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DISCUSSION — Lexington Signal Depot United Fund officials meet with Colonel Charles H. Phipps, Depot Commander, to discuss the success of the recently completed community project. Meeting in the commander's office are, from left, Billy C. Graves, depot chairman, Winchester; Miss Imogene Westfall, secretary-treasurer, Carlisle; Sgt. James H. Glisson, executive committee, Winchester and Colonel Phipps.

'The Old Rugged Cross' County's favorite hymn; Nation's too

"The Old Rugged Cross' is Carlisle's favorite hymn.

Readers of the Mercury cast 11 votes for "The Old Rugged Cross" for first place in the National Newspapers Hymn Poll.

"What A Friend We Have In Jesus" received 6 votes for second place and "Beyond The Sunset" was third.

A total of 64 readers of the Mercury voted in the hymn poll, which ended October 10.

National Results

More than 61,000 newspaper readers from coast to coast voted in the National Newspapers Hymn Poll and 10,482 of them chose "The Old Rugged Cross", a vivid hymn which describes the traditional meaning of the Cross, as their dearest religious song.

"How Great Thou Art", a dynamic gospel song describing God's omnipotence, received 8,449 votes.

"The National Newspapers Hymn Poll results show that American churchgoers want to sing sentimental hymns and gospel songs like 'The Old Rugged Cross'," McVey said. "If we are to get all Americans singing the hymns or gospel songs of the church again, choir directors, organists and ministers should note the favorites of newspaper readers across the country and encourage religious singing of every variety," he said.

The enthusiastic response to the National Newspapers Hymn Poll by men and women in almost every state indicates that ministers and choir directors should encourage more hymn singing in their churches and at the same time urge everyone to express his faith with song every day.

Official Results of National Tabulation

Note: Figure in parentheses shows ranking in 1960 CHRISTIAN HERALD poll.

Total votes follow each hymn.

1. (1) The Old Rugged Cross 10,482.
2. (4) How Great Thou Art 8,449.
3. (2)What a Friend We Have in Jesus 4,167.
4. (3) In the Garden 3,868.
5. (9) Amazing Grace 1,816.
6. (7) Rock of Ages 1,511.
7. (5) Sweet Hour of Prayer 1,157.
8. (6). Abide with Me 1,112.
9. (11) Beyond the Sunset 1,050.
10. (27) Whispering Hope 741.

V.F.W. POST THANKSGIVING SUPPER SET FOR NOV. 17

The Lloyd George Post 8666 will have a Thanksgiving supper on Friday night, November 17 at 7:00 p.m. The supper will be held at the Post. All V. F. W. members and their wives are invited to attend and bring a covered dish. "Ole Tom" turkey will be furnished by the Post.

In The Service

Leaves for Ft. Knox

Second Lieutenant Ted Inako, left Wednesday for eight weeks officers training at Fort Knox. Following the advance training there, he will be given a 30-day furlough before reporting to Ft. Mason, California, enroute to Korea.

Bussell on Okinawa

Army Pvt. Albert D. Bussell, 23, whose wife, Wanda, and mother, Mrs. Myrtle B. Bussell, live on Route 1, Moorefield, recently arrived on Okinawa with other personnel of the 8th Missile Battalion, 3d Artillery under Operation OVURFP, the Army's Overseas Unit Replacement Program.

Bussell's organization, a Hawk missile unit, was previously stationed at Fort Bliss, Tex. Following arrival on Okinawa, the "Keystone of the Pacific", the battalion was assigned for duty with the 30th Artillery Brigade (Air Defense), Ryukya Islands.

A rocket launcher crewman in the battalion's Battery C, Bussell entered the Army in December 1960 and received basic training at Fort Knox, Ky.

Martin held in robbery case

Tony Martin, 21, Bourbon County, is being held in the Nicholas County jail in connection with the beating and robbing of a retired merchant here Oct. 29.

Martin was arrested Friday at Lexington after he cashed earlier last week at a Mt. Sterling filing station, a $75 check made out to G. C. Townsend, who was knocked unconscious and robbed in his barn.

The check, along with $40 in cash and personal papers, was stolen after Townsend was struck by an unidentified assailant.

Martin waived examining trial at a preliminary hearing Saturday and is being held in jail in lieu of $2,500 bond on a robbery charge. He was ordered held to the grand jury.

Deadline near for grain signup

Less than a month remains in which growers may file application to take part in the 1962 winter wheat stabilization and the 1962 feed grain program for winter barley, H. S. Vice, Chairman, Nicholas County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, reminded farmers today.

The deadline is December 1, the Chairman declared, which means that producers may sign up in either program at any time through Friday, Dec. 1.

Farmers who take part in the programs will be eligible to receive special payments for diverting a portion of their acreage from the production of wheat (or barley, as the case may be) and devoting that acreage to an approved conservation use, and they will also qualify for price support on their 1962 crop.

The 1962 Wheat support is at a minimum national average of $2 a bushel. While the 1962 barley price support has not yet been announced, it will be at a level not less than for 1961. The national average support price for 1961-crop barley was 93 cents per bushel.

Clark woman fatally stabbed by husband

Claude T. Jamison, 35, of Clark County, was given a hearing in County Court on a charge of murder in connection with the fatal stabbing of his wife near Mackstown Dance Hall, six miles from Carlisle at Jacksontown near the Bourbon County line.

Mrs. Jamison died at 6 a.m. Sunday at the Nicholas County Hospital of stab wounds alleged to have been inflicted by her husband about 11 p.m. Saturday during an argument outside the dance hall which Deputy Sheriff Bill Dollins said is operated by Mack Ritchie.

State Trooper Ed Post said Mrs. Jamison was stabbed in the lower abdomen and two main arteries were severed. He said she was stabbed with a four-inch pocket knife.

Dollins said Jamison remained at the dance hall after the stabbing until he was placed under arrest by Trooper Post and Sheriff John Anderson. He was placed in jail without bond. Officers said Jamison declined to discuss the stabbing but said that he admitted stabbing his wife.

Officers said Jamison told them he and his wife went to the dance hall with another man who has not been identified.

Mr. and Mrs. Jamison lived on the Crowe Ridge Road in Clark County.

Local essay contest prizes

Each student in Nicholas County, fifth through 12th grades, has an opportunity to win a U.S. Savings Bond, cash prizes, and a free airplane ride by participating in the 1961 Soil Conservation Essay Contest. Subject of the contest is, "Water—It's Effect on My Community's Future."

Essays submitted at the county level, through the school, must be written in ink or typewritten on one side of the paper only. There is no minimum number of words, but the maximum is 1,000 words. The essays must be submitted to the school principal by midnight, December 2, 1961.

Prizes will be as follows:

State—1st place, $100 U. S. Savings Bond; 2nd, $75 U. S. Savings Bond; 3rd, $50 U. S. Savings Bond.

County—1st, $25 U. S. Savings Bond; 2nd, $10 in Cash, 3rd, $7; 4th, $5; 5th, $3.

In addition: the best essay in each grade, 5th thru 12th, in each school $1; second best in each grade $1. At least 10 essays must be written in a respective grade to qualify for a grade award. An airplane ride from Lexington to Carlisle and return for the writers of the three best essays in the entire county.

An airplane ride around Lexington to the writers of the three best essays in each school in each group as follows:

Group I: 5th, 6th, 7th grades; group II: 8th grade; group III: 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th grades. (Note: At least 30 essays must be written by each group in each school to qualify for Group award.

William F. Threlkeld, of the USDA Soil Conservation Service proclaims, "Let's encourage more boys and girls to participate in this educational effort to insure continued sponsorship of this valuable contest."

The contest is sponsored locally by the Nicholas County Soil Conservation District in cooperation with the State Department of Education and the Louisville Courier-Journal and Times.

30 students of Science class visit reservoir; observe filtering process

The 30 students and the teacher of 8A science class of Nicholas County high recently went on a field trip to the Carlisle Water Work's Plant. Oliver Vice, plant superintendent, showed the class over the plant and explained how raw water becomes a finished pure product safe for human consumption.

Let's go along with the science class and find out just how Carlisle does get its supply of pure water. Mr. Vice, first pointed out the man made reservoir which also has a direct line to Licking River to furnish a source of water during times of drouth. Located in the pumping station, the low lifts have a capacity of pumping 600 gallons per minute of raw water (straight from the lake) into the mixing chamber.

The process of changing raw water into finished water begins in the mixing chamber where first is added lime and alum sulfate. The lime acts as a softner and sets up a 25% alkalinity which acts with the alum to set up a floc. The floc helps to clearify and settle out the impurities of the water as it passes through the 160,000 gallon settling basin. Coming out of the settling basin the water passes into the sand filters. The two filtering basins each contain 20 inches of graded gravel and 30 inches of sand.

The class especially enjoyed watching the back washing process of one of the filter basins. The back washing is a cleaning process of the filter and takes approximately 12,000 gallons of water in 10 minutes to clean one filter. The filtered water passes into the 50,000 gallon capacity clear well where chlorine is added at the rate of five parts per million to purify the water. Now the settled, filtered and chlorinated or finished water is pumped by the high lifts at the rate of 450 gallons per minute to the 140,000 gallon storage tanks.

At the present time the plant is operated on an eight hour shift to meet the local water demands. However, the plant was built and has the capacity to meet a much heavier output as an expanding population and industry demands.

Mr. Vice sends samples of water regularly to the Department of Health in Frankfort and regularly the plant is inspected by the Department.

8A Science Class has learned that a water plant is built for protection of health as required by the State Board of Health, for fire protection as required by the fire underwriters who insure property, and for expansion of industry. The Carlisle water plant supplies all three needs.

ATTENDS TRAP SHOOT

Paul Smoot recently attended a trap shoot at Lexington where he won two hams and one turkey for high scores.

ROBERT WILSON BUYS PUREBRED ANGUS COWS

Robert Wilson, Carlisle, recently purchased six Aberdeen Angus cows from James B. Gay of Mt. Sterling.

DEVELOPMENT MEET SET

There will be a meeting of the Nicholas County Development Corporation tonight, Nov. 16 at 7:30 at the court house. All interested persons are urged to attend.

Tobacco Festival Friday morning at Armory

Final plans have been completed for staging the 5th Annual Tobacco Festival to be held Friday of this week at the Carlisle Armory, Lovell Hollar, Chairman, said. The Armory will be open by 7:30 a.m. on Friday morning and entries will be received up until 11:00 a.m. Judging of entries will be completed by 11:00 or 12:00 Noon by Russell Hunt, Field Agent in Tobacco from the University of Kentucky and a Federal Tobacco Grader.

Tobacco Festival is Special Farm-City Week Activity

As a means of emphasizing the importance of the interdependence of Farm and City people the Tobacco Festival has been designated as a special activity.

UNION THANKSGIVING SERVICE NOV. 22 AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

A union Thanksgiving Service will be held in the Carlisle Christian Church on Wednesday evening November 22nd. at 7:30. All Carlisle churches are participating. Rev. Clarence Hamm, pastor of the Carlisle Pilgrim Holiness Church will be the speaker. There will be special music. The public is very cordially invited to attend this special meeting.

HOPKINS ENROLLED AT CENTRE COLLEGE

Billy Greene Hopkins of Carlisle, has enrolled for the first semester of the 1961-62 school year at Centre College of Kentucky in Danville.

Hopkins is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hopkins, 101 North Street and is a 1960 graduate of Millersburg Military Institute. At M.M.I he was active in athletic and academic affairs. His awards include the American History Award and the Baush Lomb Science Award.

DIABETES TESTING STILL AVAILABLE

Facilities for testing for diabetes are still available during the rest of this week. Your Nicholas County Health Department can make this test which is simple, painless and free to all members of the community.

DEER HUNTERS RETURN HOME

Deer hunters in Lewis county last week were Paul Sapp, Billy Norton, James Whirles, Marvin Whirles, James Barnes, Bobby Buchannon, Calvin Asbury, Otis Broderick, James B. Ledford, James H. Williams, Clarence Cord, Frank Hamilton, Charles Hamilton, Sid Ewald and Walter Wyrick.

Only three deer were brought home.

DEEDS RECORDED

Urban E. Peaback to Eugene Purvis and wife, house and lot in Dorsey Addition.

Leslie Clay Snapp and wife to Charles A. Green and wife, house and lot Dorsey Addition.

Ruth Workman to John Bowles and wife, house and two lots in Dorsey Addition.

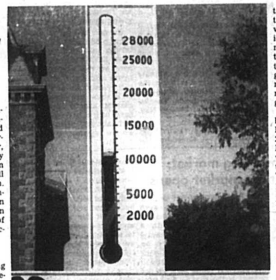
Everett Watkins and wife to Nicholas County Development Corp., 75.71 acres on Hickory Ridge Road.

Mrs. Lou T. Bishop estate to Guy Neal and wife, house and lot on West Main Street.

Harry Flick and wife, Arthur J. Palmer and wife, to Cliff Vice, 30 acres on Cassidy Creek.

Ina Argo, estate to William Martin and wife, 30 acres on U.S. Highway 68, at Blue Licks.

Rep. Watts will visit in County



DISTRICT CAMP SITE FUND DRIVE

A stick of tobacco can help at lot in current 4-H Camp Site Fund Drive

Give a stick of tobacco, so we can thaw out the thermometer which is seemingly stuck at the $11,000 mark, is the plea of all area chairmen and Harvey Wagoner, president of the 4-H Camp Site Fund Drive.

For persons short of cash, a stick of tobacco is an easy way to help Nicholas County meet its obligation—have your stick of burley ready for the 4-H workers when they call.

The 4-H Camp Site Drive is being extended to all areas of the County. Ellisville reports Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hamm as chairmen with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hildreth as co-chairmen and Mrs. J. E. Soper as competent workers.

Fire destroys barn, tobacco

A four-bent tobacco barn on the farm of Miss Mary Lois Campbell, located on the Carpenter Pike four and a half miles south of here, was destroyed by fire last Tuesday night.

The cause of the fire has not been determined. It contained a two and one-half acre tobacco crop, tractor, harrow, wheat drill and tobacco sticks.

Half of the leaf belonged to Edgar Roach, a tenant on the farm.

No estimate has been made of the loss, which was partly insured.

PROCLAMATION

By The JUDGE of Nicholas County, Kentucky

TO ALL WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

WHEREAS the prosperity and well-being of Nicholas County are dependent upon cooperation between the two great elements of our society: farmers and urban people, and

WHEREAS the complexities of their individual problems and the divergence of their activities have led to a widening gulf of misunderstanding, and

WHEREAS this gulf of misunderstanding must be eliminated, and each group must understand the other if our American way of life is to endure, and

WHEREAS Farm-City Week provides an unparalleled opportunity for farm and city people to become re-acquainted,

NOW THEREFORE, I, Floyd Clark, Judge of Nicholas County, do call upon all citizens of this County to observe the period of November 17 through November 23 to be

FARM-CITY WEEK

and I do further call upon all citizens to participate to the limit of their capability in the joint visits, the seminars, the pageants, fairs, civic and social events attendant to a successful Farm-City Week in Nicholas County.

Done at Carlisle, Kentucky this the 14th day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-one.

Floyd Clark,
Judge of Nicholas County.

NCGS buys new equipment

The teachers and students of Nicholas County Grade School have purchased a 35 foot flag pole for their school. The money was raised by the selling of school supplies by the teachers, the selling of candy baskets by the students, and from the Halloween Carnival held this fall.

They have also ordered 100 chairs for the lunch room and general use. $100.00 was appropriated by the Nicholas County Grade P.T.A. for this purpose. The chairs will cost approximately $400.00, and the balance of this will be paid with money raised by the grade school.

RHODA L. BROTHERS DIES

Mrs. Rhoda Lawrence Brothers of Maysville, died November 15 at Maysville. She is the widow of the late Newton Brothers. Mr. and Mrs. Brothers spent their early life in Nicholas County.

She is survived by three sons, M. G. and Gene M. of Maysville and William E. of Danville, Va., one sister, Mrs. Mason Bryant, Mason county, and two brothers, Claude and Carl Lawrence of Michigan.

The funeral will be Friday at 2 p.m. at the Knox Funeral Home in Maysville with burial in the Carlisle cemetery.

HEALTH OFFICE CLOSED MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20

The Nicholas County Health Department will be closed all day Monday in order that the personell may attend a meeting at the State Health Department in Frankfort.

Representative John C. Watts today informed the Editor of this newspaper that he plans to visit Nicholas County and various post office and other communities in the County in order to afford the people an opportunity to personally discuss any governmental problems they may have as well as any other matter affecting their national government.

His present plans call for his being at the County Court House at Carlisle, on November 27, 1961, from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 Noon, and he has scheduled visits to other communities in the County as follows: Place; Time of Arrival; Time of Departure and Date are in order:

Farmers Stockyards 1:00 p.m.; 2:00 p.m., November 27.

Carlisle Stock Yards 1:00 p.m.; p.m.; 4:30 p.m., November 27.

Headquarters 9:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., November 28.

Barterville 10:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., November 28.

Oakland Mills 11:15 a.m., 11:45 a.m., November 28.

Ellisville 12:00 Noon, 12:30 p.m., November 28.

Blue Lick Park 12:35 p.m., 1:00 p.m., November 28.

Blue Licks 1:35 p.m., 1:45 p.m., November 28.

Myers 2:00 p.m., 2:45 p.m., November 28.

Sprout 3:00 p.m., 3:30 p.m., November 28.

Moorefield 3:40 p.m., 4:00 p.m., November 28.

East Union 4:10 p.m., 4:20 p.m., November 28.

Jackstown 4:30 p.m., 5:00 p.m., November 28.

The Congressman expressed regret that time and the rigid schedule of his visit would not permit him to make a personal call on each of his friends and constituents. However, he evidenced the hope that as many as possible would endeavor to meet him on the occasion and at the place of his visit.

It is the thought of the Editor that all of us should take advantage of this opportunity so that we can discuss with our Representative our thoughts and views concerning matters in which we as a county or individuals may be particularly interested.

Such an effort on the part of our Congressman should be rewarded with a representative gathering at each of his scheduled visits.

EXAMINATIONS SET

The Peace Corps examinations will be held in the Federal Building, Lexington, at 8:30 a.m. promptly, November 28 and 29 for those in this area who wish to apply, the local Post Office was informed today.

ON CRITICAL LIST

Mrs. Luther Peters of Route 1, is on the critical list at the Nicholas County hospital, at press time Wednesday.

FORMER CLERK ILL

John F. Sugg, former Nicholas County Clerk, who has been ill for some time, was moved to the local hospital Tuesday, for treatment.

4-H Achievement Day awards made

Annual 4-H Achievement Night was held last Friday night at the Nicholas County high school. Mrs. Harvey Wagoner, president of the County 4-H Council, presided. Leader's certificates were awarded to the following: Mrs. James Simons, Mrs. Marvin Caswell, Mrs. Sue Wagoner, Mrs. Howard Irvin, Miss Lavina McFarland, Mrs. Glenn Hardin, Mrs. Chad Whitaker, G. L. Curstinger, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Grear, Mrs. Leona Jarber, Mrs. Hasel Swartz, Mrs. Noble Gillispie, Mrs. Jimmy Conrad, Mrs. Luther Thompson, Mrs. Eugene Neal, Mrs. Tobay Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Darrell, Mrs. R. M. Hildreth,

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