

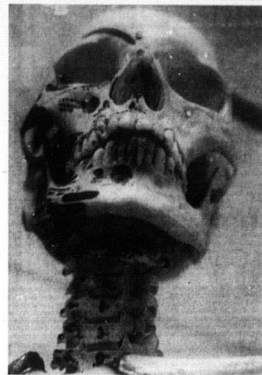
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**In the spirit of things**

A classmate of a three-year-old boy, about 25 years of age, is used as the anatomy lab in the local high school. His presence lends an especially eerie touch during the Halloween season. Markings pinpoint muscle origin and attachment to the bones of the body.

## Real estate value up \$2.3 million in last 12 months

City asked to consider move to jail if facility is renovated as holdover

The annual levy for 1984 property taxes in Nicholas County, adopted at the October 17 meeting of fiscal court, reflects a dollar growth in real estate valuation of approximately \$2.3 million during the past 12 months.

A \$1,253,000 figure, based on \$100 assessed valuation, in real estate has been projected for the 1984 tax year.

Other certified assessments within the jurisdiction of the General Fund given a second reading, include: \$1,137,200 in tangible personal property; \$10,720,000 in public service companies and \$1,906,275 from bank shares.

**IN OTHER BUSINESS:** Larry Burton was present to discuss operation of the ambulance service which has been the subject of recent criticism.

Members of Carlisle City Council, including Mayor Frank Hughes and councilmen, Carlisle Lester and Clarence Card were present to discuss the 20-year plan for trash disposal at the landfill, utilized by the city and county.

Also under discussion by magistrates and council members was the use of the

local jail as a holdover facility. No money granted for renovation has been received here to date, the court pointed out.

City fathers apparently could move their city offices to the renovated jail site if the overall operation (heat, utilities, etc.) represented a substantial savings and would not be a costly transition.

Mayor Hughes later told The Mercury he had checked with Frankfurt and was

told that none of the grant money could be used in moving any city equipment or furnishings.

"The grant money can be used only in renovating the jail. Anything we did would be at our (city) expense," which the figure would be considerable.

The matter will be discussed before the full council's later date.

No action was taken on a proposed pay raise by Jimmy Seay, road department employe.

**Keep porch light on for trick or treaters**

Next Wednesday, October 31, between the hours of 4 and 8 p.m. has been declared trick or treat night in Carlisle for youngsters 12 and under.

City council reminds parents that all children must be accompanied by an adult.

Residents who are participating in the Halloween observance are asked to turn on a porch light. Youngsters should not solicit treats from homes where a porch light is not burning.

Admission is \$1 for adults, with children 12 and under free.

**Fire destroys house trailer**

A house trailer belonging to Edna Wagner and George Seay was destroyed by fire late Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 17, on Sugar Creek Road.

The fire, of unknown origin, was reported to the Nicholas County Fire Department about 8:30 p.m. The trailer was located on property owned by Hester Clark, nine miles from Carlisle.

**Donates \$100 to park board**

The Donna Wolf Steigerwald Foundation of Knoxville, Wisconsin, presented the Carlisle-Nicholas County Park and Recreation Board a check for \$100 in memory of the late L.J. (Fannie) Allison.

Mrs. Steigerwald is president of Blue Grass Industries and Blue Grass Knitwear of Carlisle, where Allison was in charge of the cafeteria operation for many years.

**Inside . . .**

Nicholas County PTO reads for Saturday's Fall Festival. (See page 8).

**Dental hygiene demonstrated**

The tooth fairy, Ornona McWhorter, right, visited the Nicholas County Elementary School first grade class last week as part of National Dental Health Week activities. Dr. Philip Crew, local dentist, also spoke to the

class. In the picture above, Dr. Crew demonstrated oral hygiene to John Sparks, Francis Jolly, David Plunkett, Amanda Marcum and Curtis Compton.

## Four decline invitation

### Forum candidates are few

By Janis R. Duncan  
The turnout for the public forums at the Nicholas County Library Monday night disappointed the candidates for school board seats. Mrs. Louise Zachary (District 1), Mrs. Rose Marie Farrah (District 1), and Marion Sims Jr. (District 1) were present to answer questions and to state their reasons for running.

John Cheever Jr. (District 1) did not respond to the invitation, request reply registered letter that was sent to each candidate inviting them to participate in the forum.

Brendly Schaefering, also in District 1, did respond by saying he would not attend if none of the incumbents were present.

William E. Hunter (District 1) responded by explaining that he would be attending an out-of-town school board meeting with other Nicholas County board members on Oct. 22 and would be at the forum if time permitted. The group returned by the middle of the afternoon, but Hunter, school board president, did not appear at the forum.

The duration of the forum was 90 minutes with Mr. Calvary Simpson from the Parkersburg County League of Women Voters serving as time keeper.

**AT THE BEGINNING** of the session each of the three candidates present was given four minutes to state reasons for choosing to run for a seat on the school board.

Next, four prepared questions were

asked. See Forum, page 11



**SCHOOL BOARD CANDIDATES** Rose Marie Farrah, left, Marion Sims Jr. and Louise Zachary answer questions during Monday night's public forum at the Nicholas County Library. Four others, including two incumbents, did not attend. —Marjorie photos

## Burley sales begin Nov. 19

Warehouses across Kentucky will begin auctioneering the 1984 burley tobacco crop on Monday, Nov. 19.

The dates and hours for the burley sales were set Oct. 17 during a meeting of the Burley Sales Committee in Lexington.

"We're really looking forward to an outstanding sales year for Kentucky burley farmers," said state Agriculture Commissioner David E. Burwell, a member of the Burley Sales Committee.

"We've had a good growing season and the quality of the leaf coming to market is expected to be of very high quality. Kentucky burley should catch the eye of the buyers and give farmers a good market year for their crops."

Warehouses in the Commonwealth will begin selling burley for 12 hours on Nov. 19, 20 and 21. The market will then break for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Sales resume on Nov. 26 and continue for 12 hours the first four days of each week until the Christmas holiday recess which begins at the close of sales on Dec. 13.

Sales begin after the holiday break on Jan. 7, 1985, and continue for the first four days of each week until the crop is sold.

The first official weighing date is Nov. 9, according to a resolution adopted by the sales committee. However, warehouses may receive tobacco on the floor before that date.

## Rained-out horse show October 28

The most significant rainfall in months fell over the weekend, especially Sunday.

And while welcomed by farmers with tobacco ready to strip, it came as a disappointment to promoters of the Charity Horse Show, which had to be postponed until this Sunday, October 28.

The 10-class event will benefit the joint efforts of the Lexington-Hardin-Dixie-Hawkins first medical expenses each has incurred.

The show was underway at 1:30 p.m. at the East End Recreation Park, Adamsville, is \$1 for adults, with children 12 and under free.

## Tepee or not tepee

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