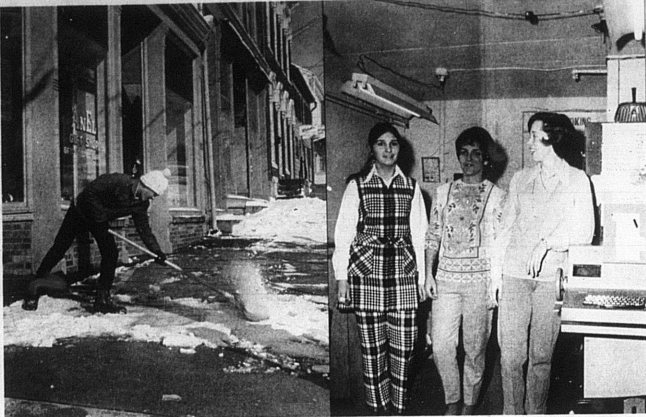


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The Aftermath Young Ricky Hardwick gives the snow above the old beaver ho making the snow and ice fly.

And Why Not! Pant suits! One of this trio is attractively attired in what a Paintsville High school principal won't allow students to wear.

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All Kentucky City Banquet, Feb. 25

An All Ky. City Banquet will be held on Thursday, Feb. 25, at 7:30 p.m. in the Blue Grass Industrial Dining Room.

The banquet, sponsored by the Carlisle-Nicholas County Chamber of Commerce, will take the place this year of the annual Industrial Appreciation Banquet.

James Carter, past chamber president, says that the banquet will honor Carlisle this year instead of industry because of the recent award bestowed upon the city.

Walt Dunley, past chairman of the Ky. Chamber's All Ky. City Contest and presently ex-

ecutive secretary of the Northern Ky. Chamber of Commerce, will be the guest speaker.

The banquet is open to the public and tickets may be purchased before Tuesday Feb. 23, from Chamber president Emerson Baker, Carter, Blair, Joseph H. Conley, or James Carter.

Jaycee Sound Citizen Program

Please!

Washington's birthday will be celebrated nationally on Monday, Feb. 15, this year instead of Feb. 22 as has always been tradition.

If at all possible, the Mercury staff is asking that news and pictures be submitted early because of this holiday.

Other holidays which will be celebrated on Mondays are Memorial Day, May 31; Columbus Day, Oct. 11; Veterans Day, Oct. 25; and Labor Day, Sept. 6.

Mrs. Michael Buckner Joins Mercury Staff

Mrs. Michael Buckner has joined the staff of the Carlisle Mercury. She replaces Mrs. Lyle Anderson who has resigned.

Mrs. Buckner will operate the typewriter machine and also will work in the makeup department on Mondays and Tuesdays each week.

\$7,000 Plum For County Vets

Nicholas County's World War veterans will have their bankrolls embellished this year to the tune of \$7,000.

That is the sum they will receive approximately, out of a total of \$275,000,000 that will be paid to veterans of World War I and World War II who have maintained their GI insurance policies.

The money has become available for distribution because the interest earned by the trust funds governing the policies has been unusually large and because the death rate among policy holders has been lower than was foreseen when the premium rate was set.

As a result, reserve funds have been built-up, enabling the Veterans Administration to make the refund.

Sharing in the distribution will be nearly 4,000,000 veterans of World War II who hold National Service Life Insurance policies

and 163,400 World War I veterans who are covered by U. S. Government Life Insurance.

Of the 390 veterans of the two World Wars residing in Nicholas County, only about 100 will be on the receiving end, the figures show. They are the ones who held on to their policies.

All for those in the local area who were involved in other wars, no distribution will be made to them.

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JAYCEE LITTLE LEAGUE

The Jaycee Little League Basketball games are under way. The boys play every Saturday morning at the City School Gym. The games start at 9 a.m. with three games being played.

The Jaycees urge the public to come and support the boys. There is no charge for admission.

Combs Campaign Committee Named

Berea College Dancers To Be At MMI Feb. 13

The Berea College Dancers will appear at Millersburg Military Institute at 8:00 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 13. This performance is sponsored by the Millersburg Military Institute Auxiliary with the cooperation of the Kentucky Arts commission.

The program will include dances of the Southern Appalachian mountains and other parts of the United States. English country dances will be featured with the young men performing the Harper Sword Dance from the north of England and the Bonon Morris Dance from Lancashire. Also included will be the Mummers Play, an ancient play concerned with the continuity of life, and some Danish dances.

Note This!

Letters to the Editor may be found on both Page 2 and 4 this week.

Watkins Injured In Florida

Charles W. Watkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Watkins and husband of Mrs. Connie Clifton Watkins, formerly of Carlisle, now stationed in the Navy at Elyson Field Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla., was painfully injured while doing exercises at the base recently. Watkins suffered a knee injury which required 4 hours of surgery. His condition is improved.

Too Much Snow

Blue Grass Industries worked a skeleton shift on Tuesday because of the large amount of snow which fell here on Monday. Employees were dismissed early Monday afternoon to enable them to return to their homes safely. -- Mercury picture

Ky. Taxpayers Pay 1.11% All Federal Taxes

Kentucky taxpayers will be required to pay out approximately \$2,544,120,000 in Federal taxes as their share of the cost of the Federal spending budget of \$229.2 billion proposed by President Nixon for the Federal fiscal year beginning July 1, 1971, according to an estimate today by the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce.

This estimate was based on the Chamber's calculations that Kentucky taxpayers bear 1.11 percent of all Federal taxes.

The statewide business organization pointed out that any change which Congress may make in this budget will reduce or increase the amount that Kentucky taxpayers will have to bear depending on whether Congress cuts or spends more.

The State Chamber noted that the \$229.2 billion spending estimate for the fiscal 1972 represents an increase of \$16.4 billion over the current estimate of \$212.8 billion for fiscal 1971 which in turn exceeds the 1970 outlay total by \$16.2 billion. These two spending increases totaling \$32.6 billion compare with a two-year increase of \$17.8 billion from 1968 to 1970.

The Chamber suggested that Congress should challenge and carefully study the future consequences of the "full employment budget" idea adopted by the President for 1972. This idea relates spending each year to revenues that would be generated under existing taxes and full employment rather than to actual anticipated revenues. It would permit sanguine acceptance of two successive deficits in 1971 and 1972 totaling \$30.2 billion, or only \$3.7 billion less than the two-year deficit of \$33.9 billion in 1967 and 1968 which was a major factor generating the inflation of the last few years.

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