

# Deaths

**OLIE FRANK FARRIS**  
Olie Frank Farris, 37, South Bend, Ind., formerly of Lexington, died Sunday, June 14, 1961 at the Memorial Hospital, South Bend, Ind. after a short illness.

A native of Nicholas County, son of the late Raleigh and Lenna Farris. Survivors are a son, Olie Farris Jr., South Bend, Ind.; a daughter, Carolyn Graves, Lexington; seven sisters, Mrs. Hilda Johnson, Edna Farris, Mrs. Mattie Jones, Mrs. Elmer Johnson and Mrs. Nellie Patton, all of Lexington, Mrs. Lammie Hill, Louisville, and Mrs. Parrot Mitchell, South Bend; a brother, William Farris, Lexington; two aunts, Mrs. Anna Bell Johnson, Cincinnati, and Mrs. Mamie Griffin, South Bend; several nieces, nephews and other relatives; a dear friend, Miss Carolyn Fritz, South Bend.

Cunningham Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

**MRS. LUTHER MEDLEY**  
Mrs. Lillian Mitchell Medley, 79, widow of Luther Medley, died Saturday, June 13, 1961 at the Johnson-Mathers Nursing Home.

She was a native of Nicholas County, a member of the Oakland Mills Methodist Church and the daughter of the late George and Jane W. Mitchell.

Survivors are one son, William Medley, Carlisle; three daughters, Mrs. Ruby King, Carlisle, Mrs. Emma Ruth Moore, Lexington, and Mrs. Dorothy Sadler, Florida; 16 grandchildren; 28 great grandchildren; one great, great grandchild.

Services were held Tuesday, June 16 at Mothers-Guance Funeral Chapel by the Rev. Eugene White, with burial in the Carlisle Cemetery.

Palbearers were James, Earl and Robert Medley, Paul Gray, Donald Sadler and Barrette Midkiff.

**WILLIAM F. SHIELDS**

William F. Shields, 81, Route 4, Carlisle, died Saturday, June 13, 1961 at the Nicholas County Hospital. He was a native of Nicholas County, member of the Methodist Church and a veteran of World War II. Survivors are two sisters, Mrs. Emma Carpenter, Indiana, and Mrs. Elsie Padgett, Ohio.

Services were Monday, June 15 at the Mothers-Guance Funeral Chapel by the Rev. Eugene White. Burial in the Carlisle Cemetery.

## Dairy meet

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will feature gospel singing by the award-winning group, The Noblemen. Also featured will be the crowning of the annual Dairy Princess and her escort of Dairy Dolls, a talent show for children age 6-12, and a dress contest for ages 12 and up.

The dress contest will award \$10 to its winner and \$10 to the second place contestant. Dresses will be judged "in manner most pleasing to the eye of the gentleman cow."  
There will also be a butter cake contest, several dove prizes and the announcement of the winner of this year's Moo Moo contest, Grandson of Moo Moo.

The meeting will take place at 7 p.m. at the Nicholas County Elementary School.

## Lawsuit

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City Attorney Stockton Wood advised that full responsibility and power in such affairs was in the Mayor's hands.

LeMaster said that the objective of the suit was to have Coy reinstated, but that now seems to be out of the question. He would not comment on any details of the suit.  
The suit, said LeMaster, will be filed in Nicholas County Circuit Court within a couple of weeks. However, "there is a possibility we'll file in Federal Court," he said.

City Attorney Stockton Wood has told the Mercury that the Mayor has a "strong case" and that the Mayor apparently has the statutory power to fire policemen.

## Publications on taxes are available free

The Planning Can Be Helpful  
Taxpayers who plan their tax situations throughout the year are more likely to claim all the deductions, credits and special tax benefits to which they are entitled and avoid overpaying their taxes, the Internal Revenue said.

Tax planning can also help to eliminate tax problems and even save taxpayers tax dollars, the IRS added.  
For example, the taxpayer who is considering the sale or purchase of securities, the scheduling of medical appointments near the end of the year, or the limitation of a home may be able to save some money by carefully considering the tax implications of these actions.

For the taxpayer who had a substantial increase in income during the tax year, it may be to his or her advantage to income average, the IRS advised.  
Taxpayers who change their names through marriage or divorce can prevent tax processing problems by notifying their local Social Security Administration (SSA) Office of the change in name. The notification to SSA can eliminate possible delays in processing the return and speed up the issuance of any refund due.

When it comes to savings, taxpayers can avoid tax penalties and interest by filing their returns and paying their taxes when due, especially those who make estimated payments. Generally, individuals who do not file on time must pay a failure-to-file penalty of 4 percent of the tax due for each month, or part of a month, that the return is late or to exceed 25 percent, plus interest of 12 percent a year. In addition, persons who underpay their estimated tax must pay a penalty of 12 percent a year on the underpaid amount.

Taxpayers who are age 55 or older and plan to sell their principal homes can also save because they may qualify to exclude up to \$100,000 of gain from their gross incomes. The IRS stressed, however, that the taxpayer must have reached age 55 before the date of sale to claim this benefit and that it can be claimed only once in a lifetime.

Retired, the elderly taxpayers may also reduce their taxes if they qualify to claim the special credit for the elderly. Taxpayers who are age 65 or older and who are under 65 and receive a taxable pension or annuity from a public retirement system may qualify to claim this credit.

To assist with tax planning, the IRS offers Publication 562, "Recordkeeping Requirements and a List of Tax Publications," available free by calling IRS at 864-1381 in Louisville, 628-0666 in Columbia, 255-2323 in Lexington, or toll-free at 1-800-428-6100 elsewhere in Kentucky.

### Farm Real Estate Taxes

Property taxes remain a major source of revenue for local government. With the cost of providing necessary services such as education, police and fire protection increasing annually, it is inevitable that real estate tax receipts increase to cover the added costs. The rate of the increase has slowed in recent years, however, due to the use of alternative revenue generating sources. In the five year span between 1974 and 1979, Kentucky farm real estate tax revenue increased 12 percent. Total taxes levied on farm real estate in Kentucky in 1979 at \$8.4 million dollars remained at the same level as 1974.

Kentucky ranked 24th in the nation in the amount of taxes levied on farm real estate in 1979. Of the surrounding states, only West Virginia had lower total taxes.  
Kentucky's tax rate per acre at \$2.16 is one of the lowest in the nation. Only 15 states have lower rates based on amount per acre.

Due to the reassessment of farm property values, tax rates based on amount per \$100 of full market value have declined steadily since 1970. Only six states have lower tax rates, based on amount per \$100 of full market value than Kentucky.  
Farm real estate taxes as a percentage of net and gross farm income in 1979 amounted to 4.9 percent of Kentucky's net farm income and 1.2 percent of the gross farm income. This compares with 8.9 percent of net and 2.1 percent of gross nationwide.



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Lipton Tea Bags..... 100 ct. \$2.29  
Red Gold Tomato Juice..... 46 oz. 79¢

Golden Ripe Bananas 3 Lbs. For **\$1.00**

18 oz. Elwhick Cookies. 99¢  
Large Sausage Jen's Pizza..... \$1.19  
Fresh (3 lbs. or more) Ground Beef..... lb. \$1.29  
Partidge Sliced Bacon..... lb. \$1.39  
Swift Premium Bologna..... lb. \$1.49  
Fiesta Pro Lager Wiener..... 12 oz. \$1.09

California Long White Potatoes 10 Lbs. **\$2.79**

18 oz. box Pillsbury Plus Cake Mixes **2/\$1.39**

12 oz. box Sunshine Chip-A-Roos **89¢**

2 lb. can Maxwell House Coffee **\$4.79**

18 oz. Heinz Ketchup **\$1.39**

10 Quart Kool-Aid Cannister **\$2.19**

15 oz. box Cheerios **\$1.39**

32 oz. jar Hellmann's Mayonnaise **\$1.59**

10 Quart Country Time Lemonade **\$2.29**

18 oz. box Wheaties **\$1.29**

24 oz. bottle Golden Griddle Syrup **\$1.49**

12 oz. box Post Toasties **\$1.09**

Super Mold 18 1/2 oz. Betty Crocker Cake Mixes **2/\$1.39**

4 1/2 oz. jar Beech Nut Baby Food **10/\$1.99**

20 oz. can Big John's Beans **79¢**

18 1/2 oz. can Betty Crocker RTS frostings **\$1.09**

3 oz. Semolina Cheez-It Crackers **63¢**

Betty Crocker, Different Size Hamburger Helper **79¢**

13 1/2 oz. Betty Crocker Potato Buds **99¢**

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## Blackberry Festival

### June 29 - July 4th

**June 29**  
8 P.M. - Welcoming Address, Parade of Legion Officers, 1960 Queen and 1961 Queen Candidates.  
8-12 - Music and Dancing, Rides in Court House yard.

**June 30**  
2-4 - Children's Games.  
8-12 - Music and Dancing, Rides and Concessions.

**July 1 -**  
2 p.m. - Judging of Queens in Court House.  
8-12 - Round and Square Dancing, Rides and Concessions.  
8:12 - 50's Show by the 'Showmasters'.

**July 2**  
8 P.M. - Parade of Guest Speakers, Crowning of Queen.  
8-12 - Round and Square Dancing, Rides and Concessions.  
There will be a fiddler (Albert Hopkins) for your square dancing entertainment.

**July 3**  
8-9 - Paris Promenaders (square dance for 1 hr.)  
9-12 - Round and Square Dancing, Rides and Concessions.  
There will be a fiddler (Albert Hopkins) for your square dancing entertainment.

**July 4**  
8-12 - Round and Square Dancing, Rides and Concessions.  
There will be a fiddler (Albert Hopkins) for your square dancing entertainment.

**Every Night**  
Music and entertaining by the 'Showmasters'.  
The 'Showmasters' members are: Kenny Thornsburg, Darlene Thornsburg, Larry Jones, Jerry Galbraith and Bobby Drey.

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The commonest sound in language is the "a" as pronounced in our word "father." No language is known that does not contain this sound.