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FOR SALE—Jersey cows and heifers. Ted Layson. Phone 2963 Millersburg, Ky. 8-4t

FOR SALE—No. 1 Alfalfa Hay. See J. R. Campbell, Whetstone Pk. 10-1t

FOR SALE—Alfalfa hay. 300 bales of first and second cutting. B. H. Pumphrey and Roy Anderson. 10-2t

FOR SALE—Baled Oats. Will trade Speed Queen motor washing machine in good condition for electric washer. Earl Hardwick, R. No. 1, Carlisle, Ky. p-1t

FOR SALE—Jersey cows and heifers, heavy milkers. Also one good farm wagon. Joe Sexton, R. 1, Carlisle, Ky., on Taylor's creek. 8-2t

FOR SALE—Warner's Golden Burley Improved White Burley Tobacco Seed at Hopkins Drug Store and Carlisle Drug Co. $1.50 per oz.; 75c ½ oz. 4-ow to 3-1-44

FOR RENT—Five-room apartment with water in house. Small family preferred. Lacy Barnett. 11*

WANT TO BUY a small size pair of Platform Scales for use in seed room. S. T. & H. T. BARLOW. 10-2t.

SPRING HATS

Will open my shop Saturday, March 11. Only the newest. You are invited. Mrs. Zenia South. 10-1t*

COMING SOON

COMMUNITY SALE—Any article you want to sell, call Mrs. Clyde Stewart, Mrs. Everett Smith or Mrs. Emory Clark.

FREE, FREE—A good supply of Almanacs; also Victory Garden Information. Grow your needed vegetables. Buy War Saving Stamps and Bonds. S. T. & H. T. BARLOW. 10-2t.

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NOTICE

All persons having claims against the estate of Mrs. C. F. Letcher will present the same properly proven to the undersigned administrator and those indebted to the estate will please settle without delay with the undersigned or my attorney, William Conley.

Henry Lytcher,
Administrator of Mrs. C. F. Letcher
8-2t*

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Guaranteed to Live and Grow
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White Rocks, Barred Rocks, Buff Rocks, White Wyandottes, Rhode Island Reds and White Leghorns.
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Four Hatches Weekly
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—BUY THEM NOW—

We would have been out of luck had we not bought our Field Seeds early.

The fall drouth is responsible for a great shortage and today the market is practically bare of some seeds, especially those of high quality.

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Carlisle Mill & Supply Co.

LOST OR STRAYED AWAY—Coming 2-year-old mare mule, black with grey points, slightly calf legged. Finder notify Walter Sharp Sr., Sharpsburg, Ky. 8-2t*

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The Federal Land Bank makes long-term loans to Farmers—Low interest, pre-payment privileges.
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I sell and recommend only this one type of Tobacco Seed. Excells in color and weight on all types of soil. Arthur Mullikin, Carlisle, Ky. Phone 192. P. O. Box 266. 2-10t*

PERMANENT WAVE, 50c! 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. 8-10t*

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

All persons owing or having claims against the estate of J. H. George, deceased, are hereby notified to file same properly proven according to law with the undersigned.

A. B. Crouch,
9-2t Administrator

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

All persons owing or having claims against the estate of Charles Cole, deceased, are hereby notified to file same properly proven according to law with the undersigned.

Russell O. Shrout,
R. T. Fisher,
8-3t Administrators

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all who were so kind and sympathetic during the illness and death of wife and mother, Mrs. Ottie Hamilton. Especially do we wish to thank those who sent flowers, the funeral directors, the minister, pallbearers and undertaker.

Herbert Hamilton and children.
10-1t

Baby Chicks—leave order today. Don't wait. Square Deal Grocery.

LOST 1 "T" Stamp Book, Nos. 7043954 to 7044123, Earl Hamm, Carlisle, R 3

WANTED—Good man to tend 3 1-2 acres tobacco. Will have to furnish own team. A. L. Vinson, Myers Road

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ANESTHETIC

The governor of Pennsylvania was presiding at a public dinner. At the conclusion of the repast came the inevitable speechmaking. A dignified and impressive gentleman, but without a terrible bore, arose at the invitation of the chairman and proceeded to deliver an exceedingly dull and interminably long dissertation on everything in general and nothing in particular.

The audience became impatient and inattentive. A hum of conversation began, which grew louder and louder. The governor felt his duty to rap for order. As he hit the table with his gavel, the handle snapped and the heavy hardwood head flew through the air and landed with a resounding whack squarely on the high, bald forehead of a gentleman seated a few feet away. The guest, already slightly groggy, slumped in his chair.

A horrified silence followed, but the speaker, blissfully unaware of the mishap, droned on.

The injured gentleman revived slightly, lifted his eyes wearily, and murmured: "Hit me again; I can still hear him."

DISMAL FUTURE

Johnny—Dad, will I look like you when I grow up?
Dad—Probably.
Johnny—Well, I won't grow up for quite a while, will I?

Me Too!

Cop—Do both of your dogs have licenses?
Fireman—Yassuh! Yassuh! Dey's jus' covered wid 'em!

Helpful Hint

Jones—I wish I had four hands so I could do all my work.
Smith—Try doubling your fists and see if it helps.

Too Rad!

Plumber—I'm sorry but I've forgotten my tools.
Professor—That's all right. I've forgotten what I called you for!

Shoot Straight!

Nit—Lots of people have a good aim in life.
Wit—Yeah, but most of them forget to pull the trigger!

He Knows!

Harry—How come your brother isn't taking part in the school play?
Jerry—He figured there was more money in raising a beard!

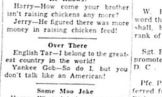
Over There

English Tar—I belong to the greatest country in the world!
Yankee Tar—Yeah? I'll bet you don't talk like an American!

Some Moo Joke

Harry—What did the cow say to the farmer when he asked her how she felt?
Jerry—What did she say?
Harry—Just bully, thank you!

IT WON'T SHOW!



Mother — Why didn't you wash your hands before coming to the table?
Son—I didn't think I needed to since we're having brown bread.

Army Training

Pop—Did you learn to count in the army?
Lem—Sure, Pappy.
Pop—How high can you count?
Lem—One, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, jack, queen, king.

Expert

Jones—That new man of yours seems a good worker.
Smith—Yes, that's his specialty.
Jones—Working hard?
Smith—No, seeming to!

Now You're Talking!

Jones—Telephones are great time-savers.
Smith—That all depends on who you're talking to!

Saving Time

Hubby—I can't find my clothes!
Wifey—I'll look for your clothes. You hurry and get dressed.

Small Type

Harry—Do you like book ends?
Jerry—Oh, yes, that's all I ever read!

Required Subject

Betty—Mother, all the girls are being taught domestic science at school.
Mother—You mean "domestic science."
Father—I only wish she meant what she was saying.

In the Army

Private One—The sarge says he's going to stop all swearing in the barracks.
Private Too—Yes, pretty soon he'll be asking us to stop, too.

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NEWS ABOUT OUR BOYS In the Service

The Right To Vote

The following was written by Burel M. Workman, a Nicholas county boy from the Wilson community. He is somewhere in England.

A-workin' on the farm all day.
My Uncle Sam said, see here Joe
I know youre earnin' lots of dough
To make this harvest every day;
But now I need you for a fight
To fix things up and make 'em right
So men can work an' live an' pray
In what we call the U. S. way.

So I am' millions left for war
To finish off this meanest chore,
Yet while we're gone, it's in the mill.
A few at home are out to kill
Our right to exercise franchise
Through politics and even lies
Designed to keep us from the polls
Though that's done from damp fox holes.

But we have beaten super-Huns
With bayonets and planes and guns
We've beaten, too the tricky Japs
Who thought all Yanks were braggin' saps
These victories none can deny
Though each in turn caused some sigh.

An' G. Is we will never fail
No matter where the troop ships sail
All liberties we will defend
At home abroad until the end.
Then we will be at the polls an say
You cannot vote 'election day.

By Cpl. Burel M. Workman.

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Pvt. George W. Small, of Flat Woods Swift, Texas is spending a 12-day furlough with his father, Sam.

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Pfc. Thomas Hardwick station-ed at Camp San Luis Obispo, Calif. is at home on a 7-day furlough.

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Lt. W. R. Buntin, Jr. of Camp Butner, N. C., is at home on leave until March 21.

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At Floyd Bennett Field, Brooklyn, N. Y., David Bignall has been promoted to Aviation Metalsmith Radioman First Class in the Navy.

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W. H. Marshall has received word that his son, Harold Lee Marshall, has been promoted to the rank of Sergeant in Australia.

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Sgt. Raymond P. Smart has been promoted to Sgt. at Washington, D. C.

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Pfc. Paul Guthrie has been transferred from the Army Air Base at Richmond, Va. to San Francisco Calif.

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T-4 Allen T. Whaley son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Whaley has been transferred from Australia to New Guinea according to word received by his wife Mrs. Mary Jean Whaley, Myers.

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S-Sgt. William H. Frey has arrived safely in England according to a postcard received by his mother, Mrs. William Frey, Friday.

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Having completed their "boot" training the following Navy men are at home on furlough with their mother, Ray McCarty, Clyde W. Snapp, George Harvey and Johnny Jenkins.

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Sgt. John Harvey Fitch is at home on furlough with his father, R. M. Fitch, who has gone to Miami Beach, Florida the 17th.

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Pvt. William Gordley, located in Florida, is at home on furlough with his mother, Mrs. Linnie Gordley.

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Charles W. Tanner, fireman 1-C in the Navy, has spent a 10-day furlough with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. T. Tanner of Route 3, after having been hospitalized for ten weeks in Boston, Mass.

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Pvt. "Dick" Long is spending a furlough with his parents en route from Greensboro, N. C., to camp in Washington, D. C.

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Pvt. Edwin M. Bealert has arrived safely in North Africa, according to word received by his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bealert, of Ellisville. Pvt. Bealert entered the Army about one year ago.

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According to word received by his wife, Pvt. John T. Bow has been assigned to the Quartermaster Corps at Camp Lee, Va. He will take the basic training and eight weeks schooling on how to operate laundering machines. Before entering the Army Pvt. Bow worked for the International Revenue Tax unit in Lebanon, Ky.

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Pfc. Earl Thomas Hardwick, located at San Louis Obispo, Calif., is spending a week with his parents, Mr and Mrs. Harve Hardwick, near Carlisle.

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Pvt. Van Crabb, who has been in ASTP at Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute is at home on a short furlough with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. V. Crabb, at the Presbyterian manse.

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Robert Pumphrey, serving in the Navy in the South Pacific theater of war, has been promoted to Seaman First Class, according to word received by his mother, Mrs. Clarence Pumphrey. Another son, C. B. Pumphrey, in the Army has arrived in England.

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Capt. Allen V. Hopkins and Mrs. Hopkins are now at Galveston, Texas, where Captain Hopkins was transferred to the Galveston Army Air Base from El Paso, Texas.

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John James Hopkins, son of Mrs. Edna Hopkins of Carlisle, Kentucky, has recently been initiated by Phalanx fraternity at the University of Kentucky. Hopkins is a graduate of Carlisle High School and a freshman at the University.

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Pfc. James Patrick Conley, ASTP-ROTC, has left the University of Kentucky to report to the Officer Candidate School at Fort Benning, Georgia. Pfc. Conley is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Conley of Carlisle, Kentucky.

MOOREFIELD

The laides of the Moorefield Christian Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Hanson Judge on March 1 at 2:30 p. m. with Mrs. Judge as leader.

The Parent-Teacher Association will meet at the school house Friday afternoon. Everyone is invited to attend.

Quite a lot of moving has been going on these days. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blount have moved to the Edna Irvin place which they recently purchased. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blount to the place vacated by Roy Blount, which they purchased from Elton Irvin; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gaunce to the place vacated by Mr. Homer Blount; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moore to the Homer Plount place vacated by Raymond Lawrence; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Vance to the Jim Gregory place.

Rev. and Mrs. Paul Richardson and family of Lexington were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Denton and family Sunday and fulfilled his appointment at the Christian church.

Mr. Charlie Irvin is on the sick list. Mrs. Ed Moore and Mrs. John Tapp visited Mr. and Mrs. Steward Moore Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. Roy Blount has succeeded Mr. Luther Vice as manager of the Mercantile Store. Mr. Vance resigned on account of ill health. Mr. H. S. Blount and Miss Ora Lee Hamm are clerks.

SPROUT

Gobel Clark, Lima, Ohio, spent the week-end recently with his mother, Mrs. Mamie Clark.

Mrs. Mary Burke and Mrs. Paster McClain spent one day last week with Charles Burke and family.

Mrs. Mamie Clark and son, Goebel, and other relatives attended a birthday dinner Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Loggs in honor of Mrs. Loggs's mother, Mrs. Mamie Clark.

Mrs. Laura Shrout has moved to her new home near Moorefield.

PUBLIC AUCTION
— On —
FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1944
At 10 O'Clock A. M.

We will sell on the premises, Located
One Mile South of Millersburg and Six Miles North of Paris, on the Maysville and Lexington Pike,
On the MAPLEFIT FARM
As Follows:
Three mares, ages 3, 6 and 7 years, extra good working horses for each.
One two-horse wagon
One hay baler.
One hammer mill
One bull rake. One sulky rake
One hay tedder
One riding cultivator
Randall harrow
One breaking plow
One five-shovel plow
One 75-foot endless belt
One Mowing machine.
One lot of halved hay and fodder
Many other articles too numerous to mention.
TERMS: Made Known on Day of Sale.
SALE CONDUCTED BY
SCOTT-KENDALL SALES CO.
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Carlisle, Ky.

PUBLIC SALE
— of —
PERSONAL PROPERTY
On
Tuesday, March 14, 1944
At 10 O'Clock A. M.

Having sold my farm on the Shelbyhouse Pike, 3 miles east of Carlisle, I will offer for sale ON THE PREMISES, on the above date, the following:

1 Hereford bull, good one.
1 Hereford heifer, fresh soon.
1 Black Jersey cow, fresh in March.
1 Black Jersey heifer.
3 Yellow Jersey, fresh in March.
2 years old mare.
3 Yellow Guernsey, calf by side.
6 years old extra good Universal horse, will work anywhere.
7 years old black mare, work anywhere.
1 mare colt.
21 shoates, weight around 100 lbs.
2 Hogs, weight around 200 lbs.
Farrow May 1.
1 red sow due to farrow May 12.
34 ewes with 50 extra good lambs.
2 yearlings for stock.
5 ewes yet to lamb.
1 purebred Southdown ram.
1 Tiger Stripe ram.
McCormick-Deering mowing machine, 2 years old.
One Hay Rake, one Wagon.
One Shed Planter.
One 60-tooth harrow.
One land plow.
One 2-shovel plow.
One 5-shovel plow.
Many other items.
One pick-up truck 1933 model with good tires.
Other small farming tools.
Household furniture.
TERMS—Made Known Day of Sale.
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COMMUNITY AUCTION
OF
REAL ESTATE AND PERSONALTY
ON
SATURDAY, MARCH 11
AT
12 O'clock P. M.

We will sell on the premesis, known as the Baker Farm, between Main and Trigg Street, Millersburg, Ky. Should weather be inclement, sale will be held in Wadell Building (on Main Street) the following: Real Estate consisting of the desirable building lots, fronting on Trigg Street, Personalty; Antiques.

Walnut Cupboard
Chest of Drawers
Gate Leg Table
Corner Cupboard, Maple
Cherry Hatch
Walnut dresser
Tables
Many antique articles of glass and chinaware.
Modern:
2 Bed room suites
1 Dining room suite
Table
Chairs
Beds and bedding
Incubator
Brooder house stove
Many odd pieces of furniture
Dishes
Numerous other articles.
For further information see Mrs. J. M. Hutsell, Millersburg, Ky. or selling agents.

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$1.50 PER ONE OZ.—75c Per ONE-HALF OZ.

A crop of 10,000 lbs. grown by Mrs. Marshall Bell and Felix King, Harrison, sold on Cynthiana market this season for an average of $60.0°. This crop was grown from McClintock's Improved Warner Seed and yielded 1,500 pounds per acre.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

I am happy to announce to the people of this community the installation of the most modern and complete X-Ray and Fluoroscope obtainable. I have secured the services of an expert X-Ray and Fluoroscope technician to conduct a free Fluoroscopic clinic on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, March 8th, 9th and 10th.

Due to the limited time that I am able to secure the services of this expert X-Ray technician and to many who will take advantage of this free Fluoroscopic examination, would appreciate you call Phone 384 for your appointment.

DR. R. P. MYERS, Chiropractor
712 Main St. Paris, Ky.

Elmer Thornburg has moved to Sharpsburg. Other moving in progress. Mrs. Leona Kinns and Mrs. John Bennigen spent one day recently in Maysville.

Mrs. C. H. Purvis is on the sick list, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Curry, Fleming county, visited her parents M. rand Mrs. Willie Bussell, Sunday.

HOG JAW

Mr and Mrs. Raymond Coye and Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Wagner were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Ritchie, Sunday.

Mrs. Hargus Earlywine was guest of her mother, Mrs. S. J. Ritchie Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Pauline Ritchie returned home Sunday after a visit with relatives at Ewing.

Mr and Mrs. Russell Mattox and Mr. and Mrs. Chapel Ritchie were guest sof Mr. and Mrs. Hargus Earlywine Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Argo were guests of Mr. and Mrs Nathan Ritchie Sunday.

The people of this community wish to extend our sympathy to Mr. Will Jenkins and family in the loss of their son, Leonard, who was killed in Italy.

A Liberty Ship to be launched at Brunswick, Ga. about March 18 will be named after Isaac Shelby, first governor of Kentucky. The Isaac Shelby Chapter D. A. R. chapter of Lexington will furnish a library for the ship.

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NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS
By PAUL MALLON

Released by Western Newspaper Union.

12 TRILLION DOLLARS 'IS A LOT OF MONEY'

WASHINGTON—Harold Ickes, the multi-job administration handyman, has sought to soothe all financial doubts about the war cost by declaring there we are coming into by writing a piece for a magazine saying this country is worth 12 trillions of dollars.

"We are every one a Croesus!" he says (your share would be $88,888). The prospective federal debt of 300 to 350 billions of dollars now $145,000,000,000 is considered to be offset already by this great wealth.

Ickes' article demonstrates that he got his fabulous figure of 12 trillion dollars mainly by having his experts in the various mining branches of his interior department compute the amount of coal, iron and oil they think is still in the ground. All we have to do to realize it, he suggests, is to liquidate "the freedom Americans have enjoyed."

Ickes has clearly miscalculated what is wealth. Even his 12 trillion dollar figure is not so fabulous as his story, his woeful false pretenses, that resources are riches.

WHAT IS WEALTH?

What then is wealth? The only worth of ore is the ground is what profit someone can make out of it by digging it up. Unless it is profitable to dig it, and use it, no one will do so. So also with General Motors, and all other factory resources. Their only worth is what profit someone can make out of them by using them.

It taxes are too high for profitable operation, if government regulations are too confusing, if no labor is available, if wage costs are too high, if, for any reason at all, it becomes unprofitable to dig Mr. Ickes' 12 trillion dollars out of the ground, his ores have no value.

Good jobs, good pay for workers, security of livelihood for themselves and their families, all depend upon maintaining the profit incentive. Profits do not alone go to the boss or the owner. They determine the wage rate. They furnish money for expansion and reserves. They are distributed to stockholders who buy the products and thereby create a larger market.

But most important, they furnish the taxes through which the war debt must be paid and financed. Taxes are levied on net earnings, not gross. Without profits, the treasury would collect a small sum in taxes. But from general widespread profits, the treasury can collect great sums from a lower rate.

The debt must be paid from the sweat of our brows. The dollars that can only be paid by profits, profits for all, for the working man, for the manager, for the stockholder. Only when all are making money does money pour into the treasury of the United States.

You cannot pay the debt with ore in the ground, or with idle factories, or even with unprofitable employment of both work and capital.

Mr. Ickes does not know what wealth is. If he had wanted to hand out good propaganda to give the country some assurances for the future he would have said his oil, Elk Hills and Teapot Dome, is worth billions. Or he could have said his coal is worth billions. Or he could have said his gold is worth billions. But he didn't say that. He said the ground is worth billions.

Mr. Ickes' mistake is the mistake of the administration in the country by maintaining profits for all. As it stands, his statement is really disheartening propaganda.

CHILD DELINQUENCY AND THE SALOON

Evidence is mounting in the daily news columns that parental and child delinquency is traceable to the saloon.

To me, this liquor phase is no different than any of the others, and is only an effect, not a cause of the trouble. The drinking of alcohol is a custom to which man has subscribed since long before Christianity. The handling of the drunkenness problem through all the ages has been founded on self-restraint, popular scorn, popular disgrace and such regulatory influences—not prohibition.

Obviously, for the average healthy person, a moderate consumption of alcoholic beverages never has been considered harmful by a majority of the people in this world—or I believe by all medical men. Overdoses not only are harmful but poisonous, as harmful as an operation for a deadly case which kills.

Primarily, what we need is leadership—and discipline—along similar lines.

When prohibition was repealed, most of our political leaders promised they had learned a lesson in the saloon. We not only returned it, but we invited females into it. The facilities provided for man's failing has clearly been extended to women.

The institution of separate saloons might be corrective, if any saloons are necessary at all. Hours of operation could be adjusted to discourage drinking, as in England and Canada. Cheap dives along the road, known as roadhouses, easily could be regulated out of existence, without prohibition.

Record Air Assault Cripples Nazi Production

After a week of the most terrible air blows ever hurled from the skies, the Nazi war machine was badly crippled. Map shows enemy targets hit and directions from which the giant bombers came.

REPUBLICANS MEET SAT.

An announcement appeals elsewhere today in The Mercury of a meeting of the Nicholas County Republican Executive Committee at the court house Saturday at 1 p. m. The meeting is for the purpose of setting up a county organization.

TO ADDRESS TEACHERS

Hon. Ed Prichard, Representative of Bourbon and Nicholas counties ,will speak to the teachers of Bourbon and Nicholas on Saturday afternoon, March 18, at 2:30 o'clock, in the Court room at Paris.

Seriously Wounded In Kawajalein

Ernest H. Miller, age 21, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennie Miller, of Carlisle, was seriously wounded in action in Kawajalein Atoll Marshall group and has received the Purple Heart for Merit in Action. He has been in the service since June 15, 1941, and overseas for ten months. He also participated in the battle of Attu. In a letter received by his parents he said he was getting along very well but expected to remain in the hospital for a few weeks.

MOVED LAST WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Kerns moved last Monday from their home on the Upper Jackstown Pike to the house property on West Main street, which they recently purchased from Mrs. B. D. Knox. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kerns, Main Street, Kerns of Flemingsburg were here to assist them. Their daughter Diana Kerns, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lee.

CAPT. WOMACK IN LEXINGTON

Capt. Roger Womack, who has been on Active Militia, and prominent attorney, of Carlisle is in Lexington this week attending the basketball tournament, a meeting of the directors of the Kentucky State Foxhunters Association and the Governor's Kentucky Fox-hunting Association Directors meeting.

COLORED WOMAN ILL

Mrs. Susie Sharp, colored, mailed at the Gatewood conferesnoers submitted to an operation Tuesday in the Lexington hospital for appendicitis.

Preparing to Give Adolf Knockout Punch

While round-the-clock bombing of Germany and the French "rocket coast" proceeds relentlessly, preparations for invasion keep pace. Here Air Marshal Sir Arthur Tedder (left), Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower and General Montgomery (far right) watch maneuvers on English coast.

Latest War Bulletins

Another Trap—Russian troops smashing toward Nikolev have sprung a trap aroun dseveral German divisions and have killed more than 10,000 Nazis trying to escape.

Silent Mouthpiece—Rome radio says Virginio Gayda, chief editorial spokesman for Mussolini before the fall of Italy, was killed in yesterday's air raids on Rome. U. S. planes hammer Rome's rail yards.

Isolated Eire—Churchill tells Commons the restrictions on travel to and from Eire only the first step in protecting allied troops in the coming "vertical" days.

To Vote or Not to Vote—Senate approves compromise soldier-vote bill, which heavily accents States' rights.

Battle in Burma—British troops cross Chindwin River and threaten to outflank Japs retreating from Stilwell's offensive. Japs lose 37 planes and three-ship convoy in Southwest Pacific.

London Fire—Nazis lose heavily incendiary bomb attack on London; Thunderbolts strafe France after R. A. F. blow on Le Mans.

HEADQUARTERS WINS SPORTSMANSHIP TROPHY

The 10th Regional Basketball Tournament was held in the Paris gymnasium March 8th, 9th and 10th. Representing the 70th district the Headquarters High School team was engaged in their first contest with Morgan High School of the 73rd district at 8:30 p. m. Wednesday night. Leading all the way with the score at quarters reading 9-2; 19-9; and 28-16 the victorious Headquarters five led 41-22 at the final count.

Advancing to the semi-finals, Headquarters met Paris High School of the 80th district Thursday evening at 8:30. Though the score at the end of the first quarter was tied 9|9 Paris forged ahead for the remainder of the game to win 46-28.

At the conclusion of the championship game Friday evening in which Brooksville defeated Paris 43-14 three trophies were awarded. Besides the championship trophy runner-up trophies which were presented to Brooksville and Paris respectively. Headquarters High School was presented with the Sportsmanship trophy. In addition to this Jimmy Bill Phillips, captain of the Headquarters team was chosen for the all-tournament team.

MYERS 4-H NEWS

The Myers 4-H Club held its monthly meeting Wednesday afternoon, March 8. The subject for this meeting was Seabees of Farm and Home.

The following program was given: Song, My Old Kentucky Home First to Face the Enemy, Sam Vankenbrand; Poem, Tom-mie Vanlandingham, Fixing Up a Home Ground, Bonnie Lynn Jones. Is the Gear in Shape?, Earl Finch. The Communary Department, Jane Alexander; Policing up the Ground, Bill; Howard, Song, America the Beautiful.

Mr. Straw was present and discussed plans for demonstrations to be given later.

Our next meeting will be held Wednesday, April 12, in the school auditorium. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

GERALDINE DOTSON, Reporter.

Brace of Has-Beens

Max Schmeling (left), former heavyweight champ, embraces Georges Carpentier, Nazi collaborationist, as latter celebrates his fifty-eighth birthday in Paris. Schmeling fought with the Nazis in Crete.

REVIVAL PRAYER SERVICE

Rev. Albert Mattox, of Cynthiana, is holding religious services at the Missionary Baptist Church Building, Carlisle every Saturday and Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A prayer service is held at the same place every Thursday evening at 7:30. The public is cordially invited.

134 NICHOLAS COUNTY CITIZENS DONATE BLOOD

A report from Mrs. John Lee, who had charge of those registering to go to Lexington Wednesday, March 8 from Carlisle to contribute their part to the Red Cross mobile blood-donor unit stationed at the First Presbyterian church, in Lexington, states 134 constituted the group from Carlisle and Nicholas county who participated. Only 30 of the 164 registered failed to check in to go. This was a splendid showing from this county when it is taken into consideration that the weather at the time was extremely unfavorable.

40 NICHOLAS MEN GET SERVICE CALL

To Report March 22 At Cincinnati For Pre-Induction Examinations, Others Go March 24.

Forty more Nicholas county men are to go to Cincinnati March 22 for pre-induction examinations, according to a report from Local Draft Board No. 129 to-day. Registrants to whom notices have been mailed to report March 22 are:

Roy William Eller, Will Frazer, Leonard Fite, Robert Given Harper, John William Hunt, John Wilson Clark, Clinton Lee, Jr., Otis Ritchie, Roger Harold Banta, Homer Lee Adams, William Clay, Cecil J. Robinson, Chester Lee Mattox, Amos Jackson Everett C. Dale, Adrian Anderson, Jesse Nathaniel Wiggins, H. Myron Berry, Jr., Lee Roy Herman McGinley, James Berry Burnett, Fred Reinhardt, Russell Lawrence Feeback, Stanley Feeback, Edward Gaffin, Maurice Westfall, Rector Smoot, Robert Nelson George, Arthur Craig, Gerald Moore, James Robert Crouch George Lee Bowles, Herbert A. Shrout, William Wilson Power, Curtis Ray Mitchell, Joe Dan Westfall, Taylor Clark Bing, Billy Duncan, Stanley Bellamy, Harold Slater Linville.

Thirteen men for the Navy and 15 for the Army who have already passed the pre-induction examinations are called to report for duty March 24, the local draft board reports. They are:

NAVY—Marion Morgan Anderson, Clifton Charles Fryman, Keller Hughes, Letcher Harris Shelby Gay Roundtree, John Dan-ner Morris, Earl Clay Stanfield, Bennie Mack Dotson, Holten Smith, John Edward McKee, J. W. Crump, Kash Eugene House, Herman Curran, Jr.

ARMY—Cecil Fryman, Spencer Laughlin Robert George, Ernest Linville, Matthew Campbell, Herbert Bruce, James R. Campbell, George M. Crawford, Clifton C. Conley, Walter Conley, Archie Mitchell, Wm. Gregory, James Kelly, Beverly Johnson, Okie S. Green.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Little Miss Ann Baldwin Asbury celebrated her eleventh birthday anniversary Saturday afternoon by entertaining a dozed little girl friends at her home on the Maysville road. She was assisted in entertaining by her mother, Mrs. Hoel Asbury, and sister, Miss Emily West Asbury.

CITY SCHOOL HONOR ROLL FOR FOURTH SIX WEEKS

First Grade—Bobby Anderson, Billy Buntin ,Martha S. Feeback, Eleanor Smart.

Second Grade—Phyllis McCann, Eugene Kelley.

Third Grade—Roberta Farris, Joann Ingles, Carol Smith, Kenneth Vice, Bob Jeffries.

Fourth Grade—Betty Caywood, Brooks Pitman ,Everett Plassard.

Fifth Grade—Mary Jo Bishop, Minerva Bowen, Frank Cavanaugh, Dorothy Kelley, Virginia McIlvain.

Sixth Grade—Billy Crawford, Katherine Maxey.

Eighth Grade—Nancy Katherine Wade.

Freshmen—Hugh Nichols, Robert Palmer ,Laura J. Reid, Roberta Templeman, Katie Whaley, Helen Darrell.

Sophomores—John Barr Bobbs Doyle, Nanny Ingels.

Juniors—Jeanette Darrell, Betty Jo Scott ,Louise Swinford, Armand Weddle, Merolyn Cameron, Betty Clinkenbeard.

Seniors—Rheba Cannon Isaac Flora, W. B. Wrench.

Honorable Mention

First Grade—Lillien Blake, Ben Henry, Mary P. Smith.

Second Grade—Jewell Farris, Betty Sexton, W. C. Hunt.

Third Grade—Joyce Henson, Adrian Whaley.

Fourth Grade—Jimmy Shepherd.

Fifth Grade—Ann Asbury, Kay Fisher. Wayne Graves, Betty Woodall ,Emily Van Bever ,Betty Selby.

Freshmen—Gayle Bowen Susie Crabb.

Juniors—Virginia Cowan, Jack Bowen, Marie Ballard.

Seniors—Emily Asbury, Anne Buntin ,Alma Doyle ,Martha Judge, Georganna Young.

NATIVE OF NICHOLAS DIES AT INDIANAPOLIS

James S. Judy, 75, brother of David B. Judy, of Lexington, died at his home in Indianapolis, Ind. Thursday, March 9, following a long illness.

A native of Nicholas county he was a son of the late John K. and Georgia Secrest Judy. He had been a resident of Indianapolis for 43 years, where he had served as secretary-treasurer of the Crown Cork Company until eight years ago when he retired because of ill health.

Besides his brother he is survived by his wife, Mrs. Kathryn Lovings Judy of Carlisle, two brothers William S. Judy, Fayette county, and Henry T. Judy, Boone county.

The body was taken to Lexington where funeral services were held and then brought to Carlisle for interment.

"A" RATIONS CUT TO TWO GALLONS

An associated Press dispatch dated March 14 from Washington states that "A" card rations for gasoline to-day was lowered to two gallons a week for the entire country, effective March 22, because of the imminent "critical shortage" and a gigantic black market which is draining 2,500,000 gallons daily from the restricted civilian supply.

The action means a one-third cut in basic family car rations for the first time since the start of the eastern seaboard where the "A" ration already is two gallons weekly.

BASKETBALL TEAM ENTERTAINED WITH DINNER

Mr and Mrs. E. C. Flora entertained the Headquarters basketball team and Coach and Mrs. Thomas Johnson with a steak dinner at Nick's restaurant in Paris Thursday night.

Stays for Finish

Sergt. William Hancock, of Rock Hill, S. C., has turned down a chance to return to America from the jungles