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Cornelius resigns Nicholas High principalship

Henry L. Cornelius, principal at Nicholas County High School, submitted his resignation from that position to Superintendent Don Elder on Friday, "effective immediately." His resignation was accepted by the School Board at its regular meeting Saturday. The resignation of Pamela C. Logan was also accepted at the meeting. The board hired the following substitute teachers: Madeline Hunt, Minnie Lyman, Sue Kirby, Connie Kenney, Faye McFarland, Lillie Hardin, Faye Mathes, Norma Caswell, Fernella Dilline, and Laura Mathes. Headstart personnel hired are: Margaret Hunter, Wuanita Reid, Adeline Shepherd, Lois Fuller, and Helen Soady.

CHS banquet Aug. 17

Carlisle High School Alumni Banquet will be held Saturday, Aug. 17, at Blue Grass Industries Cafeteria at 10:30 a.m. Reservations must be made by Aug. 14, addressed to Carolyn S. Terrell, Room 1, Moorefield, Ky. 40360 or by phoning 285-5722. Meal is \$4.00 and does are \$1.00.

Schools reopen Aug. 26

Nicholas County Schools will reopen on Monday, Aug. 26, at 8:45 a.m. Teachers will attend in-service day on Friday, Aug. 23.



This plaque was placed under the Aristocrat Pear tree Friday. The tree is a gift to Nicholas county by former Nicholas County Extension Agent, William T. Straw—Smith photo

Master Conservationists are named at meeting

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Shumate, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brookshire and Paul House were designated as Master Conservationists at the annual joint meeting of the Nicholas-Robertson County Soil Conservation Districts fish fry, held at Blue Licks State Park on Thursday, Aug. 1. Approximately 300 persons attended the meeting. The guest speaker was Garland Bastin, Area Director of Extension at the University of Kentucky. Edgar Allen Darvell served as Master of Ceremonies. Special guests included O.C.S. personnel, Glen Murray, State Officer; Bob Wylie, Area Office; Haymer Jones, Division of Conservation, field representative. The award of Master Conservationist is awarded for proper use of land and establishing the necessary conservation practices for maintaining the fertility and increasing the productivity of the land. The practices keep the fertile top soil from washing away, the waters from drying up, the woods from desolation, the pasture from being destroyed, and provide a haven for wildlife. The winners of the Conservation Awards have proved themselves to be good stewards by preserving the land for generations to come. It is in recognition of this important task well performed, that these families were awarded the honor of being Master Conservationists.



GARLAND BASTIN, Area Extension Director, University of Kentucky, spoke Aug. 1, on the need for farmer communication with the Conservation Department.—Smith photo



On display

State Bicentennial Flag Day noted

In order to honor the symbol of Kentucky's pioneer heritage, Aug. 5 was selected to be observed as Kentucky's Bicentennial Flag Day. Joseph H. Cadey, County Attorney and Bicentennial Co-chairman, Mrs. Warren Fisher, Bicentennial Chairman and Nicholas County Judge Floyd Clark are shown displaying Nicholas County's Bicentennial flag.—Smith photo

FHA leadership meeting attended

"FHA's Search for Leadership" was the theme as 243 Future Homemakers of America from throughout the state attended the Leadership Training Conference in Harlanburg, during the week of July 30-Aug. 1. Many interesting activities were planned for the regional and state officers as they learned of their duties. The group determined goals for the Kentucky Association of FHA for 1974-75 year, and made plans for carrying them out. Attending from Nicholas county and representing Region 15 were Judy Hunter and Susan Whitney, Regional second vice-president and treasurer, and their adviser, Mrs. Martha Taylor. The three day program includes sessions on leadership and responsibility as well as many recreational activities. Some of the highlights of the week included: Miss Bertha King, Education Program Specialist, U.S. Office of Education, Washington, D.C. who spoke on "Making FHA An Integral Part of Home Economics;" and Mrs. Lynn Heady, Daviess County Vocational-Technical School who spoke on "Qualities of a Leader." The Leadership Conference proved to be an educational and enjoyable experience. The Kentucky Association of FHAs is sponsored by the Home Economics Unit of the Bureau of Vocational Education, State Department of Education, with Mrs. Agnes Foster serving as State Adviser.

TARGET MEETING: There will be a Target Meeting at the Community Center Thursday, Aug. 8, at 1:30 p.m.

Rep. Hinkle, 61 dies at home in Bourbon

State Rep. Allen Brooks Hinkle, 61, of the 27th District, comprised of Bourbon county and part of Fayette, died Monday, Aug. 5, 1974 at his home at Little Rock after a long illness. An extensive landowner and farmer, he had been elected to serve in the Kentucky General Assembly from 1966 to 1969 as Representative for Nicholas county and served Nicholas county until the reorganization of the House Districts in March 1971, when Nicholas county was moved to the 14th District. He continued to serve the 27th District until his death. He had been principal of the Little Rock Graded and High School for 30 years and had taught in the Franklin County school system for seven years and many years in the Bourbon County schools. He retired from teaching earlier this year. He was a graduate of Little Rock High School, Eastern Kentucky University and received his master's degree at the University of Kentucky. He had done work toward his doctorate. Eastern had recognized him as an outstanding alumnus, and he had received special recognition from the state for his work in outstanding education on special education. He was listed in Who's Who and in Personalities of the South. A veteran of World War II, he had retired as a major after 26 years active and reserve military service. He was a member of Hope Lodge No. 266, F.A.M., and was a director of the Hursel Home Insurance Company, Lexington. He was a member of the Little Rock Christian Church and of the Kentucky Education Association, Central Kentucky Chapter. Please turn to page 10



Mrs. Anderson is named 'Breath of Life' chairman

Mrs. James D. Anderson has been named Carlisle Chairman of the Breath of Life Campaign to fight children's lung-damaging diseases, according to Stanley H. Tichenor, president of the Mid-South Chapter, National Cystic Fibrosis Research Foundation. Mrs. Anderson will lead local volunteers in raising funds to support research and care programs for children affected by lung-damaging diseases like Cystic Fibrosis, severe asthma, chronic bronchitis, and bronchiectasis. The Breath of Life Week will be Sept. 6-14, with a door to door drive scheduled during the week. "Most people don't realize that there are millions of children in the U.S. affected by lung-damaging disease," said Mrs. Anderson. "For some of these children breathing is a struggle, rather than the natural function we, who are lucky, take for granted." The Breath of Life Campaign supports not only research, but diagnosis and treatment of children with lung-damaging diseases in C.F.P. Centers across the country. There are more than 110 of these Centers, which also provide for educational programs and research.

Dougherty Lodge to meet Friday

Dougherty Lodge No. 65 P.A.M. will hold its regular meeting Friday, Aug. 9, at 7:30 p.m. There will be work in the first degree. All members are urged to attend.

Food stamp sale

Carlisle Postmaster John R. Anderson, announces the sale at the Post Office of Food Stamps from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. Monday thru Friday.

TB skin clinic

Clinic for TB skin testing food handlers, school personnel, and teachers will be held at the Nicholas County Health Center on Tuesday, Aug. 13. Hours will be 8:30-12 and 1-4 p.m.

'County History' meet tonight

A meeting to discuss the "History of Nicholas County" will be held at the Library tonight, Thursday, Aug. 8, at 7:30 p.m. Anyone who is the least interested in this history is urged to attend this meeting to find out its present status and goals, to offer suggestions and comments, to ask questions, to give a progress report, or to volunteer to help in whatever way he can. Organizations are being encouraged to consider selecting the history as their next year's project—to be responsible for the research and writing of a chapter or chapters. The history publication goal is 1976. So, volunteers could have the next year to work on a chapter. Individuals and groups, including teenagers, will be most welcome at the meeting.



Nicholas county 4-H'ers receive a swimming lesson from Peggy Cox. From left: Bruce, Lee Walton, Miss Lyman, Jim Woods, Mike Webb, Mark Lyman, Sherry Fryer, Paul Quinn, and Dennis Jackson.—Smith photo

How it's done