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Bond's Broadcast
By
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Facing the challenge
of the 1990s at home

Now that we have entered the 1990s, it is exceptionally easy to view the challenges faced in Carlisle and Nicholas County.

First there is the challenge of the newly seated Carlisle City Council.

For at least the first two years of the 1990s this new council will face many challenges.

Nicholas County Fiscal Court will also have new faces and challenges for the 1990s.

The Nicholas County Board of Education will have many challenges.

It isn't hard enough the legislature has been mandating program after program for Kentucky's school systems.

Once these individuals have fashioned some sort of tenure in a job, with retirement and the like, it would be very difficult to change career paths to take a job in Nicholas County.

Retail businesses have to make a big move to gain a larger portion of the market share.

Although there are certain areas which need to be addressed, certainly it is plain to see that most everything these individuals have is invested in Carlisle and Nicholas County.

It will be a decade of challenges.

Now we have to make the future bright, we can't just wait until tomorrow.

And so, for another week, thanks and thank you.

If you have an view you would like to express, we invite to address it to us in the form of a letter to the editor.

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In The
Chigger Patch
With Jeff Spradling

When I was a small child, I used to sneak away to our neighbor's. The neat thing about his place was that he had a store.

My motive for slipping away from my mother was simple. Each time I popped in at the old store, I was given a shopping spree, of sorts, at the candy rack.

That all came to an end for two basic reasons. First, my mom finally got tired of me sneaking off and gave me a good whuppin'.

It seems that for every little country grocery store in existence, there are two that have closed.

I was talking with Everett Smoot at Plank's Grocery in Moorefield recently and he said there were three country stores in Moorefield when was a kid, as compared to the one that is now located at the heart of that little settlement.

I asked him why there were so many in such a small place. Was Moorefield bigger then? Was there more traffic going through the settlement?

Historically, that is true. It's easy to see how locally owned businesses suffer when large chains and franchises come into town.

Smoot said he thinks it is because people were not as mobile then as they are now. Back then, people walked or rode horses, thus they did not make long ventures to the city to buy groceries and supplies.

There was a need for a local store within walking distance.

scarcely a bite of candy left for the long walk back. I think the disappearance of the old country store reflects a basic change in American, especially rural, living.

We no longer think as much about driving 30 miles to the grocery store to buy even a week's supply of groceries that would never have happened years ago.

With our increased mobility, and the larger selections at larger stores, the old country store has suffered. These stores still exist, that's true, but they're not as predominant in our lives as they used to be.

Fortunately, a few country stores, like Plank's which doubles as the post office, still exist. Some have kept their timeless flavor, other's have adapted to the modern business world.

Still though, I long for a little store where I could buy bologna and crackers, or take those wonderfully cheap shopping sprees through the grocery rack.

Christmas cheer is more people in Nicholas County who are thankful for the good work of the Nicholas County Fire Department members and their wives.

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GENERAL NEWS

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Thursday, July 27, 1989
Santas Claus took an early visit to Carlisle this year as he visited from Hawaii in the Carlisle's Christmas in July parade held in late July.

The Carlisle City Council met and approved a change in the city zoning map. The council approved Ordinance 13 changing property owned by Allen Weaght and Bobby Crockett from Residential Zone 2 to Commercial Zone 2.

The Nicholas County Hospital is expanding its services to include cataract surgery and ocular lens implantation.

Navy Ensign Steve Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brown graduated from the United States Naval Academy on Wed. May 31, 1989.

Michael showed in the second race at Ellis Park. BOHN: Robert Michael Bohn, July 19, 1989.

MARRIED: Yana Rael to Michael Evans, July 21, 1989. Ann Elizabeth Kingsolver and Mark Whisker, June 10, 1989. Jill Kimberly Banta and Michael Mattox, May 13, 1989.

DIED: Michael Rhodes Burson, July 20, 1989. William R. Hill, 75, July 18, 1989. Benn Bell McFarland, 75, July 18, 1989.

For the second time in 1989, Carlisle Mayor Lee Bents has vetoed an ordinance passed by the Carlisle City Council.

Last Thursday morning, July 27, a public meeting was held to express the intent of the Carlisle City Council to annex property extending from the Carlisle Cemetery to the 10th Hole of Carnation in the City of Carlisle.

Nicholas County and Carlisle City fire departments were called Thursday morning when a grease fire broke out in the kitchen of Garrett's restaurant.

MARRIED: Toni Suetete Sexton and Michael Warner, July 8, 1989. Deborah Jo Blythe and Mark R. Sears, May 27, 1989.

DIED: Lorena Forest McCarty, 61, July 26, 1989. James Dale Watkins, 19, July 25, 1989.

Thursday, August 10, 1989
The Carlisle City Council failed to override Mayor Lee Bents' veto of the intent to annex ordinance by one vote.

LEILE Thornton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Almer, was crowned the 1990 Miss Germantown.

Home insurance rates for residents in Nicholas County are going down as a result of ISO's Commission on Risk Services evaluation of the Nicholas County fire departments.

Tom Scott, a family friend in Nicholas County, is leaving Nicholas County to have a practice in Lexington.

BOHN: Ashly Nicole Batts Wilson, July 19, 1989.

Cynthia; Jennifer Lee Dale, daughter of Lee and Jo Ann Dale; Deanna Fryman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Thomas Fryman; Beth Hill, daughter of Mary Hill and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Heller; Melanie Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Robinson.

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Shower plant manager Gene Kelly explains problems the missing chain on the crawler his posed the sewer plant to Carlisle Mayor Frankie Hughes.

Industry regulation

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there would be a good chance he built in more lucrative same merges go through in the health care industry. Heater areas at additional costs to consumers.

"We have already seen 'existing health facilities' generally the largest employers in these areas, are already struggling to survive. CNH is essential to ensure that health resources are accessible 'Additional facilities could statewide,' the RHA said.

"CNH helps keep costs of health care projects down by ensuring that only the most cost-effective proposals are approved. Also, it serves as a forum for health projects and new beds that cannot be justified in an open public forum and that must ultimately be paid for by the public," according to the RHA.

"It has been shown in health care that competition doesn't always drive prices down. Healer said.

If the CNH law is repealed, health care is expected.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

125 Old Paris Pike, Carlisle, Ky. 40311
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Bible Study.....10:00 A.M.
Worship.....11:00 A.M.
Worship.....6:00 P.M.
Wednesday Service.....7:00 P.M.

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