

Fiscal Court

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"The more people working the more your tax base will increase. If we don't do this, your tax base will decrease," Marshall said.

In other business, the court decided to temporarily turn over the homes in the east and currently covered by the Nicholas County Water Works to the city instead of the Nicholas County Water District.

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OBITUARIES

BRETZ
Charles William (Bill) Bretz, 713 Coal Drive, Carlisle, husband of Cordie Bretz, died March 5 at Bourbon General Hospital.

He was born May 16, 1916 in Lewis County and was the late Ir Johnson and Odie Wilburn Bretz.

He was a member of World War II, a farmer, a member of the American Legion Post 257.

He is survived by his wife, Cordie Bretz; Carlisle, two sons, William Joe Bretz, Paris, and Harold Gene Bretz, Carlisle; two daughters, Bonnie Myrean and Sandra Lubbo, Paris; two brothers, Clarence Bretz and Ir Bretz, Paris; 10 grandchildren and one great-grandson.

Funeral services were held at Frank Evers Home, Millersburg March 8 at 2 p.m. by Rev. Jay Robinson with burial in the Carlisle Cemetery.

Fallbearers were Mack Hollar, Danny Stone, Monte Whelan, Smokey Buchanan, Dickie Clark, and Scott Clark.

SEXTON
Ethal Rees Sexton, 92, widow of Clyde M. Sexton, Carlisle, passed away Tuesday, March 9 at the Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington.

Mrs. Sexton was a native of Bourbon County, a long-time resident of Nicholas County and member of the Carlisle Christian Church.

Survivors include two sons, Charles K. Sexton, Lexington, and Dr. William E. Sexton, Lexington, two grandsons, Michael Sexton, Richmond, and Dr. Gregory Sexton, Columbia; South Carolina; one granddaughter, Cheryl Thompson, Smiths Grove; one step-granddaughter, Ann Morris, Lexington; eight great grandchildren; two step-great grandchildren; one step-great grandchild and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services are 11 a.m. Thursday, March 11, 1993 at Mathews-Gaunce Funeral Home by Rev. Steve Smith with burial in Carlisle Cemetery.

Casketbearers are Jimmy Caswell, Johnny Caswell, Dudley Clinkensbeard, Sam Clinkensbeard, Jimmy Milam, and Johnny Milam.

Honorary casketbearers are John Anderson, Austin Mafford and Bernie Milam.

Friends may call at the funeral home after 4 p.m. Wednesday.

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Jackets fall to Colonels in Tourney play

By Jason Hart
OF THE CARLISE MERCURY STAFF

CYNTHIANA — The Nicholas County Bluejackets went down fighting last night against the Colonels of Bourbon County in the first and only game they would play in the 57th District Tournament.

Bradley Brown turned in a sterling performance, scoring six three-pointers on the night.

First period action saw both teams feeling each other out, looking for weak spots to exploit. Nicholas found one in the Bourbon three-point defense, and took full advantage of it.

Israel Stacy hit the first points for the Jackets, driving through heavy defense for a smooth layup.

The Jackets offense was tentative in the first, and score at the end of the period stood at 16 - 16, Nicholas County leading.

In the second period, Colonel Rabbee Webb started the damage against the Jackets, scoring the first two of the quarter at 7:52.

Bradley Brown found an opening at 8:46 and put up three, his third one of the night on his way to a total of 46.

Brown hit his fourth three-pointer of the night at 2:45 in the third.

Score at the end of the third 41 - 31, Colonels lead.

In the third period, the crowd grew restless as the referee giving Israel Stacy a hard time about a scratch on the bench sending him to the bench three times for a hand-gesture before the problem was remedied.

Scoring action in the third consisted of the Colonels widening the scoring gap against the Jackets, ending the period with a score 59 - 45, Colonels lead.

Fourth period saw the Jackets free out, going away several points, and three-point scoring and other offensive elements broke down, allowing the Colonels to break the game with a score of 78 - 60, Colonels.



The Carlisle Mercury/Steve Mollins Photo
Jennifer Wiloughby took out at the net after the Lady Jackets won the district tournament Friday night in Paris. Wiloughby made the last shot of the game for the Colonels while shooting a three pointer with seconds left in the fourth.

Junior ROTC to expand program

Opportunity for high school students to participate in Army Reserve Officers' Training Corps (ROTC) has been increased by an expansion that will double the size of the program nationally.

Junior ROTC, established by Congress in 1916 to promote citizenship and self-discipline, will go from 856 units to more than 1650 by the year 1997-98. Two hundred programs are to be added for school year 1995-96.

The program is a structured, academic, civetic, which emphasizes citizenship, leadership, communication, and civic and regular activities, to include school drill teams and marksmanship teams. There is no military obligation to the student.

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Nationally, 94 percent of Junior ROTC students graduate from high school, compared to 75 percent of students in general. Junior ROTC students also achieve higher test scores than normal, and compete for scholarships.

According to Colonel George Wilburn, commander of the ROTC program in Kentucky, Tennessee, and West Virginia, interested school districts and principals should contact his office at (502) 624-3847 for more information.

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Michael Hopkins poses for the camera as a fluffy purruses her in the district trials in Paris. Hopkins scored five points total in the match.

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Nicholas County schools celebrate "National School Breakfast Week"

By Rebecca Mullins
OF THE CARLISE MERCURY STAFF

CARLISLE — Moms, life got a little bit easier for you.

If waking up in the early hours of morning to find your children breakfast before school never stresses you, the Nicholas County schools food service has answered your call for salvation.

The celebrated moms may be even happier than what is served at most breakfast tables in the children's homes. Pancakes and sausage, coffee, cake, eggs and toast, juice, milk and revolutionary "breakfast pizza" are being offered at the elementary school during the week. At the high school, biscuits, sausage and gravy, breakfast pizza, danish, egg muffins, cinnamon-raisin biscuits and beverages are being served.

Approximately 200-350 elementary students and 155 high school students will eat breakfast at the schools this week. Food Service supervisor Martha Taylor said Thursday, "These school children are of all income levels. The theme of National School Breakfast Week, according to Taylor, is "Share Your Future." Research proves that children who eat a balanced breakfast are making positive steps for growth.

According to ED-Taylor News, provided for the Kentucky Department of Education, a child who eats breakfast performs better academically, can be more social, has lower blood cholesterol, is more productive and usually is healthier than children who don't eat breakfast.

Having taught for several years, Taylor knows children benefit from eating a solid breakfast.

"I've never really done a study, but any educator would say some students are groggy during the day because they haven't eaten since the night before," Taylor said.

She recommended children eat breakfast every day, and never substitute soft drinks for a balanced morning meal.

The process is called Kentucky 2001 and Governor Brown has asked that citizens in each of Kentucky's 120 counties become involved in shaping the future of their respective communities. The Nicholas County service, the one in this process was held February 9. At that time, county commissioner was displayed and discussed that showed where the city and county stood with regard to the economy, economic development, tourism, agriculture, education, the workforce, major services, recreation facilities and services, water supply and waste, police, fire, electric service, natural gas and telephone service, highways, rail service, the environment, unique features, justice and the court system, area organization and government, special districts and tax rates.

A follow-up meeting has now been scheduled for Friday, March 19, at 7 p.m. in the Carlisle City Council Chamber. That meeting will involve planning for the future. The meeting is perhaps final meeting that goals and objectives can be set, strategies established, and program and project needs identified.

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Kentucky 2001 follow-up meeting to be held at city hall Friday, March 19 at 7 p.m.

Council voted to allow the use of 250 acres for the Blackberry Festival, which will take place this year from June 28 to July 3. Council also voted to contribute \$500 towards this year's fireworks.

Sam Reynolds was reappointed to his past on the Planning and Zoning Committee for another four year term.

Council discussed plans for spring clean-up days, with tentative dates being set for April 21 and 28.

City council will "do whatever necessary" to foster economic growth in Carlisle

By Jason Hart
OF THE CARLISE MERCURY STAFF

CARLISLE — Carlisle City Council took action Monday night to foster new economic growth in the city.

Council was addressed by Spud Marshall of the Carlisle Nicholas County Industrial Development Center. Marshall said two or three businesses are interested in locating in Carlisle, and would like the help of the council to do so.

"On the prospect, a textile manufacturer, would employ 12 people at first, but that number would increase to 60 or 60," said Marshall. "What they need is financial help from the council."

Marshall said he could not name the companies involved for business reasons.

"The other prospect, a tool and die company, would employ 40 people at first," said Marshall. "We could have both of these companies in here within 30 days if we had the building for them to move into."

Marshall said the third prospect is a fast-food franchise. "The fast-food store will employ 50 or 60 part-time workers, mostly about kids," said Marshall. "These prospects like Carlisle, they're ready to come here. They just need the incentives."

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Methodists will train in theology for lay speakers

For the past several years Methodists in the Mayville District have had training in Theology For Lay Speakers during February and March. This year training for pastors and Lay in will be held on two Saturdays only.

On March 14, 1993, Dr. Reginald Johnson from Ashbury Theological Seminary in Wilmore, Kentucky will be the guest speaker. The training will be held at the United Methodist Church in Mayville.

The second featured speaker was Rev. Clay Smith, Executive Director of the Historic Rural Life Center in Mayville, Mo. 1993 will be held at the First United Methodist Church in Mayville, Ky. on Saturday, March 27, 1993 from 9-11 p.m.

Special music will be part of both rallies. On March 14, 1993 The Scotts from Mayville, Mo. 1993 will be provided by The Lighter Boy and Joyce Skan from Mayville, Mo. The ministries will be held at the First United Methodist Church in Mayville, Ky. from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Rev. Glenn Coats, Superior



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A Kentucky National Guard helicopter, piloted by Chief Warrant Officer Second Class Daryll H. Gibson, takes off carrying representatives from Disaster and Emergency Services and the Kentucky Fire Marshal's office to inspect the site of the fire dump Friday. After aerial inspection of the site, fire marshal Kenny Johnson downgraded the threat level of the contamination, stating it was no longer the major emergency judged 9 to be initially.

RECC to sponsor scholarship program

Fleming-Mason RECC will sponsor a new scholarship program this year at the annual meeting which will be held May 12, 1993. The new program, which is designed to enhance the education and resulting careers of deserving students, will offer a first prize of \$1,000.00 and second prize of \$500.00 scholarship. The new program is open to both young men and women. The participation requirements are outlined below:

- Candidates must be from the Fleming-Mason RECC service area and their parents
- Candidate must be a graduating senior in good standing from one of the high schools in the Fleming-Mason RECC service area
- Applicant must be enrolled or planning to enroll in a bona fide educational or training institution.
- Applicant must be employed at Fleming-Mason RECC at 1-800-463-3144.
- All candidates must agree to appear in person at the annual meeting to be held Wednesday, May 12, 1993. All applications will be reviewed by Thursday, April 1, 1993.

If you would like to complete listing of scholarship guidelines and an application, please stop or call Mary Beth Nance of the Member Service Department at Fleming-Mason RECC at 1-800-463-3144.

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