

Obituaries

MRS. OLIVER VICE
Mrs. June Vice, 57, wife of Oliver Vice, died at the Nicholas County Hospital Friday morning, Sept. 3, 1976 after a two week illness.

She was a native of Nicholas county, daughter of the late Wallace and Docia Roberts Duncan, a retired employee of the Nicholas County Hospital and a member of the First Baptist Church of Carlisle.

Other survivors are three daughters, Mrs. James A. Carter, Carlisle; Mrs. Bill Grimes, Versailles; Mrs. Fred Goins, Frankfort; one sister, Mrs. Jennie Haavey, one brother, Everett Duncan, both of Nicholas county, and four grandchildren.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 5 at the Mathers-Shearer Chapel, conducted by Rev. H. Dallas Sugg and Rev. Eugene White. Burial in the Carlisle Cemetery.

Casketbearers: Billy Norton, William Hainwood, W. J. Alexander, Maurice King, Herbert Duncan and Paul Sapp.

MRS. THELMA B. CLARKSTON
Mrs. Thelma Bradshaw Clarkston, 40, Cynthiana, died Aug. 24, 1976 at Harrison County Hospital. Mrs. Clarkston, an employee of the Lanchbach Restaurant in Cynthiana, was a Casey county native, born on Calvary Road, a daughter of Mackey B. and Lola Durham Bradshaw, and a member of the Calvary Ridge Baptist Church in Casey county.

Survivors include two sons, John M. and Timmy Clarkston, Cynthiana; four daughters, Mrs. Janet Faye Kestney, Mrs. Carol Jean Miller and Miss Mary Ann Clarkston, all of Carlisle, and Miss Jeanette Clarkston, Cynthiana; two brothers, Lewis and Harold Bradshaw, both of Cincinnati; three sisters, Mrs.

Maxie Hopper, Mrs. Ruby Yates and Mrs. Ina Lowdermilk, all of Cincinnati; one grandchild.

Services were conducted Aug. 27 at Calvary Ridge Baptist Church by Rev. George Lay and Rev. Leonard Williams. Burial in Durham Cemetery.

MRS. JOHN JONES
Mrs. Laura Jones, 93, widow of John Jones, died at the Bourbon County Hospital Saturday morning, Sept. 4, 1976 after a long illness.

She was a native of Nicholas county and a member of the Wesley Chapel C.M.E. Church.

She is survived by one sister, Mrs. George Summers, Carlisle, several nieces and nephews.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday, Sept. 6 at the C.M.E. Church, conducted by Rev. Marion McGuffey. Burial in the Henryville Cemetery.

Palbearers: Donnie, Ben, and Ab Sharp, Gary and Dwayne Williams, and Chester Stevenson.

MRS. LAURA B. REEVES
Mrs. Laura B. Reeves died Saturday, Sept. 4, 1976 at Lakeside Place Nursing Home, Highland Heights, Ky. She was the daughter of the late John C. and Ella Hunt Jolly.

Survivors are one daughter, Mrs. Lucille Clancy Morris of Cincinnati; one brother, Jesse Jolly, Flemingsburg; one sister, Mrs. Crease Massey, Mt. Olivet; and one granddaughter.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 8, at the Mathers-Shearer Chapel with the Rev. Eugene White officiating. Burial in the Carlisle Cemetery.

Columbia Gas raises rates

FRANKFORT—Columbia Gas of Kentucky, Inc. has received approval from the Kentucky Public Service Commission to increase its natural gas rates to its customers.

The increase, effective Sept. 1, is estimated to increase the income of Columbia Gas of Kentucky by some \$2 million. This increase forces the City Council to raise its overall rates by 17.7% effective Sept. 1.

This will offset, in part, its supplier's \$3,041,100 increase in wholesale rates and charges, according to company manager Michael Barza of Lexington. He added that the rate increase will be offset in part by the effect the firm's increasing operating costs, including the cost of labor, supplies, construction and taxes.

Barza said that the new rates will mean an increase of about 3.6 per cent, or approximately 10 cents a month, in the gas bill of the firm's average residential consumer.

The new residential rate is \$3.55 for the first 1,000 cubic feet; \$1.93 per 1,000 for the next 40,000 cubic feet; \$1.86 per 1,000 for the next 50,000 feet cubic; \$1.86 per 1,000 for the next 100,000 cubic feet; \$1.84 per 100,000 for the next 800,000 cubic feet and \$1.82 per 1,000 for all over 1,000,000 cubic feet. The minimum monthly charge is set at \$3.50.

Columbia Gas of Kentucky serves approximately 115,000 residential, commercial and industrial customers in the Commonwealth and supplies gas to seven other gas companies including the City of Carlisle for resale in Kentucky.

by Anthony Harrigan

THE NEA IN POLITICS
For years, the National Education Association presented itself as a professional organization for teachers. Today, it stands exposed as an organization deeply involved in politics. Earlier this summer John Ryer, national president of the NEA, announced that his organization will publicly endorse a presidential candidate for the first time in its history. The NEA also urges the appointment of a national Secretary of Education and federal funding of \$2 billion, without specifying what other needs should be ignored in order to raise that colossal sum available.

In view of the NEA's involvement in politics, it is astonishing to learn that a number of large corporations have announced "collaborative" efforts with the NEA in planning a series of 1,000 "town forums" to bring teachers and businessmen together to discuss ways they can help each other.

According to Education & Work, "the joint effort includes the American Cyanamid Co., American Telephone and Telegraph, and the International Paper Company Foundation." Cyanamid's board chairman, Dr. James Aflleck, is quoted as saying: "Our immediate goal is to enlist 200 companies in this grassroots industry-NEA effort." One wonders if these business organizations have done their homework on the subject of the NEA. Certainly, not all educators approve of the political role of the NEA. Prof.

William A. Hunter, a specialist in Romance languages at East Texas Baptist College, is among the educators who object to the NEA plunge into politics.

"It would be wrong to conclude," he writes, "that every member of the NEA will dutifully yield to the urgings of the national leadership and stifle his own inclinations when he goes to the polls. However, the NEA is, and has been for a long time, an undisciplined trade union, in which membership is no longer entirely voluntary in some areas, and it tends to rely on the pressures, subtle or otherwise, that are characteristic of organized labor. The influence that can be wielded by such blocs should no longer be ignored by the public."

Certainly, it cannot be ignored by parents and school boards. Given the NEA's commitment to politics, it is only logical to conclude that some of its political zeal will be manifested in the classroom. Parents should be vigilant NEA members to introduce political material into the classroom.

One of the great strengths of the American system is that elementary and high school education is non-political. If a so-called professional organization for teachers is transformed into a political force, and adopts the characteristics of a militant labor union, then traditional American schooling is likely to suffer. Indeed, the rising generation of Americans will suffer, for it will be exposed to partisan appeals, to propaganda, in a word. Dr. Hunter is not optimistic about

Parent-Teacher Associations being able to monitor political intrusions into the classroom. The effort should be made, nonetheless. He is right, however, in saying that the fundamental problem is the effort to reduce the educational system, over 15 years or more, "to conceal the real nature of collectivism." He cites "frantic efforts" in this period to "discredit every spokesman for the free enterprise system."

Dr. Hunter calls for a "total renovation" of our educational system. Such a renovation would involve a new emphasis in the schools on the traditional principles of freedom, including economic freedom. It also would involve strict rules against strict rules in the classroom and equally strict rules against union-type harassment of school boards and teachers who want to teach, despite pressures to go on strike. But, as Dr. Hunter says, the initiative for such a change "probably will have to come from outside the ranks of professional educators."

No doubt, if a change comes, it will come from concerned parents—parents who are concerned that Johnny can't read or write effectively, while the NEA campaigns for \$2 billion in federal spending on education.

The Old Timer
"Caringness is a contest to see which holds out longer—your enthusiasm or your back."

School board vote to aid

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structural fees.

—Gave permission to the Nicholas County Health Department to start a sodium fluoride mouth wash program in the elementary school and another motion granted them permission to use the elementary school gymnasium to hold their swine flu immunization.

—Accepted the close estimate budget for the 1976-77 school year.

—Voted to retain all of the capital outlay allotment in the general fund for current expenses.

—Employed Kathy Green to teach science and home economics at the high school.

—Approved Grover Snapp, Don Smith, Everett Flora, Billy Doyle, Marvin Doyle and Elaine Hardwick as substitute school bus drivers.

—Employed Correne Adair as custodian for the Head Start buildings.

Deeds recorded

Ronald L. Watkins and wife, land on Cassidy Creek Road to Billy W. Traister and wife.

Ronald L. Watkins and wife, land near village of Myers to Luther Traister and wife.

Carl Leicher and wife, land near Blue Licks to Bobby Herrington and wife.

Michael W. Jones and wife, house and lot Catherine Street to Cecil Smart and wife.

James T. Vaughn and wife, land on U.S. 58 to Michael W. Jones and wife.

Ronald E. Mattox and wife, house and lot Eastern Avenue to Stanley Wade and wife.

Stanley Wade and wife, land in City of Carlisle to L. Paul Ramsey and wife.

Carl L. Webster and wife, house and lot Mocking Bird Street to Michael W. Phillips and wife.

J. T. Bow and wife, house and lot North St. to Jesse T. Ockerman and wife.

Estrogen downplayed

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Gray, are Dr. Robert N. Hoover, head of the Cancer Institute's Environmental Epidemiology Branch; Dr. Brian MacMahon, chairman of the department of epidemiology at Harvard School of Public Health; and Dr. Philip Cole, associate professor of epidemiology at the Harvard School.

Fire Insurance on Tobacco

Harold Letton
289-5346 or 289-2474

Robertson County Beauty Contest

The Robertson County Fair will be September 22, 23 and 25, 1976 at the Denning High School. On September 22, at 4:00 P.M. the Robertson County Beauty Contest will be held. Rules are as follows: Age between 16-22 years, and must be unmarried. Must show in bathing suit and party dress. A picture and short biographical sketch must be submitted with entry blank. All adjoining counties are invited to enter.

Prizes are: 1st—\$100.00; 2nd—\$75.00; 3rd—\$50.00; 4th—\$25.00.

Person interested fill out entry blank below, and send to TOBY MILLER, R.R. 2, MT. OLIVET, KY. 4036, by September 15, 1976. If any further questions call Toby Miller at 724-5557 after 4:00 P.M.

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Parent's signature _____

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No-Maid, lb. Qtrs. **39¢**

Margarine **39¢**

Just-Rite 15 1/2 oz. **2/79¢**

Chili W/Beans **2/79¢**

Chicken of The Sea 6 1/2 oz. **59¢**

Chunk Light Tuna **59¢**

Doway King Size Fabric Softener **\$1.69**

Pream 16 oz. **99¢**

Zest Bar Soap 4/99¢

Family Size Tide Detergent **\$3.99**

W.P. 28 oz. Hunt's Tomatoes **55¢**

Yellow Corn 6 Ears **59¢**

No. 1 Round 10 lb. bag White Potatoes **79¢**

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