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FOR RENT—4-room apartment, built-in kitchen, private bath, over Carlisle Drug. See Bertha Berry or call 193. 1-19-3tcg.

FOR RENT—Apartment, unfurnished, on East Main street. See Squires Reed. See Mrs. Chas. Linville. Phone 245. 2-2-3t*

LOST—

LOST—Two fox hounds, one has identification collar. The other is small, white with lemon head. Notify Harold McClanahan, Carlisle, Ky. R. 3. 2-2-1t*

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WANTED—A home for a puppy about four months old. Phone 6203. 2-2-1dh

WANTED AT ONCE—Industrious man with car to supply 1500 families with Rawleigh Products in Nicholas County. This is near where I have been selling. I'll help you get started. See or write L. R. Campbell R. R. 2, or write Rawleigh's Dept. Ky A-260-FJI, Freeport, Ill. 1-12-3t*

WANTED—Would like to rent farm. Have tools and help to care for crop and work on farm. Phone 125, Carlisle. 2-2-1t*

MALE & FEMALE HELP WANTED
Man or woman, married to handle McNess Products full or spare time. Opportunity to make $40 a day. No experience necessary. Write McNESS COMPANY, 120 E. Clark St., Freeport, Ill. 1-19-2t

NOTICE—

NOTICE—Having been given the power of Attorney by Mrs. W. S. Owings, I hereby notify the public we are not responsible for checks or debts made by other than the undersigned. Pauer Beatty. 2-2-1t*

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HY-LINE 934, a white egg layer, bred especially to shine in tough spots, will outlay Leghorns, use less feed. Write for literature and prices.
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ADMINISTRATIX NOTICE
All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the estate of Fred L. Auxier, deceased, will call upon the undersigned at once and settle same; and those having claims against said estate will present same properly proven to the undersigned or attorney for payment. Lillian H. Auxier, administratrix of the estate of Fred L. Auxier, deceased. Roger Womack, attorney 1-26-3tcg

ADMINISTRATOR NOTICE
All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the estate of Mrs. Fannie Herndon, deceased, will call upon the undersigned administrator and settle same; and those having claims against said estate will present same properly proven to the undersigned or attorney for payment. Ben Herndon, Administrator. 1-26-3tcg

to the undersigned for payment. Joe F. Conley, Administrator, of the estate of Mrs. Fannie Herndon, deceased. 1-19-3tcg

ADMINISTRATIX NOTICE
All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the estate of B. A. C. Crawford, deceased, will call upon the undersigned at once and settle same; and those having claims against said estate will present same properly proven to the undersigned for payment. Elizabeth Hughes, Administratrix, of the estate of A. C. Crawford, deceased. 1-26-3tcg

FIRE ALARM
In case of fire phone No 5

Retail Sales Total $328,000

Retail sales in 1954 of 65 stores in Nicholas County totaled $3,328,000 according to preliminary 1954 Census of Business figures announced by the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce. This was an increase 1% of 15.7 percent over sales in 1948 of 68 stores at $2,903,000.

Stores with payroll in 1954 numbered 41, had 135 paid employees in November 1954, reported payroll of $258,000, and accounted for sales of $2,924,000. Proprietors of unincorporated businesses number 27. The number of stores and their 1954 sales, grouped by major kinds of business, were:

Kind-of-Business Group	Stores (Number)	Total Sales (Dollars)
Food stores	16	$1,094,000
Eating, drinking places	7	132,000
General merchandise group	5	212,000
Apparel, accessories stores	2	withheld
Furniture, home furnishing, appliances	2	202,000
Automotive group	5	534,000
Gasoline service stations	8	212,000
Lumber, bldg. mat'ls., hdw., farm equipment	4	365,000
Drug stores, proprietary stores	3	143,000
Other retail stores	8	365,000
Nonstore retailers	2	withheld

For 10¢ a report for the State's counties and places of 2,500 or more population is available from the Bureau of the Census, Washington 25, D. C., or from Department of Commerce field offices in most large cities.

(*) 1948 totals above include data for a few types of establishments not in scope in the 1954 Census. This is significant only to the extent that milk dealers (dairies) and stores with annual sales between $500-$2,500 are important in the county.

Easter Cantata Apr. 1

The Nicholas County Ministerial Association announces that the annual Easter cantata will be given here on Sunday afternoon, April 1, in the Christian church. Capt. Thomas Siwicki of Paris, will direct the cantata. The first rehearsal was held Wednesday night at 8 p.m. when musicians of the city churches attended.

Group Protests Tax Removal

At a called meeting at the Carlisle Methodist church Sunday night the official board protested removal of tax from Keeneland race track.

Transylvania College, Lexington, and Georgetown College have already refused the promise or gifts in case the tax is removed.

Auction Date Re-Set
Saturday, February 11 at 10 A.M.
House and Household Goods
Located on Ishmael Chapel Road ½ Mile From Myers Station Road
Owner—MRS. MOLLIE KIMES
Fightmaster Real Estate Agency
"Let us handle your next sale—You will be satisfied"

Public Sale
Wed., Feb. 8 at 10 o'clock
7 Room House & Personal Property
Located in Moorefield opposite the school house. To settle the estate of Henry Wade, we will offer at Public Auction his home consisting of 7 rooms and bath with garage, meat house and chicken house, cellar and setting on a large lot. This is a frame house and in good repair. Has all the conveniences that anyone would wish for. Close to good grocery stores, bank, good school and churches. This property will suit anyone that is interested in a good home, in one of Nicholas County's better little towns. This property would make a good investment for those who wish to buy for rental purposes. Be there day of sale if you wish to buy.
Personal Property
1949 Plymouth low mileage, Toppan gas stove, refrigerator, deep freeze, new oil heater (Super Flame), 2 bed room suites, washing machine, over stuffed chairs, dining room suite, lot of cooking utensils, chairs, table and other articles too numerous to mention.
Property will be shown by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Owings or the selling agent.
TERMS—Announced day of sale.
ADMRX.—Rebecca Wade Gudgell.
ATTORNEY—Joe F. Conley.
Sale Conducted By
EARL HAMM
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For better and more economic farming see Allis-Chalmers tractors & farm machinery, and what's more they are so easy to own.

Did you know that we can deliver you a new tractor for as little as $525.00 cash down payment? Or possibly your old tractor as down payment and you can pay the balance in three payments!

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Stop by and let's talk trade, you'll be glad you did.

Dampier Motors
Phone 66
Allis-Chalmers a great name in farm machinery
Sales—Service

happy to see a steady flow of letters bearing checks and money orders—no cash, please—reminded taxpayers today that payments should again be made to the order of the Internal Revenue Service, P. O Box 60, Louisville, Kentucky.

"The vast bulk of Kentucky taxpayers will find no difficulty in making out their own returns, especially if they use Form 1040A," Mr. Gray said. "But for those who have a problem or two, our office stands ready to give assistance or advice.

"It's true that the filing deadline is again April 15, but little or nothing is gained by waiting until the last minute to put up. Taking care of your payments now will help your government to carry on its important defense and construction programs and many other activities." Our committee, Stone emphasized will post orders for strawberry plants for all those wanting them, who plan to plant one half acre of strawberries or more.

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Prospective growers are urged to get their orders in for strawberry plants by Feb. 15.

ENTERS U. of KY.

Jimmie and Noel Williams, sons of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Williams, and recently returned from service, entered the University of Kentucky this semester.

Early Tax Filing Asked By IRS

Early filing of your 1955 income tax return will be a big help to Uncle Sam and will put behind you a detail that becomes a bigger headache the longer you put it off. That's the word from Wm. M. Gray, District Director of Internal Revenue.

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The district director stressed that careful reading of the instructions, accompanying the forms recently mailed out, will enable most taxpayers to prepare their own returns, often in less than an hour.

Aphids Damage Wheat

Grazing with sheep and spraying with Malathion were used to stop aphids which damaged wheat on the farm of Howard Pickering in Caldwell county. Large areas were destroyed, according to UK County Agent Levi Oliver. The aspect continued active even after cold weather and frost. Sheep ate down the growth which seemed to be protecting the insect.

Straw and sawdust were used to mulch strawberries on several farms in Estill county.

Clarence Powers produced 102 bushels of corn an acre to win the corn derby in Whitley county.

Public Auction Re-Set
Otis Caswell sale of 110-acre farm and personal property will be held
Monday, Feb. 6 at 10 A.M.
SALE CONDUCTED BY
EARL HAMM
AUCTIONEER AND REAL ESTATE AGENT
"Your business will please me—My service will please you."
Carlisle, Ky. Phone 5121

Public Sale
58 Acre Farm
Tuesday, Feb. 7
At 10:30 A.M. On The Premises
We will offer for sale for Hiram Hogg his real estate, located one mile from Hughes quarters and six miles from Carlisle on Buffalo Trace road.
This farm is located in a good farming community, produces both quality and quantity crops.
The improvements consist of a home of 5 rooms and hall, new 4-bent tobacco barn, all other necessary outbuildings. All in grass but 2 acres, everlasting water supply. Tobacco base for the year of 1956 is .95 acre.
This farm is located near the leading markets a safe place to put your money.
Prospective buyers will be shown the farm by Mr. Hogg, the owner or by the selling agents.
Sale Conducted By
Scott-Kendall Sales Company
"It Makes A Difference" Carlisle, Ky.
Phones: 537-J-1 & 505-J-1

Public Sale
Feec, Livestock and Farm Machinery
Thursday, February 9, 10 o'clock
Dissolving partnership H. S. Fletcher & Charles Hamilton, on the H. S. Fletcher farm located on the Plum Lick road, 4 miles East of Little Rock.
1950 model Ford tractor, plows, harrow, mower, 2-row cultivator, tractor wagon, tractor lift, utility carrier, tractor scoop, 2 MG Mall chain saws, hammer mill, regular Farmall tractor, John Deere combine, ½ inch electric drill, tobacco steamer, stripping room lights, stripping room stove, water pump and hose.
Livestock
22 head of ewes, 4 yrs. old; 1 ram; 1 Jersey cow, fresh soon.
40-50 bbls. corn 5-6 tons hay.
Terms:—Cash.
Owners:—H. S. Fletcher & Charles Hamilton.
Sale Conducted By
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Phone 573-J-3 Carlisle, Ky.

Public Auction
Saturday, Feb. 4 10 A. M.
On Premises
Seven Room House At Headquarters
As I plan to move to the state of Mississippi I will on the above date and time sell my home.
This property is located in Headquarters and was the home of the late Henry Barlow. The home consists of seven rooms, back and front porch. Water pump and sink in kitchen. This property is in good condition, with all outbuildings in good repair. About one acre of land more or less with 1 10 acre tobacco base. Just a few feet from Headquarters school; church and grocery in walking distance.
A loan may be had on this property if the purchaser so desires. Property will be shown by owner or selling agent.
OWNER—Wm. FREDRICK.
Fightmaster Real Estate Agency
"Let us handle your sale—You will be satisfied"

Absolute Auction
Saturday, Feb. 4, 10 A. M. (cst)
On The Premises
In order to fully settle the estate of Mrs. John Fulton, deceased, I will sell at public auction, the house and lot located in Arnold Heights, Carlisle, Ky., formerly belonging to Mrs. Fulton.
This frame house is in excellent state of repair and on concrete post foundation, with all outside walls storm-sided with tongue and grooved flooring, and window frames made of cypress, the wood eternal.
This 2-story home has five large rooms, two halls, pantry, storage rooms, plenty of closets, and front and back porches.
Entire house is newly papered and painted.
It is located on large level lot in splendid neighborhood, with city water and gas within few feet and can be connected reasonably.
This will make someone a real home. So why go through all the worry and expense of building when you can buy this home which was built when materials were the best.
Also the following personal property:
1 mahogany finish four-poster bed, 1 walnut finish metal bed, 2 dressers, 1 wash stand, 2 oak stand tables, 2 rocking chairs, other chairs, large blanket chest, 1 feather bed, 2 sets good coil springs, 2 mattresses, 1 wheel chair, 1 beautiful floor lamp, electric; 1 table lamp, electric; 1 large buffet, 1 small dish cabinet, walnut; 1 utility cabinet, 1 Estate circulating heater, cool; 1 kitchen cabinet, 1 porch bench. Other smaller articles used in the average home.
Antiques
1 large six-leg cherry and maple drop-leaf table, 1 cherry and mahogany chest of drawers, 1 or 2 smaller tables, 4 antique chairs.
TERMS — Personal property cash. Real estate 10% cash, balance when deed is delivered on or before March 1st. With privilege of immediate possession.
Frank D. Scott, Administrator
Elizabeth Fulton Estate.
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Lexington, Ky.

County-wide Strawberry Meeting Set For February 28 At County Courthouse

The county-wide strawberry meeting planned by the Carlisle-Nicholas County Chamber of Commerce has been scheduled for Tuesday, Feb. 28 at the Nicholas County courthouse, Joe Allen Stone, chairman of the strawberry committee announced.

W. I. Farmer, specialist in marketing of fruits and vegetables has been engaged to assist with the meeting along with two farmer strawberry producers from Trimble county.

"Of immediate concern to future strawberry growers of the county," Mr. Stone stated, "is the necessity of securing high quality strawberry plants of the right variety." Our committee, Stone emphasized will post orders for strawberry plants for all those wanting them, who plan to plant one half acre of strawberries or more.

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Blue Jackets Avenge Earlier Defeat By Downing Bourbon County Colonels

By W. F. Woodall

Avenging an earlier defeat Tuesday night, the Nicholas County Blue Jackets knocked off the Bourbon Vocational Colonels 52-47 After trailing at the end of the first canto 9-12, the Blue and White came back to tie the count 26-26 at the half and 36-36 at the third period. Jennings lead the local squad with 26 points.

In the clash Friday night between the Nicholas County Blue Jackets and the Owingsville Bobcats on the local hardwood, the big proud to be the best defense for the visitors Donnie Hollock wasn't able to dress for the game and Billy Mathis, who looked out before the half, had been fighting the bug all week.

Valuable Experience

The contest, which was a listless and rough affair, enlisted coach Fussell an opportunity to test the depth of his squad. Downing, Rose and Taylor, who usually watch the game from the bench, gained valuable experience in that they were called upon to pull their share of the load, under the circumstances. Failing to crack the scoring barrier, Downing did a creditable job at the guard position while Rose and Taylor were cracking the net with six and four respectively. Most evident was the failure of the Jackets to control the back board when big 6-7" Neal Jennings was on the bench.

A total of 41 fouls were called, 22 against the Jackets and 19 against the Bobcats.

Jumping to an early lead in the first quarter the Jackets were out in front 16-9 at the stop, 29-25 at the half, and 45-35 at the end of the third canto.

Individual Action

In individual action, Letcher paced the local squad. Denver pumped through seven field goals and two fouls, 10 points. Jennings who played approximately three quarters, registered three from the field and seven points from the 15 points, Lyman got 13, hitting six from the field and three at the charity line, dropping through eight. Mathis netted three from the field and two at the foul line before fouling out in the second quarter.

Substitute Rose, topped in three scorers among six counters while another second stringer, Taylor, hit two goals from the field and a lone foul. Downing failed to score.

For one of the few times this season the Jackets failed to hit their opposition at the foul line. Nicholas hit at a 7 333 rate as the Bobcats recorded a .548 average.

Saturday Night

Saturday night the Blue and White will play host to Dixie Cavern and Paradise will try to repeat an earlier victory over Brackin County at a contest at Brooksville.

In a first round game of the CKC Tournament at Harrodsburg Thursday night, Paris Wildcats were defeated by a powerful Somerset five 83-53. The Paris squad went on to beat Georgetown in the semi-finals and down Bryan City in the final taking the championship which the Lexington squad had held for three consecutive years.

Fish, Game Club Meet Friday Night

Dewey Watkins, president of the Nicholas County Fish and Game club announced this week that the regular meeting of the organization would be held Feb 10 at 7 o'clock.

An oyster supper will be served.

Basketball Tonight

The basketball game between Carlisle high and Orangeburg which was postponed recently due to bad weather, will be played Thursday night, Feb. 9 tonight.

SAILS—Pvt. Clarence Mullins, who entered military service in May 1955 and completed his basic training at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., sailed recently to the Far East. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sid McIlvain of Moorefield.

WIRE RECEIVED
Congressman John C. Watts advised that the House Agriculture Committee today voted unanimously to favorable report HJ RES. 455 which he had introduced. This measure provides for restoration of 15% Burley cut which had been imposed by Secretary of Agriculture Benson on Dec. 1, 1955. The congressman stated that he was highly pleased by the action of the committee and he was extremely hopeful for early favorable action by the House.
John C. Watts, M.C.

Alexander Names Horse Show Date

Russell Alexander, announced Monday that the date for the annual horse show had been released by the Central Kentucky Horse Show Association as Saturday, Aug. 4.

Keller Hughes, Mr. Alexander, Ben Pumphrey and Estill Walton attended the CKHS meeting held Feb 5 at the Campbell House, Lexington.

Mr. Alexander was elected a director of the organization. Also announced was a meeting of the executive committee of CAJHS at Paducah Tuesday night, Feb. 14 at Roger Wornack's office where discussion would center on rules for measuring ponies and establishment of a point system.

Farm Management Class Tonight

The second in a series of Farm Management meetings for adult farmers will be held tonight at 7 p.m. in the Agriculture room of the Nicholas County high school.

At the first meeting, the discussion centered around farming as a business. Ways of making it a profitable business were pointed out. Each of these elements of successful farming is to be the main topic of a follow up meeting. Tonight's subject will be What effect does size of business have on farm earnings? Ways of measuring size of business will be discussed. Also ways of increasing size of business.

Attendance will be focused on low cost crops and their relation to size of business and farm earnings.

To Address Local Rotary Club Tonight

Harold Poindexter, of Cynthiana, post District Governor of Rotary District No. 235 is guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Carlisle organization tonight (Thursday).

Mr Poindexter was originally scheduled to speak on Jan. 19, but due to the icy road conditions was unable to be here.

90 Get Polio Immunizations

During a series of clinics held at the high and Orangeburg schools the last two weeks, 90 polio vaccine immunizations were received by children in the age group of 1 year thru 19, in Nicholas County.

A recent survey in the state of Kentucky shows that the highest percentage of the children stricken with polio is in the age group between the ages of 1 year through 5 years of age. These figures do not represent 1955 presentation since the Salk Vaccine became available to the first and second grade pupils through the National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis.

Dr. B. F. Reynolds, health officer of the local health department is pleased to announce that another shipment of the Polio Vaccine has been received and is available to the age group of 1 year through 19 years of age.

Dr. Reynolds urges parents to take advantage of this splendid opportunity to receive this vaccine before the polio season starts. There is no charge for these immunizations. The vaccine is also available to pregnant women at the health department.

Directors Meeting Tonight For C of C

Directors of the Carlisle-Nicholas County Chamber of Commerce are reminded of a meeting set for tonight (Thursday) by Chamber president, Ralph Shearer.

ONE, TWO, THREE SNIP—Flashed just before the scissors cut through the ribbon, the above picture shows Mayor Bill Power at the opening ceremonies last week of the new Country Boy store. From left to right are Bob Courtney, Prentice Bach, Bill McDaniels, both IGA supervisors; and Lennie Courtney.—Mercury photo

Polio Funds Get $1,621.90 As Local Drive Ends

Officers of the Nicholas County Infantile Paralysis Chapter announced the total of all contributions received during the recent polio drive as $1,621.90.

Serving the chapter were Mrs. Dan Wells, president, Mrs. Paul Stone, vice president, and Mrs. J. D. Shield jr., secretary, all of whom expressed their thanks to the many workers who helped make the polio drive such a success.

Talent Show Winners

Winners in the talent show announced by Joe F. Conley, Feb 1 at Nicholas County high school were: Lead an Parts, first place; Millenburg, second and Cynthiana, third.

School Contributions

Schools and their contributions to the polio drive are as follows: Nicholas County high school, $32.00; Parks, $12.50; Moorefield, $23.15; Ellisville, $25.40; Myers, $13.05; Carlisle city school, $65.51, and East Union $6.45.

Tobacco Meeting To Be Held Friday

The annual meeting of tobacco growers will be held on Friday afternoon, Feb. 10 at 1:30 p.m. at the Lyric Theater building. W. T. Straw, county agent has announced.

Russell A. Hunt, field agent in tobacco, University of Kentucky will be present and discuss the present tobacco situation. Special arrangements have been made with Walter Wyrick, owner of the Lyric Theater to hold the meeting in the theater.

Colored slides will be shown on production practices recommended for 1956 and the overall barley situation will be discussed by Mr. Hunt. A discussion of varieties and fertilizing of the 1956 crop will be explained.

All tobacco growers in the county are invited to attend.

P.-T.A. Founders Day Program Wednesday

The Carlisle P.-T.A. met Wednesday at 3 p.m. in the city school. Founders Day program was presented by Mrs. B. F. Reynolds. Past presidents were recognized.

After the meeting tea was served in the recreation room of the school.

The floral arrangement for the table was presented by Mrs. Nolan Young in honor of her mother, Mrs. Henry M. Potts, who was the first president of the Carlisle P.-T.A.

Mrs. Nate Young presided at the punch bowl. She was assisted by Mrs. William Finty, Mrs. A. B. Crouch and Mrs. Warren R. Fisher jr.

Council Holds Regular Meeting

Gene Purvis Hired As Night Policeman

The Carlisle city council held its regular meeting Tuesday night with all councilmen in attendance.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Building permits were granted Paul Smoot to tear down and rebuild with concrete block building at the rear of his residence on Chestnut street.

Walter Wyrick permission to build front of Lyric Theatre and allow cover to extend approximately 11½ feet onto sidewalk. Approved.

Discussion of annexation held, no definite plans made.

Brooks Henson, gas superintendent, explained to council that a break in the gas exterior line had resulted in the exterior liquid leaking onto the ground at the gas station. Henson hastened to explain that there was no danger from what had occurred, but that the small seep very displeasing and would soon evaporate.

Several men were mentioned for the job of night policeman, and after much discussion Eugene Purvis was selected and hired as of Saturday night, Feb. 11.

On a motion by Councilman Woodrow Wilson, seconded by W. H. Frey and passed, it was agreed that delinquent tax accounts be advertised and the property offered for sale if accounts are not paid.

Council passed an ordinance adopting the county's tax assessment, doing away with the city tax assessor and board of equalization, fixing dates to coincide with the county's and making a blanket increase on property in the amount of 20 percent. The increase raises necessary funds for the city's operation and at the same time lowers taxes of individual property owners.

The ordinance in full will be found on Page 8.

Flora Wins Honor At UK School

Johnnie Ray Flora recently attended a 4-H Leaders' tractor program training meeting at the University of Kentucky and during the three days workshop Mr. Flora attended classes conducted by factory specialists from all leading farm tractors. At the close of the session, Mr. Flora was presented a case of tools and for completing the top score among some 40 leaders in the state.

Johnnie Ray presently, is conducting the 4-H Tractor Maintenance program held in the local garages. Thirty-three 4-H members and parents attended the organizational meeting held Thursday, Feb. 2 at Dampier's Garage.

A second meeting will be held in Bantin's Garage Thursday, Feb. 9 at 7:00 p.m.

All 4-H members and boys and girls eligible for 4-H club work are invited to attend.

Mrs. Letton Heads Easter Seal Campaign Here

Mrs. Harold Letton of Carlisle Route 2 will head the Easter Seal campaign in Nicholas County, it was announced today.

Talton K. Stone, state chairman, said the drive will open March 18 A week later, 400,000 Easter Seal letters will be mailed to Kentucky residents, asking for contributions to continue the work of the Kentucky Society for Crippled Children.

Ninety per cent of Easter Seal funds stay in Kentucky. The rest, slightly, under 10 per cent, goes for national services including a new research program.

"The New Easter Seal Research Foundation, which will give its first grants later this year, will come to be important to each of us," Stone said.

FIREWORKS!
Members of Nicholas Post 17, American Legion plan to begin the annual Blackberry Festival on July 4 and continue the event through July 7. Tentative plans call for the fireworks and music program on the Fourth. Selection of committees and festival chairman will be made at a forthcoming meeting of the organization.

UK Will Honor Local Teacher

Mrs. Mary Frances Fisher, daughter of Mrs. Alice R. Fisher and the late Dr. J. W. Fisher is one of the Kentucky teachers who will be honor guests at the University of Kentucky's Founders Day observance on Wednesday, Feb. 22. Guests are honored for teaching 45 or more years, and all actively engaged in the profession. Miss Fisher became a member of the teaching staff of the Carlisle city school the fall after her graduation from the institution, and for a number of years, has taught the second grade.

Miss Fisher has the distinct honor of teaching three generations. We only an untiring efficient teacher, she is one of Carlisle musicians, having served as organist at the Christian church for many years, and active in civic and religious work of our town. She was head of the primary department of the Christian Sunday school for many years, also caring for her mother, who has been ailing health for several years.

The University will entertain the veteran educators during the day and will recognize them at the formal program to be held at 8:15 p.m. (CST) in Memorial Coliseum. Friends of education throughout the state are invited to be present.

Fightmaster Sales

The Fightmaster Real Estate Agency reports the following sales of farm of 43 acres, located on Bald Hill road, for Clayton Curtis to J. E. Anderson. Possession March 1.

A house and lot located on Lower Jackstown road for Reynolds Lemons to Clayton Curtis. Possession March 1.

A farm of 45 acres located on Miller Station road for Clyde Alexander to Frank Terrell. Possession March 1.

DOUGHERTY LODGE MEET FRIDAY NIGHT

Charles Hopkins, worshipful master of Dougherty Lodge No. 65, F. & A.M. announced a meeting of the organization for Friday night, Feb. 10 beginning at 7 o'clock.

MISS RITCHIE IN RECITAL

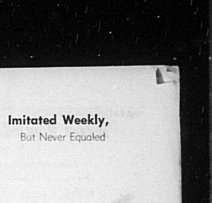
Miss Bonnie Ritchie of Myers was one of the piano students to appear in recital in the Transylvania Fine Arts Building Tuesday night. The piano show was with Miss Janet Carr, of Middletown, Ohio.

VFW MEETING SET

The Lloyd George Post 8666, Veterans of Foreign Wars will conduct a meeting Tuesday night, Feb. 14 at the club rooms. The meeting will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

APPOINTED DIRECTOR—Glenn Clay of Carlisle, owner of Clay's Seed Company was appointed a director of the Kentucky Seed Improvement Association at a meeting of that organization held Feb. 1. He was also named to the association's executive committee.

Burglars Blow Supermarket Safe, Break-in City And County Schools; Similar Looting Reported In Fleming



SMASHED—This safe at Costney Bros. was apparently blown with nitroglycerine between 1 and 3 a.m. Monday. Burglars took $1,032 in cash and $2,254 in checks. The checks, bank books, insurance papers and other contracts were recovered later Monday morning when Clifton House discovered them in his mail box a mile west of Moorefield.—Mercury photo

Entrance to the grocery was obtained when thieves using a glass cutter cut a section from the front door of the new store. The theft was discovered when the store opened for business Monday morning.

Investigating officers Paul Cameron, police chief and State Trooper Joe Meehan said the blast crumbled a 12-inch concrete reinforcement on the safe door and ripped the combination off.

Also reported was a break-in at the Carlisle city school where $13 was taken, $7 from a polio container and $6 from a soft drink machine. Entrance was made on the second floor by use of a fire escape on the north side of the building.

Parks School Entered

Sheriff J. Milton Fryman and Maurice Cameron, deputy sheriff, discovered a back window of the Parks schoolhouse on the Lower Jackstown road Sunday night and stole a small amount of money and some food from the lunch room.

Fleming County Firms Entered Tuesday

It was reliably reported Wednesday afternoon, that the Farmers Supply, of Ewing, owned by Jack Atkinson, former Nicholas County resident was entered Tuesday night. Nothing was reported missing.

The IGA grocery of Edward Frederick, of Ewing, was entered and thieves carried his safe out into the country where it was found on the Buchanan pike near Cowan with the door blown. No estimate of the amount of loss was given.

The Elizaville school was entered and thieves emptied a cheese snack before departing.

Also entered was the Nepton schoolhouse. Nothing reported missing.

Four Indicted By Grand Jury

Four indictments, including one for willful murder, were returned by the grand jury Monday at the opening of Nicholas County Circuit Court.

Names in indictments were the following:

Clinton Myers, of the Blue Licks section, willful murder. He is accused in the fatal shooting of Charlie Hamm in December. The shooting occurred near Blue Licks.

Kenneth and Norval Sparks, both of Winchester, charged in December with a break-in at Allison's filling station near town.

Spears Collins Sr., uttering and delivering a cold check.

James Neal, charged with failure to comply with a court order. Court will reconvene at 9 a.m. Monday Feb. 13, according to Miss Beulah Hughes, circuit clerk.

Grand Jury

Mrs. Thomas C. Johnson, James Simmons, R. T. Brassfield, Geo. Hunnican—Foreman, Everett Watkins, Henry Livingood, Claude E. Fryman, Paul Garrett, Mrs. Charles Hopkins, Mary Lou Clark, Lucille Buntin, Clarence Akin-ander.

Petit Jury

Gayle Brady, Mrs. Geo. Griffin, Mrs. Gobel Henry, Jake Eurlywine, Mrs. Jim Williams, Joe Wilson, Mrs. Ollie Ray Cannon, Joe Mouser, G. W. Townsend, Mrs. Marshall Ruddell, J. E. Soper Jr., Rubel Williams, Roy Wagoner, Mrs. Ruth Hollar, John W. Webb, J. H. Hardwick, Ed Barber.

CASWELL FARM SOLD

The farm of 110 acres, located on Highway 68, belonging jointly to Otis Caswell and the late Mrs. Lizzie Caswell, was sold at public auction Tuesday morning by Otis Caswell at $191.25 per acre, totaling $21,037.50.

The sale was handled by Earl Hamm, auctioneer and realtor. Personal property sold at satisfactory prices.

SCHOOL FUND

Support for the annual junior-senior trip fund begins Feb. 17 with a chili supper at the Carlisle high school. Tickets may be purchased from any junior or senior student.

Scouts To Run Local Government

Boy Scout Troop 13 under the supervision of Scott Kendall, scoutmaster, will assume management of the town today (Thursday).

Scouts will not be selected until today for their respective offices. Mr. Smith stated. The change in procedure is being made to alleviate confusion which has existed heretofore, he added.

Chili Supper

Climaxing Troop 13's day of administering law and order, a chili supper will be given On Sunday, Feb. 12 the troop will attend the Presbyterian church, and on Thursday, Feb. 16 a Scout Board of Review will be held.