

## Obituaries Ward protest

**HOWARD D. IRVIN**  
Howard D. Irvin, 73, died Sunday, Nov. 24, 1974 in St. Joseph Hospital after an illness of one week. He was a native of Nicholas county, a member of the Moorfield United Methodist Church, a past master of B.F. Reynolds Lodge No. 403 and a year number of Daughters Lodge No. 85 & A.M. He was a stockholder and officer in the firm of Hazzell Bros. He is survived by his wife, Lucille Wilson Irvin, one son, William G. Irvin, Painesville; three daughters, Mrs. David Hinchman Jr., Windsor, Ohio; Mrs. R.S. Willis Jr., Nicholas county; Mrs. James E. Patrick, West Union, Ohio; one sister, Mrs. Lucy (Howe) Blount, Lexington; four grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday from the Magbers-Shearer Chapel by the Rev. Howard Livingston. Burial in the Carlisle Cemetery.

**GEORGE BARBER**  
George Barber, 71, husband of Anna Charrel Barber, 71, Beech Street, Conersville, Ind., died Sunday, Nov. 24, 1974 at the Fayette Memorial Hospital, Conersville, after a long illness.

A native of Nicholas county, he was a son of the late Frank and Sallie Everman Barber, and a member of the Christian Church. Additional survivors are four sons, William Barber, Dayton, Ohio; Raymond Barber and Marvin Barber, Conersville; and Harry Barber, Indianapolis, Ind.; two sisters, Mrs. A. George, Carlisle, Mrs. Mary Phillips, Winchester; one brother, Marshall Barber, Lapel, Ind.; 13 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Funeral services were held Nov. 26 at Miller Funeral Home in Conersville. Burial in Dell Cemetery, Conersville.

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ment benefits when a county reaches the six per cent level. Ward said that there is some hope that the decision can be reversed. The General Accounting Office, he pointed out, is investigating the matter and seeking to invert the fiscal analysis reached by the Army to justify this action. Secretary Callaway said that if these figures of proportionate savings can be related, he would reverse the decision. Ward asserted.

The State Senator, who represents Bourbon, Fayette, Harrison, Madison, Nicholas, Robertson, and Woodford counties said that of the 2,600 disabled Federal employees, 1,341 of them reside within his Senatorial District.

## Motorists urged to obey speed limit

The Kentucky State Police are going into the advertising business. With three major holidays—Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year—just around the bend, they aren't taking any chances that the state's hordes of record low highway death toll for 1974 is going to suffer a sudden, disastrous turnabout. In a joint announcement issued, Gov. Wendell H. Ford and State Police Commissioner Ron L. Johnson disclosed that state police strategy for keeping road deaths to a minimum for the remainder of the year contains at least one surprise for motorists. In addition to all the usual ploys that most motorists have come to expect—roadblocks on a s e c o n d a r y road, plus maximum use of the air patrol, radar and road patrols—every trooper in Kentucky also will be sporting a large, brilliant-yellow bumper sticker on his cruiser which reads simply, in bold, black lettering:

## USDA announces increases in Food Stamp allotments

WASHINGTON—Under Secretary of Agriculture J. Phil Campbell announced today that the food stamp allotment for a family of four will increase on Jan. 1 from \$16 to \$18, based on current food price statistics. The Food Stamp Act, as amended by the Agriculture and Consumer Protection Act of 1973 (Public Law 93-81), requires that coupon allotments be adjusted semiannually to reflect changes in the prices of food as published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Allotment adjustments are based on the cost of the Department of Agriculture's (USDA) economy food plan as it is computed from Bureau of Labor Statistics food prices. The law requiring semiannual adjustments specified that the January 1974 adjustment reflect changes in food prices through August 1973. A similar procedure was used for the July 1974 adjustment and is being used for the January 1975 increase in the value of the coupon allotment, which is based on the cost of the economy food plan in August 1974.

The cost of the economy food plan for August was \$13.40 for a family of four with school children. Accordingly, USDA will raise the value of the coupon allotment from \$16 to \$18 for a family of four and make appropriate adjustments for other household sizes.

**"6 MPH"**  
Fred said that the idea for the bumper sticker grew out of fears expressed by state police that the 1974 highway death toll may be starting to climb.

During the first half of this year, Kentucky was commended publicly by the National Safety Council for reducing its traffic death toll by 21 per cent. In fact, we did so well that we bettered the national average rate of reduction by a significant nine per cent," he said.

But more recent reports indicate that more drivers are becoming increasingly careless behind the steering wheel, he said.

Johnson said that speed, especially, has been one major factor behind the rising death toll, and it was concern over that particular problem which led state police to the idea of using bumper stickers as a speed law reminder for motorists.

The number of motorists cited by state police for speed and speed-related violations, such as reckless driving, since the first of the year, currently stands at nearly 120,000 as compared with just over 80,000 a year ago, he said. To test motorists' reaction to the new bumper stickers, state police recently put one on an unmarked vehicle headed for Louisville on I-64 from Frankfort. Surprisingly enough, said the trooper driver, "not one car passed me."

The 1973 death toll for Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's was 10, eight and nine fatalities, respectively.

## Little League net scores

The Joyce Little League basketball teams played four games Saturday night.

A Teams, 1st game: Jeta 14, Hawks 13; Jeta-R. Sooty, 4; Pat Knapke, 1; Mike Parviz, 2; Troy Bussell, 5; Tommy Biddle, 2. Hawks—George Ledford, 9; Mike Howard, 7; T. Fryman, 2; Todd Allison, 4.

2nd game: Raiders 31, Colts 5. Raiders—Mike Boykin, 10; Mark Taylor, 4; Kirk Matten, 2; Don Markland, 12; Bradley Murrell, 2. Colts—Greg Haney, 2; John Gates, 1; Jim Wood, 1.

3rd game: Rebels 28, Patriots 18. Rebels—Mike Webb, 6; Mike Dowell, 7; Marvin Fredrick, 1; Harry Hires, 2; Marvin Fredrick, 2; Steve Anderson, 4; Eric McCaffrey, 2; David McCaffrey, 14. Patriots—Mark Baker, 2; Jamie Davis, 4; Mike Curtis, 2; John Meyer, 2.

4th game: Demons 23, Hornets 17. Demons—Joe Handolph, 2; Mark Donnan, 2; Steve Lavinell, Steve Hamilton, 14. Hornets—Keith Lanford, 6; John Davis, 9; Timmy Voss, 2.

B Teams: 1st game: Hawks 1, Jeta 0. Hawks—Kevin Ledford, 1.

2nd game: Raiders 5, Colts 0. Raiders—Daniel Gum, 1; Brad Murrell, 4.

3rd game: Patriots 2, Rebels 0. Patriots—Brian Watkins, 2.

4th game: Demons 2, Hornets 0. Demons—Jeff Hinton, 2.

There will be five games played this Saturday with the first game starting at 5:30 p.m. There will be pictures taken this Saturday.

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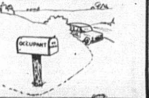
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