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BOND'S BROADCAST By Hank Bond

Maybe mother nature will make up her mind and decide if and when she will finally let spring jump full force onto us here in Nicholas County. It seems even with the on again, off again, sunshine we're having a fit problem.

Talking one doctor in Carlisle I found that the opinion may be, once it warms up all the germs get moving and again, and as soon as it gets cold enough to wipe them out, they start up again when the sun comes out.

I would be a little bit base to not mention the fine seasons turned in by the Nicholas County High School boys and girls basketball teams. Their combined record of 39-34 is quite an accomplishment for any school and something we should be proud of.

Along those same lines there is certainly a lot of credit due to members of the Nicholas County High School Academic team for the many accomplishments this academic season. Not only has the team done well, but many individuals have done well. It's good to see our young people do so well. And so, for another week, thanks and thank you.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To The Carlisle Mercury: I just wanted to write and let you know that I got the diploma sent me. I appreciate the support that you're sending over here. Most of my unit is from Louisville and they don't understand home town support. It wouldn't be nothing for me at all call to receive 20.25 letters. Most everyone else gets 4 or 4 letters. I'm proud and I'm a U.S. citizen and I'm proud to be a Nicholas County native. Thanks again, Deshaun Curran Editor: I am so glad to see someone else shares the same views as myself. The article you wrote was superb. Also, The Carlisle Mercury has done an excellent job of covering our Nicholas County boys in the Persian Gulf War. Linda R. George Carlisle, Ky

Kentucky's new waste management laws affect everyone

By Pam Shingler KY Press Service FRANKFORT — From folks who throw their garbage over the hill to school children to various recyclers, Kentucky's new solid waste management law affects virtually all citizens of the commonwealth. Many legislators and others have criticized Senate Bill 2 for falling short of ideal solutions, but the 101-page bill, passed in the General Assembly's special session, addresses—or begins to address—the state's massive garbage problem. Areas the state, local officials should be ensuring to plan for their role in the legislation, which becomes effective in mid-May — 50 days after its Feb. 21 passage date. The bill requires much of local governments, particularly those that have dropped their feet on solid waste issues. Cities and counties must declare themselves as solid waste management districts or align with their neighbors as such districts

Filling The Stands

Fans turned out in full force to support the Nicholas County Blue-jackets and the Lady Blue Jackets in the 37th District tournaments last week. Despite the support, both teams lost in the opening round.

MERCURY MEMORIES

5 Years Ago Thursday, March 6 marks the opening of 'A Shopper's Dream' promotion, being sponsored by 16 area merchants who are offering cash and merchandise along with special bargains to shoppers during the next seven weeks. Columbia Gas Co. will begin construction of 30 miles of pipeline from north-central Nicholas County to the site of the new Fayetteville to be built in Georgetown.

20 Years Ago Thursday, March 6, 1971 was the opening of the new Family Store, in the new manager of Carlisle Lerner's store. She succeeds Raymond Bruce, who retired effective March 3, 1971. Harriet C. Harney, March 3, 1981.

40 Years Ago Thursday, March 6, 1931 S.B. Barlow was re-elected president of the Nicholas County Soil Testing Association. Two prizes totaling \$20 were won by the East Union #1 Club in the annual Kentucky Utilities Company #1 achievement contest and were presented to the club at a banquet held Monday night at the County High School in Deskingville.

10 Years Ago Thursday, March 5, 1981 Joe Frank Conley, chairman of the board of Nicholas County Library, was honored Monday, February 23 with a reception at the library. Mr. Conley, who is retiring, was honored for serving as a member for 28 years. He is the longest serving member since its inception in

May of 1947. After almost 50 years of selling groceries in Carlisle, Gene and Powell Neal have sold Neal's Square Deal Grocery and are retiring. It will be 47 years to be exact in June of this year, for it was in June 1934 that their father, B.W. (Bibb) Neal started Neal's Square Deal Grocery on Main Street.

Joe A. Crouch of Carlisle has been named chairman of the 1981 Easter Seal Campaign for Nicholas County. BOB Nathan Scott Prevo, February 24, 1981; Matthew Thomas Lawrence, February 22, 1981; Misty Dawn Hawkins, February 19, 1981; DIED: Elmer Clay Mitchell, February 19, 1981; Herbert C. Harney, March 3, 1981.

MARRIED: Miss Mary Gene Lair to Donald McGuff, Saturday, Miss Evelyn Lee Clay to Rev. Alfred Vance Cumer, Friday. DIED: Mrs. Pauline Jones, Millersburg, mother of Mayor Woodworth Jones, Saturday.

MARRIED: Miss Mary Catherine Gaunce to Willard Perry Verner, February 26, 1941; Miss Wanda Hill to Lloyd Breen, Saturday.

DIED: Mrs. Gladie Blount Hays, Thursday, J.D. Ellington, Sunday, J. Parks Tilton, Monday, T.J. Crouch, Saturday.

charge to explore markets for recycled goods and assist districts in promoting recycling. Education of the public about solid waste and recycling is a prime objective of the bill. Instructed by the bill to establish an education program are the Department of Education, Kentucky Environmental Control Agency, the National Resources Cabinet. The DOE will concentrate on programs for school children. Recycling by all state agencies is their objective. Recycled goods that are purchased with the state are required to use recycled materials as much as possible. The bill does not significantly change existing industry's role since administrative regulations adopted last year are widely regarded as extensive. The Cabinet must also have a special license from the Transportation Cabinet. Their vehicles must also have a special license and must display a

overall plan of waste management in line with that plan, but the district is allowed local recourse. Also in response to local concern, the bill authorizes the Cabinet to hire on-site inspectors to make sure that districts are operated according to regulations. Throughout the planning and landfill-permitting process, local governments, the Cabinet and applicants are required to provide a formal public notice of their intentions and to arrange for public hearings. To meet the goal of reducing the amount of waste generated, the bill provides a number of incentives to local governments and individuals to recycle and to use recycled materials. Important to this effort is the creation of the Kentucky Recycling Brokerage Authority, effective July 1 and comprised of representatives from state and local government, the waste industry, legislators and environmental groups. The authority's

over 181 days of active duty rather than two years as was previously required. A new commission officerally began the task of planning celebrations of the 200th anniversary of the founding of Fort Harrod and the 100th running of the Kentucky Derby in 1974.

BORN: Mr. and Mrs. Terry Feak announce the birth of a son, born Sunday, February 22, 1981 at the Bourbon County Hospital. MARRIED: Miss Connie Sue Hunter to Kenny Edward Harding, February 27, 1971. Allen Stone, February 12, 1981; Misty Dawn Hawkins, February 19, 1981; DIED: Lee Ray Douglas, March 1, 1971; Noel P. Craven, March 1, 1971; John Cronin, March 1, 1971.

The local chapter of the Red Cross has received a certificate of merit from the National Headquarters of the Red Cross for their excellent membership drive. A total of 502 people were enrolled in the membership campaign.

BORN: Eleanor Davis McGowin, February 25, 1941.

MARRIED: Miss Mary Catherine Gaunce to Willard Perry Verner, February 26, 1941; Miss Wanda Hill to Lloyd Breen, Saturday.

DIED: Mrs. Gladie Blount Hays, Thursday, J.D. Ellington, Sunday, J. Parks Tilton, Monday, T.J. Crouch, Saturday.

now, however, have to undergo more stringent background checks to make sure they have not previously violated environmental regulations either in Kentucky or elsewhere. To stem out-of-area garbage as much as possible, the bill, under the new legislation, cannot accept more than five percent more waste than that received in 1990. Exceptions can be made, though, for areas experiencing industrial growth. In addition, the bill contains a strong clause of interest clause that prohibits any elected or appointed government official or his/her spouse from accepting any business of solid waste management or recycling. (One exception is for the purchase of a vehicle for the business of his or her recycling business.) Commercial haulers of trash must obtain a special license from the Transportation Cabinet. Their vehicles must also have a special license and must display a

GENERAL NEWS

Ford, Arnold

Continued from Page 1 lection available. "Public attitude calls for these measures. This law is a big step for us. It is up to the people to make the law effective." Ford and Arnold agree that the law is a first step, and additional legislation is in the works. "This is only a start. It's up to the people of Kentucky to see how much farther we need to go," said Ford. One of the most emotional issues of waste management, out of state garbage, was not addressed by the bill. "People don't realize that Kentucky exports 10 percent of its own garbage out of state that the same amount as we import. It was a real emotional issue for me people, here's not a major concern," Ford added. Arnold agrees.

- Nicholas County Elementary School Menus March 11 Thru Breakfast Monday, Mar. 11-Pancake & Syrup, Juice, Milk Tuesday, Mar. 12-Scrambled Eggs, Biscuits & Jelly, Juice, Milk Wednesday, Mar. 13-Cereal, Peppert, Juice, Milk Thursday, Mar. 14-Applesauce, Sausage & Biscuit, Milk Friday, Mar. 15-NO SCHOOL Lunch Monday, Mar. 11-Tamale Pie, Tossed Salad, Pear Hal, Onco Cheese Tuesday, Mar. 12-Bologna/Cheese Sandwich, Port & Beans, French Fries, Pickle, Peach Cobbler, Milk Wednesday, Mar. 13-Hamburger on bun, Lettuce Salad, Slice Tomato, Pickles, Buttered Corn, Ice Cream, Milk Thursday, Mar. 14-Beef Stew, Colelaw, Peach Hal, Corndrib, Milk Friday, Mar. 15-NO SCHOOL

- Nicholas County High School Menus March 11 Thru 15 Breakfast Monday, Mar. 11-Cereal, Cinnamon Toast, Juice, Milk Tuesday, Mar. 12-Sausage/Biscuit, Fruit, Milk Wednesday, Mar. 13-Cheese Eggs, Bacon, Toast, Milk Thursday, Mar. 14-Coffee Cake, Juice, Milk Friday, Mar. 15-NO SCHOOL Lunch Monday, Mar. 11-Pizza, Lettuce Wedge, Fresh Fruit, Juice, Salad Bar Available Tuesday, Mar. 12-Italian Pasta, French Bread, Tossed Salad, Milk, Peach Hal, Salad Bar Available Wednesday, Mar. 13-Steak Sandwich, Slaw, French Fries, Milk, Peanut Butter Cookies, Salad Bar Available Thursday, Mar. 14-Corn Dogs, Macaroni & Cheese, Peas, Milk, Apple/Ramona/Orange, Potatoe Bar, Milk Friday, Mar. 15-NO SCHOOL

ORDINANCE NO. 7, 1991 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 31.02 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO REPEAL THE ANNUAL CONTRIBUTION OF CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS TO \$1,000 EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 1992, AND TO REPEAL TO \$1,500, EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 1994.

SECTION 1: That \$1,000 of the Code of Ordinances of the City be and hereby is amended to read as follows: (a) Effective January 1, 1992, compensation of the respective members of the Carlisle City Council is hereby fixed at \$1,500 annually. (b) Effective January 1, 1994, compensation of the Mayor is hereby fixed at \$1,500 annually. SECTION 2: That this Ordinance shall become effective upon its passage, approval and publication as required by law. Passed on First Reading, February 27, 1991. Signed on Second Reading, FEBRUARY 27, 1991. Approved by Mayor, FEBRUARY 26, 1991. Recorded by Clerk, FEBRUARY 26, 1991. Published in The Carlisle Mercury, Thursday, March 7, 1991

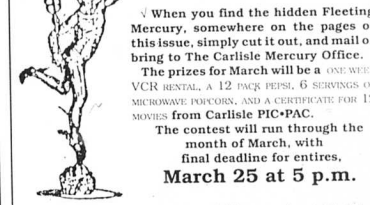
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Find the SMALL Fleeting Mercury hidden somewhere inside this edition and cut it out. Return the small Mercury you find in the Mercury, and Mercury PLUS along with the following coupon to be entered in this month's contest. ONE WINNER will be drawn from the month's entries at 5 p.m., March 25 with the name published in the March 28, 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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