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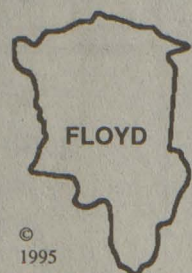
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Deficit reduction plan may cost 100 jobs

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

About 100 jobs in the Floyd County School System would be eliminated next year under a plan, approved by the board Tuesday, to erase a million dollar deficit.

Under the plan, 12 full-time substitute teachers, 38 support staff positions, 17 school-based administrative staffers, 22 teaching positions, four maintenance and operations jobs, one central office classified position and four part-time and two full-time administrative positions would be eliminated by the start of the 1996-97 school year.

Also, the district would terminate leases for two auxiliary offices, which house the special education department and office of in-

struction, in downtown Prestonsburg.

Not all board members agreed with the deficit reduction plan and board members Ersal Ray Wilcox and Brent Clark voted against it.

Board member Eddie Patton asked interim superintendent Ed Allen if adoption of the plan could be postponed until the district's budget committee reviewed it.

Members of the Floyd County Education Association have criticized the board in the past because they claimed board members ignored financial recommendations offered by the budget committee.

Allen told Patton that the plan had to be approved at Tuesday's meeting so that it could be submitted to state school board members prior to the state board's December

meeting.

Floyd school officials are expected to be at the December meeting of the state board to explain the district's budget shortfall and the

School officials are projecting a budget deficit of \$1,075,000 for this school year, finance director Gary Parsons said Tuesday. The amount of the deficit has risen steadily since it was first announced in August. The initial shortfall was estimated at \$600,000 and it grew to over

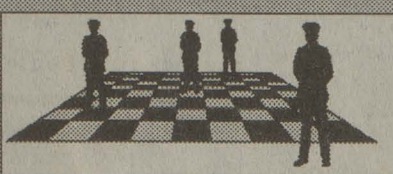
\$900,000 last month. Some of the reasons for the projected budget shortfall cited by Allen include excessive staffing, unnecessary transportation costs and failure to close some of the smaller schools in the district.

In the transportation department, Allen suggested that the board review duplications of bus routes that take students to several different schools. The interim superintendent recommended that parents transport students wanting to go to schools outside of their districts.

Board chairman Ray Brackett complimented Allen on the deficit reduction plan and said he was pleased that Allen and not the "board chairman" would be addressing the state school board next month.

"This is an honest and above board effort to reduce costs," Allen said.

Also Tuesday, the board declared an emergency because of the budget deficit and members agreed that board approval would be necessary for all non-contract expenditures over \$1,000.



The Next Move

The State Board for Elementary and Secondary Education will review the Floyd County deficit reduction plan during its December meeting.

meeting.

Patton also wanted to know if the board would be "locked in" to the method of the reduction if the plan was approved.

Allen explained that it would be final, "generally speaking," regarding the amount of money cut from the budget, but that other cost sav-

ing measures could be instituted.

Under the plan for this school year, expenditures not related to the operation of the district's instructional plan will be delayed.

"We believe the current year working budget, excluding personnel, has been reduced as much as possible," the plan noted.

Renovation of PHS starts next spring

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

Floyd school board members gave the go-ahead Tuesday on the renovation of Prestonsburg High School.

Architects Joe Jones, with Johnson-Romanowitz, and Randy Burchett, of Prestonsburg, outlined the project, which includes the ad-

dition of a science wing, an administrative area, a library media center and renovation of all the school's classrooms.

Jones explained that the project will be completed in two phases, with most of the work being done in the first phase. The scope of the second phase will depend on the amount of funding available, Jones said. The second phase is set to include the addition of a music suite and renovation of the gymnasium.

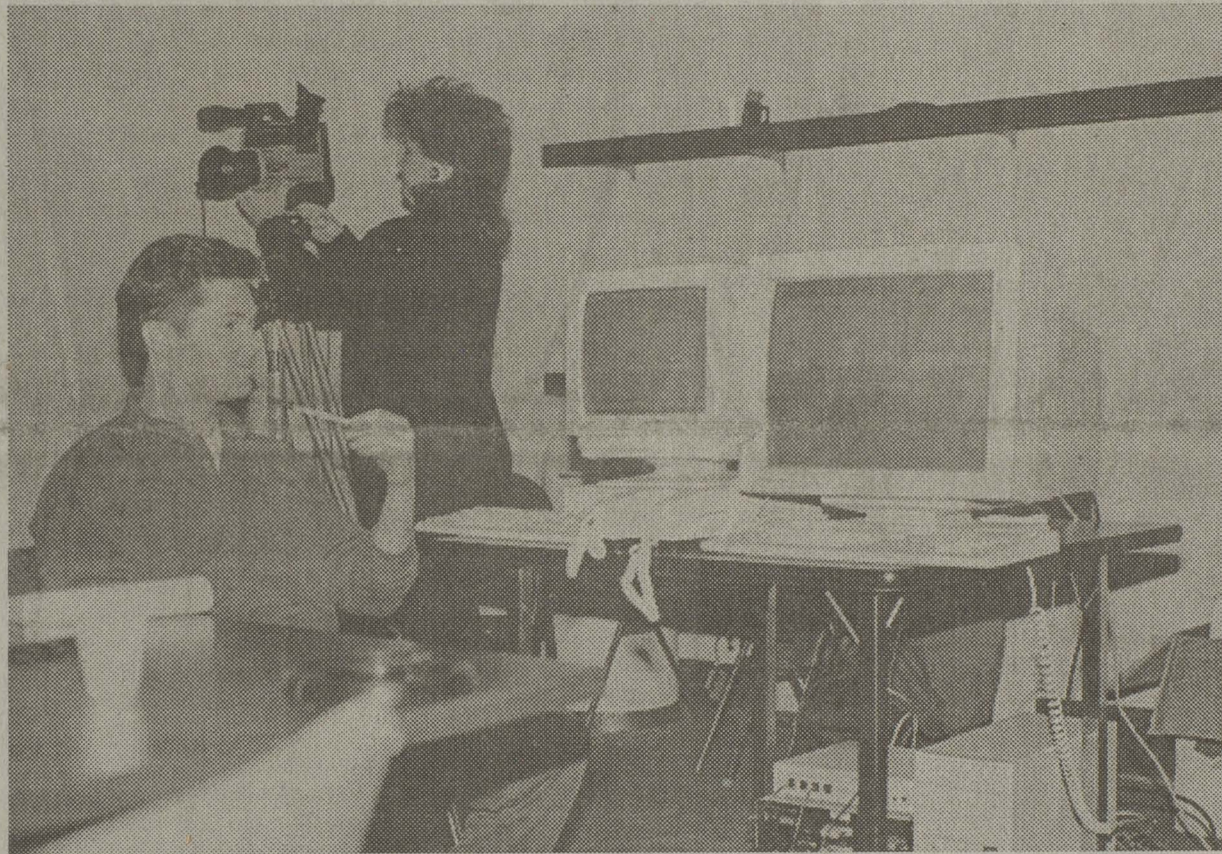
Work is to begin in the spring of 1996, Jones said, and it could take 22 months to complete the first phase. Jones added that any "noisy" work would be done after 3 p.m. when school is not in session.

Operations chief Jim Osborne said Tuesday that the total project cost could be close to \$8 million.

In other business Tuesday, the board put a freeze on matching fund requests from schools for special school projects.

Earlier this year, a two-year matching fund program was established by the board in which the school system would match the amount of funds raised by a school for a particular school project. For high schools, the board would match up to \$6,000 for each school and \$3,000 for each grade school.

With the budget crisis facing the



Companies pitch E-911 equipment

Floyd County's E-911 board held a day-long session Wednesday to watch representatives demonstrate Public Service Answering Point (PSAP) equipment. Michael Warren, with Emergi Tech of Reynoldsburg, Ohio, was the first of three demonstrators. The board made no decision and will meet again on November 27. (photo by Susan Allen)

Recreation deal okayed by Clinton

by Alisa Goodwill
Staff Writer

The city of Prestonsburg's proposed mountaintop recreational facility got the final approval Monday from President Bill Clinton, the same day he vetoed the federal budget.

The transfer of property from the Army Corps of Engineers to the city for the proposed recreational facility is included in the 1996 En-

ergy and Water Development Appropriations Act, which Clinton signed Monday evening.

"We more or less own the property," Prestonsburg Mayor Jerry Fannin said. "It is just a matter of the Corps signing the deed over."

The Corps will deed 271.14 acres to the city. The property is located behind Rebel Bowling Lanes in Prestonsburg.

Fannin said the recreational and resort board will meet today, Fri-

day, to discuss where the project is and what the next steps are.

The proposed facility includes an 18-hole golf course, a walking track; baseball, football and soccer fields; and basketball and tennis courts.

The city plans to develop part of the property by allowing it to be surface-mined and reclaimed at a grade that will allow for the con-

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Martin man is charged with rape

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

A Floyd County man charged with two counts of first degree rape was placed under a \$50,000 bond Thursday in Floyd District Court.

Mancie Dewayne Bentley, 43, of Martin, is accused of raping a 47-year-old woman Sunday at his home at Garth. Bentley is also charged with fourth degree assault for allegedly beating the same woman on Wednesday; and with first degree unlawful imprisonment and terroristic threatening.

According to court records, Bentley allegedly threatened to kill the victim at the time of the alleged rape and he unlawfully restrained her. On Wednesday, Bentley allegedly beat the alleged victim in the face and chest and bit her on the hip.

A not guilty plea was entered on Bentley's behalf and District Judge James Allen appointed the public defender to the case. A \$50,000 or 10 percent cash bond was set.

A preliminary hearing is set for Tuesday, November 21 at 2:30 p.m. in Floyd District Court.

The case is under investigation by Kentucky State Police detective Leslie Gannon, assisted by trooper Bobby Day.

Who says how much?

(Editor's note: This is the second in a series of stories on local real estate taxes. A story on rates ran November 10. One on how Floyd County compares with other taxing districts will follow.)

by Patti M. Clark
Staff Writer

Back when Thomas C. Haliburton uttered that famous phrase, "Death and taxes are inevitable," the amount people paid was much lower than it is today.

Lower property values were the reason.

Ever wonder how property values are determined?

Real estate in each county is supposed to be assessed once every four years. The county is usually divided into quadrants and properties in the different quadrants get a visit from an appraiser every fourth year. That's according to Marina Hale, one of the employees of the property valuation administrator's

office.

A field person from the office visits the property, measures the building and notes property characteristics such as outbuildings, recreational facilities or other distinguishing aspects of the site. The appraiser then notes the location of

taxes on a piece of property they owned on January 1, even if they sell the property before the tax bills are mailed.

After the property is re-appraised, an inspection period is set so that owners can look at tax rolls. "People come in and can compare their assessed property values with comparable property," Hale said. "If they are not satisfied, they can appeal the appraisal."

But she said property owners should realize the assessed value is based on current market value, not what was paid for the property many years ago and that they should compare their property with similar properties.

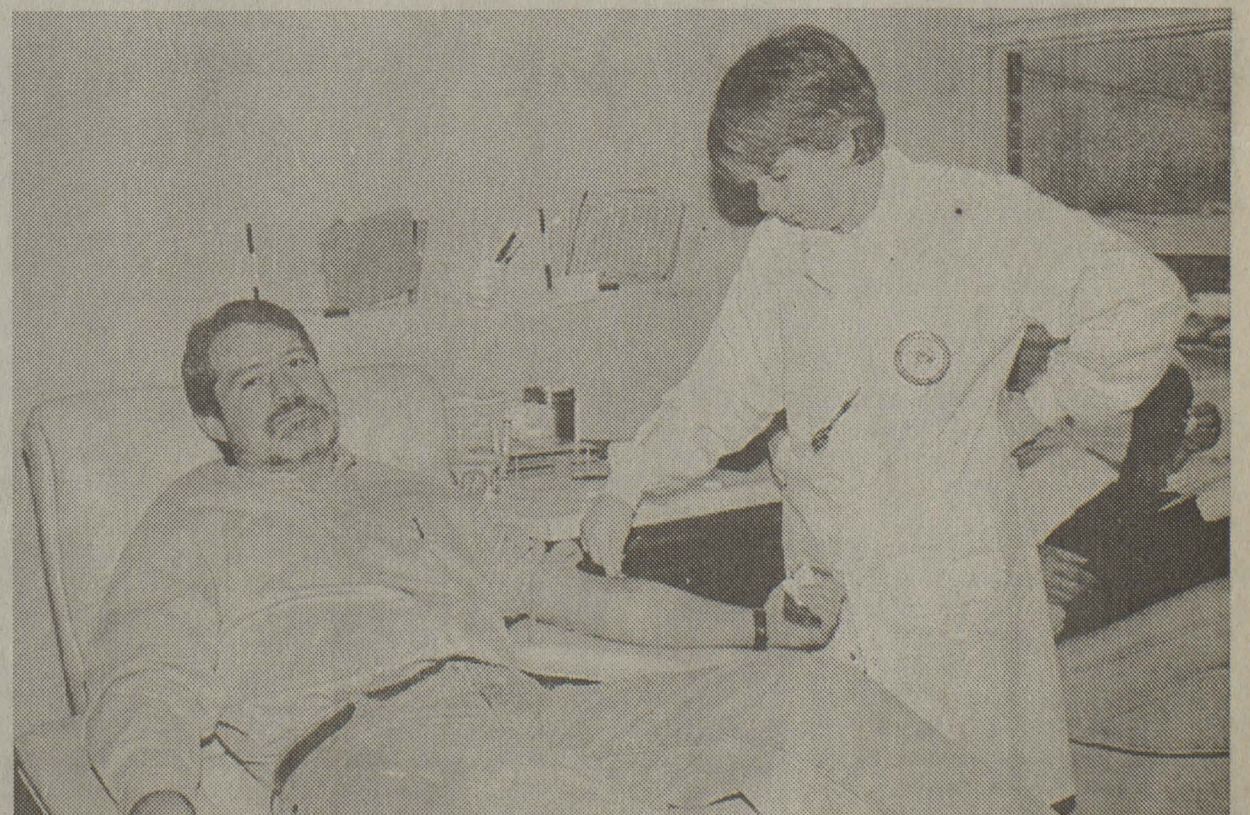
"They have to be realistic," she said. "They have to ask themselves if they would accept this amount if they put the property up for sale. Usually the answer is 'No.'"

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Tracking Down Taxes

A Floyd County Times Special Report

Second in a series



Blue blood

Prestonsburg City Attorney Paul P. Burchett donated some true-blue blood Thursday morning to help Central Kentucky Blood Center reach its goal of 2,400 pints for the eighth annual Big Blue blood drive competition. Burchett was one of many city employees who donated at the Prestonsburg Donor Center this past week as part of the yearly battle for blood between Kentucky and Tennessee. (photo by Alisa Goodwill)



Funding academics

Mark Neeley, director and treasurer of the Prestonsburg High School PTO, recently presented John Patton, PHS academic coach, with a check for \$250 to pay the team's academic fees. This will allow the high school to take part in the Governor's Cup competition. This is just one of the many good projects the PTO has undertaken, Patton said. The PTO also has a school assistance fund that students can use to help pay for ACT tests. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

Teamwork in process

by Alisa Goodwill
Staff Writer

With the opening of the Mountain Arts Center quickly approaching, two of the center's newest employees are working as fast as they can to get

programs for next year. Gary Frazier, executive director, and Greg Crum, manager, are working together to make the Mountain Arts Center's first year a success.

The Mountain Arts Center is tentatively scheduled to open on July 4, 1996.

"We are already in the process of booking our first convention for next November," Frazier, 50, of Martin, said.

That is not all. Crum, 48, of Prestonsburg, has been working with the Lexington Philharmonic and the Central Kentucky Youth Orchestra for performances in the fall of 1996 and the spring of 1997.

Frazier and Crum were hired Tuesday by the arts center management commission and the Prestonsburg City Council must still approve the contracts.

Frazier's hiring by the management commission was not unanimous as reported in Wednesday's edition. Prestonsburg Mayor Jerry Fannin was the only dissenting vote against Frazier.

Fannin said Wednesday he voted no because he didn't agree with the amount of Frazier's salary.

Frazier was hired at a dollar a month for the first year and will earn \$3,000 per month during the second year of the 24-month contract.

"It was my proposal to be hired for a dollar a month for the first year," Frazier said. "This is the best way for me to make a contribution to the facility."

Frazier will also receive only the benefits required by law. Frazier said he has a good retirement program and doesn't need one from the center.

Frazier retired in June as assistant superintendent of instruction for the Floyd school district, but he continues to work for the school district under a consulting contract.

"I never thought of applying for the position," Frazier said. "I just wanted to see the center done and the arts to grow."

Frazier said he has been a long-time supporter of the Kentucky Opry and he has been involved with the construction of the Mountain Arts Center from the beginning.

Some of Frazier's responsibilities as executive director include coming up with the overall management plan for the center, writing the policies and procedures, and overseeing everything from the recording studio to the gift shop.

Although Frazier's job description includes a multitude of responsibilities, Crum's main role is to manage the center in conjunction with the Kentucky Opry.

"My full-time job is the Kentucky Opry," Crum said. "I only manage the arts center part-time."

Crum was hired at \$500 per month for the 24-month contract.

"The reason the center is being built is because of the Kentucky Opry," Crum said. "I've been here since the beginning of the arts center project as the manager of the Kentucky Opry. Now I just manage both groups."

Crum is responsible for all the booking and scheduling for both groups and is stage manager for all Kentucky Opry shows.

Adkins charged with stalking estranged wife

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

A Floyd County man is charged with first degree stalking for allegedly violating a protective order obtained by his estranged wife.

Phillip Adkins, 46, of Dana, is accused of following Linda Adkins and placing her in fear of serious physical injury or death.

Adkins was arraigned Wednesday in Floyd District Court and Judge James Allen placed him under a \$5,000 or 10 percent cash bond. A preliminary hearing is set for November 21 at 2:30 p.m. in Floyd District Court.

Shutdown—

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employees Monday afternoon, "until further notice due to lack of federal spending authority."

Three employees were at the Floyd County office Thursday despite the possibility they may not be paid for their time.

"I thought that once the point had been made, once the workers had been furloughed, that they (Congress and President Clinton) would move forward."

The 30 Social Security employees are among 800,000 furloughed nationwide. Various agencies, including the National Parks Service, Occupation Safety and Health Administration, and the Interior Department's Office of Surface Mining, have also sent employees home.

The House of Representatives Wednesday night approved a spending bill which would fund government activities until December 5 and called for a balanced budget within seven years. The bill did not include an \$11 a month Medicare premium increase, something Clinton had objected to when he vetoed a similar bill Monday morning.

The Senate was expected to approve a similar bill Thursday afternoon.

But President Clinton indicated he still objects to the bill because it cuts emergency funding by 40 percent for programs Republicans want cut completely, including the Commerce Department. Clinton also indicated on national news Wednesday evening that the seven-year timetable for a balanced budget is also unacceptable, suggesting instead that it be ten years.

Clinton has canceled a trip to Japan because of the impasse over the budget between himself and Congress. Vice President Al Gore will make the trip instead.

The transportation budget was approved Wednesday night and about 28,000 employees in that department went back to work Thursday.

A little closer to home, Kelly said he "can't emphasize enough" that any Social Security or SSI recipient already receiving a monthly check will continue to do so.

He said the biggest impact will be the delay in getting new applications filed. "If there's a delay in getting it filed, there will be a delay in getting a decision," he said. "But the payment itself won't be impacted when and if the application is approved."

He said he and the other employees have worked late since the furlough began.

"My branch manager in Pikeville worked until 8 p.m. Wednesday night," he said. "If we can get it into the computer, it will be taken care of."

He said he is still encouraging people to put their requests and information in writing. "We're putting a day stamp on it to protect their filing status," he said. "Our number one objective is to make sure no one loses benefits."

Correction :

In an announcement of births at Pikeville Methodist Hospital published in a recent edition of the Floyd County Times, the hospital had listed the name of a daughter born on October 20 to Heather Renee Barnett and James Clarence Slone as Alysa Clarence Slone. The baby's name is Alysa Brienne Slone.

Renovation

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school system, board members voted to table any action of pending requests until the district's budget deficit elimination plan and emergency declaration was approved by the state school board.

"We can't spend money until the emergency declaration is approved," chairman Ray Brackett said. "It's unfair to get people out on a limb and saw if off behind them."

Members of the Allen Central football boosters club and Auxier PTO asked the board to approve matching fund requests prior to the board's decision.

Allen Central's request was for \$6,000 for new football uniforms and equipment. Auxier's request was for \$3,000 to purchase science and technology equipment. Those requests were caught in the freeze.

After the vote on the requests and Allen Central's delegation left the meeting, Brackett commented that the program was not intended to support school athletic programs and was designed to promote educational programs.

Also Tuesday:

The board declined to act on interim superintendent Ed Allen's recommendation that the Betsy Layne Elementary School council decide how to spend remaining funds in the Betsy Layne Elementary addition construction account. Allen said that approximately \$20,000 remained in the account.

Operations chief Jim Osborne presented a revised cost estimate for the Martin/Maytown school construction project. Osborne said the revised estimate was needed to reflect added costs for the project.

Brackett said that the amount of coal uncovered at the site was not as much as anticipated and the board had to purchase additional property at the site. The BG-1, which is a cost estimate of the project, lists additional engineering fees and site development costs and it also reflects that \$150,000 left over in the Duff Elementary construction account has been transferred to the project. The revised project cost is \$4,950,000. The original estimate was \$4.8 million.

The board declined to approve a lease/purchase agreement for property located near Prestonsburg Elementary. Board attorney Phil Damron told the board that the property was being used as a parking area for staff and patents. The lease cost would be \$1,000 per month with the option to purchase the property by December 1996.

The board voted to change the December board meeting from December 12 to December 13 at 6:30 p.m. Brackett asked for the date change because he said he would be at Governor-elect Paul Patton's inauguration.

It was announced that the price of the district's yearbook would raise to \$16, despite the approval to renew the contract with Josten's earlier this year which noted there would be no price increase. After Tuesday's meeting, Damron said that it was explained to him that the cost increase was necessary to cover the cost of additional pages.

The board agreed to support the development of a day care center at South Floyd High School.

Personnel actions- Resignations- Larry Lewis, bus driver; Brian Slone, custodian at

Prestonsburg High School; Johnny Stephens, bus driver; and William Slone, bus driver.

Leaves of absence- Diana Kidd, cook at Harold Elementary; Ruby Ann Ratliff, cook at Adams Middle School; and Kitty Burchett, library clerk at Prestonsburg High School.

New positions- behavioral disorder aide at South Floyd High School and a handicap aide at Prestonsburg Elementary.

New certified substitute teachers- Mazie Tackett, Lindsay Blackburn, Sheri D. Williamson and Donnie Williams.

New emergency substitute teachers- John W. Newsome, Andrea Clark, Elizabeth D. Isaac, Karrie Ann Newsome, Clarence Woods, Regina D. Spears, Felicia Robinette and Janet Bellamy.

Classified hirings- Brenda Johnson, substitute bus aide; Brenda Tackett, substitute bus aide; Norma Lewis, substitute bus driver; Duwanna Johnson; Johnny McIntosh; Michelle Keathley, overcap instructional assistant at Allen Elementary; Jeanie Trimble, part-time aide at Clark Elementary; Sonja Robinson, substitute kindergarten aide at Martin Elementary; Linda Nichols, Allen Central High School Youth Service Center assistant; Jesse Osborne, BD aide at South Floyd High School; and Liz May, handicap aide at Prestonsburg Elementary.

Transfers- Lisa Fletcher, from Duff Elementary secretary to ACHS Youth Service Center secretary; Brenda Conley, from Duff lead custodian to Duff secretary; Vernetta Hancock, in-house transfer at Martin from kindergarten aide to Title I aide; and Marilyn Bailey, in-house transfer at Martin from overcap aide to primary aide.

Recreation

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struction of the recreational facilities, Fannin said. "We are working out a lease agreement on the mineral rights," Fannin said. "We're hoping that this being a city, we may not have to get some of the mining permits since this is a development project."

Even without some of the mining permits, the project would have strict regulations to follow, Fannin added.

Fannin said if all goes well and construction begins next spring, it will take about four years to complete the project.

The 1996 Energy and Water Development Appropriations Act also provides funding for the Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, Tennessee Valley Authority, and other similar government agencies dealing with energy development and water projects.



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Police begin new traffic safety campaign

Police agencies from across the state have joined forces to reduce traffic fatalities and increase enforcement in a campaign that emphasizes the financial and societal pitfalls of illegal driving behavior.

The new campaign, 'Get Stupid! Get Busted! Smart Driving Saves Lives,' was announced Wednesday throughout the state. The new campaign replaces the highly successful, 'Highways or Dieways' effort.

"This new campaign stresses a driver's chances of getting caught, rather than getting killed," Gene Peter, Kentucky State Police commissioner, said. "Seat belt use, speeding, and drunken driving continue to be the targets for more enforcement."

Most importantly, 'Get Stupid! Get Busted!' is motivated by a desire to keep people alive, Peter added.

Traffic figures show 791 people died last year on Kentucky roads.

"That should not be the social cost of driving...the cost everyone accepts," Peter said. "It's not acceptable and we can change it."

'Get Stupid! Get Busted!' aims to cut traffic deaths in half by the year 2000.

"We'll hit those drivers who speed, drive drunk or disregard restraints with citations," Sergeant Steve O'Daniel, highway safety standards branch commander, said.

"The enforcement part is tough. But we're doing it because we are genuinely worried about our friends, families, co-workers, and anyone else who drives," O'Daniel added.

O'Daniel said the campaign is based on the conviction that tougher enforcement will help bring the death toll down.

"Police will be able to back up claims of getting tough because federal grants are in place to finance the overtime needed for the program to

succeed," he said.

Another unique aspect of the campaign is its advertising funding. For the first time, Kentucky law enforcement will purchase air time for its message, financed by a \$95,000 grant from General Motors.

"When that money runs out, we hope corporate sponsors will be in place to continue the media buys," Peter said.

That move in itself is unique, Peter said. "To illustrate, think of a

billboard speed warning to teenager. It would have three parts, the message, 'Explain a ticket to your parents,' followed by the theme, 'Get Stupid! Get Busted!' and the name of the corporate underneath, 'Brought to you by XYZ corporation, saving lives in Kentucky.' The theme would never stand alone, but would always be teamed with a specific message."

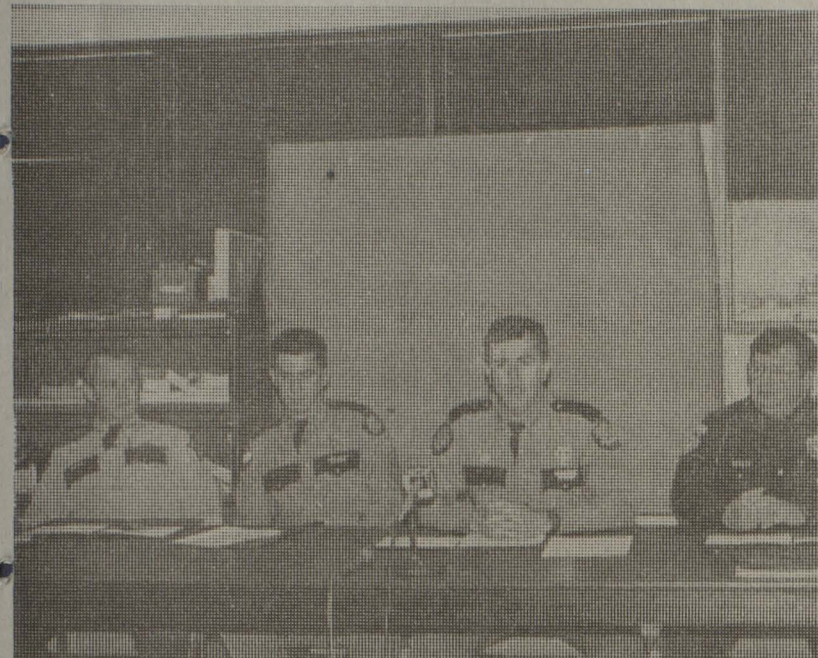
Police organizers hired the Louisville public relations firm, Doe Anderson, to create and execute the concept.

Jenny Wiley AARP to install officers

The installation of officers for the coming year will be conducted at the dinner meeting of Jenny Wiley Chapter No. 3528, American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) to be held Friday, November 17, in the cafeteria of Highlands Regional Hospital, beginning at 5:30 p.m.

Gladys S. Allen will be the installing officer. Those to be installed are Sylvia Allen, president; L.J. Allen, vice president; Mary DeRossett, secretary and James E. Goble, treasurer.

The treasurer will also be collecting dues for 1996.



Safety

Representatives of the Kentucky State Police Pikeville Post 9 and local law enforcement agencies in Pike County announced Wednesday morning the combined effort to work on the KSP's new traffic safety campaign, "Get Stupid! Get Busted!" (photo by Alisa Goodwill)

Ronald McDonald's Children Charities goes on the road with "Theatre on Wheels"

The Ronald McDonald Children Charities, has helped the Jenny Wiley Theatre to extend its performing arts to include a "Theatre on Wheels." With a grant provided by the regional and national Ronald McDonald's Charities, Jenny Wiley Theatre purchased a 15-passenger van enabling an ensemble to travel to local businesses to perform excerpts from Annie. In addition, the "Theatre on Wheels" made it possible for JWT to take their mini-production of The Ballad of Jenny Wiley to several businesses within the region.

During 1995 season, 16 free performances of the Ballad of Jenny Wiley were staged at the Jenny Wiley State Resort Park campground providing cultural enrichment to patrons of the park as well as the community. The "Theatre on Wheels" allowed the JWT Youth Company to participate in outreach

projects in other counties. Special performances were given by members of the Youth Company at the Pike County Summerfest and Fair; additionally, a free, lunch-hour performance consisting of songs and dance from My Fair Lady was given at the Huntington Mall by senior company members.

The groundwork has begun to create a chamber theater company which will tour literature-based performances in the schools and community as well as provide in-school workshops focusing on acting, movement, and voice. In addition to McDonald's continuing support of Jenny Wiley Theatre, this grant from Ronald McDonald Children's Charities will make it possible to bring the performing arts to young people, who for reasons of either economics or transportation may never experience this type of cultural education and entertainment.



Theatre on wheels

Jenny Wiley Theater purchased a van to take its productions on the road. Funding for the purchase of the van was made possible through a grant from Ronald McDonald Children Charities.



Case and Hall to wed

Ms. Carol Ann Case and Mr. and Mrs. James K. Hall Jr. announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their children, Angela Dawn Case and Barry Dale Hall. The wedding ceremony will be held Saturday, November 25, at 3 p.m. in the Little Rosa Church at McDowell. The custom of open ceremony will be observed.

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ALLAN S. PERRY III—Publisher-Editor

Liberty of thought is the life of the soul—Voltaire

Slash and Burn

by Scott Perry

The time has come, it appears, for the Floyd County Board of Education to fish or cut bait on this deficit business and it looks like they're going to try a bit of both.

The board's deficit reduction plan, which is to be presented to the state board next month, proposes the elimination of nearly 100 jobs in various areas, including teaching and administration.

Some of the more cynical types out there might suggest that five more jobs ought to be added to the pink slip list, but we'll leave that matter up to the folks in Frankfort.

To accept the local district's plan, which proposes to erase the million-dollar deficit over this fiscal year and the next, the state board would have to turn its back to a state law which prohibits schools from operating in the red.

We don't know if they will, or even if they can do that.

If they can, and do approve the two-year deal, they may not be too keen on allowing the board that created the problem to stay around to

fix it.

But then the local board isn't alone in its guilt.

Many of the financial problems facing the system now began developing during a period of state supervision and monitoring.

Would we be any better off having the state Department of Education take over the day-to-day management of the Floyd County schools?

Not according to their past performance charts.

The only indisputable issue in this matter is that management of the school district must improve.

This slash and burn approach should never have been necessary in the first place and it can't be permitted to arise again.

That's no consolation, we know, to the 100 or so folks who are likely to be standing in the unemployment lines soon.

Can't just write them off to tough luck or even that "tough love" the politicians are fond of using.

They've been done in by poor vision.

Or, more likely, a total lack of it.

—Letters to the editor—

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Thanks Floyd teachers for education effort

Editor:
I would like to take this opportunity during American Education Week to personally thank each teacher for their hard work and dedication to the improvement of education in Floyd County.

It is not every day that teachers get a thank-you from someone or just a pat on the back for a job well done. But they deserve it! Teachers work very hard to educate the children of Floyd County. Even in difficult times, teachers continue to be successful in educating our youth—so strut your stuff! Stand up and stand tall; be proud to be a teacher. Never forget that you are the centerpiece of education reform in Floyd County.

Again, I thank you from the bottom of my heart. Keep up the good work! Just remember, "We touch the future! We teach!"

Gary Hopkins, president
Floyd County
Education Association
Prestonsburg

May House restoration 'most asinine project'

Editor:
During my rather long life, I have seen and heard of many dumb public projects. Some bordered on being merely stupid; others were simply foolish. But to me the project to restore the May House ranks as the most asinine in more than half a century of careful observation.

What is the issue here? A group of Floyd County citizens want to spend about \$500,000 to restore a 150-year-old dilapidated house, which from appearances seems to be about \$250.00 per square foot.

What distinguishes this particular house that warrants such a horrendous cost? Is it the "falling waters" of the mid-nineteenth century? No! Rather the opposite—it is a common two-story house not sig-

nificantly different from scores of past Civil War houses in Eastern Kentucky. And when we strip away the inferred romance and mystique generated by the restoration committee, we find that the May House was built by African slave labor on hunting land stolen from the American Indian.

And folks, that ain't all. The man who built the house joined an armed insurrection against these United States. I am even less impressed by the rank of colonel on either side during the Civil War. Captains, majors, colonels, and such were usually elected by their own men and usually because the individual could read and write to some extent.

Perhaps there is something here that I am missing. But what is there about this house or its builder that warrants a \$500,000 restoration fee? That much money would run a water line to the head of our longest hollow; thus, we could make better use of the money.

Floyd County is literally and frequently coming apart at the seams. Our industrial base is dying; our population is aging; our young people are forced to leave family to find work.

The Prestonsburg Grade School is nearly as old as the May House and is about as ugly and run down. The Prestonsburg High School has not been listed lately in Southern Living. Both desperately need help. Perhaps two out of ten Floyd County homes have city water; one out of 100 have an adequate sewage treatment system. Fire protection and emergency medical facilities are but a dream for the future.

So the vaunted May House project seems a bit ostentatious for us; rather like we are wasting our scarce money on a ballerina dress when we desperately need a winter coat.

I respect the people involved in the May House project. Few people in Floyd County will get involved in anything. Yet, I honestly feel that they have been misled or misdirected. I would wish for them to get involved in our school system; our

county government; help our people upgrade their job skills so that we can attract responsible companies with good jobs.

A thousand restored May Houses will not attract one quality industrial job. Nor would a thousand generate one tax dollar. Tourist dollars? When was the last time you drove to say, Georgia, to see the restored home of some obscure Civil War brevet officer?

Lloyd Goble
Prestonsburg

Hangin' on!

Editor:
I can see through my bi-focals My dentures are fine My hearing is not worth a dime, But I've still got my mind.

Written by Della Herald
Prestonsburg
(Editor's Note: Mrs. Herald, who was born April 8, 1899, wanted her fellow readers of *The Floyd County Times* to know she's hale and hearty.)

Red, White and Blue Day, a huge success

Editor:
On behalf of the city of Martin, Martin City Council and mayor, we would like to thank everyone who worked so hard to make Red, White and Blue Day 1995 a huge success. Thank you very much.

Alan R. Whicker
Mayor
City of Martin

Expresses thanks

Editor:
The Prestonsburg Wal-Mart management team wishes to thank all of our customers and associates for participating in the numerous

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—Our Yesterdays—

(Items taken from the Floyd County Times 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, and 60 years ago.)

Ten years ago (November 13, 1985)

Thomas Lafferty Sr., former deputy judge-executive, and his son, Thomas Lafferty Jr., who served as county personnel officer, were among indictments handed down...The Floyd County School Board heard plans to meet state standards last week...Prestonsburg Blackcat Week was proclaimed Tuesday by County Judge-Executive John M. Stumbo...Gorman Collins Jr., who was defeated in the race for magistrate by incumbent Gerald DeRossett, asked for a recount...There died: Sie Akers, 87, of Grethel, Saturday; Elizabeth Harris Patton, 70, of Cliff, Sunday; Isaac "Ike" Goble, 81, of Cow Creek, Saturday; Joda B. Gunnell, 86, of Emma, Saturday; Addy McKinney Boyd, 88, of Betsy Layne, Saturday; George W. Ousley, 76, of Prestonsburg, last Tuesday; Martha Conn Clark, 75, of Harold, November 7; Alma Dingus, 87, of Dinwood, Saturday; Edward Rudolph Ward Sr., 61, of Prestonsburg, November 2.

Twenty Years Ago (November 12, 1975)

Although voters stayed away from the polls in droves, Gov. Julian Carroll won last Tuesday's election over Republican Robert Gable by the largest majority ever polled in Kentucky, and in the landslide every Democratic candidate for state office was elected...City Manager Curtis Clark announced this week that the meeting here at 1:30 p.m. Nov. 25 with federal officials will be of great importance to everybody in Floyd county, "because we'll try at the meeting to find a way to live with the new Flood Insurance Act"...United Mine Workers President Arnold Miller attacked "greedy" union officers last week, threatening suspension of the vice president and recall of executive board members...The Prestonsburg Blackcats out-gained and out-scored a West Carter team at P-burg's homecoming game Friday night, utilizing the pass as well as a successful ground game...Miss Gwen Evelyn Clark, of Betsy Layne, was honored as Prestonsburg Community College's homecoming princess during ceremonies preceding the University's recent homecoming football game in Lexington...Dewey Ray Jamerson,

Wheelwright High School's 205-pound junior half-back, was named Player of the Year in the Eastern Kentucky Mountain Football Conference at the annual post-season conference meeting held Monday night at Pikeville...Silver wings have been awarded to Second Lieut. Jerome F. Conway, whose wife, Muriel, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Leslie, of Emma...Lowell T. Hughes, Ashland attorney and Prestonsburg native, easily won last Tuesday in his first venture into politics when he defeated Ronald B. Halleck, Ashland Republican, for state senator from the 25th district...More than a hundred delegates of the Kentucky Retired Teachers Association attended the Eastern Kentucky regional workshop held last Thursday and Friday at May Lodge...There died: Mrs. Hattie Ramey, 82, of Handshoe, Saturday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin; Curtis Little, 53, of Hite, Monday at his home.

Thirty Years Ago (November 11, 1965)

The Prestonsburg Chamber of Commerce this week launched a fund drive for additional Christmas decorations for the city...Although Prestonsburg's John Allen, Jr. didn't make it to the National All-Star Bowling Tournament at Lansing, Mich., he ranked second only to the man who did at the end of the regional elimination event held Sunday at Ashland's Paradise Lanes...Howard Hensley, Republican, has filed for a recount of Magoffin county vote in the County Clerk's race, his attorney, Scott Collins, of Prestonsburg, said Wednesday...The home of Mrs. Inez Ward and son, Jim, was destroyed by fire last week at Dinwood...Married: Pfc. Lillian Freeman, formerly of Water Gap, and M. P. Joseph D. Smiderere, of Cucamonga, California, November 1 at Fort Sam Houston, Texas...There died: Chester Brown, 55, of Lackey, Sunday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin; John F. Wilson, 77, of Martin, last Thursday at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; Tuley Salisbury, 59, Friday at his home at Hueysville; Mrs. Pauline Hampton, 69, formerly of Manton, Monday in Jeffersonville, Indiana.

Forty Years Ago (November 10, 1955)

A. B. "Happy" Chandler's lead over Republican Edwin R. Denney in the race for governor is the greatest ever recorded by a candidate in the state gubernatorial race...The Harold Telephone Company has been granted a \$337,000 loan by the Rural Electrification Administration at Washington, it was announced this week by Paul R. Gearheart, president of the company...Floyd county doctors will join hands with the Floyd County Health Department next week in five mass immunization clinics in an effort to give first polio shots to children, ages 1 through 9...Predicting a brilliant outlook for his own company, Joseph L. Block, president of the company...Floyd county doctors will join hands with the Floyd County Health Department next week in five mass immunization's clinics in an effort to give first polio shots to children, ages 1 through 9...Predicting a brilliant outlook for his own company, Joseph L. Block, president of the Inland Steel Company, in an address last Thursday before the New York Society of Security Analysts, described Inland's coal mines in Eastern Kentucky as "ample to take care of our needs for high volatile-coal for many years to come"...The Prestonsburg High School Black Cats closed their 1955 football season on a jubilant note last Friday night with a 5-3-1 record by edging arch-rival Paintsville, 27-21, in 20-degree temperature...There died: Mrs. Mary Cook Caudill, 77, of Wayland, Wednesday at the home of a daughter; Ervin Scalf, 60, of Mare Creek, Saturday en route to Veterans' Hospital, Huntington, W. Va.; Mrs. Bertha Spears Mullett, 61, of Minnie, Tuesday at the Paintsville Hospital.

Fifty Years Ago (November 8, 1945)

Late today (Thursday) the Floyd county vote tabulation was completed, revealing that only one Republican candidate in the entire county had been elected—John B. Porter, for Constable, Magisterial Dist. No. 4...A report on Prestonsburg's two utilities—the Prestonsburg Gas Company and the Prestonsburg Water

System—shows a consumer increase for each...John Henry Caudill, 26, formerly of Prestonsburg, was fatally injured Friday afternoon in a slatefall in a Starrett, West Virginia coal mine...Floyd county leads the state in Junior Conservation Club membership with 794...Seaman Frankie Eugene Hubbard, of Auxier, died Sunday of injuries received Saturday night in an auto wreck at Pensacola, Florida...Dr. Marvin Ransdell, director of the Floyd County Health Department, announced Tuesday that a meeting will be held at the courthouse here Thursday morning for the organization of a county tuberculosis association...Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Earl T. Arnett, a son, Earl T., II November 3 at the Paintsville Hospital...Married: Miss Gwendolyn P. Layne, of Betsy Layne, and Mr. Joseph C. Trimble, November 2 at Betsy Layne; Miss Myrtle Freeman, of Weeksburg, and Mr. John W. Smigley, of Eugene, Oregon, October 25 at Owensboro, Kentucky...There died: Frank Clark, 77, veteran Floyd county peace officer, at his home at Garrett, October 31; Monroe Slone, 87, at his home at Dema, Thursday; A. J. Reed, 72, of Hueysville, at the Beaver Valley Hospital, Martin; Sunday; Mrs. Pansy Roberts Worland, 55, at her home here, Sunday.

Sixty Years Ago (November 8, 1935)

A majority from 75,000 to 100,000 votes was in prospect for A. B. "Happy" Chandler, Democratic nominee for Governor, over his Republican opponent, King Swope, voting returns from precincts tabulated thus far indicated Wednesday night...Five Works Progress Administration projects either already begun in this county or scheduled to begin this week are furnishing employment for 575 men...Joan, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee DeRossett, was seriously injured when struck by an auto here, Sunday afternoon...Will Marsillett was in serious condition in the Beaver Valley Hospital, Martin, suffering from an injury received when he was struck by a bottle during an Election Day fight...There died: J. N. Harris, 74, former Superintendent of Floyd County Schools and former County Court Clerk, at his home here, Wednesday; Mrs. Perry Smallwood, 28, of Drift, at home, Friday.

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fund-raisers that were held in our store for the March of Dimes.

The Walk-A-Thon was held on October 14, at the Pikeville National Bank. Our store was proud to present the March of Dimes with over \$8,000! Our store came in first place this year on donations!

This is the second year our store has participated in the March of Dimes Walk-A-Thon! This donation would not have been possible without you, our customers, and our associates! Thank you! We are working for healthier babies!

Mary Thompson
Tima Smith

Early Prestonsburg is recalled by Saunders

Editor:

I enjoy "Home Places" and I want to thank you for publishing excerpts from Pauline Burchett's "History of Prestonsburg." We were grade and high school classmates and I certainly appreciate the opportunity to reflect upon the early events of our childhood which she describes so well.

I remember the old wooden "board walks" she writes about and the paving of some of the streets by J.P. Sheppard and others. I grew up on Town Branch and in 1919 at age six on my way to school, I walked

down the railroad siding that served the Prestonsburg Coal Company to the mainline tracks beside the river, passed the Seng Factory, where my mother was born, until I reached the steel bridge that had been built a few years earlier by brothers Andrew Jackson and William May.

I crossed the wooden floor of the bridge and walked almost the entire length of Court Street to the two story brick structure that housed Prestonsburg Grade School. None of the streets were paved at that time.

Late winter thaws and the accompanying rains turned the streets into a quagmire of mud and water. I remember seeing mule teams in mud nearly to their knees hauling wagons loaded with "bone" (lumps of low grade coal) to fill the mud hole in Court Street between what is now Front Street and Arnold Avenue.

The old Byington school building was still standing at the site of today's Floyd County School Systems administrative offices. The building was unoccupied. Later it was torn down and the site was converted into a city park. A large gazebo was constructed in the center where the Prestonsburg Brass Band gave periodic concerts. It was a beautiful park with several century old trees on the site.

The park was the location for all of the events that occurred during the annual "Fourth of July" celebra-

tion. The July celebration was something to behold. People from all over the county came by train, buggy, wagon, horseback, and on foot for the event. By January 1928 the park and its bandstand were gone. Prestonsburg High School's new brick building now occupied the site where my mother had "sat at the feet" of Professor Byington.

I believe the street construction Mr. Stepp describes was limited to Front Street, Court Street and possibly a portion of Graham Street because when I was about 11 or 12 years of age, I and other Town Branch boys rolled field stones off the hillsides, gathered them into large piles and broke them into small pieces about the size of a hen egg and sold them for \$1.50 per wagon load to teamsters who hauled them into town where they were mixed with sand and cement to pave Prestonsburg streets. I believe Arthur Carter was mayor at this time.

It would be great if Pauline's history of Prestonsburg could be published in book form amply illustrated with period photographs and a picture of Pauline Archer Burchett. The publishing of her book would be an appropriate project for our Historical and Genealogical Society.

Delmas Saunders
Prestonsburg

'Atmosphere of doom' noted on PCC campus

Editor:

I am a student at Prestonsburg Community College. I have been going to PCC for a very long time. What is happening here?

The campus looks beautiful with flowers, there is a Wellness Center and a Health Clinic on campus, but something is wrong with the people. Morale seems extremely low, faculty are unhappy and there is an atmosphere of doom.

It is so different than when I used to attend back in 1990. I find that my favorite counsel, Joe Sutton, is leaving for a better job. It makes me sad and I found myself grieving for the old PCC and the way things were. People were happy, relaxed and interested in the students. Where is Robert Allen

who was here for so many years? I miss seeing Mr. Allen in the office and in the hallway.

The caring atmosphere that was once there seems to be gone. The secretary morale is at the lowest level I have ever witnessed.

I don't know what can be done about the situation there but I truly love PCC and I am deeply concerned. I am a concerned student at PCC.

Suzanne Baker
Pikeville

Asks for assistance in locating friend

Editor:

I am looking for a dear friend of mine. Her name is Bonnie Lykins Sloan. She is originally from Wayland. We were best friends from the first to the seventh grade. We both moved away and lost touch for years.

Bonnie and I found each other in 1961, where she was living in Celina, Ohio. She was married to Raymond Sloan at that time. Later they divorced and Bonnie moved away. I have not heard from her since.

Bonnie's father's name is Charlie Lykins. She has a sister named Shelby Jean, and a brother named Charles. One of her nephews was named Marty Ray Sloan.

If anyone knows the whereabouts of Bonnie or any of her family, please contact Mrs. Ella Rose Connors Sumpter, you may call collect. My address and phone number are Rt. 2 Box 2490, Louisa, Ky. 41230, and (606) 673-3610.

Ella Rose Connors Sumpter
Louisa

AIDS Memorial Vigil planned, December 1

Editor:

An ecumenical candlelight AIDS Memorial Vigil will be held in observance of National AIDS Day at the Ashland First Baptist Church on December 1. Sons, daughters, family members and friends from the Ashland and sur-

rounding areas who have died from complications of AIDS will be honored during the service.

Anyone who would like to have a loved one, who has died of AIDS, remembered at this service, please contact Richard Munn at P.O. Box 1713, Ashland KY 41105-1713 or by telephone at (606)324-9865. The only information necessary is the first name, year of birth and year of death. No last name is required.

You may wish to honor the person(s) personally. If so, please arrange to provide a sweat shirt or t-shirt bearing the first name and dates written or printed with acrylic paint. These shirts will be displayed at the church during the service and may be reclaimed. If you cannot provide a shirt but would like to have one displayed, please let us know at least three days in advance.

Details of the vigil will be published at a later date.

Richard Munn
Ashland

Baldrige says 'thanks'

Editor:

I wish to commend and thank all my neighbors on Little Paint Creek who stopped by and called on the phone who were in opposition to being annexed to Prestonsburg.

Expect me to step in anytime when I think an idea is not good for Little Paint.

W. L. Baldrige
Little Paint

Newly-founded group honors pioneer heroine

Editor:

On October 13 and 14, the annual Jenny Wiley Festival was held at Prestonsburg. As part of this festival, a homecoming for Jenny Wiley descendants was held at the Prestonsburg Library. On October 14, these descendants and several friends voted to establish the JENNY WILEY ASSOCIATION. The purpose of the association is to honor this heroic pioneer lady and to preserve the heritage which she

passed down to us.

Most people in our area know the story of Jenny's capture by Indians, the murder of her brother and children, her cruel enslavement and finally her miraculous escape several months later to the Harman Fort in Block House Bottom, near present day Auxier. Following her escape, Jenny was reunited with her husband Thomas at their home near Walkers Creek, Virginia and they reared a second family of five children; Jane, Sarah (Sally), Hezekiah, Adam Brevard and William. (My own family is descended from William Wiley and his first wife Nellie Dillon.) The descendants of these children now number in the thousands and since Jenny and Thomas settled near what is now Paintsville in about 1800, most of these folks reside in our area.

The primary purpose of my letter is to make Wiley descendants aware of our association and to invite them to join us in honoring and remembering one of America's best known pioneer women. Anyone wishing to obtain additional information may contact us at: THE JENNY WILEY ASSOCIATION, P.O. Box 217, Auxier, Ky. 41602, or by calling 1-606-886-2865. All descendants of Jenny and Thomas Wiley, as well as those who are simply interested in the history of our area, are invited to join our group.

Russell L. Whitlock
Publicity Chairman
Ashland

Donor awareness

Editor:

We wanted to acknowledge the stories your paper recently published on organ donation. You have done a great service to your readers by printing factual information about donation.

Each day seven to nine people in the U.S., including Kentuckians, die needlessly while awaiting an organ transplant. Thank you for your help in creating donor awareness.

Donna Slone
Education Coordinator
Kentucky Organ Donor
Affiliates

Taxes

(Continued from page one)

If the assessment is appealed, the property owner must go before the Floyd County Board of Assessment Appeals, which is made up of three people.

Those individuals hear evidence from both the property owner and the county appraiser. "They can leave the appraisal the same. They can raise it or they can lower it," Hale said. "It's not a surety you'll get your taxes cut if you go before the board."

This year, there have been seven appeals. Last year, when the entire county was re-appraised, there were 50.

Hale said there hasn't been 50 people to inspect the tax rolls during the inspection period this year. Last year, there were about 1,500 people in the PVA office.

Assessments in Floyd County for the 1995 tax year are \$602,634,263. That figure is down from last year's assessments, which were \$605,594,769.

Those assessments do not include exemptions for people over the age of 65 or those with disabilities. For 1995, there are 2,750 Homestead exemptions and 2,400 disability exemptions.

Residential assessments total \$324,449,051, with farm assessments set at \$77,746,644. Commercial owners have \$127,168,971 in property in Floyd County.

Additional assessments for oil and gas total more than \$73 million.

Hale emphasized that anyone with questions about their unmined minerals tax should call the Revenue Cabinet in Frankfort.

Last year's assessments were: \$324,991,948 for residential; \$78,927,804 for farms; \$125,991,419 for commercial; and about \$80 million for oil and gas. There were 2,786 Homestead exemptions and 2,307 disability exemptions. For both years, there are about \$1 million in exemptions from the county assessment totals.

The Homestead exemption is for property owners who are over the age of 65. It deducts \$23,100 off the assessed value of the property. For instance, a property owner with a \$60,000 piece of property would pay real estate taxes on only \$36,900. Those owners must apply at the PVA office before the exemption will be applied to their assessment.

The disability exemption is for a property owner who has been declared disabled by Social Security. The owner must have been disabled for the entire year in which the exemption is to be applied. It is also a \$23,100 exemption and is applied in the same way the Homestead exemption is. To receive the exemption for the 1995 tax year, the property owner must have been disabled before January 1, 1995.

"They must bring proof to the office," Hale said. "They can do it after they receive their tax bill, but it's better if they do that earlier in the year."

Floyd County folks hit lottery jackpot

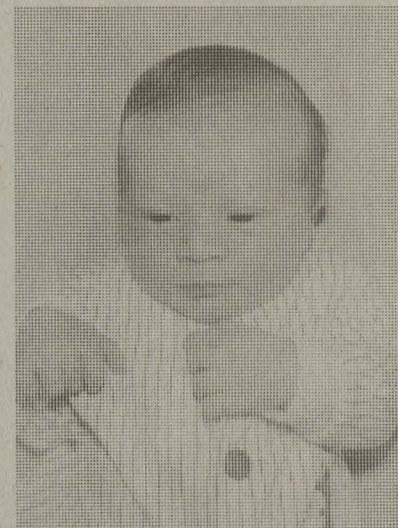
Two Floyd County residents were lucky winners in Kentucky Lottery games last week.

Woodrow Stewart Jr. of Minnie was the big winner with his \$5,000 prize. Stewart won the money through the Kentucky Lottery's Instant ticket "Keno." He purchased his ticket at Vance Quick Mart in Hi Hat.

Eunice Morton of Stanville won \$1,000 on Lotto KY Saturday, November 4, by correctly matching five of the six numbers drawn. She purchased her lucky ticket at Kroger's in Pikeville.

Are you afraid of the next beating?

Call someone who can help.
886-6025



It's a boy!

Aaron Joseph Wright was born at the Highlands Regional Medical Center on October 25, at 3:15 p.m. He weighed 8 lbs. and 1 ounce and he was 20 1/2 inches tall. He is the son of Joey and Shonda Wright of Spradlin Branch; the grandson of Tammy and Tony Justice of Emma, and the late Larry Calhoun. He is also the grandson of Linda Spurlock of Bull Creek and Wayne Wright of Prestonsburg.

The fourth annual Eastern Kentucky Searchers seminar

Surrounded by the historic hills and valleys of Prestonsburg located in Floyd County, searchers from across the nation will be joining forces to learn from one another how and where their ancestors lived. Genealogy and history experts will be on hand to speak to them from their experiences throughout the weekend.

Noted speakers include: Certified Genealogists Mrs. Joe Brackey; executive Director from the Jesse Stewart Foundation, Mr. Joe Gifford and Mrs. Terry Thompson, president of the Forest County Historical Society in Wisconsin. Also speaking will be a representative from the local chapter of Daughters of the Revolutionary War.

The 1996 Eastern Kentucky Searchers seminar will be held June 22, 1996 at the Prestonsburg Holiday Inn located at Hwy. 114 and Hwy. 23 in Prestonsburg. A block of rooms are reserved in the seminar name.

Regional VA office closed temporarily

The VA Regional Office in Louisville has temporarily closed effective November 14, because funding for fiscal year 1996 has not yet been approved. The office will reopen immediately following the passage of legislation granting the funds needed to operate. While the office cannot process claims during this time, any claimants who wish to file for benefits should secure the supporting evidence and documents required (e.g., DD 214, marriage certificates, birth certificates, etc.). When the office reopens, the staff will work pending claims in the order they were received.

RECD can help families enjoy American dream

Kentucky RECD (Rural Economic and Community Development) has a guaranteed rural housing loan and is available to qualified low to moderate income households that meet certain eligibility criteria.

KY-RECD will have approximately \$42,000,000 available for those who are interested in making their dream of owning a home come true.

The RECD office in Prestonsburg serves Johnson, Martin, Floyd and Pike counties. For more information call 886-9545, or Paintsville at 789-4656 Monday-Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.



"When are they gonna decriminalize dirt?"

Community Calendar

Calendar items will be printed as space permits

Editor's Note: As a service to the many clubs and committees that meet in our community, the *Floyd County Times' Community Calendar* will post meeting and public service announcements. Articles for the *Community Calendar* must be submitted in writing to the *Times* no later than 5 p.m. Monday for Wednesday's publication or 5 p.m. Wednesday for Friday's publication. These cannot be taken over the telephone.

Clark Family Resource Center activities

- Joy Moore, RN, from the health department, is at the center on Fridays.
- WIC vouchers are available at the center.
- Fluoride mouthwash program every Tuesday for grades 1-5.
- Adult education classes on Tuesdays and Thursday at the center.

The center is open from 8-4 p.m. Monday-Friday.

Maytown Family Resource Center activities

- Floyd County Health Department nurse is at the center every Wednesday.
- GED classes every Monday.

McDowell Family Resource Center activities

- GED classes every Thursday from 8:30-2:30.
- Line dancing classes every Tuesday night from 6-8 p.m. Cost is \$3 per person.
- Fluoride is distributed each Tuesday to students with signed permission forms.
- Joy Moore from the health department is at the center every Monday.
- A parenting class on AIDS will be held November 28, from 12:30-2:30 p.m. The class will give parents information to help them better understand this illness.
- Dr. Norman will be at the center

on November 16, from 9-noon.

South Floyd Youth Services Center activities

- Adult Learning Center is open Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8-4. Learn new job skills, earn your GED, prepare for college or vocational entrance exams, get leads on jobs, learn computer skills, etc.
- Clothing bank open to students upon request.
- Cancer support group meets monthly. Call 452-9600, ext. 145 for more information.
- Community crafts class meets Fridays from 10-noon, sponsored by Christian Appalachia Project.
- Country and western line dancing on Tuesdays at 5 p.m. The class is free.
- November 17, from 9-11 a.m., Katie Derossett and Susan Ellis from Highlands Regional Medical Center will be guest speakers on STDs, AIDS, and Hepatitis B. The center is open from 8-4 p.m. Monday-Friday.

KAMI to meet

The Kentucky Alliance for the Mentally Ill is dedicated to the recovery and improvement of the quality of life for all persons affected by mental illness in Kentucky. Its primary focus is to provide support, education and advocacy to those who have severe mental illnesses and their families.

If you are interested in learning more about KAMI, there will be a meeting (sponsored by Mountain Comprehensive Care Center) at The First Baptist Church on Front Street in Prestonsburg, on Friday, November 17, at 1 p.m.

Thanksgiving dinner

If you find yourself alone this Thanksgiving, if you are unable to prepare your meal, if you have nothing to prepare or if you and your family want to have dinner in the fellowship of friendly, caring people, join the Community United Methodist Church on Thanksgiving Day, November 23, from noon-1:30 p.m. in the basement of the church. There is no cost and all are wel-

come.

Call 886-2654 days, 886-8087 day or night, 886-8113 to leave a message, or call 874-9143. The dinner is sponsored by area churches.

Chili dinner

There will be a Christmas and Sweet Tooth Bazaar and chili dinner at the Goble Roberts Free Will Baptist Church Saturday, November 18, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. The price is \$3. Everyone welcome.

Martin council to meet

Martin Elementary School's site-based council meeting will be held Monday, November 20, at 6 p.m., in the library. All interested are urged to attend.

Sibling class

A free sibling class will be held November 18, from 10-noon in the 8th floor classroom. Children who are expected a new baby in their family will learn what to expect when the baby comes home. They will tour a delivery room where mom will have the baby and the nursery where baby will spend its first days. Call 437-3938 to register.

Diabetes workshop

November is National Diabetes Month and in observance of this event Our Lady of the Way Hospital will be offering a free diabetes workshop on Monday, November 20, from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Seton Complex.

Pre-registration is required by Wednesday, November 15. Call 285-5181, ext. 301 or 342.

KERA meeting

A KERA meeting will be held

Friday, November 17, at London Courthouse and November 18, at the Clay County Public Library in Manchester.

The panel of speakers will make a short presentation of their information on KERA and then will open discussion to the public. The presentation will include the overall issue and how KERA affects people's lives as well as the educational issue. For more information, call 864-6104 or 598-2759.



To wed Saturday

Terry Bellamy of Eastern and Patti Bellamy of Hueysville, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their son, Scott to Jennifer Robinson, daughter of Thelma Robinson of Martin and the late Mars Robinson. Miss Robinson is a 1994 graduate of Allen Central High School. Mr. Bellamy is a 1994 graduate of Allen Central High School. The wedding will be held November 18 at noon at the Hueysville Church of Christ.

Former Floyd Countian touched many lives during her short career as teacher in Ohio

A caring and dedicated Reynoldsburg, Ohio, teacher died October 5 at her home in Reynoldsburg.

Breast cancer claimed the life of 46-year-old Floyd County native Connie Haskell, who taught at three of the Reynoldsburg Ohio district's four elementary schools during the last five years.

"She was very positive. She did everything right and did everything she could to fight this battle," said Jo Fran Fenstermaker, a neighbor and friend for 20 years. "She had a wonderful attitude and was sure she'd win."

"She certainly was an inspiration to all of us here at Taylor Road Elementary School; she accepted her illness very well," said Deborah Bergeron, principal at Taylor Road. Haskell began her teaching career at Herbert Mills Elementary School in 1990 as a second grade teacher. "She was an excellent teacher, very concerned about every child in her classroom," said Craig Seckel, principal of Herbert Mills. "She treated them like they were her own."

Haskell took a leave of absence during the second half of the 1993-94 school year when she was diagnosed with cancer and returned to the district as a reading teacher in the fall of 1994. "She had recuperated very well," said Anita Hines, Haskell's sister. "She told the children about her illness and how she

had overcome it," said Bergeron.

Haskell taught reading to first, second, and third-graders part time at French Run and part time at the new Taylor Road Elementary Schools after her return.

"Her biggest goal in life was to get the children to read," said Bergeron. "She tried a lot of different concepts and never gave up on them."

Charles Parsons, principal at French Run Elementary School, said Haskell was not only very professional in her approach to the teaching of children, but she also worked exceptionally well with the other teachers in the building and had established a positive relationship with the parents.

"She was feeling good and felt doctors had conquered the disease," said Parsons. Last spring Haskell discovered her cancer was back but she finished the school year and even worked through the month of June, according to Parsons.

"Connie was known and loved by many people in the Reynoldsburg school community," said Aron Ross, assistant superintendent. "Her death is a great tragedy, she will be sorely missed."

Haskell is survived by her two sons, Jonathan, a sophomore at Ohio State University and David, a junior at Reynoldsburg High School; her mother, Annie Johnson of McDowell; and two brothers, Clinton Moore of McDowell and

Danny Moore of Marion Ohio.

Funeral services for Ms. Haskell were held October 7 at Redeemer United Methodist Church in Reynoldsburg, Ohio. Barth Cotner of Cotner Funeral Home in Reynoldsburg said about 500 people came during calling hours there on October 6 and about 300 people attended the funeral service.

"It was a real nice service, difficult for the family, very emotional," he said.

In lieu of flowers, family members requested that contributions be made in Connie's memory to the Breast Cancer Program of the Columbus Cancer Clinic or Hospice of Columbus, Ohio.

Haskell's short career as a school teacher began and ended with the Reynoldsburg school district. Before she became a teacher, Haskell was a homemaker.

She was an active member of the Redeemer United Methodist Church where she taught Sunday School, volunteered at Children's

Hospital and was a PTA member since 1981.

She received a bachelor's degree in English from Kentucky's Morehead State University in 1972, an elementary and reading certification from Otterbein College in 1990 and a master's degree in education from the University of Dayton in 1995.

"She touched many children's lives over the short span of time she worked with them," said Pat Heater, reading teacher and guidance counselor at Taylor Road Elementary School and a close friend of Haskell.

"She is very sadly missed over here. A good mother, good teacher, good sense of humor," said Bergeron.

Haskell was a 1967 graduate of McDowell High School.

(Portions of this article were written by Aruna Jagtiani, whose article about Ms. Haskell was printed in the *Reynoldsburg News* on October 18.)

Thanksgiving at the HomePlace

In addition to regular tours of the 1850's Appalachian farm at Mountain HomePlace in Johnson County, visitors to the site may attend an ol' style barn dance on Saturday, November 18, between the hours of 6 p.m. and 10 p.m. Music will be provided by the Bottom of the Barrell Bunch from Magoffin County with guest dance "calling" by Kenneth Williams.

Admission to the dance is \$5 individual, and \$8 per couple. Visitors are advised to dress warmly and bring the entire family.

On Sunday, November 19, the Mountain HomePlace will hold the First Annual Mountain HomePlace

Turkey Shoot beginning at 2 p.m. Competition will be limited to percussion and flint lock muzzle loaders with at least two age brackets available.

Prizes or trophies will be given in each category, as well as a trophy for the overall best marksman for the day. Persons entering the "shoot" will be assessed a \$3.50 entry fee and must provide their own guns, shot, powder, etc.

The HomePlace located at Paintsville Lake in Johnson County, will remain open for tours through the end of this month.

Call (606) 297-1850 for additional information.



Quilt winner

This quilt was given away at the Martin Area Senior Citizens Center during Red, White and Blue Day. The quilt, made by Roberta Frasure, was won by Edna Franklin.

Jenny Wiley Theatre announces its 1996 season and audition schedule

The Jenny Wiley Theatre has set their auditions for the 1996 productions of *The Wizard of Oz*, *Forever Plaid*, *On Golden Pond*, and *Annie Get Your Gun*.

Local auditions for children between ages 6 and 15 will be at the Prestonsburg Community College auditorium, February 14, 4:30-8:30 p.m. Auditions for Junior Apprentices and Apprentices (15 years and older) will be held February 15, 4:30-8:30 p.m. at the same location. Open auditions for all ages will be held at the Kentucky Center for the Arts in Louisville, on February 16, 7-9 p.m.

On February 18 and 19, auditions for equity and equity eligible performers will be held in Memphis, Tennessee. In New York

on March 28, auditions will be conducted by appointment only. For an appointment, call Bob Bogdanoff at 212-877-1689.

Between March 30 and April 1, auditions will be held at New England Theatre Conference (N.E.T.C.) in Boston, Massachusetts. Anyone interested in auditioning should come prepared with a one-minute monologue and a 2-3-minute musical selection.

For additional information, call the Jenny Wiley Theatre at (606) 886-9274 or write P.O. Box 22, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

Auditions for "Toto" will be announced at later date. Opening performance is June 21 and the closing performance is August 21.



Parsons, Morrison to wed

Raymond Parsons of Allen and Ada Osbourne of Goble Roberts, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Michelle Renee Parsons to Melvin Richard Morrison, son of Bud Morrison of Auxier and the late Janet Morrison. The wedding will be held November 18 at noon at the Cow Creek Freewill Baptist Church.

Obituaries

Cleo H. Jenkins

Cleo H. Jenkins, 66, of Sciotoville, Ohio, died Tuesday, November 14, 1995, at Edgewood Manor Convalescent Center in Lucasville, Ohio.

A native of Wheelersburg, she was born July 30, 1929 to the late Richard and Alice Kicks Harmon. She was a former employee of General Telephone Company.

Survivors include two daughters, Kathy Gibbs of California and Terry Curtis of Arizona; two sisters, Myrtle Hyland of Sciotoville, Ohio, and Evelyn Harmon of Florida; and three grandchildren.

Graveside services will be Friday, November 17, at 2:30 p.m., at the Wheelersburg Cemetery with Rev. Dan Widdig officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of Brant Funeral Home in Sciotoville, Ohio.

Roy David White

Roy David White, 45, of Myra, died Monday, November 13, 1995, at St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington.

Born December 24, 1949 in Pike County, he was the son of Challie and Viola Tackett White of Myra. He was a coal miner and member of the Dorton Freewill Baptist Church.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by his wife, Shelby Layne White; one son, David White at home; one daughter, Crystal Starr White at home; two brothers, Ray White and Paul White, both of Myra; and seven sisters, Alice Addington and Ruby Bentley, both of Myra, Lois Justice of Prescott, Arizona, Eva Mullins of Dearborne Heights, Michigan, Ruth Hall of Weeksbury, Joyce Bentley of Shelby Gap, and Edith Tackett of Virgie.

Funeral services will be Friday, November 17, at Dorton Freewill Baptist Church with the ministers Teddy Tackett, Coy Tackett and others officiating.

Burial will be in the Bentley Cemetery at Myra, under the direction of R.S. Jones and Son Funeral Home.

Hale pallbearers

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Winfield Hale were his grandsons.

Delmar Newsome

Delmar Newsome, 63, of Pikeville, died Wednesday, November 15, 1995, at the residence of his sister, following a long illness.

Born November 28, 1931 in Floyd County, he was the son of the late Mirtie Cole Newsome and Sanford Newsome. He was a landscaper and lifetime member of the VFW and DAV in Bellevue, Ohio. He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict.

Survivors include two brothers, Manford Newsome of Dorton and Roger Lee Newsome of Pennsylvania; and three sisters, Virgie Newsome Hall of Chester, Virginia, Betty Nowinski of Detroit, Michigan, and Wanda Miller of Pikeville.

Funeral services will be Saturday, November 18, at 11 a.m., at the J.W. Call and Son Funeral Home with the ministers Bill Smith and Doug Mullins officiating.

Burial will be in the Miller Cemetery on Joe's Creek Road, Pikeville, under the direction of J.W. Call and Son Funeral Home.

Florence Tackett

Florence Bryant Tackett, 101, of Prestonsburg, formerly of Melvin, died Friday, November 10, 1995 in Prestonsburg.

Born April 5, 1894 at Melvin, she was the daughter of the late Owen and Lydia Elliott Bry...t. She was a member of the Joppa Old Regular Baptist Church for 48 years. She was preceded in death by her husband, Will Tackett.

Survivors include four sons, Gardner Tackett of Atlanta, Georgia, Foster Tackett and Brady Tackett, both of Prestonsburg, and Raymond Tackett of Virgie; one daughter, Mrs. Bethel Jones of Nashville, Tennessee; 23 grandchildren, 38 great-grandchildren, and four great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, November 13, at 11 a.m., at the Joppa Old Regular Baptist Church at Melvin, with the Elders Ellis Holbrook, Monroe Jones and Hershel Slone officiating.

Burial was in the Matthew Tackett Cemetery at Melvin, under the direction of R.S. Jones and Son Funeral Home, Virgie.

PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY

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South Lake Drive at Entrance to Jenny Wiley Park

Sun. Bible Study—10 a.m.

Worship—10:45 a.m.

6 p.m. Std. Time

7 p.m. D.L.S. Time

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By
Ed Taylor,
Sports editor

The Floyd County Times



South Floyd Prep Classic

John M. Stumbo vs. McDowell
Monday @ 6 p.m.
Osborne vs. Melvin
Tuesday @ 6 p.m.

Friday, November 17, 1995 7A

South Floyd to host first Prep Classic

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

More and more, we are seeing the grade school basketball season begin with local tournaments. What better way to inaugurate the season than bringing in several county teams to put on a classic.

The South Floyd Prep Classic will mark the third such tournament in two weeks as eight teams (four boys, four girls) gather at Raider Arena for the shootout beginning Monday night, November 20 and running through Wednesday night, November 22.

"We're excited about hosting our first ever grade school tournament," Keith

Smallwood said. "We'll be able to raise some money for non-revenue athletics here."

Smallwood coaches girls' track at South Floyd.

The first game of the Prep Classic pits the John M. Stumbo girls against the Lady Daredevils of McDowell in what should prove to be a classic match up in itself. Coach Danita Johnson's Lady Mustangs are one of the county's top team and the same could be said of Greg Johnson's Lady Daredevils. The two teams meet Monday night at 6 p.m.

Stumbo has the inside game of Sheena Akers and Martha Crawford leads the Lady

Daredevils. This will be a good one.

The boys play in the second game Monday night when the Stumbo Mustangs, coached by Hayes Hamilton, take on the Daredevils of McDowell coached by Brent Rose.

Stumbo has a solid ballclub and is definitely a contender for a county title. Adam Tackett, Larry Kiser and Aaron Prater, along with Nathan Tackett, will lead the Mustangs.

But McDowell has been labeled a fine county team as well. Coach Rose has a boat load of talent just like Stumbo. Ryan Shannon can light it up from the outside as well as Zack

Layne. Both are very good three-point shooters. But Byron Hall gives the Daredevils a strong presence under the basket as he teams with Kyle Tackett and Jimmy Stumbo. Now you can see why it is called the Prep Classic, emphasizing the word "classic."

The second round will be played Tuesday, November 21, when the Osborne Lady Eagles face the Lady Cougars of Melvin at 6 p.m. Both teams are to field strong units this season and that should make for an interesting game.

Roger Johnson's Osborne Eagles, another team picked as a possible county champion, will take his team to

the floor against the Cougars of Melvin. Whenever the Cougars and Eagles take the hardwood together you can expect a classic game.

The championship games will be played Wednesday night with the girls' game slated for 6 p.m. and the boys' contest taking place at approximately 7:30 p.m.

Admission to the shootout at the Prep Classic is \$3 for adults and \$2 for students.

First and second place trophies will be awarded to the top two finishers in both boys' and girls' brackets. Also, first and second place cheerleader trophies will be presented, both boys and girls.

Kidd, Conway combine to lead Harold

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

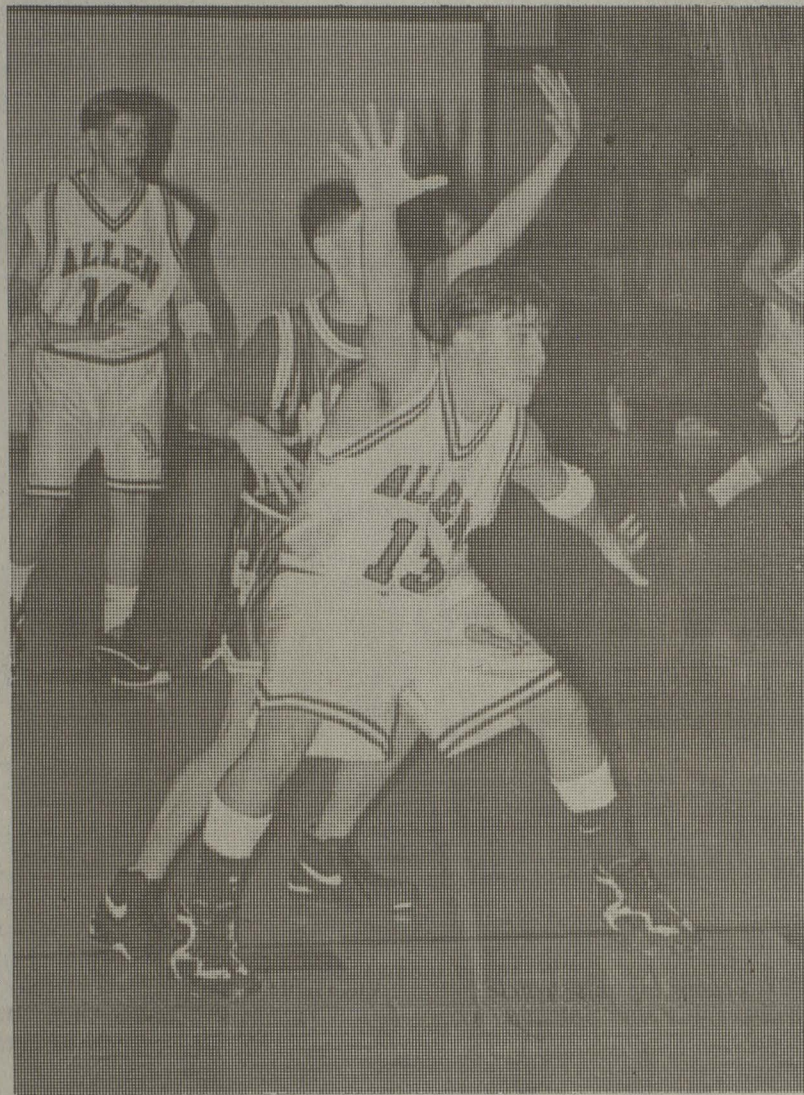
Doug Kidd and Brandon Conway combined for 29 points to lead the Harold Red Devils past Blaine Monday night in the first round of the Shag Campbell Invitational Basketball Tournament. Kidd scored a game-high 16 points and Conway added 13.

Brock Keathley drilled two first quarter three-pointers and finished with nine points.

Bobby Honeycutt tossed in nine points to lead Blaine. Doug Houston scored eight and Charlie Vercrouse netted seven points.

Harold did all its scoring in 11s as they scored 11 points in each of the four quarters

(See Harold, page 9A)



Too many arms

Allen's Seth Crisp (13) waited for a pass in the middle as Martin's Larry Mullins kept a close watch. Crisp scored 21 points to lead Allen past Martin 51-30 in tournament play Tuesday night. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Allen Lady Eagles have easy time in 56-19 win over Harold

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Ramanda Music scored a game-high 14 points to lead the Allen Lady Eagles past the Lady Red Devils of Harold. Rachael Mitchell tossed in 13 points and Chrissy Nelson added eight. Brooke Coleman netted eight points as well.

Andrea Keathley totaled five points to lead Harold. Braity Kidd had three points with Jessica Lykins, Jamie Cole, and Hall scoring two each.

Allen grabbed a 25-4 first-quarter lead, with Music scoring down low for 12 points. Leslie Setser had five points in the first period and Coleman tallied four.

Allen led 40-10 at the half. Rachael Hall scored four points for the Lady Eagles.

ALLEN (56)				
players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Music	6	0	3-2	14
Conley	2	0	2-0	4
Coleman	3	0	2-2	8
Setser	2	0	3-1	5
Nelson	4	0	0-0	8
Mitchell	6	0	2-1	13
R. Hall	2	0	0-0	4
totals	25	0	12-6	56

HAROLD (19)				
players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Keathley	2	0	3-1	5
B. Lykins	1	0	5-1	3
J. Lykins	1	0	1-0	2
Cole	1	0	0-0	2
C. Hall	1	0	0-0	2
Hall	1	0	0-0	2
Case	0	1	0-0	3
totals	7	1	9-2	19

Allen	25	15	08	08-56
Harold	04	06	02	07-19

Four score in double figures as Melvin shocks Osborne

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Everyone knew the Melvin Cougars were going to be a good basketball team, but they also knew that the Osborne Eagle would be a favorite to win the county championship this year.

It was the Cougars who pulled off the shocker in the early season and posted a 61-58 win over Roger Johnson's Eagle club this past Wednesday night at the Wheelwright gym.

"They were banking three-pointers in on us in the first quarter," Coach Johnson said of the Cougar's shooting.

Melvin had three treys in the first

period as the team rode its outside shooting to a 17-10 first-quarter lead. Osborne's Jarrod Johnson had a hard time getting on track in the first period as he was held to two first-period points. The defense of the Eagles was lacking, according to the coach.

"We're weak on defense," Johnson said. "We lost Josh Newman for the year and that hurt us defensively."

Rusty Tackett buried two three-pointers in the first quarter for the Cougars and Charlie Williams hit one. Dale Elliott had one trey for Osborne.

In the second quarter, the Cougars saw Johnson come alive as he tossed in 13 points in the second

stanza. Osborne outscored the Cougars 20-14 in the period and trailed 31-30 at the half.

Osborne came back in the third quarter and got nine points from Johnson to take a 48-47 lead heading into the fourth period. But Johnson, who was in foul trouble early, fouled of the game and the Eagles ceased to soar as Melvin held on for the victory.

Charlie Williams led Melvin with 17 points as the Cougars put four players in double figures. Rusty Tackett added 16 while James Slone and Dusty Tackett scored 12 each. Jason Jones tossed in four points.

(See Melvin page 9A)

Crisp scores 19 as Allen handles Martin, 51-30

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Seth Crisp and Mark Burchett combined for 31 points to lead the Allen Eagles over the Martin Purple Flash 51-30 in grade school basketball Tuesday night. The two teams met in the second round of the Shag Campbell Invitational Basketball Tournament at Allen Grade School.

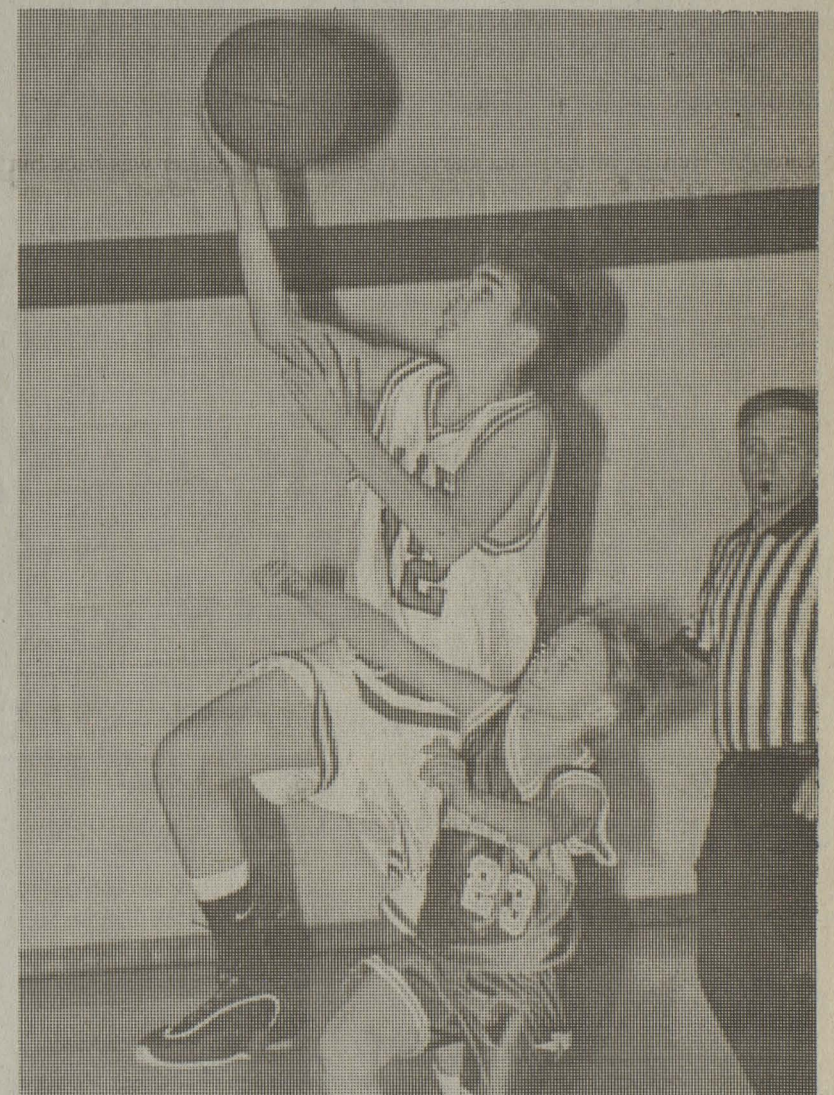
Crisp tossed in 19 points to lead the Eagles. Burchett added 12. Teammate Robbie Holbrook netted ten points.

Patrick Martin topped the Purple Flash with 11 points. Jeremy Sexton scored eight and Larry Mullins finished with seven.

Martin just could not get any offense going against the Eagles' defense. The only lead the Purple Flashes held was the very first at the start of the game, 2-0 on a basket by Martin. Allen ran off 11 unanswered points to lead 11-2 at the first stop. Burchett scored six straight points for an 8-2 lead and Crisp completed a three-point play for the 11-2 score.

Martin's three-point basket, a layup by Keith Crum and Sexton's

(See Crisp, page 9A)



Bump

Martin's Chad Samons (23) bumped Allen's Mark Burchett (12) as he went to the basket for two points. Martin and Allen squared off in the Shag Campbell Invitational Tuesday night with Allen pulling out a 51-30 win. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Panorama Weekend starts Saturday night at Allen Central

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

High school basketball doesn't officially get underway until November 28 when the first regular season game will be played, but basketball fans in the 58th District will get a preview of some of the local teams as the "panorama season" gets started this Saturday night.

Panorama games are just abbreviated games that allow coaches to view their teams under game conditions. Instead of quarters being played, each game consist of two 20-minute halves.

This Saturday night, November 18, the Allen Central Rebels will host state power Lexington Paul Lawrence Dunbar at the J.E. Allen Arena. Coach Johnny Martin's Rebels will be an entirely different unit than what fans had become accustomed to.

Allen Central will display one of the top juniors in the state in Thomas Jenkins. Jason Baker returns for his

junior year and will be looked to for strong supporting cast.

Allen Central will continue the panorama trail next Saturday night, November 25, when Louisville Moore returns to the arena. Moore was in town last year taking a two-point victory over Allen Central.

Prestonsburg Head Coach Jackie Pack is anxious to get his young Blackcat team in the testing waters and that will come when they play in the Perry Central panorama this Saturday.

Pack will be returning to the coaching ranks after a two-year absence. His ballclub is expected to be one of the top regional teams this year and is a solid favorite to win the 58th District this season.

On Saturday, November 25, the Blackcats will travel to Sheldon Clark for the prestigious Cardinal Classic panorama that involves some of the top teams around the region. Prestonsburg will take on Lawrence County.

Two games will highlight the Johnson Central panorama for the men's teams. South Floyd will face

Lees County at 6 p.m. and Coach Johnny Ray Turner's Golden Eagles will square off against Betsy Layne at approximately 7:30 p.m.

Coach Jim Rose and his South Floyd Raiders are expected to make some noise in the 15th Region this season. Coach Rose returns a veteran team, but a team that is still young.

T.T. Pack will head up a strong front line for Coach Rose and he will be joined by Terrence Mullins as well as junior Jason Shannon.

Coach Junior Newsome's Betsy Layne Bobcats will have a different look this season as Newsome returns to head the program. Chris Hamilton, Chris Hicks and Willie Meade will be three returning players who should make an impact.

Coach Johnny Ray Turner will dress his best team since moving on to Johnson Central four years ago. The Golden Eagles are expected to challenge for the 57th District title this season.

The women's teams will be in action in the Johnson Central panorama as Allen Central, South

Floyd and Prestonsburg take part this Saturday. The three county schools will play at the Johnson County Middle School.

Allen Central faces Greenup County at 1:30 p.m. in what could be a great early match up. Coach Bonita Compton's Lady Rebels will be lead by junior Amanda Samons and sophomore Misty Scott.

Prestonsburg will face a good East Carter team in a 4 p.m. start. Coach Harold Tackett's Lady Blackcats will be coming off a 16-8 season and is expected to be a formidable opponent this season.

Only one senior returns for Coach Tackett, April Newsome, and she will team with an array of young talent in LaDonna Slone, Crystal Layne, Amber Leslie and Jenna Fannin. Fannin may have to miss the first three weeks of the season because of surgery on her foot.

New coach, Henry Webb, will run his South Floyd Lady Raiders onto the court as they face Morgan County at 5:30 p.m. Chrissy Tackett, Jenny Meade, Tiffany

Compton and Misty Berger will return as the Lady Raiders look to turn things around.

The panorama will kick off at 11 a.m. at the Johnson County Middle School when Johnson Central takes on Leslie County. At 2:30 p.m. Elkhorn City faces West Carter.

A second site for the panorama will be the Johnson Central fieldhouse where Millard faces Lawrence County at 1 p.m. Millard returns the twin towers and the Lady Mustangs will be a strong opponent this season.

The preseason's number one team, Belfry, will face a very good Breathitt County team at 2:30 at the Johnson Central gym. Coach Cindy Stewart's Lady Pirates will be loaded this season with some key players returning.

At 4 p.m. Hazard plays against Boyd County.

The games will consist of two 15-minute halves. Admission is \$3 for all day.

The South Floyd Raiders will have their own panorama on

Saturday, November 24. Coach Johnny Ray Turner will return to the area with his Golden Eagles in the first game at 6 p.m. Johnson Central will face Whitesburg in game one. At 7:30 p.m. the Raiders will take on J.J. Kelly High School out of Wise, Va.

Basketball nuts will get a look as some very good girls' teams in the Belfry Lady Pirates first annual Border States Shootout on Friday, November 24. The shootout will feature teams from Southern West Virginia.

Millard faces Matewan at 10 a.m. with Sheldon Clark scheduled against Gilbert at 11:30.

Host Belfry will go against Williamson East in a 1 p.m. start. New Perry Central will battle Scott at 2:30 p.m. and Prestonsburg takes on Tug Valley at 4 p.m.

The evening games will find Jenkins taking on Chapmanville at 5:30 and Allen Central squaring off against Williamson at 7 p.m. Phelps versus Baileysville will end the evening. Game time is set for 8:30 p.m.

Betsy Layne hits century mark in 100-53 win over Harold

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Coach Dwight Newsome's Betsy Layne Bobcats accomplished something a grade school basketball team doesn't do often — put 100 points on the scoreboard in one game.

But the Bobcats did the near impossible by scoring a 100-53 win over the Harold Red Devils Tuesday night in the first round of the Shag Campbell Invitational basketball tournament at Allen Grade School.

It wasn't a case of going out and running the score up on a team. But rather, it was a case of a team being loaded with players who play hard and go to the basket.

Four players scored in double figures for the Bobcats and two just missed the double digits. Scott Collins and Josh Howell scored 18 points each, with Justin Bartley finishing with 16. Chase Gibson came off the bench and had 12 points. Aaron Swiger and Josh Kidd scored nine each.

Doug Kidd led the scoring parade for the game with 27 points. He scored 20 of them in the first half and did not play the fourth period. Brandon Conway played a strong game in the middle for Harold and finished with 11 points.

Betsy Layne pulled off its press in the fourth period and Coach Newsome went to his bench. But the bench wanted to play so they went for the 100-point total.

With 11 seconds left in the game, Brad Daugherty was fouled from the three-point circle and hit two of three attempts for a 99-51 game. The crowd groaned when he missed the third attempt.

The crowd got into the game wanting to see the century mark on the scoreboard. With seven ticks left, Barrett Blankenship went for the three-point shot, but was fouled giving him three free throws. Blankenship missed the first two, but drilled the third shot for the 100-53 score.

The game was closer than the final 47 point margin indicates. In fact, the Bobcats had to go to the press to ward off a rally by Harold that saw the Red Devils climb back into the game. Doug Kidd scored on

a layup with 4:49 left to pull his team to within three, 44-41 of the Bobcats.

Betsy Layne then put on a blitz defensively and scored 21 unanswered points to assume a 65-41 lead. Betsy Layne outscored Harold 36-2 over the final 4:49 of the third period. They led 80-43 after three quarters.

Coach Jim Roberts' team only trailed 44-34 at the half. "I thought we would be down by 25 by this time," he said. But the Red Devils played hard and refused to fold.

Kidd hit a three-pointer to start the third period for Harold. He then scored off a rebound and hit the layup at the 4:49 mark to pull Harold to within three points.

A 13-2 run by Betsy Layne netted the Bobcats' 39-20 lead with just more than three minutes to play in the second quarter. Shannon Williams picked up his fourth personal foul and had to go to the bench. Betsy Layne came unglued on offense and Harold was off and running as the team outscored Betsy Layne 14-5 to narrow the lead to ten at the half.

The game was tied once at 2-2 before Betsy Layne went out to a 5-2 lead on a rebound basket and free throw by Collins. Two free throws by Conway made it a one-point game, 5-4, before Betsy Layne took a 15-6 lead on a 10-2 run led by Bartley.

Kidd scored on a layup, hit two

free throws and another layup with 2:34 to play in the first period to cut the Betsy Layne lead to five, 17-12. Jason Kidd came off the Betsy Layne bench and sparked a Bobcat rally that netted them a 26-18 first-quarter lead.

Kidd had two three-point baskets in the game for Harold. Justin Kidd hit one in the fourth period to finish with three points. Brock Keathley, Anthony Tackett and Dwayne Keathley had two points each for the Red Devils as did Casey Brown. Robert Rose, Ralph King and Ben Kidd scored one apiece.

Daugherty played a good floor game for Betsy Layne and finished with seven points. Shannon Williams, who fouled out of his second consecutive game, finished with four points and Eddie Tibbs scored four. Blankenship had three points in the game.

Turnovers plagued the game as both teams played at a fast pace. Harold had 34 turnovers in the contest and Betsy Layne committed 20. Betsy Layne out rebounded Harold 22-20.

Betsy Layne improved to 4-0 on the year and Harold lost for the first time dropping to 3-1.

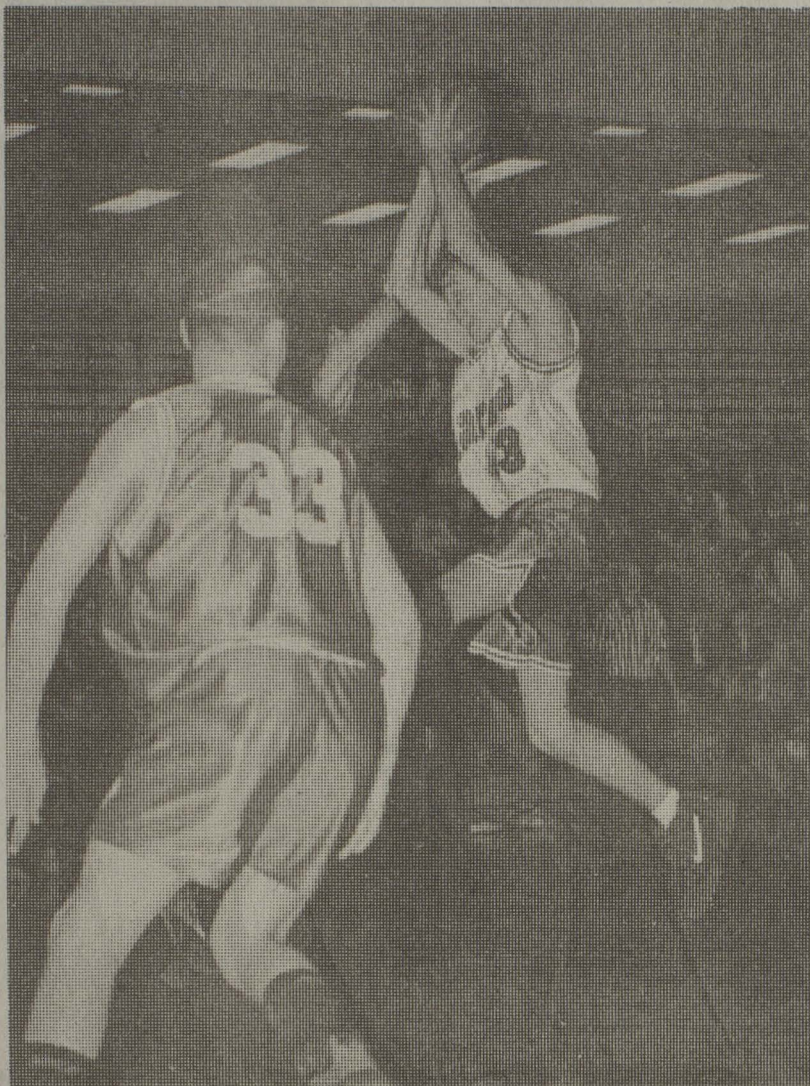
BETSY LAYNE (100)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Swiger	4	0	1-1	9
Bartley	6	1	1-1	16
Collins	6	1	6-3	18
Howell	7	0	5-4	18
Williams	2	0	0-0	4
Gibson	5	0	3-2	12
Kidd	4	0	2-1	9
Daugherty	2	0	5-3	7
Blankenship	1	0	3-1	3
Tibbs	1	0	2-2	4
total	38	2	28-18	100

HAROLD (53)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Rose	0	0	2-1	1
Tackett	1	0	0-0	2
Conway	5	0	4-3	13
B. Keathley	1	0	0-0	2
Kidd	6	2	15-9	27
D. Keathley	1	0	1-0	2
King	0	0	2-1	1
J. Kidd	0	1	0-0	3
Brown	1	0	1-0	2
totals	15	3	25-14	53

Betsy Layne	26	18	36	20-100
Harold	18	16	09	10-53



High on the boards

Harold's Doug Kidd (33), with the ball, went high to pull down a rebound against Betsy Layne Tuesday night during the Shag Campbell Invitational. Aaron Swiger (33) looked on. Betsy Layne hit the century mark with a 100-53 win. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Allen dedicates gym in memory of Ray "Shag" Campbell

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

In a pledge to keep the memory of former school board member Ray "Shag" Campbell, Allen Principal Linda Gearheart said the Shag Campbell Invitational

Eagles soar to 77-52 win behind Crisp

Basketball Tournament will be held at the beginning of each basketball season.

With that, the gym was officially dedicated to Campbell with his

family present. They were presented a plaque in honor of the dedication. School board chairman Ray Brackett made the presentation at halftime of the first game Monday night.

The plaque and a picture of

Martin upends Betsy Layne Lady Cats, 38-16

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

The Martin Lady Flashes placed nine players in the scoring column and went on to post a 38-16 win over the Lady Cats of Betsy Layne Elementary in the second round of the Shag Campbell Invitational Wednesday night.

Shanna Howell scored a game-high 14 points to lead Martin. She scored eight of her 14 points in the first quarter when Martin took a 14-2 lead. Shannon Sizemore had four first-quarter points. Devon Reynolds, who led Betsy Layne with six points, had the lone two points in the first quarter for the Lady Cats.

Martin took a 22-3 halftime lead as coach Jimmy Hopkins played the entire bench.

Kim Tackett, Christibeth Blackburn, Brittany Blankenship, Brandis Bradley and Heather Johnson scored two point each for Betsy Layne.

Jennifer Risner, Sizemore, Ashley Stephens and Jessica Sexton had four points apiece for Martin. Leslie Johnson, Megan Hyden, Amanda Reynolds and Jackie Martin scored two each.

Martin out rebounded Betsy Layne 32-18.

After the dedication moments, the Allen Eagles went out and did some dedicating as well. They posted a 77-52 win over the Cougars of Prater Creek in the opening game of the tournament.

Seth Crisp tossed in a game-high 21 points and Robbie Holbrook added 19 to lead the Eagles. Mark Burchett scored in double figures with ten points.

Adam Collins led the Cougars with 15 points. Wes Senters added 14 and Adam Akers totaled nine points.

Holbrook scored seven points in the first period as the Cougars and Eagles stayed close. The Eagles led 20-15 after the first quarter. Akers and Collins both hit three-point baskets in the first period for Prater. The Cougars hit only one of seven free throw attempts in the opening quarter.

Allen outscored Prater 21-13 in the second period and took a 41-28 lead to the locker room at halftime.

Matt Tackett buried two three-point baskets to start the third period and Crisp scored nine points in the period as the Eagles were soaring 64-45 after three quarters.

The Eagle defense held Prater to only one field goal in the final quarter and that was by Akers. The Cougars shot 16 free throws in the fourth and hit five.

Michael Goble had six points for Prater. Nick Spears added five and Daron Akers scored three.

Alvin Reed scored six points in the second period and finished with eight points for the Eagles. Nathan Hall had four points. Dustin Blanton, Riley Hall and Scott Howell had two each.



Baseline drive

Martin's Larry Mullins (24) drove the baseline on Allen's Mark Burchett (12) during tournament play at Allen Tuesday night. The Eagles defeated the Purple Flash 51-30. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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ALC Lady Eagles open season with back-to-back wins

by Marty Allison
Contributing Writer

The Alice Lloyd College Lady Eagles started the 1995-96 basketball season on a successful note, going 2-0 on a weekend road trip.

The Lady Eagles opened the season on Friday in Knoxville with a 97-44 win over Johnson Bible. Coach John Mills team later defeated conference foe Montreat Anderson 87-66.

The Lady Eagles struck early against Johnson Bible taking a 48-23 lead to the locker room at the half. Pressure defense and some timely outside shooting gave Alice Lloyd the lead. The Lady Eagles hit six three-point baskets in the first half.

Freshman Dena Smith, who came off the bench, led the three-point first half barrage with three

long treys. Stacie Moore, former Allen Central standout who is the Lady Eagles leading scorer, hit one three-point basket in the half.

Moore finished with 15 points and Smith added 11. Johnson Bible was led by Steph Blackburn's 18 points.

Coach Mills said he was pleased with the way his team performed on defense.

"Not many teams can come at you with 14 players, but we can do it without losing a step at any position," he said.

Alice Lloyd played every player and all that play made the scoring column. Alice Lloyd out rebounded Johnson Bible 49-19. Kim Mosley pulled down nine boards while Melinda Ratliff had eight and Renee Jude seven. Ratliff and Jude

are both freshmen.

On Saturday night, Alice Lloyd faced a much tougher foe in league rival Montreat Anderson. Last year the Lady Eagles suffered a setback at Montreat and they returned two

of their leading scorers from last year's squad. But it was a different story this time around as Nicole

Lady Eagles force Montreat into 23 turnovers. Alice Lloyd out rebounded the host team 44-26. Jude and Ratliff each has eight caroms. Misty Eversole added 13 points in the win and Moore finished with ten.

The Lady Eagles are averaging 92 points per game after the first two.

It will be homecoming this Saturday, November 18 as the Lady Eagles host Bryan College.

Alice Lloyd Eagles begin defense of TVAC championship

by Marty Allison
Contributing Writer

So far so good for coach Jim Stepp and the Alice Lloyd Eagles. They defended well their TVAC title in two games against Lindsey Wilson and Montreat Anderson.

Alice Lloyd had a fight on its hands when the team battled a good Lindsey Wilson team. The Eagles took a 37-34 lead at halftime and held on for an 87-82 victory.

The Eagles were out shot from the field and from the three-point circle, but the difference came from the foul line. The Eagles hit 26 free throws while Lindsey Wilson could only make six.

Shawn Hager, former Belfry standout, hit 11 of 13 free throw attempts and finished with 19 points. Robert Marcum led the Eagles in scoring with 21 points. John Slone, ex-Sheldon Clark player, chipped in with 17, and Jeremy

Johnson added ten. J.R. Hammond scored seven.

Alice Lloyd was beaten in just about every category on the stat sheet, except where it really mattered — the final score. Alice Lloyd showed a lot of heart as the team was able to overcome several obstacles and pull out the victory.

On Saturday night, the Eagles opened their TVAC schedule at Montreat Anderson and came home with a 77-73 win to improve to 3-0 on the season.

Shawn Hager led the Eagles' flight with 19 points with Robert Marcum scoring in 18 and John Slone scoring 15.

Freshman Matt Baker and Marcum had seven rebounds each to lead the Eagles. Jeff Ritchie dished out six assists for Alice Lloyd.

Colegrove burned the nets for 25 points on 12 of 17 field goals and was instrumental in helping the

Harold

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The Red Devils took an 11-7 lead after the first period. Keathley had his two treys while Conway and Kidd scored a field goal each. Houston hit a three-pointer for Blaine and Johnny Cline had a basket.

Blaine picked up its offense in the second quarter with Vercrouse scoring four points for Blaine. Houston hit his second three-pointer of the game in the period. Conway was open for some easy baskets underneath, finishing with six points in the period.

Kidd and Conway each had four points in the third period with Anthony Tackett tossing three third-quarter points.

The win improved the Red Devils to 3-0 on the season and advanced them to the semifinals of the tournament.

Blaine	07	10	07	11-35
Harold	11	11	11	11-44

Melvin

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Williams and Rusty Tackett each hit two three-pointers each.

Jarrod Johnson led all scorers with 24 points. Elliott netted 13 with James Walker tossing in eight points. B.J. Bryant added six and Keith Reynolds scored five. Sam Little finished with two points.

Johnson led the Eagles in rebounding with 14. Elliott pulled down nine and Reynolds had six. Bryant had six steals in the game and Walker had four assists.

The Eagles will entertain Martin at the Wheelwright gym Monday night and will face Melvin again, this time in the South Floyd Prep Classic at South Floyd on Tuesday night.

MELVINS (61)				
players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Slone	6	0	1-0	12
R. Tackett	5	2	0-0	16
D. Tackett	5	0	2-2	12
Williams	4	2	4-3	17
M. Tackett	0	0	1-0	0
totals	20	4	8-5	61

OSBORNE (58)				
players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Bryant	3	0	0-0	6
Walker	2	1	1-1	8
Reynolds	2	0	1-1	5
Elliott	2	2	5-3	13
Johnson	11	0	4-2	24
Little	1	0	0-0	2
totals	21	3	11-7	58

Melvin	17	14	16	14-61
Osborne	10	20	18	10-58

Crisp

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turnaround jumper narrowed the margin to 17-10. But Allen went on an 8-0 run to take a 25-10 halftime lead. Crisp completed his second three-point play and hit a three-point basket just ahead of the buzzer.

Crisp's back-to-back baskets sent the Eagles soaring to a 29-12 lead and a three-point basket by Holbrook made it a 32-16 game. Sexton hit a 14-foot jumper and Mullins drilled a three-pointer as Martin came to within 11, 32-21. But Burchett and Nathan Hall had consecutive baskets for a 36-21 Eagle advantage after three quarters.

Martin never could regroup and saw the Eagles cause some problems as they turned the ball over 21 times. Allen had 14 turnovers.


Henry Napier scored three points for Martin, with Chad Samons adding two. Eric Yates scored one point.

Dustin Blanton totaled five points for Allen. He had a three-point basket in the fourth quarter when he scored all five of his points. Hall finished with three and Riley Hall added two. Ryan Turner, who fouled out, failed to score.

ALLEN (51)				
players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Crisp	7	1	4-2	19
Burchett	5	0	2-2	12
Turner	0	0	0-0	0
Holbrook	2	2	0-0	10
Tackett	0	0	0-0	0
Blanton	1	1	0-0	5
N. Hall	1	0	2-1	3
R. Hall	1	0	0-0	2
totals	17	4	8-5	51

MARTIN (30)				
players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Martin	2	1	7-2	9
Mullins	1	1	2-2	7
Sexton	4	0	3-0	8
Samons	1	0	1-0	2
Napier	1	0	2-1	3
Yates	0	0	2-1	1
totals	9	2	17-6	30

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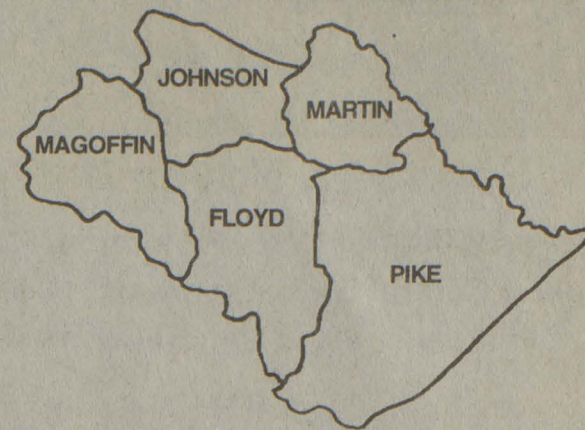
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John's Creek received top honors out of the 55 locations of Trans Financial in Kentucky and Tennessee which were audited.

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In Elkhorn City, John Venters, in Belfry, Thelma Thacker, and in Virgie, Stan Johnson, were the only three associates out of all audited during the quarter in both Tennessee and Kentucky to earn a perfect mark.

MADD of Kentucky sponsors vigil

The Kentucky State Organization of Mothers Against Drunk Driving will sponsor its sixth annual Statewide Candlelight Vigil on Saturday, December 2, in Frankfort.

The ceremony will begin at 5 p.m., and will be held outdoors on the front steps of the State Capitol.

Immediately following the vigil, a reception will be held at the auditorium of the Investor's Heritage Insurance Building, located at the corner of Second and Shelby streets.

Alice Lloyd homecoming celebration

Alice Lloyd College, located at Pippa Passes, will host its annual Homecoming celebration Saturday, November 18.

Alumni and student activities will begin at 10:00 a.m. and continue throughout the day and evening.

For more information, contact Teresa Grender, director of Alumni Relations, at (606) 368-2101, ext. 4601.

Pike historical society to meet

On Wednesday, November 29, the Pike County Society for Historical and Genealogical Research, in conjunction with the Prestonsburg Community College-Pikeville campus, will present a panel discussion entitled "Eastern Kentucky, the Great Depression and the New Deal." The program starts at 6:30 p.m. at the Pike County Courthouse, second floor. The public is invited to attend.

Long trial expected in murder case

by Christopher Hunt
Appalachian News-Express

If the first two days of the Brian Henry murder trial are any indication, everyone involved has a long way to go.

All day Monday and most of Tuesday were taken up with pretrial motions and jury selection.

Opening arguments were completed Tuesday, with the prosecution and the defense disagreeing on even the basic series of events during the night Henry's ex-wife, Delora Shell, was killed.

Assistant Commonwealth Attorney Ron Burchett did tell the court his office would not seek the death penalty.

The jury will now have to decide between murder or first-degree

manslaughter.

The fact that Henry shot Shell is not being disputed by the defense, but they are arguing that he should receive a lesser charge of first-degree manslaughter, because he committed the act while under "extreme emotional disturbance."

Henry is being represented by John Nelson of the Office of Public Advocacy.

If Henry is convicted of murder, the penalty will be between 20 years to life in prison. A verdict of manslaughter carries a sentence of 10 to 20 years in prison.

Burchett outlined the events of August 20, 1994, the night Shell was killed, saying that Henry placed a shotgun near her mother's trailer, forced his way in and began an argument with Shell.

The argument soon turned into a shoving match, Burchett said. Henry then retrieved the shotgun, fired the first shot at Shell and missed.

Shell fell to the ground and at that time, Henry placed the shotgun "three to four feet away from her head" and shot her, said Burchett.

Burchett also told the jury Henry admitted to killing Shell "because she messed up my life."

"Look at the facts," Burchett said to the jury. "When you do, you will have to say cold-blooded murder."

Nelson began his opening arguments by saying that taking the prosecution's account was like reading the last chapter of a book first, not knowing the particulars that came before the crime.

Nelson then began a lengthy account of the marital problems between Henry and Shell, saying that "insecurities, possessiveness and jealousy" resulted in many heated arguments.

According to Nelson, both Henry and Shell would go out to parties with friends, separately, and this was the major point of conflict.

The couple separated several times, Nelson said, before Shell convinced Henry that they (Shell and her daughter) would move away and "start over" if he would agree to a divorce.

After Henry signed the divorce papers, Shell told Henry she had lied to him about "starting over" and that she wasn't sure if their daughter was actually his.

This particular account of what

Shell said to Henry was objected to by Burchett, but the reasons for the objection were discussed at the judge's bench, out of earshot of jurors and observers.

Henry's belief that Shell had lied to him about their daughter and the divorce led him to commit the crime out of anger, Nelson said.

Nelson also claimed the shotgun was still in the car Henry had taken from Wade Adkins, not placed against the trailer as Burchett had claimed.

Henry has also been charged with first-degree burglary, which involves the use of a deadly weapon and the injury of a person during the crimes. The charge has a penalty of 10 to 20 years in prison.

Testimony continued Wednesday and was expected to end next week.

Charges pending in Burchett case?

by Tony Fyffe
The Paintsville Herald

When Flem Burchett pleaded guilty to murdering Johnson County Sheriff Gene Cyrus, three other charges related to the case were dismissed as part of a plea-bargain agreement.

But did the agreement also include an unwritten promise not to prosecute Burchett on two unrelated sexual abuse charges?

That's the question facing attorneys as they try to decide whether to pursue rape and incest charges against Burchett.

A status conference in the case was continued last Friday in Pike Circuit Court while attorneys try to figure out if the rape and incest case was part of the 1993 plea-bargain agreement.

Burchett's attorney, Mary Lou Chandler, said Tuesday that she was told by former Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney John R. Triplett that the sexual abuse case was included in the agreement.

"It was my understanding that, as part of the plea-bargain agreement, the rape case would not be prosecuted," Chandler said.

Triplett, who was an assistant under former Commonwealth Attorney Leo Marcum, offered Burchett a plea-bargain agreement in November 1993.

Under terms of the pact, Burchett pleaded guilty to murder-

ing Cyrus in 1992 in exchange for a life sentence.

Three other charges in the Cyrus case — kidnapping, bail-jumping and three counts of wanton endangerment — were dropped as part of the agreement.

The rape and incest charges, which stem from a 1991 case involving Burchett's granddaughter, were not mentioned in court on November 22, 1993, when the agreement was announced and Burchett pleaded guilty. Nor are they contained in the official agreement filed in the court record in Pike Circuit Court.

After Burchett pleaded guilty, Triplett told the Herald that his office would decide whether to pursue the rape case.

Triplett declined comment Tuesday.

"I won't agree or disagree with what Mary Lou said," Triplett said. "I wouldn't have any comment until I get up there and tell them about it."

Maysville attorney Ronald Rigg, who represented Burchett in the murder case, could not be reached for comment.

The current assistant commonwealth attorney, Cheryl Neff, said Tuesday that another status conference will be held December 15, "to allow the defense an opportunity to supply the commonwealth with information regarding the prior plea negotiations."

Employees of detention center fired illegally

by Tony Fyffe
The Paintsville Herald

Twelve former or current Big Sandy Regional Detention Center employees who lost their jobs in 1990 because of restructuring were illegally discharged, a judge ruled Monday.

Johnson Circuit Judge Stephen N. Frazier ruled that the Big Sandy Regional Jail Authority and the Johnson County Fiscal Court wrongfully dismissed the employees and are "jointly and severally liable" for monetary damages.

The amount of damages will be determined by a jury, the judge said.

The employees, some of whom have since returned to work, sued the jail authority and fiscal court in May 1991, claiming they were "dismissed without cause" in late April and early May of 1990.

The dismissals came about a year after a state Supreme Court ruling switched management of the jail from Johnson County Jailer Thurman Tackett to the four-county jail authority.

Jail authority members said that since they were given control of the facility, employment should be equally divided between Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Lawrence counties.

That decision resulted in the dismissal of the 12 employees who had worked at the facility when it was under Johnson County's con-

trol. In his ruling, Frazier faulted both the jail authority and the Johnson Fiscal Court.

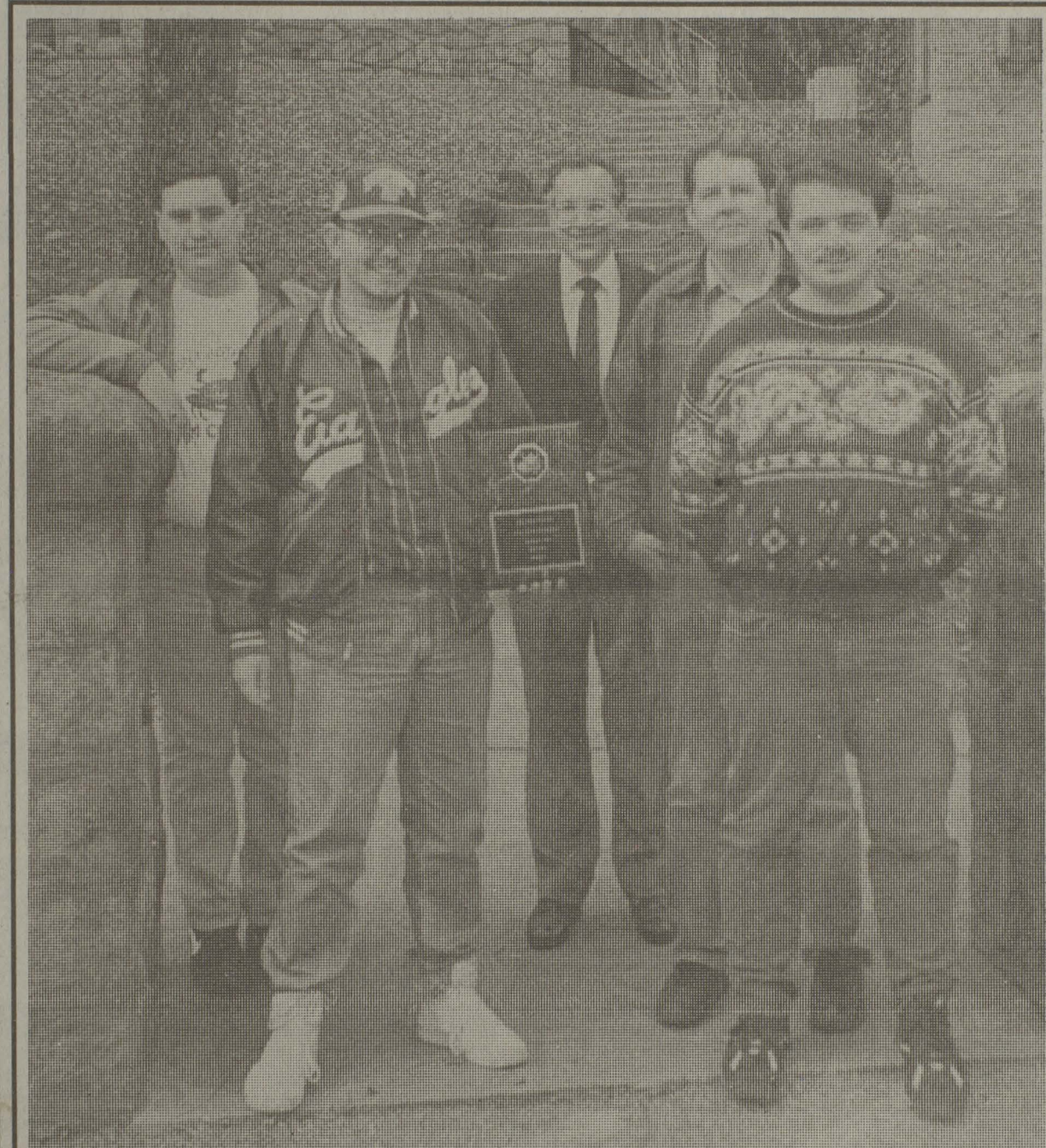
"As employees of Johnson County," Frazier wrote, "the plaintiffs were entitled to protection from wrongful discharge and their employment could properly have been terminated only after receipt of notice and an opportunity to be heard in accordance with policies and procedures required by applicable law and regulation to have been in place for Johnson County employees."

The jail authority, Frazier said, "is subject to the same duties with respect to operation of the regional detention center at Paintsville, Kentucky, as an individual county would have been in the operation of its jail."

Those duties, the judge said, included "an obligation to establish and maintain procedural safeguards against wrongful discharge or termination of its employees."

Frazier said that notices of discharge issued by the late Martin County Judge-Executive John B. Callahan, who at the time was chairman of the jail authority, were void and "otherwise ineffective."

Frazier had earlier ruled that Callahan and former Johnson County Judge-Executive Gail Gillem improperly appointed themselves to the jail board.



Academic Team undefeated

Alice Lloyd College (ALC) defeated Murray State University to win first place in Division I at the Pikeville College Quick Recall Tournament, on Saturday, November 4. Alice Lloyd College completed the tournament with a perfect record, scoring victories against Campbellsville College, Pikeville College, and the University of Kentucky, before edging Murray State, 37-36, in the championship match. Pictured left to right are Shane Ratliff, a freshman from Pike County; Victor Justice, a senior from Pike County; Dr. Gene Pace, ALC faculty member and one of the coaches; Raymond Brock, a sophomore from Harlan County; and Brad Moore, a sophomore from Floyd County. Not pictured: Darrell Combs, a junior from Perry County; Eric Reid, a sophomore from Floyd County; and RoseLee Bancroft, Bonita Crowell, and Rachel Sublett, all ALC faculty members and team coaches.

Couple claims son was abused

by Kim Stacy
Appalachian News-Express

When James E. and JoAnna Osborne of Robinson Creek gave the Pike County School System permission to paddle their son, they had no idea how it would be used, resulting in what they claim was physical abuse requiring medical treatment.

The Osbornes said their son Kevin, seven, was bruised, cursed and threatened with additional spanking by Dorton Elementary School Principal Jimmie Little on May 30.

The Osbornes, who failed to receive a warrant against Little through the Pike County Attorney's

Office, have sought prosecution through the Attorney General's Office, claiming Little didn't use proper procedure when paddling their son.

"We gave the school permission to spank our children, but we didn't give them permission to bruise them," said James E. Osborne. "We're not complaining because our son got into trouble and was punished. Our concern is that our son got bruised."

The Osbornes said when they went to the school May 30 to pick up their children, Little came to the car, informed them their son had gotten into a fight and he (Little) had separated Kevin and the other boys, at which point Kevin began cursing him.

"Little was very upset, he was using profanity and speaking in a very loud voice," said James Osborne. "He (Little) told Kevin to tell us what he had done, and if he didn't, he would whip him again with his parents there."

A report of the investigation by the Pike County Social Services Department and a medical report from Dr. Deborah Bailey were provided to the News-Express by the Osbornes.

In his statement to Social Services, James C. Osborne, 14, a brother to Kevin, said he witnessed the incident.

"My brothers and some other kids were playing at a drain vent and they started arguing," said James C. Osborne. "One of the boys started saying bad things about Jonathan (James C. and Kevin's ten-year-old brother)."

"Kevin pushed the boy away. Little came out and set the boys down on he steps. Kevin cursed at Little. He then ran back over and picked Kevin up by the arm and about a foot off the ground."

Little then proceeded to take Kevin to the office, said James' and Kevin's ten-year-old brother.

"While they were going to the office, Little started hitting Kevin on the back with his hand," he said. "He took him inside the building and shut the door and blinds."

"They were inside about three minutes. When they came out, Kevin was crying. Kevin was the only boy in the group that got a whipping."

However, in the same report, Little denies any harsh physical

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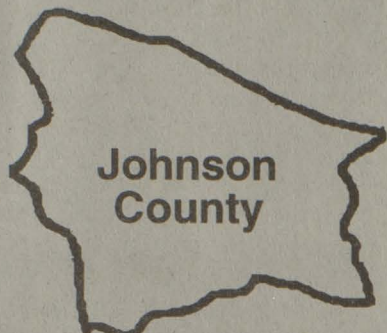
Big Sandy Briefs

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Johnson County

Staffordsville woman dies in accident

Donna Sue Colvin, 49, of Staffordsville was killed in a two-vehicle accident Friday, November 10, at Meally.

According to police reports, Colvin was crossing both lanes of Kentucky 40 at the entrance to a house when a GMC pickup truck struck the passenger side of her Jeep.

Police said the Jeep overturned on impact and came to rest on its top in a ditch.

Colvin was pronounced dead at the scene by

Coroner J.R. Frisby.

The driver of the truck, Bob Spradlin, whose age and address were not released, was taken to Paul B. Hall Regional Medical Center in Paintsville for observation.

The Johnson County Sheriff's Office and the Johnson County Rescue Squad assisted at the scene. — *Paintsville Herald*

Women charged with theft of display items

Two Prestonsburg woman were arrested recently and charged with stealing display items from a mobile home, authorities said.

Rejeania Hunt, 44, and Jennifer K. Miller, 29, were arrested November 2 at Rainbow Mobile Homes at Hager Hill by KSP Trooper Scott Hazlette.

According to a complaint filed by Michael Ward, the pair took pictures, canisters, flowers and a bedspread from a mobile home on display at Rainbow Mobile Homes.

Bond was set at \$5,000 unsecured for both women. They are scheduled to appear in court next Monday. — *Paintsville Herald*

according to Tom Marshall, a resident of Puncheon Creek and an avid fox hunter.

Marshall said that within the past few days, to his knowledge, a Collie, a Beagle, two opossums, a couple of foxhounds and several crows were among the animals and birds that have been killed by poisoning.

The two foxhounds found dead reportedly belonged to Rex Lovely of Royalton.

In 1989, a similar problem arose in the same section of the county after a large number of animals, both domestic and wild, were discovered dead as a result of poisoning. Marshall said the poisoning came to a halt at that time after a number of animal owners and residents addressed the problem with local officials.

He said Lovely had contacted a conservation officer with the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife.

Marshall suspects that the poisoning is an act of either pot growers, deer hunters, or cock fighters, who he figures would use tainted meat to kill foxes that might be getting into their chicken lots. — *The Salyersville Independent*



Magoffin County

Poisoning of animals feared at Half Mtn.

The alleged poisoning of animals around the Half Mountain section of Magoffin County has created concern among neighbors during the past week.

Carcasses of several domestic and wild animals and birds have been discovered during the past week,

Maps for sewer system are wrong

Members of the Inez Wastewater Board and the Inez City Council met with representatives of the Big Sandy Area Development District and Woolpert Engineering Thursday afternoon. Woolpert is the firm that certified the construction of the Inez sewer system. The City of Inez recently sent a bill to the company asking it to pay for recent tank installations.

According to those present, local plant operator Charles Muncy has been laboring with a set of incorrect maps. The maps presented at the meeting by Woolpert, specifically identify those tanks that were not installed at the time of initial construction. The tanks were not installed because customers had not paid the required deposit. The sewer system has since installed the tanks.

Further, Libby Ratliff with Big Sandy ADD, produced a copy of the map held by Woolpert and a complete list of names of those who had not hooked up initially.

Woolpert agreed to make another set of the correct maps and furnish them to the sewer system. — *The Martin County Sun*

the building.

McFarland's complaint against Palmer charges he cornered her in the parking lot, cursed and made derogatory remarks to her.

Following the incident between McFarland and the three men on October 23, Freddie McFarland, husband of the principal, confronted one of the men at a basketball game. McFarland called the Kentucky State Police to have her husband removed from the school.

The incidents partly resulted in a parent protest at the school a couple of weeks ago when about 25 parents picketed the school, voicing concern for student safety. — *Appalachian News Express*

Biliter named to Phelps Board of Education seat

Bobbie Biliter can finally serve in her public office with ease of mind. She was officially declared the winner Friday of the heated Pike County Board of Education race for the Phelps District.

Biliter defeated Pearl Casey, who was appointed to the seat in June, by one vote. Also challenging for the seat was Eugene Ferrell. Casey asked for a canvass of votes, which was held Friday. Biliter had 1,533 votes to Casey's 1,532.

Following the re-evaluation of all cartridges and tapes of voting machines from all precincts in Pike County, Joe Friend, Democratic elections chairman, and Lillian Pearl Elliott, county clerk, certified the election results.

Biliter is the wife of Carl Biliter, former board of education member and chairman, who was forced to resign last May after charges of misconduct were brought by the state board of education. Biliter will finish out her husband's remaining one-year term.

The new school board member will be sworn in Monday or Tuesday and will sit on the board at its regular November meeting, Tuesday night. — *Appalachian News Express*

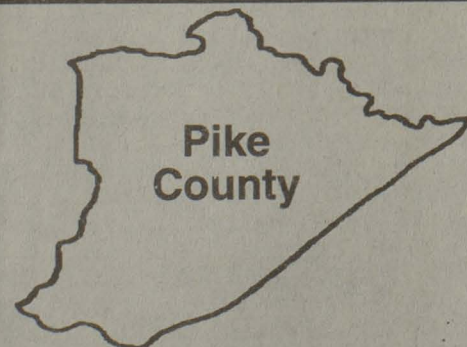


Martin County

County gets another 'homegrown' doctor

In 1986, Todd Maynard graduated from Sheldon Clark High School as the valedictorian of his class. He soon departed for college with big plans and big dreams.

Nine years later, Todd returned to his native county. He returns after filling his dreams and meeting his goals. Todd is now also known as Dr. Maynard. He has joined Dr. Jerald Combs in his optometry practice located in Inez. — *The Martin County Sun*



Pike County

Three face arraignment on teacher abuse charges

Three Pikeville men have been charged with abuse of a teacher and two of those men have also been charged with menacing. The three will face arraignment Wednesday at 1 p.m.

The charges stem from an incident with Mullins Elementary School Principal Jacqueline McFarland, who filed the charges on October 23 at the school following a site-based council meeting.

Jeff Cline and James Clevinger each face one charge of abuse of a teacher and menacing, while Jerry Palmer faces a charge of abuse of a teacher.

According to the charges filed by McFarland, she said Cline charged at her after a meeting and attempted to threaten physical contact which was only stopped by the intervention of a teacher.

The complaint said the witness was present and witnessed the three men running toward McFarland. Upon being stopped, Cline then began to verbally assault McFarland.

The complaint against Clevinger charges he verbally assaulted McFarland and pointed his finger in her face after first taking his fist and pounding the table in front of her.

The charge also said Clevinger resumed the conversation and verbal assault outside after McFarland left

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Historic Sipp Theatre offers 'Bluegrass at the Sipp'

The Historic Sipp Theatre in downtown Paintsville, is offering Vol. VII of its "Bluegrass at the Sipp" concert series Friday, November 17, at 8 p.m. with "The First Family of Bluegrass Gospel Music," The Lewis Family, and Melvin and Ray, The Goins Brothers.

The Lewis Family is arguably the most popular and verifiably the most in-demand act on the circuit and headlines 50 or more major festivals each year in addition to shows in school auditoriums, civic centers, special events and fairs, aggregating some 200 personal appearance dates yearly.

From humble beginnings in the late 1940s, the still all-family troupe performs today—amazingly having the original cast—with three generations of family members. Known and loved by bluegrass fans throughout the world, "Pop" (Roy) Lewis, born September 22, 1905, continues as the senior member and patriarch of the talented performing family that now consists of five children and two grandchildren of "Pop" and "Mom" (Pauline) Lewis.

Youngest of Pop's children, five string banjo and guitar wizard, "Little Roy" is one of the top instrumentalists in bluegrass music and has no equal in the genre as an entertainer. His comedic antics are so well known as to be a part of the fabric of the music. Sisters Miggie, Polly, and Janis blend voices in beautiful and often spine tingling trio harmony and offer solos by stage MC Polly Lewis Copey or Janis Lewis Phillips.

Wallace Lewis plays guitar and his son Travis ranks among the elite of upright bass players in the business. Lewis Phillips, son of Janis and husband Earl, was, like his uncle, Little Roy, a child prodigy and played a featured role as an instrumentalist on a CBS-TV Special, Carol and Dolly in

Nashville, at age six in the mid-1970s and now plays guitar, resonator banjo, mandolin or banjo in specialty arrangements with Little Roy and is also featured as a vocalist.

The Lewis Family has received numerous honors and awards, some of the more recent being the group's induction into the Georgia Music Hall of Fame on September 26, 1992, and SPBGMA's 1994 awards "Most Entertaining Bluegrass Band," with Little Roy being named "Best Banjo Player" and Travis "Best Bass Player." Just a few of the prestigious venues that have hosted the family show are The Grand Ole Opry, TNN's Nashville Now; NBC's Weekend Special and TNN's Gospel Jubilee.

For 38 years, from 1954 until 1992, The Lewis Family hosted its own weekly television show on WJBF-TV, Channel 6 in Augusta, Georgia. The telecast went into syndication for a time and held a national record for longevity when discontinued, an action made necessary by the group's increasingly heavy travel schedule. In July, 1993, the family purchased, from the estate of Conway Twitty, the luxuriously furnished coach and matching trailer of the late superstar and annually logs more than 100,000 miles in some 40 states and Canadian provinces. With more than 50 albums and three videos produced over the years, the band has recorded exclusively for the Benson Company since 1985.

Each year the family is honored by the annual "Lewis Family Homecoming Bluegrass Festival" held the first weekend in May, when visitors to the northeast Georgia town of Lincolntown are greeted by year-round highway signs proclaiming it home of "The First Family of Bluegrass Gospel Music."

The Lewis Family has been aptly

called "an American original," a self-contained wellspring of family entertainment for all ages and exciting, inspiring gospel music in the immensely popular bluegrass format. The poise and professionalism

of The Lewis Family's stage concerts, developed during thousands of TV and personal appearance shows, are equaled only by the members' off stage friendliness and sincerity, which, in itself, is a major

reason for the group's incredible legion of fans.

Also appearing will be Melvin and Ray, The Goins Brothers. This will mark their third appearance at the Sipp Theatre in 1995.

The Sipp Theatre is operated by the Sipp Theatre Foundation, a non-profit organization, established for the purpose of restoring the theater and providing quality entertainment to the citizens of Eastern Kentucky.

May elected Eastern Kentucky representative

Lon May, Floyd County Disaster and Emergency Services (DES) coordinator, was elected the area representative for Eastern Kentucky during a meeting in October of the Kentucky Emergency Management Association (KEMA) in Elizabethtown.

As Eastern Kentucky's representative, May will sit on the executive council of the KEMA and have voting power to implement changes in regulations regarding emergency management.

KEMA is a lobbying force that promotes the needs of emergency units to state officials in Frankfort, May said. At the October meeting, the executive council voted to pursue revisions to current laws that govern rescue operations.

Revisions include requiring Disaster and Emergency Service Directors to undergo four levels of training. One of KEMA's goals is to see that qualified, experienced individuals serve in state DES offices.

New regulations would stipulate that emergency management personnel be trained on four levels, from training in leadership to Hazmet and disaster operations courses.

Other changes the council hopes to see implemented include rescue operations.

May said the council wants to improve those operations by requiring that search dogs and their handlers be certified and by defining specialized and general rescue operations.

May urges local rescue squad and fire department personnel to make their voices heard through KEMA and hopes they will become part of the association that serves county and city emergency preparedness organizations throughout the state.

KEMA also awards grants to fire and rescue operations that could help personnel attend training programs.



KEMA executive

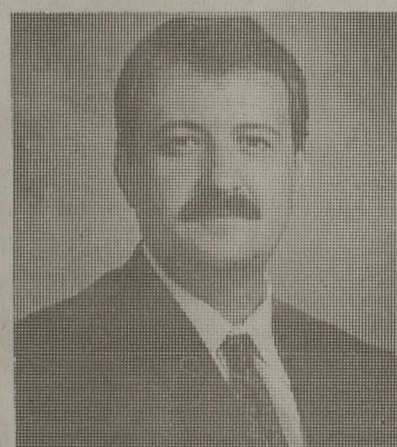
Newly-elected KEMA president Joe Osborne, left, welcomed Lon May, right, to the Kentucky Emergency Management Association's executive council.

Surgeon joins medical staff

The Pikeville Methodist Hospital Medical Staff is pleased to announce the addition of Grady Stephens, M.D., surgeon, to the staff. He has joined the practice of Dr. Oon Leedhanachoke located in the Pikeville Medical Building on Town Mountain Road.

Dr. Stephens is originally from Prestonsburg. He graduated from Prestonsburg High School and went on to study at Prestonsburg Community College and Transylvania University in Lexington, where he received a bachelor of arts degree in biology and psychology.

He received his medical degree from the University of Louisville School of Medicine, where he also completed an internship and residency in general surgery. While at U of L, he received the Pediatric Surgery Award for being the outstanding resident rotating on the Pediatric Surgery Service. He also



Grady Stephens, M.D.

completed a fellowship in ERCP and endoscopy.

Dr. Stephens and his wife, Diane, have recently relocated to Pikeville. She received a bachelor of science degree in nursing from Eastern Kentucky University and plans to continue her nursing career.

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abuse or vulgarity.

"I took Kevin by the arm and led him into the building," said Little. "I did not hit the child except to spank him with the paddle. I told Kevin to be quiet. There were no witnesses."

Although the board of education's policy regarding corporal punishment states two witnesses must be present during a paddling and a written report filed and sent home to the student's parents, the Osbornes said the policy wasn't followed.

Following the incident, the Osbornes took their son to the emergency room the following day, where he was seen by Dr. Bailey.

Her report said the child's "right buttock was bruised with a bluish red color and the left buttock has some small bruises. Both areas are tender to touch."

The Department of Social Services' report said Little was investigated for "physical abuse caused by loss of control during discipline. The claim of physical abuse is substantiated."

Judith Wagner, Family Services supervisor, confirmed Little was investigated by the department. Following procedure, a copy of the investigation's findings was sent to the superintendent.

"I talked to Reo Johns (school superintendent) the same night this happened to my boy," James E. Osborne said. "He just couldn't hardly believe this happened. He told me to talk to the principal and tell him not to paddle my children anymore."

"Later, he told me he'd called Little and he (Little) was very upset. I asked him (Johns) to call a meeting so we could discuss it. He said there wasn't much he could do about it."

Bruce Hopkins, director of communications for Pike County schools, said Wednesday, November 8, the board could not comment on the incident.

Despite several calls to the school, Little could not be reached for comment and did not return any calls to the News-Express.

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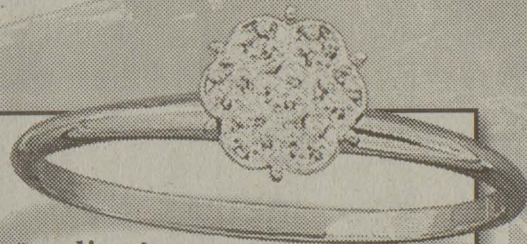
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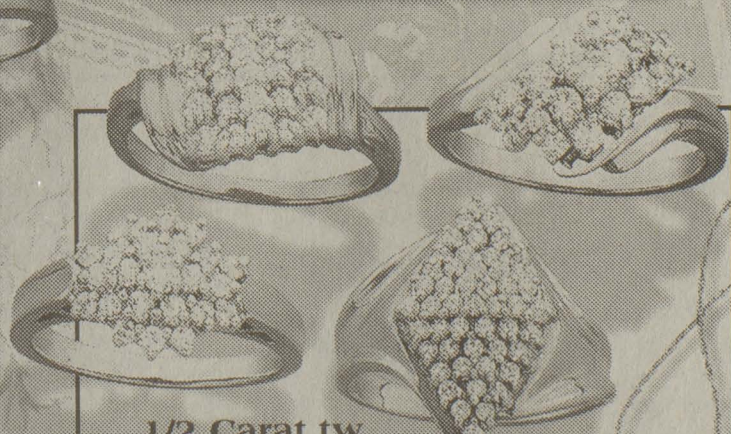
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C. & H. RAUCH
JEWELERS

by Chuck Shepherd

THE CONTINUING CRISIS

— Earlier this year, in a study of the psychological well-being of 91 Canadian customs officers, researchers from the Kingston (Ontario) Sexual Behavior Clinic concluded that the officers whose work consists of looking at pornography all day showed no ill effects. (Canada generally has stricter laws against pornography than most U.S. states because authorities more readily accept the belief that viewing pornography is dangerous.)

— In May, the Raleigh (N.C.) City Council was set to approve a rezoning of land on behalf of Schlotzsky's Deli because none of Schlotzsky's neighbors objected — none, that is, except, at the last minute, the trade association for the state's restaurants, whose office is next door. Said the association's executive vice president, "Yes, this does mean the North Carolina Restaurant Association is opposed to putting a restaurant beside the [Restaurant Association] building," citing parking and other problems.

— According to a Texas district attorney, more than 100 prosecutions for drug possession are in jeopardy because defendants had the good sense after their arrests to pay the state "drug tax." The legislature

enacted the tax in 1989 to help law enforcement, but a court ruled recently that to both collect the tax and prosecute the defendant would be unconstitutional "double jeopardy." The latest case was the August dismissal of charges against San Marcos college professor Harvey Ginsburg, who had paid a \$2,450 tax on 11 ounces of marijuana.

— In September, the Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Kalmar, Sweden, applied for a permit to hook up the crematorium in its memorial park with its other buildings. The church wants to use the heat from the crematorium to warm the other buildings inexpensively.

— In October, Juanita Winston, 27, fresh out of jail on probation and child-support violations, looked up her old boyfriend, William Narr, in the Norristown, Pa., liquor store where he worked and tried to persuade him to resume the relationship. According to police, Winston — who outweighs Narr by 40 pounds — threw him onto a truck ramp in the back of the store, broke 23 liquor bottles, wrapped him in an apron, and sat on him for more than two hours until he agreed to reconcile.

GROWN-UPS

— Two career firefighters and six volunteers were suspended in Seat Pleasant, Md., in September after they brawled over who should get to carry the big hose into a burning house.

— In August, principal Al Williams of Hotchkiss (Colo.) High School resigned after his alleged conduct at a student assembly came under criticism. According to news reports, Williams demonstrated for students

the concept of "maturity" by having two girls, one flat-chested and the other not, stand in profile and touch their elbows behind them.

— In October, a jury in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., awarded \$277,000 to former high school soccer player Gary Beharrie, who was severely kicked by an opponent in a 1992 game. The jury found that the kick was administered on orders from the opposing coach, Phil Drosdick, who told a player near Beharrie to "Waste him!" because his team was losing.

GEOGRAPHIC CENTERS OF WEIRD

— Peterborough, Ontario: In October, Robert McKellar, 36, pleaded guilty to spying on female co-workers through a two-way mirror in the employee changing room at a local Kentucky Fried Chicken. And in July, police said Darren Laite, 26, was discovered lurking in the tank of a women's outhouse just east of town.

— Union, S.C.: In the town of killer mom Susan Smith, Doris Murphy, 41, pleaded guilty in October to beating her partially paralyzed elderly aunt, stomping her prescription bottles, and tossing her walker into a tree.

— Dover, N.H.: Jeremy Brown, 21, was arrested for beating up his girlfriend in October in a dispute over whether the O.J. Simpson jury had reached the proper verdict.

(Send your Weird News to Chuck Shepherd, P.O. Box 8306, St. Petersburg, Fla. 33738, or 74777.3206@compuserve.com.)

Popperri

by Scott Perry

The federal government has shut down and that's got everybody in a tizzy because they don't know who will suffer the most by it, politically speaking, of course.

You might suspect that the 800,000 federal employees furloughed by the fiscal standoff would be hit the hardest but, if you consider past shutdowns, it isn't likely they'll lose any pay because they've always been paid for their time off before.

If they weren't reimbursed for that time it might save the government some money...\$40 million to \$50 million a day...but that's nickel and dime stuff compared to the political costs associated with 800,000 out of work voters.

This budget crisis isn't about money anyway. We run out of it every year about this time, but we usually keep spending it anyway because the federal government, unlike you and I, is allowed to write bad checks.

The reason they can do that is because they own the printing presses which make money. So, when they get overdrawn, they just whip up a batch of twenties and take them to the bank.

Do not try this at home. Unless, that is, you have no home and would like to spend a few years in a federal penitentiary.

Like we said, though, this isn't a money issue, it's a power issue.

Congress, which is controlled by Republicans, thinks the government should not spend more than it takes in, but it is willing to take seven years to balance the checkbook.

President Clinton, meanwhile, believes Congress is in too big a hurry and he proposes to bring everything into balance in ten years.

Rather than just split the difference and balance the budget in eight and a half years, we get to hear them call each other names.

This is democracy in action. It is the very reason why, nearly 220 years ago, we started our own country.

It's not the money, see, it's the principle.

Is there a difference anymore?

Critic's Corner

by Michael Greene

GET SHORTY

There is just no other way to describe this flick other than to say, it's a total romp! It's mayhem and frivolity all at the same time.

Recently resurrected John Travolta portrays a character named Chili Palmer, a Miami mobster into loan sharking. His job is to "collect" unpaid debts. He does so with aplomb and relish. It's clear he enjoys his job, although he could do without the violence, despite his adept utilization of it.

Chili is an interesting guy. He stands out from the rest of the goons he pals around with because of his intelligence. He is also a fanatic when it comes to the movies. Thus, when he's sent to Hollywood to collect a gambling debt from B-movie producer Harry Zimm (Gene Hackman), he is beside himself with delight.

Zimm listens attentively as Chili cuts him a deal: he'll help Zimm pay off his debt if Zimm will listen to Chili's idea for a movie. As it happens, the idea is brilliant, much better than the sort of films Zimm has been making, and the two enter into a happy collaboration.

Harry and Chili are hell-bent on getting superstar Martin Weir (Danny DeVito) to star in their film (thus the "Get Shorty" title). For his part, Weir only wants to get involved in order to study Chili, a real-life mobster. Then we have Martin's ex-wife, Karen (Rene Russo), who comes in to co-star in the movie.

Sprinkle in some crazy characters such as "Bones" Barboni (Dennis Farina), the Miami bad guy who wants Chili out of the way so he can take over his turf, and Bo Catlett (Delroy Lindo), a limo driver who's also a drug pusher. He dreams of making it in the movies and he'd stop at nothing, including murder, to fulfill his dreams.

This movie has all the components of excellence. Don't miss it.

The Weekend
WYTRA

Opry brings back the good ol' days

by Janice Shepherd
Managing Editor

Spectators attending the 5th annual Kentucky Opry Concert Saturday, November 18, at Prestonsburg High School could become lost in the '50s again when the Kentucky Opry Junior Pro opens the show with an Elvis medley.

Although Elvis died before some of the Junior Pro members were born, his music is alive and well in the hands of the youngsters.

After the Junior Pros electrify the crowd with Elvis' hits, the Tower Saxophone Quartet will keep the energy flowing. The quartet presents a wide range of music styles and often gets the audience involved in its antics. The group has performed three times at the White House for the president. This school year, the musicians are bringing their talents into the classrooms of Floyd County through the Chamber Music Rural Residency Program.

After the Tower Saxophone Quartet presentation and a brief intermission, the Kentucky Opry will bring a revamped program of new songs, new skits and new costumes to the stage. Opry manager Greg Crum won't say what's on the program because he wants the audience to be surprised, but he hinted that Munroe's sister Flotilly will make a special stage appearance.

The Blues Brothers will also return to the stage. Their agility and fast-paced performance leaves crowds wondering where the two dancers get their energy.

The concert is sponsored annually by Music-Carter-Hughes and Carter-Hughes-Toyota. The companies began sponsoring the concert in 1991 as a way to publicize the opening of their new Toyota dealership and the addition of three new General Motor franchises to their business, Paul P. Hughes, co-owner of the two automotive companies said Wednesday.

When Hughes, who has also been involved in garnering financial support to build the Mountain Arts Center, which will showcase the Kentucky Opry, and Estill Lee Carter, another co-owner of the businesses, witnessed the Kentucky Opry's popularity first-hand, they decided to hire them for the concert.

"It was partly to help the Kentucky Opry and partly to help us publicize our dealership," Hughes said. "It was a big success and people won't let us quit. I don't know if we will every quit it."

Admittance to the event is free and tickets may be obtained at Music-Carter-Hughes and Carter-Hughes-Toyota. Prizes of a color TV, a weekend in Pigeon Forge, and a UK Wildcat weekend, will be given away during the concert.

The Kentucky Opry will present a Christmas concert later this year at the high school.



Dynamic duo

Danette James, left, and Rayetta Damron, right, can harmonize or solo on stage during Kentucky Opry performances.



Junior Pros

The Kentucky Opry Junior Pros will start the show for the 5th annual Kentucky Opry concert at Prestonsburg High School Saturday. Billie Jean Osborne (center), founder of the Kentucky Opry, is pictured with members of the group. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Guess what we're having for dinner?

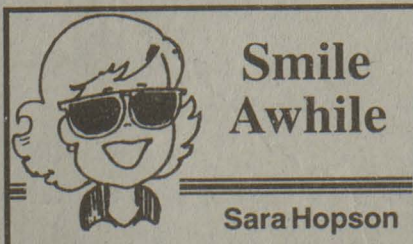
My sister-in-law, Bonnie "Suzy Homemaker" Spencer, has once again reluctantly relented and allowed me to prepare Thanksgiving dinner at our house. She's even promised that she'll bring her entire family (including her grandson) as long as I have the traditional dinner with turkey and all the trimmings.

Agreeing to have Thanksgiving dinner with us is always a big concession for Bonnie. Not because Bonnie is a seasoned cook, who believes she can prepare any meal better than anyone else (which she often does), but because there's always a bit of risk involved when you eat at the Hopson's.

There are two particular Thanksgivings that stick out in my mind as being eventful: One was when the centerpiece caught on fire and left a lingering burnt odor for us to savor along with the pumpkin pie. The other was when I made the distasteful discovery that the turkey I purchased had been recalled by the distributor.

Of course, neither one of these events could be attributed directly to me. However, Bonnie did blame

the spaghetti dinner I prepared for Christmas 11 years ago entirely on me and has never quite forgiven me for it. This is the real reason why Bonnie is never totally at ease when she comes to our house for the traditional dinner fare at any holiday.



house on that fateful Christmas day and smelled the pungent aroma of Ragu spaghetti sauce simmering on the stove.

"Smells garlicky," Bonnie said, hesitantly. "Is that a new dressing recipe?"

"Nope. I didn't fix dressing," I replied.

"Oh, what did you fix. Stove Top?"

"Nah," I laughed. "It's Christmas so I fixed exactly what J. R. likes. After all, Christmas is for children, don't you think?"

"Of course, it's for children," Bonnie smiled. "Can I help carve the turkey or anything?"

"Well, I didn't bake a turkey."

"Slice the ham?"

"Didn't bake a ham, either."

"Duck, pheasant, Cornish hens? Paul can carve just about anything with an electric knife," Bonnie grinned. "What is it? You didn't go and fix prime rib, did you?"

"Oh, nothing that exotic," I laughed, just as Bonnie lifted the lid on the cooker that held the wildly boiling pasta. She quickly slammed the lid back on and turned away from me.

"You can help fix the tea," I announced in a panic-stricken voice as I watched Bonnie's shoulders heave uncontrollably in either tears or laughter. "I do have cranberry juice and homemade chocolate pies."

(At this point, let me explain that Jimmie doesn't like turkey, and at that age, J. R. only liked fried chicken, corn, and spaghetti. Since it was mostly his Christmas, I fixed what he liked.)

After the initial shock, everyone ate the overcooked spaghetti with the spicy garlic bread, and the event was never brought up again until years later when someone mentioned something about the Italian Christmas dinner at Jim and Sara's.

Mama Mia! I hope Bonnie doesn't find out I've found a great lasagna recipe.

BY SELI GROVES

SOAP UPDATES

ALL MY CHILDREN: Brooke moved in with Adam for a week after he challenged her to disprove his claim that he's changed. Joe realized the baby Maria hoped to adopt is Kelsey's. Myrtle and Dimitri shared their concerns about Erica. While Dimitri decided to go after Dr. Kinder, Erica visited Mona's grave and asked for a sign of help. Later, Erica found herself in a compromising position with Dr. Kinder. Julia decided to prosecute Louie for rape. Wait To See: Will Kelsey lose her baby?

ANOTHER WORLD: Vicky told Jake the key to finding Justine could be through Grant. Rachel had a flashback to the night of the shooting after seeing Justine's lock-et on Gabe's desk. Grant was shocked at what he saw when he visited the Canadian convent to see Justine. Donna and Matt married in her hotel room with Rachel and Michael as witnesses. Donna later burst into tears when Michael offered his best wishes. Cecile dragged Maggie into her web of deception. Gabe and Joe investigated the bomb threats against the hospital. Wait To See: Rachel wonders if Carl has gone too far to find Ryan's killer.

AS THE WORLD TURNS: John was shocked to learn he won't be reinstated at the hospital despite Orlena confessing to killing Eduardo. Sam acted on Scott's tip and tricked Kirk into admitting he faked amnesia. Sam later learned Lucinda knew about the fake wedding all the time. At Scott's urging, Rosanna watched as Mike comforted a jealous Carly. Lily recommitted to Damian and vowed to help him find Luke's real heritage in England. Wait To See: Lisa may have reason to fear John's burning anger.

BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL: Sarah began strangling Stephanie, but was stopped by Sheila. After saying she felt uneasy with him because of her diabetes, Jessica was assured by Sly that her condition made her special to him. James told Lauren he intended to see her again. Stephanie surprised Eric with a dinner she prepared in his home. Meanwhile, Sally set out to surprise Eric as well, only to be turned away by Stephanie before she could speak to Eric. With James' advice to seek her own happiness, and not worry about hurting Stephanie, Taylor used her key to enter Eric's home and was stunned to see him in bed with Stephanie. Wait To See: Dylan reacts to Michael's suspicions.

THE CITY: Sydney arrived to find the Corinthians moving into the building she owns in SoHo. Richard's duplicity resulted in Sydney finding Tess in her bedroom where she invited her and her friends to a party in her loft. Tess later met Azure C., an upcoming supermodel. Zooney rushed a bloody Kayla to Angie's clinic. Angie later got a disturbing letter. Danny embarrassed Ally. Wait To See: Tony and Steffi make important plans.

DAYS OF OUR LIVES: While Kristen spoke of their future and starting a family, John tried to identify the voice he heard calling to him. Jude provided Peter with the information he could use to get Jack out of Jennifer's life. Meanwhile, Hope told a confused Jennifer she might be in love with both Jack and Peter. Hope was touched when Bo came to Aremid to warn her that Jude could be close by. A horrified Jennifer saw Jack and Laura in a compromising position (as Peter planned). John had a feeling he'd

go back to your regimen as soon as the big day is over. The weekend is good for relaxation and cleanup.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) You are the consummate host or hostess and really look forward to these special times. Your home is fairly sparkling, the crystal is ready and you're set to entertain. Don't allow another's bad mood to spoil this.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) You're a bit of a grump now since you're not exactly looking forward to having guests over. Try to overcome this and you are guaranteed a good time. Your mate is looking to you for your cooperation. Don't disappoint.

SAGITARIUS (November 22 to December 21) You're unable to get much done early in the week since your mind is on what's coming later on. Co-workers and big-wigs are understanding and every-one pitches in to clear up what must be done. You enjoy a wonderful holiday.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) You are a bundle of energy now and get everything done early in the week. Thus, when you finally sit down to that holiday table, you can relax and enjoy yourself. Family members are in particularly festive moods.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Your gregarious personality is always fulfilled during holiday weeks and this week is no exception. You're gadding about, seeking out the company of family and friends. Rest up over the weekend.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) You are so excited now, you can barely stop your happy tummy from growling early in the week as you anticipate those holiday goodies. Take time to count your blessings. You have a lot to be grateful for.

getting to her. Later, Alan arrived at the diner in time to see Buzz leaning in to kiss Reva. Wait To See: Amanda relies on Roger's help to break up Ross and Blake.

ONE LIFE TO LIVE: Viki urged Todd to follow his heart and marry Blair. After learning that Paloma (the young AIDS patient) was close to death, Marty left Ireland on a private jet after Todd assured her he'll look after Patrick. R.J. reminded Alex, the new mayor of Llanview, that he has potentially damaging information about her. Viki told Dorian she knows about Victor's abuse and asked for the diary. Kelly told David she's finished with him. Wait To See: Todd faces danger.

YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS: Amy resisted when Victor tried to get her to recognize Nick's picture. While Chris and Paul pondered the reason for the prosecution to subpoena Sharon, Matt told Drake he gave them a motive for the shooting by saying Nick learned Sharon had slept with him. Feeling rejected again by Victor (who was preoccupied with Nick's case) Hope assumed he wanted their marriage to end. Keesha rebuffed Nathan's amorous advances, saying he had to choose between her and his wife and child. Nick blew up when Glenn asked Sharon about Matt. Wait To See: Another bombshell could explode in court.

NATASHA'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) You need to sit down with that special someone and come to a meeting of the minds early in the week. Ultimately, you come to an important decision. This weekend highlights good times in the bosom of family.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) You can barely concentrate now as you happily anticipate this week's holiday. However, you must tend to what must be done on the job before swinging into celebration mode. Family members share your enthusiasm.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Double-check everything to be sure you're fully prepared for company. Enlist the aid of someone who can help you organize everything. Temper a child's boisterousness by assigning little tasks. Work interests are favored.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) You don't have to have a houseful if you don't want to. Consider making reservations at a favorite restaurant, but do so early in the week. If you do have guests, make sure everything is in order on the home front.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Forget about that home-improvement project. This isn't the time to begin something of that magnitude. Instead, spiff up your abode for the company which is sure to arrive. Overnight guests are also likely.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Don't worry so much about going off your diet this week. This isn't the time to count calories. However, do be sure you

HOME TIPS

CEASE AND DESIST!—I got sick and tired of getting preapproved credit-card offers in the mail. These offers usually came with a postpaid envelope, so I began returning them as follows:

If the offer was addressed to me, I returned it, along with the page containing my name and address, in the prepaid envelope and asked to have my name deleted from the mailing list. If there wasn't a post-paid envelope, I looked for an 800 number, called it and asked them to remove my name.

If the offers were included with credit-card bills, I simply returned them blank. Since the merchandising company pays the postage (or the phone bill), it costs them money when a blank offer is returned. If enough people start doing this, maybe these companies will get the message that we don't want what we don't ask for.

Also, every time you give out your address, make it perfectly clear that you don't want your name on any mailing lists.

My fiancée ordered a bridal magazine and shortly afterward, we were bombarded with preapproved credit cards for an entire year. Michael W., Hauppauge, N.Y.

UNKIND CUTS—As most of us have had children at one time or another, we know that bubble gum in children's hair can call for an unwanted hair cut. I'm a grandmother of eight and this unwanted situation has happened to each one of them at least once.

I've used all recommended solutions and found that fingernail polish remover works the best. It not only removes the chewing gum, but dries very quickly. Results? No hair cut! Hope you can use this tip. Shirley T., Bellevue, Ohio

TOGETHERNESS—My mom had a great idea for family reunions. She took an address book with her and had everyone write their addresses, phone numbers, birthdays and anniversary dates in it. It's a great way to keep in touch with distant relatives and it's a lot of fun, too! Marilyn B., Plano, Texas

HANDY POUCH—Certain whiskey bottles come in a wonderful drawstring felt pouch. Whenever I run across these, I use them when traveling. I use the larger ones to hold and protect shoes or lingerie, the smaller ones for jewelry, hosiery, belts, cameras, etc. Louise C., Calhan, Colo.

BOX IT—I keep a small cardboard box in my car trunk. When shopping for milk, pops, bleach, etc., I place these items in the box. It keeps them from rolling around in the trunk and leaking. You can also add crumpled newspaper to keep small items in place. Helen B. Bakersfield, Mo.

NICE MEMENTOS—Bring pictures to work of your family (husband, kids, mom, dad), your pets (dogs, cats, fish, whatever) and any special friends you have.

Not only will the photos brighten up your "home away from home," but you can also escape more easily when things get tough. Since I can't be with my family during the day, I can be with them in a daydream every once in a while. Occasional daydreaming is a sure cure for relieving stress. Fran L., Jackson, Miss.

KEEPING TRACK—When everyone was still living at home, I kept what I called my kitchen list on the kitchen bulletin board (for most people now, that's the refrigerator door).

Anyone who brought up the last of anything from the basement was to write it on the list so I'd know to replenish the supply on my next once-a-week shopping trip.

After someone forgot to add it and we ran out, siblings "worked over" the culprit, who didn't forget again. The system worked very well. Josie V., Beaumont, Texas

TUNING IN BY SALLY STONE

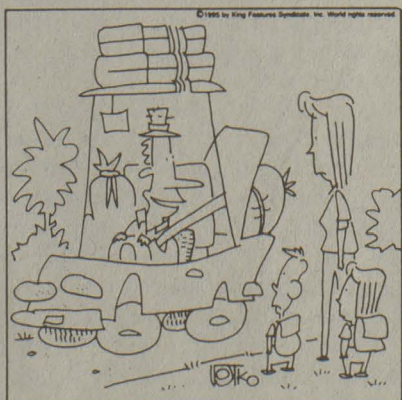
IN FOCUS: FRANCES FISHER, who stars on the FOX Network's "Strange Luck" series, has a long list of credits to her name. On TV, Fisher plays Angie on "Strange Luck," a coffee shop waiter who, along with photographer Audrey Westin (played by Pamela Gidley) is one of the two women in the life of photojournalist Chance Harper (D.B. Sweeney). Asked what attracted her to the role, Frances said, "I saw her as a woman who could be many things. She is, basically, a very decent, giving person. But I had the feeling when I first read the script that there were some hidden areas in her life and I wanted to be there when they begin to emerge."

Is there a "chance" Angie will have a romance with Harper? "Well," Frances laughed, "that's always possible."

A NEW THIRD PARTY? Everyone's talking about a third party in the political arena. It seems we may also have a third party in the merger between CBS and Westinghouse, which is expected to be finalized some time this week. Industry observers who have been skeptical about Westinghouse's ability to run a major network predict they'll go outside for help with the network chores, leaving them to deal only with the stations. Two likely candidates for that third party role are Viacom and MCA.

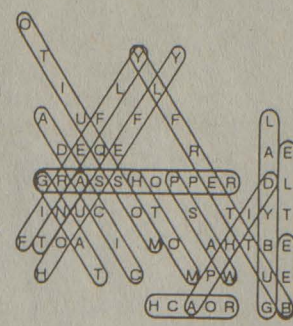
SHORT RUNS: John Forsythe, the former star of "Dynasty," bowed out of the play, "Sacrilege,"

before its New York opening. However, plans for Forsythe to return to TV are said to be ongoing ... Drew Barrymore and Sinead O'Connor are said to be the two front runners to star in projected flicks on Joan of Arc to be made by Turner and Fox ... Debbie Gibson has done a well-received pilot for ABC called "Queens," in which she plays a teacher at a Manhattan boarding school for girls. The show is slated to air in ABC's "TGIF" Friday prime-time period ... Debbi Mazar (ex "Civil Wars" and "L.A. Law") is being wooed by CBS, ABC, and Fox to bring her 20th Century Fox project, "Temporarily Yours," in which she plays an office temp, to their bailiwicks. So far, it looks as if the Eye network will get the Ayes, although Fox might claim first dibs based on its link to 20th.



"As soon as I unload everything at the campsite I'll come back for you and the kids."

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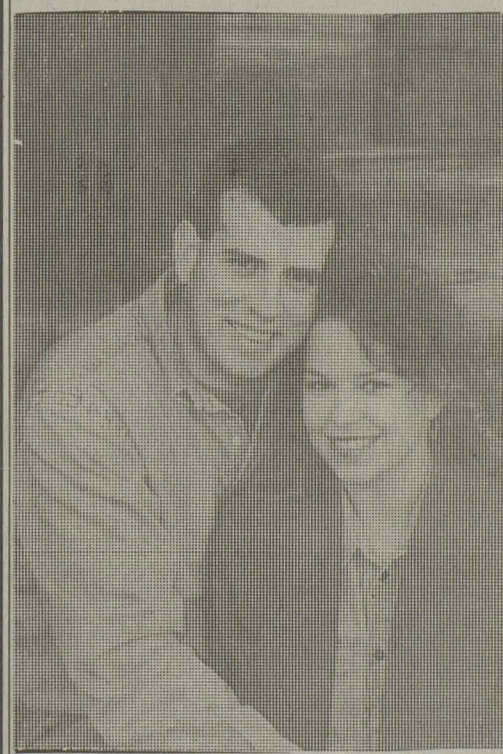
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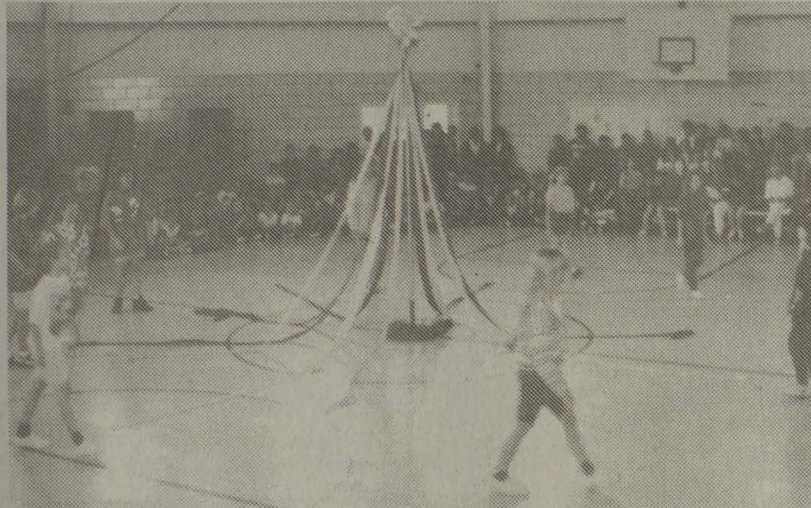
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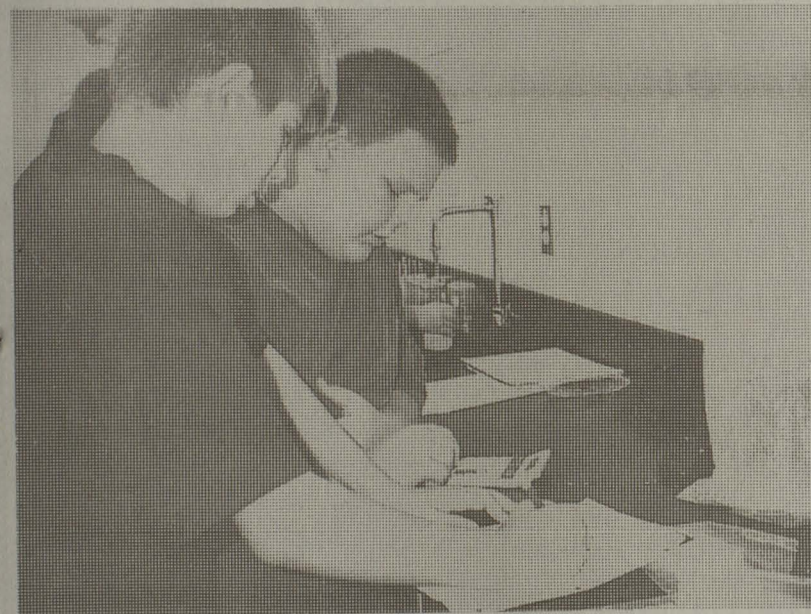
Education Now and Babies Later

Adams Middle School will offer the PSI curriculum, ENABL (Education Now and Babies Later) to all of its 7th grade classes throughout the course of this school year. This program, sponsored by the Floyd County Health Department consists of five sessions taught by trained teen leaders to promote abstinence and how to say "No." All sessions are conducted in a supervised classroom setting with parent approval. In schools where this program has been offered, statistics show that students who did not participate in ENABL were as much as five times more likely to become sexually active during their teen years than those who completed the ENABL curriculum.



May Pole

May Day was celebrated at Clark Elementary School with a May Day celebration. Students shown above were participating in dancing around the May Pole for the entire school body.



Water Works

Martin Clifton and Mark Blankenship, eighth graders at Adams Middle School are busy tabulating their findings in a resent math/science activity, called The Water Works. Students built stream tables to study the effects that the water volume and slope of a stream have on soil erosion.

AMS open house 'Sharing the Adams advantage'

On Tuesday evening, September 26, Adams Middle School held its second annual Showcase Extravaganza. This year's theme was "Sharing the Adams Advantage." Youth Service Center personnel, PTA, students, faculty, and staff combined their efforts to present an overall picture of the middle school to parents and the community. The evening's schedule provided visitors the opportunity to see for themselves just exactly what goes on at AMS.

From 5:00-5:45 p.m., visitors toured the Encore (related arts) classrooms and met the teachers who give daily instruction in art, music, computers, media research, home economics, physical education and vocational technology. The newly completed vocational technology lab proved to be a favorite of parents and students alike. This top of the line facility houses a photography darkroom, a flight simulator, a robotic arm, a wind tunnel for measuring aerodynamics, an audio/visual center and much, much more.

Booths representing the vast array of co-curricular and extra-curricular activities offered at AMS lined the main hallway. Student representatives handed out brochures and sponsors were on hand to answer visitors' questions. Video segments of an STLP news show aired at ten minute intervals in the media center.

A variety of informative sessions were presented by school personnel

during this time on topics such as Encore... What is it?, Writing Portfolio Content and Development, Math Portfolio Content and Development, and a curriculum presentation which provided information concerning assessment criteria and the Progress Report to Parents.

At 5:45 p.m., parents were invited to their child's CORE Team area. Each teacher presented a brief overview of a typical student day as it related to their respective classes, (communication, humanities, and math/science). Information was given on topics such as holistic scoring, performance assessments, Prime Time, progress reports, Service-Learning Projects, and AMS Exit Outcomes.

Parent Packets, full of goodies and information were distributed by the Youth Service Center. Visitors learned of two exciting programs being offered by the YSC staff, "Magic Me," and the "Respect Society." A topic of much interest was the recently installed Homework Hotline, which had received a record number of calls.

To top off the evening, visitors were invited to attend an AMS Rally in the gymnasium where Janice Allen, principal, addressed the gathered throng before they were entertained by the AMS Band and cheerleaders. Refreshments were provided by the PTA in the cafeteria at the close of the festivities.

Jenny Wiley Academic Conference

Individual Written Assessment Results from Meet #4, November 11, 1995

Math

Tara Johnson	Betsy Layne High	5 pts.
Heather McCoy	Betsy Layne High	3 1/2 pts.
Michael Slone	Prestonsburg High	3 1/2 pts.
Jeremy Parsons	Betsy Layne High	2 pts.

Social Studies

Beth Lawson	The Piarist School	5 pts.
C.K. Dingus	Allen Central High	4 pts.
Steven Jacobs	Betsy Layne High	2 1/2 pts.
Marc Justice	The Piarist School	2 1/2 pts.

Language Arts

Neil Moore	South Floyd High	5 pts.
Mashonna Austin	Prestonsburg High	4 pts.
Kristy Stevens	The Piarist School	2 pts.
Beth Lawson	The Piarist School	2 pts.
Misty Stevens	Betsy Layne High	2 pts.

Science

Neil Moore	South Floyd High	5 pts.
Kristin Duff	Prestonsburg High	4 pts.
Autumn Dobson	The Piarist School	2 1/2 pts.
Brent Holbrook	South Floyd High	2 1/2 pts.

General Knowledge

Michael Slone	Prestonsburg High	5 pts.
Beth Lawson	The Piarist School	4 pts.
Justin Dillion	Betsy Layne High	3 pts.
Leigh Ann Preston	Betsy Layne High	2 pts.

Written Assessment Leaders as of November 11, 1995

Math

Michael Slone	Prestonsburg High	18 pts.
Tara Johnson	Betsy Layne High	13 pts.
Neil Moore	South Floyd High	10 1/2 pts.
Jeremy Parsons	Betsy Layne High	8 1/2 pts.

Social Studies

Steven Jacobs	Betsy Layne High	13 1/2 pts.
Justin Dillion	Betsy Layne High	13 pts.
Nathaniel Meade	Allen Central High	9 1/2 pts.
Beth Lawson	The Piarist School	6 pts.

Language Arts

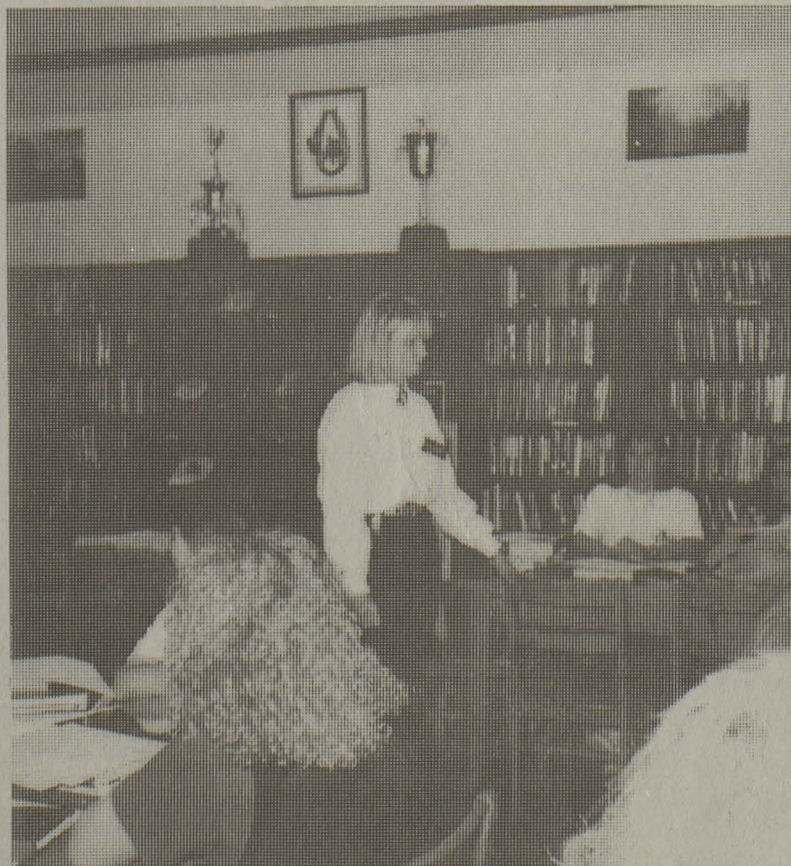
Misty Stevens	Betsy Layne High	14 pts.
Brent Tackett	South Floyd High	11 pts.
Adam Newman	Betsy Layne High	8 1/2 pts.
Sally Lambert	The Piarist School	6 pts.

Science

Neil Moore	South Floyd High	19 1/2 pts.
Jeremy Parsons	Betsy Layne High	12 pts.
Autumn Dobson	The Piarist School	8 1/2 pts.
Jason Collins	Betsy Layne High	6 1/2 pts.

General Knowledge

Michael Slone	Prestonsburg High	20 pts.
Leigh Ann Preston	Betsy Layne High	14 pts.
Justin Dillion	Betsy Layne High	6 pts.
Tara Johnson	Betsy Layne High	6 pts.
Wes Howard	Allen Central High	6 pts.



Resumés

Debbie Allen, with the Department of Employment Services, discussed resumés, interviewing skills, and job applications, with the office systems class at Prestonsburg High School. The students will co-op in various businesses. The class is taught by Judy Combs.

Martin, Allen students reaching new goals

Students and teachers at Martin and Allen Elementary schools will be among the first in the nation to participate in GOALS 2000: Educate America Act.

The Floyd County, Pike County and Pikeville Independent School Districts have joined forces to develop systemic reform initiatives in the areas of mathematics and science. The three school systems will share \$85,700 for the first year to implement the project.

The three participating school districts are expected to provide in-kind financial contributions matching this amount.

Based on KIRIS assessment results, the three districts are collaborating to address identified needs through sharing and professional development activities. The proposed efforts will be guided by a team of personnel from each of the districts with assistance from higher education personnel to provide direct training activities to selected classroom teachers.

A major component of the proposed program will be to initiate action research in the classroom setting to determine best practice instructional strategies in math and science. A collaborative network will be established among elementary classroom teachers at pilot sites in the three districts.

The second year of the project, resource teachers will be hired and trained to work at identified pilot sites to assist classroom teachers with hands-on techniques in manipulative development and student-based activities.

The project goal is to improve student achievement in science and mathematics in the Floyd County, Pike County and Pikeville Independent school systems through "Systemic Reform Initiatives."

Hopefully, Floyd County Schools Math Coordinator Joyce Watson said last week, the outcome of the project will be a measurable increase in student achievement in science and mathematics.

"What we're going to start with

is providing professional development for primary and elementary teachers," Watson said, "and allow them time to study and reflect on curriculum instruction and assessment strategies that impact student achievement in science and mathematics."

"Another part of the process is to initiate a collaborative network among teachers in Floyd, Pike and Pikeville Independent schools for the purpose of sharing expertise and successes," Watson said. "And we will provide resource consultants to assist these educators."

Floyd County educators participating in the project include Allen Elementary teachers Thelma Crider, Judy Halbert, Bernadine Isaac, Reka Wood and Principal Linda Gearheart; and Martin Elementary teachers Ruby Mayo, Kimberly Rice, Becky Reeser, Greta Thornsberry and Principal Carole Combs.

Other project planners in Floyd County include Floyd County Schools Director of Elementary Instruction Connie Tackett, Vocational and Tech Prep Coordinator Libbi Hall and Service Learning Coordinator Eugene Blackburn. Project leader is Rita Osborne, Director of the Kentucky Educational Development Corporation Professional Development Consortium.

The planning team, with assistance from higher education consultants Dr. Joe Allen, from Alice Lloyd College, Dr. Robert Boram from Morehead State University and Dr. Mary Beth Ulrich from Pikeville College, will develop an on-going evaluation component to address curriculum and training needs and revisions on a monthly basis. The intent of this evaluation process will be to ensure that true systemic reform is taking place in the classroom leading to improved student achievement in science and mathematics. Further, higher education consultants will perform summative evaluations at the end of each program year to recommend future directions for program activities.

PES honor roll

4th, Gina Crisp, All A's—Courtney Branham, Jarred McGuire, Brady Wright, and Heather Spriggs.

B honor roll—Terry Cesco, Denise Dixon, Jeremy Jarrell, Zachary McCoy, Ashley Milburn, Sabrina Shortridge, Jeanna White, Marc Williams, Damien Gerardi and Ashley Akers.

4th, Connie Parsons, B honor roll—Brittany Meade, Angel Boyd, Crystal Craft, Chris Spears, Cody Branham, Amanda Adkins, Rebecca Lott and Jason Hughes.

4th, Kay McGuire, All A's—Tyler Burke and Sam Hale. B honor roll—Ariel Calhoun, Stacy Clark, April Collins, Gwen Crace, Tara Goeble, Shane Hatfield, Brandon Hurt, James Knox, Hollie Lafferty, Joshua Lemaster, Larry Marsillett, Misty Martin, Matthew Meade, Michael Morrison, John Music and Kevin Ross.

4th, Deborah Walker, All A's—Katherine Adams, Kory Caudill, Jonathan Collins, Danielle Harris, and Daniel Neeley. B honor roll—Savannah Collins, Lindsay Cooley, Kate Lowe, James Mullins, Ashley Powers, Tiffany Spurlock and Kelly Stephens.

5th, Joy Wells Adams, All A's—Balin Loftus, Melissa Slone and April Jennings.

B honor roll—Leslie Heinze, Nicholas Francis, Tess Collins, Wamine Allen, Kevin Powers and Gary Whitt.

5th, Debra Holland, All A's—Sarah Hill, Jenna Humphrey, and Josh Ochala.

B honor roll—Brittany Branham, John Hunt, Brandon Neeley, Tiffany Pack, Stephanie Webb, Johnna Wilson and Melissa Yates.

5th, Jennifer Skeens, All A's—Heath Chaffin and Nick Chaffin. B honor roll, Lowell Brock, Courtney Conn, Adam Dixon, Ashley Fish, Greg May, Miranda Morris, David Music, Whitney Parsons, Chris Potter, Angella Risner, Rachel Salisbury, Brian Slone, Karen Spradlin, Tiffany Webb and Joey Willis.

5th, Scott Tackett, All A's—Amanda Goble. B honor roll—Jessica Bryant, Justin Cottrell, Crystal Hall, Joshua Hayton, Wesley Jenkins, Danny Layne, Brandon Maynard, William Miller, Joshua Pennington, Rudy Pennington, Cathy Robinson and Don Shepherd.



Community attendance

More than 350 people attended festivities which celebrated the school-community partnership that McDowell Elementary School has with the community. The food was donated by various businesses and McDowell ARH donated hot dogs. The McDowell Family Resource Center also distributed gifts and prizes to all who attended. The evening also featured a dunking booth with Principal K. Osborne.

"Come Worship With Us"

AUXIER

Auxier Freewill Baptist Church, Auxier; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Youth Meeting, 6:00 p.m.; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Thursday Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Bobby Joe Spencer; Assistant, Southie Fannin, Jr.

Horn Chapel Methodist, Auxier Rd.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Pastor, Paul Aiken.

ABBOTT

The Father House, Big Branch, Abbott Creek; Sunday School, 10:00; Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, J.J. Wright.

ALLEN

Allen First Baptist Church, Allen; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship at 6 p.m.; Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. French Harmon

Christ United Methodist, Allen, Ky.; Sunday School, 9:45; Worship, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Sunday Night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Kenneth Lemaster.

BEAVER

Elliott's Chapel Free Methodist Fellowship, Beaver, Rt. 979; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Pastors, Rod and Dianne Hufford.

BETSY LAYNE

Calvary Southern Baptist Church, Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7 p.m.; Youth Meeting, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:00 n.m.

Betsy Layne United Methodist Church, next to B.L. Gymnasium; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Garfield Potter.

Betsy Layne Church of God, Old U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night family training hour, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Judith Caudill.

Betsy Layne Free Will Baptist Church; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wed. Night Prayer & Youth Services, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Tracy Patton.

BLUE RIVER

Middle Creek Baptist Church, Blue River; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Service, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Vernon Slone.

BONANZA

Bonanza Freewill Baptist, Abbott Creek Road; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Herb Arms.

CORN FORK

Brandy Keg Freewill Baptist, Corn Fork; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday worship, 11:15 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Youth, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Darrel Howell.

COW CREEK

Cow Creek Freewill Baptist, Cow Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.-11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m., 7:30 p.m.; 3rd Sunday Worship Service, 11:00 a.m. to 12 noon; Prayer Meeting and Youth Group, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.; Pastor, Nathon Lafferty.

Benedict Baptist Church, Slick Rock Branch of Cow Creek, (half mile up Cow Creek on left); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Youth Service, 6 p.m. each Wednesday and Evening Service, 7 p.m. each Wednesday.

DANA

Sammy Clark Branch Freewill Baptist Church, Dana; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Church, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Youth Meeting Sunday, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Mike Hammond.

DAVID

Goodloe Pentecostal Church, Rt. 850, David, Ky.; Sunday Night, 7 p.m.; Fourth Saturday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Wannie Allen.

DRIFT

Drift Pentecostal Church, Drift; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Worship Service, Saturday and Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Ted Shannon.

Drift Freewill Baptist Church, Drift; Prayer Service, 6:30 p.m., Thursday; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Church Service, 6:30 p.m.; Pastor, Randy Turner.

Drift Presbyterian Church, Route 1101, Drift; Sunday Services, 11:00 a.m.; Part-time minister, Mary Alice Murray.

DENVER

Liberty Baptist Church, Denver; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Merle Little.

DWALE

Dwale House of Prayer, Dwale, Ky.; service Saturday night, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday night, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Woodrow Crum.

EAST POINT

Free Pentecostal Church of God, East Point, Rt. 1428; Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Service, 11:00; Sunday Night, 6:30; Thursday Night, 6:30; Pastor, Buster Hayton.

EMMA

Emma United Methodist, Emma, Ky.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00; Sunday Night, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.; Jack Howard, Pastor.

ESTILL

Martin Branch Freewill Baptist, Estill; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Services, 11:15 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Wayne Stevens.

GARRETT

Rock Fork Regular Baptist Church, Garrett; 4th Sunday of each month at 9:30 a.m.; Moderator, Elder Earl Slone; Assistant Moderator, Elder Jerry Manns.

III HAT

The Church of God of Prophecy at Ili Hat, invites you to worship with us each week. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday night is family night! Everyone welcome! Pastor, Don Fraley, Jr.

United Christian Church, Meade Bottom, Hi Hat, Ky; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Saturday, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday, 10:00 a.m., 7:00 p.m. Brother, Bill Slone, Pastor.

IVEL

Tom's Creek Freewill Baptist, U.S. 23, first exit (north of Layne Brothers); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Chuck Ferguson.

Rock Fork Freewill Baptist Church, Garrett, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Elder Brodey Amburgey.

First Baptist Church, Garrett; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Bible Study, 7:00 p.m., Wednesday; Pastor, Randy Osborne.

Garrett Church of God, Garrett; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Donald Bragg.

Garrett Community Church, Garrett; Regular Meeting, 2nd Saturday at 7:00 p.m.; Sunday Morning, 10:30 a.m.; Services Wednesday and Sunday at 7:00 p.m. Come and bring a friend. Pastor, Donnie Hackworth.

GOBLE ROBERTS ADDITION

Landmark Church of God, Goble Roberts Addition; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:10 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Kenneth E. Prater, Jr.

Community Freewill Baptist, Goble Roberts; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; 4th Saturday Night, Regular Service & Business, 6:00 p.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Jerry Rice.

Martin Methodist Church; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11:00; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 7:00; Pastor, Roy Harlow.

MAYTOWN

Maytown First Baptist Church, Main Street; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study at 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Rob Varney.

McDOWELL

McDowell First Baptist Church, McDowell; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p.m.; individual counseling and family counseling by appointment. Pastor, Harry Hargis.

MIDDLE CREEK

Spurlock Bible Church, Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Dan Heintzelman.

PRATER CREEK

Prater Creek Baptist Church, Prater Creek; Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Morning, 11:00; Sunday Evening, 7:00; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00; Pastor, Gary Fish.

Listen...



Give thanks unto the Lord for He is good; for his steadfast love endures forever.

GRETHEL

Grethel Baptist Church, State Route 3379, (Branham's Creek Road), telephone 587-2043; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Youth Meeting, 5:30 p.m.; Evening Services, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, David L. Givens.

LANCER

Lancer Baptist Church, Lancer, welcomes you to the services. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Tom Biddle.

Pleasant Home Baptist Church, Lancer-Watergap Road; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday night, 6 p.m.; Sunday Youth Meeting, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday programs available for children; Pastor, Mark Tackett.

LANGLEY

Maytown United Methodist Church, Langley; Morning Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Youth Sunday, 5:00 p.m.; Sunday Night, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Night, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Bob Green.

MARTIN

Stephens Branch Missionary Baptist Church, Stephens Branch; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Mid-Week Bible Study, Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.

Martin House of Worship, in Martin on Old Post Office St. Tuesday and Saturday at 7 p.m.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Rt. 80, Martin; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Relief Society/Priesthood, 9:30 a.m.; Sacrament Service, 11:20 a.m.

First Assembly of God, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Missionettes & Royal Rangers, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Lorie Vannucci.

Trinity Chapel, Pentecostal Holiness Church, Main Street, Martin. Schedule of services: Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:15 a.m.; Thursday Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Worship Service, 2nd Sat., 7:00; Youth Activity Night, 1st and 3rd Saturday, 7:00 p.m.; G.E.M.S. and Royal Rangers, Thurs., 7:00 p.m.; Men's Fellowship and Ladies' Ministries, 4th Saturday, 7:00; Rev. Ellis J., Pastor

Faith Bible Church, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 6 p.m.; Independent Fundamental Baptist; Pastor, Don Crisp.

Martin Freewill Baptist Church, Martin, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Bible Study, Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Youth League, Tuesday, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Elder Bobby Baldrige.

First Baptist Church, Martin, Ky.; Bible Study, 10:00; Worship, 11:00; Evening Worship, 6:00; Mid Week, 7:00; Pastor, Russ Taylor.

Jesus Christ Church of God, Arkansas Creek, Martin; Friday, 7 p.m.; Sunday Morning, 11 a.m.; Deacon, Harry Conn.

Martin Church of Christ, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Youth Group, 7 p.m.; Evangelist, Gary Mitchell.

PRESTONSBURG
Seventh-Day Adventist, 5 miles West on Mountain Parkway; Sabbath School, 9:15; Church Service, 10:30; Pastor, Mike Foraker, 886-3459.

Faith Christian Assembly of God, 431 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Gerald Marshall.

St. Martha Church, Water Gap; Masses, Saturday, 7 p.m.; Sunday, 11 a.m.; Religious Education Classes, Sunday, 9:45-10:45 a.m.; Adult Class, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; Rev. David Powers.

Community United Methodist Church, 710 Burke Ave., Prestonsburg; Morning Fellowship Service, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Raymond E. Snider Jr.

Morning Star Ministries Full Gospel Church, Rt. 1428 (Old Rt. 23), between Allen and Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Thursday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Hamilton.

The Third Avenue Freewill Baptist Church, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11:00; Evening Worship, 6:00; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00; Pastor, David L. Blackburn.

Faith Freewill Baptist Church, Rt. 1428, beside the old Slimway Building; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Worship Service, 11:00; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00; Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 7:00; Pastor, Clinton (Buddy) Jones.

First Baptist Church, (Irene Cole Memorial), 54 S. Front St., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; S.M.A.S.H. 6:45 (on Wednesday); Wednesday night, 7 pm.; Bible Study & Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Rev. Rick McMillam, Min. of Youth and Ed.; Dr. S. Thomas Valentine, Pastor.

Highland Avenue Freewill Baptist Church; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, David Garrett.

Praise Assembly, 1 mile North of Prestonsburg, Old U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Praise & Worship, 11 a.m.; Prayer & Bible Study, 6:30 p.m.; Sunday evening services, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study, 6:30 p.m.; Pastor, Jeff Cains.

Katy Friend Freewill Baptist Church, located two miles up Abbott; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wed. Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Van West.

First Presbyterian, North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Pastor, Rev. George C. Love.

First United Methodist Church, 60 S. Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11:00; Evening Worship, 7:00; Wed. Prayer Meeting, 7:00; Sun., WPRT AM, 11:00; Radio Broadcast WKZ 105.5 FM; Pastor, Reverend David Fultz.

MOUNTAIN PARKWAY

Free Pentecostal Deliverance Church, Ext. 46 off Mt. Parkway at Campton, Saturday and Sunday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Patricia Crider.

Victory Christian Ministries Church, 1428 E., Prestonsburg; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 11:30 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Sherm Williams.

Parkway Baptist, Mt. Parkway; Sun. School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor Ed Taylor.

Church of Christ, South Lake Drive; Sunday, 10 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 7:00 p.m.; Evangelist, Benny Blankenship.

St. James Episcopal, University Drive, (beside Prestonsburg Community College), Prestonsburg, Ky.; Holy Eucharist celebrated each Sunday at 11:00 a.m.; beginning in September. Church School and Enquires Classes; for more information contact the Rev. Johnnie E. Ross.

Prestonsburg Community College Baptist Student Union; meets every Wednesday, 11:30-12:30 in J102. Lunch, discussion, travel available to all students, faculty and staff. French B. Harmon, Director; Ella C. Goble, presiden. For more information, call: 874-9468 or 478-2978.

First Church of God, Prestonsburg; Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Kids Bible Club, 7 p.m.; Pastor Allan Hutchinson.

Priesthood/Relief Society, 9:30 a.m. Sunday; Sunday School, 10:20; Sacrament, 11:30 a.m.; Wednesday evening, Mutual Activities, 7 p.m.; Seminary, 6 p.m.

Town Branch Community Baptist, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 6 p.m. Pastor, Jackie Powers.

PAINTSVILLE

Our Savior Lutheran Church, Sipp Bayes Room Carriage House Motel, Paintsville; Sunday School, 11:00 a.m.; WKLW (600 a.m.) "Chapel Window", 12:05 p.m. every Sunday; Pastor Rev. Rolland Bentrup.

PRINTER

Salisbury United Methodist Church, Printer; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00; Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Services, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Bobby G. Lawson.

SALYERSVILLE

St. Luke Catholic Mission Center, 1221 Parkway Drive, Salyersville, Kentucky 41465; Saturday, 4 p.m.; Sunday, 9 a.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.; Rev. David Powers; Pastoral Associate, Sr. Mary Catherine.

WATER GAP

Trimble Chapel Free Will Baptist, Intersection of U.S. 23 and Ky. 80, Water Gap, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 7:00; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor Joe Coleman.

WEEKSBURY

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HOUSE FOR RENT: Large three bedroom, one bath, utility room. Central heat/air, big yard, privacy. Dwaile. Deposit required. Utilities extra. Call 874-9897. (11-27-95)

FOR RENT: Three bedroom brick. Two miles on Corn Fork. Large yard. \$500/month plus utilities. \$200 deposit. Call 874-0262 after 5 p.m. (11-20-95)

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FOR RENT: 14x70 trailer. Two bedroom. Located in New Allen on private lot. Deposit and references required. Call 874-2289. (11-22-95)

Employment Available

WANTED: Part time licensed dental hygienist for growing dental practice. Must be gentle, kind, and work well with children. Send resume to: Dental Office, P.O. Box 1150, Hindman, KY 41822. (11-20-95)

HELP WANTED: Nationwide Companies need men/women to assemble products at home. Earn \$252 to \$620 weekly. Experience unnecessary. Start immediately. Call 1-520-764-2324, ext. 1624. (11-20-95)

AVON POSITIONS NOW OPEN. Sales. \$8-\$14/hr. Full/part time. No door-to-door. Benefits. 1-800-378-3020. Ind Sls/Rep. (11-20-95)

POSTAL JOBS \$12.68/hr. to start plus benefits. Carriers, sorters, computer trainees. For application and exam information call 1-219-791-1191, ext. P-95, 9 a.m.-9 p.m., 7 days.

AUTOMOBILE TITLE CLERK NEEDED: Send resume to: P.O. Box 1689, Paintsville, KY 41240. (TFN)

NEW UNDERGROUND MINING OPERATIONS in the Eastern Kentucky area seeking to employ qualified applicants in the positions of Mine Manager, Mine Supts. and Maintenance Supts. Must have a minimum of five years experience, college degree preferred. Please submit resume complete with business references and financial history to MINING/FCT, P.O. Box 391, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. (11-22-95)

AVON: BUY OR SELL. Call Jancy at 886-2082. (TFN)

WANTED: Truck driver. Must be 24 years or older with good MVR and work record. Two years or more experience, CDL with Haz-Mat and tanker endorsement required. Must pass physical and drug test. Call 606-886-0355 or 606-886-6620 from 5-10 p.m. only. (11-20-95)

CASE MANAGER (RN) Company seeking nurse in Eastern Kentucky to provide part time case management services for Worker's Compensation Carriers. Travel involved. Reply To Case Manager/FCT P.O. Box 391 Prestonsburg, KY 41653

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COAL TRUCK DRIVERS NEEDED Must have Class A CDL plus experience. Call Don at 606-889-0092.

FOSTER PARENTS NEEDED: Professional support, training and reimbursement provided. For more information call 606-478-3200. (11-20-95)

WILDLIFE/CONSERVATION JOBS. Game wardens, security, maintenance, etc. No experience necessary. Now hiring. For information call 219-794-0010, ext. 7619, 8 a.m.-10 p.m. 7 days. (11/20/95)

POSTAL JOBS Start \$12.08/hr. For exam application info. call 219-769-8301, ext. KY-556, 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Sun-Fri. (11-17-95)

TEXAS REFINERY CORP. needs responsible person now in PRESTONSBURG area. Regardless of training, write W.B. Hopkins,

Dept. W-41653, Box 711, Ft. Worth, TX 76101. (11-24-95)

JOB ADVERTISEMENT Big Sandy Area Community Action Program, Inc. is now accepting applications for the position of Family Preservation Program Supervisor/Director. Applicants should have a Master's Degree, or no less than a Bachelor's Degree, in social work, family counseling or clinical psychology and should have good knowledge of crisis intervention, communication and parenting skills, cognitive and behavior interventions. Salary is negotiable. Excellent fringe benefits. This person will work out of the central office in Paintsville, KY, but will work with clients in Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Pike counties. Client related mileage will be reimbursed. Applications should be submitted through the Department for Employment Services. We are an Equal Opportunity Employer. (TFN)

BIRDS. Multi-color. Sings, whistles, very cheerful. Easy to care for and keep. Call Jim or Peggy at 1-606-886-8644. (11-22-95)

AKC REGISTERED COLLIE PUPS. One male. Four females. First shots and wormed. \$150 each. Call 886-6945. (11-22-95)

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ALL KINDS OF TYPING: Resumes, term papers, etc. 15 years experience. Call 886-2974 after 6 p.m., ask for Millie. (TFN)

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EAST KENTUCKY TRANSPORTATION, INC. Taxi Service. Friendly and courteous service, reasonable rates. Medicaid accepted. Wheelwright: 452-2402 Wayland: 358-9995.

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DRIVER EDUCATION Save money on car insurance. Check with your agent. Take Driver Education at PCC, Monday through Saturday. Male and female instructors. Cost \$250. Six hours on the road and six hours classroom instruction. Call 886-3863 to register. (TFN)

REGARDLESS OF TRAINING, write W.B. Hopkins,

FREE THINGS TO SEND FOR

(NAPS)—For the name and address of the nearest available tire and auto service dealership offering Money Express credit card services, call 1-800-333-1071.

• For information on modern clothes washing machines, call the GE Answer Center at 800-626-2000.



• For a free video tape, Hearing Loss & You, call Miracle Ear at 1-800-796-8622.

PUBLIC NOTICE

KY Dept. for Environmental Protection
Division of Waste Management
Underground Storage Branch
14 Reilly Rd.
Frankfort, KY 40601
NOTIFICATION OF PROPOSED CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN

Price's Midnight Market, identification number 9277-036 located on Kentucky Route 114, Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky has proposed a plan to clean up petroleum contamination from the soil and groundwater.

An underground storage tank system caused a release of gasoline. A site investigation has been completed to determine the horizontal and vertical extent of contamination to the environment.

Proposed corrective measures include dual phase extraction and groundwater interception/treatment. The proposed activities are designed to remediate the soil and groundwater at this site to allowable levels as specified in 401 KAR 42:080E.

The Kentucky Department for Environmental Protection proposes to approve the Corrective Action Plan. The tentative decision is based on a thorough review of site conditions, Kentucky statutes and regulations. Copies of the Corrective Action Plan are available from the Division of Waste Management at the above address. Persons wishing to submit written comments on the Corrective Action Plan should direct them to the Division of Waste Management within thirty (30) days after publication of this notice.

Upon request, the Cabinet will provide a copy of the Corrective Action Plan in an alternate format. F-11/17

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Progress Land Corporation, One Progress Plaza, St. Petersburg, Florida 33701 has applied for Phase II bond release on Permit Number 836-5302 which was last issued on February 14, 1994. The application covers an area of approximately 105.41 acres located 1.03 miles southwest of Weeksbury, Floyd County, Kentucky.

The permit area is approximately 1.03 miles southwest of the junction of Ky. 466 and Caleb's Fork Road and 0.45 miles southeast of Left Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 18 minutes, 25 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 42 minutes, 05 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Permit Number 836-5302 is a surety of \$12,500.00. Approximately 25 percent of the original bond amount of \$16,300.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding

and mulching completed in the Spring of 1994. All disturbed areas have been seeded as to provide adequate growth for plant species and provide appropriate conditions for the surrounding wildlife. Results thus far indicate growth of vegetation is according to re-vegetation plan.

"This is the final advertisement of this application." Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by January 2, 1996.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 3, 1996 at 10:00 a.m. at the Prestonsburg Regional Office of the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 2, 1996.

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NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Progress Land Corporation, One Progress Plaza, St. Petersburg, Florida 33701 has applied for Phase II bond release on Permit Number 836-5310 which was last issued on February 22, 1994. The application covers an area of approximately 135.18 acres located 4.00 miles south of Weeksbury, Floyd County, Kentucky.

The permit area is approximately 6.00 miles southeast of the junction of Ky. 466 and Hwy. 122 and located 1.00 miles south of Left Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 17 minutes, 26 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 42 minutes, 25 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Permit Number 836-5310 is a surety of \$5,200.00. Approximately 25 percent of the original bond amount of \$10,500.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the Spring of 1994. All disturbed areas have been seeded as to provide adequate growth for plant species and provide appropriate conditions for the surrounding wildlife. Results thus far indicate growth of vegetation is according to re-vegetation plan.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by January 2, 1996.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 3, 1996 at 2:00 p.m. at the Prestonsburg Regional Office of the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 2, 1996.

F-11/10, 11/17, 11/24, 12/1

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Progress Land Corporation, One Progress Plaza, St. Petersburg, Florida 33701 has applied for Phase II bond release on Permit Number 836-5305 which was last issued on February 14, 1994. The application covers an area of approximately 145.0 acres located 1.00 miles southeast of Weeksbury,

Floyd County, Kentucky. The permit area is approximately 1.00 miles southeast of the junction of Ky. 466 and Caleb's Fork Road and 800 feet east of Caleb's Fork of Left Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 19 minutes, 08 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 40 minutes, 47 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Permit Number 836-5305 is a surety of \$18,700.00. Approximately 25 percent of the original bond amount of \$38,300.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the Spring of 1994. All disturbed areas have been seeded as to provide adequate growth for plant species and provide appropriate conditions for the surrounding wildlife. Results thus far indicate growth of vegetation is according to re-vegetation plan.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by January 2, 1996.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 3, 1996 at 1:00 p.m. at the Prestonsburg Regional Office of the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 2, 1996.

F-11/10, 11/17, 11/24, 12/1

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Progress Land Corporation, One Progress Plaza, St. Petersburg, Florida 33701 has applied for Phase II bond release on Permit Number 836-5304 which was last issued on February 14, 1994. The application covers an area of approximately 66.40 acres located 0.75 miles southeast of Weeksbury, Floyd County, Kentucky.

The permit area is approximately 0.75 miles southeast of the junction of Ky. 466 and Caleb's Fork Road and 800 feet of Caleb's Fork of Left Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 19 minutes, 06 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 40 minutes, 45 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Permit Number 836-5304 is a surety of \$24,600.00. Approximately 25 percent of the original bond amount of \$28,000.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the Spring of 1994. All disturbed areas have been seeded as to provide adequate growth for plant species and provide appropriate conditions for the surrounding wildlife. Results thus far indicate growth of vegetation is according to re-vegetation plan.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by January 2, 1996.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 3, 1996 at 11:00 a.m. at the Prestonsburg Regional Office of the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. The hearing

will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 2, 1996.

F-11/10, 11/17, 11/24, 12/1

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Progress Land Corporation, One Progress Plaza, St. Petersburg, Florida 33701 has applied for Phase II bond release on Permit Number 836-5319 which was last issued on June 8, 1994. The application covers an area of approximately 168.06 acres located 0.5 mile south of Weeksbury, Floyd County, Kentucky.

The permit area is approximately 2.5 miles south of the junction of Ky. 466 and Hwy. 122 on Left Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 19 minutes, 34 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 41 minutes, 41 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Permit Number 836-5319 is a surety of \$4,800.00. Approximately 25 percent of the original bond amount of \$10,000.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the Spring of 1994. All disturbed areas have been seeded as to provide adequate growth for plant species and provide appropriate conditions for the surrounding wildlife. Results thus far indicate growth of vegetation is according to re-vegetation plan.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by January 2, 1996.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 8, 1996 at 10:00 a.m. at the Prestonsburg Regional Office of the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 2, 1996.

F-11/10, 11/17, 11/24, 12/1

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Progress Land Corporation, One Progress Plaza, St. Petersburg, Florida 33701 has applied for Phase II bond release on Permit Number 836-5318 which was last issued on June 8, 1994. The application covers an area of approximately 107.87 acres located 1/4 from Weeksbury, Floyd County, Kentucky.

The permit area is approximately 1/4 mile from Weeksbury, Floyd County, Kentucky on the watershed of Left Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 18 minutes, 25 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 41 minutes, 49 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Permit Number 836-5318 is a surety of \$17,600.00. Approximately 25 percent of the original bond amount of \$36,600.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the Spring of 1994. All disturbed areas have been seeded as to provide adequate growth for plant species and provide appropriate conditions for the surrounding wildlife. Results thus far indicate growth of vegetation is according to re-vegetation plan.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director,

Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by January 2, 1996.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 8, 1996 at 9:00 a.m. at the Prestonsburg Regional Office of the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 2, 1996.

F-11/10, 11/17, 11/24, 12/1

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Progress Land Corporation, One Progress Plaza, St. Petersburg, Florida 33701 has applied for Phase II bond release on Permit Number 836-5313 which was last issued on February 14, 1994. The application covers an area of approximately 352.66 acres located 0.8 miles southeast of the intersection of KY 466 and Abe's Fork Road on Left Fork of Beaver Creek near Weeksbury, Floyd County, Kentucky.

The permit area is approximately 0.8 miles south of the junction of KY 466 and Abe's Fork Road near Weeksbury, Floyd County, Kentucky on Left Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 17 minutes, 23 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 42 minutes, 37 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Permit Number 836-5313 is a surety of \$5,100.00. Approximately 25 percent of the original bond amount of \$10,000.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the Spring of 1994. All disturbed areas have been seeded as to provide adequate growth for plant species and provide appropriate conditions for the surrounding wildlife. Results thus far indicate growth of vegetation is according to re-vegetation plan.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by January 2, 1996.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 3, 1996 at 3:00 p.m. at the Prestonsburg Regional Office of the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 2, 1996.

F-11/10, 11/17, 11/24, 12/1

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Progress Land Corporation, One Progress Plaza, St. Petersburg, Florida 33701 has applied for Phase II bond release on Permit Number 836-5324 which was last issued on October 28, 1994. The application covers an area of approximately 228.84 acres located 1/2 mile north of Weeksbury, Floyd County, Kentucky.

The permit area is approximately 2.0 miles south of the junction of KY 466 and Hwy. 122 and 0.5 mile east of Left Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 20 minutes, 04 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 40 minutes, 55 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Permit Number 836-5324 is a surety of \$6,000.00. Approximately 25 percent of the original bond amount of \$10,000.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfill-

ing, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the Spring of 1994. All disturbed areas have been seeded as to provide adequate growth for plant species and provide appropriate conditions for the surrounding wildlife. Results thus far indicate growth of vegetation is according to re-vegetation plan.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by January 2, 1996.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 8, 1996 at 2:00 p.m. at the Prestonsburg Regional Office of the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 2, 1996.

F-11/10, 11/17, 11/24, 12/1

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Progress Land Corporation, One Progress Plaza, St. Petersburg, Florida 33701 has applied for Phase II bond release on Permit Number 836-5321 which was last issued on November 16, 1994. The application covers an area of approximately 212.84 acres located 2.75 miles southwest of Weeksbury, Floyd County, Kentucky. The permit area is located in Floyd and Pike counties, Kentucky.

The permit area is approximately 0.8 miles southeast of the junction of KY 466 and Abe's Fork on Left Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 18 minutes, 54 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 42 minutes, 00 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Permit Number 836-5321 is a surety of \$7,600.00. Approximately 25 percent of the original bond amount of \$10,000.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the Spring and Fall of 1990. All disturbed areas have been seeded as to provide adequate growth for plant species and provide appropriate conditions for the surrounding wildlife. Results thus far indicate growth of vegetation is according to re-vegetation plan.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by January 2, 1996.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 8, 1996 at 1:00 p.m. at the Prestonsburg Regional Office of the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 2, 1996.

F-11/10, 11/17, 11/24, 12/1

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Progress Land Corporation, One Progress Plaza, St. Petersburg, Florida 33701 has applied for Phase II bond release on Permit Number 836-5320 which was last issued on June 22, 1994. The application covers an area of approximately 293.56 acres located 0.5 mile south of Weeksbury, Floyd County, Kentucky.

The permit area is located approximately 2.5 miles south of the junction of KY 466 and Hwy. 122 and 0.5 miles east of Left Fork of

Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 19 minutes, 30 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 41 minutes, 39 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Permit Number 836-5320 is a surety of \$4,200.00. Approximately 25 percent of the original bond amount of \$10,000.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in April of 1986. All disturbed areas have been seeded as to provide adequate growth for plant species and provide appropriate conditions for the surrounding wildlife. Results thus far indicate growth of vegetation is according to re-vegetation plan.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by January 2, 1996.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 8, 1996 at 11:00 a.m. at the Prestonsburg Regional Office of the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 2, 1996.

F-11/10, 11/17, 11/24, 12/1

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-5325, Revision #4

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Branham & Baker Coal Company, Inc., 148 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has applied for a major revision to an existing underground coal mining and reclamation operation located 0.57 miles west of Wayland in Floyd County. The major revision will add 140.86 acres of underground mining. The total permit acreage becomes 598.60 acres.

The proposed major revision area is approximately 0.61 miles west from Kentucky 1086 junction with Kentucky Route 7. The latitude is 37° 26' 46" and the longitude is 82° 49' 03". The nearest stream is the Right Fork of Beaver Creek.

The proposed major revision is located on the Wayland U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The underground area to be mined is overlaid by surface owned by Consolidation Coal Company of Kentucky, Willis Martin, National Mines Corporation, Palmer Craft, Ray Lute, Elisha Thornsburg, Homer Gibson, Violet Moore, and Earnest Keen.

The major revision Application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Amber Coal Co., Inc., 29501 Mayo Trail, Catlettsburg, Kentucky 41129, has applied for a Phase III Bond Release, on Increments numbers one and two, of Permit Number 836-5109, which was last issued on

06/10/93. The application covers a surface area of 2.81 acres, located 1.0 mile north of Risner, in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.25 mile east of Kentucky Route 1210's junction with Johnson Fork County Road, and located along Johnson Fork. The latitude is 37-36-13. The longitude is 82-50-24.

The bond now in effect for Permit Number 836-5109, Increments Numbers one and two, are surety bonds for \$3,840.00. 100% of the original bond amount of \$3,840.00, is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: Final grading, seeding, and mulching, plus for Increment one: Residential Land Use, a mobile home was set up on the site in April, 1992; Increment two; Forest Land Use, trees were planted in April, 1990.

This is the final advertisement of the application. Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference, must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by 12/17/95.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for 12/20/95, at 9:00 a.m., at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1410. The hearing will be canceled, if no request for a hearing or informal conference, is received by 12/17/95.

F-11/17

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application #898-5837, Renewal

In accordance with the provision of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Kentucky May Coal Company, Inc., P.O. Box 784, Hazard, Kentucky 41702 has filed an application for a renewal of an underground coal mining and reclamation operation. The existing operation will affect a surface disturbance of 4.2 acres and will underlie an additional 747.2 acres for a total proposed permit acreage 751.4 located 1.4 miles west of Wales in Pike and Floyd counties.

The proposed operation is approximately 1.2 miles south from Indian Creek Road's junction with Ky. Route 122 and located on Osborne Fork of Indian Creek. The latitude is 37° 19' 57". The longitude is 82° 39' 24".

The operation is located on the Wheelwright U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Joe Johnson Heirs. The operation will underlie land owned by the Joe Johnson Heirs, Arnold Hall, Joe and Fannie Johnson, Joe and Liza Johnson, Levi Tackett, Clinton Little, Jack Mullins, John M. Hall, Leonard Hall, Gladys Collins, Hassel and Leo Hampton, Othella Johnson, Robin Humphrey, Michael Humphrey, L.A. Johnson, Paul Little and Clifford Tackett.

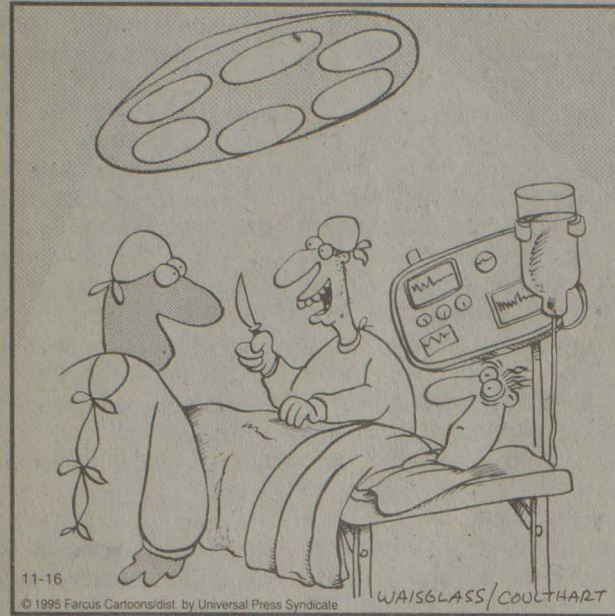
The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional Office, 109 Mays Branch Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

This is the final advertisement of this application; all comments, objections or requests for a hearing or conference must be received within 30 days of today's date.

The Friday Comics

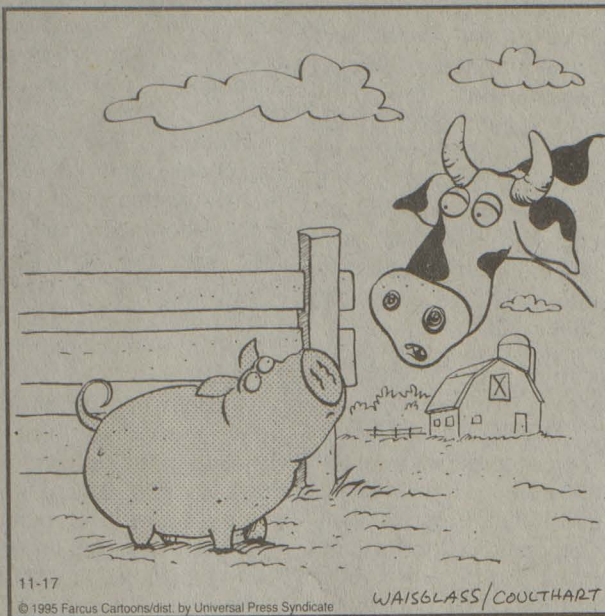
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"I saw the ad on TV and they sent me everything I needed to learn."

"I'm going on vacation ... will you cover for me?"

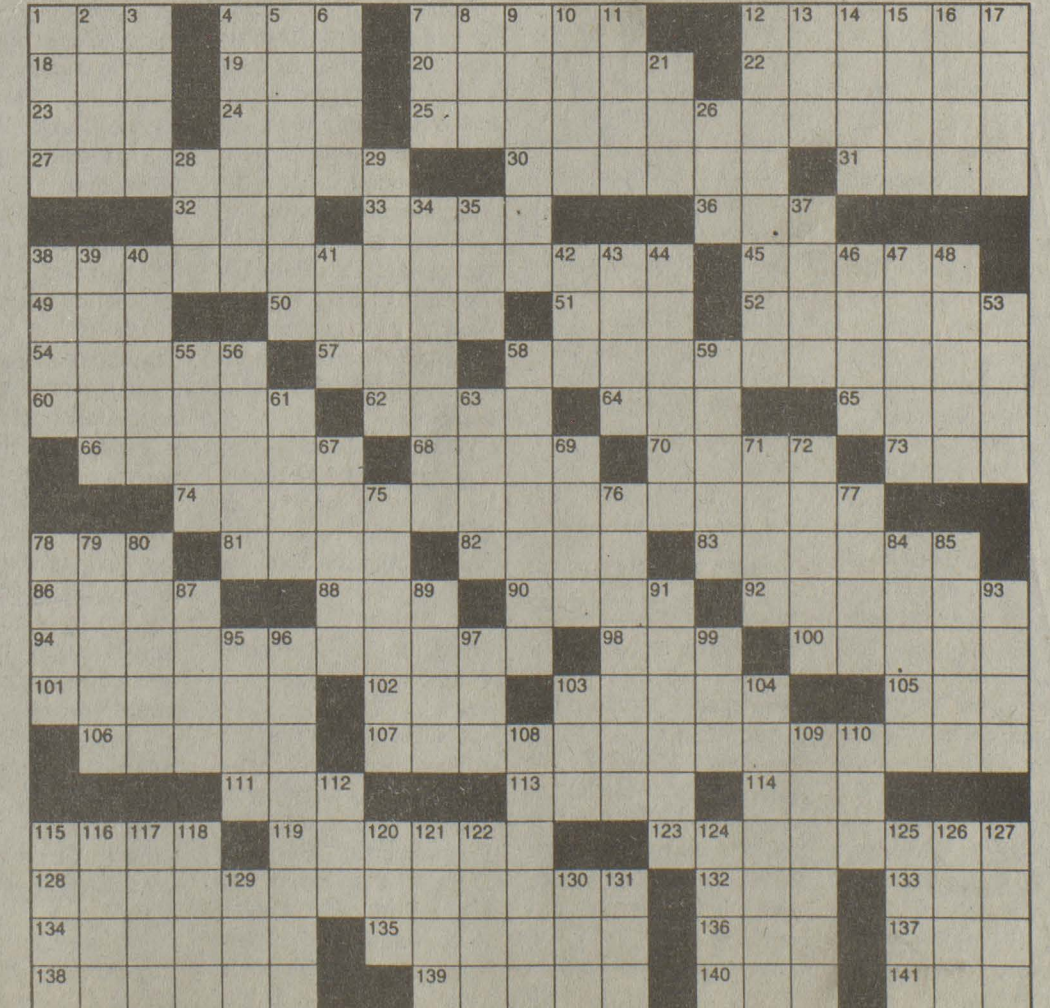


BUTCH AND DOUGIE by ALEX HOWELL



Super Crossword

- ACROSS
- 1 G-men
- 4 Breakfast spread
- 7 TV's "Twin"
- 12 Fop's neckwear
- 18 Canal zone?
- 19 UK honor
- 20 Indoor garden spot
- 22 Montana's capital
- 23 "America's Most Wanted" abbr.
- 24 Doggy doc
- 25 Show hosted by Monty Hall
- 27 Avenged
- 30 Meteorology line
- 31 Funnyman Johnson
- 32 "Krazy"
- 33 Olympic troublemaker
- 36 Gist
- 38 Show hosted by Pat Sajak
- 45 City in 3 Down
- 49 Owns
- 50 Annual award?
- 51 Greek consonants
- 52 Focused
- 54 Sportscaster Merlin
- 57 - Plaines, Ill.
- 58 Show hosted by Jack Barry
- 60 She made Krystle bawl
- 62 Casino cubes
- 64 Questioning
- 65 On a whale watch
- 66 Mystery
- 68 Mrs. Nick Charles
- 70 Homer's field
- 73 Ransom - Olds
- 74 Show hosted by Bill Cullen
- 78 Elsie's chew
- 81 French bean?
- 82 Artist Warhol
- 83 Bow and Barton
- 86 Warts and all
- 88 Audio antiques?
- 90 Pitch a tent
- 92 Turns inside out
- 94 Show hosted by John Daly
- 98 Herd word
- 100 Kind of creepy
- 101 Nero's tutor
- 102 "Buttermilk Sky"
- 103 Excessively encouraging
- 105 Farm animal?
- 106 Actor Novarro
- 107 Show hosted
- 9 Creative type friend?
- 10 Buss
- 11 Big-league wrestling?
- 12 Baby-faced
- 13 Stephen of "The Crying Game"
- 14 He was Hawkeye Pierce
- 15 Swerve
- 16 Med-school subj.
- 17 "A - of Two Cities"
- 21 Fairy queen
- 26 Topeka's st.
- 28 Luau instrument
- 29 Baited the bully
- 34 "William Tell" composer
- 35 High dudgeon
- 37 Gang
- 38 Cowboy's "Stop!"
- 39 Actress Berry
- 40 Ruhr Valley city
- 41 Passing fashion
- 42 News org.
- 43 Pleasant
- 44 Wet Williams
- 46 Athenian arcade
- 47 Be an environmentalist
- 48 Feathered friend?
- 53 Bangkok resident
- 55 Way out
- 56 It falls but never breaks
- 58 Actor Stamp
- 59 Salad type
- 61 Captain Hook's mate
- 63 Caesar's cohort
- 67 In an appropriate way
- 69 Radames' love
- 71 Inspect too closely?
- 72 Figaro's offering
- 75 Hatch a new scheme
- 76 Emblems
- 77 Shady character?
- 78 Crows' comments
- 79 Bridesmaid's escort
- 80 Artemis, in Rome
- 84 Pianist Claudio
- 85 Economize
- 87 Sunflower support
- 89 Rural sight
- 91 Glued
- 93 Ward in "Wagon
- 95 Edinburgh native
- 96 Hall & Oates hit
- 97 Take-home
- 99 Bonfire residue
- 103 Muckraker Nellie
- 104 Longed for
- 108 Implicate
- 109 Share an eyebrow
- 110 - room (family hangout)
- 112 Roman or Christian
- 115 Repulsive
- 116 Done
- 117 Narrow shoe size
- 118 Corporate clashers
- 120 Cleopatra's bosom buddy?
- 121 Equine accessory
- 122 Square measure
- 124 News, for short
- 125 Bath powder
- 126 Butter substitute
- 127 Carry on
- 129 Vein contents
- 130 JFK abbr.
- 131 - Aviv



(Answers on B 6)

MagicMaze

INSECTS (Answers on B 6)

CYVSONKHEBYWTR
 OIJAGEBYWURPNKI
 GTDBEZYXYVSQOMK
 IGI ECLALYWUSQPN
 LAJUFHFFFECAYLX
 VUDEQESQPRNMKAE
 JGRASSHOPPERHDL
 FINUCEOTCSBTIYT
 FTOAZIYMOXAHTBE
 VHUTTRCQMPWOUE
 MLKIHGEHCAORDGB

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions-forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

- Ant
- Aphid
- Bee
- Beetle
- Butterfly
- Cicada
- Firefly
- Gnat
- Grasshopper
- Housefly
- Ladybug
- Mosquito
- Moth
- Roach
- Wasp

Vision Teaser



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Flag is reversed; 2. Clubhouse is added; 3. Visitor is changed; 4. Trees are larger; 5. Number is different; 6. Tree is missing.