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FOR SALE—

FOR SALE—Used 50-gal. oil and water drums with closed tops. Also new stock tanks. Fultz Hardware. 2-1-tfn.

FOR SALE—Trunk of good work horses, 8-yrs.-old. Sound, gentle and well-broke. Call H. T. Letton, phone 500. 2-18-2t*

FOR SALE—Used corn crusher, Fultz Hardware, phone 101, Carlisle, Ky. 2-4-2tcp.

FOR SALE—Extra good clover hay. We receive demand for oates. Verna Stone, phone 309-J 2-25-3*

FOR SALE—At 320 Dorsey avenue, good comfortable home, 7 rooms, bath, hot and cold water. Oil heat, good garden, phone 331-W. 2-18-2t*

FOR SALE—6-room house on North street, hardwood floors throughout, stoker fed coal furnace, close to city school, room and bath upstairs. Contact George Gaffin. 2-11-3tchg

FOR SALE—Crosley Shelvador refrigerator, apartment size gas stove, chrome breakfast set. Good condition. Phone 374. 2-25-1tchg.

FOR RENT—

FOR RENT—House in the Country. Call Gene Atchison, Paris, phone 1007-W nights. 2-25-2t*

FOR RENT—Nice room in Granter building, water and light furnished. 2-25-1t*

FOR RENT—My Farm, Base 5 acres. Plenty of hay, grass, etc. See Earl Hamm. William Ritchie. 2-25-1tchg.

FOR RENT—Three rooms. East Main street. See C. L. Mathias. 2-25-1tchg.

FOR RENT—Two, 2-room apartments with gas and hot water. See Mrs. Spencer Gaunce, 349 Locust Street. 2-25-2t*

SAVE THE DIFFERENCE—Rent our floor sander & sand your own floors. Also complete line of floor finishes. Fultz Hardware, phone 101, Carlisle, Ky. 2-4-1tchg.

FOR RENT or LEASE—Brick storehouse with upstairs living quarters, pasture and garden, 4 miles Oakland Mills on Maysville and Lexington Road. Contact H. M. Endicott, Midway, Ky. 2-18-3tchg.

NOTICE—

NOTICE—In case of fire phone No. 5. 2-4-tfn.

NOTICE—Used Maytag and Speed Queen Washers. Fultz Hardware, phone 101. 2-18-1tchg.

NOTICE—Square Dance at Moorefield school Saturday, Feb. 27 at 7:30 p.m. Admission adults 50c, children 25c. Good music, refreshments. 2-25-1tchg.

NOTICE—Cesspools, septic tanks, grease traps, wells and sinks cleaned and repaired, field tile laid, septic tanks installed, lines pumped without tearing-out. General contracting. Free estimates. Robert L. Northcutt, phone 844-R-4, Cynthiana Route 5. 2-25-6t*

EXECUTRIX NOTICE

All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the estate of Mrs. Dora Sellers, deceased, will call upon the undersigned at once and settle same; and those having claims against said estate will present same properly proven to the undersigned, for payment. Everett Snapp. Executrix of the estate of Mrs. Dora Sellers, deceased. 2-18-3t*

EXECUTOR NOTICE

All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the estate of John W. Scott, deceased, will call upon the undersigned at once and settle same; and those having claims against said estate will present same properly proven to the undersigned, for payment. Roger Womack, Executor, of the estate of John W. Scott, deceased. 2-18-3tchg.

EXECUTOR NOTICE

All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the estate of M. T. Ruddell, deceased, will call upon the undersigned at once and settle same; and those having claims against said estate will present same properly proven to the undersigned for payment. M. H. Ruddell, Executor, of the estate of M. T. Ruddell, deceased. Joe F. Conley, attorney. 2-11-3tchg.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE

All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the estate of Caleb S. Ham, deceased, will call upon the undersigned at once and settle same; and those having claims against said estate will present same properly proven to the undersigned for payment. Willie Belle Ham, executrix, of the estate of Caleb S. Ham, deceased. 2-11-3t*

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to our many friends for their kind words and deeds in the sudden death of our beloved husband and father, Harry M. Walker, the food donors and those who gave flowers, especially do we thank Bro. Whitehouse, the Masonic Lodge and Mathers-Shearer for their courteous service. Wife and Daughters. 2-25-1t*

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who sent flowers, cards and words of kindness during my stay in the hospital. Mrs. Paul Lawrence. 2-25-1t*

LEGAL NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

In accordance with Kentucky Revised Statutes (231.060), I hereby notify the public that Brooks Russell, RFD 3, Carlisle, Kentucky, has filed an application for Operation of a Place of Entertainment to be known as CURBINN and located on the Carlisle-Flemingsburg Road, State Highway No. 32, in Nicholas County, Kentucky.

Jno. F. Sugg, Clerk,
Nicholas County Court, Ky.
2-25-3tchg.

Horse Show Group To Hold Meeting At Lexington

The Central Kentucky Horse Show Association, of which Carlisle is a member, will hold its annual meeting at the Campbell House in Lexington on Sunday, February 28 at 6:30 p.m., according to announcements received here from W. E. Crutcher, Morehead, Secretary.

The meeting was called by President Curt Z. Bruce who said that dates for 1954 shows will be assigned in addition to the election of officers and other business. The group plans an informal open house at 5 o'clock. Bruce said the dinner meeting is open to the public.

Carlisle held its 1953 Horse Show on June 3 and have priority on a comparable date this year, Bruce said.

The Central Kentucky Horse Show Association has more members than any other circuit in the state. It was organized five years ago with Principal aims of. Avoiding date conflicts; establishing uniform premium lists and judging; maintaining and enforcing certain exhibitor regulations, and cooperative advertising of member shows.

Members of the Association are: Mt. Vernon Lions, Carlisle VFW, Irvine-Ravenna Kiwanis, Boyd County (Ashland) Saddle Club, Georgetown Rotary, Cynthiana Charity Horse Show, Berea Kiwanis, Winchester Kiwanis, Morehead Board of Trade, Owingsville Lions, Mt. Sterling American Legion, Versailles Rotary, Madison County (Richmond) Horse Show and Renfro Valley Horse Show.

Bruce said there is indication that Flemingsburg and Paris will exhibit this spring after a year's lapse while another former member, Frankfort, may revive their Horse Show this year.

For 60 years, England successfully guarded the secret of casting crucible steel, a process discovered by an English watchmaker about 1740.

AT AUCTION

Saturday, March 6, at 10:00 a.m.

Personal Property of Harry Walker

At 315 Walnut St. at above time and date. 1948 Dodge pickup truck, radio and heater, extra good, complete sets of plumbing tools, (Harness) singer sewing machine, lots of mechanics tools, lots of extra good carpenter tools, about 50 concrete blocks, roll-away bed, feather bed, chest of drafers, large mirror, some plumbing fittings and pipes, two complete sets of plumbers dies, other articles too numerous to mention.

OWNER—Mrs. Harry Walker TERMS—Cash

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PUBLIC AUCTION

Saturday, February 27
10:00 A. M. On Premises

At my farm on the Carlisle and Sharpsburg rd. on the above date and time I will sell the following:

Farmall H Tractor 1949 model good as new, tractor harrow, tractor mower, 3 vulcan plows R. H., 1-5 shovel cultivator, cultipacker, manure spreader, hay rake, horse mower Deering, horse mower, McCormick, two horse corn planter, 2 wagons, two horse cultivator, 3 point marker, Chev. truck 1½ ton, tractor plow, binder, one horse fertilizer drill, lay-off plow, corn sheller, lard press, sausage mill, 2 large kettles, heatrola stove, self hog feeder, hog box, single trees, double trees, about 20 lbs. corn, some household furniture, one lot of small tools, other things to numerous too mention. All of this equipment is in good condition.

OWNER—C. S. WHALEY

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PUBLIC AUCTION

Saturday, March 6
10:00 A.M. On Premises
FARM 24 ACRES—FARM TOOLS—COW
Located on Calcutta Rd. Just Off Barterville Rd.

On above date and time we will sell for Lloyd Smith his farm of 24 acres. Turn off Barterville road at the W. W. O'Neal farm to get to this farm. Improvements consist of a four room house and necessary outbuildings. Tobacco base 1 acre, plenty of fruit trees, well of water at house.

FARM TOOLS

Wagon, harrow, several small, tools, cane mill, seven (7) stands of bees, 1 good milk cow, two years old, about six hundred tobacco sticks go with farm. Possession immediately.

OWNER—Lloyd Smith

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AT AUCTION

Saturday, March 6
Another One Of Carlisle's Better Homes
AT 1:30 P.M. ON PREMISES

We are priviledged to offer for sale the home of Milton Cole, located on the corner of Elm and Chestnut Streets, Carlisle. Here in a highly desirable location is a modern home, architecturally pleasing, especially designed and created for comfortable living. We cordially invite your careful consideration of this home for your cherished place of abode. On first floor are 4 rooms, sun porch, screened in back porch, bath and adequate closet space. Second floor has 3 rooms, bath and closet space. Hardwood floors upstairs and down, coal furnace with stocker, also gas in home.

After the sale of the home we will sell: Electric Refrigerator, Electric Range, Electric washer, Maple bedroom suite, Breakfast set, Mahogany bedroom suite, Mattresses.

Prospective purchasers will be shown the home by Joe Fultz, or by the selling agents. Early Possession.

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See
Johnny Ray Flora
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AT AUCTION

MONDAY, MARCH 1, at 2 p.m.

A beautiful home, Newly painted. Located on one of Carlisle's better streets—ELM ST. HOME contain's 7 large size rooms with 2 full baths, large kitchen with built in cabinets, large front porch and back porch, almost new furnace, has electric water heater, wired for electric stove, new roofing, situated on a large lot among beautiful shade trees, on stone foundation, back entrance with 2 double garages. This home is arranged for two families and is built of the best material and workmanship. It is one of Carlisle's best homes. Possession can be had at once.

AT THE SAME TIME

We will sell on Broadway a nice 5 room home situated on a large lot with plenty of garden space. House has full bath, Gas in house, newly painted. Has basement, close to school and churches.

Both of these houses are in first class condition.

TERMS: 10% day of sale, 40% with deed and balance on easy terms. Homes will be shown by selling agents or owner. Robert Neal. Phone 6 for information.

FREE CASH PRIZES

Sale by Fleming Co. Realty Co. & Fightmaster Real Estate Agn.

PUBLIC SALE

SATURDAY, FEB. 27, 10:30 a.m.

For Mrs. Charlie Linville who has decided she has more property than she can take care of. Will sell on Spring street in Dorseyville the last house on the right hand side. This home consists of 5-room and sits on a good side lot. It is under good roof and good state of repair. Has cistern at the back door and city water is available. This will make some one a good investment for a nice place to live.

TERMS—Will be made known day of sale

OWNER—Mrs. Charles Linville.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26
10:00 A.M. On Premises
To Settle Estate Of Late Oliver Clay

On above date and time we will sell the following at Mr. Clay's home on the Whetstone Road.

1 team of good horses work anywhere, 3 milk cows, 2 with calf by side, 1 to be fresh soon, 1 young gilt, 15 bbl. corn, some hay, fodder, 2 horse sled, 2 sets of work harness, farm plows, hoes, rakes, lawn mower, step ladder, land kettle, range cooking stove (perfect condition) Warm Morning heating stove, oil heating stove, some coal, hog house, brooder house, some furniture, ice cream freezer. Other things too numerous to mention.

1950 Model Ford driven about 10,000 miles, this car is in perfect condition, used on short trips only, mostly from the farm to Carlisle. Good as new.

Mrs. Mary Lizzie Clay—Administratrix of estate.
Joe Conley, attorney for estate.

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ABSOLUTE AUCTION

Of Two Small Farms
51 ACRES AND 70 ACRES

SATURDAY, FEB. 27, at 1:30 p.m.

For the purpose of making settlement of Mrs. B. T. Conway deceased I the undersigned excutor will sell 2 tracts of land at public auction at the above time and date. And sale will be held on tract No. 1. Tract No. 1 containing 51 acres more or less, located one mile from Carlisle on Route 32 at Myers road. This farm is all in grass and under fair fencing. Has a small feed barn and a good water supply, is practically all clean with exception of several hundred good locust post. This farm is close to schools, churches and leading farm markets. Has several beautiful home sights along the highway and ideal tract of land for the small farm seeker who has a desire to build his own home.

Tract No. 2 contains 70 acres and is located 3½ miles from Carlisle on route 32 or Myers road. Has a good six room house. Extra good five bent tobacco barn with sticks. Has an excellent water supply with springs and a creek. Has fair fencing all in grass, with exception of crop land which is seeded to grain. This land is all limestone and in Bluegrass. The tobacco base for both tracts of land for 1954 is 2 acres, which will be divided by the local tobacco board and possibly will be done by day of sale. Property will be shown by administrator or by selling agent. Terms: purchaser will be required to pay all taxes of 1954 also 10% day of sale with contract. Balance with deed which can be had within 30 days. Possession immediately.

Administrator Johnny Conway, attorney Joe F. Conley.

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City To Replace Manual Meters With 3-Coin Automatic Type

Health Officer Lists Precautions For Chickenpox

It is not unusual for little folk to "catch" chickenpox. The disease is not uncommon in infancy, and probably 70 percent of us have the disease by the time we are 15, said Dr. B. F. Reynolds, M. D., Health Director, Nicholas County Health Department. Kentucky had 2324 cases of chickenpox in 1953 the disease by the time we are 15, since in winter and spring.

Chickenpox may be passed from one person to another or may be carried indirectly on articles infected by the child with chickenpox. Dr. Reynolds stated. The fluid from the blisters contains the virus.

Chickenpox develops from two to three weeks following the exposure. A slight fever is followed in a few days by blisters which leave scabs.

The disease is communicable as long as the scabs remain but especially in its early stages.

There is no immunization to protect your child against chickenpox, Dr. Reynolds emphasized, but some preventive measures are:

(1) See that your child does not play with other children who are sick.

(2) Have your child wash his hands before eating.

(3) Teach him to avoid common drinking cups and articles belonging to others.

A severe case of chickenpox particularly in adults, may sometimes be mistaken for a mild case of smallpox. Consult your private physician for a definite diagnosis.

Contest Winners Named At Play

A "Tiny Tot" contest closed the presentation of, "You Can't Beat Fun," a home talent play given Friday night at the Nicholas County high school.

Dennis Allison, 21-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Allison, was selected king, and Kay Allison, 22-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allison was chosen queen.

They were crowned and presented trophies.

Other honors went to the following: Prince, Ronald Lewis Autin, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Austin, princess, Phyllis Kay Allison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orvill Atkinson; duke, David Smoot, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smoot, and duchess, Gayle Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Scott.

Mrs. M. L. Austin was in charge of the contest, and the King and Queen received loving cup trophys. Prince and princess—silver picture frames, and Duke and Duchess—Sterling silver cups.

The play was coached by Gitta Reeves and the attendance both nights was good.

SHOWS IMPROVEMENT

Mrs. Henry M. Potts, who reentered the local hospital Sunday is very much improved.

Park-O-Meter Co. Awarded Contract For 126 New Meters

The regular meeting of the city council held Tuesday night resulted in the acceptance of a parking meter contract for automatic meters and an ordinance changing the parking meter zone.

Business in the order that it came before the council follows: Dr. B. F. Reynolds, Nicholas County Health officer asked the council to investigate the offensiveness of an open sewer at the Westside edge of town, which flows near the residence of Francis Wasson. Councilman Galbraith, chairman of the street, sewer and alley committee was requested to investigate the matter and report to the next regular meeting.

A representative of the Micro parking Meter Co., Covington, spoke in behalf of his company's automatic meter. After a discussion of the pertinent points of each company's meter a vote was held to determine whether a dual or single meter should be purchased. The tie vote was broken by Mayor Power in favor of the purchase of a single meter. Vote as to which meter to purchase was conducted by secret ballot and the Park-O-Meter automatic meter was accepted. The vote was Park-O-Meter 4, Mico 1, and undecided one. A total of 126 meters are to be replaced.

Building permits were granted Joe Fultz to erect a residence between the John Fields property and Ernest Piper at the Western edge of Carlisle and to R. W. Neal to construct an addition to his grocery store on Main street.

Councilman William Frye requested that stop signs be erected at the corners of Chestnut and Walnut and Chestnut and Elm streets. The matter was referred to the streets and alleys committee headed by Councilman Charles Stroud. Also referred to the street committee were complaints concerning road conditions in the city.

Investigation of the cost of a spraying unit to control insects was turned over to Councilman Galbraith.

A petition signed by residents of Hayman avenue requesting that the street's name be changed to Sycamore Hill was read and an ordinance designating the change was passed.

Chairman of the building and lighting committee, William Harper was asked to contact Morris Whitely, Kentucky Utilities manager and have a street light installed on Tureman avenue near the Nicholas nurse's home.

The matter of excessive noise on certain streets in Dorseyville was referred to Woodrow Wilson, police committee chairman with power to act.

That the matter of maps concerning lines pertaining the gas and water be brought up to date was put at the hands of William Frye.

A letter from the Younger Woman's club of Carlisle was read before the council. H. C. Gallbraith and W. H. Frey were appointed as council representatives to meet with the Younger Woman's club and help in the organization of a youth center.

A pay raise to workers on the city trash truck was referred to the next regular meeting. Charles Shroat was asked to investigate work now being done in regard to trash collection and report to the council.

Chairman of Police Committee Wilson was asked to work with Police Judge Joe Clay in devising a workable system of parking tickets.

Names of all who have not paid their city licenses were to be given to the Chief of Police Wilgus Baker for collection.

Councilman Stroud suggested that a caution light be installed at the top of the hill just beyond the entrance to Douglas Court. Authority to do this must be gotten from the State Highway Department in Frankfort.

Also suggested was the marking of a school zone at North street and Broadway.

Charges to be made for the installation of water meters to those customers now without meters was set at $22.50. This figure was arrived at after deducting the cost of the original tapping fee of $7.50 from the cost of new water customer installation which is $30.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:45 p.m. and notice of a call meeting was given for tonight (Thursday).

FFA SWEETHEART—Miss Peggy Small, senior at Nicholas County high school was elected F. F. A. Sweetheart last Thursday by popular vote. Miss Small was chosen from a field of eight candidates. She was presented by Ronnie Ratliff, president of the Nicholas County Future Farmers during the play "You Can't Beat Fun."

L. B. Barton Retired From Highway Job

L. B. Barton, former sheriff of Nicholas county and for the past ten years foreman of the maintainance section of the State High way department here was retired from his job effect March 1 due to having passed the department's age limit.

Mr. Barton, who says he always got along good with the men under him, stated Wednesday that he had no plans for the future, as yet. He also added, "that he might be too old to work but he wasn't too old to vote."

It was reliably reported that former Nicholas County Tax Commissioner John Anderson had replaced him as foreman.

VFW Horse Show To Be Held June 1

During a meeting of the Central Ky. Horse Show Association at Lexington Monday night, Carlisle was given the date of Tuesday June 1, to hold their annual show.

Again this year the show sponsored by the local FW Post will be one of the first shows in Central, Kentucky.

Several new classes will be added to this year's show making it more colorful than in the past.

A parade will precede the ring showing this year.

Russell Alexander has been named chairman of the show again this year and will be assisted by Johnny Flora as secretary.

Final arrangements and plans will be made at the regular meeting on Thursday night, March 11.

In The Service

Completes Basic

Pvt Gaylord R Caswell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Caswell, of Carlisle, has completed his eight weeks of basic training with the Third Armored Division at Fort Knox.

To Use Army's Newest Weapons

Army Pfc. Vernon H. Overley, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oral E. Overley, Route 2, Ewing Ky., is now making preparations at Fort Devens, Mass., to participate in Exercise Flash Burn. Scheduled to take place at Fort Bragg, N. C., in April and May, Flash Burn will give more than 60,00 ground and airborne troops experience in using the Army's newest weapons and tactics. Overley, who is normally stationed at Fort Devens as a tank driver in the 278th Regimental Combat Team's Tank Company, has been detailed as part of the enemy agressor force which will oppose friendly troops during the maneuvers. Overley entered the Army last April and completed basic training at Fort Knox.

HERE'S MYSTERY FARM Number Eleven—Let's see how well you know your Nicholas County geography. Every week we've been telling you that all we know about the picture was that it was somewhere in our circulation area and sometimes the photographer almost makes a liar out of us. The picture published last week was indentified by 25 people as being that of Joe Stephens farm on the Tarbes Creek pike. Mr. Sexton was in Saturday to claim his beautiful glossy print of the farm home. According to Mrs. Sexton the house was built 19 years ago. They were married in 1927 and have three sons, Joe Jr., Bobbie, and Gayle. Joe has also had several cows. Tillage is done with a tractor. First to call in the correct name and location was Red Smith followed by Billy Scott, Mrs. Mack Ritchie, Maxine McCarty, Linda Terrell, Thelma Brierly, Mrs. George Wasson, Grace Scott, Mrs. Freddie Mattox, Mrs. Paul Tincher, Ruby Bartlett, Doris Jean Lemons, James White, H. T. Letton, William Dampier, Ronnie Smith, Jimmy Carter, Mrs. Billy Fierback, Johnny Ray Flora, Johnny Highlander, Johnny Buckler, James Wade, the Rev. J. C. Harris, of Pactolus, Ky.; Hord Crouch and Bobby Fierback.

Baptist Church Open For Prayers Friday; Ministers To Conduct Continous Service

The world day of prayer will be celebrated in Carlisle by all the churches uniting for prayer at the Baptist Church in Carlisle. The church doors will be open from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. for you to enter and join your prayers to those of the faithful around the world.

The Rev. J. J. Whitehouse has announced that the ministers of various churches will be present to aid your prayers in the following order: from 9-10 the Rev. W. R. Raborn, from 10-11 the Rev. Paul Ebright, from 12-1 The Rev. Paul Ebright, from 12-1 the Rev Kenneth Rasbern, from 1-2 the Rev. H. L. Davis, 2-3 the Rev. J. J. Whitehouse, 3-4 all the ministers will be present for the program of prayer by the Women of the Church, and from 4-5 the Rev. G. W. Townsend.

The following organists of the various churches will furnish prayerful music throughout the day: Mrs. W. C. Talbert, Mrs. T. C. Johnson, Mrs. Sterling Blake, Mrs. H. C. Peters, Mrs. J. M. Pitman, Mrs. A. V. Allison, Mrs. Robert Courtney.

Everyone who believes the truth that Jesus gave us: "Ask and ye shall receive" is urged to come and 'pray.

Nicholas Stock Sales Report

Livestock sales Toesday at the Nicholas County Stockyards were as follows

Hogs—Packers, $25.10; Mediums, 23.00; Shoats, 24.00 to 36.

Cattle—Cows, $9.70 down; cows and calves, 75.00 to 160.00; bulls, 13.50.

Calves—Top Veals, $26.65; medium, 14.00 to 26.00; hog top, 26.60.

Nicholas Legion Post To Meet

American Legion Post No. 17 will hold a meeting Friday night at 7:30 when plans for the forthcoming July 4 Blackberry Festival will be discussed. According to Commander John D. Power, the chairman of the Festival will be appointed at this meeting. All members are urged to attend.

FARM BID REFUSED

A 47-acre farm on the Somerset pike, seven miles south of here, owned by Mrs. Docia Duncan and Denny Haney was withdrawn Thursday when offered at auction by the Scott-Kendall Sales Company. The top bid was $5,900.

Red Cross Drive Shows Progress

Encouraging news is coming in from the workers in the Red Cross Drive. The workers in Dorseyville have completed their canvassing and Mrs. Eva Blount, Mrs. and Mrs. Billy Vaughn, and Mrs. John Clark are happy that their district is the first one to make a complete report.

The workers in the business district of Carlisle are making progress and have made a partial report. The other districts have not completed their work and have not reported as yet. They are still busy with their canvassing. A more complete report will be made later.

However, we can report that $341.00 has been turned in to the County Chairman and Co-Chairman, Miss Mary Margaret Fitzchings and Mr. Russell Alexander. The Drive Quota is $2400.00 this year. We expect to exceed the quota.

SAVE OLD MAGAZINES

Mrs. Hobart Stall, chairman of the Nicholas County Cancer committee asks that everyone save their old magazines for collection by the Cancer group next month.

Six Nicholas Students Enrolled At Morehead

Enrollment for the second semester at Morehead State College stood at 696 when registration closed this week, it was shown in figures released by Registrar Linus A. Fair. This is a slight drop from first semester enrollment, but the figure is expected to increase by more than 100 with the beginning of the spring term, April 1.

Registering from Nicholas County were: Gayle Blair Bowen, Minerva Bowen, Johnnie Gaylord Fryman, Donnie Gayle Gaunce and Elizabeth Ann Gudgell, Carlisle, and Donald Conway Cameron, of Myers.

'Gunless' Scotland Yard To Mark 125th Anniversary This Year

It is a firm belief at Scotland Yard, London's police headquarters, that a policeman should not carry a gun.

Neither uniformed "P. C.'s" (police constables) nor inspectors of the C. I. D.—the Yard's Criminal Investigation Department—normally are armed with more than short truncheons. Guns, they feel, would only provoke criminals into carrying them too. For 125 years Scotland Yard men have been just walked in and captured the crooks.

Their law enforcement record probably has made a block-long group of gray stone buildings along the Thames Embankment near Westminster Abbey the world's most famous police station.

"Thief-takers"

Actually the address is New Scotland Yard, although the "New" is usually forgetten. Old Scotland Yard was in Whitehall, where in Saxon times the kings of Scotland stayed when they came to pay homage to the English court.

In 1749 novelist Henry Fielding, appointed London's first paid police magistrate, organized a small group of helpers. They became known as the "thief-takers." Not until 1829, however, was Scotland Yard's force created under Sir Robert Peel.

This year marks the Yard's 125th anniversary. So well known has its work become that an administrative reorganization recently made news even in the United States.

Peel's men were first dubbed "Peelers," and then more familiarly, "Bobbies." The nickname "copper" or "cop" is said to derive from copper buttons worn by Peel's force. Today a "coppers nark" in England means a stool pigeon, or police informer.

Scotland Yard is nothing more or less than the headquarters of the Metropolitan Police of London. Technically its jurisdiction covers only the 734 square miles of greater London, minus one square mile in the middle protected by the C. I. D.—the Yard's Criminal Investigation Department. The Lord Mayor's men.

If serious crime occurs elsewhere in England, the nearest local constable can call for help from Scotland Yard. A "Flying Squad" is always ready. If such assistance is requested within 24 hours, it's free; otherwise the local government has to foot the bill.

Dial 999

By simply dialing 999, Londoners can be connected directly to Scotland Yard's Information Room. Within three minutes, on the average, a "Sweeney"—radio patrol car—will be at the scene, the National Geographic Society says.

The Map Room keeps track not only of the location of every police car, some disguished as delivery trucks, taxis, or private cars, but also where all major crimes take place over the preceding six months.

Along Scotland Yard's passages, offices with coal-burning fireplaces and the famous "Black Museum" hold memories of Britain's worst criminals. Jack the Ripper, wife-slaying Dr. Crippen, and the "Charing Cross Trunk Murderer" are only a few. Around the museum's walls hang death masks of men executed for their crimes.

Scotland Yard's total force of approximately 16,000 men, including about 1,400 C. I. D. detectives, closely matches the New York Police Department. Its backbone is the dignified, courteous "P. C." or bobby.

His uniform remains the

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City To Replace Manual Meters With 3-Coin Automatic Type

City Enters Agreement With Firm To Investigate Pipe Line To Licking River

Conservation Contest For FFA Is Announced

Prizes totaling $240 have been announced for the fifth annual Kentucky Future Farmers of America Soil and Water Conservation Contest.

The announcement was made by Barry Bingham, president of The Courier-Journal, The Louisville Time and WHAS, Inc.; James L. Patton, state director of vocational education, and H. C. Gayle, state conservationist.

Any Future Farmer regularly enrolled in high school vocational agriculture is eligible to enter the contest. Graduates of last spring competing if they are under 21 years old and if soil and water management was part of their regular agriculture program.

State winner will receive $50; second-place winner, $40, and third-place winner, $30. Prizes of $20 each will go to the winners from the six remaining F. F. A. districts.

The three top winners and their parents will also receive all-expense-paid trips to Louisville as guests at the annual Farm Awards Luncheon next February.

The contest period is any 12 months ending between January 1 and March 1. Deadline for entries is May 31. Each contestant must submit a report of his year's accomplishments, a story explaining the conservation practices he carried out, plus two maps of the farm on which his soil conservation work was done.

Entry forms may be obtained from the Kentucky Association of F. F. A., Division of Agriculture, Frankfort, Kentucky.

Contract Signed With Louisville Firm; Call Meeting Tonight

At a call meeting of the city council last Friday night Mr. Lucas, a representative of the bond brokerage firm of Stein Bros. & Boyce, of Louisville, presented a contract relative to a survey as to the feasibility of installing a pipe line to Licking River.

The contract was read before Councilmen William Harper, H. C. Galbraith, Charles Shrout, Woodrow Wilson, William H. Frye, Eugene Neal; Mayor William Power, City Attorney Roger Womack and City Clerk W. J. Greene. After a discussion of the contract's merits, a motion by Councilman Galbraith, seconded by Councilman Harper that the contract appointing Stein, Bros. & Boyce as the city's fiscal agent be accepted. It was unanimously approved by the council.

According to Mr. Lucas the city will not be out anything other than an engineer's fee in the event the plan isn't accepted. If the survey proves that such a pipe line system can be made a paying venture Stein Bros. & Boyce will advertise for construction bids, have bonds prepared in the amount needed and handle all other legal matters. Their fee for work done will be five percent of the par value of bonds sold and is payable only if such bonds are sold.

Mr. W. J. Rutledge Jr., also a member of Stein Bros. & Boyce will meet with the council tonight (Thursday) along with several engineers who will make a brief outline of the proposed costs of the pipe line.

Engineering firms expected to be represented at the meeting are Howard K. Bell and Kenney Company of Lexington.

Other business before the council was the passing of a motion to order badges for police. It was decided that three cap type and three shirt badges be ordered and that the individual policemen would be required to make a substantial deposit for each badge issued to them.

It was also brought to the attention of the council that water customers who wish to discontinue their water service should call Brooks Hemon, water superintendent and that only he or his representatives have the authority to turn off the service.

CONWAY FARM SELLS

Two tracts of land offered for auction sale Saturday afternoon, formerly owned by the late Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Conway were purchased by Joe Allen Stone and Charles Hammonds. Stone purchased a 51 acre tract at $6,500, and Hammonds the 70 acre tract at $4,000.

Earl Hamm local auctioneer and realtor handled the sale.

VFW HOLDS ELECTION

Members of Lloyd George Post 8666 Veterans Of Foreign Wars will hold their annual election of officers at their meeting, March 11, at the local clubrooms. Important business for the year will be discussed and all members are urged to attend.

Refreshments will be served, following the meeting.

HOUSE WITHDRAWN

A two-story, seven-room brick veneer house at 455 Locust street, owned by Mrs. Ira Green, was withdrawn at public auction this afternoon by the administrators, Lloyd Green and Walter Miller, on a bid of $9,100. The auction was handled by the Scott-Kendall Sales Company.

High winds which reached here on Thursday night, stopped traffic on the Moorefield road, when a large tree in front of the Cooper home, fell across the highway.