Mr. & Mrs. Maines

The Maines to celebrate anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Maines, Sugg Road, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Saturday, August 31.

They are the parents of four children: Donald Maines, Waltham, Ma.; Larry Maines, Carlisle; Bobby Maines, Kingsville, TX and Mrs. Sue Sims, Northfork, VA.

Hamm reunion is held Aug. 10

The family of Caleb and Willie Bell Hamm held their annual reunion Aug. 10 at Blue Licks State Park with all eight surviving children in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hamm, Mrs. Bill Hunter, Missy Jimmie and John, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ed Hunter, Darren and Jeremy, Ewing; Mr. and Mrs. James Sartin, Chris and Kevin, Flemingsburg; Mrs. Marjorie Mitchell and Terri, Mrs. Marguerite George and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Barton and Kristi, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hamm, Jiggs Hamm, Carlisle; Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Williams, Steve and Danny, Jon Hamm and Rusty, Winchester; Frank Hamm and Tammy, Lexington; Raymond Hamm and Mike; Mrs. Joe Dunn, Carri, Sandy and Charla Hastings, Mich.; Mr. John Schneider and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Privett and Betsy, John Schneider, Beth, Sara and Heather, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Bein, Kelly, Lora and Kristi, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Schneider, Pete, Jenny, Jason, Michael, Randy, Andy, Ricky and Catie, Mrs. Katherine Brill, Art and Jack, Cincinnati; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hudnall, Susan and Dean, Indianapolis; Mr. and Mrs. Rick Hudnall, Alexandria, VA; Bill Hudnall and Jason, Mt. Vernon, IL;

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Applegate, Richmond; Mrs. Cherryl Canapox and Phillip, Olive Hill; Mrs. Lisa Goins and Amanda, Frankfort.

Visitors were Mrs. Elsie Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Jackson, Mrs. Virginia Bellamy, Carlisle, and Arthur Sears, Millersburg.

Head Start registration underway

Registration is now open for students in the Community Action Head Start program in Nicholas County for the 1985-86 school year.

Parents of children who will be four years of age by October 1 are encouraged to visit the Community Action Center or call for enrollment information.

Prior to enrollment, parents must provide children's birth certificates and proof of family income.

Persons in the community who know of children who may be qualified for the program are also encouraged to contact the Community Action Center on Scrubgrass Road. The Head Start staff will then get in touch with the families and provide necessary information.

For additional information, contact Mary B. Crawford, center supervisor, or Margaret Hunter, Community Action Rural Programs coordinator at 289-7172.

Birthday picnic honors Mr. Letcher

A family picnic was held at Blue Licks State Park Saturday, August 24 honoring Earl Letcher, who was 87 years old.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McClanahan, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Letcher, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Letcher, Faye Letcher, Clay Letcher, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Alexander, Helen Roberts, Howard Letcher, Leona Letcher, Jackie Cawood, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Letcher, Patrick Letcher and Jessica, Mr. and Mrs. David Smoot, Nichole and Sahara, all of Nicholas County.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gillispie, Deanna, Stephen, Chris and Dwight Gillispie, Bourbon County; Mr. and Mrs. William T. Letcher and Shawna, Clarksville, IN; Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Letcher, Valley Station; Butch, Martha, Lori, Ann and Tim Hinton, Dana Brown, Susie, J.W. and Jessica Tedder, Cheri and Stacy Schneider of Crestwood.

Donnie, Debbie and Martina Letcher, Louisville; Pam Letcher, Roswell, GA; Jeanette and Ann Gibson, Ewing.

Allison birthday

Herb Allison celebrated his birthday Saturday, August 24 with a cookout given by his family at the Fish and Game Club.

Those present were Mrs. Hester Allison, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ockerman and Brian, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Blanton and Charlie, Jason Blanton, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hamm and Paula, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smoot, Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. John Smoot and Stephanie, Mrs. Catherine Hollar, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Liver, Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Liver, Tracy, Johnnie, Jamie and Katie.

Kay's Kitchen

By Kay Fisher

First for those who asked about the Apple Crisp in last week's column. It is not a pie, but a desert to be served in a dish topped with heavy cream or whipped cream or ice cream.

Now this week I'm answering a request from a friend in Cincinnati who wants Chocolate Pie recipes. The first one is just old fashioned Chocolate Pie.

CHOCOLATE CREAM PIE

1 cup sugar
1¼ tablespoons cornstarch
½ teaspoon salt
2 squares chocolate, grated
2 cups milk, scalded
3 eggs, separated
2 tablespoons butter
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 baked 9 inch pastry shell

Mix together ½ cup sugar, cornstarch, and salt; add chocolate to milk and heat until melted. Beat until smooth. Gradually stir milk-chocolate mixture into sugar-cornstarch mixture and cook over boiling water 10 minutes, stirring constantly until mixture thickens. Stir small amount into slightly beaten egg yolks; then gradually pour into thickened milk and cook about two minutes, stirring constantly. Add butter and vanilla and cool slightly. Turn into baked pastry shell. Cover with meringue made by gradually beating the remaining ½ cup sugar into stiffly beaten egg whites. Bake in moderate oven, 350 degrees for about 15 minutes or until delicately browned. Chill.

CHOCOLATE CHIFFON PIE

1 envelope unflavored gelatin
¼ cup cold water
2 - 1 oz. squares unsweetened chocolate
½ cup water
3 egg yolks
¾ cup sugar
¼ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla
¾ cup sugar
3 stiffly beaten egg whites
1 - 9 inch baked pastry shell

Soften gelatin in ¼ cup cold water. Combine chocolate and ½ cup sugar; add over low heat until melted. Remove from heat; add gelatin and stir until dissolved.

Beat egg yolks with ¼ cup sugar till light; add chocolate mixture, salt and vanilla. Cool at room temperature. Gradually beat ¾ cup sugar into beaten egg whites; fold in to chocolate mixture. Pour into cooled pastry shell. Chill till firm. Cover top with whipped cream and chocolate curls.

CHOCOLATE CHESS PIE

1½ cups sugar
2½ tablespoons cocoa
Pinch of salt
2 eggs, beaten
¼ cup margarine or butter, melted
½ cup evaporated or canned milk
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 unbaked 9 inch pastry shell

Combine sugar, cocoa, and salt. Add eggs, butter, milk and vanilla; stir thoroughly. Pour into pastry shell and bake at 350 degrees for 45 to 50 minutes.

CHOCOLATE MOUSSE PIE

½ cup butter or margarine, softened
¾ cup sugar
2 (1 ounce) squares unsweetened chocolate, melted and cooled
2 eggs
1 (4 ounce) carton frozen whipped topping, thawed
1 baked 9 inch pastry shell
Whipped cream and shaved chocolate optional

Cream butter and sugar until light and fluffy. Stir in chocolate. Add eggs, one at a time, beating 5 minutes after each addition. Fold in whipped topping.

Spoon filling into pastry shell. Chill until firm (about 2 hours); or freeze.

Garnish with whipped cream and shaved chocolate before serving, if desired.

SOCIETY

To place Society items, call Mrs. Ann Shearer at 289-2464

Mrs. Smith receives accounting degree

Mrs. Monica Lynn Smith has received a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with a major in Accounting from the University of Louisville and is currently employed at Central State Hospital, Louisville, as Credit Union manager.

Mrs. Smith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Judge of Moorefield.

Curtis reunion held Aug. 25

The Curtis reunion was held August 25 at the North Central 4-H Center.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Burtz, Rebekah and Jessica, Mrs. Anna Mae Curtis, Louisville; Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Rawlings, Steve Rawlings and Anna Grimes, Angela Rawlings and Denny Blevins, Shamgrove; Mr. and Mrs. George Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lowe, Dawn and Shelley, Covington; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Robinson and Tina, Fairborn, OH; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Curtis and Ray Jr., Dayton, OH;

Mr. and Mrs. Durward Curtis, Dayton, OH; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Curtis, Melissa and Melinda, Hebron; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Curtis and Angie, Fairview; James Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Curtis, Blue Licks; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Hicks, Bradley and Nathan, Mr. and Mrs. Byrog Fryman, Carlisle; Debbie Fryman, Lexington.

Movie at church

The Irvingsville Baptist Church at Morning Glory will show the movie, "Image of the Beast," Sunday, Sept. 1 at 7 p.m.

The public is invited.

NCHS Alumni Homecoming set Sept. 13

The Nicholas County High School Alumni Association will host Alumni Homecoming Friday, Sept. 13 in conjunction with this season's first home football game, Nicholas County versus Fairview.

The Alumni reception will begin at 6:30 p.m. in the high school cafeteria and game time is 8 p.m. Tickets for the game may be purchased at the gate. Graduates will sit in a special reserved section.

Following the football game, alumni will meet again in the cafeteria for discussion, planning and socializing. Refreshments and music from the last three decades is planned.

Carlisle School holds reunion

The Carlisle High School Alumni Banquet was held Saturday, August 31 at the Nicholas County Elementary School cafeteria with 185 in attendance. James Burnaw of New Providence, NJ was the guest speaker.

The classes of 1935, 1935 and 1960 held reunions in conjunction with the banquet with the 1935 class winning the loving cup for the most attending.

Mrs. Elizabeth Caywood was the oldest female graduate; Delores Allison Sanders the youngest; Joe Frank Conley, the oldest male, and Bill Guthrie, the youngest.

The association voted to accept the 1964, 1965 and 1966 classes as associate members.

Officers for 1985-86 are Billy Dale Crawford, president; Charles Guthrie, vice-president; Carolyn Terrell, secretary; Geneva Allison, treasurer.

— Personals —

Mrs. Judy Kuhns-Hastings and daughter Emily left Wednesday for their home in Cross, MS. Mr. P Hastings will join them on Sept. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. Feebeck, Newport News, VA and Mrs. Robert Feebeck recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Matthew G. Feebeck of Cincinnati. OH. Matthew is confined at home because of illness.

Miss Marie Flora has been transferred from the Harrison Memorial Hospital to the Grand Haven Nursing Home, Oddville Avenue, Cynthiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Vanlandingham attended the Anne Murray concert Sunday, August 25 at Riverbend Music Center, Cincinnati, OH.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Mattox of Inez spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Carolyn Mattox and Kent.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Ebert recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herion of Chagrin Falls, OH, and Mr. Ebert's mother, Mrs. Louise Ebert, Sandusky, OH.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. Feeback have returned to their home in Newport News, VA after spending a week with Mrs. Robert T. Feeback. While they attended the Carlisle High School Alumni Banquet.

Mrs. Richard Hopkins of Paris was the guest of Mrs. Hester Allison Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Hopkins will be moving to Louisville in the near future.

Mrs. Raymond Lawrence, Lexington, and Edward Lawrence, St. Petersburg, FL spent last Tuesday night with Mr. Lawrence's sister, Mrs. Donald Storey and Mr. Storey.

Mrs. Hazel Moore has returned from a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. James Bryant, Mr. Bryant and family in Atlanta, GA.

Miss Meg Conley has returned home after spending the summer in California and has entered the University of Kentucky as a junior for the fall term.

Mrs. Nathan Young of Carlisle and daughter, Mrs. Tom Wallace of Edgartown, MD. recently spent a week at Caspian Lake, VT and Montreal, Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conley and daughter of Wise, VA spent last weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Conley.

Miss Hallye Griffin entertained Saturday with a birthday dinner honoring her brother, W.B. Griffin of Lexington. Twelve guests were present.

Mrs. Pauline Birch of Hebron spent several days last week with Mrs. Eddie Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Tolumbo of Pensacola, FL spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kenney.

Miss Oma Willoughby of Frankfort visited Miss Hallye Griffin Saturday and attended the East Union Alumni Banquet that night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson spent a few days last week in Melbourne Beach, FL.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Talbert of Lexington attended the Carlisle High School Alumni Banquet last Saturday. Mr. Talbert was a member of the 1950 graduating class.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Minton, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Trunnell, Mrs. Sandra Thomason and Mandy, Mr. and Mrs. Merle McCarthy and Wendell, Fairborn, OH; Mr. and Mrs. Rondall George and Linda and Mrs. Rosemary Kinder and Stephanie were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas George of Myers over the weekend.

Guthrie attains Eagle rank

Matthew Guthrie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Guthrie of Carlisle, was presented the highest rank in Scouting — the Eagle — in a Court of Honor held at the First Baptist Church of Carlisle on Sunday, August 25 at 2 p.m.

Special guest Cong. Larry Hopkins, addressing those in attendance, spoke of the differences between life in the United States and that in Russia. He stressed that the freedoms encouraged by the Boy Scouts of America were those that were denied to the people of Russia.

Following his address, he presented Matthew with a flag that had flown over the Capitol Building in Washington, D.C.

Wilbert Winkle Jr., Scoutmaster of Troop 50, was master of ceremonies. Chief District Executive Steve Heil recognized the Eagle Scouts present at the Court and discussed the meaning of the rank of Eagle. Those recognized were Tommy Lane of Nicholas County, Kevin Willis of Berea, and Allen Scott of Lexington.

Midland Trail District Executive Tom Young listed Matthew's achievements. The Eagle Scout oath was administered by Willis, chief of Kawida Lodge, Order of the Arrow. The Eagle Scout badge was pinned on by Mrs. Phyllis Guthrie, mother of the new Eagle. Invocation was given by Dennis Berry and the benediction by Tom Hardin.

Among those in attendance were Mayor Frankie Hughes, Supt. of Schools Donald G. Elder, American Legion representative Cartinill Lester, Dr. and Mrs. Fred Justus and troop committee chairman Gerald Watkins.

Matthew, the first member of Troop 50 to attain the Eagle rank in approximately 25 years, is a senior at Nicholas County High School where he is active in the Ecology Club and the Academic Bowl Team. A member of the National Honor Society, he was a Governor's Scholar at Murray State University this summer and is an active member of the Carlisle Christian Church.

Girl Scouts membership rally Sept. 6

All girls, from the first to the 12th grade are invited to the 1985 "Girl Scouts — Find The Fun" Rally Sept. 6 at 6 p.m. at the City Lake.

Wilderness Road Council and local Girl Scout volunteers have put together an evening of fun, games and prizes as a way of introducing the Girl Scout program to new girls, and getting already registered Girl Scouts back together for the school year.

Girl Scouting is a program designed to teach girls the values of leadership, character and citizenship. It also provides an opportunity for friend-making and learning new skills.

Parents who are interested in learning more about Girl Scouts should bring their daughter to the local rally. A free gift will be given to each girl.

Leaders will be contacting Girl Scouts who registered last year to let them know what to bring.

Births

WORKMAN

Mr. and Mrs. John Edward Workman of Sharpsburg announce the birth of a daughter, born Aug. 13, 1985 at the Nicholas County Hospital. She weighed six pounds and four ounces and has been named Sara Gail.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Everett Sapp of Ewing. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Howard Workman of Sharpsburg.

Tempter march repeated here

An article published by the Mercury, August 22, 1985 in the Down Memory Lane (40 years ago) column stated as follows:

"An original composition, 'The Tempter,' written by a former Nicholas Countian, Dr. E.W. Wise, now of Tulsa, OK, will be featured on the program of the American Legion Band of Lexington which will give a concert on the courthouse square (Carlisle), here tonight. The band is known as the Victory Band of Man O'War Post."

Forty years later, on June 20, 1985, Mrs. Harry D. Galbraith played the piano part of the "Tempter" to an audience of about 75 people at the Old Depot during the annual banquet meeting of the Nicholas County Historical Society.

Mr. Willie Bell Griffin of Lexington furnished the composition of the "Tempter." He and his son (John Thomas Griffin) played in the Man O' War Band which played in the Carlisle courthouse yard 40 years ago. Mrs. Galbraith's rendition of the "Tempter" was highly acclaimed by all present.

Mr. Griffin, a Nicholas County native, played the trombone in the band. He stated that he wanted to hear the "Tempter," a march, one more time. He provided the original copies for each band instrument and generously donated this work to the Nicholas County Historical Society museum.

Arts/Craft Fair in Grant County

The third annual Eagle Creek Arts and Crafts Fair will be held on Saturday, Sept. 7 at the Grant County Park/Fairgrounds in Crittenden (Grant County) from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Over 150 exhibitors will participate representing Ohio, Kentucky and Indiana craftspersons. Five county nonprofit organizations will be selling refreshments.

This year's arts and crafts showcase will include stenciled items, silk screen ties and scarves, hand painted children's clothing, country crafts, needlework, clowns, grapevine wreaths and baskets, spices, toys, children's furniture and tole painted decorative objects.

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WE NEED YOU!

Miss Sheila Caskey

November wedding is planned

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Caskey, Mt. Mariah Road, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sheila Beth, to Robert Lee Sosby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sosby, Whetstone Road.

Miss Caskey is a 1985 graduate of Nicholas County High School and is employed at Johnson-Mathers Health Care.

Mr. Sosby is a 1982 graduate of Nicholas County High School and a graduate of Central Kentucky Vocational School. He is employed at Bluegrass Coca-Cola in Lexington.

A November wedding is being planned.

Oaks hold swim party

by Tina Green

One Aug. 21, the Oaks had a swimming party and cookout followed by a meeting at Blue Licks State Park.

We had all members present, plus 31 guests.

Judy Hamilton, president, called the meeting to order, then called for nominations for vice president and treasurer. Mia Price was elected vice president, and Julie Herrington, treasurer.

It was decided to have meetings every three weeks after school starts Sept. 3. We discussed having a bake sale in the future. The annual hayride is scheduled for late September or early October.

It was decided to add no more than three new members. Re-acceptance of ex-members was denied by a vote of members only. No sponsors participated in the vote.

Alice McDonald to speak on KET

Superintendent of Public Instruction Alice McDonald will discuss the 1985-1986 school year when "The People's Business" airs live Thursday, Aug. 29 at 7 p.m. on KET.

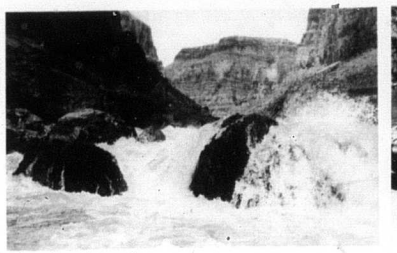
Joining McDonald will be student representatives Maggie Waters of Meade County High School in Brandenberg, and John Calvert of Hopkinsville High School. A representative of the Kentucky Education Association is expected to complete the panel.

Topics to be discussed include: the six-hour day, the Essential Skills Testing program, remediation classes for first and second grade students, this year's school calendar and the emphasis snow days and spring bread will have in the calendar.

The effects of legislation recently passed by the Special Session of the Kentucky General Assembly in regard to classroom size and dropout prevention programs also is expected to be discussed.

Host will be Lexington news anchor Bob Hensley, WTVQ-TV. He will be joined by Louisville Courier-Journal education writer Virginia Edwards.

Viewers may contribute to the discussion by calling (606) 233-2000. Collect calls are accepted.



Threading the needle

The Shumate's camera snapped this picture of the Lower Rapids, a continuous fall of 37 feet which their raft had just negotiated. The 182-mile journey included 160 rapids or riffles. Water flow was 28,000 cubic feet per second. — Photo submitted

Checking the gear

The trip down river was made on this 34-foot raft modified from World War II pontoon bridges. Provisions for 18 meals plus refreshments were packed in ice and stored under the packs and gear in the middle of the rafts. — Photo submitted

'River Rats' return from rafting adventure down the Colorado

Health Tips *from* **Lee Rose**

Poison ivy

Kentucky abounds with beautiful plant life, but among these plants are poison ivy, poison oak, and poison sumac, that if contacted, can make one quite itchy and uncomfortable. These plants can cause itching with little red raised "bumps" where the plant is touched. More severe rections may be swelling and blisters.

Allergic reactions result from contacting the allergenic oleoresin in the plant. Reactions may come from touching the plant, being around smoke from burning the plant, touching clothes or tools that have oleoresin on them, or the fur of a dog or cat may have oleoresin on it.

The rash usually appears several hours to a few days after contact and lasts two to four weeks. The rash is not spread by scratching, it only appears in the places where the allergen, oleoresin, touched the skin, and the rash cannot be spread from person to person.

SYMPTOMS can be managed by the following:

"Cool wet compresses may be applied four to six times a day. The wet compresses may be just water or a tablet or package of Domeboro to a pint of water.

"Apply calamine lotion after the wet compresses for drying. Avoid lotions that have antihistamines, as an allergic reaction may result.

"For severe cases involving the mouth, eyes, face or genitalia, see your doctor for help.

"If the rash becomes infected, your doctor will need to give you antibiotics.

Prevention is still the best solution. Following are some suggestions for avoiding an uncomfortable allergic reaction:

"Learn to recognize these plants and avoid them.

"These plants should be destroyed by chemicals rather than burning.

"Wear rubber gloves when handling the plant or clothing that has been exposed.

"Wash clothes and tools with hot soapy water after they are contaminated. Tools will retain the oleoresin for months, even over winter, after they are used on the plants.

"If you do contact the plant, wash the area immediately to decrease reaction.

For more information, call Lee Rose, R.N., at Nicholas County Health Center, 289-2186. This column written by Judy Kuhns-Hastings.

Lunch along the riverside

Sandy areas along calmer water provided ideal spots for lunch and overnight accommodations. Meals were served on metal plates. No trash was left behind. — Photo submitted

Wayne and Hutch took along fishing rods and caught several rainbow trout which were cooked and served as hors d'oeuvres during "happy hour" along with smoked oysters and various kinds of cheese.

The dry 100-115 degree temperatures are comparable to an 85-degree day in Nicholas County, Bill Hopkins pointed out. River temperature was in the high 50s and felt "mighty good" in their hot bodies. It was almost always too hot at night to get inside sleeping bags, even though small lizards, bats and other creatures often came calling after dark. Rattlesnakes native to the Grand Canyon, as well as king snakes, were spotted from time to time but posed no problem.

Sheila Reynolds proved to be the resident historian. He had spent the last six months researching literary books dealing with the geology of the area and could spout at length the tinguish cigarettes in water, with butts tossed in trash bags. Liquid refreshments were contained in aluminum cans which were crushed for easier take-along. A traveling port-o-let served restroom needs. All told, nothing was left behind to spoil the beauty for the next group coming down the river.

Even though their ages ranged from the mid-twenties to early sixties, the compatibility of the "young lions" and "graybeards" was remarkable, elder statesman Ebert found. "The guides told us ours was the best party they'd ever taken on a trip and they're veterans of Florida Everglades and Mexican expeditions," he said.

TWO BIRTHDAYS were celebrated enroute and neither went unnoticed. Bill Young and guide Tom-Tom were recipients of cakes, started from scratch and baked in the handy Dutch oven, just like mother used to make, no doubt.

If there were any close calls, no mention was made. More than one later said it was pretty scary when they looked back at some of the boulders they'd passed through near the end of the trip at Lava Rapids, a continuous fall of some 37 feet to safe water.

Following breakfast on the last morning, a waiting helicopter whisked them to a small airstrip at St. George, Utah where they picked up their chartered plane back to Las Vegas.

Price of the trip, including round trip airfare from Cincinnati, cost the Carlisle contingent less than $1,100 each. Cheap, they figure, considering all the territory they covered.

Several of the group had traveled together before. Jaal, Nate and Wayne took in the American Cup competition on Long Island Sound in a sailboat two years ago. Last summer, Hopkins, Wayne and Cliff cruised the Ohio River from Aberdeen to Pittsburgh and back.

SO, WHAT'S NEXT?

"We talked about it some," Wayne said, "but, I'll tell you what, no matter where we go, compared to this it will be a second-class trip. This was the ultimate."

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Storms buy True Value Hardware here

Mr. And Mrs. Richard D. Storm have purchased True Value Hardware and Variety Store in Carlisle from Roy Roederer of Lexington. The Storms began operation of the store Tuesday, Aug. 20.

Mrs. Storm, who will operate the business, is the former Mary Ann Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mitchell of Carlisle.

Storm, originally from London, Ky., and his brother have a security guard operation in Hazard serving the coal mining industry. He and his wife moved here four and one-half years ago and make their home at 203 Eastern Avenue.

They have two children, Mandy, 6, is a first grader at Nicholas County Elementary School where Rick, 5, is in kindergarten.

The Storms are currently in the process of restocking the store's inventory which "had got pretty low when we took over," Storm said.

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