

Can still file for disability exemption

Anyone who wants to apply for the disability tax exemption has until Dec. 30 to do so, says Bruce Bradley, Property Valuation Administrator, tax assessor.

A person must show proof that he is totally disabled and has been disabled for the entire year of 1981, Mrs. Bradley said.

If you have any questions about the exemption, you may call 286-2600.

No fires reported

County Fire Chief Woody Wilson said no fires had been reported during the past week and also hopes that such a record "continues."

THE DAM BUILDERS

Contrary to popular belief, some beavers are careful dam builders and not very eager, the National Geographic Society says. A few old beavers without dams make only halfhearted attempts at dam-building and build structures that look as though the material had drifted there.



On camera

A VTR unit (video tape recorder) purchased with federal funds is in use at Nicholas County High School. Library adds can make their own programs and play them back in the classroom and also use tapes from KET.

Shows here making a VTR of the Mercury editor is Paige Hancey. Setting up the equipment is Jody Duncan and Tim Jolly. — Associated Press photo.

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Letter time

The July 10 letter from the North Pole has informed The Carlisle Mercury that he will be accepting letters from county youngsters via our newspaper again this year.

Letters to be published in our Sunday Mercury section must be in our office no later than Friday, Dec. 17.

Letters arriving after that date cannot be guaranteed of reaching their frosty arctic destination.

Saltwell

By Mrs. Fred Hiller

A number of friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mrs. Betty Gausco for a time of prayer and following the past Thursday night.

Mrs. Kathy Jensen and three children of South Air Force Base in Lebanon, Ill. arrived on Tuesday for a month's visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cain, before being transferred overseas in January.

Mrs. Hazel Snapp spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Donald McCord and sons Eric and Dustin, near Neave.

Our community extends sympathy to the families of Mr. Wilfred Doyle, who passed away on Friday at Nicholas County Hospital after a long illness; also the family of Leroy M. Coffey, who passed away suddenly while at work on Friday in Cynthiana.

Rev. Tommy Fryman, Cynthiana, visited Mrs. Verena Earlywine on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hagwood, Flatwoods, Ky. spent the weekend with Mrs. Beatrice Morris of Brainerd, Mo., and Mrs. Fred Hiller also visited them on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Freddie Gausco visited Mrs. C.L. Stone on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Hazel Snapp visited Mrs. Dr. Virginia Doyle on Sunday night. Donald Kaitzmann, near Odellville, spent Sunday night with Mrs. Earlywine.

Mrs. Verena Earlywine, Millersville, spent Sunday with Mrs. Hazel Snapp. They also visited several in the nursing home at Carlisle on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Sheffield, Mr. Steve and Mrs. Gladys Kasey visited Mr. and Mrs. Brander Hiller on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ramona George attended open house celebration for the one-year anniversary opening of the beauty salon operated by Mrs. Luann Parsons and Mrs. Marjorie Bowling and also attended shop known as "Pico Club" operated by Mrs. Yoko Curtis on Harrodsburg Road on Sunday.

Burley

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hundred. Top price reported was \$196 per hundred for a few baskets of grade BHTP. About one-third of the grades are averaging the same or only \$1 above the support price.

This week's marketings consisted of a larger percentage of quality with less third and fourth. Also, the amount of tobacco received and processed considerably. By group, figures accounted for about five percent of sales, others 17, 20, 20, 14, 12 and 21, nongrade 2, no-grade 5, and also around 5 percent.

The Burley Cooperatives received 24 1/2 percent of sales this week with the season percentage at 34 1/2.

Cynthia Bono goes to Korea

Marion Staff Sgt. William T. Brooks, son of Johnnie K. and Mary Z. Brooks of Route 1, and 112 Shawnee Drive, respectively, Cynthiana, has departed on a deployment to Korea.

He is a member of 4th Battalion, 12th Marine Regiment, at Okinawa.

During the deployment, he will participate in "Combined Arms Fighting Exercise II," at Pusan, Korea. The annual exercise provides Marine air and ground units from Okinawa long-term, cold weather unit training with the opportunity for combined arms firing and maneuvers with the Republic of Korea forces.

Watch out for crooked charities and shams during the holidays

The generosity of Americans in helping others is well known. Many charity-related shams all too prevalent in the United States. Charitable solicitations are especially prominent during the holidays. Therefore, Attorney General Steven L. Beshear urges you to find out as much as you can about the charitable organization before making any contribution.

The Commonwealth of Kentucky has a charitable solicitation law. Recent amendments to this law require that all professional fundraisers must register with the Attorney General's Office. This registration requires full disclosure of the total cost of the fundraising efforts and disclosure of the amount of those proceeds that will go to the professional fundraiser. This law also requires that no more than 10 percent of the gross receipts can be paid to the professional fundraiser.

Always ask those persons soliciting charitable donations for identification information regarding their work. Be suspicious of charities using gimmicks to encourage contributions. This may include a professional promotion, involving free going paid to the fundraiser which greatly diminishes the amount going directly toward the charitable purpose.

Know what percentage of each dollar contributed is spent for actual charity and what percentage goes into overhead, management and fundraising. For example, 50 cents of every \$1 donated to CARE goes for actual charity, while less than 50 percent of each \$1 donated to Korean Relief goes to charity programs.

It is wise to use personal checks when giving money to those collecting door-to-door or in public places. Make your check payable to the organization, not the collector.

If you need additional information on a particular charity, contact the Better Business Bureau in Louisville or Lexington, or write to the National Information Center, 618 Park Avenue South, New York, New York 10018. Either organization will send you reports on specific charities free of charge. They will also provide lists of charities which meet the standards they have set for charitable organizations.

The holidays are a joyful time of year and giving to charity should be encouraged. "There are many worthy charities which can put your money to good use," says Attorney General Beshear. "However, when you give to a charity, make sure that you know where your money is going."

If you have any complaints or questions about charitable solicitation

in Kentucky, write to the Office of the Attorney General, Consumer Protection Division, Frankfort, Ky. 40601, or call in toll-free Consumer Helpline, 1-800-433-8282.

LAKE TITICACA

The inland people of Peru's Lake Titicaca — legendary birthplace of the Incas — fashion their lives around the beautiful lakeshore. Thickly settled layers of reed floating in water form the "granadon" upon which they build villages, reports National Geographic.

Find out what you need in The Mercury Classified!

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99¢ Coke - Spirit - Tab

29¢ Pures Bleach

29¢ IGA Salt of Dressing

39¢ Hunt's Tomato Juice

39¢ Chunk Light Tuna

59¢ IGA Bath Tissue

1.59 Wesson Oil

1.69 Folger's Coffee

79¢ IGA Laundry Detergent

1.19 Orange Juice

1.19 Tea Bags

1.19 Sort Drinks

1.19 Dream Whip

99¢ Marshmallow Creme

49¢ Miniature Marshmallows

1.19 Famous Popcorn

1.19 Spaghetti Sauce

1.19 Chunk Dog Food

99¢ Pinto Beans

59¢ Jello Gelatin

99¢ Tomato Catsup

1.49 Seal-Tite Salsas

59¢ Whipped Margarine

3.49 Field Lard

3.99 IGA White Bread

1.59 Tropicana Orange Juice

1.25 Russel's Baking Potatoes

67¢ Impero Grapes

47¢ Head Lettuce

77¢ Fresh Broccoli

87¢ Cello Spinach

17¢ Jumbo Onions

87¢ Apples

97¢ Apples

15¢ Pears

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