

MERCURY MEMORIES

Looking Back At Nicholas County

Compiled by Julie K. Hogg

5 YEARS AGO
Thursday, Feb. 11, 1990
Jeff Rogers, a native of Union County, has been appointed general manager of the Carlisle Mercury. The following officers and the Plus Monday:
Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hamilton will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary on Feb. 4.
Anna Michelle Szapp and Everett H. Smith to marry Feb. 10.

Marine Lance Cpl. David Scott, was recently commended while serving with the second Marine Aircraft Wing in Jacksonville, NC.
Elementary School winners of the Conservation Essay Contest were Katie Lawrence, Lori Berry, and Julie Lawrence. NCIEE winners were Jennifer Linville, Tamara Tipton, and Sheri K. Vase.
Student of the Week Mike Ritchie.

Leigh's Lines

By Leigh Stone, Site Manager of The Carlisle Mercury

Someone we all know and think about as we time about to celebrate a 25th anniversary. Garrett's Restaurant of downtown Carlisle will have a silver anniversary celebration as Feb. 6.

All residents in Nicholas County will have something different in their mailboxes this coming Monday, Feb. 6. It is the newly revised Mercury FILE in full newspaper broadcast form, just like your Carlisle Mercury. It is still free and better than ever!

Mr. Harben, owner of Carlisle Tire, told me last Friday he was thinking about taking a vacation. If he likes that, he may retire.

Loretta Hymer of Florence, Ky., called Monday to see if we could locate a telephone number for one of her kinfolk's kinfolk.

Garrett family ready to celebrate

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Walkins and Ruth Peters have learned much about customer service from Sylvia. Many Garrett's regulars will confirm that Walkins and Peters can get those orders on the board. Travelers comment on the food, too. George said: "People are complimentary."

Garrett's sisters Sylvia and Bessie help out on weekends. The Garrett's have another brother, Paul Garrett, who is a construction worker locally. A sister, Ann, resides in Lexington.



The Carlisle Mercury Leigh Stone Photo
Happy Anniversary, Garrett's Restaurant! The local eatery has been in business 25 years as of Feb. 6. From left are: Sylvia and George Garrett, co-manager, with employees Carl Walkins and restaurant owner Christine Garrett. At right is co-manager Dick Garrett.

ranked #1 in their region members: Shon Coovers, Jonathan Brunner, Nathan Hunt, Mark Hanson, Tish Hanson, and Ronnie Berry.
DEATHS: Marvin C. Jones, 62, died Tuesday, Jan. 30 at Humana Hospital, Lexington.

10 YEARS AGO
Thursday, Jan. 21, 1985
Leslie Cundiff was the local field hand for the Kentucky Education Association Spelling Bee held Jan. 9.
Jeffery Mitchell, member of the United States Air Force is training at Lackland Air Force Base, TX.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Evans celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Jan. 17.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Cleaver celebrated their 20th anniversary Jan. 17.
NCS Conservation Poster Contest winners were Jennifer Linville, Tamara Tipton, and Sheri K. Vase.
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but since the kinfolk question lived at or near The Walk, I gave Loretta Helen Fisher's number. Since I've been in Carlisle this past year, Helen Fisher has been someone I've learned to depend on for good advice. And just tells.

Loretta told me she was born in Nicholas County and married in Nicholas County. Her eldest child was born in Nicholas County 56 years ago.
"I love my Mercury, I got it today. I love it!" Loretta exclaimed.

Dr. Frank Mathias, history professor emeritus of the University of Dayton and Carlisle native wrote a letter telling about a book written by Drew Page, called *Drew & Bessie, A Student's Life with the Big Bands*. The book carries an excerpt about Carlisle.

SIMONA LYNN MASON
I'm watching O.J. on TV," she said.

As a youngster involved in sports, George watched his father, Jake, work long hours at the restaurant. Now the cycle continues as the Garrett children see him and Dick put in those hours. After all, someone has to order the tenderloin, "probably our biggest seller," and coffee. "We make over 200 pots of coffee a week - we buy two and a half cases a week!" George revealed.

Children are always welcome at Garrett's. That is especially good since George and Becky are the parents of Hannah, 4, Jake, 11, and Cici, 6. Dick and Melissa are the parents of Brandon, 11, Ginger, 8, and Stephanie, 5.

BIRTHS: To Mr. and Mrs. Randall K. Dale, a daughter, Courtney Lynn, Jan. 23. To Mr. and Mrs. James William Hale, a daughter, Kristina Shea, Jan. 22. To Mr. and Mrs. James Allen Jolly, a son, James Allen, Jan. 23.

DEATHS: J.D. Earlywood, 60, died Saturday, Jan. 20 at Bourbon General Hospital. Mrs. Evidon Squires Callaway, 73, died Saturday, Jan. 30 at Cardinal Health Care. Frazer Earlow, 78, died Friday, Jan. 20 at Nicholas County Hospital. John Mitchell, 70, died Wednesday, Jan. 23 in West Springfield, MA. Mrs. Lillian Robinson Duvine, 82, died Wednesday, Jan. 23 at Ni County Hospital. Eubank Workman, 82, died Monday, Jan. 14 at Nicholas County Hospital.

10 YEARS AGO

Thursday, Jan. 20, 1975
Miss Deborah Lynn Kenney and Jerry Wayne Nichols will be married Feb. 14.

60 YEARS AGO
Thursday, Feb. 1, 1945
P.C. Leo Mitchell is in a hospital in England under medical care. Shortage of coal affects 17 states.

Mr. and Mrs. W.S. Gaunce of the Pleasant Springs Rd. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. Allison and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hamm and family of Hartsville visited Mr. and Mrs.ONEY Curtis Sunday.

Mrs. Clyde Hamm and son visited Mrs. Claude Curtis and children Monday.
E.C. Clark of the United States Navy is home on a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harms Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam George spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lewis.
Mr. Carl Barntz spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Barntz.

Lilly Dickie Moran has a severe cold.
Walter Hopkins celebrated his 120th birthday Sunday, Jan. 21. George Whitten and sisters were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bascomb Johnson Sunday.
S. L. Keller-Hughes states that he has arrived safely on Guam Island.
MARIELE, Miss Virginia Belle Smart and Henry Hove Bramblett, Sunday afternoon.

DEATHS: Mrs. Myrtle Vice Grimes, 55, died Saturday, Jan. 27 at her home.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Sheriff's Association accepting winter coat donations

The editor,
The Kentucky Sheriff's Boys and Girls Ranch, headed by Gilbertville, has spent the past 25 years training exercises as a program for the needy children throughout the state. Now that the cold weather has arrived, I want to continue our program of helping needy children and adults.
I have started a coat drive for coats to go to all winter wear coats you would like to donate to the needy, please bring them to the Kentucky Sheriff's Boys and Girls Ranch at Gilbertville or mail them to us at P.O. Box 57, Gilbertville, KY 40244. We are in the office from 7:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m.

As the Crow flies

By Martin Meers of Myers Station

An article written for the farmer, by a farmer (at least that was my wife calls me). In the feature the crow is flying over Myers Station, a short hop for me, while I look out over a winter wonderland and realize this winter is still milder than last winter. For those of you with poultry, if you have not noticed yet it might pay off to check your hen house. My mother-in-law actually had a hen come off the nest with twelve baby chicks last week. As for me, well I have had 1 or 2 eggs a day all winter long and I have a duck that's been laying since January 19.

My advice don't let the unseasonably mild weather pass without doing those long overdue repairs around the farm such as filling in the ground holes in the barn that have been such a pain last spring.
I call to the local feed store and the corn prices should remain at about \$2.40 to \$2.50 per bushel corn delivered and shell or cracked corn stays steady at \$8.50 per 100 pounds.
Well that's all from this little eye, see you next time as the crow flies.

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GENERAL NEWS

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attached to the older line, allowing the pressure of the dirt on top of it eventually cause its demise.
The high school was built in the early 1960s and the elementary school was built in the early 1970s. The infrastructure remained the same.
By Jimmy Teacher
Of The Carlisle Mercury Staff
The following schedule is for Little League basketball for Saturday, Feb. 4:
1 p.m. Hawks vs. Suns
2 p.m. Pistons vs. Hornets
3 p.m. Mavericks vs. Bears
4 p.m. Saints vs. Phillies
5 p.m. Bulls vs. Nuggets
6 p.m. Kats vs. Panthers
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