

## Mercer's Quota Is 35 Families

L. H. Jones, Local Supervisor, Explains What Resettlement Is Doing In Kentucky.

The first regional pamphlet describing resettlement and rehabilitation activities has just been issued from the Division of Information of the Resettlement Administration's regional office, Raleigh, North Carolina.

L. H. Jones, who is Rehabilitation Supervisor for the Resettlement Administration in Mercer, Boyle, Marion, and Washington counties presented this newspaper with a copy yesterday.

In addition to giving the origin, background and purpose of the Resettlement Administration, the booklet gives a rather thorough explanation of rehabilitation and resettlement which are the two major phases of the Resettlement Administration program in North Carolina, Kentucky, Virginia and West Virginia, the states comprising Region IV. It also tells who is responsible for the program, outlines the activities and projects which have been started in this region.

"More people will be reached immediately under the rehabilitation

phase than the resettlement phase," the booklet states.

Figures are given in the booklet showing the breakdown by states of Rehabilitation families being cared for, the total for Region IV being 51,000 families. Quota of 35 rehabilitation families has been assigned to Mercer county.

Under the rehabilitation program loans and practical supervision are extended for the purchase of seed, fertilizer and equipment to enable impoverished farm families to get on their feet again. These are the families who are in an emergency situation and must be given a chance to help themselves immediately. The booklet describes the method by which these rehabilitation families are assisted.

The resettlement phase is described as a more permanent part of the program. It is based on the fact that "There is plenty of good land and that it is a social and economic waste to continue to cultivate unprofitable acreage."

In the resettlement phase two kinds of projects are undertaken. One has to do with acquiring poor land areas or lands unsuited to successful agriculture and developing them for the purpose to which they are best adapted. The other has to do with acquiring good land areas and developing them into model farmsteads. The first are called Land Utilization Projects. The second are called Rural Resettlement or Agricultural Resettlement Com-

munities. A table gives the name and location of twenty-five Land Utilization Projects IV which have been approved for purchase and development involving a total of 402,634 acres of land at a cost of \$3,388,199 and total development cost of \$5,526,136. A daily average of 12,525 men will be employed on these projects.

As to the Rural Resettlement Community Projects, the booklet states that plans have been prepared and submitted to the Administrator of forty-two Agricultural Resettlement Community Projects for Region IV involving 219,121 acres of land and the construction of 4,296 farmsteads; and that preliminary approval has been given on twelve of these projects, comprising a total of 70,868 acres and providing farmsteads for 1,595 farm families, and the employment, during the period of construction, of an average of 6,225 laborers.

Mention is made of the new Farm-Tenant Project, Community and Cooperative Services, and Farm Debt Adjustment Activities, all of which are a part of the Resettlement Administration's program. Copies of the 14-page booklet may be obtained by writing to the Division of Information, Resettlement Administration, Raleigh, N. C.

### On Kroger Program



WALTER O'KEEFE

Appearing this week on the Kroger radio program, "The House of a Thousand Eyes," is Walter O'Keefe. He comes as a guest star from the Camel Hour. O'Keefe, who calls himself the "Broadway Hilly-Billy," has skyrocketed to fame in radio land as a singer, humorist, composer and master-of-ceremonies.

### Coin Collectors Hunt Bargains

Large copper cents used for the small coinage in this country more than a century ago aroused the keenest bidding at the sale of several fine coin collections held this week by Thomas L. Elder at 8 West Thirty-Seventh Street, New York. For a specimen of the 1793 cent with the flowing hair, \$200 was paid. This was the first date of issue and the copy sold was called one of the best of that type known to numismatists. Another fine 1793 cent known as the "Chain Ameri" variety sold for \$152.50. An uncirculated specimen of 1800, showing the die break, went for \$100 and \$85 was paid for an uncirculated specimen of 1796 having the liberty cap design.

Five specimens of the 1784 varieties sold for \$16, \$25 and \$30 respectively. One of 1795, with the high letters, went for \$30 and another variety sold for \$26.

An uncirculated specimen of 1797 brought \$20 and the same price was paid for the 1840 and 1841 issues with dates in small letters, both being in proof condition. An 1803 cent, showing the broken die, sold for \$21 and an 1809 specimen went for \$18.

Many of the small cents also brought good prices, \$11.25 being paid for a fine copy of the 1856 issue with the flying eagle. One of the old 2-cent coins, 1873, in proof condition, sold for \$7.50 and that price was also bid for a proof specimen of the nickel 5 cents, 1877. The \$20 double eagle, 1881, from the Philadelphia Mint, in fine condition for \$50 and \$39 was paid for a \$20 gold coin of the 1869 issue. For the Grant memorial half-dollar, 1922, being the variety with the star, \$20 was paid.

CROSS KEYS TAVERN RESTORATION IS SOUGHT

A duplicate of the old Cross Keys Tavern historic building on the Shelbyville-Frankfort road destroyed by fire will rise on the site of the original building if a group of Shelby countians are successful in their move to interest Henry Ford in aiding the plan for its restoration. The move to enlist Ford's aid has just been launched there. Impossible in the cases of most burned old buildings, duplication of Cross Keys Tavern is possible. On file in Washington is a complete plan, showing all details of the old building, measurements of doors, windows, molding, timbers, etc., and the type of material used.

**'YOU PLAN TO BUY A FARM**

A word to the prospective farm purchasers: First: Keep away from speculative tendencies in farm land prices. Second: Borrow only to buy farm land that will pay for itself eventually on the basis of normal prices of farm products. Third: If you finance the purchase of a farm be sure you get the money at the lowest possible rate of interest.

**Produces Most Emeralds**

Colombia is the world's largest producer of emeralds, and third biggest banana grower.

### BURGIN

(J. H. McLane, Cor.)

Miss Hazel VanDyke was a visitor in Lexington January 9th.

Steven Short left Saturday to be with relatives in Fayette county for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Rhorer and children were recent visitors of his parents in Wilmore.

Mr. D. W. Coleman and son, Clell, Jr., spent Saturday in Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Veris, of Garrard county, were guests of relatives at Burgin this week.

Mrs. Julia Stone and her daughter of Norwood, Ohio, were called to Burgin by the severe illness and death of Mrs. Stone's sister, Mrs. Lizzie Litter.

Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Sanders visited relatives at Campbellsville and Greensburg Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Anderson Merriman has a position in Lexington.

Mrs. Arthur White has been in Lexington for a few days where she was called by the tragic death of her sister who was killed in an automobile crash.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Sanders were the weekend visitors of relatives in Campbellsville and Greensburg, accompanied by their children.

Mich Kemper, 85 years old, colored man, died recently in Burgin from infirmities incident to old age. He told the writer that he well remembered the Battle of Perryville. He was well known in which he lived by white people.

Mrs. Anna Comingo and children, of Harrodsburg, were with relatives the past few days.

Mr. J. L. Bradshaw sold and shipped a car of fat cattle from Burgin to Cincinnati on January 11.

Rev. J. T. Edwards was a visitor of friends in Wilmore this week.

Mr. Ben Bennett's many friends are glad to know he is able to be out again from an illness with paralysis.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spaulding spent the weekend with relatives at Lebanon. While on the way they were in an automobile wreck and Mrs. Spaulding was much bruised, although not seriously hurt.

Mrs. Flora White and Mrs. J. S. Voris and Mrs. Rena Voris were Danville visitors January 13.

Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Edwards and little child returned home Saturday, January 11, from a three weeks' visit with Mrs. Edwards' relatives in Clayton, New Jersey. While on the trip they were in an automobile wreck which costs Mr. Edwards \$50. Fortunately they were not hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Spaulding, who were recently married at their Lebanon home will move to Burgin soon where Mr. Spaulding has held a position a few months.

Miss Jewell Mariman is visiting relatives in the county this week.

Rev. Marshall Black, of Harrodsburg, made a fine address, at the Burgin Baptist church to a good sized audience on Tuesday night.

Mrs. Emma Dunn remains ill at her home on Church street.

### VANARSDELL

(Miss Anna Parrott, Cor.)

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Parrott spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Shelley Parrott.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Leach, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Anderson were in Lexington Monday on business.

Miss Nina B. Long spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Anna Parrott.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spaulding spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Yocom, of Bondville.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Giles, Mr. and Mrs. Worley Yocom and family, of Bondville, Mrs. Eugene Royalty and baby were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Monroe.

Miss Gertrude Robinson is sick but is improving.

Edmund Burrus Miller spent last week with his grandmother at Salvisa.

Miss Ruby Cosby who has been sick for several days is improving.

Mrs. J. T. Thompson is visiting her brother, Mr. Romeo Robinson.

People of this community enjoyed the few pretty days the first of the week.

Miss Juanita Long spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Lorraine Monroe.

Mr. Alvin Monroe was proud to win the prize at the contest Tuesday night at Salvisa for playing a harp.

### NEVADA

(Mrs. G. L. Semonis, Cor.)

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Isaacs and Mrs. Mollie Isaacs of Lebanon, spent Sunday with Mrs. A. B. Vaughn.

Mrs. D. R. Terhune, Rev. and Mrs.

J. W. Furkin and family, of Campbellsville, Mrs. J. J. Dyer, Mr. James Semonis, Mr. Jarrot Semonis, and Miss Kathleen Russell spent Sunday with Mrs. John Russell and family, of Harrodsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gray spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hourigan, Greensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weldon and children, of Harrodsburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Weldon.

Miss Wanell Sevier is spending several days with Mrs. D. R. Terhune.

Little Miss Lois Mae Gorham, the daughter of Mrs. Vernon Gorham is suffering from a severe attack of whooping cough.

Mr. and Mrs. Beve Williams spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. John Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Frosty Wheeler and baby, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Wickersham.

Mrs. William Lawson is able to be out again after an illness of several weeks.

Birds of a feather have habit of knocking together.

There are never any detours to the public treasury.

### KIRKWOOD

(Mrs. Jesse Thompson, Cor.)

Mr. Raymond Stratton was sick the past week but is better now. Some of the farmers of the community have sold their tobacco.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cinnamon and Mrs. I. N. Riley have moved to their home place.

Mr. Calvin Gritton is spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gritton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Edwards, of Harrodsburg, were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Conner last Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Conner is very sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ellis and family spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Ellis of Ashbrook.

Mrs. Jesse Brown and baby are getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gash and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown and daughter, Miss Edith Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Royalty, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ray were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Brown last Sunday.

## Financial Statement

### Town of Burgin, Kentucky

1935

#### GENERAL FUND

##### Receipts

January 1, 1935:	
Balance	\$ 727.55
Taxes collected	2,536.99
Water Bills Collected	500.72
Meters & Material Sold	15.00
Licenses Collected	330.00
Miscellaneous	30.00
	\$ 4,140.26

##### Disbursements

Salaries	\$ 861.75
Streets: Lighting	\$ 683.00
Labor & Material	28.46
Water Plant: Material & Supplies	179.53
Labor	41.13
Current at Plant	231.75
Meter Reader	12.00
Freight & Express	2.44
	466.85

Fire Dept.: Balance on Fire Truck	158.05
Insurance	78.16
Mechanical Service on Truck	27.60
Painting Siren & Current for Same	19.50
	283.31

Telephone, Ptg. & Stationery:	
Telephone Service	42.72
Printing, Financial Statement	23.00
Stamps & Stationery	38.40
	104.12

Bonds, Notes & Interest:	
Note paid Citizens Bank & Trust Co.	350.00
Interest paid Citizens Bank & Trust Co.	25.00
Interest on Bonds	175.00
	650.00

Miscellaneous:	
Clell Coleman & Sons Account	116.99
Clell Coleman & Sons for Blue Grass Seed & Material at Cemetery	17.92
H. P. Dowling & Co. Account	16.92
H. P. Dowling & Co., Blue Grass Seed, etc.	21.80
R. Carpenter: Lumber for Culvert	4.20
C. W. Bonta: gate at Cemetery	70.00
J. W. Dismuke, Labor and Material	34.25
Rudolph Moore, Trucking	12.50