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# Kentucky Digital Library: More than just Tobacco, Bourbon and Horse Racing

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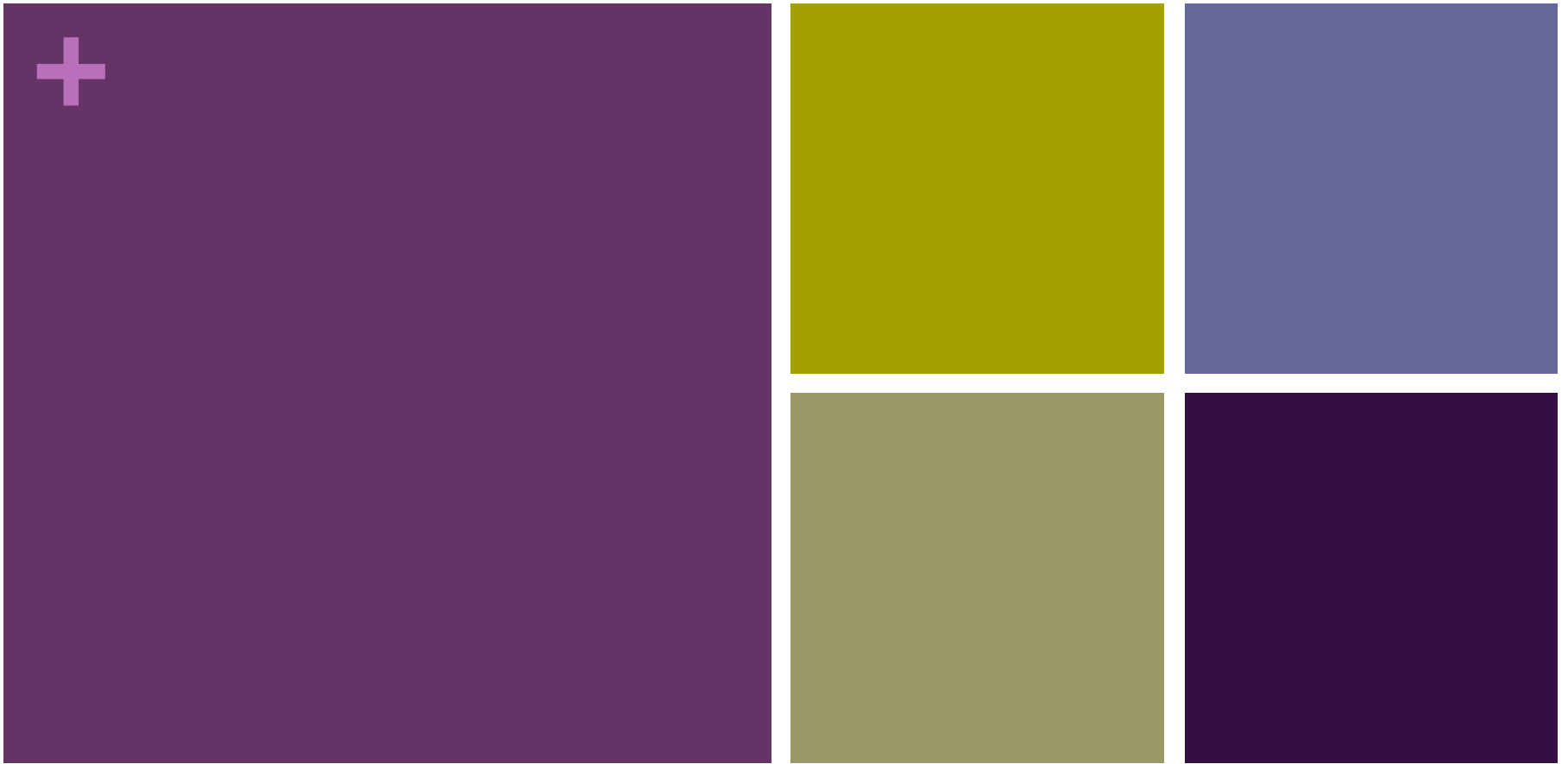
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# Kentucky Digital Library

More than just tobacco, bourbon  
and horse racing

# + The beginnings....



- Finding aids
- Photographs
- Maps
- Books on microfilm
- Newspapers on microfilm
- Manuscripts
- Audio and video

# + Boutique



- Early projects – looked good
- Not cost effective
- Not scalable
- But formative

# + Boutique to mass digitization

- Automating everything that we can
- Focusing on creating tools and services
- Continuing to streamline digitization workflow
- Creating more structure and guidelines





# Mass digitization of archival collections



- Tweak workflow for volume
- Process collections at folder level
- Digitize collections as they are in the folders

# + Repository Infrastructure

Blacklight discovery

DAITSS management

Micro services

File Store

# + Collections



- Newspapers (800,000 pages)
- Books (300,000 pages)
- Finding Aids (5,000)
- Photographs (110,000)



# + Collections



- Archival folder contents (22,000)
- Oral Histories (800)
- Maps (4,700)
- Other paginated publications (200,000)

# + Growing exponentially

- Providing more control over metadata
- Fast automated processing to get collections online
- DPLA will provide added incentives for more to participate





# The Kentucky DPLA Hub

Focus on our strengths - Newspapers



- 60+ year history preserving newspapers
- National Digital Newspaper Program (NDNP)
- Going beyond NDNP (over 800,000 pages)

# + Newspaper digitization

- NDNP Standards set by LC
- High volume
- Do parts of the process that require our expertise



*Cape*

E N T U C K E G A Z E T T E,

S A T U R D A Y, FEBRUARY 7, 1789.

LEXINGTON: Printed by JOHN BRADFORD at his Office in Main Street, where Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c. for this paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different branches done with Care and Expedition.

on the new road to the settle-  
ment by way of Big Sandy River  
Mr. Vancouver acquaints those  
people who may wish to settle  
in the aforesaid place, that on the tenth  
of February he will set out with  
himself from Stroud's station, to erect  
log-houses, and establish a Ferry  
on the new road crosses at the main  
fork of Big Sandy River. He will  
erect temporary log-houses at the ne-  
cessary Stations or resting places be-  
tween Stroud's and Sandy which he

THE time being come when  
in the opinion of the sub-  
scriber, the surveys of the Mi-  
ami purchase may be carried  
on with safety, The Indians  
for the present being avowedly  
peaceable in that quarter; those  
gentlemen who have applied for  
business in that department are  
hereby notified that the sur-  
veying is begun, and such as

THE Subscribers have now  
added to their general  
Assortment of dry Goods Groce-  
ries &c. &c. a compleat Assort-  
ment of medicines, which they  
will as usual dispose of on me-  
diate terms.

PETER JANUARY & SON.

Likewise a quantity of mi-  
litary land Warrants for sale.

CAME to the plantation of  
the subscriber, living about  
six miles from Lexington, on  
the Town fork of Elkhorn,  
about the twenty fourth of  
January last, a small bay mare  
about seven years old, four  
white feet and a small star in  
her forehead, no brand per-  
ceivable. The owner is desi-  
red to pay charges and take

# + Great newspaper content



- Westward expansion
- Appalachian communities and life
- African American newspapers
- Civil War newspapers
- Coal Camps
- Daily Racing Form



# The Kentucky DPLA Hub

Focus on our strengths – Oral History

- 30+ year history
- Louie B Nunn Center for Oral History
- Oral history in a digital age



# + Oral History Metadata Synchronizer (OHMS)

- Making oral history searchable
- Time stamp transcript
- Moving beyond the transcript
- Plug ins for other CMS





# From Combat to Kentucky

Interviews with student veterans  
Louie B. Nunn Center for Oral History, University of Kentucky Libraries

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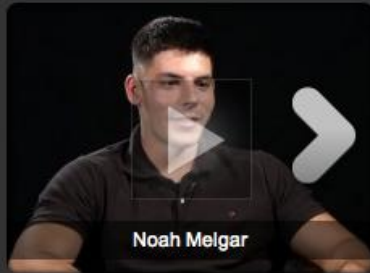
Anne Katherine Jones



Brandon Maurice Lawrence



Joseph Tyler Gayheart



Noah Melgar

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Eric Douglas Perry...



Derek Darlington...



James Medley...

### From Combat to Kentucky (C2Ky)

The Louie B. Nunn Center for Oral History at the University of Kentucky Libraries

C2Ky is an ongoing oral history project that documents Kentucky's student veterans and their individual experiences during the Iraq and Afghanistan Wars. Interviews will focus on each veteran's military experience as well as their transition back into civilian life, particularly into higher education.

# Interview with Joseph Tyler Gayheart, June 11, 2010

Close

Col. Arthur L. Kelly American Veterans Oral History Collection

2010OH057 WW 368  
Ian Jennings Abney, Interviewer



0:00 **CAMERAMAN:** We're on the record. If you wouldn't mind, I need you to do a couple things for me. Can you

**GAYHEART:** It's Joseph Tyler Gayheart, J-o-s-e-p-h T-y-l-e-r G-a-y-h-e-a-r-t.

**CAMERAMAN:** Okay. And, Tyler, do we have your full permission

**GAYHEART:** You do.

**CAMERAMAN:** Excellent. All right. Uh, I'm all set.

**ABNEY:** We're doing interviews for the Nunn Center Project, uh, Combat to Kentucky, and I'm sitting here with Tyler Gayheart. Tyler, let's get right into it as far as where you grew up.

**GAYHEART:** I'm originally from Frankfort, Kentucky, and—I was born in Ashland, Kentucky, uh, but I ended up moving to Frankfort with my mom when, uh, she was—divorced my father. So I grew up in

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# + Great oral history content



- Appalachian life
- World War I and II veterans
- Organized crime
- Bourbon Industry
- Horse Industry
- Peace Corps volunteers
- Robert Penn Warren interviews

# + The Kentucky DPLA Hub

Focus on our strengths – Archival Collections

- Civil War diaries, letters, photographs
- Slavery
- Reconstruction, Industrialization
- Civil Rights
- Appalachia, Frontier Nursing Service
- Commerce in the South



Left my home in Harrison  
County Ky. on the evening of the  
30th of Sep. 1861. to escape an  
arrest which I apprehended by the  
military authorities, this apprehension  
was based on the fact of information  
from sources entitled to credit, that  
my name was on the list made out  
of those to be arrested - the further  
fact that on the evening above men-  
tioned, and before I left I rec'd word

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Empowering others

- Digitization
- Metadata training
- Creating an onramp



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## Community Engagement

- Public events
- Scanning events
- Engaging specialized communities



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DPLA is....

- Supporting all the work we have done with the KDL to date
- Helping link our infrastructure to the “last mile”
- Helping us to engage with our community in new and creative ways







**Thanks for the opportunity!**