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City taxes cited

Mockingbird residents opposed to annexation

Mockingbird Lane may not become a part of Carlisle after all. A petition signed by all but two homeowners was presented to city council Monday night, objecting to the proposed annexation of the street.

The petition was brought before council by residents Mike Phillips and Louise Bryant. When Mayor Franklin Hughes inquired why the objection, Bryant replied, "Taxes."

The residents are presently on the city water and sewer lines which were deeded to the city shortly after most of the houses were built on the street, however, they are not on the city gas line. Councilman Charles Pay mentioned Bryant and Phillips that if the proposed water and sewer rates increase goes into effect, that out of city customers would be paying considerably more than city customers.

Grand Champion Heifer!

Todd Day, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar R. (Eddie) Day, received top honors of the recent Central Kentucky Fleece Show in Winchester. Miss Windstone 8200 was Simmental Grand Champion and later selected Supreme Grand Champion over all breeds.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Shomote, Todd, shown with his Day, also received second place for his Chippewa Angus cross steer, with total winnings of \$175. He has participated in the Nicholas County 4-H beef project the past four years.

Former resident elected to high Methodist post

A Carlisle High School graduate, Class of 1936, has been elected the Judicial Council of the United Methodist Church, the denomination's "supreme court."

The Rev. Albert W. Sweeney will serve on the nine-member council for an eight-year term. Election came on the third ballot at last week's General Conference in Baltimore, MD.

News briefs

Mobile home fire claims two lives

Services for two Nicholas County men who died early last Wednesday in a mobile home fire were held Saturday, May 12, at Mothers-Garden Funeral Home.

The victims were identified as Adrian "Buddy" Cox Jr., 33, and Roy T. Sapp, 62, both of Route 4, Carlisle, officials said.

Beware of mailing on 'tax benefits'

Nicholas County residents are reminded that mailings from the Information Center of "Self-Employed Tax Benefits" are still being received locally.

Association, persons who receive the notice (dealing with benefits available to "estate owners" under Public Law 94-453) should consult with their lawyer or any member of the association before replying to a business reply card enclosed in the letter.

According to Charles M. Cox, a member of the Nicholas County Bar

passed on the second reading by the council at the April meeting and the petition are to be presented to the county clerk within 60 days of the passage of the ordinance. The clerk then sees that the question is placed on the ballot of the next general election. The 60 days will be up June 11. It takes 75 percent of eligible voters voting against annexation to defeat the issue.

However, according to Wood, 75 percent of "what" is not clear in the state statute governing such elections. He is not sure if it means 75 percent of those voting or 75 percent of the residents in the area. He said it is possible that it will take a court ruling.

School begins August 20, board decides

The Nicholas County Board of Education, at a busy May 14 meeting, approved the following measures:

- To adopt the 1984-85 school calendar to open school on Aug. 20, 1984 and close on May 23, 1985.
- To adopt the 1984-85 salary schedule with a two percent increase for the Nicholas County Board of Education employees as recommended by the superintendent.
- To renew liability and errors and omissions insurance on board and all employees through KCMIA.
- To have Ted Monroe and Associates audit 1983-84 financial accounts, at a cost of \$5,000.
- To allow East Union School reunion to be held in elementary building on Aug. 25, 1984.
- To advertise elementary and high school student desks for bids to be opened at June 13 board meeting.
- To advertise for bids for the following: Depository for 1984-85; 1985-86 board of education funds. Bids to be opened at June 13 board meeting.
- To approve fourth grade field trip to Frankfurt on May 31; Special Education to Horse Park on May 18; fifth grade to Frankfurt on May 23; third grade to Lake Licks.
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residents in the area. He said it is possible that it will take a court ruling. Judge Jack Arnold to determine the correct interpretation of the law.

BOR CHRISTIE and Bill Hardin of the American Legion reported to council that the State Police headquarters at Dry Ridge had been contacted and that they were named that two extra troopers besides John Hall would be on duty in Carlisle on six nights (July 27) of the Blackberry Festival.

Rehearsing for tonight's school play

From left, Johnny Sbert, Cami Clark, Dawn the May 17, 7:30 p.m. production of "Tumblebug" Lether and Shabazz Koury are shown in rehearsal for



'Shall we dance?'

Mr. David Zachary brought a bit of gaiety to the Nicholas County 4-H Style Revue with a formal shoe made in 1926. The formal was on display at the Revue along with other sewing achievements of yore past made by local women who were to 4-H in their youth. The theme of the Revue was appropriately entitled, 'Reflections.' Photo submitted.

'Root Hog(g) or die'

Hiram recalls WW II action at ceremony 40 years later

Six medals and citations he had earned 40 years ago in World War II as a member of the U.S. Marine Corps were finally pinned on the chest of Hiram "Hog" Sunday afternoon in ceremonies at the Armed Forces Center on VanTech Road in Lexington.

AS THE YEARS went by, however, Hog began to wonder what happened to the medals. Last year a friend wrote the Department of Navy in his behalf. Sunday, 40 years later, the medals were his.

Flag may wave on July 4

It appears the electric flag that was placed atop the courthouse May 21, 1917 will be illuminated again, and that through personal contact, another \$1,100 has been raised from the local Chamber of Commerce.

He and his wife, Rita, have two sons — Hiram Allen and Willie Gayle — and a daughter, Penny, now Mrs. Willard Yeager of Holshouser, OK. The young Hiram was a Träger member of the Marine Corps. Willie, who works in Paris, is a member of the Kentucky National Guard, which was in Hymen last week helping with flood cleanup.

Penny also spent three years in the Marine Corps before retiring eight years ago.

The flag which once waved in lighted colors is currently undergoing repairs to the tune of possibly \$2,000. The lowest of three bids the chamber received on the work.



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Honoring. See story page 7. Photo submitted.