Notice-TOBACCO GROWERS-Notice

W. B. Tucker is associated with the Pepper-Peak-Florence Tobacco Warehouse Co. operating five houses in Cynthiana; LeBus House No. 1, LeBus House No. 2, LeBus Annex, Stockyards Warehouse and the Cynthiana House. Mr. Tucker will have his headquarters at the Cynthiana House on North Main St., Phone 789. The Cynthiana House has the distinction of being called the Blue Ribbon House, the name it justly deserves.

Floyd (Soup) Barlow will be floor manager, and he will always greet you with a smile and make you feel at home at all times.

W. H. Roberts will be associated with us at the same house. He has been associated with the tobacco business longer than any one on the Cynthiana Market. He will be glad at all times to advise with you how to handle your tobacco so as to get the most money for it.

You will feel confident and at home with us.

Because of the gasoline and tire rationing it will not be possible for us to contact you growers personally, so we take this method of inviting you to become one of the Cynthiana House's many satisfied customers and to sell at the Cynthiana House where you'll enjoy our hospitality.

Thanking you a lot for past favors we hope to see you soon with your tobacco. Call us day or night and make arrangements for the marketing of your crop.

W. H. ROBERTS
Residence Phone 392-J

W. B. TUCKER
Residence Phone 278

FLOYD (Soup) BARLOW
Residence Phone Carlisle

Classified

WE NEED EGGS — Highest market value cash. S. T. & H. T. Barlow. 39-tf

FOR SALE—Ten (10) shares Capitol Stock in the Deposit Bank of Carlisle, Ky. 47-3t Evalynn Ross

FOR SALE—Studebaker 2-Door Sedan, heater, new tires, only 2300 miles. A good car, cheap. W. F. Gaunce, phone 94. 49-2t*

PERMANENT ANTI-FREEZE is scarce. We have a limited supply. Lucky's Service Station. 48-2t*

SHEEP FOR SALE

65 good Western bred ewes; 25 good native bred ewes; 40 good ewe lambs. Arthur Mullikin, city, phone 192. 49-2t*

MONEY FOR FARMERS

Low interest. Long time. No renewals. Pre-payment privileges. Ben R. Caldwell, sec. & treas. Nicholas County N. F. L. A. 39-10t*

WANTED—Good tenant for 8 to 10 acres tobacco; 10 acres corn and some meadow. House, garden, firewood and pasturage furnished. Arthur Mullikin, city, phone 192. 49-2t*

FOR SALE—A practically new Qualified Heater, the outstanding circulating heater. The only reason for selling is that the owner now has two of these heaters. See Elva R. Kendall.

FIRE WORKS

Limited supply for Christmas now on sale.
CASWELL STORE
Route 3, Carlisle, Ky. 48-2t

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS: We have a few of the following things left. For boys and girls, Pocket Knives, Roller Skates, Coasting Sleds, Bicycles. For Mother or Sister, Pyrex Cooking Ware, Ezy-Do Clothes Closets, Boudoir Electric Table Lamps, Ironing Boards, Electric Toasters, Electric Heating Pads, Thermos Bottles, Enameled Roasters, Double Boilers, Dripolator Coffee Maker. A few 8 qt. White Stew Kettles on the road. For Dad we have nothing much left, except a few razors and straps. Or you might give him a new axe to chop the wood with. C. R. KING.

FOR RENT—Garage on North street near Walnut. Phone 32M. Mrs. Eva Bowen. 49-1t*

FOR SALE—Combination heating and cooking stove. Also electric range in A-1 condition. Henry Darnall. 48-3t*

FIRE CHIEF SOOT REMOVER Cleans out stove pipes and flues and helps your stove to do better work. 25c. C. R. KING

FOR SALE—Studebaker Coupe overdrive free wheeling, good tires, first class condition. Phone 94. W. F. Gaunce. 49-2t*

WANTED—Anyone having a piano for sale please write Miss Edna Hammonds, Route 1, Ewing, Ky. 49-3t*

WANTED—Piano in good condition. No player. Write Mercury, box 272. No phone calls, please. 49-1t

CITY TAXES DUE—Tax books are in the hands of the City Treasurer at the Farmers Bank. 2% discount on all taxes paid by December 1, 1943. 42-tf

POULTRY WANTED — Chickens, Hens, Roosters. Highest market value cash. S. T. & H. T. Barlow. 39-tf

What would make a nicer Christmas present than a Monarch coal range, or a Coolerator Ice Refrigerator, something that would be used and appreciated 3 times a day, 365 days out of the year. C. R. KING.

CARD OF THANKS—We wish to take this means to express our sincere appreciation and thanks to all those who in any way assisted us during the death of our mother, Mrs. Ella Barr. To the Dorseyville Council, friends and neighbors for the many expressions of kindness, to the donors of floral pieces, the singers, pallbearers, to Mathers Potts, Shearer Funeral Home, and especially to Rev. Thompson do we express our greatest thanks. 49-1t* The Family

NOTICE

We the undersigned agree to sell milk in Carlisle for 11c per quart wholesale (2 qts. and over) and retail 13c per quart. These are ceiling prices.

W. F. PIPER
L. B. BARTON
HAMILTON & CONYERS
CLYDE SEXTON
A. B. SMATHERS
HAZEL K. HENRY
48-2t*

"It's Made It's Way
By
The Way It's Made"

PUBLIC SALE

OF

Household & Kitchen Furniture

On the premises, located on Broadway street, on next

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11

at 1:30 p. m. we will sell for Marie Snapp as follows:

Bed Room Suite, 9x12 rug all wool, Chairs, Floor Lamp, 1 Oil Range Stove, Beds, Springs, Cupboards, Porch Furniture, Tables, Linens, Rugs, one lot of kindling, chicken coops, lot of jars, dishes, tools and other items.

Sale Conducted by
SCOTT-KENDALL SALES CO.
"It Makes A Difference" 49-1t

PERMANENT WAVE 59c. Do your own Permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands including Fay McKenzie, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied. Hopkins Drug Company. 48-10t*

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Anyone having claims against the estate of Ernest Vice, deceased, present same properly proven to the undersigned administratrix. Anyone owing the estate please settle with the administratrix. Gladys Vice, Administratrix. 47-3t*

Athlete's Foot Germ

I Made This Overnight Test Relieved Itching In 5 Minutes

"I used a powerful PENETRATING fungicide to reach the germs. Many liniments are not strong enough. Ask any druggist for the test size bottle Te-ol solution. Made with 90% alcohol, it penetrates. Reaches more germs faster. APPLY FULL STRENGTH for sweaty itchy or smelly feet. Locally at Hopkins Drug Store. 49-4t

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of B. T. Conway, deceased, will present the same, properly verified, to the undersigned Executors, or to our attorney, Wm. Conley, without delay.

All persons owing the estate will please settle at once.

James Simons, Robert Alexander, Executors, B. T. Conway estate. 47-3t

FOR SALE—Cook stove in good condition. Plenty good pole wood, any length. Frank Caldwell, R. 3, Carlisle, 1 mile from town. 49-1t*

TUNNELL HILL

Pvt. John R. Boone, of Camp Atterbury, Ind., is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Boone, on a 15-day furlough.—Pvt. Kenneth Boone of Ft. Thomas, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Boone.—Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Gray of Covington, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Avery Barbee and Mr. Barbee.—Paul Herndon has returned to his home in Ft. Worth, Texas, after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Herndon.—Cpl. Gene Price of Camp Breckinridge, is home on a 5-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Price.—Mrs. John Barton and Mrs. Mattie Boone spent Sunday with Mrs. Riley Boone.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hammond of Paris, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ward Hammond.—Mr. and Mrs. Morton McGohan spent Sunday with her brother, Rev. Gilbert Fern in Ewing.—Bro. W. B. Dampier, of Carlisle, filled his appointment at Pleasant Ridge church Sunday morning.—Mrs. Ruth Hudgins, of Lexington, spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Alexander.—Mrs. Ella McGohan, who has been seriously ill, is improving.—Congratulations to the newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. Fulton McCord.—Mr. Dodge Gary of Elizaville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Biddle.

Best thing to lay up for a rainy day is an umbrella.

Our debt is infernally large as well as internally held.

NEWS ABOUT OUR BOYS In The Service V

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of Carlisle, extends the Seasons Greetings to all Nicholas County men in our Armed Forces. "Be strong and of good courage." 48-2t

Edgar H. Allison, Jr., Carlisle has been transferred from Ft. Thomas to Infantry RTC, Camp Wheeler, Ga.

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Pvt. Leslie B. McVey and Pvt. Walter Huddleson, from Camp Breckinridge, are home on leave.

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Cpl. Roger Sampson is at home following hospitalization at Kennedy General hospital, Memphis, Tenn.

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Cpl. R. E. Marshall has returned to Camp Atterbury, Ind. after spending a 15-day furlough with his father, Walter Marshall, and his aunt, Mrs. W. D. Myers of Route 3.

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Sgt. G. N. Maxey, Jr., has been moved from the Army Air Base at Salt Lake City to Tucson, Arizona, where he will take advanced training in gunnery.

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Mrs. J. L. Trussell, Route 3 has received a Christmas message from her grandson, Pvt. William H. Trussell, from somewhere in Italy. This is the first word the family had received in over four months.

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Pvt. Keith Soper has been honorably discharged from a station hospital at Camp Gruber, Okla. He will return to the home of his mother, Mrs. Oma Soper, 561 Transylvania park. He is a grandson of Mr. John Soper.

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Pfc. Bedford S. Gray, husband of Mrs. Wanda Gray, Little Rock, has been transferred from Camp Horn, Ariz., to Camp San Luis Obispo, Calif.

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Maj. Charles H. Smith, Army Air Corps, has returned to his post in the Caribbean where he has been stationed for two years, after a month's leave spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlees D. Smith, Lexington, Ky. and his wife at the home of her mother, Mrs. Thomas W. Allen, at Paris. Mrs. Smith accompanied Major Smith to Miami, Fla., where she will visit friends. Major Smith is a native of Carlisle.

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Cpl. Ernest Pennington, of Camp Livington, La., spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Owings.

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Pfc. Everett S. "June" Cook has been transferred from Camp Forrest, Tenn., to the government hospital at Camp Atterbury, where he is ill with rheumatic fever, according to word received by his mother, Mrs. Annabel Cook, on North street.

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Pfc. Jack Pumphrey of Ft. Lewis, Wash., is home on furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pumphrey, on the Stony Creek road.

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Cpl. Lee Gray, of Colorado Springs, Colo., will be home on furlough until the 16th, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gray, in the country.

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Paul K. Donovan, who has been in Fleet Sound School, Key West, Florida, has been promoted to Soundman 3-c, and transferred to Norfolk, Va. for further training.

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Van Crabb, who is in the A. S. T. P. at Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, is spending a 7-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Crabb on Broadway.

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Pfc. Bruce D. Gaunce has finished his mechanic training at Normogle Ordnance Depot, San Antonio, Texas, and has joined his company at Camp Forrest, Tenn., where they are on maneuvers.

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Pvt. John W. Garrett and Pvt. James T. Cassidy of the Engineering Corps at Ft. Belvoir, Virginia, spent the week end with their wives here.

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Pvt. Fred McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McDonald, who has been ill for more than nine months, writes that he is much improved and hopes to be home in the spring. He was overseas five months and his present address is Hdq. Gen. Hospital, Ward 21, Santa Barbara, California.

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Cpl. Arlie L. Gray, who has been stationed at Camp Atterbury, Indiana, has been transferred to the Air Corps, Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio.

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Pvt. Leonard E. Morris, of Camp Wolters, Texas, is spending a 7-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Batson Morris in the county. He is enroute to a new post.

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T. Sgt. Homer A. Kearns stationed at Ft. Lewis, Washington, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Lee Roundtree while on a 15 day furlough.

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Pvt. Estille Walton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hanson Walton, Route 3, is home on a 15-day furlough from his post at Camp Bowie, Texas.

EAST UNION

Mr. and Mrs. William Newell and son were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ora Hughes and five sons.—Cpl. Thomas Stephenson and Jessie Ray Curran, Edward Hatton were week end visitors at their homes here from Ft. Thomas.—Our community extends sincere sympathy to the daughter and sons of Mrs. Ella Barr.—The 4-H club will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday at 1:30 p. m.—Miss Mildred Sapp of Hoopeston, Ill., spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. William Newell and family.—The farmers are very busy with their tobacco since the rain Sunday night.—Quite a few parents attended the Thanksgiving program given by the first six grades in the school auditorium Wednesday afternoon.—The much enjoyed annual contest is under way in the 4-H club which will lead up to the January party with the losing side entertaining. Talmadge Hatton, chief, and Mary Sims, Squaw, represent the Cherokee Tribe, and W. H. Scott, Chief, and Anna Lee Gates, Squaw, the Wyandotte Tribe. At present there are 65 members.—Frank Terrell and Earl Snapp, members of the local 4-H club, will attend a luncheon in Lexington Saturday, given by the Thoroughbred Stock Association.

EAST UNION

Mrs. Alton Wasson and son and Lt. Everette Stephenson spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. House and son.—Lt. Everette Stephenson, Paul House, Mrs. George House and Katie and Mrs. Raymond House visited Mr. Ed Swartz Thursday afternoon. Mr. Swartz suffered another stroke of paralysis and is very ill at this writing.—Mrs. Raymond House spent Friday with Mrs. George House and daughter.—Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn House and family of Lexington, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. John House and daughter.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whaley and Mrs. Raymond House were in Mt. Sterling, Wednesday.—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. House and son had as visitors Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Duncan and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Stephenson and daughter, Mrs. John Stephenson, George House and Wilburn Clark.—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond House had as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kendall of Berry, Ky., and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whaley and son.

—It Pays To Advertise.—

FOR SALE!

Six room house at Miranda, Ky., large porch, electric lights, good garden, chicken yard, nice front yard, hen house, brooding house, meat house, garage, good well of almost never-failing water, ¼ mile from Miranda school and store. 3½ miles from Carlisle and 2½ miles from Moorefield. Good neighbors.

SEE
GUY H. NEAL
OWNER
Carlisle, Ky., Route 2

NICHOLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS

The regular monthly meeting of the Nicholas County Teachers Association will be held on Saturday, December 11, at the Christian church at 10:15 a. m. The music will be provided by Mrs. M. C. Shearer and pupils of the Carlisle school. Rev. C. C. Tanner, of Saltwell, will be the speaker. All teachers are urged to attend and the public is invited.

The third month of school will end on Friday, December 10, and teachers, bus drivers and janitors will be paid on Saturday, December 11.

At the monthly meeting of the Nicholas County Board of Education, held on Saturday, December 4, it was decided that the schools would close for the Christmas holidays on Thursday, December 23 and reopen on Monday, January 3.

Again, the county schools are 100% in the Kentucky Education Association. At the first meeting of the year the teachers voted to make the membership 100% and now all dues have been paid and the county will be awarded a membership certificate, showing this fact. The superintendent desires to thank the teachers for their cooperation in this enrollment.

The rumor factory nearly always operates at capacity.

REAL ESTATE SALES

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bell have purchased the suburban home of Mrs. Pearl Bradley in the West end, and will get possession January 1. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse T. Earlywine have rented the Bell farm on the Lower Jackstown road.

The Westfall Sales Company announce the following sales:

For C. R. King, a house on Locust street, known as the Bryson home, to Mrs. Eva Asbury, at a private price. Mrs. Asbury recently sold what is known as the John Powell home, on West Chestnut street, to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Neal.

The home of Arthur Taul on East Main street, to Johnnie Myers.

Also the 35 acre farm of Mrs. James Myers of West Main street, situated on the Moorefield road, to Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Hamilton.

The Scott-Kendall Sales Company sold at auction Saturday morning, the home and 15 acres of land, for Mr. Sidney McIlvain, near Moorefield, to Mrs. Herd Shrout at $223 1-3 per acre.

W. T. Roberts sold for County Clerk, Jno. F. Sugg, his brick home on Walnut street to Mrs. James Higgins, who will move to it the first of January.

He also sold for Kelley Barnett, his home on Dorsey Avenue, to Mr. Sugg.

—It Pays To Advertise.—

Public Auction

Saturday, December 18, 1943

AT 10:00 A. M. ON PREMISES

Having decided to quit farming for the present I have engaged the Fightmaster Real Estate Agency of Carlisle, Ky., to sell at public auction my farm.

169 ACRES

This farm is located on the Grange City and Salt Lick road in Fleming county and will be offered first in two tracks and then as a whole. This farm of 169 acres has a four bin tobacco barn with a metal roof, a four room house with a metal roof, smoke house, cellar, a good well at front door. This farm is all under fence, and has a tobacco base of 3 acres. School about two hundred feet from house, church and grocery close by. This farm has never been without water.

FIRST TRACK—100 acres, four room house, four bin barn, smoke house, cellar, a good well. Plenty of stock water. Some good timber on this farm.

SECOND TRACK—69 acres. This track is well watered, and well fenced. Some good timber on this track.

TERMS 10% DAY OF SALE—Balance March 1 when deed and possession will be given. This farm has a Federal Farm Bank Loan of $385.00. Buyer may take over this loan if he wants it.

R. M. McILVAIN, Owner

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REAL ESTATE AGENT
CARLISLE, KY.

PHONE 227J OFFICE FIRST NATIONAL BANK BLDG.

Let us handle your next public auction; you will be pleased.

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ROTARY CLUB IS TO BE ORGANIZED

Group of Carlisle Business and Professional Men to Complete Organization Tonight

The final organization of a Rotary Club for Carlisle will take place tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 o'clock at the court house.

The Mercury takes no credit for this move, but for several months The Mercury has urged that Carlisle needed a service club of some kind, Rotary, Kiwanis, Lions, Optimists, or what have you. Discussions have been heard on the streets and in business places for several weeks of the kind or type of club desired or best suited for Carlisle.

Ashland Rotarians became interested and District Governor John Shaw, of the Ashland Rotary District, met with 32 interested persons last Thursday night at the court house. M. C. Shearer was named temporary chairman and G. T. Cowan was chosen temporary secretary-treasurer.

All business and professional men of Carlisle had been extended an invitation to attend this meeting. Thirty-two responded and 26 of that number signified their intention of becoming members. They are Roger Womack, M. C. Shearer, Emery Clark, W. T. Straw, R. T. Fisher, W. W. Gamboe, S. F. Hutchings, Thomas Johnson, Paul Garrett, William Conley, W. R. Knight, E. H. Barnette, Cleary Fightmaster, Walter Shepherd, Everett Smith, E. A. VanBever, G. A. Duncan, J. E. Bradshaw, C. V. Crabb, John P. Pirtle, W. A. Long, Allen Hopkins, G. T. Cowan, George Scott, Clyde Sexton, and R. M. Feese. Others who could not be at the meeting, have expressed their intention to come into the club.

A car load of Rotarians from the Cynthiana club met with the Carlisle group last Thursday night. One of the reasons given for selecting the Rotary instead of some other club of international recognition was that there were more Rotary clubs in this part of the state than others and many of them closer to Carlisle than Kiwanis, or other clubs.

CARLISLE NATIVE HAS STATE DEPARTMENT POST

William R. Willoughby, a native of Carlisle, and a graduate of the University of Kentucky, recently has been appointed divisional assistant in the division of research and publication of the Department of State in Washington, D. C. His chief task at present is to aid in editing the annual volumes of 'American Foreign Relations.'

Mr. Willoughby entered the Army in June, 1942, but was released from service with a medical discharge in September, 1943.

CHRISTMAS BASKETS WILL REQUIRE NO RATION POINT

The Office of Price Administration in Washington has ruled that ration stamps need not be collected for food given away such as Christmas baskets, the general OPA announced. The order replaces an earlier edict requiring stamps to be collected from the recipients.

The regional OPA said the givers, however, must surrender stamps to obtain the food and that no extra stamps would be supplied for such purposes.

Harrodsburg Hit By Typhoid Epidemic

Two people had died Tuesday in Harrodsburg from typhoid fever and at least forty-three others inside the city were stricken with the malady. Three other cases were reported outside the city in Mercer county by the health officer, Dr. J. L. Tanner, who said the number of cases was sufficient to make it a "perfect" epidemic.

Dr. Fred W. Caudill, Louisville, epidemiologist of the State Board of Health, who spent several days in Harrodsburg recently assisting Dr. Tanner, said that the source of the disease had been traced definitely to two old deep wells that had been cut into the city water supply system because of the drouth. Bulk of the city's water supply comes from Salt River.

Dr. Caudill stressed, however, that "immediate steps were taken to correct the supply" and that the water now was "safe." Daily specimens of the water are taken and analyzed to insure its continued purity, he emphasized.

OFFICE WORKERS ARE NEEDED AT FRANKFORT

The State Personnel Division has issued a call for Welfare Department field workers and for stenographers, accountants and other workers in offices at Frankfort and at state institutions.

The call added that examinations were conducted at Frankfort each Monday for office workers and at stated intervals at various points in the state for welfare workers.

The personnel turnover in state institutions had "reached alarming proportions," the announcement said.

CHRISTMAS MAIL MOVING THROUGH LOCAL POSTOFFICE

Christmas mail is moving through the Carlisle postoffice in volume. The public is asked to do Christmas mailings earlier this year because the postoffice personnel has been reduced by demands of armed services to point where delivery of Christmas mail are made at last minute face possibility of not being received until after Christmas.

Ship Losses Lowest Since May, 1940

Allied merchant ship losses in November were the lowest of any month since May, 1940, President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill have said, adding that the number of U-boats destroyed exceeded the number of ships lost, as was the case in the three preceding months.

Their joint statement, issued in Washington and London, said use of aircraft operating from bases in the Azores, allowed by Portugal under a treaty with Britain, contributed greatly to the month's success in the antisubmarine war.

The statement called this success "notable" because the Germans had exerted "great effort" and had employed long-range aircraft to spot convoys and aid in concentrating U-boats against them.

"In spite of this, our escort and counterattack have been effective," the statements added.

The communique was the first official disclosure that the Azores bases had been fitted out and were in operation. Portugal's consent to their use was announced by Prime Minister Churchill on October 12.

No numerical total of ships lost or U-boats destroyed in November was given. It already had been disclosed, however, that more than 150 U-boats were wiped out in the previous six months.

(The London Daily Express naval correspondent estimated that at least twenty U-boats were destroyed in November, while shipping losses totaled less than 100,000 tons.)

BASS CARRIES WATCH

Mayor Joe Dean, barber at Joiner, Ark., and an enthusiastic angler, when his duties as the town barber and chief executive permit, vouches for this story:

Interested in what the larger bass were feeding on, the inside of a four and one-half pounder was slit open. It produced an open-faced gold pocket watch of the "railroad" size.

Sound incredible? Dean produces a watch to prove it. Too, the bass was the kind known hereabouts as "big-mouthed bass."

GERMANS WILL NOT FIGHT MUCH SAYS GEN. ARNOLD

An Associated Press dispatch from an American base in Western Italy says Gen. Henry H. Arnold, chief of the United States Army air forces, predicted in the course of a tour of the Italian fighting front that Germany would be unable to offer much resistance to the Allied assault from the west when it comes.

If the Germans are not knocked completely out of the war by the time a new invasion comes, Arnold said, "they are going to be too groggy" from air attacks to put up much of a fight.

Describing the new American bombers being thrown into the attack against Germany (the Flying Fortress and the Liberator have each been strengthened recently), Arnold told a press conference that "we hope to bring over Europe such air types that with Russia we will have 360-degree bombing of Germany—hitting her from every side."

USED FAT WASTE UNDER OPA ORDER

Salvage Value of Tiny Quantities of Kitchen Fats Emphasized By Decision

Ration points for used fats are going to put all thrifty women on guard at the garbage can and at the kitchen sink, the two locations where most waste of used fat occurs. Now they will find it to their advantage to scrape every bit of blackened fat from the roasting pan and drain the last drops from the skillet. They will turn in used fat now instead of carelessly washing it down the sink.

In these days of rationing, no family has large amounts of fat and shortening, and all women have learned to use bacon fat and suet as food. Browned fats, and those that have acquired an unpleasant odor, can now be exchanged for extra ration points. These inedible fats have salvage value, and yield the pure white glycerine so needed in the war effort.

All Worth Saving

So don't say of any fat, "This isn't worth saving." All fat is worth saving, and here are some places to save it:

Save all the drippings from roasting pans and broilers. True, the fat may be brown or discolored, and strongly flavored, but it contains the glycerine and fatty acids so urgently needed today.

Save the grease skimmed from stews or soups with a meat base. The water frankfurters are cooked in, when cold, yields a film of fat.

Used vegetable shortenings and cooking oils, and lard that has been used and reused, also the fat in which onions, fish, and other strong flavored foods have been cooked, belong in the used fat can.

Scrape The Plates

The meat, fat and bones returned to the kitchen on plates after meals may be melted out, strained, and a surprising amount of fat will reward the effort.

Try out, also, all the scraps of fat and gristle cut from meat while preparing it for cooking.

In other words; save for salvage all the inedible fats and with the extra ration points they bring it will be possible for you to replace what you have turned in with real food values.

EISENHOWER GROWS IN FAVOR WITH SOLDIERS

Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's popularity has skyrocketed throughout the Fifth Army as a result of one of his recent pronouncements on the potentiality of drawing a poker hand composed of three kings and a pair of jacks.

A soldier who heard that the Commander in Chief has a hobby of mathematically computing odds on poker hands asked him about that particular full house.

Eistenhower replied that he had not actually solved the problem, but would guess the odds against it would be 1,082,900 to 1.

Since then doughboys throughout Italy have been doing heavy pencil and papepr work. Scores of them wrote letters to the Stars and Stripes declaring "Ike" almost hit it on the nose with his estimate.

One declared, "I've always thought a lot of the General, but now he's tops on my list of great greats."

BARTERVILLE SCHOOL REPORTS 100 PER CENT

The Barterville school with two rooms and 45 pupils turned in $2.75 to the Junior Red Cross. This completes Nicholas county's enrollment and we are now 100 per cent enrolled.

There are 12 schools with 1,264 pupils in 40 rooms who have contributed $65.55. We have spent $20.50 of this for enrollment fees. The rest is used in buying materials to be made up into comfort articles for the soldiers and in mailing these articles to the designated warehouses or camps.

COLORED MAN 101, DIES

The oldest man in this town or county, Charles Keys, colored, 101 years old, died Sunday at the home of his son, Ed Keyes, in Henryville, where he had been ill some time.

He came to Carlisle a year ago from Lexington.

Funeral services were held in the colored Methodist church, Wednesday afternoon, with Rev. Elston officiating, and burial was in the Henryville cemetery.

Christmas Programs At Carlisle Churches

Plans as completed Monday by the Carlisle Minister's Association provide for the following schedule of holiday service at the various churches.

Presbyterian — Special Christmas music and sermon by the pastor. Subject, "Christmas In History," Sunday, December 19 at 5 p. m.

Methodist—The choirs are giving "The Coming Of The King" with live pictures and carol songs.

Baptist—Christmas Play, "The Star Still Shines" by the young people, Wednesday, December 22, at 7:30 p. m.

Christian—Pageant, Wednesday, December 22, at 7:30 p. m.

The public is cordially invited to all these special holiday programs.

Get in the fight for Tuberculosis—Buy Christmas Seals.

ANNUAL BANQUET NICHOLAS FARM BUREAU DRAWS 300

President Frank C. Henry Presides At Meeting Friday Night At City School Gymnasium

STANFORD GUEST SPEAKER

The annual banquet of the Nicholas County Farm Bureau, of which Frank C. Henry is president, was held last Friday evening in the Carlisle city school gymnasium with approximately 300 members and guests present. J. E. Stanford, executive secretary **Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation, was guest speaker. Other** speakers introduced by Mr. Henry were A. H. Calvert, state president of Kentucky Farm Federation; R. S. Trigg, manager Kentucky Farm Bureau National Insurance Auto Company; and W. L. Tolle, district organization director.

During the serving of the banquet a delightful musical program was rendered by the following local musicians: Mrs. A. V. Allison, Mrs. Sterling Blake, Mrs. Chester Shearer, Misses Virginia Lee Cowan, and little Misses Pat Allison, Nelle Wilson, Ann Galbraith, and Margie Ruth Hamilton, colored.

The delicious turkey dinner was sponsored by the local Red Cross Canteen Corps, with Miss Thelma Linville in charge. The proceeds were given to the Nicholas County Red Cross Chapter.

At the annual election of officers for the ensuing year following the banquet, W. E. Piper was named president, J. W. Miller, vice-president, and C. S. Whaley, secretary-treasurer. Directors named for two years were: Frank C. Henry, George Rankin Carter, J. A. Standiford, B. S. Stephenson and James G. Allison. Howard Sidle was chosen a director for one year. Dr. W. G. Irvin, H. T. Letton and G. C. Grover are holdover directors from 1943. Delegates elected to attend the state meeting in Louisville January 12-14 were W. E. Piper, W. T. Straw, F. C. Henry, G. C. Grover, L. M. Gaffin, S. R. Barlow, James Patton and Walter Shepherd. Alternates are B. C. Clark, George Rankin Carter, Emory Clark, Nick Smoot, W. S. Gaunce, O. R. Gaffin and Dr. G. T. Cowan.

Banquet committee was composed of Frank C. Henry, Dr. W. G. Irvin, W. E. Piper and W. T. Straw.

The installation of a locker-plant in Carlisle is a project sponsored by the Farm Bureau and Business Men's Club, and a committee was present to register applicants for this enterprise.

The address of Mr. Stanford was interesting, instructive, inspirational and interspersed with practical jokes. The main idea throughout his address was the need of organization of all farmers and cooperation with labor. He said in the year 1880 agriculture organizations had outnumbered labor organizations 15 to 1, and at present labor outnumbers agriculture 13 to 1. Labor has thirteen millions of members and agriculture has one million.

He spoke of the importance of good citizenship and the task **Americans face in winning the most destructive of all wars. Losing it would mean to lose everything. Among other thingse Mr.** Stanford said: "After victory the war on home problems will follow. Business or other special groups must not run the government—Government must run business. Farmers are wanting all that is coming to them and nothing more. Unless organized they will not be consulted with Government problems. Farmers want only simple justice. Many who were on relief in pre-war days now are drawing from $10.00 to $12.00 per day and spending it and after war they will soon be back on relief. Which road will the farmers take 'the high or low' over production, low prices and ruin. Organization of power will prevent an after-war depression, like we had following World War I. Millitant organization is the hope of Salvation of this country."

MORE CUTS MADE IN REVENUE BILL

Prospective Yield Of 1943 Revenue Bill Slashed To Less Than One-Fifth Treasury's Goal

The prospective yield of the 1943 revenue bill was slashed to less than one-fifth of the Treasury's $10,500,000,000 goal when the Senate Finance Committee adjusted House-approved excise rates—principally downward.

The estimated net loss of $112,000,000 tax money from the committee's action shaved the anticipated annual yield to about $2,026,000,000. In combination with present federal taxes, however, the government would collect about $43,000,000,000 a year from its citizens.

Travelers, telephone users, whisky drinkers, club men, pool players, night club playboys and women buying furs, face powder and handbags are among those lassoed by the new levies, previously voted by the House but still subject to Senate approval.

Although hitting hardest at the country club trade, the new rates also will collect a few extra pennies from the housewife who needs a new light bulb. The committee approved reductions below the House levels in four categories, raised two, left eight unchanged, and specified a flat rather than a percentage rate on the sport of bowling.

The following increases, provided in the House bill, were approved by the senators without change: Whisky, from $6 a proof gallon to $9; beer, from $7 a barrel to $8; toilet preparations, from 10 per cent of retail price to 25 per cent; telephone services—local, from 10 to 15 per cent, long distance, from 20 to 25 per cent; domestic telegraph, radio and cable service, from 15 to 25 per cent; transportation of persons (including sleeping car charges) **from 10 to 15 per cent; club dues and initiation fees, from 11 to 20** per cent; billiard and pool tables, from $10 per table annually to $20.

Raised even higher than House rates were taxes on leased wires, burglar and fire alarms, and the items subject to higher taxes than at present, but below the House rates, were: furs, electric light bulbs, cabarets and luggage, wallets and ladies handbags—15 per cent on retail. The committee voted to raise the bowling tax from $10 an alley to $20.

PEARL HYDEN, HAZARD, GETS STATE POSITION

Pearl Hyden, a 28-year-old Hazard attorney, has been appointed secretary of the State Workmen's Compensation Board, succeeding John M. Bull, Jr.

Bull resigned to take a legal post with a life insurance company in Louisville and it was stated at the governor's office the Hazard man's appointment was formally made Monday by State Industrial Relations Commissioner W. C. Burrow.

Hyden, who for several years has been representing insurance companies before the state board, studied law in a Cincinnati night school and was connected with the Cincinnati law firm of United States Senator Robert Taft.

ELLISVILLE SCHOOL TO GIVE CHRISTMAS OPERETTA

"A Topsy Turvey Christmas," an operetta, will be given by pupils of the Ellisville school Thursday, December 23 at 10:00 o'clock. Miss Annabel Hamilton has charge of the music.

The cast includes nearly one hundred pupils. Leading parts are taken by Dorothy Leet, Jane Anderson and Herman Dayton. The Christmas Devotional will be given by Delores Conrad.

SUPPORT OF WAC DRIVE ASKED BY GOVERNOR

A call for women of Kentucky to "meet the urgent need" for more Women's Army Corps recruits was made by Gov. Simeon Willis Saturday in the first proclamation he has issued since his inauguration.

He pointed out the campaign to enlist enough women to replace the known 1,512 army casualties among Kentuckians when the drive opened last Sept. 27 had brought in only approximately 50 young women from this state. His proclamation declared the Kentucky recruiting period would be continued for the duration of the war or as long as the Army needs more Wacs.

TRAFFIC DEATHS CUT IN KENTUCKY

With a 32 per cent reduction in traffic fatalities during the first ten months of this year compared to the same period in 1942 Kentucky stands tied with Arizona in eighth place among the states in reduction of deaths.

Minnesota led with a 45 per cent drop.

More News Urged By Censor Chief

The Washington office of censorship has come out strong for the printing of still more war news by urging the press and radio to ignore "volunteer" censors who would tell them what not to publish.

Without stating whether Army or Navy officers, or others, were referred to, Director of Censorship Byron Price said in a note to editors distributed through the major news services:

"I solicit your continued cooperation to see, in this instance, that a dangerous psychology of overcensorship is not created throughout the land by the activities of a miscellany of volunteer firemen."

Price announced that new editions of the press and broadcasters codes of voluntary censorship, under which press and radio are operating, is made known.

He said:

"Every editor and broadcaster is asked to take note not only of what is requested, but of what is not requested. . . . Many of you have been led by overzealousness to withhold information having no security value, on the advice of persons having no authority."

Price emphasized these facts:

"1. The Office of Censorship, a civilian agency, is the only Government agency authorized by the President to request that certain news be not published or broadcast.

"2. The Office of Censorship has no agents in any part of the country authorized to act for it in connection with domestic publication or broadcast.

"3. The requests of the Office of Censorship are embodied in the codes.

"4. The codes specifically ask that requests from others which appear out of harmony with the codes be disregarded or submitted to this office.

"5. The Office of Censorship does not operate or have any connection with military censorship overseas which is, of necessity, in the hands of the military.

"6. The Office of Censorship does not determine what news other branches of the Government will announce, or issue any news itself, or fix release dates or police their observance."

WILLIS ENDORSED BY BOYD WOMEN FOR PRESIDENT

Having already been mentioned as a possibility for vice-presidential choice next year, the stock of Gov. Simeon S. Willis has been boosted a step higher at Ashland.

The Republican Women's Club of Boyd county announced the adoption of a resolution, endorsing Governor Willis for president of the United States in 1944.

The resolution urged that, "whereas the people of this commonwealth now have a real opportunity by proper zeal and unity of effort to bring this great honor to Kentucky, delegates be sent to the Republican national convention with instructions to do everything they honorably can to bring about the nomination of our distinguished fellow-Kentuckian, Gov. Simeon S. Willis, for president of the United States."

Wouldn't it be odd if the war ended before the argument about the second front did.

SCARLET FEVER EPIDEMIC HERE

County Health Department Warns Public, School Children Are Dismissed

Nicholas county and Carlisle are about to experience an epidemic of Scarlet fever, unless precautions now in force are carried out by the individuals affected and others not yet exposed, are careful and guard their health. This is no idle statement. Scarlet fever tends to run cycles of epidemics every 3 to 5 years. Nicholas county is now "due." For two months, or more, in the neighboring county of Bourbon, near Little Rock and North Middletown, there has been a "localized" epidemic. This is now spreading toward Nicholas county and East Union. In addition, cases near Millersburg and Hooktown are gradually spreading towards Headquarters and Carlisle. Already there are active cases in Headquarters, Carlisle and the Myers Station vicinity.

What can be done to stop this menace? There is no vaccine or serum which will safely and adequately immunize citizens. The disease can be spread through milk. All dairies are cooperating and no cases are in such an occupation. As yet, it is not necessary, nor should it ever become necessary to close schools. A sick child on the streets is just as infectious as at school.

The County Health department states the best and most feasible thing to do is:

(1) Avoid crowds.

(2) If a child or adult has a sore throat keep him at home and in bed until the family doctor has an opportunity to check him.

(3) Avoid unnecessary exposure. A common sore throat is an excellent place for Scarlet fever germs to lodge and develop.

(4) Avoid people with "colds **and sore throats."**

This last advice is sound. The Scarlet fever now prevalent is quite mild. Only about one in every five cases actually break out. Many of the cases appear only as colds or very sore throats, but those cases are just as infectious as one with the body covered by eruptions. Since the cases now appearing are mild, there is danger of serious complications.

Complications of Scarlet fever, as kidney damage or disease, heart damage or leakage, arthritis, etc., are mainly prevented by bed rest. If a person, adult or child, is suspected of having Scarlet fever, put him to bed and call the family physician.

Your health department is doing all in its power to prevent further spread of this menace, but, as the motto of our great commonwealth says, "United We Stand, Divided We Fall."

Fortunately the picture is bright from the treatment angle; modern science has developed drugs which will usually control Scarlet fever very readily. If a two week period can be passed without further cases, it is believed the danger will be over.

About 100 students at Carlisle High School were sent home Monday as a precautionary measure. Most of these had colds or sore throats.

A nickname is something those who like you very much or very little call you.

Nicholas County's Second War Casualty

Mr. Avery Frederick, of Myers, Route 3, has received word of the death of his son, Pvt. Raymond Frederick, 22, on December 3, in Waianae Oahu, Territory of Hawaii. The official casualty report stated that he died as the result of drowning while undergoing amphibious training.

Pvt. Frederick had been in service for more than a year, and was a resident of Dayton, Ohio, at the time he entered the Army. He is a native of Nicholas county and makes the second of our boys to make the supreme sacrifice, Lloyd George being the first.

Besides his wife, Mrs. Lela L. Frederick, he is survived by his mother and father, six brothers, all of Dayton, and four sisters, one of whom, Mrs. Lindsay Walker, lives in Carlisle.

Delegate is a man who leaves with a badge and comes back with a headache.

In Utopia the sun will always shine except when we need rain.