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OUR HISTORIC FIRST NEWSLETTER

This is a red letter day at CBO! Today we publish Vol. I, No. 1 of what we hope will be many issues of OUTREACH. At the present time we will be publishing OUTREACH bi.monthly. We are mailing it to located ministers in Central Kentucky as well as to all chapter leaders and all chapter members.

We are mailing this issue as first class mail because we

believe it is imperative that we establish this line of communication with all of you. By the time we publish the next issue we shall assuredly have our second class mailing permit which enables us to mail a regular publication such as this to a minimum of 200 addressees at a very preferential rate. We hope you will like it and will peruse it thoroughly and then pass it on to a friend and preferably one who might be interested in CBO.

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Philosophy and Objective

The avowed purpose of Sayre Village is to "provide care for the elderly from retirement to the grave and to provide Christian homes for children who have no parents to care for them." The dream is to bring into existence a village with cottages, townhouses, apartments, dormitories and nursing-convalescent centers to meet the need of those to whom Sayre Village will minister. The program will, of course be non-profit where the best of skilled care will be maintained at all levels at a figure far less than the ordinary retirement, convalescent or nursing facility would cost. The entire project will not only be non-profit but will be operated by Christians in a Christian manner and in a Christian atmosphere.

Sugar Grove Comes Through

Distance and size seem to make no difference! Churches as far away as Jackson, Elizabethtown or Monticello are doing a great job while some large congregations at or near Lexington can't seem to get going. One of the first group is Sugar Grove Christian Church on a rural route of Owingsville in Bath County. It is presumed that Francis Nash, the pastor, and Paul Mullins, the chapter leader, have sparked the CBO drive there. Not only do they have the individual members, but the Church Board itself has pledged Sugar Grove to \$90.00 per month for 12 months, thus giving Paul Mullins 9 chapter member equivalencies not including his own.

PERSONAL GLIMPSES

August 29th was one of those days at CBO when nothing seems to go right. Suddenly we opened a letter from Wilma Kerr with a scrawled P.S. as follows:

"CBO "Cares 'Bout Others"

Needless to say this made the whole day bright!

MAILING OUT RECEIPTS

Several persons have questioned our practice of mailing receipts even for \$10.00 contributions paid by check, inasmuch as the cancelled check is itself a legal receipt. We have been questioned especially about sending receipts for \$10.00 payments made by check.

We have done so because we have been informed that a non-profit organization is compelled by law to maintain such receipts for tax deductible gifts. This is presumably because the Internal Revenue Service insists on having a source of corroboration of deductions claimed. Too, we have to have a receipt for all gifts as a part of our bookkeeping system to tally against our ledger posting. However, hereafter we shall still make and keep on file the receipt for each and every contribution but we shall not mail back receipts for installment gifts paid by check. We shall still have them for any who desire a receipt. We shall always send a receipt for any cash payment.



CBO Officers, Directors and Wives, plus Honored Guests at the Chapter Leaders' Appreciation Dinner. Lafayette H.S. Cafeteria, Sept. 18, 1975.

Present Board of Directors

President: Joseph S. Hager, Pres. and owner of Hager Construction Co., Lexington, Ky.

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Aaron M. Smith, Owner, The Aaron Smith Funeral Home, Lexington, Ky.

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