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**WANDERINGS**

By William Milson  
 I hate to say it, but basketball season is finally over at Nicholas County High School.  
 The Bluejackets and Lady Bluejackets have both held their year-end banquet, and all the honors and awards have been handed out. I still have few people to recognize before the book can be closed on the 1990-91 season.  
 Year in and year out, the players receive the recognition for their achievements, as well they should. They put in the countless hours of practice and travel time to bring a little bit of excitement to Nicholas County.

I thank all the Jackets and Lady Jackets for this. The cheerleaders often go unrewarded for a long and strenuous season. Both cheerleading squads are ~~over-represented~~ helped put the excitement back into NCHS basketball.  
 All the statisticians, managers, and trainers who gave up their free time to help the teams, you deserve a thank you as well.  
 There are two individuals who I feel grateful for making it easier for us to bring you the latest statistics, details, and achievements: Coach Barbara Kenney and Coach Ed Oakley.

They were always there for state, an interview, or a comment no matter how well or how poorly the teams played.  
 Not only did they guide the teams to a combined 39-14 record, but they showed class in every gym they instilled some pride in our young people.  
 The players were taught confidence. They were taught to win, and more importantly, how to handle losing. They were taught sportsmanship, selflessness, and self-confidence.  
 They brought a little bit of fun to Nicholas County High School.

It's not winning the district that makes your team a success, after all there are 64 districts in the state of Kentucky.  
 It's not a winning season, because there were over 110 teams in the state with winning records.  
 It's the feeling of pride and accomplishment that makes the season a success, and it's easy to see these feelings on the faces of the players.  
 Thank you Barbara and Ed for bringing a little bit of pride to Nicholas County.

**LETTERS TO THE EDITOR**  
 Editor: organizations' and Tom FitzGerald's name to solicit funds for an organization that has no affiliation with and is not "working with" Kentuckians For The Commonwealth, the Kentucky Resources Council or Mr. FitzGerald's name to be used to solicit money for that organization, but the practice has continued. We believe that our organizations' names being "dropped" at the door in an effort to gain credibility in order to raise money by abusing our names to:

Daymon Morgan, Chairman  
 Kentuckians For The Commonwealth  
 Tom FitzGerald, Director  
 Kentucky Resources Council

**MERCURY MEMORIES**

**5 Years Ago**  
 Thursday, April 3, 1986  
 Bourbon County is celebrating its 200th year and plans are being made by citizens of Paris for commemorating the county's birthday.  
 The Nicholas County Historical Society is sponsoring an art contest, with showings tentatively set during the Blue Licks celebration in August and Carlisle Court Day in September.  
 Sam Devine, manager of Blue Licks State Park, announced last week that an Arbor Day program is being planned for Friday, April 4.

**20 Years Ago**  
 Thursday, April 1, 1971  
 The Nicholas County High School band will participate in the 1971 Depop Art Festival in Knoxville, Tennessee, April 15, 16, and 17.  
 Mervin Whiteley, who served as a veterans chairman in Nicholas County when Bert T. Combs was elected governor in 1959, has consented to serve in a similar capacity for Mr. Combs in the May Primary.  
 Bill Padgett, Carlisle, Route 1, has been selected as one of ten members on the Kentucky All State Trap Shoot Team.

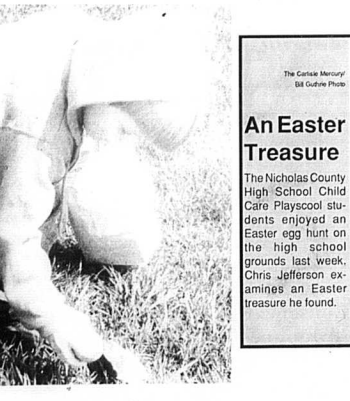
**10 Years Ago**  
 Thursday, April 3, 1981  
 President Ronald Reagan was shot Monday as he left the Washington Hilton.  
 The state Transportation Department intends to resurface an additional 470 miles of state-maintained roads this summer at an estimated cost of \$16 million.

**City seeking Certified status**

By William Milson  
 Carlisle — This city of Carlisle will once again apply for the Kentucky Certified City program, governed by the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce.  
 Carlisle has unsuccessfully applied for the honor the last two years.

In a handout from the chamber, a Certified City is defined as "a city ready for growth, for jobs, and the future."  
 Kathy Howard, coordinator of the application process, is currently forming committees to handle the ten different sections of the application.  
 Local officials, business leaders, and private individuals will head the committees.  
 The ten groups will answer questions about the city's appearance, revitalization, planning, chamber organization, water, wastewater, solid

waste management, tourism, and industrial development.  
 Howard, Carolyn Benson of Kentucky Utilities, and Mary Tapp of the city office attended a seminar describing the procedure for certification on March 28 in Frankfort.  
 The committees must submit their applications to the state chamber by May 10 of this year.  
 A selection panel will visit all the applying cities between June 2 and July 1.  
 The cities will be notified by the first of October.  
 Howard said "I thought for sure we would be recognized last year. Hopefully the panel



**An Easter Treasure**  
 The Nicholas County High School Child Care Playgroup students enjoyed an Easter egg hunt on the high school grounds last week.  
 Chris Jefferson examines an Easter treasure he found.

of Transportation spent nearly \$1.2 million less in 1980 for in-state and out-of-state travel than in 1979.  
 BORN: Jason David Swartz, March 18, 1981.  
 MARRIED: Ada Taylor and Leslie C. Snapp, March 28, 1981.  
 DIED: Almada Shields Inhoff, March 22, 1981; Halena F. Mulligan, March 21, 1981; Mrs. Edith L. Coyne, March 29, 1981; Mrs. Georgia Both Clark, March 25, 1981; Mrs. Annabelle Guance, March 24, 1981.

**40 Years Ago**  
 Thursday, April 6, 1951  
 Dining on a Grade A basis will be discussed and demonstrated at a meeting Monday, April 9, on the Kenneth Stephenson arm, with representatives of two Cincinnati Grade A milk companies being present.  
 The gigging season opened on April 2 at noon and will continue until midnight, May 5. Giggers are required to have a fishing license.  
 The redecorating of the American Legion, Post 17 club rooms, is going along on schedule, according to John D. Power, post commander.  
 BORN: Edwin Karl Hamilton, March 28, 1951; Francis Ann Bretz, March 21, 1951; Luena Pae Dempster, April 4, 1951; Elaine Lee Craft, March 30, 1951; Bobby Paine Clay Jr., March 23, 1951; Ann Tebay Rose, Wednesday.  
 MARRIED: Miss Wilma Dean Hamn to William Ray Hunter, March 25, 1951.  
 DIED: Cpl. Stanley Howard, March 23, 1951; H.L. Hubbard, Tuesday; Mrs. Mattie Eva Wood, Friday; Benny Roy Frederick, Friday.

**50 Years Ago**  
 Thursday, April 5, 1941  
 The Carlisle Mercury will be celebrating its 50th anniversary on Monday, April 8, at the Carlisle High School. The Carlisle Mercury will be celebrating its 50th anniversary on Monday, April 8, at the Carlisle High School. The Carlisle Mercury will be celebrating its 50th anniversary on Monday, April 8, at the Carlisle High School.

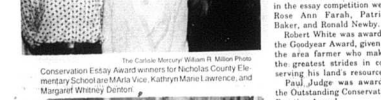
**GENERAL NEWS**



Winners of the Nicholas County Elementary School's annual conservation poster competition were Catherine Craig Hopkins, Aaron Williams, and Paul Baker. The awards were presented by Nicholas County Conservation District Chairman Edgar Danell at the district's annual award banquet.



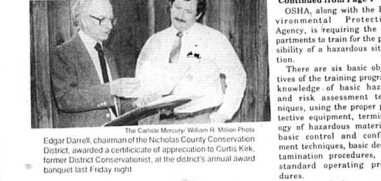
Patrick Baker and Flora Ann Farah were honored at the annual Nicholas County Conservation District awards banquet for their high school essay entries. Ronald Newby is not pictured.



The Carlisle Mercury William R. Milson Photo  
 Conservation Essay Award winners for Nicholas County Elementary School are Maria Vice, Kathryn Marie Lawrence, and Margaret Whitney Denton.



The Carlisle Mercury William R. Milson Photo  
 Gimes Bassell and Conservation District Chairman Edgar Danell award Donna Galbraith with the district's Honor Award last Friday at the group's annual award banquet.



The Carlisle Mercury William R. Milson Photo  
 Edgar Danell, chairman of the Nicholas County Conservation District, awarded a certificate of appreciation to Gima Gimes Bassell at the district's annual award banquet last Friday night.



The Carlisle Mercury William R. Milson Photo  
 Robert White, left, was awarded the Goodyear Award at the annual Nicholas County Conservation Awards Banquet by Dr. Allen Haman. The Goodyear Award is given to the farmer who practices soil and water conservation on his farm.

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 When you find the hidden Fleeting Mercury, somewhere on the pages of this issue, simply cut it out, and mail or bring to The Carlisle Mercury Office. The prize for April will be a MAN'S OR WOMAN'S WATCH. The contest will run through the month of April, with final deadline for entries. April 29 at 5 p.m.

Find the SMALL Fleeting Mercury hidden somewhere inside this edition and cut it out. Return the small Mercury you find in The Mercury, and Mercury PLUS along with the following coupon to be entered in this month's contest.  
 ONE WINNER will be drawn from the month's entries at 5 p.m. April 29 with the name published in the May 2, 1991 edition of The Carlisle Mercury. Don't miss a single chance to win. Enter every week to increase your odds at winning.

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