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City jacks rates for gas and water

City Council met in a called meeting Monday night and raised City gas and water rates. Gas rates, which just recently had been raised 10 cents on the rate card, will now be raised an average 15 cents uniformly. For example, the minimum rate for 1,000 cu. ft. of gas will now be \$2.25—a total of 25 cents with both increases.

The Columbia Gas has raised its charges to the City a total of nine times and these are the first increases the City has made to its customers.

The water rates were increased as follows:

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| Water Rates Minimum Bill | \$3.00 |
| First 1,000 gal. for | -----\$3.00 |
| Next 4,000 gal. at old | \$1.20 1.25 |
| Next 5,000 gal. at | ..50 1.20 |
| Next 5,000 gal. at | ..50 1.00 |
| Next 10,000 gal. at | 0.60 .70 .50 |
| Next 25,000 gal. at | ..60 .80 |
| Next 50,000 gal. at | ..50 .70 |
| Next 100,000 gal. at | ..40 .50 |
| Next 300,000 gal. at | ..30 .55 |
| Next 500,000 gal. at | ..30 .50 |

It will be noted that the minimum water rate was not increased.

MSU Ball is April 8

A Golden Anniversary Ball featuring dance contests and music from the past 50 years will be held Saturday, April 8, at Morehead State University.

Scheduled from 8 p.m. until midnight in the ballroom of the Adren Duran University Center, it is free and open to all students, faculty, staff, alumni and other friends of the university.

Music is being provided by the MSU Jazz Ensemble and its vocal group, The Intimate Circle, with speciality numbers by other groups.

The ball is the first formal social event of MSU's Golden Anniversary Celebration which commemorates the school's 50th anniversary.

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Roy Hunt's vocal solo, "Joy To The World" was selected one of the three winning solo and small group acts at the annual Nicholas County 4-H Talent Show. Roy will sing on the L.V. Youth Showcase which will be televised April 23 over WLEX-TV. Roy is a member of the "May Bees" fifth grade 4-H Club.

Nation's debt interest costs \$320 per family

To meet the Federal government's estimated money needs in fiscal 1973, the national debt's "temporary" ceiling may be lifted by \$20 billion to \$450 billion, notes Tax Foundation.

By one calculation, this will be the fifth time the temporary ceiling has been lifted since 1961. But it will not be—if finally proved—as high as the proposed \$50 billion increase asked by the Administration. A single year hike that size would have been an

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First graders Easter services planned at churches Community sunrise service

All school children who will enter the First grade in Nicholas County for the first time in August, 1972, at the beginning of the 1972-73 school term, must register on any of the following dates: April 3, 4, and 5, 1972. Registration will be at the Nicholas County Elementary School between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

All children must be registered because State supplied textbooks are requisitioned on the basis of the number of children enrolled. If a child is not registered he may not receive books.

Each parent must bring the child's birth certificate at the time of registration. All children entering school for the first time must have an immunization certificate at the time of enrollment.

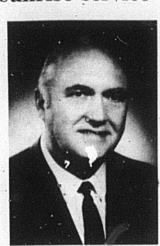
The Community Sunrise Easter Service, sponsored by the Nicholas County Ministerial Association, will be held in the United Methodist Church Sunday, April 2, at 6:30 a.m. The ministers participating in the Service are active in the Ministerial Association.

The speaker for this service will be the Rev. Dr. Albert W. Sweeney, Superintendent of the Lexington District of the United Methodist Church. He will use as his subject for the message, "Control of the Dawn".

Dr. Sweeney lived in Carlisle as his father, Dr. C.A. Sweeney, was pastor of the Methodist Church, and also when he served as the District Superintendent of the Carlisle District. Dr. Albert Sweeney is a graduate of the Wesleyan Theological Seminary. He served as a Chaplain during World War II, and has served successfully a number of churches in the Kentucky Conference.

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Food assistance rises in county

There were 749 low income Nicholas County people on the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Food Assistance program in January as compared to 708 the previous month, USDA's Food and Nutrition Service reports.

Taking Kentucky as a whole, it was noted, the number receiving food assistance dropped slightly. In the food stamp program, operating in 75 Kentucky counties, 297,400 people were issued over \$7.4 million in food coupons. Of this amount, \$5.2 million was in free or bonus stamps.

Through the food stamp program people with low incomes are allowed to use the money they normally spend for food to buy stamps worth far more. The food coupons are then spent in authorized food stores like cash.

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Guidelines devised for Demo convention

FRANKFORT. — A formula, which follows national guidelines, has been devised by the State Democratic Party to determine how many county delegates will attend the State Democratic Congressional District Convention June 2.

The Rules Committee of the State Democratic Party announced its official figures Saturday, after applying the formula to all 120 counties.

The formula included: state population; individual county population; county and state Democratic cast in the 1968 Presidential election; and a base of 2,000 delegates to this year's state Democratic convention. (The actual delegate figure is 1,900.)

For any given county the typical selection procedure was:

—Divide the state population into the individual county population and multiply by 2,000.

—Divide the state Presidential

At the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe at 10:00 a.m. the joyous Mass of Resurrection will be celebrated. "Hopes—Christ's Gift" will be the homily topic to be used by the Rev. Herman B. Kaminsky, Shrine Administrator. Following the Mass coffee and doughnuts will be served in the Shrine Fellowship Hall.

The Carlisle Baptist Church will observe the regular order of services for the day with church training beginning at 9:30 and Bible Teaching at 10:15 a.m. In the morning worship service the choir will sing the anthem, "Praise Ye The Lord." Rev. Sugg will use as his topic, "I Know He Lives". At the conclusion of the service there will be a communion service.

On Easter morning at the 10:45 a.m. service at the Carlisle Presbyterian Church the choir will sing "Resurrection Morn" by Elizabeth T. Van Wiert and "Gloom Has Left the Garden." Organ music will be "Open the Gates and the Temple." Mrs. Joseph F. Knapp, "The Holy Spirit of God," Marcell Dillon, and the "Hallelujah Chorus" from "The Messiah" by Handel. Dr. S. Evans Simon's Easter message will be "Easter Calling."

The First Christian Church choir will sing "I Know That My Redeemer Lives" and Rev. Neil Thompson's sermon topic will be "A Time To Celebrate." Their service will begin at 10:45 a.m.

The Carlisle Christian Church will have Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. At the regular 10:30 a.m. worship hour communion will be observed with a cantata directed by Rev. Harold Rice at the conclusion of the communion.

The Bethel Chapel Methodist Church M.P.F. will make Easter favors for the nursing home and deliver them the last of the week.

Carlisle Jaycees 1972 Little League Basketball Tournament

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| BYE | | |
| GASSERS | FRI, 3/31 7:00 p.m. | SAT, 4/1 3:00 p.m. |
| MARBONS | WED, 3/29 7:00 p.m. | |
| RAIDERS | | |
| HOBBETS | SAT, 4/1 2:00 p.m. | |
| WED, 3/29 8:00 p.m. | | |
| DEMONS | | |
| BYE | FRI, 3/31 8:00 p.m. | |
| TIGERS | | |

The Carlisle Jaycees Little League Basketball Tournament got underway Wednesday, March 29, with the first round of games one at 7 p.m., and one at 8 p.m., which will start at 2 p.m. An awards banquet will be scheduled later to honor the Little League players, according to Curtis.

Curtis stated that the finals will be played on Saturday, April 1, at 3 p.m. at the consolation game which will start at 2 p.m. An awards banquet will be scheduled later to honor the Little League players, according to Curtis.

Former principal Coach of the Year

Bob Harlow, the basketball coach at Hays Station High School, Lexington has been honored as the coach of the year among the Lexington area high schools.

Harlow was principal at Nicholas County High School from 1964-1966.

His 16-year coaching career includes coaching at Bourbon County High and at MSU, where he coached for only one year. He had a 25-7 record at Hays Station this year and went to the State Tournament, going all the way to the semi-finals. His overall win-loss record is 295-159.

Buys farm

Mr. and Mrs. Paul George of Millersburg and Mr. and Mrs. Jay P. Wagener of Carlisle, purchased a 70-acre farm in Nicholas County at auction.

The property was purchased as an investment, with the sale being handled by Earl Haman, realtor.

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