

The celebration of Easter

This year Easter Sunday will fall on April 14. Since the very early days of the Christian church, this has been the great event of the year, commemorating the resurrection of Jesus Christ and the fulfillment of the promise of salvation for all people.

Since ancient times, churches and altars have been decorated for the occasion, candles have been burned, and, in the medieval cathedrals of England, the Easter paschal candles were often of gigantic dimensions. They were held in gigantic trees or silver



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Kentucky Leads in Top-Age Marriages

Kentucky outdistanced other states in the percent of all marriages involving teenage brides and teenage grooms in 1969.

There are more teen-agers in the United States today than ever before, and in 1969 about one-third of all brides and 14 per cent of all grooms were teen-agers.

The National Center for Health Statistics, Department of H.E.W., ranked 44 states and the District of Columbia by per cent of all marriages involving teen-agers as a proportion of total marriages. Kentucky had the highest percentage, 41 per cent for brides and 24.7 per cent for grooms. More than one-third of teen-ages were under 18 years of age.

Marriage Laws in Kentucky:
In 1963 marriage was prohibited and declared void when, at the time of marriage, the male was under 16, or the female was under 12 years of age. Kentucky Acts, 1928, amended the age for males to 18 and for females to 16. The Kentucky Acts were applied

attorneys and aides keeping watch over administration bills, lobbyists and legislators are on their toes to see that their bills make it through the legislature in the form they intended.

The system also works in reverse. Many times, a legislator will introduce something in a political law that the sponsor himself had never considered. A hasty amendment can pass through the legislature and, in the end, save a perfectly good bill.

After a bill has passed both houses of the General Assembly, bill supporters must still diligently follow the steps to see that the signatures of the Speaker of the House and Senate President are attached and the legislation reaches the governor's office in proper form in its final stage in becoming law.

This last effort was made even more important two years ago when an important administration bill creating the Department of Natural Resources was laid in a desk drawer the final night of the session and was therefore not passed.

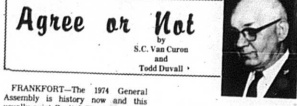
Just about any bill can be introduced in the General Assembly. It takes expertise, patience and persistence to have that bill become law.

Library Week, 1974

National Library Week is to be observed this year April 21-27. The purpose of the week is to encourage all people to read more and make greater use of their libraries.

In the United States, the President, members of Congress and other major elected officials may designate a library as the national library for the year. It is the symbol and the citadel of knowledge and information in America, this is the key to freedom itself.

Take a Look, You'll Like What You See!



Agree or Not

FRANKFORT—The 1974 General Assembly is history now and this assembly capitol City is returning to the Kentucky River valley the first day out of every two years the lawmakers are not in town.

With the hectic day-and-night activity of a legislative session over and under the wings of the sun, the past week took its toll of hard work and time for rest, relaxation, costumes, etc. A job well done to all!

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LETTERS from our readers

Kenton which appeared in the Mercury Public Ledger a few years ago. If you think you could use it would be glad to send it to you.

I am also sending a copy of the article to my father and mother. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hughes of Blue Licks, who were married at Abner's Mill Nov. 22, 1890.

Talking tombstones might be waked

Donald Wells thinks it is difficult to sleep with a tombstone. Apparently he has never waked one. There is a relation like that between the tombstone and the sleeper. So this date has invented a talking tombstone, which must rank with the best of the best as something everybody needs. Tombstones have always talked to you, and if one has a top-power glass and good eyes he can pick out the words, if not, it's just a blank piece of type.

APRIL CAMPAIGN CRUSADE (1-30)

- Freedom Shrine Month
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- Na'tl Home Improvement Month
- Na'tl Drafting Month
- April Fool's Day (1-30)
- All Play Ball Week (6-31)
- Defensive Driving Week (1-31)
- Holy Week (1-31)
- National Cattle Week (1-31)
- Paul's Day (1-31)
- Woolly Passover (7-30)
- Woolly Thanksgiving (11-1)
- Good Friday (1-2)
- Free World Protagram Week (1-21)
- Pan American Week (1-20)
- Earth Week (1-21)
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- NATIONAL BABY WEEK (April 25-May 1)
- National Coin Week (2-27)
- National NYWC Week (2-27)
- Secretaries Week (2-27)
- Blue Safety Week (2-27)
- Spring Hardware-Homeowners Week (April 25-May 1)

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20 and 40 years ago

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By Monday the result of Saturday night's and Sunday's below freezing weather could be easily seen as the Japanese dew that grows along the Elm Street side of our yard. It looks as if a giant blow torch has been used to turn each blossom to a dull brown.

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H.C. Norton, carrier on rural route on the 21st of March, after 31 years of service, according to Mrs. Virginia C. Reynolds, recorder.

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