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## Political views

We think the following views made Tuesday by Keen Johnson, Democratic nominee for United States Senator, while in Carlisle and Nicholas County are worthy of note.

"I want to be your United States Senator so that I may work with a Democratic President in helping to restore job opportunities to this fine but less fortunate region," he told an organizational meeting of Democratic workers.

He said that when modern highways make this section accessible it will be possible to attract industry to this region to make jobs for the unemployed.

"And this the Democrats plan to do," he said.

The former Governor of Kentucky also told the group that federal aid for education "is badly needed."

"In spite of all that the states have done to improve the situation, we need immediately many thousands of classrooms in the nation and Kentucky and we need 150,000 more teachers. This need will be met when we elect a Democratic President, and as a member of the Senate I shall help pass the needed legislation," he said.

We at The Mercury know Mr. Johnson as a thrifty, frugal person, who's record as Kentucky's Chief Executive speaks for itself.

We urge the voters of our circulation area to give his cause their valued consideration and send to the Senate a Democratic leader.

## Two extremes represented in convention proposal

By James Hudson

Two extremes in the 12 subjects that could be considered by a limited constitutional convention are represented in "Official Oaths" and "the Railroad Commission."

On one end of the extreme, official oaths administered in Kentucky are criticized because the person being sworn in must swear that he hasn't participated in a duel. The oath cost nothing, save the dignity of the ceremony.

On the other end of the extreme, the Railroad Commission is an unnecessary drain on the Kentucky taxpayers, according to many people. The three elected commissioners are probably the highest paid officials in state government, on a basis of time spent on official duties. The chairman of the Commission draws $3,600, and the other two commissioners draw $3,000. The Commission met 12 times during 1959. Based on the number of days they meet, the chairman drew $300 per day, and the others made $250 per day.

These two constitutional provisions have several things in common. Both were written into the Constitution during the 19th century to regulate unhealthy practices.

The dueling provision was written into the 1850 Constitution, when dueling was a common practice in Kentucky. It was effective in stopping the code duel. The last duel was fought in Kentucky in 1867. Many people feel the dueling provision detracts from what should be a solemn occasion, as it will usually draw smiles from those witnessing the ceremony.

In 1890, railroads owned one-sixth of all property in the state and were a powerful political force. The legislature created a Railroad Commission to prevent abuse of this power; repeated attempts by the railroads to abolish the Commission led delegates to put it in the Constitution. The relative importance of railroads has declined sharply in this century and most people feel that they could be regulated adequately by the General Assembly, as are other utilities.

## 30 Nicholas youths may be drafted; grand jury adjourns, no indictments

**Thursday, September 26, 1940**

President Roosevelt put America's first peacetime draft into effect Monday, prescribing minutely detailed rules to guide an army of civilians in handling the conscription of men for the nation's expanding armed forces.

According to War Department calculations, approximately 30 Nicholas county youths may expect to be drafted this year.

E. R. Kendall announces this week as candidate for Nicholas County board of education, first district.

Larry Cameron, 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cameron suffers painful injuries when he slides from old automobile seat and is injured by piece of wire springs.

Luther Clay, agent for the heirs of Ora and Dora Jones, sold at public auction Saturday the farm on the Upper Jackstown road to W. A. Donovan at $70.25 per acre.

MARRIED—Mrs. Daisy Purcell Selby and James S. Henry at the Christian Church parsonage Saturday night.—Miss Betty Lee Alexander and Clarence E. Moss at Helena Sunday evening, Sept. 22nd.

DIED—N. W. Asbury, 75, Wednesday at the home of his brother-in-law, G. T. Shrout in Nicholas county.—Hugh McClellan, 78, at his home in Cynthiana last Tuesday.

**Thursday, September 30, 1920**

Bricklayers start work on addition to Harper's Garage.

J. J. Fields and family escape with slight injuries when their automobiles leaves the road an overturns near town.

Grand jury adjourns after being in session for two days and for the first time in history of the county no indictments were returned.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ruddell, of Carlisle, on Sept. 27th, a daughter.—To Mr. and Mrs. James Archdeacon, of Paris, formerly of Carlisle, a son.—To Rev. and Mrs. Linna Tripp, of near Little Rock, on September 26th, twin daughters.

DIED—Virgil Clark, 5-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, of Amarillo, Texas, on the 20th.—Mrs. America Dimmitt, 66, at her home at Millersburg. — Elmer Grover Throckmorton, 8-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Throckmorton, at their home at Pleasant Valley.

## A LITTLE YAPPIN'

By Nellie Crump

**Baltimore Minister Holds Service**

Dr. Harold A. Harris was guest speaker at the Carlisle Methodist Church Sunday morning. Now minister at Emmanuel Church in Baltimore, Md., he will be transferred to London, Eng., this coming year.

—Yap—

**. . . and the rains came.**

Did you ever see rain come harder or faster than it did the last Saturday of the Kentucky State Fair? One of our close neighbors had planned to go and had engaged Bessie to take care of the little three-year-old girl for the day. Morning came and with it a hard rain. We doubted the family starting, but Bessie charged forth under her new umbrella at the appointed time, just in case. They started. Clouds grew darker and rain came faster

We had eaten dinner and fed the baby—two babies to be exact. It was 1:30 when the mother knocked at our door. "I want my youngun," she announced. Said they never got any farther than Paris. When the driver asked, "Where do we go from here, this mother spoke the thought of all. "Home, before we all drown." There is no place like home.

—yap—

**When the Mail Fails.**

There were some badly disappointed faces at the Methodist Church Sunday morning—almost tearful ones. It was Promotion Day and several had been awarded Certificates and Bibles. Others were sitting as tight as the Rock of Gibralter waiting for the gold pins that are awarded each Promotion Day for perfect attendance throughout the year. No such announcement was made. When Sunday School was over a whole bunch went to Superintendent Talbert. He had to keep blinking mighty fast as he told them the pins had failed to come. "They will be awarded just as soon as possible," he said, "this coming Sunday, we hope."

—Yap—

**Vacation Days are O're.**

All old friends feel more or less lost this morning because the three-week vacation of Gladys and Clarence Bobb has come to an end and they have returned to their home in Covington. In telling me goodbye Gladys said this was one of the best three weeks she had spent in her whole life. They visited her sister, Miss Hallye Griffin of Morgan street and other relatives.

—Yap—

**Let George Do It.**

While on vacation a month

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## Going Steady With Girl Who Can't Date

THE WEEK'S LETTER: "I am a boy of 14. I'm going steady with a girl of 13. I like her a lot and she likes me also, but she has a stepfather that is very strict. He does not even know that we're going steady. If he did, hard telling what he would do to her. Anyway, he won't let her go on dates or go to any parties. We are not able to see each other except in school, so it's no fun to go steady with a girl you can't ever see. I want a girl that can go on dates with her parent's permission. What should I do?"

OUR ANSWER: Get yourself another girl to take to parties and dates; keep your school friendship with the girl who can't go to such parties. This might sound like advice to stop going steady—and maybe it is. It is the opinion of this writer that you cannot definitely set an age when it is right to start going steady, but nonetheless the boy and girl who start going steady too early miss out on much of the real fun there should be in growing up. They don't make as many new friends as do the boys and girls who "circulate." They get to the point where they would rather "just be together" doing nothing, than going out with the crowd. It seems like more fun, but it isn't. "Steadies" just don't realize how much fun the others are having.

*When a boy knows that a girl's parents refuse to let her date or go to parties, he is wise to accept this situation. Some boys seem to think it "wrong" for parents to do this, and, sometimes innocently, they urge the girl to ignore her parents wishes and go to parties or other social affairs in the hope that the parents won't learn about it. Invariably, this is bound to lead to trouble.*

Parents, after all, are the final authority. It does not matter that one or the other is a step-parent. They are concerned, with few exceptions, with what is best for their children. They may not always be 100% right, but they believe they are, and teenagers should give them credit for this.

To sum up the problem, we don't think that this week's letter writer should stop being school friends with this girl because she cannot date. Neither do we think he should stop going to parties himself and be content to go "steady" with the girl at school. When her parents believe that she is old enough, she will be able to go to parties. Waiting for that time is just a part of growing into adulthood.

**If you have a teenage problem you want to discuss, or an observation to make, address your letter to FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS, NATIONAL WEEKLY NEWSPAPER SERVICE, FRANKFORT, KY.**

## SATURDAY AT "FO'CASTLE CORNERS"

chance of living. When alfalfa is spring-sown the first cutting should be delayed at least until July.

**Hints on Choosing Purses**

Purses — satchels, envelope or shoulder straps are sleek, soft, or fluffy; leather, fabric or fur; the choice is wide. These 1960 fall bags have a new softness, outside pockets, good designing and often a complete absence of metal closings. In leathers, brown is the leading color. Gold, reds and plums also are fashion notes and color is the strong point in fabric bags.

Long gloves to go with shorter sleeves are favorite fall companions; 6 to 12 button lengths are in demand. Decoration is restrained: fit is close. Fall hosiery blends with the color of the costume.

**4-H News**

All 4-H members should check the premium list of the Nicholas County Youth Fair to see that it is to their advantage to have an exhibit at the Fair. We are anticipating one of the best Fairs ever. 4-H Club members in Nicholas County should be proud of their work and exhibit that work so that everyone in the county will be aware of the quality of product and handiwork that we produce. The youth of today are building their place in tomorrow's future.

4-H Project Books have been turned in to be judged and let me compliment the 4-H members on the quality of work that these books show. The 4-H motto is to Learn to Do by Doing and that is just what our 4-H boys and girls are doing.

Several new 4-H projects have been developed this year for the 4-H boys and girls which should be very beneficial to them. The club members in Nicholas County will be trying these projects out this year to see the value of them.

## Farm and Home

By: William T. Straw, County Agent, Margie H. Wilson, Home Agent, Luther Whitaker, Ass't County Agent

**2-4D on Lawns—A Selective Weed Killer**

2-4D will kill many broadleaf weeds, such as plantain or "Buckhorn," dandelians and even wild onions if used properly. Fall is one of the best seasons for killing these weeds in the lawn and they should kill very successfuly up to about November 1st. Due to the cooler weather in the fall, 2-4D is not so likely to volatilize and damage desirable plants. Since 2-4D is selective in action, it should kill the weeds and not harm established bluegrass. 2-4-D should not be used on new bluegrass seedlings that are only a few weeks old. Use 2-4D exactly according to directions.

**Too Late for Fall Seeding of Alfalfa**

It's too late to take a chance on fall seeding of alfalfa. Better to seed the land to grass and one-half stand of small grain this fall. Seed the alfalfa in with the mixture early next March. Graze early or mow the small grain in the boot stage next spring so the alfalfa and grass will have a good

## Little Chats on Public Notice

Copyright by James E. Pollard

LIMITED ACCESS HEARING

In a large Midwestern city a public hearing was held in city council chambers in connection with the establishment of an important new viaduct as a limited access project. The newspaper story on the hearing said it was "just formality since it had already been determined that the viaduct would be limited access."

But there was more to it than this. Actually the hearing legally cleared the way for the city to appropriate nearly a score of properties required for the project right of way. At the time, the city was still negotiating for four valuable railroad properties that were necessary for the project.

As of that moment the city and the railroads were nearly one million dollars apart on a price for these properties. If negotiations did not lead to agreement the hearing made it possible for the city to proceed to condemn the properties. In time, however, the problem was solved and the city got the necessary properties without condemnation.

Public hearings on proposed budgets, the letting of contracts, and other meetings concerning public business are often poorly attended or get little attention. But this is the fault of the public and not of the law.

As with public notices, or legal advertising, such hearings are a part of due process. Both are important to the public as well as to the parties immediately concerned. Their use, as required by law, is a matter of protecting public or individual rights, or both.

## TODAY'S Meditation from The Upper Room

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**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29**

**Read Ephesians 2: 1-10**

**(Stephen) said, Behold, I see the heavens opened, and the Son of man standing on the right hand of God. (Acts 7: 56.)**

Some Christians, like Stephen, have their eyes turned toward heaven. They draw spiritual power from the heavenly places in Christ Jesus. This clears the vision and gives the Christian his power to be a citizen of two kingdoms. He lives in the world by the help of the Unseen.

I have heard of a church in Stockholm that had no windows in the walls, but one big window in the ceiling. The following invitation to worship in this church appeard in a newspaper: "Come to the church with its window pointing toward heaven." It is a good thing that a church has its window turned toward heaven.

Each person in himself can be like a small church. The light and love and righteousness from heaven can stream down to you and me living on earth. Thus we can mirror something of the heavenly while living the earthly life.

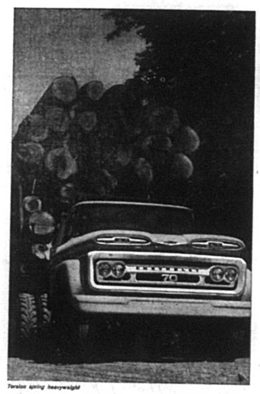
**PRAYER: God, we thank Thee that it is possible for us to turn to Thee for comfort, courage, and spiritual power. Help us to mirror something of the heavenly glory in our earthly life, so that we can help advance Thy kingdom on earth. We pray in the name of our Saviour. Amen.**

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

The Christian church helps us to draw spiritual power from God almighty.—Arne Jacob Kristoffersen (Sweden)

Southern farms are a market for $4 billion in goods and supplies each year.

Only one person in eight now lives on a U. S. farm compared with one in six in 1950 and one in three in 1910.

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## Saltwell

by Mrs. Fred Hollar

Mr. and Mrs. Ermine Kenney and family were in Olive Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Crawford and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Calvert Sosby and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kenney.

Mrs. Grace Earlywine, Mrs. Melia Hollar, Mrs. Gladys Kenney and Mrs. Biddie Hollar enjoyed a picnic dinner at Hunt Morgan Park in Fleming county on Saturday.

Scotty Peck remains a patient at Nicholas County hospital suffering with rheumatic fever.

Harold Mattox of Lexington, spent one night the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hollar and family.

A revival at the Headquarters Church begins on Monday night, Oct. 3 with Rev. Amos Harmon of Fleming county as evangelist. Prayer service and M.Y.F. services each evening at 7 o'clock and regular preaching service at 7:30. Everyone is welcome to these services.

Buddy Prather of Harrison county spent the weekend with Stevie Gaunce.

Mrs. Allen Lee Gaunce has been ill the past week.

Misses Ramona Hollar and Gayle Boling of Lexington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hollar and family.

Miss Rebecca Gaunce of Lexington, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Gaunce and son.

Mrs. Pearlie Morris spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris and family of Cynthiana.

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## Sunnyside

by Mrs. Bessie Jackson

Sterling Jackson was until bed time guest Saturday night of Otis Davis and family and Sunday night guest of Johnnie Shields and family.

Little Karen Watkins was from Wednesday until Friday guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Booth.

Mrs. Ira Payne returned home Sunday from an extended visit with her son and family in Indiana.

Rev. Paul Mattox moved Saturday from the tent into the former cutting room at the East Union road and Main street.

The All-day singing at the Pilgrim Holiness Church was well attended Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Tolson was called to the home of her parents last week by the serious illness of her mother.

Harold Gene Davis, was weekend guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Davis.

Miss Carrie Anderson was a weekend guest of Mrs. Sterling Jackson.

Mrs. Willie Mitchell was Sunday afternoon guest of Mrs. E. B. Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Brodrick and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Watkins and daughters were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Booth.

It's Thrifty to Read The Classifieds



## Concord

By Phyllis Tapp

Mrs. Ernest Alexander and Mrs. Reynolds Feeback accompanied Mary Glenn Feeback to Morehead, Sunday to attend College.

Pamela Hadley spent Saturday morning with Alice Faye Tapp.

Dave Grimes of Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Tincher and son visited Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Tapp, Sunday afternoon.

Tracy Gaunce spent Wednesday with her grandmother, Mrs. Allie Tapp.

Warren Smith of Lexington spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Smith.

Mrs. Bobby Wade, Bobbie Lou and James Brent visited Mr. and Mrs. Allie Tapp and daughters Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wills of Lexington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Allie Tapp and daughters. Afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gaunce and daughters, Audrey and Tracy.

Mrs. Lillian Alexander and Mrs. Nora Hamilton attended the Homemakers meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Woodie Mynear.

## Pleasant Valley

by Faye Earlywine

Miss Betty Kimes, of Covington, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kimes and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kimes of Covington, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kimes and daughter.

Miss Sharon Rowe of Maysville, spent the weekend with Faye Earlywine.

Faye Earlywine, entertained the following at her birthday dinner Sunday: Dorothy Fryman, Sharon Rowe, Shirley McCarty and Billy Earlywine.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Dayton and Rita, entertained the following at their camp on Licking River Saturday night: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dayton and son, Mr. and Mrs. Art Rowe and family, Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Earlywine and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hunt and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Earlywine.

Kenny Earlywine was a Saturday night guest of Gayle Rowe of Maysville.

David Wilcoxson, spent Friday night with Tommy Vice of Myers.

Mrs. Addie Hunt, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hunt and family of Cowan.

Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Earlywine and Faye were the Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Art Rowe and family of Maysville.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wilcoxson and Wayne, spent Sunday evening, with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kimes and daughter.

Mrs. Stanley Robinson and daughter, Pat, visited Mr. and Mrs. Alphues Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphues Curtis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Letcher and family.

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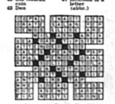

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