

St. Matthews Fire Protection District

1960 — 1962

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Purpose of meeting was the election of officers and committees. There were 31 members in attendance. Nominations for Captain were the first order of business. Those nominated were J. P. Terry, Rannie Florence, and Rich Herdt. The term of office was for four years. Rich Herdt was elected. Tabulation of votes is as follows: Herdt 16, Florence 9, Terry 5.

Next order of business were the nominations for the Lieutenancy for a period of four years. Those nominated were Dan Sullivan, J. P. Terry, and Howard Martin. Dan Sullivan was elected. Tabulation of votes is as follows: Sullivan 17, Terry 7, Martin 6.

Nominations for Fireman's Committee for one year were next. Those nominated were R. E. Kaster, Phil Schneider, R. E. Kempf, Bob McGrath, Bailey Ross, and Bill Micou. Messrs. Kaster, Schneider, Kempf, and McGrath were elected. Tabulation of votes is as follows: Kaster 26, Schneider 21, Kempf 25, McGrath 23, Ross 18, Micou 11.

Nominations were next taken on Membership Committee. Those nominated were Howard Martin, John Kaster, B. Ross, Bob Walling, George Haeberlin, Dan Sullivan, J. P. Terry, Oscar Von Allmen. Messrs. Kaster, Ross, Terry and Martin were elected. Tabulation of votes is as follows: Terry 24, Ross 21, Kaster 20, Martin 18, Von Allmen 14, Haeberlin 11, Sullivan 9, Walling 7.

Those elected for Fireman's Fund for 1960 were Dan Sullivan and Bill Micou.

Discussion began on fund-raising campaigns in which the Department was to participate. Motion was made by R. E. Kempf that we agree to take part in the Crusade for Children and hold the second campaign in abeyance for the approval of the membership. Harvey Schultze and Bailey Ross were elected Co-Chairmen for the Crusade for Children drive.

Nominations for the House Committee were the next order of business. Those nominated were Dan Sullivan, George Westwood, Bob Walling, John Olliges, Ed Foley, Rich Herdt, and Bud Klapheke. Bob Walling, John Olliges, and Bud Klapheke were elected. Tabulation of votes is as follows: Sullivan 7, Westwood 9, Walling 13, Olliges 16, Foley 10, Herdt 3, Klapheke 33.

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January 5, 1960, Roster:

REPORT
DATE 1/5/60
TIME 1:30 PM
NO. OF MEN 32
TIME RETURNED TO HOME
CLEAN UP TIME

1. <u>Andriot</u>	24. <u>W.T. Mies</u>	45. <u>Ac. M. Kelly</u>
2. <u>Paul Bellman</u>	25. <u>George A. Morgan</u>	46. <u>Orville Cruise</u>
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January 7, 1960, The Voice Of St. Matthews:

January 14, 1960, The Courier-Journal



Implementing its new policy of putting in storm sewers wherever the residents are willing to pay for the pipe, the City of St. Matthews last week was busy digging in 250 feet of 18-inch and 12-inch pipe on the east side of Baser Avenue south of Wilmington. The pipe cost the residents \$648. The dump truck, and the new Case grader and trench-digger (operated by Norvin Orr) belong to the City. Mayor Bernard Bowling is at right.

Events Will Honor Legionnaire Dead

Flag-raising ceremonies honoring the late John J. Murray and Ed Zehnder and other deceased American Legion members will begin at 2 p.m. Saturday in St. Matthews.

The first event will be at the volunteer fire department at 117 St. Matthews Avenue. Another ceremony will follow at St. Matthews City Hall, 4003 Frankfort. Mayor Bernard Bowling will speak at the ceremonies, sponsored by Auxiliary Unit 180 of Zachary Taylor Post, American Legion.

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January 14, 1960, Board meeting:

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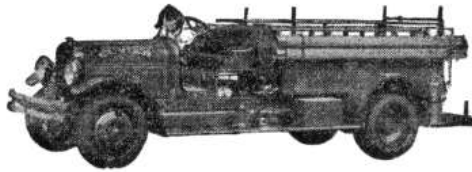
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January 18, 1960

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Directors for the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department held January 14, 1960.

Directors present:

John Monohan Marty Kamer
George Miller W. Leland Wilson

Minutes of the last meeting held December 10, 1959 were read by President Monohan.

Motion made by W. L. Wilson and seconded by George Miller that they be accepted as read.

There being no further business a motion was made by Mr. Kamer and seconded by W. Leland Wilson that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

George E. Miller, Secretary

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"ORGANIZED FOR YOUR PROTECTION"

We'll miss Billy Smith

Death struck another prominent local family this week. "Billy" Smith, of Lyndon, died Tuesday at the age of 67. Billy was a fine man and a good citizen, who served with our local volunteer fire-fighting organizations and the Air Pollution Board. His energy and public-spiritedness will be missed in this community.

Father of STMFD firefighter Billy Smith, Jr. and member of Lyndon Fire Department

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Two well-known St. Matthews citizens, Dr. Walter E. Lawrenson and A. J. Eline, are recovering this week from serious illnesses.

Dr. Lawrenson, pastor of Beargrass Christian Church, suffered two heart attacks at church Sunday. He thought a mild attack at 8:30 a.m. was indigestion, and took some medicine for it.

Then during the second church service, which began at 11, he was stricken during the installation ceremony for the new deacons and elders. He was taken to Baptist Hospital.

His office said Tuesday he was "doing as well as could be expected." His physician, Dr. Carlisle Morse, a member of the Beargrass congregation, was quoted as saying that the illness was "serious," but that he was "optimistic."

Dr. Lawrenson, 53, is not permitted any visitors.

Mr. Eline was stricken with pneumonia about 10 days ago. He was taken to St. Anthony's Hospital. He is now resting at his home on Circle Hill Road.

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January 21, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*



This building is now under construction at 4909 Shelbyville Road, near Howard Johnson's. The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. will handle tires, accessories, household appliances, garden supplies and hardware. Goodyear is leasing the \$60,000 building from J & S Developers, a Louisville real estate holding company, which has a 99-year lease on the property, owned by the Arterburn estate. The building should be completed by early spring, according to Sam Roberts of the real estate department of the Lincoln Bank & Trust Co., which is handling the deal. The general contractor is Robert Struck & Sons.

January 17, 1960, *The Courier-Journal*
STMFD firefighter

January 28, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*



More and more people each day are discovering the convenience and pleasure of shopping at K. Brown Jewelers in **St. Matthews**. At K. Brown you can choose from the finest in superb watches, world-famous names in china, crystal and silver. Brides-to-be record their pattern preferences in K. Brown's Bridal Registry so that family and friends can be sure of choosing the gifts they really want. You owe yourself a visit to K. Brown, where you'll find a wide variety of gifts to please the most discriminating taste! K. BROWN JEWELERS, 3708 Lexington Road, **St. Matthews**. TW 3-7074.

St. M. Volunteers make seven runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made seven runs in the past week. Runs made were:

On Jan. 19, at 11:28 pm, 6863 Greenmeadow, defective fireplace; Jan. 20, at 11:25 am, 612 Rudy Ln., smoke scare; Jan. 22, at 3:50 pm, 4181 Blenheim Rd., TV set.

Jan. 23, at 9:59 pm, 3828 Frankfort Ave., Whirligig, gas leak; 10:35 pm, 203 Staebler, furnace motor; 10:45 pm, 3815 Grandview, odors but no smoke, and Jan. 25, at 11:35 am, 718 Waterford Rd., grass fire.

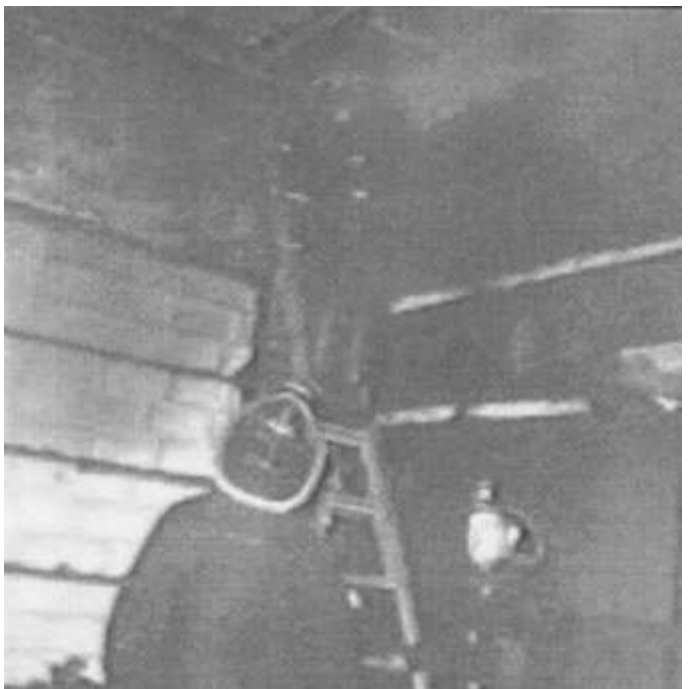
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January 30, 1960: The largest fire of the year occurred when J. P. Terry's Texaco Station exploded and burned. The explosion was caused by a gasoline leak in the garage that was ignited by a water heater. Two cars in the garage at the time were destroyed and damage was estimated at \$20,000.



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January 30, 1960, J. P. Terry Texaco Fire:



Ties Traffic An Hour On Lexington Road

A gasoline-fed explosion yesterday ravaged a St. Matthews filling station, routing a dozen employees with a shower of flame and destroying two automobiles being serviced there.

Nobody was injured. Damage to the station and its contents was estimated at \$20,000.

The explosion occurred about 12:40 p.m. at Terry's Texaco Service Station, 3800 Lexington Road. It apparently resulted when spilled gasoline was ignited by a water heater in the station garage.

Thousands Watch Fire

Station operator James P. Terry, 119 Ridgeway, who estimated the damage, said he carried full insurance on the station's contents. Terry, who leases the one-story, metal-clad building from Texaco, Inc., said he assumed the owner had insured the structure.

Eight fire trucks converged on the station—four from St. Matthews and the remainder from Louisville.

The Louisville Police Department sent 18 cruisers and motorcycles to the scene to direct traffic and keep a crowd estimated at several thousand at a safe distance from the fire.

Ties Up Traffic

Traffic was snarled for about an hour in front of the station and at a nearby Y-intersection where Lexington Road and Frankfort Avenue connect with Shelbyville Road.

Terry said members of both his morning and afternoon shifts were at the station when the blast occurred. The shift changes between noon and 1 p.m.

Capt. Merle Brown, Louisville Fire Prevention Bureau, said an employee, David Smith, Jr., 20, of 308 N. Bonner, was draining the gasoline tank of a 1955 station wagon on a grease

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rack when some of the fuel spilled, spread to a nearby heater, and ignited with a roar.

Smith, along with three other employees, Walter Wernert, 24, of 3826 Massie; Otis Roberts, 47, of 420 W. Kentucky, and James Driskell, 22, of 519 Washburn, Lyndon, scrambled to lift up the garage overhead doors which they had closed because of the cold.

All four escaped just as a torrent of flames spewed in their direction.

Draining Water In Tank

The station wagon, owned by Smith's father, David Smith, Sr., was destroyed. Also ruined was a car that had been parked on an adjoining lubrication rack. Identity of the second vehicle's owner had not been learned.

Captain Brown quoted young Smith as saying water had entered the station wagon's fuel tank when the car was washed earlier. Smith was draining the tank to remove the water, he told Brown.

Terry, who was seated at his desk in an adjoining office, said he fled to safety through a large front window. He later told firemen he was not sure whether he had plunged through the glass itself or whether the explosion had ripped out the window prior to his exit.

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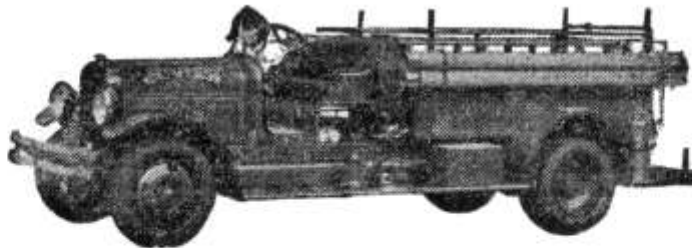
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Assistant Chief Marty Kamer & Rannie Florence

Everybody pitches in

Terry finds out his friends

In 20 years as a St. Matthews Volunteer Fireman, and 18 years as proprietor of Terry's Texaco Service Station at 3800 Lexington Road, J. P. Terry has made a world of friends in St. Matthews.

He found out how many over the weekend. At about 12.45 p.m. Saturday, he found himself facing a familiar situation. With his old-time buddies, such as Marty Kamer, John Kaster, and Dick Wheeler, he was fighting a fire — only this time it was his own property that was going up in flames.

The explosion, which rocked his station and knocked down all 12 men at work, brought out the entire St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department, including four trucks and equipment. None of the 12 men was hurt, but the station, and two automobiles the men were servicing, were completely wrecked.

Aided by the Louisville Fire Department, the St. Matthews volunteers faced a dangerous situation. The heat and the sparks at any moment could have set off the gas tanks of the two autos, or one of Terry's gas pumps. With two other gas stations nearby and a crowd of about 1,000 people milling around to see the show, an explosion could have turned a fire into a disaster.

Some of the firemen shooed the crowd back to a safer distance. Others played hoses on the fire, while others took their lives in their hands and dived into the blazing garage and pulled out the burning autos.

The two cars — one a sedan, the other a station wagon — were total wrecks. The station and garage were thoroughly gutted.



The only casualty at the fire at Terry's Saturday was a young man who suffered a seizure during the excitement.

The Texaco company is trying to decide now whether to repair it, or to tear it down and start all over. Damage was estimated at \$20,000.

Terry's is not totally out of business, however. The pumps were back in shape and gas was being sold again by Tuesday.

The phone at Mr. Terry's home has been busy since the fire. People have been calling to offer sympathy and help. Terry's has become such an institution here that other service stations — and not all of them Texaco — have offered to give Terry's men jobs while the station is being repaired.

"It keeps one person busy just answering the phone," Mr. Terry said. "You don't know how many friends you have until you get in trouble. I certainly want everybody to know how much I appreciate it."

Both St. Matthews and Louisville policemen and firemen kept watch over the station all weekend, just to make sure everything was in order. The only casualty, thanks to the firemen's skill, was a young man who was seized by epilepsy while watching the fire, and was given first aid treatment by the firemen.

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February 4, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

February 5, 1960, Letter:

Engineering firm suffers from fire

A fire at the Kentucky Engineering Corp., 3804 Lexington Rd., last Thursday, caused extensive damage to building and contents.

George Keat, president of the company, estimated the damage to the interior of the building between \$3,000 and \$4,000. The amount of damage done to his business had not been determined. He said the fire, which started between 6 and 7 p.m., hit the tracing cabinets, causing loss to tracings of both current and completed jobs. Contents of four out of eight drawers were destroyed.

Mr. Keat said the cause of the fire had not been determined, but it had apparently started from a loose connection from a service outlet not being used. Both the St. Matthews and Louisville Fire departments were called.

The St. Matthews Fire Department was called at 1:37 a.m. Feb. 2 to the White Castle parking lot, 3800 Lexington Rd. to clean the lot of gasoline leaked from a car.

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RETAIL STORES 4121 Shelbyville Rd.
St. Matthews, Ky.
February 5, 1960

Fire Chief Monohan
St. Matthews Fire Dept.
117 St. Matthews Ave.
St. Matthews, Ky.

Dear Chief:

This letter will answer some of the questions which arose during our tour last Tuesday night.

1. The sprinkler gong is installed outside the building and is located in the off-set from our Shrubbery Dept. on Thierman Lane where it makes a right angle with the garage building.
2. The air conditioning fan system is on automatic shut off should trouble arise in the building. The air conditioner itself, however, will not shut off until, because the fans are not operating, the cold build up exceeds a certain degree. At that time the air conditioner itself will close down.
3. A.D.T. advises me that upon receipt of our signal from the fire alarm box on the 1st floor, they will call the St. Matthews Fire Department, it being understood that additional help from Louisville is available upon your call should it be needed.

If I am not entirely clear on this, I would appreciate your contacting me.

Sincerely yours,

H. D. Baker
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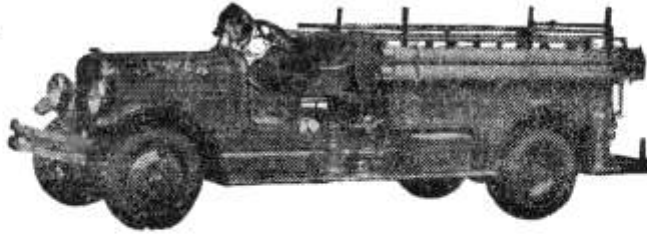
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Minutes of last meeting held Jan. 14, 1960, read by President Monohan.

Motion was made by Mr. Kamer and seconded by Mr. Terry that the minutes be accepted as read.

Motion was made by Mr. Boss and seconded by Mr. Henry Monohan that we authorize the purchase of fog nozzles, storage tanks for purified air and hose reel on Number One ~~electric driver~~ *apparatus*.

Motion made by Mr. Miller and seconded by Mr. Kamer that Mr. Boss be instructed to buy \$5,000.00 worth of Government Bonds when new issued is offered at 4 3/4%.

Motion made by Mr. Boss and seconded by Mr. Zehnder that two fireman be sent to Fire Instructor Conference at Memphis, Tenn.

There being no further business a motion was made by Mr. Terry and seconded by Mr. Henry Monohan that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

George E. Miller
George Miller, Secretary

GM/ekn

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February , 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews* :



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* * *

Mr. Andriot, a member of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department, often finds he can get to the fire through the traffic far more quickly on a bike than in a car.

Bicycles and fires are his two vocations. He is service manager for Thornbury's Bicycle & Toy shop on Breckinridge Lane and he has been a volunteer fire-fighter for two years.

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Mr. Andriot, 38, belongs to Holy Trinity Church and the Knights of Columbus.

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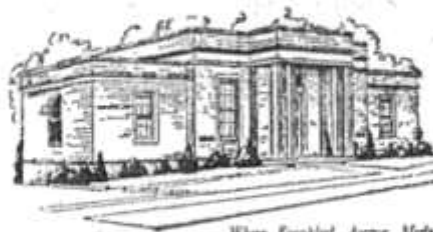
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1960

February 18, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

February 25, 1960: *The Voice of St. Matthews:*

St. M. Volunteers make three runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made three runs in the past week.

The department was called on Feb. 10 at 4:55 p.m. to 3423 Warner, where there was an odor of burning rubber but no fire. On Feb. 14 at 11:01 a.m. they were called to 152 Chenoweth Ln., where there was a vapor on the roof from melting snow, but no fire.

On Feb. 15 at 9:29 a.m. they were called to 111 Fairmeade Rd. A mop near the furnace had caught fire, but had been put out by the time they reached the scene.

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The department was called at 3:10 p.m. Feb. 2 to a tenant house on the Matt Houston farm on Browns Lane.

Other runs made were: Feb. 7 at 1:35 a.m. 514 Macon, defective gas furnace; Feb. 8 at 4 p.m. 317 Clover Ln., garbage can in kitchen; and Feb. 8 at 11:17 p.m., 104 Wiltshire, defective water heater.



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Firemen make two runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made two runs in the past week.

On Feb. 17 at 5:14 p.m. the department answered a malicious false alarm at 3801 Norbourne. On Feb. 23 at 1:27 a.m. they were called to 4425 Shelbyville Rd., Apartment 4, where fire had started in an electric blanket on a bed. Both were consumed.



WALTER FLETCHER

Fourth of a series:

Fletcher helps guard community

Walter N. Fletcher, Jr., really does a job of guarding the community. He protects us from fire and against internal troubles.

The 33-year-old supply technician works for the National Guard in St. Matthews and on the side is a St. Matthews Volunteer Fireman. He has been with the fire department five years.

Mr. Fletcher is one of those volunteers who's more apt to answer the day calls than the night calls. For while he works here, he lives on Preston Highway.

Married, he has two sons and attends the Fourth Presbyterian Church.

February 25, 1960: *The Voice of St. Matthews:*

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Terry and team give Gargotto bowling lesson

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Terry rolled a sensational 706 series on games of 207, 243 and 255 to lead his team in a 4-0 victory over Gargotto's. The victory stretched Terry's lead in the Ten Pin Major League to eight games over second-place Gargotto.

Terry had plenty of support, as his team bowled games of 1,004, 1,006, and 1,054 for a total series of 3,124.

His teammates, Cliff Neis and Al Doherty, both broke 600. Neis had 602, on games of 247, 262, and 213. Doherty got 604, including games of 209 and 262.

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1960

March 8, 1960, Letter:

March 8th, 1960.

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Gentlemen:-

I attach my check for \$3.00 in connection with your letter and enclosed bill on which the information has been filled in on reverse side as requested, and desire to call attention to the fact that while I am located on a portion of Dutchmans Lane which is in the County, part of it to the south of us (near Taylorsville Road) is in the City, and part of the same road to the north of us is also in the City. In fact, the City/County line to the north is between my house and the one next to us.

As you no doubt know, the City has a Fire Dept about 3/4 miles north of us. Yours is probably about 3 miles away.

Therefore I am in a sort of predicament as to my best interests. In case of a fire the City fire dept would be able to get to us much faster than yours because of being closer and a straight shot. (They pass our house on calls to the north of us). The question also arose as to charge they would make and I therefore called my insurance company to ask what I should do since they are naturally interested too. They advised that I should pay the \$3.00 to your Association and in the event of a fire if the City made the run they could not charge for the service since they would be performing a duty for the County and it would be a matter between them.

You probably have had this come up before. Since the above seems to be a fair outline of what might be involved, as surely it could not be expected to pay your Association ~~annually~~ and then have to pay the City for a run, I am enclosing my check to cover a years dues, and hope we will never have to use your services.

Yours truly,

Philip Lowich
Philip Lowich
5908 Dutchmans Lane,
Louisville 5, Ky.

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City Boundary Line
shown on S.S. of some
bordering all near circle
are in County some as
circle =*

1960

March 10, 1960, Board meeting:

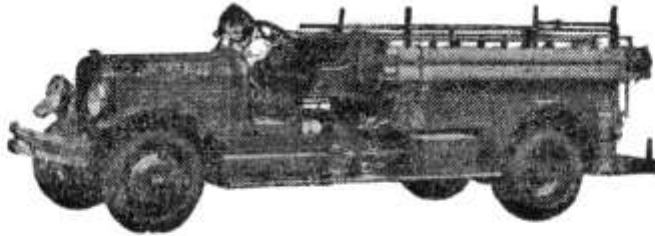
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P. O. Box 115
St. Matthews, Ky.

March 11, 1960

Meeting of the directors of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department
March 10, 1960, held at the fire department.

Directors present: George E. Miller Fred C. Boss
Henry Monohan John M. Monohan, Jr.
W. Leland Wilson

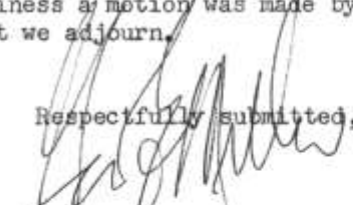
Minutes of last meeting held Feb. 11, 1960, read by President Monohan.

Motion made by Henry Monohan, seconded by Fred C. Boss that they be
accepted as read.

Mr. Boss was instructed to buy \$5000.00 Government bonds at $\frac{1}{4}$ or $\frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{4}$
percent as he could not obtain no $\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ issue.

There being no further business a motion was made by Mr. Wilson and
seconded by Mr. Miller that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,



George E. Miller,
Secretary

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"ORGANIZED FOR YOUR PROTECTION"

1960

March 10, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

The Volunteers *MARCH 1960*
Marty Kamer
has served
for 23 years

One of the stalwarts of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department for 23 years has been Marty Kamer. Now 41 years old and assistant chief, Mr. Kamer has



MARTY KAMER

been in on just about every major fire the Department has fought during these years.

Twenty-three years ago, he lived next door to the chief, (who was then Andy Neichter), went out on a couple of runs with him, and then was asked by the chief to join. He did. He has never regretted the decision, and the 23 years have brought him many memories, good and bad.

The good part has been the comradeship and the chance to serve his community. The bad part has been the fires.

The biggest one was the burning of the Walser Building on New Year's Eve a few years ago. The one that sticks most vividly in his mind was the fire that destroyed Dr. Abell's house in Mockingbird Valley. One of the little Abell girls was killed in that fire, and Mr. Kamer was the man who carried her from the building. Neither he, nor any of the other volunteers, will ever forget that one.

Now living at 4103 Hillsboro and attending Our Lady of Lourdes church, Mr. Kamer for more than four years has been manager of the Kroger store on Lexington Road. He has two sons and three daughters.

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1960

March 17, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

March 24, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

Firemen make three runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made three runs in the past week.

On March 1 at 11:18 a.m., the department was called to Shelbyville Road and Thierman Lane where fire had started in a garbage truck owned by the City of Louisville. Only the garbage was burned.

On March 11 at 6:03 p.m., they were called to a St. Matthews Cab in front of 3909 Frankfort Ave. The fire was out on arrival. On March 14 at 11:04 a.m., they were called to 211 Iola Road where there was a gas leak.

St. M. Volunteers make one run

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen were called to the Lewellyn Laundry, 128 Breckinridge Ln., at 5:34 p.m. March 17. An electrical defect had caused a fuse box to blow up. No other damage was done.

March 25, 1960, Letter:

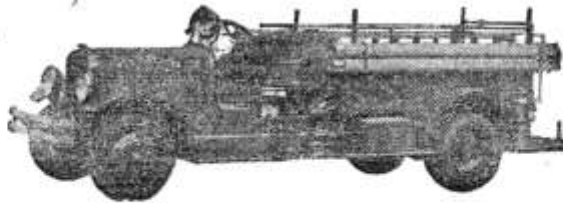
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Box 415, 117 ST. MATTHEWS AVE.
St. Matthews, Ky.
March 25 1960

Dear Chief;

Called Mr Hamilton as you suggested, and he said Why should the people of Rio Vista pay the Harrods Creek Department \$75.00, per year, and have St Matthews Department make the runs, he does not think the arrangements fair, he suggests that you contact Dan Boone, and have the Area declared St Matthews protections since the distance is so near the same; He said it does not make sense that they pay Harrods Creek \$75.00 and make a profit out of the runs, in other words they are making a \$30.00 per year profit, and we are doing the work.

Requested that you talk with Boone before refunding anything.

Capt. *V. A. Beam*

1960

March 31, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:
Courtesy Calvin Presbyterian Church, Donna Jentes:

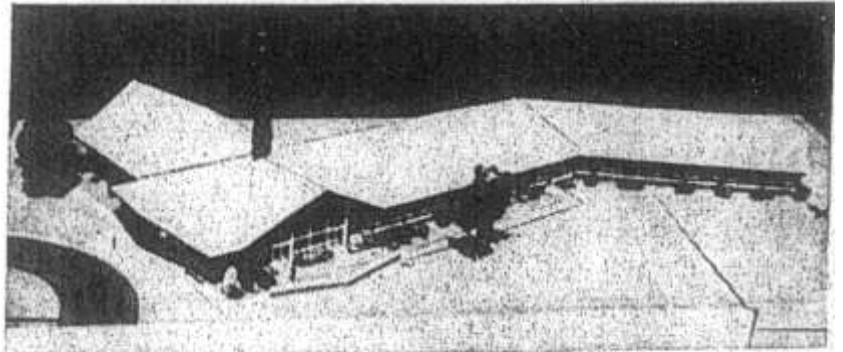
Firemen make 16 runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made 16 runs in the past week. A large percentage of these was due to field, grass and trash fires. Runs made were:

On March 22 at 10:58 p.m., 434 Club Ln., overheated furnace; March 23, at 3:29 p.m. east side of Shelbyville Road Plaza, field fire; at 4:10 p.m., 724 Circle Hill Rd., field fire; March 25 at 7:40 p.m., Church Way and Browns Lane, field fire;

March 26, at 11:05 a.m., Bruce Baxter Farm, Browns Lane, field fire; 12:34 p.m., Eastwind Road, field fire; 2:55 p.m., 711 Wicklow, carport; 5:37 p.m., Chenoweth School, trash fire; March 27, at 10:09 a.m., 4106 Delridge, trash fire; 3:10 p.m., 6410 Regency, grass fire;

March 28, 11:05 a.m., rear of Shelbyville Road Plaza, field fire; 12:25 p.m., Kroger parking lot, St. Matthews Cab; 2:19 p.m., 4621 Beaver Road, field fire; 7:49 p.m., Arrowhead Road, tree; and 11:53 p.m., 4146 Westport Terrace, smoke in basement; and March 29 at 1:25 p.m., Sanders Cleaners, failure of automatic fire alarm, no fire.



Here's what Calvin Presbyterian Church will look like when the third unit, costing about \$125,000, is added. The new unit will contain a worship center seating 120, a library, 10 additional classrooms, a new pastor's study, and a secretary's office.



1960

April 1, 1960, Letter:

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Mr John Davenport
6 Rio Vista Drive
Louisville 7 Ky,

Dear Sir;

Due to an error we accepted your check for Fire protection which we are herein returning to you;

It has been definitely declared by the Jefferson County Fire program, that you are in the Harrods Creek District, therefore you will make arrangement with that Department for your Fire protection.

Sorry for this inconvenience.

Yours very truly

St Matthews Volunteer Fire Association Inc.

by Capt, V.A. Beam, Asst-Sec'y,

Also to

✓ Mr E.N. Oyler
✓ Wm. P. Von Deuhren
✓ D.M. Hunt
Dr L.H. Segerberg

22 Rio Vista Dr
23 " "
27 " "
2047 " "

April 7, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

April 14, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Home is damaged by fire

A fire of undetermined origin Tuesday morning caused extensive damage at the home of Mrs. Ethel L. Bierbach, 409 Breckinridge Ln.

Mrs. Bierbach said the living room was completely gutted and the floor caved in. There was also extensive smoke damage done to the remainder of the house. The extent of the damage is not yet known but is expected to take several thousand dollars to replace furnishings and refinish the house throughout.

Mrs. Bierbach, who lives there alone, was away at work at the time. The St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department was called at 9:15 a.m.

Other runs made by the department during the week were: On March 28 at 7:49 p.m., 4146 Westport Terrace, defective wiring; April 1 at 9:50 p.m., 4029 St. Ives Court, extension cord; April 2 at 7:25 a.m., 317 Clover Ln., divan; and April 3 at 7:40 p.m., end of Beaver Road, tree.

St. M. Firemen make one run

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made one run in the past week.

The run was made on April 5 at 5:28 p.m. to a field fire on Swing Lane.

1960

April 14, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

The Volunteers

Jack Monohan has one hobby: fire fighting

Volunteer fireman Jack Monohan, of 1311 Mill Race Rd., is a St. Matthews man through and through.

He was born in St. Matthews, and attended Holy Trinity and Eastern High Schools.

And he comes from a fire-fighting family. "I grew up with it," he said. "My father (Chief John Monohan) has been at it for years and my grandfather was a volunteer fireman for the City of Louisville. My uncle (Henry Monohan) was a volunteer in St. Matthews for years. (He's now on the board of directors of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department). It's in the family. I feel like it will be the same with my boys."

Though only 23, he's married and has three sons.

Not only is he one of the youngest men in the department, he was the youngest lieutenant in its history. He attained that

rank at the age of 20 and held it two years.

"I'm not an officer any more. I resigned a year ago when I moved from Nana Avenue to Mill Race. I felt like it was a little too far away."

Jack attended Oklahoma A&M and majored in fire protection engineering, a two-year course. He then attended Belharline. He is now a sales engineer and purchasing agent for Louisville Lumber Co.

Asked what else he belonged to besides the St. Matthews Volunteers, he said, "I don't belong to any other club or organization. I devote all my free time to the fire department."

He was a track man at Eastern and Belharline, running the 440. He still does a lot of running, as he answers fire calls by the Lyndhurst, Lyndhurst and St. Matthews Departments.



JACK MONOHAN

"The fires that stick with me are the ones that don't make the headlines," he said. "I like the ones we're able to save with little or no damage."

His wife is the former Judy Kentnor, of New Rochelle, N. Y. Their three boys are Mark Ronald, 3 William Kentnor, 2, and Jeffrey Allan, nine months.

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April 14, 1960, Board meeting:

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St. Matthews, Ky.

April 15, 1960

Meeting of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department held Thursday, April 14, 1960, at the Fire House.

Directors present:

John Monohan Marty Kamer
George Miller W. Leland Kamer
Joseph Zehnder

Minutes of the last meeting held March 10, 1960, read by President Monohan.

Motion made by Joseph Zehnder seconded by Marty Kamer that they be accepted as read.

There being no further business a motion was made by Marty Kamer that the meeting adjourn, seconded by Mr. Miller.

George E. Miller,
Secretary

1960

April 21, 1960: *The Voice of St. Matthews:*

A. J. Eline's new office building on Hubbards Lane, across the street from the Farm Bureau, will be completed by July 1.

The two-story building is 100 by 60 feet and construction costs will "run into six figures," according to Mr. Eline.

The first floor has already been leased to an insurance company. Office space is still available on the second floor.

The building hasn't been named yet. Parking will accommodate 75 to 80 cars, Mr. Eline said.

April 28, 1960: *The Voice of St. Matthews:*

St. M. Firemen make five runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made five runs in the past week. Runs made were:

April 20 at 2:57 p.m., 106 Tra-vois Rd., electric stove and cabinet; April 22 at 10:53 a.m., 4211 Norbourne Blvd., acetylene tank; at 11:10 a.m. East Drive-In, field fire.

April 23 at 5:50 p.m., 4156 Shelbyville Rd., Pendergrass Motors, smoke but no fire; and April 24 at 11:26 a.m., Highway 42 and Expressway, trash fire.

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May 5, 1960: *The Voice of St. Matthews:*

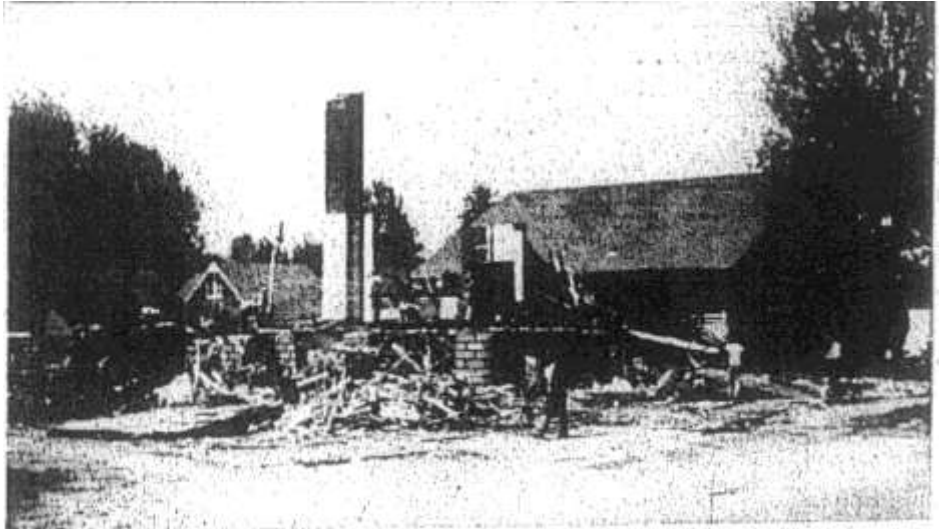
Home is damaged

A fire April 29 at the home of C. A. Wolford, 3931 Grandview Ave., caused considerable damage to walls and furnishings.

Mrs. Wolford said the fire which apparently had started in the living room walls around the fireplace, had gone up the walls to the second floor room above the living room. Furniture and rugs were damaged from smoke and water.

The St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department was called at 12:50 a.m. The cause of the fire and the amount of the damage has not been determined.

St. Matthews Firemen made two runs on April 28. One was at 8:20 a.m. in the rear of 115 Brown Ave., where old rubber was burning, and the other was at 12 midnight at 205 Brown Ave., television set.



A mass of wreckage is all that's left of the old Greathouse School Building. Lately used for apartments, it is being cleared away to make room for a commercial development.

Old Greathouse School is torn down to make room for stores

Wrecking crews tore down the historic old Greathouse School building last week.

Erected in 1915 at a cost of \$7,252, the old frame building, which stood on the north side of Frankfort Avenue just west of the new Sears store, is being demolished to make way for a commercial development.

Owner A. J. Eline said he intends to build several stores there. The first will be a Top Value stamps store, which, he said, needs

more space than it now has in the Fairfax Building.

Since 1939, the building has been converted to apartment use.

It was the first school in the St. Matthews area to bear the name of Greathouse. It was named in honor of Miss Tommie Greathouse, principal for 34 years. She retired in 1918. The present Greathouse School has been located on Grandview Avenue since 1939.

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Mr. Eline said the stores to be

built there will be "modernistic," and the development of the sidewalk space in front will be in keeping with the development carried out by nearby Sears of its frontage on Shelbyville Road.

The lot fronts 209 feet on Shelbyville Road, and combined with two lots to the rear, extends to a depth of about 700 feet.

The first store to be built, according to a building permit issued by the City, will cost about \$70,000. It will be 100 feet wide, 120 feet deep, and one-story.

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May 5, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:



Breaking ground for the new United Furniture store yesterday were Mayor Bernard Howling (left) and United's president, R. W. Hardisty. At far right is Mrs. E. W. Marshall, at far left United's treasurer, M. F. Coorsen. Visible in background are City Counsellors Pryor Wise and E. H. Grinstead, United's executive vice-president, Louis A. Davis (between the Mayor and Mr. Hardisty), and Charleston Milford French.

United Furniture breaks ground here

Ground was broken yesterday morning for a new United Furniture store at 4803 Shelbyville Rd. (This is on the north side of Shelbyville Road just west of the Howard Johnson Restaurant and Motel).

Officials of United Furniture Co., the City of St. Matthews, and the Dahlem Construction Co., and members of the H. W. "Buck" Marshall family were on hand. The first spade of dirt was turned jointly by Mayor Bernard Howling and United Furniture president R. W. Hardisty. The site is within the City of St. Matthews.

The ground, 213 feet wide and 328 feet deep, is owned by H. W.

Marshall. He is doing the building and leasing.

The store will be one-story and 17 feet high. It will be 125 feet wide and 180 feet deep. The approximate cost will be \$110,000.

In addition to furniture, the store will handle refrigerators, ranges, washers, televisions, and small appliances.

The lease is for 15 years with two five-year extensions. The building will be of brick and stone.



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May 12, 1960, Board meeting:

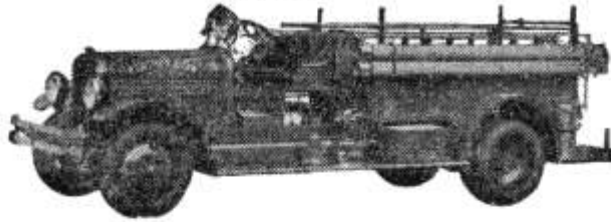
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P. O. Box 115
St. Matthews, Ky.

May 13, 1960

Meeting of the Directors of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department was held May 12, 1960 at the Fire House.

The following Directors were Present:

Fred Boss	John Monohan
E. Leland Wilson	Henry Monohan
Marty Kamer	George E. Miller
Joe Zehnder	

The meeting was called to order by the President, Mr. John Monohan. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

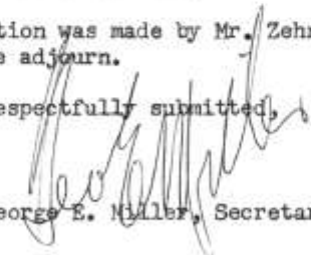
Motion was made by Joe Zehnder and seconded by Marty Kamer that President Monohan select the men he desired to send to school at Lexington and the directors voted that all expenses be paid.

Motion made by Mr. Henry Monohan and seconded by Mr. Fred Boss that Mr. Allen of Seagrave Corporation be asked to come and inspect all equipment.

Motion made by Mr. Miller and seconded by Mr. Fred Boss that we buy an additional \$5000.00 4 3/4 U. S. Government bond.

There being no further business a motion was made by Mr. Zehnder and seconded by Mr. Henry Monohan that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,


George E. Miller, Secretary

"ORGANIZED FOR YOUR PROTECTION"

May 19, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

Firemen make five runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made five runs in the past week. Runs made were:

May 10, 3:58 p.m., 3921 Leland Rd., water heater; May 12, at 4:47 p.m., 427 Bauer Ave., food on stove; May 13, at 8:55 a.m., 507 Hillside Ln., car;

May 15, at 6:47 p.m., 4156 Westport Rd., shed; and May 16 at 9:35 a.m., 4021 Elmwood Ave., sump pump.

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May 26, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Firemen make two runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made two runs in the past week.

On May 18 at 5 p.m. the department was called to an automobile fire at 115 St. Matthews Ave. On May 20 they made a run at 1:40 p.m. to 333 Ridgeway, where fire had started on a gas stove.

Census Bureau offers population information

If St. Matthews, Richlawn or any other small City here wants to know its exact population, the City had better get off a letter — and quickly — to the Bureau of the Census.

The letter may be addressed to her or to district supervisor D. B. Barnett, Bureau of the Census, Columbia Building, Fourth and Main, Louisville.

The Bureau of the Census an-

Mrs. Ruby Merhoff, assistant district supervisor, says the local office will close next week.

She says the information will be given only if "the proper official" requests it, in writing. That would be the Mayor or a member of the Board of Trustees.

The Bureau of the Census announced Tuesday that Louisville now has a population of 385,858, and Jefferson County as a whole 605,113.

The 1950 census showed Louisville's population as 369,129 and the County total as 484,615.

June 2, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Two fire runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made two runs on May 24. The department received a malicious false alarm at 4:45 p.m. to Highway 42 and Indian Hills Road. At 4:46 p.m., they were called to 1702 Sweetbriar Rd., where a roof had blown off a house.

Mayor doubts census

Mayor Bernard Bowling this week expressed doubt as to the accuracy of the 1960 census, which showed that the population of the City of St. Matthews was 8,009 residents.

"I don't see how on earth they came up with that figure," he said.

The Mayor explained that there are 3,000 homes and apartments within the City. Assuming that there are a man and wife in each of the dwelling units, that would mean there was less than one child in each of the homes, he said.

Obviously there are more children than that, the Mayor said. He pointed out that St. Matthews is a community of families, most of them with several children.

The Mayor said his own street, Northbourne Boulevard, was crowded with children.

The Mayor has done his share.
He has nine.

1960

June 8, 1960, Letter:

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE BUREAU

KENTUCKY INSPECTION BUREAU

LOUISVILLE 2, KY.

G. H. PARKER, MANAGER.

June 9, 1960

To Insurance Companies, Agents and Fieldmen:

It is with sincere regret that we must announce the retirement of George H. Parker, who has requested that he be relieved of active responsibility as Manager effective July 1. The Managing Committee also wishes to announce the appointment of John L. Thompson as Manager to succeed Mr. Parker on that date.

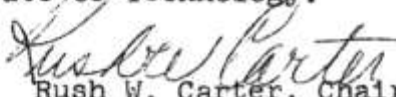
Mr. Parker has served the insurance companies continuously for fifty-six years, the last forty-four as Manager of this Bureau. Prior periods of service were with the old Union, predecessor of the Western Underwriters Association, and with inspection and rating bureaus in Iowa, West Virginia and Chicago, the latter being where he began his career with the Chicago Board of Underwriters.

He is a leading figure in the insurance rating bureau field and widely known throughout the country. In Kentucky, he is known to property owners and to practically every mayor and fire chief for his continued advocacy of improved fire defenses. He is also vitally interested in arson prevention having been one of the organizers of the Arson Seminar held annually at Purdue University.

Mr. Parker plans to continue active participation in the Arson Seminar and in fire prevention activity throughout the state. We feel certain that you share with us the hope that he will enjoy many more years of good health and continued activity as he rounds out his very full and distinguished career.

Mr. Thompson is a graduate in Mechanical Engineering from Purdue University and has been with the Kentucky Inspection Bureau since 1925, and as Assistant Manager since 1941. We are confident that Mr. Thompson is fully qualified to assume this important position and to continue direction of Bureau activities for the benefit of the companies, agents and the public. We ask your continued helpful cooperation to this end.

Mr. Thompson will be assisted by Mr. W.M. Horn, who has been with the Bureau since 1928 and who is being appointed Assistant Manager at this time. Mr. Horn has recently held the position of Chief Engineer and is a graduate in Fire Protection Engineering from Armour Institute of Technology, now Illinois Institute of Technology.


Rush W. Carter, Chairman
Managing Committee

1960

June 9, 1960, Board meeting:

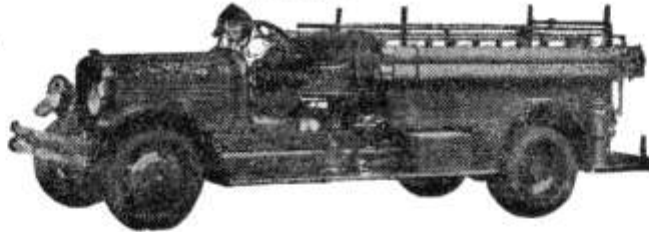
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Minutes of the meeting of the directors of The St. Matthews Vol Fire Dept.
held Thursday June 9 1960.

Directors Present
W. Leland Wilson
Geo Miller
Fred C Boss
Marty Kamer.

Minutes of last meeting held May 12 1960 read by Vice President Marty Kamer
Motion made by Jos Zehnder and seconded W. Leland Wilson that they
be accepted as read.

Next meeting of directors will be the annual meeting and election of
officers and two directors will be held 1st Wednesday of July or the
6th

It was further agreed that Mr. Wilson would be nominated for the
position as Sec'y to succeed Mr. Miller who has held the office for the
past 14 years. In other words he opened his mouth critizing minutes of last
meeting and got his foot in it. Ha/ Ha/
There being no further business motion was made by Mr. Miller seconded
by Mr. Jos. Zehnder that we adjourn.

Respectfully Submitted

Geo E Miller Sec'y.

"ORGANIZED FOR YOUR PROTECTION"

June 9, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

Elizabethtown man buys Duncan Motors

The sale of Duncan Motors was completed June 1. The auto agency at 126 Breckinridge Lane was bought by Sam G. Swope of Elizabethtown.

All warranties on Dodge and Studebaker autos sold by Duncan have been assumed by the new owner. But the agency will not sell either Dodges or Studebakers. It will handle the Imperial, Chrysler, Plymouth and Valiant.

The agency has been renamed the Swope Auto Co., Inc.

Duncan Motors was one of St. Matthews' oldest auto agencies. It was owned by George Riggs. His brother, Bob, was vice-president.

Mr. Swope is retaining the entire Riggs staff except for George and Bob.

"We're not going out of the auto business," George Riggs said. "We have an agency in LAGRANGE and we expect to locate in Jefferson County in the immediate future."

He would not comment on the sale price. "We had a buyer at a good figure, and now we're attempting to get a bigger dealership," he said.

He and his brother have been

operating a Ford agency at LAGRANGE for over a year. It's named Duncan Ford. It handles the Falcon, Ford, and Thunderbird.

The Riggs brothers have had a highly successful career here. They have handled both Chrysler and Studebaker products. About seven years ago, George was the top Studebaker salesman in the nation.

He lives on Kittyhawk Way and at present has a temporary office at 108 Breckinridge Lane.

Mr. Swope is 33 years old. Manager of his new agency is Galeard McDowell, 39, of Valley Station.

Mr. Swope owns three other auto agencies. Swope Motors, Inc. at Elizabethtown handles Chrysler products. Swope Plymouth City at Pleasure Ridge Park sells Plymouths and Valiants. The Swope Motor Co. at Winchester, Ky., handles Chrysler products as well as Studebaker Larks and Willys Jeeps.

A native of Cleveland, Mr. Swope is a 1948 graduate of Ohio State University, where he was awarded a Bachelor of Science Degree in business administration.

He served in the Navy during World War II for 2½ years, and has lived in E-town for nine years. He belongs to the E-town First Presbyterian Church, the Louisville Kossar Temple, the E-town Elks and Jaycees, and the E-town Country Club.

A Kentucky Colonel, he is past commander of Hardin Post 113 of the American Legion. He is married to the former Shirley Thurman of Louisville and has one daughter, Susan, 1.

Mr. McDowell hails from Minnesota. He is a Mason, and belongs to the Dixie High Twelve Club, the Pleasure Valley Lions Club, and the Elizabethtown Baptist Church.

He and his wife, the former Nedra Martin of Louisville, have four children, Glenda, 17, Ronnie, 15, Dennis, 13, and Michael, 11.

Businessmen agree to series of promotions

An every-other-month series of retail promotions were set up by the St. Matthews Business Association board of directors meeting at the Canary Cottage Tuesday morning.

To be known as St. Matthews Super Value Days, the Thursday-Friday-Saturday community wide sales days will start on July 14. Near the 15th of the month, the follow up promotions were scheduled to be held in September, November, January, March, and May.

William Jenny, vice-president of the Association, appointed Al I. Schanberg, publisher of *The Voice*, as chairman of a committee to be named to work out details of the promotions.

St. M. Firemen make one run

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made one run in the past week.

On June 3 the department was called at 4:27 p.m. to 4498 Brownsboro Road, where fire had started in a power mower.

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June 16, 1960, Letter:

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE BUREAU

KENTUCKY INSPECTION BUREAU

LOUISVILLE 2, KY.

G. H. PARKER, MANAGER.

June 16, 1960

TO FIRE CHIEFS

Dear Chief:

It is with a distinct feeling of regret that I realize this is the last time that I shall write to many of you. During the 44 years that I have lived in this wonderful State, I have been fortunate to make a host of friends who have encouraged and helped me in many ways. I owe each of you a debt of gratitude.

It has been a real pleasure to work with you Fire Officers and I sincerely hope that my health will permit me to continue to do so for many years. You boys are doing a wonderful job and getting better each year. I don't know of a greater service than that of assisting in the saving of human lives.

I shall continue to make my home in Louisville and will devote my activities to fire prevention and protection, and the combating of arson. My office will be in Room 845, Starks Building, where the latch string will always be on the outside.

Yours sincerely,

G. H. Parker

June 16, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Fire destroys Lyndon residence

A fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed a two-story frame residence at 7925 Vinecrest Ave. in Lyndon on June 7.

The house which had been unoccupied for some time was owned by Charles S. Shane of Lyndon. The house was insured.

The Lyndon Volunteer Fire Department was called at 10:26 p.m. The St. Matthews and the McMahan Center Fire Departments were also called to assist.

Other runs made by the St. Matthews Department in the past week were on June 11 at 8:05 p.m., at 5000 Shelbyville Road, where there was a report of an auto fire, but the car had left before the department arrived, and on June 12 at 4:53 p.m., an auto fire in front of the fire station. The front seat of the car was destroyed.



Goodyear opens store here

Making ready for the formal grand opening today of the new Goodyear Service Store at 4900 Shelbyville Road are manager L. H. Wilken, Jr., (left) and assistant manager Gary Wallace. The store will feature a complete line of Goodyear tire products, General Electric major appliances, television sets, and small electrical appliances. There will also be a service department for auto.

The grand opening runs through June 25 and free gifts will be given to all visitors. Free door prizes include tires, a vacuum cleaner and a window fan. Mr. Wilken, 29, of Cincinnati, has been with Goodyear five years. He and his wife live at 409 Mason. Mr. Wallace, 24, of Shelbyville, has been with the company three years.

June 16, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

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St. M. Firemen make two runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made two runs in the past week.

On June 15 at 4:30 p.m., the department was called to an auto fire at Highway 42 and Chenoweth Lane. On June 16 at 3:08 p.m., they made a run to W. T. Grants in the Shelbyville Road Plaza where fire started in a trash box.

THE VOICE OF ST. MATTHEWS & THE VOICE OF THE HIGHLANDS
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St. Matthews Volunteers

Paul Dillman wears 2 separate uniforms

Paul Dillman spends a lot of his time in uniform. For he's calls in St. Matthews in the day—both a policeman and a fireman, time.

For a living, Mr. Dillman is a conduct control officer at the Vogue Theatre, working for the Kentucky State Industrial Police. For a hobby, he is a member of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department.

"I look upon it as a hobby," he said. "The nicest thing about it is the firemen are treated as well as the officers. It's sort of like a club. A closely-knit organization? Yes, I'd say so. That's the best description I've heard." The first fire Mr. Dillman ever fought was the one at the St. Matthews Eagles Club a couple of years back. "I almost froze," he said. "At the time, I was so new I hadn't been issued my fire gear, and the temperature was about 17 above."

He laughed outright. "I was more or less a rumor. Somebody would say 'go get this' and I'd run for it."

But being frozen at his first fire didn't discourage him. He likes the work, and he likes the company. He works at night at

"Most fires are routine," he said. "They're small and it only takes a man or two to handle them."

He's gotten into the practice of helping out other fire departments when he gets a chance. Besides the St. Matthews Volunteers, he's helped the Louisville, Pleasure Ridge, and Dixie Suburban Fire Departments. "At a recent fire in some sheds on Frankfort Avenue I worked with them (the Louisville Fire Department) for 1½ hours before they discovered I wasn't one of them," he said. "I was on the house. My St. Matthews training was so good, the captain didn't know I wasn't a professional."

Mr. Dillman, 28, is originally from St. Matthews. He was born and raised here, attended Holy Trinity, St. Xavier High, and the University of Oklahoma. He's been with the Air Force eight years, four of them active and four on reserve.

A bachelor, he lives with his parents at 127 Fairfax and attends Our Lady of Lourdes.



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June 23, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Bernie Bowling says:

No individual has contributed so much to all as Mayor Jim

Services set tomorrow at Beargrass

"The citizens of St. Matthews and all of Jefferson County suffered a great loss in the passing of Mayor Jim," said Mayor Bernard Bowling yesterday, of his predecessor, James Noland, who died Tuesday.

"No individual in my memory has contributed so much of his life for the benefit of his church, his community and his fellow businessmen. Some men may have equalled Jim's activities in one of the three categories but few if any could equal his accomplishments in the combined three fields of serving his neighbors.

"His entire life was devoted to giving, never receiving. I hope and pray his ideals live forever in this community."

Services will be held tomorrow at 11 a.m. at Beargrass Christian Church for former Mayor James H. Noland, who died at 10:35 p.m. Tuesday at Kentucky Baptist Hospital.

Interment will be at Resthaven. He now rests at Ratterman's, 3711 Lexington Road.

The 67-year-old former Mayor was an active worker and leader in many civic affairs, particularly in church and Scout work. St. Matthews' first Mayor, he retired in September, 1958, after eight years of serving without pay, to devote more time to his personal affairs and his business.

But shortly thereafter he began having trouble with his back, and for the past year had been very ill with a spinal disease.

Writing about him in his church paper, *The Beargrass News*, in March, Dave Whitaker said:

"It's typical of his nature that he has never complained, never once asked, 'Why did this have to happen to me?' Patience and perseverance have always been dominant traits of the personality of this medium-small man, now in his sixties."

The Mayor was born in Frankfort in 1895.

He was active here for 30 years in Scouting, and was Scoutmaster, commissioner, district chairman, board member and troop committeeman. He was awarded a 20-year service pin by the Old Kentucky Home Council.

He had been a leader at Beargrass Christian Church since 1929. He served as elder, president of the Men's Council, and chairman of the finance committee.

Under his guidance, two building programs were engineered and financed — one of \$50,000 in 1939 and another of \$125,000 in 1949. The 1949 expansion enabled Beargrass to set up the first kindergarten school in Jef-



MAYOR NOLAND

erson County, according to Mr. Whitaker.

He was a member and past president of the St. Matthews Rotary Club, and belonged to the American Legion Zachary Taylor Post 180. He also served as a member of the board of the Christian Church's Widows and Orphans Home.

But he was best known as the Mayor of St. Matthews, which, in the past 18 years, has become one of the most widely-publicized cities in Kentucky, thanks in large part to its continual battling with the City of Louisville over annexation.

St. Matthews was incorporated as a sixth-class city in 1950, after a group of citizens, led by Mr. Noland, grew tired of waiting to see whether or not Louisville, over the objections of St. Matthews businessmen, would annex the St. Matthews area.

Despite strenuous opposition from Louisville and some St. Matthews residents and businessmen, the Noland administration, operating under the title of the George Washington Party, organized a sixth-class city, expanded in 1953 to a fourth-class city, established a seven-man police force, and provided for city-wide fire and garbage service, and annual street repairs.

Despite pressures from every angle, he tried hard to be fair, particularly in zoning matters, and on several occasions had to help defeat rezoning requests by personal friends because he thought they would not be in the best interests of the city.

But despite the conflicts and the pressures, the troubles and the uproar, the Court fights and the sometimes unfavorable publicity, Mayor Noland's personal position was never seriously challenged.

In 1953, the one and only time he had to run against opposition, he won by a margin of nearly three-to-one. He was continually wary of any person or group who tried to use the city for personal gain, and made it clear in no uncertain terms, many times over, that he and the elected Councilmen were running the city.

When he retired as Mayor in 1958, he told a large gathering of businessmen and residents:

"I may have made you mad. But I thought I was doing the best thing. When I turned you down on something, I had to. If I had helped you, I may have hurt others."

He was a halting public speaker, and his manner was mild and affable, but he had strong convictions, and when he decided to act, he acted decisively and firmly. City council meetings were conducted with dispatch, and while the public and press were cordially invited to attend, they were also required to be silent, unless called upon by the Mayor to speak.

His trademark was a corn-cob pipe, into which he stuffed tobacco from an old-fashioned twist.

He was a strong believer in private enterprise and small government, and he quietly but actively supported the local Republican Party.

He was a successful mattress manufacturer and an ex-dough-boy, having served with the U.S. Army in France in 1918. He was with the 139th Field Artillery, 38th Division.

He was honored by a crowd of about 100 St. Matthews friends at a surprise banquet Sept. 24, 1958, with a "This Is Your Life" program. The master-of-ceremonies closed the program with these words:

"Jim Noland has packed a lot of living into 63 years. I hope in this little script we have captured some aspects of his early humor and of his high-mindedness. The plain facts, without embellishment, disclose a life dedicated to others . . .

"It's a record we might all contemplate and envy. If charity is love, and I think it is, then Jim Noland's history is a story of a lifelong love affair with his fellow man."

He is survived by his wife, the former Muriel Keith, a son, Jim, Jr., a daughter, Mrs. Mary Funk, and eight grandchildren.

Beechwood's population is 1,901

The population of the City of Beechwood Village was 1,901 as of April 1, according to Donald S. Barnett, Census District Supervisor.

In a letter to the City, Mr. Barnett said:

"This figure is believed to be substantially correct but is subject to revision after the returns for non-residents are credited to their proper locality and other routine checks have been made.

"Although a significant revision is unlikely, minor revision may possibly occur after careful examination of the returns. The official announcement of population will be made at a later date by the Director of the Bureau of the Census."

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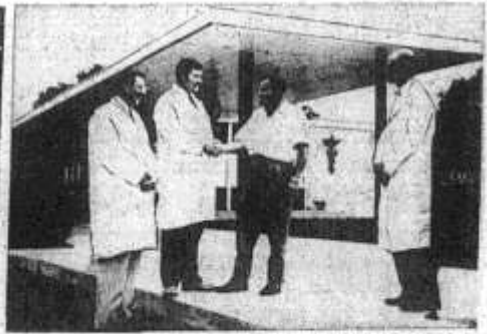
June 23, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:



Mrs. Marilyn Miles of the General Electric Insurance Institute played a role in Mayor Bernard Beveling at the opening of the new Goodyear store Thursday morning. At right is store manager L. H. Winton. The store is valued at an estimated \$80,000.



In the afternoon, Mayor Beveling went out to inspect the new Elise Office Building on Shelbyville Road, where he talked to employees of the Farmers' Fund Insurance Co. Viewman's has leased the entire first floor. Pictured are, left to right, assistant superintendent Ken Kiergalla, secretary Joyce Schallner and July Lyons, Mayor Beveling, and claims superintendent Joe B. Higgs.



Later in the afternoon, the Mayor stopped by the new Christ Medical Center on Shelbyville Road. He is pictured greeting Dr. H. Adams and Dr. E. G. Christian (wearing bandage), both specialists in general medicine. At right is Art Jacob, pharmacist and manager of the Jesus Apothecary branch in the Medical Center. The City is actively encouraging more office buildings here.

Officials actively encourage location of office buildings in St. Matthews

A VOICE FEATURE

The City of St. Matthews, quickly and internally, has been turned to a program of encouraging the location of business and professional offices in the city. City officials are very much interested in encouraging such location.

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June 30, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

St. M. Firemen make 11 runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made 11 runs in the past week. Nine of these were made between 7 and 9:10 a.m., June 23, in flooded basements after the big storm.

Other runs were at 11 a.m., June 24, 331 Ridgeway, where a child was locked in a bathroom, and on June 26 at 8:01 p.m., an automobile fire at Trinity Parking lot.

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July 6, 1960, Board meeting:

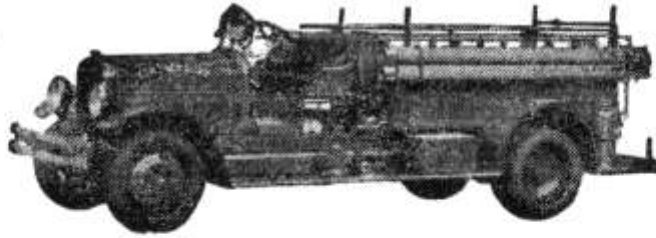
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JOE ZEHNDER
MARTY KAMER

P. O. Box 115
St. Matthews, Ky.

July 8, 1960

Minutes of the annual meeting of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department held July 6, 1960.

Directors present:

Marty Kamer	George Miller
Henry Monohan	Joseph Zehnder
John Monohan	Fred Boss
W. Leland Wilson	J. P. Terry

Minutes of the last meeting held June 9, 1960 were read by President Monohan. Motion made by Fred Boss, seconded by J. P. Terry, that they be accepted as read.

Directors term of office:	John Monohan	1961	Fred C. Boss	1962
	Joe Zehnder	1961	W. Leland Wilson	1963
	Henry Monohan	1962	George E. Miller	1963

Directors terms expiring 1960: J. P. Terry and Marty Kamer.

Motion made by Joe Zehnder, seconded by Fred Boss, that J. P. Terry and Marty Kamer be elected for a term of 4 years expiring 1964 and nominations be closed.

Election of officers: President - John M. Monohan
Vice President - Marty Kamer
Treasurer - Fred C. Boss
Secretary - George E. Miller

Motion made by W. Leland Wilson, seconded by Joe Zehnder that they be elected for a term of one year and nominations be closed.

Election of Chief and two assistants:

Motion made by Fred C. Boss and seconded by Henry Monohan that previous chief and assistants - John Monohan, Chief

Marty Kamer and R. C. Herdt, Assistant Chiefs
be elected for term of 1 year and nominations were closed.

Motion made by Henry Monohan, seconded by Marty Kamer, that J. P. Terry be elected as process agent for one year.

There being no further business a motion was made by Joe Zehnder and seconded by Marty Kamer that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

George E. Miller, Secretary

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July 7, 1960, St. Matthews The Crossroads of Bluegrass, by Samuel W. Thomas, 1999—Aerial view showing Watterson Expressway before completion north of Shelbyville Road and the completed Shelbyville Road Plaza. By Billy Davis, Louisville Since The Twenties, 192:



July 7, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

Lightning victim thanks helpers

Mrs. Omer C. McClure, whose home at 3934 Gilman Ave. was struck by lightning Sunday at noon, wants to thank all her friends and neighbors for their kindness and help. She especially thanks the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department for their efficiency and thoughtfulness in doing the work. Damage done to the home will amount to several thousand dollars.

St. M. firemen make six runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Fireman made six runs in the past week. Runs made were:

On June 29 at 8:32 a.m., Staebler Avenue between Chenoweth Lane and St. Matthews Avenue, wires down; at 2:50 p.m., Sherin Avenue and Norbourne Boulevard, limbs across street;

June 30, at 6 a.m., 3717 Grandview, trees on hot wires; at 9:01 a.m., 240 Clover Ln., washing machine motor; at 8:50 p.m. 3646 Warner, mattress on fire caused by smoking in bed;

On July 3, at 12:03 p.m. 3934 Gilman, lightning hit a house.

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July 7, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

7 local residents died in past week

"He was honest—a man you could trust."

That's what John L. Kilroy, of 606 Sunnyside, said this week about his friend, L. L. "Pat" Daugherty, who died July 7 at the age of 89.

Mr. Kilroy said that Mr. Daugherty, of Crestwood, "worked very hard on the committee that reincorporated the City of St. Matthews in 1937."

The City was only about six months old at the time, he said. The present City of St. Matthews was incorporated in 1950.

Mr. Kilroy said that Mr. Daugherty could play the piano well and was very active in

years past in putting on dances to raise money to pay for the equipment of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department.

Mr. Daugherty was treasurer of the old St. Matthews Community Club. He was a banker for 34 years and retired in January as a vice-president of the Citizens Fidelity Bank and Trust Co.



With construction coming right along, the City of St. Matthews may begin moving into the new City Hall beginning July 22, according to Mayor Bernard Bowling. He is pictured here, at left, talking to one of the workmen. Cost will be about \$72,000.

July 24, 1960, *The Courier-Journal*



Staff Photo

FINISHING TOUCHES to the new **St. Matthews** City Hall, 201 Thierman Lane, are given by, from left, Norvin Orr, 110 Oxford Place, and R. J. Clarke, 3617 Hy-cliffe. Much work remains on the new building but **St. Matthews** officials moved in yesterday. An official ceremony is planned August 14.

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July 25, 1960, Letter:

THE SEAGRAVE CORPORATION



MOTOR-PROPELLED FIRE APPARATUS

OFFICE AND FACTORY
COLUMBUS, OHIO

Address all Communications to the Corporation

July 25, 1960

St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Association, Inc.
P. O. Box 115
St. Matthews, Kentucky

This is in reply to your letter of July 21st over the signature of Capt. V. A. Beam, Assistant Secretary.

We are sorry but it has not been possible for us to send Engineer Stanley Allen to your City to do the work requested up to this time. One of our Pennsylvania Engineers suffered a heart attack recently, and Mr. Allen has been tied up in that territory as a result. He is still there, and at the moment we have no idea when he might be released although we hope that it will be within the next couple of weeks time.

Mr. Allen, of course, is aware of your request, and we will certainly try to arrange to send him at the earliest possible time. If as you state it is imperative that this work be done soon, we would recommend to you that you let us send one of our other Field Engineers to do the work. If however you prefer to wait on Mr. Allen that, of course, is satisfactory, and we will try to get him to St. Matthews as quickly as possible under the conditions.

We sincerely regret our inability to have Mr. Allen come to St. Matthews before this time. Records indicate that we had a letter from Chief Monohan, dated May 16th, but we do not find where we have been contacted several times recently concerning the matter, as you mentioned in your letter.

We shall await further word from you should you desire that another Engineer be sent. Thank you.

THE SEAGRAVE CORPORATION

L. B. Kaser
Service-Traffic Manager

July 28, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*



If Beechwood will rezone Tract 1 for commercial, Tract 2 will remain apartment zoned, Tract 3 will be given to Beechwood Baptist Church for parking, and Tract 5 will be given to the City for a park and/or playground.

Beechwood is offered park in exchange for commercial zone

The City of Beechwood Village has been offered a 2½-acre park, and the Beechwood Baptist Church a free parking lot, in exchange for rezoning for commercial use of a tract of land fronting 474 feet on Shelbyville Road.

The offer was made by H. W. Marshall, owner of the property, who said he intends to construct a "new building for the Liberty Bank and Trust Company."

The Beechwood Village Planning and Zoning Commission, headed by J. H. Hill, of 216 Tyne Road, immediately made plans to lay Mr. Marshall's proposal before the residents of the City and to take a poll as to whether or not they favor the proposal.

Mr. Marshall has been asked to provide 300 copies of his proposal, complete with drawings. There will be mailed to Village residents, along with a list of advantages and disadvantages of the proposal, as compiled by the Zoning Commission. In addition, each home will be sent a post card asking if they favor the proposal, or if they are against it, or if they don't care.

The cards are to be returned to Mr. Hill. The City's board of trustees will take into consideration the results of the poll before making any final decision on the rezoning.

Mr. Marshall's tract fronts 474 feet on the north side of Shelbyville Road, 370 feet on Brunson Road, 587 feet on Cordova, and 286 feet along the eastern boundary of the City.

He wants the entire frontage along Shelbyville Road to a depth of 275 feet rezoned for D-1 commercial use for the bank "and other high-class commercial buildings." The property is now zoned for apartment use. At present, the entire City is zoned for homes and apartments.

The remaining portion of the tract would be divided in two, under Mr. Marshall's plan. The eastern portion, measuring some 134 by 286 feet, would be decided to the Baptist Church for additional parking area. The remainder would remain zoned for apartment use as a "buffer zone" between the commercial buildings and the homes in the north.

The 2½ acres that would be decided to the City for a playground and park lie on the south side of Elmwood Road at the extreme eastern edge of the Beechwood Village.

Explaining his request, Mr. Marshall, in a written statement, said:

"The character of the entire Shelbyville Road area has changed considerably since this tract was originally zoned for apartments. Adjoining the tract on the east can be found an Amoco Service Station, a United Furniture store, and Howard Johnson Motel and Restaurant."

"Opposite the property on the south side of Shelbyville Road is the Shelbyville Road Shopping Center Plaza, Frisch's Big Boy Restaurant, Phillips 66 Station, and the Mall Shopping Center."

He went on to say:

"The proposal would provide the property owners of Beechwood Village with a handsome and convenient banking facility, replacing the present undeveloped property that would be completely buffered from existing residential property in Beechwood Village. The new building should provide additional tax revenue to Beechwood Village in view of increased property value. It will provide much-needed additional parking facilities for the Beechwood Baptist Church. It will provide a site of a community park and recreation area for all the property owners of Beechwood Village, at no cost."

Direct Distance

Firemen make three runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made three runs in the past week. Runs made were:

July 21 at 1:25 p.m., 3819 Elmwood, unprotected floor above water heater; July 21 at 3:02 p.m., 431 Highfield, clothes dryer; and July 26 at 7:20 p.m., field fire at end of Allen Road, out on arrival.



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July 28, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Around Town

by EMIL M. AUN

Bethel turtle soup a public institution

Bethel Church's Turtle Soup Festival is more than an annual social event. It's become something of a public institution.

Despite the most strenuous efforts by other St. Matthews organizations, singly and collectively, no other annual event here can come close to it for popularity and for commanding the loyalty of such a broad segment of the community.

For a while, it was surpassed by the Community Center's annual Potato Festival; but the old Potato Festival is now just a dim memory, while Bethel's Festival rolls merrily along.

The secret of Bethel's success lies, I think, in the uniqueness of what it offers. I have talked to many people about it, and they agree, to a person, that nowhere, at no time, have they tasted anything to match the turtle soup concocted by chef Will Lausman and his helpers.

One of Louisville's leading restaurant men wanted Will to cook 600 extra gallons for his place of business, so he could freeze it and serve it to his customers throughout the year.

Other people have said it's so good, it's a shame to serve it only once a year, and that Will should manufacture it for sale.

Will is too wise to be taken in by such blandishments. His turtle soup belongs to Bethel, and it will remain an annual event, exclusive to Bethel.

For the simple fact is, the soup is too expensive for commercial use. The ingredients are costly and nobody could afford to hire the necessary labor.

For instance, into the soup this year will go more than 700 pounds of chicken, turtle and beef ground together (and the price of turtle, which is in short supply now, has gone sky-high). Added to that will be tomatoes, carrots, beans, corn, peas, collins, catsup, pears, celery, eggs and other ingredients.

The cooking will start Friday morning and will go on continuously till all the soup is gone by Saturday evening. The pot must be constantly stirred — right through the night — and six men will be working in four-hour shifts to get the job done. Altogether, Will will have about 40 women and 25 men helping him prepare the food. Out of this will come 800 to 850 gallons of soup.

If the labor were not donated, free, the soup would be among the most expensive dishes in the history of the world. As it is, Bethel can sell it at a reasonable price and make a profit.

Like all chefs, Will is reticent about giving out the recipe. In fact, he just won't do it. He'll tell you what's in it, but he won't tell you the exact proportions, or the "secret ingredients."



WILL LAUSMAN

If you like it, you come and eat it, and you can buy an extra gallon or two to take home, but you can't have the formula. That belongs to Bethel.

Some people, of course, don't like turtle soup. But Bethel's rich, meaty concoction draws people from all over Jefferson County and even from Southern Indiana. Last year, a man paid Bethel the supreme compliment. He drove all the way here from Cincinnati to buy two gallons.

July 29 will be Bethel's 31st annual Turtle Soup Festival. Will Lausman has been head chef for 25 years.

Added attractions this year will be an auction and a carnival.

"Anybody who thinks this is a nation of conformists hasn't been around during an air raid test." — Franklin P. Jones.

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Bethel and United States representatives calls for Poland to purchase \$1.5 million worth of American leaf. This is equivalent to about 2.2 million pounds of tobacco.

The Kentuckians pointed out that the Polish market had been closed to American tobacco since 1939. However, prior to that time, Poland used about 8 million pounds annually.

31st ANNUAL TURTLE SOUP SUPPER

FISH—BRATWURST—TURTLE SOUP
KIDDE RIDES — AUCTION

SAT., JULY 30, 11 A.M. 'TIL

Bethel United Church of Christ
Frankfort Ave. at Willis



President J. Staten Brown (left) talks about getting in a supply of new autos, trucks and parts with Art Cofer, field manager for the Ford Motor Company.

Local Ford agency is humming again

After several uneasy months of quiet, the Ford agency in St. Matthews is humming again.

Only this time it's Joe Brown Ford, named after the busy and bustling new president, J. Staten Brown, successor to the ill-starred Thurston Cooke.

Ever since the Cooke empire blew up, the great garage and auto center on Frankfort Avenue next to Trinity High has been quiet, almost ghostly.

By Monday, the first full day of business under new management, it had picked up a great deal of its old-time bustle. Mechanics were busy in the garage, salesmen were waiting on customers, and advertising men and other business representatives were competing for the attention of the new president.

Ford delivered about 25 Falcons, Thunderbirds, and Ford autos and trucks, and on the first day, three new autos were sold. Ford is expected to deliver another couple of dozen 1960 models, but the real goal is late in September, when the agency will have a formal grand opening and unveil the 1961 models.

Many of the mechanics and salesmen were familiar figures; they had worked for Cooke. Mr. Brown's full staff will probably number as high as 55, making him one of St. Matthews' largest employers.

Other officers are Vice-president, Al J. Schneider, building contractor, and secretary-treasurer, David E. Maloney, president of the Maloney-Davidson Company, wholesale liquor distributors.

Mr. Brown on Tuesday announced his working department heads: Business manager, Emmett Gerall; sales manager, Al Hines; parts manager, Lemue Warren; service manager, Jay Evans (the only holdover department head from the Cooke days); and used car manager, Orbin Greene.

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That stretch of Blenheim Road east of Hubbards Lane used to be a mess (left), but now that the City of St. Matthews has repaved it (right) it looks pretty good.

August 10, 1960, Letter:

SHULER AXLE CO.

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LOUISVILLE 8, KENTUCKY

August 10, 1960

Saturday: G.
Haerberlin, Henry
C. Kuhn, A.
Haerberlin, P. E.
Cramer and West-
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Sunday: Paul Dill-
man, Marty Kam-
mer, Billy Smith,
Jr., Ed Foley and
Bill Andriot.

St. Matthews Fire Department
P.O. Box 115
Louisville 7, Kentucky

Attention: Capt. John Monahan

Gentlemen:

Thank you for your generous cooperation in again agreeing to furnish fire fighting equipment for the Sports Car Races which will be held at the Kentucky State Fairgrounds on Saturday and Sunday, August 20 and 21.

The actual races, which this year will have National Standing, will be held on Sunday, August 21, with a practice session on Saturday, August 20. It is necessary to provide fire protection for both days.

*change
to 9:30 AM*
We would be very grateful if you could have your fire truck at the Fairgrounds by 10:00 A.M. on Saturday and 9:00 A.M. Sunday. The program should be completed by 5:30 P.M. both days. A change in procedure over previous years is that we have designated Gate #5, Bradley Street entrance, for all service personnel. An office in a trailer will be set up at that gate to check in authorized personnel. Box lunches will be provided for your Volunteers. (I have advised that you will have 12 men).

Thanking you for your participation in this very worthy enterprise, we are

Sincerely,

KIWANIS SPORTS CAR COMMITTEE

R. C. Carson
R. C. Carson

Saturday
Haerberlin
C. Kuhn
P. E. Cramer
Westwood

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Paul Dillman
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August 11, 1960, Board meeting:

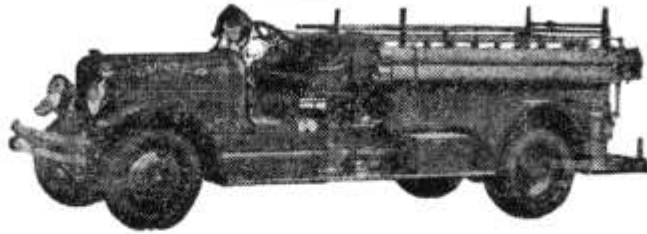
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MARTY KAMER

P. O. Box 115

St. Matthews, Ky.

August 12, 1960

Meeting of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department Directors held August 11, 1960 at the Firehouse.

Directors present:

John Monohan
Henry Monohan
Marty Kamer

George E. Miller
J. P. Terry
W. Leland Wilson

Minutes of the last meeting held July 6, 1960 read by President Monohan. Motion made by Henry Monohan, seconded by J. P. Terry, that they be accepted as read.

Motion made by Mr. J. P. Terry, seconded by Marty Kamer, that we purchase from Graft Pelle Co. 1500 ft. of 2½ inch hose and 1,000 ft. of 1½ inch, approximately \$2600.00.

Motion made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Wilson, that Mr. Terry consult Insurance advisor for plan for Directors and Firemen and their families for some assistance to the men in case of an illness or accident.

There being no further business a motion was made by Henry Monohan and seconded by Mr. Kamer that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

George E. Miller, Secretary

"ORGANIZED FOR YOUR PROTECTION"

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THE VOICE OF ST. MATTHEWS & THE VOICE OF THE HIGHLANDS

Thursday, Aug. 11, 1960

THE CITY of ST. MATTHEWS

PROUDLY DEDICATES ITS NEW CITY HALL



MAYOR BERNARD BOWLING

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14, 1960 at 4:00 P.M.

THE PUBLIC IS CORDIALLY INVITED

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REFRESHMENTS SERVED



JOHN BARKER
Council Member



WILLARD FRENCH
Council Member



S. W. GRATER
Council Member



S. B. JOHNSTON
Council Member



HENRY DENTERS
Council Member



M. C. RUDY
Council Member



S. L. RUHL
Council Member



J. PRYOR WILES
Council Member



The Council Room features a semi-circular pattern. It is the largest single room in the new City hall and will seat 30 persons. It is here the public will have its say, where the plan and laws will be heard, the laws debated and also where the councilmen will formally enact official business for the City of St. Matthews.



Exterior of new City Hall appears inviting as you enter paved driveway to left. Public parking is to right on paved lot. Service trucks will keep to left and park in rear of building. Driveway to recreation room is at far right. (Yes, that's where you get your tennis.)



St. Matthews Dept. of Public Works — Left to right: "Tom" van der Breg, George Beckwith, Parker Hulse, Douglas French, and John Schuchard. Storage and repair shop is to rear of City Hall.



A. W. JONES
City Attorney



WM. H. YOUNGER
Police Chief



"CHET" SCHERER
Treasurer



DAVID L. PROFFITT
Judge



HARRY JONES
Chairman Planning and Zoning



GENEVA DENTSTARK
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<p>SMITHER'S SUPER MARKET</p> <p>ST. MATTHEWS</p> <p>NEXT DOOR TO TAYLOR DRUG</p>	<p>Palmer</p> <p>ASBESTOS & RUBBER CORP.</p> <p>CHICAGO, ILL. LOUISVILLE 7, KY.</p>	<p>MARSHALL PLANING MILL, INC.</p> <p>WESTPORT, KY.</p>	<p>CITIZENS FIDELITY</p> <p>St. Matthews Office</p> <p>Lorhary Taylor Office</p> <p>"Kentucky's Friendly Bank"</p>
<p>KRETSCHMER'S</p> <p>Home of Appliances</p> <p>"G.E. HEADQUARTERS"</p> <p>112 ST. MATTHEWS AVE. TW 3-3664</p>	<p>W. L. LYONS & CO.</p> <p>Established 1854</p> <p>138 Breckinridge Lane—St. Matthews</p> <p>TW. 5-9496</p>	<p>Bacon's—ST. MATTHEWS</p>	<p>SEARS</p> <p>St. Matthews</p> <p>Shelbyville Rd. and Thurman Lane</p>

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August 15, 1960, The Courier-Journal



Staff Photo

TRADITIONAL MOMENT . . . The Flag going up and the crowd singing "The Star-Spangled Banner" were parts of a ceremony from a less-hurried era as St.

Matthews dedicated its new City Hall yesterday. It is the first real home for the 10-year-old city, which had met in officials' homes or rented quarters.

City Hall Dedicated

St. Matthews Blends Eras

By JOHN MEEHAN

Two eras combined yesterday at the dedication of the new **St. Matthews** City Hall.

It was a glimpse of the future coupled with a ceremony from a friendly, folksy past.

The hall at 201 Thierman Lane is as modern as the move-fast age in which it was built. Construction of the brick-and-concrete, one-floor building took six months.

And **St. Matthews** Mayor Bernard Bowling and County Judge B. C. Van Arsdale made the future the keynote of talks they gave. Progress through mutual growth was stressed by the officials.

The talk and the new-look hall were surrounded by a gathering that reminded of ice-cream socials and an old-fashioned county fair.

Pretty Girls Give Programs

It was a handshake-and-bello group. Everyone seemed at home in the cross-section gathering estimated at 250 persons by Police Chief William Tolliver.

City officials sat in crisply creased suits with white carnations on their lapels. Pretty girls in bright summer dresses gave visitors a program and a smile. Little children with a well-scrubbed look stood beside gray-haired women in wide-brimmed, sun-shielding hats. Boys 9 through 13 stood in baseball uniforms. They were members of three State champion teams from **St. Matthews**.

Portrait Of Noland Unveiled

The action was traditional. The American Legion's Zachary Taylor Post color guard raised the flag. Many in the audience joined in without reticence when Mrs. Carrie Wise led the singing of "The Star-Spangled Banner."

And Bowling underlined traditional thrift when he spoke about the hall, built at a total cost of some \$85,000.

"You've heard about firstest with the mostest. In building this City Hall we got the mostest for the leustest," he said.

Bowling cited donations of equipment by business and civic groups and the gift

of six evergreens from Councilman Sam Rudy's home.

The proud, happy spirit changed to a more thoughtful mood when the Rev. Walter E. Lawrenson, pastor of Beargrass Christian Church, unveiled a portrait of the late James Noland. Noland helped found **St. Matthews** in 1950 and served as Mayor eight years.

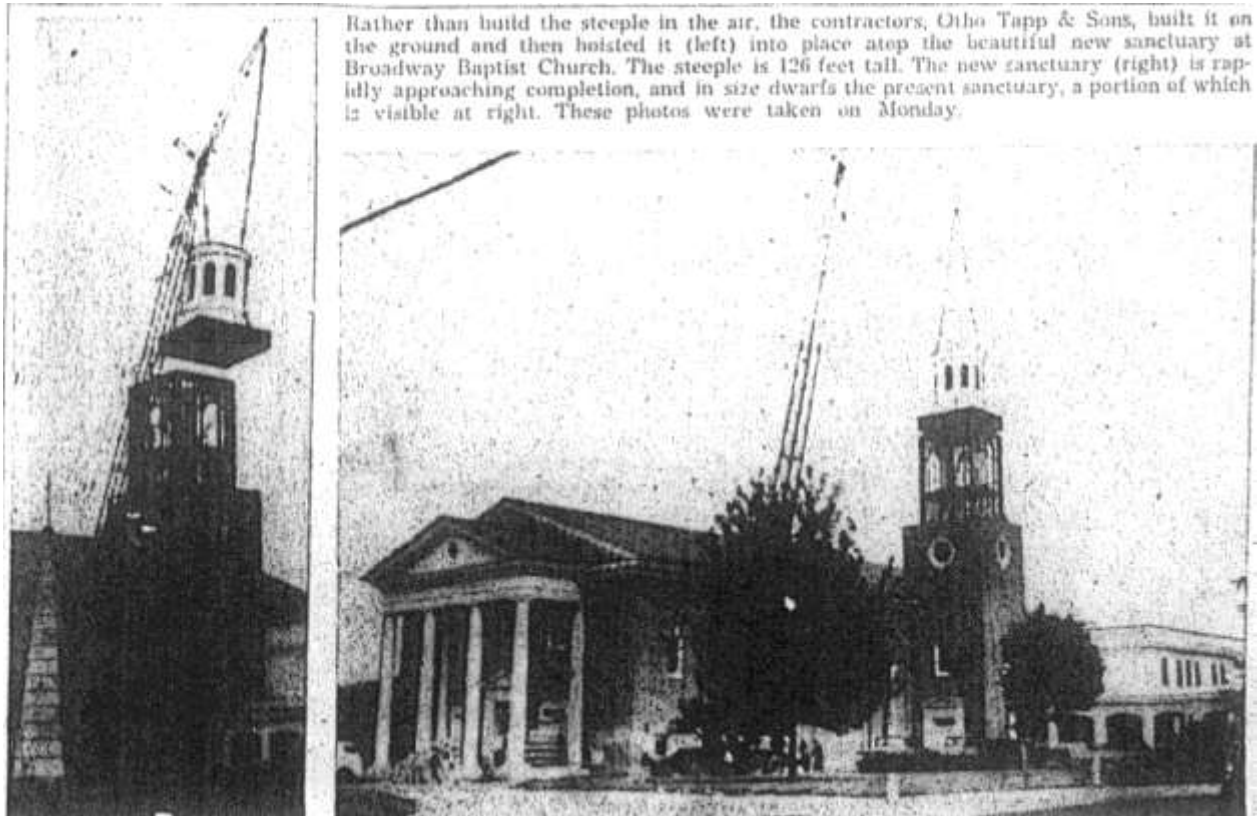
The final note was as hospitable as a housewarming. Visitors were invited to tour the new hall and stop on their way through the main council room for food and lime - sherbert punch.

The donated food was dominated by two roast pigs—complete with apples in their mouths. Bowling had promised a "whole-hog" dedication. His promises held when Tom Monohan gave the pigs.

On their way through the hall, visitors saw a general office inside the front door and the Mayor's office opposite. They got food in the main council chamber and glanced in at a two-cell holdover on their way to an apartment for a custodian-turn-key. On their way through they might have missed a three-unit dog kennel and six-bay garage at the rear of the new hall.

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August 18, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*: Also future picture of Church.



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August 18, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

August 25, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

St. M. Firemen make one run

An awning at the John Walser Building, 4050 Westport Road, was destroyed by fire on Aug. 15. No other damage was done. The St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department was called at 11:15 a.m.

Firemen make five runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made five runs in the past week. Runs made were:

Aug. 18, 8:01 a.m., 3717 Lexington Rd., smoke in building but no fire; Aug. 20, 6:58 p.m., Highway 60 and Expressway, fire from wrecked buildings; Aug. 21, 3:05 p.m., 4126 Shelbyville Rd., old furniture in building; Aug. 21, 10:11 p.m. Willis and Bauer, auto wreck; and Aug. 22, 10:40 a.m., 98 Warrior Rd., lawn mower.



GRAND OPENING

TOM HODGE'S

New Ashland Service Station
800 yds. East of Watterson Expressway
on Shelbyville Road (U.S. 60)



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in 6 pack with purchase of
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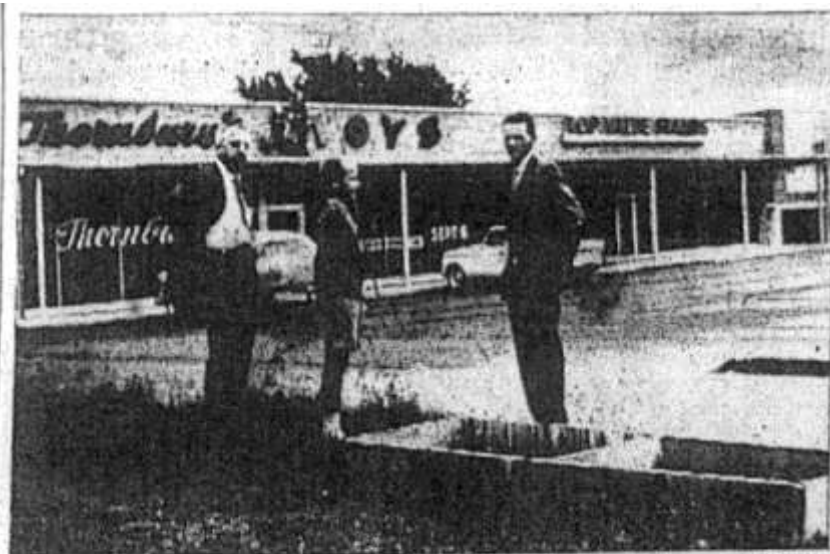
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Pepsi-Cola
Bait Hooks
Key Chains

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Courtesy of Bluegrass-St. Matthews Historical Society: Looking West, Willis Avenue crosses Shelbyville Road and becomes St. Matthews Avenue, August, 1960



September 1, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:



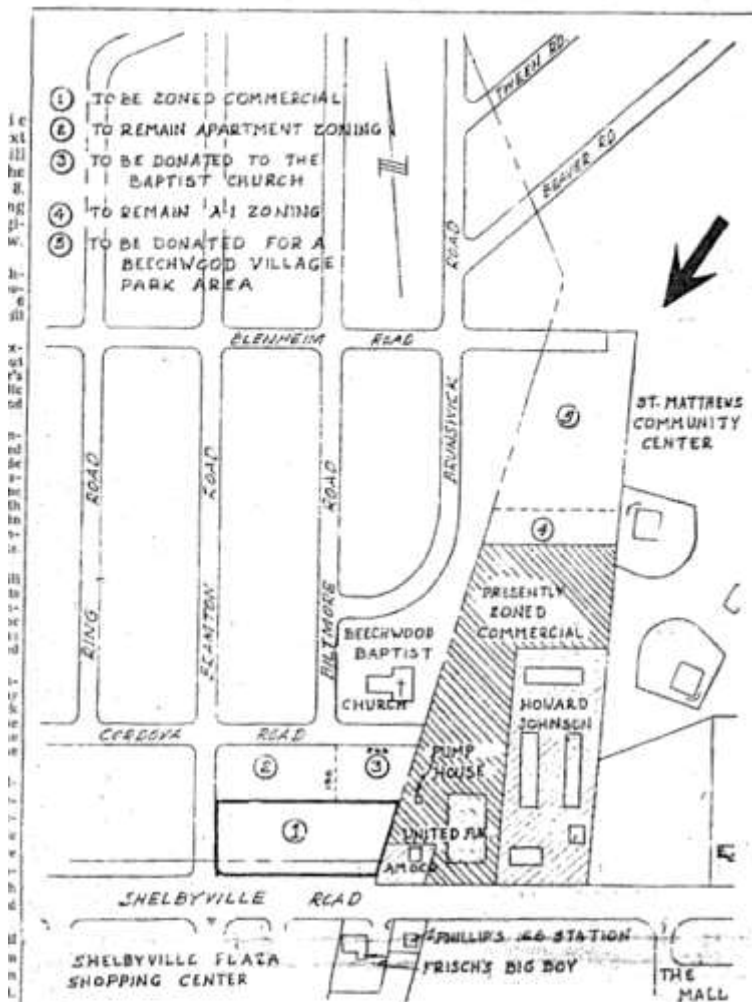
"Uncle Jim" Thornbury's new toy store on Shelbyville Road next to Sears is slated to open next week. Pop Andriot (in background) is busy putting up the store's trademark, a monkey. In foreground are Mr. Thornbury (left), his son, Jerry, and store manager Bob Noa. The other half of the building, built by A. J. Eline, Jr., on the site of the former Greathouse School, will be occupied by Top Value savings stamps. The building is 100 feet wide, 120 deep, and each of the two tenants will have 6,000 sq. ft. of floor space.

Firemen make eight runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made eight runs in the past week. Runs made were:

Aug. 23 at 4:32 p.m. boys in a manhole at Breckinridge Lane and Plymouth Road; at 9:05 p.m. Canary Cottage, smoke in attic; Aug. 24 at 9:15 a.m., 135 Indian Hill Trail, shrubbery around house; at 11:30 a.m. Hemstead Road and Tuchaho, ditch digger;

Aug. 25 at 5:01 p.m., 4609 Tween Rd., fire in basement, considerable damage done to basement and stairway; Aug. 28 at 3:34 p.m., Shelbyville Road Plaza, straw fire, 9 p.m. spine; Aug. 29 at 2:20 p.m., Hillside Road and Hillside Court, field fire.

September 1, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

If Beechwood Village will rezone Tract 1 for commercial, Tract 2 will remain zoned for apartments, and owner R. W. Marshall will give Tract 3 to the Beechwood Baptist Church for parking. Tract 4 will be a buffer zone, and Tract 5, about 2½ acres, will be given to the City free and clear. The arrow points to the handle-like part of Tract 5 that could keep Blenheim Road a dead end street. If the road is extended through this handle, it will connect Hubbards Lane with the Community Center property.

Beechwood Village Zoning

What happens to Blenheim Rd.?

by EMIL M. AUN

A new factor has entered the zoning picture in Beechwood Village. The City faces the prospect of having Blenheim Road, now a relatively quiet residential street, turned into a busy thoroughfare.

No announcements have been made on this matter by anyone concerned, but the facts are there for everyone to see.

To begin from the beginning, R. W. Marshall has requested rezoning of his property at the northeast corner of Blenheim Road and Shelbyville Road for commercial use.

In return for the rezoning, he has offered to give Beechwood Village free and clear a 2½-acre tract at the eastern end of Blenheim Road. He has also offered to give Beechwood Baptist Church a parking lot, also free and clear.

The board of trustees of the

City of Beechwood will hold a public hearing on the request at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 13, at Beechwood Baptist Church.

A citizens committee within the City is opposed to the rezoning. A post card poll currently being taken by City officials shows the vote going against the Marshall request, with about 100 cards retrieved out of 500 sent out.

Mr. Marshall has refused to comment on what he would do if his offer were rejected. But Beechwood Village officials expect a Court fight in the event of rejection.

Asked what he would do, if turned down, with the 2½ acres he offered to give Beechwood for free, Mr. Marshall said he wasn't sure, but he would probably develop it for residential use.

Would that mean the extension of Blenheim Road? In all likelihood, he said.

As the map with this story shows, Blenheim Road comes to a

dead end about 100 feet from the Arterburn property, now leased by the St. Matthews Community Center. This small 100-foot strip is part of the 2½-acre Mr. Marshall offered to give the City. It forms a sort of handle.

With this ground in its possession, Beechwood Village could keep Blenheim Road a dead end street forever. But if Blenheim is extended the additional 100 feet to the Center property anything can happen.

Blenheim is a fairly smooth street, running through three Cities — Blenheim, St. Matthews and Beechwood Village. St. Matthews has recently repaved the section it owns, lying between Hubbards Lane and Beechwood. Thus, traffic now has a clear run on Blenheim from Hubbards Lane eastward to the end of Blenheim.

If Mr. Marshall extends it another 100 feet, and dedicates it to public use, automobiles can

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Beechwood

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travel down Blenheim Road from Hubbards Lane to the Community Center property.

Once it is connected to the Center property, it can be extended southward to the commercial areas on the north side of Shelbyville Road, including the Ten Pin Lanes bowling alley.

A road like this is bound to attract a good deal of traffic, as it will enable drivers to get to the Center property and beyond from Hubbards Lane without encountering a single traffic light.

To get to the Center now, this traffic must travel down Hubbards Lane to Shelbyville Road, and then out Shelbyville Road to the Center. Drivers must face three traffic lights, and must make a left turn across Shelbyville Road to get to the bowling alley and to the Center property.

BEECHWOOD VILLAGE

Dear Residents:

The future of Beechwood Village and its public lands are in issue. I feel that our proposed master plan to you will solve our problems.

The 2½ acre park area outside the future zoning of Blenheim Road. This road cannot be extended to connect with Shelbyville Road, or any other road, if the City of Beechwood Village owns the park area. I have proposed to deed it to the City of Beechwood Village as the key to the future character of the entire Village.

Please understand, I have no interest whatsoever in the development of the 2½ acre park area. Whenever the City of Beechwood Village decides to use the park lot, it will be worth its weight in gold as a means of keeping Blenheim Road a dead end street. This can only be done, of course, if Beechwood Village owns the park area.

TRACT No. 1 along Shelbyville Road will be developed to full residential use with the City of Beechwood Village. It will be of the highest caliber of residential commercial property. That use can all be proved at.

TRACT No. 2 will be the site of some very nice brick apartment buildings.

TRACT No. 3 will be donated to the Beechwood Baptist Church.

TRACT No. 4 will be a buffer in which no buildings will be erected.

TRACT No. 5 is the park area to be donated to the City of Beechwood Village for any use it decides to make of it. This tract lies at the east end of Blenheim Road and is the key to keeping Blenheim Road a dead end street, as connecting Blenheim Road with Shelbyville Road (S. 3. 40). This tract determines whether Blenheim will remain a pleasant residential street or become a heavily traveled commercial street. Because of this, every home in Beechwood Village has an interest in our rezoning proposal.

In the light of this new information, for your best interests and the well-being of Beechwood Village as a whole, every I please urge you to send in your card of vote, voting in favor of the rezoning.

Or, if you have already sent in your previous voting against the rezoning, please mail in a letter requesting that your card vote be changed to favor the rezoning.

This proposal is an honest and sincere effort on my part for a solution to our problems and a benefit that will be beneficial to all concerned.

I sincerely seek your cooperation.

R. W. Marshall

—ADVERTISMENT

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September 1, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*: September 5, 1960, Working fire at Variety Lumber Co.

Louisville Alarm Office Multiple Alarm book



9-5-60 - 2nd Alarm on Box 2641 - Brownsboro Road & Lightfoot Road

Alarm	Engines	Quad	H. & L.	BAT. CHIEF
1 st	21	6		4
2 nd	11 - 20 - 3	7		2
3 rd	5 - 9 - 2		2	1
4 th	7 - 8 - 15			

3640 Brownsboro Rd. - Variety Lumber Co.

1st. at 11:24 PM

Special at 11:29 PM

2nd at 11:32 PM by Car 52

St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department also responded 3 engines

Firemen injured: Pvt. Cavin White of Quad 6: 1st & 2nd degree burns on both hands

D. Edwards & G. Higgins

September 8, 1960, Letter:

Ret. 105
ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT
Date SEPT 5 1960
A. M. 11:32 P. M.
Location 3640 Brownsboro Rd
Owner R.F. NICHMEIER
Signed _____
Occupant Variety Millwork Co
Signed _____
Building or Property Planing Mill
Cause 5-1-S-2-S-4&55
Special Notes City of Louisville
Officer in Charge J. Monahan



CITY OF LOUISVILLE KENTUCKY

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION OF FIRE

1135 WEST JEFFERSON STREET
LOUISVILLE 3, KENTUCKY
CLAY 8851

September 8, 1960

John Monahan, Chief
St. Matthews Fire Department
St. Matthews, Kentucky

RE: Multiple Alarm Fire - September 5, 1960
Variety Lumber Company - 3640 Brownsboro Road

Dear Chief:

I would like to take this opportunity to commend you and your men for their response and assistance at the above mentioned fire.

This action was very helpful in the confinement and extinguishment and preventing more serious loss.

Please convey my thanks to all of the men who participated in this effort.

Very truly yours,

John H. Krusenklau
John H. Krusenklau, Colonel
Chief, Division of Fire

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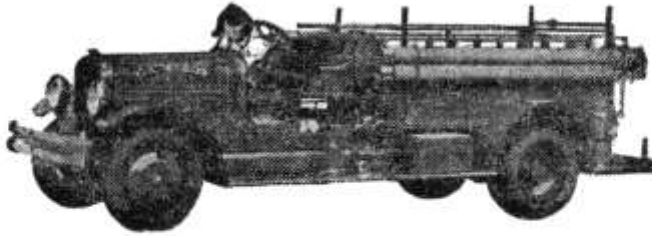
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P. O. Box 115
St. Matthews, Ky.

September 9, 1960

Meeting of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Dept. held September 8, 1960, at the Fire House.

Directors present:

John M. Monohan
George Miller
Joe Zehnder
J. P. Terry

W. Leland Wilson
Fred Boss
Marty Kamer

Meeting called to order and minutes of last meeting, August 11, 1960, read by President Monohan.

Motion made by Mr. Kamer, seconded by Mr. Boss, that they be accepted as read.

Motion made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Zehnder that Mr. Kamer, Mr. John Monohan and Mr. J. P. Terry arrange a plan for the benefit of the firemen.

There being no further business a motion was made by Mr. Wilson, seconded by Mr. Kamer that we adjourn.

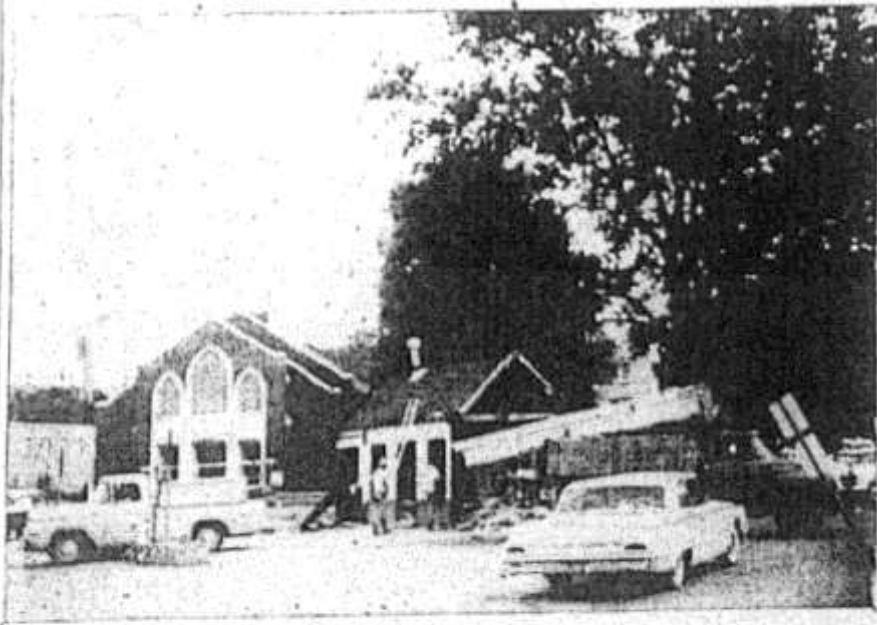
Respectfully submitted,

George E. Miller, Secretary

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September 15, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:



The old St. Matthews Service Center at Willis, Frankfort and Meridian Avenues is being pulled down to make way for a branch of the Louisville Trust Company. Louisville Trust is leasing the property on a 25-year basis from Bethel Evangelical and Reformed Church (whose church building is visible in background). Louisville Trust will put up the building, which will have walk-in and drive-in facilities. Reports are that the great tree, at right, a landmark of St. Matthews for many years, and now about 70 feet high, will be cut down.

Firemen make one run

The St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made one run in the past week. The run was made Sept. at 4:22 p.m. to 440 Highfield where fire started in an electric panel. An overloaded circuit was listed as the cause of the fire.



ROBERT WALLING

Fireman, airman, and policeman

Serving others is his hobby

Like so many of the members of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department, Robert Walling devotes a great deal of time to service to others.

He and his wife, the former Margaret Hill of Harrodsburg, have four children: Ann Michele, 10, Robert, Jr., 8, John, 4, and Emily 2.

The 34-year-old salesman has a background which includes service with two volunteer fire departments, a sixth class city and the Air Force.

The Volunteers, as a group, perform a great service to the community, of course. They protect the lives and property of the residents of the St. Matthews area, and receive not one cent of pay for their work.

In addition, the St. Matthews firemen work for other worthy causes. They will, for instance, try to visit every home in their fire district Sept. 24 and 25 to collect money for the Crusade for Children.

Mr. Walling is the kind of man the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department needs more of at this time. He works out here, and consequently can answer fire calls during the daytime.

The Department has enough men to answer the night calls, but is short of men to answer the day calls. Any able-bodied man can apply.

Mr. Walling, of 122 Fairmeade, has been with the St. Matthews Volunteers for three years. He is a lieutenant. Before that he served two years with the McMahan Volunteers.

"They were short of men at McMahan and they were just getting started," he said. "I knew most of the fellows, so I joined. After I got in, I liked it. Then when I knew I was moving to Fairmeade, I joined over here."

"I enjoy the work. The best thing about being a fireman is the satisfaction of saving someone's property."

Mr. Walling also serves the City of Fairmeade. He is town marshal, without pay, of course.

"I live at Winchester and Fairmeade," he said. "That's a hot corner. There's a lot of speeding there, and somebody has to take care of it, so I patrol one night a week."

His service with the Air Force was during World War II. He served 28 months.

Mr. Walling is a salesman for Gil Mueller Sales & Service, an

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September 22, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*



Uncle Jim says
I have some exciting news. Thornbury's Toys have a brand new home with parking aplenty on Shelbyville Rd. west of Sears.

GRAND OPENING
THURSDAY, SEPT. 22 thru SAT., OCT. 1

- YOU MAY WIN A SCHWINN BIKE—JUST REGISTER
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TIL 9 P.M.

The St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department will visit the entire St. Matthews fire district this weekend aboard fire trucks, and the volunteers will go door-to-door seeking donations for the Crusade for Children.

They will try to visit all of the more than 6,400 homes in the district. The firemen will work Friday evening, Saturday afternoon and evening and Sunday morning.

GRAND OPENING

TOP VALUE STAMPS



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4105 SHELBYVILLE ROAD
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DOOR PRIZES
Prizes will be given to the first 100 customers who enter the Center during the Grand Opening.

1st Prize: \$100.00 (Cash)
2nd Prize: \$50.00 (Cash)
3rd Prize: \$25.00 (Cash)
4th Prize: \$10.00 (Cash)
5th Prize: \$5.00 (Cash)
6th Prize: \$2.50 (Cash)
7th Prize: \$1.00 (Cash)
8th Prize: \$0.50 (Cash)
9th Prize: \$0.25 (Cash)
10th Prize: \$0.10 (Cash)

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Mon. 9:30 to 9 P.M.

September 29, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Firemen make four runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made four runs in the past week. Runs made were:

On Sept. 14 at 9:44 p.m., 712 Rudy Lane, automobile owned by John Wiles; Sept. 15 at 3 p.m., field fire rear of Shelbyville Plaza; Sept. 15 at 10:36 p.m., Frankfort and Fairlawn, tarpaulin; and Sept. 16 at 2:30 p.m., weed fire on the north side of Frankfort Ave., and L. & N. right of way.

The St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department collected \$7,394.17 for the Crusade for Children. Capt. Verlin Beam emphasized the volunteers collected all this money themselves. None of it came from clubs, churches or other organizations. The firemen stood at various busy intersections Sunday morning and held out boots for the people to drop in their donations. Earlier they had tried to visit all the homes in the fire district for contributions.

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We believe this is the 1960 Crusade For Children:

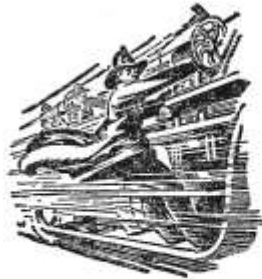


Staff Photo

A balloon barrage helped whoop up the big moment, the big money and the big news at Memorial Auditorium as the WHAS Crusade for Children leaped over the \$200,000 mark for the first time while on the air. It happened at 3:12 p.m. Sunday when Pleasure Ridge Park firemen dumped \$8,577 into a fishbowl, running the total to \$207,289. The show ended with \$208,475. Jim Walton is at left.

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October 1960, Letter:



OFFICE OF
Secretary
1127 Orchard Drive
Louisville 13, Ky.

ORGANIZED JANUARY 17, 1919



INCORPORATED OCT. 2, 1953

FIRE FIGHTERS, Inc.

PHONE: Wc 98870

Dear Chief:

You are invited to send two men to the Drill Masters Training School sponsored by Fire Fighters Inc. to be held at the City of Louisville Training Tower on Algonquin Parkway at 7:30 pm October 11th and 12th October 18th and 19th. Lets have 100% attendance.

Yours very truly

Frank Harden Pres.

October 3, 1960:

At Our Lady of Lourdes'

Fire Blackens Church Interior

Oct 3, 1960

Tommy Weber, 13, was riding past Our Lady of Lourdes Church on his bike Monday afternoon. A little girl called to him: "The church is on fire."

Tommy, the son of Eddie Weber who is the athletic director at Bellarmine College, rode up to the door of the church and saw the building full of smoke. He dashed into the adjoining school and gleefully turned on all the fire alarms. "Gee," he confessed afterward, "All my life I wanted to do that."

Before the St. Matthews Fire Department reached the intersection of Breckinridge Lane and Norbourne, where Our Lady of Lourdes church - and - school is located, Father Malloy, assistant pastor, had raced to the building from the rectory. He could not enter. The smoke was too thick and the heat too intense.

The firemen quickly put out the blaze, which was confined to the rear of the church. As soon as the smoke had cleared, Father Malloy removed the Blessed Sacrament from the tabernacle. By this time,

the interior was a blackened, ugly mess.

Several windows had popped. The Stations along the wall were unrecognizable, some of them hanging at crazy angles. The white walls were coated with soot and grime. The bare lumber of the choir loft stood revealed, charred and mangled. The great crucifix over the main altar, ordinarily bright and shiny, was blistered and smeared with a thick, dirty film.

The fire had broken out, it seemed, in the confessional beneath the choir loft in the rear of the church. It happened between 4:30, when a young girl made a visit and noticed nothing unusual, and 5:00, when Tommy Weber turned in the alarm.

In the evening, members of the parish flocked to the scarred church for a major clean-up. No word was sent out; it was spontaneous. By 8 p.m. at least 50 people were mopping and scrubbing the floor and the pews so that Mass could be celebrated the next morning.

The parishioners were joined by

the Sisters and lay teachers of the school. The Sisters wore aprons. The women were in slacks, the men in work clothes. Father Malloy, in a sport shirt, quietly directed operations.

The crowd was like a big family at work. Everybody seemed to know everybody else. There was a lot of good-natured kidding.

Ann Schmalz, teacher of the 6th grade, was saying: "My pupils came and announced that our classroom had burned and that we would have no school. I said: 'We'll have school all right.' But it was close. My classroom is just across the hall from the rear of the church."

Janie Shelley, a student at Sacred Heart Academy and the week-day organist at the church, was lamenting the state of the organ. "It's all blistered. The keys stick together. And I'm scared to turn on the electricity." But before the evening was over, the organ was restored to use.

One lady was heard to say: "I'm going to look over the vestments. It's my job to take care of the

sewing. If the vestments are damaged I'll just die." They weren't damaged.

Meanwhile the "bucket brigade," as one of the nuns dubbed it, was proceeding merrily. Mops were wielded by George Schuhmann, Louis Brotzge, Bob Klein, Bert Hackmiller, George Reiss, Ben Thornbury, Emil Grass, Dr. Glauber, and their wives, and by many others.

Over the main altar, William Johnson, a non-Catholic, was painstakingly removing the last smudges from the glittering crucifix.

The walls were still black. But by 8:30 the floors and pews and the altar were spotless. Of course, nothing could be done about the area in the rear where the flames had eaten away the wood and the asphalt tile.

On Tuesday morning, the regular Masses were celebrated in the church, and school took up as usual. But the organ, still ailing from its experience, collapsed at the Gloria and played no more.

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October 3, 1960,
Roster:

REPORT — ST. MATHIAS VOLUNTEER FIRE ASSOCIATION

MEETING: _____ FIRE: _____ DATE: 10/3/60 LOCATION: 500 Breckenridge Lane
 ALARM TIME: 4:55 P.M. NO. OF MEN: 48 TIME RETURNED TO HOUSE: 6:10 P.M.
 CLEAN UP TIME: _____

1. <i>Anders S-1</i> Bill Andrick	24. Henry A. Moschan	47. _____
2. <i>Harold C</i> Harold C. C.	25. Jack Monahan	48. _____
3. Fred Barringer	26. <i>John J. Monahan, Jr.</i> John J. Monahan, Jr.	49. _____
4. Robert Roenkel <i>Robert S-5</i>	27. John Gillies	50. _____
5. Paul Grisset	28. <i>Maxill Rice</i> Maxill Rice	51. _____
6. L. Cruise	29. <i>Charles Schumann</i> Charles Schumann	52. _____
7. <i>Paul Dillman O.C.</i> Paul Dillman	30. <i>Boyle Ross</i> Boyle Ross	53. _____
8. Danny Engstahl	31. Phil Schaeffer, Jr.	54. _____
9. <i>Walter M. Schaeffer</i> Walter M. Schaeffer	32. R. Harvey Schultze	55. _____
10. <i>Rennie F. Weste</i> Rennie F. Weste	33. <i>Will Smith, Jr.</i> Will Smith, Jr.	56. _____
11. <i>Edward C. Foely</i> Edward C. Foely	34. <i>Dan Sullivan</i> Dan Sullivan	57. _____
12. <i>Patrick Grimes</i> Patrick Grimes	35. <i>J. P. Terry</i> J. P. Terry	58. _____
13. <i>Albert Haerberlin</i> Albert Haerberlin	36. Oscar Von Allene	59. _____
14. <i>George Hasbawlin</i> George Hasbawlin	37. <i>Ray. Walling</i> Ray. Walling	60. _____
15. <i>R. C. Herdt</i> R. C. Herdt	38. James Weixler	61. _____
16. <i>M. Richard Herdt</i> M. Richard Herdt	39. Walter Wernert	62. _____
17. <i>Marty Maier</i> Marty Maier	40. George Westwood	63. _____
18. <i>John V. Kaster</i> John V. Kaster	41. <i>Richard Wheeler, Jr.</i> Richard Wheeler, Jr.	64. _____
19. <i>R. E. Kaster</i> R. E. Kaster	42. <i>William H. Winters</i> William H. Winters	65. _____
20. <i>Ralph E. Kumpf</i> Ralph E. Kumpf	43. <i>Walter Lehader</i> Walter Lehader	66. _____
21. <i>E. C. Kierbeke</i> E. C. Kierbeke	44. <i>Young Fisher</i> Young Fisher	67. _____
22. <i>Howard Martin</i> Howard Martin	45. <i>Joe Kumpf</i> Joe Kumpf	68. _____
23. <i>Bill Mico, Jr.</i> Bill Mico, Jr.	46. _____	69. _____

Courtesy Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, booklet:

Late afternoon on Monday, October 3rd, Thomas Weber, a Lourdes 8th grader, riding home on his bike, discovered the church was on fire. The fire was centered in the back of the church, destroying the confessional and the choir loft. Sister Thecla, having attended a Teachers' Institute seminar, got to church after the fire trucks had arrived. She surveyed the damage and contacted Father Gerst. They thought children playing around the confessional with matches gotten from the votive area probably caused the fire. While professionals were called in to clean the smoke damaged school, the Sisters organized their many volunteers, and working together, the church was cleaned by 9:30 that evening. The following morning, as usual, Mass was held and school was in session!

October 6, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Fire damages Lourdes

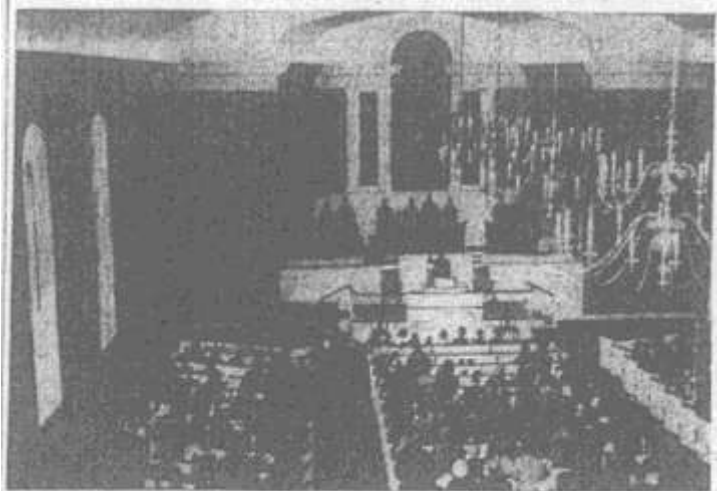
A fire which broke out in a confessional at the rear of the sanctuary Monday at Our Lady of Lourdes Church caused damage estimated at less than \$5,000.

As to the origin of the fire, Father Anthony Gerst, pastor, refused to comment.

The fire broke out 4:45 p.m. St. Matthews volunteer firemen battled the blaze for about an hour. The fire damaged the confessional, flooring and pews in the rear of the church, and the balcony, and broke several windows.

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Other runs made by the St. Matthews Firemen were Oct. 2, at 3:07 p.m., 205 Ridgeway; and on Oct. 4 at 1:05 p.m., 4300 Briarwood, television set, and at 1:50 p.m., 203 Alton Rd., lint in a clothes dryer.



First services were held Sunday in the new sanctuary at Broadway Baptist Church.

First services held in new Broadway Baptist sanctuary

Dedication service will be Oct. 16

First services were held Sunday in the gorgeous new sanctuary at Broadway Baptist Church.

Facing Brownboro Road, the rather massive one-floor structure, of Colonial architecture, is decorated inside with four large gold-colored chandeliers and rows of solid African mahogany pews.

A capacity crowd of more than 800 people filled the sanctuary and their balcony. Dr. Edwin Perry, pastor, conducted the service, which lasted from 10:30 a.m. to 11:40.

It was not a dedication ceremony, however. Formal dedication service will be held Sunday, Oct. 16, at 3 p.m. The speaker will be Brooks Hays, former Congressman from Arkansas, member of the board of directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority, Southern Baptist observer at the United Nations, and immediate past president of the Southern Baptist Convention.

The new sanctuary is air-conditioned. There is also a new education building, offices and a library. Overall cost was about \$551,000. Built by Otto Tapp & Sons, contractor, it was designed by architect Fred Morgan.

The investment in the Broadway Baptist plant at 4006 Brownboro Road is now about \$1 million. This includes the eight-acre site, purchased in late 1948.

The capacity crowd on hand Sunday was friendly and pleased. At the time for the service approached, parking facilities were crowded. The parishoners helped

each other to find parking slots. Baptist observer at the United Nations, and immediate past president of the Southern Baptist Convention.

The chairman of the board of deacons, Gordon Ford, stood out front and welcomed visitors and answered questions. Other members of the board of deacons did the same.

The chairman of the building program is Andrew Broadus, former Mayor of Louisville.

Next Sunday, special revival services begin at the church at 10:30 a.m. Services through the week will be held each morning at 10 a.m. and each evening at 7:30.

Rev. Sidney Maddox, pastor, First Baptist Church, Hopkinsville, will be the preacher.



Formal opening of the new United Furniture Store in St. Matthews will be held today. It is on the north side of Shelbyville Road, just west of Howard Johnson's (visible in right background). Open house will be held tomorrow and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. The ladies will be given orchids. Free door prizes and souvenirs will be given away.

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October 6, 1960 Board meeting,

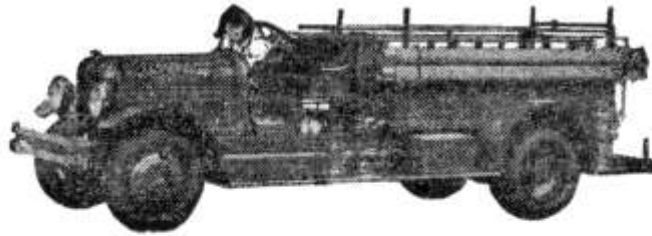
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P. O. Box 115
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Minutes of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department
held Thursday, Oct. 13, 1960, at Fire House.

Directors present:

John Monohan
George Miller

Marty Kamer
W. Leland Wilson

Minutes of the last meeting held September 9, 1960 read
by President Monohan. Motion made by Mr. Miller, seconded
by Mr. Kamer that they be accepted as read.

Motion made by Mr. Miller seconded by Mr. Wilson that Mr.
Kamer and Mr. John Monohan arrange for a party for the
firemen. Mr. Kamer and Mr. Monohan reported the progress
they were making on the Insurance for firemen and it was
pleasing how they were progressing.

There being no further business a motion was made by Mr.
Wilson and seconded by Mr. Kamer that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted.

George E. Miller, Secretary

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October 13, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

**St. M. Firemen
make two runs**

St. Matthews Firemen made two runs in the past week. Runs made were:

On Oct. 8 at 11:05 a.m., Colony Way, automobile; and on Oct. 9 at 8:30 p.m., 493 Lightfoot Rd., child locked in bathroom.

W. J. KLEIN SAFE & LOCK CO. ANNOUNCES...

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3rd PRIZE.....	\$25.00 IN MERCHANDISE

Drawing Fri., Nov. 4 at 8:30 p.m.—Winners do not have to be present

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SEE OUR WONDERLAND OF TOYS!

October 25, 1960:

JEFFERSON COUNTY FIRE PROGRAM
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JUNIOR 2-1571

FISCAL COURT:
JUDGE B. C. VAN ANSDALE
ROBERT A. FINE
MARG BEAUCHAMP
PHILIP P. ARMENT

October 25, 1960

County Buyer
Fiscal Court Building
Louisville, Kentucky

Dear Mr. Probst:

This letter will be authority for Chief John M. Monohan, Jr. of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department to purchase three of the 12-volt sirens which have been allocated by the Fiscal Court to the fire departments.

On September 5, 1960, the Court authorized me to sell all of the discarded police car sirens to the members of the Jefferson County Fire Program for \$25.00 each.

Chief Monohan, Jr. has permission to purchase three sirens at \$25.00 each. Would you please direct the stock-room man in the County garage to deliver these sirens to Chief Monohan, Jr. upon his paying you \$75.00.

Very truly yours,

Daniel B. Boone

DEB:mw

cc: Chief John M. Monohan, Jr.
3909 Elmwood Avenue
Louisville 7, Kentucky

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October 27, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

November 3, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

St. M. firemen make ten runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made ten runs in the past week. Runs made were:

Oct. 17, at 6 p.m., 107 Ridgeway, lock-out; Oct. 19, at 7:45 p.m., auto fire in front of firehouse; Oct. 20 at 12:01 p.m., 508 Bauer, furnace control; Oct. 20, at 1:35 p.m., 3809 Frankfort Ave., White Castle, grease in duct; Oct. 21, at 9:03 a.m., 233 Breckinridge Ln., auto;

Oct. 22, at 9:47 a.m., Westport Rd., Bacons' parking lot, auto; Oct. 22, at 9:47 p.m., Hubbards Lane and Norbourne Boulevard, auto; Oct. 23, at 5:07 p.m. Cherrywood and Massie Avenue, field fire; Oct. 23, 8:05 p.m., Indian Hills Trail, field fire; and Oct. 24, at 4:34 a.m., 3954 Massie, Field.

St. M. Volunteers make two runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made two runs in the past week. Runs made were:

Oct. 26 at 4:58 p.m., 3921 Brookfield, washing machine motor; and on Oct. 27 at 4:17 p.m., 3949 Frankfort, automobile.

November 10, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

Volunteers make ten runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made ten runs in the past week. Runs made were:

On Nov. 2 at 5:15 p.m., 4160 Shelbyville Rd., auto; Nov. 3 at 9:49 p.m., 314 Chenoweth Ln., furnace motor; Nov. 4 at 11:29 a.m., 113 Blankenbaker, leaves; 1:05 p.m., Highway 42 and Hubbards Lane, woods; 3:55 p.m., 3706 Winchester Rd., dishwasher motor; 6:36 p.m., Shelbyville Road Plaza, paper crate in rear;

Nov. 7 at 12:10 p.m., 143 Chenoweth Ln., malicious false, 12:13 p.m., 146 Chenoweth Ln., false; and Nov. 8 at 9:47 a.m., Massie and Cherrywood, field; and at 1:05 p.m. rear of 119 MacArthur, field.

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WEEKDAYS—8 A.M. to 10:30 P.M.
FRI. & SAT.—9 A.M. to Midnight

Donald G. Kaiser, Carl D. Russell, and Edward F. Kaiser cordially invite you to visit them
at the new Racquet Club and Town & Country Liquors, 4265 Shelbyville Road, 1 Block West
of Watterson Expressway.

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November 9, 1960, The Courier-Journal

LOUISVILLE, KY., WEDNESDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 9, 1960



LONG MAY SHE WAVE . . . Prize-winning design for a **St. Matthews** Flag is shown by the artist, Stephanie Baldyga, 13, of 3617 St. Germaine Court. She is an eighth-grader at Our Lady of Lourdes School.

'Forward' With Stephanie

Winning St. Matthews Flag Design Has Potatoes, Gamecock, Church

Thirteen-year-old Stephanie Baldyga "just couldn't believe it" when told she had won a contest to design a new City Flag for **St. Matthews**. She reacted in typically feminine fashion—she cried.

Yesterday the eighth-grader at Our Lady of Lourdes School received a blue ribbon and a \$25 United States Savings Bond from Frank Stanhope, exalted ruler of the **St. Matthews** E.R.s. The club sponsored the contest. Stephanie's school receives \$10.

The girl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baldyga, 3617 St. Germaine Court, got ideas for her design by studying flags of various states and countries in encyclopedias. Her design is in blue and gold, Kentucky's colors, and

shows potatoes, a gamecock, a church, and a stagecoach—all representative of **St. Matthews** past. The flag carries the motto, "Forward."

Twenty-four designs from nine schools were submitted in the contest. Persons over 18 were allowed to vote on them. Stephanie received more than 200 votes out of 925 cast.

Stephanie, the eldest of five Baldyga children, would like to be a commercial artist. She won city-wide poster contests sponsored by a Roman Catholic organization two years in a row.

St. Matthews Councilman John Barker accepted the winning flag design at the City Hall ceremony on behalf of Mayor Bernard Bowling who was out of town.

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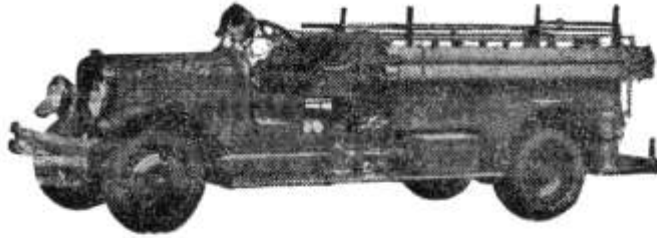
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St. Matthews, Ky.

November 11, 1960

Regular monthly meeting of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Association was held on November 10, 1960. Meeting was called to order at 7:30 P.M. by the President, John M. Monohan, Jr.

Directors present:

John Monohan, Jr.	George E. Miller
W. Leland Wilson	Fred Boss
Joe Zehnder	Henry Monohan
Marty Kamer	

Minutes of the meeting of October 13th was read by President Monohan. Motion made by Joe Zehnder and seconded by Fred Boss that minutes be accepted as read.

Financial report was read by President Monohan.

Motion made by Mr. Zehnder, seconded by Mr. Boss that we give all firemen and directors turkeys for Thanksgiving.

Motion made by George Miller, seconded by Mr. Wilson that Mr. Boss purchase \$5000.00 Government bonds.

Motion made by Mr. Zehnder, seconded by Mr. Boss that Mr. Kamer, Mr. John Monohan and Mr. Henry Monohan employ an architect to draw up plans for addition to firehouse and for apartment upstairs.

There being no further business a motion was made by Mr. Henry Monohan and seconded by Mr. Zehnder that the meeting adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

George Miller, Secretary

QM/ekn

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November 17, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

November 24, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Mat-*

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St. M. Firemen make five runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made five runs in the past week. Runs made were:

On Nov. 11 at 6:45 p.m., Indian Hills and Rio Vista, malicious false; Nov. 12 at 12:48 p.m., field fire, rear of Beechwood Baptist Church, at 6:39 p.m., 131 Gibson Ln., storage under stairway;

Nov. 15 at 11 a.m., rear 4106 Del Ridge, rubbish; and at 11:10 a.m., 2205 Ardsley, rubbish.

St. M. Volunteers make four runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made four runs in the past week. Runs made were:

Nov. 15 at 7:25 p.m., a tree on Indian Hills Trail; Nov. 17 at 5:19 p.m., furnace motor at 320 Blankenbaker Ln.; Nov. 18, at 6:12 p.m., gasoline tank in garage at 3215 Uycliffe; and Nov. 19 at 11:21 p.m., light fixture in room 200 - Eline Bldg., 3932 Frankfort Ave.

Sanders Cleaners to open branch in Brownsboro Center

The second branch store of Sanders Cleaners will open today at 4818 Brownsboro Road in the new Brownsboro Road Shopping Center, Carroll Sanders, partner in the business, announced. The company also has a branch at Shelbyville.

The manager of the store will be Mrs. Beulah Beles, who said all services offered at the main plant will be available at the branch store. The grand opening of the store will be held later.

Five business firms to open on Brns'boro

Five firms are scheduled to open offices or stores in the Brownsboro Road Shopping Center at Rudy Lane by the middle of December, it was announced this week.

The Carriage Trade, a women's dress apparel shop, will open this Friday, and scheduled to open within the next few weeks are a barber shop, to be operated by Paul Bolus, Fairmeade, the Town & Country Beauty Parlor, Hollenbach & Gott, realtors, and Ransdell Realtors.

Sanders Cleaners opened in the center last Thursday.

Also in the center is a Stop and Park supermarket, Glenview Liquors, Monen Drug Store, Citizens Fidelity Bank and Amoco Service Station.

When completed, there will be 15 store units and 12 offices — 10 of them of the medical profession.

There are approximately 300 parking spaces at present and there will be a total of 500 when the center is completed.

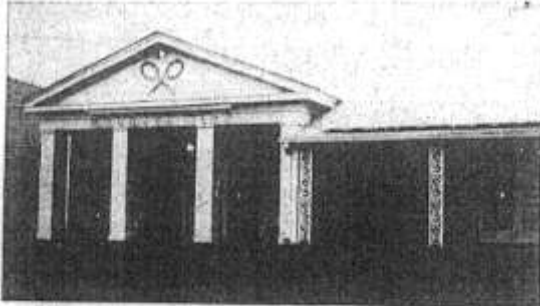
Developer of the center is John Walser, Inc.



Looking over plans for further development of the Brownsboro Road Shopping Center are (left) H. P. Walser, vice president of the John Walser, Inc., developers, and Albert Sanders, partner of Sanders Cleaners which opened there recently.

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November 24, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*



The Racquet Club (left) on Shelbyville Road is St. Matthews newest restaurant and cocktail lounge. Adjoining at right is the Town & Country Liquors, which opened nearly two weeks ago along with the club. A grand opening is scheduled for the club Dec. 2.

Racquet club plans grand opening soon

St. Matthews newest restaurant and cocktail lounge — the Racquet Club — which opened nearly two weeks ago, will have a grand opening on Friday, Dec. 2. It was announced this week. The program is yet to be completed.

The new club, operated by tennis professional Donald G. Kaiser, his father, Edward F. Kaiser and Carl D. Russell, is decorated with tennis racquets and its menus are attached to models of tennis racquets used in the first Wimbledon matches.

Also on the walls are a pair of baseball bats used in the 1906 World Series and autographed by the players. There is a Paris scene and one called the "Har Hounds," said to be the only one of its kind in Kentucky.

The dining room area has candle light with other indirect lighting. Indirect lighting is provided for the cocktail area, done in knotty pine paneling. It contains several booths and is decorated with the ends of whiskey barrels protruding from the walls. The cocktail lounge has a 48-foot serpentine bar with cushioned, swivel chairs.

Music is provided by a combination organ and piano, with Bob Dergoff, Louisville, normally at the controls. Other entertainers are to be scheduled for special occasions and at intervals. Goodwin Hutton, Louisville, is scheduled for the Thanksgiving weekend. There will be no dancing.



The above traffic congestion on St. Matthews Avenue at Shelbyville Road bears out St. Matthews City officials contention that motorists are failing to use a short outside lane (shown left of the cars), which was provided at a cost of some \$5,000. City fathers point out that the lane may be used to make a right turn and for through traffic while the inside lane is blocked from cars making left turns. Eventually directional arrows will mark the lanes.

**Grand
Opening**

ANOTHER
BRANCH OF

**Sanders
CLEANERS**

AT

4818 BROWNSBORO RD.
Brownsboro Shopping Center



You are cordially invited
to
The Grand Opening
at

Carriage Trade

Town and Country Fashions for Suburban or City Wear

Friday—November 25, 1960

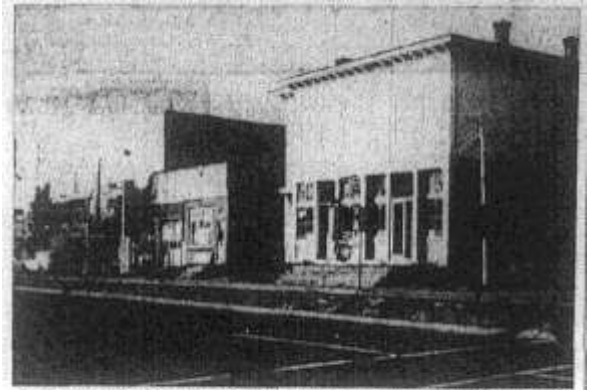
4814 Brownsboro Road

1960

December 1, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:



A familiar scene to most people in St. Matthews but it has changed as the photo at right will show. The two buildings right of Bacon's have come down to make way for the firm's expansion. Barbara Clarke, a woman's apparel store, Bechtel Interiors, and a restaurant occupied the buildings until recently.



The Fisher building (right), one of the oldest in St. Matthews, is being torn down along with the adjacent building at left to make room for progress. When the Fisher building was constructed, approximately 102 years ago, most of St. Matthews area was farm land.

Face lifting in St. Matthews

Two buildings razed to make room for Bacon's expansion

Two buildings adjoining Bacon's St. Matthews store on Frankfort Avenue were removed this week in preparation for expansion of the firm's store which is scheduled to get underway about January 1.

The expansion will give the store an additional 25,000 square feet of floor space making a total of 100,000 square feet of floor space for the store when completed.

Urban Dishinger, store manager, said that the new addition, which will front on Frankfort Avenue, will be similar in design to the architectural style of the main building. It will include a

basement and extend three floors as does the main unit.

The store will have additional window display in front and an entrance from the parking lot in the rear. The expansion will cover an area of 43 by 120 feet.

The only new department to be installed in the store, Mr. Dishinger said, will be that for Men's shoes. However, most of the addition will be used to increase existing departments — that of beauty salon, women's and children's shoes, and other men's furnishings.

Two openings to the new addition will be provided on the first floor and one each for the upper

stories. The interior will have modern fixtures, but in the same style as existing fixtures in the main store.

It will be the second expansion for the store since it was established in 1935 with two floors. Two years later the third floor was added.

The two one-story buildings torn down to make way for the expansion were occupied by Barbara Clarke and a restaurant.

Until construction starts, the area will be used for extra parking space for Christmas shoppers in the downtown area, Mr. Dishinger said.

Construction is scheduled to be completed by spring.

December 1, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

Old land mark in St. Matthews comes down for parking area

An old land mark, believed to be at least 100 years old, was gradually disappearing from the St. Matthews scene this week as workmen started razing two buildings in the 3800 block of Frankfort Avenue.

Being torn down for parking space is the old Fisher building, which in recent years housed a cafe, and an adjoining building in which had been located the St. Matthews Auto Glass firm.

The property, purchased by White Castle, Inc., a restaurant chain, is being removed to provide extra parking space for the firm's nearby restaurant. The two buildings are expected to be completely moved by this weekend, and company officials say that gravel will be placed on the 91x90-foot area by Christmas. White Castle officials said expansion of the restaurant is scheduled sometime later.

The Fisher family building, constructed of brick, is said to have been the second two story building to be constructed in St. Matthews, and, according to Tony Eline of Eline Realty Co., its architecture had remained virtually unchanged since it was built.

Mr. Eline recalled that a family named Fisher constructed the building as they did the adjoining concrete block building some years later and operated a grocery and a feed store and a saloon for many years there. The upper story was used for the family's living quarters.

The Fisher family also operated a butcher shop at the rear of the building, largely for the butchering of hogs. Country

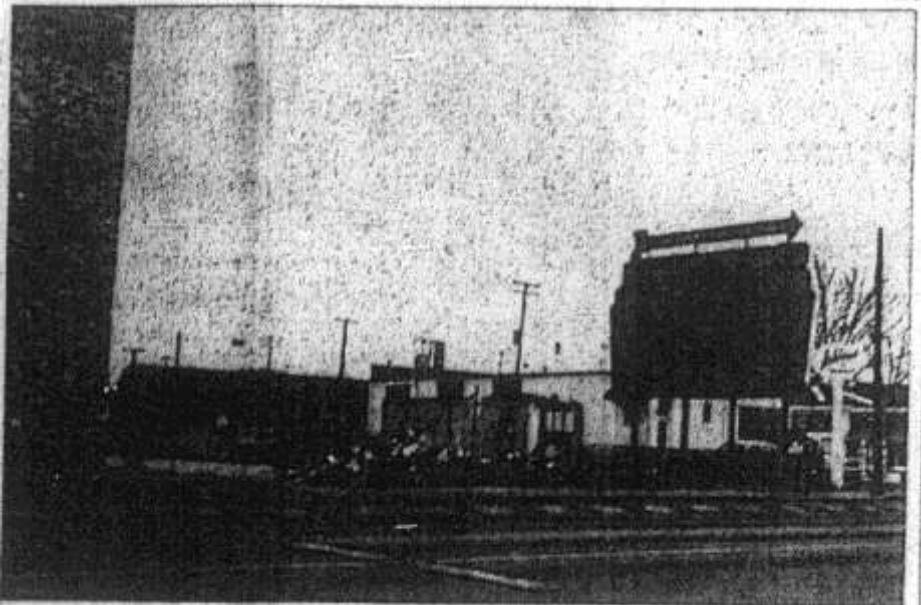
sauage and smoked hams were specialties of the store.

Mr. Eline also recalled that as a boy attending the Greathouse school which was located on the site now occupied by the Kroger store, he and other students carried water from a well in front of the Fisher building, which also furnished a watering trough for horses. During the same period—given as about 50 years ago—he said that most of the area on the south side of Frankfort Avenue east was in farm land, cultivated by his grandfather, and he recalled

several large trees being in the area.

Operation of the Fisher store passed from the father to the mother and sons. In recent years it has housed at different times a pool hall and tavern in addition to a cafe.

In its time the store was not only a trading center but a loafing place. Mr. Eline said a pot bellied stove like those common in country stores during the period sat in the middle of the floor. Staple groceries came in barrels then and he remembers one as black strap molasses.



The last of the two buildings right of Bacon's is all but gone. Just a small amount of rubble remained when this photo was taken Monday. The lot was cleared by Tuesday.

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December 1, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

St. M. Volunteers make five runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made five runs in the past week. Runs made were:

On Nov. 22 at 2:55 p.m., Frankfort and Fairlawn, auto; Nov. 23 at 10:40 a.m., 209 Daleview, lock-in; Nov. 24 at 8:53 p.m., Chenoweth Lane and Hall Road track, auto;

Nov. 28 at 4:56 p.m., 3906 Elin Ave., grease on stove; and Nov. 29 at 12:15 p.m., 801 Fairlawn Rd., auto.

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Courtesy <http://www.pearsonfuneralhome.com/>

Pearson Funeral Home, 1960



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December 8, 1960, Board meeting:

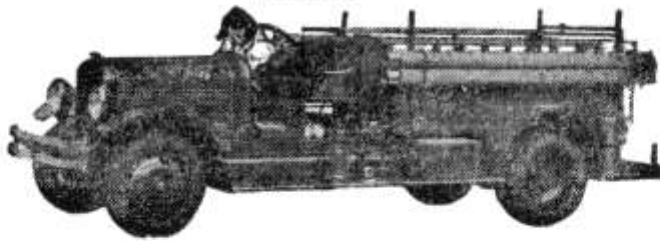
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P. O. Box 115

St. Matthews, Ky.

December 9, 1960

Meeting of the Board of Directors of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department held December 8, 1960 at the Fire House.

Directors Present:	Fred Boss	W. Leland Wilson
	Joe Zehnder	Matty Kamer
	John Monohan	J. P. Terry
	George E. Miller	

Minutes of last meeting held Nov. 11, 1960, read by President Monohan.

Motion made by Mr. Zehnder seconded by Mr. Boss that they be accepted as read.

Financial report read by President Monohan. Motion made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Wilson that if Liberty Ins. Bank requires minutes of the meeting if it is necessary that we open an account with them that Mr. John Monohan or Mr. Fred Boss be authorized to sign checks.

Mr. Monohan reported that an architect will be employed and plans for addition to building will be ready if possible for the Director's meeting in January.

The committee reported that the insurance program for Firemen and Directors is still being negotiated as fast as possible.

Motion made by Mr. Terry and seconded by Mr. Zehnder that we purchase hams from 12 to 14 lbs. for the firemen and board of directors.

There being no further business a motion was made by Mr. Kamer and seconded by Mr. Terry that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

George Miller, Secretary

GM/ekn

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December 8, 1960, Comparison:

ST. M.	1959	1960	ON
OFFICERS			DIRECTORS
JOHN M. MONOHAN, JR., PR	✓ 4,200.74	✓ 3,832.52	JOHN M. MONOHAN, JR
MARTY KAMER, VICE PRESIDENT	✓ 4,230.58	✓ 2,612.93	W. LELAND WILSON
FRED C. BOSS, TREASURER	✓ 1,251.01	✓ 1,916.32	FRED C. BOSS
GEORGE E. MILLER, SECRETAR	✓ 2,103.31	✓ 1,896.23	HENRY A. MONOHAN
	✓ 2,798.64	✓ 2,577.14	GEORGE E. MILLER
CAPT. V. A. BEAM	✓ 3,229.19	✓ 2,743.78	J. P. TERRY
ASSISTANT SECRETARY	✓ 4,222.95	✓ 3,647.56	JOE ZEHNDER
	✓ 1,743.92	✓ 2,444.93	MARTY KAMER
	✓ 1,694.27	✓ 2,691.42	
	✓ 3,050.07	✓ 2,500.98	
	✓ 2,391.57	✓ 2,521.67	
	✓ 4,007.38	✓ 4,291.56	
Chief John	24,003.64*		
President;			

Herewith is a summary of our collections for the month of December 1959 as compared with December of 1960; Also a comparison of the 12 months of 1960 with the 12 months of 1959.

	1959	1960
Contract Cities	\$2,878.63	\$3,854.81
Jefferson Co.	450.00	
Ky Utilities	23.75	23.75
Subscriptions	655.00	408.00
	<u>\$4,007.38</u>	<u>\$4,281.56</u>
Over December of 1959	34,597.66	\$274.48
for 12 months	\$35,003.64	35,691.62
Over 12 monts of 1959	\$645.40	1093.96

Respectfully *V.A. Beam*
V.A. Beam,

1960

December 30, 1960:

Man-hours Contributed by St. Matthews Firemen, 1960

Category I	Emergency Runs	988.6
Category II	Training	
	IIa Tuesday Night Each Week	1600.0
	IIb Special, (formal schools, here & away)	269.0
Category III	Public Service (undetermined, no report but Department participated in WHAS Crusade for Children.)	
Category IV	Preventive Maintenance	172.8
Aggregate		3,030.04
Total runs, 205, average man-hour per run, 4.81		

January 3, 1961

Manhours Contributed by St. Matthews Firemen
1960

Category	I	Emergency Runs	988.6
Category	II	Training	
	IIa	Tuesday Night Each Week	1600.0
	IIb	Special (XMAS) (Formal schools, here & away)	269.0
Category	III	Public Service undetermined (No Report but Department participated in WHAS Crusade for Children)	
Category	IV	Preventive maintenance	172.8
Aggregate			<u>3030.4</u>

Total Runs 205

Average Time Per Run

Average M.H. Per Run: 4.81

1960

December 30, 1960, Letter:



BRUCE HOBLITZELL
MAYOR

CITY OF LOUISVILLE
KENTUCKY

OFFICE OF DIRECTOR OF SAFETY

W. GEORGE MATTON
DIRECTOR

December 30, 1960

Mr. John M. Monohan, Jr.
Chief of St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Association
P. O. Box 115
St. Matthews, Kentucky

See next
page—

Dear Mr. Monohan:

Your letter of yesterday enclosing a check for \$60.00 as a donation by The St. Matthews Fire Association to the families of the three gallant Louisville Firemen who died in the Parkmoor fire is greatly appreciated.

Your Association's donation will be added to the other funds being given us for these families and will be divided equally among them.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, likely of W. George Matton, is written over a horizontal line.

W. George Matton
Director of Safety

WGM:bvs

cc: Mr. J. McRerran Barr, Treasurer - \$60.00 check attached

1960

Courtesy <https://historiclouisville.weebly.com/east--some-suburbs.html#PhotoSwipe1536980957473>



1950s - East Drive-in and Shelbyville Rd Plaza. The Watterson Xway would cross the photo at the top, just east of the drive-in. The drive in property would become an Almart (not Walmart) dept store in the late 1960s. University of Louisville Photographic Archives



ca. 1950 - Steam engine at St. Matthews, Wesport Rd and Chenoweth Ln. From Jason Rayburn, Facebook

1960

Courtesy, http://www.louisvilleky.gov/LouisvilleFire/LFD_History_Summary_By_Year.htm

The fire at Parkmoor Recreation Center, on Third near Eastern Parkway was fought by 110 firemen. Housing a bowling alley, a restaurant, a coffee shop, a bar and a night club. Captain Joseph Kenneth Buren, Sergeant Jesse P. Wilson and Riley Pryor lost their lives while fighting the spectacular fire.

Courtesy http://www.louisvilleky.gov/louisvillefire/lfd_history_full_text.htm

In spite of any new equipment or techniques in the art of firefighting, 1960 proved one of the most devastating years in the history of the Fire Department and firefighting in the City. At 7:25 P.M. on December 17, a small fire on a gas grill at the Parkmoor Recreation Center, on Third near Eastern Parkway began. It was not that serious a fire initially, but before it was extinguished, it proved to be the worst fire since the Dixie Warehouse and Cartage Company fire in 1956.

Three alarms sounded in the first thirteen minutes and three special alarms for additional equipment sounded in the next twenty-five minutes. As 110 firemen fought the blaze in the 150-year-old building (housing a bowling alley, a restaurant, a coffee shop, a bar and a night club), two million dollars were lost and three firemen killed.

Captain Joseph Kenneth Buren, Sergeant Jesse P. Wilson and Riley Pryor lost their lives while fighting the spectacular fire. This was the first instance in seventeen years when Louisville firemen were killed in the line of duty. In addition to this fire, three other fires broke out in the same twenty-four period. There was a house fire in which a seventy-year-old woman was killed. There was a three-alarm fire at the Green Company storage building. Another fire destroyed three suites in the 310 building. It was surely a demanding and depressing day for the firefighters.

The City was shaken by this catastrophe. Businessmen and others from Parkmoor Recreation, Broad-Brook Recreation, and the Bowling Proprietors Association of Louisville donated fifteen hundred dollars to each widow. Another two thousand dollars was on hand in the office of the Safety Director, which was distributed by the Bluecoats. Many annual tournaments for the benefit of the firemen's relief fund were organized in memorial to the victims of Parkmoor.

Incident

Captain Joseph Buren, Sergeant Jesse Wilson and Firefighter Riley Pryor lost their lives while fighting a 3 alarm fire inside the Parkmoor Bowling Alley after being caught in a backdraft explosion.

Firefighter Riley R. Pryor



Louisville Fire Department

Last Call: Saturday, December 17, 1960

Date of Incident: Saturday, December 17, 1960

Cause of Death: Structural Collapse

Time in Service: 30 years

Age: Not available

Survivors: Not available



Captain Joseph K. Buren
Louisville Fire Department

Last Call: Saturday, December 17, 1960

Date of Incident: Saturday, December 17, 1960

Cause of Death: Structural Collapse



Jesse P. Wilson
Sergeant



Joseph Buren
Battalion Chief



Riley Pryor
Firefighter



Sergeant Jesse P. Wilson Sr
Louisville Fire Department

Last Call: Saturday, December 17, 1960

Date of Incident: Saturday, December 17, 1960

Cause of Death: Structural Collapse

1960

STMFD Fire Run Reports 1960:

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT
 Date Jan. 30 1960
 A. M. 12:40 P. M.
 Location 2800 Lexington Road
 Owner J. P. TERRY
 Signed Terry's Terrace Service
 Occupant Terry's Terrace Service
 Building or Property Filling St
 Cause S1 S2-S4 & S5
 Special Notes (City of Louisville)
 Officer in Charge Asst. Chief

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT
 Date March - 28 - 60
 Time 11:53 A.M. P.M. Returned 12:55 A.M. P.M.
 Location 4146 Westport Tr.
 Owner Dan M. O'Neill
 Signed Residence
 Building or Property Residence
 Company Response S-4, S-1, S-2
 Equipment Used 5-4, 5-1, 5-2
 Hose 2 1/2" Ft. 1 1/2" Ft.
 Remarks Patrol by Office
 Officer in Charge Chief Monahan

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT
 Date 4-5-60
 Time 9:15 A.M. P.M. Returned 10:52 A.M. P.M.
 Location 409 Breckenridge Rd
 Owner Ethel Bierbach
 Signed Ethel Bierbach
 Occupant House - Couch in living room -
 Building or Property House - Couch in living room -
 Company Response S-1 S-4
 Equipment Used 2 Boostee Lines
 Hose 2 1/2" 19 section 1 1/2" Ft.
 Remarks 1-15' line
 Officer in Charge Asst. Chief

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT
 Date 8-24-60
 A. M. 5:01 P. M. 6:25
 Location 4609 Tuxedo Rd
 Owner Same
 Signed John Hamilton
 Occupant W. Hamilton
 Building or Property Dwelling
 Cause Unknown
 Special Notes S1 S2 & S4
 Officer in Charge John Ruster

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT
 Date SEPT 5 1960
 A. M. 11:32 P. M.
 Location 3640 Brownsboro Rd
 Owner R. F. NICHMEIER
 Signed Variety Millwork Co
 Occupant Planing Mill
 Building or Property Planing Mill
 Cause S-1-S-2-S-4 & S5
 Special Notes City of Louisville
 Officer in Charge Chief Monahan

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT
 Date 10-3-60
 A. M. 4:44 P. M.
 Location 500 Breckenridge Lane
 Owner Our Lady of Lourdes Church
 Signed Per. Thomas Malloy
 Occupant CONFESSIO in REAR OF CHURCH
 Building or Property CONFESSIO in REAR OF CHURCH
 Cause S-1-S-2-S-4 & S5
 Special Notes 2-1/2" lines - 1-2 1/2" line
 Hose 10' to 2 hydrants - 500 ft 2 1/2"
 Officer in Charge Harry Kamen

1960

STMFD Fire Run Reports 1960:

Run #144
ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date Dec. 11th 1960

Time 6:55 ^{A.M.} ~~P.M.~~ Returned 7:15 ^{A.M.} ~~P.M.~~

Location Brookfield & St. Matthews Ave

Owner _____

Signed Didn't Check For Owners of Tree

Occupant _____

Signed _____

Building or Property Called To Remove
A "Stuffed Dummy" Hanging In
Tree Over Road Way

Company Response Quint No. 5

Equipment Used Aerial Ladder Only
On Still Alarm

Hose 2 1/2" Fl. 1 1/2" Fl. _____

Remarks Called By County Police

Officer in Charge Lieut. Walling

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date 23 Dec. 60

A. M. _____ P. M. 1:25-2:25

Location 4002 Niagara Road

Owner Dr. W. H. Blodgett

Signed X S. Wigginton

Occupant _____

Signed _____

Building or Property Residence
(Garage, 2nd floor bath
and hall, 3rd floor attic)

Cause Kenneth Hood (Truck Driver)
using torch to heat plumbing
for repair work.

Special Notes 5-4, 5-1:
two trailers, 20' ext. and
14' room ladders.

Officer in Charge Foley / Florence

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date 12-27-60

Time 11:48 ^{A.M.} ~~P.M.~~ Returned 1:00 ^{A.M.} ~~P.M.~~

Location VINECREST AVE. IN
Lyndon, Ky.

Signed _____

Occupant _____

Signed _____

Building or Property BARN

Company Response 5-1 & 5-4 & 5-6

Equipment Used Generator, 3 Lights,
2 Ratchet Hooks, 1,400 Gal. water

Hose 2 1/2" 50' Fl. 1 1/2" 300' Fl. 200' B

Remarks Called To Aid
Lyndon Fire Dept.

Officer in Charge Chief Monahan

5-1 Ret 12:30 AM
ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date June 7, 1960

A. M. _____ P. M. 10:30

Location VINECREST AVE

Owner Shaver

Signed _____

Occupant Vacant Frame

Signed Residence

Building or Property In Lyndon
Territory

Cause _____

Special Notes Call by Lyndon

Officer in Charge Asst. Chief Varty, Kanner

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date 7-3-60

A. M. _____ P. M. 12:03

Location 3934 Almond

Owner O. C. McClure

Signed Dorsey C. McClure

Occupant _____

Signed _____

Building or Property Residence

2 1/2" 1500' - 1 1/2" 300'
2 B.

Cause Lightning

Special Notes 5-1, 5-2, 5-4
5-5

Officer in Charge J. V. Kester

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date July 21st 1960

Time 1:25 ^{A.M.} ~~P.M.~~ Returned 2:15 ^{A.M.} ~~P.M.~~

Location 3819 Elmwood Ave.

Owner Charles Cardwell

Signed _____

Occupant Mrs. Charles Cardwell

Signed _____

Building or Property Hot Water Heater
& Wood Floor

Company Response Quint 5-Quad 4-Eng 1

Equipment Used Booster On 5-4-Smoke
Fan & Aerial On 5-5

Hose 2 1/2" Fl. 1 1/2" Fl. _____

Remarks Only sent one truck -
Had To Recall Men For Additional
Help & Trucks

Officer in Charge Lt. Florence

1960

Fire Statistics For 1960

Total number of fire runs:	205
Total working fires:	9
Total hours of fire fighting:	60
Total 1 1/2" hose used:	3,550 feet
Total 2 1/2" hose used:	9,350 feet
Back up City of Louisville:	
Number of A. M. runs:	58
Number of P. M. runs:	147

Number of runs made by fire apparatus:

S1:	177
S2:	106
S4:	127
S5:	35

Types of fire runs:

House	87
Commercial	30
Automobile	28
Field & trash	45
Miscellaneous	8
Malicious false	7

Working fires:

1/28/1960	6:26 p.m.	Office Building, 3804 Lexington Road
1/30/1960	12:40 p.m.	Terry's Texaco, 3800 Lexington Road
2/23/1960	1:27 a.m.	Apartment House, 4425 Shelbyville Road
4/5/1960	9:18 a.m.	House, 409 Breckinridge Lane
7/3/1960	12:03 p.m.	House, 3934 Gilman Road, struck by lightning
8/24/1960	5:01 p.m.	House, 4609 Tween Road, fire in basement
9/5/1960	11:22 p.m.	Variety Mill, 3640 Brownsboro Road
10/3/1960	4:55 p.m.	Our Lady Of Lourdes Church, 500 Breckinridge Lane
12/27/1960	11:48 p.m.	Barn, Vinecrest Avenue

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1-3	537 PM	545 PM	51-52	1		Chief Monohan	Breckinridge Lane & Shelbyville Road	Malicious False -- Box only Box 2683
1-3	915 AM	935 AM	51-52	2		Chief Monohan	4239 Westport Road	Auto
1-4	850 AM	915 AM	51	3		Asst. Chief Kamer	220 Breckinridge Lane	Child locked in
1-4	400 PM	430 PM	51-54	4		Lt. Florence	201 Travois Road	Oil furnace
1-7	345 PM	415 PM	51-54	5		Asst. Chief Kamer	29 Pawnee Trail	Smoking oil furnace, no fire
1-19	1128 PM	1250 AM	51-54	6		Asst. Chief Kamer	6863 Green Meadow Circle	Fireplace fire -- used booster
1-20	1125 AM	1155 AM	54-51	7		Capt. Kaster	612 Rudy Lane	Residence -- wall blistered, unprotected furnace duct, out on arrival, let cool off
1-22	350 PM	408 PM	54	8		Asst. Chief Kamer	4181 Blenheim Road	T.V. Set, out on arrival

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1-23	959 PM	1018 PM	54-51-52	9		Chief Monohan	3828 Frankfort Avenue	Gas leak
1-23	1035 PM	1047 PM	54-51-52	10		Chief Monohan	202 Starbler Avenue	Furnace motor
1-23	1045 PM	1059 PM	54-51-52	11		Asst. Chief Kamer	3815 Grandview Avenue	odor
1-25	1135 AM	1200 PM	51-52	12		Lt. Walling	718 Waterford Road	Back yard - grass
1-28	626 PM		51-52-54-55	13		Chief Monohan	3804 Lexington Road	Working fire in office building, used 2 boosters & 1-1/2". City of Louisville
1-30	1240 PM	135 PM	51-52-54-55	14		Asst. Chief Kamer	3800 Lexington Road Terry's Texaco Service Station	Working fire -- 2 boosters, 2 - 1-1/2" 2 - 2-1/2" Louisville FD -- 3 apparatus, Capt. Catlett
2-2	137 AM	159 AM	51-52	15		Chief Monohan	3809 Frankfort Avenue White Castle	Car leaking gasoline, used booster
2-2	310 PM	345 PM	51-52-54	16		Asst. Chief Kamer	Browns Lane Mrs. John Monohan	Tenant house -- fire on a dresser Used 2 boosters
2-7	135 AM	150 AM	51-52-54	17		Chief Monohan	514 Macon Avenue	Apt. house -- defective gas furnace in basement
2-8	400 PM	414 PM	51-52-54	18		Asst. Chief Kamer	317 Clover Lane	Residence -- waste paper basket
2-8	1117 PM	1137 PM	51-54	19		Chief Monohan	104 Wiltshire Avenue	Residence -- water heater, out on arrival
2-10	455 PM	510 PM	51-54	20		Asst. Chief Kamer	3423 Warner Avenue	Odor of burning rubbish, no fire
2-14	1101 AM	1117 AM	54-55-52	21		Chief Monohan	152 Chenoweth Lane	Residence -- vapor on roof due to sun
2-15	929 AM	948 AM	54-51	22		Asst. Chief Kamer	111 Fairmeade Road	Residence - mop
2-17	514 PM	606 PM	51-52-54	23		Asst. Chief Kamer	3801 Norbourne Blvd.	Malicious false

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2-23	127 AM	230 AM	51-52-54-55	24		Chief Monohan	4495 Shelbyville Road	Apartment house -- working fire, used 400' of 1-1/2" & 450' of 2-1/2" & booster
2-27	1214 PM	1223 PM	51-54-52	25		Lt. Florence	3944 Elmwood Avenue	Emergency illness -- sent to St. Joseph Hospital by St. Matthews Police Dept.
2-28	439 PM	500 PM	54	26		Asst. Chief Kamer	3920 Hycliffe Avenue	Refrigerator leak
3-5	438 PM	515 PM	51-52-54-55	27		Chief Monohan	3727 Lexington Road	Smoke scare, no fire
3-6	828 PM	902 PM	51-54-55	28		Asst. Chief Kamer	4031 Hillsboro Road	Smoky fireplace, no fire
3-6	1034 PM	1050 PM	51-54-55	29		Chief Monohan	809 Browns Lane	Sparks from chimney, no fire
3-10	1118 AM	1156 AM	51-52	30		Lt. Florence	Thierman Lane & Shelbyville Road	Garbage truck -- used booster
3-11	603 PM	620 PM	51-52	31		Chief Monohan	Front of 3909 Frankfort Avenue	Taxi Cab
3-14	1104 AM	1128 AM	Asst. Chief Car	32		Asst. Chief Kamer	211 Iola Road	Gas leak. Checked by Asst. Chief, called gas co.
3-17	534 PM	541 PM	51-54-55-52	33		Chief Monohan	128 Breckinridge Lane	Laundry -- electrical switch box. Louisville FD handled fire
3-22	1057 PM	1123 PM	51	34		Lt. Herdt	434 Club Lane	Residence -- thermostat stuck on furnace
3-23	329 PM	356 PM	51-52	35		Lt. J.E. Kempf	East of Shelbyville Road Plaza 4600 Shelbyville Road	Field -- used booster & brooms
3-23	430 PM	421 PM	51-52	36		Lt. J.E. Kempf	724 Circle Hill Road	Burning trash in yard, used booster & brooms
3-25	640 PM	655 PM	51	37		Capt. Kaster	N.W. corner of Church Way	Weeds, used booster
3-26	1105 AM	1140 AM	51-52	38		Capt. Herdt	Browns Lane	Field -- used booster McMahan FD

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3-27	1007 AM	1020 AM	S1-S2-S4	39		Chief Monohan	4106 Dellridge Avenue	Trash
3-27	310 PM	320 PM	S1-S2	40		Capt. Herdt	6419 Regency Lane	Grass, out on arrival
3-28	1105 AM	1205 PM	S1-S2	41		Capt. Herdt	Rear - Shelbyville Road Plaza 4600 Shelbyville Road	Weeds, burning rubbish, used booster & brooms Called Lyndon FD for water but cancelled
3-18	1225 PM	1235 PM	S4	42		Lt. Joe Kempf	Lexington Road Kroger parking lot	Cab 10 - starter, out on arrival
3-28	219 PM	245 PM	S1-S2-S4	43		Asst. Chief Kainer	4621 Beaver Road	Field - used booster & brooms
3-26	1243 PM		S1-S2	44		Capt. Herdt	Eastwind Road	Vacant lot - out on arrival
3-26	537 PM	600 PM	S1-S2	45		Chief Monohan	Chenoweth School	Trash container - used 2 boosters, called L.F.D.
3-26	255 PM		S1-S2-S4	46		Capt. Herdt	711 Wicklow Road	Carport - used 2 boosters
3-28	749 PM	920 PM	S1-S2	47		Capt. Herdt	Between Calumet & Wigwam Roads on Arrowhead Road	Tree - used 2 boosters
3-28	1153 PM	1255 AM	S4-S1-S2	48		Chief Monohan	4146 Westport Road	Smoke in residence
3-29	125 PM	210 PM	S4-S1	49		Asst. Chief Kainer	129 St. Matthews Avenue Sanders Cleaners	Automatic alarm - alarm trouble
4-1	950 AM	1010 AM	S4-S1	50		Asst. Chief Kainer	4029 St. Ives Court	Residence - extension cord worn out
4-2	725 AM	740 AM	S1-S2-S4-S5	51		Chief Monohan	317 Clover Lane	Residence - divan, used Johnson pump
4-3	940 PM	1105 PM	S1-S2	52		Capt. Westwood	End of Beaver Road	Tree - used 2 boosters
4-5	918 AM	1050 AM	S1-S2	53		Asst. Chief Kainer	409 Breckinridge Lane	Working house fire, used 950' of 2-1/2" 150' of 1-1/2" & booster

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4-5	526 PM	551 PM	S1-S2	54		Asst. Chief Kainer	Swing Lane	Field - used Johnson pump & brooms
4-18	1055 AM	1123 AM	S1-S2	55		Asst. Chief Kainer	2501 Rudy Lane Calvin Presbyterian Church	Field - used Johnson pump
4-20	257 PM	300 PM	S1-S2-S4	56		Asst. Chief Kainer	106 Travois Road	Residence - fire in stove & cabinets, used 2 boosters
4-22	1055 AM	1130 AM	S1-S2-S4	57		Asst. Chief Kainer	4211 Norbourne Blvd.	Medical center - acetylene tank, used booster
4-22	1115 AM	1150 AM	S2-S1-S4	58		Asst. Chief Kainer	Shelbyville Road East Drive-in Theatre	Field fire - called Lyndon FD since all St. M. units were out, later responded
4-22	550 PM	625 PM	S1-S2-S4-S5	59		Chief Monohan	4156 Shelbyville Road Pendergrass Chevrolet	Smoke in sales & garage
4-24	1126 AM	1141 AM	S1-S2	60		Asst. Chief Kainer	42 & Expressway	Trash
4-27	235 PM	249 PM	S1	61		Lt. Walling	453 Swing Lane	Peat moss in rear yard, used Johnson pump
4-28	820 AM	840 AM	S1-S2	62		Capt. Wheeler	Rear 115 Brown Avenue	Rubble pile, burning off rubbish
4-28	1200 AM	1217 AM	S1-S2-S4	63		Chief Monohan	205 Brown Avenue	T.V. set, carried outside & used CO2
4-29	1250 AM	140 AM	S1-S4	64		Capt. Wheeler	Rear 3931 Grandview Avenue	Fire in wall, defective fireplace, used 2 boosters
5-3	302 PM	335 PM	S1-S4	65		Asst. Chief Kainer	Rear 3812 Frankfort Avenue	Tar kettle overflowed, used 2 boosters Louisville FD answered also
5-3	945 PM	1000 PM		66		Asst. Chief Kainer	136 St. Matthews Avenue	Trash outside smoking
5-6	802 AM	820 AM	S4	67		Asst. Chief Kainer	517 Oxford Place	Child locked in bathroom, removed door
5-6	442 PM	456 PM	S1-S2-S4	68		Asst. Chief Kainer	258 Ridgeway Avenue	car

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5-7	845 AM	850 AM		69		Capt. Beam	Expressway	Auto - cigarette, used Johnson pump
5-7	415 PM	424 PM	S1-S2-S4	70		Asst. Chief Kamer	3938 Gilman Avenue	T.V. Set - disconnected
5-8	545 PM	600 PM	S4	71		Chief Monohan	506 Rolling Lane	Smoking flue, damper trouble
5-10	358 PM	410 PM	S1-S4	72		Asst. Chief Kamer	3921 Leland Road	Thermostat stuck on water heater
5-12	447 PM	456 PM	S1-S4	73		Asst. Chief Kamer	427 Bauer Avenue	Food on stove unattended
5-13	855 AM	925 AM	S1-S4	74		Asst. Chief Kamer	507 Hillside Lane	Auto - 60 Corvair, 124-389 Front seat, used booster
5-15	647 PM	714 PM	S1-S4-S5	75		Chief Monohan	4156 Westport Road	Shed - used 2 boosters
5-16	1235 PM	1255 PM	S2-S4-S5	76		Asst. Chief Kamer	4021 Elmwood Avenue	Sump pump - used CO2
5-18	500 PM	510 PM	-	77		Capt. Herdt	115 St. Matthews Avenue	Auto used CO2 (our parking lot)
5-20	140 PM	200 PM	S1-S4	78		Asst. Chief Kamer	333 Ridgeway Avenue, Apt. 1	Apt. House - gas stove
5-24	445 PM	455 PM	S1-S4	79		Lt. Walling	42 & Indian Hills Trail	Malicious false
5-24	446 PM	500 PM	S4	80		Lt. Walling	1702 Sweetbriar Lane	Residence - roof blown off by wind, covered with tarpaulin
6-3	427 PM	445 PM	S1	81		Andriot	4498 Brownsboro Road	Lawn mower - used CO2
6-7	1030 PM	1230 AM	S1	82		Asst. Chief Kamer	Vinecross Avenue in Lyndon	Vacant house, working fire, booster tank. Called by Chief to assist Lyndon FD
6-11	805 PM	820 PM	S1-S2	83		Capt. Herdt	5000 Shelbyville Road	Fire under car. Driver drove away before arrival of department

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6-12	453 PM	500 PM		84		Chief Monohan	Front of 117 St. Matthews Avenue St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Dept.	Auto seat - used Johnson pump
6-15	438 PM	513 PM	S1-S2	85		Lt. Florence	Hwy. 42 & Chenoweth Lane	Auto seat
6-16	305 PM	322 PM	S1-S4-S5	86		Asst. Chief Kamer	W.T. Grants - Shelbyville Road Plaza 4600 Shelbyville Road	Trash container - used 2 boosters
6-21	345 PM	410 PM	S1-S4	87		J.P. Terry	4179 Blenheim Road	Garage - side wall, used garden hose
6-23	700 AM	910 AM	S1-S2-S4-S5	88			4013 Brookfield Road	Water in basement
6-23	700 AM	910 AM		89			3934 Brookfield Road	Water in basement
6-23	700 AM	910 AM		90			4016 Winchester Road	Water in basement
6-23	700 AM	910 AM		91			4431 Shelbyville Road	Water in basement
6-23	700 AM	910 AM		92			#96 Indian Hills Trail	Water in basement
6-23	700 AM	910 AM		93			3727 Gilman Avenue	Water in basement
6-23	700 AM	910 AM		94			116 N. Hubbards Lane	Water in basement Sump pump burnt
6-23	910 AM	210 PM	S2	95			Cordova Road between Beechwood Baptist Church	Water in basement
6-23	945 AM	952 AM	S4	96			127 St. Matthews Avenue Sanders Cleaners	Automatic alarm - accidental false
6-24	1100 AM	1127 AM	S1	97		Capt. Westwood	331 Ridgeway Avenue, Apt. 3	Child in bathroom - used 12' ladder
6-26	601 PM	608 PM	None	98		Lt. Sullivan & Florence	Trinity High School parking lot 4011 Frankfort Avenue	Auto seat - used Johnson pump

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6-29	832 AM	855 AM	S1-S2	99		Capt. Wheeler	Staebler Avenue between St. Matthews Avenue & Chenoweth Lane	Wires - power surge
6-29	250 PM	310 PM	S4-S1-S5	100		Lt. Florence	Norbourne Blvd. & Sherrin Avenue	Scrubs block street
6-30	600 AM	615 AM	S4	101		Chief Monohan	3717 Grandview Avenue	Tree trunk on hot wire
6-30	901 AM	920 AM	S1-S4-S2	102		Capt. Westwood	240 Clover Lane	Residence - motor on washer
6-30	858 PM	922 PM	S4-S1	103		Capt. Kaster	3646 Warner Avenue	Residence - bed mattress, smoking in bed. Used booster & Johnson pump
7-3	1203 PM	1233 PM	S1-S2-S4-S5	104		Capt. Kaster	3934 Gilman Avenue	Residence - working attic fire - lightning, used 1150' of 2-1/2", 200' of 1-1/2", 5 ladders, 4 covers
7-7	748 PM	805 PM	S1-S2	105		Chief Monohan	Off Church Way	Field - boys with matches, used brooms
7-8	533 PM	540 PM	S1-S4	106		Asst. Chief Kamer	314 Brunswick Road	Residence - wires on coffee maker short circuited
7-21	125 PM	215 PM	S4-S1-S5	107		Lt. Florence	3819 Elmwood Avenue	Residence - floor mounted water heater, unprotected floor, used 2 boosters & smoke ejector off SS
7-21	302 PM	320 PM	S4-S1-S5	108		Lt. Florence	431 Highfield Road	Residence - clothes dryer, used CO2
7-26	320 PM	335 PM	S1-S2	109		Andriot	End of Alton Road	Field - out on arrival
7-29	447 PM	517 PM	S1	110		Asst. Chief Kamer	420 Pennington Lane	Lock-in - bedroom
8-2	200 PM	240 PM	S1	111		Schneider & Schultze	Thierman Lane - Sears	Auto accident
8-2	1150 PM	1200 AM	S1	112		Lt. Walling	Tepee Road & Indian Hills Trail	Burning rubbish
8-15	1115 AM	1129 AM	S1-S4	113		Asst. Chief Kamer	4050 Westport Road Twired & Tartan	Office building - awning set by cigarette

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8-18	801 AM	815 AM	S4-S1	114		Lt. Walling	3717 Lexington Road	Building full of smoke, no fire Sent home by Capt. Funk, LFD
8-20	658 PM	720 PM	S1-S2-S4	115		Chief Monohan	On expressway over US 60	Rubble from wrecked building
8-21	305 PM	330 PM	S4-S1	116		Chief Monohan	4126 Shelbyville Road	Vacant residence - furniture in building Used Johnson pump and booster
8-21	1011 PM	1042 PM	S1-S4-S2	117		Chief Monohan	Willis Avenue & Breckinridge Lane	Used booster to wash spilled gasoline off street
8-22	1040 AM	1105 AM	S1-S4	118		Asst. Chief Kamer	98 Warrior Road	Lawn mower ignited spilled gasoline Used CO2
8-22	432 PM	457 PM		119		Asst. Chief Kamer	Breckinridge Lane & Plymouth Road	Report of boys in sewer manhole. Found no one
8-23	905 PM	1010 PM	S1-S2-S4-S5	120		Asst. Chief Kamer	3722 Lexington Road Canary Cottage	Restaurant - attic, insulation
8-24	915 AM	935 AM	S1-S4	121		Lt. Florence	135 Indian Hills Trail	Shrubbery, used booster
8-24	1120 AM	1205 AM	S1-S4	122		Asst. Chief Kamer	Hempstead & Tuckahoe Roads	Catapult Digger - ignited spilled gasoline Used CO2 & booster
8-24	501 PM	625 PM	S1-S4-S2	123		Capt. Kaster	4609 Tween Road	Working house fire in basement, used 800' of 2-1/2" & 700' of 1-1/2"
8-28	334 PM	443 PM	S1-S4-S2	124		Chief Monohan	Shelbyville Road Plaza 4600 Shelbyville Road	Straw pile for "needle in haystack" contest started by smoking, used 2 boosters
8-28	900 PM	1050 PM	S1	125		Capt. Kaster	Shelbyville Road Plaza 4600 Shelbyville Road	Straw pile for "needle in haystack" contest started by smoking, used booster
8-29	220 PM	240 PM	S1-S2-S4	126		Lt. Walling	3500-3600 Hillsboro Road	Field - boys with matches, used 2 boosters
8-31	1100 AM	1115 AM	S1-S4	127		Capt. Wheeler	4015 Brookfield Road	Play house. Used booster, children of 4012 Leland Road set fire.
8-31	628 PM	659 PM	S1-S4-S2	128		Chief Monohan	4170 Shelbyville Road Pryor's Restaurant	Restaurant - around air ducts on roof, used booster

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9-2	852 PM	912 PM	51-54	129		Chief Monohan	3421 Hycliffe Avenue	Auto – short in wiring, used CO2
9-4	739 AM	805 AM	51-54-55	130		Chief Monohan	Howard Johnson's 4621 Shelbyville Road	Auto
9-5	1127 PM	105 AM	51-52-54-55 & City of Louisville	131		Chief Monohan	3640 Brownsboro Road Neimier Planing Mill	Working fire – planing mill – used 1-1/2" & 2-1/2" lines – City of Louisville territory
9-6	1149 AM	1208 PM	51-52	132		Asst. Chief Kerner	156 Thierman Lane	Field – burning rubbish, used booster
9-6	235 PM	305 PM	51-52	133		Asst. Chief Kerner	Hwy. 42 & Chenoweth Lane	Field – used 2 boosters
9-7	422 PM	450 PM	51-54-52	134		Lt. Walling	440 Highfield Road	Residence – fuse panel, improperly fused, used CO2
9-14	944 PM	1029 PM	51-52-54	135		Chief Monohan	712 Rudy Lane	Auto
9-15	300 PM	320 PM	51-52	136		Asst. Chief Kerner	Rear Shelbyville Road Plaza 4600 Shelbyville Road	Trash basket in field, used 2 boosters
9-15	1036 PM	1106 PM	51-52-54-55	137		Asst. Chief Kerner	Frankfort & Fairlawn Avenues	Tarpaulins on brush pile, used booster
9-16	230 PM	245 PM	51-52	138		Asst. Chief Kerner	North side of Frankfort Avenue at Cannons Lane – on railroad	Weeds on railroad tracks, used 2 boosters
9-24	242 PM		55-54-52	139		Asst. Chief Kerner	223 Oxford Place	Residence – food on the stove
9-24	659 PM		52-55	140		Asst. Chief Kerner	433 Oxford Place	Trash, used booster, owner claims did not call
9-26	728 PM	748 PM	51-52-54	141		Lt. Walling	102 Gibson Road	Weeds, used booster
10-2	307 PM	320 PM	51-52-54	142		Chief Monohan	205 Ridgeway Avenue	Trash can, children with matches, out on arrival
10-3	455 PM	610 PM	51-52-54-55	143		Asst. Chief Kerner	Our Lady of Lourdes 500 Breckinridge Lane	Church & school – working fire Used 800' of 2-1/2", 300' of 1-1/2", 35' & aerial

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10-4	105 PM	115 PM	51-54	144		Capt. Wheeler	4300 Briarwood Road	T.V. Set
10-4	150 PM	210 PM	51-54	145		Schneider	203 Ahland Road	Clothes dryer
10-6	1105 AM	1115 AM	51	146		Martin	Colony Way	Auto – backfire, no filter Used CO2
10-9	830 PM	845 PM		147		Capt. Kaster	493 Lightfoot Road (Louisville)	Child locked in bathroom City of Louisville area
10-17	600 PM	635 PM	55	148		George Haerlein	107 Ridgeway Avenue	Lock out – used 16' ladder
10-19	745 PM	755 PM	Drive-in	149		Asst. Chief Kerner	Front of Firehouse 117 St. Matthews Avenue	Auto – rear seat ignited by cigarette Used Johnson pump
10-20	1207 PM	1224 PM	51-54	150		Asst. Chief Kerner	508 Bauer Avenue	Residence – furnace control defective Used CO2
10-20	155 PM	220 PM	51-54	151		Asst. Chief Kerner	3809 Frankfort Avenue White Castle	Grease duct, used smoke ejector
10-21	905 AM	920 AM	54-52	152		Lt. Walling	233 Breckinridge Lane	Auto – spilled antifreeze, used booster
10-22	1130 AM	1145 AM	54	153		Chief Monohan	Parking lot & Westport Road	Auto, motor, used CO2
10-22	947 PM	958 PM	51-52-54	154		Chief Monohan	4050 Westport Road Tweed & Tartan	Awning – used Johnson pump
10-22	342 PM	409 PM	51-52	155		Lt. Walling	Hubbards Lane & Norbourne Blvd	Auto – air filter, used CO2
10-23	504 PM	537 PM	51-52-54	156		Chief Monohan	Cherrywood Road & Massie Avenue	Field – used booster & brooms
10-23	1025 AM	1048 AM	51-52-54-55	157		Chief Monohan	Rear 3922 Frankfort Avenue	Trash at rear of building, used booster LFD responded
10-23	805 PM	827 PM	51-54	158		Chief Monohan	Indian Hills Trail north of Teepee Road	Weeds, used brooms

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10-24	434 AM	453 AM	S1-S2	159		Chief Monohan	Rear 3954 Massie Avenue	Field -- used booster
10-26	458 PM	520 PM	S4-S1-S2	160		Capt. Herdt	3921 Brookfield Road	Washing machine motor
10-27	417 PM	435 PM	No apparatus	161		Lt. Florence	At 3949 Frankfort Avenue	Auto
11-2	515 PM	540 PM		162		Capt. Herdt	4160 Shelbyville Road	Auto
11-3	949 PM	1004 PM	S4-S1-S2	163		Chief Monohan	314 Chenoweth Lane	Residence -- furnace motor, used CO2
11-4	1123 AM	1149 AM	S1-S2	164		Paul Sauer	113 Blankenbaker Lane	Leaves in yard ignited by cigarette Used garden hose
11-4	105 PM	226 PM	S1-S2	165		Paul Sauer	North of 42 & Hubbards Lane	Field -- wooded section, boys with matches Used booster & 1-1/2" S2 broke down on way
11-4	355 PM	425 PM	S1-S4	166		Florence	3705 Winchester Road	Dishwasher motor
11-4	636 PM	646 PM	S1-S4	167		Capt. Westwood	#21 Shelbyville Road Plaza 4600 Shelbyville Road	Paper crate in rear, used booster
11-7	1210 PM	1215 PM	S1-S4	168		Lt. Walling	143 Chenoweth Lane	Malicious false
11-7	1215 PM	1220 PM	S1-S4	169		Asst. Chief Kainer	146 Chenoweth Lane	Malicious false -- no such number
11-8	947 AM	1009 AM	S1-S2-S6	170		Asst. Chief Kainer	Massie Avenue & Cherrywood Road	Field -- used booster
11-8	105 PM	124 PM	S1-S2	171		Asst. Chief Kainer	Rear 119 McArthur Drive	Field -- used booster
11-11	645 PM	700 PM	S1-S4	172		Chief Monohan	Indian Hills Trail & Rio Vista Drive	Malicious false
11-12	1248 PM	1258 PM	S1-S2-S6	173		Capt. Westwood	Rear, Beechwood Baptist Church	Field -- used booster

1960 ST. MATTHEWS FIRE RUNS

DATE	TIME	1008 TIME	COMPANIES RESPONDED	Run #	NO OF FF'S	OFFICER IN CHARGE	STREET ADDRESS Or LOCATION	NARRATIVE
11-12	639 PM	650 PM	S1-S2-S4-S5	174		Chief Monohan	131 Gibson Road	Residence -- storage under steps, child with matches Used booster
11-15	1100 AM	1125 AM	S1-S2	175		Asst. Chief Kainer	4106 Dellridge Avenue	Field -- burning rubbish, used booster
11-15	1110 AM	1130 AM	S1	176		Asst. Chief Kainer	Rear -- 2205 Ardsvley Road	Field -- out on arrival
11-15	745 PM	845 PM	S1-S2	177		Asst. Chief Kainer	Indian Hills Trail	Rubbish -- burning off lot for construction, used 2 boosters
11-17	519 PM	545 PM	S1-S2-S4	178		Capt. Herdt	320 Blankenbaker Lane	Residence -- furnace motor, used CO2
11-18	612 PM	627 PM	S1-S2-S4	179		Chief Monohan	3512 Hycliffe Avenue	Garage -- falling hot blow torch Used booster & CO2
11-19	1121 PM	1139 PM	S1-S2-S4-S5	180		Chief Monohan	3932 Frankfort Avenue	Light transformer, disconnected City of Louisville area
11-22	355 PM	415 PM	S1-S2	181		Asst. Chief Monohan	Frankfort Avenue & Fairlawn Road	Auto -- wiring, used CO2
11-23	1040 AM	1105 AM	S1	182		Andriot	209 Daleview Lane	Child locked in bedroom -- out on arrival
11-24	553 PM	630 PM	S1-S2-S4	183		Chief Monohan	Railroad & Chenoweth Lane	Auto
11-28	456 PM	510 PM	S1-S4	184		Lt. Foley	3906 Elfin Avenue	Grease on stove, out on arrival Called by LFD
11-29	1215 PM	1237 PM	S1-S4	185		Asst. Chief Kainer	501 Fairlawn Road	Auto -- cushions, used Johnson pump
12-2	105 PM	140 PM	S1-S2	186		Asst. Chief Kainer	1305 Browns Lane	Field -- 2 boosters Called McMahan FD first
12-2	422 PM	427 PM	S1	187		Capt. Kaster	4010 Frankfort Avenue	Auto -- wiring under hood
12-4	213 PM	227 PM	S1-S2	188		Capt. Herdt	Along roadside 4211 Frankfort Avenue	Weeds along the highway Used booster

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DATE	TIME	1008 TIME	COMPANIES RESPONDED	Run #	NO OF FF'S	OFFICER IN CHARGE	STREET ADDRESS Or LOCATION	NARRATIVE
12-5	820 PM	844 PM	51-52-54	189		Chief Monohan	3346 Dayton Avenue	Residence -- electric stove, short in wiring Used CO2
12-7	136 PM	158 PM	54-51	190		Lt. Florence	3918 Staebler Avenue	New electric stove smoking
12-7	159 PM	214 PM	51-54	191		Capt. Wheeler	3205 Mockingbird Lane	Smoking furnace LFD took over fire -- Q6 -- E21 -- Car 52
12-8	1220 PM	105 PM	51-52-54	192		Asst. Chief Kemer	4042 Ormond Road	Electric stove, short in wiring
12-9	1149 PM	1203 AM	51-52-54	193		Chief Monohan	501 Eline Avenue	Gas vapors from furnace
12-11	655 PM	715 PM	55	194		Lt. Walling	Brookfield Road & St. Matthews Avenue	Effigy in tree -- pranksters Still alarm called by Jefferson Co. Police
12-13	816 PM	835 PM	51-54-55	195		Asst. Chief Kemer	254 Ridgeway Avenue	Residence -- sparks from chimney - soot
12-13	1042 PM	1056 PM	51-54-55	196		Chief Monohan	3512 Warner Avenue	Malicious false
12-14	221 PM	240 PM	51-52	197		Lt. Florence	3533 Dayton Avenue	Rear yard -- burning rubbish
12-15	835 PM	917 PM	51-52-54-55	198		Chief Monohan	3934 Brownsboro Road Whispering Hills Liquor Store	Store -- light fixture transformer, defect in wiring, removed fuse
12-19	940 AM	950 AM	51-52	199		Capt. Wheeler	R.R. tracks, city line & Frankfort Avenue	Weeds
12-19	758 PM	813 PM	51-52-54-55	200		Asst. Chief Kemer	2501 Rudy Lane Calvin Presbyterian Church	Overheated water heater
12-23	925 AM	955 AM	51-54	201		Lt. Walling	214 Sequoia Road	Residence -- electrical outlet in bathroom shorted out
12-23	125 PM	225 PM	51-54	202		Lt. Florence	4002 Napanee Road	Insulation -- Mose Frank thawing pipes with torch Used booster
12-23	750 PM	815 PM	51-54	203		Capt. Herdt	4600 Blenheim Road	Christmas wreath light, frayed electrical cord

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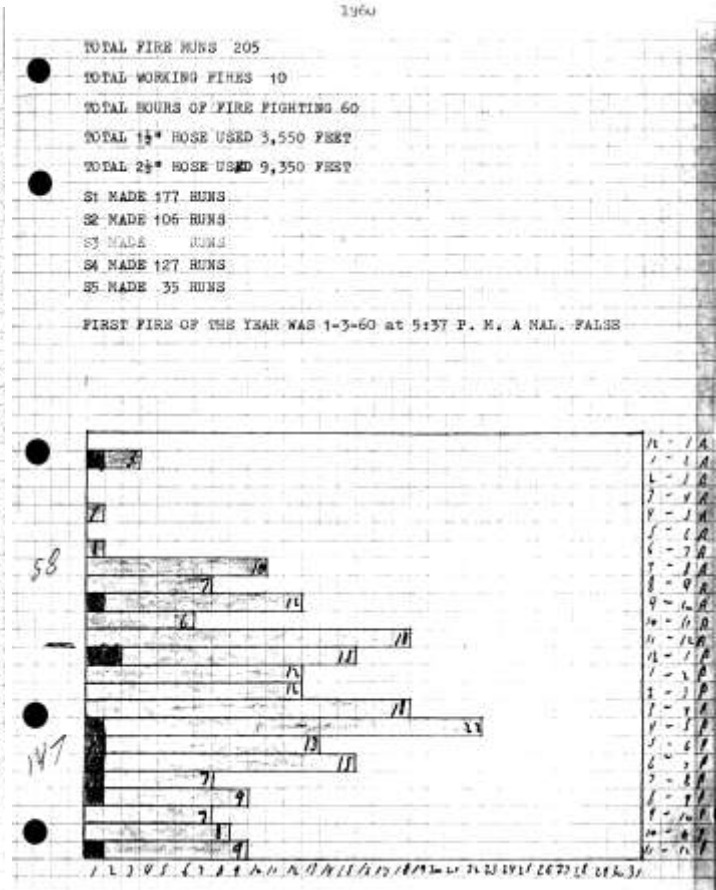
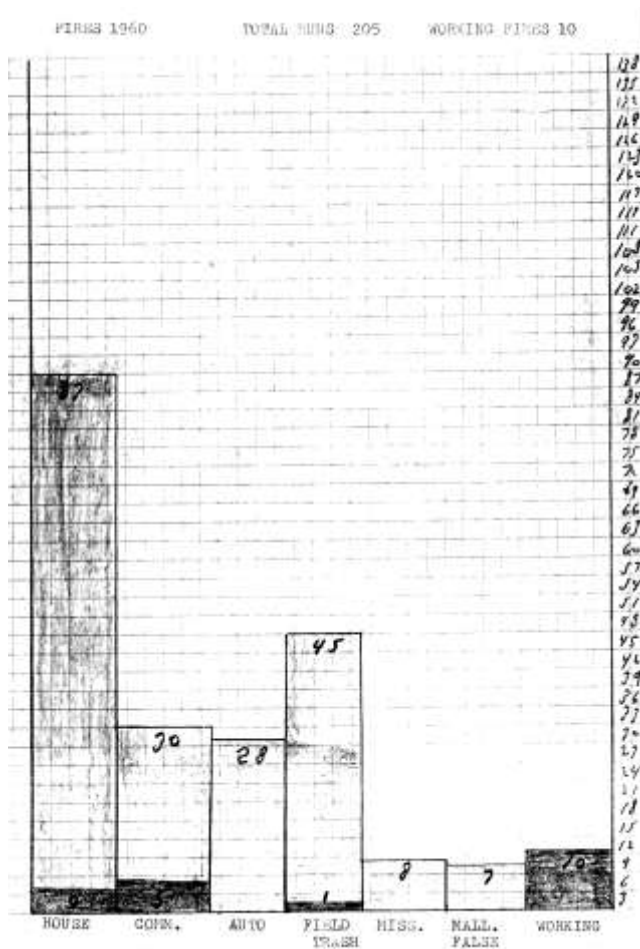
DATE	TIME	1008 TIME	COMPANIES RESPONDED	Run #	NO OF FF'S	OFFICER IN CHARGE	STREET ADDRESS Or LOCATION	NARRATIVE
12-27	1148 PM	100 AM	51-54-56	204		Chief Monohan	Vinecrest Avenue Lyndon	Barn fire -- called by Chief of Lyndon FD 50' of 2-1/2", 200' of 1-1/2", 200' booster
12-28	1230 PM	120 PM	51-52-56	205		Asst. Chief Monohan	2509 Windy Way	Fireplace leak -- used smoke ejector

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FIRE DEPARTMENT		FROM April 5 1960		TO May 6 1960													
Part of Building Where Fire Started	CAUSE	Extinguished by B. Bucket C. Chemicals H. Hydraulic Hose P. Pump S. Sprinklers	Number of Hydrants Available	Hoses Pumped Worked	Size and Kind of Hose Used	Size and Number of Ladders Used	Gallons of Chemicals Used	BUILDINGS				CONTENTS				SPECIAL NOTES	
								Estimated Value	Insurance Carried	Estimated Loss	Insurance Paid	Estimated Value	Insurance Carried	Estimated Loss	Insurance Paid		
54	Trash	Not determined	J.P. 10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Radio - FIRE
55	Trash	Not det.	J.P. 10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
56	Stove + Cabinet	Not det.	B+B	1	10 th	B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
57	Argument	Not det.	B	2	10 th	B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
58	Trash	Not det.	B	2	10 th	B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
59	Field	Not det.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Called London Union all Ltr. later called Keopozed
60	Smoke	Not det.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
61	Trash	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
62	Best room	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
63	In yard	Spou. Squ. Burnt off	J.P. 10	1	no	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
64	Boysville	Parting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
65	Field	Barrel	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
66	TV set	Best	102	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
67	On	refrigerator	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
68	Wall	Fire place	B+B	2	30 th	B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
69	Gas fired	Fire place	B+B	2	30 th	B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
70	Two rooms	Fire place	B+B	2	30 th	B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
71	Two rooms	Fire place	B+B	2	30 th	B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
72	Two rooms	Fire place	B+B	2	30 th	B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
73	Two rooms	Fire place	B+B	2	30 th	B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
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78	Two rooms	Fire place	B+B	2	30 th	B	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
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	Part of Building Where Fire Started	CAUSE	Incorporated by A. Bowler C. Chavira H. Puffer-Duncan P. Pomper S. Spradlin	Number of Hydrants Available	Hours Pumping Worked	Size and Feet of Hose Used	Size and Number of Ladders Used	Volume of Chemicals Used	INSURANCE RECORD								SPECIAL NOTES
									BUILDINGS				CONTENTS				
									Estimated Value	Insurance Carried	Estimated Loss	Insurance Paid	Estimated Policy	Insurance Collected	Estimated Loss	Insurance Paid	
69	Floor heat	Cigarette	JOP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Radios Five Only
70	Tx set	-	this room +	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" "
71	Screwdriver	Dampener	Hutchings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" " "
72	Electric Heater	Thermocouple stuck	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" " "
73	Food can stove	Smoldered	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" " "
74	Eat seat	Hot detergent	B-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" " "
75	Lump	-	A-A	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" " "
76	Pumps	-	bce	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" " "
77	Car battery	Leakage	bcr	2	20	-	The Parking lot -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" " "
78	Gas stove	Lint buildup	-	2	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" " "
79	Metal Faber	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" " "
80	Roof off	by debris	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" " "
81	Power House	wal plot	bcr	1	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	" " "
82	Complete Fabrication	Synthetic Report At Taint	O	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Called by chief to assist Synthetic Fibre Dept.
83	Can	Provision down away	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	before removal of Rept.

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FIRE RECORD OF <i>STMFD Dept</i>															
Date	Time	Alarm by Phone or Box No.	COMPANIES RESPONDED Co. No. and Type	Time Arrived	Time Discharged	Hours of Service	Miles Traveled	Officer in Charge	Kind of Building or Property	STREET ADDRESS OR LOCATION	OWNER	OCCUPIED BY	Purpose Used For	*Served to Other Buildings Yes or No	
6/10/60	AS	Radio 4:50 PM	Fire Alarm 4:50 PM	5:00 PM	5:00 PM	0		Chief	Auto	Front 117 St 100 W	Dennis Cunningham	same	Auto		
6/12/60	AS	Radio 4:50 PM	SI + 2	4:50 PM	5:00 PM	10	1	St. Flannery	Auto	Maple + Channing	Stewart Long	same	Auto		
6/16/60	Phone	3:50 PM	SI - 1 + 5	3:50 PM	5:00 PM	10	2	Chief	Store	Shelbyville Plaza	W.S. Beardsley	same	Store	100	
6/21/60	Phone	3:45 PM	SI + 4	3:45 PM	4:50 PM	25	2	Flannery	Garage	4179 Blankenship	R.D. Kerner	same	Garage	50	
6/23/60	Radio	7:00 AM	SI - 5 - 4 + 5	7:00 AM	9:00 AM	2:00	-		Water	11013 Brentford					
										3932 "					
										11016 Winchell					
										1431 Shelbyville					
										96 Indian Hill					
										3777 Britton					
										116 W. Hubbard					
										Corbin + Britton	Beckman + Popple				
6/24/60	Radio	9:25 PM	SI - 2	9:25 PM	9:50 PM	7:00	0	Chief	Blowers	127 W. Ave	Lawrence Blowers	same	Blowers	100	
6/24/60	Radio	11:00 PM	SI - 1	11:00 PM	11:30 PM	30	1	Western	Apartment	331 Redgum	Mrs. R.T. W. Allen	same	Apartment	100	
6/24/60	Radio	6:00 PM	No	6:00 PM	6:00 PM	8	0	St. Flannery	Auto	Summit St	Theodore Speller	57 - 786	Auto		
TOTALS															

After 7 am
appears to be
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all
Water
in
Basement

FIRE DEPARTMENT FROM <i>June 17th 1960</i> TO <i>June 26th 1960</i>															
Part of Building Where Fire Started	CAUSE	Involvement by: 1. Smolder 2. Chemical 3. Electrical 4. Heat 5. Other	Number of Hydrants Available	Pumpers Worked	Size and Kind of Hose Used	Size and Number of Ladders Used	Surface of Chemical Used	INSURANCE RECORD							
								BUILDINGS				CONTENTS			
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10	Seat	big	JP	2	0	-	-								
10	Seat	Not determined													
16	Trash	Not determined	10	5	10	3	-								
16	Garage	Not determined	10	5	10	3	-								
17	Auto	Not determined	10	5	10	3	-								
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26															
27	Accidental	Submarine													
28	Fallen	Frame													
29	Bath														
30	Seat	Not determined	JP												

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FROM Aug-18

TO Aug. 31 - 1960

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* If a firm responds to other institutions within a reasonable period of time, it will be able to avoid the costs of a full-scale investigation.

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January 1961: Phil Schneider became secretary for Firefighters, Inc. He held that position for many years.

January 5, 1961, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*: January 12, 1961, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

St. M. Firemen make 33 more runs in 1960

The St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department made 33 more runs in 1960 than it did the previous year. The department made 205 runs in 1960 against 172 in 1959.

The firemen made three runs in the past week. On Dec. 27 they were called at 11:48 p.m. to assist the Lyndon Department with a fire which destroyed a barn on Vinecrest Avenue in Lyndon. On Dec. 28 at 12:30 p.m., they were called to 2509 Windy Way, for a smoky fireplace.

The first run of the new year was made on Jan. 2, at 1:19 p.m. at 305 N. Hubbards Lane, where fire started in a chimney from burning paper in the fireplace.

St. M. firemen name officers

Line officers of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Association were elected last week.

Elected captain for a four-year term was Rannie Florence, a St. Matthews police officer of 200 Sherrin Ave. He had been lieutenant for the last four of his seven years with the fire association.

Also named a captain was Robert Walling, 122 Fairmeade Rd., for a one-year term. He has been a fireman for the past four years — two of which he served as a lieutenant.

Bill Andriot, 4035 Massie J. C., was named a lieutenant for a four-year term, and J. P. Terry, 119 Ridgeway, to a one-year term. Andriot has been a fireman for three years, and Terry, who has held the offices of lieutenant and captain, has been a fireman for 20 years.

The fire association also announced that department personnel had served a total of 2,030.4 man hours last year. There were 988.6 man hours on emergency runs, 1600 on training, 269 in special training, and 172.8 on preventive maintenance. Manhours toward public service of a civic nature are not included in the total, but it was noted that the department has participated in the WHAS Crusade for Children, among others.

During the year the average firemen responded to 67 runs. However, there were at least eight firemen who responded to more than 50 percent of the emergency runs.

Lt. Andriot led the group with 166 runs answered, Capt. Walling answered 143, and others in the 50 percent or above bracket were: Paul Dillman, 107; Lt. Florence, 113; Capt. Rich Herdt, 111; Jack Monohan, 113; Phil Schneider, 114, and William "Pop" Wriwers, 113.

Letter To Editor

Wants 'Countrified' Steps at curbs removed in St. M.

Dear Sir:

The influential eclet of the widely publicized St. Matthews area, should smartly aspire to a few imperative civic improvements consistent to their progressive section, by inducing their officials to eliminate the countrified three-step curbing to the sidewalks on both sides of Shelbyville Road at Breckinridge Lane, which are not only very dangerous for bus riders, but quite unsightly for such a distinctive suburb, as are the irregular foot paths and puddling intersections of the rutty unpaved streets, which the builders and galaxy of residents have long been allowed to improvise in their conglomerate architectural renovations.

The three-step elevated sidewalks could readily be lowered by placing ramps inside the storks as a necessary avoidance to pedestrian accidents and the

looming foundation space beneath the show windows, could be cemented and hidden with shrub and flower planters creating an attractive feature.

Also from the ever increasing property taxation in the general St. Matthews area, certainly a sufficient reservation should be made possible for street lights especially at all crossings and at least one fully equipped and manned paid fire station, rather than arousing the entire vicinity with agonizing fire sirens to call volunteers to rush madly to their headquarters, whose slow responses frequently reek heavy conflagrations.

Animate yourselves, all ye faithful St. Matthews enthusiasts toward such pre-requisites consisted to your over-rated territory.

Sincerely,

H. K. Read
3757 Craig Ave.

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January 12, 1961, Board meeting:

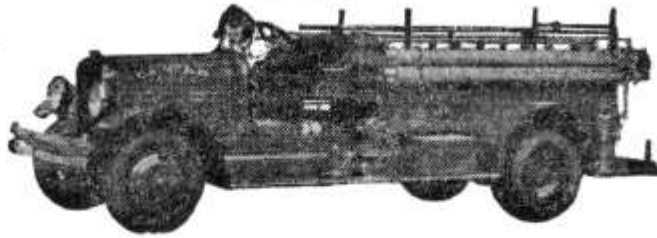
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MARTY KAMER

P. O. Box 115

St. Matthews, Ky

The regular monthly meeting of the directors of the St. Matthews Vol Fire Dept. held at fire house Jan 12 1961.

Directors Present;

John Monohan
Fred Boss
Marty Kamer.

Henry Monohan
W. Leland Wilson

Meeting called to order by Pres. Monohan
Minutes of meeting held Dec 8 1960 read by Pres. Monohan. Motion Made by Mr. Boss and seconded By Mr Henry Monohan that they be accepted as read.

A financial report of 1960 was read by Pres Monohan.

Pres. Monohan reported that he is working with an architect for building addition to the fire house and hopes to have definite plans available for our Feb. meeting.

There being no further business motion made by Mr. Boss and seconded by Mr Wilson that meeting be adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

Marty Kamer Acting sec'y.

Reread and approved by

Geo E Miller

Sec'y.

"ORGANIZED FOR YOUR PROTECTION"

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January 12, 1961, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

Volunteer firemen have served St. Matthews well

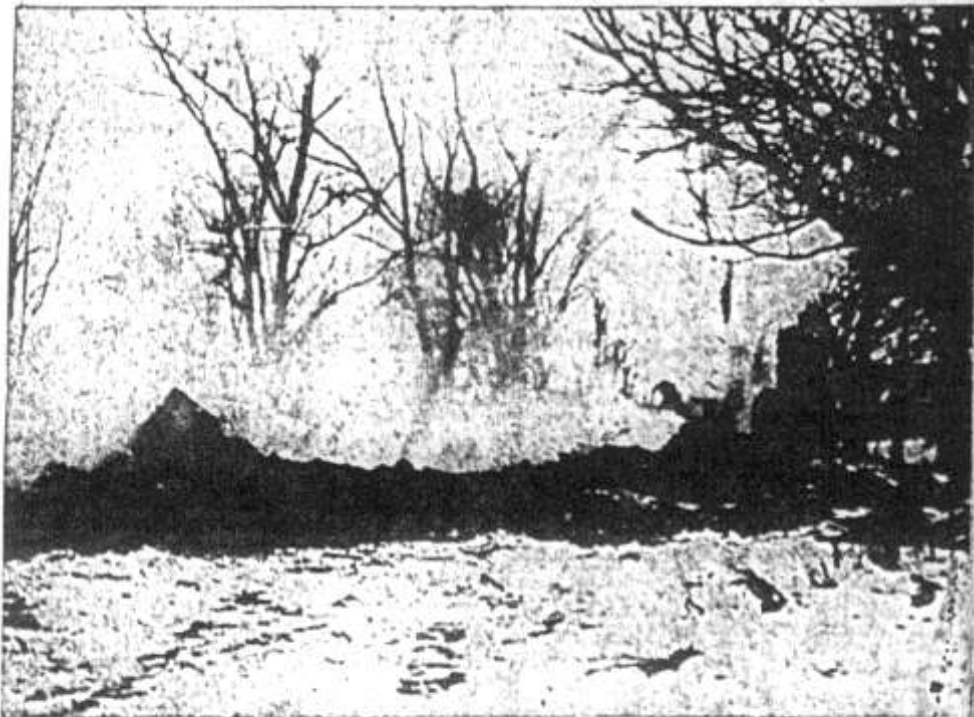
Residents in St. Matthews generally are well satisfied with their Volunteer Fire Department — contrary to the belief of Mr. H. K. Read, who last week took the City to task, among other things, for not having a fully-manned fire station. While we normally don't comment on letters to the editor, we take exception to Mr. Read's proposal, as we are sure he doesn't have all the story about the volunteer firemen.

Actually the firemen don't have to be defended in St. Matthews and the areas they serve, for the people know from past experience the firemen have performed their task well over the years.

Last year is a good example. The firemen made over 200 runs and of the lot there were only four fires that resulted in any great loss—and that was because of factors involved that firemen can't control. That the loss was no greater is a tribute to their proficiency in getting to the scene and bringing the fires under control. There is no indication that a paid manned fire station could have done any more.

The firemen are a proud organization who work hard at being firemen. They have served St. Matthews well.

February 2, 1961, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:



Another residential building gone. A wrecking crew lets debris burn after it caught fire Tuesday while they were cleaning up the last remains of a house owned by J. Graham Brown on Shelbyville Road, just east of the St. Matthews Woman's Club home. The house at one time was the clubhouse of the Squires Club—a group of college students.

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February 9, 1961, Board meeting:

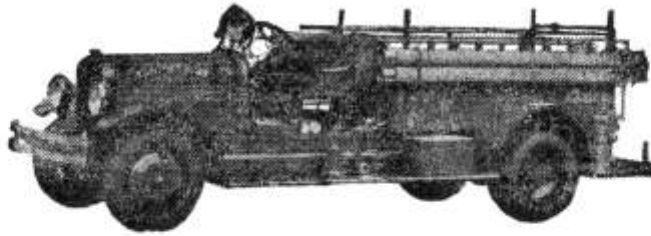
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P. O. Box 115
St. Matthews, Ky.

February 10, 1961

Meeting of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Association Board of Directors
held February 9, 1961 at the Fire House.

Directors present:

George Miller	Joe Zehnder	Marty Kemer
J. P. Terry	John Monohan	W. Leland Wilson

Minutes of last meeting held January 12, 1961, read by President Monohan.
Motion Made by Mr. Miller seconded by J. P. Terry that they be accepted as read.

Motion made by Mr. Terry, recorded by Mr. Zehnder that we increase Fire Dues from \$3 to \$5 and those who have been paying \$5 to \$10 effective on all next due dates.

Mr. Monohan was instructed to negotiate for 6 walkie talkies for the fire department.

There being no further business a motion was made by Mr. Terry recorded by Joe Zehnder that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

George Miller
George Miller, Secretary

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Letter To Editor

Firemen needed

Dear Sir:

The purpose of this letter is to focus your attention on a somewhat neglected aspect of suburban community life — the Volunteer Fire Department.

Many of St. M.'s businesses are represented on the Fire Department. Surprisingly, the newer businesses are somewhat conspicuous by the absence of any of their employees on the Department. Many of our present firemen work in St. M. but live elsewhere. Their employers have generously consented to their participation in the community's protection. These employers have demonstrated their feeling for the community's safety. Can you, who employ one hundred or more men say that it is impossible for you when most of these employers have small staffs. I am sure that men are on your payroll who would be interested and dedicated firemen if they knew that "the boss" wouldn't mind.

What I would have you gentlemen do is establish a company policy whereby your employees will know that you would look with favor on their joining the volunteer fire department. Your company would be doing the community a grand service on the highest plain with your efforts in philanthropy. And I'll bet the sight of a fire coat with your store's name on it would stir no ill will when the man wearing it was rescuing a neighbor or extinguishing a fire.

We of Louisville and Jefferson county find ourselves in a situation wherein highly developed urban centers are still protected by volunteer fire departments. We are no exception. Nationally more than sixty per cent of all fire protection is provided by volunteer or call firemen.

men.

The existing situation could easily be solved, you say, by installing paid firemen. The political and financial facts of life are simply that no single political entity, Louisville, Fourth Class or Sixth Class city exists which could efficiently and legally provide fire service as we now enjoy it.

Why do I ask you for "working-hours" firemen? In St. M. during working hours there are more than 7,000 children attending classes in 8 schools or institutions. Your own businesses number many hundreds of life-loss potential; there are 6,000 plus homes with sub-school age children playing and housewives working with electrical and other appliances.

The St. M. F. D. has an annual attrition of 12 per cent. This figure (when you see the number of 10-20 year men) means that our strength is rounded out by men who serve and are separated early because they move away, because their occupations change, etc. This constant turnover compels us to remind you as managers, as neighbors, and as benefited property holders, that the community needs your cooperation in this area of its protection.

How much company time would be involved? Well, none for training. It would be expected that the employee would be personally interested enough to meet the training requirements on his own time. As to the time spent on fire runs, the following information on last year's runs is provided.

St. M. V. F. D. made 205 runs in 1960. Only half were during daylight hours or ordinary business hours when your employees would be needed. The average run lasted only 18 minutes. Many runs are over in 5 minutes. Only about 6 fires in 1960 were large property loss cases where the run lasted for any length of time. This would mean that every third day, your employee-fireman would get an extra coffee break. Is this too much to ask? How much time is devoted to public relations, fund raising, office parties, civic luncheons, businessmen's associations, etc.

I hope the coming months will find your company represented at a Tuesday night training session at the Fire Department. I am sure any technical difficulties relating to this problem can be overcome. The community needs your help.

Robert C. Buenzel
Private, St. M. V. F. D.



Typical of most motorists Saturday during the heaviest snow in many years was the immobility of this car in front of the Voice's office on Meridian Ave. Just about everybody who travelled had to dig, push and sometimes pray to get moving.



By Monday much of the snow had turned to mush and water. Here St. Matthews Works Department crewmen remove snow on Frankfort Avenue. Literally tons of snow was removed in this manner.

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March 9, 1961: Board meeting:

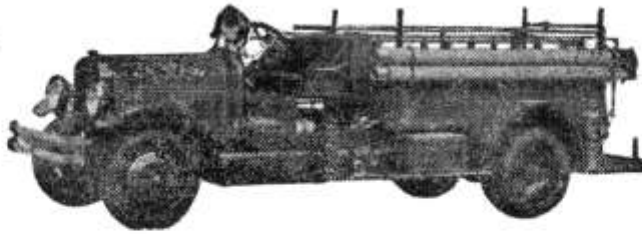
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~~117 St. Matthews Ave.~~ 117 ST. MATTHEWS AVE.
St. Matthews, Ky.

The regular monthly meeting of St. Matthews Vol. Fire Ass. was held on March 9, 1961 at the fire station.

Directors present:

John Monohan	Marty Kamer
Fred Boss	Henry Monohan
W. Leland Wilson	Joe. Zehnder
J. P. Terry	

Pres. Monohan reported that Mr. Geo. Miller was ill and was confined at Baptist Hospital.

Minutes of Feb. 12 meeting was read by Pres. Monohan. Motion made by Mr. Wilson and seconded by Mr. Zehnder that minutes be accepted as read.

Motion made by Mr. Terry and seconded by Henry Monohan that the age limit for men joining the fire dept. be dropped from 21 years of age to 18 years.

Pres. Monohan presented plans and blue prints for new addition to fire house.

No further business, motion was made by Mr. Zehnder and seconded by Mr. Terry that meeting be ajourned. ✓

Respectfully Submitted
Acting Sect.
Marty Kamer

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March 16, 1961, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Small shopping center plan for Hubbard Lane

Some 15-20 stores planned this year

A neighborhood shopping center of about 40,000 square feet of floor space is planned to go up this year on land in front of the Louisville Builders Supply Co. block plant on Hubbard Lane.

F. W. Owens Jr., 4627 Beaver Rd., who is handling the leasing of the business units for his brother, C. L. Owens, 809 Lula Rd., who owns the property, estimated that there will be from 15 to 20 business units in the center. But he added that that will depend upon how much space each of the units will want. He said that plans are only in the drawing stage and as yet aren't fully developed.

Mr. Owens said that construction should get under way within 60 to 90 days and is planned to be completed by January next year. He said, however, that part of the units should be operating before then.

While no firms have as yet signed for any of the units, he said that he had been contacted by numerous firms wanting space, adding that he had not had any building plans to present to prospective lessees.

The center will front on Hubbard Lane with the lumber

company's block plant to the rear. An entrance to the block plant will be eliminated and an entrance to the plant provided off Blenheim Road when the center is constructed, he said. The block plant will be hidden from view from Hubbard Lane when the center is completed, he said.

The buildings will be constructed on a split-level plan, with the lower level being to

the rear. The buildings will be of block and marbled tile. Mr. Owens said that the design of the store fronts are yet to be decided.

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Mr. Owens said he anticipated that most of the businesses there would be small, such as a beauty parlor, dress shops, etc., but he added that plans are to include a super market and space for offices.

He was unable to say just how much parking space would be available but he said that there would be ample room, with parking both front and rear.

Bensinger's to take over DeLaney store

Bensinger's comes to St. Matthews next Monday!

The Bensinger Outfitting Co. has bought the inventory, fixtures, and lease of the DeLaney Furniture Co., and taken over the St. Matthews store next Monday. Dean DeLaney, owner of the company, said Bensinger's also have stores downtown, in Shively, Jeffersonville, and Madison, Ind.

Charles Bensinger, president of his company, told *The Voice* that the name of the big five-level store at 4266 Shivelyville Road will be changed to Bensinger's as soon as possible, but the actual change in name may not be made for 30 to 60 days.

With this change of ownership, St. Matthews will continue to be

known as a retail furniture center, a reputation which it has been gradually creating from downtown Louisville.

Central Furniture Co., and United Furniture Co. both have spacious branch stores here, and Wayside and Heritage are large independent stores operating here.

The DeLaney store was first opened on August 18, 1946 on the square in Jeffersontown and remained there for eight years. In 1949 another DeLaney Furniture Co. store was established at 1317 Hardtown Road, and continued in business there for five years. In July 1954 the Shivelyville Road store was opened, and for a short time in 1954, DeLaney was operating a chain of three stores.

For the past two years, the company has also operated a store in the West End, at 15th & Lytle, where the DeLaney company bought four warehouses from the Pessier-Gaubert Corp. Three of them were sold recently to another company.

Virginia Jones, Ed. Rich, George Lawrence, and Dorothy Dixon will continue on the DeLaney staff at the Lytle street address.

Mr. DeLaney expressed appreciation for the business the company enjoyed in St. Matthews, and for the consistent growth of the business.

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April 7, 1961, Letter:

GEO. E. MILLER
3248 Lexington Road
TW. 6-1384

LOUIS H. MILLER
4033 Brookfield Ave.
TW. 5-2162

ROBT. L. MILLER
7309 Boxwood Road
TW. 7-2765

MILLER SALES COMPANY

823 Fehr Avenue

Louisville, Ky.

Juniper 7-0290

April 7, 1961

Board of Directors
St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Association
P. O. Box 115
St. Matthews, Kentucky

Gentlemen:

I am very sorry I will be unable to make the meeting Thursday night but the doctor wants me to stay in another week. I am happy to be alive and I appreciate the kindness of you directors calling my wife about me while I was so ill.

John met with me last night and gave me a set of the plans for the new addition to the building. I have gone over them carefully and want to say we had a damn good architect. I know you are going over the plans at the meeting. We could chisel \$500 to \$700 by changing certain things that are specified but I think it is sensible to leave as is because we want to get some nice people in there. I further suggest to the board that we make it John Monohan's baby to hire the two couples, or a man and wife and sister or brother that can be depended on that one will be at home all the time and who will enjoy living in this nice place.

Here are the few suggestions I wish to offer: (1) Under carpenter work (J) I would suggest we use Scheriech Built In Cabinets as they are made in Louisville. It has been my experience in building an expensive home and several other buildings that the doors are liable to warp and you have no trouble with replacements of the above, but if we used cabinets made out of town and the dealer should fold up we would be in a fix. (2) I suggest regular flooring in upstairs except kitchen--hardwood if not too expensive. I have seen Vinyl tile go haywire. (3) Kitchen appliance used should be General Electric, Westinghouse or Frigidaire, whichever we can buy at factory price. I am sure we can buy it cheaper than the contractor through my sources. (4) The stove that is suggested is Magic Chef #1010. It is a 36" low priced model without light, ^{LV} backguard and timer, factory price \$77.70 includes 5% government tax but not freight which is \$2.50 to \$3.25. This is the stove which is run by United and Geher for \$119.50. We can use an Athens stove, same size, with light, backguard and timer, cost \$73.75 plus 5% government tax and freight of about \$3.25.

Mr. Monohan and I, when we met last night, suggested that after all of you have gone over the plans we give them to four builders to submit prices and bids to be opened two weeks later at 10 a.m. on Saturday morning, or whatever time is convenient. I suggest the president of the board appoint a committee if all board members cannot be present to handle this transaction. I would like to be on this committee. I suggest having the contractors there with their bids so we can sit down with the lowest bidder and arrange to get started. I definitely think we are in for an upturn in the economy and we will probably see higher prices, where as right now we are in the best building time and there is a surplus of necessary men to work on this project.

I am sorry I cannot be present at your next meeting but I am happy to be recovering,

Yours truly,

George Miller

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P.S. Hope you didn't buy any more. Ha! Ha!

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April 10, 1961, Lyndon Fire Department Board Minutes:

LYNDON VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
A:RIL 10th, 1961

The Board of Directors discussed the St. Matthews annexation of Harris Place, Marquette Drive and Virginia Ave., which at present lie within the Fire Protection of this Department. A motion was made and seconded that this Department write a letter to the Mayor of the City of St. Matthews concerning our rates for fire protection of the above mentioned area. Motion carried.

The bills were reviewed and okayed for payment.

The Firefighters, Inc. Association meeting and their budget were reviewed and discussed. The Board was unanimous in the opinion that the delegate to the assn. is to go uninstructed in this matter.

Mrs. Pierce asked the board to tile the shower stall in the living quarters of the firehouse. Wetherton Tile and Mantle Company looked the stall over and quoted a price of \$235.00. The Board agreed to this improvement and Mrs. Pierce was instructed to proceed in this matter.

Chief Pierce explained to the Board the plan of Anne Lynn Manor to install an alarm system in the firehouse.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully,

Florence C. Pierce, Secty.
Board of Directors
Lyndon Volunteer Fire Department

1961

April 28, 1961, Letters:

ROY COCHRAN, SR.
ROY COCHRAN, JR.

PHONE: THURGOOD 3-0271
TWINKWOOD 8-1057

Cochran Construction Co.

301 NORTH HORTON AVENUE
LOUISVILLE 7, KENTUCKY

April 28th. 1961

We are pleased to submit a bid for the construction of the addition to the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department.
We agree to construct said addition according to Plans and Specifications hereto attached and considered as a part of this contract.
We agree to construct this addition in the best workmanlike manner for the sum of \$ 18,413.00.
Eighteen thousand four hundred thirteen dollars.


Roy Cochran Sr.

ROSTETTER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY INC.

SHERMAN ROSTETTER
JOHN S. WALLACE
CHARLES J. HANSEN

402 SHERFORD RD. — P.O. BOX 7659 — LOUISVILLE 7, KY. — TWINKWOOD 3-8410

April 28, 1961

St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department
117 St. Matthews Avenue
St. Matthews, Kentucky

Re: Addition to Fire Station
117 St. Matthews Avenue

Gentlemen:

We have visited the site and carefully examined the plans and specifications and we propose to furnish all labor and material required for the erection and completion of the project for the sum of Twenty Five Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars (\$25,800.00).

We appreciate the opportunity of bidding this job and trust that you will find this proposal in line for award.

Yours very truly,

ROSTETTER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY


Sherman Rostetter - President

EM 6-7226

YOU NAME IT — WE BUILD IT

2211 COTTAGE LANE

W. T. BRISTOW & SONS

General Contractors
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY
April 28, 1961

St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department
St. Matthews, Ave.
St. Matthews, Ky.

Ref: Addition to Fire Station

Gentlemen:

We, the General Contractor propose to furnish all labor and material according to plans and specifications to complete addition to fire station, St. Matthews, Ky.

All work to be completed in a neat and workmanship manner for the total sum of Seventeen Thousand, Seven Hundred and Two Dollars. \$ 17,702.00.

by 
W.T. Bristow Sr.

W.T. Bristow and Sons
General Contractors

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April 29, 1961, Special Board meeting:

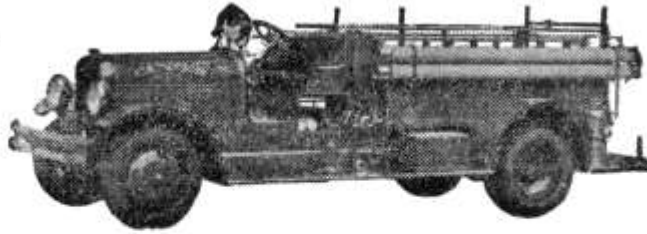
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P. O. Box 115
St. Matthews, Ky.

Minutes of the special meeting of the St. Matthews Vol Fire Ass'n called to open bids on the new addition to the fire house held April 29th 1961 at Fire House.

Directors present

Geo E Miller	Henry Monohan
John Monohan	Marty Kamer
J. P. Terry	Jos Zehnder

Bids were opened by President Monohan and were as follows

Roy Cochran	\$18,413.00
W. T Bristow	\$17,702.00
John Trautwein	\$17,822.00
Rostetter Con.	\$25,800.00

Therefore contradt was awarded to W. T. Bristow & sons.

There being no further business meeting was Adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted

Sec'y.

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April 28, 1961,
Contract:

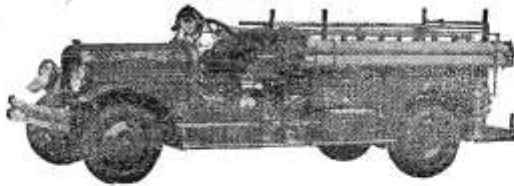
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P. O. Box 115

St. Matthews, Ky.

This Contract entered into this April 29th 1961 between the St. Matthews Vol Fire Ass'n party of the first part and W. T. Bristow & sons party of the second part, for the construction of a building at 117 St. Matthews Ave

This to be constructed according to plans and specifications which are signed by both party. The amount of this contract for completion as per specifications is \$17,702.00

The party of the second part shall be allowed to draw at different intervals but after first draw receipts must be given Board of Directors before another draw.

When completion of foundation and block walls second party will make first draw of \$5,000.00. Second draw of \$5,000.00 will be allowed when under roof and plumbing roughed in.

Last draw of \$7,702.00 will be paid when building is completed and approved by architect and Board of directors.

Signed

St Matthews Vol Fire Ass'n
(party of First Part)

By *[Signature]* Pres.

W. T. Bristow & Sons (Partnership)
(Party of second Part)

By

Changes in specifications .

Eliminate section number 13 Kitchen appliances as these will be purchased by us.

Item 12 all floors including hall shall be hardwood floors with exception of kitchen which will be as per specifications in section 12 vinyl-tile.

Refer to item J. section 10 cabinets in kitchen ~~will~~ shall be purchased from Scherfich Mfg Co or Kitchen Compact co.

Bids to be opened by Directors at 10 A. M. Saturday April 29th 1961
Please be present with your bid.

St. Matthews Chief Of Police Resigns

City Council Releases Announcement After Disagreement Over Disciplining

William H. Tolliver has resigned as police chief of St. Matthews.

Tolliver, chief for nearly five years, resigned in a disagreement over disciplining of a St. Matthews patrolman. Tolliver reportedly was out of the city yesterday and could not be reached for comment.

Service Praised

Only official word of Tolliver's resignation came in a statement by St. Matthews City Council, which was released by Mayor Bernard Bowling:

"St. Matthews Chief of Police William H. Tolliver resigned April 26.

"Bill Tolliver served the citizens of the City of St. Matthews in an effective, honest, and highly respected manner. We are all proud of his record.

"The Council's only difference with Chief Tolliver involved a personnel matter within the Police Department.

"The announcement (of Tolliver's resignation) was delayed because the Council had hoped the chief would reconsider his decision. We wish nothing but the best for Bill and Mrs. Tolliver in their future plans."

Comment Declined

Bowling declined comment about the nature of the dispute, but added his own praise for Tolliver. "I personally feel much of the success of our City is a direct result of Bill

Tolliver's devotion to duty," he said.

It was learned that Tolliver discharged Patrolman F. R. Florence after Florence put out a bonfire by himself Monday night instead of summoning the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department.

After a hearing by the Council's police committee, the Council met and voted to overrule Tolliver's action. Florence was reinstated and fined a week's pay by the Council.

When off police duty, Flor-

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Tunisian President Arrives In Quebec

Montreal, Quebec, April 30 (AP) —President Habib Bourguiba of Tunisia arrived by plane Sunday night for a visit to Canada and the United States.

Bourguiba will fly to Ottawa Monday and after a three-day visit will go to Washington on Wednesday to talk with President Kennedy.



Staff Photo
WILLIAM H. TOLLIVER
Chief nearly 5 years

St. Matthews Police Chief Quits Post

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ence is a captain in the fire department. Tolliver had previously warned Florence that fire duties should be handled solely by the fire department when Florence was on police duty.

Certificate Received

Tolliver, 56, joined the police force in December, 1954. He has had more than 20 years of police experience, beginning in his native Whitesburg in Letcher County.

Tolliver was known throughout the St. Matthews area for his friendly, folksy approach to policing. Last year he was awarded a certificate and medal "for service to public safety" by the Younger Woman's Club of St. Matthews.

Sgt. E. N. Kelley has been appointed acting chief of the six-member St. Matthews force.

May 4, 1961, *The Courier-Journal*:

Fire Damages Auto Agency, Tallow Plant

Koster-Swope Firm In St. Matthews Hit

A St. Matthews automobile agency and a Louisville tallow factory were damaged by fires yesterday.

Koster-Swope, Inc., set up its Mercury and Comet business temporarily at 3712 Frankfort after fire at 5 a.m. caused several thousand dollars damage to its agency at 117 Breckinridge Lane.

At 12:30 p.m., fire almost destroyed the two-story brick and frame building housing the City Hide & Tallow Company, 927 Geiger. Seven fire companies brought the fire under control within 20 minutes.

Cause Not Known

One of the firm's three employees, Thomas O'Bannon, rear of 729 E. Jefferson, said he was eating lunch on the second floor when he heard an explosion in the boiler room below.

The company's owner, N. J. Marx, said the cause of the fire is not known. He said he could not estimate the loss.

The blaze at the automobile agency, badly damaged six new cars in the showroom, burned part of the ceiling, and swept up a stairway after starting from unknown cause in the first-floor office, firemen said.

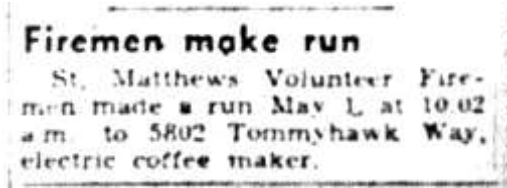
Other Firms Suffer Damage

The loss was covered by insurance. Smoke from the fire damaged Luntzell Appliances, next door at 119 Breckinridge Lane, and Wayside Furniture, Inc., 121 Breckinridge Lane. A 13-inch brick firewall prevented the flames and smoke from spreading south to business places.

The fire was brought under control within 2 minutes after firemen arrived. Louisville sent seven pieces of equipment, and the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department had four pieces at the scene.

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May 4, 1961, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:



http://www.louisvilleky.gov/louisvillefire/lfd_history_full_text.htm

May 3, 1961,

Two major fires caused extensive damage to several businesses on May 3, 1961. The first fire started at daybreak in the first floor office of Koster-Swope, Inc., an automobile agency, at 117 Breckinridge Lane. Several other St. Matthews businesses were damaged as a result. Seven pieces of equipment from the Louisville Fire Department worked together to quickly bring the fire under control. No estimate of the loss or exact cause is available.

5-3-61 - 2nd Alarm on Box 2683 - Frankfort Avenue & Breckinridge Lane

Alarm	Engines	Quad	H. & L.	BAT. CHIEF	Special Instructions
1st	21	6		4	St. Matthews V.F.D.
2nd	20 - 11 - 3	10		2	
3rd	3 - 9 - 15		7	1	
4th	7 - 2 - 8				

117 Breckinridge Lane - Koster-Swope Buick
 1st at 5:24 AM
 2nd at 5:32 AM by Car 32
 St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department also responded
 Capt. Catlett injured making fire.
 F. Hollis & G. Heuser

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT
 Date May 3 - 1961
 A. M. 5:30 P. M.
 Location 117 Breckinridge Lane
 Owner A. J. Elmer
 Signed _____
 Occupant Koster-Swope Mercury
 Signed _____
 Building or Property 2 Alarm From City of Louisville
 Cause Undetermined
800' - 2 1/2" (Pumped 1 Hr.)
400' - 1 1/2" (S-4, S-1)
 Special Notes 5-1-5-2-5-3-54
5-5-56
 Officer in Charge J. Monahan

Fire damages Koster-Swope Mercury-Comet

A fire of undetermined origin extensively damaged the show room and building of Koster-Swope Mercury-Comet dealer on Breckinridge Lane about 5:26 a.m. yesterday.

Fire Chief John Monahan, of St. Matthews Voluntary Fire Department which answered the alarm along with the Louisville Fire Department, said the fire started near a stairway on the ground floor near the firm's office. The fire went up to the second floor, but was quickly brought under control.

Approximately a dozen new cars were in the building, and Monahan said it is believed they were damaged by smoke and water. Full extent of damages could not be learned by press time yesterday.

A passer-by discovered the fire and turned in the alarm at St. Matthews fire station. St. Matthews answered the alarm with four pieces of equipment and eight were sent by the Louisville Fire Department.

A storage room in the back of the building escaped the fire.

Building today (2010) from Google:



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May 8 & 11, 1961, Letters:

MRS. ASA PITTS STALLARD
2812 NAPANE ROAD
ST. MATTHEWS
LOUISVILLE 7, KENTUCKY

May 8, 1961

St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Dept.
St. Matthews Avenue
St. Matthews, Kentucky

Gentlemen,

It has just occurred to me that in my nervousness and confusion last night I failed to say a word of thanks to the volunteers who responded so readily when I called for help at 3 A.M.

Even though it was such a minor disturbance —

smoke & snowed from the burned out sump pump — they gave such prompt, courteous and efficient service, and I do appreciate it so very much. So thanks to your entire organization.

Yours very truly,
Mrs. A.P. Stallard

City of St. Matthews

INCORPORATED
201 THIEMAN LANE
ST. MATTHEWS, KENTUCKY

BERNARD BOWLING
MAYOR

May 11, 1961

St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Dept.,
117 St. Matthews Ave.,
Louisville 7, Ky.

Attn: Mr. John M. Monahan, Jr. Chief

Gentlemen:

We recently approved a building permit for an addition to the rear of your present building, the building line being within a very short distance of the alley which is a public right-of-way.

As per our telephone conversation, we would ask that if at any time in the future you dispose of this building for a new location, that it is understood that provision will be made for loading or unloading in the rear off the public right-of-way.

We are quite sure you understand and will exceed to this request. However, if there is any further question regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

Harry J. Jones
Chairman, Planning and Zoning
Commission

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May 11, 1961, Board meeting

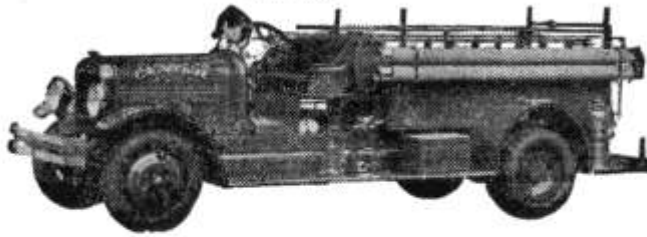
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St. Matthews, Ky.

The regular monthly meeting of St. Matthews Vol. Fire. Assc. was held on May 11, 1961 at Fire House.

Directors present:

John Monohan
Fred Boss
W. Leland Wilson

Joe Zehnder
Henry Monohan
Marty Kamer

Meeting opened with reading of minutes of April 13 meeting, by Pres. Monohan. Motion made by Mr. Boss and seconded by Mr. Henry Monohan that minutes be accepted as read.

Pres. Monohan read financial report. Also he gave a report of special meeting held on Sat. April 29, 1961 at which time bids were opened for construction of addition to Fire House.

There being no further business, Mr Zehnder made motion that meeting be adjourned. Motion seconded by Mr. Wilson

Respectfully submitted
Acting Secretary

Marty Kamer
Marty Kamer

"ORGANIZED FOR YOUR PROTECTION"

1961

May 11, 1961, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*



Typical of many areas in the East End was the north end of Thierman Lane, where water stood 8 to 12 inches deep Tuesday, all but blocking entrance to city hall, and flooding many basements. The water extended to the Browns Avenue area where basements also had to be pumped out. Mayor Bernard Bowling and Works Department personnel worked Tuesday trying to lower the water level with pumps.



Heavy rains last Saturday night and Sunday sent Beargrass Creek out of its banks and over Browns Lane, blocking traffic for several hours.

Barker denies he'll cut aid to county's volunteer firemen

Former County Judge Horace M. Barker this week denied he will cut off aid to the county's volunteer fire departments, if he is elected county judge, and promised, instead, that he will contribute more county aid.

He made the promises, including others, in letters mailed to the volunteer fire departments last week. He said he would approve the following steps:

1: Submit a list of three from each department from which the coordinator would be chosen.

2: The departments agree upon and choose their own trainer.

3: The departments appoint their committee, which would meet with the fiscal court from time to time instead of keeping the two apart.

4: Allocate \$2,000, instead of the present \$1,800, plus other benefits, to each department annually.

5: Reimburse the departments for fire trucks purchased from the county.

6: A training tower.

Mr. Barker noted that a training tower would cost "a very large sum of money if completed and up to date in all respects, and said he would favor starting the project and add to it "from time to time."

Another candidate who made an appeal for votes was William

O. Cowger, regular Republican organization candidate for mayor, who charged Aldermanic President William S. Milburn as being "a real political chameleon." Milburn is backed by the regular Democratic organization for mayor.

Mr. Cowger noted that Mr. Milburn opposed appropriating \$50,000 last summer from the city's special capital-improvement fund for drainage work, and it was still his stand last March.

"In April he (Milburn) took a complete flip flop and, not only was willing to approve the \$500,000 but added another \$261,000 as a further solution to our drainage woes," Mr. Cowger charged.

On May 10, he said, "the same Mr. Milburn suggested a \$10 million bond issue as a start of a long range program to dissolve the drainage problem. In two months time he changed his position from an expenditure of nothing to \$10 million," Mr. Cowger said.

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May 18, 1961, Cash Receipts:

ST. MATTHEWS VOLUNTEER FIRE ASSOCIATION
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS & DISBURSEMENTS

JUNE 1, 1960 THROUGH MAY 31, 1961

BALANCE - June 1, 1960

\$13,094.89

RECEIPTS

Subscriptions

\$35,570.48

Contributions - Jefferson County

1,800.00

Bonds & Interest

9,112.50

46,482.98

TOTAL CASH AVAILABLE

\$59,577.87

DISBURSEMENTS

CAPITAL

Equipment

\$ 8,034.86

Improvements to Property

200.00

Payment to First National

Lincoln Bank

20,000.00

\$28,234.86

EXPENSES

Dues & Subscriptions

\$ 136.53

General Expense

1,462.04

Insurance & Taxes

2,307.94

Legal & Accounting

35.00

Maintenance & Repair

299.13

Office Supplies

196.29

Radio System Expense

1,045.92

Salaries

3,442.56

Truck Expense

1,015.31

Supplies

1,425.02

Utilities

1,284.77

12,650.51

Total Disbursements

40,885.37

CASH BALANCE - MAY 31, 1961

\$18,692.50

St. Matthews Policeman Ahead Of His Time? At Anchorage, They've REALLY Combined

By JOHN MEEHAN, *Courier-Journal Staff Writer*

WHAT WITH the hubbub in St. Matthews over a policeman's taking a fire truck to put out a blaze, the accompanying Associated Press story on the new breed of public-safety officer may strike a few nerves around here.

But not in Anchorage. That Jefferson County city of 1,170 has such versatile public-safety officers that they make the new combination firemen-policemen seem perhaps a little backward.

In Anchorage, Charlie Polk wears four hats. He is marshal and fire chief, and heads the street and water systems. The seven men he supervises work in each of the four areas.

"As far back as I can remember, the marshal has been in charge of everything," Polk said. His recollection stretches some 65 years, including 34 years as an Anchorage employee.

The long life of the multi-duty setup is perhaps the best answer to what Anchorage residents think of the plan.

Polk listed an additional benefit that Anchorage residents get:

"With every employee rated as a fireman, people here get lower (fire) insurance rates."

Shively is the only suburban city in Jefferson County that has both its own Police and Fire Departments. The separation probably will continue.

"Police work and firefighting are too technical and specialized for one man to do both jobs," said William Conley, chairman of the Shively Fire Prevention Council.

Wants More Data

Matthew H. Goetz, Jr., chairman of the Shively City Council Fire Committee, agreed the work seems too specialized to combine. But he said he would like to get more information about the plan before rying it out completely.

St. Matthews has its own Police Department, but gets fire protection from

the **St. Matthews Volunteer** Fire Department.

City officials have expressed satisfaction several times with the fire protection they get. Besides, any attempt to form a City Fire Department would cost more money than St. Matthews has now.

St. Matthews patrolman F. R. Florence may have been ahead of his time last month. He took out a fire truck to extinguish a fire, instead of summoning firemen.

Florence is a captain in the fire volunteers, but does his firefighting when off duty from police work. He was fined a week's pay for last month's incident, and Police Chief William Tolliver resigned in a dispute over disciplining of Florence.

The other 46 suburban cities here get fire protection from volunteer units or Louisville firemen. Lynnview and Jeffersonton have police forces; the other cities have volunteer, part-time marshals.

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June 8, 1961, Board meeting:

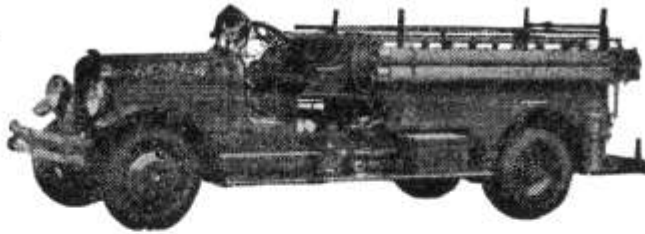
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St. Matthews, Ky.

June 9, 1961

Meeting of the Board of Directors of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Assn. held June 8, 1961 at the Fire House.

Directors present:

Marty Kamer	W. Leland Wilson
George Miller	Henry Monohan
Fred Boss	J. M. Terry

Minutes of last meeting held May 11, 1961 read by Vice-President, Marty Kamer. Motion made by Henry Monohan, seconded by Mr. Miller, that they be accepted as read.

There being no further business motion made by Mr. Terry seconded by Mr. Henry Monohan that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

Handwritten signature of George Miller, Secretary.

George Miller, Secretary

"ORGANIZED FOR YOUR PROTECTION"

June 8, 1961, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Firemen make three runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made three runs on June 2. The runs were:

At 7:01 a.m., 142 Breckinridge Lane, lighting fixture; 10:17 a.m., Llewellyn Laundry, 128 Breckinridge Lane, air conditioner; at 6:25 p.m., 21 Indian Hills Trail, child caught in a reducing machine.

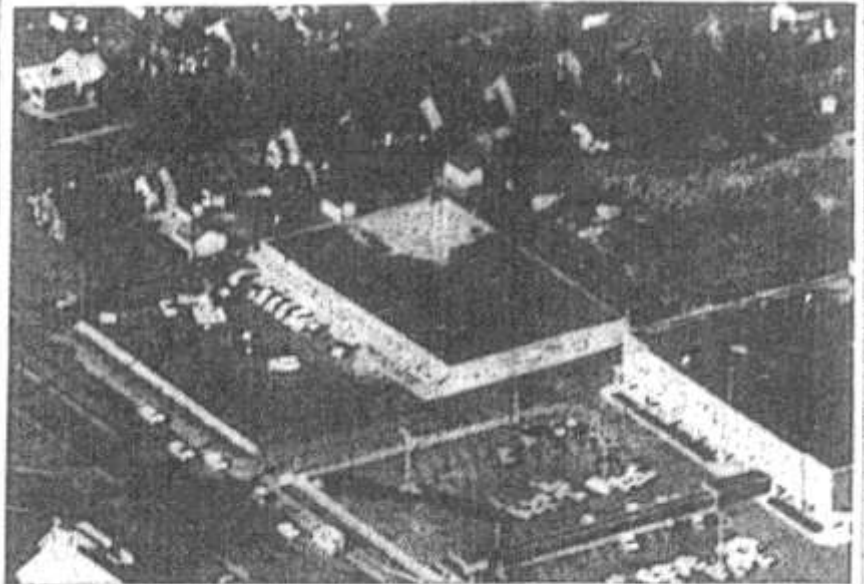
Work begins on Holiday Inn

Construction began last week on the Brownsboro Holiday Inn—a 110 unit suburban motel on Brownsboro Road across from the Brownsboro Road Shopping Center.

The motel is scheduled to open in mid-November. It will have some 200 parking places and a dining room—to be known as the "Tack Room"—which will seat 175 persons.

Samuel G. Miller, president of the Brownsboro Holiday Inn, Inc., said plans are to make the dining room "the finest dining facilities in the area." It is to cater to local traffic and will be furnished in horse racing motif.

Also planned are a cocktail lounge, swimming pool and a meeting room which will seat 150 persons.



Artist's sketch of Liberty National Bank and Trust Co. building (center). Thornbury's Toys is left and Sears is right of the proposed structure. Construction is to get underway soon.



June 22, 1961, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Living quarters under construction for St. M. Fire Department

St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department is expanding its building on St. Matthews Ave., as a step toward bringing the department up to sixth class specifications. The department presently is in seventh class.

A four-room addition to the top of the building and a 20 by 50-foot addition to the rear on the first floor are under construction. The four rooms on the second floor will be divided into two bed rooms, a kitchen, living room and bath for personnel who will be on duty at the station 24-hours a day.

The 20 by 50-foot addition on the first floor will be used for equipment. The entire addition is estimated to cost between \$20,000 and \$25,000. It is being constructed with concrete blocks.

Fire Chief John Monohan said the cost will deplete the fire department's treasurer at present, and added that when the department gets more money it plans to purchase an additional piece of equipment — also needed if the department becomes sixth class.

The station is manned during the day with someone on duty to answer the telephone but there is no one at night.

Chief Monohan said tentative plans are to acquire a family to live in the new quarters, to accept fire department calls in exchange for rent free. He said such a plan has worked well in other communities which have used the plan.

The new quarters are expected to be completed by September.

Hammer new owner of St. M. Hardware

George Hammer, accountant for St. Matthews Hardware for the past 20 years, became the owner of the store last June 1, having purchased it from Mrs. Althea B. Wurster who had operated the store for the past 45 years.

Mr. Hammer, 3502 Nanz, said he anticipates to enlarge the rear area in time but otherwise there will be no changes in operation.

George Wurster former STMFD firefighter was husband of Mrs. Althea B. Wurster.



This picture shows the apartment on the rear of the building even though this is not a 1961 picture.

June 29, 1961, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Firemen make one run

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made one run in the past week. This was at 1:55 p.m. June 27, to a truck at Frankfort and Willis.

elects governor of Kentucky. Girls State in session at the University of Kentucky.

It was a close election, with Miss Ferguson winning a majority of the 225 votes over the Nationalist Party nominee, Sharon Shrader, Louisville. There were no other candidates.

Elaine K. Page, Russellville, was elected lieutenant governor.

Others Are Elected

Others elected were Lea Hendrickson, Lexington, secretary of state; Vicki Beekman, Paducah, attorney general; Betsy Keeling, Louisville, treasurer; Anita Rayburn, Ashland, commissioner of agriculture; Anne Vinson, Cadiz, superintendent of public instruction; Sallie Dunn, Ashland, auditor, and Cheryl Nunley, Ashland, clerk of the court of appeals.

The inauguration of the new



LAWRENCE PALMER-BALL

From a 1938 photo

the City and the County that it can expect from some other source, including federal or State funds.

City and County governments, therefore, can expect to save whatever amount General will draw from the new program.

Program In 2 Parts

Kentucky's program got under way January 1 in two parts: one for the needy aged, with most of the money from Washington under the Kerr-Mills bill, and one with less but substantial federal help for those on the State's public-assistance rolls.

The Senate's special committee on aging reported this week that only about 10,000 of the 10,000,000 eligible under the Kerr-Mills program over the nation have so far applied for help. About 1,200 of these

Lawrence B. Palmer-Ball Dies; Founded Asbestos Corporation

Briton Wed Louisville

Lawrence B. Palmer-Ball, president and founder of Palmer Asbestos & Rubber Corporation, died at 10 o'clock last night at his home, 7703 Westport Road. He was 76.

Palmer-Ball, a native of England, came to the United States in 1905, when he was 20. He started Palmer Asbestos & Rubber Corporation in Chicago in 1910.

He married the former Virginia Vogt here in 1914. He had met her during a business trip to Louisville. They reared nine children—seven sons, including two sets of twins, and twin daughters.

Made Louisville Home

Palmer-Ball and his wife made Louisville their permanent home in 1926. Three years

later Palmer-Ball started the asbestos and rubber firm here. The company, which manufactures asphalt roofing, adhesives, asbestos, and friction products, has always been located at its present site at 146 St. Matthews Avenue. The Chicago plant is still in operation.

Two of the Palmer-Ball sons are officers in the business, Shirley W. Palmer-Ball vice-president, and Benedict Vogt Palmer-Ball general manager.

The elder Palmer-Ball was active in war-relief and Bundles for Britain programs during World War II and was a Selective Service Board member here.

Urged Sunday Holidays

As a means of speeding up war production, Palmer-Ball suggested in a 1942 newspaper advertisement that the President issue a proclamation placing all national holidays on Sunday. He said this would eliminate "the added expense

of overtime for holiday work" and generally would speed production.

Palmer-Ball was past president of the Louisville Rotary Club and was a member of the Pendennis Club and the Commonwealth's Club of Chicago. He also was a member of St. James Episcopal Church, Pewee Valley.

Brother In Africa

Surviving besides his wife and the two company-official sons are other sons, Lawrence B., Jr., Nicholas Vogt, Marion H., Bernard, and Brainard L. Palmer-Ball; the two daughters, Mrs. Richard Bennett and Mrs. William Booker; three sisters, Mrs. Charles Gentry, South Hill, Va., and Mrs. Eric Page and Mrs. Lionel Moiser, both of England; a brother, Frank Palmer-Ball, Pretoria, Republic of South Africa, and 21 grandchildren.

The body is at Pearson's, 149 Breckinridge Lane.



Will soon blow again . . . Walter Zienba completes installation of a steam whistle, under the watchful eyes of W. P. Ferring, atop of the Palmer Asbestos & Rubber Corp. building. An old familiar sound to St. Matthews, the whistle will signal the beginning and end of the work day at the plant.

Steam whistle to blow again in St. Matthews

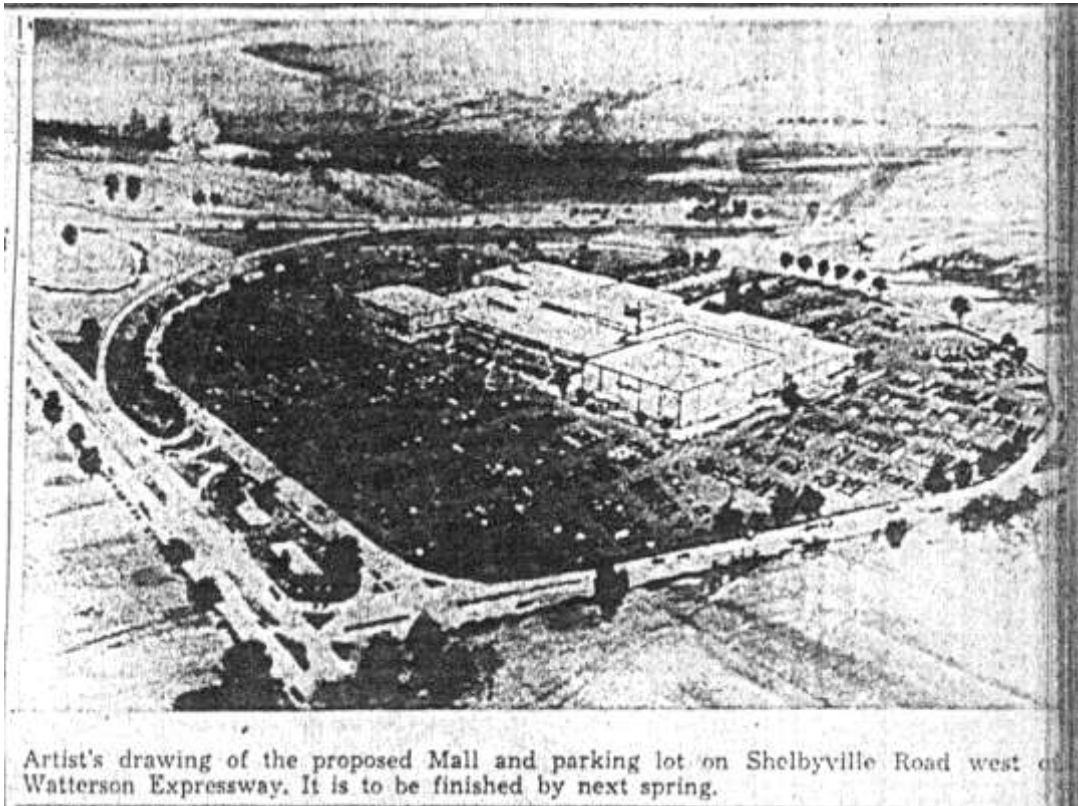
Although the old steam railroad engine has gone from St. Matthews as they have from virtually all other areas, St. Matthews residents will again hear an old familiar sound from one of the old retired iron horses.

Some time soon a steam whistle from one of the retired Chesapeake and Ohio engines will again blow regularly in St. Matthews to signal the start and end of the day's work at Palmer Asbestos & Rubber Corp. on St. Matthews Avenue. The whistle also will signal the noon hour.

Shirley Palmer-Ball, vice president of the firm, said the whistle will blow on time at 7 a.m., 12 noon and 3 p.m.

It is being installed, according to Mr. Palmer-Ball, to fulfill a wish of his late father, Lawrence B. Palmer-Ball, who died last week. He founded the firm in 1929.

The Senior Palmer-Ball, according to his son, obtained the whistle in 1940, when it became known that a particular steam engine would be retired, from C&O officials. Mr. Palmer-Ball said the whistle has a distinct sound — one which was known to all residents of St. Matthews at the time the engine passed through the area. He added that it became so familiar that residents, knowing the engine and time it was passing through, would often set their clocks by the whistle.



Artist's drawing of the proposed Mall and parking lot on Shelbyville Road west of Watterson Expressway. It is to be finished by next spring.

1961

July 12, 1961, Annual Board meeting:

ST. MATTHEWS VOLUNTEER FIRE ASSOCIATION

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St. Matthews, Ky.

July 14, 1961

Annual meeting of the Director of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Association held at the fire house July 12, 1961.

Directors present:

John Monohan	George E. Miller
Marty Kamer	W. Leland Wilson
Joe Zehnder	J. P. Terry

Minutes of last meeting held June 8th read by President Monohan. Motion made by J. P. Terry, seconded by Marty Kamer that they be accepted as read.

Directors and their term of office:

John Monohan.....1961	J. P. Terry.....1964
Joe Zehnder.....1961	Marty Kamer.....1964
Henry Monohan.....1962	Geo. E. Miller.....1963
Fred Boss.....1962	W. Leland Wilson.....1963

The two following directors whose terms expire today are up for reelection or replacement are: John Monohan and Joe Zehnder. Motion made by Mr. Miller and seconded by J. P. Terry that they be reelected for a period of 4 years, expiring 1965.

Officers elected for the coming year are as follows:

President - John M. Monohan
Vice Pres. - Marty Kamer
Secretary - George E. Miller
Treasurer - Fred Boss

Motion made by W. Leland Wilson, seconded by J. P. Terry that the above be reelected for a period of one year.

Chief - John M. Monohan
Asst. Chief - W. C. Hart - Marty Kamer
Process Agent - J. P. Terry

Motion made by W. Leland Wilson, seconded by J. P. Terry that the above officers be reelected for a period of one year.

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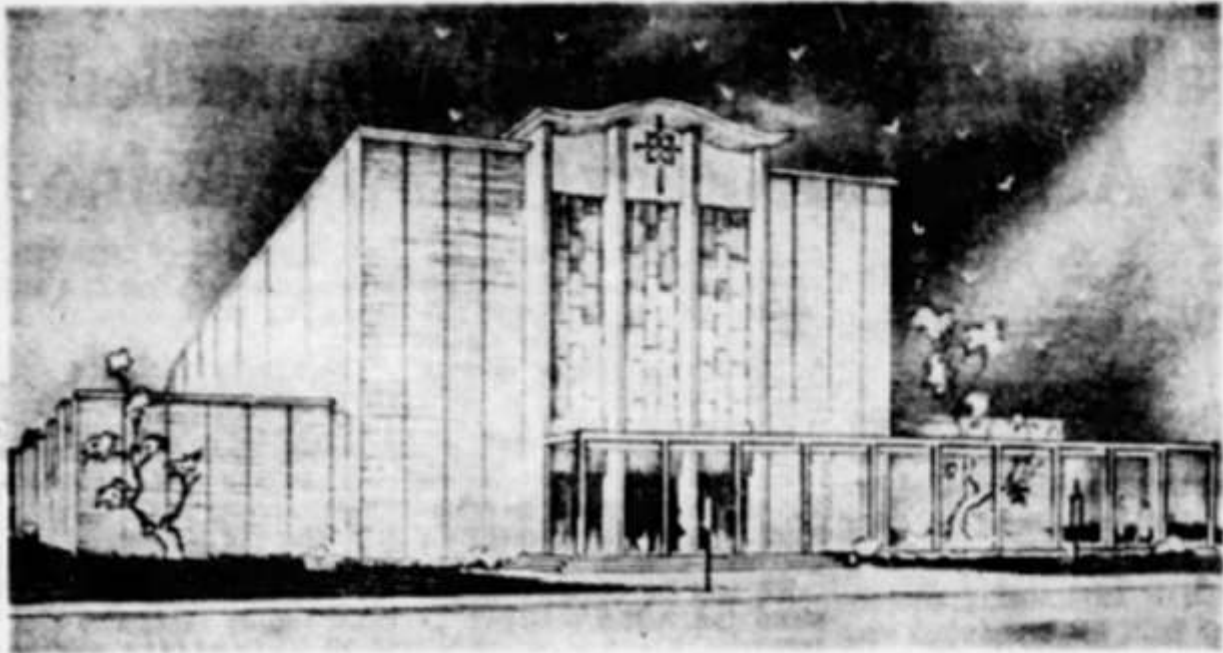
Motion made by Mr. Monohan, seconded by Marty Kamer that we employ a corporation lawyer to be selected at next meeting.

There being no further business a motion was made Mr. Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Zehnder that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

George E. Miller
George Miller, Secretary

GN/ekn



Architect's Drawing by Thomas J. Nolan & Sons

NEW OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHURCH is being built at 500 Breckinridge Lane in **St. Matthews** in front of the present Our Lady of Lourdes School.

New Our Lady Of Lourdes Church To Have Unique Contemporary Look

The new Our Lady of Lourdes Church now under construction at 500 Breckinridge Lane will be of contemporary design somewhat different from any in the Louisville area.

The nave of the church will taper toward the main altar, which will be flooded with light from a plastic sky dome. The altar will stand free from the circular sanctuary wall.

There will be seating for 900 in the air-conditioned nave.

The exterior will be of Flemish Bond buff brick with stone trim. An enclosed walkway, trimmed in marble veneer, will provide a sheltered enclosure to the driveway. There will be an enclosed garden at one side of the main entrance.

The 900 families in the parish have attended Mass in the school building, which will be at the rear of the new church.

Five Louisville youths have entered the Sacred Heart Novitiate of the Xaverian Brothers at Leonardtown, Md.

Three are June graduates of St. Xavier High School. They are Roger Bartman, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Roger Bartman, Jr., 3023 Sherbrooke Road; Thomas Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. David J. Thompson, 4, Rebel Road, and Ellis R. Olliges, son of Mr. and Mrs. John V. Olliges, 939 Clarks Lane.

The others were graduated in June from Flaget High School. They are Thomas Ray Fischer, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Fischer, 105 N. Crestmoor, and Paul Douglas Woolley, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Woolley, 3825 Parker.

Extensive remodeling has been going on since January at the St. Boniface Friary, 501 Fehr.

The third floor and part of the second floor have been sealed off to cut down on heating expense. A new recreation room has been made, storm windows added, and all rooms painted.

1961

July 15, 1961, Letter:



**CITY OF LOUISVILLE
KENTUCKY**

July 15, 1961

Mr. John M. Monohan, Jr., Chief
St. Matthews Fire Dept.
Box 115
Louisville 7, Kentucky

Dear Chief:

As you know, the 1961 Annual Convention of the Kentucky Firemen's Association will be held in Louisville at the Sheraton Hotel during the period August 29, 30, 31, 1961.

The Louisville Fire Department is your host and I join with them in cordially inviting you to be with us on this occasion. We hope that you can arrange to attend.

Sincerely yours,

BRUCE HOBLITZELL

August 10, 1961,
The Voice Of St. Matthews:

St. Matthews' New Pontiac Dealer

SAM SWOPE PONTIAC, INC.

SAM SWOPE PONTIAC, INC.
1200 - 1201 N. 2nd St.
St. Matthews, Ky.

**GMAC
PLAN**

SAM SWOPE PONTIAC, Inc.
1200 Northridge Lane, St. Matthews TR 5-3473

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August 10, 1961, Board meeting:

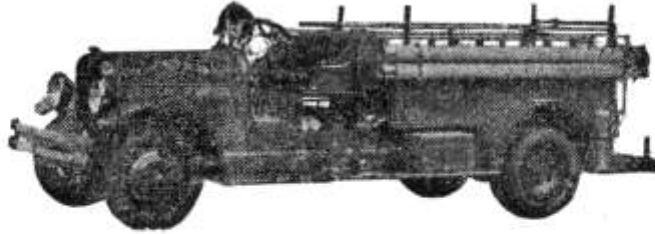
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Regular monthly meeting of the directors of St. Matthews Vol.
Fire Ass'n held at fire house on August 10 1961.

Directors Present;

John Monohan
Joe Zehnder
J. P. Terry.

Henry Monohan
Marty Kamer

Minutes of July 12 1961 meeting were read By Pres. Monohan.
Motion made by Mr Zehnder and seconded by Mr. Henry Monohan that they be
accepted as read.

The financial report was read by Pres Monohan.

There be no further business motion made by Mr. Terry seconded
by Mr. Zehnder that meeting be adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted

Marty Kamer

Marty Kamer acting in ~~xxx~~place
of Geo. E Miller Sec'y.

"ORGANIZED FOR YOUR PROTECTION"

IT'S BACK TO SCHOOL TIME

DRIVE WITH CAUTION

AND SAFEGUARD THE LIVES OF ALL OUR CHILDREN!

**SAFETY IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY . . .
WHEN IN DOUBT, "STOP"!**

YOU, nobody but YOU controls YOUR car! If you are involved in an accident . . . if a child is injured or killed . . . YOU are responsible! Remember, children are hasty, unable to exercise judgment, it is up to YOU to watch out for them, to be extra-cautious, extra-alert! YOUR judgment as an adult has qualified you for a driver's license . . . so YOU must accept the responsibility for the safety of our children by taking more than usual care, by being always on the alert! You can NEVER replace a life!

The first rule of safety is . . . SLOW DOWN AND LIVE! Those few extra moments you spend driving slowly may save a child's life, perhaps YOUR own! Be sure your car is in top mechanical condition! Poor brakes and slippery tires can, in an emergency, mean death instead of life! Best of all, learn to understand and obey all traffic laws! They were written for good reason . . . in the interest of YOUR safety and the safety of others!

**Remember, Safety Is No Accident! Be Sure To
Drive Carefully . . . To Protect Our Children!**



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Canary Cottage 3722 Lexington Rd. TW 6-8629	Kretschmer's House of Appliances 112 St. Matthews Ave. TW 3-3604 8607 Preston Hwy. WD 9-3636	St. Matthews Feed & Seed Grain & Seed Supply 225 Chenoweth Lane TW 8-4473	Webb's Drug Store Car. Shelbyville Rd. & Hubbards Ln. TW 5-5446
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Fair Speeds Loops' Opening



Staff Aerial Photo by Billy Davis

OPENING TOMORROW are two more loops of the U. S. 60-Watterson Expressway interchange east of St. Matthews. District Highway Engineer William F. Knarr said opening of the loops, indicated by arrows, was rushed to handle heavy traffic from east (left) desiring to turn south on Watterson to the Kentucky State Fair. Traffic heading south on Watterson will be able to go east via the other new loop, and the

traffic signal, circled, at the west side of the interchange project will be removed. All four outside ramps are now in use; the remaining two inside loops should be open in a week or 10 days, Knarr said. Finishing up will take until November. View looks south, with Shelbyville Road (U. S. 60) running horizontally across picture. In southwest quadrant, construction is under way for the Mall shopping center.

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September 14, 1961, Board meeting:

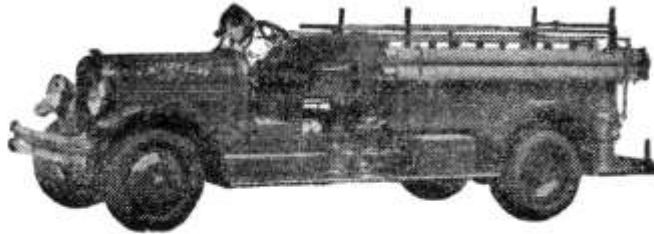
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P. O. Box 115

St. Matthews, Ky.

Meeting of the Directors of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Association held September 14, 1961 at the Fire House. Following Directors present:

John Monohan
Marty Kamer
George E. Miller
W. Leland Wilson

Fred Boss
J. P. Terry
Henry Monohan

Minutes of the last meeting held August 10, 1961 read by President Monohan. Motion made by J. P. Terry, seconded by Marty Kamer, that they be accepted as read.

Motion made by Henry Monohan, seconded by Marty Kamer, that we close our balance at Lincoln Bank and open account at Louisville Trust Co. President John M. Monohan or Treasurer Fred C. Boss be authorized to sign checks.

Motion made by Mr. Boss and seconded by Mr. Terry that we issue check to pay for pool table, approximately \$375.00.

Being no further business a motion was made by Mr. Miller, recorded by Mr. Wilson that we adjourn.

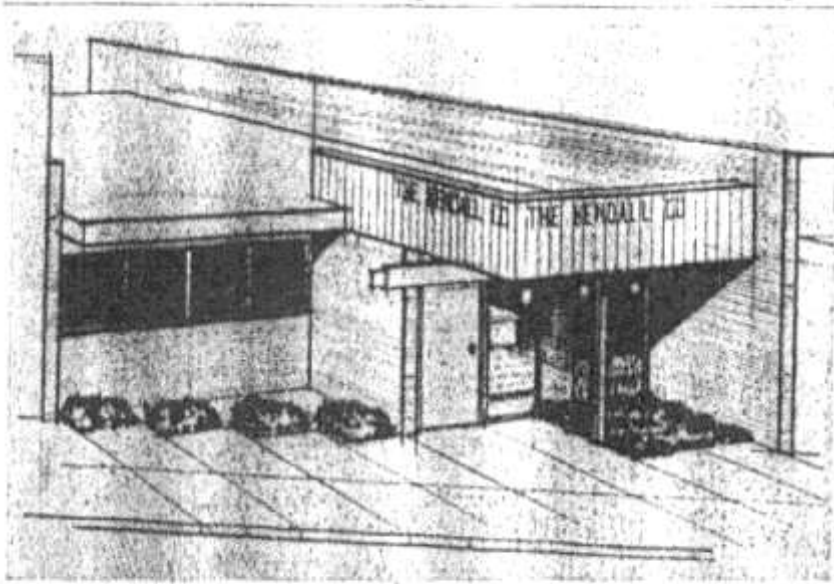
Respectfully submitted,

George E. Miller, Secretary

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September 14, 1961, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:



Architect's drawing of the new Kendall office building which is under construction at 4406 Shelbyville Road, slated to be open Sept. 23. The front will be in mission pink brick, with the entrance a combination of glass and aluminum, glazed with gray polished plate glass. The interior will have exposed wood beams with mahogany wall paneling. Ed Augustus and John Doumas are the architects.

September 15, 1961, Letter:

St. Matthews Community Center

INCORPORATED

ST. MATTHEWS, KY.

September 15, 1961

St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Dept.
St. Matthews Avenue
St. Matthews, Kentucky

Dear Sirs:

Please accept our thanks for your participation
in our Little League Football parade the evening
of Friday, September 8th.

Yours very truly,

ST. MATTHEWS FOOTBALL LEAGUE

Wm. D. Pickering
William D. Pickering,
Secretary

WDP:lh

cc: Mr. Victor Baltzell

1961

September 1961:

Firms contributing through St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen to the 1961 Crusade for Children.

Arthurs Barber Shop

Fred Beck Photographer
Wm L. Brewer Heating Co.
Baker Boy Do-Huts
Bluegrass Trailer Sales
Bob's Standard Service
Dumney's Restaurant
K. Brown Jewelers

~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~
Chism's Eds.
D. Clotfelter Co.

Dixie Restaurant
Dutch's Cafe

Eline Realty

Fairmeade Pharmacy
Fairmeade Beauty Salon
Frankel Klapheke Drug Co

Glencoe Suburban Wear
Graft-Pelle Co.
Hugo Originals
Hubbard Lane Barber Shop
One ~~xxxx~~ Hour Martinizing
Joe-Z's Pizzarama

Kretschmer's House of Appliance
Kentucky Model Shop
Kittis J Klein Safe & Lock Co.
~~Monico's Millinery & Ladies Apparel~~
~~Mr. Ebra, Monticov's~~
Vic Lorch & Sons
Lovy Bros.
Mattingly's Service Center
Minish & Potts ~~xxxxxx~~
Geo. Moore Inc.
J Ashby Miller Co.
~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~

Norman Glass Co.

O'Leary Plumbing Co.

Pearson Funeral Homes
Pookman Drug Store

Ratteman Bros.
Racquet Club Inc.

St. Matthews Auto Glass
St. Matthews Electric Co
St. Matthews Feed & Seed Store
St. Matthews Knit Shop
St. Matthews Optical Co
St. Matthews Trim Shop
Sanders Cleaners
Schneider Plumbing Co.
Shelbyville Rd Plaza Merchants Assn
Shower's Boys & Mens Shop
Smithers Super Market
Southern Distributors
Stauffer System
Stone Studios & Camera Shop
Sweeney Insurance Agency
Shopira Foundation
Terry's Texaco
Tonne House Gift Shop
Thornbury's Toys
The Turntable

Vernons Barber Shop

Total on all above ~~\$596.00~~ \$536.00

The total amount collected by the
St. Matthews Firemen for the
Crusade including the above was
\$8,360.21

September 25, 1961, The Courier-Journal, edited —
Crusade

Fire Unit Gets \$8,577

By 1:30 p.m. the tally broke \$100,000, reached \$150,000 by 2 p.m., and finally cracked \$200,000 at 3:12 p.m., when the Pleasure Ridge Park Fire Department dumped an \$8,577 collection into the fishbowls.

Among some 75 volunteer-fire-department collections, that was the biggest. Second high fire dollar was assembled by the St. Matthews department—\$8,335.

With the unofficial sign-off tally at \$208,475, Victor A. Sholis, WHAS director, said, "This is the highest figure we have ever had on the tote board as we closed the Crusade."

Last year it had reached \$188,600 at sign-off.



Staff Photo
EDGAR N. KELLEY

Kelley Named St. Matthews Police Chief

Kermit Cook Gets Sergeant's Post

Two men who became St. Matthews patrolmen together six years ago were named last night to the top posts on that City's seven-man police force.

Edgar N. Kelley was named chief of police and Kermit Cook was named sergeant. Kelley is a former sergeant, Cook a former patrolman.

The two have held temporary rank since former St. Matthews Chief William Tolliver resigned in April.

In Police Work 10 Years

Kelley, 43, a native of Shelby County, has been in police work about 10 years. Before coming here he worked as a patrolman in LaGrange and as fire chief and assistant police chief at Eminence.

Kelley, his wife, and daughter, Judith Ann, 15, make their home in an apartment in the St. Matthews City Hall Building, 201 Thierman Lane.

Cook, 42, was an industrial

Cook, 42, was an industrial policeman for a year before joining the St. Matthews force. He is a native of Ohio County. An Army artilleryman in World War II, he was a prisoner of the Japanese for 1,231 days.

Cook, his wife, and three daughters live at 310 Primrose Drive.

Florence is future Chief of STMFD



Staff Photo

BREATHING EASIER . . . The St. Matthews Police Department got its first resuscitator yesterday. It was given by the I. J. Sanders family, represented by Carroll Sanders, right. Techniques of the artificial-respiration device are explained by Patrolman Rannie Florence, a first-aid instructor, to Patrolman James E. Robison.

Shoot 'Em Or Help 'Em

St. Matthews Police Train

St. Matthews policemen should soon be experts at treating—and inflicting—wounds.

The seven policemen in the suburban city are taking part in a first-aid course and marksmanship training.

Marksmanship is taught the city by retired United States Deputy Marshal W. T. "Tom" Duvall. The police hope to build an indoor

target range soon at the St. Matthews Armory.

First-aid instructor is Patrolman Rannie Florence. The first-aid program got a boost at yesterday's class at St. Matthews City Hall when the police were given a resuscitator by the I. J. Sanders family. The department has had oxygen equipment but no resuscitator until now.

St. Matthews Policeman Ahead Of His Time? At Anchorage, They've REALLY Combined

By JOHN MEEHAN, Courier-Journal Staff Writer

WHAT WITH the hubbub in St. Matthews over a policeman's taking a fire truck to put out a blaze, the accompanying Associated Press story on the new breed of public-safety officer may strike a few nerves around here.

But not in Anchorage. That Jefferson County city of 1,170 has such versatile public-safety officers that they make the new combination firemen-policemen seem perhaps a little backward.

In Anchorage, Charlie Polk wears four hats. He is marshal and fire chief, and heads the street and water systems. The seven men he supervises work in each of the four areas.

"As far back as I can remember, the marshal has been in charge of everything," Polk said. His recollection stretches some 65 years, including 34 years as an Anchorage employee.

The long life of the multi-duty setup is perhaps the best answer to what Anchorage residents think of the plan.

Polk listed an additional benefit that Anchorage residents get:

"With every employee rated as a fireman, people here get lower (fire) insurance rates."

Shively is the only suburban city in Jefferson County that has both its own Police and Fire Departments. The separation probably will continue.

"Police work and firefighting are too technical and specialized for one man to do both jobs," said William Conley, chairman of the Shively Fire Prevention Council.

Wants More Data

Matthew H. Goetz, Jr., chairman of the Shively City Council Fire Committee, agreed the work seems too specialized to combine. But he said he would like to get more information about the plan before rying it out completely.

St. Matthews has its own Police Department, but gets fire protection from

the **St. Matthews Volunteer** Fire Department.

City officials have expressed satisfaction several times with the fire protection they get. Besides, any attempt to form a City Fire Department would cost more money than St. Matthews has now.

St. Matthews patrolman F. R. Florence may have been ahead of his time last month. He took out a fire truck to extinguish a fire, instead of summoning firemen.

Florence is a captain in the fire volunteers, but does his firefighting when off duty from police work. He was fined a week's pay for last month's incident, and Police Chief William Tolliver resigned in a dispute over disciplining of Florence.

The other 46 suburban cities here get fire protection from volunteer units or Louisville firemen. Lynnview and Jeffersontown have police forces; the other cities have volunteer, part-time marshals.

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September 21, 1961, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

**Firemen to collect
for Crusade**

Firemen in the St. Matthews area will be collecting funds for the annual Crusade for Children this Friday through Sunday at noon. Anyone who is missed was asked to drop their contribution by the firehouse, 117 St. Matthews Ave., by noon Sunday.

Sept. 30, 1961: Captain V. A. Beam retired.

October 5, 1961, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*

Capt. V. A. Beam retires from fireman's post

Capt. V. A. Beam assistant secretary of the St. Matthews Fire Department retired September 30 after 44 years of active fire service. His retirement was done at his choice.

Capt. Beam began his career with the Louisville Fire Dept. in 1917 and served there until 1940. He then joined the Vocational Division of the State Dept. of Education as Fire dept. Instructor and held that position until 1954 when he reached the retirement age set by the dept. of Education. In August of that year he came to the St. Matthews Fire Department and was appointed assisting secretary.

He resides at 911 _____ St.

Until he retired last Saturday Capt. Beam was on duty during the day at the fire station accepting calls. Firemen calls and all fire calls will be taken by an answering service, which has been receiving them at night until permanent personnel can be assigned to the fire station.

This is where Chief Monohan bought meat for the firefighters during the Crusade for Children for many years.



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October 12, 1961, Board meeting:

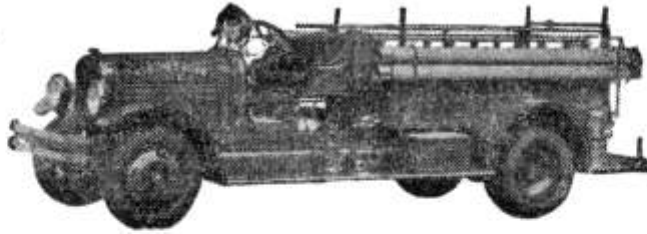
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P. O. Box 115
St. Matthews, Ky.

Minutes of The regular Monthly meeting of the Board Of Directors
of the St. Matthews Vol Fire Assn' held Thyrsday Oct 12 1961, at the
firehouse.

Directors Present.

John Monohan	Fred C. Boss
W. Leland Wilson	Jos Zehnder
J. P. Terry	Marty Kamer
Henry Monohan	

Minutes of the last meeting Sept. 11 1961 was read by
President Monohan , Motion Made by Henry Monohan and seconded by
Mr. Terry that they be accepted as read.

Finicial report was read By Treas Fred C. Boss

There being no further business a motion was made by
Mr Zehnder and seconded by Mr. Terry that the meeting be
adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted

By Marty Kamer
Acting Sec'y in absence of
Sec'y Geo. E Miller

Read and approved by Sec'y

A large, stylized handwritten signature, likely of George E. Miller, the Secretary. The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned over a dotted line.

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October 25, 1961, Letter:

October 25, 1961.

Hon. Bernard Bowling, Mayor,

St. Matthews, Kentucky.

Dear Mayor Bowling:

I would like to take this opportunity to express my thanks and appreciation to the St. Matthew's Fire Department for the efficient manner in which they handled the fire at my home, 4119 Dellridge Drive, Sunday, October 22, 1961, at approximately 5:30 p.m. We were away from home at the time, however, they were not aware of this and went through smoke filled rooms to ascertain if there were any occupants there before attempting to fight the fire.

These firemen would not consent to leave the property until they were assured by our neighbors that they would keep the place secure until we arrived home.

St. Matthews should be proud to have these men in our community.

Respectfully,

Forrest M. Dodge
Forrest M. Dodge.

Copy to:

Chief, St. Matthews Fire Department

Voice of St. Matthews

FMD:pv

October 19, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*: Ray Marrillia was made Honorary Fire-fighter by Chief Al Haerberlin in September 1977

Firemen plan appreciation party on Nov. 14

An appreciation party to honor the members of the St. Matthews and Lyndon Volunteer Fire Departments was planned last week, with Ray Marrillia as chairman of the event.

The firemen will be honored particularly for their contribution of time and effort for charitable and community betterment projects. It will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 14, at the Zachary Taylor Post hall on Shelbyville Road. The Kentucky Troubadors, a singing quartette, will head up a program of entertainment, and numerous door prizes will be presented. The stag party will be free and limited to members of the departments.

October 26, 1960, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

Firemen make four runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made four runs in the past week. These runs were:

On Oct. 17 at 9:24 p.m. Plehn's Bakery, cigarette dropped in awning; Oct. 22, 5:13 p.m., 4119 Dellridge, food on stove; Oct. 24, 6:45 a.m., truck, U.S. 60, Watterson Expressway; and Oct. 24, 12:17 p.m., 319 Merriman, clothes dryer.

1961

November 6, 1961, Letter:

Nov-6-1961

St Matthews Vol Fire Dept
to Boys at the St Matthews
Fire Dept.

Many thanks, and my
appreciation for your
wonderful expression of
affection, last Tuesday
night. I shall always
hold a fondness in my
heart for you "Boys" It
was a most pleasant, and
joyful connection, then.
I am sorry I could not
stay longer Tuesday night.
I'd be most happy to have
any one of you to stop by to
see me -
your grateful friend
Capt Beam

November 7, 1961, Rules & Regulations
change:



November 7, 1961

Attention St. Matthews Firemen:

In compliance with Article VI, Section 1, of the
rules and regulations for the St. Matthews Volunteer
Fire Department, please be notified that the following
amendment has been presented to the Firemen's Committee:

Amendment to Article II Elections

Section 4 - The nominations for an officer
in question shall be from the floor; a list of
a minimum of four (4) and an open maximum of
names is to be submitted to the membership. The
candidate receiving the largest number of votes
shall be appointed. In case of a tie vote, a
run-off ballot shall be cast.

This amendment is to be voted upon by the membership
on Tuesday, December 12, 1961, at the regular weekly
meeting.

St. Matthews Firemen's Committee/ARH

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November 9, 1961, Roster:

REPORT ST. MATTHEWS VOLUNTEER FIRE ASSOCIATION

MEETING: _____ FIRE: ✓ DATE: 11/9/61 LOCATION: Marlborough & Broad Lane
ALARM TIME: 4:07 P. NO. OF MEN: 16 TIME RETURNED TO HOUSE: 4:13 P.

CLEAN UP TIME: _____

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|---|---|-------------------------------------|
| 1. <u>Andriot</u>
Bill Andriot | 24. Henry A. Monohan | 47. <u>Phil Innes</u>
Phil Innes |
| 2. Harry Babcock | 25. Jack Monohan | 48. _____ |
| 3. Fred Barringer | 26. <u>John M. Monohan, Jr.</u>
John M. Monohan, Jr. | 49. _____ |
| 4. Robert Bredel
<u>R.B.</u> | 27. John Olliges | 50. _____ |
| 5. Paul Cramer | 28. Kevill Rice | 51. _____ |
| 6. O. Cruse | 29. Charles Rohmann | 52. _____ |
| 7. Paul Dillman | 30. Bailey Ross | 53. _____ |
| 8. <u>Paul Dillman</u>
Denny Engnehl | 31. Phil Schneider, Jr. | 54. _____ |
| 9. <u>Walter Fletcher</u>
<u>Walt Fletcher 5-1</u> | 32. R. Harvey Schultze | 55. _____ |
| 10. <u>Rennie</u>
Rennie Florence | 33. Billy Smith, Jr. | 56. _____ |
| 11. <u>Edward C. Foely</u>
Edward C. Foely | 34. Dan Sullivan | 57. _____ |
| 12. Patrick Grimes | 35. J. P. Terry | 58. _____ |
| 13. Albert Haerberlin | 36. <u>Oscar</u>
Oscar | 59. _____ |
| 14. George Haerberlin | 37. <u>R. G. Walling</u>
R. G. Walling | 60. _____ |
| 15. R. C. Herdt | 38. <u>James Weixler</u>
James Weixler | 61. _____ |
| 16. W. Richard Herdt | 39. Walter Wernert | 62. _____ |
| 17. <u>M.R.</u>
Marty Kester | 40. George Westwood | 63. _____ |
| 18. John V. Kaster | 41. Richard Wheeler, Jr. | 64. _____ |
| 19. R. E. Kaster | 42. <u>William W. Writers</u>
William W. Writers | 65. _____ |
| 20. Ralph E. Kempf | 43. Melch Leindert | 66. _____ |
| 21. E. C. Klapheke | 44. <u>A.C. Klapheke</u>
A.C. Klapheke | 67. _____ |
| 22. Howard Martin | 45. <u>A. Cardinal</u>
A. Cardinal | 68. _____ |
| 23. <u>Bill M. Jr.</u>
Bill M. Jr. | 46. <u>Don Jewell 5-2</u>
Don Jewell 5-2 | 69. _____ |

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November 9, 1961, Board meeting:

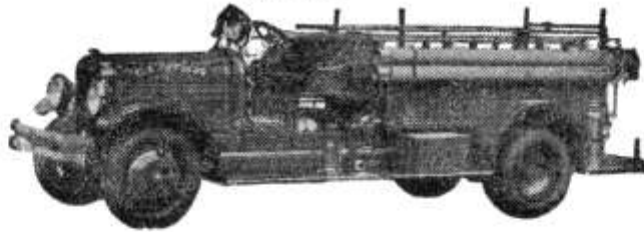
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P. O. Box 115

St. Matthews, Ky.

November 10, 1961

The meeting of the Board of Directors of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Assn. held at fire house Thursday, Nov. 9, 1961.

Directors present:

George E. Miller Joe Zehnder John Monohan E. Leland Wilson

~~Henry A. Monohan~~

Marty Kamer

Fred Boss

Henry Monohan

Minutes of the last meeting held Oct. 12, 1961, read by Pres. Monohan.

Motion made by Mr. Wilson, seconded by Zehnder that they be accepted as read.

Report made by Treasurer Fred Boss on financial condition. Motion made by Mr. Miller that Mr. Boss buy government bonds in the amount of \$15,000.00 to replace bonds that were called in, seconded by Mr. Henry Monohan.

Robert Thompson was employed for Ass't Secy. and to take care of fire alarms on a 24 hour basis, 7 days a week, salary \$200 per month, plus apartment, heat, light water furnished.

President Monohan was instructed by the Board that they start getting together specifications for another piece of fire equipment, a pumper.

Motion made by Mr. Boss seconded by Joe Zehner that turkeys be purchased for directors and firemen for Thanksgiving.

There being no further business a motion was made by Mr. Kamer, that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

George E. Miller
George E. Miller
Secretary

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November 23, 1961, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:



December 13, 1961, Board meeting:

ST. MATTHEWS VOLUNTEER FIRE ASSOCIATION

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MARTY RAMER Vice President
FRED C. BOSS Treasurer
GEORGE E. MILLER Secretary

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Meeting of the Board Of Directors of The St. Matthews Vol. Fire Ass'n held at the fire House Dec. 13 1961.

Directors Present

Joe Zehnder
Fred C. Boss
Joe M. Monohan
Geo. E. Miller

Minutes of the last meeting held Nov 9th 1961 read by President Monohan .
Motion made by Mr. Boss and seconded by Mr. Zehnder that they be accepted as read.

Financial report for the year so far read by President Monohan

Motion made by Mr. Zehnder seconded by Mr. Boss that Mr. Monohan be instructed to buy five Motorola Mobile units at approximately \$150.00 each or what ever he thinks is the right price and if in his judgement thinks they are O. K.

Motion made by Mr Zehnder and seconded by Mr. Boss that all firemen and directors be given a ham for an Xmas present.

There being no further business motion made by Mr. Miller seconded by Mr. Monohan that we adjourn.

Respectfully Submitted

Sec'y.

PS I am my own stenographer today

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December 28, 1961, *The Voice of St. Matthews*:



December 31, 1961, Man-hour Report:

ST. MATTHEWS VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

MANHOUR REPORT

(Month)(Year) Ending Dec 31, 1961 .

<u>Category</u>	<u>Nr. of Manhours</u>
I Emergency Runs	654.3
II Training	
A. Routine	2,231.
B. Special	54.
III Public Service (other than emerg.)	
IV Preventive Maintenance	223.1
AGGREGATE	3,162.4

Remarks: Three men attended the Memphis Fire Department
Instructor's Conference.
Ten men participated in special departmental
engineer's course.

Signed Chairman/Member of Fire-
men's Committee

1961

December 31, 1961, Statistical Date for Emergency Runs:

ST. MATTHEWS VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

Statistical Data Emergency Runs

(Month)(Year) Ending Dec 31, 1961

1. Total Emergency Runs	<u>133</u>
2. Manhours on Emergency Runs	<u>654</u>
3. Responses by Individuals from Other Departments	<u>16</u>
4. Total Responses by St. Matthews Firemen	<u>3,654</u>
5. Average Number Firemen (3&4) Responding Per Run	<u>15.8</u>
6. Average Number Responses by Each St. Matthews Fireman	<u>40.</u>
7. Average Time Consumed by Each Run.	<u>12 min</u>

Firemen's Committee

Signed Chairman/Member Firemen's Committee

3 Jan 62

Date

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December 31, 1961, Total runs by individual firefighters:

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TOTAL RUNS BY INDIVIDUAL FIREMEN LXX									
STATION: _____ FIRE: _____ DATE: _____ LOCATION: _____ ALARM TIME: _____ NO. OF MEN: _____ TIME RETURNED TO BASE: _____ CLEAN UP TIME: _____									
1. Phil Madison	108	25.	Jack Monahan	64	48	Baldwin Lyn.	1		
2. Harry Babcock	55	26.	John M. Monahan, Jr.	66	49	L. Brown Lyn.	1		
3. Fred Berringer	6	27.	Devil Ring	45	50	Jones Lyn.	1		
4. Robert Brechard	66	28.	Charles Rehmann	34	51	J. Kempf Lyn	5		
5. R. Bro	64	29.	Billy Ross	59	52	R.E. Kempf J'tn6			
6. C. Cardwell	63	30.	Dan Ross	27	53	J. Ridge Lou.	1		
7. O. Cruse	2	31.	Phil Schneider, Jr.	86	54	J. Schaetzly	1		
8. Paul Dillman	78	32.	R. Harvey Schultze	54	55	<i>Responses</i>	<u>2135</u>		
9. Percy Engnehl	59	33.	Billy Smith, Jr.	2	56				
10. Walter Fletcher	41	34.	Sam Sullivan	53	57				
11. Gennie Florence	57	35.	J. P. Perry	14	58				
12. Edward C. Foely	64	36.	Oscar Von Alben	57	59				
13. Albert Hasberlin	39	37.	R. C. Walling	103	60				
14. George Hasberlin	45	38.	G. Wayne	41	61				
15. R. C. Gerdt		39.	Walter Werbert	21	62				
16. W. Richard Gerdt	62	40.	George Westwood	4	63				
17. D. Jewell	52	41.	Richard Wheeler, Jr.	23	64				
18. Marty Kemer	73	42.	William W. Wivers	62	65				
19. John V. Kaster	50	43.	Melch Lehofer	19	66				
20. R. E. Kaster	63	44.	<u>Paul Cramer</u>	28	67				
21. H. C. Kuhn	64	45.	<u>Phil Iwan</u>	3	68				
22. R. E. Kispheke	47	46.	<u>John Olliges</u>	1	69				
23. Howard Martin	50	47.	<u>Dave Smith</u>	7	70				
24. Bill Micou, Jr.	38								

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STMFD Fire Run Reports 1961:

1008-3040M
ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date March 25 1961
A. M. 5:04 P. M. 1:54

Location 6879 Swanmeadow Circle
Owner Richard E. Hacking

Signed Richard Hacking
Occupant Same
Signed _____
Building or Property Residence

Cause _____

Special Notes _____

Officer in Charge John Monahan

523 612 PM - 1008
ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date May 3 - 1961
A. M. 5:24 P. M. _____

Location 117 Breckenridge Lane
Owner A. J. Eline

Signed _____
Occupant Koster - Swape - Henry
Signed _____
Building or Property 2 Alarm From City of Eau Claire

Cause Undetermined
800' - 2 1/2 (Pumped 1 Hr.)
400' - 1 1/2 (S-4, S-1)

Special Notes 5-1-5-2-5-3-5-4
5-5-5-6

Officer in Charge John Monahan

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date 8-5-61
A. M. _____ P. M. 5:05 PM

Location 310 Westport Dr
Owner Ed L. Schwartz

Signed _____
Occupant _____
Signed _____
Building or Property Kitchen Fire
(Heavy Damage To Kitchen Cabinets - Stove - Ice Box - Smoke Throat House -)

Cause Matches Stored Above Stove In Cabinets

Special Notes Fire Was Not Repaired Until 6:15 - Alarm Was Not Set Off. House Ckd By

Officer in Charge Capt Walling

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date SEPT 7, 1961
Time 9:21 A. M. 10:12 P. M. Returned

Location Pontoon Boat Club
Owner LINDSEY RAJOT
300 Monahan Tw 6-4542

Signed Lindsey Rajot
Occupant _____
Signed _____
Building or Property Boat (CRS CRAFT)
NANNAW

Company Response S-4
Equipment Used _____

Hose 2 1/2" _____ Fl. 1 1/2" _____ Fl. _____

Remarks answered by Capt. Gaud

Officer in Charge Capt Walling

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date 10/12/61
Time 9:24 A. M. 9:25 P. M. Returned

Location FRANKFORT + MEDERIAN
Owner B. F. ROWLING
Reported by lady passing by in automobile

Signed automobile
Occupant SAME
Signed _____
Building or Property 2 STORY BAKERY AND DWELLING

Company Response S-4, S-1 + S-5
Equipment Used 1 BOOSTER, 1 ROOM LADDER, 1 PLASTER HOOK

Hose 2 1/2" _____ Fl. 1 1/2" _____ Fl. _____

Remarks HAD CENTRAL TO CALL CITY FROM SCENE.

Officer in Charge CHIEF J. MONAHAN

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date 10-20-61
A. M. 11:59 P. M. _____

Location 117 St Matthews Ave
Owner ?

Signed _____
Occupant 10-8-12:20 PM
Signed _____
Building or Property Radio Base Station

Cause Short Circuit

Special Notes Need New Radio.

Officer in Charge Asst Chief

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STMFD Fire Run Reports 1961:

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT
 Date 20 Nov 61
 A. M. 11:54 P. M. 12:06
 Location 5235 Beech Branch Rd.
 Owner City of Louisville
 Signed J. James B. Johnson
 Occupant _____
 Signed _____
 Building or Property Town H.
 Cause Eq. used: 2 crew bars, 10-2 & 12-20 PM
 Special Notes Firefighter's hands caught in door pocket door.
 Officer in Charge Florence - Andrius

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT
 Date 12-7-61
 Time 9:23 A.M. 11:05 P.M.
 Location 422 Brockbridge La
 Owner R. G. Vatter
 Signed _____
 Occupant _____
 Signed R. G. Vatter
 Building or Property Bedroom on second floor
 Clothing & contents - smoke
 damage - FIRE CONFINED TO ONE ROOM
 Equipment Used _____
 Hose $2\frac{1}{2}$ " 450 Fl. $1\frac{1}{2}$ " 150 Fl.
 Remarks S-1 S-2 S-4 S-5
 Officer in Charge Asst. Chief Kerner

ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT
 Date Dec 29-61
 Time 10:02 AM 10:41 PM
 Location 416 OXFORD
 Owner Harry S. Wilson
 Signed _____
 Occupant Same
 Signed Harry S. Wilson
 Building or Property Residence
 Company Response 5-1-2-3-4-6
 Equipment Used _____
 Hose $2\frac{1}{2}$ " 250' Fl. $1\frac{1}{2}$ " Fl. Booster
 Remarks Thawing water pipes for kitchen sink
 Officer in Charge J. Monahan

Electric Iron under
 Kitchen sink
 Electric Heater under
 Kitchen Floor - also
 blow torch under
 Kitchen Floor -
 Crawl space under
 Kitchen only full of
 combustible material
 areas by small hole
 from basement

1961 Fire Statistics For 1961

Total number of fire runs: 133
 Total working fires: 4
 Total hours of fire fighting: 32 1/2
 Total 1 1/2" hose used: 1,150 feet
 Total 2 1/2" hose used: 2,000 feet
 Back up City of Louisville:
 Number of A. M. runs: 40
 Number of P. M. runs: 93

Number of runs made by fire apparatus:

S1: 110
 S2: 59
 S4: 91
 S5: 30

Types of fire runs:

House 49
 Commercial 30
 Automobile 26
 Field & trash 20
 Miscellaneous 5
 Malicious false 3

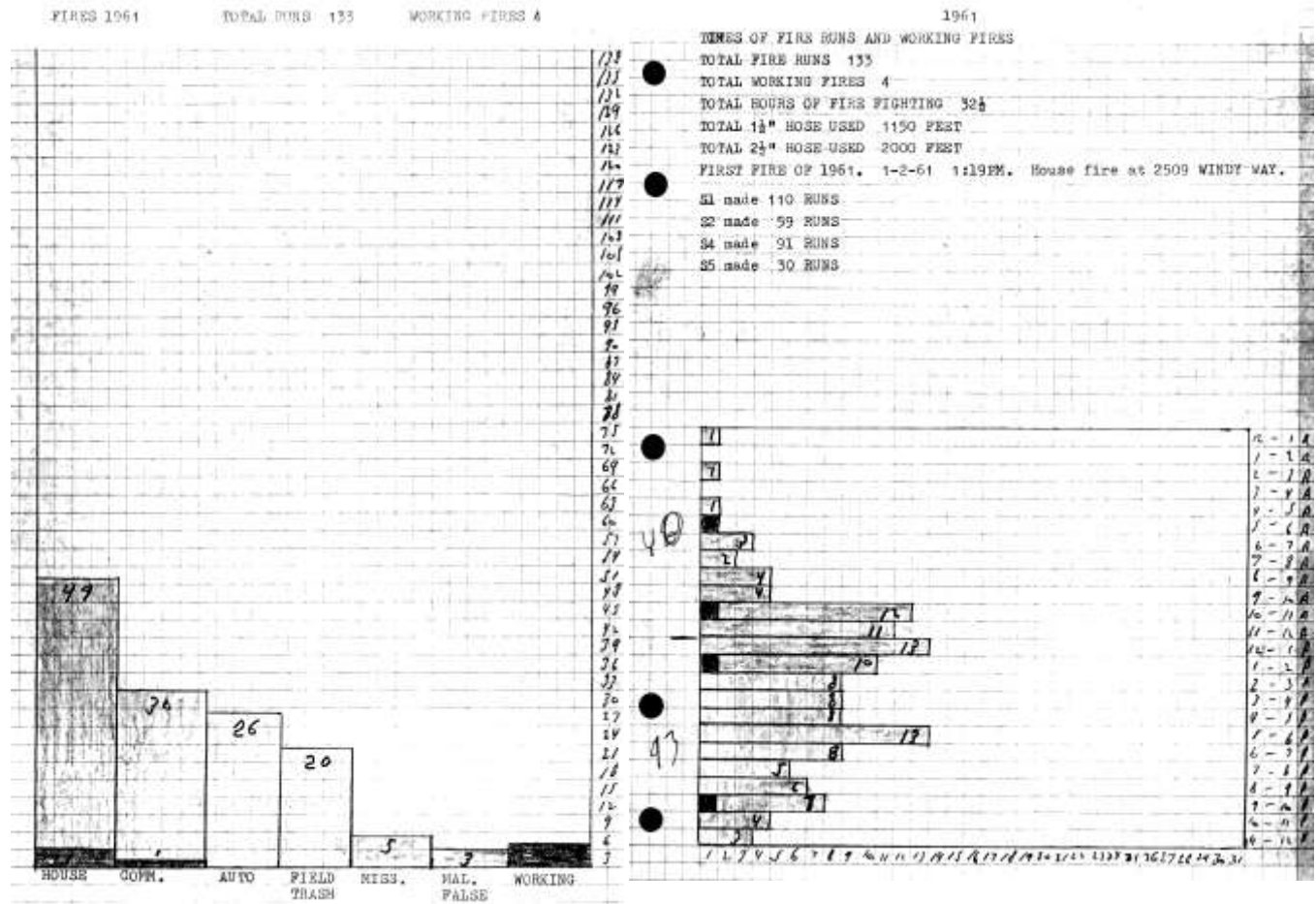
Working fires:

3/25/1961 1:54 p.m. House, 6879 Green Meadow Circle
 5/3/1961 5:15 a.m. Eline Realty Company, 117 Breckinridge Lane
 12/7/1961 9:23 p.m. House, 422 Breckinridge Lane, second floor bedroom
 12/29/1961 10.02 a.m. House, 416 Oxford Place, fire under kitchen

STMFD Fire Run charts by Al Ring

Total runs 133

Working fires 4



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DATE	TIME	1008 TIME	COMPANIES RESPONDED	Run #	NO OF FF'S	OFFICER IN CHARGE	STREET ADDRESS Or LOCATION	NARRATIVE
1-2	119 PM	125 PM	S1-S2-S3-S4-S5-S6	1		Chief Monohan	305 N. Hubbards Lane	Residence – chimney fire Burning old paper
1-6	1105 AM	1130 AM	S1	2		Asst. Chief Kamer	3700 blk. Lexington Road	Gasoline spilled in street, used booster
1-13	1130 AM	1145 AM	S1-S5-S2	3		Capt. Walling	Expressway & Shelbyville Road	Straw in roadway, used 2 boosters
1-18	613 AM	637 AM	S1-S2-S4	4		Chief Monohan	101 Marshall Drive	Milk truck in ditch
1-19	932 AM	950 AM	S1-S2	5		Capt. Florence	117 Indian Hills Trail	Auto – out on arrival
1-20	1046 AM	1106 AM	S1-S4-S5	6		Asst. Chief Kamer	4045 Richland Avenue	Residence – papers in kitchen too close to stove Used Johnson pump
1-26	1215 PM	1225 PM	S1-S4	7		Asst. Chief Kamer	3532 Nanz Avenue	Residence – furnace motor Louisville territory – called by Louisville FD
1-26	712 PM	757 PM	S1-S4-S5	8		Chief Monohan	4200 Shelbyville Road	Neon light shorted out
1-31	435 PM	455 PM	S1-S4	9		Asst. Chief Kamer	3810 Ormond Road	Garage – side wall Used booster
2-3	1038 PM	1048 PM	S1-S4	10		Asst. Chief Kamer	3909 Brownsboro Road	Apartment – overheated motor on dryer Used CO2
2-7	238 PM	255 PM	S4	11		Lt. Andriot	4046 Massie Avenue	Furnace motor – control stuck
2-9	652 PM	708 PM	S4-S1	12		Chief Monohan	153 Wiltshire Avenue	Dodge truck – F34-136 Used booster
1-11	1100 PM	1117 PM	S1-S4	13		Chief Monohan	1417 Girard Drive	Residence – couch in living room Used booster

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2-14	1205 PM	1240 PM	S1	14		Lt. Andriot	213 Brown Avenue	Field – burning rubbish Used booster
2-17	1115 AM	1135 AM	S1-S2	15		Asst. Chief Kamer	221 N. Hubbards Lane	Grass in yard – burning rubbish Used booster
2-22	1230 PM	1245 PM	S1-S4	16		Capt. Herdt	308 Browns Lane	Auto – used CO2
2-23	757 PM	817 PM	S1-S4-S5-S3	17		Chief Monohan	St. Matthews Elementary School 601 Browns Lane	Paper in crates, used 2 boosters Paper from collection drive
2-25	234 PM	245 PM	S1	18		Capt. Herdt	147 Wiltshire Avenue	Auto - wiring
2-25	555 PM	630 PM	S1-S2	19		Capt. Kaster	#13 Arrowhead Road	Auto – out on arrival
3-2	355 PM	415 PM	S1-S2	20		Oscar VonAllmen	Winn-Dixie parking lot Brownsboro Road	Auto – oil filter – motor backfired Used CO2. Assisted by Winn-Dixie clerk
3-6	615 AM	625 AM	S1-S4	21		Chief Monohan	3933 Frankfort Avenue A&P	Grocery – electrical wires in refrigeration unit Short caused by lightning
3-11	348 PM	402 PM	S1-S2	22		Chief Monohan	Sears Parking Lot	Auto
3-12	324 PM	402 PM	S1-S2	23		Asst. Chief Kamer	428 Sprite Road	Wires
3-12	1033 PM	1055 PM	S1-S4-S3-S6	24		Chief Monohan	3923 Warner Avenue	Residence – setting room couch
3-20	1055 AM	1150 AM	S5	25		Lt. Andriot	425 Cherrywood Road Holy Trinity Church	Trouble in tower public address system. Needed aerial ladder to reach belfry
3-25	1205 PM	1212 PM	S1-S2	26		Chief Monohan	3815 Nanz Avenue	Auto – rags on manifold
3-25	154 PM	304 PM	S1-S2-S4-S5-S3	27		Chief Monohan	6879 Green Meadow Circle	Residence – working fire, most of floor plan. Used 500' of 2-1/2", 600' of 1-1/2". Lyndon assisted.
4-5	1007 AM	1025 AM	S1-S4-S5	28		Capt. Walling	130 Travois Road	Furnace motor

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DATE	TIME	1008 TIME	COMPANIES RESPONDED	Run #	NO OF FF'S	OFFICER IN CHARGE	STREET ADDRESS Or LOCATION	NARRATIVE
4-6	116 PM	140 PM	S1-S2	29		Asst. Chief Kamer	77 Westwind Road	Grass – burning trash Out on arrival
4-9	800 PM	825 PM	S1-S4-S5	30		Chief Monohan	Frankfort Avenue & Chenoweth Lane Consolidated Sales Co.	Automatic alarm tripped No fire
4-10	629 PM	640 PM	No	31		Micou	318 Bonner Avenue	Auto – mechanic left rags on motor. Used garden hose. Called central but cancelled after locating fire
4-11	520 PM	535 PM	S1-S4	32		Asst. Chief Kamer	4513 Blenheim Road	Electrical outlet in kitchen, defective wiring
4-14	500 PM	530 PM	S1	33		Capt. Walling	116 Chenoweth Lane	Junked auto ignited by cutting torch Used booster
4-15	542 PM	549 PM	S1-S2	34		Chief Monohan	3801 Napanee Road	Malicious false
4-15	549 PM	605 PM	S1-S2	35		Chief Monohan	St. Matthews parking lot Westport Road	Auto
4-18	907 PM	918 PM	S1-S2-S4-S5	36		Asst. Chief Kamer	3937 Kennison Avenue	Furnace motor, used CO2
4-20	1111 PM	1134 PM	S4-S1	37		Chief Monohan	3830 Staebler Avenue, 2 nd floor	Mattress
5-1	1002 AM	1028 AM	S4-S1	38		Asst. Chief Kamer	5802 Tomahawk Road	Electric coffee maker – defective wires
5-3	525 AM	612 AM	S3-S6 S1-S4-S2-S5	39		Chief Monohan	117 Breckinridge Lane	Working fire, 800' – 2-1/2", 400' – 1-1/2" LFD Battalion Chief hit 2 nd alarm
5-4	245 PM	300 PM	S5	40		Capt. Florence	Chenoweth Lane	Post office – keys hung in phone wires
5-5	245 PM	255 PM	S4	41		Asst. Chief Kamer	Sears Thierman Lane	Child's foot caught in escalator Out on arrival
5-6	817 PM	825 PM	S4-S2	42		Capt. Walling	312 Tyne Road	Residence – vaporizer, short
5-7	820 AM	825 AM	No response	43		Chief Monohan	251 St. Matthews Avenue	Water in basement No response

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5-8	248 AM	310 AM	S1-S2-S4-S3-S6	44		Chief Monohan	3812 Napanee Road	Residence – sump pump motor Used CO2
5-9	1100 AM	1120 AM	S1-S4	45		Capt. Walling	206 Bonner Avenue	Residence – sump pump overheated
5-11	1213 PM	1220 PM	-	46		Asst. Chief Kamer	117 St. Matthews Avenue St. Matthews Fire Department	Auto – wires, used CO2 1955 Buick J87-652
5-19	441 PM	508 PM	S1-S2-S4-S5	47		Capt. Florence	317 Wallace Avenue	Commercial building LFD took over
5-24	1125 AM	1155 AM	S1-S2	48		Lt. Andriot	Approx. 314 Ring Road	Road grader – motor & cab – backfired Used booster
5-25	440 PM	458 PM	S1-S4	49		Asst. Chief Kamer	107 Hemingway Road	Residence – clothes dryer Used CO2
5-28	1100 AM	1132 AM	S1-S4-S5-S3-S6	50		Chief Monohan	15 Indian Hills Trail	Gas odor
5-29	800 AM	845 AM	S1-S4	51		Asst. Chief Kamer	4104 Springhill Road	Washing machine wiring Used CO2
6-2	701 AM	710 AM	S1-S2-S4	52		Asst. Chief Kamer	142 Breckinridge Lane	Apt. House – light fixture LFD report – Box 2683
6-2	1017 AM	1025 AM	S1-S2-S4	53		Asst. Chief Kamer	128 Breckinridge Lane	Laundry – air conditioner filter LFD area
6-2	625 PM	645 PM	S1-S4-S3	54		Chief Monohan	#21 Indian Hills Trail	Child caught leg in reducing mechanism
6-14	103 PM	118 PM		55		Capt. Walling	4520 Shelbyville Road	auto accident – used bolt cutters to release hood – no fire
6-19	950 PM	1008 PM	S1-S4-S3	56		Chief Monohan	3700 Lexington Road <u>Pookman Drugs</u>	Paper crate in rear LFD took charge
6-20	1254 PM	123 PM	S1-S2	57		Asst. Chief Kamer	435 Blankenbaker Lane	Auto – motor & wiring, used CO2
6-29	155 PM	210 PM	S1-S2	58		Asst. Chief Kamer	Frankfort at Willis Avenues	Truck – gas spillage on engine Used CO2

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6-28	514 PM	523 PM	S1-S4-S5	59		Asst. Chief Kamer	6808 Green Meadow Circle	Can of gasoline spilled Out on arrival
7-15	242 PM	325 PM	S1-S4-S5	60		Capt. Florence	27 Shelbyville Road Plaza 4600 Shelbyville Road	Drug store - incinerator Used garden hose & smoke ejector
7-23	802 AM	815 AM	S1-S4	61		Capt. Walling	3942 Ormond Road	Rubbish
7-27	110 PM	120 PM	S1-S4	62		Asst. Chief Kamer	222 Marshall Drive	Mower
7-27	427 PM	443 PM	S1-S4	63		Asst. Chief Kamer	304 Westport Road (no such number)	Malicious false
7-29	422 PM	450 PM	S1-S2-S4-S6	64		Asst. Chief Kamer	Hillsboro Road near Breckinridge Lane	Weeds - used 2 boosters
7-31	355 PM	415 PM	S4-S1	65		Asst. Chief Kamer	4225 Alton Road	T.V. Set in living room Removed outside to cool off
8-1	105 PM	135 PM	S4-S1	66		Lt. Andriot	Rear - Levy Brothers - Plaza 4600 Shelbyville Road	Paper crates, used booster
8-2	250 PM	330 PM	S4	67		Asst. Chief Kamer	Shelbyville Road Medical Center	Office building - odor, no fire
8-2	1025 PM	1041 PM	S1-S2-S3-S4-S5-S6	68		Chief Monohan	3827 Frankfort Avenue Consolidated Sales Co.	Automatic alarm, no fire
8-5	505 PM	612 PM	Walling	69		Walling	310 Westport Drive	Kitchen, owner fought fire, did not call in alarm, called Walling 1 hour later
8-18	945 PM	955 PM	S1-S2-S3-S4-S6	70		Chief Monohan	350 Hubbards Lane (no such street address)	Called in as Garage - malicious false
8-29	1254 PM	115 PM	S4	71		Asst. Chief Kamer	3430 Warner Avenue	Residence - defective plug on toaster
8-31	655 PM	715 PM	S1-S2-S3-S4-S5-S6	72		Chief Monohan	125 N. Sherrin Avenue	Vacant residence - outside porch, used booster from S4
9-1	1206 AM	1212 AM	S1-S2-S3-S6	73		Chief Monohan	In front of 3709 Lexington Road	Auto accident - gasoline spillage, called by LFD, released immediately by Engine 21

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9-5	828 PM	849 PM	S1-S2-S4	74		Asst. Chief Kamer	4800 Brownsboro Road	Bank - incenerator
9-6	1020 AM	1045 AM	S4	75		A.E. Andriot	4238 Westport Road O.J. Stivers Elementary School	Noise in duct work, school authorities thought cat in duct. Had a clock hitting side making noise
9-7	921 AM	1025 AM	S4	76		R. Walling	Pastime Boat Club River Road	Boat - working fire
9-7	855 PM	910 PM	S1-S4-S5-S6	77		Asst. Chief Kamer	3912 Massie Avenue	Residence - electrical wiring
9-8	146 PM	158 PM	S1-S6	78		Asst. Chief Kamer	In front of Taylor Drugs - plaza 4600 Shelbyville Road	Auto - electrical wiring
9-9	1237 PM	1252 PM	S1-S2-S4-S6	79		Chief Monohan	1101 Old Cannons Lane	Residence - grease on stove, in city of Louisville Released by #21 Engine Co. Nothing used
9-10	437 AM	448 AM	S1-S2-S3-S4-S6	80		Chief Monohan	500 Macon Avenue	Malicious false, called by woman to LFD, St. MPD also received call to same address earlier - mal. false
9-17	1117 AM	1136 AM	S1-S2-S6	81		Asst. Chief Kamer	51 Calumet Road	Auto - fan belt Corvair #500, 137-181 Jefferson County
9-23	1248 PM	1256 PM	S1-S3-S2-S4-S5	82		Asst. Chief Kamer	128 Breckinridge Lane	Auto - front seat, used Johnson pump
9-28	1247 PM	106 PM	S1-S4-S5-S6	83		Asst. Chief Kamer	4238 Westport Road O.J. Stivers Elementary School	School - broken steam pipe, shut off
9-29	354 PM	431 PM	S1-S2-S4	84		Capt. Florence	502 Indian Ridge Road	Vacant lot - weeds, used Johnson pump & brooms
10-7	510 PM	515 PM	S1-S3-S4-S6	85		Chief Monohan	3802 Brownsboro Road	Auto - backfired thru carburetor
10-2	1115 AM	1130 AM	S1-S2-S3	86		Asst. Chief Kamer	In front of fire station 117 St. Matthews Avenue	Auto - rear cushion
10-13	1144 AM	1154 AM	S4	87		R. Walling	205 Ridgeway Avenue	Residence - automatic washer
10-15	926 AM	1010 AM	S1-S2-S3	88		Chief Monohan	6916 Ambridge Circle	Auto - motor compartment

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DATE	TIME	1008 TIME	COMPANIES RESPONDED	Run #	NO OF FF'S	OFFICER IN CHARGE	STREET ADDRESS Or LOCATION	NARRATIVE
10-15	924 PM	035 PM	S6-S1-S4-S5	89		Chief Monohan	Frankfort & Meridian Avenues Plehn's Bakery	Awning - cigarette, used booster In city of Louisville
10-20	1159 AM	1220 PM		90		Asst. Chief Kamer	St. Matthews Fire Department 117 St. Matthews Avenue	Radio base - transformer
10-22	513 PM	546 PM	S1-S4	91		Chief Monohan	4119 Dellridge Avenue	Food in oven, owner away Used CO2
10-24	645 AM	654 AM	S1-S2	92		Chief Monohan	U.S. 60 & Expressway	Milk truck - overheated radiator
10-24	1217 PM	1232 PM	S1-S4	93		Asst. Chief Kamer	319 Merriman Road	Clothes dryer - electric motor
10-27	1102 AM	1207 PM	S1-S4	94		Florence Walling, Andriot	4025 St. Germaine Court	Residence - chimney
10-28	127 PM	201 PM	S1-S4-S2-S6	95		Asst. Chief Kamer	Rear of 1402 Girard Drive	Burning field-called in by EB Fox, 1412 Girard, in Lyndon FD area
10-29	1220 PM	1242 PM	S1	96		Chief Monohan	In front of 224 Breckinridge Lane	Leaves - used booster
11-1	340 PM	402 PM	S1-S4	97		Florence Andriot	420 Pennington Lane	Speed Queen gas dryer
11-1	851 PM	925 PM	S1-S2-S4-S3	98		Chief Monohan	1668 Almara Circle	Overloaded washing machine
11-1	943 PM	1014 PM	S4-S6	99		Asst. Chief Kamer	200 Marshall Drive	Clothes dryer
11-2	219 PM	229 PM	S1	100		Asst. Chief	In front of 3708 Grandview Avenue	Leaves under auto, used booster
11-6	329 PM	351 PM	S4	101		Capt. Florence	3605 Plymouth Road	Blower motor
11-6	333 PM	351 PM	S1	102		Lt. Andriot	Lexington Road Taylor Drugs	Awning - used roof ladder
11-7	610 PM	644 PM	S1-S2-S3-S4-S5-S6	103		Chief Monohan	Beechwood & Kinloch Roads	Tree house - used booster

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11-8	455 PM	530 PM	S1-S2	104		Chief Monohan	In front of 4201 Shelbyville Road	Leaves - used booster
11-9	1150 AM	1215 PM	S4	105		Lt. Andriot	3340 Dayton Avenue	Washing machine motor, used CO2
11-9	407 PM	413 PM	S1	106		Capt. Walling & Florence	Browns Lane St. Matthews Methodist Church	Leaves & telephone pole - used booster
11-9	601 PM	636 PM	S1-S2-S3-S4-S6	107		Chief Monohan	Browns Lane J. Graham Brown	Field - owner set field on fire to burn weeds & trash
11-12	157 PM	216 PM	S1-S2-S3-S4-S6	109		Chief Monohan	3613 Winchester Road	Blower motor
11-12	210 PM	230 PM	S1-S2-S3-S4-S6	110		Chief Monohan	317 Iola Road	Residence
11-12	856 AM	912 AM	S1-S2-S3-S4-S6	108		Chief Monohan	Browns Lane & Shelbyville Road Beargrass Christian Church	Church - no fire
11-18	745 PM	755 PM	S1-S3-S3-S4-S5	111		Chief Monohan	Browns Lane	Grass
11-20	1144 AM	1206 PM	S4	112		Lt. Andriot Capt. Florence	3235 Beals Branch Road City of Louisville	Rescue, dump packer closed on man's hand 2 crow bars, huxbar, halligan tool
11-21	917 PM	936 PM	S1	113		Asst. Chief Kamer	218 N. Hubbards Lane	Auto - rear of car - gasoline
11-25	504 PM	514 PM	S1-S4-S5	114		Asst. Chief Kamer	3930 Frankfort Avenue Showers Shop	Neon sign overheated transformer
11-30	744 AM	818 AM	S1-S4	115		Capt. Walling	Louisville Country Club Upper River Road	Brush fire set by workman
12-1	1210 PM	129 PM	S1	116		Capt. Walling	Hikes Lane	Field - backup McMahan FD
12-1	558 PM	629 PM	S1-S2-S3-S4	117		Chief Monohan	4026 Hillsboro Road	Garage - used booster
12-6	829 PM	842 PM	S1-S2-S4	118		Chief Monohan	212 Iola Road	House - bedroom

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1961 ST. MATTHEWS FIRE RUNS								
DATE	TIME	1008 TIME	COMPANIES RESPONDED	Run #	NO OF FF'S	OFFICER IN CHARGE	STREET ADDRESS Or LOCATION	NARRATIVE
12-7	923 PM	1105 PM	S1-S2-S4-S5	119		Asst. Chief Kamer	422 Breckinridge Lane	House – working fire second floor bedroom Used 450' of 2-1/2", 150' of 1-1/2"
12-8	715 PM	725 PM	S4	120		Capt. Walling	429 Wallace Avenue	Leaves – used booster
12-9	535 PM	554 PM	S1-S2-S3-S4-S5	121		Chief Monohan	503 Cornell Place	House – living room
12-11	728 PM	805 PM	S1-S2-S3-S4	122		Chief Monohan	315 N. Hubbards Lane	House – bedroom, used booster
12-12	1045 AM	1133 AM	S1-S4-S6	123		Asst. Chief Kamer	4004 Norbourne Blvd	House – bedroom, used booster
12-12	521 PM	608 PM	S1-S2-S4-S6	124		Asst. Chief Kamer	107 Blankenbaker Lane	Ammonia leak - refrigerator
12-13	654 PM	700 PM	S1-S2-S4	125		Chief Monohan	306 Chenoweth Lane	House- decoration
12-16	1002 PM	1035 PM	S1-S2-S3-S4-S6	126		Chief Monohan	Louisville Country Club Upper River Road	Club – vent system in kitchen
12-18	1035 AM	1110 AM	S4	127		Asst. Chief Kamer	3723 Lexington Road	Store – wiring ballast
12-18	612 PM	631 PM	S1-S2-S3-S4-S5-S6	128		Chief Monohan	3800 Staebler Avenue	House – curtains in kitchen, used Johnson pump
12-19	1030 AM	1045 AM	Did not leave	129		Chief Monohan	502 Ridgewood Road	Man buried in ditch Louisville FD answered call
12-22	424 PM	431 PM	S1-S2-S3	130		Chief Monohan	Oxford Place & Wilmington Avenue	Grass
12-29	1002 AM	1057 AM	S1-S2-S3-S4-S6	131		Chief Monohan	416 Oxford Place	Working house fire under kitchen Used 250' of 2-1/2" & booster
12-31	1024 PM	1035 PM	S1-S2-S4-S6	132		Asst. Chief Kamer	3722 Lexington Road	Restaurant – gas heater, used Johnson pump
12-31	1035 PM	1118 PM	S1-S2-S4-S6	133		Asst. Chief Kamer	3720 Fairway Lane	House – electric fuse, oil furnace. Used CO2

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FIRE DEPARTMENT

FROM

December 27th 1960

TO February 13th 1961

No.	Part of Building Where Fire Started	CAUSE	Extinguished by A. Smother B. Chemical C. Hydraulic Pressure D. Pump E. Sprinkler	Number of Highways Available	House Properties Wrecked	Size and Part of House Used	Size and Number of Lodgers Used	Extent of Chemicals Used	INSURANCE RECORD						SPECIAL NOTES
									BUILDINGS			CONTENTS			
									Estimated Value	Insurance Carried	Estimated Loss	Insurance Paid	Estimated Value	Insurance Carried	
304	Not Known	See Logbook	B	-	-	30 20 40 5 700 ft	-	-	burned by Chief of Liquor Dept						Radio used For Fire only
305	Fire Place	Loose	-	-	-	-	-	Smoke Ejector							
1	Chimney	Burning old Paper	Elect.	-	-	-	-	-							" " "
2	Isosolent	Driftwood	-	-	-	-	-	-							" " "
3	Spiller in Steel	40 lb	B	2	5 th	B	-	-							" " "
4	Steam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							" " "
5	on Smoking	Smoking	B.A.	2	5 th	B	-	-							" " "
6	Knives in Kitchen	Foggy	-	-	-	-	-	-							" " "
7	Out on	Relay House	-	-	-	-	-	-							" " "
8	Paper in	Paper to	J.P.	-	-	-	-	-							" " "
9	Kitchen	Alcohol	J.P.	-	-	-	-	-							" " "
10	Fireman	Fireman	-	-	-	-	-	-							" " "
11	Water	Not Hot.	man	-	-	-	-	-							" " "
12	Neon Light	Starts out	man	-	-	-	-	-							" " "
13	Water	Not Hot	B.	1	10 th	B	-	-							" " "
14	Motor on	Overheated	bo.	2	-	-	-	-							" " "
15	Thermal	Control	nothing	1	10	-	-	-							" " "
16	Radio in	Struck	nothing	1	10	-	-	-							" " "
17	Radio in	Struck	B.	1	10 th	B	-	-							" " "
18	Radio in	Struck	B.	1	5 th	A	-	-							" " "

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FIRE RECORD OF <u>St. M. V. F. R.</u>														
Date	Time	Alarm by Phone or Box No.	COMPANIES RESPONDED Co. No. and Type	Time Arrived	Time Departed	Hours of Service	Miles Travelled	Officer in Charge	Kind of Building or Property	STREET ADDRESS OR LOCATION	OWNER	OCCURRED BY	Purpose Used For	*Spread to Other Buildings Yes or No
9/14/61	10:55	Radio AS	A1	10:55	10:55	35	1/2	St. Andrew	Field	813 Brown Ave	Mrs. W.D. Arthur	Field	—	no
9/17/61	11:15	Phone AS	A1 + S2	11:15	11:35	30	1	Chief	yard	221 W. Howard	R.A. Schuler	same	Home	no
9/20/61	17:40	AS	A1 + H	17:40	17:45	15	1/2	Shardt	Auto	308 Brown Subl. Sorensen	J.H. - 339	same	Auto	no
9/20/61	7:30	Radio AS	A1 - H - S - 3	7:30	8:15	45	1/2	Chief	School	St. M. School	Brown Co. County B & E	same	Paper	no
9/20/61	8:15	Radio AS	A1	8:15	8:45	30	1/2	Chief	Auto	147 Withshire	J.W. Swinford	1937 - blue	Auto	no
9/20/61	5:55	AS	A1 + 2	5:55	6:30	35	3	Chief	Auto	78 Arrowhead	Milton Lomax	same	—	—
9/20/61	3:55	Phone AS	A1 + 2	3:55	4:15	20	3	Van Allen	Auto	Arrowhead Sub	W.D. Swinford	same	Auto	no
9/20/61	6:15	AS	A1 + 4	6:15	6:45	30	1/2	Chief	Heavy	3983 Elmwood	A.T.D.	same	Heavy	no
9/20/61	3:15	Phone AS	A1 + 2	3:15	4:00	45	1/2	Chief	Auto	1405 Taylorville	Jerry R. Bagnis	same	Auto	no
9/20/61	3:30	AS	A1 + 2	3:30	4:00	30	1/2	Chief	Auto	425 Spruce St	S.H. + 2	same	Auto	no
9/20/61	10:30	Radio AS	A1 + 4	10:30	10:35	5	1	Chief	Residence	3923 Waverly	F.D. Ahern	same	Home	no
9/20/61	10:15	Phone AS	S 5	10:15	11:00	45	1	Chief	Auto	1105 Charyn	St. Mary's	same	Auto	no
9/20/61	12:15	Radio AS	A1 + 2	12:15	12:45	30	1/2	Chief	Auto	3115 N. Hwy	Jos. E. Swast	same	Auto	no
9/20/61	1:30	Radio AS	A1 - 2 - H - S - 3	1:30	1:45	15	1/2	Chief	Residence	6399 Greenwood	Rich. S. Haskin	same	Home	no
9/20/61	10:10	Phone AS	A1 - 4 - 5	10:10	10:45	35	5	Chief	Residence	130 1/2 Arrow	E.B. Williams	same	Home	no
TOTALS														

FIRE DEPARTMENT																	
FROM February 14 th 1961 TO April 5 th 1961																	
#	Part of Building Where Fire Started	CAUSE	Extinguished by S. Snuffer C. Chemicals H. Hydraulic Hose P. Pump S. Sprinklers	Number of Hydrants Available	Hours Pumped Worked	Size and Feet of Hose Used	Size and Number of Ladders Used	Exposure of Chemicals Used	INSURANCE RECORD								SPECIAL NOTES
									BUILDINGS				CONTENTS				
									Estimated Value	Insurance Carried	Estimated Loss	Insurance Paid	Estimated Value	Insurance Carried	Estimated Loss	Insurance Paid	
14	Field	Burned	B	—	10 ⁰⁰	B	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Radio used
15	Grass	Burned	B	—	11 ⁰⁰	B	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Fortenbury
16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
17	Paper in boxes	?	B B	2	12 ⁰⁰	AS	—	—	Paper from collection drive	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
18	Washing	Not Recd	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
19	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
20	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
21	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
22	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
24	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
25	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
26	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
27	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
28	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
29	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
30	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
31	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
32	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
33	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
34	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
35	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
36	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
37	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
38	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
39	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
40	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
41	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
42	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
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57	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
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61	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
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63	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
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67	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
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77	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
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79	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
80	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
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96	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
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112	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
113	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
114	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
115	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
116	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
117	Out on Arrival	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	" " "
118	Out on Arrival	—</															

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10/1	9:54 PM	Radio	51-54-55	9:55 PM	11:00 AM	11	35	Chief	Joining	Frankfort & Meridian Ave	Plotins Bakery	Same -	Bakery	No
10/1	11:58 PM	Radio	51-54-55	12:00 AM	12:00 AM	21	30	Asst Chief	Radio	1175 1/2 Madison Ave	B Bawling	Same	Fire Sta	No
10/1	5:54 PM	Radio	51-54	5:54 PM	5:54 PM	33	30	Chief	Residence	4119 Delridge	Forst M Dodge	Same	Residence	No
10/1	6:54 PM	Radio	51-54-52	6:54 PM	6:54 PM	9	30	Chief	Truck	US 60	Beatrice Food Co	Same	Delivery	No
10/1	12:54 PM	Radio	51-54-54	12:54 PM	12:54 PM	15	30	Asst Chief	Residence	319 Harrison Rd	L Poole	Same	Residence	No
10/1	11:54 PM	Radio	51-54-54	12:00 AM	12:00 AM	5	30	Asst Chief	Residence	4025 St. Gracian	R B Grogan	Same	Residence	No
10/1	1:54 PM	Radio	51-54-56	2:00 PM	2:00 PM	34	30	Asst Chief	Field	Gravel Ave	R W M Hirs	Same	Farm	No
10/1	12:54 PM	Radio	51	12:54 PM	12:54 PM	28	30	Chief	Leaves	324 Breckenridge Ln	Jos C Martin	Same	Residence	No
10/1	3:54 PM	Radio	51-54	4:00 PM	4:00 PM	33	30	Asst Chief	Gas Dryer	420 Pennington	A Einbinder	Same	Residence	No
10/1	8:54 PM	Radio	51-2-4-3	9:00 PM	9:00 PM	34	30	Chief	Leaves	1668 Alana Circle	Dr M Lownthal	Same	Residence	No
10/1	9:54 PM	Radio	54-56	10:00 PM	10:00 PM	31	30	Asst Chief	Dryer	300 Marshall Dr	Clay Popeland	Same	Residence	No
10/1	2:54 PM	Radio	51	2:54 PM	2:54 PM	10	30	Asst Chief	Leaves	3703 Grandview	Louis Stauble	Same	Residence	No
10/1	3:54 PM	Radio	54	3:54 PM	3:54 PM	32	30	Asst Chief	Blower	3605 Plymouth	E F Bryan	Same	Residence	No
10/1	3:54 PM	Radio	51	3:54 PM	3:54 PM	18	30	Asst Chief	Joining	Longwood Rd	Taylor Drug Co	Same	Drug Store	No
10/1	6:54 PM	Radio	51-2-3-4-5-6	6:54 PM	6:54 PM	34	30	Chief	House	Breckenridge & Bank Rock				
TOTALS														

FIRE DEPARTMENT

FROM

TO

Part of Building Where Fire Started	CAUSE	Extinguished by A. Water B. Chemical C. Dry Chemical D. Hydrant Stream E. Pump F. Sprinkler	Number of Hydrants Available	Hours of Service	Size and Type of Hose Used	Size and Number of Ladders Used	Gallon of Chemicals Used	INSURANCE RECORD				CONTENTS				SPECIAL NOTES
								BUILDINGS								
								Estimated Value	Insurance Carried	Estimated Loss	Insurance Paid	Estimated Value	Insurance Carried	Estimated Loss	Insurance Paid	
89	Awning	Cigarette	B	2	-	-	-	In city of Louisville								Ride with fire same only
90	Radio	Transformer	-	1	-	-	-									
91	Store	Overstuffed	C2	-	-	-	-									
92	Radiator	Radiator	None	-	-	-	-									
93	Clothes Dryer	Electric Motor	-	-	-	-	-									
94	Plumbing	Refrigerator	-	-	-	-	-									
95	Field	Burning Field	Called as by	2:15 PM	14:12	Called	In hospital by Area.									
96	Breckenridge Lane	-	B-	-	-	-	-									
97	Dryer	-	-	-	-	-	-									
98	Wooden	-	-	-	-	-	-									
99	Dryer	-	-	-	-	-	-									
100	Refrigerator	under Auto	-B	-	-	-	-									
101	Blower	-	-	-	-	-	-									
102	Joining	-	Ref. L. G.	-	-	-	-									
103	-	-	B-	-	-	-	-									

STMFD Fire Run book, top and bottom are one section

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STMF Fire Run book, top and bottom are one section

FIRE RECORD OF

Date	Time	Alarm by Phone or Box No.	COMPANIES RESPONDED Co. No. and Type	Time Arrived	Time Dispatched	Hours of Service	Units Transmitted	Officer in Charge	Kind of Building or Property	STREET ADDRESS OR LOCATION	OWNER	OCCUPIED BY	Purpose Used For	Spread to Other Buildings Yes or No
12/16/61	9:33	Radio	51-5-2-4-5	11:05	10:20	10:00	10:00	Asst Chief	House	422 Backlund Ave	L.G. Vatter	Same	Residence	no
12/16/61	7:16	Radio	5-4	7:25	10:00	10:00	10:00	Asst Chief	Leaves	429 Wallace Ave	Mr. S.K. Weismanstein	Same	Residence	no
12/16/61	5:38	Radio	5-1-2-3-4-5	5:56	19:00	19:00	19:00	Chief	House	503 Cornell Pl	R.S. Cooper	Same	Residence	no
12/16/61	7:18	Radio	5-1-2-3-4	8:05	37:00	37:00	37:00	Chief	House	315 N. Hickman	L.J. Parmer	Same	Residence	no
12/16/61	10:45	Radio	5-1-4-6	11:23	48:00	48:00	48:00	Asst Chief	House	4004 N. Main	E.D. Friesberg	Same	Residence	no
12/16/61	5:21	Radio	51-2-4-6	6:05	47:00	47:00	47:00	Asst Chief	House	107 N. Main	C.W. Schoppert	Same	Residence	no
12/16/61	6:54	Radio	5-1-2-4	7:00	4:00	4:00	4:00	Chief	House	306 Cherokee	Mr. Frank Gering	Same	Residence	no
12/16/61	10:00	Radio	5-1-2-3-4-6	10:35	37:00	37:00	37:00	Chief	House	Louiseville Court	Louiseville Court	Same	Club	no
12/16/61	10:00	Radio	5-4	11:10	25:00	25:00	25:00	Asst Chief	Store	3723 Lexington	Walter Kaker	Same	Store	no
12/16/61	6:12	Radio	5-1-2-3-4-5-6	6:31	19:00	19:00	19:00	Chief	House	3800 Stables	Robert Dettle	Same	Residence	no
12/16/61	10:40	Radio	5-1-2-3	10:45	15:00	15:00	15:00	Chief	Ditch	502 Lodgewood				
12/16/61	4:20	Radio	5-1-2-3	4:30	10:00	10:00	10:00	Chief	Grass	Oxford - Wilmington	not home		Residence	no
12/16/61	10:00	Radio	5-1-2-3-4-6	10:00	54:00	54:00	54:00	Chief	House	416 Oxford	Mary S. Wilson	Same	Residence	no
12/16/61	10:00	Radio	5-1-2-4-6	10:35	11:00	11:00	11:00	Asst Chief	Restaurant	3722 Lexington	Walter Kaker	Same	Restaurant	no
12/16/61	10:45	Radio	5-1-2-4-6	11:15	43:00	43:00	43:00	Asst Chief	House	3700 Parkway	Paul A. Dillig	Same	Residence	no
TOTALS														

FIRE DEPARTMENT

FROM

TO

Part of Building Where Fire Started	CAUSE	Extinguished by A. Hooker C. Chubbuck H. Hatcher P. Pumper S. Sprinkler	Number of Hydrants Available	Hydrants Worked	Size and Feet of Hose Used	Size and Number of Ladders Used	Status of Chubbuck Used	INSURANCE RECORD								SPECIAL NOTES			
								BUILDINGS				CONTENTS							
								Estimated Value	Insurance Carried	Estimated Loss	Insurance Paid	Estimated Value	Insurance Carried	Estimated Loss	Insurance Paid				
119	Second & 100th Bedroom	50 ft 2 1/2 50 ft 1 1/2																	
120	Leaves	Booster																	
121	Living Room	-																	
122	Bed Room	Booster																	
123	Bed Room Commons	Booster																	
124	Leak Refug. Electric Room	-																	
125	Recreation Vent System Kitchen	-																	
126		-																	
127	Living Room Bentons m. Kitchen	-																	
128		Johnnie Camp																	
129																			
130	Gas fire under Kitchen	50 ft 2 1/2 Booster																	
131	Gas Heater	Johnnie Camp																	
132	Electric Fiddle Bed Room	C.O. 2																	
133																			

Hanger in fire place & rapped line

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The department received a Community service Award for Outstanding Service & Leadership from the St. Matthews Business Association.

Elmer Haag, Jr. started a long tenure of repairing our fire trucks.

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FIRE		1/1/62	223-Travis
1/14		1/14	1/14
Andnot S-4			
1. Bill Anderson	25. Jack McPherson	48	
2. Harry Beck	26. <i>Jack McPherson S-4</i>	49	
3. Fred Barringer	27. John M. Monahan, Jr.	50	
4. Robert Br...	28. David Cook	51	
5. <i>S-4</i> <i>Robert Br...</i>	29. C. Rohmann	52	
6. C. Cardwell	30. <i>C. Rohmann Car</i>	53	
7. G. Cruse	31. <i>Billy Rose</i>	54	
8. Paul Dillman	32. Phil Schneider, Jr.	55	
9. <i>Paul Dillman S-1</i>	33. R. Harvey Schultze	56	
10. <i>Leon Egozshi</i>	34. <i>RAS</i>	57	
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January 12, 1962, Board meeting:

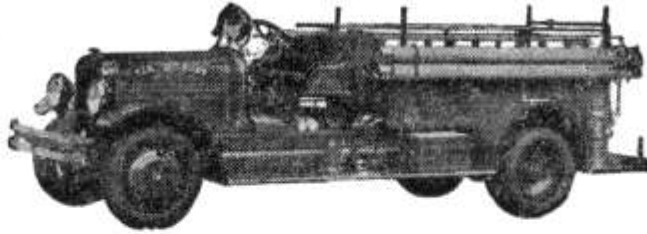
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P. O. Box 115

St. Matthews, Ky

January 12, 1962

The regular monthly meeting of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Association was held on January 11, 1962 at the Fire House.

Directors present: John Monohan Henry Monohan
Fred Boss W. Leland Wilson
Joe Zehnder Marty Kamer
George E. Miller

President Monohan read the minutes of last meeting held on December 13, 1961. Motion was made by Mr. Zehnder and seconded by Mr. Boss that the minutes be accepted as read.

Financial report was read by President Monohan. Motion made by Mr. Zehnder, seconded by Henry Monohan, that Mr. Kamer and Mr. John Monohan purchase hose that is necessary for our present requirements.

Motion made by Mr. Boss, seconded by Mr. Zehnder, that the secretary be instructed to write a letter to Judge Cook that we approve for appointment R. M. Trautwein, 3130 Hewitt Avenue.

Motion made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. John Monohan, that Mr. Boss buy \$5000.00 certificate of deposit at the Louisville Trust Company at 4%.

There being no further business a motion was made by Mr. Zehnder, seconded by Mr. Miller, that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

George E. Miller
George E. Miller

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Staff Photo

PRIME PUMPER . . . A new pumper for the McMahan Center Volunteer Fire Department successfully squirted through a test yesterday for an insurance company testing agency. Equipment of Dixie Suburban Fire Department was also tested at a quarry on Old Cannons Lane.

January 25, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

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February 5, 1962, Letter:

Firemen elect officers

Bob Walling, 122 Fairmeade Rd., has been elected for four years to the office of Captain of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department. Mr. Walling, 35, who is a salesman for Gil Mueller Auto Parts, had been previously elected captain for the remainder of an unexpired term.

Albert Haeberlin, 3536 Graham Rd., was elected Lieutenant for four years. Mr. Haeberlin, 25 has been a St. Matthews fireman for eight years. He is a foreman at General Electric Appliance Park.

Howard L. Martin, 327 Norbourne Blvd., was elected to fill the year remaining of the unexpired term of John Kaster who resigned Jan. 2 due to the press of business interests.

Mr. Martin, 38, is a supervisor in the Underground Department at Louisville Gas and Electric Co. He is a former assistant chief of the Lyndon Volunteer Fire Department and has been with the St. Matthews department for three years.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO THE BUREAU

KENTUCKY INSPECTION BUREAU

840 STARKS BUILDING

LOUISVILLE 2, KY.

JOHN L. THOMPSON, MANAGER
W. M. HORN, ASSISTANT MANAGER

February 5, 1962

Honorable Marlow W. Cook, Judge
Jefferson County Court
and Chiefs of Jefferson County
Fire Departments
Jefferson County, Kentucky

Gentlemen:

FIRE PROTECTION JEFFERSON COUNTY, KENTUCKY

In the past decade, Jefferson County has enjoyed an unprecedented growth. This has brought about many problems, one of which is providing adequate fire protection. The Jefferson County Volunteer Fire Departments with the co-operation of the County Government have met this challenge by establishing additional fire departments, expanding and improving existing fire departments, and employing modern fire-fighting practices and techniques.

Through the efforts of the Jefferson County Volunteers, the citizens have enjoyed better fire protection, as well as reductions in their fire insurance rates. One of the principal factors which has made it possible to extend rate credit throughout the majority of Jefferson County is the fact that the fire departments have continued to improve the fire protection facilities through better working relationship between departments and mutual assistance. Future improvements in the fire protection in Jefferson County will depend, to a great extent, on the degree of co-operation between the various fire departments and their efforts to work as a unit.

In recognition of the improvements that have been made in the Jefferson County fire protection facilities, and at the request of your County organization, we have conducted a survey of the County's fire defenses and made recommendations for the improvements necessary for a sixth-class grading to be granted to the property now receiving a seventh-class grading.

With this letter we are submitting a reasonable combination of recommendations that will provide a realistic and progressive fire protection program and will also permit you to more fully utilize the existing fire protection facilities at a minimum cost. Compliance with these recommendations will result in a sixth-class grading to the property now receiving a seventh-class grading. If you have any questions regarding the attached list of recommendations, or if we can assist you in any way, please feel free to call on us.

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Honorable Marlow W. Cook, Judge
Jefferson County Court
and Chiefs of Jefferson County
Fire Departments
Jefferson County, Kentucky

February 5, 1962

The Jefferson County Volunteer Fire Departments are to be commended on their interest and continual efforts to provide better fire protection for their communities. We are most anxious to assist you in every way possible in your endeavors.

Yours very truly,

John L. Thompson

MANAGER

Dictated by Mr. Smith:lje

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February 5, 1962, Letter:

KENTUCKY INSPECTION BUREAU
John L. Thompson, Manager
Louisville 2, Kentucky

February 5, 1962

JEFFERSON COUNTY, KENTUCKY

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR A SIXTH-CLASS FIRE INSURANCE GRADING
FOR PROPERTY LOCATED IN JEFFERSON COUNTY AND MEETING THE
FOLLOWING CONDITIONS: (A) NOT MORE THAN 1,000 FEET BY
ACCESSIBLE ROAD FROM A PUBLIC FIRE HYDRANT AND (B) NOT
MORE THAN THREE MILES BY ACCESSIBLE ROAD FROM A REGULARLY
ORGANIZED AND EQUIPPED JEFFERSON COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT,
BOTH DISTANCES MEASURED ON PUBLIC HIGHWAYS.

WATER SUPPLY

1. Maintain all fire hydrants in good operating condition. Inspect and flush hydrants at least twice each year and keep suitable records of all inspections. The Fire Departments should conduct the hydrant inspections and notify the proper water department authorities of any hydrants found in need of repair. *Lyndon Fire Dept + Louisville Water Co.*
2. Maintain all gate valves in good operating condition. Inspect and operate gate valves at least yearly and keep suitable records of all inspections. This inspection program should be under the supervision of the various water departments. *Louisville Water Co.*
3. Decrease the present allowable maximum spacing of hydrants permitted in new subdivisions in Jefferson County, from 1,000 feet to 750 feet. Every effort should be made to have hydrants installed not over 500 feet apart. *Planning + zoning*
4. All water mains serving hydrants should be made circulating where possible. *Louisville Water Co.*
5. Closer co-operation should be provided between the Fire Departments and the water districts. *Louisville Water Co.*

FIRE DEPARTMENT

1. Maintain sufficient manpower in each Fire Department to provide a minimum response of at least five trained firemen on each piece of first-line apparatus. *Lyndon Fire Dept.*
2. Respond to all building fires on first alarms with at least two engine companies, and adequate ladder service. *Lyndon Fire Dept.*
3. Equip each Fire Department with ladders of sufficient length to reach the highest building in its area. *Lyndon Fire Dept.*

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4. Maintain all fire apparatus in good operating condition and inaugurate an annual service test program. Apparatus that does not meet its rated capacity should be repaired immediately or replaced with new apparatus. All apparatus purchased in the future (other than for field fires) should have a pumping capacity of at least 750 g.p.m.

Lynden Fire Dept.

5. Equip all first-line apparatus in accordance with the attached list of equipment to be carried on pumpers. At least one of the pumpers should be equipped with the four additional items recommended on Page 2 of this list.

Lynden Fire Dept.

FIRE DEPARTMENT TRAINING PROGRAM

1. Maintain regular departmental training programs consisting of at least two drill periods per month. Each Department's training program should be under the supervision of two or more drillmasters.

2. Maintain an annual fire college for the drillmasters. The fire college should be under the supervision of a competent instructor and/or a fire training committee composed of members of Firefighters, Inc.

3. Provide suitable training facilities, including a drill tower, a structure in which fires may be built, adequate yard space, pumper test pit, and necessary equipment so that the training program of each Department may be fully developed.



FIRE PREVENTION PROGRAM

1. Adopt and enforce the current State Standards of Safety, or equivalent fire prevention code. In order that these Standards may be adequately enforced, it will be necessary for Jefferson County, and the various municipalities protected by Jefferson County Fire Departments, to adopt them by ordinances.

2. Inaugurate a fire prevention bureau in each Fire Department, and maintain a sufficient number of competent inspectors in order to inspect all buildings, except dwellings, at least twice yearly. Each Fire Prevention Bureau should collaborate with the State Fire Marshal's Office in the enforcement of these Standards.

3. Maintain adequate records of all fire prevention inspections. It is suggested that the record forms recommended and supplied by the Fire Marshal's Office be used. In addition to the records, sketches should also be included, where needed, for preplanning and training purposes.



FIRE ALARM AND MOVE-UP SYSTEMS

1. Maintain a central fire alarm office with an operator on duty at all times. This office should receive fire calls for all Fire Departments using its services. Only one fire telephone number should be published for the central fire alarm office with a sufficient number of telephone trunk lines provided to adequately serve its needs.

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All alarms of fires should be monitored by the central fire alarm office operator and all calls for assistance should be requested through him.

It is hoped that all Departments will see the merit of a central fire alarm office and each Department will give serious consideration to using its services.

2. Maintain all radios of all Departments on one of the two radio frequencies for which facilities are presently provided in the central receiving station, and provide all firemen with radio monitors in their residences.

In order to improve the effectiveness of the radio service, the following procedures are recommended.

a. The Fire Department that has a fire should leave an operator at its base station, if possible, to handle auxiliary and co-ordinating duties such as calling the police, water company, fire chief, etc. This will free "Central" to receive other alarms.

b. All alarms should be phoned in, not radioed.

c. Minimize the use of letter-number call signs as much as possible. "Truck" or "Base" designations should be used whenever possible.

d. Excessive or unauthorized transmissions should be eliminated.

e. Radio operation procedures should be standardized and included in the regular drill sessions.

f. Transmitters should be limited to apparatus, base stations, chiefs' cars, or one car on each shift. Permit receivers only in other cars.

3. Establish a predetermined move-up system to facilitate effective mutual assistance between the various Fire Departments. A printed schedule of the move-up system should be provided for each Fire Department.

FIRE DEPARTMENT BOUNDARIES

1. There should be a definite understanding between each Department regarding the specific area to be covered by the Department. Each fire protection area should have signs posted at their boundary limits. Each resident should be made aware of the fire protection area in which he is located and properly instructed as to the correct Fire Department or central fire alarm office to call in case of fire.

If it is felt necessary, a committee may be appointed from the various Fire Departments to review and make decisions of any disputes or any unusual conditions which may arise in connection with boundary lines between fire protection areas. Any changes of boundary lines should be reported to this Office.

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February 5, 1962, Letter:

KENTUCKY INSPECTION BUREAU
G. H. Parker, Manager
Louisville 2, Kentucky

EQUIPMENT TO BE CARRIED ON PUMPERS

The following list represents our requirements regarding equipment to be carried on each pumper. This list is based on the National Board of Fire Underwriters' Pamphlet No. 19 - "Suggested Specifications for Motor Fire Apparatus", as recommended by the National Fire Protection Association and approved by the International Association of Fire Chiefs.

- 1 - 14-foot ladder with folding hooks.
- 1 - fire department extension ladder to extend at least 24 feet. Some communities will find that a 35-foot ladder is needed to reach the roof of most local buildings.
- 2 - axes, 1 pick head and 1 flat head type.
- 2 - electric hand lanterns, 6 volt minimum.
- 2 - approved portable fire extinguishers, fire department type.
- 1 - 10-foot pike pole.
- 20 feet of smooth bore rubber suction hose.
- 1 - swivel connection with suction hose thread on one end and local large hydrant thread on the other end.
- 1 - swivel connection with pump suction thread on one end and local 2½-inch hose thread on the other end.
- 1 - metal strainer of adequate capacity for suction hose.
- 200 feet of 1-inch booster hose.
- 1 - 1-inch booster hose shut-off nozzle of combination straight stream and spray type.
- 1 - spanner wrench for each man.
- 1 - 2½-inch double female connection.
- 1 - 2½-inch double male connection.
- 2 - adjustable hydrant wrenches.
- 2 - 2½-inch shut-off nozzles of the combination straight stream and fog type, with assorted tips.
- 1 - claw tool, 30-inch.
- 2 - 1½-inch shut-off nozzles capable of discharging either a fog or a straight stream.
- 1 - 2½-inch siamese (1 male, 2 female connections) with clapper valves.
- 1 - wye reducer (2½-inch female connection and two 1½-inch gated male connections).
- 1 - set of adapters to make connection between local fire department 2½-inch hose thread and National Standard threads (if needed).
- 1 - first-aid kit (2½-unit fire department assortment).
- 1,200 feet of 2½-inch double-jacketed, rubber lined fire hose, coupled.
- 400 feet of 1½-inch double-jacketed, rubber lined fire hose, coupled.
- 2 - salvage covers 12 x 18 feet.
- 6 - hose straps.
- 1 - scoop shovel.
- 1 - 125-foot length of manila rope, 5/8-inch diameter.
- 2 - gas masks (Bureau of Mines approved), preferably self-contained breathing apparatus.
- 1 - hose clamp.

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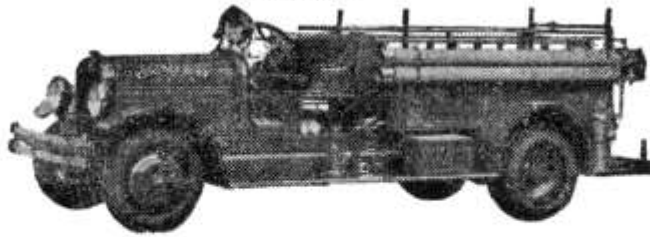
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P. O. Box 115

St. Matthews, Ky.

February 9, 1962

The regular monthly meeting of the St. Matthews Fire Association was held February 8, 1962.

Directors present: John M. Monohan, Jr., J. P. Terry, Joe Zehnder, W. Leland Wilson, Fred C. Boss, Marty Kamer and Henry Monohan. *George E. Miller*

President Monohan read the minutes of the meeting of the Association held January 11, 1962. A motion was made by Mr. Terry and seconded by Mr. Boss that the minutes be accepted as read.

President Monohan read the financial statement for the month of January 1962.

The Board of Directors approved sending two men from the department to attend instructors conference to be held at Memphis, Tennessee.

A motion was made by Henry Monohan and seconded by Mr. Terry for the above.

There being no further business a motion was made by Mr. Zehnder and seconded by Mr. Boss that the meeting be adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

John M. Monohan, Jr.
John M. Monohan, Jr., President

George E. Miller
George E. Miller, Secretary

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February 11, 1962, *The Courier-Journal*:

Fire Damages Home Valued At \$45,000

Man, Woman Burned In Trailer Blaze

Separate fires early yesterday damaged a \$45,000 home on Mockingbird Valley Road and seriously burned a man and woman.

The 4:45 a.m. fire on Mockingbird Valley Road routed Dr. and Mrs. William C. Wolfe from their bedroom and forced them to make a 15-foot drop to the sidewalk.

Wolfe, 53, said his wife Florence, 43, was awakened by the odor of smoke and the crackling of flames downstairs. She awakened him and he tried to open the bedroom door but was driven back by smoke and flames.

Damage Insured

Wolfe and his wife dressed quickly. Then he dropped from the window and caught his wife when she followed him.

The St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department said most of the damage was confined to the first floor of the three-bedroom tri-level home.

Wolfe was unable to estimate the damage but said it was covered by insurance.

Burned in a house trailer at the rear of 3223 Southwick were persons identified by police as James Welch, 45, who lived in the trailer, and Elizabeth Brown, about 35. Both were admitted to General Hospital with burns of the body.

Sgt. Joseph Shofner, arson investigator for the Louisville Fire Department, said the fire broke out about 5:20 a.m. in a coal stove. The occupants of the trailer were apparently asleep.

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February 8, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

Firemen make 4 runs
 St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made four runs in the past week. These were:
 Feb. 3, at 7:56 p.m., 3726 Canoe Ln., auto; and 3726 Canoe Ln., auto; and Feb. 4, 9:44 a.m. Dayton and Meridian, wash gasoline from street; 12:10 p.m., end of Alton Rd., field; and 4:20 p.m. Breckinridge Lane and Hillsboro, field.

Jim Booher Gives Louisville Car Buyers

Another FIRST
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February 15, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

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February 22, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Fireman make 2 runs
St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made two runs in the past week. These were:
Feb. 13 at 11:22 p.m. 4312 Norbourne, grass fire; and Feb. 17 at 2:37 p.m. 231 Brown Ave., field fire.

"ORGANIZED FOR YOUR PROTECTION"

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March 15, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

ONE FIRE CALL
St. Matthews Volunteer
Firemen made one run
the past week. This was
on March 13 at 10:35
a.m., 26 Pawnee, oil
burner.

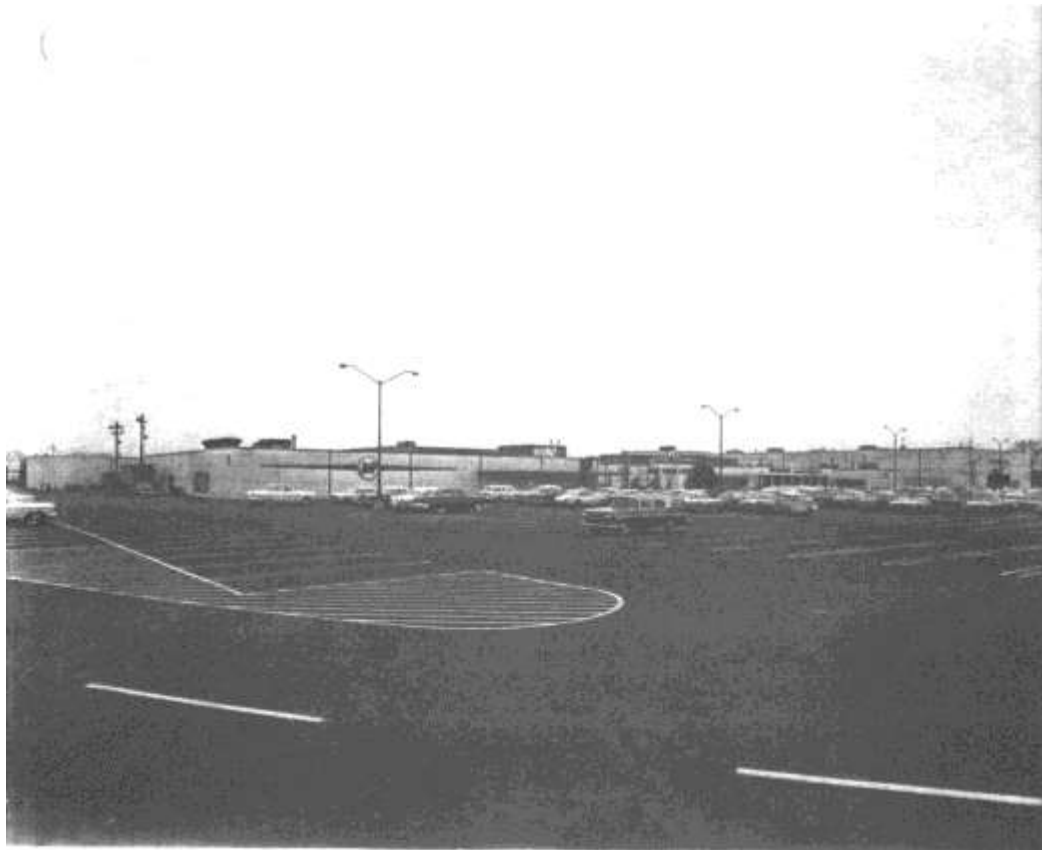


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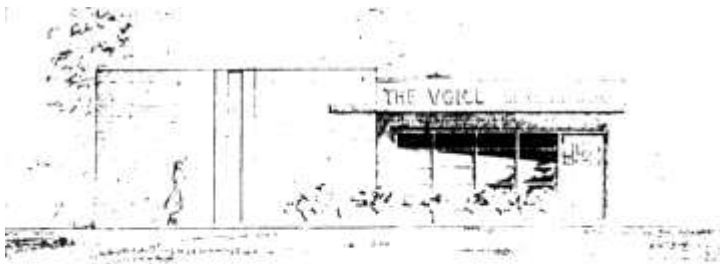


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Courtesy Ekstrom Library, University of Louisville, Mall St. Matthews, March 21, 1962, CSO 934-11 and CSO 934-4



March 22, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*



Park leaders organize at M-town

A Long Run Park Committee, made up of representatives of organizations and interested individuals, was formed at a rally held at Middletown school Monday night. This committee of 34 persons will appear before the fiscal court asking for a maximum of 100,000 for the immediate beginning of the development of Long Run park. The rally, sparked by the Middletown Rotary Club, was attended by about 300 persons, including representatives from organizations, community playgrounds and interested individuals in the Shelbville area.



Mayor Bernard Bowling turned the first earth in a very simple ceremony Tuesday morning saying, "We'll be glad to get The Voice back into St. Matthews." Giving him moral support were, from left: Al I. Schanberg, publisher of the newspaper; Howard H. Hens, attorney; Shirley Palmer Ball, owner of the property; and Albert Sanders, unofficial vice president of St. Matthews.

Structure will be near P.O.

Ground was broken Tuesday for a new building to house The Voice of St. Matthews and its related St. Matthews Printing Co.

The new building will be on the Palmer Ball property between the St. Matthews Postoffice branch and the L. & N. railroad, and will face the south wall of the postoffice.

The 40 x 65 ft. structure will be built by Shirley Palmer Ball, president of Chenoweth Square, Inc., which also built the postoffice building. Work is to start immediately, with occupancy scheduled in June.

which has been too small for its needs for some time.

The recent change from letterpress to offset production further complicated the space problem, since a cold type composition department had to be installed.

Construction will be concrete block, brick, stone, and glass, with an attractive canopied front with a large stone planter. Peyton Davis, architect, has specified a decor treatment in the large areas of brick and concrete block.

The new building will be air conditioned, and will have an office area considerably larger than at present, with partitioned work areas. The center area of the building will be partitioned into three rooms, darkroom, machine composition, and make-up.

The new building will give The Voice almost twice as much space as the company now occupies at 108 Meridian Ave.

A room across the back of the building will house the pressroom, addressing, mailing, and paper storage.



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136 Breckenridge Lane

Firefighter Franklin Florence's mother

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March 29, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

Firemen make 3 runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made three runs in the past week. Runs were:

March 21 at 4:15 p.m., 3818 Frankfort Ave., auto; and at 8 p.m., 6428 Regency Ln., electric range; and March 26 at 3:37 p.m. field fire, rear of Sears Roebuck.

March 30, 1962, Letter:

March 30 1962

Mr. Fred C. Boss
Treasurer
St. Matthews Vol. Fire Assn.
Lyndon Ky.

Dear Mr. Boss,

I would like to submit for your approval the following in regards to my wages.

Total Wages -----	\$300.00
Wages other than cash -----	100.00
Wages in cash -----	200.00

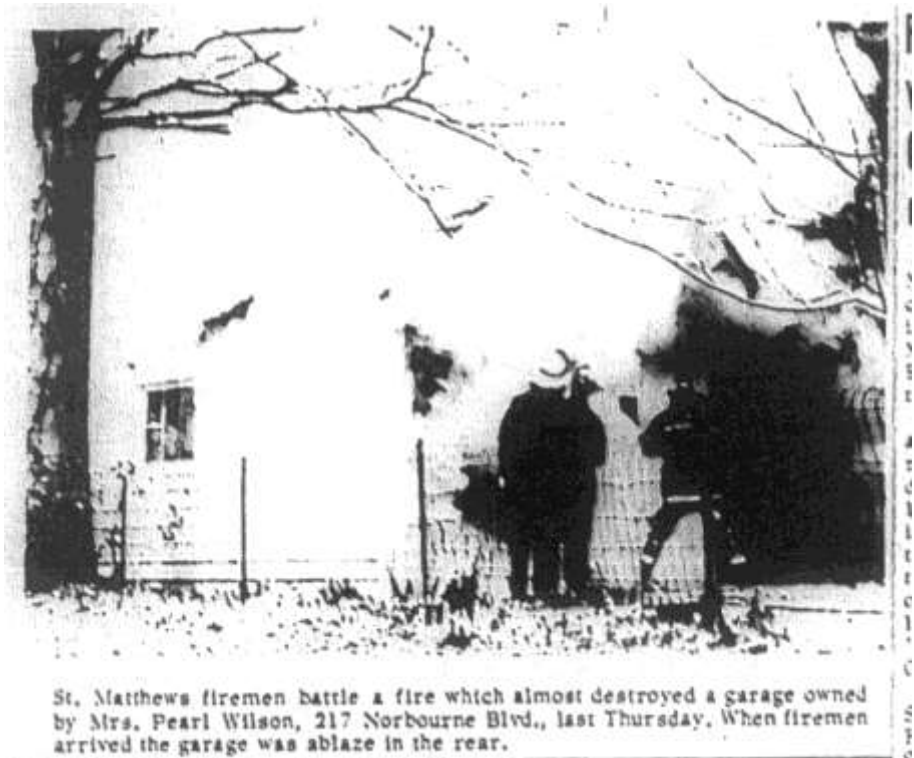
Withheld for:	
Federal Income Tax -----	\$54.00
State Income Tax -----	4.45
Social Security -----	9.38
	<u>67.83</u>
Make check for-- -----	133.17

If there are any questions in regards to this please call me and I will answer same.

Sincerely,

Roy O. Blackburn
Assistant Secretary

April, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:



St. Matthews firemen battle a fire which almost destroyed a garage owned by Mrs. Pearl Wilson, 217 Norbourne Blvd., last Thursday. When firemen arrived the garage was ablaze in the rear.

April 3, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Firemen answer alarms

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made seven runs in the past week. On March 29, the department was called at 2:24 p.m. to a garage fire at the home of Mrs. Pearl Wilson, 217 Norbourne Blvd. Other runs during the week were:

On March 27 at 5:05 p.m., field fire at U.S. 60 and Watterson expressway; March 28 11:40 Lot 1 Hillsboro Rd. field fire; 3:06 p.m., 3537 Nanz Ave., back yard; and 7:55 p.m. 107 Staebler, false alarm.

March 29 at 11:47 a.m., 137 Sherrin, trash fire; March 30, at 8:05 p.m., 119 MacArthur, locked out of house.

Youth's teeth loosened by pitched ball

Whitney Babcock, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry K. Babcock, 413 Sprite Road, became the season's first baseball accident victim last Saturday.

Hit in the mouth by a ball from the automatic pitching machine, Whitney was taken to Childrens Hospital by St. Matthews police. He was released after several hours, when X-rays revealed no fractures.

With several front teeth loosened, the young ball player is eating soft foods until they firm-up in his gums.

April 3, 1962: Amendment to the By-Laws. Change: Article I, Section 5: The Firemen's Committee shall hear all grievances and if in the Committee's opinion, a grievance warrants action, it shall be presented to the Chief and/or the Membership and disposed of satisfactorily. The word grievance shall not be construed to include suggestions pertaining to fire-fighting, equipment, or training.

Future firefighter Russ Rakestraw

April 12, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Firemen make 6 runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made six runs this past week. These were:

April 7, at 12:05 p.m., at 119 MacArthur, field; 5:03 p.m., Mall Shopping Center, auto; April 8, 1:40 p.m., field North of Maryhill Estates.

April 9, at 2:36 p.m., field in the 200 block of Tyne Rd.; 3:48 p.m. field, Zachary Taylor Post on Shelbyville Rd.; and 10:35 p.m. assist Lyndon with fire at K.M.I. gym.



Among the models in the Younger Women's Club of Crescent Hill fashion show last Friday afternoon were, from left to right, Roger Wolford, who models a play suit; Robbin Clay, a bad minton outfit; Ricky Butteroff, golfer's attire; Mark Dobbins and Missy Clay bathing suits. In back are Russell Rakestraw, golfer's attire, and Bill Clay, after 5 dress suit. The show was at Crescent Hill Woman's Club house.

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April 9, 1962, Letter:

April 10, 1962, The Courier-Journal

April 9, 1962

Mr. William Wiegleb
4301 Frankfort Avenue
St. Matthews, Kentucky

Re: Naples Home for Aged & Senile
4301 Frankfort Avenue
St. Matthews, Kentucky

Dear Mr. Wiegleb:

Pursuant to an inspection of the above captioned property made by our Inspector, Mr. Ed Eviston, he has filed with this office certain deficiencies which exist in the Home.

We shall appreciate your correcting the following conditions in order that your Home will be in compliance with minimum fire safety regulations.

1. Have main exit doors rehung to swing with exit travel.
2. Have automatic fire detection system repaired and put in good working order.
3. The two doors from the kitchen to the interior of home to be one-hour fire doors.
4. Plaster ceiling in basement storage room to be repaired and the open wood joist in part of the basement must be protected with a one-hour fire resistive material.

May I take this opportunity to inform you that Inspector Eviston was very complimentary of your Home and to also express our sincere appreciation for the cooperation you have given this office in the past.

Yours very truly,

H. L. Foster, Director
Division of Fire Prevention

By: C. M. Curls
Plans & Specifications Specialist

HLF/CNC/bem

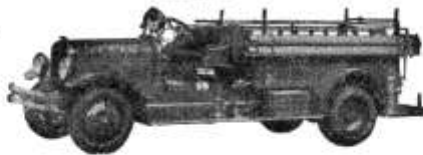
cc: Commissioner Lovern
Ed Eviston
Haynes Bruce (2)
Chief John M. Monohan, Jr.

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P. O. Box 115
St. Matthews, Ky.

April 13, 1962

Meeting of the Board of Directors of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Association was held April 12th, 1962, at the Fire House.

Directors present: George E. Miller Henry Monohan
Fred C. Boss Joseph P. Terry
Joe Zehnder W. Leland Wilson
John M. Monohan Marty Kamer

Minutes of the last meeting held March 8, 1962, read by President Monohan. Motion made by Mr. Zehnder and seconded by Mr. Kamer that they be accepted as read.

Financial report read by Mr. Boss.

There being no further business a motion was made by Mr. Boss and recorded by Mr. Terry that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

George E. Miller, Secretary

Floor Of Gym At K.M.I. Badly Burned

Fire last night badly damaged the floor of the gymnasium at Kentucky Military Institute on LaGrange Road at Lyndon.

The blaze broke out about 9:50 p.m. in a basement boiler room, apparently near a coal furnace. About a fifth of the floor surface above was ruined, Col. Charles B. Richmond, K.M.I. president, said.

Luggage of most of the school's 350 students was in the gymnasium, but none was damaged, Richmond said.

The staff and students have been at K.M.I.'s winter quarters in Florida. The school reopens here today.

Lyndon McMahon Center, and St. Matthews Fire Department answered the alarm. The cause of the fire was not determined.

April 12, 1962,
Board meeting:

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April 19, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Broadway Methodist Buys 7-Acre Tract Here

The Broadway Methodist Church has purchased a seven-acre tract of ground on Brownsboro Road, opposite Blankenbaker Lane, for erection of a new church in the near future. The Church bought the tract this week from Mr. and Mrs. Luther M. Goose for a price reported in the neighborhood of \$45,000. It was reported that the Broadway Church will merge with the recently-organized Indian Hills Methodist Church, which is now holding services at Garnett Hall at the Masonic Children's Home each Sunday morning at 8:30 a.m. Merger is supposed to take place between now and the first of the year. Rev. James Averitt is the pastor of both congregations.



April 26, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Two additional apartments go up on Leland

One four-unit apartment building is nearing completion on Leland Road and another is under construction there. Both are being constructed by Lerding and Smith Construction Co.

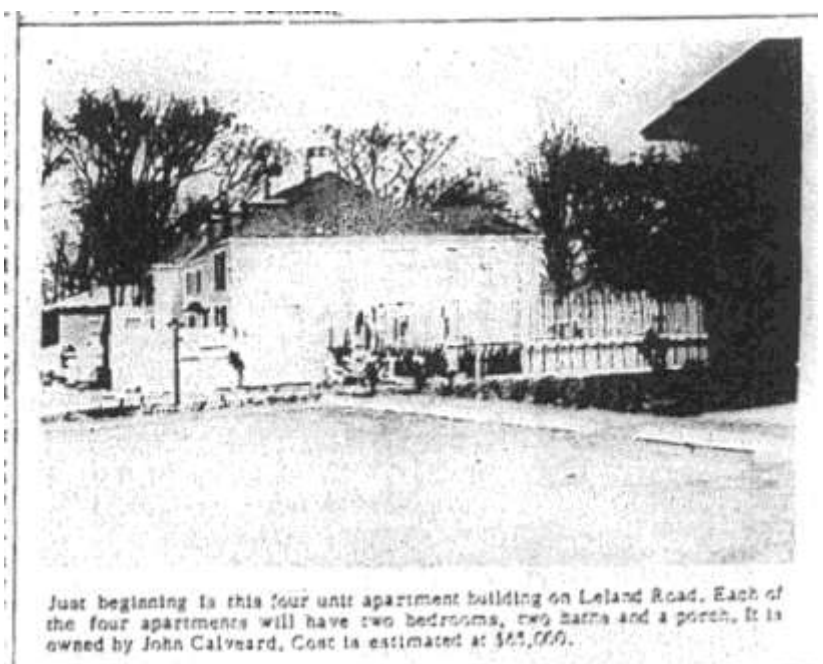
The nearly-completed building fronts 60 feet and extends back 66 feet and 10 inches. It is of brick veneer construction and is estimated to cost \$63,000, according to a building permit filed with St. Matthews. The permit lists the owner as Peter Lanham.

The other building will consist of four two-bedroom apartments, two baths and porch of brick veneer construction. It will front 70 feet and extend back 66 feet and 10 inches. It is estimated to cost \$65,000. Continued on page 4

Two additional apartments go up

Continued from page 1

tend 33 feet and seven inches. A building permit lists the cost of construction at \$65,000 and the owner as John Calveard.



The center will contain seven stores and office space consisting of 14,000 square feet. Scheduled are a drug store, beauty salon, barber shop, gift shop, dry cleaning and laundry.

Construction is underway for the new sanctuary at the St. Matthews Methodist Church, 319 Browns Ln. Ground was broken in February for the new structure which is designed to seat 360. Nevin and Morgan are the architects and the construction work is being done by the Bowlds Construction Co. Cost of the sanctuary and furnishings is approximately \$300,000.

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April 30, 1962, Letter:

THE SEAGRAVE CORPORATION



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OFFICE AND FACTORY

COLUMBUS, OHIO

Address all Communications to the Corporation

April 30, 1962

John M. Monohan, Chief
St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Ass'n
117 St. Matthews Avenue
St. Matthews, Kentucky

This is to acknowledge and thank you for your letter of April 26th.

We are setting up on our schedule, notice that you would like to have Mr. Stanley Allen check over your apparatus during the month of July. We shall try to arrange this as early as possible during that month and hope that this will be satisfactory.

Your order is very much appreciated.

Kindest personal regards.

THE SEAGRAVE CORPORATION

L. B. Kaser
Service-Traffic Manager

May 3, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

Firemen make 4 runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made four runs this week. These were:

On April 24 at 7:58 p.m. Old Brownsboro Rd., at Duff's Lane, field; April 25 at 4:31 p.m. rear 4614 Brownsboro Rd., truck; April 28, 3:23 p.m., 232 Sage Rd., smoke in basement; and April 29, 8:33 p.m. called in error for a sick child on Shelbyville Road.



Our Lady of Lourdes Church moves along toward completion on Breckinridge Lane. The new building will seat 900 persons in its sanctuary and will contain church offices. Construction started last July.

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Courtesy of St. Matthews, The Crossroads of Beargrass by Samuel W. Thomas—Aerial view of the Mall. After its opening in the spring of 1962. Edge of Oxmoor Farm is in background. Bill Davis Collection, University of Louisville Photographic Archives.



Courtesy of Bluegrass-St. Matthews Historical Society: Christ Methodist Church, May, 1962



May 4, 1962, Notice:

*** NOTICE ***

John M. Monohan Jr.
Chief

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Firemen make 2 runs
St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made two runs this past week. These were: May 3 at 6:47 p.m. 1643 Almara, auto; and May 4 at 1:30 p.m., 300 block of Foeburn Lane, field.

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May 10, 1962, Board meeting:

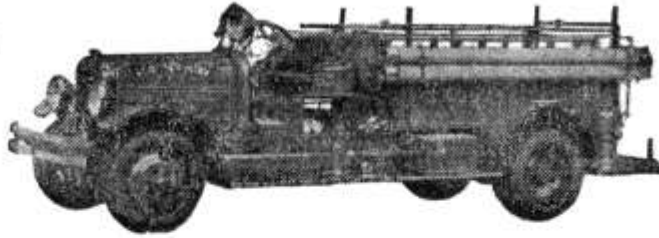
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P. O. Box 115

St. Matthews, Ky.

May 11, 1962

The meeting of the Board of Directors of the St. Matthews Volunteer Department was held May 10, 1962 at the Firehouse.

Directors present:

John Monohan
Henry Monohan
Fred Boss

Joe Zehnder
George Miller
W. Leland Wilson

Minutes of meeting held April 12, 1962 ready by President Monohan. Motion made by Joe Zehnder and seconded by Mr. Boss that they be accepted as read.

Motion made by Mr. Boss, seconded by Mr. Zehnder, that Mr. Monohan arrange with the Junior Chamber of Commerce to purchase a resuscitator for the department; they are to pay their portion of the cost.

Motion made by John Zehnder, seconded by Henry Monohan, that each fireman going to Fire Convention or school be allowed \$50 per man for expenses for the 3-day period, including meals, lodging and transportation.

Motion made by Mr. Miller, seconded by W. Leland Wilson; that Mr. Boss buy \$5000.00 certificates of deposits for one year at 4% at Citizens Union National Bank.

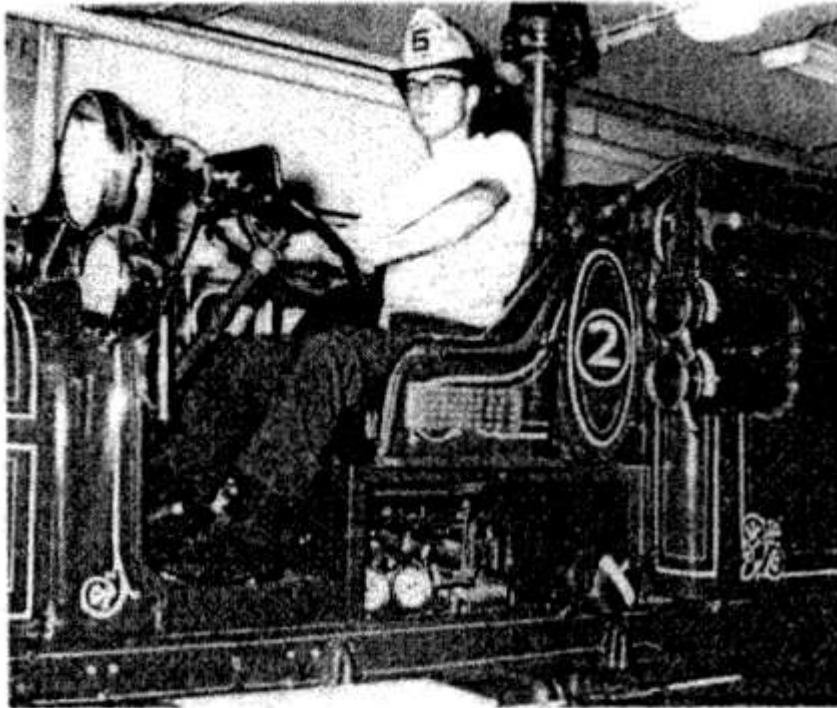
There being no further business a motion was made by Mr. Terry, seconded by Mr. Zehnder that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

George E. Miller
Secretary

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"WHERE'S THE FIRE . . ." Fireman Dave Jewell is at the wheel of "Betsy" the St. Matthews Fire Department's oldest engine.

Community Series, No. 6

Fire Department Protects Growing St. Matthews Area

by Margaret Hummel

The St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department has seen the span of years transforming St. Matthews from a sleepy potato growing village into a bustling little city. The St. Matthews department was officially incorporated as a non-profit organization Dec. 19, 1919. Soon afterwards, a Model T engine equipped with three forty-gallon chemical tanks was purchased and kept in the show window of Eline's garage where most of the 12 firemen were mechanics.

Late in 1930, a 500 gallon per minute pumper was ordered to replace the original Model T. This piece, affectionately called "Betsy," was sold to the Lake Dreamland Fire Department but the St. Matthews department has retain-

ed "Betsy" and uses her on the runs.

In 1941, John Monohan was appointed chief of the department, a position he currently holds. The property on 117 St. Matthews Avenue was purchased in 1952 with completion of the new station in September of the same year.

The initial radio equipment was bought in 1954, making the department the first in Kentucky to have such apparatus.

The firemen and chief serve entirely without pay and the money which is received of their services is used for new equipment. The charge for fire service per year is one-tenth of one percent of the assessed property value. To non-subscribers there is a \$100 fee per hour and per piece of equipment used.

GOOD MARKET

H. M. Frankel retires sells to Mr. Klapheke

A business association which started 32 years ago came to a close last week when H. M. Frankel sold his interest in the Frankel-Klapheke Drug Store, St. Matthews Ave. and Shelbyville Road, to his partner, Gene Klapheke. Mr. Frankel retired.

The two men, both pharmacists, first became business associates in a store at 3518 Shelbyville Road and became partners 15 years ago. They moved their store to its present location eight years ago.

Mr. Frankel said, in turning the business over to his partner, he hoped



GENE KLAPHEKE

his friends and customers will continue to do business with Mr. Klapheke. Mr. Klapheke said there is no change in personnel.

Alford's & Schulten's eventually became firefighter Al Ring's stations.

May 17, 1962,
The Voice Of St. Matthews:

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SCHULTEN'S AMERICAN

May 17, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

St. Matthews Episcopal church plans ultramodern building, will look like huge canopy

St. Matthews Episcopal Church will start construction about the first of the year on an ultramodern, unusual church structure.

Architects, Hartstern, Louis and Henry describes the structure as "four intersecting saddle-type hyperbolic paraboloids". The metal-covered roof, which will look like a large canopy, will be supported by concrete piers at only four points.

Other construction materials will be masonry and laminated timber arches. Cost of the building has not been determined, the architects said. Another unusual feature

will be a central altar surrounded on three sides by pews. That and the unusual shape of the roof have been attracting most attention, the architects said.

Lawrence Lels, designer with the architectural firm, said that the shape of the building and the free-standing altar really are revivals of features of churches in earlier periods.

"The design recognizes the early origins of the church," Lewis said. "In fact, early buildings involved from tents which had the altars in the center."

One authority on church architecture says the aim

of the central-altar design is to inspire a greater participation by the congregation in the central act of worship. The early church, he says, met together as an intimate group.

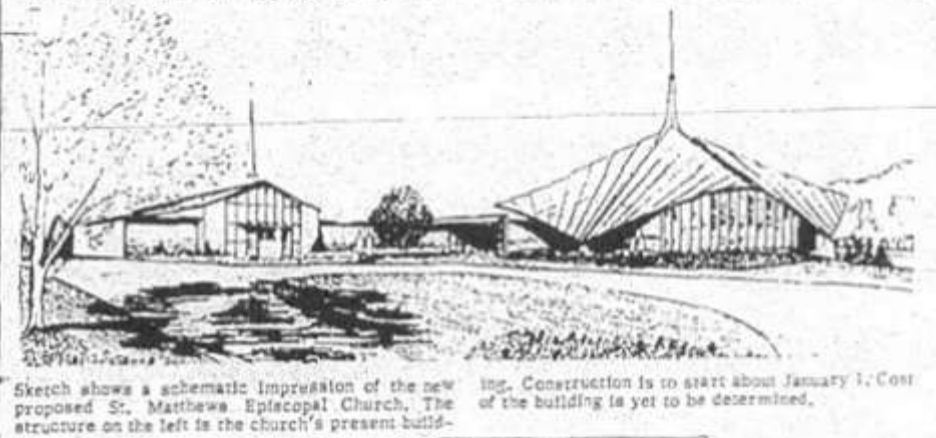
The plan for the Episcopal Church building permits a seating arrangement calculated to foster more intimacy. The greatest distance between seats and the altar will be only 40 feet whereas the average distance to most churches is 60 feet.

The building will feature wide windows on three sides for natural lighting during the day. Light

will be controlled with baffles attached at intervals inside the windows, which will rotate to deflect light in the desired direction.

The building will be built adjacent to, and connected with, the building now serving as the church on Hubbards Lane at Massie Ave. The present building will become a parish hall and chapel. The new building will seat about 450.

The Rev. Wilfred H. Myll, rector, said the loose ends of a building fund campaign are now being caught up, and that work will go forward immediately on detailed plans for the structure.



Sketch shows a schematic impression of the new proposed St. Matthews Episcopal Church. The structure on the left is the church's present build-

ing. Construction is to start about January 1. Cost of the building is yet to be determined.

May 31, 1962:

Balance on hand
Receipts
Subscriptions
Jefferson County
Interest
Miss.

June 1, 1961 to May 31, 1962

\$18,692.50

22,325.00

2,800.00

120.00

18.75

\$25,264.20

\$43,956.70

Disbursements

Building
Equipment
Other

18,136.21

9,104.27

13,522.39

\$40,768.87

Balance \$3,193.83

STMFD

1962

June 7, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Firemen make 6 runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made six runs in the past week. Three of these were made on June 2, one of which there were two fires in the same location. Runs were:

May 31 at 3:47 p.m., 420 Pennington Ln., power mower; and at 5:37 p.m., Krogers, 3721 Lexington Rd., air conditioner motor; June 1 at 9 p.m., 401 Country Ln., lady locked out of apartment.

June 2, at 2:05 p.m., U. S. 42 near Indian Hills, wash gas off street after an accident; 7:20 p.m., Shelbyville Road Plaza, trash fire at rear of Grants, trash fire at rear of Rainbow Shop; and at 7:45 p.m., trash fire at rear of Bensingers, 4306 Shelbyville Rd.

June 14, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Firemen make 3 runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made three runs in the past week. These were: On June 6 at 7:30 p.m., 1801 Blankenbaker Ln., auto; June 7, 6:17 p.m., Joe Brown field, false alarm; and June 8, 11:42 p.m., rear 313 Bonner, field.

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June 14, 1962, Board meeting:

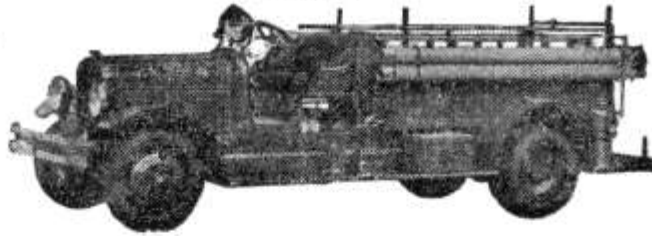
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P. O. Box 115
St. Matthews, Ky.

Minutes of the meeting of the directors of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Assn., held June 14, 1962 at the fire house.

Directors present

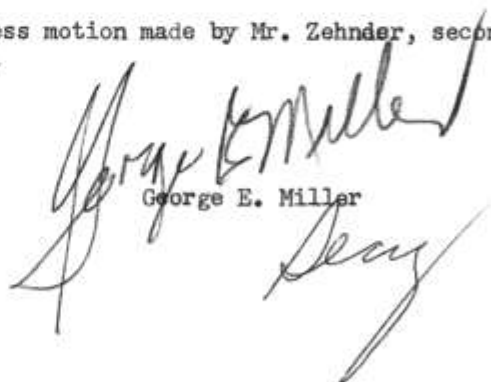
Geo. E. Miller
John M. Monohan
Marty Kamer
Joseph Zehnder

Minutes of the last meeting held May 10, 1962 read by John M. Monohan, president. Motion made by Joseph Zehnder, seconded by Marty Kamer, that they be accepted as read.

Next meeting will be the annual meeting and will be held July 11, 1962, the second Wednesday.

Motion made by George Miller, seconded by Mr. Kamer, that Mr. Monohan proceed with the purchase of the new piece of equipment.

Being no further business motion made by Mr. Zehnder, seconded by Mr. Kamer, that we adjourn.


George E. Miller

"ORGANIZED FOR YOUR PROTECTION"

1962

June 21, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

June 28, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

Volunteers attend state fire school

Five St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen attended the annual State Fire School held in Lexington June 11, 12 and 13, where about 800 firefighters from over the state attended.

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Volunteers attend fire school

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Jack Monohan and Charles Rohman received training in the strategies and tactic school, Paul Dillman studied inflammable liquids, and George Haeblerlin took the course in rescue techniques and evolutions.

Robert Brenzel, also of the St. Matthews Department, was one of the state instructors, teaching in the leadership class and the rescue and evolutions class.

Ellerkamp to head Speed Alumni Assn.

George J. Ellerkamp of 703 Merrifield Road in Windy Hills has been elected president of the Speed Scientific School Alumni Association of the University of Louisville.

Mr. Ellerkamp has been an active member of the Alumni Association since 1950 and also belongs to the U.L.A.'s, University of Louisville Associates, a booster organization for the university.

The other elected officers, all residents of the Highlands are: Robert Stockler, first Vice-president; Richard Nalley, second Vice-President; Rod Zeller, Secretary; Kenneth Ohlman, Treasurer.

Another area resident, Michael Foushee of 515 Oxford Place, a graduate of St. Joseph Preparatory School, Bardstow, won the Speed School Alumni Foundation Scholarship and will enter Speed School in September, 1962.

Firemen to get resuscitator

The St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department will add a resuscitator to its complement of equipment next Tuesday, when the St. Matthews Jaycees present their check for half of the cost. The Fire Department is paying half of the cost.

The resuscitator will be the second available by a non-profit organization in the St. Matthews area. St. Matthews Police has one.

July 4, 1962, *The Courier—Journal*

St. Matthews Club Aids Fire Department

St. Matthews Jaycees gave their city's volunteer fire department \$265 last night toward purchase of a resuscitator. Julius Wishnia, president, made the presentation to Fire Chief John Monohan.

Husband of future Board Member Faye Ellerkamp.

1962

July 1962: The St. Matthews Jaycees gave the department a check for half the amount of a new resuscitator.

July 11, 1962, Annual Board meeting::

Annual Meeting of the Board of Directors of the St.
Matthews Volunteer Fire Assn., held July 11, 1962
Wednesday at the Fire House.

Directors Present

George E. Miller	John M. Monohan
Jos. Zehnder	W. Leland Wilson
Marty Kamer	

Minutes of last meeting held June 14, 1962 read by President Monohan. Motion made by Mr. Kamer, seconded by Jos. Zehnder, that they be accepted as read.

Directors and their term of Office.

Henry Monohan	1962	Geor. E. Miller	1963
Fred Bass	1962	W. Leland Wilson	1963
J. P. Terry	1964	John Monohan	1965
Marty Kamer	1964	Jos. Zehnder	1965

The two following directors, whose terms expire today or replacement are: Henry Monohan and Fred C. Bass. Motion made by Mr. Zehnder, seconded by Mr. Wilson, that Mr. Monohan and Mr. Bass be elected for a four year term.

Officers elected for the coming year are as follows:

President	John Monohan
Vice President	Marty Kamer
Secretary	Geo. E. Miller
Treasurer	Fred C. Bass

Motion made by W. Leland Wilson, seconded by Mr. Zehnder, that the above be re-elected for a period of one year.

Chief	John M. Monohan
Asst. Chief	Marty Kamer
Asst. Chief Emeritus	W. C. Herdt
Process Agent	J. P. Terry.

Motion made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Joe Zehnder, that the above be re-elected for a period of one year. Motion made by Mr. Miller, seconded by W. Leland Wilson that President Monohan or Vice President Kamer negotiate the purchase of a Porto-Power equipment.

There being no further business motion made by Mr. Kamer, seconded by Mr. Miller, that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

George E. Miller

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July 19, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*



The favorite food recipe of your family may be worth \$5. Read all about it and send in your recipe today.

SMITHERS 17th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

RECIPES From ST. MATTHEWS Families

ATTENTION LADIES: your favorite RECIPE may be worth \$5.00. Just mail or bring it to THE VOICE or to SMITHERS FOOD MARKET, complete with your name and address. Competent judges will select the two they consider best and they will receive \$5.00 each. Entries must be in by August 1, 1962. Winners will be announced in THE VOICE August 2, 1962.


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July 26, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

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August 9, 1962, Board meeting:

GEO. E. MILLER
3248 Lexington Road
TW. 6-1384

LOUIS H. MILLER
4033 Brookfield Ave.
TW. 5-2162

ROBT. L. MILLER
7309 Boxwood Road
TW. 7-2765

MILLER SALES COMPANY

323 Fehr Avenue Louisville, Ky.
(Uniper 7-0250)

Minutes of the monthly meeting of the Board Of Directors
of the St. Matthews Vol. Fire Ass'n held at the fire house
Aug 9th 1962.

Directors Present

Jno. Monohan
Jos Zehnder
Fred Boss
J. P. Terry

Henry Monohan
W. Leland Wilson
Marty Kamer

Minutes of the last meeting held July 11 1962 read by
Pres. Monohan. Motion made by Mr Zehnder seconded by
Mr. Boss that they be accepted as read.

Financial report was read by. Pres. Monohan.

There Being no further business motion was made by Mr. Zehnder
and seconded by Mr. Boss that meeting be adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted.

Marty Kamer
Acting Sec'y in absence of
Mr. Miller.

Approved.

August 13, 1962, Lyndon Fire department Board Minutes:

The Board discussed the annexation, by the City of St. Matthews, the territory
northeast of Lagrange Road, including Harris Pl. Marquette Dr. and Virginia Ave.
Mr. Mayrose is to write a letter to Mayor Bowling concerning fire protection in
this area.

Meeting adjourned at 9:40 P.M.

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August 14, 1962, Letter:

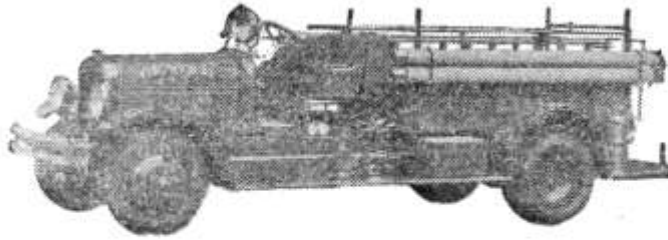
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P. O. Box 115

St. Matthews, Ky.

August 14, 1962

Membership Committee:

We the undersigned ACTIVE MEMBERS wish to have the Active Member roll checked and members who do not show up for or participate in the Tuesday night meetings, their reasons checked into and if possible have them return for this meeting.

Should they not be able to actively participate in either training or in fire fighting., and they are holding valuable equipment needed by other members, this equipment should be returned to the department, and reissued to our active members who are short this piece of equipment.

Members in question Fred Barranger, Paul Dillman, Geo. Westwood
Walt Wernert, Orvil Cruse.

Respectively

Robert C. Walling

Ronnie Brown

Ed. Foley

Chas. Schuster

Don Ross

Walt Fletcher

Les Ford

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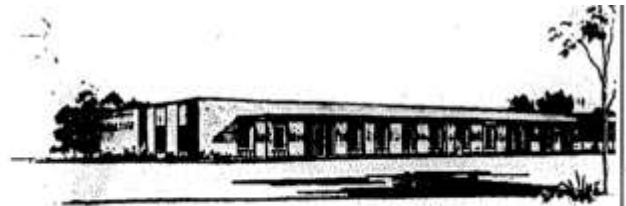
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August 16, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*
thews:

August 23, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Mat-*
thews:



Herbert Mattingly surveys the front of his new building--the St. Matthews Trim and Upholstery Company, 123 N. Sherrin. The firm has some 4500 square feet of floor space and three or four times more parking space than it had at its old location, 131 Breckinridge L.N., in the Colonial Building. The other front half of the building--built by Elmer Realty Co.--is vacant. Earl A. Thomas sign company occupies the rear third of the new building.



Artist's conception of new medical center

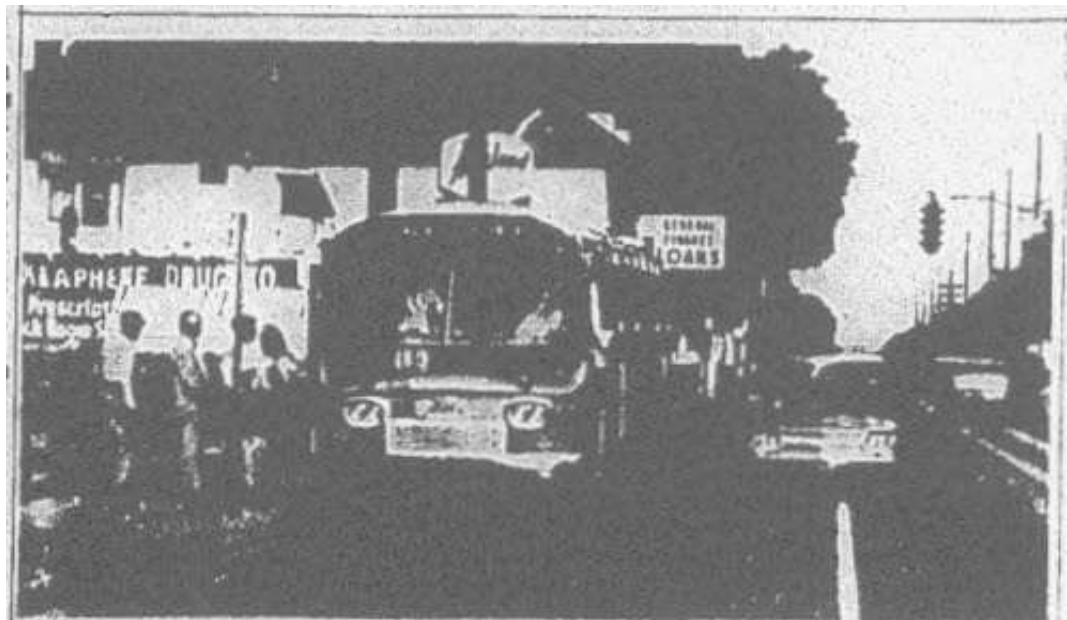
Medical building set for Spring completion

Two offices have been opened in the Brown-boro Medical Center now under construction at Watterson Expressway and Highway 42, and two more are scheduled to open soon.

The building, owned and being constructed by the John Walser Builders, Inc., will have about 3,000 square feet of space and will house seven medical offices. Occupying offices at present are Dr. Richard Wolf, pediatrics, and Dr. Nelson Bentley, dentist.

Other offices scheduled to open will be one by Dr. Joseph Huron, dentist, and Dr. William Selden, orthodontist. John Walser of the Walser Company said other offices may be filled by an obstetrician and several internists.

The new fire proof masonry building is a one floor plan. It is of buffed brick with blue glazed brick panel and stone trimmed at the windows. It is expected to be completed by early spring at an approximate cost of \$93,000.



There just isn't enough room for these big city buses and traffic, too, on Shelbyville Road bus stops. Here traffic has to swing over into another lane, or stop during heavy rush periods, when the busses load at Bacon's. During rush periods traffic is blocked beyond the St. Matthews Avenue intersection.

August 22, 1962, By-Law Changes:

1962
Mailed out 8,22 to vote on 9/18

To be voted on September 18

To be voted on September 18, 1962

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE BY-LAWS

Article I, Section 2

The following officers shall be elected by the active members of the volunteer fire department and serve for a period of four years; election to be held at the first meeting in January of the election year; Four (4) Captains, Four (4) Lieutenants and a Fireman's Committee consisting of four (4) active members.

Any vacancies shall be filled by temporary appointment by the Chief until the next general election at which time the membership shall vote on a candidate to fill the unexpired term of the vacated office.

THE FIREMEN'S COMMITTEE

PROPOSED ADDITION* TO THE BY-LAWS

Article III, Section 2

The Membership Committee shall post on the official bulletin board a list of the active members certified by the Committee on or by June 30 and December 31 of each year.

FIREMEN'S COMMITTEE

(To be voted on April 24)

* This is an addition to the By-Laws and represents no change.

PASSED

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE BY-LAWS

Article II, Section 4

By November 1, preceding the January general election, a 2-man nominating committee shall be appointed by the Chief. This committee shall in turn select a list of four qualified candidates to be presented to the membership for each office up for election. Further nominations will be accepted from the floor.

The nominating committee list shall be posted on the official bulletin board no later than the first Tuesday in December.

THE FIREMEN'S COMMITTEE

Not Passed

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE BY-LAWS

Present reading of Article I, Section 5:

Firemen's Committee shall hear all grievances that shall be brought to their attention and if in their opinion warrants action, it shall be brought up before the Chief and/or Membership and disposed of satisfactorily.

Proposed reading of Article I, Section 5:

The Firemen's Committee shall hear all grievances and if in the Committee's opinion, a grievance warrants action, it shall be presented to the Chief and/or the Membership and disposed of satisfactorily. The word grievance shall not be construed to include suggestions pertaining to fire-fighting, equipment, or training.

THE FIREMEN'S COMMITTEE

Approved

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August 30, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*
thews:

September 6, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Mat-*

St. M. Firemen make 12 runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made 12 runs in the past two weeks. These were:

On August 14 at 10:52 p.m., Frankfort and Bauer, auto fire; August 15, 6:30 p.m. assist Mc Mahan Center at station; August 16, 11:25 a.m., rear 3503 Hillsboro Ct., field; August 18, 4:37 p.m., rear 4500 Westport Rd., field; August 20, 12:16 p.m. front of 3408 Brownsboro Rd., auto.

August 21, 11:15 a.m., rear 4200 block Church Way, field; 5:35 p.m., fire on Highway 42 east of Hubbard Ln.; 8:09 p.m. fire in shrubbery, 315 Sprite; August 24, 4:40 p.m. 210 Ahland Rd., kitchen stove; 8:52 p.m. fire on Highway 42 and Hubbard Ln.; 8:56 p.m. Frankfort and Lexington Rd., wash off after auto accident.

August 26, 3:33 p.m. emergency run at Harner Shop in Shelbyville Road Plaza, broken water line.

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(the student allowed during school hours)

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Firemen to begin Crusade drive Sept. 21

The St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department will collect for the Crusade for Children campaign set for the weekend of September 22. Firemen will begin a door-to-door collection in the St. Matthews area on Friday, September 21 and continue through Sunday morning, September 23.

Harvey Schultz and Bailey Ross, co-chairmen for the drive, say that any business firm planning to make a contribution to the Crusade, the department would appreciate them sending the check through the department. Checks are to be made payable to the Crusade for Children.

Business firms making contributions may mail checks to the St. Matthews Fire Department or call the department and a member will pick them up.

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September 14, 1962, The Courier-Journal



Staff Photo

ADMIRING the new \$32,000 truck of the Harrods Creek Volunteer Fire Department are, from left, Duncan Roth, Lennox Allen, and Bob Greenrose, volunteer firemen. The truck, carrying 500 gallons of water and 185 feet of ground ladders, will be housed at 4309 Lime Kiln Lane.

1962

September 17, 1962, Lyndon Fire Department Board meeting:

SPECIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
SEPT. 17th, 1962

The letter to residents of this community asking for financial aid for purchase of new truck and additional fire station was presented to the Board by President J. F. Mayrose. The letter was discussed and a change or two made and the secretary was instructed to have the letter printed.

J. F. Mayrose reported that he had talked with Mayor Bowling of the City of St. Matthews. Mayor Bowling reported that the City of St. Matthews contracts with the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department) concerning the annexation of Harris Place, Marquette Drive and Virginia Ave.

Mr. Mayrose reported that he is to talk with Joe Smith of the Kentucky Inspection Bureau Richard Trautwein, Director of Jefferson County Fire Program.

Mr. Mayrose also reported that he was working with the Manager of the Mall, trying to straighten out the dues situation.

Mr. Mayrose asked for a list of the paid stores in the Mall.

The Secretary was instructed to send a bill for \$200.00 for a fire run to 1901 Milburn to the Kendall Co. Real Estate agents for the owners of this property.

September 17, 1962, *The Courier-Journal*:



HOSE PLAY . . . St. Matthews, at right, out-squirted Charlestown, Ind., at left, yesterday in a "fireman's holiday." Both teams got plenty wet, but vowed they'd meet again soon.

Staff Photo

Tight-Lipped In St. Matthews

Firemen Play Splash-Ball, Find Out Which Are The Real Nozzle Men

Just sometimes, firemen have fun. They run around, yelling and squealing like children on a playground and spray each other with water from those big 110-pound-pressure hoses.

Yesterday was one of those days, as Falls Cities volunteer firemen lashed each other with water in the parking lot opposite the St. Matthews Fire Department.

"Keep your mouth closed to keep from drowning," was the way one fireman described the goings on.

It was all in fun. They were really trying to push a ball, suspended on an overhead wire, with their water jets in a kind of "push-of-war."

The game was to run the ball into the opposition's territory by the force of your side's stream of water. The other team, of course, tried to push the ball back.

At day's end, much more water got on the firemen than on the ball.

The object: to help firemen learn how to handle their hoses more adroitly.

The result: St. Matthews teams Nos. 1 and 4 won in competitions with six other fire departments.

"Those boys were real nozzle men," was the tribute paid by a losing fireman from Charlestown, Ind.

1962

September 20, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*: *The Voice of St. Matthews*: A new sport for firemen – a water ball contest. Members of the Lyndon Fire department (background) vie with members of Worthington and McMahan Departments to see who can move the ball into a designated territory. A team from St. Matthews won the contest, which had teams from Middletown, Highview, Jeffersontown and Charlestown, Ind. The event was Sunday on Bacon's parking lot.



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September 20, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

1962 Crusade

**Rattermans
being remodeled**

Ratterman Brothers Funeral Home, 3711 Lexington Road, is undergoing a remodeling and re-decorating job.

Additions include two new parlors, a casket display room, new lounges for visitors and an elevator. The present chapel is being extended 20 feet. A new front will also be added.

The project which started in June is expected to be completed in December.



L to R: Charley Cardwell, Bill Andriot, Phil Schneider, Bob Walling, Jim Walton, _____

1962

September 21, 1962, Roster:

REPORT ST. MATTHEWS VOLUNTEER FIRE ASSOCIATION

MEETING: 1:13 PM FIRE: ✓ DATE: 9/21/62 LOCATION: 1:25 P.M.
ALARM TIME: _____ NO. OF MEN: 11 TIME RETURNED TO HOUSE: _____

CLEAN UP TIME: _____

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| 1. <i>Andriot ST</i>
Bill Andriot | 25. Jack Monohan | 48. _____ |
| 2. <i>Barrett</i>
Barrett | 26. John M. Monohan, Jr. | 49. _____ |
| 3. Fred Barringer | 27. Kevil Rice | 50. _____ |
| 4. Robert Brenzel | 28. Charles Rohmann | 51. _____ |
| 5. <i>Brown</i>
B. Brown | 29. Bailey Ross | 52. _____ |
| 6. C. Cardwell | 30. <i>Don Ross S 4</i>
Don Ross | 53. _____ |
| 7. O. Cruse | 31. <i>Phil Schneider, Jr. S-1</i>
Phil Schneider, Jr. | 54. _____ |
| 8. Paul Dillman | 32. R. Harvey Schultze | 55. _____ |
| 9. Denny Engnehl | 33. Billy Smith, Jr. | 56. _____ |
| 10. <i>Walter Sullivan 5-4</i>
Walter Sullivan | 34. Dan Sullivan | 57. _____ |
| 11. Rannie Florence | 35. J. P. Terry | 58. _____ |
| 12. Edward C. Foely | 36. Oscar Von Allmen | 59. _____ |
| 13. Albert Haeberlin | 37. R. C. Walling | 60. _____ |
| 14. George Haeberlin | 38. S. Wayne | 61. _____ |
| 15. R. C. Herdt | 39. Walter Wernert | 62. _____ |
| 16. W. Richard Herdt | 40. George Westwood | 63. _____ |
| 17. <i>D. Jevell</i>
D. Jevell | 41. Richard Wheeler, Jr. | 64. _____ |
| 18. Marty Kamer | 42. <i>William W. Wrivers H</i>
William W. Wrivers | 65. _____ |
| 19. John V. Kaster | 43. Melch Lehneder | 66. _____ |
| 20. R. E. Kaster | 44. <i>Paul Mencke</i>
Paul Mencke | 67. _____ |
| 21. <i>H. C. Klapheke</i>
H. C. Klapheke | 45. <i>Ed Behrman</i>
Ed Behrman | 68. _____ |
| 22. E. C. Klapheke | 46. _____ | 69. _____ |
| 23. Howard Martin | 47. _____ | 70. _____ |
| 24. Bill Micou, Jr. | | |

1962

September 27, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:



A busy intersection last Friday was Brownsboro Road and Hubbards Lane where the State Highway Department is adding an extra lane and a storage lane for left hand turns. Here the entire intersection is being paved. An extra lane for through traffic is far right. The work is to be completed about Oct. 29.

St. M. Firemen collect \$10,200 for Crusade

The St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Association collected \$10,200 for the Crusade for the United Nations. The money was collected from a fund-raising drive held at the St. Matthews Fire Station. The drive was a success and the firemen are proud of the amount collected. The money will be used to purchase equipment for the United Nations.

Article

October 3, 1962, Letter:

October 3, 1962

Mr. W. A. Powers
c/o Martin A. Ceder Inc.
2520 West Market Street
Louisville, Kentucky

Dear Mr. Powers;

On behalf of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Association I wish to express our gratitude to you for the donation of a length of used cable. This cable will be used by us in Water Ball Contests, a game which is excellent firemen training as well as recreational.

Sincerely yours,

John M. Monohan Jr.
John M. Monohan Jr., Chief
St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Ass'n



New officers of St. Matthews Business Association are from left Jack Seiler, treasurer; Sara Gidden, secretary, Richard Wheeler, president, and Marty Kamer, vice president. Photo of directors is on page 7.

S. O. S.

Type I of Sabin oral vaccine will be administered at some 46 clinics Sunday at City and County Schools. Among them are Eastern, Waggener, Holy Spirit, Holy Trinity, St. Margaret Mary, Westport, and Shyrock. The hours will be from noon to 5 p.m. Fill out a form, found elsewhere in this issue, prior to going to the clinic in order to facilitate procedures.

Firemen make five runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made five runs during the week. These were: Sept. 27, 10:32 a.m., 164 Therman Co., child locked in car; Sept. 27, 12:12 p.m., 4216 Shelbyville Rd., hearing phone at Woman's Club, out to Hwy. Sept. 28, 9:40 p.m., about five runs at Greenwood Forest House in Shelbyville local phone; Sept. 30, 6:35 p.m., 4216 Madison Ave., fire under cover; Sept. 30, 10:05 p.m., 4216 Madison Ave., fire under cover; Sept. 30, 10:05 p.m., 4216 Madison Ave., fire under cover.

Unreadable!!



Winners of Business Association's plaques are from left, Al J. Schansberg, retiring president; Sara Gidden, Howard Hunt and Fire Chief John Monohan for St. Matthews Voluntary Firemen--given for outstanding community service.

Wheeler to head Business Association for third term

STMFD Firefighter

Richard M. Wheeler, Jr., manager of the Canary Cottage, was named Tuesday night to his third term as president of the St. Matthews Business Association.

Named along with other officers and directors at the group's annual dinner meeting at the Canary Cottage, Mr. Wheeler edged out Paul Schlich of Schlich Insurance Agency in the closest balloting in the group's seven

years history. Fifty-five heads or representatives of business firms voted. Mr. Wheeler succeeds Al J. Schansberg, publisher of *The Voice of St. Matthews*.

Marty Kamer, manager of Kroger, was named vice president over Jim Booher of Booher Chevrolet. Sara D. Gidden, manager of the Stauffer System, was named secretary without opposition and Jack Seiller, manager of the Louisville Trust Company's local branch, was named treasurer, also without opposition.

Losers among the previously slated nominees were named to the group's Board of Directors, however. The Directors are:

Mr. Booher, George Hammer, Howard Hunt, Eugene Klapheke, Albert Sanders, Mr. Schansberg, Mr. Schlich, J. P. Terry and Earl Thomas.

Among the highlights of the meeting, attended by over 100 persons, was the awarding of plaques -- three of which were for outstanding community service. They were the first given by the Association.

The Community Service Awards went to the St. Matthews Voluntary Fire Department (accepted by Fire Chief John Monohan), Mr. Hunt and Miss Gidden. The firemen were recognized for "service beyond the call of duty", and Mr. Hunt and Miss Gidden were recognized for "unselfish efforts" for work done for the Association and the Community.

Mr. Schansberg received a plaque as retiring president of the Association. Mayor Bernard Bowling made the presentation and Mr. Schansberg presented the Community Service Awards.

In the annual report of the Association's work, Mr. Schansberg said that the Association's relationship with the City of St. Matthews, the City of Louisville, Jefferson County and the State of Kentucky, particularly the highway department, has been on a "high and friendly" plane.

He noted that the Association worked with Mayor Bowling last March in attempting to get the State Legislature to remove the "double taxation" for St. Matthews business firms brought about by the County Occupational tax.

"We didn't win but the Legislature will meet another day," said Mr. Schansberg.

He said the Association's biggest project during the year had been the "Post Office project". That was begun, he said, after the Board could not detect any improvements in Zone 7 mail service following a meeting with a Postal authority.

Mr. Wheeler, 41, is a native of Lexington. He attended grade school there and Kentucky Military Institute at Lyndon. Also, he attended Fishburne Military School in Waynesboro, Va.

He served as a mess sergeant with the Air Force during World War II, and assumed management of the Canary Cottage in 1947. He is a captain with the St. Matthews Voluntary Fire Department, and a member of St. Matthews Optimist Club.

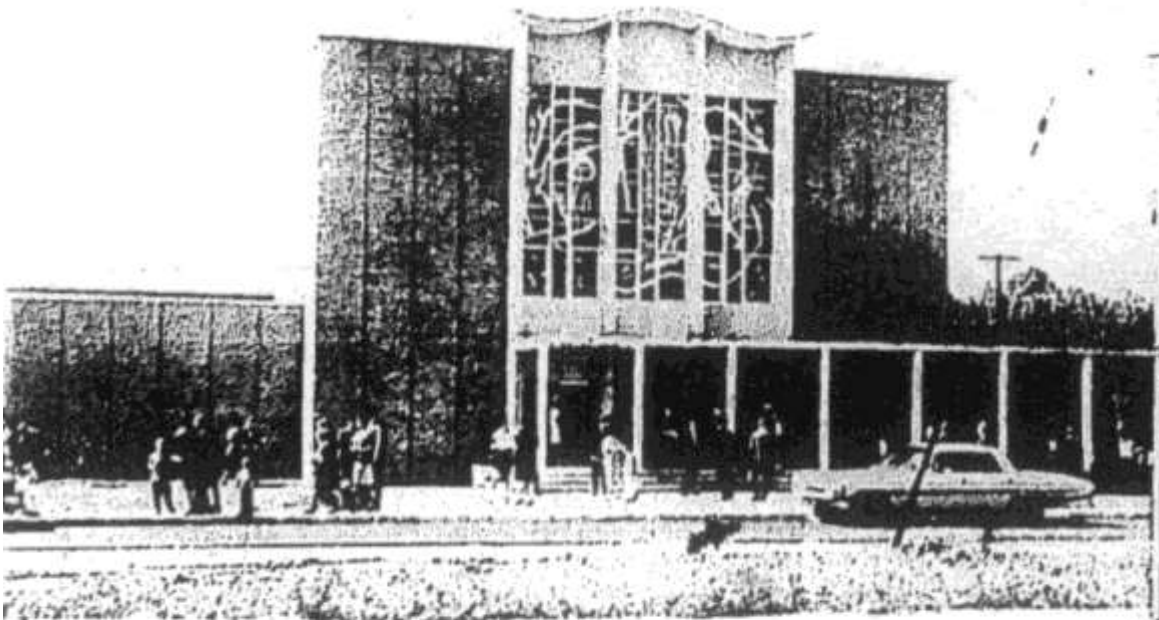
He said through the Association's work there has been several additional services made available through the Zone 7 branch. However, he added, an investigation of conditions has been made but a decision is not expected until after the November election.

Mr. Wheeler was named chairman of the Association when it was organized in 1955 and president in 1958.

He told the Tuesday night meeting that the organization would continue to "go up", and added that one of his primary objectives during the year would be to have Mr. Sanders make a speech to the group. (Mr. Sanders, always an active worker behind the scenes of Association work, has never formally addressed the Association).

1962

October 4, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*



First mass was held Sunday at Our Lady of Lourdes new sanctuary on Breckinridge Lane. A dedication of the contemporary-style building has not been set.

Thursday, October 4, 1962

THE



St. Matthews Business Association Board of Directors named Tuesday night are from left Al J. Schansberg, Jim Booher, Albert Sanders, Howard Hunt, Paul Schlich, George Hammer and Earl Thomas. Directors Eugene Klapheke and J. P. Terry were absent when photo was made.

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Registration Form
SABIN ORAL SUNDAY
Polio Prevention Program

First Date: October 7 or 14, 1962
Second Date: November 4 or 11, 1962
Third Date: **DECEMBER 10, 1962**
January 8 or 15, 1963

List on this form (PLEASE PRINT) the names of ALL persons in your household who will be immunized AT THIS SAME TIME.

Date of Child: _____
Household Address: _____
City: _____ County: _____

PLEASE PRINT

Last Name	First Name	Initial	Age

I hereby state that I am the head of the household of the persons listed above and I hereby request that Sabin Oral Polio Vaccine be administered to the above listed persons. I understand that the Certificates given to students for each dose must be taken to school for recording.

Signature: _____
Print of Household: _____

Form No. 1

1962

October 9, 1962, Letter:

October 9, 1962

Blackhawk Manufacturing Company
Milwaukee 46, Wisconsin

Gentlemen:

We have recently purchased two Porta-Power Tools for use on our emergency equipment, and are now in the process of training our men in the use of the same. If available, we would like to have twenty-five (25) #P.M. 201B Porto-Power Manuals for this training program.

We would greatly appreciate the above or any other help you could furnish us.

Sincerely yours,

Roy O. Blackburn
Roy O. Blackburn, Ass't Sec'y
St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Ass'n

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October 11, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Mall bar, hit by fire, to reopen

Damaged by fire early last Sunday morning, the Patio Lounge at The Mall is expected to be back in operation by Saturday.

Ben Rogers, coowner, said workmen are working around the clock to get the business back in operation.

An estimated \$25,000 to \$40,000 damage was caused by fire and smoke which hit shortly after 2 a.m. Among the loss was the bar and stools, valued at \$9,000, a cash register, valued at \$1,000 and about 25 cases of liquor.

Mr. Rogers said the fire apparently started by a cigarette dropped near the bar.

The fire was discovered by a Mall guard. Four fire companies answered the alarm--St. Matthews, Lyndon, Middletown and McMahan.

Mr. Rogers said about 80 percent of the loss was covered by insurance.

Fireman make 3 runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made three runs this past week. They were: Oct. 3, 12:44 p.m., fire at 3927 Elmwood; Oct. 7, 4 a.m., fire at Patio Lounge Mall Shopping Center; and Oct. 8, 9:12 p.m. dishwasher, 3904 Brownlee Rd.

Off to school even on Sunday

Being Sunday didn't dampen two-year-old Chuck Kuhn's ambition to go to nursery school. When his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kuhn, 4026 Gilman Ln., returned home from 5:30 mass, Chuck was just leaving with his natchel for nursery school --dressed in pajamas, too.

October 11, 1962
Firefighter

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October 11, 1962, Board meeting:

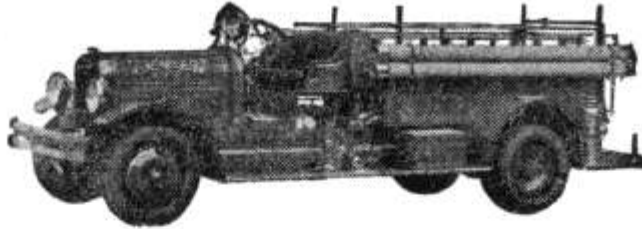
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P. O. Box 115

St. Matthews, Ky.

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Directors of the
St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Assn., held Thursday,
October 11, 1962 at the fire house.

Directors Present

George E. Miller
John M. Monohan
Joseph Zehnder
Marty Kamer

Fred Boss
Henry Monohan
W. Leland Wilson

Minutes of last meeting September 13, 1962 read by President
Monohan. There being no business there was no meeting. Motion
made by Joseph Zehnder, seconded by Henry Monohan, that they be
accepted as read.

Financial report read by President Monohan.

Motion made by Henry Monohan, seconded by Mr. Wilson, that we
approve party for firemen to be held October 20, 1962, to be held at
the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Cocktail party to start at 7 P M.
Dinner at 8 P M.

There being no further business motion made by Mr. Miller,
seconded by Mr. Wilson, we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "George E. Miller". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style. Below the signature, the word "Secretary" is written in a similar cursive script.

"ORGANIZED FOR YOUR PROTECTION"

1962

October 18, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Firemen make 5 runs

St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made five runs this past week, four of these in one day. Runs were: Oct. 10, 8:22 a.m., 4408 Rudy Ln., cigarette dropped in air duct; 12:02 p.m., Aquinas Prep School, Browns Lane, fire on stairway; 1:25 p.m., Expressway between

Shelbyville Road and S. 42, truck; 11:36 p.m., 134 Council Rd., transformer on utility pole; and Oct. 14, 12:52 a.m., 213 Norbourne Blvd., mattress fire.



St. Matthews Community Center obtained an improvement recently when shrubbery was placed around the front and side of the building.

hiding the unsightly foundation. The shrubs were donated by Boone Gardiner Nurseries.

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AT WATTERSON EXPRESSWAY

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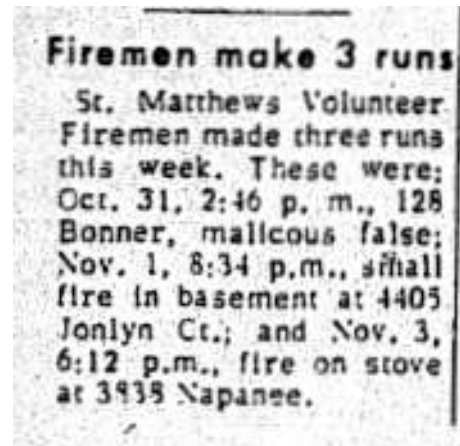
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1962

October 25, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

November 8, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:



Kretschmer's bring sound of music to St. Matthews Ave. Record Shop



Workmen's trucks are parked on the outside of Kretschmer's new Record Shop scheduled to open this weekend. The building is one of several scheduled for renovation on St. Matthews Ave. It is adjacent to the old House of Appliances.

A NEW SIGN...
on St. Matthews Ave.



KRETSCHEMER'S New Record Shop at 111 St. Matthews Avenue.
Just across street from Kretschmer's Appliances Store

With the opening this weekend of Kretschmer's new store on St. Matthews Avenue, there will once again be a complete record shop in the heart of St. Matthews.

The new store which is directly across from Kretschmer's House of Appliances is the former location of Charlie Rueff Sign Co. Featured will be one of the most complete lines of popular, folk song, jazz, twist and classical records in the area.

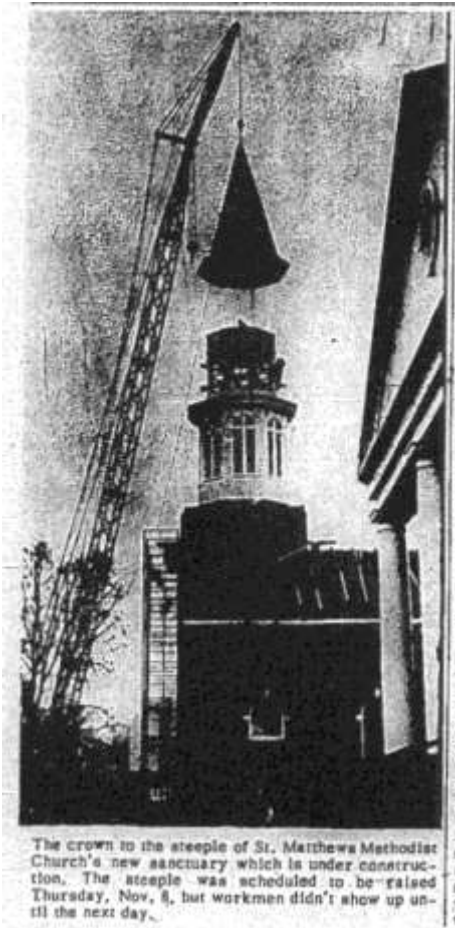
Kretschmer's Record Shop will be run in conjunction with Kretschmer's House of Appliances and a portion of the store will also include a display of television and of stereo.

1962

November 8, 1962, Board meeting:

November 29, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*

Firemen make 2 runs
St. Matthews Volunteer Firemen made two runs this week. The first was Nov. 23, 11:14 a.m., to 20 Leland Rd., garage; and Nov. 25, 5:46 p.m., 143 Wiltshire, leaves.



The crown to the steeple of St. Matthews Methodist Church's new sanctuary which is under construction. The steeple was scheduled to be raised Thursday, Nov. 8, but workmen didn't show up until the next day.

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P. O. Box 115
St. Matthews, Ky

Minutes of the monthly meeting of the St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Assn., held November 8, 1962.

Directors Present

John Monohan
Henry Monohan
Joseph Zehnder
George Miller

Joseph P. Terry
Marty Kaser
W. Leland Wilson

Minutes of last meet, October 11, 1962, read by President Monohan.
Motion made by Marty Kaser, seconded by Henry Monohan, that they be accepted as read.

Financial report read by President Monohan.

Motion made by Mr. Terry, seconded by Mr. Zehnder, that we buy turkeys for all firemen and directors for Thanksgiving.

There being no further business motion made by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Terry that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted

George E. Miller,
Secretary

"ORGANIZED FOR YOUR PROTECTION"

November 12, 1962, Lyndon Fire department Board

The annexation of Harris, Marquette and Virginia by The City of St. Matthews was discussed and a letter is addressed to Trautwein with Copies to Joe Smith of Inspection Bureau, Mayor Bowling, St. Matthews and John Monohan, Chief, St. Matthews Fire Dept.

1962

November 22, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*: The following pictures after the article came from Marty Kamer.



Definitely arson, but members of the St. Matthews Fire Department don't mind--for they set the blaze. In fact they set fire to this old house, which

belonged to Trinity High School on Westport Road, all Sunday afternoon and practiced their fire fighting knowledge. They finally burned it to the ground.



1962

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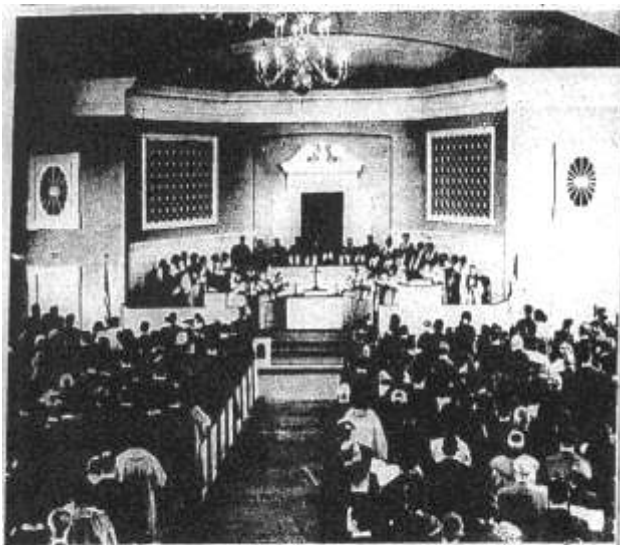
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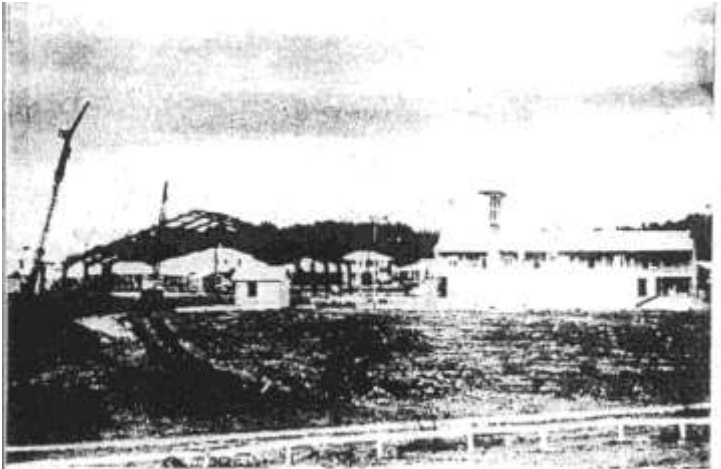
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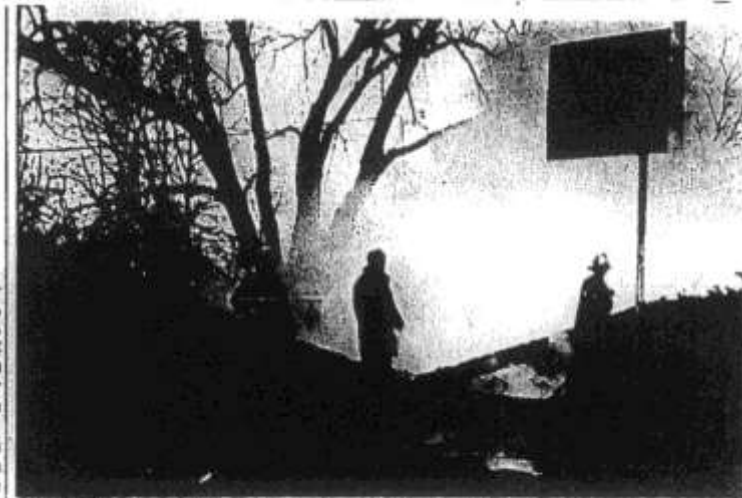


First service in new sanctuary

The congregation of Christ Methodist Church, Brownsboro Road and Blankenship Lane, moved into the new sanctuary last Sunday, a week earlier than at first anticipated. Ground was broken for the new edifice last Easter Sunday and cornerstone rites were held Sept. 30. The addition cost \$100,000.



Homes are going up in St. Matthews newest subdivision -- Frinby Hills, off Cherrymed Road and Klaxie Avenue. Here are part of some 15 homes, priced \$20,000 to \$42,000, which are either complete or under construction.



A trash fire doomed the garage of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rosenblum, 3-2-Leland Rd., at 11:14 a.m. last Friday. Here firemen pour water on remnants of the burned building.



Construction on center underway

First units of Holiday Manor shopping center, just east of convergence of U. S. 42 and Old Brownsboro Road, start. Ground was broken for the first time in October on the east side of the site. This is a view from U. S. 42.



This landfill at the southeast corner of U. S. 42 and Hubbard Lane, for which a rezoning from apartment to commercial has been sought several times at the request of residents in the area, is back in the news--again a change of zoning is being sought before the City - County Planning and Zoning Committee.

November 29, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews:*
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December 6, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Mat-*
thews:

Toys For Tots drive on; firemen help

The start of the 11th annual "Toys for Tots" campaign, sponsored by the Marine Corps Reserve in cooperation with the Community Christmas Committee, has begun.

The Louisville Marines, the 47th Rifle Company, are preparing to provide a happier Christmas for less fortunate children of the Louisville and Jefferson County area.

Joining with the Marine Reservists in this Christmas cheer campaign again this year, are all of Louisville and Jefferson County Volunteer fire departments, who will act as collection points for all new and good condition toys.

Receptacles have been placed at the fire stations and other key locations by the Marines for the campaign.

After the toys are picked up, they will be delivered to the toy shop for sorting. This big job of sorting and making the toys ready for distribution will be handled by the volunteer workers of the Community Christmas Committee's Toy Committee headed by Mrs. O. D. Lloyd.

Captain John V. Reschar, Sr., commanding officer of the Bluegrass Marines requests that the toys contributed not be

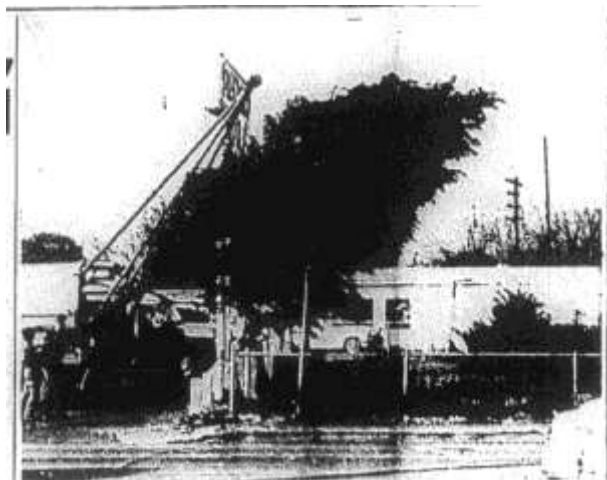
wrapped in order to save time in sorting by sex and age groups.

It is essential that the toys be new or in good condition; because of the time element and volume it's not possible to repair toys in time for distribution except wheeled toys such as bicycles, tricycles, wagons, etc.

Many civic and industrial organizations support this program for the underprivileged by asking their members and employees to contribute a toy at their Christmas parties.

TEXACO Fire Engine
 \$398 with parking
 Actual make model—27 inches long—made of heavy steel. Fuel tank and body, suspension, rubber and heavy. Water damage gun attached to garden hose for outdoor play.

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Although the weather may seem like Indian summer, preparations for Christmas go on. Here workmen erect the St. Matthews Business Association's annual yule tree at Lexington Road and Frankfort Ave.



St. Matthews' newest office building—the Metropolitan Life—on Hubbard Lane at the rear of Pryors Restaurant. The firm moved in last Saturday. Opening announcement will come later.

1962

December 10, 1962, Lyndon Fire Department Board Minutes:

There was a discussion concerning the annexation of Harris, Marquette and Virginia Ave by the City of St. Matthews. Letters from Mr. Trautwein and Kentucky Inspection Bureau were read. Jack Mayrose and Buzz Pierce are to see and talk to John Monohan concerning fire protection of this annexed area. The possibility of Watterson Expressway being the boundary between the two Fire Departments was also discussed.

December 13, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:



The department fought that fire, she was friend of the department and had a business next door to the St. Matthews Avenue fire house.

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4 SPEED RECORD PLAYER
PLUS 6 REG. 198 RECORDS
Christmas Special
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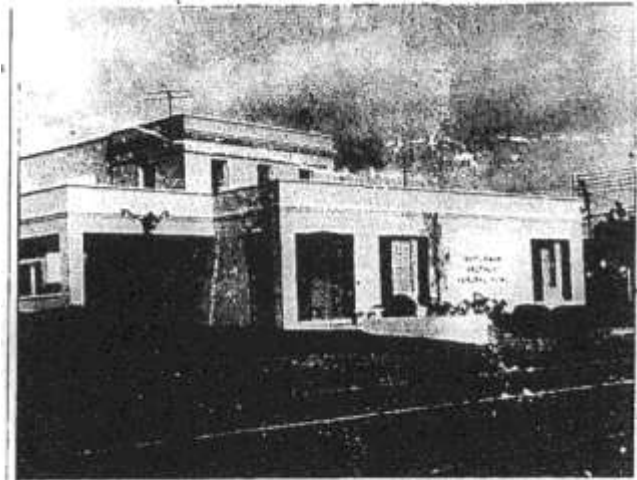
THIS IS ANOTHER
Capitol
RECORDS
IDEA FOR CHRISTMAS!

Also greeting cards,
candles, decorations,
and more to make
this a merry
Christmas!

1962

December 13, 1962, *The Voice Of St. Matthews*:

Courtesy <http://www.ratterman.com/history.shtml>



The appearance of Ratterman Brothers Funeral Home, 3711 Lexington Road, after renovations and an addition to the front. Added were two new parlors, a casket display room, lounge and addition to a chapel.

History of Ratterman Family Funeral Homes

In the 1850's the Ratterman family emigrated from Germany.

Several of the Ratterman brothers settled in Cincinnati, while others continued down the Ohio River to Louisville. Two brothers, George and Herman, settled near 8th and Green Streets. They established, in 1864, an undertaking business at 11th and Market streets, named G. & H. Ratterman; Carpenters and Makers of Fine Coffins.

In 1902, John B. Ratterman, son of George took over the business at the age of 24. He married Lillian Ackerman in 1904 and together they had 12 children consisting of ten boys and two girls. They moved into the Ackerman home at 2114 West Market Street in 1914. Here the family moved to the upper floors and turned the first floor into the first real "Home for funerals" in the city of Louisville. Having funerals in a specific "home for funerals" was a new concept for those times since most funerals were held at the home of the deceased. The shift happened mainly due to changing social norms; although up until World War II, some families still preferred the deceased to be returned to the home for visitation, wake and funeral.

Eventually John B. Ratterman paired up his sons to open other funeral home locations in Louisville. Lexington Road was the first in 1929. It was operated by John Jr. and Carl Ratterman. In 1947 Joe and Cletus Ratterman opened the Fourth Street location, and in 1977, they expanded to the Southside Drive location. In 1963 Emmett and Oscar Ratterman opened a funeral home on Bardstown Road, and then, in 1974 expanded to Cane Run Road.

The fourth generation of Rattermans' now owns and operates these six Louisville locations. They, along with the fifth generation, care for families with the same dedication and commitment that that has been our hallmark for over 140 years.

Ours is a tradition of service.



1962

December 13, 1962, Board meeting:

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Minutes of the meeting of the Directors of the
St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Department held
December 13, 1962.

Directors Present

Jos. Zehnder	Fred C. Boss,
John Monohan	Henry A. Monohan
George E. Miller	Marty Kamer
E. Leland Wilson	

Minutes of the last meeting held Thursday, November 8, 1962 read by President Monohan. Motion made by Henry Monohan, seconded by Jos. Zehnder, that they be accepted as read.

Motion made by Mr. Boss, seconded by Henry Monohan, that we give firemen and directors hats for Christmas.

There being no further business motion made by Mr. Zehnder, seconded by Mr. Miller, that we adjourn.

Respectfully submitted

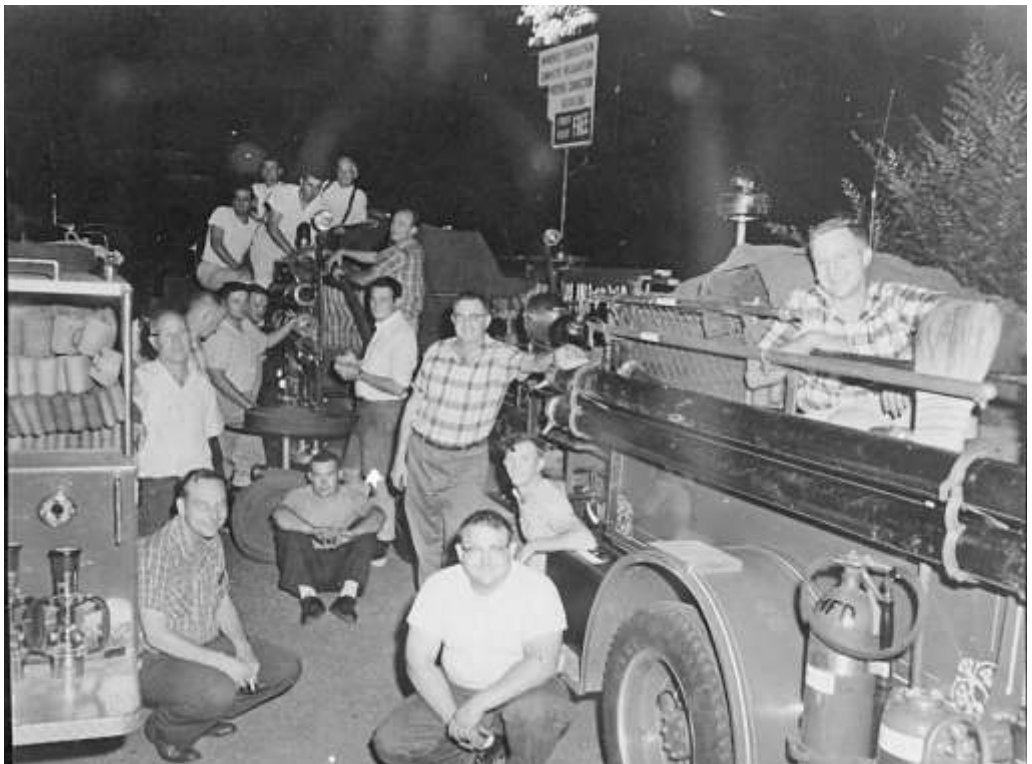
George E. Miller
George E. Miller

R. C. Walling sitting in center of circle.

Circle starting at bottom left going clock wise: J. B. Ross, E. C. Foley, R. C. Brenzel, F. R. Florence, D. L. Ross, H. K. Babcock, P. L. Schneider, C. T. Cardwell, S. E. Wayne.

Hose bed on right: D. L. Engnehl.

On truck in center: E. C. Klapheke, Jr., A. E. Andriot, Jr., C. W. Rohmann, R. E. Kaster, H. C. Kuhn, Jr.



1962 Roster: Number of runs made.

1962
173

Report **** St. Matthews Volunteer Fire Association

MEETING	FIRE	DATE	LOCATION
ALARM TIME	NO. OF MEN	RETURNED TO HOUSE	
1. Bill Andriot 133	26. John M. Monohan, Jr. 71	51.	
2. Harry Babcock 89	27. Charles Rohmann 46	52.	
3. Bill Ballard 46	28. Bailey Ross 71	53.	
4. R. Brown 151	29. Dan Ross 40	54.	
5. C. Cardwell 88	30. Ed Scherzer 67	55.	
6. Paul Dillman 78	31. Phil Schneider 101	56.	
7. Denny Engnehl 75	32. Harvey Schultze 72	57.	
8. Walter Fletcher 43	33. Dave Smith 32	58.	
9. Rannie Florence 63	34. Dan Sullivan 59	59.	
10. Ed Foley 67	35. J. P. Terry 4	60.	
11. Les Ford 42	36. Oscar Von Allmen 83	61.	
12. Al Haeberlin 64	37. R. C. Wallings 107	62.	
13. Geo. Haeberlin 78	38. S. Wayne 46	63.	
14. Rich Herdt 85	39. Melch Zehnder 70	64.	
15. Phil Iwan 34	40. W.W. WIVERS 67	65.	
16. Dave Jewell 59	41. W. WERNERT 14	66.	
17. Marty Kamer 52	42. R. BRENTZEL 37	67.	
18. John Kaster 57	43. R. WHEELER 14	68.	
19. R. E. Kaster 93	44. WESTWOOD 3	69.	
20. H. C. Kuhn 74	45. BILL MICHA 13	70.	
21. E. C. Klapheke 91	46. R. C. HERDT 2	71.	
22. Gil Liebert 50	47. DAVE WELER 1	72.	
23. Howard Martin 79	48. RICE 6	73.	
24. Bill Mercke 65	49.	74.	
25. Jack Monohan 96	50.	75.	

70 average

1962

STMFD Fire Runs Reports 1962:

16 ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date FEB 10 1962

A. M. 4:26 P. M. 6:31

Location Marling Bird Valley Road

Owner Dr Wm G Wolfe

Signed _____

Occupant Same

Signed _____

Building or Property Residence

Cause _____

Special Notes _____

Officer in Charge J. Monahan

41 ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date MAR 29, 1962

A. M. _____ P. M. 2:24 PM, 4:02

Location 215 NORBURN

Owner Wilson

Signed Pearl Wilson

Occupant _____

Signed _____

Building or Property Grocery

Cause Burning trash

Special Notes 2 - 1 1/2 & 2 - Boosters
200' - 2 1/2

Officer in Charge R. E. Christensen

48 ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date 4-9-62

P. M. 10:35 A. M. 12:56

Location K. M. I.

Owner _____

Signed _____

Occupant _____

Signed _____

Building or Property Boiler Room in Gym

Cause _____

Special Notes S-4
Assist Lyndon

Officer in Charge Asst Chief Turner

60 ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date 5-22-62

A. M. 10:18 P. M. 12:02

Location 706 Fountain

Owner _____

Signed _____

Occupant Cox Bishop

Signed _____

Building or Property House

Cause _____

Special Notes Called by Lyndon to assist
S-1

Officer in Charge Asst Chief Turner

10 ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date 5-28-62

P. M. 3:31 P. M. 4:25

Location 225 Cherokee Ln

Owner St. Matthews Fire & Sec

Signed R. E. Christensen

Occupant _____

Signed _____

Building or Property Building -

Cause Overstuffed

Special Notes Load 1000 ft 2 1/2"
S-1 S-4 S-6

Officer in Charge Asst Chief Turner

102 ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date 7-28-62

P. M. 8:48 P. M. 9:56

Location 5307 Hempstead Rd

Owner Kidd, A.

Signed _____

Occupant Alex. Kidd

Signed _____

Building or Property Utility Closet -
7 in

Cause _____

Special Notes S-1 S-4 S-5
Booster Line

Officer in Charge J. M. G.

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STMFD Fire Runs Reports 1962:

121 ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date 9-6-62

A. M. 2:12 P.M. P. M. 3:07

Location 228 Madison

Owner FREDRICK HALL JR

Signed _____

Occupant _____

Signed Mr. Fred L. Natch

Building or Property _____

FIRE IN Basement under
Living-Room Fire place

Cause _____

Special Notes S-1 S-4 S-6

Officer in Charge Asst. Chief Lamer

129 ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date 9/22/62

A. M. 1:38 P.M. P. M. 1:58 2/42 P.M.

Location 550 Norbourne

Owner W. S. Hartwell

Signed Wm. L. Hartwell

Occupant _____

Signed _____

Building or Property S-2-S-4

Garage

Cause use of power

Special Notes _____

Officer in Charge Asst. Chief Lamer

161 ST. MATTHEWS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Date Dec. 1st 1962

A. M. 11:34 P.M. P. M. 1:52 A.M.

Location 3720 Canoe Ln

Owner Emrich

Signed X. Claude L. Emrich Jr.

Occupant _____

Signed _____

Building or Property House

Cause S1, S2, S4, S5
S3 & S6

Special Notes _____

Officer in Charge Chief Mendenhall

Fire Statistics For 1962

Total number of fire runs: 175
 Total working fires: 4
 Total hours of fire fighting: 54
 Total 1 1/2" hose used: 1,000 feet
 Total 2 1/2" hose used: 2,600 feet
 Back up City of Louisville: 1
 Number of A. M. runs: 40
 Number of P. M. runs: 135

Number of runs made by fire apparatus:

S1: 146
 S2: 76
 S4: 93
 S5: 33

Types of fire runs:

House 57
 Commercial 22
 Automobile 27
 Field & trash 47
 Miscellaneous 12
 Malicious false 10

Working fires:

3/29/1962 2:24 p.m. Garage, 215 Norbourne Blvd.
 2/10/1962 4:06 p.m. House, Mockingbird Valley Road
 10/11/1962 2:00 a.m. Patio Lounge, Mall
 12/2/1962 11:37 p.m. House, 3720 Canoe Road

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DATE	TIME	1008 TIME	COMPANIES RESPONDED	Run #	NO OF FF'S	OFFICER IN CHARGE	STREET ADDRESS Or LOCATION	NARRATIVE
1-1	1114 AM	1125 AM	S1-S3-S4-S5	1		Chief Monohan	3810 Staebler Avenue	Malicious false
1-1	112 PM	144 PM	S1-S3-S4-S5-S6	2		Chief Monohan	223 Travels Road	House – motor on furnace
1-3	723 PM		S3	3		Chief Monohan	105 Staebler Avenue	Malicious false
1-9	831 PM	840 PM	S1-S2-S4	4		Capt. Walling	3918 Kennison Avenue	House – 2 nd floor, used brooms & shovels
1-11	224 AM	24 AM	S1-S2-S3-S4-S5-S6	5		Chief Monohan	3827 Frankfort Avenue Consolidated Sales Co.	False, combination burglar & fire alarm sounded
1-13	310 PM	355 PM	S4	6		Lt. Haeberlin	3723 Fairway Lane	House – called after fire out, checked out
1-14	1052 AM	1115 AM	S1-S4-S5	7		Chief Monohan	106 Browns Lane	Food on stove
1-17	431 PM	506 PM	S1-S4-S5	8		Capt. Walling	4011 Elfin Avenue	Fireplace - shovels
1-19	1032 AM	1100 AM	S1-S4	9		Capt. Florence	515 Club Lane	Sump pump motor, used CO2 & pipe wrench
1-27	145 AM	210 AM	S1-S2-S4-S5	10		Chief Monohan	3721 Lexington Road	Belt on compressor, used 16' ladder
1-27	141 PM	205 PM	S1-S2-S4-S5	11		Lt. Haeberlin	4121 Shelbyville Road Kroger Co. Sears Roebuck	Malicious false
2-3	757 PM	814 PM	S1	12		Chief Monohan	3726 Canoe Lane	Auto
2-4	944 AM	1007 AM	S1-S2	13		Chief Monohan	Dayton & Meridian Avenues	Auto accident, washed up gasoline on street
2-4	1210 PM	1226 PM	S1-S2-S6	14		Asst. Chief Kamer	End of Alton Road	Field
2-4	420 PM	448 PM	S1-S2	15		Asst. Chief Kamer	Breckinridge Lane & Hillsboro Road	Field – used booster

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2-10	406 AM	631 AM	S4-S1-S5-S2	16		Chief Monohan	Mockingbird Valley Road	Working house fire, 2 boosters, 400' – 1-1/2", 1350' – 2-1/2", 3 ladders, 6 scott packs, 3 lights
2-13	1006 PM		S2	17		Lt. Haeberlin	Dr. Wm. C. Wolfe residence The Mall	called by guard Johnson pump
2-13	1122 PM	1127 PM	S1-S2-S4-S5	18		Capt. Walling	5000 Shelbyville Road 4312 Norbourne Blvd.	Grass – used Johnson pump
2-17	237 PM	300 PM	S1-S2	19		Capt. Florence	231 Brown Avenue	Field
2-24	512 PM			20		Capt. Walling	In front of firehouse 117 St. Matthews Avenue	Auto left in front of firehouse, clutch burning, used CO2 & moved off our property
2-25	312 PM	324 PM	S1-S2-S6	21		Asst. Chief Kamer	4233 Westport Road	Car
2-27	712 PM	726 PM	S1-S4-S6	22		Asst. Chief Kamer	303 Primrose Lane	House – floor furnace flooded by water from rain
3-3	633 PM	644 PM	S1-S4-S5	23		Florence, Martin, Walling	408 Browns Lane	Malicious false, B.J. Meyer (neighbor) inspected property with fire officers
3-5	648 AM	707 AM	S1-S2-S4	24		Chief Monohan	123 Colonial Drive	Furnace motor
3-5	950 AM	1005 AM	S1-S2-S4	25		J. Monohan	315 Foeburn Way	Overheated clothes dryer
3-5	535 PM	603 PM	S1-S2-S4-S6	26		Asst. Chief Kamer	210 Hubbards Lane	Motor on booster fan in furnace pipe
3-13	1035 AM	1055 AM	S1-S3-S4	27		Chief Monohan	#26 Pawnee Trail	Mal-operating oil furnace, smoke in basement
3-14	1229 PM	1250 PM	S1-S4-S3	28		Chief Monohan	3909 Brownsboro Road	Clothes dryer
3-15	835 AM	856 AM	S4-S1-S6	29		Asst. Chief Kamer	4101 Springhill Road	Smoke in house, could not locate
3-17	238 PM	304 PM	S1-S2	30		Capt. Florence, Lt. Haeberlin	Rear of Shelbyville Road Plaza 4600 Shelbyville Road	Weed fire

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3-18	551 PM	610 PM	S1-S4-S5 S6-S3	31		Chief Monohan	3805 Frankfort Avenue	Store – neon sign on roof, faulty wiring
3-20	1140 AM	1157 AM	S1-S6	32		Asst. Chief Kamer	3725 Lexington Road	Gas on street caused by accident
3-21	415 PM	435 PM	S1-S2	33		A.E. Andriot Jr.	3818 Frankfort Avenue	Auto L83-858 Jefferson Co. – fire under hood
3-21	800 PM	845 PM	S1-S2-S4	34		A.E. Andriot Jr.	6428 Regency Lane	House – electrical kitchen stove shorted by spilled milk, disconnected
3-26	337 PM	407 PM	S1-S2	35		Lt. Al Haeberlin	Rear of Sears-Roebuck Co. 4121 Shelbyville Road	Field
3-27	505 PM	540 PM	S1-S2-S6	36		Asst. Chief Kamer	U.S. 60 & Watterson Expressway	Field
3-28	1140 AM	1215 PM	S1-S2	37		A.E. Andriot	Lot #1, Hillsboro Road	Field, caused by burning trash
3-28	306 PM	320 PM	S1-S2	38		A.E. Andriot	3537 Nanz Avenue	Back yard caused by burning trash
3-28	755 PM	805 PM	S1-S2-S4	39		Capt. Herdt	107 Staebler Avenue	Malicious false, occupant did not call
3-29	1147 AM	1217 PM	S1	40		Walt Fletcher	137 Sherrin Avenue	Trash fire
3-29	224 PM	402 PM	S1-S4	41		A.E. Andriot, Jr.	215 Norbourne Blvd.	Working garage fire – rear of garage Used 200' booster, 200' 1-1/2", 250' 2-1/2"
3-30	805 PM			42		Capt. Walling	119 McArthur Drive	Lock out
4-4	1205 PM	1228 PM	S1-S2	43		A.E. Andriot	119 McArthur Drive	Field – burning trash
4-7	503 PM	522 PM	S1-S2-S4	44		W.R. Herdt	Firestone Store, The Mall 5000 Shelbyville Road	Auto – Lyndon Vol. Fire Dept. had under control
4-8	140 PM	238 PM	S1-S2-S3-S6	45		Jack Monohan	Field north of Maryhill Estates	Field

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4-9	236 PM	256 PM	S1-S2	46		Capt. Walling	200 Tyne Road	Field – trash burning
4-9	348 PM	400 PM	S1-S2	47		Florence Andriot	Zachary Taylor American Legion Post Shelbyville Road	Field
4-9	1035 PM	1256 AM	S4	48		Asst. Chief Kamer	Kentucky Military Institute 8521 LaGrange Road	Working fire in gym – boiler room Assist Lyndon FD
4-14	1200 PM	1205 PM	S1-S2	49		Chief Monohan	Corner of Westport Road & Ridgeway Avenue	Apartment house tenant burning trash
4-15	349 PM	420 PM	S1-S4-S5	50		Chief Monohan	493 Lightfoot Road	Couch
4-16	210 AM	228 AM	S1-S2-S4	51		Chief Monohan	3937 Elfin Avenue	Furnace motor
4-17	439 PM	514 PM	S1-S4-S5	52		Capt. Walling	4610 Brownsboro Road	House
4-18	723 PM	755 PM	S1-S2	53		Capt. Walling Lt. Sullivan	Blankenbaker Lane & Woodside Road	Woods fire – out on arrival
4-18	802 PM	822 PM	S4	54		Lt. Geo. Haeberlin	Rear of 4105 Shelbyville Road	Trash box – rear of store
4-21	1046 PM	1106 PM	S1-S2-S3	55		Chief Monohan	Rear 3812 Frankfort Avenue Brady's Cocktail Lounge	Auto – used booster
4-24	758 PM	818 PM	S1-S2	56		Capt. Herdt & Martin	Field across from Duff Lane & Old Brownsboro Road	Field – burning trash
4-25	431 PM	459 PM	S1-S4	57		Capt. Walling & Florence	Christ Methodist Church 4614 Brownsboro Road	Truck – backfired thru carburetor
4-28	323 PM	342 PM	S1-S2-S4	58		Capt. W.R. Herdt	232 Sage Road	Smoke in basement caused by smoke test on sewers
4-29	833 AM	845 AM	S1-S2	59		Chief Monohan	Shelbyville Road Standard Oil Station	Emergency – child taken to General Hospital by St. Matthews Police
5-3	637 PM	647 PM	S1-S6	60		Asst. Chief Kamer	Front of 1643 Almara Circle	Auto – out on arrival 1951 Chevy J48-042

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5-4	130 PM	153 PM	S1-S6	61		Asst. Chief Kamer	300 Foeburn Lane	Field – burning trash Used brooms
5-12	103 PM	115 PM	S1-S2	62		Andriot	Corner of Frankfort Avenue & Oxford Place	Field
5-16	732 AM	750 AM	S1-S2	63		Andriot	Corner of Breckinridge Lane & Nanz Avenue	Truck – fire out on arrival
5-19	1029 AM	1102 AM	S4-S1	64		Ed Foley, Florence, Herdt	4810 Brownsboro Road	Electrical fixture, short in transformer
5-20	128 PM	138 PM	S1	65		Martin, Walling, Florence	Hwy. 42 & Pennington Lane	Washoff street after auto accident
5-22	1018 AM	1207 PM	S1	66		Asst. Chief Kamer	705 Fountain Avenue	House (Lyndon's Fire District) Was called to assist Lyndon FD
5-24	413 PM	452 PM	S1	67		Asst. Chief Kamer	Field at end of Hempstead Road	Field – burning trash, booster used
5-25	1023 AM	1056 AM	S4-S6-S1	68		Chief Monchan	3808 Frankfort Avenue	Electrical fixture shorted out City of Louisville
5-25	209 PM	229 PM	S1-S6	69		Asst. Chief Kamer	Breckinridge Lane & Watterson Expressway	Auto – Corvair, TS-277 Called by City of Louisville
5-28	331 PM	425 PM	S1-S4-S6	70		Asst. Chief Kamer	St. Matthews Feed & Seed 225 Chenoweth Lane	Storage building - trash
5-28	451 PM	544 PM	S1-S4-S6	71		Asst. Chief Kamer	3608 St. Germaine Court	House – wall above stove Grease on stove
5-31	347 PM	358 PM	S1	72		Lt. Andriot	420 Pennington Lane	Power mower – gasoline leak Used CO2
5-31	527 PM	545 PM	S1-S4-S5-S6	73		Asst. Chief Kamer	Kroger Co. 3721 Lexington Road	Air conditioner, used CO2
5-1	900 PM	914 PM	S5	74		Capt. Walling	401 Country Lane	Lock out
6-2	205 PM	310 PM	S1-S2	75		Chief Monchan	US 42 & Whispering Hills Liquor Store	Gas wash off – 3 autos

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6-2	720 PM	735 PM	S5-S4-S1	76		Chief Monchan Capt. Walling S5	Shelbyville Road Plaza – rear Grant's 4600 Shelbyville Road	Trash container
6-2	720 PM	735 PM	S5-S4-S1	77		Chief Monchan Capt. Florence S4	Shelbyville Road Plaza – rear Rainbow Shop, 4600 Shelbyville Road	Trash container
6-2	745 PM	802 PM	S1	78		Chief Monchan Lt. Andriot	Rear of Bensinger's 4306 Shelbyville Road	Trash container
6-6	730 PM	807 PM	S1-S2	79		Lt. Al Haerberlin	In front of 1809 Blankenbaker Lane	Car vs tree – 1962 Corvair K40-264 County Police – Officer Tucker
6-7	617 PM	632 PM	S1-S2	80		Capt. Walling	Across from Joe Brown Ford Co.	Malicious false
6-8	1142 PM	1219 AM	S1-S4-S5	81		Chief Monchan	Rear of 313 Bonner Avenue (old David Marrett Hatchery)	Burning pile of trash
6-13	835 AM	939 AM	S1-S4	82		Chief Monchan	Front of 188 Bow Lane	Oil Truck
6-16	940 PM	940 PM	-	83		Capt. Walling	Front of 117 St. Matthews Avenue St. Matthews Fire Dept.	Front seat of auto J48-035 cigarette
6-20	1045 AM	1130 AM	S1-S4	84		Capt. Florence	3619 Hycliffe Avenue	Washing machine motor, S4 used CO2, cancelled S1
6-22	1201 AM	1207 AM	S1-S4	85		Chief Monchan	Rear of Joe Brown Ford Co	Malicious false
6-22	727 PM	750 PM	S1-S4-S5	86		Capt. Walling	4427 Shelbyville Road	Transformer – Television Set
6-26	345 PM	404 PM	S1-S2-S6	87		Asst. Chief Kamer	U.S. #42 & Chenoweth Lane	Auto – front seat – Ford station wagon D25-632
6-28	410 PM	417 PM	S1-S2	88		Capt. Walling	Rear of 223 Brown Avenue	Field – out on arrival
6-29	104 PM	117 PM	S1-S6	89		Asst. Chief Kamer	Rear of Shelbyville Road Plaza 4600 Shelbyville Road	Field – used booster line
6-29	815 PM	833 PM	S1-S2	90		Capt. Walling	End of Hempstead Road	Field – burning trash

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6-30	1236 PM	101 PM	S4	91		Lt. Foley	Hubbards Lane & R.R. right of way	Weeds
7-4	1105 PM	1127 PM	S1-S2-S3	92		Chief Monohan	Front of 401 Oread Road	Auto - cigarette in front seat K92-703 1962 Cadillac Sedan
7-10	1242 PM	1258 PM	S1-S4-S6	93		Capt. Walling	Corner of Shelbyville Road & Heady Road	Field fire - booster & Johnson pump
7-10	638 PM	650 PM	S1-S6	94		Asst. Chief Kamer	4440 Blenheim Road	Power mower - out on arrival
7-11	420 PM	435 PM	S1-S2	95		Capt. Walling	Rear of Sears-Roebuck & Co. 4121 Shelbyville Road	Field
7-15	827 PM	838 PM	S1-S4	96		Chief Monohan	Front of 411 Eline Avenue	Transformer on utility pole No fire - 10-8 at scene
7-15	845 PM	852 PM	S4	97		Chief Monohan	Lexington Road east of Eline Avenue	Wire in street, LG&E on scene on arrival
7-16	1053 PM	1109 PM	S4-S5	98			4503 Winchester Road	Burning trash in bar-b-cue pit. Called in as rear of 1 st . National Bank by resident of Beechwood Village
7-20	105 PM	142 PM	S4	99		Chief Monohan & Lt. Andriot	Rear of Shelbyville Road Plaza - Grant's 4600 Shelbyville Road	Trash
7-21	435 PM	435 PM	-	100		Chief Monohan	Front of 117 St. Matthews Avenue St. Matthews Fire Dept.	Auto - cigarette in rear seat
7-22	1043 PM	1051 PM		101		Asst. Chief Kamer	Corner of Lexington Road & Bauer Avenue	Malicious false - rec'd call from City of Louisville - reported to be auto on fire
7-28	848 PM	956 PM	S1-S4-S5	102		Chief Monohan	5307 Hempstead Road	Residence - utility closet, used booster line
8-10	816 PM	940 PM	S2-S5	103		Capt. Martin	Castleview Drive	Field - used 2-1/2" line hooked to hydrant
8-11	615 PM	635 PM	S1-S5	104		Chief Monohan	3801 Norbourne Blvd.	Trash piled in alley way next to garage
8-13	315 PM	335 PM	S1	105		Chief Monohan	Front of 4224 Shelbyville Road	Auto - out on arrival, extinguished by Everett Hard, Lyndon VFD

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8-14	1052 PM	1103 PM	S1-S4	106		Capt. Walling	Frankfort & Bauer Avenues	Auto - burned out clutch - taxi cab #18 K15-018
8-15	630 PM	722 PM	S2	107		Capt. Walling	McMahan Volunteer Fire Dept. 3018 Hunsinger Lane	Backup at station
8-16	1125 AM	205 PM	S1-S2	108		Chief Monohan	Rear of 3503 Hillsboro Court	Field fire
8-18	437 PM	454 PM	S1-S2	109		Capt. Herdt	Rear of 4500 Westport Road Westport Road Church of Christ	Field fire
8-20	1216 PM	1224 PM	S1-S2	110		Chief Monohan	Rear of 3808 Brownsboro Road	Auto - 1961 Falcon J81-510
8-21	1115 AM	1130 AM	S1-S2	111		A.E. Andriot	Rear of 4200 Blk. Of Church Way	Field
8-21	535 PM	544 PM	S1-S2	112		Capt. Herdt	U.S. 42 east of Hubbards Lane	Canvas covering new strip of highway
8-21	809 PM	830 PM	S2-S4	113		Lt. Sullivan	315 Sprite Road	Shrubbery
8-20	440 PM	455 PM	S4-S1-S2	114		Capt. Walling	210 Ahland Road	House - food on stove, out on arrival
8-24	852 PM	910 PM	S2	115		Lt. Sullivan	U.S. 42 & Hubbards Lane	Canvas covering new strip of highway
8-24	856 PM	916 PM	S1	116		Capt. Martin	Intersection of Frankfort Avenue & Lexington Road	Autos on highway - used booster for wash off
8-26	333 PM	846 PM	S1	117		Chief Monohan	Shelbyville Road Plaza Barber Shop 4600 Shelbyville Road	Broken water line
9-4	630 PM	638 PM	S1-S4-S3-S2	118		Chief Monohan	3711 Lexington Road Ratterman Funeral Home	Building fire in new construction
9-5	523 AM	539 AM	S1-S4-S5	119		Asst. Chief Kamer	4309 Churchill Road	Mattress on fire, used booster
9-5	1123 AM	1140 AM	S1-S2	120		Capt. Florence	Front of 3912 Frankfort Avenue	Truck - emergency brake & drive shaft, used booster

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9-6	212 PM	307 PM	S6-S1-S4	121		Asst. Chief Kamer	328 Monahan Drive	House – fire in basement under fireplace
9-7	718 AM	738 AM	S1-S4	122		Capt. Herdt	125 Don Allen Road	Furnace motor
9-13	318 PM	350 PM	S1-S4	123		Lt. Andriot	127 Indian Hills Trail	Incinerator flue stopped up
9-14	507 PM	527 PM	S1	124		Capt. Walling	4016 Ormond Road	Emergency – children locked in small room on 2 nd floor
9-20	507 PM	515 PM	S3	125		Chief Monohan	Massie Avenue	Auto – out on arrival 1956 Dodge /76-947
9-21	113 PM	125 PM	S1-S4	126		Lt. Andriot	4047 Richland Avenue	House – explosion in furnace
9-12	154 PM	204 PM	S1	127		Lt. Andriot	Rear 300 blk. Merriman Road	Attended trash fire
9-21	420 PM	440 PM	S1-S2	128		Capt. Walling	Rt. #42 east of Hubbards Lane	Truck R22-526 Backfire thru carburetor
9-22	138 PM	242 PM	S2-S4	129		Capt. Martin	Rear of 250 Norbourne Blvd.	Garage
9-27	1032 AM	1042 AM	S4	130		Dave Jewell	164 Thierman Lane, Apt. #1	Child locked in bedroom
9-27	1212 PM	1232 PM	S4	131		Lt. Andriot	4124 Shelbyville Road	Steam, no fire
9-29	216 PM	306 PM	S1-S4	132		Capt. Walling	Rear of Gateway Foods – Shelbyville Road Plaza – 4600 Shelbyville Road	Trash in rear of store, electric service & telephone affected
9-30	635 PM	704 PM	S1-S2-S4	133		Chief Monohan	600 Wallace Avenue	House – fire under porch in front
9-30	925 PM	1001 PM	S1	134		Chief Monohan	Rear of 8507 Blossom Lane Plantation subdivision	Shed – backup for Lyndon FD
10-3	124 PM	117 PM	S1-S2-S4	135		Capt. Walling	3927 Elmwood Avenue	House – upstairs Used smoke ejector 2 scotch packs, 1-28' ladder

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10-7	400 AM	455 AM	S1-S2-S3-S4-S5-S6	136		Chief Monohan	Mall – Patio Lounge 5000 Shelbyville Road	Bar – working fire
10-8	912 PM	927 PM	S1-S2-S4-S6	137		Asst. Chief Kamer	3904 Brownlee Road	Dishwasher
10-10	822 AM	835 AM	S4-S1	138		Lt. Andriot	4408 Rudy Lane	Cigarette in air duct
10-10	1202 PM	110 PM	S1-S4-S5	139		Capt. Walling	1405 Browns Lane Aquina Prep School	Fire in stairwell, called McMahan FD
10-10	125 PM	134 PM	S1	140		Capt. Martin	Expressway between Shelbyville Road & U.S. 42	Truck – S1 Ford, R2-030 Called Louisville FD
10-10	1136 PM	1212 AM	S1-S3-S4-S6	141		Chief Monohan	East of 134 Council Road	Transformer on utility pole Called LG&E
10-14	1252 AM	116 AM	S1-S2-S4	142		Chief Monohan	213 Norbourne Blvd.	Mattress fire
10-19	624 PM	635 PM	S2-S1	143		Chief Monohan	Parking lot at Breckinridge Lane & Willis Avenue	Auto – 1956 Chev. Ind. 62AR7112 City of Louisville Engine 21
10-19	938 PM	1020 PM	S4-S5	144		Chief Monohan	The Mall – Rhodes 5000 Shelbyville Road	No fire – insect bomb – informed FD no danger exists (Lyndon VFD also responded)
10-25	410 PM	412 PM	None	145		Lt. Al Haeberlin	Sanders Cleaners 129 St. Matthews Avenue	Alarm system set off accidentally
10-26	542 AM	603 PM	S1-S2-S4	146		Chief Monohan	4512 Blenheim Road	Fire in fireplace mistaken for fire by person turning in alarm
10-31	246 PM	257 PM	S4	147		Lt. Andriot	128 Bonner Avenue	Malicious false
11-1	834 PM	909 PM	S2-S4-S6-S3	148		Chief Monohan	4405 Jonlyn Court	Basement fire – careless use of paint thinner
11-3	612 PM	646 PM	S4-S1-S2	149		Lt. Andriot	3838 Napanee Road	Kitchen stove & exhaust fan Used smoke ejector, generator & CO2
11-15	831 AM	857 AM	S1-S4	150		Lt. Andriot	Corner of Norbourne Blvd. & Browns Lane – Methodist Church	Trash – booster line used. Alarm brought in by H. Babcock in person

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Courtesy Rick Albers

19 ST. MATTHEWS FIRE RUNS								
DATE	TIME	1008 TIME	COMPANIES RESPONDED	Run #	NO OF FF'S	OFFICER IN CHARGE	STREET ADDRESS Or LOCATION	NARRATIVE
11-15	903 PM	942 PM	51-54	151		Chief Monohan	147 Thierman Lane	Beauty shop – under sink
11-16	300 PM	321 PM	51-54	152		Asst. Chief Kemer	Shelbyville Road Plaza 4600 Shelbyville Road	Malicious false
11-16	442 PM	458 PM	51-54	153		Capt. Walling	4004 St. Germaine Court	Auto – 57 Ford J58-273
11-17	844 AM	902 AM	51-54	154		Asst. Chief Kemer	3924 Elfin Avenue	Furnace motor
11-23	1114 AM	1231 PM	51-54	155		Chief Monohan	3929 Leland Road	Garage – burning trash in rear of same
11-25	546 PM	601 PM	51-54	156		Capt. Herdt	143 Wiltshire Avenue	Burning leaves in front of house
11-28	1243 AM	126 AM	51-52	157		Chief Monohan	Hubbards Lane & #42	Garbage truck on fire at County quarry
11-29	615 PM	638 PM	51-54-55	158		Chief Monohan	3705 Lexington Road Mario's Pizza	Restaurant – fire on grill
11-30	912 AM	945 AM	51-52	159		Asst. Chief Kemer	Corner of Napanee Road & St. Matthews Avenue	Garbage truck – garbage dumped by truck was on fire Phoned in by City of Louisville
12-1	407 PM	459 PM	51-52-54	160		Chief Monohan	3718 Fairway Lane	Garage – burning leaves in garbage can
12-1	1137 PM	152 AM	56-53 51-52-54-55	161		Chief Monohan	3720 Canoe Lane	Working house fire
12-10	336 PM	412 PM	54-51	162		Capt. Walling	327 Norbourne Blvd.	Smoke in house
12-12	315 AM	400 AM	51-52-54-55	163		Chief Monohan	Bacon's 3939 Frankfort Avenue	Alarm set off due to mechanical failure
12-13	745 PM	805 PM	51-55	164		Asst. Chief Kemer	3725 Frankfort Avenue Puritan Cleaners	Malicious false
12-14	537 PM	609 PM	51-52-55	165		Capt. Herdt	4709 Brownsboro Road	House – fireplace – apparently needed cleaning

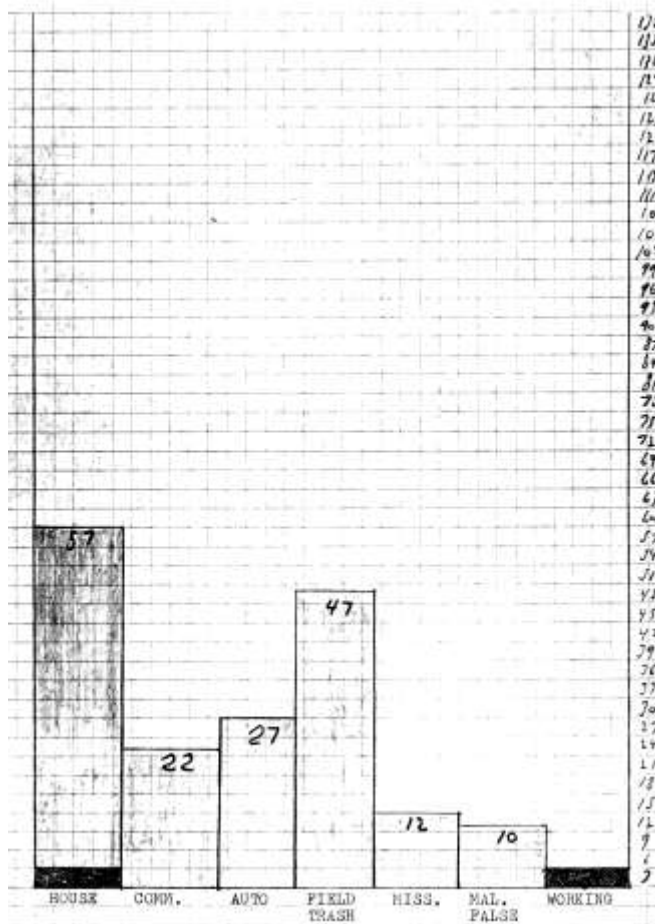
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12-15	903 PM	932 PM	51-52-54-55	166		Capt. Herdt	4005 Brownlee Road	Basement furnace trouble (gas)
12-18	108 PM	121 PM	51	167		Gene Klapheke	Rear of 331 Ridgeway Avenue	Field – burning trash
12-21	350 AM	410 AM	53	168		Chief Monohan	130 Heady Road	Mattress – checked out by Chief
12-24	1224 PM	110 PM	51-54	169		Chief Monohan	4009 Hycliffe Avenue	Chair
12-27	1223 PM	121 PM	51-52	170		Capt. Walling	Expressway between Browns Lane & Breckinridge Lane	Malicious false
12-29	518 PM	544 PM	51-54	171		Chief Monohan	127 Travois Road	Dryer
12-29	506 PM	531 PM	51-54	172		Chief Monohan	214 Brown Avenue	Pump motor
12-32	236 PM	302 PM	54	173		Lt. Andriot	#31 Pawnee Trail	Lock out

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Total runs 175

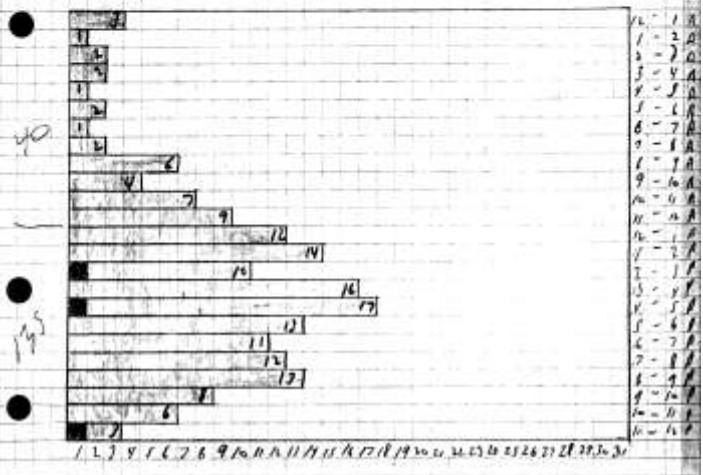
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TIMES OF FIRE RUNS AND WORKING FIRES

TOTAL FIRE RUNS 175
TOTAL WORKING FIRES 3
TOTAL HOURS OF FIRE FIGHTING 54
TOTAL 1½" HOSE USED 1,000 FEET
TOTAL 2½" HOSE USED 2,600 FEET
FIRST FIRE OF 1962. 1-1-62 11:14AM. Malicious false.
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4/1/62	10:35 PM	Radio	S-4	12:30 AM	2:00 AM	2	1.0	Post Chief Kane	Garage	K. M. 1 Corner of Westport Rd & R. bogway	L. M. 1	Garage	Garage	No
4/1/62	12:00 PM	Radio	S-1 - S2	12:05 PM	1:00 PM	1	0.5	Chief Munich	Field	493 Lightfoot Rd.	John L. Mann	SA ME	Field	No
4/1/62	5:49 PM	Radio	S1, S4, S6	4:20 PM	5:10 PM	1	0.5	Chief Munich	Residence	493 Lightfoot Rd.	John L. Mann	SA ME	Residence	No
4/1/62	2:10 PM	Radio	S1, S2, S4	2:28 PM	3:18 PM	1	0.5	Chief Munich	House	3937 L. F. Rd.	J. P. Malone	"	Residence	No
4/1/62	4:39 PM	Radio	S1, S4, S6	5:14 PM	6:00 PM	1	0.5	Chief Munich	House	4610 Pennsboro Rd.	Mrs. L. M. Goose	Me + Mrs. Paul Hansen	Residence	No
4/1/62	7:43 PM	Radio	S1, S2	7:55 PM	8:32 PM	1	0.5	Chief Munich	House	4610 Pennsboro Rd.	Mrs. L. M. Goose	Me + Mrs. Paul Hansen	Residence	No
4/1/62	8:02 PM	Radio	S-4	8:22 PM	9:00 PM	1	0.5	Chief Munich	House	4610 Pennsboro Rd.	Mrs. L. M. Goose	Me + Mrs. Paul Hansen	Residence	No
4/1/62	10:46 PM	Radio	S1, S2, S3	11:00 PM	11:40 PM	1	0.5	Chief Munich	House	4610 Pennsboro Rd.	Mrs. L. M. Goose	Me + Mrs. Paul Hansen	Residence	No
4/1/62	7:18 PM	Radio	S1, S2	8:18 PM	9:00 PM	1	0.5	Chief Munich	House	4610 Pennsboro Rd.	Mrs. L. M. Goose	Me + Mrs. Paul Hansen	Residence	No
4/1/62	4:21 PM	Radio	S1, S4	4:59 PM	5:30 PM	1	0.5	Chief Munich	House	4610 Pennsboro Rd.	Mrs. L. M. Goose	Me + Mrs. Paul Hansen	Residence	No
4/1/62	3:33 PM	Radio	S1, S2, S4	3:44 PM	4:19 PM	1	0.5	Chief Munich	House	4610 Pennsboro Rd.	Mrs. L. M. Goose	Me + Mrs. Paul Hansen	Residence	No
4/1/62	1:33 PM	Radio	S1, S2	1:45 PM	2:12 PM	1	0.5	Chief Munich	House	4610 Pennsboro Rd.	Mrs. L. M. Goose	Me + Mrs. Paul Hansen	Residence	No
4/1/62	8:41 PM	Radio	S1, S2	8:51 PM	9:17 PM	1	0.5	Chief Munich	House	4610 Pennsboro Rd.	Mrs. L. M. Goose	Me + Mrs. Paul Hansen	Residence	No
4/1/62	6:37 PM	Radio	S1, S6	6:47 PM	7:17 PM	1	0.5	Chief Munich	House	4610 Pennsboro Rd.	Mrs. L. M. Goose	Me + Mrs. Paul Hansen	Residence	No
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*If a fire spread to other buildings, make a separate record of each under the original alarm but on lines below.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

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Part of Building Where Fire Started	CAUSE	Extinguished by 1. Squad 2. Hose 3. Other 4. Other 5. Other 6. Other 7. Other 8. Other 9. Other 10. Other	Number of Hydrants Used	Persons Present Worked	Number of Lines Used	Size and Number of Ladders Used	Gallon of Chemicals Used	INSURANCE RECORD								SPECIAL NOTES	
								BUILDINGS				CONTENTS					
								Estimated Value	Insurance Carried	Estimated Loss	Insurance Paid	Estimated Value	Insurance Carried	Estimated Loss	Insurance Paid		
48	Boiler Room	ASSIST LONDON FIRE DEPT.															
49	FIELD	APR HOUSE TENNANT BURNING TRASH															
50	COUCH	UNDETERMINED															
51	FORGE MOTOR																
52																	
53	WOODS FIRE	Out on arrival TRASH BURN															
54	RAMP OF STONE	CHURNING															
55	AUTO	UNKNOWN BOOSTER LINE															
56	FIELD	BURNING TRASH															
57	TRUCK	BURNED THROUGH BRICKWORK															
58	Basement	Smoking in Basement caused by smoke that on floor.															
59		Emergency Aid called taken to General Hosp. by St. Watt. Police															
60	Auto	Out on wheels 1961 Chev. 148-042															

Loss Total - Building

Insurance Paid - Building

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FIRE RECORD OF

*If a fire moved to other buildings, make a separate record of work under the original alarm but use time taken.

FROM

TO

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FIRE RECORD OF

Date	Time	Alarm Phone Box No. Verbal A.D.T. Radio	COMPANIES RESPONDING Co. No. and Type	Time Arrived	Time Released	Hours of Service	Notes on Service	Officer in Charge	Kind of Building or Property	STREET ADDRESS OR LOCATION	OWNER	OCCUPIED BY	Person Used for	*Signed to Other Building Yes or No
1/15/62	4:43 P.M.	Radio	S-1, S-2, S-4, S-5	7:52 P.M.				Chief Holt	House	495 Brownlee	Vernon Apple		Residence	
1/16/62	1:02 P.M.	Phone	S-1	1:01 P.M.				Chief Klopfisch	Field	331 Ridgeway	Ham	Harold J. Schaffer	Field	
1/16/62	3:50 A.M.	Phone	S-2	4:10 A.M.				Chief Worsham	Warehouse	100 Hardy	W.M. Swander			
1/16/62	12:34 P.M.	Radio	S-1 & S-4	1:10 P.M.				Chief Worsham	Chair	4009 Lynduff	Ed. Baranough	Edgar Koch	Residence	
1/17/62	12:33 P.M.	Radio	S-1 & S-2	1:21 P.M.				Chief Walling		21 Broadway	Ed. Baranough	Edgar Koch	Residence	
1/17/62	5:12 P.M.	Radio	S-1 & S-4	5:44 P.M.				Chief Walling		Robson Brown Lane & Buckenridge Lane	Ed. Baranough	Edgar Koch	Residence	
1/17/62	5:26 P.M.	Radio	S-1 & S-4	5:31 P.M.				Chief Walling		123 Travis Rd.	J.W. Hendricks		Residence	
1/18/62	2:30 P.M.	Phone	S-4	3:01 P.M.				Chief Walling		214 Brown Ave	Mrs. Brady J. Brown		Residence	
1/18/62	2:30 P.M.	Phone	S-4	3:01 P.M.				Chief Walling		#31 Pounce Trail	Sal Brown		Residence	
1/18/62	2:44 P.M.	Radio	S-2, S-4, S-5, S-6	3:28 P.M.				Chief Walling	House	415 Rolling Lane	Leon Hirsch		Residence	
1/18/62	7:07 P.M.	Radio	S-2, S-4, S-5, S-6	7:45 P.M.				Chief Walling	House	605 Union Ridge	C.M. Kegel		Residence	
1/18/62	12:11 P.M.	Radio	S-4	12:30 P.M.				Chief Walling	Auto	Shelburne Rd. & Fairview			Auto	
1/18/62	12:30 P.M.	Phone	S-4	12:32 P.M.				Chief Walling	Auto	Bacon's Parking Lot			Auto	
1/18/62	7:55 A.M.	ADH	S-1, S-5	10:12 A.M.				Chief Walling	Auto	Green's			Auto	
1/18/62	11:54 P.M.	Phone	S-4, S-5	12:10 A.M.				Chief Walling	Auto	1627 Brown	James M. Alexander Jr.		Residence	
TOTALS														

FIRE DEPARTMENT

FROM

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Part of Building Where Fire Started	CAUSE	Extinguished by A. Sprinkler B. Chemical C. Foam or other Extinguisher D. Fire E. Hydraulic Stream F. Other	Nature of Hazard Used	Hours Person Worked	Number of Lines Used	Size and Number of Ladders Used	Gallons of Chemical Used	INSURANCE RECORD				CONTENTS				SPECIAL NOTES	
								BUILDINGS									
								Estimated Value	Insurance Carried	Estimated Loss	Insurance Paid	Estimated Value	Insurance Carried	Estimated Loss	Insurance Paid		
166	Basement - furnace trouble (gas)																
167	Field - burning trash																
168	Warehouse - break out by thief																
169	Chair																
170	Mal. Faler																
171	Wagon																
172	Pump motor -																
173	Lock out -																
1	SMOKE ODOR FROM ASH PIT IN HOUSE																HAPPY NEW YEAR
2	CUT ON ARRIVAL (MOTOR)																
3	WASH OFF (OLD) JIFFIE 6.92 051, LAMP OUT & FIRE																
4	SHUTTED CIGARETTE LIGHTER 1961 CLASS. 1-25-65																
5	BROKEN WATER LINE A.D.R. SYSTEM ACTIVATED																
6	CLOTHES DRYER																

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