ALMANAC

"Promises and pie crusts are made to be broken."

NOVEMBER

19—George Rogers Clark, soldier and frontiersman, born, 1752.

20—First license to a negro preacher was granted, 1782.

21—France became an empire, 1852.

22—Mary Ann Evans, author known as George Eliot, born, 1819.

23—The Stamped-Towner Act became a law, 1921.

24—Famous nullification resolution passed by South Carolina, 1832.

25—The British army left the United States, 1783.

Classified

Notice—All local classified advertising 5 cents per line; minimum charge 25 cents; foreign classified 10 cents per line; minimum charge 30 cents; all classified advertising must be paid in advance; positively no charge accounts made of classified. Public sale advertisements,40 cents per inch per insertion.

LOST

LOST—In vicinity of Wm. Ham-... [illegible] ... Call Alexander's Store, Cowan, Ky. or write William Hammonds, Cowan, Ky. 11-16-2t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three room apartment on East Main street. Apply to Mrs. Harry L. Champ. 1t*

FOR RENT—Office building, two rooms, centrally located. Modern apartment, all conveniences, furnace heat, private bath, etc. Jane H. Tilton 1t*

FOR SALE

Tobacco Sprayers—See our BROWN trombone sprayer, makes very fine mist and plenty of it. Very easily repaired. Also have tank sprayers and bucket sprayers. C. R. KING.

FOR SALE OR RENT—The W. J. Dorsey home on East Main. Can be rented in apartments. See Mrs. Fred Cox or Mrs. Stewart Dorsey. 1t*

FOR SALE—32 acres on Jordan in grass. Plenty of water, good 6 room house, good 3-bent barn, some outbuildings. See Ira Robinson, Moorefield, Ky. 1t*

FOR SALE—One used Philco Battery Radio in good shape. C. R. KING.

NOTICES

Notice

Hams boiled, pies made on special order.

Edith Norton, 110 Main Street Phone 162-J 1t

SPRAYS

Acmy tobacco 3 1-2 gal. $3.75. Some real bargains in used guns. Remington, Stevens and Spencer pumps, double-barrel, hammer and hammerless, Winchester and Remington Rifles. 4 cap cook stoves No. 7 and 8 $12.50, $14.50 and $16.50. Ranges, white enamel $59. Coal heater No. 15 $13.75; 17, $15.50; 19 hotblast $22.50. 4-room heatrolas $29.50. Laundry stoves $5.50 and $6.50. W. H. Marshall, West Main St. 1t*

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of D. L. Smith, deceased, to present same, proven according to law, to the undersigned. And all persons indebted to said estate are requested to call, at once, and settle same.

C. D. Smith, Administrator of D. L. Smith Estate 401 Woodland Ave., Lexington, Ky.

11-16-3t

PUBLIC SALE

OF

Two Robertson County Farms

ON

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25 At 1:30 O'Clock P. M.

We will offer for sale on the premises of Tract No. 1 which is situated 4 miles East of Mt. Olivet on the Ogden Ridge Road, the farms of J. W. Mulliken and Durwood Henson. This land is good strong producing bluegrass soil and is situated in a good community and accessible to churches, school and leading farm markets.

We will offer these farms separately and then as a whole.

TRACT NO. 1—Is the farm of Mr. Mulliken, containing 98.5 acres all in grass and easily cultivatable. Good fence, ample water supply. House of 7 rooms, tobacco barn, stock barn and all necessary outbuildings. A real buy for a home.

TRACT NO. 2—Is the farm of Mr. Henson and is contiguous to Tract No. 1. This farm contains 55.5 acres all of which is in grass and all cultivatable. Good fencing, plenty of water. House of 5 rooms, large tobacco barn, and adequate outbuildings. All buildings on both farms in good repair. This is a real income builder.

TERMS—Very reasonable. Possession on or before March 1, 1940. Interested parties will be shown these farms by Mr. Mulliken who resides on Tract No. 1, or by the selling agents.

Sale Conducted By
The Scott-Kendall Sales Co.
Carlisle, Ky.
"It Makes A Difference"

11-16-2t

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BROTHERS

Mrs. Elizabeth Trumbo Brothers, 46, wife of Farris C. Brothers, L. and N. freight conductor, died Sunday afternoon at her home in Maysville. She was a native of Bath county, daughter of the late A. E. Trumbo and Mrs. Nettie Hazelrigg Trumbo.

Besides her husband she is survived by three sons, Harold, Fred and Gene Brothers, all of Maysville; her mother, Mrs. Nettie Hazelrigg Trumbo, of Carlisle; a sister, Mrs. L. H. Bratton, of Covington, and a brother, Stanley Trumbo, of Carlisle.

Burial services were held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the Carlisle cemetery.

RAFFERTY

Mrs. Mollie Laughlin Rafferty, 67, died last Wednesday afternoon at her home near Rafferty's store on the Maysville and Lexington road, following an illness of more than 18 months. She was a daughter of the late James and Elizabeth Mann Laughlin, natives of Nicholas, and had resided in the county all of her life.

Mrs. Rafferty was widely known and loved in her community. She is survived by her husband, George C. Rafferty; three sisters, Mrs. Naomi Campbells, of Midway; Mrs. Nellie Williams, of Harrison county, and Mrs. Ollie Elrod, of Nicholas.

Funeral services were held at the Christian church Saturday afternoon conducted by the pastor, Rev. Estal L. Taylor, and burial followed in the Carlisle cemetery.

No Hunting POSTED

Our lands are posted against hunting and trespassing with guns or dogs. All trespassers will be prosecuted.

William Lovell Hollar, Admr. *
Mrs. A. J. Barr *
Henry Bros. *
Mary B. Wiggins Bailey *
Mrs. Mollie Buntin and Daughter *
G. W. Waugh and Sons *

Additional names will be added to this list and carried during the hunting season for 50 cents, cash in advance.

PUBLIC SALE

As Administrator of John M. Taylor, deceased, I will at the court house door in Carlisle, Ky., at 10 o'clock on

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25

at public sale sell a lot of notes amounting to about $1875, for the purpose of settling and winding up the estate of deceased.

JOHN M. BARNETT, Administrator

11-16-2t

PUBLIC SALE

OF

Real Estate & Personal Property

As Agent for the heirs of D. L. Smith, deceased, I will offer for sale on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1939 At 10 O'Clock A. M.

the following real and personal property:

A beautiful home, located on West Main street, Carlisle, Ky., in one of the best residential sections of the city. This home contains six rooms, bath, hall through entire house, screened in back porch, and abundant pantry room, with good cistern at back door. One and one-half story, frame house on stone foundation, with basement. The house is being beautifully papered throughout this week.

There is a good barn on lot, with ample room for feed, corn crib, garage and coal house. This is an excellent home, and one that should not be overlooked as a home, or for an investment. Our government Postoffice will be built within 200 yards of this property, and when completed this should enhance the value of this property being offered for sale at least 100 per cent.

At the same time and place, will offer for sale the following household effects:

1 mahogany davenport
1 mahogany library table
4 rockers
1 inlaid victrola
1 mahogany dresser and chiffe-robe
1 mahogany settee
1 oak china cabinet
1 oak buffet
1 dining table and 8 chairs
1 Miller coal range
1 50 lb. Leonard refrigerator
1 4-burner coal oil stove in good condition
2 kitchen tables
1 oak chifferobe
1 princess dresser and table
1 12x15 Wilton rug
1 11¼x13½ Smith Axminster rug
1 11¼x12 Smith Axminster rug
1 5¼x7½ Smith Axminster rug
1 36x72 Brussels rug
1 12x15 Brussels rug
2 9x12 Smith Axminster rugs
1 large hall runner

ANTIQUES

Black walnut bed and dresser
Washstand and secretary
Cherry chest
3 corner cupboard

Lot of odd chairs and tables
1 white bed, dresser and table
3 good mattresses
3 feather beds
3 sets bed springs
1 lot bed clothes
Porch swing and 2 rocking chairs
Lot of pictures and ornaments
1 large oak hat rack
1 coal vase
1 large Moore's Air Tight heater
1 Franklin heater
1 large heater

Lot of farming tools and other items too numerous to mention.

There will be no by-bidders on this property.

Interested parties will be shown this property by the undersigned sellers.

Terms will be made known on day of sale. Possession of the real estate to be delivered at once.

CHAS. D. SMITH, Agent for heirs of D. L. Smith and Admr. of D. L. Smith

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AUTUMNAL

(Robert Wistrand)

Now in the silver autumn are
The crystal moon, the brightest star,
The silence never found nor lost
Within the mist, within the frost.

And color flushes vine and leaf
And field mice burrow in the sheaf,
And bird songs strike a plaintive note
And near horizons seem remote.

Now daylight spans its shorter arc
With little sun from dark to dark.
An endless, mysterious wall
Of darkness imprisons us all.

And gold has been splashed on the grain
And the wind is cool and the rain
Comes shimmering over the glass
And the swift days of autumn pass.

KERNS

Mrs. Oda Dixon Kerns, 49, wife of Charles Kerns of this county, died at 4:30 Tuesday afternoon at the Good Samaritan hospital, where she had been ill since November 7th.

Mrs. Kerns was a native of this county, the daughter of the late James and Mary Mers Dixon, and is survived by her husband, and two daughters, Miss Jessaline Kerns who resides at home, and Miss Irene Kerns, graduate at the Good Samaritan hospital in Lexington, who is in charge of the operating room there; three sons, Eugene Kerns, of Cincinnati, William and Clifton Kerns, of Fayette county; four brothers, John Dixon, of Maysville, Roy Dixon and Jennings Dixon, of Cincinnati, and Russell Dixon, of Maysville; two sisters, Mrs. James McGinley, of Nicholas county, and Mrs. George Sanderson, of Lexington.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday afternoon at the Methodist church at one o'clock, Rev. R. R. Couey, pastor of the Baptist church officiating. Burial will follow in the Carlisle cemetery.

PUBLIC AUCTION

OF

135 Acre Fleming County Farm Livestock And Personal Property

ON

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 22, 1939 At 10 O'Clock A. M.

We will sell on the premises, located one-half mile Northwest of Ewing and six miles from Flemingsburg, on the Cowan-Ewing pike, one of the best farms in Fleming county.

The recent death of Mr. W. M. Jackson forces Mrs. Jackson to leave the farm, therefore she has commissioned us to sell this excellent farm, together with its livestock and personal property.

This is among one of the best farms in Fleming county, the land is such that a tractor may be used over the entire farm and is good strong limestone land, the kind that produces the burley tobacco that always demands the highest price on the market. It is an opportunity that comes once in a lifetime to purchase a good strong bluegrass farm at your own price. This place is located just one mile from Ky. Highway No. 32 and is on a good macadam road.

Farm contains 135 acres, 18 acres under cultivation, it being sown to barley and rye; 8 acres of alfalfa; remainder in bluegrass.

Improvements consist of a good six room house, which is in first class condition and furnished with electricity, a six acre tobacco barn just built this year, a good combination stock and tobacco barn with other necessary outbuildings, go to complete the improvements. Improvements are all under good roofs, farm under good fence, and a never failing water supply.

At the same time and place we will sell:

Several head of good Jersey cows, some calves by side; a good team of work mares; one good wor kmule; 30 head of good stock ewes; 30 tons of hay; 50 barrels of corn in crib; one Chrysler Coupe; wagons; work harness; one new lime spreader; tobacco presses; hog houses; many other tools and implements.

TERMS—On real estate: A Federal loan of $3900, on this property may be assumed by the buyer without cost. The difference between selling price and loan may be paid as follows, 10 per cent on date of sale with contract and 40 per cent with deed. Balance in 1, 2 and 3 years with interest at the rate of 5 per cent from date of deed.

Terms on personal property made known on day of sale.

Prospective buyers will be shown farm by Chandler Gibson of Ewing, Ewell Shrout of Owingsville, or the undersigned sellers.

Sale Conducted By
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RELIGIOUS

SERVICES AT MOOREFIELD

There will be preaching at Moorefield Thursday evening, November 16th at 7:00 o'clock by Rev. Cecil V. Crabb. All are cordially invited.

EAST UNION CHURCH

Bible school Sunday as usual at 10 o'clock. Dr. Fern will preach next Sunday at both the morning and the evening service. Christian Endeavors will meet at 6:15. Miss Virginia Bussell is the leader.

The East Union church is doing some of its best work in years. All members expected to support the work with their presence. All visitors welcome.

HEADQUARTERS METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. H. C. Sims, D. D., Conference Evangelist of the Methodist church of the Louisville Conference, will head the revival services at the Headquarters Methodist church beginning at 7 o'clock each evening starting on November 20th and closing December 3rd. The pastor, J. F. Arnold, will assist in these meetings.

MILLERSBURG METHODIST CHURCH

A. D. Houghlin, pastor.

Sunday school at 10:45, Mrs. E. E. Allison, Superintendent.

Church at 10:45. Special missionary sermon by the pastor.

Young people meet at 6 p. m.

Union service at the Presbyterian church.

Prayer service Wednesday night and children's service on Wednesday afternoon at 3 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Cecil V. Crabb, minister.

Wednesday, 7:00 prayer meeting.

Sunday 9:30 Sunday school.

Sunday 10:45 preaching on the theme, "What Shall I Do With My Burdens?"

7:00 special service for our young people. They will have a part on the program. Special songs for them and by them. The pastor will preach on "Playing The Game Of Life." All are cordially invited.

Let us help the Red Cross this week. The world needs physical and it needs spiritual healing.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school 9:30 a. m.

Preaching 10:45 a. m. Sermon by Rev. G. W. Boswell.

Young peoples service and choir practice 6 p. m.

Preaching 7 p. m. Sermon by Rev. Estal Taylor.

This is a union service of the Methodist and Christian churches. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Prayer meeting Wednesday 7 p. m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Estal L. Taylor, pastor.

Wednesday evening Bible study 7:00.

Chorus rehearsal 8:15.

Sunday, November 19.

Bible school 9:30.

Communion 10:30.

Sermon 11:00.

Christian Endeavor 6:00.

Evening service in Methodist church.

It makes little difference whether Thanksgiving is November 23 or 30, one thing is certain, we have much for which to give thanks and One to whom we ought to continually give that thanks.

Bro. Couey will deliver the Thanksgiving message in Christian church Nov. 29th at 7:15. Union service of all churches. Come.

Cooper Urges Big Burley Tobacco Vote

Stressing the importance of burley tobacco in Kentucky, Dean Thomas P. Cooper of the State College of Agriculture urges every grower to vote in the marketing quota referendum to be held November 21. Every burley tobacco grower, he declares, should take full advantage of this opportunity to express his desires on next year's crop.

Due to excessive production this year, a quota has been set on marketing burley tobacco for 1940. It would mean about 10 per cent reduction. Two-thirds of those voting November 21 must approve the quota in order to make it effective.

"While only tobacco growers can vote, the referendum is a matter of great importance to all of Kentucky," declared Dean Cooper. "To town and country alike, the burley tobacco crop largely tells the story of good or bad times in Kentucky."

County agricultural agents and local committeemen are conducting meetings throughout the state in an effort to acquaint burley growers with the situation. Production of burley this year is put at 354,000,000 pounds, or much above consumption. Supplies of burley on October 1 of this year were more than a billion pounds, or the third largest in history.

"Prices and supplies are largely tied together," continued Dean Cooper. "Excessive production and burdensome supplies can only mean lower prices. I hope that growers will become familiar with the situation which they now face, and that they will turn out and vote November 21."

Best Hunting Season In Years, Prospect

Major James Brown, Director of the Division of Game and Fish, calls to the attention of all hunters the fact that the season on rabbits and Bob White Quail opens on November 24.

The hunter's attention is also called to the proclamation issued by Governor Chandler more than a month ago setting aside November 30 as Thanksgiving Day. As the result of this proclamation the hunter will be able to enjoy that particular holiday in the fields in the pursuit of the rabbit or quail. President Roosevelt proclaimed November 23 as Thanksgiving day, but due to the confusion raised by this change, Governor Chandler proclaimed the last Thursday in the month as the day on which to give thanks.

The Division of Game and Fish has received numerous requests county and discussed ways and means of protecting and bringing back the deer to that section.

A large number of reports have also come in to the office of deer being seen in all other sections of the state and much interest has been and is being shown now as to the possibilities of having more and more deer in Eastern Kentucky. The mountainous sections of the state are the only spots that deer can be expected to be brought back in any great numbers. Other sections of the state are too thickly settled to ever hope for deer in any great numbers there. Kentucky now has approximately 1,500 Virginia White Tail and European Red deer within its boundaries.

"If everyone will cooperate with the Division in seeing that the deer are protected and are given the opportunity to reproduce and increase," Major Brown stated, "I see no reason why we can't have an open season on deer in Kentucky within the next ten years or maybe even sooner."

State Revenue For Quarter Above Estimate

Revenue receipts of the state's general expenditure fund totaled $7,379,506.88 for the first third of the 1939-40 fiscal year, Frank D. Peterson, director of accounts and control, reported last week.

The figure, Peterson said, is 11 per cent, or $732,987.73, in excess of the budget estimate revised by the revenue department at the beginning of the fiscal year. Finance department records showed the original estimate, made to the 1938 legislature, to be $7,673,160.

Revenue Commissioner H. Clyde Reeves said the estimate was revised because at the time of the original estimate the state was "going up" economically, and there were large liquor revenues, which have decreased since then.

The fiscal year began July 1. General fund revenue receipts for October, Peterson reported, were $2,257,727.51. The revised budget estimate for the month was $2,091,145.69. The estimate of revenue receipts for November, he added, is $3,989,885.55.

The $7,379,506.88 was $85,987.59, or approximately one per cent, in excess of general fund revenue receipts for the corresponding period of the 1938-39 fiscal year.

State road fund revenue receipts for the first seven months of the highway department's fiscal year, which began April 1, totaled $10,182,975.55, or $189,686.56 more than the revised budget estimate. Peterson said excise taxes, including the gasoline tax, showed an excess of $329,995.18, while all other road fund revenues showed a deficiency of $140,308.62.

Total revenue receipts for the revolving, trust and agency funds for October were $882,298.76, and for the first four months of the fiscal year, $2,985,135.50.

Compared with the respective budget estimates, Peterson said, receipts in revenue groups showed the following differences:

Property and inheritance taxes, 20 per cent excess; income and special corporation taxes, 3.5 per cent deficiency; excise taxes other than alcohol, 15 per cent excess; alcohol taxes and licenses, 13 per cent excess; licenses and license taxes other than alcohol, four per cent excess; all other revenue, 10 per cent excess.

Moderate Rise In 1940 Business Is Predicted

In the first official government forecast of 1940 business prospects, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics predicted Monday a moderate increase in industrial and business activity, a larger income for consumers and improved markets for most farm products.

This will be accompanied, the bureau said, by slightly higher wholesale commodity prices.

Factors which it said should contribute to economic improvement included:

1. Prospects for increased exports because other nations' usual sources of supplies will be restricted by the war.

2. Prospects for a "considerable" increase in the output of automobiles and other durable consumers' goods.

3. Prospective increases in capital expenditures, particularly by railroads, utilities and manufacturing concerns.

4. Less cautious buying policies on the part of business men generally.

The bureau said, however, that the new year may see sharp fluctuations in industrial activity because of uncertainties arising out of the war and the necessity of making adjustments in inventory stocks accumulated under the speculative stimulus of the war.

The bureau also forecast that farm income would be larger than this year but slightly below that of 1937, the peak since the depression low of 1932. Income improvement will be most pronounced, the bureau said, for meat animals, dairy products, poultry, fruits and vegetables. Export demand is expected to be most notable for hog and dairy products.

NOTICE

I have my slaughter pen in condition and am in position to kill hogs. Prices reasonable. See Verna Stone, phone 242. All work guaranteed. 1t*

Diphtheria Can Be Readily Eliminated

Diphtheria is a dangerous, communicable disease which causes severe illness and often death to many children. Most of the cases are in the pre-school age, that is, from six months to six years. Statistics show that 95 per cent of all cases occur under the age of six, and that the younger the child, the more serious the disease.

The first symptoms of the disease are sore throat, occasional muscular pains, slight fever and chilliness. The course of the onset frequently stimulates a sore throat and is often mistaken for sore throat. No child need have diphtheria. If your child has not already been protected against this disease take him to your doctor as soon as possible and ask that he be immunized. This is a simple and harmless procedure and consists in the administration of one dose of toxoid.

This injection takes about two or three months to develop immunity in the child, and after this period, take the child again to the doctor and have it receive the Shick Test. This again is a simple test to determine whether the dose has been ample. If the test is then negative you can be assured that your child will not develop diphtheria. Have your child, if over six years of age, protected against diphtheria. Delay may mean the difference between life and death.

NATIVE DIES IN CARLISLE

(Sentinel-Democrat, Mt. Sterling)

Dar L. Smith, a native of Montgomery county, died at his home in Carlisle Saturday morning, aged 83 years. He was the son of the late Henry and Elizabeth Hayden Smith, of this county, and resided here until he had nearly reached middle age, when he bought and moved to a farm in Bath county. Later, thirty-two years ago, he located in Carlisle, and continued to engage in farming until overtaken by failing health.

A member of the Christian church, he was a fine, worthy man, of the highest character, of solid worth and his integrity was unquestioned. The writer can testify there never lived a more loyal or truer friend than Dar Smith. We had been a guest in his home, knew him in nearly all the relations of his life, and he was in every way a superior man.

Mr. Smith's wife, who was a sister of Mrs. Henry Judy, Reuben H. Dale and C. B. Dale, of this city, preceded him to the grave three and one-half years ago.

His immediate survivors are one son, Charles D. Smith, of Lexington; three daughters, Mrs. Landsay Stewart, of Paris; Mrs. James M. Finch, of Maysville, and Mrs. Stewart A. DeDrsey, of Carlisle; five grandchildren; one brother, Richard M. Smith of Mt. Sterling.

The funeral and burial was in Carlisle Monday afternoon.

The Lost is Found By Our Want Ads
When you lose 'n' advertise They Don't Stay Lost Long

NOTICE -- In order that our employees may enjoy the Thanksgiving holiday on Thursday, November 30, the following stores will close.

Verna Stone — Kroger — McCann's
Neal's Sq. Deal — A & P — Metcalfe's
Stephenson's Cash Store

SPECIAL!

Why worry about Sunday dinner? Plan to eat at
Sexton's Luncheonette
Turkey dinner with all the fixings and dessert.......45c
Sunday Supper a Specialty.
Orders taken for cakes, pies, doughnuts and candies.
Your patronage appreciated.
MRS. J. W. WOODALL, Prop.

— Saturday —

FREE all day, Hot Coffee made from that good GOLDEN CUP COFFEE with Jumbo Peanut Butter sandwich. Be sure to try this wonderful Golden Cup Coffee and Jumbo Peanut Butter, the finest you've ever tasted.

3 lbs. Golden Cup Coffee	39c	10 lb. Idaho Potatoes	25c
2 lbs. Black Pepper	25c	New 50 lb. lard can	33c
3 boxes Matches	10c	100 lb. bag salt	99c
10 lb. bag onions	19c		

Leaf Sage, Red Pepper, Cayenne Pepper, Morton's Smoke Salt, Morton's Sausage Seasoning. Everything you need for your hog killing at money saving prices.

Be Sure And Come In Saturday.

-Square Deal Grocery-
The store where you feel at home.
Where Ma Saves Pa's Dough

PHILCO
AND
ZENITH
RADIOS
Buy your radio from your home town dealer where you can get convenient service and repairs.
C. R. KING

Library, Uni. of Ky.

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141 Ships Sunk Since Start Of War In Europe

Great Britain Heaviest Loser With Loss Of 76 Ships Reported To Date

OVER 2,000 LIVES LOST

The war on the waters took a more drastic turn Tuesday as five more ships went to the bottom and Britain announced intention of seizing all exports of German origin which she might waylay at sea.

The English also told the United States she would establish a system to speed up contraband search of American ships dealing with neutral nations—to have British consuls examine cargoes in American ports and issue "passports" which would permit naval officials to pass U. S. vessels without delay.

The chief sea casualty of Tuesday was the 11,930-ton speedy Japanese liner Terukuni Maru, sunk by a mine near the east coast of England. Her 206 passengers and crew members escaped though the liner went down almost immediately.

It was Japan's first loss in the European war. The ship's owners said she was making her last intended voyage in dangerous waters.

Four small British ships went down, raising the known English toll to 76.

The Admiralty said the Sea Sweeper, 329 gross tons, the Thomas Hankins, 276 tons, and the Delphine, 250 tons—all trawlers—had been sunk by U-boats. The Sea Sweeper's crew of 12 and the crew of the Delphine were rescued. No mention was made of the Hankins' crew.

The naval mine seweper Mastiff, 490 tons, was sunk when it struck a mine near England's east coast. One crewman was killed and five were listed as missing.

The sinkings sent the known toll of all nations to 141 vessels with a tonnage of 555,963. More than 2,000 have died at sea since Sept. 3.

Germany announced her submarines and planes had forced 127 ships into German ports for contraband searches, that most were released after examination.

Bandits Strike Twice In Clark County

Two Clark county residents reported to Winchester police early Sunday morning that their automobiles had been forced from Colby road by two armed bandits who apparently were the same elusive pair who have been hunted for a series of daring holdups on Central Kentucky highways.

The automobiles of the two victimized motorists, in each case, were forced from the highway by the bandits' car—the same method employed in previous holdups.

James Haley Aldridge of Winchester reported that his car had been forced from Colby road at a point about three miles from Winchester at 11 o'clock Saturday night.

Two bandits, one of whom flourished a short-barreled revolver, robbed him of between $1 and $2 in cash and took his car.

Shortly after Aldridge reported being held up, Winchester police were notified by Joe Sewell of Winchester that two highwaymen had forced his automobile from Colby road at a point near the Clark-Fayette county line.

Sewell did not tell police whether the bandits obtained any money from him, but they did take his automobile, leaving the coupe that they had used in halting him and Aldridge.

Johnson Tells League He Would Aid Cities

Gov. Keen Johnson told a regional meeting of the Kentucky Municipal League at Frankfort Monday he was "sympathetic toward" the revenue problems of the cities and "would like to aid them in any way that does not cost the state money."

More revenue and more home rule were the chief topics discussed at the league's meeting after an informal conference with the Governor. At that conference he declared he would aid passage of any legislation needed to raise more necessary local revenue and then explained his position that the state cannot spare any of its present revenue.

FARMER ROBBED OF $2,000

Two armed men, one with "real long teeth and the corners of his lips drawn down" forced his auto from a highway near Greenup Tuesday and robbed him of $2,000, Seth Jones, Greenup county farmer, tol dpolice. Jones said he was driving to Greenup to turn the money over to an attorney for purchase of a farm.

WHAT KIN?

H. C. Galbraith Submits Question To Ponder All Winter

Allan M. Trout's column in Tuesday's Courier-Journal carried a letter from H. C. Galbraith, of Carlisle, which we give to our readers to allow them to have something to work on during the long, winter nights. The letter follows:

"I have a problem that will keep the readers of your column busy for the rest of the winter," writes H. C. Galbraith, of Carlisle. "Years ago there lived in Bracken county two cousins, Jim Case and Bill Case. They married, and both raised families. Then both their first wives died, and each married a daughter of the other. Bill married Jim's daughter, and Jim married Bill's daughter. Both raised families by their second wives.

"Now, I want to know what kin they all were. Of course, Bill and Jim were father-in-law and son-in-law to each other.

"Now if anybody in the United States, Canada or any foreign country can figure out what kin they were I'll give the nearest right solution a five-pound stick of barber pole peppermint candy."

Next Thursday To Be Observed As Holiday

Banks And Postoffice To Be Closed Today, But General Observance November 30

The banks and the postoffice will be closed today, but the general observance of Thanksgiving day in Carlisle will be on November 30.

The schools, stores and offices will observe next Thursday, November 30. Union Thanksgiving services will be held at the Christian church next Wednesday night, November 29, with Rev. R. R. Couey, pastor of the Baptist church, delivering the sermon.

The banks will be closed both November 23 and November 30, but the postoffice will remain open on November 30 and mail will be delivered as usual.

The dual Thanksgiving Day this year was caused by differences of opinion of the President and the Governors of a number of states. The last Thursday in November has for many years been observed as Thanksgiving day. This year there are five Thursdays in the month and President Roosevelt designated November 23, the fourth Thursday, as the date. Governor Chandler proclaimed November 30 and Governor Johnson did not change the date set by his predecessor.

Junior Club Gathers Donation To Hospital

112 Jars Of Preserves And Fruit Collected. Next Wednesday Annual Donation Day

One hundred and twelve jars of preserves, jellies and canned fruit were gathered Saturday by members of the Junior Business Builders Club of the Carlisle Drug Company and donated to the Johnson Memorial hospital as a part of the annual donation day for the hospital.

Joe Simons, proprietor of the store, offered a large coupon to each member of the club who brought in a jar with the result that a fine collection was gathered by the boys and girls. The donation was delivered to the hospital Monday morning.

Next Wednesday, November 29, has been designated as the date for the annual hospital donation day and all citizens of the county have been asked to contribute food or money to the institution on that day.

Paris Man Held Up And Robbed By Two Bandits

V. D. Morton, operator of a service station on South Main street in Paris, reported to Paris police early Tuesday morning that two men had held him up at 4:30 o'clock that morning and robbed him of $98.40.

Morton told officers he was walking along North Clifton avenue when two men got out of their car, pointed pistols at him, forced him close to the wall of the Paris tobacco warehouse and robbed him of the money, $6 of which was his own, the remainder the company's. Morton said the men then ran to their car and drove away.

TOTS BURNED FATALLY

Two negro children burned to death Tuesday in a fire that destroyed their home at Robards, 15 miles southeast of Henderson. They were Thomas Leroy Davis, 3, and Lula Anna Davis, 7 months old.

Several Miles Rural Electric Lines Energized

Current Turned on Line From Below Hooktown to U. S. Highway No. 68

OTHERS BEING ADDED

Several miles of the Harrison County Rural Electric Cooperative lines in Nicholas county were energized last week, affording electric service to approximately 75 farm homes in Nicholas county.

Beginning at the Bourbon county line below Hooktown, the lines along the Cynthiana road through Headquarters to the Maysville and Lexington road, and extending along this road from the farm of R. D. Clark to the McEwan farm were energized.

Other lines extending from Headquarters to Saltwell and Barterville, and along the Maysville and Lexington road are ready for service and the current will be turned on when meters have been installed.

Farmers along this line are the first in Nicholas county to be served by the electric cooperative. Service will not be available to residents of the section of the county to be served by the Fleming-Mason association for several weeks.

Receipts Light At Stock Sales Held Here Tuesday

Receipts were light at the weekly sales at the Farmers Stock Yards Tuesday and the market was active on all classes of livestock. Quotations on the sale were as follows:

Hogs—packers $5.65 to $6.50; sows $4.00 to $5.50; stags $2.50 to $3.50; stock hogs $5.50 to $6.65; sows and pigs $23.00 to $35.00.

Cattle—steers $6.50 to $8.20; heifers $5.80 to $8.00; cows $3.00 to $4.90; bulls $5.80 to $6.30; cows and calves $30.00 to $55.00; stock cattle $12.00 to $32.00; baby beeves $7.50 to $8.60.

Sheep and Lambs—top ewes and wethers $8.50; medium $7.50 to $8.00; top ewes and bucks $8.00; medium $5.50 to $7.00; common $3.50 to $5.00; stock ewes $7.00 to $10.00.

Calves—top veals $10.70; medium $7.50 to $9.50; common and large $7.00 to $8.00.

Allen Given 20 Years For Slaying Dickey

Charles Allen, 70-year-old retired Cynthiana farmer, was sentenced to 20 years imprisonment by a jury in the Harrison circuit court last Thursday on a charge of slaying George M. Dickey, Cynthiana chief of police, several months ago. The jury deliberated two hours and twenty minutes before returning the verdict.

Allen was taken to the state reformatory in Oldham county Monday to begin serving his sentence.

Two Men Admit Kidnaping And Robbery At Lexington

Eugene Adams, 27, of Lexington, and Leonard Bautista, 21, of Riverside, R. I., arrested by Lexington police late Friday, confessed that they abducted Frank Foley, 57, Lexington automobile salesman and robbed him Monday of last week.

The pair was questioned about eight holdups or attempted holdups in the vicinity of Lexington in the past six weeks, but both denied that they participated in any of the robberies except that of Foley.

Hunting Season Opens In Kentucky Friday

Quail Hunting In Nicholas Listed As Good And Rabbits As Fair By State Department

The hunting season will open in Kentucky Friday, November 4, and will close on November 9.

After a close check on hunting conditions in every county of the state by the Conservation Officers of the Division of Game and Fish, Major James Brown, director of the division, stated that the resulting report indicated that quail hunting would be much better and that there was an abundance of rabbits in practically every county in the state.

Quail hunting will be "good" in 70 counties; "fair" in 45, and "poor" in 5. Rabbit hunting will be "good" in 74 counties; "fair" in 40 and "poor" in 6. Nicholas is listed as one of the counties in which quail hunting will be good and rabbit hunting fair.

Hunters should familiarize themselves with the provisions of the law and should obtain hunting licenses before going into the fields.

Robber Of Crouch Is Sentenced To 21 Years

Mt. Sterling Youth Sentenced For Holdup Last September. Trials Of Two Postponed

A jury in the Montgomery circuit court deliberated eight minutes Thursday and sentenced Robert Sexton, 25, of Science Ridge, Montgomery county, to serve 21 years in prison for armed robbery. Sexton was convicted in connection with the holdup of James Crouch, of Moorefield, on the night of September 15.

Under indictment with the convicted youth are Kelly Oldfield, 25, of Science Ridge, and Chester Harvey, 23, of Mt. Sterling. Their trials were set for the January term of the Montgomery circuit court.

Crouch was held up by two men as he was driving in Mt. Sterling on the night of September 15. After being forced to drive for a short distance he was locked in the boot of his coupe and driven for several hours before he was able to make his escape. The next day his automobile was found burned on a road in a remote section of Rowan county.

Sexton and Oldfield were arrested the next day and identified by Crouch as his two assailants. Harvey was arrested a few days later. In addition to his automobile, Crouch was robbed of a small amount of money.

Good Start Made In Red Cross Roll Call

Cities Of Kentucky Come Up With Big Memberships First Week Of Drive

Red Cross Rollcall workers throughout Kentucky reported more members enrolled last week than in any previous first week in the history of Kentucky Rollcalls, according to information from leaders and solicitors themselves.

While the Kentucky Red Cross had adopted the slogan, "Every Adult a Member" in some counties the decision was reached to adopt instead a fixed quota and in most of these, the quotas were above the halfway mark when the summaries were made Saturday.

In a few counties, in which the number enrolled already had passed the quota mark of last year, workers continued with the expressed purpose of giving to every adult in their counties opportunity to join the Red Cross.

Workers in the Ohio River counties, particularly, found themselves warmly welcomed wherever they went, for many of the families they visited recalled the appalling conditions of early 1937 and the prompt action of the American Red Cross in coming to their assistance.

The cities of Kentucky last week enrolled a large number of members evidenced their continued interest by joining. Few were the persons approached who refused to join, if not members already, or to continue their membership if enrolled last year.

Danville was typical of the county seat towns, which did equally well. There nearly 1,000 persons had enrolled by the end of the first week. Figures from other points were not available, but workers said they expected to surpass the figures of the 1938 Rollcall.

Persons who may be overlooked by the workers—and they will be few—may mail their contributions in to the county chairmen or to the newspapers in their county, the editors of which will be glad to see that those who use this method of joining are properly enrolled.

Mrs. Langley Wins In Third District

Mrs. John W. Langley of Pikeville, who succeeded her late husband in Congress a decade ago, was shown on the basis of complete returns Tuesday to have defeated Harry F. Gaynor, Democrat, for railroad commissioner in the Third district. Mrs. Langley defeated the incumbent, C. C. Stanfill, in the Republican primary last August.

The returns, all officially reported to the secretary of state's office except from Clinton, Morgan and Pulaski, and unofficially reported from them, gave Mrs. Langley 129,667 votes aid Gaynor 126,836.

The other two railroad commissioners elected in November are Democrats.

Weatherime

Current turned on rural lines
Many ships are sunk by mines
Burley growers approve control
Auxiliary continues Red Cross roll
$40,000 suit in Bourbon court
Quail, rabbits plentiful report
Local students presented play
Weather: Rain, colder today.

$40,000 Dam'ge Suit Starts In Bourbon Court

Floyd McDonald Seeks Heavy Damages Against Daniel Thomas For Shooting

NATIVES OF NICHOLAS

A $40,000 damage suit involving two former Nicholas county residents was started in the Bourbon circuit court at Paris Tuesday and will probably be completed today.

In the suit William McDonald, native of the Headquarters section, now residing on a farm in Bourbon couonty, asks damages of $40,000 against Daniel Thomas, of Bourbon county, owner of two farms in this county, for injuries sustained when he was shot by Thomas last December 4.

McDonald testified that he, his wife, Fred McDonald and Allen Eads were returning to their home from Nicholas county, on the night of December 4 when the car he was driving ran close to a herd of cattle Thomas and two men were driving. He said he did not see the cattle until his wife called attention, and he then stopped his car. Thomas approached, he said, carrying a lantern and a stick. An argument ensued, McDonald started to drive away and was shot, he related. McDonald told jurors Thomas fired four times.

McDonald said that he did not know he was wounded until after he had gone home. Dr. Eugene Blake, who attended McDonald, said that a bullet lodged beside a large blood vessel near the heart and at that time it was not advisable to remove the bullet. The bullet entered McDonald's body through the back.

Thomas stated that he had driven the cattle 20 miles, enroute to his farm between Millersburg and Paris and that he had driven them down a side road to avoid traffic. About half way between the side road and the farm, he said, McDonald's car ran into the cattle. Thomas said the car slightly injured one of the cattle and then stopped in the road. After Thomas and McDonald had engaged in an argument over the incident, McDonald drove off and his car grazed Thomas, knocking the latter man to his knees, Thomas told the court. When asked by attorneys why he shot, Thomas replied, "To save my life and protect my cattle." He said he fired but two times.

Bandit Hides In Motor Robs Owner Of Car, $2.07

Walter Wainouski, of Lexington, music teacher at Lafayette high school, Monday night was held up by a lone bandit who robbed him of his automobile and $2.07, he reported to Fayette county police.

Wainouski said he had made a call in Cherokee Park and when he entered his automobile, which he had left parked in front of the house, he found a "short and stubby" white man in the back seat. This man had "something in his hand," which the music teacher thought might have been a pistol.

The bandit forced Wainouski to drive to the Nicholasville pike and Tahoma Road, where he forced the teacher out of the car and drove off after making him surrender his money.

County police do not believe the bandit is connected with the series of hold-ups that have been perpetrated in Fayette and neighboring counties in recent weeks. The other robberies were staged by two men.

Santa Claus To Visit Children In Carlisle

Business Men's Club Sponsoring Visit. Banquet To Be Held For Football Team

Santa Claus will be in Carlisle to greet the children of Nicholas and surrounding counties during Christmas week. At the monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Carlisle Business Men's Club Monday night, arrangements were made to bring Santa Claus to Carlisle for several days during the week before Christmas.

The streets and telephone poles of the town will be decorated for Christmas, the club decided, and a Christmas tree will be placed in the court house yard.

The board of directors also voted to sponsor a banquet in which members of the Carlisle high school football team will be guests of honor. Each member of the club will be asked to invite a member of the team as his guest for the banquet. The dinner will be served by the Order of Eastern Star in the Masonic banquet room some time next month, the date not being definitely determined.

THANKSGIVING DINNER

Prices On Turkeys, Chickens And Other Fowls Cheap

Despite the advance in the price of food at the outbreak of the European War, prices have again become stabilized and only a few articles are higher than before September 1.

A survey of retail prices on the local market Wednesday revealed that Thanksgiving dinner this year will cost less for most articles than at any time in the past few years.

Turkey, the principal item on the Thanksgiving menu, is cheap with local dealers quoting a price of 15c, 17c, 20c and 22c for live turkeys, retail. If the family cannot afford a turkey, chickens, ducks and geese are even cheaper, with retail prices and 12c and 15c for these fowls.

Oysters, celery, cranberries and fruits, other foods necessary for the Thanksgiving dinner, are about the same price as last year. Flour is a little higher and the price of lard is about 25 per cent higher than last year.

Taken as a whole, the European War will have little effect on the Thanksgiving dinner of Americans this year.

129 Farmers Attend Leaf Demonstrations

Good Attendance At Each Of Six Meetings Held In County Thursday And Friday

The County Agent reports splendid cooperation and good attendance in a series of six tobacco grading demonstrations held on November 16 and 17. These demonstrations were well distributed over the county at the farms of Carl Long, G. H. Richey, Phillip Sugg, Henry Bramblett, Herbert Smoot and Walter Shepherd. The total attendance at these six demonstrations was 129, or an average of 21.

Mr. Roy McKenney, tobacco grading specialist, who serves as a federal grader on various floors including Mt. Sterling, stated this was one of the best series of meetings he had held since beginning this work. He complimented not only the good attendance but also the splendid interest that was shown and the many intelligent questions that were asked by tobacco growers.

The County Agent (who accompanied the grader and spoke briefly at each point, stated the farmers highly appreciated Mr. McKenney's demonstrations. Many personally complimented him and stated they felt better able to grade tobacco to match the federal grades on the sales floors.

Local Students In All-Tournament Cast

Local High School Students Participate In Dramatics Contest At Richmond

Kentucky Female Orphan School at Midway, presenting the play, "A Prayer For Our Sons," Tuesday night won the Class B championship of the 11th annual state dramatics tournament at Eastern State Teachers College at Richmond. The Midway cast defeated representatives of Cynthiana and Breathitt county high schools.

The Class A championship went to Dayton high school, presenting "The Valiant."

Three members of the cast of the Carlisle high school were named on the all-tournament cast of actors and actresses, selected for their ability. They were Helen Rigg, Vivian Trimble and Billy Crouch.

Johnson Won't Appoint Major Officials Yet

Gov. Keen Johnson said last week he did not intend to make any major appointments until after the 1940 legislative session ends.

He declined to give any indication whether present appointive heads of such important departments as finance, welfare and others would be retained, saying "I haven't given any thought to that matter yet."

Asked specifically whether heads of those and other departments who retain office upon the "pleasure of the governor" would remain at their posts until after the three month legislative session which begins in January, the governor replied.

"Wouldn't you include them if you included any?" referring to his remark that he did not expect to make any major appointments.

Johnson, who came to the executive office to sign letters and other papers and who was besieged by a score of visitors, said he would "be in and out" of his office for the next several days, and added that he did not intend to leave the state for a vacation.

Burley Growers Favor Control Of 1940 Crop

84.2 Per Cent Of Growers In 16 States Approve AAA Control Program

NICHOLAS VOTE HEAVY

Kentucky tobacco growers, who produce approximately 70 per cent of the nation's burley tobacco crop, voted overwhelmingly in favor of production control for 1940 as growers in 16 states gave their approval to the establishment of AAA marketing quotas.

O. M. Farrington, state AAA executive officer, announced passage of the crop control measure Tuesday night after official returns had shown that Kentucky growers had approved the plan. Returns from 108 of 119 counties participating in Kentucky showed 66,649 "yes" votes and 8,293 "no" votes, a favorable margin of 88.9 per cent in the state.

Returns from all of the 16 states participating in the referendum gave the tobacco control measure a favorable margin of 84.2 per cent on 86,392 votes for the marketing quotas to 116,159 against. A two-thirds majority was required for approval of the quotas.

Returns from Tennessee, second largest burley producing state, showed that state gave a favorable margin of 75.6 per cent on the basis of nearly complete returns. Last year Tennessee rejected the plan.

The highest percentage returned by any Kentucky county in favor of the control program was that of Owen, where 91.8 per cent of the participating farmers cast ballots for the proposal.

The percentage of 88.9 recorded Tuesday in Kentucky in favor of the 1940 control program was 15.7 per cent higher than the 73.2 per cent favorable margin given last year when Kentucky approved marketing restrictions for the 1939 crop but the proposal was rejected because it failed to receive the required two-thirds majority of all the burley producing states.

In Nicholas county a total of 447 farmers participated in the election, with 657 voting in favor of the marketing quota and 189 against.

Crowder And Slate Elected By Democrats

The Young Democratic Clubs of Kentucky Saturday elected William H. Crowder of Mayfield, the Graves county judge, as its president and put his entire slate of running mates in office by unanimous vote.

The closing act of the biennial convention at Louisville, this development followed the withdrawal of candidate after candidate named in sporadic movements during the two-day session and was greeted with harmony speeches and cheers.

Tom G. Mooney, a Fayette county magistrate, was one of those who withdrew as a presidential candidate and he was picked by the winning forces to make the speech nominating Crowder.

Those elected with Crowder were:

Vice presidents, William H. Natcher, Bowling Green (re-elected); Charles Gorman, Flemingsburg; Mrs. Ellen Clark, Frankfort, and Miss Edith Harrell, Williamstown; secretary, Joe Foley, Hazard; treasurer, Mrs. Edgar Garland, Somerset; national committee members, John F. Dugan, Louisville, and Mrs. Louise Morancy, Lebanon, both re-elected.

The election followed a speech by Senator Alben W. Barkley in which he praised the ticket of new officers and said the organization had a "constructive influence" in Kentucky in formulating "forward-looking" policies and electing "capable office-holders."

Justice Pierce Butler, Leading Dissenter, Dies

Associate Justice Pierce Butler, of the Supreme Court, died at Washington last Thursday after a long illness. He had been a member of the court for 17 years.

Justice Butler, a native of Minnesota, was the third oldest member of the bench and one of the leading dissenters on all New Deal legislation.

His death meant that President Roosevelt's appointees would be in the majority on the court. Roosevelt has appointed four of the nine members of the tribunal.

BANK CASHIER INDICTED

Charles A. Gockel, former cashier of the Citizens Savings Bank at Paducah, was indicted by a federal grand jury at Paducah Tuesday on six counts charging misappropriation of approximately $2,000 of funds and making false entries in the books of a federally insured bank.