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## Chamber of Commerce Officers and Directors Elected Last Week

New officers and directors for the Carlisle-Nicholas County Chamber of Commerce were recently elected by the membership.

Officers for the coming year are: James Carter, president; Darrell Scriber, vice-president; Joseph H. Conley, secretary, and Emerson Baker, treasurer.

New directors, who will serve two year terms, are James Carter, Darrell Scriber, Joseph Conley, Emerson Baker, Joe Crouch and Custer Blair. Present directors who will serve one year terms are: Raymond Bruce, Billy Parker, Charles Cox, W. Young Jr., W.B. Hunt Jr., and Morris Whiteley. The Chamber will meet Thursday night, Feb. 12, at 7:30 p.m., at its regular meeting place in the old depot building.

## TRAP SHOOT

There will be a trap shoot Sunday, Feb. 15, starting at noon at the Fish and Game Club on the Hickory Ridge Road.

## Pumphrey Appointed To Coach Of Year Committee

Fleming County High School Track Coach Ben Pumphrey has been selected to represent Kentucky in the nomination of the 1970 Coach of the Year from District Four.

The program is sponsored by the National High School Athletic Coaches Association. Track and field coach Ben Pumphrey was announced this week by Dave Allen, coach of Nicholas County High School, Nicholas, Miss., who is chairman of the nominating committee. Coach Pumphrey is the son of Mrs. Laura Pumphrey.

## Major Hull Member Of Citation Unit

Major Wendell R. Hull, son of Frank Hull, 206 Fifth Ave., NW, Fort Walton Beach, Fla., is a member of a U.S. Air Force combat wing that has been awarded the Presidential Unit Citation.

Major Hull is a tactical fighter pilot with the 31st Tactical Fighter Wing at Tay Hoa AB, Vietnam.

The wing was cited for heroism in military operations from May 1968 to December 1969. The 31st flew more than 21,000 combat sorties in F-100 Super Sabres while participating in 40 separate ground actions in the Republic of Vietnam.

The fighter-bomber wing is part of the Pacific Air Force, headquarters for air operations in Southeast Asia, the Far East and Pacific area.

Major Hull, a 1951 graduate of Tolleason (Ky.) High School, received his bachelors degree in 1956 from the University of Kentucky where he was commissioned upon completion of the Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps program.

His wife, Glenda, is the daughter of Mrs. Ruth Nico, Carlisle.



"READY FOR ACTION AT THE FORK"—Bottom, from left: Todd Allison, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Allison; Reg Gausson, son of Roy E. Gausson; Top, from left: Pay Taylor, son of Mrs. Ralph Taylor; Ricky Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Broderick; and Jimmy Latcher, son of Mrs. Robert Berry are shown at the "Fork" built after the recent snow in a lot next to the Allison home.

## Southern States Board Meet Scheduled Feb. 18

Darrell Scriber, manager of Southern States Carlisle Cooperative and local board member; Cliff Nico, Phil Hiltcock, Paul Trichter, Tom Fryman, Herbert G. Scott Duncan, of Carlisle; Henry Hunt of Lewis and J.S. Wilson of Morefield, will be among the 60 members of Southern States Cooperative local board and committee members, agricultural workers and retail agency managers from this area, will attend a regional board meeting in Cynthiana on Feb. 18. The session will be held at the Cynthiana Christian Church and registration will begin at 9:30 a.m.

Also attending the meeting will be a number of guest young farmers from this area.

A total of 44 of these regional meetings will be held by Southern States over a five-state area. The cooperative serves over 215,000 farmer-members who live in Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland, Delaware and Kentucky.

J.L. Campbell of Harrodsburg, a man board director will preside at the meeting. Mr. Campbell represents the cooperative's members in part of central and eastern Kentucky and has been a member of the board since 1962.

The main feature of the session is a report on the organization's operations during the first six months of the 1969-70 fiscal year, and a look at "National Challenges for the 70's." P.H. Mullins, Director of Community Service for the cooperative will make these reports.

## Farmers Asked To Return Census Form By Feb. 15

Kentucky farmers are to have filled out and returned their census forms by Feb. 15.

Those who fail to complete the forms and return them will be contacted by a census worker. A visit, if necessary, will be made by a field staff worker to obtain the questionnaire.

It is hoped that because the census is being taken by mail that Kentucky farmers will not think it less important than in previous years. In fact, the opposite is true—that is, the information being gathered is as important, if not more so, than 10 or 20 years ago.

Not only are farmers asked to complete the census forms on time, but are also urged to make the information as accurate as possible. Remember, the data you supply becomes a part of what we know without taking a census that agriculture is changing. We know that our rural communities are undergoing vast changes. But just how great these changes are we cannot know without taking an inventory. This is the purpose of the census.

Numbers and trends revealed by current census data will help shape plans and programs now on the drawing board. Persons working in commerce, industry, construction, recreation, just to name a few, need census data in their plans and projects of the future.

The number of farmers, the products they are producing, and the time devoted to the farming operation, is of importance to others besides the men working the soil. For instance, if they are not farming their land to its full capacity, it might mean that it offers a fair habitat for wildlife.

The patch of potatoes grown by an individual farmer might appear small when inventoried. Yet, his yield represents an amount which will not be purchased from commercial growers. Multiply this by thousands and the total figure becomes large enough to have a bearing on commercial sales.

The improper use of census data are many and all are important and misleading. Each question seeks information for which a need has been previously determined.



AT MOREHEAD REGISTRATION—Beverly Woods, a cute Morehead State University junior from Louisville, examines her schedule card during registration. Over 6,000 students will have registered by Monday when classes begin.

## School Board Requests Fiscal Court To Call Special Election On Mar. 26

The Nicholas County Board of Education passed a resolution recently requesting the Fiscal Court to call a special election, Mar. 26, for the purpose of approving a property tax increase.

The income from the tax increase would be used to build a new elementary school for Nicholas County. Luckett and Farley of Louisville, have been employed as architects and engineers for the building of a new elementary school. Magnus and Com-

## Measles Vaccine Campaign Underway For Grades 1-6

The Nicholas County Health Department is in the process of conducting a Rubella Control Program. "Catch me or I'll give you measles," the new Rubella vaccine has been widely tested and is safe and highly effective. It is very important that your child receive this vaccine.

Do not confuse this new Rubella vaccine with the vaccine for "chicken pox," regular measles" which your child should have already received.

The Health Center will receive enough free vaccine from the State Health Department to be given to the 1st and 2nd grades and kindergartens. This will be given at each school by Dr. Allen Hamon and Mrs. Catherine Alexander, Public Health Nurse. Each parent will receive a Rubella Prevention Pamphlet and a Rubella Pamphlet setting and explaining about Rubella. (No child will be given vaccine without parent's signed permission).

The school children over 1 year of age and three 12 years of age will have Rubella vaccine, but the Health Center will be limited, for the time being, to giving the vaccine to children in the 1st and 2nd grades and kindergarten.

## Diets Booth Dies Feb. 4

Albert Booth, 64, Carlisle, died at 3:30 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 4, 1970, at the Nicholas County Hospital after a long illness. He was a native of Nicholas County, a member of the Carlisle Baptist Church and Daughters Lodge No. 68, P.M.S., and has served as Nicholas County Jailor since 1958.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Christine M. Booth, one daughter, Mrs. Harold Hinkle, Nicholas County, two sons, Tommy Booth, Nicholas County, and Kenneth Booth, Martinsburg, Ga., two sisters, Mrs. Gilbert Reid, Carlisle and Mrs. Ruth Dauby, Paris, two brothers, David Booth, Carlisle, and Eugene Booth, Nicholas County, nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Friday from the Mathers-Shearer Chapel by Rev. Dallas Sugg, assisted by Rev. C.L. Leach and Rev. Harold Hix. Burial in the Carlisle Cemetery.

Active pallbearers: Joe F. Conley, Kenneth Bellows, Taylor Seeling, Hill Doolittle, Maurice King and Emory Clark. Honorary bearers were the officiants of the church. Memorial services were held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

## Three Local Men Inducted Feb. 2

The local Selective Service Inducted the following men: Jeff Monday, Harold Wayne Capps, Glenn Doolittle and John Wayne Longgood, inducted by John Keith McCarty, Route 1, Carlisle.

They reported to Induction Center in Cincinnati.



Good Hunting -- Five Grouse

"ONE GOOD DAY IN THE MOUNTAINS"—Cayle Hughes and son David, and Roy Shannon Hannon killed five grouse, while hunting in Ross County, Texas, the English Setter, pointed fourteen grouse. The number of grouse brought home would have been greater if David's gun had not been a double barrel B.H. Guggell Photo.

A new two-section Budget Connection Case cover was purchased for the Carlisle Elementary Lunch Room.

Other action taken by the Board of Education includes the following: J.P. Parley was re-elected as Superintendent of the Nicholas County School system for another four year term starting July 1, 1970.

Five new typewriters were purchased for use in the Commerce Department at the Nicholas County High School.



## Airman Hammonds

Airman Jerry L. Hammonds, son of Mrs. Doris Kay Hammonds, 319 Chestnut Street, Carlisle, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Texas.

He has been assigned duty at Keesler AFB, Miss. His address is: AMN Jerry L. Hammonds, OMA, Sq. 3402, Box 8004, Keesler AFB, Hattiesburg, Miss.

## State Gets Cut In Vaccine Price

Kentucky has contracted with the Phillips Roxane Labs Inc., Columbus, Ohio, for 300,000 doses of the new German measles (rubella) vaccine at \$1.25 a dose, nearly 13 per cent less than the \$1.46 it had been paying.

This means, according to Dr. Calisto Hernandez, director of the State Health Department's division of epidemiology, that about 15 per cent more children can be vaccinated in the statewide immunization drive for the same amount of money. Rubella is a mild disease in children but can be communicated to pregnant women and cause tragic birth defects.