



Martha Baker, Home Economist in Nicholas Harrison, and Bourbon counties with Kentucky Utilities (K.U.), exhibits and discusses inexpensive Christmas decorations made from household items.

Kentucky Chamber hires research director

Lowell D. Reese, a native of Pike County, has joined the executive staff of the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce as Director of Research, announces Philip A. Thompson, Executive Vice President of the Chamber.

Reese, immediately prior to his appointment, was executive director of "Our Common Heritage," a non-profit organization based at Lexington. He established the organization for service as a catalyst in the social and economic development of eastern Kentucky.

After serving as an Army airborne infantry officer in Vietnam and being awarded the Purple Heart, the Bronze Star and the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry, Reese joined the marketing department of Mobil Oil Corporation.

The Homekeepers at a meeting Wednesday afternoon at the Baptist Church. All the decorations light up. Mrs. James Lewis, County Cultural Arts Chairman, looks on—Mercury photo

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Insurance head elected

LOUISVILLE—Albert J. Torrick Jr., president of his own agency in Lexington, was elected president of the Independent Insurance Agents of Kentucky, Inc., during the organization's 76th annual convention here.

President-elect is W. Michael Diamond of Deaton Bros., Inc., Bellevue, while Homer C. Austin, a partner in Woodall and Melton, Inc., Paducah, was selected vice president. Joe McClain, president of Howell Co., Paris, was chosen state national director.

Former Kentucky Insurance Commissioner Robert D. Preston, now executive vice president of Kentucky Central Life Insurance Co., Lexington, was named "Insurer of the Year" — the association's highest honor.

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Cook gives poll results

In a recent newsletter, Senator Marlow Cook published the results of his annual poll taken in Kentucky during the summer. The results were:

Do you approve of the establishment of a federal no-fault automobile insurance program?
YES-34.2%; NO-44.3%; UNDECIDED-21.2%; NO ANSWER-4.2%

Would you approve of a federal no-fault automobile insurance program which could raise your insurance rates by an average of 35%?
YES-38%; NO-48.6%; UNDECIDED-5.7%; NO ANSWER-3.9%

Do you approve of the establishment of a national consumer small claims court to provide fast, effective settlements for consumers damaged by "unfair or deceptive practices"?
YES-44.6%; NO-22.1%; UNDECIDED-18.2%; NO ANSWER-13%

Do you believe that the federal government should take positive steps to avert a national energy crisis?
YES-75.5%; NO-43.7%; UNDECIDED-18.2%; NO ANSWER-2.5%

Do you approve of tax reform legislation which would abolish tax deductions for interest on home mortgages and consumer credit, state and local taxes, pension plans, charitable contributions, medical expenses, and the 100 percent exemption?
YES-25%; NO-76.5%; UNDECIDED-7.1%; NO ANSWER-3.9%

Do you believe that school children should be bused in order to achieve a racial quota in our schools?
YES-3.9%; NO-91.9%; UNDECIDED-3.9%; NO ANSWER-2.3%

Do you believe that the anti-smoking campaign is unfair to the tobacco farmer?
YES-55.5%; NO-34.8%; UNDECIDED-8.9%; NO ANSWER-4.8%

Do you approve of the job President Nixon has done?
YES-21.5%; NO-12.6%; UNDECIDED-12.2%; NO ANSWER-3.7%

WOMAN'S WORK WORLD
by JULIE THOMAS PITMAN

People used to say life begins at 40. Thanks to medical progress, discovery of new drugs, and better nutrition, it's probable that age 50 or 60. This is the message of an extraordinary new free 30-page Booklet "Women's Work World" prepared for people by the Institute for Action for Independent Maturity (IAM).

The IAM is a nonprofit, nonpartisan group devoted to the interests of people between 50 and 65 who are still busy with their careers and who want to get the most out of the present period of their lives. The group is a division of the 4 million member American Association of Retired Persons—Mea A.

The new Health Guide booklet is designed to help physicians cultivate maximum physical fitness. The Guide notes that each person has his own "biological clock," but most people at 50 retain 1/5th of the muscle strength they had at age 25.

Although regular exercise is still vital in later years, the opinion of most medical experts is that "The most convenient and effective exercise for middle-agers is vigorous walking—at least 15 minutes, 3 times a day," the Guide states. "Take your exercise in a gradually increasing dosage, though, and build it up only to moderate steps—the booklet cautions.

The Guide also gives information on nutrition, weight levels, and care of the eyes, ears and teeth and includes a handy checklist for dynamic fitness. To help maintain a mental well-being, the Guide offers advice on ways to avoid mild depression which many feel as they age and on how to deal with "senioritis" or diminished hearing, strength, or vision.

Reader service: If you would like a free copy of IAM's "Health Guide for Women's Work World" or your request on a POSTCARD to Julie Thomas Pitman at this new address, allow several weeks for delivery.

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MAGIEWORD by JULIE THOMAS PITMAN

HOW TO PLAY: Read the list of words from Julie's list. You'll find these words in all directions—horizontally, vertically, diagonally. Some letters are circled each letter of a word found in the puzzle then circle the letter in the word. When letters of all words are circled, you'll have the form number of letters left over. They'll spell out your MAGIEWORD.

LIKE TO BE A WRITER? Sol: A CHECK CLUES

A-Alert, Article, B-Bad, C-Carbon, Care, Check, Composition, Copy, Creative, E-Edit, Editor, F-Fastidious, Fern, Fiction, Frank, G-Good, G-Laugh, Leads, M-Managing, Mind, N-Noon, N-Paper, Penicillin, Pans, Pencil, Pen, Punctuation, P-Reader, S-Series, Song, Sport, Staff, Story, T-Think, Time, Titles, Typist, Y-Years, W-Water

ANSWER NEXT WEEK 30
Last Week's Answer: KNOCKOUT
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"Robes"	WE HAVE CAPTURED ALL THE WARMTH AND EXCITEMENT OF CHRISTMAS AND WRAPPED IT UP IN FASHION "ROBES"
"Stadium Boots"	THE "FASHION LOOK" FOR FALL - AN IDEAL GIFT.
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