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Elva R. Kendall, 74, Former Congressman, Auctioneer Passes

Elva R. Kendall, 74, well known real estate agent and auctioneer, died at the Harrison County Hospital at 9 p.m. Monday night, Jan. 29 after a long illness. Mr. Kendall had been a patient at the Edgemont-Manor Nursing Home in Cynthiana for the past year.

He was born in Nicholas County, the son of the late P.D. Kendall and Louella Cook Kendall.

Mr. Kendall was a member of the Saltwell Methodist Church, having served as district lay-leader and also conference lay-leader of the Kentucky Conference for the church. He was a member of the American Legion Post No. 17 and was a Mason and a Shriner. He represented the old 9th District of Kentucky in Congress 1928-1930.

He was the first president of the Flemingsburg Production Credit Association and served in this capacity five years. He was also the first president of the Agricultural Adjustment Association in Nicholas County, and had served on the Nicholas Selective Service Board since 1940.

Survivors include one son, Preston L. Kendall and three grandchildren of Clinton, Maryland; a brother, Ted Kendall of Lexington and several cousins.

The body is at Mathers-Shearer Funeral Home where friends may call after 6 p.m. Wednesday. Funeral services will be conducted by the Rev. Norman Dunlap at Saltwell Methodist Church on Thursday at 10 a.m. Burial in Saltwell Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Eugene Wagoner, Frank Williams, Fred Hollar, Vaughn, Chester and Arnold Mattox.

Workers On Large Farms Due $1.15 Hr. Minimum

Farmers of this area were reminded today that the minimum wage for hired farm workers goes up from $1 to $1.15 an hour on Feb. 1. Pat Melcan, Regional Director of the Wage and Hour and Public Contracts Divisions, U.S. Department of Labor, pointed out that this year Labor Standards Act requirement affects large farms only.

Melcan said the minimum wage must be paid by employers who used more than 500 man-days of farm labor in any calendar quarter of the preceding calendar year.

Smaller farms are exempt. Also exempt are the following workers, even when employed on large farms:

-Members of the employer's immediate family;

-Local daily commuting hand-harvest piece workers who worked in agriculture less than 13 weeks in the prededing calendar year;

-Migrant hand-harvest piece workers 16 years of age or younger, who work with their parents and are paid the same piece rates as older workers;

-Employees principally engaged in the range production of livestock.

Melcan said a "man-day" means any day during which an employee performs farm labor for at least one hour. The employer's family and the local, daily commuting piece workers are not counted.

The $1.15 minimum will apply until Feb 1, 1969 when it goes to $1.30 an hour, Melcan added. He also pointed out that hired farm workers are not subject to overtime pay requirements.

Melcan says questions about the Act's application to farms will be answered by the Lexington office of the U.S. Labor Department's Wage and Hour and Public Contracts Divisions, at 118 Fuller Building, 120 West Second Street. The telephone number is (606) 252-2312.

Four Young Ladies Narrowly Miss Death

At 8:20 p.m. Monday, four young ladies narrowly missed death when their car struck an L&N train at the Upper Jacksntwn Road crossing.

According to a police report, the operator of the automobile was Miss Mary L. Galbraith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Galbraith.

Passengers in the vehicle were Miss Nina Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Nathan Young Jr.; Miss Jane Talbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Talbert, Miss Sandra Storey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Storey. Miss Young and Miss Talbert were treated at the Nicholas County Hospital and dismissed.

Engineer of the train was Bryan B. Thomas of Covington. The car's front end was damaged. No damage to the train was reported.

Savings Up To $330,000 Banked Here Survey Shows

New York, Jan. 27--

Residents of Nicholas County saved a record amount of money during the past year.

Attracted by high interest rates paid by banks and by savings and loan companies, they salted away a larger than usual proportion of their income in such institutions. They also put more into investments and into other savings.

With earnings higher than the year before for most local people, they were able to put away the increased amount without reducing their customary rate of spending for goods and services.

The result was that total savings by Nicholas County residents during 1967 came to approximately $330,000.

The local estimate is based upon national data compiled by the Federal Reserve Board and other governmental agencies and upon income and sales figures reported for each area of the country.

They show that the amount a family saves depends principally upon how much it has left after paying its bills for essential items.

Another factor that determines the family's savings program is the extent of its concern about taxes, inflation and Vietnam.

The survey shows that there is a direct relationship between earnings and savings. Families at the bottom of the income scale live from hand to mouth and are unable to save anything.

Families that have $4,500 left after taxes put aside 2.8 percent of it, on average, and those with net incomes of $7,500, about 5.9 percent.

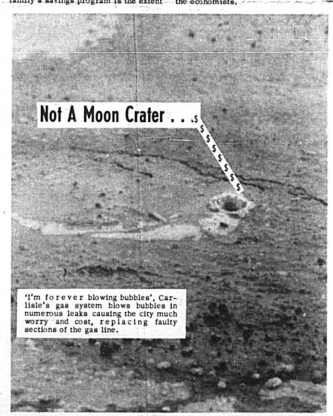
In Nicholas County, where net after-tax income was at the rate of $4,997 per household, at last report, savings were at the estimated rate of 3.3 percent. An average of $170 was put aside per unit.

For the local population, the grand total was nearly $330,000.

Assumed is that the rate of saving locally corresponds, at each income level, with the average rate nationally at that level.

Just when and to what extent consumers will decide to bring out their accumulated savings and start spending them is the big unknown in the business picture.

Once it happens, the stimulation to the economy will be enormous, say the economists.



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Deeds Recorded

Alfred Bretz and wife, 90 acres more or less on Cassidy Creek to Sanford Watkins and wife.

Deposit Bank of Carlisle, 6 acres on Carlisle and Concord Road to Sam Ritchie Jr., and wife.

Sam Ritchie Jr., and wife, two lots on East Union Road to Herschell D. Barton and wife.

Woodford Wornell and wife, 21 acres on Stoney Creek to Lloyd Anderson and wife.

J.W. Linville heirs, 80 acres on Moorefield Road to L.E. Clinkenbeard and wife.

Richard D. Jordan and wife, house and lot in Janelynn Addition to Joe D. Blount and wife.

Valentine Dance Friday

The Briar and Rabbit Club will hold a Valentine dance Friday, Feb. 2 at the Carlisle Armory from 9 till 1. Music will be provided by Don Glasser and hisorchestra. Mr. Glasser has just completed an engagement at Roseland in New York City.

Reports Sales

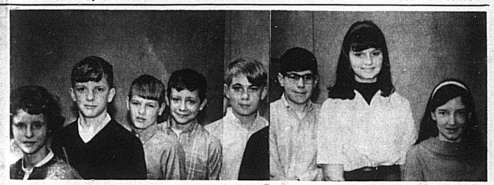
Earl Hamm, auctioneer and real estate broker reports the following sales.

A brick building on Locust Street for Mrs. J.D. Patton of Nicholasville, to Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Darbro.

208 acre farm in Robertson County for Bill Martin to Rolla Martin.

90 acre farm in Fleming County for Kelly Vice and Cornelius Turner at auction, for $49,813.50, to Kelly Vice Co.

House and lot on East Union Road for Sam Ritchie to H.D. Barton of Concord.



Sixteen Winners Shown

SOIL CONSERVATION ESSAY WINNERS in the seventh and eight grades at Carlisle Elementary School were, in photo one, Joyce Dampier, Eddie Ellington, Kurt Kelley, Gerald Hatton, Bobby Kelley, John Soper, Elizabeth Auxier, Barbara Kingsolver.

GROUP TWO--Jane Giffin, Karen Terrell, Debbie Vice, Particia Ockerman.

GROUP THREE--Cathy Snapp, Vicky Simpson, Lisa Logan, Retta Watkins.

County Homemakers To Meet Thursday

The twenty-second annual meeting of the Nicholas County homemakers will be held Thursday, Feb. 8, 1:30 p.m. at the Carlisle Baptist Church. The new officers to be installed at the business session are; Mrs. Jack Tincher, president; Mrs. Reese Smoot, vice-president; Mrs. Robert Chanslor, secretary; and Mrs. Francis Wasson, treasurer. The outgoing officers are; Mrs. George Dale, president; Mrs. Maurice King, vice-president; Mrs. Paul Vinson, secretary; and Mrs. Reese Smoot, treasurer.

The program will consist of group singing, organ and piano duet by Mrs. Cleary Fightmaster and Mrs. J.M. Pitman and a vocal duet by Mrs. Harvey Wilson and Mrs. Billy Marvin Gudgell.

A tea will follow in Fellowship Hall.

WRITE A LETTER TO THE EDITOR TO EXPRESS YOUR OPINIONS.

Farm Chemicals To Be Discussed Feb. 8

There will be a farm chemicals meeting at the Nicholas County High School Agriculture Room Thursday, Feb. 8, at 7:30 p.m. Local business people who supply weed control, insect spray materials and other agriculture chemicals are cooperating. The purpose of the meeting is to show slides and films of the new materials and how they are to be used.

All adult farmers are invited to meet with the young farmer group at the school. The main subjects to be discussed will be corn weed control and alfalfa insect control. Refreshments will be provided for those in attendance.

First National Bank Has Stockholders Meeting

The First National Bank of Carlisle held its annual Stockholders Meeting, Thursday at 2:00 p.m., Jan. 25, 1968. The following men were elected to a one year term as directors of the First National Bank: Harold Letton, Joe Blount, W.J. Clark, Clay Dayton, Cleary Fightmaster, Al Florence, George E. Gaffin, G.D. Kincaid, E. David Marshall, Henry A. Palmer, Frank Weaver, and Wayne Shumate.

Officers for the year of 1968 are; Henry A. Palmer, president; Joe Blount, executive vice-president; Charles Watkins, vice-president; Frank Stone, vice-president; Emerson Baker, cashier; Marjory M. Burnaw, assistant cashier.

Farm Sold

Mr. and Mrs. Hicel Rule sold their farm on the Barnesville Road to Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Mattox of Bourbon County.

The sale was handled by Lowry Crouch Realtors.

Vocational Education Observes Its 51st Anniversary

The week of Feb. 11-17 has been proclaimed as VOCATIONAL EDUCATION WEEK by Governor Nunn, and will be observed statewide with dedications, open houses and other events marking the 51st year of Vocational Education.

Montgomery County Vocational School, an extension of Lafayette Area Vocational Technical School, Lexington, will observe the anniversary with an Open House on Sunday, Feb. 18, from 1 until 5 p.m. Representatives from the State Department of Education, County and City School systems, and other dignitaries have been invited to this event. Parents of high school students who are now or may be enrolled in the school are especially invited to visit the school and see the many activities which go to make up the courses of study.

Montgomery County Vocational School was opened in August of 1967 with an enrollment of 235 students from Montgomery, Bath, Powell and Nicholas Counties, and Mt. Sterling Independent school systems. These students are enrolled in Business and Office Education, Drafting, Building Trades, Auto Mechanics and Industrial Electricity. The school is staffed by eight instructors.

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL STUDENTS RETURN--Normal class sessions began with the return of students from Nicholas County after an absence of two weeks, due to dangerous mad conditions. The Montgomery County Vocational School welcomes these and all other students back. After all, snow days do have to be made up. From left are, James Compton, Billy Gates, Teressa McWhorter, Estill Blake, bus driver; Trudy Malone, Linda Tapp, Charolette Tincher, Phyllis Workman, Rosie Flora, David Crouch, Donnie Allison, Stevie Gaunce, Earn Garrett, Otha Crawford, Frank Buckler, Pete Hilander, Phillip McDonald, Larry Terrell, and Scottie Peck. Absent were Billy Sams and Rose Howard.

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LVPA To Meet Friday

The Licking Valley Protective Association will meet at 7:30 p.m., Friday, Feb. 2 at the Nicholas County Courthouse; Carlisle.

This is an important meeting and those interested are urged to attend.

Log House Fire Is Extinguished

The Nicholas County Fire department was called last Tuesday to the home of Edward Bussell on the Dixie Highway. A defective flue was blamed for the fire in the log house. Five or six logs had to be removed. Fire Chief Woodie Wilson estimated the damage at $500 to $600.