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Deaths

Dr. Ermine Martin

Mrs. W. H. Martin received a message from Mt. Orab, Ohio, Sunday announcing the death of her stepson, Dr. Ermine Martin, following an illness of several months.

He was a son of the late Dr. William H. Martin, a physician in Carlisle for many years.

Others survivors are his wife, Laura Wade Martin, and nieces and nephews. Funeral and burial took place Tuesday at Mt. Orab.

Ed Wallace

Ed Wallace, 62, Bourbon county farmer, died at 9:40 a.m. Tuesday at the Bourbon County hospital. He was a native of Nicholas county.

He is survived by a son, Roy Wallace, Bourbon county; a daughter, Mrs. Elsie May Giles, Michigan; three stepdaughters, Mrs. Francis Terry and Mrs. Elsie Hedges, both of Bourbon county, and Mrs. Agnes Rogers, Cynthiana; a stepson, Chester Ransdell, Paris, two sisters, Mrs. Nancy Barbee, Nicholas county, and Mrs. Ida Burton, Paris, and a grandson.

Funeral services at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at The Davis Chapel. Burial in the Mt. Pleasant Cemetery in Nicholas county.

Mrs. George W. Moore

Mrs. Betty Jane Moore, 37, of 319 Locust Street, Cynthiana, died at 9:30 a.m. Monday in the Harrison Memorial Hospital after a two-year illness. She was a native of Nicholas County and was a member of the Cynthiana Baptist Church.

She is survived by her husband George W. Moore, two sons, Charles Henry Moore, Syracuse, N. Y., and Harmon G. Moore, Cynthiana, three daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Herbert, Hamilton, Ohio, Miss Nancy Jean Moore and Mrs. Ella Mae Tolliver, Cynthiana, three sisters, Mrs. Ad Richey and Mrs. Lou Barleywine, Nicholas County and Mrs. Mattie Sorton, Carlisle.

Funeral services will be conducted at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at the Smith-Rees Chapel by the Rev. Don T. Davidson. Burial in the Battle Grove Cemetery.

Ora Cassity

Ora Cassity, 80, of 1439 High Street, Paris, a retired carpenter died at 2:15 a.m. Sunday at the Bentley Nursing Home in Lexington. He was a native of Nicholas County.

Survivors are two nieces, Miss Hazel Martin, Paris, and Mrs. J. W. Oakley, Evansville, Ind. and four nephews, William Rankin, and Jimmy Martin, Paris, and Walter Martin, Covington.

Funeral services were conducted at 2:30 p.m. Monday at the Davis Funeral Chapel by the Rev. G. B. Tomlin. Burial in the Paris Cemetery. Pallbearers, Woodrow Florence, Woodrow H. Florence, Walter Martin, Jr., James and William Martin, Manuel Smith and Bob Bell and George E. Lasley.

Mrs. Nancy Metcalf Norton

Mrs. Nancy Metcalf Norton, 80, widow of William T. Norton, died at 11:30 a.m. Sunday at a Lexington hospital after a two week illness. A native of Nicholas County, she was a member of the Carlisle Christian Church. She was a daughter of the late Sen. and Mrs. Sola Metcalfe.

Survivors are a stepson, Hiram Norton, Nicholas County; two brothers, C. B. Metcalf, Houston, Va., and Thomas Metcalf, Norwood, Ohio; two sisters, Miss Katie Metcalf and Mrs. Jane McConaughhay, Carlisle, and a sister-in-law with whom she made her home, Mrs. Ed E. Metcalf, Carlisle, three nieces and three nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Matheny-Shearer Chapel by the Rev. Leon Bowman. Burial in the Carlisle Cemetery. Pallbearers were E. E. Alexander, W. S. Lefton, Henry A. Palmer, Chester Osborne, Albert Henry and Eugene Neal.

New Council seated Tuesday as city begins new year

Clarence attempted to attend Tuesday night's council session, but the old boy was sent home before he got his "back up"—Clarence you see, is City Clerk Ann Harper's cat and a well-behaved mewer at that.

New Council Seated

Four members of the old council, namely, Teddy Poe, Rector Smoot, Robert Courtney and William Harper, heard the reading of the minutes of the Dec. 4 meeting, gave their approval without question and were dismissed by Mayor Bill Power. The new council was seated (Mr. Poe, Mr. Harper, Darrell Darnell, George Morland, Kash Grimes and Paul Garrett) and the city's business moved forward at a rapid pace.

Addresses Council

Mayor Power addressed the council with a few choice remarks—mainly "I would like to be friendly with those assembled, but I am not gonna be pushed around, and if any more sign are called, the would do the calling; and leave your personal matters out."

Committees Named

The six main committees were organized with the first named as chairman.

Police—Grimes, Harper and Moreland

Streets & Alleys—Moreland, Garrett, Harper

Finance—Poe, Garrett, and Darnell.

Water, Sewer & Gas—Harper, Darnell, Poe.

Building & Lighting—Garrett, Moreland, Grimes.

Supplies—Darnell, Grimes, and Poe.

Employees Re-hired

All city employees were rehired at the same salary.

Breaks Tie

A tie vote resulted on the application of Attorney Joe Frank Combs for the post as city attorney. Voting for Mr. Combs were Poe, Garrett and Grimes. Moreland, Harper and Darnell for Roger Womack. The tie was broken in favor of Mr. Womack by Mayor Power. The post pays $75 per month.

$50 Purchase Made

A filing cabinet and desk, the property of retiring Judge Joe Clay, was purchased for the sum of $50 for use by Police Judge Ben Alexander.

Wants Budget Explained

Finance Chairman Poe, expressed the desire that the auditor come before the council and explain the budget, so that council would have a working knowledge of funds at their disposal.

$7,576.92 Collected

A report of Police Chief Eugene Purvis showed motor collections totaling $4,861.87 for the year 1961, and police court fines totaling $2,715.25. A total of 161 arrests were made.

To Seek Ruling

A question by Poe concerning whether the city would abide by the law (KRS 61.270) in the matter of councilmen doing business with the city or do otherwise, was left dangling until Mayor Power could contact Attorney General John Breckenridge for a ruling in the matter.

Alley Blocking

Police Chief Purvis was instructed by the mayor to jacket all vehicles found blocking city alleyways.

Privilege Parking

A parking area in front of Pittman's store on East Main street was ordered marked as reserved during the hours of 6 p.m. to 6 a.m. for use by Kenneth Knapke, hospital technician.

Mr. Knapke is on call at all hours it was explained to council and the matter of working a parked car in a dark alley was inconvenient, if not dangerous.

Join Municipal League

On motion by Harper seconded by Grimes, council voted to join the Kentucky Municipal League and the local Chamber of Commerce. Dues are $10.40 and $25 per year respectively.

Bills Paid

On motion of Darnell, second ed by Moreland, council voted to pay all bills found to be due. It was four for paying one against and one abstaining. Council was dismissed by Mayor Power at 8:20 p.m.

SALE REPORTED

The home of the late Chris Frey was sold privately Thursday to Miss Evelyn George, Sr., it was private sale was handled by Earl Tapscott, auctioneer and real estate agent.

Mockstown dance hall is closed

The case of the Commonwealth of Kentucky versus Mack Ritchie was heard in County Judge Floyd Clark on Thursday, December 28. The warrant against Ritchie was dismissed on his agreement to close permanently his Dance Hall at Jacksetown, Kentucky effective January 1, 1962.

Mr. Ritchie was permitted to continue to operate a fishing lake and restaurant which he built at Jacksetown several years ago with the understanding there would be no further dancing at the establishment.

Curtis S. Wills was register ed a patient at the St. Joseph hospital, Lexington, Friday morning.

ENTERTAINING USE . . . Jack Bakker, district manager of safety division, Ohio, looks over a speedster designed throughout the use of electricity. Use per mile? Electricity at a cost of 1c fuel.

New Chamber board to elect at meet tonight

A count of ballots by directors of the Carlisle-Nicholas County Chamber of Commerce, meeting Dec. 28, at the post-office shows the following elected to the board:

Elmer Dampier, Wayne Gaunce, Charles Watkins, R. L. Talbert, Clyde Sexton and A. V. Allison.

Directors remaining on the board for their second year are Paul Garrett, Ralph Shearer, Joe Crouch, Charles N. Cox, Powell Neal and Wayne Shumate.

The new board is scheduled to meet tonight (Thursday) in the postoffice basement to select officers for the 1962 term.

Sportsmen endorse resolution

At a meeting of the Eighth District Federation of Sportsmen Sunday at the club house of the Nicholas County Fish and Game Club, the group went on record endorsing a resolution that seeks to maintain the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources as an independent agency and not to group it as proposed in a Reorganization Bill to presented to the General Assembly at Frankfort.

The second portion of the resolution pertains to the removal of the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources from the Game Merit law or system and to place it again under State Civil Service.

The resolution was signed by C. H. Bruce, Greenup, chairman, Thomas D. Threlkeld Jr. and Roger C. Womack.

Twelve counties besides Nicholas were represented by members of the various sportsmens clubs. They were Boyd, Bath, Bourbon, Carter, Greenup, Lewis, Mason, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan, Rowan and Wolfe.

Talks were made by State Rep. Brooks Hinkle, Charles Bruce, Commissioner of Wildlife and Dick Tyler, Eighth District Director Sixty persons were present for the meeting.

Library willed brick home at Mt. Sterling

The Mt. Sterling Library has been bequeathed a brick home on West High Street by the will of Mrs. Mary Thompson Scott. Mrs. Scott, formerly a resident of Carlisle and was a librarian of the late Judge Harris Kennedy.

The library is presently operated by the Mt. Sterling Woman's Club. Mrs. Kennedy was a charter member of the library board, having served from 1908 until her death last week.

The will provides that the library must be housed in her home within three years or the house will go to her heirs at law. In the event the library is not housed in the home for a period of 10 years it will go to her heirs but if the provision is met the title will go to the library.

Mrs. Kennedy also left all her Virginia National Bank stock as contribution to the library. Attorney Lewis A. White was named as executor of her estate. The remainder of which was divided among relatives except for a few small bequests to friends.

TO SERVE ON JURY

The following men Carlisle have been called for jury service during the new term of U. S. District court which began Monday. Called are: Charles Hopkins, James Lane, Mrs. Wilma T. Stone and Frank Bruce.

Bill Dollins assumes duties

Nicholas County has but one new county official. Officers assumed four-year terms Monday. William Dollins, succeeded John Anderson as sheriff. Other officers reelected in November include Floyd Clark, county judge; Charles N. Cox, county attorney; J. Berry Burnam, county clerk; A. S. Allison, tax commissioner; Albert Booth, coroner, and Ralph Shearer, surveyor. Mrs. Beulah Hughes, circuit court clerk, has two more years of her six year term to serve.

Allison elected as tax group representative

At the December meeting of the Kentucky Tax Commissioners convention held in Louisville, A. V. "Doc" Allison was elected legislative representative from the 6th Congressional District. This committee is composed of a member from each Congressional District and will work with the 1962 legislature and the Department of Revenue on new laws possibly the repeal of some existing laws.

Commissioner Allison wishes to call to the attention of the people of Nicholas County that the 1960 legislature passed a law which requires that all real estate be re-valued during 1962 and 1963. This work will be done by Commissioner Allison during the coming assessment and next years assessment.

The Tax Commissioner's office is now open six days a week and all property owners are asked to come in and list their property as soon as possible.

DEATH TAKES MOTHER OF MISS CHLOE GIFFORD

Mrs. Lelia Shield Gifford mother of Miss Chloe Gifford and widow of John S. Gifford died at 4:30 p.m. Saturday at the same hostmitrust hospital, Lexington, after a short illness.

Mrs. Gifford was a native of Mason County, near the Blue Licks section, but she had lived in Lexington since 1910. She was a member of Woodland Christian Church, where she had served as president of the Daughters of Woodland and Christian Church, where she had served as president of the Daughters of Woodland and Christian Church, where she was a member of its various circles of discussions.

She was a daughter of the late James and Sarah Clarke Shield.

Miss Gifford, a member of the faculty of the University of Kentucky and a past president of the American Federation of Women's Clubs, is her mother's only survivor.

Services were held Wednesday at 11:00 a.m. at the W. S. Milward Mortuary.

Burial in the Lexington Cemetery.

Nov. Bond sales

The citizens of Nicholas County purchased $6,000 in Series E and H Savings Bonds during November, bringing the County's cumulative sales for the year to $76,550. The County's goal is $102,500.

In Kentucky, sales during November reached $6,000,000, which brings the cumulative sales to $68,070,000 against the annual goal of $80,000,000.

100 HEAD SOLD TUESDAY

Sales were light but prices good at the Carlisle Stock Yard, Tuesday, January 2, as follows:

Steers—325 Feeders 16.00 to 16.50; stock steers 15.00 to 15.75; stock bugs 14.00 to 15.00.

Heifers—40 Heifers 15.00 to 15.50; stock heifers 13.00 to 15.00; stock cows 11.00 to 12.00.

Cattle—40 Cutter cows 9.00 to 11.00; fat cows 14.00 to 15.00; stock steers 12.00 to 15.00; cows and calves 190.

Calves—60 Top veals $27.00; medium 27.00 to 30; common and large 20 to 26.00; heavy top 16.00.

Going To Scotland

Pfc Cpl. William Dayton, U. S. Navy, Mrs. Dayton and son, Mark, of New castle, Conn., are visiting relatives in Carlisle. Dayton will leave this week for Mayport, Fla., en route to Scotland where he will remain for three months. Mrs. Dayton and son will remain with relatives here during his absence.

Eighth Grade Wins

Robert Talbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Talbert of Rose Hill street, was added as the "Star of Today" on the Carlisle High School to the December issue of the school bulletin, The Bookstore Stream.

The essay was chosen as one of the best among 100 written in the school. He is a member of the 8th-3, Science Club, Band and is in the eighth grade.

Brucellosis meeting set for Monday 7 p. m. in post office basement

Lexington firm awarded fall-out shelter contract

The Corps of Engineers has awarded a $23,000.00 contract to Hurst Roache, Inc., of Lexington, for the first phase of a national fall-out shelter survey and marking program which will be conducted in nineteen Kentucky counties including Bartlett, Montgomery, Nicholas and Owen Counties in the Scott District, it was announced today by Congressman John C. Watts of Nicholasville.

The contract was awarded on December 29 to the Lexington firm, which will be responsible under its terms for locating existing buildings and facilities for use by the community as fall-out shelters in the event of nuclear attack. The company will report to the Department of Defense on its findings, but separately the selected sites will be taken as shelters on a contract basis which will assign personnel to mark, stock and use them as shelters.

The second phase of the projected shelter program gets underway in January and will run through July, during which time the sites will be resurveyed, and space ventilation, sanitation and supply facilities constructed at the shelters are marked and stocked. In April, the third phase, modification of the temporary sites into shelters meeting all Civil Defense specifications, will begin, and is expected to be completed by December.

FIRE DESTROYS HOME FRIDAY NIGHT

The home of Ray Biddle at Minerals, near Moorefield, was destroyed by fire Friday night about 11:30, origin of the fire was unknown. Only a small amount of furnishings was saved. The loss was partially covered by insurance. The home was a landmark of the community.

A shower for the Biddle family will be given Friday night at the Moorefield school by neighbors and friends.

MEETING CALLED

There will be a meeting of the Nicholas County Development Corporation, Thursday (tonight) at the court house at 7:30 o'clock.

Local, County Masons elect new officers

Officers elected by Dougherty Lodge No. 40 F.&A.M. Wednesday night included: Clay Dalton, master; Henry Hunt, senior warden; John W. Allison, junior warden; Wilson J. Clarke, senior deacon; Stewart Moore, junior deacon; L. G. Cantwell, secretary; W. C. Elliott, treasurer; Robert McFarland, senior steward and Junnie A. McAlister, junior steward. William Dayton, tyler and T. E. Thurman, chaplain.

Dysart Lodge No. 330

Masonic officers in Nicholas County Wednesday night held annual elections of officers. Dysart Lodge No. 330, Brentwoodtown, named Wallace Fosbrink, master; Craig Barton, senior warden; Frank Sparks, junior warden; Emery Bedford, treasurer; Hal Moore, secretary; Claude Tinsley, senior deacon; Samuel Purdom, junior deacon; Ewell Wilson, senior steward; Ray Grimes, junior steward; James Cameron, chaplain; Wilson Burden, tiler and Frank Stone, trustee.

Blue Licks Lodge No. 695

Blue Licks Lodge No. 695, elected Rex Jones, master; Jeff Jones, senior warden; Fred Jones, junior warden; Lafton Dodge, secretary; Osborne Jones, treasurer; William Dalton, tiler; Wood Pitman, senior deacon; Ray Wagoner, junior deacon.

BUYS PUREBREED

R. P. Alexander Carlisle has purchased P. V. Bird Lady Elf 2003374 a heifer calf and P. V. Princess Jo 2003405 a four year-old cow from S. L. Bledsoe & Sons, Hillsboro, Ohio. The new animals are purchased milking shorthorns.

ADMINISTRATIVE MEETING HERE Psychologist Jessie Wilcox and a group patients responsible for educational and recreational programs for the mentally retarded in Kentucky, look in a window at the three and four year-old youngsters from the six to the nine year old classes in their baseline, Kindergarten. Wilcox is conducting a two-day meeting here for teachers, social workers, psychologists and many others in a concentrated effort to promote the maximum development of each mentally retarded child. Wilcox, the training director for the program, reports an encouraging rise in mentally retarded can be helped through a good, normal life.

A County-wide meeting of livestock producers will be held Monday night, January 8 at 7:00 p.m. in the Assembly Room of the Post Office basement. The meeting has been arranged by William T. Straw, County Agent and Dr. R. W. Hammermeister, State Veterinarian, or a representative of him, will be present to explain the current progress of the Area Brucellosis Control Program. At the present time six of the counties of Kentucky with the exception of Bourbon, have either completed their testing or have petitioned the State. Nicholas County is among the fourteen who has not yet completed their petition.

In order to petition the State it is required that 75% of the livestock producers representing 80% of the cattle numbers of the county sign a petition asking the State to do area testing. At the present time Nicholas County is about three-fourths completed with their petitioning for Area Testing at Battlettsville Headquarters, Parks and Moorefield are completed or near completion.

All the counties adjoining Nicholas and most of the Blue Grass are now completed their petitioning. That the State Veterinarian's Office has informed Nicholas County that unless satisfactory progress is noticed shortly forthcoming the payments of indemnities to county producers will be withdrawn. They have also stated that ring tests on milk indicate that two dairymen in this County are in serious trouble.

The State has also informed Nicholas County that they will be ready to proceed with testing immediately as soon as the petitioning is completed.

It would appear from the foregoing analysis that the time for immediate action on the part of Nicholas County producers is at hand. It is estimated that if as many as six railroad cattle would volunteer one day's work in completing the petitioning That the program could be put underway immediately. However the necessary action with the livestock producers of Nicholas County. Producers are urged to attend this meeting and get the facts.

Tobacco raises 4-H fund drive total to $15,000

The tobacco selected from farmers in Nicholas County was sold at Farmer's Tobacco Warehouse in Paris, a total of 1,760 pounds was given and brought $1,037.60 for an average of $60.87. We wish to express our thanks to Farmer's Warehouse for their consideration and help. The tobacco was sold with no warehouse charge or commission. In addition, Farmer's Warehouse gave a check for $100 to the Camp Fund. Another check for $50.00 was received from Dupont Dudie and Peterson Tobacco Warehouse in Cynthiana.

Appreciation is also extended to everyone participating in the tobacco drive. Over 200 sticks of tobacco was given. We are hoping to have some more to have collected to sell in January. To present the Camp Fund Drive totals over $15,000.

New store hours announced by CoFC

The retail division of the Carlisle-Nicholas County Chamber of Commerce announces that effective January 1, all retail stores will be open until 6 p.m. on Saturdays with the business day starting a closing time of 6 p.m.

All other store hours will remain the same.