-CLASSIFIED-

FOR RENT—Rooms, garden and outbuildings on concrete road, 1 mile from town to small reliable family. Mrs. Kate Strohmer. 3-2t*

FOR RENT—First floor of brick store room on East Main street; now occupied by Harper's General Store. Possession March 1, 1945. Mrs. Lillie Wood, W. Main street. 2-2t*

FOR SALE—Five Turkey Toms for stock. Mrs. Walter Shepherd 3-1t

FOR SALE—Dodge Truck, 1934 model, 1 1-2 ton. Phone 67-R. B. M. Fitch. 3-1t*

FOR SALE — One South Bend Mallable Range and one Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet. C. M. Stewart. Phone 92-W. 3-1t

MAN OR WOMAN WANTED — For Rawleigh Route of 1500 families in Carlisle and Montgomery county. Write today. Rawleigh's, Dept. KyA-40-SA, Freeport, Ill. 3-1t

TENANTS WANTED — One or two tenants for up to 15 acres tobacco. Require teams, tools references. Two sets improvements. Corn land and extra to right parties. Phone 192. 3-2t*

Have 15 good Jersey cows for sale. Joe Sexton, Carlisle, Route 1, on Taylor's creek. 52-5t*

Curtis Barber Shop has moved to the Greater building and is ready for business. It pays to look "nifty." 3-1t*

NOTICE — I will continue my business in the county. Rawleigh's wants an agent only in Carlisle. The Rawleigh Man. 3-1t*

To Whom It May Concern:
I am a birthright child. I'm not one of adoption. If curious I have my birth certificate. Louis T. Brown. 3-1t*

Wanted

SMALL ACREAGE—8 or more acres in rough country suitable for bees and chickens. Don't care for high priced. Improvements. Want on school route. Apply Silas Ritchie, R1, Paris, Ky. 2-2t*

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
All persons having claims against me owing the estate of Dr. Turner H. Brown, deceased, are hereby notifie to present same properly proven, according to law, to the undersigned administratrix.
I will be in the office at regular office hours until further notice to receive payment of accounts.
Mrs. Leona Brown, Administratrix
Roger Womack, Attorney. 1-3t

PUBLIC SALE
—on—
THURSDAY, JANUARY 25TH
—of—
10:00 A. M.

We will sell on the premises, located 6 miles southeast of Carlisle on Whetstone Pike, on account of the death of my wife and ill health compells me to leave the farm and I will sell the following property to the highest bidder on the above date.

1 Black horse, five years old, 1 good work horse, 1 cow, 3 years old, 1 cow, four years old, 1 Randal harrow, good one, 1 Sled. Two sets of work gears, Land plows, double and single shovels, Cultivators, Corn drill, Diggers, Shovels, Hoes, Forks, Rakes, Single trees, Double trees and stretchers, Corn, Hay and Fodder. Some coal.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—1 Mahogany piano, Library table, Settees, Chairs, Rocker to match all in mahogany, Victrola, Rockers, Dressers, Beds, Springs and mattresses, Sewing machine, Cots, Stand tables, Dining room furniture, 1 large Allen-Polar furnace, Several 9x12 and 12x15 rugs, Throw rugs, Congoleum rugs, 1 Monarch Malletable range stove, almost new, Kitchen cabinet, Drop leaf table, Lots of chairs, Kitchen and dining room chairs, Wash stand, lard kettle, Lawn mower, Curtains, Pictures, Cooking utensils, in fact many articles too numerous to mention.

John E. Jones, Owner
—Sale Conducted By—
SCOTT-KENDALL SALE CO.
"It Makes A Difference"
Carlisle, Kentucky 2-2t

Carl Turner of Hickman county realized a return of $17 for an investment of $3 for 100 pounds of ammonium nitrate used on his seed cotton.

MATHIAS
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HELP WANTED IMMEDIATELY

Men and Women for Factory and Office Work

Anyone working in Essential Industry need not apply.

Applications taken at our Office between the hours of 7:30 A. M. and 5:00 P. M

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PUBLIC SALE
—of—
Thursday, Feb. 1st, 1945
—at—
10 O'clock A. M.

Farm and Home Property on the premises located 4 miles northwest of Carlisle and 4 miles off Maysville road on Bartonville pike.

Having decided to quit farming I will sell at public auction my farm of 84 1-2 acres of good strong limestone land.

Improvements consist of a home of 4 rooms, tobacco barn, one barn, corn crib, meat house, hen house, brooder house, good well with all other out-buildings. Farm well fenced over 200 rods, new fence. 18 acres in meadow. 8 acres sown to wheat, 5 acres sown to vetch, rest in pasture. Farm has 4-1-2 acres. This farm has never failing water. This farm is well located and a money-maker for someone. C l o s e to schools, churches livestock markets, etc. With the price of farm land advancing, this is an ideal farm, to make money.

Terms reasonable and will be made known on day of sale.

At the same time we will sell the following:

One 6-year-old cow, calf by side; 1 six-year-old cow, calf by side; 1 five-year-old red cow, fresh; 1 four-year-old Guernsey cow, calf by side; 1 8-year-old Holstein cow, calf by side; 1 3-year-old Jersey cow, calf by side; 1 four-year-old Hereford cow, fresh in May; 2 Jersey heifers, fresh in May; 1 Hereford bull, 1 team of aged mules, 1 team of horses, 25 head of sheep, extra good; 7 brood sows, farrow March 10th; 1 mower, 1 corn drill, 2 plows, Hill-side plows, cutter plow, double shovels, 1 disk harrow, weight 200 lbs.; 4 shoats, weight 140 lbs; 18 head stock turkeys, 2 dozen Leghorn hens, 50 White Rock hens, 14 stands of bees, 6,000 honey bees, 2 15 gallon iron kettle, 5 brooder houses, 5 self-work gears, 3 bushels alfalfa seed, 2 bushels Blue Grass seed, 1 new cream separator, some corn, hay, oats and alfalfa in bulk, 1 set sheep and horse clippers, 1 corn sheller, stove, some roofing, 2 sheep feeders, 12 feet long; 1 Randall harrow, Single and double trees, forks, chains, lot of farm tools too numerous to mention. Also household and kitchen furniture.

Anyone interested in the farm will be shown by owner or by the selling agent.

A. L. RITCHIE, Owner.
—Sale Conducted By—
SCOTT-KENDALL SALE CO.
"It Makes A Difference"
Carlisle, Kentucky

PUBLIC SALE
—on—
SATURDAY, JANUARY 20, 1945
—at—
10 O'clock A. M.

Located on Sugar pike, 8 miles northeast of Carlisle, just off Maysville and Lexington pike. Or better known as Bill Sugar Farm. I will offer as follows:

2 good work mares, 2 good sets of harness, 2 good milch-cows, fresh, 20 head of feeder cattle, 1 lamb February 1; 36 hens and some pullets 35 lbs. corn in crib, 1 lot of hay, mostly clover and Korean; 1 good mower, 1 hay rake, 1 land plow, disk harrows, single trees, and neck yokes; 1 hillside plow, single and double shovel plows, Randal harrow, two-horse sled—now, 5 hay feeder racks, 1-horse tarpaulin, 1 wheelbarrow; 1 stripping room stove, one 20-gallon kettle, 1 lot of good tobacco canvas, 1 good battery radio, 9x12 rugs, lots of household and kitchen furniture, iron diggers, shovels, hoes, hoe forks, garden plows, 1 set blacksmith vise, stoves, lawn mower, saws, axes, seed sowers, harness, cream cans, and many other item too numerous to mention.

ILBRA (Hunter) GAUNCE
—Sale Conducted By—
SCOTT-KENDALL SALE CO.
"It Makes A Difference"
Carlisle, Ky. 2-2t

PUBLIC SALE
—of—
PERSONAL PROPERTY
—on—
THURSDAY, JANUARY 25
—at—
1 mile

I will offer for sale, 3 miles north of Moorefield on Dick Jones farm the following property:

1 Black mare, 10 years old; 1 Aged mare, both good workers; 1 Aged cow, fresh in April; 1 Cow 6 years old, fresh March 12; 1 Two-horse disk; 1 Left hand Oliver breaking plow; 1 Rushes plow; 1 Single shovel plow; 1 Double shovel plow; 1 Log chain; 1 Tobacco press; 1 Tobacco spray; 1 Hand tobacco setter; 1 Left hand Vulcan skimmer; Some corn and coal; 400 yards of canvass; 1 corn sheller; 1 Crosscut saw; 2 Sets of work harness; 1 Barrell; 2 Axes; 1 Grubbing hoe; Lot of hoes, Rakes, trees; 1 Pair of stretchers; 1 Double tree; 1 Breast chain; 1 Sledge hammer; Wedges and other numerous items; 1 Goodhill range cooking stove; 1 Progress cooking stove; 2 or 3 Heating stoves; 1 Safe; 1 Ice Box; 1 Bed; 1 sausage mill.

Other household goods too numerous to mention. Arthur Brett, Moorefield, Kentucky. 2-2t*

BUY U. S. WAR BONDS

NEWS ABOUT OUR BOYS
In The Service

Clyde B. Hibbitt, S 2-c, has returned to Treasure Island, Calif., after spending a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Miller, here. He was fortunate enough to be in the Detroit Tigers-Athlas after the sinking of the ship that carried the Detroit Tigers home. The Sanoma was one of the ten vessels that were lost in the landing on the Philippine islands, Oct. 24 and 25.

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Pfc. Andrew Metcalfe, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Metcalfe, Carlisle, has been promoted to staff sergeant. He is stationed in Italy.

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Sgt. Harold R. Letton, son of Mrs. and Mrs. H. T. Letton, Carlisle, has been promoted to staff sergeant. He is stationed in France.

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Pvt. Stanley Keller Wells, son of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Wells, Carlisle, has been promoted to private first-class. He is with the Marines in the South Pacific.

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William Boar, Carlisle, has been released from active service with the United States Merchant Marines. He has reported to the Upgrade school in New York, N. Y. Boar was discharged from the Army and later enlisted in the Merchant Marine.

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Cpl. Warren Fisher, Lakeland, Fla., has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Warren Fisher and sister, Miss Barbara Fisher in Lexington. He and his brother were guests of friends in Carlisle recently while in the city.

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James C. Lowe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warner Lowe, Route 4, Carlisle, has completed his course of training as an aviation mechanic at the Army Air Forces Technical Training school at Amarillo Army Air Field, Amarillo, Texas.

His graduation from this technical school now fits him for airplane maintenance and he will be sent to an air base where he will assist in keeping America's Flying Fortresses in the air for Allied Victory.

In addition to completion of the school of aviation mechanics, special studies as an aviation mechanic, he has been thoroughly drilled in military tactics and defense and a course of physical training that has conditioned him to meet all requirements of an American soldier.

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Pfc William P. Jones and James N. Allison have met somewhere in France, according to a message received by Mrs. William P. Jones. They write they are safe and well.

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Mrs. Sam Mayhew, has received a message from her son, Pfc William T. Mayhew, stating that he had been in a hospital and is getting along fine. Pfc Mayhew has been in the services 36 months and has been overseas three years. He spent all three of his Christmases overseas in a hospital.

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Hobart Shannon received a message from his son, Pfc Kenneth Shannon, stationed at Keesler Field hospital, New York, stating that he is from eight months overseas. He was with the 7th Division in England, and he did not state where he was when in action or just needed medical care.

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Pfc. G. T. Cowan and Cpl. John T. Hamilton met in New Guinea recently according to a few hours together and found they were only about 40 miles apart and hope to meet often.

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Pfc. James N. Allison and Pvt. Paul Jones, both of the Headquarters section, met and enjoyed Christmas dinner together in England.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Eads, of Headquarters, received Monday that their son, Pfc. James R. Eads has arrived safely in England.

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Lt. Vincent Oppenheim, of Ft Blanding, Fla., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Oppenheim, of Coldwater, O., was commissioned 2 Officers' Candidate School, December 23 at Fort Benning, Ga. He is a nephew of Joe and Charles Mathias, Carlisle.

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Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hartley, Cynthiana, Route 4, have received a message from their son, Cpl Earl Hartley, stating that he had been awarded the Bronze Star for heroic service in England, France, Holland, Belgium, and Germany between June and November, 1944. He is with a Field Artillery Bottalion.

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Pfc. Woodrow Lawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Lawson, Carlisle, has been awarded the Combat Infantry Man's Badge overseas for meritorious conduct in combat from June to November, 1944.

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S-1-c Jasper N. Blake has returned to Boston, Mass., after spending the Christmas holidays with his family. He has been in Arain, Africa, and other points. He has made two trips across the Atlantic since last August. On his first trip he was in England and Scotland. He is assigned to the S. S. Collier McKinney an convoy duty.

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A message from Pfc. Cletis Stewart to his sister, Mrs. Charles Carson, states that he is in Germany and is getting along fine.

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Ensign Noble T. Hawkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Hawkins, of Bethel, has been designated officer trainee attending craft school at Lincoln, Calif. He is a graduate of Transylvania College, Lexington.

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Willie Ross Crawford, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Crawford, is receiving his initial Naval indoctrination at the U. S. Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

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Pvt. Ferrell H. Ring, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ring, Myers, who was wounded in Belgium, has returned to Memphis, Tenn. after convalescing in a hospital with his parents. He has been in a hospital in England.

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stationgenerals.

A message has been received stating that Sgt. James T. Vaughn, who was wounded in action in December, is in Germany in a hospital. He has two other brothers in the service: Cpl. Henry D. Vaughn in Germany and S-2-c Wm. D. Vaughn, the latter being in a hospital in Trenton, N. J., suffering with a heart ailment. Their father, Daniel P. Vaughn, lives at Neeli at Maysville. Sgt. Vaughn entered the services in August, 1943.

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S-Sgt. Gatch N. Mayes has been transferred from hospital at Lowry Field, Denver, Colo. to the A. A. F. convalescent hospital at Fort Logan, Colo. His condition is reported good.

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S-Sgt. Carlos Combs is serving with the 9th Army Air Force according to word received by his wife, Mrs. Mamie D. Combs.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leon Grey received word there on Cpl. Lee Grey who has been transferred to the Infantry and is stationed at Camp Hawze, Texas. Cpl. Grey has been in service since Sept 1942, and has been Assistant Dispatcher at the Air Base hospital at Colorado Springs, Colo.

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Pfc. Frank Lynam, Jr., U. S. Marine Corps, 3rd Marine division, who has been on a furlough visiting his family here, is being transferred to an ammunition depot at Crane, Ind. He left Sunday.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Persons owing or having claims against the estate of Mrs. Mollie Finch deceased, are hereby notified to present same properly proven according to law to the undersigned executor.
J. H. Wilson, Executor,
Moorefield, Kentucky 3-3t

PUBLIC SALE
—of—
275 Acres of Improved Land
—on—
Saturday, January 27
—at—
10 O'clock A. M.

As agents for Shy C. Abnee, Adminstrator, for the estate of Ada B. Stewart, deceased, we will sell the farm known as Buffalo Swartz Farm. Sale will be held on Highway No. 32 at the road leading to this farm and near the home of Riley Boone on Tunnell Hill, Fleming county.

The farm will be offered in two tracts and then as a whole.

TRACT NO. 1 will contain about 136 acres. Improvements consists of house, tobacco barn with all necessary outbuildings. Land in a high state of cultivation.

TRACT No. 2 contains about 139 acres. Improvements consists of a home, two tobacc barns with all other outbuildings. This is also good strong land. Lots of good tobacco land and a good grazing land. This land will be sold subject to survey and has a good tobacco base. Watch next week's issue for a more complete discription. Anyone interested in farm land will be shown over by tenants on farm or by the selling agents. Terms made known on day of sale.

- - - SALE CONDUCTED BY - - -
SCOTT-KENDALL SALES COMPANY
Agents for SHY ABNEE, Admr. for ADA B. STEWART, Dec'd.
ROGER WOMACK, Att'y. Estate Ada B. Stewart, Dec'd.

PUBLIC AUCTION
Farms Tools — Live Stock
SATURDAY, JANUARY 27
10:00 A. M. On Premises

Having decided to quit farming I will on the above dateoffer at public auction the following farm tools and livestock

1 mare, age 6, good worker; 1 horse, age 7, good worker; 1 cow, age 7, heavy flow of milk; 1 cow age 6, good one; 1 cow, age 3; 20 sheep—1 to 4 years old—start lambing about Feb. 1; 1 good buck, 1 wagon good as new; 1 McCormick mower, 2 good Randall harrows, 1 corn drill, (1 horse); 1 land plow, (Vulcan); 1 hill-side plow, (Oliver); 1 5-shovel plow, 1 double plow, 1 single shovel plow, Iron digger, Ladder, Shovels, Double trees, Single trees, Hoes, Cross-cut saw, Grubbing hoe, Sledge hammer, Sausage mill, Lard kettle, Brooder house, Stripping room stove, Pitch forks, 1 hay rake, 1 David Bradley lime spreader on rubber, 1 McCormick cream seperator, 1 tobacco spray, 2 Tarpaulin—12x15—10x12.

Some household things, other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS—CASH:
Owner CLARENCE SUGG
Located on old Dr. Cash farm on gravel road just below Moorefield
Sandwiches and hot coffe will be sold on the premises.

Fightmaster Real Estate Agency
Let Us Handle Your Next Sale—You Will Be Satisfied
Phone 125-237-J Carlisle, Ky.

Public Auction
174 Acres Nicholas County Farm 174 Acres
Located 5 1-2 Miles On East Union Rd.
SATURDAY, January 20, 1945
10:00 A. M. On Premises

Having decided to quit farming I have engaged the Fightmaster Real Estate Agency of Carlisle, Ky., to offer my farm of 174 acres located on East Union Rd., 5 miles from Carlisle on a good county road. This farm will be offered in three tracts and then as a whole Tobacco base on 174 acres is 7.4 acres.

Tract 1
62 acres more or less. An eight room house in A-1 condition, electric, bath, good cellar, two cisterns, meat house, chicken house, 5 bin tobacco barn, good stripping room, corn crib, electric in barn, plenty of water, plenty of hay. This is a very productive farm, this farm is in good grass.

Tract 2
68 acres more or less, a new four room house, electric, good cistern at door, meat house, corn crib, four bin barn, watered by two good ponds. Farm all in heavy grass.

Tract 3
24 acres more or less, all in grass, plenty of water.
After sale of farm there will be some farm tools and a good team of 3 and 4 years old horse grey mares sold.
Farm will be shown before day of sale by Mr. Rinesmith who lives on farm or by selling agent.
Terms—10 per cent day of sale—40 per cent March 1, 1945 when deed and possession will be delivered. Balance—12-24 months.

OWNER, Mrs. M. R. Rinesmith
FIGHTMASTER REAL ESTATE AGENCY
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CARLISLE, KENTUCKY PHONE 125—237-J

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NICHOLAS CIRCUIT COURT OPENS FEB. 5

Circuit Judge Dedman Will Preside. Jury Lists Released By Circuit Clerk Barnett.

The February term of the Nicholas Circuit court will get under way here Monday, February 5, according to information by court officials this week. The term will be the usual short term with but few cases on the docket to be tried.

Grand Jury will be made up from the following 24 names:

Afton Bramblett, Leslie Hughes, Newt Moore, H. L. Harney, Earl Marshall, H. D. Judge, Otho Clark, Carl Inkmeal, Joe Wasson, Wm. Leslie Marr, Harvey Wagoner, P. N. Allison, Richard Stewart, Joe Ritchie, Tom Hazelrigg, C. M. Lambert, Ben H. Caldwell, Roger Prelaak, Raymond King, Rudolph Ritchie, Robert Stewart, R. Smith, Fred H. Rowe, George Rankin Lancer and C. C. Crockett.

Petit jurors will be drawn from the following 36 names:

J. B. Stewart, Lester Hughes, Rae Wells, Reubel Williams, W. W. Smart, W. W. Riggs, H. H. Hardin, Thos. Stone, H. M. Hildreth, Russell Wills, Ben Duncan, Kash Hadley, Jesse Stewart, Ben Smith, Fred Bailey, Harris McGlothlin, Carl Calhoun, Robert Fisher, Spencer Taylor, J. P. Shaver, Elton Grey, Ernest Grey, K. Hostetler, William H. Floyd, Arthur Chaney, Robert Stewart, Barney Watkins, Bradford Bane, R. T. Allison, and Whit Downing.

HEADQUARTERS SWAMPS MT. OLIVET 57-34

The Headquarters basketball team paved with 29 points by Donald Estes—and 28 by Mt. Olivet team in a close fought first half at Headquarters last Friday.

During the first quarter, first one member of the Headquarters team than a member of the Mt. Olivet team would make a point or keep the advantage thrilled from start to finish. At the half Headquarters was on the long end of the 20-19 score. During the last half Headquarters definitely showed the spectators how basketball was played and shot the score up to 57-36 victory.

The next game scheduled for the Headquarters quintet was with Shopville Wednesday night, January 24, at Headquarters. The Shopville team is coached by Sam Barlow.

Local Boy Tells Of Invasion Experience

The following is a letter from Pfc. Everette C. Shannon, telling of his part in the 4th Infantry Division invasion of Normandy.

Dear Folks:

This letter is just to give the people of Carlisle some idea of my remembrance of the lowest part of the Philippines Islands by the Japs. It started early on the morning of October 20, when the first Japs started some trouble.

I could see our anti-craft shells bursting all around the plane as the planes came in for their dive-bombing. It was something that would really make you think of God.

By this time we were drawing near to the beach. When our big battle ships opened fire and everything started firing you could hardly see the beach for the bursting of shells. This went on for sometime and finally we landed. About the first thing I saw was Jan Ben Ker with the left side blown off. There were several dead Japs all our bunks and most of them being covered up with dirt and concrete.

Next day came the air raid. We didn't have time to get scared because we were so busy. It was on the second day, when I got my first Jap plane go down. It really did make me jump and all other boys happy to see those planes go down.

On the third day I got to see quite a few of them go down in flames.

Maybe you folks back home had rather see a good movie or maybe is not interesting, but every word of it is true and with God's help we will carry on.

Pfc. Everette C. Shannon
Bty. A-82nd F. A. Bn.

Scott-Kendall sold for Mrs. C. B. Huffstetter last week her home on College Hill to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Curtis at a private price.

M. M. I. JRS. BEATEN

The Carlisle Jr. team outlasted the M. M. I. Jrs. 22-21 there Saturday night in a thrilled-packed hardwood battle in which the lead alternated several times and the score was deadlocked once.

Roundtree started the Musketeers off with a field goal which was followed by one made by Glass for M. M. I. During the first quarter the Cadet Jrs. were ahead 5-4 and continued, the lead through the second quarter and the score at the half was 12-6. The Musketeers were determined they were not going to take another defeat at the hands of the Cadets, so they really played a determined second half which brought them out on top. During the third quarter the Musketeers put on a good exhibition of shooting field goals and Potts Young dropped in one from the middle of the floor which was not in the box score. Carlisle were held to only two points and the Musketeers were unable to chalk up goals to be on the long end of the 16-14 score at the end of the third period. During the fourth quarter it was touch and go and the Musketeers were going so well that the final whistle was not heard by the referee.

Stewart paced the winners with 7, also with the aid of Roundtree's 6 Carlisle's 6 each. Glass made 6 for the losers.

Carlisle (22) M. M. I. (21)
Roundtree (6) Glass (6)
Stewart (7) Hazelrigg (4)
Bell (2) Bacon
Roundtree (6) (3) Davis
Scores by quarters:

Carlisle	4	2	10	6—22
M. M. I.	5	7	2	7—21

Substitution: Carlisle—Bowen (1). M. M. I.—Scott (2).

U-HI DEFEATS MUSKETEERS

(By Louise Swinford)

The Musketeers received defeat at the hands of University High by a score of 53—24. It was the Purples' second win at the expense of the Musketeers, but the Musketeers showed improved over their showing in their first game with the Purples November 9 at Carlisle.

The powerful University quintet, rated as one of the leading high school teams in the state, slipped the ball through the hoop at will at all the way. McMeekin paced the Purples with 20 and Wilson, a substitute, came to his aid with 10 points the gunner registered by Carlisle's Crawford.

The score was 10-5 at the end of the first quarter, 21-9 and 43-15 at the half and the third quarter respectively. The entire game was very fast.

Summary:

Carlisle	(54)	U-Hi(h		
Cannon (5)	(19)	McMeekin		
Simpson (2)	(1)	Hammett		
Woodall (4)	(5)	Mosley		
Crawford (10)	(4)	Griffin		
Dixon (1)	(5)	Buckner		

Scores by quarters:

Carlisle	4	6	9—24	
U-High	10	11	19	13—53

Substitutions: Carlisle—Pitman, Clark (1), Barnett, Roundtree, Bell (2). U-High—Wilson (10), Lice (10), Mullov (2), Trimble (1), Huggins (2), Matlack.

Referee—Wilkerson (Mt. Sterling).

U-HIGH JRS. DEFEAT CARLISLE JRS.

The U-High Jrs. defeated the Carlisle Jrs., 30-22, on their home court last Friday night in a game that sometimes was basketball and at other stages of the game was a wrestling match and a tug-of-war.

Stewart put the Musketeers in front with a foul shot, then the U-High team started scoring and did so through the remainder of the first quarter. At the end of the first quarter the score was ahead 6-4, but the Musketeers not on a good exhibition of basketball had the U-High team scoring a single point during the second half and the Musketeers on the long end of the 7-6 score. During the second half the visitors got their bearings and the score up to 18-12 in their favor during the third quarter.

Mulloy and Stern each scored 7 for the winners and Clark and Roundtree each registered 9 for the losers.

The defeat was the fourth for Coach Fisher's Jrs., which had played 10 games.

Summary:

Carlisle (22)	(30)	U-High
Pitman	(4)	Gleen
Young	(7)	Mulloy
Stewart (3)	(4)	Brewer
Clark (9)		Luisart
Roundtree (9)	(2)	Hammons

Substitutions: Carlisle—Bonson, (1), Woodall, Bowen. U-High—Mattock (6), Stern (7).

DOG GETS PRIORITY OVER SERVICEMEN

Big Dog "Bumps" Service Trio From Plane; Pet For Faye Roosevelt Had "A" Priority.

An Associated Press report from Antioch, Calif., states a young Navy gunner related that he and two other servicemen were "bumped off" an Army transport plane because a dog had a higher travel priority than they did.

The dog, said S-1-c Leon Leroy was being shipped across country by Col. Elliott Roosevelt to his wife, the actress Faye Emerson, in Hollywood.

At Washington, a War Department spokesman agreed that a sailor, a soldier and a Navy seabee were put off a plane at Memphis, January 11, to lighten the load, while a dog about which the department said it had no information, continued its journey by air.

Leroy told his story first to the Red Cross as he waited for a plane to take him on to his home in Lynchburg, Va. He was in good spirits with reporters, and then, as comfortably as one can be expected to be in a General hospital.

Christmas is the time of the year we all have a special thought of our families and loved ones back home. It gives me great pleasure to tell you my four sons, Pfc. Allie Vice, is a creditable member of our organization; that he is a good soldier and a fine man, who is doing his share in helping to win victory so that we can be back with those who mean much to us on future Christmas days.

May I wish you a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Your Will will bring peace and happiness.

William P. Jones,
1st Lt. Mac
Com. Mad Det.

SCRAP PAPER COLLECTION SATURDAY

Mrs. P. J. Hardesty, chairman announces that the local girl scout troop will collect scrap paper Saturday. It is very important that bundles be deposited in front of all homes, so as to be seen. Rural citizens are asked to bring their waste paper to the old Armory building on Main street. The inclement weather has hindered this work here for several weeks and the call is very urgent for Saturday.

VICTORY TOBACCO LEAF

Lt. Kendall Swinford, Carlisle, exhibited Tuesday at the Mercury office a very unusual leaf of tobacco. It is shaped as a lime leaf, starting from the stalk as one leaf and dividing into a perefect "V" share with two perfectly formed leaves with a large stem in each. The stem also is exactly distinguished "V." Mr. Buchanan said it was the first "Victory" tobacco growth he had seen.

OBSERVATIONS
WE SEE AND HEAR
By Monty

DISLIKE "G. I. JOE"

During the time I was the American soldier was called the "Doughboy," and there was no objection to the term voiced to any great extent at that time. However, it is being generally believed that the soldier of this war is violently opposed to being called a G. I. Joe. Really, the term does not seem to be quite befitting and some other term would be more acceptable. Suggestions are in order. How about "Fighting Sons of U. S. A."?

A COOL PLACE

During the recent continued severe cold weather it was reported that McCool, Ind., was the coldest place in the Hoosier state. Could it be the same had anything to do with the low temperature?

EATING GARBAGE

Not long since two colored boys were observed examining some garbage cans one of the youths picked out a handful of its contents and ate it (exact town being withheld) wondering what question—when depositing garbage separate food from other garbage so that those who are to survive by its contents may fare as sufficiously as possible.

HOW DO YOU READ A NEWSPAPER?

Not everyone reads a newspaper in exactly the same manner. Some will glance over the front page, then turn to the back page and after consuming the contents of the two outside pages, start from the next to last page and turn toward the front. While others turn first to the personal or social pages, read them one or two items and pay but little attention to the rest of it except for the funnies and the sports page, that all depends on the particular interest of the reader, it is presumed.

Is Awarded Silver Star Posthumously

Sgt. Howard J. Ritchie, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Rhea Ritchie, Route 1, Carlisle, has been awarded posthumously the Silver Star for gallantry in action.

On the second day of the campaign for Leyte Ritchie made his way through Jap machinegun fire to get ammunition that his machinegunners needed badly.

Two days later he was killed while he was helping to clean the area of snipers.

MRS. VICE RECEIVES LETTER REGARDING SON

Mrs. Pearl J. Vice, of Moorefield, road, received the following letter from Lt. W. P. Jones, 1259th General hospital:

Dear Mrs. Vice:

Christmas is the time of the year we all have a special thought of our families and loved ones back home. It gives me great pleasure to tell you your son, Pfc. Allie Vice, is a creditable member of our organization; that he is a good soldier and a fine man, who is doing his share in helping to win victory so that we can be back with those who mean much to us on future Christmas days.

May I wish you a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Your Will will bring peace and happiness.

William P. Jones,
1st Lt. Mac
Com. Mad Det.

HOBERT SHANNON BACK IN STATES

Nicholas County Youth Is Flown From Paris, France, To Mitchell Field, N. Y.

MITCHELL FIELD, N. Y., Jan. 19—Pfc. Hobert Shannon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Shannon, Carlisle, Ky., arrived at Mitchell Field last week by Skymaster ambulance plane from Paris, France.

A member of the Combat Photo Corps, Shannon's job was to precede the Infantry into the combat zones and "shoot still boxes." take up mines and booby traps, before the troops came in. Or if a road or bridge had to be built for advancing troops, even the enemy shell fire did not stop his duties.

On December 23, Shannon and five others took a pill box somewhere in Belgium and three of the Americans were wounded and Shannon was one of them—he was hit in the left arm and thigh. He says that sometimes there would be 25 to 30 Germans in a pill box, and always at least 10.

When the medics relieved him after being wounded, Shannon worked on his father's 400-acre farm and hopes to go back to the farm when the war is over. But before that time he expects to see more combat duty in the South Pacific.

Shannon says he didn't want anything in particular when he got home—all he wanted was "just to get back to the States." He has been evacuated to another hospital for further treatment

News About Our Boys

Mrs. Willie Cox received a letter from her nephew, John D. Morris, dated fine. He is doing time works in the kitchen at night. His address: John D. Morris, S-2-c, N. C. T. C., Barracks 81, Owsdy Village, Maine.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Shannon were notified that their son, Pfc. Kenneth Shannon, has been transferred from Mitchell Field hospital, New York to Foster General hospital in Mississippi, where he will take treatments. He was wounded in both legs and his condition is reported to be good.

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Pfc. Cecil C. Froback has been awarded the Purple Heart, having been seriously wounded in Germany on Dec. 13. He is now in England in a hospital and is improving according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Froback and his wife, Mrs. Mabel Fryman, of Carlisle.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mayhew, of Myers, have received a message from their son, Pfc. Clarence W. Mayhew, stating that he is somewhere in Germany and is getting along fine. Pfc. Mayhew has been overseas since April, 1944, and is with the First and Third armies.

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A message was received Monday from Pfc. Derwood McVey Baird by Mrs. Ruth Cowan Cross, his aunt stating that he was a German prisoner. He had been reported missing since November 28, 1944. He has been in the service two years and was a student at the University of Kentucky when he entered the service.

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Private Charles K. Sexton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sexton, has been transferred from France to Belgium.

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S-Sgt. Michael D. Kennedy will return February 2 to his post at Randolph Field, Texas, after being called home on account of the death of his father, Matthew Kennedy, Carlisle. He has been in the service three years.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Kendall were recently notified that their son, First Lieutenant Fred J. Kendall had been promoted to Captain in action in Belgium since Sept. October, 20, 1944. Fred was a member of the Carlisle High School Graduating Class of 1938. He was employed by the American Bridge Company in California prior to his enlistment in October, 1942.

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Mr. Edgar H. Allison, Sr., Route 3, Carlisle, received word that his son, Pvt. Edgar H. Allison, Jr., was slightly wounded in action December 24 in Germany. He was awarded the Purple Heart which was sent to his father.

MUSKETEERS LOSE TO FLEMINGSBURG

(Louise Swinford)

Overcoming a 4-3 first quarter deficit the Flemingsburg basketball team took a 14-9 edge at the half and led from there out to defeat the Musketeers, 36-23, there last Tuesday night.

Henry paced the winners with 23 points and Crawford 10 points and Cannon not far behind with 7 for the Musketeers.

Scores by quarters:

Carlisle	(23)	Flemingsburg		
Cannon (7)	(23)	Henry		
Simpson	(1)	Workman		
Woodall (5)		Doyle		
Crawford (8)	(4)	Conway		
Dixon (1)	(8)	Boyd		

Scores by quarters:

Carlisle	4	5	5	9—23
Flemingsburg	3	11	14	8—36

Substitutions: Carlisle—Barnett (3), Bowen, Thompson (1), Clark, Blake. Flemingsburg—Conway, Ross, Glascock, Frodge.

Referee—Wilkerson, (Mt. Sterling).

JR. TEAM BEATS FLEMING JR'S.

The Carlisle Jr's defeated the Flemingsburg Jr's by a score of 16-8.

At the end of the first quarter the score was all tied up 3-3 and at the end of the half the little Musketeers had 5 points to the losers did not make a goal during the second period. At the end of the third quarter Carlisle was on the long end of the 16-7 and continued to hold the lead throughout the rest of the game.

A substitute forward, Paul Lee Thompson, really played basketball and made a total of 8 points with the help of Roundtree's 5 for the Musketeers while Holland and Mitchell each led the losers with 3.

Summary:

Carlisle (16)	(8)	Flemingsburg
Young		Rice
Pitman (1)	(3)	Holland
Woodall	(3)	Mitchell
Roundtree (5)		Seathers
Clark (2)	(1)	Glascock

Score by quarters:

Carlisle	3	5	2	6—16
Flemingsburg	3	0	1	4—8

Substitutions: Carlisle—Thompson (6), Harper, Stewart (1), Bowen (1). Flemingsburg—Brown, Walton (1), Harding, Goodpaster, Grants.

FORMER CARLISLE STUDENT ATTAINS "A" STANDING

John James Hopkins, better known as John Hopkins in Carlisle, was one of the twenty-one students enrolled in the College of Arts and Sciences listed as making a stra