



*Daddy, what did YOU do in the Great War?*

# World War I Council of Defense



**ANNUAL REPORT**

**OF THE**

**KENTUCKY COUNCIL OF DEFENSE**

**DECEMBER 31, 1918**

# Report to Governor Stanley

## **Report of the Activities of the Kentucky Council of Defense to January 1, 1919.**

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To the Honorable A. O. Stanley, Governor of Kentucky.

Sir:—

In May, 1917, soon after the United States entered the war, you as Governor, acting upon the request of the President and the Secretary of War, appointed a State Council of Defense to act as a branch of the Council of National Defense, which was created by Act of Congress, approved August 29, 1916. Mr. Embry L. Swearingen, of Louisville, was appointed by you as chairman of this Council, and three members were appointed for each Congressional District, and a County Council of at least three members for each county. Mr. Swearingen served as chairman of the State Council until October, 1917, when he was compelled to resign on account of sickness in his family, and was then succeeded by Edward W. Hines, as chairman.

By an act of the Kentucky Legislature, approved March 15, 1918, the Kentucky Council of Defense was created. Section 14 of this act provides that the Council shall render to the Governor on the first day of January in each year an account of its activities during the preceding year and of the expenditure of all funds drawn from the State Treasury.

On March 30, 1918, at a conference called by you in Louisville, Kentucky, for the purpose of organizing the Kentucky Council of Defense the following citizens of Kentucky were duly appointed members of the Council: Edward W. Hines, Owsley Brown, Robert E. Hughes, H. H. Cherry, William D. Cochran, S. R. Collier, Samuel H. Halley, and Richard C. Stoll. Edward W. Hines was named as chairman. Shortly thereafter Sigmund A. Lee was also appointed a member of the Council.

Owsley Brown was elected Treasurer.

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FRANKFORT

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MAJOR HENRY F. RHODES

U.S.R., Chief, Selective Service Department and Disbursing  
Officer and Agent of the United States  
in Kentucky.

J.T. OLIVER

Chief Clerk

A.D. HEAD

Assistant Chief Clerk

JOHN RHEA MAXEY

MISS CATHARINE B. McNAMARA

MISS CLARA MOLLER TOBIN

Assistants.

## ELLIOTT COUNTY (continued)

W.M. Weddington, Sandy Hook.

John T. Redwine, Chief Clerk, Sandy Hook.

## ESTILL COUNTY.

Headquarters: Irvine.

Hebbert Henderson, Chairman, Irvine.

J.E. Alexander, Irvine.

Dr. B.S. Broadus, Irvine.

Hebbert Henderson, Chief Clerk, Irvine.

## FAYETTE COUNTY.

Headquarters: Lexington.

W.P. Roberts, Chairman, Greendale.

P.P. Johnston, Lexington.

Andrew Bowman, Lexington.

Mrs. Ada Bانشan, Chief Clerk, Lexington.

Theodore Lewis, Clerk, Lexington (dec'd)

### (City of Lexington)

Headquarters: Lexington, Court House.

Frank B. Jones, Chairman, Lexington.

E.B. Bradley, Lexington.

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Wilson, Lexington.

Miss Marie Bain, Chief Clerk, Lexington.

FOUR MINUTE MEN CARD REGISTRATION

Number of Registered  
Speakers: 42

State of Kentucky Local Address Lexington and Fayette County Branch

Name of Chairman Henry T. Duncan

<u>Name of Speaker</u>	<u>Street and Number</u>	<u>City and State</u>
J.E. Bassett	431 Fayette Park	Lexington, Ky.
George A. Bain	516 West Third St.	"
J.R. Bush	221 South Ashland Ave.	"
Rev. B. J. Bush	276 South Limestone St.	"
M.A. Cassidy	169 Kentucky Ave.	"
J. Bruce Davis	180 North Mill St.	"
J.R. Downing	244 North Broadway	"
W.G. Dunlap	613 Boonesboro Ave.	"
J.N. Elliott	515 North Broadway	"
E.F. Farquhar	Sayre Ave.	"
W.C.G. Hobbs	426 North Broadway	"
George R. Hunt	328 North Limestone	"
Maury Kemper	638 Elsmere Park	"
C.N. Manning	232 South Ashland Ave.	"
P.J. Sherry	519 Merino St.	"
Charles I. Stewart	605 Boonesboro Ave.	"
Dr. J.A. Stucky	905 East Main St.	"
Grover C. Thompson	E. Main and Owsley Ave.	"
W.H. Townsend	28 Mentelle Park	"
Matt S. Walton	16 Mentelle Park	"
Hogan Yancey	136 Forest Ave.	"
Henry T. Duncan	4 Mentelle Park	"

Cards and Buttons sent to all these Nov. 1, 1918.

M.R.H.

# Red Cross

## KENTUCKY WOMEN WHO SERVED WITH RED CROSS OVERSEAS.

### Continued

Miss Lorena Drane	Louisville, Ky.
" Margaret Druen	"
" Fannie Eales	Frankfort
Mrs. E.C.Fisk	Louisville
Miss Leslie Gardiner	"
" Cecil Gordon	"
" Beulah Griffin	Henderson
" Elisabeth Hawkins	Midway
" Elisabeth Horine	Covington
Mrs.Edith D.King	Lexington
Miss Sara Landau	Louisville
" Lucille Livingston	Newport
Mrs. M.C.Lloyd	Mt.Sterling
Miss Elisabeth Marshall	Louisville
" Mary Louise Marshall	"
" Georgia Norris	Henderson
" Nora G.O'Connell	Russellville
Dr.Alice Pickatt	Russellville
Miss Ethel H.Rose	Covington
Dr.Annie Veach	Russellville
Miss Mary Wheeler	Paducah
" Elisabeth Wigginton	Bowling Green
Miss Belle Cochran	Louisville
(not as far as New York)	



# American Protective League

C.S. Tandy	Carrollton	Carroll Co.
Clayton S. Hitchens	Hitchens	Carter
David T. Matlack	Winchester	Clark
Yancey D. Lyttle	Manchester	Clay
W.A. Dicken	Albany	Clinton
B.D. Hill	Hopkinsville	Christian
J.W. Blue	Marion	Crittenden
Ben D. Ringo	Owensboro	Davless
Cal S. Johnson	Brownsville	Edmonson
Dr. S.R. Collier		Elliott
Felix Kirby Struve	Irvine	Estill
Frank Battelle	Lexington	Fayette
J.M. McIntire	Flomingsburg	Fleming
O.B. Rogers	Wayland	Floyd
Mason R. Brown	Frankfort	Franklin
Syd L. Dodds	Hickman	Fulton
G.L. Walker	Lancaster	Garrard
F.A. Harrison	Williamstown	Grant
Ed. C. Orr	Mayfield	Graves
Ernest McClube	Leitchfield	Grayson
H.T. Morris	Greenup	Greenup
J.S. Gregory	Lewisport	Hancock
E.O. Fox	Harlan	Harlan
J.V. Norman	(Jefferson Co. Division)	Hardin

# War Bond / Liberty loan

## HISTORICAL WORK OF KENTUCKY COUNCIL OF DEFENSE.

### LIBERTY LOAN CAMPAIGNS IN Fayette COUNTY.

To the end that future generations may know what the citizens of this county did toward financing the World War, this brief record of the campaigns for the five great war loans is presented.

The organization was as follows:

Title	Name	Address
Chairman	1st, 2nd, 3rd Loans - J.W. Stoll,	Lexington, Kentucky.
	4th and Victory " - Geo. R. Hunt,	" "
Director of Publicity	Frank Dunn,	Secretary Board of Commerce, Lexington, Ky.
Director of Speakers	J. R. Bush,	Attorney at Law, Lexington, Ky.
Director of Sales	1st, 2nd, 3rd loans - J.W. Stoll,	Lexington, Ky.
	4th & Victory " - Geo. R. Hunt,	" "
Director of Bankers	Thos. A. Combs,	Lexington, Ky.
Director of Supplies	M. R. Turner (in all)	Lexington, Ky.
Director of Cities and Towns		
Director of Townships		

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Tacey, Robt. Wesley	
Triplett, Claude	635 Heatley
walker, John Riley	420 Clinton
washington, Thos.	222 E. Second
wooldridge, Ernest	309 Wilkinson St.
Woodson, John Walker, Jr.	254 E. Main
White, Earl	429 Hill
White, Wm. Henry	207 Murray St.
White, Jeremiah	313 Church
Woods, Robt	119 Logan
Wright, Roy	412 Clinton

### COLORED BOYS IN NAVY

Allen, Wm.	222 Blanton St.
Beekley, Wm.	212 Blanton
Childs, Alfred	
Cannanda, Jas. Robt.	321 E. Third St.
Chatmond, Geo.	510 W. Clinton

## NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF WHITE MEN IN THE SERVICE FROM FAIRFAX COUNTY, KENTUCKY.

Copied from official statements of service  
at Frankfort, Ky.  
.....

Abbott, Lake Cox	Lexington, Ky.
Adair, Hardin	"
Adams, Charles G.	"
Adams, Chester D.	"
Adams, Forest J.	"
Adams, Leslie W.	"
Adams, Maslin B.	"
Adams, Robert W.	"
Adams, Thomas	"
Adams, Thomas W.	"
Adcock, Byron	"
Alcorn, Emanuel	"
Alcorn, Flea	Elkhöster
Alcorn, Guy	Lexington
Alex, Tom	"
Alexander, Albert H.	"
Alexander, Jane Gayle	"
Alexander, Stanley S.	"
Alford, John Tucker	"
Allen, Albert H.	"

# Casualty Lists

## FAYETTE COUNTY WOUNDED

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BENJAMIN ALLEN	LEXINGTON, KY.
ALBERT T. ANDERSON	"
JOSEPH R. BARKER	"
DAVID W. BROCK	CLEVELAND
EUGENE CRANE	LEXINGTON
JOSEPH PAUL DEMARKEE	"
JAMES BOYNTON DENNIS	"
CLAUDE H. EDWARDS	"
GRANVILLE EDWARDS	"
WILL M. ELKIN	"
WALTER Y. ELY	"
TARLTON EMBRY (LIEUT)	"
JOHN B. ERD	"
JOHN E. ERDMAN	"
JAMES EVANS	"
ELMER FOSTER	"
LOUIS FRANKLIN	"
GONNIE PARIS FREDERICK	"
WILLIAM GOSHEL GORHAM	"
JAMES WILLIAM GREEN	AVON
ELIJAH FITCH GRIFFITH	LEXINGTON

# SATC University of Kentucky

## STUDENTS' ARMY TRAINING CORPS

Kentucky Boys Who Were Members of  
Students' Army Training Corps. at  
Camp Beall, Lexington, Kentucky.  
(University of Kentucky)  
During World War, 1917-1919.

Anker, Ralph Otis	Livermore, Ky.
Asree, Casper	Erlanger
Adams, John Newell	Somerset
Adams, Leslie Willis	Lexington
Adair, Hiram Tyro	Paris
Alexander John David	Gads, R. 1
Alibritton, Eben B.	Hurray R 7
Amon, Will Rice	Lansaster
Anderson, Crawford Covington	Mayfield R R
Arkle, George Pithian	Paris
Asbury, Thomas Jackson	Dover R 1
Asbury, William Taylor	Augusta R 1
Asher, Jr., Thomas Jefferson	Pisgahville
Atkins, Luther Bromley	Louisa
Aydalett, Boyd Alphonse	Water Valley
Bailey, Joseph Harrison	Englecl
Barger, Charles Reed	Columbia
Basher, William Jennings	Lexington R 9
Barnes, Jacob Pennobaker	Bardstow
Bartee, Bruce Orlean	Louisville
Barton, Vance Rogers	Wilton
Bauer, Louis Henry	Leesville
Bauch, Joseph Franklin	London

# State Poet

## MRS. L. H. SEA IS NAMED STATE 'WAR POETRY CHIEF'

Fred P. Caldwell, state historian for the Kentucky Council of Defense, yesterday announced the appointment of Mrs. Cecie Jackson Sea, of 111 East St. Catherine street, wife of L. H. Sea, a Louisville newspaper man, to be War Poetry Chief, in charge of a new department just created by the Council of Defense to gather and preserve Kentucky's war poetry.

In accepting the appointment Mrs. Sea urges every county historian in the state and every poet and poetess to co-operate with her to make the war poetry division a success.

It is Mrs. Sea's purpose, under the Council of Defense, to collect copies of all the verse written by Kentucky's poets, with a biography and photograph of the author.

-1-

Bring your garland and lay it most tenderly there  
Then peace for a space from the loud thoroughfare  
And drink of the atmosphere hallowed and deep  
That cradles the couch of our boy here's sleep.

-2-

You may not awaken by call or command  
Those eyes that closed in that far away land,  
But tribute you'll bring them by striving to know  
Just what they have given for country and foe.

-3-

Unflinching they went on their kindly crusade  
With a song on their lips; their hearts unafraid,  
While the blood of Kentucky leaped high at the thrill  
Of the glorious mission t'was theirs to fulfill.

-4-

T'was an alien cause and not of their own  
No impeachment of mother, or sister, or home,  
They went to redeem but a nation gone mad  
That women and children again might be glad.

-5-

Let the hearts of Kentucky bow reverently low  
As the breeze stirs the folds of the flag they loved so,  
And let them pledge honor, allegiance true  
To its splendid tri-color, the red, white and blue.

# Council of Defense Service Card

**KENTUCKY COUNCIL OF DEFENSE**  
**World War Historical Record**

Payette  
County

Name                   Hurst, Ollie Cowan                   NA UBA   OFFICER

Residence            455 Woodland Ave., Lexington Kentucky

Born in                Millersburg, Ky. Sept 16 Training Camp

Appointed             1891

Drafted into Federal service Aug. 5, 1917, as

Organizations and staff assignments: 78 Div 18 Inf to disch

Principal stations:    AEF Cp Jackson SC

Engagements:         Meuse Argonne

Wounds received in action: None.

Served overseas      Nov 1/18 to July 10/19

                          Hon disch July 31/19

Was reported         0         per cent. disabled on date of discharge, in view of occupation.

Remarks             Enl Serv: Inducted Lexington Ky., May 1/18 Ser No. 413,398  
                          Sup Co 51 Inf to Sept 13/18 Army Candidates School AEF France  
                          to disch Pvt 1 Cl June 14/18 Corp Aug 7/18 disch to accept com  
                          Oct 31/18--

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Form C



# Council of Defense Service Card

KENTUCKY COUNCIL OF DEFENSE		Fayette
World War Historical Record		County
Name	Breathouse, Jessie	<del>XXXXXXXXXX</del>
Residence	190 N. Upper St., Lexington, Ky.	ARMY NURSE
Born in	Augusta, Ky. Dec 5/83	Training Camp
Called into active service as	Nurse Apr 6/18	or CL
Appointed		
Drafted into Federal service	Aug. 5, 1917, as	
Organizations and staff assignments:	BH Up Leader to May 28/18; Mob Sta NY to July 11/18; ARS 40 to Apr 17/19; Demo's Sta NY to disch.	
Principal stations:		
Engagements:		
Wounds received in action:	None.	
Served overseas	July 11/18 to Apr 17/19	
Hon. Disch.	May 27/19	
Was reported	per cent. disabled on date of discharge, in view of occupation.	
Remarks	Reserve Nurse Relieved from active duty; not discharged.	

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Form O.

# Service Card and Casualty

KENTUCKY COUNCIL OF DEFENSE		Page No.
World War Historical Record		County
		White
		White or Colored
Name	Anderson, Albert T.	Army Serial No. 56-622
Residence	Lexington, Ky.	
Enlisted, RA-NG <del>REG</del> , Inducted at	Ft. Thomas, Ky.	on Apr 1/17
Place of birth	Lexington, Ky.	Age or date of birth 25/2/12 yrs
Organizations served in, with dates of assignments and transfers:	Co E 13 Inf to Oct 8/19; Co I 50 Inf to Feb 3/19; Co H 57 Inf to Fur to Res to disch	
Grades, with date of appointment:	Pvt 1. cl Mch 1/20	
Engagements:	Soissons	
Wounded in action (degree and date):	Severely July 21/18 also Oct 12/18	
Served overseas from	June 12/17 to Apr 11/19	
Honorably discharged on <del>re-enlistment</del>	for re-enlistment June 14 /20	
In view of occupation he was, on date of discharge, reported	0 per cent. disabled.	
Remarks	Degree of wound undetermined	

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Form B.

# Service Card and Casualty

KENTUCKY COUNCIL OF DEFENSE

County Payette

## CASUALTIES

Name Albert T. Anderson. Rank Private  
Home Address (P. O.) Lexington, Ky.  
Service address (including organization) A. E. F.  
Age at date of casualty \_\_\_\_\_ Married or Single \_\_\_\_\_  
Name and address of nearest relative Mrs. Annie E. Anderson, 165 Woodland Ave,  
Lexington, Ky.  
Relationship of nearest relative \_\_\_\_\_  
Father's Name and Address (if not given above) \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother's full Maiden Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Nature of casualty. (indicate by underscoring) Killed in action. Died of wounds. Died of disease. Died of accident.  
Wounded severely. Wounded—degree undetermined. Wounded slightly. Missing. Prisoner.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Previously reported w. severely  
Date of casualty \_\_\_\_\_  
Place of Casualty (underscore) Overseas. Camp \_\_\_\_\_  
Branch of service (underscore). Army—(Infantry—Artillery \_\_\_\_\_). Navy \_\_\_\_\_  
Authority for this record—U. S. Official Bulletin Jan. 8, 1919. p.11  
Remarks: w. severely Sept 6, 1918

Verified by me this \_\_\_\_\_ 1919.

COUNTY HISTORIAN

NOTE.—County Historians should verify the above information, fill any blanks not filled, and supply other interesting and valuable information, such as promotions, mention for bravery, newspaper notices, cuts, photographs, etc. The County Historian should personally verify and sign all casualty sheets and keep them in a safe place.

# Statement of Appreciation

## THE STATE OF KENTUCKY

*in profound appreciation of the Supreme Sacrifice for Country and  
Mankind made by*

*H. P. HEADLEY, JR. EMBUSQUÉ.*

*in the War for Civilization, offers to his Family and Friends  
this token of Gratitude and Sympathy.*

*Edward W. Hines*  
Chairman, Kentucky Council of Defense.

A. O. STANLEY,  
Governor.



*"I pray that our Heavenly Father may assuage the anguish of  
your bereavement, and leave you only the cherished memory of the loved  
and lost, and the solemn pride that must be yours to have laid so  
costly a sacrifice upon the altar of freedom."*

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

**APRIL 6TH, 1917 - NOVEMBER 11TH, 1918**

*Presented by Kentucky Council of Defense.*

(A copy of this Memorial Certificate was sent to the nearest relative of  
each Kentucky boy who lost his life in the service in the World War.)



1917

1919



THE MEN OF FAYETTE COUNTY  
WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES IN SERVICE  
DURING THE WORLD WAR

FRED W. BLACKMAN  
DON MULLIS BURDE  
MARSHALL COOPER  
HARRY W. CUNNINGHAM  
JOHN ON CLAY L. LEE  
CLARENCE GAUGH  
SYDNEY GORDON  
HERMAN GRAY MOORE  
ALEX. W. MATTINGLY  
EYUAS MARTIN  
GEO. PENNINGTON  
GEO. GEORGE CAMPBELL  
LESLIE ROBERT  
JOHN L. SEATYER  
LEONH. STONE  
BENJAMIN W. TERNON  
LESLIE J. COOPER  
W. W. PRESTON CLARK  
CART GRIFIN COCHRAN  
ROBERT W. DEWITT  
HUNTER MADDIE  
JOHN W. WILLIAMS  
MORTON TIPPON  
WILLIAM COLEMAN  
LESLIE N. CHILDER  
HENRY ADAMS

HARVEY DE VES  
LEWIS DE VES  
JAMES C. BRACKETT  
RUFUS C. COLE  
EVERETT R. CURRIE  
ANDREW W. ELLIOTT  
BERNARD J. GILSON  
CLAY W. LAYMAN  
LEUT. ALEX. W. BRIDGE  
JAMES H. POWELL  
HARVEY W. TULLY  
LEIGHURD F. BRUCE  
AUSTIN K. STRAYER  
COL. GEO. W. WASHINGTON  
COL. E. W. WILSON  
W. A. T. CROFT  
GEORGE FOX  
LEWIS H. HARRIS  
WALTER H. HATNER  
O. W. FLORES  
CHARLES S. TRUITT  
EDWARD H. BRADFORD  
W. E. HILL  
EDWARD EMERY  
OTIS WALKER  
JAMES COOPER

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HISTORY OF  
FRANKLIN COUNTY, KY.  
IN THE WORLD WAR, 1917-1919.

Volume I

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FRED P. CALDWELL, State War Historian

Under the direction and supervision of the

KENTUCKY COUNCIL OF DEFENSE

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LIST OF MEN FROM FRANKLIN COUNTY, KY.

IN SERVICE IN WORLD WAR, 1917 - 1919.

Compiled by HATTIE M. SCOTT, Frankfort, Ky.

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HISTORY OF

NELSON COUNTY, KY.

IN THE WORLD WAR, 1917-1919.

Prepared by Mr. Ludwell E. McKay, Bardstown, Ky.  
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War Historians for Nelson County, Ky.

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WHITESBORO COUNTY KENTUCKY  
IN THE WORLD WAR  
1917-1919