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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two good yearling Hampshire Bucks. Also some buck lambs. Osborne Anderson, Barterville, Ky. 8-20-2t*

Property Owners, now is the time to paint, interior and exterior. Furniture refinished. All work guaranteed. Call Eddie Barbee, 111 Morgan St., Carlisle, Ky. 8-20-2t*

FOR SALE—Hotpoint electric stove. Mrs. Oliver H. Lambert, phone 182R. 1t*

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FOR SALE—Frigidaire. Practically new. Phone number 9. 1t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Seven room house on West Main street. Can give possession immediately. See Mrs. Mollie Sanderson. 1t*

FOR RENT—Cottage at corner of Sycamore and Chestnut. Apply Mrs. Taylor Mathers. 1t*

LOST

LOST—Man's wrist watch, Harmon make, lost in Carlisle somewhere Saturday night. Finder please leave at Mercury office and receive reward. 1t?

NOTICE

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All bus drivers are requested to be present at the meeting of the Nicholas County Board of Education at 1:30 P. M. Saturday, September 5. Bids for insurance on school buses will be opened at that time and it is important that all drivers be present. Contracts for drivers are ready and may be signed at any time. W. B. Dampier, Superintendent.

Dr. T. H. Brown wishes to announce that he will open his office Saturday, August 29 under the Deposit Bank. 8-27-2t*

RADIO REPAIRING

All kinds of radio repairing and electrical worrk. Have your radio put in first class condition now. Let us do your wiring job. Duncans' All Electric Shop. (Under Deposit Bank). 8-27-2t*

MONEY FOR FARMERS

The Federal Land Bank of Louisville, Kentucky, is making long term loans on farm land at low interest rate, through Nicholas County N. F. L. A. See Ben R. Caldwell. 9-3-8t*

WHY SUFFER

With Pain of Rheumatism, Lumbago, Tired Aching Feet, Joints?

USE EYER'S INSTANT BALM

athlete's foot.

Also stoops itching heat rash, chiggers, mosquitoes, poison ivy. Sold and guaranteed by all druggists in Carlisle and surrounding territory.

Trial bottle 8c

Regular size 2 oz. 50c

Economy size 6 oz. $1.00

Lost and found columns of Tokio newspapers are crowded these days. Every time an American buys a War Bond, the Japs lose face. Buy your 10% every pay day.

Drop some scrap iron in that court house today.

There are no "rookie" dollars. Send yours to the front!

THIS WEEK IN THE WAR

The Pacific Area: The United States Marines, who two weeks ago occupied the islands of Tulagi and Guadalcanal in the southern Solomon group, are reported to have gained complete control of those and adjoining islands and to have successfully beaten off Japanese attacks. Reenforcements which the Japanese sent to aid their men who had been driven into the interior were destroyed almost to a man. Naval craft and planes which have attacked have been treated roughly. Tulagi harbor, one of the best harbors in the south Pacific is available to the Allied fleet. An Air field on Guadalcanal which the Japanese had about completed is now available for Allied use. The Japanese will either make another try to drive the Marines out of the islands or those islands will be used soon as bases for attacks by sea and air upon Japanese positions in the northern islands of the Solomon group or upon the most important Japanese base in the south Pacific, Rabaul, in New Britain. Action in that area is likely to become heavier within the next few weeks.

During the week the Japanese attacked once more Fort Moresby on New Guinea at Milne Bay. Earlier, General MacArthur had occupied that area secretly and had prepared strong defense positions there. The Japanese, however, seem not to have discovered those forces nor the fortifications which they had prepared. When the Japanese landed on the shores of Milne Bay they were thus met with unexpected resistance. Some few of the attacking troops may have been taken off by Japanese destroyers. Most of them, however, were either killed or captured. All of their equipment had to be left behind. Thus the Japanese have met with a second defeat on the shores of the Coral Sea. Moves against Japanese positions on New Guinea may follow within a few weeks as part of a general offensive.

China: Chinese forces, covered by American and British Air forces, have in recent weeks regained much of the territory in Chekiang and Kiangsi provinces. Much of the railroad into the interior, some ports on the coast, and the most important airfields within bomber range of Japan have been recovered by the Chinese armis. The help given by the small air force now in China seems to have made the difference in the situation. The Japanese claim that they have retired to reform their lines in advance of other more important operations. But that should have meant that those troops were to be used against Russia in Siberia. But four of the nine or ten weeks available for campaigning in Siberia have passed since August 1 and no move in that direction, by the Japanese, has been reported. The inference to be made from that fact is that the Russians have not as yet been compelled to withdraw forces there for the defense of the western front against the Germans.

Russia and the Western European Front: This week the Russians admitted that for the past two weeks their armies had been attacking west of Leningrad and Moscow, in fact that along the whole front from the Don northward to the Baltic, very heavy fighting had been raging. In the Rezhv area on a front of seventy miles, the Russians claim to hav eadvanced over thirty miles. Elsewhere, heavy fighting has raged. Before Stalingrad and in the foothills of the Caucasus between the Don and the Volga the Russians clai mto have halted the German drives and to be successfully counter-attacking. Certain it is that the Russian defense has stiffened, whether it has started an offensive in force or not remains to be seen. Evidently the Russians have some power left and winter is fast approaching. Coupled with the fact the British have held in Egypt the past weeks, Russian resistance in the Caucasus leads to the hope that a German drive against the Middle East has little chance for success this year.

Girl Scout Troop Is Organized

A girl scout troop, with twelve members, has been organized under the leadership of Mrs. A. V. Allison. They are working to pass their tenderfoot test, and hope soon to be registered at National Headquarters.

In taking the girl scout pledge each girl promises on her honor "To do her duty to God and her Country." There are ten laws she must learn, and obey—one which says, "a girl scout's duty is to be useful and to help others." At this time in particular, they are ready and willing to serve their community.

They are having a rummage sale at the old armory building next Tuesday, September 8.

Ohio Car, Stolen, Found on Highway

Ohio authorities this week came to Carlisle and claimed a 1929 Ford sedan, which had been stolen in Cincinnati and had been abandoned on Highway 68 just below Caswell.

Two boys and two girls were seen to leave the car when they left it parked and to start walking down the road but they were not seen after that. Local officers thought that they had probably gotten a ride and were far away.

The car was picked up Friday and Cincinnati officers who came to claim it from Sheriff Floyd Clark said that it had been stolen Thursday.

It had good tires.

Made Sergeant

Ivan Kendall, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Kendall, who has been stationed at Scott Field in Illinois for the past several months, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant and transferred to a post at Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

To California

Roy T. Sapp, of this county, who was recently inducted into the United States Army, has been sent to Camp Rosecrans, San Diego, California, advices from the War Department said this week.

Buys Farm

The private sale of the Carpenter farm, located on the Paris pike just inside the Nicholas-Bourbon county line, to Keller Bowe, son of John T. Bowe, of Headquarters, was learned here this week. The purchase price for the 140 acre tract was reportedly $200 per acre.

ACP Program

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Seeding payments, except for ryegrass which is a winter-cover crop, and indirectly for winter legumes, have been eliminated. This channg was made for the distinct purpose of putting greater stress upon practices which will more directly contribute to the immediate increase in yields of crops.

For Kentucky, the Production Practice Program will revolve around three very important practices: (1) Use of Phosphate; (2) application of ground limestone, and (3) establishing and utilizing winter cover crops, with particular emphasis on the winter legumes, which will be of prime importance owing to the dwindling supplies of nitrogenous fertilizers.

The County Committee stated that the 1943 Farm Plan may be signed by calling at the A. C. P. Office. It was also suggested that you place your order for Phosphate now, if it is to be used this fall.

Wheat Crop Insurance has been made available again under the 1943 Agricultural Conservation Program. Crop Insurance protects wheat crops from all unavoidable hazards such as drought, insects, fire, flood, plant disease, storms, hail, wind, and guarantees 75 per cent of a farms average yield.

The County or Community Committeemen will be glad to explain the 1943 Crop Insurance Program and persons call at the County Office and sign an application. This must be done before the wheat is seeded or by September 15.

Let's take a Pokio at Tokyo!

Bond Sale Nets $724 at Theatre

Program at Lyric Tuesday Disposes of Large Number of Securities

The War Bond sale at the Lyric theatre Tuesday night resulted in the sale of $72150 worth of the government securities, Mrs. Elizabeth Wyrick, theatre manager, announced yesterday after all of the results had been tabulated. She said that she had wired Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau, informing him of the success of the drive.

A short program was staged at the Lyric during the bond selling ceremony, in which the Carlisle High school band, Mrs. Ruth Cunningham and William Sexton were heard in musical numbers, and Roger Womack, Carlisle attorney, in a short speech. Then four young women, Miss Jimmie E. Farr, Miss Lois Gatewood, Miss Jane Ross, and Mrs. Womack, went through the crowd selling the war securities. Harvey Gaunce assisted in the program.

Fall Is Fatal to Luther Gray

Well Known Farmer Dies of Injuries Received in Fall

A fall which he took while hanging tobacco proved fatal Tuesday to Luther Gray, 60 year old Nicholas county farmer who resided on the Blue Licks road. He died late Tuesday night at the Johnson Memorial hospital.

Mr. Gray was brought to the local hospital Tuesday morning, after having slipped from a tier in the barn where he was housing his burley. An examination made after he came into the institution disclosed that he had suffered a crushed chest and internal injuries. He lived for several hours, dying at 9:45 o'clock that night.

A native of Nicholas county, he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gray. His entire life was spent in this county, where he operated aa farm.

Besides his wife, Mrs. Pearl Mitchell Gray, he is survived by the following children, Jason Gray, Mrs. Billy Shrum, Martin Gray, Humphrey Gray and Miss Ruby Gray, all of this county; Lon Gray, Bourbon county; Mrs. Isaac Gray, Fleming county; 14 grandchildren; four sisters, Miss Rachel Gray, Nicholas county, Mrs. H. M. Gravitt, Fayette county; Mrs. Josephine Watson, Georgetown; Mrs. Pearl Myers, Bourbon county; one brother, David Gray, Nicholas county.

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way, Bruce Donold Gaunce, Carroll Franklin Cundiff, Ray Elsworth Padgett, Estill Harding Walton, Lemuel Earnest Burden, Lee Grey, Leonard B. Patton, Charles Thos. Hunt, Walter Dale, James Franklin Taylor, Garland Jewell Earlywine, Estill C. Morris, James Lovell Allison, James Reese Roberts, Orville Lee Atkinson, volunteer; Ben Houston Dale.

Mrs. William Garrett went to Lexington Monday to consult a specialist. Mrs. Garrett has been in poor health for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Huff of Chicago came Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Henry Baugus.

Corporal Hubert B. Blount returned to Camp Livingston, La., Saturday, concluding a visit with Mrs. Hubert Blount and family.

Letcher Harris is in Richmond on business.

BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

Young People's Programs Slated

Young people's programs in the county, advocating the Dry cause prior to the coming local option election, were scheduled this week, the Publicity committee for the Dry's announced yesterday.

A team of Methodist young people will be at Saltwell on Thursday night at 8 o'clock and a Baptist group will stage a program on the same night at Barterville. The following Thursday a group from the Christian church will be at the Park's school.

Market Slower on Local Yards

Sale Drags, Compared to Week Ago Auction—Prices Generally Steady

A sale that was much slower than the auction held last week was staged Tuesday at the Farmers Stock Yards here with 1681 head of livestock going through the ring. Prices held generally steady to a bit lower, with the bidding not as brisk as a week ago.

Packer hogs were at $13.65, with shoats getting to an even $15 on the sale. Cattle quotations were about steady with last week, and so were lambs, as best offerings got to $15.25. Best veal calves topped at $15.40.

Receipts and quotations follow:

Hogs—Receipts 181; packers, $13.65; mediums, $13.45 to $13.60; shoats, $14.00 to $15.00; sows and pigs, $38.50 to $59.50.

Cattle—Receipts 162; steers, $8.60 to $11.85; heifers, $8.50 to $11.90; cows, $6.80 to $9.30; cows and calves, $50.00 to $67.50; stock cattle, 23.00 to $58.00; bulls $9.00 to $11.00.

Sheep and Lamb—Receipts, 966; top E. and W., $15.25; medium E. and W. $14.[illegible]; top E. and F. $14.6[illegible]; med. E. and [illegible] $1[illegible] to [illegible]; common, $12.00; town; stock ewes, $5.00 to $12.5[illegible]; stock bucks, $6.00 to $21.00.

Calves—Receipts 72; top veals $15.40; medium, $14.00; common and large, $11.40 to $14.40.

Total receipts 1684.

NOTICE OF FILING OF SETTLEMENT IN THE NICHOLAS COUNTY COURT OF KENTUCKY, UPON WHICH HEARING WILL BE HAD AT THE REGULAR TERM OF THE NICHOLAS COUNTY COURT ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1942, ON OR BEFORE WHICH DATE, IF INTERESTED PARTIES WISH TO DO SO, EXCEPTIONS MUST BE FILED:

Name of fiduciary, Trust, Nature of Account, Date of Hearing.

G. D. Noland, Executor, Settlement, Estate of Mrs. Nannie Ingels, September 14, 1942.

I. B. Ross, Executor, Settlement of Estate of Mrs. Bettie Ratliff, September 14, 1942.

George Clark, Administrator, Settlement of Estate of William Evans, September 14, 1942.

S. T. Bishop, Administrator, Settlement of Estate of Wm. H. Bishop, September 14, 1942.

Lute Anderson, Guardian, Settlement as Guardian of Lizzie Mae Anderson, September 14, 1942.

Charles Kenton, Administrator & Committee, Settlement as Administrator and Committee of Riley Macklin, September 14, 1942.

I. B. Ross, Administrator and Agent, Settlement of Estate of Mrs. Mollie Ockerman and as Agent for Heirs of J. T. Ockerman, September 14, 1942.

Security Trust Co., Trustee, Settlement of Mathers Hospital Fund, September 14, 1942.

Security Trust Co., Trustee, Settlement of Mathers Educational Fund, September 14, 1942.

Security Trust Co., Trustee, Settlement of Scott Lees Collegiate Institute (Mathers Fund), September 14, 1942.

Security Trust Co., Trustee, Settlement of Highland College (Mathers Fund), September 14, 1942.

Security Trust Co., Trustee, Settlement of Stuart Robinson College (Mathers Fund) September 14, 1942.

Security Trust Co., Trustee, Settlement of Residuary Fund under C. W. Mathers will, September 14, 1942.

State of Kentucky,

Sct.

County of Nicholas.

I, Jno. F. Sugg, Clerk of the County Court for the County and State aforesaid, certify that the foregoing is a true, complete and correct list of the Settlements filed in the Nicholas County Court for hearing at the Regular September Term, 1942, Monday, September 14, 1942, until which date exceptions may be filed thereto.

Given under my hand, as Clerk aforesaid, this the 2nd day of September, 1942.

Jno. F. Sugg, Clerk

William H. Martin of New York City, was called to the home of his sister, Mrs. Fred K. Augsburg on Forrest Avenue, Lexington, this week to be at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. J. Cray Martin of Carlisle, who is critically ill. Her husband, Dr. Martin has been with her for the past few days.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. [illegible] and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kinnett were recent guests of Rev. and Mrs. D. T. Brandenburg of Lancaster.

Mrs. Frank Darnall of Neosho Mo., arrived Tuesday night to be with her father, Mr. Sam K. Veach, who has been ill for a week at his home on Sycamore street.

Mr. Joe McConnaughhay remains very ill at his suburban home.

Mrs. Glenn Booth who has been very ill for two weeks at the Good Samaritan hospital, Lexington, is improving and hopes for her recovery are being entertained.

Miss Nette McClanahan has taken an apartment in the McMahill building on Main street.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Robert Henry and son are moving from West Main street to the first floor apartmet of Henry Darnall on Chestnut street. Mrs. Henry and son will go to Alabama this week and remain while Lieut. Henry is located there.

Miss Jean Phipps of Murray, was a recent guest of Miss Anne Clark and attended the dance Friday night.

Mr. Hinton Williamson and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rhodes of Canton, Ohio, spent from Thursday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Gaffin. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Williamson and two children, after a three weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gaffin.

Mr. an dMrs. John Ferguson and daughter had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Butler McClanahan, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Perry McClanahan, Mrs. N. J. Hunter, Mrs. Emma McClanahan, Misses Lola Evans and Betsy Wells, Hargis and Glenn McClanahan.

Gayle Anderson of Connersville, Ind., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Grey.

BLOOD MONEY

THOSE WHO SELL BEER AND WHISKEY DIP THEIR HANDS IN BLOOD MONEY

Soon they will haul in a load of this money to buy votes, they will let the liquor flow freely to get other votes. The Brewers and their liquor joint and road house friends will not give up Nicholas County without a fight. Why—because they get rich off of liquor profits, off of blood money taken from children and wives of those who drink. It is blood money taken from our war effort to keep a vicious business running that hurts us worse than any other enemy. 50 million spent monthly in the Whiskey and Beer Industry would build a battleship and needed Flying Fortresses. Our soldiers die for want of weapons. Will we allow the money to go for beer and whiskey?

Cut out and paste the form below on a postal and mail to

Nicholas County Drys
Box 95 Carlisle, Ky.

Register today so you can help put it out October 3

This is to say you can count on my vote to help put our county dry.

Name ....

Address ....

Are you a registered voter? ....

Church member of ....
Name of church

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Tire Theft Ring Makes Appearance on County Roads Tuesday Night

Sign Will Be Built By Scrap Iron Campaign

Club Will Attempt to Pay for Honor Roll Display With Scrap

A combined sign building, scrap iron collecting program was agreed upon here Friday by the Board of Directors of the Carlisle Young Business Men's club, and it was asserted at the close of the meeting that both programs will be started "at once."

The aims of the program include the erection of a huge 20 by ten foot sign in the Nicholas county court house yard, bearing the names of every man who has entered the armed service in this war, and the collection of ten tons of scrap iron in Nicholas county to pay for the sign.

Persons who have scrap material to donate to the drive are asked to have it ready for collection on Friday when the trucks will gather it up, it was announced yesterday.

"Everyone who wishes can have a part in building this sign," Earl Van Bever, club president, asserted. "We'll get in this scrap and build the sign with one blow."

The assistance of the WAAM's, the women's standing army here, was enlisted in carrying out the campaign.

Streets were assigned to various teams, consisting of one members of the WAAM's and a club member, and a house to house canvass in Carlisle was started Monday. Every person will be urged to contribute all of the scrap available and the iron will be piled by the Scrap Iron Dump on Locust street until its sale.

The sign was in the process of building on Monday, also. It will be illuminated at night, will be painted white, and the names of the boys will be lettered on it in colors.

A fitting unveiling ceremony is planned by the club in the immediate future, with all parents of sons in the service, and all wives and families of service men, to be honored guests.

Van Bever said that the date and program will be released at a later date.

GIBBERISH

If quick thinking will win this war, then I'd like to nominate Willie Wilson, up at the Feeback hotel, as a rear admiral, or something pretty big in the all out effort.

The other night a couple of men were sitting out on the bench in front of the hotel, talking, and it was pretty late. While they talked a colored gal came down the street.

"Is Willie around here?" she stopped and asked.

Just about that time Willie's feet in the lobby were heard to hit the floor and he came out through the front door.

"Why hello, Honey," he said in the tone that lovers use in the late night, and the later the more tone. Then he saw the men sitting on the bench.

"How's your mother?" he asked the girl.

It is of such presence of mind that results in the winning of major battles.

I heard the other day of a lad who went to the picture show, which was one of those Myrna Loy spectacles, and right in the middle of the picture he started to shout at the top of his voice,

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Sycamore to Tokyo

One Carlisle man, perturbed about the war effort and the manner in which the scrap iron drive has bogged down both in Nicholas county and in the nation, offered this week to contribute the iron fence which has stood in front of the house where he lives for many years.

Charles R. King, Carlisle hardware merchant, offered his fence which stands in front of his Sycamore street home to the scrap effort, figuring that it would be more effective if transplanted in Tokyo or Berlin than it is at its present site.

Earl Van Bever, president of the Young Business Men's club, indicated that it would call on club members to aid in removing the fence—and any others which persons here wish to donate.

Sheep Men In Annual Meeting

All Officers and Directors Are Rechosen at Annual Dinner Meeting

At a dinner meeting attended by 41 members, the Nicholas county Sheep Protective Association Saturday re-elected its officers and directors, adopted a constitution and by-laws, voted to incorporate itself under the laws of Kentucky, and heard Harold Barber, shepherd of the University of Kentucky flock, speak on fall and winter stock management.

J. B. Linville was re-elected president of the Association, and G. C. Grover was rechosen secretary-treasurer, while Miss Lois Gatewood will again be assistant secretary.

Re-elected directors were Dan E. Wells, Jess Ockerman, Norwood Auxier, Walter Huddleson, James G. Allison, and Charles Wagoner.

The dinner was served by the Women's Missionary Society of the Carlisle Baptist church, where the meeting was held.

M. P. Nichols, county farm agent, introduced L. A. Vennes, of the University, to the group and Mr. Vennes read the constitution and by-laws to the group, after which they were voted upon and adopted.

County Soldiers Are Scattered

Men from Nicholas Sent to Widelv Separated Points, Army Press Says

News releases from the Press Relations section of the United States Army at Fort Thomas yesterday advised that Nicholas' county men who went in the last consignment of enlisted men and draftees have been sent to all parts of the nation.

Samuel M. Burden, of Barterville, is now at the 36th Evacuation Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, as are Martin House, Clifton Kenney, and Edward Swartz.

In Fort Ord, California, is C. B. Vice, while Frank Weaver and Charlie Scott are at Madison Barracks, New York.

The releases also advised that James H. Dalzell and Robert P. Sidles are at Camp Davis, North Carolina with the Coast Artillery.

In Hospital

Mrs. C. S. Whaley entered the Good Samaritan hospital Sunday to be under the care of a specialist. She submitted to an operation Monday morning and is reported as doing nicely.

Dry Pamphlets Only Sign of Vote Activity

Speeches in Offing But Just Now Handbills Used —Look for More Drive

The Dry's were seemingly content to "say it with pamphlets" during the past week, but they said it most every day.

Operating a little hand turned mimeograph machine, Rev. James Thompson of the Carlisle Baptist church turned out row on row of handbills designed to fight the legalized whiskey and beer trade, and to promote the cause of the dry's in the coming local option election.

Squadrons of children were enlisted in distributing the material from house to house, from business establishment, and on the windshields of automobiles parked here. On Saturday, practically every car which was parked here ended up with a pamphlet stating that "Old Dog Licker is On the Run" or "It's Not Safe to Drive While Drinking" placed neatly beneath its windshield wiper.

Two mass meetings at the Nicholas county court house were announced yesterday by the Nicholas County Dry's, to be hel don Saturday afternoon and night.

Rev. L. E. Leeper, a minister associated with the Dry cause, will speak at 3 o'clock and again at 8 o'clock in the interest of the Dry movement.

But that seemed to be the extent of the activity ,unless there is some organizational work going on in the various precincts which has not been advertised.

That the Dry's are organizing, precinct by precinct, is an established fact ,and Friday Dr. H. W. Bromley, of Cynthiana, a state dry leader of many years' standing, said that every home in Nicholas county will be visited in the Dry interests before the campaign closes. But such organizational work though extremely necessary, is never spectacular and is not advertised.

The Wets, other than some advertising which has been sent to the Mercury by the Kentucky Brewers at an accelerated pace (they generally run one advertisement each month but have been running one each week since the local option fight took shape) and some signs which have been placed in various public places, have shown little activity.

This brought from several prominent Dry leaders an opinion expressed publicly that the Wets may not make much fight in the county, but more realistic political observers thought otherwise—the last election ended in a Wet victory and it is a little far fetched to think that they would surrender Nicholas and the revenue obtained therein without showing some sort of an effort.

Of course, as is always the case in such elections, the Dry's are the more articulate group. They have the leaders who are willing to take to the stump, they have the best speakers in that they have all of the ministers, and even if there were someone on the Wet side who could make a speech he probably wouldn't do it. Speeches are made by crusaders in such matters and the crusading group is the Dry faction.

The next two weeks, however, will probably find the pace quickened by both teams. They are in the back stretch now, and when they turn for home, they will both very likely go "all out" in their pre-election effort.

Teachers to Meet

The first meeting of Nicholas county teachers will be held in the Sunday school room of the Christian church on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. James R. Thompson of the Carlisle Baptist church will conduct the devotional and Rev. Estal L. Taylor will speak on civilian defense.

All teachers were urged to be present.

Red Cross In Move to Build Chapter Strength

New Directors Elected, Other Posts Filled at Meeting Held Tuesday

The Nicholas County Chapter, American Red Cross held its Annual meeting on Tuesday in the parlors of the Christian church for the purpose of bringing the Chapter up to full war strength.

In the absence of Judge I. B. Ross, General Chairman, Mrs. A. T. Gardner presided.

New members were added to the Executive Committee were: Judge Walter Shepherd, Rev. C. V. Crabb, Mrs. Charles Mathias, Father Priest, W. R. Buntin, Mrs. Howard Irvin, John Pirtle, Mrs. M. P. Nichols, Mrs. Frank Hardesty, Dr. G. T. Cowan Miss Lucy Norvell, Mrs. Nelle Brayfield, Miss Ethel Botts, Dr. J. E. Bradshaw, Mrs. Lewis Robbins.

Members of the Executive Committee held over from last year were:

Judge I. B. Ross, Miss Jimmie Henry, Roger Womack, Mrs. A. T. Gardner, Sterling Blake.

The following officers were elected:

General Chairman, Judge I. B. Ross.

1st V. Chairman, Judge Walter Shepherd.

2nd V. Chairman, W. R. Buntin.

Secretary, Miss Jimmie Henry.

Treasurer, Sterling Blake.

Chairman Volunteer Special Services, Mrs. A. T. Gardner.

Chairman Disaster Preparedness, Judge Walter Shepherd.

Chairman Accident Prevention, Thomas Johnson.

Chairman Publicity, Annie Laurie Barr.

Chairman First Aid, Frank Hardesty.

Mrs. A. T. Gardner, Chairman Volunteer Special Services, announced the following appointments:

Staff Assistance Corps Chairman, Mrs. W. C. Talbert.

Home Service Corps Chairman, Roger Womack.

Assistant Chairman Katherine Hanley.

Canteen Corps Chairman, Miss Jane King.

Production Corps Chairman, Mrs. A. T. Gardner.

Motor Corps Chairman, Jane Ross.

Surgical Dressing Corps Chairman, Mrs. James Hardin.

At the completion of the current Civilian Defense school, the following courses will be offered:

Staff Assistance Corps, Mrs. Charles Mathias, teacher; Motor Corps, Webb Buntin, teacher; Nutrition Corps, Miss Anne Todd, teacher; Home Nursing, Mrs. John Lee, teacher; First Aid, Frank Hardesty, teacher.

Mrs. A. T. Gardner of the Production Department announces that there is a large quantity of sewing and knitting to be done. All volunteer sewers and knitters should call at Red Cross Headquarters for materials. All organizations throughout the county are urged to make plans to help with the large quotas

Plowpoints Wanted—Week for Gathering Them Proclaimed

Plowpoints—those old rusty ones that are hanging in practically every barn in Nicholas county—will be the order of the week begining Saturday.

Judge Walter Shepherd, fully aware of the seriousness of the iron shortage, yesterday proclaimed the eight days from Saturday September 12 to Saturday September 19, as "Plow Point Week," and asked farmers to bring them into Carlisle on those days.

After the plow points are brought here, the plan is to lay them in rows in the Court House lawn, and Judge Shepherd expressed the hope that the response will be so good that the lawn will be covered with the iron.

"It's the best scrap that can be gotten," the Judge said, "and every farmer has plenty of them about his farm. As a matter of practical patriotism, I urge every person to gather these up and bring them to Carlisle."

Money obtained from their sale will be used in building the sign which will carry the names of the men from here now in service.

City, County Schools Open Monday Morning

Pupils in Two Systems Will Report for Opening Monday—Chapel Listed

The annual "back to school" which comes each September will arrive in Carlisle and Nicholas county on Monday, September 14, when both the city and county school systems will embark upon their 1942-43 term.

The actual registration of city high school students will begin Saturday morning at 8 o'clock, when all students in the high school will go to the school and sign up for the courses they will take and arrange their schedules.

Superintendent E. E. Pfanstiel announced yesterday that all pupils, in both graded and high schools, will gather Monday morning at 9 o'clock in the auditorium for chapel and that after short periods in their rooms they will be dismissed before lunch. A full day will be spent in classrooms Tuesday.

The county schools will follow much the same procedure, assembling Monday for their opening exercises, Superintendent W. B. Dampier declared.

Th city schools will offer one new course this year, Mr. Pfanstiel announced. This will be a course which was included in the curriculum at the suggestion of the War Department and will be titled Flight Aeronautics.

Clary Fightmaster, who has been taking special training this summer in preparation for the course, will act as instructor and it will be open to juniors and seniors. The course will deal with meteorology, aero dynamics, recognition of planes, geography of flight and other related material.

It was still "up in the air" as to whether Carlisle will field a football team this season, because of transportation difficulties created by the war.

Unsigned

If the lady who wrote the letter signed "A Rural Mother and Proud to be a Country Woman" will come to The Mercury office and sign her letter with her right name, The Mercury will then print that portion of it which is not libelous and which is in good taste.

The Mercury does not print anonymous letters, and while she wrote that we would be devoid of courage if we did not publish her letter, there is little to be shown in the way of courage by failing to sign one's name to a letter intended for publication.—G. P.

Jurors Called for Duty During

List of Men to Serve As Talesmen During Sept. Term Announced

A list of 54 men who have been called for jury duty in the September term of Nicholas circuit court was released here this week by Lacy Barnett, clerk of the court. Thirty have been summoned for petit jury duty and 24 for possible grand jury service.

The list will be cut to 24 petit jurors and 12 grand jurors when Judge J. C. Dedman convenes the court on September 28.

Mr. Barnett pointed out that the last day for the filing of suis to be heard at the coming term is September 18, or ten days prior to the opening of the court.

Those who have been called for jury duty are:

Petit Jurors—Robert E. Anderson, R. T. Colliver, Roger Feeback, James Luther Hollar, H. P. Blount, Henry Brown, William Wagoner, George Rankin Carter, E. C. Flora, Willie Stone, Seth Lyons, W. E. Piper, W. T. Parker, Robert S. Hardin, Sr., Byram Snelling, Bruce Sexton, Joe Burden, W. B. Murray, W. F. Clark, James W. Miller, W. J. Jenkins, Joe Bishop, Harry Hamm, Dan Wells, J. S. Wilson, George W. Brunker, Newton Brothers, Floyd Elrod, Gratton Varner, W. J. Kookendoffer.

Grand Jurors—Guy Neal, J. C. Shrout, Henry Letcher, Riley Fryman Jr., Wilson King, Russell Wills, R. D. Clark, Earl Hardwick, Kelley McCord, James McGinley, Whit Downing, Adrian Clark, Nick Smoot, Tom Hazelrigg, Ben Owings, Earnest Sims, Walter Bell, Coleman Harney, H. L. Harney, Rollie C. George, Hicel Asbury, S. T. Stone, Charlie Whaley, C. B. Cassiday.

Dies In Crash

Mrs. Howard A. Dorsey of Mulberry street, received a message from Charleston, W. Va., Sunday stating that her nephew, First Lieut. John L. McKee, a native of Charleston, was a member of the crew of five Army men killed Saturday when a medium bomber from MacDill Field, crashed into Tampa Bay near Tampa, Fla.

No Change

The condition of Sam K. Veach, dean of Carlisle business men who was stricken ill on the eve of his 90th birthday, was unchanged, it was learned yesterday from members of his family. Mr. Veach has been at his Sycamore street home since his illness forced him to leave his office.

Two Garages Are Burglarized As Tires Gone

Sheriff Asserts Same Group Broke Into Berry, Ritchie Property

A tire theft ring bobbed its head up in Nicholas county Tuesday night, with the theft of four tires and wheels from two cars belonging to men living in the county.

Sheriff Floyd Clark said yesterday that he had been investigating at the homes of Roy Berry and Joe Ritchie, both county farmers, who lost two tires and two wheels from their cars on Tuesday night. The sheriff said that it was his opinion that both thefts were "done by the same gang," as similar methods of operations were used in both instances.

At the Ritchie home and at the Berry place, the cars were lifted with a fence post used for a lever, the wheels were removed, and then each car was allowed to settle down on its axis.

At the Ritchie place, which is located on the Millersburg road, the car was parked in a garage, and the building was broken into by the thieves.

That there was more than one in the gang was apparent to the investigating officers by the manner in which the theft was accomplished. It would take a group to hold the car up with a rail while one person removed the wheels, Sheriff Clark said.

The Tuesday night thefts were the first reported here in some weeks—the first since a youthful group was arrested on charges of stealing gasoline, tires, and automobile accessories and were brought before Judge Walter Shepherd in Nicholas quarterly court.

Three of that group were held to the grand jury and another was given a suspended reform school sentence.

Another Large Quota Given

County Must Buy Ten Thousand Dollars in War Bonds During September

Nicholas county, highly successful in its August War Bond sale, was given another ten thousand dollar quota for the month of September, it was announced this week by Miss Jimmie Henry in the absence of Judge Innes B. Ross, county Bond chairman, who is ill.

The ten thousand dollar quota followed hard on the heels of a like amount which was given the county for August, and if the same success is achieved this month as was last, there will be no doubt about the sale.

In August, Miss Henry reported, a total of $14,875 was sold here in bonds and defense stamps, making it one of the most successful months as far as bond sales are concerned since the war started.

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In Hospital

John Whaley, 53, well-known farmer of the Clark farm on the gravel road, between Moorefield and East Union, is critically ill at the Johnson Memorial hospital where he was brought Saturday night suffering from injuries received late in the afternoon when his team of horses ran away, dragging him about twenty feet.