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## Kincaid will provide for business continuity

LEXINGTON—The late Garvice D. Kincaid provided under his will, which is soon to be filed for probate, for the long-range continuity and management of his various business interests. It was announced Nov. 22 by Earl S. Wilson Sr., senior partner of the Lexington law firm of Kincaid, Wilson, Schaeffer and Hembree.

Mr. Wilson stated that Central Bank & Trust Co., of Lexington, was named to act as executor and trustee of Mr. Kincaid's estate under the direction of a three-man advisory committee. The committee consists of Wilson, A. Florence, president of Bank Management Associates, Inc., and W.E. Burnett Jr., executive vice president and secretary of Kentucky Central Life Insurance Co.

Mr. Wilson further stated the will provides for succession on the committee of law partners E.F. Schaeffer Jr., and Charles R. Hembree, and H. Hart Hagan Jr., president of General Management, Inc.

All those named are long-time business associates of Mr. Kincaid. The advisory committee, according to Mr. Wilson, will work closely with the top management of all business firms in which Mr. Kincaid had an interest "in order to assure continuity and coordination of management." These executives, according to Mr. Wilson, will include David L. Brain, chief president of Kentucky Central Life Insurance Co., Robert Curtin, secretary-treasurer of Kentucky Finance Co., and many others.

Mr. Kincaid, one of the most successful businessmen in the history of Kentucky, died Friday, Nov. 21 at the age of 63 of a heart attack. He was stricken while on a business trip to Elizabeth and died at 5:00 p.m. that day at Ireland Army Hospital, Ft. Knox.

Mr. Kincaid was founder and chief executive officer of the Kentucky Group Banks, chairman of the board of Kentucky Central Life Insurance Company, president of Kentucky Finance Company and affiliated firms, and the head of a number of other enterprises engaged in the practice of law, real estate and radio and television broadcasting.

A native of Lee county in Eastern Kentucky and a graduate of the University of Kentucky College of Law, Mr. Kincaid forged a spectacular business career in the past 38 years—one that brought him national recognition and earned him distinction as one of Kentucky's most honored businessmen.

He gained national attention in 1960 when the American Association of Schools and Colleges bestowed on him the coveted Horatio Alger Award, given annually to eight men whose "trags to riches" careers demonstrate the opportunities for success in the American free enterprise system.

In presenting the award to Mr. Kincaid, the Rev. Dr. Norman Vincent Peale, himself a former recipient, said,

"Sir, your life is an inspiration to everyone in these United States and God bless you and give you strength to carry on for many years."  
Mr. Kincaid was the first Kentuckian to win the award, and in doing so joined such distinguished persons as Herbert Hoover, Bernard Baruch, John Galbreath and Conroy Wilcox.

During his lifetime, Mr. Kincaid won honors from more than 20 civic, educational and other types of organizations.

In 1960, he was selected to receive the "Outstanding Service Award" of the Bluegrass Boy Scouts Council and the Lexington Chamber of Commerce's "Community Service Award."  
In 1963, the University of Kentucky presented him a Distinguished Alumni Service Award. In 1966, he was named "Outstanding Kentuckian of the Year" by the Kentucky Press Association, and in the same year was inducted into the National Newspaper Hall of Fame composed of former newspaper carriers who have achieved outstanding success in adult life.

Last year he was inducted into the University of Kentucky Alumni Association's Hall of Distinguished Alumni and chosen as one of the recipients of the Lexington Advertising Club's annual "Silver Medal Award."

Mr. Kincaid's philanthropic activities, which covered a span of more than two decades and amounted to personal and corporate gifts of well over a million dollars, were climaxed in 1974 when he and the Kentucky Group Banks gave \$200,000 to charitable organizations in Central Kentucky. The previous year, several charities had received \$100,000.

Active in Lexington YMCA for a number of years, he donated \$100,000 in 1960 and \$100,000 in 1961 to the Y's building program fund in 1960, and several years later provided \$25,000 to the local county government for the building of a juvenile detention center, now known as the Kincaid Home.

One of his pet projects was the Kincaid Foundation and its predecessor organization, the Boys Club of Lexington, through which he had given

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## Native elected chairman Church board in Florida

Charles T. Dixon, a native of Carlisle, has been elected chairman of the board and congregation of the First Christian Church, Ocala, Fla. for a two-year term.

He moved to central Florida in 1964 following years in education in Kentucky as football, basketball, and track coach.

Dixon is a graduate of Carlisle High School and Eastern Kentucky University, Richmond.

Since moving to Florida, he has taught and coached at North Marion, Lake Weir, and is now with Howard Middle School in Ocala, where he was curriculum coordinator for one year.

He retired from the U.S. Army Reserve in 1970 after serving as

commander of the local military police unit for four years.

Dixon is married to the former Mary Garmitt and they have six children: three sons and a daughter, Leanna, a senior at the University of Florida.

The new chairman is active in the Ocala Recreation Department's program and often serves as an umpire for high school and college sports. He is committee chairman of a scout troop and is president of Marion County's Science Teachers.

## Fire alarm

Woody Wilson, Nicholas County Fire Chief reported a fire on Sunday, Nov. 23 at the residence of Clarence Hiddle in Arnold Heights.

Fire Chief Wilson said that some rags were thought to have caught on fire under Mr. Hiddle's house when he struck a match near a can of varnish but that there was no damage.

## URGENT NICO BOOSTERS MEETING

All NICO Boosters, parents of the basketball players, and anyone interested in supporting the basketball team and coaches are asked to attend the booster meeting to be held in the school gymnasium at Nicholas County High School on Monday, Dec. 1, at 7:30 p.m.

## BICENTENNIAL plaque and flag award Dec. 4

Mayer Bill Power, Judge Floyd Clark, Mrs. Warren Fisher and Joseph H. Conley, both local Bicentennial Coordinators, will accept the community's Bicentennial plaque and flag before the Carlisle Christmas Parade on Thursday, Dec. 4, at 7:30 p.m., at the bandstand on Main Street.

The national award will be made by Margy Johns of the Kentucky Historical Events Celebration Commission. The presentation officially names Carlisle an American Revolution Bicentennial Administration Community.

The ABRA honored the community for its activities during the 1776-2000 anniversary celebration in June 1974.

Nine floats and six bands will participate in the parade following the presentation. The Snow Queens will be selected from six candidates. They are Sandra Collins, Stacy Marshall, Elaine Riggs, Susan Cooney, Lynn Fryman and Rhonda Ramsey. The Girl Scouts and Nichettes will also march.

The parade is sponsored jointly by the Carlisle Jaycees and the Carlisle-Nicholas County Chamber of Commerce.

Both the City and County will hold community meetings on Dec. 1 and Dec. 9. At these public meetings, citizens are encouraged to suggest what they consider Carlisle's and Nicholas County's needs to be. The meetings will be held each evening at 7 p.m. at the Courthouse.

Federal money is available for a wide variety of community development projects other than construction or

renovation of public buildings. Applications by the City and County must be made before Dec. 15. Sewers, recreation, and streets can qualify, for example, according to a county official.

Monday's meetings will be held separately by the City and County, both in the Courthouse, until the governing bodies decide whether it is advantageous to apply for the funds separately or together. Public officials

are asking that you attend one or both of these sessions Monday depending on the ideas you wish to suggest.

These funds are going to be spent throughout the start during the next year. Bluegrass Area Development District personnel will assist local officials in making proper application for the funds.

Citizen participation is essential to successful application for these grants.

## City and county to hold community meeting Monday to apply for federal grants

## Three youths fined for deer poaching

FRANKFORT—Three Carlisle youths have been fined a total of \$1,800 for deer poaching charges.

Two 19-year-olds, Steve Crawford and Danny Fredericks, and a 19-year-old boy were each fined \$600 after pleading guilty to charges of deer hunting after dark and hunting poacher with spotlight and gun in deer season. The state gun deer season doesn't open until Dec. 6. Hunting over at night or with a spotlight is prohibited by state wildlife regulations.

The incident occurred on a farm near Stoneval, in Bracken county. A man observed suspicious activity on the land and notified the Bracken county sheriff.

The sheriff contacted Conservation Officer Steven Craycraft. When Craycraft arrived on the scene, the subjects fled, abandoning an automobile and their equipment.

Two days later, on Oct. 23, warrants were issued for the arrest of four hunting dogs after dark and hunting poacher with spotlight and gun in deer season. The warrants were served on Oct. 24 before the guilty pleas were entered. Bracken County Judge John Corley levied the maximum fines. One suspect remains at large.

Craycraft and Conservation Officer Ronald Lovins issued citations charging the three youths arrested. The Nicholas county sheriff served the arrest warrants.



That time again!

It's time to write your letter to Santa Claus! The Carlisle Mercury will publish all letters from children not over 12 years of age. All letters must be in the Mercury office by Dec. 15. Either mail or bring your letter to the office.

## Tobacco class winners given

The grand prize winners at the 17th Annual Nicholas County Tobacco Festival held on Thursday, Nov. 13 were Charles Doyle, Best Crop and

Mary and Harold Sidle, Best Handled Crop. They were presented cash awards and engraved cups by Harvey Wagener, chairman of the 1975 Festival.

Winners of the class prizes were: Class A Flyers—Lyn Grimes, 2nd; Earl Plank, 3rd; Junior Plank, 4th; Inham Smith and Charles Tanner, 5th; Pat Plank, 6th; Gertrude Isham, 7th; Jeffrey Doyle and 8th; Edward Earlywine, 9th; Carl Hughes, 1st; James W. Platt, 4th; Stevie Duncan, 5th; Phil Ecton, 6th; David Durrell, 7th; Clarence Earlywine and 8th; Amy Platt.

Class C Bright—1st: David Durrell, 2nd: Stevie Duncan, 3rd: Edward Earlywine, 4th: Keith Smith, 5th: Amy Platt, 6th: James W. Platt, 7th: Earl Plank and 8th; Melissa Earlywine.

Class D Red—1st: Keith Smith, 2nd: Inham Smith and Charles Tanner, 3rd: Melissa Earlywine, 4th: David Durrell, 5th: Jeffrey Doyle, 6th: Carl Hughes, 7th: Stevie Duncan and 8th; Amy Platt.

The results of the Youth Grading Contest were: 1st: Len Grimes, 2nd: Mike Webb and 3rd: Dean Hinton.

The following youth participated in the festival: Larry Clay Fryman, Grant Mathes, Archie Smith, Amy Louise Platt, Dale Thompson, Jon Todd, Vincent Vaughn and Danny Treadway.

## Cary Griffith elected to 'Who's Who'

Cary Baldwin Griffith, Carlisle senior at Morehead State University, has been elected "Who's Who" in American Colleges and Universities" for the 1975-76 school year.

An English major, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald S. Griffith, 512 White Oak Ln., Harker Heights, Tomaz and is a graduate of Eisenhower Senior High School, Lawton, Okla.

To be elected for "Who's Who" an MSU student must achieve a high academic standing, be nominated by an organization or academic dean, display strong character and show future promise.

Out of MSU's total enrollment of 7,218, only 48 students were chosen for 1975-76.

Miss Griffith is the granddaughter of Mrs. Hilda Astbury and the late Mr. Astbury.

## Curtsinger to accompany Ky. 4-H'ers

Garvey Curtsinger of Carlisle, Route 3, who is president of the Kentucky 4-H Leaders Council, will accompany 40 Kentucky 4-H'ers to the National 4-H Congress in Chicago. They will leave for Chicago on Nov. 30 by chartered bus and will return home the following Friday, Dec. 5.

The week's program will focus on a Bicentennial theme, "447 . . . Spirit of Tomorrow", as delegates discuss the future of the 4-H program.

Special breakfasts, luncheons and banquets have been planned throughout the week for the 4-H'ers, and nationally known entertainers will also be featured on many of these programs.

Also accompanying Curtsinger and the 4-H'ers are Jo Jones, Mead County Extension agent for 4-H, who is secretary-treasurer of the Kentucky Association of Extension Agents; Beverly Cole and Lowell Pierce, both Extension program specialists for 4-H at the College of Kentucky College of Agriculture, and Randy Weckman, Extension specialist at the University of Kentucky.



COACH LUTHER BREWEN—AND THE "COLLEGE EDITION" ALL AMERICAN RED HEADS

## ALL AMERICAN Red Heads vs Carlisle All-Stars

The All American Red Heads Basketball team will be back in Carlisle Saturday, Dec. 6 to battle the Carlisle All Stars in what has proven in the past to be an exciting contest.

The Carlisle Rotary Club is the sponsoring agent for this event, and the Carlisle All Stars Team. The game will be played at the Nicholas County High School gymnasium beginning at 8 p.m. Doors will be open at 5:30 p.m.

A half time show, "The Red Head Spectacular", will be performed as an added attraction. Tickets may be purchased from any member of the Carlisle Rotary Club. Advance ticket prices are: adults, \$1.75; high school students, \$1.25; grade school students, \$1.00.

Miss Kay O'Bryan, the Red Heads team captain, hails from Calico, Mo. She is a five foot eleven, a great outside shooter, and is the director's target against the finest Carlisle has to offer!

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