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The Mud of Ignorance

Our hat is off to Ralph Shearer and W. R. Buntin Jr. for their obviously unselfish devotion to a democratic principle. It is not easy for two members of a board of five to face a loaded meeting and still stick to what they believe to be the best for the most in spite of inevitable reprecussions.

If ever a meeting was packed, the one held last Wednesday evening. January 30, was loaded to the hilt; from the time its unethical implications were first conceived, announced without proper explanations, put before young minds to write anonymous themes on the gross and cons of consolidation, to stir-up buried hatreds and to assure the end result of a continued, divided community. While bigoted, selfish individuals gloat over their misguided application of a voted power, the youth of the Carlisle Graded school district are being denied their chance for brotherly feeling and friendship with the children of Nicholas County, and above all an adequate education.

On the other hand, one hears that the Carlisle school has the best of this, the best of that, equipment second to none, but one thing they can not get in an atmosphere of fear and hate is love for their fellow man.

How long can honest, unselfish people continue to slough in the mud of ignorance"

Will it be—"United We Stand (County-Wide) or Divided We Fall." Carlisle can cease to be, it is very dependent upon the County.

Public Approves Of Way Local Police Force Is Handling Its Job

By Kenneth Fink, Director,
Princeton Research Service

Princeton, New Jersey—Rank and file American citizens approve of the way their local police force is handling its job.

This was the finding of a MAN ON THE STREET survey just completed.

More than three out of every four adults questioned in the survey said they approved of the way their local police force is handling its job.

Those who said this outnumbered by a margin of better than four to one those who expressed disapproval.

When the following question was put to people in all walks of life:

"Do you approve or disapprove of the way the police in your community is handling its job?"

Those were the results:

Approve	77%
Disapprove	17
No opinion	6

Twenty-seven months ago—in November, 1954—answers to the same question were as follows: Approve, 73%; Disapprove, 23%; No opinion, 4%.

In other words, over the past twenty-seven months, those who approve of the way their local police force is handling its job has registered a gain of 4%; those who disapprove, a 6% drop, and the No opinion, a 2% gain.

Analysis of the various population groups on the question of the way their local police force is handling its job shows that in every population group examined at least two out of every three in each group express approval of their local police force.

And in no single population group do more than one in four express disapproval.

These groups include men and women, home owners and home renters, as well as people in all city sizes, age groups, occupations, educational levels, and political parties.

Highlighting today's survey results are the following findings:

1. Residents of big cities—those with 100,000 or more people—were found to be somewhat more critical of the work of their local police force than were their smaller-town neighbors.

In these big cities, one in four say they disapprove of the work of their local police force.

But even in these same big cities, those who approve outnumber those who disapprove by a margin of better than two and a half to one.

2. Greatest degree of satisfaction with their police force is found among rural area residents, where those who approve of their local police force outnumber those who disapprove by a margin of better than seven to one.

3. And people in communities with populations between 2,500 and 100,000 people approve of the work of their local police force by a margin of nearly five to one.

Sentiment by size of community:

	Rural areas	2,500-100,000	100,000 & over
Approve	83%	78%	68%
Disapprove	11	16	25
No opinion	6	7	7

The need for more police; for more foot police on the beat, and for more police protection at night; better handling of traffic and traffic enforcement, and the curbing of juvenile delinquency are the principal suggestions offered for improving local police force work.

On the whole, however, American citizens give their local police force a pat on the back and appear well satisfied with the police protection provided them.

Clean-up begins as waters recede; blizzard strikes this section

Thursday, February 11, 1937

As the flood waters of the Ohio recede, almost 50 cities and towns in Kentucky have started the tremendous task of rehabilitation against odds that will appear almost insurmountable.

The three officers and approximately 50 enlisted men of the local national guard unit returned Saturday after two weeks duty in the flood areas at Maysville and Augusta.

The Scott-Kefauil Sales Co. reports the sale of a farm of 20 acres on the Upper Jacktown pike for Holman Lynam to Doc Bailey at a private price.

Thieves Sunday night broke into the store of J. A. Barlow on East Main street and stole cigarettes, candy and other merchandise valued at $25. Entrance was gained by smashing a glass on the front door.

MARRIED—W. R. Blount and Miss Helen Pherrago of Lexington, on Jan. 20 at Maysville.—Dorothy Eileen Hillock and John R. Fryman, on Jan. 30 at Cynthiana.

DIED—James F. Riley, 50 at his home in Bloomington, Ill.—Miss Mary Fuller, 92, Monday at the county infirmary.—Miss Mattie Kate Goodman, 60 , Sunday night at her home near East Union.—Mrs. Joseph Burden, native of Nicholas, Sunday at her home in Little Rock.—John Wesley Parrish, 19, of Richmond.—Mrs. Nannie Bell Mitchell, 50, at her home near Moorefield Sunday. — John Thomas Bishop, 79, last Wednesday afternoon at his home in Harrison County.—Mrs. Virgie Hollar Smith, 46, Friday morning at Johnson Memorial hospital.—Mrs. Amanda J. Hunter, 89, at her home near Blue Licks Tuesday.

Thursday, February 9, 1917

New sanitary drinking fountain installed in court house through efforts of health nurse, Miss Shaffer.

W. M. Mathers sold to A. J. Duncan, one-half interest in his farm near Carlisle for 112.50 per acre.

George Fishback sold his farm of 62 acres to Robert Brierly at $215 per acre. This is known as the old Dinsmore place.

In the storeroom occupied by J. P. Tune & Co., R. T. Kirkland of Kirkland and Cole, Moorefield, will open a dry gods store.

Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Reynolds of North Middletown, celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary at the home of their daughter in Winchester.

The fire department was called to the home of Miss Jennie Tilton to extinguish a fire under the hearth in the first floor apartment, occupied by Dr. S. P. Mohney.

The sinking of the British passenger ship, California, from New York to Glasgow, off the coast of Ireland, was reported late Wednesday evening. 160 saved out of 217 on board.

Two local clothing firms, C. C. Cole and Company and J. P. Tune and Company, effected a consolidation of the two businesses, the new firm to be known as the The Cole and Tune Company.

A real blizzard visited this section Sunday, the wind blew at a velocity of 60 miles carrying a sheet of snow, almost minute particles, like great clouds of smoke and obscured the vision within 100 feet. Many waterworks in homes and business houses froze and burst. The thermometers registered from 30 to 40 degrees below zero and schools were dismissed.

DEATHS — Benjamin West, aged 75 years, at Garden City, Mo.—Fred Hensley, 50, at the county infirmary.—Mrs. Eliza Shockley, 83, of Fleming county, at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. M. Durham at Moorefield.—Mrs. Frankie Hutsell at her home.—Mrs. Ollie Bell Hamm, at her home.—W. T. Jones, 70, at her home on Judy pike.—Jesse Hughes at his home in Horse Hollow, near Blue Licks.

A LITTLE YAPPIN'

By Nellie Crump

It's In the Basket.

While Rev. J. J. Whitehouse was in The Mercury office this day he told me this. A little extra money was needed by the Christian church to settle "some small matters" before the new minister takes over on Feb. 17. The Rev. J. J. has a unique almost uncanny way till his own of putting it over which he undertakes an undertaking so came last Sunday morning and he toddled off to church with an economy-size basket on his arm. When the time came he placed the basket before the congregation and asked that each one put in whatever he could and would. When all was said and done the amount was approximately $2 000— "they put it in the basket"— enough said to spare.

—yap—

Government Postals One Cent.

An old one-cent postal card has made its way to this yappin' department. Typed as plainly as the day it was done, a meeting of the Old Settlers of Nicholas County was announced to be held at the Courthouse on Saturday, June 20, 1896. The request to be present was signed by W. P. Ross, president, and G. R. Keller, secretary, and was addressed to Hezikah Smart, Carlisle, Ky. Harry Hardwick found the card among other papers when he moved to town last week.

—yap—

253 Fragments at Auction.

Early Monday morning the office door opened and in walked Rev. J. J. Whitehouse—without his hat—which is unusual for a man like "Brother Whitehouse this time of year, to say the least. After his genial greeting he hadn't much to say. Finally he came sidling around to the front office hadn't much to say either, all because of the big lump in each throat. We all sensed that he had dropped in to say goodbye. He and Mrs. Whitehouse will be leaving next week for a visit with their son in Florida before taking off for their new home in California. After almost daily association for 13 years it is hard to say goodbye. He didn't stay long either. There are so many things to do since the big auction at the Christian church parsonage Saturday at which 253 different articles were sold. "Fragments," he called them. At last he suddenly stated he wanted a year's subscription to The Carlisle Mercury. Nobody said goodbye"

Yaps—all . . .

EATING BENEFITS

Benefits of eating the right foods in proper amounts are indicated in the physical appearance and certain characteristics of individuals, says Mrs. Pearl Haak, Extension specialist in foods at the University of Kentucky.

Characteristics of good health are straight bones, good posture, round teeth, and gums, firm, well-developed muscles, lustrous hair, smooth skin, sparkling eyes, clear complexion and happy disposition.

Scientists are working on adding fungicidal acids to paints, to check mold and fungus

Weekend Television Programs

(All times given are Eastern Standard)

WLW—TV CHANNEL 5

FRIDAY

6:45 Good Morning
7:00 Today
8:25 News
8:30 Howdy
9:00 The Paul Dixon Show
10:00 Home
11:00 The Price Is Right
11:30 Truth or Consequences
12:00 50-50 Club
1:30 It Could Be You
2:00 Next Door Neighbor
2:30 Tennessee Ernie Ford
3:00 Matinee
4:00 Queen For A Day
4:45 Modern Romances
5:00 Headin West
6:00 Buffalo Bill, Jr.
6:30 Getz Prize Playhouse
7:00 Sohio Reporter
7:10 Weather
7:15 Holiday With Music
7:30 Eddie Fisher Show
8:00 Mama
8:30 Blondie
8:55 Weather
9:00 On Trial
9:30 Big Story
10:00 Cavalcade Of Sports
10:45 Red Barber's Corner
11:00 Three City Final
11:15 Times Five

WCPO—TV CHANNEL 9

FRIDAY

7:00 Know Your World
7:20 Prayer
7:30 Farm News
7:50 Cartoon Capers
8:00 Breakfast Club
8:55 Al Lewis Show
10:00 Colin Callin
10:30 Cornbinders
11:00 Al Lewis Show
12:00 Movie Matinee
1:30 Beulah
2:00 Al & Wanda Lewis Show
3:00 Afternoon Film Festival
4:30 Our Gang Comedy
5:00 Mickey Mouse Club
6:00 Capt. Midnight
6:30 Pantomime Hit
7:30 Rin Tin Tin
8:00 Jim Bowie
8:30 Crossroads
9:00 Treasure Hunt
9:30 Frontier Doctor
10:00 Ray Anthony Show
10:30 Overseas Adventure
11:00 Hollywood Sapphire Theatre

WKRC—TV CHANNEL 12

FRIDAY

6:45 Sign On and Test Pattern
7:00 Good Morning
8:00 Captain Kangaroo
8:55 Jelly Bean Acres
10:00 Garry Moore Show
10:30 Strike It Rich
12:00 Valiant Lady
12:15 Love of Life
12:30 Search For Tomorrow
12:45 Guiding Light
1:00 My Little Margie
1:30 As The World Turns
2:00 Our Miss Brooks
2:30 Linkletter's Houseparty
3:00 Big Pay-Off
3:30 Bob Crosby Show
4:00 Brighter Day
4:15 Secret Storm
4:30 Edge Of Night
5:00 Ladies Home Theatre
6:15 Headline News
6:25 Weather Report
6:30 Do You Trust Your Wife
7:00 Promise Playhouse
7:30 Beat The Clock
8:00 West Pond
8:30 Zane Grey Theatre
9:00 Mr. Adams & Eve
9:30 Playhouse of Stars
10:00 The Lineup
10:30 Person to Person
11:00 Front Page News
11:10 Weather Report
11:15 Home Theatre

WLW—TV CHANNEL 5

SATURDAY

7:30 Country Almanac
8:00 Weather
8:05 Cartoons and Cowboys
10:00 Howdy Doody
10:30 I Married Joan
11:00 Fury
11:30 Cowboy Theatre
12:30 Cadle Tabernacle
1:00 Saturday Matinee
2:30 Fro Basketball
4:30 Hialeah Races
5:00 Gold Cup Theatre
6:30 Midwestern Hayride
7:30 People Are Funny
8:00 Perry Como Show
9:00 Ceasar's Hour
10:00 George Gobel Show
10:30 Your Hit Parade
11:00 Three City Final
11:15 Rink's Round-Up
12:30 Movietime U.S.A.
1:30 Sign Off

WCPO—TV CHANNEL 9

SATURDAY

7:00 Know Your World
7:15 This Is The Story
7:30 Comedy Theatre
8:30 I-O-P. Quiz
9:00 Willie Wonderful
9:30 Zane Gray Weslern
10:30 Laurel and Hardy
11:30 Continental Cookery
12:00 TV Dance Party
2:15 Pro-Basketball Game
2:25 Big Ten Basketball
4:15 TV Dance Party
6:00 Platinum Playhouse
7:30 Famous Film Festival
9:00 Lawe Walk Show
10:00 Ozark Jubilee
10:30 TBA
11:00 The Stevens Show

WKRC—TV CHANNEL 12

SATURDAY

9:15 Sign On and Test Pattern
9:30 Captain Kangaroo
10:30 Mighty Mouse Playhouse
11:00 Winky Dink and You
11:30 Tales Of Texas Rangers
12:00 Big Top
1:00 The Lone Ranger
1:30 TBA
2:00 Hockey Game New York vs. Detroi
4:15 310 Lincoln Park Drive
4:30 Hi Kids
6:30 Death Valley Days
7:00 TBA
7:30 The Buccaneers
8:00 Jackie Gleason Show
9:00 Gale Storm Show
9:30 Hey Jeannie
10:00 Gunsmoke
10:30 You're On Your Own
11:00 Front Page News
11:10 Weather Report
11:15 The Show

WLW—TV CHANNEL 5

SUNDAY

8:25 Weather
8:30 Church By The Side Of The Road
9:00 Mission At Mid-Cent.
9:30 This Is The Answer
10:00 Science In The News
10:30 Cartoons and Cowboys
11:55 Weather
12:00 Starmaker Revue
12:30 City Manager
12:50 News—Peter Grant
1:00 Film—The Big Show
1:30 World Front
2:00 Movietime U. S. A.
3:30 Zoo Parade
4:00 Washington Square
5:00 Topper
6:30 Captain Gallant
6:00 Meet The Press
6:30 Roy Rogers
7:00 Tales Of The 77th Bengal Lancers
7:30 Circus Boy
8:00 Steve Allen Show
9:00 Hallmark Hall of Fame
10:30 Cavalcade Of America
11:00 Three City Final
11:15 Movietime U. S. A.
12:30 Sign Off

WCPO—TV CHANNEL 9

SUNDAY

7:00 Rural America
7:30 Know Your World
8:15 Dr. Barnhouse
8:30 Faith For Today
9:00 The Way
9:30 The Big Picture
10:00 Christophers
10:30 Sacred Heart Program
10:45 Charles Antell (15 min.)
11:00 This Is The Life
11:30 Beulah
12:00 Western Corral
1:00 School For Talent
1:30 Getz Prize Playhouse
2:00 Movie at Three
4:00 Traveling Stars
4:30 Medical Horizons
5:00 Zane Grey Western
6:00 Cisco Kid
6:30 Diamond House Revue
7:00 You Asked For It
7:30 Ted Mack Amateur Hr.
8:30 Foreign Adventure
9:00 Lassie
10:30 Million Dollar Movie

WKRC—TV CHANNEL 12

SUNDAY

8:15 Sign On & Test Pattern
8:30 Praise Hour
9:00 Lamp Unto My Feet
9:30 Look Up & Live
10:00 Hi Kids
12:00 U.C. In The Home
12:30 Wild Bill Hickok
1:00 Championship Bowling
2:00 Film Playhouse
3:00 China Smith
4:00 Odyssey
5:00 Mama
5:30 Mr. Mc Boing Being
6:00 Telephone Time
6:30 Air Power
7:00 Lassie
7:30 Private Secretary
8:00 Ed Sullivan Show
9:00 G. E. Sunday Theatre
9:30 Alfred Hitchcock Presents
10:00 $64,000 Challenge
10:30 What's My Line?
11:00 Front Page News
11:10 Weather Report
11:15 Best of Hollywood

TODAY'S meditation

Courier Journal

The Upper Room

ONE, WORLD'S MOST WIDELY USED DEVOTIONAL GUIDE

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7
Read Luke 9:57-62.

No man, having put his hand to the plough, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God. (Luke 9:62.)

Polycrap, the martyr, was put to death by pagans in A.D 156. He must have been familiar with this text. Early in life he decided to follow Jesus. Nothing could induce him to do otherwise.

In modern times, many African Christians facing the terror of the Mau Mau movement in Kenya, decided not to forsake their faith in Christ. Some have faced death in order to remain true. Their spirit and faith inspire others to the daily walk with Him.

Our text reminds us of the fields where the land is ploughed in single furrows, with a beast pulling the plough and a man guiding it. The man must closely attend his work. He must look ahead to his guidepost. If he looks back, his furrows will be crooked.

Having decided to follow Christ, I let us put our hands to the plough. Even in the hour of death, we can look forward to victory with Him.

PRAYER

Eternal God, who hast sent Thy Son Jesus Christ to challenge and to guide us, we beseech Thee to make us worthy of His sacrifice for us. Strengthen us afresh in decision and in faith. Grant that we may not fail Thee, but go wayward, looking unto Christ, our Redeemer and Guide. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Faithful, diligent work for Christ is never in vain.—E. Keith Ditterich (Australia)

LOOK! NEW FORD TRUCKS for '57

The Ranchero! More than a car, more than a truck—it's a completely new kind of vehicle. A real pace horse that handles more than half a ton.

Totally new Tin Cabs! A new, low, lowest priced,* most modern Tin Cab ever. See the complete new Series right at* 200-lb. GVW

New pickup with Styleside or Flareside bodies, standard at no extra cost, gives you the biggest pickup bodies of any half-tonner. Available in 6½- and 8-ft. body lengths.

LOOK again!

They're modern through and through

The boldly modern styling you see just hints at how deep-down modern the '57 Fords really are!

New Ranchero rides, handles and looks like a modern car. It's a rugged truck that carries over half a ton—more than many standard pickups. Ford's all-new Tilt Cab Series brings modern design to the big-truck field. It's America's lowest-priced* Tilt Cab line.

New Ford pickups back up their modern styling with higher power, completely new cabs, a new kind of ride. Styleside bodies are biggest of any pickup.

The trucks shown here just touch the sweeping changes in the new Ford line for '57. See your Ford Dealer for complete details on the truck to fit your job.

*Based on a comparison of factory-suggested list prices

NEW ride—completely new stronger, roomier, smoother! New widened rear axle and rear suspension help, new Hi-Ride springs.

NEW hydraulic clutch standard in all models. From pickups to tandems. Easier to operate—works like hydraulic brake. Quick and brake pedals are suspended type!

NEW Styleside pickup bodies standard at no extra cost. America's biggest pickup bodies! Side loading is far easier with full-width body.

NEW ride comfort! Big new roomy cabs, completely new chassis suspension and increased visibility improve handling ease.

NEW chassis strength! New frames, up to 12% stronger. New sturdier front and rear axles! New higher capacity springs!

NEW power advances! Higher horsepower, freer breathing, higher compression ratios, new super Filter Air Cleaner. Short Stroke engine design—V-8 or Six, in every model!

For '57 and the years ahead—
FORD TRUCKS COST LESS
LESS TO OWN... LESS TO RUN... LAST LONGER TOO!

Harper's Garage 254 E. Main St.

Barefoot

By Cordia Coy
(Delayed)

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Platt had as their Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Robert Platt and son, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Livengood and son, Eugene Wagoner and family and Mrs. Mary Wagoner.

William Ray Brunker and Howard Sidler were the guests of Willie and Raymond Coy and family one evening the past week.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND, CLARIFY AND SIMPLIFY PREVIOUS ORDINANCES RELATING TO LICENSE TAXES

The City Council of the City of Carlisle, Kentucky do ordain as follows:

(1) THAT it shall be unlawful for any company or person to engage in any of the following named activities, within the corporate limits of The City of Carlisle, Kentucky, without first securing a license therefor and paying the annual tax as listed hereafter opposite each category.

(2) **WHOLESALE DELIVERY**

Petroleum Products	$75.00	Drugs & Sundries	$15.00
Soft Drinks	25.00	Hdw. & Auto Supplies	15.00
Food Products	15.00	Any other Merchandise	15.00

Delivery of merchandise on bona fide previous orders exempted.

(3) **RETAIL SALES BY ESTABLISHED DEALERS**

Soda Fountain Products	$20.00	Ice Cream	$10.00
Cigarette	20.00	Soft Drinks	10.00

Dairy products or other foods delivered to homes $40.00

(4) **MISCELLANEOUS ACTIVITIES**

Theater Operation	$75.00	Solicit or deliver	
Pool Table (Each)	50.00	Ldry. & Dry Cleaning	$40.00
Juke Box (Each)	15.00	Any other	10.00
Pin Ball or like Mch.	10.00	Auctioneer	10.00
Pop Corn Machine	5.00	Auctioneer—Per Day	2.00

Itinerant peddlers or venders of merchandise of any kind, to homes or on the streets, Per Day $40.00

(5) THAT, the sale or delivery of goods that are actually grown, produced, manufactured or processed within Nicholas County, Kentucky is hereby exempted from any of the foregoing license taxes.

(6) THAT, licenses are to be issued by the City Clerk upon receipt of payment, after approval by the City Council All license taxes for the ensuing year are due on January first and if not paid before February first shall have added thereto a penalty of 10%

(7) THAT any company or person violating this ordinance shall be liable to a fine of not less than $10 00 nor more than $50.00, plus cost of prosecution.

(8) THAT, all ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed Enacted, this the 4th Day of February 1957.

Attest
Will J. Greene
CITY CLERK

Signed
Wm. Power
MAYOR

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Busy Bee 4-H

The Carlisle Busy Bee Club met Thursday 2:30 p.m. in the Science room for the regular monthly meeting with Katie Business meeting the program was led by Cordelia Gilley using as her subject "Future Plans."

Rose Ann Simons and Judy Giffin told briefly of their experiences at District Achievement Day.

Sylvia McCarty gave plans for the safety program, Betty Vice for health, Becky Barlow for recreation and Wanda Lawrence for citizenship.

A special number was given by two hand majorettes, Beverly Mann and Judy Giffin.

The Club decided to sponsor the milk program at the morning recess period and a "Clean Your Plate" campaign.

A new member, Phyllis Stephenson, from the East Union Club, was welcomed. — Judy Hopkins, reporter.

Sunnyside

By Mrs. Bessie Jackson
(Delayed)

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Jackson were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brothers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell and children were Tuesday guests of Mrs. Campbell's aunt, Mrs. Raymond Brothers and family. Mr. and Mrs. Gobel Gay were afternoon guests.

Our sympathy to the Bussell and Shannon families in the loss of their loved ones. Mr. Allen Bussell and Mrs. Mary Shannon, who died last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskal King and son were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bussell and boys were Sunday guests of Mrs. Bussell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Davis and children.

Mrs. Elmer Davis and children of Lexington are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bussell and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Shannon were Tuesday guests of their daughter, Mrs. Glenn Booth and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Jackson were Friday callers of Mrs. Willie Tincher and children and mother, Mrs. Emma Bowles.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wilson and children were Friday and Saturday guests of Mrs. Wilson's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Byrant of Elizabethtown.

By Gil Kingsbury
DOWN TO WORK:

Congress is just getting down to work, what with organization and the like completed. Much talk centers on the record peacetime budget, and a breakdown of figures indicates that each Kentuckian will have to cough up more than $100 a year to pay our national bills.

Add to that figure the cost of running state and local government, and you'll find each one of us will shell out about $600 a piece before the end of the year.

To make matters worse, if you are the head of a family of four, government will cost you about $2400! Ouch!

ON DRINKING:

Kentucky's Eugene Siler, congressman from the Eighth District, inserted an article in the Congressional Record the other day in which he deplored the drinking of alcoholic beverages in Washington. He wrote this:

"I came here more than two years ago and I have had nothing stronger than ginger ale . . . I hasten to add that if I stay here until I am ready for the undertaker, which is unlikely, I'll still have nothing stronger than ginger ale."

He wants Congress to do something about the drinking problem. Which also is unlikely.

THREE NEW BILLS:

Another congressman from eastern Kentucky, Carl Perkins, has offered several bills of interest to the folks at home.

One deals with federal aid to education and would have Uncle Sam help with federal money to build more classrooms. The other bill would enlist Uncle's aid in combatting juvenile delinquency.

Both measures were referred to the Committee on Education, of which the Congressman is a member. He'll have a chance to work for his pet legislation.

OHIO RIVER NAVIGATION:

The current budget, now being debated, contains money for those new high level dams along the Ohio River bordering Kentucky. That's the secret.

However, it is interesting to know just how many of the present dams—low level barriers—will be eliminated once the work is done. The Greenup Dam will replace five, the New Richmond Dam, above Newport, will eliminate four, and the Warsaw-Markland Dam knocks out five. That makes a grand total of 14 and the job, once completed, will create lakes hundreds of miles in length along the borders of Kentucky.

Forage, grain crop publication issued

A publication known as Miscellaneous Publication No. 19 prepared by the Kentucky Agricultural Extension Service's agronomy department, has been issued to give farmers a handy reference to varieties, etc.

It covers corn, grasses, legumes of interest, soybeans, small grains, sorghum and rape. Varieties are discussed, maturity dates (where applicable), planting dates, planting depths, approximate yields per acre, seeding rates, etc.

Floods strike! Red Cross answers call for disaster aid

Four days of torrential rains over a large area of Kentucky, West Virginia, Virginia and Tennessee pushed the Kentucky, Cumberland and Tennessee Rivers and their tributaries to record high levels on January 29 bringing the "worst flood on record" to certain sections of the affected states. National Guard units were called out for rescue and evacuation work. Red Cross chapters in the flooded towns and villages went into speedy action to care for evacuees. Shelters were opened, canteens began feeding operations, cots and blankets from the Army were moved into places accessible by road, helicopters airdropped blankets into isolated spots. Generators, water purifying units, field kitchens were dispatched to hard-hit towns in Pikeville, Ky., and Williamson, W. Va., patients were evacuated from flooded hospitals.

Sixty-eight experienced Red Cross disaster workers were deployed throughout the four-state area to help chapter volunteers in meeting emergency and long-range needs. From

"staging areas" at Lexington, Ky., and Bristol, Tenn., workers moved into the stricken places by whatever mode of transportation was available, some took circuitous routes by road to reach their destinations, many drove over sleet-coated highways. Because of continuing rain and fog, helicopter drops of food and other needed supplies were hampered, with two "copters" damaged in an effort to bring relief to flooded spots. In many communities, communications towns were completely cut off and messages were relayed out by short-wave radio. How glad we are Nicholas County Red Cross dollars were right there.

Jackstown

By Mrs. Kenneth Kearns

This community extends sympathy to the family of Mr. Joe Prather, who passed away last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Grey Jr. and daughters of Lexington spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Grey.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Grey and family of Mt. Sterling were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Grey.

Miss Dottie Dwelly, who has been ill for several weeks, was able to attend church Sunday.

Mrs. Lafe Barbee is ill at this writing.

Melvin Kearns of Cynthiana, spent last week with his brother, Kenneth Kearns and Mrs. Kearns.

Leon Grey is feeling better at this writing.

Recipe of the week

Serving cherries in February is as traditional as ice cream in July, and usually as welcome.

Cherry Pudding

1½ c sifted flour
1½ t baking powder
½ t salt
2 T shortening
1¼ c sugar
½ egg
½ c milk
2 c cherries
½ c water

Sift flour, baking powder and salt together. Cream shortening and 1 cup of sugar; add egg and beat well. Mix in flour, add milk and dry ingredients alternately, and beat until smoot. Add ½ cup water and ¼ cup sugar to the cherries. Empty half of the amount into a greased baking dish and top with batter. Spoon the remaining cherries and juice over the top of the pudding.

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