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RUMMAGE SALE—Beginning at 8 a. m. Saturday, June 11, in Graeter building. 6-9-1t*

FOR SALE—1 No. 5 John Deere Tractor mower, 7-foot cut. Good condition. Harper's Garage. 6-9-1t-chg

BALE TIES. 500 to bale, $6.50. 10 bales or more $6.25. Your Southern States, Carlisle Cooperative. 6-9-1t-chg

FOR SALE—1 1939 GMC ½ Ton Pickup with Flat and Racks. Good farm truck. Harper's Garage. 6-9-1t-chg

FOR SALE—Perfection, kerosene water heater in good condition. Mrs. C. W. Kash, Telephone 321-W. 6-9-2t-chg

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FOR RENT—3½ acres of good setter tobacco land, partly set and ground fully fertilized. Plenty of lot manure at nearby barns. Contact Clinton Dayhoe. 6-9-1t* A. Wilson, deceased.

NOTICE

NOTICE—The Annual Reunion of the Couch family will be held at Blue Licks State Park Sunday, June 26, Basket dinner. 6-9-3t*

NOTICE—I have at all times a full line of Smiley Products for the immediate needs of my customers. Telephone Carlisle 80. 6-9-2t-chg

PRICES GOING DOWN—Barbed wire, $7.25 roll. Standard 1047-12-11 fence, $15.50 roll; nails, 10c lb. Brace wire, 8c lb. Your Southern States, Carlisle Cooperative. 6-9-1t-chg

CASH PAID FOR DEAD STOCK —Horses and cows $2.50 according to size and condition. Call collect Carlisle 326. Prompt, sanitary service daily. Griffin Fertilizer Company. 4-21-tfs-chg

PUBLIC SALE—Furniture, Saturday, June 11, at 1:30 P. M. We will sell on the lot in the rear of the C. C. Cole building a quantity of household and kitchen furniture. Scott-Kendall Sales Company. 6-9-1t-chg

ROOFING PRICES REDUCED again. Thick butt shingles (210 lbs. per square) $6.50 square, 25 squares or more, $6.25. 90-lb. roll roofing, $2.94 a roll. Your Southern States, Carlisle Cooperative.

YOUNGSTOWN KITCHENS — Plastic Wall Tile, Rubber and Asphalt Floor Tile, Russo Steam Bath Kooklkatt Aluminum Awnings, All Building Specialties. Lexington Tile & Supply Co., 131 Walnut Street, Lexington. Ky. Phone 6377 or Carl Cloud, Carlisle Phone 94 for Free Estimate. 4-9-1t-chg

PUBLIC SALE—Personally, Saturday, June 11, at 10:30 A. M. As agents for Mrs. Roy Shields, we will sell on the John Hall farm located 4 miles west of Carlisle on the Headquarters road the following: 1941 Dodge Truck, 1934 Plymouth Sedan, Wagon, Plows, Disc Harrow, Tobacco Press, numerous other farm tools, household and kitchen furniture. Sale conducted by the Scott-Kendall Sales Company, "It Makes A Difference", Carlisle, Ky. 6-9-1t-chg

LOST

LOST—White box containing ladies dresses; children's pajamas and grey white material. Contact Parts Daily Enterprise. Reward. 6-2-1t*

WANTED

WANTED—Some one to cut 14 acres of wheat on the shares. Can be reached at Farmers Stockyards Tuesday. Julian D. Gaunce. 6-9-3t*

For Rent

FOR RENT—Two upstairs rooms, hot water and heat furnished Share Bath. Mrs. John Anderson, Telephone 89-J. 5-26-3t-chg

Deaths

Miss Lida Warren

Mrs. Frank Simons received word Monday of the death of Miss Lida Warren in Los Angeles, Calif. Miss Warren formerly lived in Carlisle. Her ashes will be returned here for burial.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wright Cole

Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Wright Cole, former resident of Nicholas county, were held at Charles E. and Frank H. Wright, also of Maysville, were held Sunday afternoon at the Maysville church at Maysville with the Rev. Robert Hurst, officiating. Burial was in the Carlisle cemetery.

Mrs. Cole died Thursday at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Rowe, in Parkersburg, W. Va.

Mrs. Dexter Power

Funeral services for Mrs. Bessie Linville Power, 56, wife of Dexter Power and a native of Nicholas county, died at 7 p. m. Tuesday at a Millersburg funeral home, conducted by the Rev. H. M. Moore, pastor of the Millersburg Methodist church. Burial was in the Millersburg cemetery.

Survivors include her husband, include her mother, Mrs. Cleo Linville one aunt, Mrs. Mae Carty, Carlisle, Mason county, and one uncle, Thurman Brooklyn, Brooksville.

Samuel P. Mattox

Funeral services for Samuel Phillips Mattox, 72, native of Nicholas county, were held at 3 p. m. Friday at a Lexington funeral home, officiated by the Rev. Wayne Davis, pastor of Epworth Methodist church in Lexington. Burial was in the Lexington cemetery.

Mr. Mattox died at 5 a. m. Wednesday at the Good Samaritan hospital, Lexington, after a long illness. A lifelong farmer, he had been a resident of Lexington, except for the past 26 years and was a member of the Methodist church.

He was born in Nicholas county, February 20, 1877, and was a son of the late Sol Gordon and Sidney Mattox.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Verne Taylor Mattox; six brothers

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by the Department of Highways at its office, Frankfort, Kentucky until 10:00 a.m. Central Standard Time on the 24th of June, 1949, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read for the improvement of:

NICHOLAS COUNTY RS 91-199—Sugps Pike from U. S. 68 to Bartonville road, 2.3 miles. Reconstruction and drainage.

NICHOLAS COUNTY RS 91-219—Walnut Grove Road from U. S. 68 to the Bourbon County line 3.2 miles. Reconstruction and drainage.

The attention of prospective bidders is called to the prequalification requirements and necessity for securing certificate of eligibility, the special provisions covering subletting or assigning the contract and the Department's regulation which prohibits the issuance of proposals after 4:30 P. M. on the day preceding the opening of bids.

NOTE: A CHARGE OF $10.00 WILL BE MADE FOR EACH PROPOSAL. REMITTANCE MUST ACCOMPANY REQUESTS FOR THE PROPOSAL FORMS.

Further information, bidding proposals, et cetera, will be furnished upon application to the Frankfort office. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS
Frankfort, Kentucky
June 2, 1949 6-9-2t-chg

Opening
Lamb Sale
Tuesday, June 14
All Leading Buyers Will Be Present
Sell Your Lambs On Your Home Market
Farmers Stockyards
Carlisle, Kentucky

Maytag Sales Opening
Increasing sales of Maytag home appliances have created a well-paying sales position on our staff. We are looking for a man who may or may not have had sales experience but must be neat, personable and aggressive. Selling nationally advertised Maytag washers, ranges, freezers and ironers, this man can easily surpass his present income if he is a worker.
This is straight commission selling—the salesman's income determined by the amount of effort he is willing to put forth. If you are qualified to handle this job, and are anxious to surpass your present income, stop today for an interview. Your future in sales work is assured when you sell Maytag home appliances. Ask for booklet, "Your Great Opportunity in Sales Work."
Feeback Appliances
Telephone 177 Legion Bldg. Carlisle, Ky.

Public Auction
Saturday, June 11
2 P. M. On Premises
5-Room House—Two (2) Acres of Land
LOCATED ON WALNUT STREET JUST ABOVE CARLISLE MILL
I have built a building for my ice business, and a bowling alley, with an apartment. I am selling the above date and time I will sell the home I now occupy. This home is in good repair—city water and electricity. Large out-door lawn, free of city taxes. All necessary outbuildings. Two acres of land, good garden. Can give possession in a few hours if the purchaser desires.
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OWNER—RAYMOND (PETE) KING
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Marriages

Simons-Bourne

The marriage of Miss Dolores Simons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simons of Carlisle, and Hubert Bourne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kninnard Bourne of Lancaster, was solemnized at 2 o'clock, Friday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents in Carlisle. The bride's father was the officiating minister. Only the immediate families and close friends attended.

The bride wore a white dress but with white accessories and a white orchid corsage.

She was attended by Miss Laura Sue Walters of Paris, who wore a blue suit similar to the bride's. Her corsage was of pink roses.

James K. Bourne of Lancaster, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man.

The bride was graduated from Carlisle High school and Eugene's School of Business. The groom was graduated from Lancaster High school and attended Berea College and the University of Kentucky, where he was a member of Alpha Sigma Phi. He served in the United States Naval Air Corp during World War II.

After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Bourne will make their home in Paris where he is employed as assistant manager of the Shine theaters.

Whaley-Baumstark

Mrs. Katherine Lane Whaley, daughter of Mrs. Katherine Whaley of Lexington, and William Basil Baumstark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Florence Dillon of Cynthiana and William Taylor Baumstark of Lexington, exchanged marriage vows at a double-ring ceremony at Epworth Methodist church, with Dr. Wariner P. Davis officiating.

A program of traditional music was presented by Mrs. Paul Bennett of Lexington, organist, and Charles Beaton of Wilmore, soloist.

Miss Ann Whaley, sister of the bride, served her friend as matron of honor. She wore a gown of light blue marquisette taffeta and carried a bouquet of pink roses.

The bride, Joseph and Lloyd Taylor, all of Nicholas county, and Harry Mattox of Ohio, and Charles Mattox of Lexington.

Mrs. Thomas Wright, daughter of Mrs. Ed Wagner, both of Bourbon county.

neckline, shirred bodice and full skirt. She wore a coronet of daisies and carried a bouquet of yellow gladioli, daisies and blue delphinium.

The bridesmaid, Miss Adeline Whaley, also a sister of the bride, was identically gowned.

The flower girl, Mary Lynn Mays, cousin of the bride, wore a yellow dotted swiss frock and carried a basket filled with petals. Her candles were lighted by the bridegroom's sister, Mary Lou Baumstark, who wore a green taffeta dress and a corsage of yellow rosebuds.

Ted Turner of Cleveland, Ohio, served as best man and the ushers were Horace Marshall of Carlisle, Thomas Sawicki of Millersburg, and Jimmy Vickars of Lexington.

After the ceremony, a reception was held in the Fireside room of of the Phoenix hotel. Assisting were Mrs. Joseph Keller and Miss Margaret Ann Forte of Lexington, Mrs. James Crouch of Bethel, Miss Carol Clendenon of Ashland, and Miss Joan Schager of Cleveland.

When they return from a wedding trip to Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Baumstark will make their home on North Broadway.

The bride was graduated from Carlisle High school and attended the University of Kentucky, where she was pledged to Zeta Tau Alpha sorority.

Mr. Baumstark is a graduate of Millersburg Military Institute and served with the Merchant Marines during World War II. He will enter the University of Kentucky this fall.

A number of relatives and friends from here attended the wedding.

To Fete Younger Women

The Carlisle Woman's Club will honor the Carlisle Younger Women's club must make their tenderay at Old South Inn, Winchester.

All members of the senior Woman's club must make their reservations by Saturday in order to attend the luncheon.

See You Soon At In The Mercury

A Desirable Brick Home at Public Sale on Saturday, June 18
At 1:30 p. m. on the Premises
Located on High Street In Dorseyville, Carlisle, Ky.
Having interests in Florida and having decided to move there, I will offer for sale my home of 10 rooms, 2 halls, large glassed in back porch with baths on first and second floors, with electric water heater and three large basement rooms.
Home is in first class repair from basement to attic and is located on large lot with plenty of shade trees and shrubbery. Lot faces High street and is 180 feet wide and 242 feet deep with barn, garage, chicken house, wood shed, and other outbuildings.
This is one of the better homes in Carlisle, located close to churches, school and sound financial institutions, and must been seen to be appreciated.
The home is better known as the home of the late F. B. Henry.
At the same time and place I will also sell the household and kitchen furniture. Possession will be given within 60 days of date of sale. Terms will be made known on day of sale.
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DIXIE GETS A NEW SET OF SHOES—Stanley (Pete) Carl, formerly of Maysville, at foreground, formally revines one of Nicholas county's oldest residents here in Carlisle as he tries one on for size. Holding Dixie steady is Keller Hughes, right, while John Lawrence, center, of Carlisle has loosed the blacksmith shop, gets in a pat. (Carlisle Mercury Photo)

Forge Fire Heralds Revival Of Industry Lying Dormant In City For Two Years

The fire in the forge of John Lawrence, blacksmith in the Old Walnut street, shed for approximately two years, has been rekindled on a cheery glow, heralding the revival of a long-dormant industry.

While horseshoes are being made in the shop, it now has the distinction of being Mr. Lawrence's only customer, the horse having been replaced in the animal of Nicholas county by the tractor, and the blacksmith being one who loved the shop from Mr. Lawrence.

Although Carl opened shop last Friday, shoeing horses for Keller Hughes and H. L. Cockburn, he did not hit peak production until Monday when he shoed a total of eight head of horses.

While operating a shop at Maysville, Carl shoed horses in Mason and others as far away as Carlisle to work to the Nicholas county seat. Many of Carl's shops to have their horses shoed by the time he opened his office, already has escalated a considerable estimate, very among horsemen. Four horses have been brought from Maysville to Carlisle to be shod.

Inheritance that he will handle in shoeing for most of the horses on the farm, Mr. Carl, who is a farm as well as taking care of the demands of horseshoes in neighborhood, Carl said he already has had been requested to shoe horses in Paris and Lexington, and has called in the services of a helper to assist him.

Carl said he already has had a few customers at his office in Maysville.

Nicholas Sportsmen Plan Shooting Match And Plug Horse Derby

Plans for a shooting match, a Plug Horse Derby, and authorization of a $100 reward for the arrest and prosecution of perpetrators of dynamiting fish in Licking river were the foremost topics discussed Monday night at a meeting of the Nicholas County Fish and Game club.

The shooting match will be held Friday, June 24, on the trapshooting range at the Nicholas county farm. Competitors will get underway at 9 a. m. Lunch will be served on the grounds. Many valuable premiums will be awarded in connection with the competition.

Plans to present a Plug Horse Derby in Nicholas county were tentatively discussed at the meeting. Monday night. Dorsey Watkins has been placed in charge of this project and while no date or location has been arranged for the forthcoming event, indications are that a Derby will be held within the near future.

The Nicholas county club and the Fleming County Fish and Game Club are jointly offering a $100 reward for the arrest and conviction of persons guilty of dynamiting fish in Licking river.

Members of the local club were told Monday night that the reward has been discontinued within the past 10 days. The club pointed out that the reward does not apply to each persons connected with the offense, but proof and conviction of all offenders in a specific case, in addition to its joint agreement with the Fleming county club, the local organization also is offering a $100 reward for the arrest and conviction of persons responsible for the recent dynamiting of a pond or lake in Nicholas county.

A conservation officer or peace officer is eligible to apply for the reward.

Police Applicants To Be Given Exams

Competitive examinations will be given beginning July 11 for applicants as trooper in the Kentucky State Police, Commissioner Guthrie Crowe announced today at Frankfort.

The deadline for all applicants is June 10.

Application blanks are available at district headquarters and headquarters at Frankfort. Information may be obtained from any trooper of one of the district offices, or at the place of examination.

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Sulphur And Brooksville Teams Place First In Annual Horsepulling Contest

The heavyweight team of George Morgan, Sulphur, Ky., pulling a load of 6,000 pounds a distance of 21 feet and nine inches, won first third and final trs. won first place money of $75 in the 2,200 pound team class for their owner at the horse pulling contest held here Saturday night under the sponsorship of the Floyd George Post No. 8666, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

The lightweight team of Welburn Cummins, Brooksville, which pulled the 6,000 pound load 22 feet and four inches on their first try, won first place money of $75 in the 2,200 pound team class.

Owners of the other winning teams in the lightweight class included:

Alvin Cummins, Brooksville, second place, $50. R. L. Hickey, Bethel, third place, $25; Marion Donovan, fourth place, $10; and Tutney and Wiley, Lexington, fifth place, $10.

Other teams in this class were entered by Raymond Cummins, Brooksville, Jacket and Wiley, Lexington, Wiley and Faulkner, Lexington, Lexington Rocket, Sulphur, Ky., and Bert Floyd, Lexington.

After winning team owners in the heavyweight class were:

Jones, Jones and Dunden, Post Royal, second, $50; Lucas Brothers, Georgetown, third, $25; Bert Floyd, Lexington, fourth, $15; and R. L. Hickey, fifth, $10.

Teams eliminated in this class were entered by Wilburn Cummins, Brooksville, and Hazelrigg and Calvert, Sharpsburg.

The pony Nicholas county team entered was that of Owing and Walton.

The horsepulling contest was under the direction of William Power, commander, and Lew Tyler, general chairman. Judges were Arnold Crouch, Bethel, Bill Lyons, Sharpsburg, Nobel Jones was ringmaster, John Dr Jones was announcer and Keller Hughes, assistant secretary.

Nicholas Countian Fined

A man listed in a warrant as Bruce Kenney, Carlisle Route 3, charged with the possession of moonshine whiskey, was fined $100 and costs Wednesday morning following a trial before County Judge Walter Shepherd.

Kenney was summoned into court as a result of a raid made on his premises on the Salt Well and Headquarters turnpike by Sheriff John Anderson and Deputy Sheriff John Clinkenbeard. Sheriff Anderson said approximately three gallons of moonshine was seized in the raid.

Ben Bowles Announces Candidacy For Jailer

Ben F. Bowles, Carlisle Route 3, announces his candidacy for jailer of Nicholas county subject to the action of the Democratic primary in August.

A lifelong resident of Nicholas county, Bowles has spent most of his life on the farm.

This is his first time to ever to seek public office.

Livestock provides the largest selling source of cash income for the United States farmer.

DAMPIER PLEDGES $5 TO STORK DERBY

The purse in the Stork Derby, inaugurated by The Carlisle Mercury in connection with the first baby born at Nicholas county's hospital June 3, has grown this week.

Elmer Dampier of Dampier's Garage has pledged $5 to the first baby girl born at the new institution.

Pumphrey To Attend Meeting Of Oil Men

Oil men from Anderson, Bourbon, Clark, Fayette, Franklin, Harrison, Jessamine, Nicholas, Scott, and Woodford Counties will meet in the Fireside Room of the Phoenix hotel, Lexington, at 8 p. m. today for their 7th annual meeting to discuss matters of vital importance to oil dealers and consumers of gasoline and other petroleum products.

Maxwell L. Clay, executive secretary of the Kentucky Petroleum Industries Committee, Louisville, will be guest speaker. After a talk on oil industry problems will be distributed by Ralph Ritchie, director Ritz, chairman of the Fayette County Petroleum Industries Committee, will preside. Delegation of Petroleum Industries Committee members from each county will attend with their chairmen: Jerome Robinson, Anderson county, Lexington; J. Tom Prather, Bourbon; Carl M. Ball, Clark; Clark county, Winchester; M. I. Smith, Franklin county, Frankfort; Harry Lee Waterfield, Lexington; Lexington; Ewing Ellington, Harrison; Harrison county, Cynthiana; H. H. Pumphrey, Nicholas county, Carlisle; W. A. Hempel, Scott county, Georgetown; C. C. Blackburn, Woodford county, Versailles.

Good Pastures Are County's Chief Need

By Edward L. Sanders

One of the chief self conservation problems of Nicholas county is establishing and maintaining good pastures. There are several hundred acres of land in the county that are in such a condition that it is of little value for grazing. This land is not producing enough income to pay taxes. There are many other acres of pasture land with so little cover that it is producing very little income and suffering from severe erosion. In certain areas of the county the large amount of postage, the grass and legume cover should be thick and so vigorous that neither sun nor rain can strike bare ground.

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Council Appropriates $200 For Recreation

An appropriation of $200 to the Community Recreation Council to be used in connection with the 1949 summer playground program was approved by the Carlisle city council at an adjourned session held here Monday night.

Council also authorized the advertisement of bids for cleaning and painting the old water tower at the reservoir.

A request that night locks be placed on all apartments at the city building was referred to the building committee with the power to act.

Fines totaling $221 during the month of May were shown in a report filed with council by Police Judge Hardy Myers.

ENLISTS IN NAVY

Luther D. Snapp has enlisted in the U. S. Navy for one year and has been assigned to the San Diego, Calif., naval base for basic training.

Edward F. Prichard Announces Candidacy

Seeks Reelection

Edward F. Prichard Sr., incumbent representative of the Nicholas-Bourbon legislative district, has announced his candidacy for reelection to that office. A life-long resident and active in party politics, he has represented this district since 1944 and before that time he represented Bourbon county, having been elected in 1938.

Prichard was voted the "most colorful member of the House" in the last session of the legislature.

A member of the Christian church, he is active in business and civic pursuits and is owner of over 500 acres of farmland. He is a member of the Kentucky Farm Bureau, having a particular interest in breeding and raising purebred Jersey stock.

Prichard said that he will campaign extensively for reelection and that he will issue a statement covering his record as a legislator to the people of Nicholas and Bourbon counties.

County Board Files '49-50 School Budget

An estimated budget of $170,033.40 for the 1949-50 school year has been filed by the Nicholas County Board of Education with the Nicholas fiscal court for consideration at its next meeting.

The board of education asks that a school tax levy be set at $1.40 on real estate and tangible property. This levy remains unchanged from the past year. Of the amount of the levy $1.20 is to be used for general school purposes and the remaining 20 cents is earmarked for the school building fund.

A levy of 40 cents also is to be made upon bank shares within the county.

Hutchings To Receive B. D. Degree Friday

Lewis Tarch Hutchings, son of Dr. and Mrs. S. F. Hutchings, will receive his bachelor of divinity degree at 10 a. m. Friday at the Central Christian church, Lexington, from the College of the Bible.

Rev. Hutchings is a graduate of Carlisle High school. Transferring to college and has been ordained a minister of the Christian church. He accepted a call as minister of the Christian church in Cave City in May and has established a residence there with his wife and baby son.

PILOT OF CARLISLE'S PLAYGROUND PROGRAM—Jerry Bryant, right, new playground director, is shown talking it over with the Rev. E. V. Carner, Carlisle Baptist minister and member of the recently organized Community Recreation Council, which is sponsoring the 1949 summer program. (Carlisle Mercury Photo)

Wednesday Deadline For Local Candidates To File In Primary

Nicholas county candidates seeking nomination to public office in the forthcoming Democratic primary in August have but one week to file their papers in the office of County Clerk John F. Sugg. The deadline for local candidates to file papers is midnight Wednesday, June 22.

A total of 13 candidates already have filed their papers with the county clerk.

They are who have formally filed are listed in the order received in the clerk's office:

Charles M. Cox, county attorney; Lucy Barnett and John W. Anderson, tax commissioner; John L. Clinkenbeard, sheriff; Walter Shepherd, county judge; A. V. (Doc) Allison, county court clerk; W. S. Owings, Ben F. Bowles and William T. Jolly, jailer; Leonard Alexander and Hiram T. Allison, justice of peace, 2nd magisterial district; Hamer Miller, justice of peace, 4th magisterial district; S. Russell Barlow, justice of peace, 6th magisterial district.

Three others are known to be candidates in the forthcoming primary. Although they have not yet filed their papers they have made public announcements of their intentions. These three candidates are John T. Sugg, county court clerk, Spencer Kennedy, county judge, and Cecil Alexander, justice of peace, 2nd magisterial district.

No candidate for justice of peace in the 3rd magisterial district has announced or filed.

Homecoming Planning Keeps Veterans Busy

Extensive plans for a gala three-days Nicholas county Homecoming celebration which will be staged here Saturday, Sunday and Monday, July 2, 3, and 4th, holds the interest of all members of Lloyd George Post No. 8666, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Commander William Power said today.

The local Veterans organization, taking advantage of the long holiday weekend, plan a full three-days program to which they invite all former residents of Nicholas county.

Indications that several persons from out-of-state plan to participate in the celebration which is held in their native county already have been received by the VFW commander and individuals in Carlisle and Nicholas county.

Although no formal program has been announced for the Homecoming, a street dance is planned for Saturday night, religious services will be attended by the veterans on Sunday morning and a band concert by members of the Oleika Temple Shrine band of Lexington. At the afternoon session she greeted Sa-Hin Pan, a student from China who is attending the University of Kentucky. The Chinese student spoke on home life in his country. She also greeted Mrs. Martha H. Penrose and Mrs. Herman L. Donovan at the banquet held in the Bluegrass ballroom.

Miss Abraham was also one of five girls at the state convention who was asked to tell about their FHA chapter on a program broadcast by Station WKLX.

The Nicholas County chapter had a total membership of 44 girls during the past year. The chapter was recognized at the state convention as an honor roll chapter for the week of 1948-49. This is the second year in succession the chapter has been an honor chapter.

Miss Crume is adviser of the Nicholas chapter. The state FHA adviser is Miss Mary Belle Vaughn of the Division of Vocational Education, Department of Education, Frankfort.

Laymen And Ministers Hold Planning Meeting

The Rev. Mark Rutherford of Oklahoma was the guest speaker at the third banquet and business meeting of the recently organized group of ministers and laymen of the Christian churches at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday at the Carlisle Christian church. More than 50 were present for the meeting.

Plans were set for the national men's retreat to be held August 10-14 at the historic Cane Ridge church.

The first banquet was held a month ago in the North Middletown church, and the second two weeks ago in the Paris church. The Rev. Rhodes Thompson, minister of the Paris church, was here Friday to make final arrangements with the Rev. J. J. Whitehouse for Wednesday night's meeting of ministers and laymen from four counties: Harrison, Mason, Fleming and Nicholas.

The supper was served by the Women's Council.

Community Recreation Council Collects 50 Percent Of Funds Needed For Summer's Program

The Community Recreation Council already has received more than 50 percent of the funds necessary to assure a successful summer community recreation program in Carlisle and Nicholas county.

Members of the board of directors report that of the $700 needed, contributions to date total $380, leaving only $320 more to be collected. However, a portion of the remaining amount already has been pledged. Any organizations or individuals who are planning to donate to the playground fund and haven't done so as yet, are urged to contact Mrs. Tommy Johnson, treasurer.

At a call-meeting of the Recreation Council Friday night, Playground Supervisor Jerry Bryant made known a tentative plan of activities to be carried out in the summer program. However, a complete schedule of recreational instruction will appear in this paper next week.

In connection with the schedule, Bryant announced Tuesday night that "although I may have an instruction class for volley ball (tee example) scheduled for 10 a. m., that doesn't mean that all other play at the park must stop. If there are those who would rather play softball at that time, they may check out the necessary equipment and play softball. It simply means that, **in order to assure every child, regardless of age, proper instruction and an equal chance to play, I will hold supervised classes in all activities as listed in the playground schedule".**

The clean-up program Monday night launched work on the Horse shoe boxes, skinned croquet court, tennis backstop, outdoor basketball, backboard, sand boxes, see-saws, swings, softball diamond, portable volleyball and badminton sets. Used, pipe, secured from Lexington, for use in building tennis backstops and swing structures, have been constructed by Ralph Bowen. Several high school youth and interested citizens are working with Bryant each day in order to speed the opening of the park.

Asphalt Court a Possibility

Through the efforts of the State Department of Highways and L. B. Barton, an asphalt tennis court is planned to replace the present clay court. Rock to be used has been promised by the county road system. However, complete arrangements have not been made.

Aluminum paint for the softball and tennis backstops and raw and white creosote paint for the wood structures has been secured to assure permanance, as well as to beautify the park.

A fence will enclose the sandbox, swings and see-saws, which are being built on the north side of the creek in the lot by the Boy Scout cabin. This measure has been taken to prevent the smaller children from wandering into the creek.

Softball Leagues Planned

In an effort to establish a night softball league composed of teams from Carlisle and Nicholas county, Bryant has asked that any church or civic organization who wants to enter one team in the league, or any individuals that want a day league ball, to contact him either at the playground or at Powell Neal's. It is hoped that at least three leagues, girls, boys and men, can be formed, if enough teams sign for competition.

A community night for the entire family will feature the weekly schedule of activities.

Nicholas Girl Wins State Second Place

Phyllis Cook, Nicholas County High school 4-H Club, placed second in the State 4-H Club room improvement judging contest held during 4-H Week on the University of Kentucky campus last week, June 7-11.

She was awarded a blue ribbon and was within five points of the state championship. She judged room combinations, arrangement of furniture and accessories, and refinished pieces of furniture. Phyllis also received a red ribbon in the State Foods judging contest.

Other girls who attended 4-H Week from Nicholas county were: Lillie Belle Alexander, charming judging; Lenore Richey, individual demonstration, and Polly Wagoner, style revue. Polly modeled a black checked suit in the state style revue contest and received a white ribbon. Lillie Belle received a blue ribbon in the district canning judging contest held in Morehead May 28 and was runner up for the state championship.

Boys who attended 4-H Week from Nicholas County were Bobby Stroud, Gerald Watkins, Marion Brady, Edgar Boyd, and Joe Welch. These boys and girls were accompanied to 4-H Week by the home agent, Dorothy C. Rowe, and the county agent, William T. Straw.

Famine occurs in some portion of India every year.