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Subscriber,

Well I thought I could keep the magazine afloat, but I'm afraid it is starting to SINK. Due to the extreme cost of printing & mailing and the low subscription rate of my magazine combined with the lack of help, I am going to have to suspend publication until further notice. I hope I can be back in your homes before the 2nd anniversary issue would be out in September 1989. I had tried to run this magazine with a work force of only one, myself! I soon found out that it became more than I alone could handle. If you had more than '3' issues due you then you will be receiving a copy of 'CASTLE on Disk #1' and the most recent programs on the back. If you had just subscribed and have gotten less than 3 issues then you'll also receive a disk that I sell with some labeler programs on it. I hope that everyone can understand my situation. I am already looking for some people to hire to take over some of the different jobs that are required in the publication of a monthly magazine. Please if you have any suggestions or comments don't hesitate to write to me. I know I'll miss the letters and miss writing the magazine and I hope I can get back a lot sooner than September. When I do get back you will be sent a copy of the new issue & will be given a reduction on the new subscription rate if you decide to subscribe. Also, I'm going to work on getting plenty of advertisers this time before I start back. Also, let me know what columns you liked and the ones you didn't. I kinda got the feeling that you wanted more programs and less 'FLUFF' like the Pen Pals, ScoreBoard, & Post-It-Notes. Maybe with your help I can re-vamp this magazine into what everyone really wants and then I can start trying to give that other CoCo magazine a run for their money. I'm also hunting a new printer that won't ~~clap~~ slap me down like this one did. Well I've already taken up too much of your time, so I'll just close by saying thanks for the opportunity to serve you these past 14 months. Talk at ya l8er.

Friends in computing,

Bobby Roger Queen
AKA The WIZARD

ps. You can continue to contact me through my BBS at 704-434-2629 also.

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