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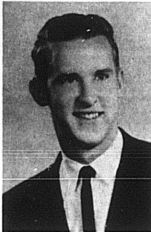
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Griesser Directs Chorus For Easter Cantata



Mr. Griesser

Cur Griesser, who is directing the community church choir, has scheduled an eight rehearsal for the singers on Sunday, March 24, at the Carlisle Christian Church. The choir will present the cantata "Galaxy" by Irvin Weisell on Easter Sunday, April 14, at the Carlisle Christian Church beginning at 4:00 p.m.

Mr. Griesser, although born in Ohio, has lived in Kentucky most of his life growing up in Burlington, graduating from the Boone County High School, following his high school graduation, he received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Georgetown College, majoring in Music Education. He studied at the University of Cincinnati. In August of this year, he will receive a Masters Degree in Secondary Education and Guidance. While at Georgetown College Mr. Griesser sang in the chapel, a capella and oratorio choir.

Presently Mr. Griesser is teaching vocal music, grades 1-12, in the Nicholas County school system. In addition to this he is also serving as minister of youth and music at the Central Baptist Church in Paris, where he makes his home.

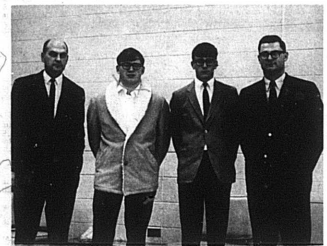
Mr. Griesser was selected to direct the cantata by the choir directors of the churches represented in the Nicholas County Ministerial Association. The group is fortunate to obtain his services.

Local Youths Visit U.K. Agriculture College

Two local Nicholas County High School, P.F.A., boys visited the University of Kentucky Agriculture College recently. They were Robert Allen Judge and David William Booth. They were accompanied by the local Vocational Agriculture teacher, W. Glenn Collins. The boys met representatives and professors at the University, who were in the field they had expressed interest

in investigating. Robert Judge visited with the Agricultural Engineering faculty, while David Booth visited with the faculty of the Animal and Crop sciences.

The tour arrangements were made by Curt Ferguson, Director of College Relations for U.K. College of Agriculture.



LOCAL BOYS—visit U.K. Agriculture College. Curt Ferguson, Director of College Relations for the U.K. Agriculture College; David William Booth and Robert Allen Judge, Nicholas County students and P.F.A. members; and W. Glenn Collins, local vocational agriculture teacher.

Co-Sponsored Series Deals With Ages And Stages

The Nicholas County Family Committee and the Carlisle Elementary P.T.A. are co-sponsoring a series of informal discussion groups—Ages and Stages—during the month of April, 7:30-9:00 p.m. at the Carlisle Elementary School Library. You are invited to attend. You should attend all four sessions as one builds on the other.

April 7.—The early years which deal with the pre-school child.

April 15.—Early school years which discussed children 6-8 years.

April 22.—Intermediate years which takes up 9-13 year old children.

April 30.—Adolescent years which discusses the teen-ager.

Resource personnel—Mrs. Rose Swope of the Cooperative Extension Service.

The Nicholas County Homemakers will provide refreshments at the break.

April 10.—Microfilm and Headquarter Club.

April 16.—Miranda and Parks Club.

April 23.—Ellenville and Sunside Club.

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April 30.—Carlisle West and East Union Club.

"The climate of the home and community does much to decide the kind of change that will occur in the hearts and minds of our children.

"Rising taxes and happy hearts should be the birthright of all children. Love and understanding help give warmth that is needed now that when tears and sobriety come, as they surely will, the well and climate of their lives will be richer and not poorer because of these experiences.

"We are sure to be successful. Then, help your child or a child reach his greatest potential. Let the future be possible in at the bottom of the lake.

"The child's maturity and expand the surface. Thus, it is with the lives of children. All actions are influential, what is done now in an hour may affect society through many generations.

"May each of us who are adults

Federal Taxes Reach \$914,000 Here Survey Shows

(Special to The Mercury)

Taxpayers in Nicholas County will become awfully aware, on or before April 15 of just how much they will have to pay this year toward the cost of operating the Federal government.

What part of the \$67.3 billion in personal income taxes that the government expects to collect by April 15 will be coming from local residents.

Last year, the figures show they turned in approximately \$830,000 in such taxes to the Federal coffers.

That is the amount, in round numbers, that was collected in the local area, as determined from income distributions, and from a breakdown of the Treasury Department.

They state that the amount collected in personal income taxes throughout the State of Kentucky totaled \$5-9,000,000.

Some 0.6 percent of it was paid by Nicholas County residents.

The size of the current payment would be even larger, according to

government expectations. It looks for an increase as a result of the improved state of employment and the higher income that prevailed through most of 1967.

From preliminary figures on personal income levels during the past year, the forthcoming tax returns from the local area will be close to \$914,000, a rise of \$84,000.

The Administration's budget for the next fiscal year, which was submitted in January, counts on a continued expansion of the economy during 1968. It expects the personal income of American people to increase by \$4.2 billion, reaching a new high of \$67.3 billion.

Many people, under those conditions, will find themselves in new and higher tax brackets.

All bill, individual income taxes are budgeted at \$80.4 billion for the next fiscal year, which is 13.1 billion more than at present. This assumes that Congress enacts the 10 percent surtax proposal.

Personal income in Nicholas County will have to rise by about 19 percent during 1968 for local residents to meet their share of this increase without belt tightening.

Deeds Recorded

David Sandy heirs by Roger C. Wuckack, attorney in fact, two tracts of land on Swope Creek in Walter C. Hoversdale and William Conway.

Cora L. Cance by Joseph F. Conley, 43 acres more or less on Hartsville Road in Howard N. Bramel Jr., and Lisa Minton and wife.

Cliff Vice and wife, two tracts of land on Casper Creek, three tracts of land on Locust Grove in James Bryan Kokenstoffer and wife, home on Locust Grove in Nicholas County.

Robert Carlisle and wife, 73 acres more or less on Pleasant Springs Road in W.C. Seigler and wife.

walk, carefully, if the sponsor urge. The Nicholas County High School P.T.A. family life committee and the Carlisle P.T.A., express their appreciation to the Nicholas County Board of Education for permitting them to use the school facilities.

7th District P.T.A. Spring Conference April 4

The Seventh District of the Kentucky Congress of Parents and Teachers will hold its regularly elected delegates, one for every twenty-five members and the president, or their alternates, to meet in annual Spring Conference at the Lancaster Christian Church, Lancaster, April 4. A registration fee of \$30 per delegate is to be paid at the time of registration. Make checks payable to the Nicholas County Board of Education, 10:00 a.m. Registration, Pre-Conference Board of Managers Meeting, 10:00 Call to Order, Recognition of New and Re-installed Members, Officers, Awards-Membership, and Public Meeting.

There will be a meeting of all Republicans at the courteous Saturday, March 23 at 8 p.m. to elect district committee and committee members for each precinct for the county. All registered voters are urged to attend this important meeting.

CNC League All Stars To Play Harlem Stars

The Carlisle-Nicholas County League All Stars will play the Harlem Stars in a benefit basketball game Saturday night, March 30, at 8 p.m. at the Nicholas County Gym. Proceeds will go to support the Babe Ruth League.

All those interested in the Babe Ruth League are asked to meet Saturday, March 23, at 7:30 p.m. at the Baptist Church. Managers and umpires will be selected at this meeting.

Selective Service Notice

Have you reported your last change of address to your local board of Selective Service? If not, you should do so immediately.

Have you notified your local board of your marriage and record of birth for your children?

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Annual Homemakers Meeting At U.K. March 26 and 27

Some 1,500 Homemakers from all sections of Kentucky are expected to be in Lexington next week for the annual meeting of the Kentucky Federation of Homemakers.

The American Home—An Educational Institution will be the theme of this March 26-27 meeting at the University of Kentucky. This will be the first year that a biennial annual conference has been held; those in the Nicholas County women will participate in the Kentucky State Homemakers Club and the Bluegrass District Home.

Participating are: Mrs. County Ed Cloran, Mrs. Herman Vice, Mrs. Harvey Wilson, Mrs. Lucille Dunson, Mrs. Omer Berry, and Lavina McFarland.

Mrs. Sara Holroyd, University of Kentucky, is director of the Kentucky State Club, Mrs. Cleary Fighman, who is accompanying for the Bluegrass District Club, and Mrs. Glen Yarnborough, who is director.

Mrs. Jack Tinsler and Mrs. Reese Shout are the two voting delegates from the Nicholas County Homemakers Association. They will represent the local group at the business session on Wednesday morning, March 27.

Featured speakers will be Dr. Evelyn M. Dowall, author and family life consultant, Mrs. Ben T. Williams, wife of Oklahoma's Supreme Court Justice; and Dr. Lewis W. Cochran, Graduate

School Dean, Vice President for Research, and Provost at the University of Kentucky.

At the opening general session on Tuesday afternoon, March 26, Dr. Cochran will discuss the future of Family Life in the Home. He will talk to the group on Wednesday afternoon, March 27. Mrs. Williams will be the speaker at the annual Homemakers Banquet, which closes the conference Wednesday night, her subject will be "The Mother a Woman in Your Home."

Others who will be attending the conference are Mrs. Malcolm Willis, Mrs. Hanson Ellington, Mrs. William Dampier, Mrs. Raymond Isaacs.

Mrs. Ralph Taylor, home economics teacher at the Nicholas County High School, will take a group of high school girls to hear Mrs. Dowall. Mrs. Dowall, nationally known author and family life consultant, will speak to the group on "Education for Family Life in the Home." The high school girls will also attend Mrs. Dowall's book presentations in various areas of child development and family life. The Art of Dating, which will be held in the Faculty of Life and Love for Teenagers are reference books. In addition to high school level, she is also author and co-author of college text and reference books in this field such as Family Living, Family Development, Being Married, The Church Looks at Family Life, In-Laws, Pro and Con.

Seven-Year-Old Killed Crossing Millersburg Road

No speed violation was committed, no charges were placed, he said.

Donald K. Herrin, 21, of Carlisle Road 3, who was a passenger in the vehicle, testified Wagner's account of the incident, Samson said.

Bourbon County Coroner Bruce Forsythe said the girl, who was dismissed from school at 2:45 p.m., was killed instantly. He said she suffered a broken neck and left arm and multiple abrasions.

Other survivors are two brothers, William Joe and Harold Gene Brix, and two sisters, Misses Bonnie Lou and Sandra Dee Brix, all at home; her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Lillie Craycraft, Jodyville, and her paternal grandfather, Johnson Brix, Bourbon County.

Services will be conducted today (Thursday) at the Jodyville Christian Church by the Rev. Preston Jones. Burial will be in the Carlisle Cemetery. Hearers will be Bobby Gerald, Russell Dixon and Andrew, Herman, Chester and Henry Brix.

The body is at the M.H. Pruitt and Son Funeral Home where friends may call after 7 o'clock Wednesday night. The body will be taken to the church at 8 p.m. Thursday.

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