

Mercury Memories

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10 Years Ago
The Moorfield Christian Church has been serving its parishioners for a century this month. It celebrated its 100th anniversary November 13.

Deaths
Chloe Stoggs Garrett, Carlisle, died Wednesday, November 4, 1987.

30 Years Ago
Berpano Larry Hunt, who returned from Viet Nam on November 11, was awarded a certificate of achievement for outstanding meritorious performance of duty while serving in Viet Nam.

80 Years Ago
Miss Anshell Miss Cochise Giff of the Millston section of Nicholas County will observe her 100th birthday on December 30.

Seventeen Nicholas County Senior Citizens were taken on November 11 and November 19 to the Fayette Mall in Lexington for lunch and a shopping and sightseeing trip.

Birba
To Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Flynn, a son, born October 3, 1987. He has been named Brian Keith.

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sapp, a daughter, born November 7, 1987. She has been named Crystal Dawn.

To Mrs. and Mr. James Allan Kelly, a son, born Friday, November 11, 1987. He has been named Duane Allen.

Jeff Roberts appears on Centre College stage in Mill on the Floss

Danville, KY: Jeff Roberts of Paris appeared on stage in Centre College's fall drama production, Mill on the Floss. Roberts portrayed Uncle George in the play, which is based on a novel by the Victorian British writer George Eliot. The screenplay is by Helen Edmondson.

The play is an intense drama about the difficulties of the Talliver family, who live on a mill on the banks of the Floss River. Handled hands out by a lawsuit, the family members struggle to deal with

Conservation District to meet Dec. 3

The Conservation District Meeting is Dec. 3. For more information call the district office at 289-5160 or stop by the office Tuesday, W. Broadway or Thursday to sign an application.



Letters to the Editor

Glad to have the flag back!

Dear Editor,
It was such a beautiful sight Friday night when my great grandson, James Garrett, Jr., called me and told me the American flag is waving tonight. I looked out my kitchen window and was waving so beautiful. It brought tears to my eyes when I saw what a wonderful sight the town we live in. Thanks to the devotion of James and McDonald for restoring our beautiful flag.

Thanks Guys,
Betty Barton

KSP investigate local accidents

Trooper Bret Kirkland charged Bradford Luchan, 26, Frankfort, with DUI 2nd offense and No seatbelt. Also charged Jane Luchan, 28 Morehead, with Alcohol Intoxication and No seatbelt. Both were arrested on November 14 at 7:45 PM on KY 36, 1 1/2 miles east of Carlisle and turned over to Transportation Officer.

Trooper Shain Stephens investigated a non injury crash on November 19 at 2:34 PM on US 68 3 miles west of Carlisle. The driver, Lisa Lewis, 22, Versailles, in a 1989

Trooper Shain Stephens charged Michael Davis, 26, Wilmore, with Driving on suspended license, less than 8 or more than 8, possession of marijuana, less than 8 or more than 8, possession of controlled substance, 2nd offense, and possession of a firearm by a convicted felon. He was arrested November 16 at 12:09 PM on U.S. 68 and turned over to Transportation Officer.

New calendar promotes Kentucky's lively heritage

Remembered well calendar the calendar, published annually by the Friends of the State Public Archives, Inc. announces some of the most poignant photographic records of the Commonwealth's past. The photographs have been selected from the vast collection of archival records housed in the State Archives at the Kentucky Department for Libraries and Archives in Frankfort.

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NICHOLAS COUNTY PTA will host a **FALL FESTIVAL** Saturday, November 22nd at the Elementary School in the gym & cafeteria. There will be a Chili Supper hosted by the National Junior Honor Society from 6-9 P.M.

Fleming Co. LEO Club Presents **Holiday Tribute To ELVIS PRESLEY** featuring **Bill Kelly** of 96.9 KISS FM. Saturday Dec. 20, 1997, 7:00pm. Featuring Country Rock School. Also featuring S.O.C.K.S. performing Christmas musical. Tickets may be purchased \$5.00 at Whitaker Book Center or by U.S. Post Office General Delivery, 1100 N. Broadway, Frankfort, KY.

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School auditor says other districts have distress with MUNIS

By Leigh Stone
Education Editor
The Nicholas County Board of Education finished the end of fiscal year 1997 with a "black" budget, said auditor James Chandler Monday night at a regular meeting.

Elementary teacher Tony Smith wanted to know that was possible.

Playground still under wraps

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Nicholas County Elementary students still don't have the place they most desire.

Councilman Hammons, supervisor of buildings and grounds said during Monday night's board meeting that the space under the elementary school and central office wasn't

Seniors Beware Telemarketing fraud costs \$40-60 billion yearly

Frankfort, KY: Telemarketing fraud costs Americans between \$40 to \$60 billion per year, said State Attorney General A.B. "Bud" Chandler, III. Chandler made those comments in the General Assembly's Special Advisory Commission on Senior Citizens at its final meeting the year ended last week.

Chandler said that his legislative package for the 1998 Regular Session of the General Assembly includes strengthening the treatment of such calls so that out-of-state sales of goods and services that exceed \$100 would have to register with the Attorney General's Office. Also, he plans to recommend that the legislature increase penalties for an violation against senior citizens from the current \$2,000 up to \$10,000.

The panel also heard from Alan Brown, Director of the Kentucky's Elder Abuse Prevention Program, who said that approximately 10 percent of all elderly Americans are being scammed by telemarketers. He said that the FBI's program, which provides training to law enforcement officers, is a model for other states and other countries.

The panel also heard from the 100-member commission on recommendations for the 1998 Session, which was established by the Special Advisory Commission of Senior Citizens, established in 1977.

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Superintendent Randy Smith was surprised to hear the district may not have the place they most desire.

Smith also blamed the central district finance office the state would have to pay each year.



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Nicholas County Elementary invites families to share a breakfast at school Event held Dec. 1-5

"School meals have come a long way from when students parents were on school and the Nicholas County Schools want to let families know about the new breakfast program," said Melinda Turner, American School Food Service Association, President from Owensboro, Ky.

"School meals are based on foods that are not only nutritious, but appealing and familiar to children."

Parents are encouraged to participate and they want to know that their children are being served foods that are nutritious and tasty.

PinK Turkey Meat Safe!
The pinK color in some deli turkey roasts is a dye made from FD&C Yellow No. 5. The U.S. Department of Agriculture's national food safety program, PinK Turkey, has found that the dye is safe to eat. What does all this color mean to you?
There are many children who go to school every day without eating breakfast. Today's busy lifestyles, the growing number of two-income families and single-parent households all contribute to the need for the School Breakfast Program.

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experienced with finances the past year. It is a new accounting system being learned by administrators throughout the state. About each district has experienced problems. Smith noted, however, the system is expected to be more helpful than the former accounting system.



A young Santa paid a visit to school board Monday.



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Students of the Week

This week's Students of the Week are Adam McKee and Nicholas Dotson. Adam and Nicholas are students at Nicholas County High School.

Adam is the son of Phillip and Karen McKee. Nicholas is the son of Dennis and Sue Dotson.

The students were nominated by NCHS teacher James A. Hamm "I enjoy Adam's humor, his wit, and also his hard work in class. Adam is a very fine young man and I appreciated having him in class," said Hamm.

"Nicholas is very conscientious and works hard on his classwork. I appreciate Nicholas' efforts and hard work."

The Carlisle Mercury will profile one student each week, chosen by the faculty of their respective school. Watch this space in future issues.

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