

Opinion

It's about time

The Last Battle of the Revolutionary War, fought at Blue Lick Battlefield on Aug. 19, 1781, will be commemorated next Tuesday at the Park from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Many people who live in this area have never seen the battle site. The park was built to honor these brave pioneers and this Revolutionary battle.

Solar tax break

Sun power needs a financial push. Many companies are ready to build solar heating units but they need a fairly large market to get the prices down. Solar energy can save people many dollars in the country. But because of the climate and cost of heating fuel it may take as long as 10 years to pay for itself. The initial cost is a major obstacle. Homeowners

20 and 40 years ago

Thursday, August 8, 1955
Miss Fannie Lee Newby of Richmond, Ky., and Lafayette, Ind., has accepted a position at Nicholas County, Ky. She will be in charge of x-ray technicians. She will reside at the nurses home on Turman Avenue.

Thursday, August 11, 1955
Three crews were at work on the construction and concrete forms on culverts on the Lower Jacksons Pike Wednesday morning.

R.O. Street has purchased the residence of the late Dr. O.S. Kash on Locust Street from the heirs at a private price.

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Letters

To the Carlisle Mercury:
Some of Nicholas county's small cemeteries and family graveyards are being neglected. We ask your help in preserving the data contained in them. A chapter of the History of Nicholas County is being devoted to this subject, and research is still incomplete.

Many dignitaries will be attending the celebration on Thursday. Anyone who is in a position to attend, should so that those dignitaries may realize that the voters are interested in improvements at Blue Licks—especially a lodge.



Family are filling up their plates Tuesday night, Aug. 2 at the family picnic held by Southern States Carlisle Cooperative at Nicholas County High School. Brian's Bluegrass Boys provided music for the large crowd that attended.—Duncan photo

Russ Metz!
Oldtimers understood insurance, they set their own odds

People who think the motorcycle gangs are bad about going around beating up people with their chains, well, until they get into the motorcycle insurance on their bikes.

Old timers would have guessed this one. They had the time for their studies. These insurance policies were studied every year before getting a used potter and egg money for it. Most of them looked on insurance as a waste.

from our readers

by Warren R. Fisher

It was Thursday morning, a week ago, I was called to answer the telephone, (no one in this shop ever asks of the caller who they might be!) I heard, and I repeat, "I just read your Mercury Vapor article on the new daily newspaper carrier." You'd better tell him that he's gonna lose more customers, if he don't deliver them earlier!

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Kroger is good customer

The Kroger Company, which operates 82 supermarkets in Kentucky recently released figures indicating it also is one of the state's good customers.

In its annual report of purchases by state, Kroger reported that it spent \$18,653,813 for Kentucky products and services in 1974.

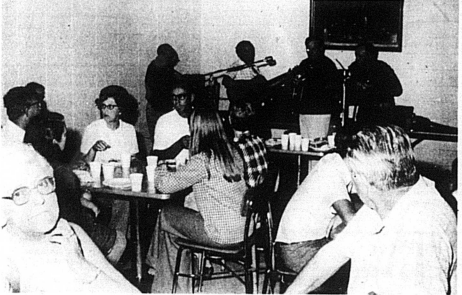
Mike Sawall, vice president of the marketing area which operates the stores in this area, said that approximately \$7.9 million of the total represents purchases of products from Kentucky farms and plants.

While much of this product was bought for sale in our stores in Kentucky, Sawall said, "We also buy products here for sale in Kroger stores throughout the south and midwest, thus broadening the market for Kentucky County products and eggs here last year, \$28.4 million for meats and poultry; \$25.5 million for canned and packaged goods; \$2.3 million for fresh fruits and vegetables, and \$3 million for products other than food which are sold in our stores.

Saltwell Methodist Women met Aug. 4

The Saltwell United Methodist Women met on Aug. 4 at the Saltwell Church, with 15 in attendance. Mrs. Vaughn Mattox gave the invocation, followed by the opening hymn and scripture reading by Barbara Snapp.

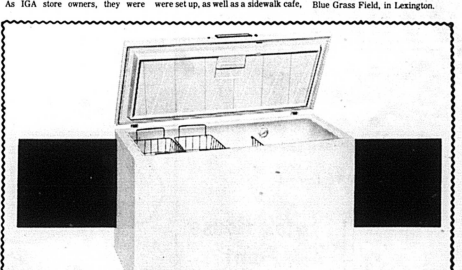
The next meeting of the United Methodist Women will be held on Sept. 8, and will include a Bible study to be led by Bettie Livingston. All persons are welcome to attend.



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Local IGA owner and wife receive free trip

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rosser, owners of the local IGA store, have received word that they are winners of an all expense paid trip to Paris, France. The trip was first prize in the IGA Value-Go-Round a contest they are open for customers at the office, Courthouse, Carlisle, Kentucky 40311.



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GENERAL REVENUE SHARING	ACTUAL EXPENDITURES	PERCENTAGE MAINTENANCE
1. PUBLIC SAFETY	3,835.	100%
2. EDUCATION	36,220.	100%
3. HEALTH		
4. RECREATION		
5. LIBRARIES		
6. SOCIAL SERVICES		
7. FINANCE		
8. MISCELLANEOUS		
9. TOTALS	36,220.	1,835.

THE GOVERNMENT

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As Related General Revenue Sharing	\$70,392
During the period from July 1, 1974 through June 30, 1975	\$1,091,091
NICHOLAS COUNTY GOVERNMENT CARLISLE, KENTUCKY 40311	
COUNTY CLERK CHARLES L. DUNCAN	
COUNTY COMMISSIONER JERRY ROSSER	
COUNTY ATTORNEY JERRY ROSSER	
COUNTY ENGINEER JERRY ROSSER	
COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT JERRY ROSSER	
COUNTY SOCIAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT JERRY ROSSER	
COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION JERRY ROSSER	
COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH JERRY ROSSER	
COUNTY BOARD OF RECREATION JERRY ROSSER	
COUNTY BOARD OF LIBRARIES JERRY ROSSER	
COUNTY BOARD OF FINANCE JERRY ROSSER	
COUNTY BOARD OF MISCELLANEOUS JERRY ROSSER	

BLACKTOPPED—Thanks are due the Vandalhanding. Now maybe this

City Council, Mayor and Gayle newly surfaced alley between Elm and

MAGIEWORD

HOW TO PLAY: Read the list of words. Look at the puzzle. You'll find three words in all directions—horizontally, vertically, diagonally, backward. Draw a circle around each of a word found in the puzzle. Don't write the words in the puzzle. Write the words on a separate sheet of paper. Write the words on a separate sheet of paper. Write the words on a separate sheet of paper.

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