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## Civil defense reports Tornado warning device fails here

The tornado "Watch and Warning Procedure" for Carlisle-Nicholas County did not work on Oct. 1 when a tornado warning was issued around 7:30 p.m. for this area, according to Russell Bell, local civil defense leader. His report was given at the regular city council meeting Monday night.

Mr. Bell said he was in Lexington when he heard the warning on TV. He immediately tried to call the Carlisle Police Department. He said the phone was busy. He then called the Weather Bureau and they advised him not to try to get to Carlisle. Under the procedure printed "Watch and Warning Procedure" for the Carlisle Police Department should have been notified by the weather alert radio in the office, and by the Troy Ridge State Police Post. The Carlisle police dispatcher said he was not informed by either source.

Thus, the siren alert was not sounded, and the police and sheriff's warnings by loud speakers throughout the county was not given. Mr. Bell stated. Luckily, the tornado did not touch down, he added.

Mr. Bell said that he plans to call a meeting of local officials soon to go over the procedure so that this will not happen again.

County Attorney Joseph H. Conley agreed to meet with the Fiscal Court today at 11 a.m. to consider the applications and to interview the applicants for the director's job of the Henryville renovation project. Mr. Conley stated that someone was needed by Nov. 1. The two groups are meeting this morning.

The hearing on the amendment of Henryville is scheduled tomorrow morning in Nicholas Circuit Court, city attorney Billy Hopkins confirmed.

Full funding of the \$40,000 HUD grant was approved last week.

A motion to cut gas at the Nicholas County schools first if curtailments become necessary, because the schools

were the only gas customer to refuse to sign the gas contracts, was defeated. Councilman Alex Crawford, Charles Fay, and Julian Green voted against the motion; councilmen Clarence Cord and Robert Paul voted for the motion; and Calvin Wills did not vote.

James T. Vaughn was appointed to the Planning and Zoning Commission to replace Mert Evans who has resigned. Evans' term expires in March 1980.

A yellow line will be painted on the right side of Walnut Street from Main to the railroad to enforce a previous ordinance that forbids parking there. The street is very congested often, it was stated.

The city agreed to purchase the Kentucky Model Ordinances for \$40 for the City Attorney's use.

Council decided unanimously to grant free parking on city streets the week before Thanksgiving and the week before Christmas. Employers are asked to encourage their employees not to park in these spots so that shoppers can shop at home easier.

Council unanimously passed a gas increase ordinance which provides for automatic increases as suppliers increase their prices to the city. The ordinance is published in today's Mercury.

The Police committee recommended that a radio dispatcher be hired for all times when the city office is closed. There is no coverage on Sunday or Monday nights, nor from 8 a.m. to 8 a.m. other nights. Mayor Bill Power said he'd check into the possibility of hiring a CTR's worker.

Upon recommendation of the Police committee, council voted to cut a new door between the Police and Fire Departments.

September Police Report  
Number of arrests — 31; Police court fines — \$723.60; Fines meter collection — \$290.04; Total — \$623.30.

### Gift shop workers

Chris Clifford Shumate, chairman of the gift shop committee of the Nicholas County Health Care Auxiliary, and Mrs. Joe Smart, are both volunteer workers at the gift shop at the Nicholas County Hospital. Pictures of other volunteers may be found inside today's Mercury.

## Health care volunteers give 645 hours in Aug.

A total of 645 volunteer hours were donated to the Nicholas County Hospital and Johnson-Mathers Nursing Home in August by members of the Nicholas County Health Care Auxiliary according to Mrs. Virginia Kingsolver, director of volunteer services for the hospital. About the same number of hours were donated in September. The organization of the volunteer program began in April of this year and the auxiliary was formed in May. In June a whole group of volunteers began serving in the hospital and nursing home, and entertaining patients, answering the phone after office hours, helping with crafts, with physical therapy, and doing necessary mending and folding of linens. By August 94 volunteers had taken special training and were active in the two institutions. By September the gift shop which

## More blood given locally

"More blood was given locally Monday than ever before, as far as anyone can remember," stated Dr. Herman E. Kamlage, chairman of the Nicholas County Ministerial Assoc. sponsored Blood Donor Club.

Rev. Kamlage said that 121 pints of blood were obtained from the 36 persons who came. 194 persons had been signed up, but for various reasons, many of which were colds, some of these did not keep their appointments or were rejected.

Blue Grass Industries permitted 15 persons to leave work to give blood for Paul Tisdler who will undergo open heart surgery Oct. 25 at St. Joseph Hospital. Rev. Kamlage said Mr.

Tisdler was already covered by the county contributions last year, but the blood will count toward reaching the county goal of 36 pints this year.

Volunteers from all the churches worked calling donors, scheduling, records keeping, and serving refreshments.

Rev. Kamlage's committee members are Rev. Eugene White, Rev. Mark Preva, and Mrs. R.P. Alexander.

The Kentucky Blood Center will be at 801 S. Deane and in Carlisle again in March. Blood obtained during these visits will be counted toward the county's goal of 36 pints to be obtained between Oct. 1977 and Oct. 1978.

## Campbells critical following accident

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Campbell of Carlisle remain in critical condition in the intensive-care unit at St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington. As a result of injuries they sustained in an auto accident Saturday morning, Mr. Campbell, 60, was in a coma. Mrs. Campbell, 58, was in a coma. Mr. Campbell, who was driving the car, was unconscious as a result of brain damage. Mr. Campbell sustained several broken bones, he said, which cannot be set at the present time due to the fact he suffers with a heart condition.

State Trooper Donald Pendleton investigated the accident which occurred on U.S. 60 east of Blue Licks Battlefield State Park near the Robertson-Fleming County line. It is not clear which of the Campbells was driving. Trooper Pendleton, who didn't arrive at the scene until after the couple had been taken to the hospital, said witnesses told him Mrs. Campbell was driving but another trooper went to the hospital later to investigate and reported Mr. Campbell to be the driver.

Trooper Pendleton stated the Campbell auto was traveling toward Mayfield in the slow lane at a point where three lanes merge into two. A black station wagon was traveling in the faster lane into the left of the Campbell auto (in the "blind spot" of the Campbell vehicle). Trooper Pendleton surmised when the Campbell auto attempted to merge to the left lane the driver apparently saw he

## County school board takes 15 actions

by Faye Campbell

The Nicholas County School Board met Monday night with all members present. Also present were Supt. Don Elder and Mrs. Faye M. Robinson, Treasurer.

Actions taken were:

- Accept resignation of Carol Leavel, first grade teacher, effective Oct. 7.
- Add the following names to substitute teachers list: Terega Hamilton, Robert Smith, Harshel Gabriel, Pamela Crowell, Jacqueline Jones.
- Employ Billy K. Anderson as Junior High Basketball coach.
- Employ Libby L. Clark as aide in First Aid Room at Elementary School.
- Approve Treasurer's report; The 1977-78 Receipts — \$1,451,251; Balance — \$1,744.63.
- General Fund — Balance — \$50,996.84; Receipts — \$145,823.42; Disb. — \$69,224.63; Balance — \$65,595.63.
- Approve contracts for students going out of county for education 6 in action items 3 in Harrison Co.
- Allow band to play at U.K. Homecoming Oct. 28.
- Allow Junior ROTC students to go to Ft. Knox Oct. 29-31.
- Ordered two new 78 school buses

60 passenger, automatic transmission. — Approve request to also present. Myer's use elementary school for Fall Dev. Dec. 3.

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- Community C — Moorefield and East Union;
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## ASC COMMITTEEMEN Farmers are asked to make nominations

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## Local dairy farmers schedule A.D.A. meet

Dairy farmers of District 9 of American Dairy Association of Kentucky will hold their Fall District meeting Wednesday, Oct. 19, at the Fleming County HECOC building in Flemingburg. Chairman of the meeting is Claude Whaley, Mayfield.

A dairy dinner buffet will be served free 5 p.m. with the general meeting from 8 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. All members of American Dairy Association and their families are invited. The program will include comments by an officer of the A.D.A., the dairy news auxiliary, a program review by Robert W. Base of the A.D.A. staff; election of the A.D.A. board member from this district; awarding of the District 9 A.D.A. Scholarship; and highlighting the evening, the presentation of this year's candidates from District 9 for State Dairy Princess. Miss Pam Heister of

## Second BGI International plant opened in Canada

Blue Grass Industries, Inc. is opening its second international plant in Carlisle Place, Ontario, Canada.

The announcement was made by Wayne Shumate, chairman of the board, on Monday, Oct. 3, as BGI celebrated the 13th anniversary of its incorporation.

In celebration, Mr. Shumate, Harry H. Wolf, Jr., chief financial officer; Donald Haney, president, and Alma Curtis, vice president of manufacturing visited in all the Kentucky plant sites to announce new personnel benefits and programs for the upcoming year. Mr. Haney announced that effective Oct. 3, all personnel will be covered with dental care insurance as an addition to their other company benefits. This insurance on basic dental health care is based on an 80% - 20% coverage with the total premium being paid by BGI. In making this announcement, Mr. Haney stated "...this new free dental insurance program is one of the best benefits we have been able to offer our personnel."

In addition, Mr. Haney also reviewed the 8% general wage increase to become effective on that date. Since 1969, BGI has given annual general wage increases totaling 81 2/3%.

Carlisle Place, Ontario, Canada, is located near Mississauga Lake. It has a population of approximately 2,000 and is about 30 miles west of Ottawa, the capital of Canada. BGI at present has five central Kentucky locations (Carlisle, Mt. Sterling, Cynthiana, Paris, and Shumate) and one plant in Merelbeke, Belgium.

Mr. Shumate commended the personnel for their outstanding performance during the past year making these additional personnel benefits and company expansion possible. Shumate said that he is "...proud of the phenomenal growth that Blue Grass has had in the past 13 years."

## Dr. Wesley completes ophthalmology course

Dr. Ralph E. Wesley of the Ophthalmology Department at the University of Kentucky Medical Center has completed a three month course in Eye Surgery at the Stanford University Medical Center at Palo Alto, Calif., as part of his Residency in Ophthalmology.

The Stanford University course is taught by renowned eye surgeons from all over the United States. Particular emphasis is placed on the basic science aspects of ophthalmology.

Dr. Wesley, a graduate of Vanderbilt Medical School, is in his senior year of Residency at the UK Medical Center; he serves as Chief Resident at the Veterans Administration Hospital.

A 1963 graduate of Nicholas County High School, he resides with his wife Julia and sons Tim and John at 265 Leewood Drive, Lexington.

Following completion of the Stanford course, Dr. Wesley left for two weeks of U.S. Army Reserve training with the 32nd Combat Support Hospital in Ulmweider, Germany.

## Kentucky school boards to hold regional meets

Over a thousand Kentucky school board members and school administrators will discuss legislative proposals and employ communication skills as the Kentucky School Boards Association (KSBA) begins its annual series of regional meetings during October.

The Kentucky County School Board members and Superintendents Donald E. will attend the Central Kentucky School Board Association (CKSBA) on

Oct. 24 at 6:30 p.m. at the Harrison County High School Cafeteria.

William E. Hunter, local board chairman, and the CKSBA are the nominating committee.

CKSBA is a non-profit corporation whose membership includes each of Kentucky's 121 local elected boards of education, and highlighting the local control of education, CKSBA works

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## Title I parents to meet

The Parent Advisory Council of the Title I Program of the Nicholas County Elementary School will hold its first meeting of the year on Wednesday, Oct. 19, at 7 p.m. at the school. Officers will be elected and plans for the year discussed.

Parents of all school children are invited to attend this meeting.