGNIZED
France recognized Vietnam as a free state within the Indo-Chinese Federation on March 6, 1946.

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Cheese ..... 4 for $1

Lucky Leaf Apple **Sauce ..... 25 oz. 59¢**
Lucky Leaf Apple **Juice ..... qt. 59¢**

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Hyde Park **Flour ..... 5 lbs. 69¢**
Hyde Park **Meal ..... 5 lbs. 75¢**

Duncan Hines
Cake Mixes. 18½ oz. 63¢

Miracle Whip
Salad Dressing . qt. $1.09

9 Oz. Pringles **Potato Chips ..... 79¢**
Rainbo Polish Dill **Pickle ..... qt. 79¢**

48 Oz. Bottle
Crisco Oil $1.89

Purex **Bleach ..... gal. 69¢**
Hunt's **Catsup ..... qt. 79¢**

Corn Valley
Sausage ..... 2 lbs. $1.99

14½ Oz. Bush White **Hominy ..... 2 for 39¢**
Reelfoot **Bacon ..... 12 oz. $1.19**

10 Lb. Bucket
Chitterlings $4.99

Boston Butt **Pork Roast ..... lb. 99¢**
Fresh **Pork Steak .... lb. $1.29**

Fresh
Pork Cutlets .... lb. $1.29

Brevities

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Myrick and children, of Martin, and Mrs. John Cole and children, of Memphis, spent the weekend with Mrs. Billy Viar.

Mr. and Mrs. Raybon Chambers spent Sunday in Raleigh with their daughter, Mrs. Danny Adams, and family. They also visited Morris Currie in Veterans Hospital.

Visiting Elvis Cannon Sunday in Baptist Hospital at Memphis were Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Steelman, Jr., and the Rev. Ivy Ingalls. Mr. Ingalls also visited Morris Currie and Ewell Moore in Veterans Hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. Cary Alsobrook, of Humboldt, Mrs. A. A. Ball and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Spence and son, Will, spent Easter Sunday with Mrs. Birdie Spence in Crockett County.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Ferland and daughter, of Johnsonville, S. C., have returned home after a week with Mrs. Ferland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Auford Pickens.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lovelace and children spent the weekend with Mrs. Lovelace's sister, Mrs. Tilman Bailey, and Mr. Bailey, of Bay, Ark. Also visiting in Bay for the holidays was Mrs. Lovelace's twin brother, Billy Fielder, and family, of Elmhurst, Ill., and another sister, Mrs. Cody Weaver, and Mr. Weaver, of Melrose Park, Ill. The Weavers are retiring and have purchased a home in Jonesboro, Ark. which they will occupy in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baker and daughter, of Jonesboro, Ark., spent Sunday with Mrs. Robert Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Murchison were in Memphis Friday.

Spending Easter with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McGarrity were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Belton and daughter, of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Stamps and sons, of Collierville, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Crain and daughter, of Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. John Cross and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Belton, all of Ripley.

Among those attending the joint meeting of McDowell Music Club and the Dyersburg Woman's Club Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. C. B. Ford, of Dyersburg, were Mrs. Donald Hogue, Mrs. Neil Dyer, Mrs. Marvin Hansford, and Mrs. Larry H. Sanders, of Ripley.

Miss Jan Craddock, a pharmacy student at The University of Mississippi at Oxford, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed, of Jackson, Miss., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Craddock.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Crihfield spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Manly, of West Memphis, Ark.

Mrs. R. V. Agee, Mr. and Mrs. Everette Agee and son, and Mrs. Cherry Hurt and son spent Friday at Metropolis, Ill.

Dr. and Mrs. Stuart Crichfield and son, Casey, of Memphis, and John Crichfield and Miss Patti Joyner, of The University of Tennessee in Martin, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Crichfield.

Ralph Perry and sons and Mrs. Lula Perry were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lovelace for a spaghetti supper Wednesday night of last week.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Willis over the Easter holidays wre their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Vezinia, and children, of Dunwoody, Ga.

Bob Smith, of Dyersburg, and Gailon Smith are in Hot Springs, Ark., attending the horse races at Oaklawn Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Gore III, of Grenada, Miss., and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Arnold, of Jackson, spent Easter with their parents, Mayor and Mrs. Sammie Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Woodard had their children, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Newsome, and son, of Knoxville, and Mr. and Mrs. Tilford Woodard and children, of Memphis, as guests during the Easter weekend. Joining them for dinner Friday evening were Mrs. Paul Jordan and Mrs. Tony Willis.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Willis Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Vezinia and children, of Dunwoody, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. Billy Newsome and son, of Knoxville, Mr. and Mrs. Tilford Woodard and children, of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jordan, Maurice Jordan, and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Woodard.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell Daws and children and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gardner, all of Memphis, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Winston Daws.

Mrs. Carla Hamilton and daughter, of Memphis, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Bernard Higdon, and other relatives.

Miss Cathy Williams, of Memphis, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. anti Mrs. R. H. Williams.

Will Spence, of Lambuth College in Jackson, spent the spring vacatiion break in Florida.

Chi Chapter Has Brunch

Colorful ceramic pieces made by members of Haywood High School art classes were used as decorations as Chi chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, international teachers' honorary society, held a brunch March 18th in the Heritage Room of First State Bank in Brownsville.

Mrs. Edward Smith introduced Mrs. Janis Shelby, of Lexington, of the State Department of Education, who spoke on "A Challenge—Changes In Education." Her talk concerned proficiency testing, and a question and answer period proved interesting.

Mrs. Coleen Flowers, of Henning, presided and introduced the new officers, Mrs. Lynn Shaw, president, and Mrs. John Allen, corresponding secretary, both of Brownsville. They will be installed at the May meeting in Henning.

Mrs. Nelson Cunningham's devotional theme was "Happiness."

Miss Glynn Bridgewater, clarinetist, and Mrs. Wayne Williams, pianist, presented musical numbers.

Poplar Grove

By Mrs. Nelle Kendrick

Mrs. C. B. Baker III and children, of Tiptonville, spent one day last week with her parents, the G. W. O'Dells.

Mrs. Jimmy Kendrick spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Harris at Double Bridges.

Mrs. Lenard Alston spent wednesday night with her father, Ed Sumerlin, near Maury City.

Mrs. Roberta Parker and David, of Dyersburg, visited the Howard Sheltons Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Knox returned home Sunday after two weeks in Memphis. Mr. and Mrs. James Knox and children, of Memphis, drove them home and also visited the Lenard Alstons.

Jackie Moore, of Ripley, and Bob Harris, of Memphis, were supper guests of the Mitchell Moores Friday.

Visiting the Holford Swanners Saturday were Mrs. Eddie Ownby, of Dyersburg, Mrs. Kay Cook and son and Ryan Hilliard, of Halls. Their Sunday guests were Mrs. Barry King and son, of Ripley.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore, of Dyersburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shelton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Davis and daughters, of Memphis, visited the Lenard Alstons Sunday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Talmadge Kelley and children visited Mrs. Kelley's parents, the Lunsfords, at Bonicord last week.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Moore were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Fisher, of Unionville, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kendrick.

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Tues., April 11, 1978 10:30 A.M.

Offering "2" Farms in Carroll and Gibson County, Tennessee near Milan.

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2. 338 Acres—Gibson and Carroll County

1. 435 Acre Farm (approx. 400 open acres) is located approximately 10 miles east of Milan, Tenn. This farm comes equipped with a brick house consisting of 3 BR. 2 Baths, LR, DR, Playroom, Utility Room and Kitchen-Den combination. The house has central heat and air. The farm also has a grain bin, underground gas tank, and 2 equipment sheds or barns. Fenced and cross fenced, last year in beans, this farm could make either a row crop or a cattle farm deluxe.

"Take A Look"

DIRECTIONS: From Milan follow 104 East through the Milan Arsenal approximately 6 miles to a stop sign, turn left on 104 East, then go approximately 300 yards and take first blacktop to the left. Go approximately 1½ miles, turn right on blacktop and proceed approximately 2 miles to property which begins on the right. Follow sale signs!

2. 338 Acre Farm (approx. 300 open acres) This farm was in beans last year and would also make a row crop or cattle farm. — "Study your lesson here!"
DIRECTIONS: From Milan take Hwy 79 and 77 approximately 5 miles to Atwood. Turn left just past the DX station. Go across the Railroad tracks, turn left then bear to the right approximately 5 miles to farm. Follow the sale signs!

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Democratic Women Organize

DEMOCRATIC LADIES meeting Monday in the Talmadge Crihfield, Jr., home on Alpine in Ripley (right) elected Mrs. Don Paris (above, center) president, with (from right) Betty Jester as recording secretary, Mrs. Glardes Thomas as treasurer, Mrs. Jerry Sue Crihfield as vice-president, and Miss Carolyn Crihfield as corresponding secretary. State leaders present were (from left) Mrs. Betty Stubblefield, of Paris, state vice-president, and Mrs. Imogene Harris, of Milan, state committeewoman. Members of the county group include Mrs. Elnora Hill, Mrs. Elnora Hubbard, Mrs. Jean Jackson, Mrs. Elise Jennings, Mrs. Millie Young, Mrs. Frances Hargett, Mrs. Cindy Webb, Mrs. Mary Forsythe, Mrs. Judy Glenn, Mrs. Jean Criner, Mrs. Peggy Criner, Mrs. Sarah Martin, Mrs. Betty Newman, Mrs. Geneva Crihfield, Mrs. Juanita Webb, and Mrs. Jackie Goad.

School Lunches

Thursday, March 30th
Fried Chicken
Whipped Potatoes
Green Peas
Rolls
Banana Pudding

Friday, March 31st
Cheeseburgers
French Fries
Pear Salad
Hamburger Buns
Ice Cream Sandwich

Monday, April 3rd
Pizza
Fruit Cup
Combination Salad
Roll
Butterscotch Brownie

Tuesday, April 4th
Fish Portions
French Fries
Green Peas
Carrot Strips
Hush Puppies
Peaches And Cookies

Wednesday, April 5th
Country Fried Steak
Whipped Potatoes
Green Beans
Rolls
Cobbler

Thursday, April 6th
Barbecue
Baked Beans
Cabbage Slaw
Buns
Pineapple Upside-Down Cake

Friday, April 7th
Vegetable Beef
Or Chicken Rice Soup
Peanut Butter
Pimiento Cheese Sandwich
Half Orange
Ranger Cookies

Peter Cotton Tail Arrives

WEARING EASTER BONNETS THEY MADE THEMSELVES, students of Halls Kindergarten in Gates sang 'Here Comes Peter Cotton Tail' as Mrs. Carl Newman appeared during their Easter party Thursday of last week. The children, who had studied Sesame Street for the week, did songs and skits from the television program. Cakes shaped like Big Bird, Bert and Ernie, the Count, and the Cookie Monster were served with milk as refreshments for the Easter party.

Lauderdale County Hospital ten days, was transferred Monday to Baptist Hospital in Memphis for surgery.

William Wells entered Baptist Hospital in Memphis Monday.

Mrs. Fay Coffman and Mrs. Agnes Conyers were Easter dinner guests of the William Conyer family at Alamo.

Guests Saturday of Mrs. Lillian Jamerson and Mrs. Sally Cullipher were James Tillman, of Covington, Mrs. Marvin Hansford and daughter, Jennifer, of Halls, Mrs. James Phillips, of Fowlkes, and Mrs. Lola Fitzhugh, her daughter, and a friend, of near Ripley.

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Fire Foes' Meeting Hears Gates Guest

By Mrs. Sally Cullipher

GATES, March 27—Joseph McDonagh, of Centreville, Md., taught classes Monday through Friday of last week in the Fire and Rescue Institute of the International Fire Convention in Cook Convention Center in Memphis. Motoring here with him Saturday before last were Kay Jamerson and daughter, Joelle Slaybaugh, of Aberdeen, Md., who visited Mrs. Jamerson's mother, Mrs. Lillian Jamerson, and her sister, Mrs. Sally Cullipher. Mr. McDonagh addressed the International Society of Fire Service Instructors Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Kay Jamerson heard him speak and attended a banquet which followed. She spent the night with friends in Memphis. The three left for Maryland Saturday.

Mrs. Marion Jamyson, of Wellington, Ohio, returned home last week after several days with Mrs. Mary Hamil, who accompanied her home for several days visit.

Mrs. Betty Sue Green, of Dyersburg, and Mrs. Gladys Poindexter, of Halls, accompanied Mrs. Ruby Sloan when she took her visitor for several days, Mrs. Corrine Thaggard, of Madden, Miss., to the Memphis airport Wednesday of last week.

Jimmy, Donna, and Cathy Bishop attended services in Middleton Monday of last week for their grandfather, The Rev. W. B. Bishop. Their mother, Mrs. Betty Bishop, was in Parkview Hospital in Dyersburg for tests. She and Cathy visited the minister's widow Friday.

Bill Coffman, of Memphis, visited his mother, Mrs. Fay Coffman, and Mrs. Alice Conyers Friday. Mrs. Keith Coffman's mother, Mrs. Bessie Hendren, of Lauderdale County Nursing Home, and the Keith Coffmans and children, Lynn and Beverly, were guests Saturday.

The Rev. and Mrs. John Holt and children, Mike, Jan, and David, were Easter dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Holt's mother, Mrs. Maude Ferguson, of Gadsden, with relatives and friends from Chicago, Ill. After services Sunday, they were Easter dinner guests of The Rev. Mr. Holt's mother, Mrs. Sybil Holt, and family at Alamo.

Paige Jones, of Memphis, visited his uncle and aunt, the William Jacksons, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Wood spent last week with their grandchildren, Kami and Mark Truitt, at Martin.

Guests for a few days of the Carl Robisons are Mrs. Robison's only sister, Mrs. Maggie Rhoades, of Madison, and Mrs. Rhoades' daughter, Mrs. J. T. Holland, and Mr. Holland, of Old Hickory.

Harold Robison, of Memphis, spent a few days last week with his sister, Mrs. Talmage Heathcott, and Mr. Heathcott. The Heathcotts' grandson, Barry White, of Ripley, spent from Thursday through Saturday with them.

The Jimmy Criners surprised the William Jacksons with a birthday supper for Mrs. Jackson Sunday. Other guests were the Norman, Nesbert, and Lynnwood Jacksons and the Bill Sweats and daughters, of Ripley, and the Melton Jacksons, who live near the Criners.

Mrs. Ruby Sloan heard The Rev. Paul McAdoo, former pastor of Gates-Concord-Eureka United Methodist Churches, in his church in South Fulton while visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Puckett, and family there Sunday.

The Tommy Kellys and son, Bradley, of Jackson, visited Mr. Kelly's parents, the Grady Kellys, Saturday. Nancy Kelly, of Memphis, spent the weekend with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Robinson, of Memphis, visited Mr. Robinson's grandmother, Mrs. L. B. Jones, and Mr. Jones Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jones had been ill for a week with a stomach virus.

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All dogs three months of age must be vaccinated by a veterinarian.

All cats six months of age must be vaccinated by a veterinarian.

This law requires that all dogs in the county be vaccinated by a licensed veterinarian and licensed at the County Trustee's Office on or before the first day of May, 1978, and of each year thereafter, paying a county license fee of One Dollar ($1.00) for each dog owned, kept, or harbored.

The law also requires that a certificate of rabies vaccination in date must be presented at the time of getting license and that no license certificate shall be issued unless a certificate of rabies vaccination is produced for each dog to be licensed.

In order to help dog owners get their dogs vaccinated, the following vaccination clinics have been set up throughout the county, and a charge of $2.50 for each dog vaccinated will be made by the veterinarian at these clinics. A rabies control officer will accompany the veterinarian to these clinics, and all dogs can be licensed at these clinics. The rabies officer will be on duty full-time thereafter, picking up dogs without tags.

1978 DOG AND CAT VACCINATION SCHEDULE

	Saturday, April 1
12:00-12:30 p.m.	Henning City Hall
12:45-1:00 p.m.	
1:15-1:30 p.m.	Queen's Store
1:45-2:00 p.m.	
2:00-2:15 p.m.	Orysa
2:30-2:45 p.m.	Durhamville Gin
3:00-3:10 p.m.	Spring Hill Store
3:40-3:45 p.m.	

	Tuesday, April 4
12:00-12:30 p.m.	Glimp
12:45-1:00 p.m.	Pleasant Hill
1:00-1:15 p.m.	
1:15-1:30 p.m.	Cherry
1:45-1:50 p.m.	Trading Post
2:00-2:15 p.m.	
2:15-2:20 p.m.	Fulton
2:30-2:35 p.m.	Fort Pillow Gin
2:50-2:55 p.m.	

Save $—Have Your Dogs Vaccinated And Licensed In These Clinics
$2.50 For Vaccination
$1.00 For County License

There Will Be No More 5-Day Notices Issued
Any Person Owning Or Harboring A Dog Not Vaccinated Or Licensed Will Be Given A Summons To Appear In Court

All Dogs Must Be On A Leash Or Chain At These Clinics
No Checks Will Be Accepted At These Clinics

Forked Deer Hails An 82nd Birthday

By Mrs. "Red" Williams

FORKED DEER, March 27—Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bain and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Wesson, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walden and family helped John Bain, recently dismissed from Haywood Park Hospital in Brownsville, celebrate his 82nd birthday Wednesday of last week. Others visiting him last week were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bain, of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wardlow, of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brewer, of Halls, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bolding, of Woodville, The Rev. Harold McMurray, of Gates, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Hicks, of Fowlkes, and Andy Scott, of Brownsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin, of Memphis, visited Mrs. A. C. Hale Sunday.

Mrs. Robbie Ann Lee and daughters, Annette and Amy, of Memphis, and Mrs. Pharis Escue, of Concord, visited the Harry Stanleys Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jacocks visited Elvis Cannon, of Halls, and Cecil Escue in Baptist Hospital in Memphis Friday.

The Hollis Vadens were guests of Mrs. Hilda Daniels for lunch in Ripley Sunday.

Mrs. Cecil Humphreys visited Mr. and Mrs. Perry Williams in Halls Sunday.

Mrs. Joyce Rogers and Mrs. John Kilpatrick, of Halls, visited Mrs. W. D. Daniels Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Griffin and family, of California, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Billy Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Hayes. Mrs. W. D. Daniels rode to Memphis with John to be with Cecil Escue in Baptist Hospital, and Mrs. Escue, who is with him. Mr. Griffin visited Mr. Hayes in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Odean Vaden and Mrs. May Ward, of Halls, visited the Charlie Vadens Sunday. Mrs. Mable Humphreys was a supper guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Latham and children, Amanda and Sheri, of Winston-Salem, N.C., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Richard English. Mr. and Mrs. Ricky English, of Nut Bush, were other guests.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jordan and sons, Alan and Jay, spent the weekend with Miss Brenda Jordan in Jackson, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McHughes, of Jackson, were guests when Mrs. Allen Bird had a birthday supper for her husband Monday.

Plant At Nursing Home

RIPLEY JAYCETTE MEMBERS Mrs. Jim Dixon (right), Mrs. Leon Jackson (left), and Mrs. Mike Sutton planted four 2-year-old hybrid rose bushes Saturday in a horseshoe pattern near the new patio of Lauderdale County Nursing Home. Mrs. Phillip Jackson assisted in selecting pink, red, yellow, and yellow-red varieties. The Jaycettes plan to add geraniums from the Halls Vocational-Agricultural School as well as additional rose bushes as their planting project proceeds.

Clinton Brasfield

Clinton Brasfield, 71, retired farmer, died Wednesday of last week at his home on Route 3, Halls, after long illness.

Services were at 2 p.m. Friday in Archer's Chapel Methodist Church, with burial in Sudbury Cemetery.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Mary Brasfield; a son, Darrell, of Romeoville, Ill.; three daughters, Mrs. Evelyn Gaines, of Ripley, Mrs. Teresa Wyatt, of Frog Jump, and Mrs. Carolyn Leeling, of Florence, Ky.; a step-son, Freddie Rylant, of Pawpaw, Mich.; a step-daughter, Mrs. Betty Bushart, of Maury City; a brother, Pillow Brasfield, of Friendship; four sisters, Mrs. Annie King and Mrs. Nellie Nowell, of Maury City, Mrs. Nola Lawrence, of Friendship, and Mrs. Little Wright, of Grand Rapids, Mich.; 16 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

G. F. Robertson

George Franklin Robertson, 64, retired farmer, died Sunday in Veterans Hospital in Memphis.

Services were at 3 p.m. Tuesday in Halls Funeral Home, with burial in Mount Vernon Cemetery at Unionville.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Patricia Robertson; two daughters, Miss Patricia Lucille Robertson, of Halls, and Mrs. Jamie McKee, of Dyersburg; a brother, Paul Robertson, of Long Beach, Calif.; and a half-brother, Thad McCord, of Halls.

Mrs. Conley

Services for Mrs. Charlottie "Lot" Nunn Conley, of Kenosha, Wisc., sister of Mrs. Lillie Nance, of Gates, were held Thursday of last week in Shady Grove Baptist Church in Crockett County.

She died March 17th in Kenosha, where she had resided for many years.

She was a native of Crockett County.

She also leaves two sons, Ocie and Robert Lee Conley, of Kenosha; three daughters, Mrs. Moraine Crain, of Kenosha, and Mrs. Christine Jetton and Mrs. Vernell Robertson, of Gary, Ind.; and a brother, Mervin Nunn, of Alamo.

CARPET SALES

The Carpet and Rug Institute reports that the amount of carpet shipped from the manufacturer's mills rose 10.4 percent in 1976, and 1977's total is reckoned at the same increase.

Visit Barr By Boat To Spend Weekend

By Mrs. Ward Hardy

BARR, March 27—Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hardy came from Memphis by boat to spend the weekend here.

The J. D. Smiths and the Ward Hardys have moved from their homes here, due to the rising backwaters of the Mississippi River.

The Ward Hardys visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kitchens in Gulfport, Miss., last weekend.

Mrs. Mabel Harrison and Jerry Harrison spent a few days this week with Mrs. Mickey Elder in Ripley.

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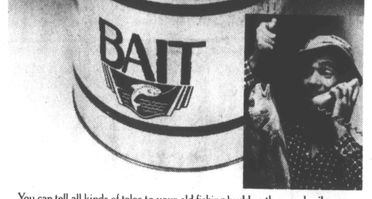

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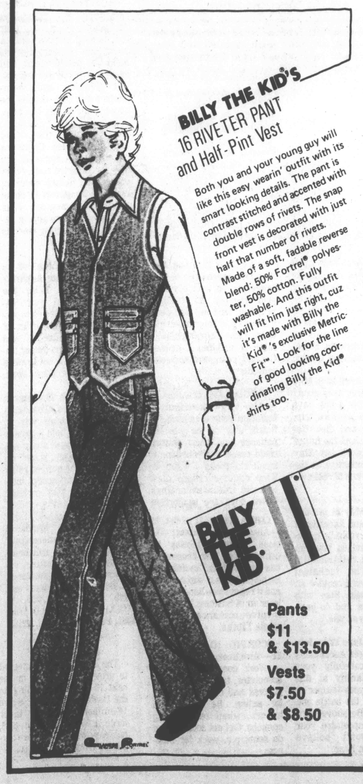

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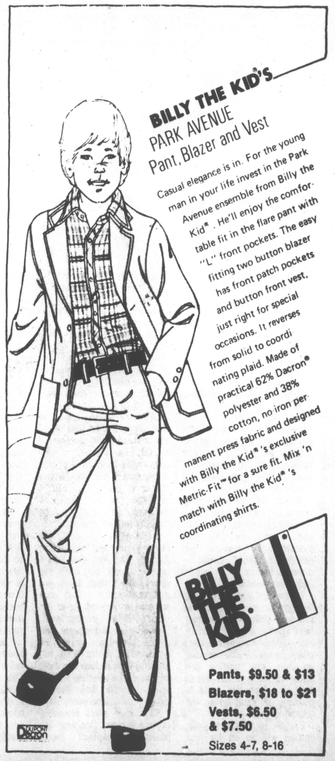
All dressed up and ready to go. Your little buddy won't get lost in a crowd in this colorful Madras outfit from Billy the Kid®. The Madras flare pant has a half elastic back so he can dress himself. And the zippy two button blazer is like his Dad's. The versatile vest can be reversed to all solid color. Also available is a zip front overall in the same plaid. All are made of carefree 65% polyester, 35% cotton, no-iron permanent press. The fit is perfect because it's designed with Billy the Kid®'s exclusive Metric-Fit™. Also look for all the cute coordinating Billy the Kid® Toddler shirts.
Sizes 2 To 4 Toddlers
Coats $15.50 Pants $6.50 Vests $6.00



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Soil Conservation Leaders At Banquet

NATIONAL, STATE, LOCAL SOIL CONSERVATION LEADERS at the county district's annual banquet Thursday of last week in Ripley High School included (from left) Don Bevins, of Nashville, state conservationist; Steve Brunson, of Moscow, director of the National Association; U.S. Rep. Ed Jones, of Yorkville; Edward Porter, of Nashville, state commissioner of agriculture; Mel Davis, of Washington, D.C., adminstrator of the Soil Conservation Service; Eugene R. Anthony, of Ripley, country district chairman; and Talmadge Crihfield, Jr., of Ripley, county vice-chairman who has served as president of the state association. More than 300 heard all but Bevins and Anthony speak. Presented affiliate membership certificates, honoring them for long service to agriculture in Lauderdale county, were H. G. Conley, of Halls, for 39 years of service, W. S. Cloys and F. H. Paschal, of Ripley, for service of 33 years each, and L. O. Gillespie, of Ripley, for 29 years of service.

STITCHING WITCHERY

Suede scraps will make handsome belt

By BETTY W. KINSER
Copley News Service

Do you have any l-o-n-g scraps of suede left? Make a belt.

Cut two three-fourths-inch- or five-eighths-inch-wide strips as long as your waist measurement, plus 20 to 24 inches (depending on how long your scraps are). Place the two strips wrong sides together. Stitch along each edge and across each end near the cut edges. Stitch again one-eighth-inch from first stitching. If cut edges are a bit uneven or ragged, trim, using sharp embroidery scissors.

Wrap around your waist and tie.

Dear Stitching Witchery: I have an old suede coat, knee-length, straight cut, with a fur collar. I'd like to make it over into something in style. Any suggestions? — Jean Mallette, Syracuse, Neb.

Oh yes! How many suggestions do you want? The first one, of course, would be to take the coat completely apart and use the resulting pieces to cut an entirely new garment.

Or, with a bit less work, you can convert your coat into a fashionable jacket by using a new pattern as a guide.

Remove collar, facings and linings. Purchase a coordinating trim such as a wide, double-fold braid. Recut coat front, neckline and hemline into the new style. Bind cut edges with braid.

To get an idea of what style pattern to use, take a look at these: Vogue 1607, 1513 (raglan sleeves), 9712, 9719.

You may reline your new jacket if you wish, but it isn't necessary.

Dear Betty: Why can't patterns for "stretch knits only" be made with ordinary material? — L.E. Parker, Richmond, B.C.

In patterns marked for stretch knits only, the ease has been taken out and the pattern has been fit closer to the body in order to take advantage of the natural ease of knit fabrics. If you use a woven fabric that has no give, you will not be able to get into your garment. Or — once in — you won't be able to get out, and that's even worse!

QUICK STITCH: "Dear Mrs. Kinser: Once upon a time I made my daughter such a pretty dress with smocking on it. Now I would like to make another, but cannot find a pattern for smocking." — Sadie Davis, Emporia, Kan.

Hang on, Sadie. I have written to a company that makes smocking patterns. As soon as they send me a sample of their work, I will write you.

This company may well be a "find" for us, since so many readers have asked for smocking instructions.

Questions may be addressed to Mrs. Betty Kinser, Copley News Service, in care of this newspaper.

Nankipoo Locals

By Mrs. Fleetwood Cates

Dianne Walrep, of Brighton, and Mrs. Judy Griffin and son, Andy, of Memphis, spent the weekend in the Carl Cates home.

Mrs. Paul Carter and daughter, Betty, of Memphis, spent part of last week with Mrs. Dall Hinton and Mrs. Grady Cook.

Doug Collins, Jr., of Memphis, spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. Carrie Bennett, of Huntingdon, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Screws, of Friendship, spent Saturday in the Fleetwood Cates home.

Clair Lashbrook, of Pontiac, Mich., and Sandy Hardin, of Lake Orion, Mich., spent the weekend with Sandy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bence Cates.

Luther John Robison, of Memphis, and Coy Robison, of Gates, spent Wednesday of last week with their sisters, Mrs. Grady Cook, and Mrs. Dall Hinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Crews, of Jackson, visited Mrs. Crews' mother, Mrs. John Wright, and Mr. and Mrs. Bence Cates Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carpenter, of New Madrid, Mo., spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Olds.

Gale Cavness has spent a few days at home from the University of Tennessee in Knoxville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hughes and the Dall Hintons had dinner in Jackson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earley Midgett, of Edith, visited in the Marvin Riddick home Monday.

THE BACKYARD GARDENER

The many virtues of asparagus

By PATRICK DENTON
Copley News Service

Even if ordinary vegetable gardening doesn't appeal to you, a long narrow strip of asparagus is well worth planting because it has many desirable qualities.

Asparagus is perennial — permanent and dependable; it provides luscious eating in the spring before any other vegetables are ready; and during the summer it grows into a very tall, feathery hedge which is beautiful to look at and most useful in flower arrangements.

When harvesting your plants for eating, care must be taken never to overcut in any season, for this can permanently weaken the plants. No cutting should be done in the first two years following planting.

In the third year, providing fern growth was vigorous the previous year, cutting may be done for a short period, say about two weeks, then when the stalks start coming up thin, stop cutting and allow the ferns to develop so they can feed the roots to produce a good crop the following year.

Usually, by the fourth year, cutting will go on for four weeks or so and after that the harvesting season may be prolonged even longer. A planting will generally last at least 15 years.

When you're cutting during the summer for flower arrangements, be careful not to take too much foliage off any one plant at a time. I try to take just one stem from each plant at a cutting.

When arranging glads, or any other flower that tends not to stand in the vase as you would like, I stick a few asparagus ferns in the vase first; these hold the flower stems in place beautifully, allowing you to place the flowers and face them exactly to your taste.

Asparagus spears are ready to cut when they're five inches long. My wife and I prefer to cut them on the short side, when they are gourmet-tender. Cut the spears at ground level or slightly below ground level.

Once your asparagus bed gets into the swing of production, you're well advised to keep a close eye on it whenever the weather warms up — you'll find there's cutting to be done every day.

Take care when choosing crowns to plant. One-year-old plants transplant best, though often nurseries sell two-year-old ones. Before you buy, look to see whether they are at all wilted. Do not buy any that look moldy and check to ensure they have abundant roots.

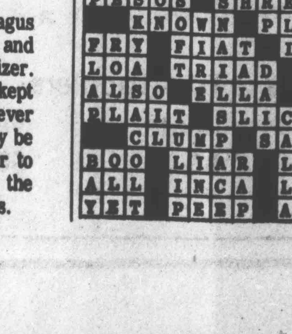
Crowns are planted 12 inches apart in rows four feet apart. They need to be planted deep, six to eight inches below the soil surface, but they should not be covered with eight inches of soil right away.

The easiest planting method is first to dig a trench eight inches deep, place the crowns in the trench and cover with a couple inches of soil. Then, as the plants grow, the furrow can be filled in until the ground is level again. The tips of the growing plants should never be covered.

The asparagus bed benefits from a winter mulch of very well rotted manure before the first frosts start. Foliage may be cut to the ground after it has turned brown in late fall or early winter, but never cut it down while it is still green because that shows it is still manufacturing food for the root system.

Each spring the asparagus bed should be cultivated and fed with a complete fertilizer. The bed needs to be kept moist so the roots are never in dry soil. Watering may be necessary in hot weather to cool the soil and reduce the numbers of brown spears.

Solution



Better Bridge

By ROBERT D. ROSENBLUM
Copley News Service

Counting winners or losers is the first step in planning the play. However, a mental run-through also may be necessary before playing to the first trick. Some hands are fraught with traps that only manifest themselves to the unwary when it is too late. Here is a case in point:

North
S K 10 5
H A K 7 3
D A 6 4 2
C Q 5

West
S 9 4 3
H J 9 4 2
D 8
C J 8 7 4 3

East
S 2
H Q 10 8 6
D K Q J 10 5
C A K 10

South
S A Q J 8 7 6
H 5
D 9 7 3
C 9 6 2

Dealer — East. Neither side vulnerable.

East	South	North	West
1 D	1 S	Pass	4 S
All Pass			

Examine the North-South hands. South can count nine tricks on top — six trumps, two hearts and a diamond. It is obvious from the bidding and opening lead, the diamond eight, that neither red suit will provide the needed tenth trick. Declarer, therefore, must set about ruffing a club in dummy.

A trump opening lead here, in an effort to bar the ruff, will not work. Though the outstanding spades divide 3-1, West has no immediate entry — and he needs two — to continue the suit.

The diamond lead proved effective enough. Declarer won the ace, played dummy's ace and king of hearts, pitching a diamond, and led a club. East won and played two high diamonds. Declarer ruffed the second with the jack and persisted with another club. West, in the meantime, had discarded his remaining hearts.

East, on lead once more, led a fourth diamond, forcing South to trump with the queen. Now declarer ruffed his third club in dummy and cashed the king and ten of clubs, leaving this:

S —
H 7 3
D —
C —

S 9
H —
D —
C J

S —
H Q 10
D —
C —

S A 8
H —
D —
C —

With the defensive book in, and the lead in dummy, declarer could not prevent West from scoring the nine of spades. His ten tricks had shrunk to nine.

The solution, which would elude most declarers, is not difficult to find. Do you see it?

The heart ruff must be taken early. South ruffs low in the closed hand at trick four, when both defenders must follow, before leading a club. The balance of the play proceeds as above except that when declarer is forced to come off dummy at the end by ruffing, it is at trick 13, when the only card remaining in his hand is the ace of trumps.

CROSSWORDS

ACROSS
1. Float, as on the breeze
5. Small bits
9. Indistinct
12. Laud parcel
13. Western state
14. Thou or thee
15. Leg part
16. Computer "food"
17. Finish
18. Mexican coins
20. Fragment
22. Recognized
24. Sails back and forth
27. Sauté
29. Decree
31. Short distance
32. Mauna —
33. Group of three
35. Definite article
36. — -ran, loser
38. Girl's name
39. Coal scuttle
40. Braid
42. Cake portion
44. Cluster
46. Took care of: 2 wds.
49. Disapproving sound
51. Fibber
53. Fish-eating bird
54. Everyone
55. Indian of Peru
56. Lounge lazily
57. Still
58. Look slyly
59. Associate

DOWN
1. Hornet
2. Dull pain
3. Extremely playful: 4 wds.
4. Joint in carpentry
5. Failure: slang
6. Maddeningly slow: 4 wds.
7. British spa
8. Acute
9. Unchangeable: 4 wds.
10. Charged particle
11. Libel
19. Yielding
21. Actor Wallach
23. Telegram
25. Resound
26. Discard
27. Wave loosely
28. Revolve
30. Lofty
34. Speaker's platform
37. Petroleum
41. Bulb flower
43. Type of lily
45. Dig for coal
47. Bridge fee
48. Merely
49. Laurel
50. Bullfight "bravo"
52. Blame: slang

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Grady L. Flack

Grady L. Flack, 62, of Brownsville, formerly of Curve, died Sunday in Nashville Memorial Hospital.

Services were at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Brownsville Funeral Home, with burial in Haywood County Memorial Gardens.

He was a retired merchant.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Leona Adkerson Flack; a son, Grady, Jr., of Hendersonville; a daughter, Mrs. Morris Blatt, of Brownsville; and a brother, James Flack, of Memphis; and five grandchildren.

Your Horoscope Guide

For The Week Of April 2-8
By GINA, Copley News Service

For more complete forecast, read indications for your Ascendant sign plus Birth sign. To find your Ascendant sign, count ahead from Birth sign the number of signs indicated.

Time of Birth	Probable Ascendant is:
4 to 6 a.m.	Same as birth sign
6 to 8 a.m.	First sign following
8 to 10 a.m.	Second sign following
10 to Noon	Third sign following
Noon to 2 p.m.	Fourth sign following
2 to 4 p.m.	Fifth sign following
4 to 6 p.m.	Sixth sign following
6 to 8 p.m.	Seventh sign following
8 to 10 p.m.	Eighth sign following
10 to Midnight	Ninth sign following
Midnight to 2 a.m.	Tenth sign following
2 to 4 a.m.	Eleventh sign following

ARIES: (March 21 to April 19 — Also Aries Ascendant) — Work on projects already in progress. Study, research and lay foundations for future actions. Break the dullness of routine with short trips or public entertainments. Be resourceful if you meet blocks.

TAURUS: (April 20 to May 20 — Also Taurus Ascendant) — Get away for a few days on a business-pleasure trip. Watch health and diet. Release anxiety about the future — it will all work out. Stay steady and productive on the job by getting lots of rest evenings.

GEMINI: (May 21 to June 21 — Also Gemini Ascendant) — Overlook irritating qualities of a friend so you can maintain the relationship. Mechanical or technical problems at work require an expert to repair. Stay with what you know and do best. Be loyal to loved one.

CANCER, (June 22 to July 21 — Also Cancer Ascendant) — Monitor carefully your emotional volatility at this time. Control your temper or you could win the battle and lose the war. Be aboveboard and don't compromise your integrity. Don't believe everything you hear.

LEO: (July 22 to Aug. 21 — Also Leo Ascendant) — Curb tendency to misrepresent your reasons for fulfilling personal desires. Soft-pedal insistent and determined attitudes. Lend a helping hand to mate or children if needed. Get rest, relaxation and some solitude.

VIRGO: (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22 — Also Virgo Ascendant) — Maintain your organized, efficient way on the job. Impatience and short temper could cause overreactions to small irritations — watch it! Keep communications clear to avoid misunderstandings. Loved ones are supportive.

LIBRA: (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22 — Also Libra Ascendant) — A close relationship may be coming to an end because it has outlived its usefulness. Be helpful in a group activity and it repays you handsomely later on. A business trip could involve romance for the single Libras.

SCORPIO: (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21 — Also Scorpio Ascendant) — Work cooperatively with associates, finish projects in process and clear the decks for action. Be direct and honest when expressing opinions. Get out socially and do some p.r. work for business.

SAGITTARIUS: (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21 — Also Sagittarius Ascendant) — Go out of your way to keep harmony with a loved one. Compromise as much as possible and still keep your personal integrity. Get cleaning and maintenance jobs done around the house — the family will help.

CAPRICORN: (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19 — Also Capricorn Ascendant) — Some of you may get married now. All of you can be finding enduring love and happiness in some way. Don't neglect your work, though. You appear released from nagging worries of the past. Enjoy!

AQUARIUS: (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18 — Also Aquarius Ascendant) — Take the initiative, trust your intuition, and go after your personal desires. Make a list of your priority interests and discard what is no longer important. Travel is not favored and don't force showdowns.

PISCES: (Feb. 19 to March 20 — Also Pisces Ascendant) — Weed out items you no longer need — hold a garage sale. Reading and study are favored. You can "shine" on the social scene now, so relax with friends and accept invitations. Use your artistic talents too.

Send for your "Guide to Successful Relationships." Learn which signs will benefit you most for money, romance, marriage, business, etc. Send name, address and birth date, along with $1 (USA) to: Gina, P.O. Box 5088, San Diego, Calif. 92105.

LABOR FORCE

The labor force is expected to grow more slowly in the next 10 years, according to the Conference Board. Some 14 million joined the labor force between 1969 and 1976, but only six million are expected from 1976 to 1980.

THE BIBLE SPEAKS
International Uniform Sunday School Lessons
BY LAWRENCE W. ALTHOUSE

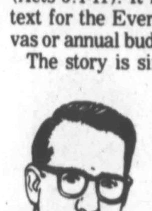
THE ANANIAS COMPLEX

Lesson for April 2, 1978

Background Scripture: Acts 4:32 through 5:11.
Devotional Reading: Romans 12:3-13.

I suspect that lots of preachers take an ill-disguised delight in the story of Ananias and Sapphira (Acts 5:1-11). It makes a perfect text for the Every Member Canvas or annual budget sermon.

The story is simple in outline. In a period when many of the disciples owned all things in common to meet the needs of the whole fellowship, a man and wife, Ananias and Sapphira, sold a piece of property and took the proceeds and laid them at the feet of Peter, the foremost apostle of the church. Ananias led Peter to believe that the money he was offering to the church was the complete revenue from the sale. Actually, it was only a portion.



Rev. Althouse

The lie

To Ananias' shock, however, Simon Peter knew that he was telling a lie and he confronted him with his deception. Terrified to be discovered in his lie, Ananias dropped dead at Peter's feet. Later, his wife also came to Peter and, not knowing what had happened to her husband, repeated the same lie. She likewise died on the spot when accused by Peter.

Actually, the point of the story is not that Ananias and Sapphira did not give all the proceeds of the sale to the church. Peter made this clear when he said to Ananias: "While it [the property] remained unsold, did it not remain your own? And after it was sold, was it not at your disposal?" (5:4). In other words, the sharing of their worldly goods was completely voluntary. No one had to do it. Ananias and Sapphira made this decision on their own.

Where this couple went wrong, rather, was in trying to "have their cake and eat it too," as the old saying goes. They wanted to keep some of the profits (their privilege) while at the same time pretending that they were turning over to the church the whole amount.

Tempting the spirit

Actually, our stewardship problem as Christians today is not so much that we don't share enough—although we don't—but that, like Ananias and Sapphira, we pretend that we are giving a great deal more than we are. What we share with others is pitifully small, but the root of our sin—and that's what it is—lies in our protests that we are sharing "all we can." We give the impression that our giving is sacrificial, when, in fact, it represents a very small part of our income. We continually protest how little we have and at the same time are living in a material prosperity that is unequaled in the world's history. As Peter said to the tragic couple: "You have not lied to men but to God" (5:4).

If we want to continue to spend our money as we are doing, that is our choice. We may share as much or as little as we like. But let us not fall victim to the Ananias Complex and tempt God's Holy Spirit with the pretentious lie that we are sharing all we can.

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"Hope ever tells us tomorrow will be better." Tibullus

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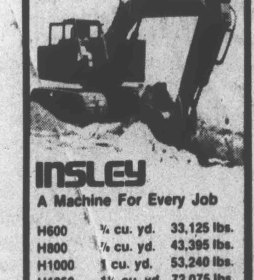

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CONFIDENTIAL CORNER

By Henry Murchison

Petty Annoyances

We know that we are getting older by the hour and suppose we are getting to be even more crabbed, since many things seem to annoy us.

To illustrate—many television commercials are in bad taste, others are silly but there are a few which just simply are so absurd that they are annoying, such as the Old Spice commercial featuring Larry Czonka, the professional football player, trying to deliver a jingle. Czonka is a fine football player, but he doesn't make it with the commercial. Another is the Spiedel commercial featuring several couples singing "Twist-O-Flex." Both are so horrible that they are likely to cost the advertisers sales rather than enhance them.

Other petty annoyances are motorists who drive up side by side on a narrow street, stop and start conversation, and ignore other motorists who are trying to pass until such a time as they finish their talk. Then there are the flashing signs that we have written about before and lately the automobiles and motorcycles without mufflers.

Mayor Gives Warning

Speaking of the loud automobiles and motorcycles, Halls Mayor Sammie Arnold warns that he has instructed city police to enforce laws governing unusually loud motor vehicles. He states that violators will face stiff fines.

Motorists should also remember that with the coming of spring there will be many more small children on the streets playing, riding bicycles, etc, Every motorist should drive with extreme caution where children are present.

Spring Returns

Well, spring arrived Monday of last week, stayed around for a couple of days, and then departed, but Monday it seemed that spring is back again. Jonquils are blooming, trees are budding out, the japonica bush and crab apple tree in our yard are showing signs of color, we have seen a couple of forsythia bushes showing color, and there are reports of gardens being planted, although we can't understand how.

Red Cross is counting on you -to help.

OVERWEIGHT

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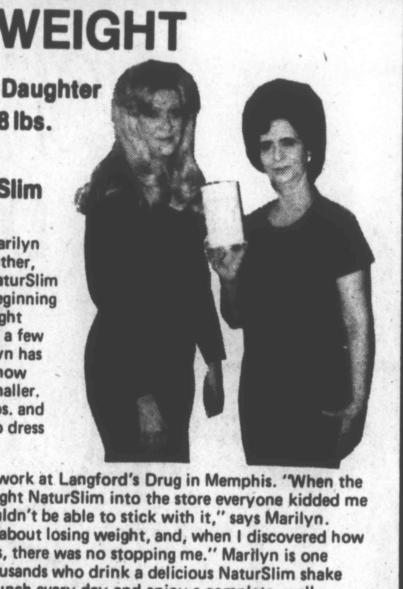

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Concord Locals

By Mrs. Louise Fennel

The W. H. Moores, the Mike Moores, the Randy Hardys, the Charles Moores, and Shirley and Mrs. Jessie Mai White celebrated Mr. Moore's birthday Sunday with a dinner at Reelfoot.

The J. D. McNeills attended a Production Credit Association supper in Dyersburg High School Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. John Kitchen and son, Jacob, of Memphis, visited the Randy Hardys Sunday.

Denise Fike, of Bedford, Ohio, is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Benny Voss.

The Junior Beards, of Roellen, visited the J. D. McNeills Saturday.

Amy Lee, of Memphis, and Wendy Simpson, of Lightfoot, spent the weekend with their grand parents, the Pharis Escues. The Winfred Lees and daughter, Annette, of Memphis, were Sunday dinner guests.

The Jimmy Howards, of Bartlett, the Bobby Dyers, of Edith, Jerry Carmack, of Houston, Tex., the Pat Carmacks, of Halls, the Mike Carmacks, of Gates, the Tim Carmacks and the Ronnie Carmacks were Sunday dinner guests of the Winston Carmacks.

The Terry Barnetts, of Dresden, and the Johnny Barnetts, of Millington, were Sunday dinner guests of the Ben Barnetts.

Conyer Moore, of Texarkana, Tex., visited his sister, Mrs. J. T. Langley, and Mr. Langley Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Savage and the Danny Youngs spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Savage in West Helena, Ark.

The Marcus Fennels, of Union City, were dinner guests Saturday of Mrs. Louise Fennel.

Jeff McNeill visited the J. B. McNeills in Dyersburg Tuesday.

The Gerald Burlisons, of Warner Robins, Ga., were supper guests Thursday of last week of Mrs. Agnes White.

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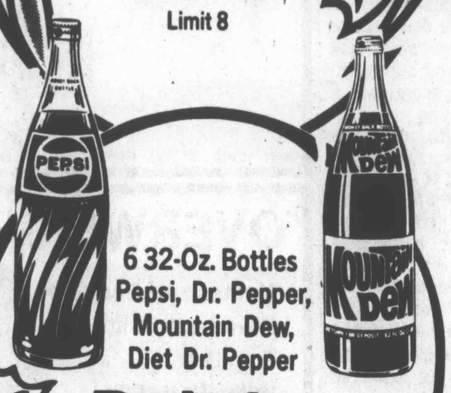

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