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Nicholas Square construction

One footer has already been poured for eight separate apartment buildings at this location on North Street in Carlisle. Construction workers at the scene said the apartment buildings should be finished

some time later this year. There will be 36 separate units with trails starting at U.S. 1. Williams of Lexington is in charge of the project.—Mercury photo.

Carryover marketing Of burley tobacco set to begin Monday

The management in charge of the carryover tobacco program is urging that farmers be on hand at their receiving stations when they are weighed and graded at the appointed time, between March 20 and April 21. This was stressed at a meeting with processors and the Burley Tobacco Growers Cooperative Association, at Lexington, where final plans were completed for the handling of excess, or carryover, from the 1982 crop. Growers who already have tobacco on the floor, or who plan to deliver during the receiving period, should check with the warehouse or processor to determine when weighing and grading is scheduled.

"This is in order for the farmer to receive his copy of the floor sheet, showing weights and grades," said Alvin R. Beckley, executive secretary-treasurer of the Burley Association. "Otherwise he may not have this information."

To be eligible for delivery as carryover, the tobacco must be in excess of 110 percent of the farm quota. The grower will need to produce a market-

ing card, or a written statement from county AGES, certifying that he has sold 110 percent of his quota, or within 200 pounds of that amount.

The Inspection Service will make grade assignments and dates for the various receiving stations. Farmers may place their tobacco in process, or to learn when their crop is scheduled for grading. But no phone calls can be handled before Monday, March 21, as there will be no one on hand to answer.

All deliveries of carryover tobacco must be accompanied by the owner's marketing card, or statement from the county AGES office. No extension of time is permitted after the closing date of April 21, set by the Burley Association under the emergency carryover program.

Final USDA figures on the 1982-83 market showed the largest burley sales ever, also the highest one-year percentage placed under loan. Gross sales totaled \$60,019,000, averaging \$18.39 per hundred, down 17 cents from last year. Total placed under loan was \$8.4 million pounds for the entire belt.

Not including final cleanup sales scheduled at Lexington and one or two other markets, the Burley Association has taken 20,022,760 pounds, or 35.75 percent of the season's marketing.

In asking the board for the five cents per pound recommendation on the 1983 No. Cost Fund, McDaniel said, "We have voted for a program that will be cost-free to the government, and the approximately \$1 million now in the fund won't even pay 15 percent of the interest cost for one year. We are committed to the No Net Cost program, and need to recommend at least a five

cents a pound deduction."

The Association borrows from Community Credit Corporation to administer the price support program. McDaniel estimated the five cents deduction would raise a maximum of \$4 million in the first year, which with the present \$8 million would amount to \$12 million. But, he said, would still be \$7.5 million short of meeting the interest cost for one year.

Besides those advances, with some 210 million pounds now on hand, the Association is likely to receive 150 million pounds from the 1982 crop, in the opinion of Alvin R. Beckley, executive secretary-treasurer. He reported prospects are not bright for sales, as manufacturers took 300 million pounds last year.

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CBC says it may publish the names

From four liquor petitions

Citizens for a Better Community (CBC) met at the First Baptist Church on Thursday, March 23. Copies of the petitions asking for local option elections in the Mayor's Office, Madison, Exposé House and City Building projects were circulated and studied by the group.

It was noted that in many cases more than one signature appeared to have been written by the same person. CBC spokesman said:

"The possibility of publishing the names in the local newspaper as a public service to allow any person whose name appeared against liquor licenses to have the name removed, was discussed and it was decided to pursue this after determining the cost of publication to the group." CBC said.

It was also noted that such petitions are a matter of public record and, as clerk's office. There is legal recourse for any person whose name appears on the petition without his/her permission. CBC said.

KRS 242.020 (Sec. 2) states: "If the name of any person has been placed on the petition for election without his authority, he may appear before the county judge/executive before the election is ordered and upon proof that his name was placed on the petition without his authority, his name may be stricken by an order of the court, without the necessity of his name being removed from the petition."

Chairman David Stancil reported on the progress of the appeal in the Myers precinct. The first stage of the appeal was heard by Judge Farnham on March 3, 1983 and to this date, no decision has been made public. Bill Stancil, publicity chairman for the group, stated, "We can see no reason for this delay. It would appear to be in the best interest of all involved, both for and against the legislation of liquor sales, to have this issue resolved. There seems little to be gained by prolonging the issue."

Plans were made for a county-wide rally to be held Sunday evening, March 27, at 7 p.m. at the Carlisle Christian Church. Although the list of speakers was not complete, it was noted that a representative of Mothers Against Drunk Drivers (MADD) would address the rally.

Rev. Stancil stated, "We see this rally as an opportunity for fellowship among all church members in Carlisle and Nicholas County. This is an important issue and we cannot. All citizens interested in the future of Carlisle and Nicholas County are invited to attend." Refreshments will follow in the fellowship hall.

The next meeting of Citizens for a Better Community will be at the First Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m. on March 24. The meeting is open to the public and all interested citizens are invited to attend.

according to CBC spokesman. CBC members who had visited county churches the previous Sunday reported to the group that support for the effort was growing among county church members. All reported being well received with much interest being expressed in what could be done to keep legal liquor sales out of Carlisle and Nicholas County. Members volunteered to visit other county churches on Sunday, March 26, to solicit further support.

CITY COUNCIL
TO MEET TUESDAY
The Carlisle City Council will have a revenue sharing meeting at the city building on Tuesday, March 28, at 7 p.m.

Purpose of the meeting is to adopt a revenue sharing budget and to discuss any other items that might come up.

Student expelled
A Nicholas County school student has been expelled for the remainder of the current school year, as the result of a special meeting of the Nicholas County school board on Friday, March 23.

The action was taken because the student allegedly struck a teacher, according to Mercury news sources.

"Because the Mercury has agreed not to publish the name of the individual,"

Money asked for monument To honor Fleming man who raised flag on Iwo Jima during World War

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"I had been to the cemetery on two other occasions but had not been able to find the grave."

"The first time after finding the cemetery I was pressed for time, so I did not spend very much time, but I promised myself that I would come back and find it. The second time I had left after searching for an hour or so. I had been looking for a large marker (that I expected), so on my third visit in July of '81 I had decided that I would look at each marker until I found it."

"When they told me that Franklin still had family in the area, I was overjoyed as I learned that Franklin's marker was still alive and lived within a few miles. I had to talk to her — I just had to."

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was, and still is, the most famous photograph ever taken. The picture was taken by Joe Rosenthal of the AP on Feb. 23, 1945 at Iwo Jima. That one picture was the motivating factor that was the rallying force for ending WW II. This nation got behind our men and women in uniform as they never had before and I expected more than I had seen. As I left the cemetery I wondered if Franklin had any family left in Fleming County so I decided to stop and ask at the post office located only a few hundred yards from the Elizabethtown Cemetery.

Tornado season is upon us again

Statewide drill held today

A state-wide tornado warning and communications exercise will be conducted on Thursday, March 24, same time as the meeting. Wilbur B. Buntin Jr., Disaster and Emergency Services executive director, said.

The exercise, cosponsored by the National Weather Service and DDES, will be held as an actual tornado emergency week in effect throughout the state.

The National Weather Service Forecast Office in Louisville will initiate the test by issuing a test tornado warning over teletype and the National Weather Service Weather Radio network. From this point on, the warning will be distributed to the public through normal means. Kentucky radio and television stations and the Kentucky State Police will disseminate the message as an actual tornado were in the area.

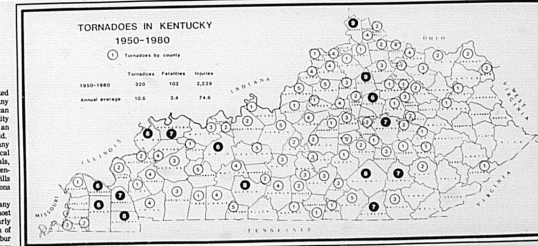
"This exercise provides an opportunity for state and local organizations to review warning and communications plans for tornadoes," Buntin said.

The exercise allows plans to be tested in a local simulation exercise. Any deficiencies in warning notification can be reworked so that the community would be better prepared for an actual tornado threat, Buntin said.

At the time of the exercise, many communities will be testing local warning systems. Schools, hospitals, businesses and industries are encouraged to practice drills, with which require entirely different actions from fire drills.

Although tornadoes can occur at any time of the year, they are most common during the spring and early summer. "In Kentucky, the month of peak tornado activity is April," Wilbur B. Buntin Jr., Disaster and Emergency Services executive director, said.

"We know, too, that although they can occur at any time of the day or night, tornadoes most often happen between 1 and 7 p.m.," Buntin said. "It's important to know the signs of



Tornado season is here

The map above was issued by the state Department of Disaster and Emergency Services in Frankfort. It shows the number of documented tornadoes that have struck Kentucky since 1950. Their figures report on in

Nicholas County. The black numbers show counties that see to get more tornadoes than any other. See the tornado warning story elsewhere.