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## Liquor interests to ask rehearing

A motion for a rehearing on the Kentucky Supreme Court's July 5 ruling that would force the closing of establishments selling alcoholic beverages in Carlisle and Nicholas County is expected to be filed with the court in Frankfort this week.

Under the law, a rehearing must be filed within 30 days of the ruling. James Shaw, owner of 24 1/2 Liquors on Walnut Street, said the rehearing is being asked by liquor interests in Magoffin County and supported by local citizens.

The court will then decide if it will rehear the case, a decision that could come as early as 30 days or drag on for several months. Shaw said he had been advised.

Should the court refuse rehearing, liquor interests are expected to appeal to the federal court level.

**THE STATE'S** highest court had ordered that sales be terminated in about 60 days from the time the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board received notification from the court, barring further legal developments.

Depending on the outcome of the requested rehearing, the situation could result in a state of fluid for quite some time, since the ABC board will not enforce closure while the matter is in litigation, Shaw said.

"If we're heard nothing from the ABC," he said.

By a 5-2 vote the Supreme Court overturned an appeals court ruling and ordered a full rehearing in which voters approved liquor sales in a county where the County Justice district. Justice ruled that once a county votes to ban it, no part of it

except cities of certain classes — can vote that out, under the county and rule.

Nicholas County was voted dry in October, 1982.

**FOLLOWING** the 1981 Magoffin County election, Nicholas County Court Judge C. A. Farnham signed an order Nov. 18, 1982 allowing a wet-dry vote in the State precinct, won by the wets, 184-7.

In April 1983, twenty precincts, — City Building and Mathias — voted in favor of sales of alcoholic beverages, while voters in Mayor's Office and Engine House said no.

Citywide totals showed 621 against sales and 109 for.

Currently, three package liquor stores and five beer establishments are licensed in Carlisle and Nicholas County.



**A crowded corner**

A major main loaded with Solvite forced a small 1975 Buick, owned by Norma D. Spaulding, 201 Spectrum Hill, against the curb on both sides, where she was attempting to turn from Main Street onto South Broadway Friday morning. Driver of the

truck was Kenneth E. Toulson, of Solvite Inc., Cincinnati. The car was not badly damaged, but the driver was taken to the Nicholas County Hospital where she was treated for shock and released.



## Deering Camp Ground a light from the past

By Rev. Albert W. Swaray

Let's go back in time to the Deering Camp, located at Parks Hill in Nicholas County, close to Myers Station. The camp was named for Reverend Sirrah S. Swaray, a Methodist minister devoted to the creation, restoration and general of religious camps in Central Kentucky. Rev. Swaray was an active minister for 41 years, the longest tenure of any minister in the area.

Deering was originated with the idea of establishing a religious camp at Parks Hill, an area that had been owned by The Washington Mining and Manufacturing Company. A gentleman by the name of W. E. Parks was president of the company and the mine was named for him. It was on high elevation with excellent drainage and construction scenic beauty.

The camp was located on the site of Myers Station. It is the understanding of the writer that The Washington Mining and Manufacturing Company was the forerunner of the present IM Company. The company had an operation at this site, with company facilities for their workers. It was served by the M and I Branch of the K C Railroad as an outlet for exporting raw materials.

**THE COMPANY** abandoned its operation in the 1880s. It was at this point that S. Deering detected the potential for a religious camp. With permission of the company, plans proceeded to convert the area into a religious camp.

In 1917 the first camp held was of about 100 men. It was held for two weeks and afforded resident opportunities in 22 cabins that had been erected by the Washington Company after five years of successful operation the company gave the ownership to the Kentucky

Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South in 1918. This was to remain the property of the church as long as it was used for religious purposes but if it ceased such operation, it would return to the ownership of The Washington Mining and Manufacturing Company.

It was of great interest that the writer reviewed a program of the camp given to him by the daughter of W. E. Parks, who was chairman of the board of directors for the Deering Camp.

The program announced the Seventy Annual Meeting, August 7-20, 1978 at the Deering Camp located at Parks Hill, Nicholas County, Kentucky on the M & I Branch of the K C Railroad. The program was presided by Evans and Ross, Carlisle Preachers.

**EXCERPTS** from the 1978 program may be of interest to the reader as follows:

The place — Parks Hill is a triangular elevation, with romantic surroundings, beautiful shade, well carpeted with blue grass and easy access by rail and carriage, being immediately on the M & I Branch of the K C Railroad and on a turnpike which connects it with Carlisle and Flemingsburg and road centers of all northern Kentucky.

Conveniences — Ample and satisfactory. That portion of the grounds used for the meeting is enclosed with a tight fence and is under the control of vigilant police on duty night and day.

The main auditorium is a covered shack, seating 1,000 people and as many more can comfortably participate in the services held at this point. In another part of the grounds there are seats and a stand erected for children's services. Besides this, there is a neat comfortable chapel for morning prayer. With

these facilities, 4,000 people may enjoy at the same hour the privileges of the place. As many as 10,000 people, seated around the hillside, were said to have attended a Sunday service.

The dining hall is supplied with all the requisites for accommodating guests. It is covered with shingles, has a light floor and is seated with chairs. Attached to it is a lunch room.

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**Out with the old...**

Heavy equipment from Mercedes Milling Company moved into downtown Carlisle last week, stripping and cleaning a section of Main Street prior to repaving. In this picture, taken from in front of the courthouse Friday morning, a truck is being loaded with pulverized pavement

to be hauled away. Hoak Contracting Corporation of Parks Hill was recently awarded the job, striping and cleaning to be done by the Kentucky Department of Highway. Preliminary work was subcontracted to Mercedes Milling.

## Academic League formed

Nicholas County is one of 19 high schools in the newly formed Limestone Academic League designed to advance the standards of academic competition and activities along the lines of regular and post-season athletic events.

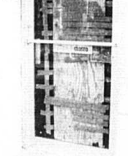
Towns from Fleming County, Augusta, Independent, Danmore, Lewis County, Tiptonville, Maywood, Independent, Mason County, Warrick County and Bourbon County

school districts will compete during the coming school year.

John Kane of Mayfield Community College will serve as league commissioner.

Competitions will be held in the areas of language arts, mathematics, science, social studies and humanities, and will be judged on the basis of written and long-answer responses, much the same as the Knowledge and Scholastic Challenge formats.

## Two break-ins reported at Main Street stores



**Door shattered**

Carlisle police are still investigating two Main Street store break-ins which occurred in the early morning hours Friday.

A glass door at the entrance to Jim's Jewelry Store was smashed at 1:12 a.m. and the thief stole jewelry. The burglary attempt set off an alarm which apparently scared off the intruder. Nothing was reported missing, but the store was closed awaiting repair of the door.

A second break-in occurred sometime later at the former site of Blumstein's Hardware Store, no longer in operation.

No arrests have been made in connection with the break-ins, but Jim's Store has been closed Monday about 2:30 a.m. Friday near True Value Hardware, had up the street.

Police, who was charged with public indication, had to know following the break-ins. It was taken to the Mason County jail, where he posted bond and was released. He was to have appeared in District Court here Monday but was unable to appear. His father, Milton Price, said he has not had any severe beating over the weekend but did not elaborate.

Price was recently released from prison after serving approximately one year of a three-year sentence for second degree arson. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was sentenced May 17, 1984 in Nicholas Circuit Court.

## Two-car accident on Highway 36

A two-car, non-injury accident occurred about 10 p.m. Saturday on Highway 36, in the dip of the hill east of the intersection of Highway 36.

An eastbound 1980 Chevrolet, driven by Cathy Hiett of Carlisle, reportedly pulled out to pass a westbound 1984 Chevrolet, owned by Gayla Kelly of Clarksville and driven by John Hodson of Paris.

Detective Sheriff Frank Smith, who investigated the accident said that both vehicles were substantially damaged. Hiett's car was destroyed by fire. Wednesday, severely injured Hiett is in the hospital in that condition.

Litigation reportedly begins in that vicinity of the town.

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## Barn, equipment destroyed by fire

A five-bay barn, belonging to Nancy Blumstein on the Upper Park Lane Road, six miles from Carlisle, was destroyed by fire Wednesday, severely injured Hiett is in the hospital in that condition.

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## Harrison REC directors

Directors elected at the 47th annual meeting of Harrison Rural Electric Cooperative on Thursday, July 2, included: L. Kirtley McDonald of Harrison County, James C. Lowe of Nicholas County and J. Walton Wright of Bourbon County. Over 2,000 people attended the event held in Cynthia.



**Harrison REC directors**