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MERCURY MEMORIES

5 Years Ago

Thursday, November 19, 1987. Kevin G. Watkins has accepted a position at Griner Engineering in Bloomington, Indiana. His wife, Suzanne, is attending the school of Oometry at Indiana University. Kevin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald G. Watkins, Cliffway Drive. Suzanne is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Guthrie, North Street, Carlisle, and the late Bobby J. Jones.

20 Years Ago

Thursday, November 18, 1973. The local Kentucky Arm National Guard unit has contributed considerably to the construction of the Recreation Park. Company B, 201st Engineer Battalion, located in Carlisle, removed large trees and posts and removed dead logs from the creek bed on weekends during April, May, and August.

40 Years Ago

Thursday, November 30, 1952. Fire struck Nicholas County the fourth time in less than a week, Wednesday, when a seven-ben tobacco barn on the farm of Lewis Crosby on the Old Paris Pike burned to the ground.

50 Years Ago

Thursday, November 19, 1942. Nicholas County's first official black vote is to be staged Friday, according to word issued last night by Civil Defense leaders. J.H. Fulton, Carlisle barber and Nicholas County coroner, is ill at his home on West Main Street. His shop is closed.

10 Years Ago

Thursday, November 18, 1982. The residents of the Myers Station precinct in Nicholas County have the right to a local option election to decide whether liquor or spirits will be sold in that precinct, contrary to the legal advice given to Nicholas Judge Executive Reese Smoot by the County Attorney "Jack" Conley.

MERCURY VAPOURS

Reprinted from Thursday, November 14, 1988. It took a year, but I just figured out a case that I wrote to myself. I had written, "I don't know if it is," then I promptly forgot what it was supposed to mean. Well I still don't know it's cold weather.

by Warren R. Fisher

Fisher, and I also learned it the night before you start rather than pray the sun will shine. -MV-. Another groceryman, Bob Courtney, thinking how laboriously I struggle with his advertising copy no doubt, has on trial a portable copying machine. Since time saved means money earned, maybe he'll keep the gadget. -MV-. Eugene Neal has a new way to remove leaves from trees. Seems Sunday morning he looked at a large pecan tree outside the breakfast room window and remarked to wife Dorothy, "I wish those leaves would come down. Sure enough by mid-morning they had fallen. The method:

Smith, vice president; Mrs. William T. Straw, secretary; Mrs. J.R. Hamilton, assistant; Miss Ina Botta, treasurer. BORN: To Mr. and Mrs. Scott Garrett of Moorefield, twin sons, James William and John Wayne, November 9, 1992. DIED: Riley Wells Boone, 80, Fleming County, November 18, in Carlisle; Leonard Edward Pelly 26, and a son Leonard Irvin, 3, November 4, in Hartford; Mrs. Emma Davis Febaja, 62, Wednesday in Flemingsburg.

GENERAL NEWS



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Police Log

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Mid court shot.....

Continued from Page 1. With one credit completed in the eighth grade, students can complete their math requirements at the end of their sophomore year. If its not a subject they like, students often drop taking any more math courses in their junior and senior year.

of their site based council. If the council wishes to offer Algebra I, they can, he said. But given the reluctance of the state to offer their own ruling on the issue as it affects the high school, Reid suggested the council move forward with the decision. "If anything, it may cause the state to better define the areas in which we can actually hand down a decision and where we must seek approval from the board," Reid said. Reid also felt that a three math credit requirement in the high school could serve as a benefit to the school curriculum because it would encourage good math students to pursue higher skills or provide students with practical applications of basic math skills. "There are some students who are unfamiliar with basic economic, law numbers and statistics," Reid said. They certainly could benefit from a class that taught them to figure out interest rates, stock investments, or knowing simply how to balance a checkbook.



Nicholas County Clerk Doug Fryman, Sheriff Charles Ring, and Election Board member Paul Donovan, and incumbent school board member David Smoot recast the voting machine to confirm the result of the local School Board race between Smoot and former Nicholas County Superintendent Don Elder, the results of the recast confirmed the three vote margin with which Smoot won the race.

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We're Celebrating 125 Years Of Serving Nicholas County

Regina's Pages of the Past

Nov. 25, 1943. SENDS CHRISTMAS GREETINGS The first Christmas Greeting received by The Mercury arrived Monday from Pvt. David S. Barrett. From overseas, the greeting came in the form of a V-Mail specially designed for Christmas Greeting and was addressed to The Mercury and "To all my friends." On the space of the V-Mail was a picture of a young man smiling and a very nice message. The greeting was received by the Mercury on Monday, Nov. 22, 1943. The greeting was received by the Mercury on Monday, Nov. 22, 1943. The greeting was received by the Mercury on Monday, Nov. 22, 1943.

BERLIN IS SMASHED BY 1,000 BOMBERS

Hitler's Home Set Aflame: Flying 14,000 Feet, 1,000 Bombers Bombed Berlin. The greatest display of aerial bombardment since the attack on Pearl Harbor was the smashing of Berlin by 1,000 bombers on Tuesday night. The attack was the first since the war began in Europe. The bombers were from the United States Army Air Corps. The attack was a major blow to the German war effort.

GET READY FOR WINTER

Advertisement for winter products including storm doors, cable, and floor covering. Includes prices and contact information for Reid & Vice.

Thanksgiving Day Specials advertisement for EDDIE'S FAMILY RESTAURANT. Lists menu items like Country Ham, Biscuits, Turkey, and Baked Potatoes with prices.

SPORTS UNLIMITED advertisement listing various sports equipment like basketballs, soccer balls, and shoes with discounts.

Deposit Bank of Carlisle advertisement featuring the DBC logo and contact information for branches in Carlisle, KY.

Large advertisement for Reid & Vice, a lumber and hardware store. Lists various products like insulation, floor covering, and tools with prices.