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RATES

One cent a word each insertion, minimum charge 25c. Each line charged as five words. Want ads accepted until 12 noon each Wednesday.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern five room house on Sycamore street. W. G. Irvin. 2-11-tf

FOR RENT—Rooms, separate meters, cistern, city water, garden. See Lucille Buntin Reed at 107 High Street. 1t

FOR RENT—Dwelling on College Hill. Possession March 1st. Arthur Mullikin. Phone 192 city.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One oil incubator, 85 egg capacity. William L. Marr. Phone 5804. 1t

FOR SALE—Cows and springer heifers. R. M. Smith, Carlisle, Ky., Route 3. 2-4-2t*

FOR SALE—6 horses, 2 young bulls. R. G. Peterson, Millersburg. Phonoe 2075. 2-4-2t*

FOR SALE—One white tabletop coal range, almost new. One white metal ice box. Call 2503. 1t

FOR SALE—Insurance on farm buildings, feed and live stock. Ky. Growers Insurance Co. Call H. T. Letton, Phone 4800. 2-11-3t*

FOR SALE—Folding bed, dresser, washstand, chamber set, curtain stretchers, 25 lb. refrigerator. Mrs. Claudia Buntin. Phone 340W. 1t*

FOR SALE—1939 One and one-half ton Ford Truck. Four new tires, but all tires good. Truck in A-1 condition. Phone 5104 or see Earl Hamm. 1t*

FOR SALE—Household furniture, etc., will be sold next Saturday afternoon about 2:30 o'clock behind the C. C. Cole Company store. Mrs. S. C. Vaughn.

FOR SALE—Two 3-year-old mare mules, one 3-year-old horse mule, one 5-year-old draft mare. Broke and gentle. Call H. T. Letton. Phone 4800. 2-11-2t*

PUBLIC SALE—Back of C. C. Cole Bldg., Saturday, February 20th at 2 o'clock p. m. Household and kitchen furniture. Also some farming implements. Scott-Kendall Sales Co. "It Makes a Difference."

FOR SALE OR RENT

One garage on Elm street back of King's Hardware store. Possession March 1st. Good heating plant. Mrs. Harry King, phone 100. 2-4-tf

FOR SALE—Warner's Golden Burley Improved White Burley Tobacco Seed at Carlisle Drug Co and Hopkins Drug store, Carlisle, Ky., or by mail. $1.50 per oz., one-half oz. 75c. Clay Bedford, producer. Cynthiana, Ky. 2-4-4t

FOR SALE—One two-horse wagon, 1 mowing machine, 3 or 4 sheep racks, 2 cattle troughs, 1 iron scraper, about 1000 tobacco sticks, some locust posts, 3 12 foot gates. To be sold at the Farmers Stock Yards, Carlisle, Tuesday, February 23rd. Berry Burnaw and Ernest Piper, for Heirs of Mrs. H. B. Burnaw. 1t

NOTICE

WANTED—To buy hay. Clinton Caswell. Phone 4402. 1t

BABY CHICKS—U. S. Certified Hatchery White Leghorns, [illegible] White Rocks. All [illegible] bred R. O. P. Male Birds. [illegible] to lay by transecting [illegible] Write for [illegible] W. Pyles & Son, Maysville, Ky. [illegible]

MONEY FOR FARMERS

The Federal Land Bank [illegible] making long term loans to farmers. Low interest rate. No [illegible] renewals; prepayment privilege. See Ben R. Caldwell, office [illegible] 2-18-1t

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Those knowing themselves indebted to the estate of Jacob Wagoner will please call at settle at once with the undersigned Administratrix. Those having accounts against the estate will please present same properly proven as required by law to the undersigned.

Dorothy Wagoner, Admx. Estate of Jacob Wagoner

2-11-3t*

CARD OF THANKS—I want to take this method in thanking my friends and neighbors who were so kind to me during my husband's illness and his death, also consoling words from Rev. Estal L. Taylor, and singers. His wife, Mrs. Grace Prather.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of W. H. Purcell, deceased, will file the same properly proven, with the undersigned, or with I. B. Ross, attorney; and those knowing themselves indebted to said estate will call upon the undersigned at once and settle same.

Wilson King, Admr. of Estate of W. H. Purcell, dec'd. 2-18-3t

BALD HILL

One day last week Mrs. G. T. Sellers fell and sustained quite an injury to her right arm, but is now doing very nicely and we wish her a speedy recovery.

Maxwell Dotson is in from the Great Lakes on a furlough.

The writer spent last Tuesday night with Mrs. Hamer Miller of Carlisle.

The following near relatives of the aged John R. Miller, gave him quite a surprise Sunday, the 14th, it being his 86th birthday: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller of Carlisle; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stephenson and little daughter of East Union; Mrs. Rankin Hurst of Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hernden of Lexington; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Selby and infant sons of Covington; Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Dotson and little daughter, and the writer. Quite a feast was enjoyed and we sincerely wish this aged gentleman might be spared to enjoy more happy birthdays among us.

We regret to hear of the illness of B. M. Hamm and of Mr. Frank Brayfield. Also we deeply regret to hear of the illness of Taylor Mathers.

We extend our deepest sympathy to the bereaved families of the Purcells and Gaunces.

BARTERVILLE SCHOOL

There has been no report of the Barterville school this year, but this is to say that it still exists with an enrollment of about fifty pupils, with Miss Hazel Swartz of Oakland, teacher of grades one, two and three, and Mrs. Laura O. Dotson, teacher of grades four, five and six.

The school has participated in all of the drives, is one hundred per cent Red Cross, and has a 4-H club, which holds its regular meeting each month, Junior Hollar being president; Lena Morris, secretary and Jewel Green, song leader.

Many of the pupils in each room have stamp books which they are filling, for many of their brothers are in service. The following pupils have been on the honor roll off and on during the year:

Grade 1: Lenora Richey.
Grade 2: Jewel Morris.
Grade 4: Lillian Wagner, Trangi Hollar, Nancy Herrington.
Grade 5: Geneva Varner, Wilma Broderick.
Grade 6: Junior Hollar, Reba Miller, Lena Morris.

The rationing of canned goods will be at the school house Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, the 24th, 25th and 26th. The above teachers and their helpers will be there to wait on you.

Property of the undersigned persons is posted against hunting and trespassing, either with dogs or guns. Violators will be prosecuted.

Mrs. A. J. Barr
G. R. Fryman •
Arthur Mullikin
R. M. Smith •
George M. Weddle •
Mollie Anderson Crawford
W. D. Hamilton •
G. W. Waugh & Sons •

CARD OF THANKS—We desire to thank our many friends and neighbors for every act of kindness, every word of sympathy, to all those who sent flowers, we cherish everything that was done during the illness and death of our dear sister, Lydia Gore. We will always cherish with the tenderest feeling of gratitude all that was done. Mamie Gore. 1t*

EXPRESSION OF THANKS—The family of Mrs. Alice Gaunce expresses to their many friends, their heartfelt thanks, for many acts of kindness shown during the illness and death of our wife and mother. Too, Rev. C. C. Tanner, I. B. Mann and S. L. Moore our sincere appreciation for their words of sympathy and condolence. Too, Messrs. I. B. Ross and Harvey Gaunce, Mrs. Edna Keller and Mrs. W. C. Talbert. We are deeply grateful for their words of comfort and hope brought to us in their songs. Too Messrs. Shearer and Mathers our deep appreciation of their considerate conduct of funeral arrangements and burial.

1t* W. S. Gaunce and Children

AUTO LICENSE

Auto License Auto License

It is time to get your motor vehicle licenses. March 1st deadline. Please don't wait until the last week.

The law directs that you "Present your certificate of registration for 1942 to the Clerk" therefore, you MUST bring your last certificate with you to secure a 1943 License for your car.

Please don't wait until the last week.

You do not get a metal tag this year, but keep the tags which were issued to you in 1942 and the law directs that you remove the front tag from your car and take care of it, so it might replace the rear tag if it should be lost or become mutilated.

Instead of a front tag on your car, you get a stamp to be attached to the lower right corner of your windshield, instructions for applying same are printed on the container of the stamp.

Please don't wait until the last week.

Yours very truly,
2-18-2t Jno. F. Sugg, Clerk

BARTERVILLE

(Bira Snapp, Correspondent)

Mrs. Dee Kenney of Paris and Mrs. Arthur Kenton of Cincinnati spent one night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Green last week.

Mrs. Johnnie Grey and two daughters and Marvin Mitchell of Fleming County, Mrs. Pearl Smith and son, Philip, of Lexington, all spent one night last week with Walter Snapp and family.

Aunt Laura Green, who has been in the hospital at Paris has been removed to her daughter's Mrs. Fred Downing, in Paris and is not much improved.

Mr. John T. Bowe is some better at this writing.

Mrs. Relma Bowe and children are planning to join her husband in Lebanon in a few days.

Spencer Taylor has moved to the property that he bought from B. M. Ritchie and set up his store in the B. M. Ritchie store building.

Reynolds Green and wife of Dayton, Ohio, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Green.

Miss Ada Green has gone to Paris to help care for her mother, Aunt Laura Green.

Mr. Memphis Ritchie has bought the property of Mr. Estil Anderson known as the Aunt Jane Shaw property and will move the first of March.

PANTHER CREEK

(Mrs. J. M. Parsons, Cor.)

Mrs. Robert Maybrier spent one afternoon last week with Mr. and Mrs. James Parsons.

Mrs. Mollie Crawford of near Myers, spent Friday with her brother, Mr. James aPrsons and Mrs. Parsons.

Sorry to lose our good neighbors and friends, Mrs. Fanny Wagoner annd daughter.

We want to welcom eour new neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wood.

Movers are: Mr. and Mrs Cletes Ritchie to farm of Earnie Earlywine near Saltwell. Mr. and Mrs Butler Ritchie to his home on Barterville pike. Ed Murrell will move soon to farm of Mr. and Mrs. Dorse Caswell at Forest Retreat. Wilburn McCann has moved back to far mof Mrs. Lou Bishop on Barterville piye.

Mr. and Mrs. James Parsons are about the same.

Mrs Dorse Caswell remains quite ill at his home near Forest Retreat.

Spencer Taylor bought the store house and home of the late Jerry Earlywine at Barterville.

Mrs. Mary Minton of St. Paul, Va., will come about Feb. 18, to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. James Parsons.

SALTWELL

(U. G. Mattox, Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Ritchie and two sons spent Sunday with Mrs. Myrtle Kenney and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Hisel Hollar will move to Carlisle. Mr. and Mrs Strawder Hollar of Cynthiana will move to the house vacated by Hisel Hollar.

Fred Hollar has moved from the property of Walter Williams to the farm which he recently purchased from the Gaunce heirs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tanner of Cincinnati spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Tanner.

Miss Fleet Allison returned to K. W. C. at Winchester Wednesday. She was called here by the illness and death of her grandmother, Mrs. W. S. Gaunce.

Mrs. Fritz Gaunce was taken to the Good Samaritan hospital at Lexington Friday for observation. She remains at the hospital. Her husband is with her.

Corp. Roy Julian Snapp who is stationed in Florida is at home for a few days furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy [illegible] Snapp.

Cleatis Ritchie has moved from the property of B. M. Ritchie [illegible] F. Earlywine's house.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Gaunce and two children spent [illegible] with Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Ja[illegible]son.

Notes of an Innocent Bystander:

The Magic Lanterns: Alfred Hitchcock's latest, "Shadow of a Doubt," is one of the most [illegible] masterpieces . . . [illegible] stage or screen [illegible] than little Margaret O'Brien [illegible] aren't as good [illegible] out of your [illegible] "Journey for Margaret," [illegible] starring J. Cotton, Margaret [illegible] ers The Gettysburg Address better perhaps, than Lincoln himself . . . The March of Time's "We Are the Marines" is the first release from that group that seemed dull . . . Real marines in action at the front, too, but the actors in "Commandos Strike at Dawn" took your breath away with their phony war . . . In that film Lillian Gish's betraying didn't hold me, at all . . . I kept thinking: "Here she is appearing in a propaganda picture, although she attacked war a year ago, by accusing Hollywood of 'forcing' her into a film in 1917 to arouse hatred, etc." . . . "China Girl" is only entertainment when audiences kid it.

The Coast-to-Coasters: The big query in Brazil: "Why did your country stop letting us hear Lowell Thomas now and then?" . . . Please send that item to Mr. Nelson Rockefeller's Inter-American Committee, Washington, and help cement relations with South America . . . Joe Besser's interruptions on Jack Benny's show are the most amusing gags in a long time . . . The endless interruptions on Infoplease ("The best tunes of all go to Carnegie Hall!") must have robbed that attraction of many listeners . . . Most irritating. And so you remedy matters by simply dialing to another program . . . George Denny's "Town Hall Meeting of the Air" remains a radio must . . . The claims here and there that certain radio news commentators "have the largest audience in the U. S." were debunked by the radio page in the current issue of Time, which lists the "first ten programs," and names only one reporter.

The Intelligentsia: "The Sergeant Says," a first effort by Sgt. James Cannon of Fort Dix and PM, is crowded with first-rate wordage—which is hardly news to all of us who said he could write long ago . . . "Guadalcanal Diary," (Random House) by Richard Tregaskis of Int'l News, is the Feb. Book-of-the-Month—a literary monument to American heroism . . . Another first effort is "The Listeners," a novel by Lt. Herbert Whiting (Appleton-Century). Critics predict a public for it . . . Reporter Robert Casey's "Torpedo Junction" (we just caught up with it) is a Bobbs-Merrill corker.

The Magazines: The cunning and moxie of the Hitler haters inside the Reich are reported in "Spy at Work" in The Atlantic. Jon B. Jansen and Stefan Weyl thrill you with the adroit hoodwinkings. The stunt becomes all the more admirable when you know they operated with hardly any money . . . This Week introduces the guy who did most to make a monkey out of Goebbels (excepting Nature, who made him look like one). He is, according to Curt Reiss, the Soviet propagandists' Lozovsky. His hooting on the Berlin newscastings choked lies in Nazi gullets, and his pamphleteering has caused Hitler to double his carpet devourings . . . Theatre Arts Monthly cites Katharine Cornell's tribute to Thornton Wilder. His translation of "Lucrece," in which she flopped, is described by Miss C as "my favorite failure" . . . Rollin Kirby's cartoon page in Look should be parted in every shop window in the U. S.—to remind gripers to jump from the tallest skyscraper. Kirby's is the best push-in-the-face yet.

The Front Pages: Alexander [illegible] typewriter used to bite [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

—It Pays To Advertise—

Letters from Our boys In Service

Camp Carrabelle, Florida
Feb. 11, 1943

Dear Brother and family,

Will answer your letter I received a few minutes ago. Sure was glad to hear from you. This leaves me feeling fine and hope it finds you all well up there. We have been working hard every day and I sure am tired but I like the kind of work we are doing, but I don't like this place. I don't know how long we will be here but if we stay very long I will be crazier than I am. We are right on the Gulf of Mexico. My barrack isn't more than three or four hundred feet from the water. I have lots of fun swimming and boat riding in my spare time, but that isn't much. I never get to go anyplace for the nearest town is 60 miles from camp.

Tell all the kids hello and tell them I am sorry I can't send them a Valentine but I can't get anything like that down here.

Do you know what Lenora's address is? I wrote to Clyde and Dad and they don't know. I would like to write to her if I knew where she is. Tell Laura Lee I will write to her in a day or two but I haven't time right now and you never did tell me who Bee Ritchie married.

Well, as there isn't much to write about down here I guess I had better close. So answer soon and let me know what is going on up there. Bye and be good.

Bill Crawford

THE FIGHTING ORDINANCE MARCH

(On We Go—3433th—On We Go.)

On we go, we're ready, on we go
There is no stopping us because we know
We're the fighting boys
And bound for victory
On we go, 3439th, on we go

[illegible]

Cpl. Burel M. Workman
Co. Q 3439th Ord
Camp Rucker, Ala.

Judging from the price, it was the hen that laid the golden egg.

HOG JAW

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Argo and son and Mr. and Mrs. William Howard and daughter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Ritchie, Sunday.

Mrs. S. J. Ritchie visited her daughter, Estle, one day last week.

Mrs. Nathan Ritchie and Mrs. Luther Hollar were guests of Mrs. M. L. Hollar and daughter, Friday afternoon.

Raymond Cox was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Ritchie Sunday.

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JACKSTOWN

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PLEASANT VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hammond, Mrs. Eva Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Evans, Miss Louise English, Marvin and Malcolm Mitchell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Vanlandingham.

Mrs. Leonard Hunt spent Sunday with Mrs. C. F. Letcher.

Tom Hunt spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Herndon.

[illegible]

Will Letcher spent the week end in Paris.

Henry Hunt and Pete Mitchell were in Lexington Saturday on business.

Jaunita Hollar spent the week end with Dorothy Humphries.

Tommy Vanlandingham spent the week end with his grandmother, Mrs. Hattie Richards.

Give Your Old Magazines

Give your old magazines! These four words come as an appeal from the Junior Red Cross. The members are asking for your old magazines—those you don't want any longer—to sell for funds for the benefit of "The Juniors." Give your old magazines.

It's all yours!

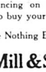
(That's the American Spirit!)

Uncle Sam is doing a whale of a job in this global war—and a big part of it is being done by long distance telephone.

That's why we ask you to please use the long distance lines only when really necessary, so as to keep them clear for vital war business. It will be especially helpful if you will, as far as possible, avoid making any long distance calls to war-busy industrial centers.

Material shortages prevent expansion of telephone facilities to fill the general increasing demand for service, so won't you help to make the most of what we have, knowing that in doing this you are making a genuine contribution to the war effort?

SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY INCORPORATED



Are you entitled to wear a "target" lapel button? You are if you are investing at least ten percent of your income in War Bonds every pay day. It's your badge of patriotism.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

The ordinary machine gun is cumbersome for our Marines especially for parachute troops. So the Marines have adopted new [illegible] of the Reising sub-machine gun 45-caliber weapon.

The new gun used by the parachute troops is a compact model with a pistol grip and a steel-frame stock which folds out of the way when not in use. You can help buy these for our Boys in the Services and elsewhere with your purchase of War Bonds. Join the Payroll Savings Plan and let's "Top that ten percent." U. S. Treasury Department

Spring Showing Of Wall Paper

Don't fail to come in and see our Spring Showing of Wall Paper and make your selections while our stock is at its best.

Now is the time to make preparations for your Spring Cleaning and Decorating your rooms with fresh Wall Paper.

You may not be able to get the paper or help later on, so prepare now and be sure when the time is here.

Buy War Bonds and Stamps.

CARLISLE DRUG CO.

Field Seeds

Of course we have a full supply of the best the market affords in

RED CLOVER, ALSIKE, ALFALFA, SWEET CLOVER, KOREAN LESPEDEZA, TIMOTHY, BLUE GRASS, ETC.

We bought these seeds when we could get the pick of quality at reasonable prices.

Markets are advancing on most items and we would advise you to buy your requirements now.

We Handle Nothing But The Best.

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BedRoom Suites

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
OFFICE OF PRICE ADMINISTRATION

One copy of this Declaration must be filed with the Office of Price Administration by each person applying for War Ration Book Two for the members of a family unit, and by each person who is not a member of a family unit. File at the site designated. Coupons will be deducted for excess supplies of the foods listed below according to the schedules announced by the Office of Price Administration.

CONSUMER DECLARATION
Processed Foods and Coffee

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am authorized to apply for and receive a *War Ration Book Two* for each person listed below who is a member of my family unit, or the other person or persons for whom I am acting whose *War Ration Book One* I have submitted to the Board;

That the name of each person and number of his or her *War Ration Book One* are accurately listed below;

That none of these persons is confined or resident in an institution, or is a member of the Armed Forces receiving subsistence in kind or eating in separate messes under an officer's command;

That no other application for *War Ration Book Two* for these persons has been made;

That the following inventory statements are true and include all indicated foods owned by all persons included in this Declaration:

Coffee

1. Pounds of coffee owned on November 28, 1942, minus 1 pound for each person included in this Declaration whose age as stated on War Ration Book One is 14 years or older. . . . . . . ______
2. Number of persons included in this Declaration whose age as stated on War Ration Book One is 14 years or older. . . . . . . ______

Canned Foods

Include all commercially canned fruits (including spiced); canned vegetables; canned fruit and vegetable juices; canned soups, chili sauce, and catsup.

Do not include canned olives; canned meat and fish; pickles, relish; jellies, jams, and preserves; spaghetti, macaroni, and noodles; or home-canned foods.

3. Number of cans, bottles, and jars (8-ounce size or larger) of commercially packed fruits, vegetables, juices and soups, chili sauce and catsup owned on February 21, 1943, minus 5 for each person included in this Declaration. . . ______
4. Number of persons included in this Declaration. . . . . . . ______

The name of each person included in this Declaration and the number of his or her War Ration Book One is:

	Print Name	Number
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Taylor Mathers Dies At Good Samaritan Hospital In Lexington

Farmers To Vote Creation Of Soil Conservation Dist.

For Nicholas County—Casting Ballots Next Saturday, February 27th

On Saturday, February 27th (this Saturday) the land owners of Nicholas county will vote in the referendum for the creation of a Soil Conservation District in Nicholas county.

It is earnestly hoped that all land owners in the county will take the time Saturday to vote relative to the creation of a district.

If such a district is organized in the county it will make the land owners here eligible for certain mechanical help and for the loan of various kinds of machinery available to the counties in which districts have been organized.

The following places have been designated as voting places in the county and will be open from nine to four:

Carlisle Court House, Headquarters, Moorefield, Myers, Barterville, and East Union.

Anyone desiring further information in regard to the creation of a district in the county may contact the local county agent or Edwin G. Jesse, District Supervisor, who will be in the county agents office for a few days.

Tuberculosis Is Dangerous Causes Great Loss

Three hundred and fifty million work days lost annually through illness of the gainfully employed is our country's discreditable record. At a wage of five dollars a day this means a $1,750,000,000 yearly deficit in labor and production. Assuming that half of this is due to preventable disease a dozen battleships could be built in the time saved by full use of known preventive measures.

In working days lost per case, tuberculosis heads the list of unnecessary disabilities. This national loss is not due alone to doctors, nor the public health service, nor the ignorance and carelessness of the people themselves. The blame belongs to all three. The fervor of patriotism sweeping the country keeps our eyes fixed overseas. We are united in the will to annihilate despotism and reestablish freedom for all nations. This is our duty, but we must not forget the treacherous enemy within our own boundaries. Tuberculosis, in collusion with its fellow fifth columnists, is impeding victory by a campaign of sabotage behind the lines.

The armed forces have foreseen the menace of tuberculosis in the ranks and are taking active measures to combat it. Industry has awakened to the threat but is still floundering in its effort to thwart it. The medical profession is only half alive to its opportunities for patriotic service. Right now is the moment to stand by the men who make the guns in an all-out fight to eradicate this leading saboteur of victory.

Carlisle Loses To Nicholasville Here

Nicholasville netmen were held scoreless for two quarters here last Friday night but came back in the final frame to down Carlisle high school, 17-11.

Nicholasville took a commanding lead as the first canto expired, but failed to score in the following two quarters, leading at halftime, 7-4, and trailing at the end of the third quarter, 9-7.

Nicholasville lads found the range in the closing period and looped through 10 points while the Musketeers accounted for only three.

Watts, Nicholasville center, was top-point maker with eight tallies. The summary:

Nicholasville (17)		Carlisle (11)
Cook (5)	F	Brothers
Pineur (4)	F	Young (1)
Watts (8)	C	Soper (4)
Hager	G	Seevers (1)
Clark	G	Crawford

Substitutions: Carlisle —Shanklin (5). Nicholasville —Brogle, Knight, Peel. Official—Hanson (M. M. I.)

A Boost For The Home Town From California

The following was clipped from another newspaper and is passed along for the benefit of any of our readers "Away From Home" who may care to send them contribution back to Carlisle for the Red Cross: "Find enclosed a contribution for the Red Cross in Highland. I saw from the paper they were below their quota. Los Angeles is easily raising theirs, so I thought I'd help the old Home Town."

Kentucky 4--H Club Members In Safety Drive

Will Strive To Cut Death Tolls—Injuries On American Farms

Kentucky's 4-H Club members are now being enlisted in "The National 4-H Safe Activity" to wage a concerted drive to make rural America safety-conscious. As there are roundly 1 1-2 million 4-H'ers throughout the United States, the drive promises to be the most comprehensive and intensive rural-safety campaign ever conducted in this country.

The chief objective of this nationwide campaign will be to reduce the appalling annual loss of manpower resulting from preventable accidents, and of property damaged by fire due to carelessness, on farms and in rural communities. The activity, in which 4-H participants with outstanding records of safety achievements will receive awards provided by the Mennen Company, will be conducted in conjunction with other highly noteworthy wartime jobs of production and conservation under the direction of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, State Agricultural Colleges, and county extension agents.

The awards include medals of honor to county winners, and a special plaque to the top ranking county in each state; a $100 War Savings Bond to the highest rating individual in each state, and trips to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, as well as $200 college scholarships, to the national winners.

Four-H Club members will strive to cut down the tremendous annual toll of 18,500 deaths and 1,500,000 injured in the farm field, by conducting actual farm and home surveys, and making demonstrations, talks and exhibits. These rural youth are well qualified for the task, as they have conducted individual campaigns to safeguard their own homes, with excellent results.

Lieutenant Kendall Has Been Moving Around

After enlisting in the Air Corps at Fort Knox, Ky., Lt. Ivan S. Kendall was sent to Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, October 10, 1940. He graduated June 6th, 1941 as Radio Operator at Scott Field, Illinois, and was instructor in Air Craft Radio Equipment Division there until September 1942. Again he was transferred to Sioux Falls, South Dakota as instructor.

Lt. Kendall graduated on February 6th, from Squadron Communications Officers Course at Scott Field; and, was commissioned Second Lieutenant, Air Corps on the same day. He is now assigned to A. A. F. T. T. C., Boca Raton, Florida.

MAN HURT IN UNUSUAL ACCIDENT

James Thomas, 66, Negro, route 3, Carlisle, was brought to the Massie Memorial hospital late Wednesday suffering from a gunshot wound in the stomach. Thomas was chopping wood with a revolver in his pocket. When some birds flew by, he took out the revolver to fire at them, returning the revolver, still cocked, in his pocket. He continued the wood chopping, but the first swing of the axe fired the pistol. His condition was reported as good late today. (Paris items in Lexington Herald).

Chairman Crabb Makes An Appeal To Housewives

To Figure Out Point Rationing Values Before Going To Grocery

Mrs. Housewife, you can save much of your own time and a lot of work for your grocer if you will figure out the point values of processed foods on your shopping list before you go to the store when point rationing becomes effective next Monday, March 1st.

A plea that shoppers make this preparation at home in order to avoid confusion and lessen the burden on food merchants was issued today by C. V. Crabb, publicity chairman of the local War Price and Rationing Board.

"Merchants have been beset with shortages of help, and many other headaches under price regulations and rationing. The new point rationing system will mean another job for the grocer and his clerks. Housewives can be of tremendous help to the grocer and to themselves if they will study the official table of point values for canned foods, which will be announced over the radio and otherwise publicized.

"After obtaining War Ration Book Two, housewives should await announcement of the point values. As soon as these are published, each housewife should take the list and figure out just how many points she wishes to spend for her family and for what foods."

The newly-rationed foods will be all canned, bottled fruits, vegetables, soups and juices; frozen fruits and vegetables and dried fruits.

OLD THINGS OF INTEREST

It is the desire of The Mercury, this week, to tell of some of the "Old Newspapers" which have been sent in since this column was started. Before the writer is a number of these papers, one in type measure two columns wide and six inches long containing four pages. This paper is the "Carlisle News" and is dated October 1877. Another is the "Carlisle Courier," five columns wide and eighteen inches long. Then comes the "Carlisle Advertiser" which is three columns wide and nine inches high. All of these papers have a very nice lot of advertising in them. The Mercury! ! ! Many, many copies of The Mercury, going back to when it was in swaddling clothes, have been brought in and it is the desire of The Mercury, at this time, to thank every person who so kindly brought them to us.

Mrs. Dee Briggs of Carlisle, brought in a spindle which was used to make "Chane" for carpets. The spindle looks as though it had stood the test of many years and to many would be considered an oddity. It is said to be over 100 years old. The spindle went through a flood and came out in good condition.

A picture! An old picture! Taken in Carlisle when many trees were in evidence. And, fine "Hoses" too. Judge I. B. Ross is the owner of the "Old Picture" which was taken in front of the St. Cloud Hotel many years ago. The big crowd in front of the St. Cloud Hotel, where the C. C. Cole Building now stands, was looking up towards the "Front Balcony" on the second story of the hotel. The Carlisle Band members can be seen dotted around in the picture, which is old but very plain. The old "Plug" hats are in evidence in the picture also. Old pictures like this one bring back many pleasant remembrances. Thanks to Judge Ross for the privilege of looking at this particular picture once again.

A new soft white fluorescent lamp has been developed for lighting restaurants where standard white fluorescent lamps distort some food colors strangely.

Cans! Cans! Cans! Who Will Give Cans?

Cans, cans, cans. Who will give cans? Your Government, of which you are a part, needs cans and all you have to give.

Don't say: "Oh well, what little I have won't do much good." No, it won't do much good, but if one million others who have as much as you have; and, all of them give what they do have, your little will do a "Mountain of Good."

Have your cans in front of your house Thursday morning, February 25th, when trucks will pick them up.

Agriculturalist Editor Is Coming To Kentucky

As Executive Secretary Of The State Farm Bureau Federation

J. E. Stanford, editor of the Southern Agriculturist, Nashville, Tennessee, is to succeed Ben Kilgore, Louisville, as executive secretary of the Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation. He will assume his new duties about March 15th.

Born and reared on a farm in Rusk county in east Texas, Stanford, operated a farm while teaching a rural school and doing service as a county agent. He served as county agent for eight years and was district agent for the Texas Extension Service for seven years.

When he began as district agent only eight of the 28 countries in his territory had county agents, but when he left eight years later they all had county agents and were contributing financially to the service. During this time he held many short courses and field meetings in counties least favorable to the extension service.

Mr. Stanford resigned from extension to become assistant manager and agricultural director of the east Texas Chamber of Commerce, which position he held for three years. During this time he was instrumental in establishing milk and cheese plants in five east Texas towns, all are still operating successfully.

For the past ten years he has been editor of the Southern Agriculturist, a widely known farm paper established more than 70 years ago, and which has nearly a million subscribers.

Well known to Kentucky farmers by virtue of the fact that he has traveled extensively over the state, and has spoken at many Farm Bureau and other farm meetings, Stanford does not come to Kentucky as a stranger.

Kilgore May Decide To Be Candidate

In a statement coming from Louisville Ben Kilgore, retiring executive secretary of the Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation, said today that he would make a statement on or about March 1 as to whether he would "go to work at another job" or "become a candidate for governor of Kentucky."

Celebrated Golden Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kennedy, worthy and highly respected citizens of Aurora, Indiana, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, February 14, at their home at 150 Conwell Street. A family dinner was enjoyed at noon and in the afternoon open house for their relatives and friends was featured.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy have been residents of Aurora for more than forty years. They were married February 15, 1893 in Carrlisle, Nicholas County, Kentucky. Sharing in the celebration of this happy event was their daughter, Mrs. Ralph Rand and family of Indianapolis and their three sons, Ervin Kennedy and family, Clarence Kennedy and family of Aurora, and Freeman Kennedy of Detroit, Mich. They have seven grandchildren.

Mr. Kennedy has been employed for more than twenty-five years with the Indianapolis Chair Company of Aurora.

Christian Church Pastor and Wife Extended Welcome

Other Ministers And Congregations Join In Sunday Night Service

Rev. and Mrs. LaVerne Taylor of the Carlisle Christian Church, who have just recently moved to Carlisle, were given a splendid reception last Sunday night at the Christian Church here.

Pastors and members of the other churches joined in extending the welcome. Rev. Crabb of the Carlisle Presbyterian Church; Rev. Seevers, of the Methodist Church, and Rev. Thompson, of the Baptist Church, taking part in the servies.

Mrs. J. M. Pitman, at the proper time, rendered a beautiful vocal solo.

Rev. Crabb extended a hearty welcome to the new pastor and to Mrs. Taylor.

The sermon was delivered by Rev. Taylor, his text being: John 3:16.

Among other things Rev. Taylor said:

"Jesus was born in another man's stable and died on the Cross between two thieves." He also said: "What we could not pay, Jesus Christ paid on the Cross."

Rev. Taylor is an exceptional minister and handled his subject in a masterful manner.

The main auditorium was filled to overflowing.

Nicholas County Farm Bureau In Annual Banquet

New Officers Elected Extra Attendance At Baptist Church

Nicholas County's Farm Bureau held its annual meeting in the basement of the Baptist Church here Tuesday evening, with the largest number ever present in attendance.

The dinner was served by the W. M. S. of the Baptist church, and was put on in a very splendid manner.

Before the meeting met in session, Miss Anne Galbraith sang: "You're An American."

Pres. W. G. Irvin assisted by Supt. Pfanstiel, acted as master of ceremonies.

The invocation was given by Rev. J. R. Thompson.

"Farm progress in Nicholas County" was discussed by County Agent, Mr. M. P. Nichols, who did a good job.

The next speaker was Mr. A. H. Calvert, President State Farm Federation, who talked on: "Farm Bureau Goals for 1943."

The next and last speaker was Mr. Ben Kilgore, Executive Secretary State Farm Bureau Federation, who handled the subject in a very creditable manner.

GOOD COFFEE SECRET

Keep your electric coffee-maker clean. Oils that remain after the coffee is brewed grow rancid and give you that well-known bitter taste. If you use a cloth filter, be sure to rinse out the filter cloth thoroughly with cold water after each using. Between usings keep the cloth in a glass of cold water. If you use a metal coffee-maker, substitute a tablespoon of baking soda for the coffee every once in a while, add water, and proceed just as if you were making the morning coffee. This will remove any trace of oil absorbed by the metal, and your coffee maker will remain sweet and clean.

HOUSE IS SOLD

At a public auction sale Saturday, T. W. Case was the purchaser of the Palmer home in the west end of Carlisle, for $2,700. Possession will be given March 1.

Mr. Case sold the home, with five acres of land to Everett M. Smith, after the sale.

Sale was made by the Scott-Kendall Sales Company.

Pvt. Otha B. Crawford

Pvt. Otha B. Crawford of Myers, now in Co. C. 66th Bn., 14th Inf. Reg., Camp Robinson, Arkansas.

He is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Crawford. He entered the service from Nicholas county, volunteering on December 23rd last. He is 18 years old.

Carlisle Business Directory In This Issue--Free Tickets

Each Week To The Lyric For Those Whose Names Appear In Ads

Carlisle's Business Directory appears in this issue of The Mercury with free tickets to the Lyric Theatre for those whose names appear in the ads in the directory.

Each week until further notice there will be four (4) names in four of the ads in the Carlisle Business Directory which appears on the editorial page of The Mercury. Each ad appearing in the directory will, at some time, have a name of one of The Mercury Subscribers in it which will entitle the person of that name to a free ticket which is given by the Lyric Theatre in Carlisle.

Read the ads in the directory, read all of them, and when your name appears take the ad to the merchant whose ad your name appears in and he will tell you how to get the free ticket.

If you will read the ads and instructions in the directory you will learn how and what to do. There is no cost to you for the ticket whatever and you do not have to buy anything to get the ticket. The Lyric Theatre gives these tickets absolutely free. Read The Mercury each week and see if your name is in one of the ads in the directory.

Mrs. Philip Sugg of Carlisle, Route 3, has received the following telegram from the War Department concerning her son, Sergeant George T. Smart:

"The Secretary of War desires me to express his deep regret that your son Sergeant George T. Smart Armored Regiment has been reported missing in action in the Norrthwest African Area since December 10th. Additional information will be sent you when received.

The Adjutant General

ELECTRIC TOASTER CARE

Never put your electric toaster in water. Use a damp (not wet) cloth to wipe it off. Use a mild abrasive, if necessary, to take off stains or butter. The heating element cleans itself when you turn on the electricity. Never, under any circumstances, try to wash or clean it. The base of many automatic electric toasters is removable for easy cleaning. A small paint brush, kept exclusively for your toaster, is effective for removing stubborn crumbs if the toaster has no removable crumb tray. **However, don't use the brush until the toaster is cool. And be sure to disconnect the cord.**

MYSTERY IN HEAVENS

A brilliant eruption of hydrogen gas from a group of spots near the center of the sun's disk was recorded recently at the Mount Wilson Observatory in California. Within five minutes a definite fadeout of radio signals received in Washington from Toronto was recorded at the National Bureau of Standards.

Was One Of America's Most Prominent Morticians---Was Leading Business Man In Carlisle And Active Mason

Was Deacon Of The Christian Church Here In Carlisle

Taylor Mathers passed away at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington last Tuesday where he had been confined for the past two weeks. He was 67 years old; and, was in business here for nearly fifty years.

He was the head of the Mathers-Potts funeral home here, and a member of the National Selected Morticians. Mr. Mathers served on the Research Committee of the national organization. He was also a member of the Kentucky Funeral Directors Association. Mr. Mathers was a deacon in the Carlisle Christian church and a member of the Carlrisle Masonic lodge, and Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Deposit Bank.

He was a son of the late S. W. and Mrs. Boone Rice Mathers and had spent his entire life in Carlisle. Mr. Mathers attended Kentucky State College at Lexington.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Bertie Dallas Mathers; one son, Marion Taylor Mathers; one grandson, Taylor Talbert Mathers; two sisters, Mrs. T. P. Scott, Carlisle; and Mrs. Charles H. North, Cincinnati; and one niece, Miss Virginia North, Cincinnati.

Funeral services for Mr. Mathers were held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the grave in the Carlisle cemetery, with Rev. LaVerne Taylor, minister of the Christian church, officiating.

The following acted as pallbearers: A. R. Fisher, John P. Ross, W. R. Buntin, Berry Burnaw, George Gaffin and James T. Clay.

Honorary pallbearers were members of the official board of the Christian church, Directors and officesr of the Deposit Bank, visiting morticians over the state, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilkerson, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Milward, Mr. Clay Henry, Lexington; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Breed, Cincinnati; Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Moss, Mr. Joe Miller Clark, Mt. Sterlinb; Mrs. A. J. Willey, Maysville; Mr. Will Price, Ewing; Mr. and Mrs. Finley Burris, Reynolds Letton, Bourbon county; Mrs. Ellen Barr, Paris; Mrs. Clay Borders, Flemingsburg; Mrs. T. H. Brown, Millersburg.

Among those who attended the funeral of Mr. Taylor B. Mathers, Wednesday, were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. North, Miss Virginia North, Cincinnati; Miss Frances Thomason, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Thomason, Bourbon county; Miss Susie Burroughs, Mrs. Tipton Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Duke Young and Mrs. Minnie R. Berry, Mt. Sterling; Dr. and Mrs. Harry Mathers, Mrs. Edsal Clark, Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Tinder, Paris; Mr. and Mrs. William Crump, Bourbon County; Mrs. Charles F. Norton, Lexington.

Red Cross To Start War Fund Drive

Chairman Roger Womack urges that all citizens give enthusiastic support to the workers who have pledged their efforts to see that Nicholas County does not fail in this great war time effort.

It is hoped that those who gave $1.00 in previous years will give $5.00 when approached by the workers when the campaign begins March 1st.

Nicholas County has proudly given her sons, and in like manner will she give her dollars in order that the great work of the Red Cross may follow them to the far flung battlefields of the world. The list of workers will be published in the next issue of this paper.

Carlisle Business Man Lends Helping Hand

Eight residents of Kentucky have contributed toward the support of children of the United Nations in Great Britain through the Foster Parents' Plan for War Childhen, for the month of January. American headquarters of the Plan are at 55 West 42nd Street, New York City.

At the present time the plan is operating 41 children's projects in England and is caring for Polish, French, British, Spanish, Dutch, Czech, Belgian, Austrian, Norwegian, Hungarian and German children.

Among the contributors is Mr. R. T. Kirkland one of Carlisle's leading business men.

Auto Licenses Are Due March First

Next Monday, March 1st, auto licenses are due and must be paid.

Persons applying for a new license sticker must have last years certificate to obtain the new licenses on pay 50c for a duplicate.

This is given for the benefit of our readehs and to save those who will buy auto licenses the 50c for a new sertificate.

Fails To Report For Induction

Gratton Varner, of route 4, Cynthiana, who was called to report for induction on February 18th failed to appear. Varner had already appealed his case two times and had been turned down.

The United States District Attorney Metcalfe was notified of his failure to report and it was stated Wednesday by the draft board that his case had been turned over to the FBI.

Varner gave no reason for his failure to report on the 18th.

The next call will be March 18 for fifteen men. There are sixteen volunteers now on record.

TAKE CARE OF CORDS

Cords for lamps, irons and other electric appliances are becoming more difficult to obtain. So, if fou want to keep your appliances operating, keep your cords in good condition. Disconnect appliances by grasping the plug and removing with a firm, quick motion. Don't pull on the cord. Keep cords free of kinks and knots. Don't place cords where furniture will be moved over them, people will walk on them, etc. Keep cords dry. Don't place cords in such a way that they will rub against projections, corners, etc. If a plug is broken or a cord frayed, take it to an electrician; don't try to fix it yourself.

RADIO POWER INCREASED

With "steerable" radio antennae that send out radio transmission in a searchlight-like beam instead of broadcasting it, modern radio transmitters of 50,000 watts are able to make themselves heard in distant countries at the same intensity as a 1,200,000-watt transmitter using the older-type aerials.

NEW "ELECTRIC EYE"

Another all-seeing "electric eye" is helping to make aircraft production in the United States the most efficient in the world. Oil lines, drilled deep into air-draft engine castings, are being examined for flaws and the presence of foreign matter with the broncho-scope, which also is used to remove pins and other foreign objects from babies' lungs. A miniature light bulb at the end of the instrument, inserted deep in the rifle-drilled oil line, and a high-power magnifying glass at the other end make detection of flaws, cracks and loose metal particles easy. Foreign bodies can be removed by grips at the end of the same instrument.

BOOTH FARM SOLD

The Westfall Realty Company sold for Earnest Booth, his farm of 42 1-2 acres located on the Maysville road to Lora Gaunce of Bourbon county.

The old stork continues to work on a full time basis.