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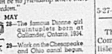

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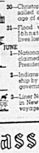

MAY

28—The famous Dionne girl quintuplets born at Callander, Ontario, 1934.

29—Work on the Chesapeake and Ohio canal begun, 1829.

30—Christopher Columbus sailed on his third voyage of exploration, 1498.

31—Flood waters inundate Johnstown, Pa., 2,200 lives lost, 1889.

JUNE

1—National fast day proclaimed for the death of President Lincoln, 1865.

2—Indians granted citizenship by the United States government, 1924.

3—Liner Normandie arrived in New York on maiden voyage, 1935.

Classified

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Remington No. 10 typewriter, in good condition. Price $10. Call 190 or see F. B. Henry. 1t*

FOR SALE—Gibson side icer refrigerator, 75 lb. capacity; Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet, good as new; Walnut dressing table at auction, Saturday May 29th at Scott-Kendall Sale. Mrs. Ira Burgess. 1t*

FOR SALE—3 nice rocking chairs, 2 dining tables, 3 4-burner oil stoves, 4 range stoves, 4 4-cap stoves, 3 stand tables, suits of clothes for men. J. R. Johnson, Henryville. 1t*

FOR SALE

Plants, Tomatoes, Cabbage, Sweet Peppers. All the better varieties. R. J. Hunt. East Main Street, Moorefield Road. 5-20-2t*

FOR SALE

At the store at Jackstown, Field Fertilizer for corn and tobacco land. Mack Ritchie, Phone 4503, Route 1. 3-18-tf

FOR SALE

The Nicholas County Board of Education will sell the following school property on Saturday, June 5, 1937:

School house and lot at Miller at 9 a. m.

School house and lot at Wright at 10:30 a. m.

School house and lot at Ishmael at 9 a. m.

School house and lot at Cassidy at 10:30 a. m.

Terms one-half cash and one-half the first of March 1938 with lien on property. Eda S. Taylor, Supt. 5-27-2t

SPECIAL PRICES QUALITY SHOE SHOP

Graeter building, next door to barber shop, beginning Thursday, May 27: Man's half soles, 85c; men's leather or rubber heels, 35c; women's half soles, 65; women's top lift, 20c; other work in proportion. We specialize in orthopedic shoes. Shoes dyed any color. All work guaranteed. 1t

FIRE INSURANCE

H. H. Dalzell, agent for Hurst Home Insurance Co. 1557 South High Street, Paris, Ky. Telephone 480. 3-18-tf

WANTED

WANTED—Man with car to take over profitable Rawleigh Route. Established customers. Must be satisfied with earnings of $30 a week to start. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. KYE-40-191, Freeport, Ill. 1t*

WANTED—Dealer to sell Superfex Oil Burning Refrigerators in Nicholas county. Apply to John Merringer, P. O. Box 273, Paris, Ky. 4-15-tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—White-face Hereford steer weighing about 550 pounds, from the farm of Logan Hamilton. Notify A. B. Crouch or Emery Clark. 1t

NOTICES

A CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the kindness and help shown us during the recent illness and upon the occasion of the death of our dear wife and mother. They rendered every assistance possible and especially do we want to thank Dr. Campbell for the medical aid and Rev. Long for his most appropriate remarks. Also his evangelistic party, for the service rendered in song, and Mr. Mathers, the undertaker, for his sympathy and service. May the Lord bless every one. T. J. Waggoner and children. 1t*

The Alumni Association wishes to express thanks and appreciation to all those who assisted in making the Alumni banquet a success, especially the Baptist and Methodist churches for tables and chairs, Harpers Garage for use of truck, and Mr. R. J. Matson, County Agent, for preparing the programs for the banquet. Ivan Kendall, President, Mrs. Wilson J. Clark, Secretary and Treasurer. 1t*

A Classified Ad Will Sell It.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

Lexington Kentucky, May 21, 1937: Notice of dissolution of Yeaman Oil Company. Notice is hereby given that the Yeaman Oil Company, Incorporated, is closing up its business.

D. W. Dunn, President
O. Napier, Vice President
L. A. Brown, Sec.-Treasurer
5-27-4t

NOTICE

The Aetna Casualty and Surety Company is represented in Carlisle by the undersigned only. Mrs. Ernest Ward. 5-27-4t*

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of the late W. H. Gilvin are hereby notified to present same, properly proved as required by law, to the undersigned Administratrix. All persons owing the estate are urged to settle at once.

Mrs. Jennie Conn, Admx.
5-27-3t* Shelbyville, Ky.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

All those having claims against the estate of A. F. Lynam, deceased, are hereby notified to present same, properly proved as required by law. All persons owing the estate are urged to settle at once with the undersigned Administrator.

5-20-3t* W. F. Lynam, Admr.

CARD FROM R. T. BAKER

Mt. Olivet, Ky.
May 24, 1937

To the Voters of Robertson and Nicholas Counties—Greetings:

Having been solicited by a number of citizens of the above counties to become a candidate for Representative I have decided to do so, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, Saturday, August 7th.

I have never asked to be honored with an office before, and, in doing so at this time, it is with a sincere desire to serve my friends and neighbors.

I am, and have been all my life, a dirt farmer, hense I know the needs of the farmer and feel that I am qualified to represent his interests in the State Legislature.

I am in favor of Old Age Assistance and such other social legislation as modern conditions demand.

I shall give earnest and honest attention to all matters coming before the Legislature, and shall devote myself to the best interests of the people, giving special attention to all matters affecting Robertson and Nicholas counties.

It will be my pleasure to see personally as many voters as possible; and I choose this means of saying to all, investigate my character and ability and if you find me worthy of your confidence, I shall greatly appreciate your vote.

Your neighbor,
R. T. Baker

—POLITICAL— ANNOUNCEMENTS

All political announcements are positively CASH IN ADVANCE. We will not make any exceptions to this rule.—Editor Mercury

FOR STATE SENATOR

We are authorized to announce H. STANLEY BLAKE as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for State Senator from the Thirtieth Senatorial District subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7, 1937.

We are authorized to announce DR. B. F. REYNOLDS as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for State Senator from the Thirtieth Senatorial district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7, 1937.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE

We are authorized to announce WILL J. CURTIS, of Robertson county, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative from the Seventieth district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7, 1937.

We are authorized to announce R. T. BAKER, of Robertson county, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative from the Seventh district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7, 1937.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE

We are authorized to announce HOWARD HOVERMALE as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Judge of Nicholas county, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the Democratic primary August 7, 1937.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE D. NOLAND as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Judge of Nicholas county subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7, 1937.

We are authorized to announce D. M. CURRY as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Judge of Nicholas county subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7, 1937.

FOR JAILER

We are authorized to announce NEWTON (SALLY) BROTHERS as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Jailer of Nicholas county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7, 1937.

FOR CORONER

We are authorized to announce O. H. LAMBERT as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Coroner of Nicholas county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 7, 1937.

We are authorized to announce J. H. (CAP) FULTON as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Coroner of Nicholas county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7, 1937.

FOR MAGISTRATE

(First District)

We are authorized to announce MORTON G. FRYMAN as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Magistrate in the First Magisterial district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7, 1937.

We are authorized to announce JOHN G. ALLISON as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Magistrate in the First district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7, 1937.

(Second District)

We are authorized to announce PHILLIP SUGG as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Magistrate in the Second Magisterial District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7, 1937.

We are authorized to announce TAYLOR BOWEN as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Magistrate in the Second Magisterial District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary Saturday, August 7, 1937.

(Third District)

We are authorized to announce ED M. MYERS as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Magistrate in the Third Magisterial District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7, 1937.

We are authorized to announce FRANK J. REED as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Magistrate in the Third Magisterial District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7, 1937.

(Fourth District)

We are authorized to announce J. WALTER SHEPHERD as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Magistrate in the Fourth district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7, 1937.

(Fifth District)

We are authorized to announce J. C. GILLISPIE as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Magistrate in the Fifth Magisterial district of Nicholas County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 7, 1937.

We are authorized to announce RAY S. HAMILTON as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Magistrate in the Fifth Magisterial district of Nicholas County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 7, 1937.

We are authorized to announce JESSE T. OCKERMAN as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Magistrate in the Fifth Magisterial district, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7, 1937.

SHARPENING

Lawn mowers sharpened and repaired; mowing machine cycles ground and guard plates replaced. General repairing and welding. All work guaranteed. Ira Hunter, Elm street. 5-20-2t*

GIVE YOUR WALLS THIS PERMANENT BEAUTY TREATMENT

Walls painted with LOWE BROTHERS MELLO-GLOSS keep their rich, satiny lustre. This semi-gloss wall paint is a perfect washable finish for any wall surface. Ordinary soap and water or a good cleaning compound removes stains, spots and smudges and keeps Mello-Glossed walls new and beautiful.

Ask about the complete range of Mello-Gloss Colors when you come in for your FREE copy of Lowe Brothers Book containing 158 Practical Hints on Painting and Decorating.

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Valuable Work Is Done By P. T. A.

Yearly Report of Carlisle Parent-Teacher Association Is Issued

With the welfare of the child as its main objective, the Carlisle Parent-Teacher Association has undertaken only those projects which contribute directly or indirectly to his physical, intellectual, and spiritual growth.

The Parent Teacher Association has maintained a most successful penny lunch, where wholesome, well balanced meals are served at a minimum cost. The penny lunch with the aid of private individuals and other organizations, has been able to meet the needs of many undernourished children.

The welfare committee serves as a distributing agency for clothing which has been outgrown but is still in good condition. It also administers the welfare fund from which new clothing and other necessities are bought when a need exists. Many pairs of shoes have been bought and one pair of glasses has been purchased to aid in correcting defective eyesight.

The Parent Teacher Association conducted the sale of Christmas Seals in Nicholas county, realizing a goodly sum for the campaign against tuberculosis.

Members of the Parent Teacher Association donated and shipped many books and magazines to the mountain districts to be distrubted by the Pack Horse Libraries.

The Association purchased a radio for use in the school in order that all the school children might receive the educational and cultural benefits of outstanding radio programs.

In order that the people of our community may become better acquainted with the work of our school band and to encourage general music appreciation, the Parent-Teacher Association sponsored a spring band concert. The proceeds will be used to create a fund to buy instruments and other necessities of the band, thus making the facilities of the band available to a larger group of capable and talented pupils.

The Parent Teacher Association serves the annual Alumni Banquet each year. It usually realizes a sum which finances many of its activities throughout the year. This year it netted the Association $85.

Work is furnished the N. Y. A. members in the penny lunch each day. The N. Y. A. girls have helped in various ways at social teas given by the association, and the N. Y. A. boys have aided in collecting and packing books and magazines for Pack Horse Libraries. Both boys and girls aid in the preparation of the annual banquet.

The Carlisle Parent Teacher Association made donations to the Children's Home at Lyndon to the Red Cross Flood Relief and to the Crippled Children's Home at Louisville.

MISDIRECTED LETTERS

Carelessness in addressing mail is one of those ill winds that blow money to the Dead Letter Office. A total of twenty-nine thousand dollars was thus diverted during 1936. That division of the postal service is a past master in deciphering illegible hands and making the most of feeble clews. Given a fair hint, it will find either the person for whom a puzzling piece of mail was intended or the one from whom it came. Yet when the sender's carelessness is so extreme as to defy even these experts, there is nothing for the government to do but keep the cash and auction off the parcels.

Last year, according to official figures just reported, the Dead Letter Office received twelve million, two hundred and fifty thousand misdirected letters. Of this number one hundred and eight thousand, five hundred and fifty-four contained money, in the sum of more than ninety-six thousand dollars, exclusive of small change. The recovery of unused stamps, the sale of unclaimed parcels, and fees for returning misdirected letters made up the total of more than a quarter of a million dollars. Such was the cost, to the individuals concerned, of carelessness in addressing mail.

Leadville City claims the distinction of being the highest city in the United States, it being 10,140 feet above sea level. There are other settlements that have greater altitudes, but they are not classed as cities.

FLOUR

Honey Boy, 24-lbs. 84c; Colonial, 24-lbs. 98c, cash. [illegible] Caswell. 1t

Position for good reliable local man who can work steady helping manager take care of our country business. Livestock experience desirable. Men make $75 a month at first. Address box 1249, care of this paper.

Name ....

Address ....

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Certificates Awarded As City School Term Closes

(Continued from Page 1)

Crabbe, Richard Blake, Bobby Palmer.

Grade 3: Virginia Beatty, Barbara Fisher, Dorothy Hughes.

Grade 4: Chester Craycraft, Louise Swinford.

Grade 6: Mildred Gaunce, Douglas Roberts.

Grade 7: Tom Carter, John Haizlip.

Sophomores: Alberta Hostetler, Helen Linville.

Juniors: Etta Ree Brown, Wilma Perry, Jean Ruddell.

Seniors: Allen Hopkins, Pauline Judge.

Attendance Certificates

Grade 1: Nancye C. Wade, Helen Campbell, Emery Clark.

Grade 2: Dorothy Cartmill, and James Hughes.

Grade 3: Janice Ruddell, Margaret Feeback, Sam Reynolds.

Grade 4: Ann Colliver, Elizabeth Farris, Maurice Feeback, Charles Shankland, Delores Simons, Carl Lee Thompson.

Grade 5: Frank Reynolds, Ann Buntin, Irene McElfresh, Anna Sue Scott, Idell Smith.

Grade 6: Billy Davis, Brooks Morris, Christine Cassidy, Ruby Crawford, Frances Holland, Betsy Simons.

Grade 7: Eleanor Reynolds, Warren Smith, Joan Crouch.

Grade 8: Stanley Crawford, John Hill Cronan, Joe Davis, Opal McElfresh, Nannie S. Piper, Ben Henry Pumphrey, Esther Rice, Kathleen Sudduth.

Freshmen: John T. Hamilton, Mayme Gates, Ann Donavon, Gladys Smith, W. R. Buntin, Jr., Emeline Hamilton.

Sophomores: Frances Blount, Lorella Miller.

Juniors: Annabel Hamilton, Mildred Murray, Billy Brothers, Jane Harper.

Seniors: Harold Crouch, Lloyd Waugh, Lucille Bell.

Honor Roll For Year

Grade 1: Nancye C. Wade, Helen Campbell, Harvey Bussel, Betty Blake, William E. Sexton, Lucy N. Henry, Bobby McCann, Bobby Pitman, Jean Pumphrey, Emily Dixon, Emery Clark.

Grade 2: Robert Allen Palmer, Charles Dixon, James Hughes, Laura Jean Reid, Richard Blake.

Grade 3: Virginia Beatty, Louise Hopkins, Dorothy Hughes, Norma Jean Hunt, Charles Mathias.

Grade 4: Virginia Lee Cowan, Katherine Dalzell.

Grade 5: Ann Buntin, Irene McElfresh, Idell Smith.

Grade 6: Douglas Roberts, Mildred Gaunce, Georganna Young.

Grade 7: Tom Carter, Eleanor Reynolds, John Haizlip.

Grade 8: Roberta Ross, Ann Clark, Nannie S. Piper, Franklin Bell.

Freshmen: Margaret H. Blount, Ruth Cassidy, Doris Clinkenbeard, Helen Rigg, Gladys Smith.

Sophomores: Jane Alexander, Christina Carter, Alberta Hostetler, Lorella Miller, Susannah Reynolds, Roger Roberts, Caroline Sexton.

Juniors: Jane Frey, Annabel Hamilton, Jane Harper, Pauline Linville, Geneva Vice.

Seniors: Lucille Bell, Llewellyn Holmes, Helen Hostetler, Pauline Judge, Billy Smart, Nina Willoughby.

Honor Roll

B. T. Washington School Colored

Grade 5: Kathryn Johnson.

Grade 8: Margery Sharp.

Honorable Mention

Grade 5: Harry Johnson.

Grade 6: Lucile Williams.

Cincinnati Officer Is Indicted In Madison

Lieut. George W. Schattle, ballistics expert of the Cincinnati police department, was indicted on a charge of obstructing justice by the Madison county grand jury Friday. The jury, which had made its final report on May 5, was reconvened on order of Judge W. J. Baxter, of Madison circuit court.

The indictment is the outgrowth of Schattle's failure to remain to testify as the commonwealth's principal witness in the trial of Robert Davis, charged with the murder of James Nevitt, of Loretto. Davis was acquitted by the jury which heard the case and indictments against two others jointly charged with him were dismissed.

Commencement At Eastern State Teachers College

The thirtieth commencement exercises at Eastern Kentucky State Teachers College will begin on Saturday evening, May 29, with the alumni reception and banquet to be held in Burnam Hall at 6:30 o'clock.

Dr. J. Hillman Hollister, pastor of the Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church, Washington, D. C., will deliver the baccalaureate sermon on Sunday morning, May 30, in the Hiram Brock Auditorium, at 10:45 o'clock.

On Wednesday morning, June 2, the commencement program will be held in the Hiram Brock Auditorium. Dr. C. A. Ives, dean of Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, will make the commencement address. His topic will be "Some Significant Factors in the Development of the American Public School." Dr. Ives is president of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary schools.

Commission Warns Against Misleading Information

The United States Civil Service Commission has sent a notice to post offices, warning that misleading information is being given the public by representatives of some of the correspondence schools which sell "civil service" courses.

For a long time, the Commission has been receiving complaints from different parts of the country which indicate that opportunities for obtaining federal employment have been greatly exaggerated.

It was made clear that no school has any connection whatever with the Civil Service Commission or with any other branch of the Government, and also that the Commission has no agents who solicit applications for civil service positions or who sell "civil service" courses.

No school can "guarantee" government employment and none is given information regarding examinations, or any other information, which is not available to the general public. The Commission stated that it does not recommend any school, and explained that it is not necessary for anyone to take a course with a so-called civil service school in order to compete in a civil service examination.

A special point was made of the fact that information concerning examinations may be obtained at any time, without cost, from the Secretary of the Civil Service Board at any first or second-class post office or from the Commission's office in Washington, D. C.

BUSINESS BRIEFS

According to a report made last week by the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads, more than 18 billion gallons of gasoline were sold for use on the nation's highways in 1936, an increase of 1,751,000,000 gallons over 1935. At the same time the bureau reported that 1936 motor vehicle registration had reached an all-time high of 28,221,291, exceeding the 1935 total by nearly 2,000,000.

As of January 1, 1936, there were 35,062,682 telephones in use all over the world. Of this total, 17,423,871 were in the United States. The figures were made public the past fortnight by the chief statistician of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co.

According to figures just released by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, poultry men faced a highly unfavorable feed situation as of May 1. At that time, almost 11 dozen eggs were required to buy 100 pounds of poultry feed. Also reported was the fact that eggs were going into storage at a rate about 26 per cent greater than at this time last year.

$200,000 FIRE

The C. & O. freight depot at Lexington was destroyed by fire Tuesday with damage estimated at $50,000. The Lexington Grocery Company, which occupied part of the building as a storage warehouse, suffered damage of $150,000 to its stock. The fire was caused by a blow torch of a painter.

A mountain in Montana is reported to be skidding.

Brevities

Studebaker plant in South Bend is closed by strike.

Pope Pius will deliver a world broadcast on May 31.

A $3,500,000 paper mill is to be built in Jacksonville, Fla.

Forty-five sheep were killed in raid by dogs near Lexington.

Four were shot to death in a family fight in Knippa, Texas.

Thirty-six people have been killed by autos in Louisville this year.

Barkley is boosted for Senate leader if Robinson goes on Supreme bench.

Col. and Mrs. Charles Lindbergh are parents of a son born in England May 12.

John Breeding, 94, Union veteran of the War Between the States, ended his life by hanging himself at Beattyville Tuesday.

Simpson county voted wet by a majority of 297 in a local option election Tuesday.

Two Army men were killed, six others were seriously burned and thirty-nine were shocked by lightning at a rifle range near Buffalo Creek, Colorado, Tuesday.

Three boys were blown to bits in an explosion of a dynamite warehouse near Scottsdale, Pa., Tuesday.

Beech-Nut Circus To Visit Carlisle Friday

The Beech-Nut Circus, billed as "Biggest little show on earth," will visit Carlisle Friday morning for 45 minutes exhibition. The entertainment is a mechanical circus, housed in an eight-ton Reo bus. It contains 3 rings and a moving parade, floats with performing acrobats, clowns, horses, elephants and other animals, all electrically operated. There will be no charge and no selling scheme. The public is invited. The bus will arrive here at 10:30 and will remain for 45 minutes only.

SLANG EXPRESSIONS

Many expressions date back to more than a century.

Carry coals to Newcastle: 1662.

Put the cart before the horse: 1580.

Let the cat out of the bag: 1760.

Chatterbox: 1785, Grose.

Chisel (to cheat): 1808, Johnson.

Count one's chickens before they're hatched: 1579, Grosson.

Dead as a doornail: 1593, Harvey.

Dry as a bone: 1833, Marryat.

Eat one's head off: 1703.

Elbow grease: 1785, Grose.

Feather one's nest: 1590, Greene.

To have one's fling: 1624, Beaumont.

Against the grain: 1673, Dryden.

Apple-pie order: 1813, Scott.

Bamboozle: 1703.

Beat about the bush: 1546, Heywood.

Better half: 1580, Sydney.

Between you, me and the bedpost: 1831.

To be in the same boat: 1550.

A bone to pick: 1565.

Brass (impudence): 1594, Shakespeare.

To know on which side one's bread is buttered: 1546, Heywood.

New broom sweeps clean: 1546, Heywood.

Butter-fingered: 1615, Markham.

Button up one's lip or mouth: 1717.

Our Market Leads!

Top ewes and wethers brought $13.80 on the opening lamb sale of the Farmers Stock Yards here Tuesday. This was the highest price reported at any of the markets in Central Kentucky Tuesday. Atotal of 364 sheep and lambs were offered.

A total of 1128 head of livestock sold with prices generally a little higher than on the sale the week before.

Quotations were as follows:

HOGS	
Packers	$11.25
Sows	$8.80 to $9.60
Lights	$10.20 to $11.00
Stock Hogs	$5.00 to $6.50 per head
Sows and Pigs	$36.00 to $64.00
CATTLE	
Steers	$8.00 to $9.25
Heifers	$8.10 to $9.45
Cows	$4.80 to $6.70
Bulls	$5.50 to $6.80
Cows and Calves	$41.00 to $59.00
Stock Cattle	$15.00 to $43.50
SHEEP AND LAMBS	
Top ewes and wethers	$13.80
Medium	$12.50 to $13.50
Top ewes and bucks	$13.20
Medium	$12.20 to $13.00
Common	$8.25 to $10.50
Fat ewes	$4.00
Fat bucks	$3.00
CALVES	
Top Veals	$9.00
Medium	$7.50 to $8.75
Common and large	$7.50 to $8.00

NEXT SALE JUNE 1

FARMERS STOCK YARDS CO.

CARLISLE, KY.

Library, Uni. of Ky.

FINE OF $20 TO $100, FOR CUTTING, TEARING OR MUTILATING BOOKS, [illegible] PAPERS OR PERIODICALS [illegible] PUBLIC LIBRARIES [illegible] TO See Ky. Statutes, Article 12[illegible]

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NICHOLAS 4-H CLUB MEMBERS TO ATTEND LEXINGTON MEETING

County Agent Reports Work Sheets Have Been Filed For All Farms

HOG CHOLERA PRESENT

County Agent R. J. Matson, will accompany three girls and five boys to Junior Week which will be held at the University of Kentucky during the week of June 7-12.

Those who will attend Junior Week from Nicholas county have been winners of county contests or district contests.

Olive Miller, who was winner of the style revue held at the sixth annual rally day, will represent Nicholas county in the style dress revue to be held at Junior Week. This revue will be held in the Memorial building at 7:45 p. m. Wednesday, June 9th, and all friends of 4-H club work are invited to attend.

Christina Carter and Margaret Howe Blount will represent the county in the state home practice demonstration contest. They were trained by Miss Gladys Booth, leader of the Carlisle 4-H club, and will demonstrate "The Correct Method of Placing a Pattern on Material and Cutting a Garment."

Miss Booth was also leader for Olive Miller and is to be congratulated for having three girls under her supervision to win the state contest in the last five years.

Glenn Clay and William Dudley Judge will compete in the farm practice demonstration contest and will demonstrate "Methods of Controlling Soil Erosion." This team is from the Moorefield club and was trained by Miss Thelma Linville, county 4-H club leader.

Jean Feeback and Berry Woodall were winners in the county 4-H health contest. Jean Feeback will attend Junior Week on June 8th when the contest will be held, but will be unable to stay for the week since Nicholas county can send only three girls for the full week.

Donald Toadvyn, who was county champion at the Lexington tobacco show last year, will receive a free trip to Junior Week.

The county 4-H club is planning to pay a part of the expenses of the other members who will attend.

While attending Junior Week these boys and girls will get acquainted with the University and take part in classes each day. The 4-H club department has arranged a program which will acquaint them with activities in all sections of the state.

Committeemen who have worked on the electrification survey report to County Agent R. J. Matson that farmers in general are very much interested in securing electric service.

Hog cholera has made its appearance in various parts of Nicholas county and farmers are calling on the county agent for advice. Those who have hogs should call a veterinarian as soon as they notice any of their hogs ailing. It would be better, still, to have a veterinarian vaccinate their hogs before they become ill to prevent cholera. Vaccination has been proven to control cholera and is the only method to stamp out the cholera menace which caused great loss to many farms last winter.

Last week a news article appeared in all Kentucky papers which provided that June 12, 1937 would be the last day on which work sheets could be filed at the county offices if farmers wished to participate in the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program.

This ruling will not affect any farmers in Nicholas county, since the Nicholas county committee has work sheets on file for every farm in the county.

However, any farmer who has sold or bought land and has not reported the transfer to the county office should come to the office at an early date so that the proper transfer of bases may be made before performance is checked this summer.

Wilbur Shaw, of Indianapolis, after seven attempts to win the 500-mile automobile races at Indianapolis, established a new record of 113.58 miles per hour to win the race Monday.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS OF THE WEEK

W. S. Owings for Jailer.

O. D. Clark for Magistrate in Third district.

D. W. Booth for Magistrate in Fourth district.

Several Hundred Masons Expected

Reception Will Be Held Here Friday Night In Honor Of Grand Master Ross

Several hundred members of the Masonic fraternity from various sections of the state will attend the reception to be held by Dougherty Lodge No. 65 here Friday night in honor of Grand Master I. B. Ross.

In addition to Mr. Ross, all of the officers of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky are expected to attend. Howard K. Veach, secretary of the local lodge, reports that he has received letters from lodges throughout the state indicating that every section of the state will be represented.

Carlisle is probably the only town in the state that has furnished two Grand Masters of the Kentucky Grand Lodge within a period of 30 years. Sam K. Veach was Grand Master thirty years ago and since that time has held many other appointments in the Grand Lodge. For several years he has been president of the board of the Old Masons Home at Shelbyville, and he will have an important part in the reception here Friday night.

Top Lambs Bring $12.60 Tuesday

Farmers Stock Yards Hold One Of Best Sales Ever Conducted Here

In one of the best sales ever held here, the Farmers Stock Yards sold a total of 936 head of livestock at the weekly sales held Tuesday. Top ewes and wethers brought $12.60, the highest price recorded on any Central Kentucky market Tuesday. Top veals brought $9.25 and sows and pigs sold from $27.50 to $80.

The market here has continued as high as on any market in the state, and farmers are always assured top price for their stock.

In selling on the Carlisle market, farmers not only help to maintain a home market but help themselves by receiving top prices.

Quotations Tuesday were as follows:

Hogs—packers $11.05; lights $10.75; sows $7.80 to $8.25; stock hogs $5.25 to $6.00 head; sows and pigs $27.50 to $80.00.

Cattle—steers $7.00 to $8.60; heifers $7.80 to $8.50; cows $4.20 to $6.45; bulls $5.95 to $6.40; cows and calves $45.00 to $57.00; stock cattle $16.50 to $44.25; baby beeves $8.55.

Sheep and Lambs—top ewes and wethers $12.60; medium $11.95 to $12.10; top ewes and bucks $11.75; medium $10.50 to $11.45; common $8.00 to $9.50.

Calves—top veals $9.25; medium $8.20; common and large $7.35 to $9.05.

Mason County Woman Is Burned To Death

Mrs. Lyda Ruth Tulley Hickerson, 32, wife of Ollie Hickerson, farmer residing on the Johnson road, near Mayslick, Mason county, died at the Hayswood hospital in Maysville Sunday morning from burns received Saturday afternoon when a coal oil stove she was using exploded.

Mrs. Hickerson was cooking on the stove when one of the burners got out of order and the flames from the stove shot upward. She and her 7-year-old son carried the stove to the yard, and as she set the stove down it exploded, the flames enveloping her clothing.

Mrs. Hickerson is survived by her husband and three small children.

Two Young Women Are State Champions

Two Kentucky young people, Miss Alicia Mahoney of Maple Mount and Miss Rowena Hervey of Berea, have just been announced as state champions in two national contests.

Miss Mahoney is state winner in the second national meat poster contest and Miss Hervey has been awarded first place in Kentucky in the fourteenth national meat essay contest. Committees of prominent artists and home economics authorities selected the winners.

A total of 20,581 students from 1,017 high schools representing every state participated in these competitive events, according to the National Live Stock and Meat Board, sponsor of both contests.

Miss Mahoney's winning poster stressed the importance of meat in proper nutrition. The title of Miss Hervey's winning essay was "Why the Growing Child Needs Meat."

Graduating Class Of Carlisle High School

—Courtesy Kentucky Times-Star. Photo by Young & Carl.

The thirty-three members of the graduating class of the Carlisle high school who received diplomas May 20 were pictured in Monday's edition of the Kentucky Times-Star.

In the picture are, top row, left to right: Billy Smart, Edna R. Conyers, Lloyd Waugh, Llewellyn Holmes, Pauline Baugus, Harlan Skeen, Lucille Bell and James Neal Wood.

Second row, left to right: J. C. Cartmill, Beulah Hughes, Jack Rankin, Helen Hostetler, Nina Willoughby, Kenneth Stephenson, Olive Miller and Hansford W. Gilvin.

Third row, left to right: J. R. Campbell, Marie Hunter, Harold Crouch, Mildred Hollar, Superintendent Pfanstiel, Avery Clay, Billy Harper, Virgie Arnold Clay and Allen Hopkins.

Bottom row, left to right: Roy B. Banta, Nancy Smoot, Dean Hostetler, Marjorie Sheeler, Louise Alexander, Christine Crump, Ovel R. Day, Pauline Judge and Marion Donovan.

FORMER PASTOR OF LOCAL CHURCH AND WIFE ARE KILLED

Rev. And Mrs. C. L. Bohon Die When Struck By Train At Burnside

CAR DRAGGED 35 FEET

Rev. C. L. Bohon, 67, pastor of the Burnside Methodist church and former pastor of the Carlisle Methodist church, and his wife, Mrs. Lida Robertson Bohon, 54, were killed at 6 o'clock last Friday night at Burnside when a Southern Railway freight train struck their automobile.

The accident occurred on a grade crossing near the Burnside depot, within the town limits. The train dragged the wrecked machine thirty-five yards and toppled it down an embankment. Both the minister and his wife were dead when aid arrived.

Mrs. Bohon, who was the daughter of a Methodist minister, had returned to her home in Burnside just two hours before the accident. She had been in New Orleans, visiting their only son, William Bohon.

Rev. Bohon had been a minister in the Methodist Episcopal Church South, for approximately forty years. He was pastor of the Carlisle church in 1908, 1909 and 1910. He served as presiding elder of the Danville district for four years and had held pastorates at Frankfort, Georgetown, Hazard, Harlan, Port Royal and Burnside. He was serving his fifth year as pastor of the Burnside church and had served that church for two previous appointments.

Besides her son, Mrs. Bohon is survived by a sister, Mrs. E. C. Barlow, of Georgetown.

Funeral services for Rev. and Mrs. Bohon were held at the Georgetown Methodist church Monday morning at 10 o'clock and burial followed in the Georgetown cemetery.

TEN-BARREL WELL

A 10-barrel oil well has been struck in the vicinity of Mt. Olivet, by Ed Zeiler and associates, of Mt. Biami, Okla., who have been drilling for oil in Robertson county.

The oil, found Wednesday at less than 100 feet, was on George Galbraith's land. The well will be extended on down in search of

BALDWIN QUITS

Stanley Baldwin, whose stand as Prime Minister prevented Edward VIII from becoming King of England, Friday relinquished his post to Arthur Neville Chamberlain. Before leaving his post, Baldwin was zealous in his efforts to prevent Wallis Warfield from becoming a member of the royal family after her marriage to the Duke of Windsor.

HEAT RECORD SHATTERED

May 31 Hottest May Day Since 1911

Heat records in May for 26 years were shattered Monday when thermometers here were reported as high as 95 degrees. The previous record for May 31 was in 1895 when the thermometer was officially reported at 94 degrees. Unusually low temperatures prevailed in May of last year and it was the last of June before the thermometer registered much above 90. The all-time record for May was established May 28, 1911, when the highest reported was 98.

Unofficial temperatures in Maine ranged as high as 110, resulting in one death and the collapse of several Memorial Day marchers. The hot weather was general throughout the United States.

The Weather Bureau forecasts quick relief with showers and cooler weather.

Large Crowd At Opening Games

Moorefield And Standard Oil Are Winners In Initial Games Of Season

A crowd estimated at between 400 and 500 attended the opening of the soft ball season at the new playground Tuesday night. The field is well lighted, and with a few adjustments of the light will be one of the best lighted fields in the state.

The large grandstand easily accommodated the crowd. Four of the six teams in the league participated on the opening night, and although the scores in both games were one-sided, the interest was keen. Numerous errors were made by players on all of the teams, largely due, no doubt, to lack of practice and unfamiliarity of the players with lights.

In the opening game Moorefield defeated the Gulf team 17-7, and in the second game the Standard Oil team defeated Sexton's 9-3.

Games will be played each Tuesday and Friday night. The schedule for the next two nights follows:

Friday Night—Headquarters vs. C. C. C., and Standard Oil vs. Gulf.

Tuesday Night—Sextons vs. Headquarters and C. C. C. vs. Moorefield.

State Income Tax Yield Is $2,643,666

Income tax receipts into the state treasury Friday rose to $2,643,666.40, while department heads predicted the total would ultimately reach $4,000,000. There are several thousand reports still to be audited and checked.

A large number of the reports also represented deferred payments on taxes due which will assure a yield from these returns at four and eight-month intervals.

VALIDITY OF LOCAL OPTION ELECTION IS ATTACKED IN SUIT

Six Irregularities Charged In Petition Filed By Local Beer Dealers

MAY DELAY PROVISION

A suit attacking validity of the local option election held here on May 7 was filed in the Nicholas circuit court Monday afternoon by R. L. Norton, Richard Hauck and M. H. Ruddell, beer and liquor dealers, and asking that the election be set aside.

O. R. Bright, Flemingsburg, is attorney for the plaintiffs. Six grounds were enumerated in the petition for invalidating the election, as follows:

First: That the order calling the election was null and void because another election was held on May 1 for the election of school trustees, and that an act of the 1936 legislature authorizing local option elections provides that such election shall not be held within thirty days next preceding or following any political election.

Second: That the order calling the election is null and void because it did not direct the Sheriff to hold such election and did not authorize him to do so or to advertise said election.

Third: That the Sheriff has not complied with the law relative to advertising said election in that he failed to make any report to the court as to the way or manner in which said advertisement was made, and that notices were not posted in five conspicuous places in each voting precinct for at least two weeks prior to election.

Fourth: Because at said election the ballots were irregular and misleading in that they specified that election was being held on May 7 in the year 1837.

Fifth: That the act of the legislature known as Chapter One of the 1936 session, known as the "Local Option Law," is unconstitutional.

Sixth: Because said act violates the Constitution because the fines, penalties, forfeitures and percent are paid to informers are excessive.

Unless a special hearing is granted by Judge Dedman, the suit will not be tried until the September term of the Nicholas circuit court. In this event it is probable that a further action will be sought to prevent enforcement of provisions of the election until final disposition has been made of the suit.

Under the terms of the election the sale of spirituous, vinous and malt liquors would be prohibited in Nicholas county after midnight of July 3.

Carl Hubbell, star New York pitcher, suffered his first loss in 25 starts Monday when he was knocked out of the box by Brooklyn.

County, School Budgets Approved

Estimated Operating Expense Of County For Next Fiscal Year Lower

Budget for the operation of Nicholas county for the fiscal year beginning July 1 and the Carlisle city school for the same period were approved by the fiscal court at its regular monthly meeting held Tuesday.

The budget for the county calls for an estimated expenditure of $49,909, a decrease of $2,158 from last year. The expenditure from the general expense fund is listed at $20,365, the road and bridge fund at $16,612 and the fund for paying interest and principal on road bonds $9,943.46.

Estimated expenditures of the city school is placed at $27,268.83, distributed as follows: Administrative and general control, $3,300; instruction, $14,018.83; operation of school plant, $2,900; maintenance of school plant, $900; fixed charges, $1,000; auxiliary agencies $900; for retiring loans and bonds and paying interest, $3,800.

The bond of the county treasurer was approved, salaries and other accounts were approved and other routine business transacted.

Holiday Death Toll Set At 200

Five Fatalities In Kentucky. Texas Leads States With Twenty-Three Dead

Highway crashes and holiday accidents took a national death toll approaching 200 over the week end. Automobile drivers in all but the Southern states continued to crowd the roads in a holiday prolonged by the observance of Decoration Day Monday since May 30 fell on Sunday.

Texas had perhaps the heaviest week end toll of violent deaths although Decoration Days generally are not observed in that state. Sixteen were killed in traffic accidents, three died in shootings, one by electrocution, one by drowning one by acid and one person was killed by a train.

In addition to five traffic deaths, Kentucky reported four lives lost by drowning.

Local Committee On Constitution Appointed

To cooperate with the National United States Constitution Sesquicentennial Commission on plans for observing the 150th Anniversary of the Formation of the United States Constitution, Mayor Wyatt M. Insko has appointed the following committee:

Samuel Holmes, Rev. C. V. Crabb, Rev. Ralph Couey, Rev. J. J. Whitehouse, Rev. C. A. Sweazy.

Wally's Gift From Windsor Is $500,000

The Duke of Windsor has settled $500,000 on Mrs. Wallis Warfield as a marriage gift, the Daily Express reported Monday, while the paper's editorial columns again decried the "unfair" treatment the former King is receiving.

The marriage settlement came from the Duke's private fortune, amounting to $2,500,000, the Express understood.

Meanwhile, in Monts, final preparations were speeded for the arrival of the first guests for the wedding next Thursday.

The Chateau de Cande was a bustle of activity in the kitchens and in the upper floors where extra beds were moved in.

Says New Rate Schedule For Cooperatives Filed

The Kentucky Utilities Company filed with the State Public Service Commission Friday a special rate schedule for electricity sold to rural cooperatives, Governor Chandler announced.

He said the rate was 1.2 cents a KW. hour for cooperatives near company lines.

Rural cooperatives are sponsored by the rural electrification administration.

Chandler said Kentucky was the first state in the nation to "assure electricity to rural cooperatives at a low rate," praised the management of the Kentucky Utilities, which supplies power to approximately two-thirds of the state, for its action and predicted other large utilities would "follow suit."

"This will bring low cost energy to practically all of rural cooperatives organized in Kentucky," the governor declared.

The Public Service Commission May 15 ordered utilities to file rates for sale of energy to rural cooperatives.

PROFIT OF $5,506.15 REALIZED BY FUTURE FARMERS LAST YEAR

Thirty-Three Ag Students In Carlisle High Had A Successful Year

EARN TOTAL OF $13,435

Mr. G. B. Leonard, teacher of vocational agriculture in the Carlisle high school, last week submitted his annual report to the State Department of Vocational Education at Frankfort, showing in detail the work of the Future Farmers Organization of the Carlisle High School during the fiscal year which began July 1, 1936, and ending June 30, 1937.

The summary of projects during the year shows 77 projects were completed, with a total income of $13,435.82, with a net earning of $5,506.15. A total of 8,756 hours of labor were spent on the projects.

Eighteen boys completed tobacco projects. On 18.5 acres, 16,579 pounds of tobacco was raised, which brought $6,821.58 or an average of $41.10 per hundred.

Eighteen boys raised 41 acres of corn which yielded 924.5 bushels, or an average of approximately 22.5 bushels per acre.

A total income of $1,518.54 was realized on fourteen hog projects, consisting of 18 sows, which produced 16,504 pounds of pork.

With 78 ewes, which produced 113 lambs, a profit of $502.45 was netted.

In the beef cattle project, 15 boys raised 47 calves, which gained 16,742 pounds, in which the loss was $61.54.

Starting with 59 turkey hens, 649 poults were raised, which weighed 8,782 pounds and brought $1,427.76, with a profit of $567.93.

A number of exceptionally good individual projects were completed by the boys, and some of the outstanding ones were as follows:

In tobacco Chester Ockerman raised 1610 pounds on two acres, which brought $1100.84, or an average of $68.22.

Billy Smart, with 2 acres, raised 72 bushels of corn for a profit of $39.50. The cost of production was 51 cents per bushel.

The outstanding sheep project was completed by Jack Rankin, who with 15 ewes raised 25 lambs, which brought a total of $200, and the wool brought $31.50. His net profit was $159.75.

With 12 hens, Glenn Clay raised 241 poults, which brought $640.96. The cost of production was $412.15, leaving a profit of $228.81.

In the beef cattle projects, Carl Ishmael raised one Angus calf, which brought $104.23, with a profit of $54.38.

William Dudley Judge had the outstanding hog project. From two Hampshire sows, he raised sixteen pigs, which in 173 days weighed 2,784 pounds and brought $226.48. The cost of production was 6.8 cents per pound and he received 9.5 cents per pound, or a total profit of $87.48.

Mr. Leonard reports that this is the best showing the boys have made since the work was started in 1931. Thirty-three boys were enrolled in the class last year.

In addition to their regular projects, the members of the class participated in a farm and home improvement contest, the first of its kind in the United States. Twenty-three boys entered the contest, working a total of 3,795 hours.

Most Of "Dope Fiends" Are In Curable Class

Ninety-five per cent of all persons who may become narcotic addicts are curable the public health service said, if proper treatment is administered.

Celebrating the second anniversary of the opening of the service's narcotic farm at Lexington, Ky., Dr. Walter L. Treadway said 85 per cent formerly were believed incurable.

To date 1,568 patients have been admitted to the hospital and more than 300 have been discharged as cured. Most of the remainder were reported recovering.

Shannon To Continue TVA Work This Summer

Dr. J. B. Shannon, assistant professor of political science at the University of Kentucky, will go to Knoxville, Tenn., at the close of the current school year at the University, to resume his work as associate in public administration in the research section of the Tennessee Valley Authority. His work will consist largely of a continuation of a study on farm tenancy in the Muscle Shoals area. He will return to Lexington September 1.