I'll Be At Lermans This Week

Each Night from 7:00 to 7:30

--- Santa Claus

Open Evenings
'til Christmas

L is for

Lasting Gifts

Electrical Appliances, Toys, Chinaware, Lamps

The Variety Store

Marriages

Booth-Wilson

The marriage of Miss Jean Booth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Booth and Warren Wilson of the U. S. Navy, son of Mrs. Alma D. Wilson, all of Nicholas county, was solemnized at 7 p. m. Monday night, at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Rhodes Thompson in Paris. The minister read the double ring ceremony.

The wedding was witnessed by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mays of Paris.

The bride wore a teal dress with brown accessories, and Mrs. Mays a blue suit.

The bride is a graduate of Nicholas County High school, and the groom attended Nicholas County High, and enlisted in the U. S. Navy, November 1, 1948. He is now located at the Naval Air Station at Glennview, Illinois.

After a Christmas visit with their parents here, they will go to Chicago to reside, and he will return to his duties at Glennview.

Hamilton-McCollum

Miss Herma Ruth Hamilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hamilton of Carlisle, and Kenneth D. McCollum Jr., son of Mrs. Frances W. McCollum of Lexington and Kenneth D. McCollum Sr. of Wilmington, Ohio, were married at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Carlisle Christian church.

The Rev. J. J. Whitehouse officiated at the double ring ceremony. A program of traditional wedding music was presented by Miss Mary Frances Fisher, organist, and Miss Rose Ballard, vocalist. Ferns and palms, interspersed with baskets of white glodioli and lighted tapers in candelabra, formed a background for the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of ivory satin designed with a net yoke outlined in lace, long sleeves ending in points over the wrists and a full hooped skirt terminating in a long cathedral train. Her double veil of imported French illusion was held by a coronet of seed pearls. She carried a colonial bouquet of white roses tied with white streamers.

Miss Ronna Richterkessing of [illegible] was the maid of honor. She [illegible] an ankle-length gown of [illegible] velveteen, designed with a [illegible] ded neckline, fitted bodice and full skirt. She wore white wrist length gloves and carried a colonial bouquet of white chrysanthemums tied with matching streamers.

Barbara Downing of Carlisle, the flower girl, wore an ivory satin dress and a matching bandeau of flowers. She carried a miniature basket of pink rose petals.

Robert K. Hamilton served as best man and ushers were John A. Ecton and John T. Hamilton of Carlisle.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the parlor of the church. The bride's table, covered with a lace cloth, was centered with a five-tiered wedding cake flanked by lighted tapers in silver candelabra.

When they return from their wedding trip South, Mr. and Mrs. McCollum will make their home at 218 Rand avenue, Lexington.

The bride is a graduate of Carlisle High school and Crump Commerce College. She is employed by the Lexington Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. McCollum was graduated from the Carlisle High school, spent two years in service, and now is employed by the Lexington Telephone Company.

CHRISTMAS in the CHURCHES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
W. L. Smith, Minister

Come and Welcome!

We invite you to drive by the Presbyterian church after dark to see a simple but impressive "Manger Scene" arranged in the corner vestibule of the church.

At a congregational meeting Sunday morning Messrs. Charles Cox and Charles Shrout were elected deacons. Arrangements are being made for their ordination and installation soon after the first Sunday in January.

CARLISLE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. J. G. Carr, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:45 a. m.
M. Y. F., 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:00 p. m.

"Methodist Hour" 7:30 a. m., Sunday, Dec. 25, over WHAS. "Christ and His Church" by Dr. N. C. McPherson, Jr., pastor, St. John's Methodist Church, Memphis, Tenn.

Christmas baskets will be distributed Saturday morning.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH
Christmas Program

Dec. 24th
High Mass at 12 a. m.
Early Mass at 7 a. m.
Holy Hour from 12 to 1 o'clock.
Confessions:
11 to 12 a. m.
4 to 5 p. m.
7 to 8 p. m.
Mid Night:
Adoration service at the Crib will be held at 1:45 p. m.
"Silent Night" at Mid Night
Wanda Lawrence.
Mid Night Mass 12 p. m.
Sermon: "Life Unfolded."
The Shepherd Masses follow the Mid Night Mass.
Christmas Day
Holy Mass at 8 a. m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
J. J. Whitehouse, Minister

Bible School, 9:30 a. m.

Communion and sermon, 10:30 a. m. Sermon theme, "The Crest Of The Ages."

C. E. Junior, Junior Hi, Senior, 6:15 p. m.

Evening service, 7 o'clock. Sermon theme, "The Great Light."

No mid-week service.

Cassidy Methodist Church To Have Christmas Program

The Cassidy Methodist church will present a Christmas program Sunday night, December 25 at 7 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Letters to Santa

Carlisle, Ky.

Dear Santa,

I am a little boy 4 years old. I think I've been pretty good.

Would like for you to bring me a real Texas Cowboy suit, boots and guns, a gas station, basket-ball, some story books and coke and cheese.

Don't forget my little girl friend, and my playmates, also Mommy and Daddy and all the other little boys and girls.

Love,
Dwaine Green

Carlisle, Ky.
Dec. 17, 1949

Dear Santa Claus,

I have tried to be a good boy. Please bring me a wrecker truck, some "junked-up" cars, a train, a Coca-cola truck and a Greyhound bus. Bring Lize, my little sister, a doll, doll bed, doll buggy and a truck.

Don't forget Mama, Daddy, Mamaw, Papaw, Annie, Grandaddy and Ma Galbraith.

Your little buddy,
Stan Galbraith

Carlisle, Ky.
Dec. 17, 1949

Dear Santa Claus,

I am a little girl seven years old. I go to East Union school. I have been very good. I want you to bring me a cash register, carling pencil set and a story book. I also want some candy, nuts, apples an oranges. Don't forget my teacher, Mrs. Cordia Bell and my school bus driver, Mr. Mignels. They have been good. I will be looking for you Santa. I will go to bed early.

Your little girl,
Linda Ray Dye

Route 1
Carlisle, Ky.
Dec. 19, 1949

Dear Santa,

I am a little boy 9 years old. I go to Parks school. I am in the fourth grade. I want a basketball for Christmas also some candy, nuts and all kinds of fruits. Don't forget the other little boys and girls.

Your friend,
Turner Moreland

316 Dorsey Ave
Carlisle, K.
Dec. 16, 1949

Dear Santa Claus,

I am a little boy seven years old, thought I'd write and tell you what I wanted for Xmas.

I have been pretty good, not too bad, to be a boy. I guess you were a boy once yourself, so you know how it is. I would like for you to bring me a Roy Rogers gun set, Steam shovel, Catepillar and dumptruck.

Don't forget my little sister, Patricia Faye. She wants a doll and a bear, and remember all the other girls and boys over the world and my teacher, Miss Mary Frances.

With lots of Love,
G. E. Crocker

Carlisle, Ky.
Dec. 19, 1949

Dear Santa Claus,

I am a little boy 3½ years old. I have tried to be a very good little boy. I want you to bring me a cowboy suit and a cat I can ride in. I have a little brother 6 months old. He wants a teddy bear and a rattle. We will be expecting you and we'll go to bed early.

Your little friends,
Kenneth and
Danny Bussell
Blue Licks, Ky.

Slavery became a factor in American politics during the administration of President Jackson.

It is said that river transportation in Mississippi is growing to great importance.

Make Reservations Now

to enjoy

Christmas Dinner

with us

Turkey with all the trimmings

Kerns Restaurant

Phone 440

Christmas Greetings

We hope we've told all our friends, but if we've missed you, then Merry Christmas.

Standard Oil Co. of Carlisle

Seasons Greetings

May there be a twinkle in your eye and laughter on your lips this Christmas and the New Year ahead.

Marshall's Ice Cream Bar

Seasons Greetings

Sincerest greetings of the Season to our many friends and their families.

Dampier's Garage

Season's Greetings

—and to all of you we extend our wishes for a Merry Christmas—and a year ahead chock full of good health, happiness and prosperity!

Kroger's

Washing Machine Repair

Specializing In Maytag Repairs
(Parts in stock)

Repair of Electric Clocks, Hot Plates, Stoves, Fans, Lamps

Open 2 p. m.—8 p. m.

see
Buddy Brock

Feeback Appliance No. 2

Hall Building Phone 207 or 177

Square Dance

Tonight, Thurs., Dec. 22

Carlisle Armory
Carlisle, Kentucky

Stubb
and the Ky. Clodhoppers

Hours 8 - 11:30 Adm. 75c

Benefit Armory Fund

CHRISTMAS

We wish you good fun, good luck and good cheer this Christmas season.

Moorefield Deposit Bank

BEST WISHES

—and a wish for the merriest Christmas ever, to you and yours!

Coatney Bros. Grocery

MERRY Christmas 1949

The Yule is a season for songs and rejoicing. Our earnest hope is that all you friendly people may share in this spirit to the utmost

And for what it's worth, we offer our heartiest wishes for a very Merry Christmas

Lerman's

Maurice King's Hotpoint

Sales & Service

FOR THESE Sunbeam GIFT HITS

Sunbeam MIXMASTER
America's most popular food mixer. Lets her dial her favorite recipe. Mixes, mashes, whips, beats, stirs, blends, juices, etc. Saves time and armwork. Includes juicer attachment, two bowls.

Sunbeam COFFEEMASTER
Gift thrill of a lifetime. Perfect coffee every time—automatically. Set it—forget it. All gem-like chrome-plate. Freedom from bowl breakage.

Sunbeam IRONMASTER
Make ironing easier all year long. Heats quicker—stays hotter—irons faster. Easy-to-see, easy-to-set Thumb-tip Heat Regulator.

We have a limited number of Hotpoint refrigerators and ranges because of the steel shortage.

Special --- One Only
Dishwasher & Sink Combination .. 259.95

Merry Christmas

Our heart-felt thanks for your patronage, and our best wishes for a joyous holiday season.

LYRIC

Lyric Theatre
Carlisle, Ky.

THUR.-FRI., DEC. 22-23
"GONE WITH THE WIND"
In Technicolor
Clark Gable
Vivien Leigh

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24
"ROUGHSHOD"
Robert Sterling
Glora Garahame
Added
—Chapter 14—
"BATMAN and ROBIN"
and
INKA MINA BIRD

SUN.-MON., DEC. 25-26
"IT'S A GREAT FEELING"
Dennis Morgan
Doris Day
Jack Carson
Added
PATHE NEWS

TUES.-WED., DEC. 27-28
"THAT MIDNIGHT KISS"
Kathryn Grayson
Ethel Barrymore
Added
TAKING THE
X OUT OF X-RAYS

THUR.-FRI., DEC. 29-30
"SCENE OF THE CRIME"
Van Johnson
Arlene Dahl
Added
CAT AND THE MERMOUSE

SUN.-MON., JANUARY 1-2
"THE STORY OF SEABISCUIT"

SHOW SCHEDULE
Week Days .... 7:30 p. m.
SATURDAY and SUNDAY
Matinee .... 2:15 p. m.
Evenings .... 7 and 9 p. m.

SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. W. Fritts Tune have arrived in St. Petersburg, Fla., according to word received last week by Mrs. Tune's sisters here. They expect to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thomas of Ewing were guests over the week-end of Mrs. Thomas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hughes on East Main street.

Charlie Daugherty and son of Ohio were weekend guests of his mother, Mrs. Dee Briggs, who has been ill.

Betty Bruce Barnett of Winchester is the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Shrout.

Miss Susanna Reynolds of Louisville and Miss Eleanor Reynolds of Atlanta, Ga., will arrive this week for a Christmas visit with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Reynolds on Sycamore street.

Mrs. W. J. Alexander left this week for Versailles to spend the holidays and be with her father, Mr. Oscar Ford, while her sister, Mrs. Clinton Newman, Mr. Newman and son go to Florida and will remain for the Orange Bowl game.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hardesty were in Danville Thursday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Carter and O. C. Seevers Jr.

Mrs. John J. Lee of Whitesburg, John Haizlip, J. G. and Mrs. Haizlip, of Charleston, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shearer and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hardesty from Tuesday until Friday, last week. John and his wife will go to New London, Conn., after the holidays where he will take a 6 months course at a Submarine school.

Mrs. Millard Curry and son of Lexington, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Veach and other relatives here Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Theodocia Smith of Bourbon county, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Sexton Sunday night and Monday, and she attended the Christmas program at the Christian church.

Miss Sue Burroughs of Mt. Sterling will come Friday for a Christmas visit with her cousin, Mrs. Taylor Mathers, and family.

Louis Rondolino, student at the University of Michigan, has arrived to spend the holidays with his wife and baby son, who have been with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett D. Smith since September. After the holidays they will go to Ann Arbor, Mich., to reside.

Mrs. George W. Taylor is spending Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. R. B. Grannis and family in Dayton, Ohio.

Mrs. S. W. Keller will go to Lexington today for a Christmas visit with her daughter, Mrs. John M. Wells, and family.

Frank Kennedy left Tuesday for his home in Los Angeles, Calif., after several weeks visit with his brother, Harry Kennedy and family, and other relatives.

Warren Wilson, S. N., U. S. Navy, located at the Naval air station at Glennview, Ill., is spending a Christmas furlough with his mother, Mrs. Alma Wilson at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Delaney on the Headquarters road.

Mrs. Henry C. Wade of Moorefield entered the Good Samaritan hospital, Lexington, last week to be under care of a specialist.

Marion McCarty of Pleasant Valley, entered the local hospital last week for medical care.

Mrs. Mollie Anderson Crawford, has been a patient in the local hospital for the past week.

Rev. and Mrs. Ira McMillen and son of Lexington, were here Thursday to attend the funeral of Mr. John Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Sexton and Mrs. Marvin Sexton were in Lexington Thursday.

Mrs. Walter E. Munroe of Corono Del Mar, Calif., and son, Walter Bedford Munroe of the U. S. Air Force, near Dallas, Texas, were here to attend the funeral of her father, Mr. J. H. Lawrence, Thursday.

Mrs. A. B. Vice remains critically ill at the Johnson Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Hinton Williamson and two children of Louisville, Ohio, will come Friday for a Christmas visit with Mrs. Williamson's mother, Mrs. O. R. Gaffin. On Sunday they will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hamilton on the Judy road, before going to Lexington to visit with his sister, Mrs. Horace Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Carter of Danville, will come this week for a Christmas visit with his mother, Mrs. Henry L. Carter.

Owen Sheehan of Route 3 is a patient in the local hospital.

Lt. Walter K. Robbins, who is located in the Army Air Corps near Biloxi, Miss., will arrive this week for a Christmas visit with his mother, Mrs. Lewis S. Robbins.

Mr. and Mrs. William Nash Payne and baby daughter of Lexington, were guests of his mother, Mrs. Carl Payne, and the Lettons on Sunday.

Mrs. Pearl Plummer and niece of Lexington, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Roberts, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Reid and son, John and Mrs. Walter George and daughter were in Lexington Friday.

Sgt. Hugh Woodall, of the U. S. Air Force at Sherman, Texas, has arrived to spend the Holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Woodall.

Mrs. B. T. Conway, who has been a patient for the past two weeks at the St. Joseph's hospital, Lexington, was moved to the local hospital Tuesday afternoon, to convalesce.

Mrs. Florence Vaughn will spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Rachel McClanahan.

Misses Mary Jo and Edna Bishop of Hazelgreen Academy have arrived to spend the Holidays with their mother, Mrs. Richard Curtis. Edna is convalescing nicely from a recent tonsilectomy at the Academy Infirmary.

Miss Eula Rigsby of Morehead, secretary of Congressman Joe Bates was recently the overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Sugg.

Misses Nancy and Martha Johnson of Paris spent Sunday with their niece, Mrs. Vernon Cannon.

Mr. and Mrs. William Vaughn and children are spending Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Eli Vaughn of Ewing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack High and daughter, Jackey, of Lima, Ohio, will come this week for a visit with Mrs. High's parents and sisters here.

Leroy Underwood of Madison, Wisc., is the weekend guest of G. N. Maxey.

Woman's Club Christmas Party

The Carlisle Woman's Club entertained their husbands with a Christmas dinner on Tuesday night in the assembly rooms of the Christian church.

Engagement Announced

Miss Joan Maffett's engagement to Mr. Willard G. Fryman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Goebel Fryman, of Cynthiana, is announced by her mother, Mrs. Gladys Maffett, of Carlisle. The date of the wedding has not been announced.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bellamy of Ewing announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Ruth, to Fisher Rouse Gaunce, son of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Gaunce, of Carlisle. Vows will be exchanged in early March.

Club Entertains Wives

The wives of the members of the Fellowship Club were guests of honor Monday night at the monthly dinner-meeting of the club in the Methodist church annex. Dr. W. P. Davis of Lexington, was guest speaker.

Will Attend Orange Bowl Game

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Brough and two daughters, Mrs. Frances McCollum, of Lexington, and Mrs. Tevis Wilson of Moorefield, left Saturday afternoon for Ft. Myers, Fla., where they will be guests of Mr. Brough's parents. They will return after attending the Orange Bowl game, January 2nd.

Stamp Club Organized

A stamp club was organized last week at Moorefield with the following as officers: Josephine McKee, president; Lorena Clavell, vice president; Fayann Judge, secretary; Bonnie Ruth Bradley, treasurer and Margaret Lyons, reporter. Meetings are held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Attend Wedding

Among those from a distance who attended the Hamilton-McCollum wedding at the Christian church, Saturday afternoon, were Mrs. Emma McCollum, Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McCollum, Wilmington, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brough, Mrs. Pierce, Miss Adams, Miss Pearl Davidson, Lexington, Miss Margaret Montgomery, Versailles, Mrs. Jewell Kirkwood, Louisville.

Christmas Bridge Party and Dinner

Mrs. Elden Hutchings entertained the members of her bridge club with the lovely annual dinner at 6 p. m. Tuesday night at her home near Paris.

Her attractive new home was decorated with Christmas motif, and a delicious menu was served.

Guests included Mrs. Lew Tyrer, Mrs. Fifthian Rye, Mrs. Billy Frey, Mrs. R. L. Norton, Mrs. Earl Van Bever, Mrs. Oliver Lambert, Mrs. Clark Leer, Mrs. Basil Crouch, Mrs. Roger Womack, Mrs. Emery Clark, Mrs. Wadsworth Jones, Millersburg, and Mrs. Chess Shearer, Lexington.

Home For Holidays

Students attending colleges who are home for the Christmas holidays, are, from

University of Kentucky: Betty Blake, Jean Pumphrey, Charles and Frank Mathias, Edgar Allison, S. R. Barlow, Emery Clark, Jr., Bill Taylor, Frank Guthrie, Gaylord Caswell, Warren Crockett, Robert Allen Palmer, Junior Maxey, Carrol Robinson, David Darnall, Ralph Hovermale, David Harper.

Eastern State College: Charles Dixon, William Sexton, J. Paul Jones, Bobby Crockett, Henry Peters, Leroy Kendall, Virgil Hudnall, Bobby Crawford, R. S. Cavanaugh, Carol Lois Hawkins, Nell Wilson.

Morehead: Betty Campbell, Keith Van Bever, Paul Ockerman.

Milligan College (Tennessee): Dorotha Dixon.

Transylvania: Lucy Nell Henry.

Union College: Jimmy Burnaw.

KFOS: Peggy Maffett, Willie B. Vice, Doris Katherine Maxey, Irene Smoot, Phylis Ruddell, Patsy Howard, Ellen Howe Hughes.

Grayson: Dorothy Clay, Isaac Flora.

Berea College: Kenneth Snapp.

Frazier Barber Institute, Louisville: Louis T. Brown.

Beautician School, Lexington: Delores Conrad.

Hazel Green: Donald Mann.

Business college, Lexington: Bobby Clark.

BIRTHS

Hughes

A son was born Friday morning at the Johnson Memorial hospital here to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Huhges. Mrs. Hughes was formerly Miss Loretta Bailey.

Lovell

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lovell are the parents of a daughter born at their home in Millersburg December 10. She has been named Barbara Carol. Mrs. Lovell was formerly Miss Elsie Dotson.

Deaths

Mrs. Sarah T. Ivy

Mrs. Sarah Tevis Ivy, widow of Theodore A. Ivy, died at her residence, 205 Carlisle avenue, Lexington, at 7:40 p. m. Sunday following an illness of several months.

A native of Nicholas county, she was a daughter of the late Hudson and Hannah Florence Tevis. She was educated in Nicholas county schools, and had been a resident of Lexington for the past 35 years. She was a member of the Old Union Christian church.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Ella Mynear, Bourbon county, and Mrs. Martha Bohn, Cincinnati; four sons, William Ivy, Stanford; Cecil and Calvin Ivy, both of Lexington, and John Ivy, Cincinnati; 18 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

"Silent Night, Holy Night—All is calm, all is bright. Round yon virgin, mother and child, Holy infant, so tender and mild. Sleep in Heavenly peace, sleep in Heavenly peace," chorus mmbers of the Carlisle High school choir in a special Christmas program presented in the school's auditorium Friday morning during the closing exercises.—CarlisleMercury Photo.

Merry Christmas

Since we cannot shake each one of you by the hand to give you our good wishes personally—we want to take this opportunity to express our hopes that this Christmas and the coming New Year be one of joy and goodness for each and every one of you—our friends and patrons.

C. C. Cole Co.

GREETINGS

We join in wishing you a Yuletide filled with song and good cheer. Merry Christmas.

Pitman's

PEACE on EARTH

Wishing you all the things you're wishing for, this joyous Christmas Day.

Circuit Clerk's Office
Beulah Hughes

Like your Christmas stocking—our wishes for you contain nothing but happiness. May this be a merry, merry Yuletide and the happiest New Year for you and every member of your family!

"Say it with flowers"

Thompson's Greenhouses

Say You Saw It In The Mercury

CHEERY CHRISTMAS WISHES! NINETEEN-FORTY-NINE

In the Christmas mood, we wish you all happiness

1949

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Dorsey Bros. and Fisher

Merry Christmas

May the blessings of Christmas descend upon your homes in abundance

1949

KIRKLAND'S

Greetings of the SEASON

May the stars in the heavens shine as never before on your Christmas happiness this year.

Hopkins Drug Co.