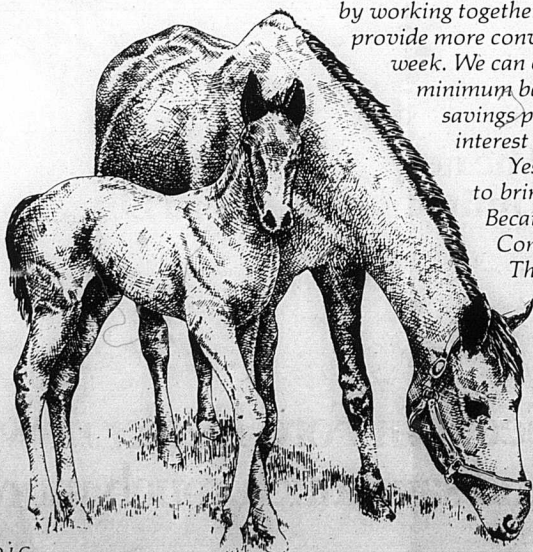


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By Mrs. Fred Holler

Miss Diana Allison of Carlisle spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bule. They all visited Edgar Allison Jr., who is a patient at Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington in the afternoon.

Mrs. Bobby Brady visited Mr. and Mrs. Stanley W. Caswell in Carlisle on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Osborne of Helena spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gaunce also visited Mrs. Thomas Gaunce on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rickie Feback are parents of a six pound, 12 ounce baby son, Robert John, born at Nicholas County Hospital Tuesday, Jan. 20. Mrs. Feback and baby returned home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley W. Caswell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Gaunce and Norma.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wigleworth and children of Cynthiana visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doyle and family on Saturday night.

Miss Ragena Mattox of Morehead State University spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mattox and Jeff.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilson, Mrs. Woodrow Gaunce, Carlisle and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holler were Saturday supper guests of Mrs. Gladys Kenney.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snapp visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wagoner and family on Sunday night.

Mrs. Chester Mattox spent Monday with Mrs. Homer Ward in Paris.

Mrs. Ira Bretz and Mrs. Mable Craycraft, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Carter of Paris, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Russel Mattox and Mrs. Mae Ritchie.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Connelly of Paris were Monday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russel Mattox and Mrs. Mae Ritchie.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holler, Everett Snapp and Mr. and Mrs. Donald McCord spent Sunday with Mrs. Malcolm Snapp of Neave, Ky. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. S.B. Ellis of Milford in the evening.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Doyle and children, Mr. and Mrs. David Doyle and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Brady.

Harvey Gaunce of Carlisle visited Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Gaunce on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy J. Snapp and Eddie of Cincinnati spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Snapp. Mrs. Roger Goodman and daughters of Lexington were also Sunday guests of the Snapps.

North Middletown Bank joins Group

LEXINGTON—The North Middletown Deposit Bank has become the 19th member of Kentucky Group Banks, according to a recent announcement.

Kentucky Group Banks is an association of banks in the Commonwealth with combined total assets in excess of \$600,000,000 serving over 1,000,000 Central and Southern Kentuckians through more than 50 banking offices.

John M. Collier has been named president of the bank. Collier, 27, had served as assistant vice president of First National Bank & Trust Company, Nicholasville, before taking the North Middletown position.

Bennie Bridges will serve as vice president and cashier. Bridges has been with the bank since June, 1968.

Mrs. Anna Marie Roberts, who has served the bank since February, 1964, is remaining as assistant cashier. Mrs. Virginia Davis and Mrs. Jerry Ann McArtland serve as bookkeepers. Mrs. Davis has 15 years experience in the bank, having been employed since March, 1960, while Mrs. McArtland worked part-time from 1960 until August, 1975, when she became a full-time member of the staff.

William H. Rogers, who served as president from August, 1967, until August, 1975, will return to the bank as chairman of the Board of Directors.

Jeans Sale

Wash-Out Jeans \$15 Now \$8.95
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Ward introduces free books bill

State Senator Thomas M. Ward, Democrat, Woodford county, has introduced bills to provide free textbooks for grades 1-12 and to abolish the charging of fees except where fees are required to purchase materials which become the personal property of the pupil.

Ward said, "In February of 1975, while campaigning for Lt. Governor, I became the first candidate for state-wide office to call for free textbooks and the abolishment of fees. I was very pleased when Governor Carroll accepted these items in his platform. I am now pleased to work with Governor Carroll to bring these reforms to the people of Kentucky."

Senator Ward said that these bills are urgently needed to reduce the dropout rate in Kentucky which is at or near the highest in the nation. "Many of these dropouts are really paupers," Ward said. "They are being pushed out of school because their families cannot afford the high cost of books and fees. In this bicentennial year especially, we should remember that one of the tenets that has made our nation great is the commitment to free public education. But education has been less than free for many children in our Commonwealth. This legislation will help right the wrong."

The textbook bill calls for an appropriation of \$7,000,000 for fiscal year 1976-77 and \$3,000,000 for fiscal year 1977-78. The fee bill carries an appropriation of \$5,000,000 for each of the next two fiscal years. Ward said, "This is a lot of money but it will be well spent—a relatively small price to pay for helping to keep children in school thereby training them to make a living and become taxpayers instead of tax wasters."

The Veterans Administration hired 1,207 handicapped persons in 1974. This represented 17.7 per cent of the total federal number of handicapped hired for the year.

Nurse's group meet Feb. 3

The Kentucky Nurse's Association, District No. 20, will have its monthly meeting, Tuesday, Feb. 3, at 7 p.m. at the Mayville Community College Music-Speech Room. Speaking will be Ms. McKenna, R.N., Dean of Nursing at the University of Kentucky. Her topic will concern requirements needed to obtain a Bachelor of Science Nursing Degree.

All area RN's are invited to attend, whether they are KNA members or not.

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