Mercury Memories

Five Years Ago...
May 2, 1991

Nicholas County students Brian T. Canupp an'd Jill Hardin were among 718 high school juniors who will attend the 1991 Governor's Scholars Program.

According to Kentucky Wallace G. Wilkinson released the names, and increased funds for the program, have enabled the program to accept 53 more students than in 1989.

Three Nicholas Countians were welcomed home after serving in Desert Storm. Nicholas county students, facility and family members gathered in the Elementary gym to welcome home Dwaine Curran, Cassie Browning and George Ishmael.

BIRTHS - Mr. and Mrs. Darrin DeMoss of Morehead announce the birth of a daughter. She weighed seven pounds and was named Cara Elizabeth.

DEATHS - Eric Wayne Henry, 18, Bridgeport, AL son of Brenda and Harold Whitaker.

Almeda Watkins Morris, 61, Carlisle, widow of Leonard Morris.

Emma Lee Bussell, 78, Carlisle, wife of Brooks Bussell. She was the daughter of the late Tom WAtt and Dessie Mitchell Yazell.

Gladys Kenton Maffett, 86, Breckinridge Health Care Center, a member of the Carlisle Marie Chapter O.E.S. and a Kentucky Colonel.

Anna Buntin Love, 78, Bourbon County, wife of George W. Love. A native of Nicholas County, she was the daughter of the late Clay and Mary Bishop Rose Hardin.

Ten Years Ago...
May 1, 1986

Floyd Edward Eubanks, 73, Carlisle, husband of Garnetta Hill Eubanks.

Nicholas County Elementary School student Nita R. Villaflor, laughter of Dr. and Mrs. Oasis M. Villaflor, has been named an Academic All-American by the National Secondary Education Council.

The NSEC has established the Academic All-American Scholar Award Program in order to offer deserved recognition to superior students who excell in the academic disciplines. Students must earn a 3.3 or better grade point average and be selected by a secondary school instructor, counselor or other qualified sponsor. Nita was nominated by NCES counselor, Mrs. Brenda Anderson.

BIRTHS - Mr. and Mrs. Billy Keith Nolen of Paris announce the birth of a son. He weighed seven pounds, twelve ounces and was named Billy Keith Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Paul Warmouth of Carlisle announce the birth of a son. He weighed seven pounds, fifteen ounces and was named James Daniel.

DEATHS - Arthur B. Dailey, 70, Carlisle, husband of Mray Lee Bowles Dailey. He was a retried farmer, native of Bath County and son of the late Clarence and Maude Floyd Dailey.

Mrs. Dixie Jane Watkins Mitchell, 96, widow of John William Mitchell. A native of Nicholas County she wa s daughter of the late John W. and Viola Shaw Watkins.

Twenty Years Ago...
April 29, 1976

Extensive damage was done to the home of G.L. Curtsinger on Maysville Road at Ellisville when lightening struck the house tearing it apart inside.

Walls were knocked away from the foundation, the washer and dryer were welded together, the telephone was blown to bits, the front and side of the house was burned. All electrical appliances, lamps and outlets were ruined.

DEATHS - Coleman Kash Crouch, 76, Lexington, husband of Ann Wasson Crouch. He was a native of Nicholas County and was the son of the late Clay and Sallie Bar Crouch.

Mrs. Miranda E. Shannon, 78, wife of Hobart (Jack) Shannon. She was a native of Nicholas County and a daughter of the late Thomas and Minnie Bramel Dalzell.

Mrs. Robbie Adamson, 77 and her husband, Rev. Earl Adamson, 79. Both life-long residents of Robertson County.

Chessie O. Vice, 80, Maysilick, husband of Sarah Kingsolver Vice.

Marion T. Vice, 72, Lexington, husband of Gladys Shields Vice. He was a retired carpenter and a member of the Church of God.

Thirty Years Ago...
May 5, 1966

Edward Lee Hardwick, Carlisle, has enlisted for a period of three years in the U.S. Army. Hardwick is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hardwick.

Ralph Wesley, an Arts and Science junior was honored as one of the "outstanding men for leadership and scholarship" in the University of Kentucky campus activities at a Men's Award Night ceremony in Memorial Hall, and at the Debate Recognition Dinner held in the President's Room, he was one of three varsity debaters receiving awards.

BIRTHS - Mr. and Mrs. Barnes Compton, Carlisle, announce the birth of a son. He weighed nine pounds, five ounces and was named Gregory Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton D. Ritchie, Carlisle; announce the birth of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis, Carlisle announce the birth of a son, Robbie Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin, Mt. Olivet, announce the birth of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cook Jr., Covington announce the birthof a daughter, Delene Renee.

DEATHS - Thomas C. Price, 89, Germantown. He was a native of Nicholas County and a member of the Salem Methodist Church.

French Amyott Mastin, 82, native of Nicholas County.

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Forty Years Ago...
May 3, 1956

Miss Pat Allison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.V. Allison was recipient of the Sword's at the Honor Day program at Eastern State Teachers College, Richmond. Miss Allison, a physical education major, was named president of the Woman's Recreation Association, vice president of the Woman's Residence Hall Association and received the Outstanding Sophomore Woman Award.

The annual Spelling Bee sponsored by the Louisville Times and the Courier-Journal was held at the Nicholas County High School.

Betty Lou Howard of Parks school, was the winner of the bee which lasted more than an hour and evidently by preparation alone won the bee by correctly spelling "preparation".

BIRTHS - Mr. and Mrs. RobertHensley of Louisville, are parents of a son, Stephen Gerard.

DEATHS - Shirley C. Maffett, 49, Chicago.

Mrs. Mattie Curtis, 69, Lexington.

George V. Endicott, 85, Oakland Mills.

Mrs. Bertie Maxey Boone, 76, Cowan, widow of R.W. Boone.

Ivan Clark Soper, 69, Bourbon County, husband of Mary Bell Wyatt Soper.

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Band Boosters honor band members acheivements with annual banquet

The Nicholas County Band held their annual awards banquet on Friday evening.

The winner of this year's John Philip Sousa Award was senior, Brad Terrell. The award was presented by NCHS Band Director, Eric Hale. Hale stated the award is given to the member of the band who always gives the extra effort as a musician.

Melinda Jolly was honored with the "Most Dedicated" award and the newest award for outstanding teacher was presented to Kyle Smoot. This award, which has been named the "Best Smooter," will be added to the list of honors a band member can receive, and will be presented in future years to the member who has the best marching form.

'Ace' Estes received the Most Improved award and Alex Wilson was given the Director's Award which is presented each year to the seventh or eighth grade musician with the most ability.

Lydia Wilson was named Field Commander for the 1996-97 season and also received the award for Best Color Guard for the 1995-96 season.

Best instrumentalist awards were given to; Linsey Ockerman for seventh grade, David Flora for eighth grade, Allison Grant for ninth grade, Con Wilson for tenth grade, and Jonnie Bentz for eleventh grade.

When the new season begins, the band will be wearing new jackets with their uniforms. Hale stated the new jackets were white, trimmed in blue and very sharp.

Bus drivers for the band, Bonita Schanding and Ricky McFarland were honored for their contributions to the program as were equipment handlers, Mike Phillips and Jim Denton.

Fifth and sixth grade members of the band were honored with certificates in reconition of their accomplishment at a concert band competition held in Morehead in early April. The band received straight superior ratings from each judge on the panel. Hale cited that this was a great achievement considering the band performed some of the more difficult pieces of music played at the competition.

Each member of the marching band received a patch, donated by Mark Mattox, in recognition of their second place achievement at the state competition held this past Fall.

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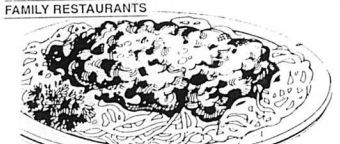

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Saltwell News

By Mrs. Fred Hollar

Miss June Ross and brother Richard Ross of Olive Hill were Monday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCoy.

Mr. Sherman Greene of Hooktown spent several days the past week in Bourbon General Hospital as a result of a fall at his home the past Saturday. He returned home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ison Berkait of Garrison, KY spent T?--sday with Rev. and Mrs. Robert Allen and accompanied them to Cynthiana Ponderosa for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCoy attended church at Salt Lick the past week.

Rev. and Mrs. James Gaunce and a group from Lay Witness Mission spent Saturday and Sunday at a Baptist church in Canton, NC.

Ms. Beverly Lykins & Michael Sowell were Saturday evening supper guests of Bill and Ramona George. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hollar earlier.

Mrs. Debbie Nichols accompanied her grandmother, Mrs. Mae Kenney to U.K. Medical Center on Friday where she underwent surgery there. She returned home that evening.

Mrs. Ruby Morris received a broken hip in a fall at her home recently. She is now living in a retirement center in Cincinnati, OH. She had received a fracture of the hip a few months ago.

Our community extends sympathy to the family of Mr. Kenneth Shannon who passed away Friday at Harrison Memorial Hospital. Funeral was conducted at 2 PM on Monday at Mathers-Gaunce Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCoy and Jim McCoy attended a surprise birthday dinner for their sister Mrs. Helen Lemons of Ashland on Saturday.

Mrs. Willis K. Fryman of Stoney Creek is a patient at Nicholas County Hospital at this writing. She is 96 years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hollar entertained with a supper on Saturday night, honoring the birthdays of Chris Hollar and Diane Smith. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ron Allison and John Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Craycraft, Donna Galbraith, Mrs. Della Stone, Mrs. Shelly Coldiron and Hannah, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hollar, Mike Sowell, Beverly Lykins, Chris Hollar and Diane Smith. Everyone enjoyed the lovely meal and time of fellowship.

Mr. Shellman Hamm of Maysville Rd is ill at this time and a patient at Cardinal Hill Hospital in Lexington.

Rev. and Mrs. Robet Allen and Mrs. Nelle Gaunce were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Mattox at Ponderosa, Cynthiana on Sunday. Rev. Allen and wife were also supper guests of Mrs. Pauline Snapp, Barbara and Paula Jean on Monday night, Rev and Mrs. James Gaunce for dinner on Wednesday and Sunday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones. Rev. Allen and wife will leave on Tuesday for their new appointment at Mt. Vernon Nazerene Church. We hate to lose our good neighbor and so does the Saltwell and Rose Hil Congregation but we wish them good luck. Those attending Rose Hill Church where Rev. Robert Allen is pastor were: Mrs. MapleRitchie, Nancy Shaw, Norma Caswell and Edith Taylor all from Carlisle. Also attending from Ewing were, Betty Stevens and Sally Leet.

A good crowd attended the sale of the late Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Doyle at Poindexter on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doyle and son Robert Lewis Doyle attended his Agri-Businessclub (from U.K.) banquet held at Spindletop on Wednesday night. Rob was elected vice president.

Mrs. Alberta Snapp and Mrs. Phyllis Brady spent most of the day with Mrs. Hazel Snapp, Brooksville honoring her 90th birthday with dinner and cake on Monday, April 29th.

Nicholas County Boys Varsity BatJackets, met St. Patrick on Friday afternoon at home. The BatJackets defeated St. Patrick 7 runs to three.

Charles and Marie Crawford

Crawfords celebrate 50th wedding anniversary

Charles and Marie Crawford of Carlisle will celebrate theri 50th wedding anniversary May 12, 1996. They were married April 30, 1946 at the Carlisle Christian Church parsonage by the Reverend Ralph Thomas.

A reception honoring them will be given by their children and grandchildren at the Carlisle United Methodist Church on May 12th from 2 to 4 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited.

They are the parents of Judy Johnson and Gary Crawford and the grandparents of Chad Johnson, Precia Johnson, Melany Crawford and Adam Crawford.

McFarland celebrates tenth

Ashley McFarland celebrated her tenth birhtday with a party at school with her classmates and teacher, Mrs. Harris

Later she was surprised with a pizza party at the Mt. Sterling Pizza Hut. Guests included were: students of her Dance Class of Kelly's School of Dance, her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McFarland, Amy Hamilton and son Jeffrey Tyler and her Mom and Dad.

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