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PRICE TEN CENTS

Cong. Watts Announces \$181,370 OEO Grant

Sixth District Congressman John C. Watts, announced to The Mercury by telegram Tuesday that a grant of \$181,370 had been made by the Office of Economic Opportunity to the Licking Valley Community Action Program.

Bobo Ruth League To Meet

The first meeting of the Nicholas County Bobo Ruth League will be held Friday, March 21 at the Carlisle Baptist Church at 7:00 p.m.

Little League Awards Banquet

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Southern States Housewarming March 26 Local Manager Says

A housewarming and Equity Book casting Day will be held at Southern States Carlisle Cooperative on March 26 according to Manager Darrell Scriber.

The money is a cashing of the capital book equities issued by the cooperative in 1955 to patron-members as part payment of the patronage refund for that year.

FIRE ALARMS
CITY
Sunday-11:30 a.m.-A fire in the motor board of a car owned by Jess Bach, 1000 S. 1st St., in the motor board of a car at Green and Miller Service Station.

Monday-1:00 p.m.-A grass fire one mile north of Millersburg on U. S. 58 on the property of Charles Linds.

Monday-2:30 p.m.-A grass fire covering seven acres on the property of Kenneth Booth of Lower Jackson Road. Fire believed to have been set by children.

Monday-4:30 p.m.-Grass fire on property of Joe Schandung on Basterwick Road which started while burning a tobacco bed.

Monday-6:00 p.m.-Grass fire on property of Geobel Booth on Soney Creek Road caused from burning tobacco bed.

County Fire Chief Charles Faye says the public to be extremely careful while burning trash, tobacco beds, or anything in the open. There were seven fire alarms Monday out of which six were grass fires. Due to the lack of rain and more the grass is terribly dry and even with little wind, fire will quickly spread, warned the fire chief.

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Six Involved In 2 Car Crash

Deputy Sheriff Meredith Evans was called to approximately 2 a.m. Tuesday to the scene of a head on collision on U. S. 58 just across the Hubertown County line.

Involved in the accident were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shiver of Ironsonton, Ohio, who were en route to Florida when the accident occurred. They were taken by ambulance to the Nicholas County Hospital for emergency treatment and transferred to St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington. The extent of injury to the other car owner Mr. and Mrs. Mark McCormick and two children of Aberdeen, Ohio, who were en route from Florida to their home. They were taken by Deputy Evans to the Nicholas County Hospital and transferred to Mrs. McCormick remains a patient. Mr. McCormick and children were released.

Both cars were totaled.

Also see page 10 for income and special features. For the coming fiscal year which begins on July 1, 1969.

Local Taxpayers To Fork Up \$1,422,000

NEW YORK, N.Y.—How big a contribution to the Federal coffers will residents of Nicholas County be making in 1969?

The government expects it to be well above what it was in 1968, when collections of income and withholding taxes in the local area came to approximately \$1,150,000.

That is the estimate of what was reported in last April 1968, as determined by a breakdown of the overall figures from the State of Kentucky.

According to Treasury Department figures, the state-wide total was \$681,000,000. Local taxpayers provided about 0.11 percent of that amount.

Just how much more the county will contribute on receiving this year is not known. The budget that was presented in Congress in January by the House of Representatives.

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Because of the improved income picture locally and the added taxes that were imposed, residents of Nicholas County will be hearing a full share of this \$15.7 billion increase, it is expected.

Their contribution this year will be in the neighborhood of \$1,422,000, or \$294,000 more than before, on the basis of preliminary estimates for the local area.

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Proclamation. Mrs. L. W. Bostick, left, and Mrs. G. W. Bostick, right, are the most needed home care and visiting. The children are in the foreground. —Gudger Photo

PROCLAMATION

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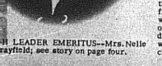
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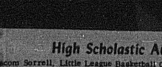
4-H LEADER EMERTUS—Mrs. Nelle Brayfield, see story on page four.



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High Scholastic Award Winner. Isaacson Sorrell, Little League Baseball Chairman, presents the High Scholastic Award to Jeffrey Rose with a straight A average. —Gudger Photo



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O. K. Curry Selected

O. K. Curry Jr., a senior at the University of Kentucky majoring in History has been selected membership in Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. Curry has been active in all phases of campus life and is a member of Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity and Omicron Delta Kappa. Senior brother, Oliver Russell, has served last year as Speaker of the Student Assembly at the University. He plans a career in law.

Nicholas County Alumni Officers Hold Meeting

The Nicholas County Alumni Officers Gerald Watkins, president; Billy Mash, vice-president; Shirley Field, corresponding secretary; Kent Mann, recording secretary; and Victoria Vice, treasurer, met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Watkins on Sunday, March 16 at 2:30 p.m.

May 31 is the proposed date for the 11th Annual Alumni Banquet. It was decided that prior to the banquet a reception would be held starting at 6:00 p.m. The main purpose of the reception is for those who are unable to attend the social, following the banquet.

The Outstanding Senior Plaque will once again be presented to the senior, and faculty believes possesses the qualities of leadership, scholarship and citizenship.

More details concerning the Nicholas County Alumni Banquet will follow the next officers meeting on Sunday, April 20, at 5:00 p.m.

Home Destroyed By Fire Saturday

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Gano Russell at Butard Road was completely destroyed by fire Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Russell and their seven children were visiting Mr. Russell's brother, Oliver Russell and family, on their return they found their home and contents had been destroyed by fire.

C of Circuits To Meet

The Chamber of Commerce District Meeting will be held Thursday, March 20, at the Chamber building at 7:30 p.m.

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