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An Editorial

Fifty pints of blood were donated to the Nicholas County Donor Club last Thursday. The bloodmobile was at the First Baptist Church in Carlisle.

A goal of 216 pints of blood has been set for Nicholas county. If this total had been met all Nicholas countians would be covered by the Blood Bank.

Since only a little over 100 pints of blood have been donated this year locally, only those who have donated and their families will be covered when blood is needed.

It seems to us that this goal of 216 pints is too high for our county because about 1800 people would have to be signed up to attain this goal. Only 400 or less are presently signed up. Old and young people cannot give. And, what's worse, some of those who agreed to give will not come when they are asked to donate.

At least one hospital in Lexington requires a deposit of three pints of blood before surgery. If it is not used by the patient, the hospital keeps the blood. Thus, those three pints are lost to our county's credit.

The situation is bad, and could become critical in the future whenever blood is needed.

Another blood donation date is planned for December. Won't you make every effort to give blood if you are able, and if not, won't you find a substitute to give forever so that you and your family will be covered?

The pint you give may save your life.



'Breath of Life' drive Sept. 8-14 locally

The annual house-to-house drive of the Breath of Life Campaign to combat

children's lung diseases will take place Sept. 8-14, according to Mrs. James D. Anderson, campaign chairman of the Mid-South Chapter of the National Cystic Fibrosis Research Foundation. Volunteers will call on local citizens to help ask help for millions of children suffering from Cystic Fibrosis and other lung-damaging diseases.

Volunteers are: Mrs. Joe Jennings, Mrs. Darrell Settlers, Mrs. Russell Dixon, Mrs. Stanley Rose, Mrs. John Anderson, Mrs. Bobby Barrett, Mrs. Ronnie Broderick, Mrs. Evans Brown, Mrs. Marshall Stone, Mrs. Donald Hays, Mrs. Ralph Taylor, Mrs. Bill Gaskie, Mrs. Maude Teider, Mrs. Claude Marshall, Mrs. Stanley Caswell and Mrs. Faye Ryles. Volunteers may bring their collections to the Carlisle Christian Church Monday, Sept. 16, 7 to 8:30 p.m.

Resident missing since Aug. 19

State and local law enforcement officers are looking for a Nicholas county resident who has been missing since Aug. 19. The missing person is Nicholas county resident who has been missing since Aug. 19. The missing person is Nicholas county resident who has been missing since Aug. 19.

When the farmer returned to the gate to go to town, Deaton was no longer there. His residence showed no signs of having been burglarized, according to Deputy Sheriff J.W. Erion. Local officers and State Police searched the area around his residence and the terrain near where he was last seen.



Giant sunflower

Mrs. Lyle Anderson is pictured holding a giant sunflower which is growing in her backyard. The flower measures 19 1/2 inches across.—Duncan photo

Former County Attorney Cox honored



Charles M. Cox, former Nicholas County Attorney, was honored with a dinner on Aug. 27 given by the Nicholas County Fiscal Court at Blue Grass Industries Cafeteria in recognition of his many years of service to the county. The Fiscal Court, represented by Judge Floyd Clark, presented Cox with a memento of a bronze name plate which the Court has ordered for his law office. Wayne Shamate, HGI, president, announced afterwards that a \$500 a year scholarship will be set up by HGI honoring Cox for his contributions to the industry and the county. Cox held the office of County Attorney for 24 years.

Allotment acreage may be eligible for 'low-yield' pay

In connection with the U.S. Department of Agriculture's disaster payment program, it is important that a producer report the disaster condition as early as possible to the county ASCS office. Paul E. Hall, executive director, said.

A previous requirement for mid-summer sign-up and certification has been revised, enabling producers with wheat, corn, barley, and grain sorghum allotments to certify not later than 15 days after completing harvest in order to be eligible for payment for abnormally low yield. However, Hall advised, the producer's best course is to report to the county ASCS office as soon as he realizes his yield may be below normal.

Before low yield payments can be made, the county ASCS committee is to John E. Estes and wife, lot on Highway 22 to Fay W. Alexander. Caleney W. Brant and wife, house and lot Dorsey's Addition to Otto H. Fryman.

Unwanted visitors

Joe Boots, Route 1, Carlisle, reported to the Mercury Tuesday that about a million blackbirds had descended upon his cornfield. Wanting a picture of the sight, we told him we could take one later in the day. He humorously stated that he didn't think they would be there by then because at the rate they were eating, they'd be quite full within the hour.

Deeds recorded

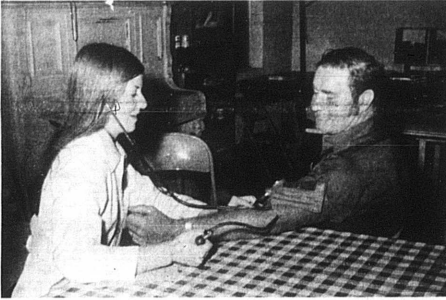
James A. Boots and wife, lots 21 and 22 Section A Lake Carnico Estates to Thore C. McIney and wife. R.L. Alexander and wife, lot on Highway 22 to Fay W. Alexander.

Nicholas County Development Corp., lot 35, Section C Lake Carnico Estates to John E. Estes and wife. Rev. Don Mosely and wife, 2 lots Dorsey's Addition to Scotty Fryman and wife.

Fay Alexander, lot Care Run Road to Calvin E. Thornburg and wife. Huey L. Cornelius and wife, lot Upper Jacktown Road to John J. Morris and wife.

Allen H. George and wife, lot Moorefield Road to Jerry Lee Columbia and wife.

Robert H. Mattax and wife, 23 acres more or less Forest Retreat-Panther Creek Road to Billy G. Dixon and wife. Thomas Manning and wife, house and lot Alexander Subdivision to Robert A. Mattax and wife.



Teo Nutini promoted Ashland Oil reorganizing

The advertising and sales promotion activities of Ashland Oil, Inc. are being reorganized along divisional lines, according to Robert E. Yancy, president. George W. Siler, Ashland Oil director of advertising and sales promotion since 1964, is retiring October 1 to pursue private interests, Yancy explained.

Reassignment steps to become effective at that time include: Leonard M. Manley will become manager of advertising and sales promotion for Valvoline Oil Company. Reporting to Ashland Petroleum Group Vice President J.F. Boehm, he also will be responsible for the advertising and sales promotion efforts of Mac's, Inc., O.K. Tire, Industrial and Specialty Sales, and the Ashland Petroleum tires, batteries and accessories marketing.

Teo Nutini will become manager of advertising and creative services for Ashland Oil. In this capacity, reporting to Vice President Clyde M. Webb, he will be responsible for commercial art and photographic services, and the company's art program. He also will handle advertising and sales promotion for a number of Ashland Petroleum groups, including retail and wholesale marketing. Allied Oil Company and asphalt sales.

Robert A. Woodard will continue as manager of advertising and sales promotion for Ashland Chemical Company, but now will report to that division's president, Edward A. Von Doerflinger. He has been reporting administratively to Siler in the past.

Siler, 55, expects to move shortly to his residence at Cape Coral, Florida. A widely experienced advertising executive, he joined Ashland in 1958 as advertising manager after serving for several years as assistant advertising manager of Continental Oil Company, and as an account executive with McCann-Erickson, Inc., advertising agency in New York City.

Manley, an Ashland native, joined the company's Advertising Department in 1948 after attending the University of Kentucky and Eastern Kentucky University. He has been sales promotion manager since 1968.

Registration for adult basic education set for Sept. 9

Registration for Adult Basic Education classes will be held Monday, Sept. 9 from 6 to 9 p.m. Any person who has not completed their high school education is eligible to attend. There is no cost to the student, and classes will be held Mondays and Thursdays, 6 to 9 p.m.

In addition to regular classes which will prepare students for the GED (General Educational Development) test, typing classes will also be offered this year. However, a person who has already graduated from high school may take this course to brush up on typing. There is a \$5.00 fee for this course.

Our program will have a great many changes this year which we hope will bring many more students back to school. We feel this program is one of the best things to happen to Nicholas county," said Jane Becker, new director of ABE.

Other teachers this year are Fleet Smith, Edna Dismuth, Edna Dismuth, Wilbert Winkles, social studies; and Bob Lane, English. The program is funded by the Department of Adult Education and since its beginning three years ago in Nicholas county more than 30 people have received their high school education.