

OPINION

Steve's Report

It's a dangerous world out there, and getting more dangerous all the time. When I was a kid growing up in the 60s, life seemed a lot safer. I guess they had bicycles better back then, because we didn't need helmets or knee pads and how pads to keep us from hurting ourselves.



Steve's Report By Steve Scalf

roll over, my elbow was in the way, jabbing her in the back. She managed to coax me over onto my own side of the bed, but as I rolled over onto my stomach, somehow both of my arms ended up underneath me. I must have remained in that position for several hours, because...

The next morning when the alarm went off, I dragged my arm out from underneath my chest and hit the snooze button - or at least, that's what I thought I was doing. When the alarm kept on ringing, I looked down and realized my arm was still lying motionless under my chest.

"Hey! Wake up!" I shouted at myself. "I told you to turn off the alarm! It didn't help, though. My arm just laid there. So I tried moving my other arm. No luck. There wasn't even enough life in my arms to give me that uncomfortable tingling sensation."

Using my legs, I managed to roll over onto my back. Doing the butt-walk, I had gotten myself into a bit of a predicament. I hadn't been so busy laughing at the strange situation I had gotten myself into. I might have been concerned. But eventually, my thumbs started twiggling, and only a few moments after that, I got some slight movement from the rest of my fingers. All in all, even with pumping my hands and shaking my arms, took about 15 minutes until motor control and normal sensation were fully restored.

So let that be a lesson to you! It's a dangerous world we live in. I'd better quit writing and send this warning out to you before I get bored.

Signing out from Homolula Steve Scalf

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NICHOLAS NEWS TRIANGLE HEADQUARTERS - SALTWELL - BARTERVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doyle had a supper on Thursday night for the 77th birthday of Marjorie Doyle Fryman. Others there were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams, Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Harry...

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitson, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Brady, Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Whitson, Jeremy and Landon, Carl Whitson, Carly and David, Nickie Fryman and Levi and Logan and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Richardson had Easter dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David "Denny" Richardson at Morning Glory.

Community Calendar

AA meetings held AA meetings are held every Tuesday at 7 p.m. except the third Tuesday of the month is at 7 p.m. in the Community Room of the Nicholas County Health Department.

Veterans Benefits Field Representative at Courthouse A Veterans Benefits Field Representative with the Veterans Department of Veterans Affairs will be at the Nicholas County Courthouse on the third Tuesday of each month.

Attention Democrats Democratic Party Precept Convention at Nicholas County Courthouse on April 5, 2008 at 10:00 A.M. All precept leaders and interested Democrats need to attend. New Precept Leaders will be elected. For more information call John Morris at 289-7085.

Arts Guild to meet The Courthouse Square Arts Guild will meet Monday, April 7th at 5:00 p.m. at the Neal Biggs, on Main Street.

Project Graduation meeting to be held Project Graduation meeting will be held every Wednesday until graduation at 6 p.m. in the high school. All senior parents are welcome to attend.

If you have a community announcement, please bring it to The Carlisle Mercury at 117 South Locust. You can mail it to P.O. Box 272, Carlisle, KY 40311. You can email it to editor@theCarlislemercury.com. You can fax it to 859-289-4000.

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Stinging to be held Dean Weddle will be singing at Millersburg United Methodist Church on Sunday evening on March 30th at 6:00 p.m. His CDs will be available for purchase during this time.

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care. Our communities extend sympathy to Rev. Howard Livingood and his family with the passing of his wife Stella. She always seemed to be able and willing to do anything asked of her. Many in Nicholas County grew up with her children so she will be missed by many. This writer is reminded of every time I look through my mother's cookbooks. I will often see a recipe marked "from Stella". I have loved and admired her since I was a child reading on my dad's school bus, how Howard and Stella always managed to sit together during the long ride to and from the Headquarters School and they lived across the road from each other.

Phyllis Brady had a nice visit one day last week with Wilma Clavoir of Walnut Grove Road. Rev. Darrell Sexton had the service at Johnson Mathers Health Care on Easter Sunday afternoon. His wife played the piano and Rev. Sexton led the residents in singing some Easter songs. Rev. Donald Riggs brought the Easter message at 11:00 a.m. at Headquarters Unit.

Methodist Church on Sunday. There was the annual Easter egg hunt for the children after the service. Rev. Troy Miller, pastor at the Barterville United Methodist Church, Sunrise Service gave a message, followed by breakfast in the fellowship hall. Samantha and Stephanie Howell visited Bill and Ramona George Sunday afternoon after having been to the Carlisle Christian Church. They also visited Ms. Camille Jennings and Steve and Dorcus Ockerman.

The Irvingville Baptist of Morning Glory Road had Sunrise Service Sunday morning with a message brought by their pastor Rev. Albert Simmons.

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