

## Obituaries Five to

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**BOUTON KOORY**  
Ignatius B. Koory has received word that his father, Bouton Koory, 67, of Menoah, Ark., died at 4 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 27, 1977 of a heart attack.

Mayor for the past 25 years of this small mountain village in Northern Lebanon, he had seen his people through 26 months of civil war.

He was the son of Ignatius and Marian Koory.

He is survived by his wife, nine children, 41 grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and four sisters.

**MRS. EUGENE F. BECKER**  
Mrs. Mabel Vice Becker, 74, Moorefield, died Wednesday, March 9, 1977 in Fleming county after a long illness.

A native of Nicholas county, she was the daughter of the late Luther and Hennie Shunkin Vice. She was the widow of Eugene F. Becker. Mrs. Becker retired from the teaching profession in 1969 after having taught about 30 years. She taught grade school at the Moorefield School. She was a member of the Moorefield United Methodist Church.

She is survived by a son, Jack Becker and a grandson, Jeff Becker, both of Moorefield.

Services were conducted at 2 p.m. Friday, March 11, at Clark Funeral Home in Moorefield by Rev. Howard Livingood. Interment was in Longview Cemetery, Bethel.

**REID PRATHER**  
Held Prather, 82 of Bourbon county, died Sunday, March 13, 1977 at the Bourbon County Hospital.

A native of Nicholas county, he was a retired farmer and a member and former deacon of the Little Rock Christian Church. The son of the late Joe J. and Kate Reed Prather, he was the husband of Mrs. Hannah P. Prather of Bourbon county, who survives.

He is also survived by a brother, Russell Prather of Paris and several nieces and nephews.

Services were conducted at the Hinton-Turner Funeral Home at 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 15, by Rev. Joe Robinson. Interment in the North Middletown Cemetery.

Casketbearers were Roger Wilson, Shelby Crouch, Maurice Hinkle, Gayle Seper, Vernon Groves and Ray Workman. Honorary bearers were Ira Haney, Clarence Wilson, Charles Boyd and members of the Little Rock Christian Church board.

**MRS. FRANK WALTON**  
Mrs. Lenora C. Walton, 69, of Bourbon county, died Friday, March 11, 1977 at the Bourbon County Hospital after a brief illness.

She was a native of Nicholas county and was the daughter of the late Bruce and Laura Cameron Crawford. She was the widow of Frank Walton. Mrs. Walton was a member of Cassidy Methodist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Ollie Guy and Mrs. Donald Stamper, both of Bourbon county; three sons, Tommy Walton, Bourbon county; Billy Walton, Oak, Fla.; Ronnie Walton, Brooksville, Fla.; a sister, Mrs. Clyde Birtz, Nicholas county; a brother, Leonard Crawford, Lexington; and 20 grandchildren.

Services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday, March 14 at Lusk Funeral Home in Paris by Rev. Joe Carl. Interment in Carlisle Cemetery.

**ASCS director announces deadline**  
Anna L. Conner, Director ASCS announced that beginning Tuesday, March 15 requests for Long-Term Agreement under the 1977 Agricultural Conservation Program (AC) will be taken. Deadline for making the requests will be March 31.

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## LL to resume practice Monday

Little League basketball practice will resume on Monday, March 21. Practices will be as follows: March 21, Raiders 6:20 p.m.; Colts, 7:30 p.m.; March 22, Patriots, 6:20 p.m.; Stars, 7:30 p.m.; March 23, Hornets, 6:20 p.m.; Rebels, 7:30 p.m.; March 24, Raiders, 6:20 p.m.; Phillies, 7:30 p.m.; March 25, Patriots, 6:20 p.m.; Stars, 7:30 p.m.; March 26, Colts, 6:20 p.m.; Hornets, 7:30 p.m.; March 27, Phillies, 6:20 p.m.; Rebels, 7:30 p.m.

The local winner will compete at the district association level at 10 a.m. Saturday, April 2 at Eastern Kentucky University in Richmond.

The state finals to determine the Kentucky champion will be April 15 during the KEA convention in Louisville. Finals from KEA's 13 districts will vie for the title.

Public-school students in grades four through eight are eligible to compete. KEA will provide certificates for winners for each systematic contest and trophies for winners of each district association competition.

The three top winners at the state level will receive U.S. Savings Bonds as prizes—\$100 for first place, \$50 for second place, and \$25 for third place.

State coordinator Charroll, a member of the KEA board of directors, teaches at Jefferson County's Kenwood School. Assisting her will be Charles Whaley, KEA director of public relations and research.

## Cancer chapter meeting held locally March 8

Officers and chairman of the Nicholas County Chapter of the American Cancer Society held a meeting Tuesday, March 8 at 7:30 p.m. at the First National Bank to organize the annual crusade which will be conducted in April.

Officers, voted on in November, 1976, are: Bill Shuman, president; W.N. Young Jr., vice president; Mrs. Bobby Anderson, secretary; Mrs. Glenn Kimberling, treasurer.

Crusade co-chairmen are Mrs. W.J. Alexander Jr., Blue Grass Industries;

Mrs. Mike Jones, county, and Mrs. Paul Hardin, city.

Other chairmen are: Mrs. Charles Rose, service; Ralph Shearer, memorial; Mrs. Jimmy Conrad, public education; Mrs. Bobby Duncan, publicity; Allen J. Hamon, M.D., medical advisor.

Board of directors are Billy Hopkins, Joe Crouch and Carolyn Deaton. Ms. Debra Denny, area representative also attended the meeting.

The next planning meeting will be Tuesday, March 22 at the First National Bank.

## Cong. Perkins accepting academy applications

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Congressman Carl Perkins announced recently he is accepting applications from young men and women who wish to be considered for a congressional nomination to the service academies for classes entering in the summer of 1978.

The academies which utilize the Congressional nomination system are: Military Academy, West Point, New York; Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland; Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs, Colorado; and the Merchant Marine Academy, Kings Point, New York.

Young people between the ages of 17 and 21 who are permanent residents of Perkins' Seventh Congressional District are urged to apply. Potential applicants should be single, in sound physical condition and academically qualified.

Perkins urges interested high school juniors and seniors to contact him as early as possible at 2365 Bayburn House Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

## Tobacco stocks should increase according to USDA economists

Tobacco stocks should increase during the 1976-77 tobacco marketing year because the 1976 crop will be more than enough for domestic use and exports, according to economists with USDA's Economic Research Service. At the same time, smaller quotas for flue-cured and burley tobacco suggest U.S. tobacco growers may reduce plantings by 12 percent this year. The 1976 crop, at 2.1 billion pounds, the second largest since 1964, plus large beginning stocks brought the 1976-77 domestic leaf supply to 2.36 billion pounds, a three percent increase over last year. By the end of this marketing year, stocks should total about 160 million pounds above the beginning level of 125 billion pounds.

U.S. smokers puffed a record 616 billion cigarettes in 1976, 1.3 percent more than the previous year. That's an average of 4,110 cigarettes per adult. U.S. tobacco exports rose 16 percent in value to a record \$1.46 billion in 1976 as a result of higher prices and larger volume. Imports continue to account for one-fifth of the tobacco used in U.S. cigarette production.

Price support will average 7.3 percent more to produce as a result of higher labor costs. USDA is considering changes in leasing provisions to curtail speculation and require that flue-cured growers comply with acreage allotments as a condition for price support. Currently only poundage quotas are used to qualify for price support.

March 4 to March 10, 1977.  
ADMITTED: Kyle Allison, Rocky J. Amburgey, Bobby Lewis Hughes, Emma T. Blake, Ben Trussell, Glenn Ledford, Albert Mambbeck, Everett Green, Carol McConnell, Margaret Hamm, Betty Gaunce, Ruby J. Hinkle, Earl Pettit, Russell Cox, Pearl Fryman, Carlisle; Isabella Bots, Sharpburg; Christine Garrett, Candy Bellamy, Moorefield; Mary L. Ruggs, Flemingsburg; Margaret Archdeason, Elizaville; Louise Poe, Mt. Olivet.

DISMISSED: Elberta Hunt, Roger Lee Trussell, Connie Clinkenbeard, Ben Trussell, Rena Newford, Bertha Baker, Willetta Manley, Mabel Morris, Rocky Amburgey, B o b y Lewis Hughes, Kyle Allison, Ben Trussell, Emma T. Blake, Russell Cox, Carlisle; Mary Helms, Paris; Christopher L. Jolly, Ewing; Raymond Barnett, Elizaville; Candy Bellamy, Moorefield; Gilbert Curtis, James Henderson, Mt. Olivet.

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**22 oz. Ajax Dish Liquid 69¢**  
Expires 3-22-77

**8 oz. Keebler & C.C. Drops 14 oz. Rich N Chips 89¢**

**5 lb. Sea Pak 49¢**  
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