Who Shall It Be?

HIS OPPONENT OR

You Name His Qualifications:

Did He Make Good As Commander Of The Home Guards?

Did He Make Good As Head Of The Local Red Cross?

How Old Was He In 1941, When The Nicholas County Boys Were Enlisting?

A Nicholas County Boy Of Whom Every Nicholas County Man And Woman Is Proud.

Let Your Unbiased Judgment And Your Native Patriotism Be Your Guide When You Mark Your X For Our Nicholas County Boy.

August 4th, 1945

MAJOR WM. H. CONLEY

A Major In The Greatest Army In The World.

A Young Lawyer Who Has Made His Mark, That You Will Be Proud You Voted For.

A Soldier Who Daily Risks His Life To Make Your $17.50 Worth $25.00, Ten Years From Now, And Your Country Safe Forever.

Let Us Prove By Our Votes That Nicholas County Will Not Utterly Disregard Its Soldiers Who Saved It Nor Be Misled By Gangster Practices.

Don't Heed The Fakers That Say He Will Not Be Back.

We know he will be here to fill his office with as much credit as he fought for his country.

—Contributed and paid for by Friends of Major Wm. Conley.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—1 4-burner oil cook stove, 1 large Leonard refrigerator, 4 kitchen chairs, 1 leather pulpit chair, 1 walnut church organ, 1 baby gate. Mrs. Robert Harper. 7-26-2t*

FOR SALE—25 purebred Hampshire and Southdown Rams. Money Bros., Cowan, Ky. 7-26-2t*

FOR SALE—Baby buggy in good condition. Half price. Mrs. Everette P. Smart. Phone 152-R. 1t*

FOR SALE—An electric Leonard refrigerator, in good condition. Can be seen at the Jim Paton farm on the Maysville road. Ray Toy. 1t*

FOR SALE—Open-stone peaches, different varieties. Prices right;—try to hit your pocketbook, most anywhere. "Hurst Orchard," Flemingsburg, Ky. 8-2-2t*

FOR SALE—New 4-burner oil stove. Mrs. George Catter, Scrub Grass pike. 1t*

FOR SALE—1 five foot bath tub. C. L. Mathias. 1t*

STRAYED—From farm, one red white-faced steer, weight 710 to 750 lbs. Phone 4711. Reward Earl Hardwick, R-1, Carlisle, Ky.

NOTICE

Owing to the prevalence of mosquitoes during August, each water customer of the city of Carlisle is requested and urged to use a pint of kerosene on alternate days in their sewer drains to assist in the control of mosquito breeding.

W. C. TALBERT, Mayor
8-2-1t City of Carlisle

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Mattie L. Blount, deceased, will present the same properly verified to the undersigned administrator or to Roger Womack, my attorney. Those indebted to the estate will please settle without delay.

ROY BLOUNT, Admr.
8-2-3t

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Mrs. Emma Berry, deceased, will present the same properly verified to the undersigned Administratrix or to Roger Womack, my Attorney. Those indebted to the estate will please settle at once.

MRS. HOMER BLOUNT, Admx.
8-2-3t* R-2, Carlisle, Ky.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of John McGinley, deceased, will present the same properly verefied to the undersigned or to Attorney Roger Womack or Attorney H. D. Leonard. Those indebted to the estate will please call and settle at once.

GEORGE NOLAND,
8-2-3t Admr. C. T. A.

CARD OF THANKS—We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors who were so kind to us in the sudden death of our beloved husband and father. We also thank the Mathers, Potts and Shearer personnel for their kindness and consideration; the singers for their consoling words, the friends for their floral offering and Bro. Taylor for his comforting and consoling words.

Mrs. Bessie Frederick
1t* and children

Aug. 1st, 1945

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by anyone other than myself; nor will I pay any checks on any bank account which are not signed by myself, personally.

Mrs. Lizzie B. Williams,
Administratrix of the Estate of
1t* Walter F. Williams, deceased

Carlisle, Kentucky
July 30, 1945

To The Tax-Payers
of Nicholas County:

It has been my privilege to have been appointed by the Fiscal courts of Nicholas County to serve as County Treasurer for a number of years. I desire to state to the Tax-Payers that the financial condition of the County is now in better shape than it has been, to my knowledge, during the last 20 years.

Up until two years ago it was necessary for the different Fiscal courts to borrow money to start the new year. Since then, the Fiscal Court has been able to set aside certain money as surplus.

In my financial statement ending June 30th, there was a surplus of $23,560.00.

Signed,
HARRY KENNEDY,
Treasurer of Nicholas County
Political Adv.

Reports Sale

The Westfall Realty Company reports the sale of the Robert Burns farm of 52 acres near Concord to E. P. Laughlin.

To Voters Of Nicholas

On behalf of my son who is serving his country more honorably and efficiently than if he were here in his office and who will be here beyond a doubt of a doubt as his last report evidence[illegible] in time to take charge of his office, I wish to ask if Nicholas County is so different from her sister counties? Can Nicholas be [illegible] by a few [illegible] who care nothing for Nicholas County or its people so they may take advantage of the suffering of our boys in the service and the consequent loss of live[s] we have sustained.

Emphatically I am [illegible] money [illegible] to hold this [illegible] [illegible] when he gets back as his [illegible] [illegible] has been [illegible] while he has been at the front. But I am not a deserter [illegible] Benedict Arnold. I am for the boys who fought every [illegible] God bless them and will do everything in my power for them.

Note an excerpt from a dispatch to the Cin. Enquirer.

"Maysville, Ky., July 30th— The esteem in which Seaman Frank Boone, Fleming County Clerk, who has been serving in the Pacific, with the U. S. Navy is held by Democrats and Republicans of Fleming County is evidence by the fact that he is unopposed for the Democratic Nomination at the August primary and the Republicans decided not to place a candidate against him in the general election.

During his absence the office has been cared for by his sister, Mrs. Bettie Boone and Tho[s]. Rigdon.

Choose this day between your county and its native soldiers or the lead of tricksters who would not hesitate to set on foot discord and disunity if it would gain their selfish ends.

Very respectfully,
WM. CONLEY, SR.

Urges Farmers To Conserve Food

To have the county well fed each family should get busy and produce and conserve enough food for their supply this winter, Mrs. Martha E. Dorsey, Associate FSA Supervisor in Nicholas and Fleming Counties, said Wednesday.

Commercially canned foods will become even scarcer this coming winter than before, she added, pointing out that everyone knows the [illegible] [illegible]. She asked that [illegible] enough vegetables to can [illegible] at 75 quarts for each member of the family and secure enough fruit to can 25 quarts for each person. Also that those who can, kill 3 or 4 hogs and a beef on the shares if there are up to six in the household.

Quick Repair Service

PLUMBING and HEATING

Carlisle Plumbing Company

Main and Walnut Streets

"I am going to vote for "B. Barton"

"BASSIE"

Well, it may be that 2 year old James Bassett Barton, grandson of L. B. Barton, well known candidate for sheriff, may not actually vote for him but [illegible] little folks in the county, he would [illegible].

The same human qualities which have endeared Mr. Barton to children will probably bring to him a great deal of support from the bigger folks who can vote. He is a man everybody knows and most everybody likes.

—Political Adv.

Hutchings Sale

Tuesday, Aug. 7

9:30 A. M. ON PREMISES

Due to rain Saturday, July 28, this sale was postponed to the above date and time. At this time we will offer for sale an excellent lot of furniture. Some Antiques. Come and spend the day with us.

Fightmaster Real Estate Agency

Let Us Handle Your Next Sale—You Will Be Satisfied.
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To The Citizens of Nicholas County:

In my advertisement last week I called to your attention some of the conditions existing in our county and gave you figures showing the amount of money contributed by the State of Kentucky the past two years. There is no doubt as to the accuracy of these figures as they came direct from the State Highway Engineer and are a matter of public record which any citizen has a right to see. The State is contributing during the last two years of the present court the sum of $19,845.66.

I have another letter from the Rural Highway Director in which he states they were ready and willing to put men to work on some of our roads and that it had proved very satisfactory in other counties, but the present Judge and Court chose to accept the above amount instead of permitting the State to rebuild and repair our roads. I wonder if this was done to create this so-called "saving".

I do not know how this money is distributed among the various sections of the county but I do know that some of the court and some of our leading citizens made a trip to Frankfort to protest the manner in which it was being distributed.

One member of the Court tells me that they have already bought ten car loads of rock and have planned to buy many more and have them shipped in from another county. How is this for EFFICIENCY and ECONOMY when we have millions of tons too many in our good county now and many farmers tell me they have during the past four years repeatedly offered to give rock just to get them crushed and placed on their roads.

How is this for ECONOMY when we have a new quarry within one mile of town, fully equipped and which costs several thousand dollars to buy and equip with machinery.

How is buying rock in Fayette County going to give employment to our men and boys; how is it going to help get your farms clear of rock?

It doesn't take any training in post war planning to see this is all wrong.

I am told, and I believe correctly, that this county has not rebuilt four miles of road during the past four years. It's true we have a few fairly good roads, but you know they were repaired and rebuilt by either the W. P. A. or Rural Highway and the Rural Highway will do it again if the court will give them an opportunity to do so instead of trying to create a so-called "saving" while you drive over the same old ruts and boulders day after day.

As stated in another column of the Mercury I couldn't promise to rebuild and black top every road in the county with the money available but I believe a genuine improvement can and will be made. The road fund for 1944 and 1945 amounted to $40,757. and the amount contributed by the State in the same period amounted to $19,845.66, making a total for the two year period of $60,602.66. If this money is not put on our roads, as you have a right to expect it to be, it would be an easy matter to save it all or any part of it and would take no expert to doso. Give this job back to a Nicholas County man, a man who has lived with and among you his entire life. I am asking my friends to help do this and to keep up the good work until the votes are in. I also ask my friends not to believe any wild rumors or stories that may be put out in the next day or so either in print or otherwise as we have "em" licked, but in order to insure victory, using the words of a song of a popular Radio program, "WE MUST BE VIGILANT."

Lacy Barnett

A VOTE OF *Confidence!*

EVERY Tuxedo Feeds dealer is besieged by his customers for more and more Tuxedo Feeds. Again proving that when demand exceeds supply, it is the high quality brands, carrying the confidence of the users, which sell out first.

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FOR LIVE STOCK AND POULTRY

Your Local Distributor:—

Carlisle Mill & Supply Co.

LAST APPEAL TO VOTERS OF NICHOLAS COUNTY SAT., AUGUST 4

If the voters of Nicholas county have not been mislead I will be elected County Attorney. I want the people to understand that I am making the race against Wm. Conley, Sr., and NOT against Wm. Conley, Jr. I am not seeking political power or running in the interest of anyone, but I am interested in all the people in Nicholas county. I have been outspoken, in order that the voters might know who my opponent is, in order that they will not be misled as they were four years ago.

If elected County Attorney I will fulfill the office to the best of my ability.

This appeal is to every voter of Nicholas county. Respectfully,

ROGER WOMACK

How To Do It With Dust

Fight Bugs and Insects with Dust by Using a No. 200 Dobbins Duster. Dusters are becoming more useful in combating crop insects and plant diseases.

Agricultural experts say the use of dust in many cases is much more efficient than wet spray, that the dust stays on the foliage longer with effective killing power than will a wet spray.

You must see the No. 200 Dobbins Duster to understand the effectiveness.

We also have the dusting materials to be used.

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A STATEMENT FROM ROGER WOMACK

I feel that I should make a brief statement to the citizens of Nicholas County by way of an explanation of certain facts which are generally known to all.

I have talked with a great majority of the people of Nicholas County during my canvas of the different precincts and I find that the general opinion and belief is that my opponent is in this race in name only; that he has made no promise to fill the County Attorney's office if he is elected; that there is little probability that he will be back in Nicholas County within the next several years and that there is much talk that he will never want to live here again.

I assure the citizens of Nicholas County that if my opponent had guaranteed that he would assume the responsibilities of the office of County Attorney, I would never have announced my candidacy and I would have withdrawn from the race had there been any certainty that he really intended to fill the office. In making this race, I feel that I am not opposing any individual but merely the practice or principle of electing one person to an office, wherein another person serves. This seems to be the reason that the citizens of Nicholas County appear to be ready for a change.

In my original statement to the citizens of Nicholas County, I stated that I would be 40 years old on August 5, 1945 and in consideration of my age the local Selective Service Board has declared that I have passed the age limit for active service in the Armed Forces.

I registered on October 16, 1940 and soon thereafter I realized that there was a probability that I would not be called to service through the Selective Service Board. Early in the war, I made investigations as to the need of our Country for men with some type of special training. I was called to Louisville for an interview and met the qualifications. From there I was sent to Fort Thomas for a final type physical examination, which I passed. I then signed the necessary papers, one of which placed me on 24 hour notice for call to service. I immediately made arrangements for the settlement of all of my business should I have been called within 24 hours. I remained subject to such call until January 10, 1945, at which time I received a letter from the War Department which follows.

Army Service Forces
Officer Procurement Service
Washington
January 10, 1945

Mr. Roger C. Womack
Carlisle, Kentucky
Dear Sir:

The requirements of the Army for the direct appointment of commissioned officers have been met and, with the exception of a few individuals whose services are urgently required, no additional appointments from civil life are contemplated. Vacancies will generally be filled by the reassignment of officers and the appointment of warrant officers and enlisted men.

In the review of your file, and others whose appointment has not been requested, personal papers which may be of considerable value to you have been withdrawn and are returned with this letter. This Service retains a record of your qualifications and experience for consideration should the Army require the services of additional officers.

Your generous offer of service during this emergency is appreciated by the War Department.

Yours very truly,
E. G. WELSH,
Colonel, GSC
Director

The statements given above are self explanatory and require no further comment and it is with regret that I have been forced to reveal any of my personal affairs.

I have enjoyed my trips over the county and the contacts that I have made. I have learned a great deal about Nicholas County that I had not known heretofore. I will say that at this time the probability for my election seems very encouraging, but I ask that all interested citizens work hard during the remaining days before the election so that we may obtain an overwhelming majority for the principle involved—that no man shal lseek an office in which he does not himself serve; that no man shall be allowed to secure an office for the sake of placing another in power.

Sincerely,
ROGER WOMACK

TO THE VOTERS OF NICHOLAS COUNTY:

In order to better serve you during the sale of Drivers License it has been necessary for me to spend considerable time in my office during the month of July. On account of this and other conditions over which I had no control I find that I will be unable to visit several sections of the county to personally ask for your support. I hope you will forgive me for this, and I believe you will, as you are fully aware on the conditions existing today. I think that one of the first duties of man is to take care of his family and this has taken most of my time. I have lived in this county all my life and am known to most of you. It has been my pleasure to serve as your Circuit Clerk for the past six years, an office you gave me six years ago by your votes. By serving as Circuit Clerk I have gotten a knowledge of law and court procedure that I could not have gotten in any other office in the Court House. I feel that on account of age and experience I am qualified for the office I seek, that of County Judge. I am the candidate of no one man or set of men and have not asked for, received, or been offered one cent by any one interested in this race. Thus when I am elected Judge I will be free to serve all the people of the county. This I pledge myself to do to the best of my ability.

LACY BARNETT

TO MY FRIENDS:

Since announcing as a candidate for Deputy County Clerk under Grimes Caywood, a number of my friends have questioned whether or not I had a contract with Mr. Caywood. I desire to state to all of my friends that I have a contract, written and very agreeable to both of us.

It seems there has been a custom of candidates heretofore taking on deputies who have been good vote getters, but who soon after the election, from some cause or another, proved to be inefficient. I can assure you all that I will be your Deputy Clerk for the next four years if Grimes Caywood is elected.

KENNETH SNAPP

Do you suffer from MONTHLY **NERVOUS TENSION** with its weak, tired feelings?

If functional periodic disturbances make you feel nervous, tired, restless—at such times—try this great medicine—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. Taken regularly—it helps build up resistance against such distress. Also a grand stomachic tonic. Follow label directions.

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W. C. TALBERT, Mayor
8-2-2t City of Carlisle

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FULL SIZE DELUX INNER SPRING MATTRESS $39.95

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BUT BE SURE YOU GET

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AMERICA'S FINEST FLOUR
—ALSO BRING US YOUR EGGS—

SQUARE DEAL GROC.

Where Ma Saves Pa's Dough

John F. Sugg

for

COUNTY CLERK

To the Voters of Nicholas County:

The many duties required of a County Clerk and the great amount of work necessary to prepare for an election have taken almost all my time, and I have not visited many of your homes personally and "made my little speech;" however, it's short: "Don't help me out! Help me stay in!"

I cannot see many of the voters or even some of my personal friends before election day; therefore, in this short message, I make an earnest appeal for your influence and vote on Saturday, August 4th, 1945.

Many persons who are eligible and should be interested in selecting our county officers are not registered in their proper precincts and some have never registered; therefore, they cannot vote, but to you who are qualified and have this privilege, I urge you to go to the polls and help select your county officers. Of course, you know that the candidates who are nominated for the various offices at this Primary Election will be your county officers for the coming four years.

VOTE! VOTE! VOTE! VOTE! VOTE!

Vote for someone for every office on the ballot but

**VOTE FOR
JNO. F. SUGG
FOR COUNTY CLERK**

It's an all Kentucky Show

★ Another great premium list for Kentucky livestock breeders will be offered at the 1945 Kentucky State Fair. The Fair management wants every breeder of purebred livestock represented at the State Fair this year. A new arrangement with additional space has been planned for livestock exhibitors.

★ Full poultry classification.

★ Ample space for field crops and garden produce.

★ World's Greatest Horse Show.

"KNOW YOUR KENTUCKY"

★ A huge "Know Your Kentucky" exhibit made up of individual county exhibits from throughout the State will represent the agricultural, industrial and natural resources of each county. . . . $1,500 in prizes.

Don't put off getting your exhibits ready.

Write for your copy of catalog and premium lists to J. C. Wehrley, Assistant Manager, Kentucky State Fair, Churchill Downs, Louisville, Ky.

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