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## Help Wanted

Medical bills piling up for injured youth

by Chris McDavid  
Staff Writer

Dallas Marsillett, a seven-year-old Floyd County boy who accidentally hung himself on Nov. 15 while imitating one of his TV heroes, is expected to remain in a pediatric intensive care unit for at least two more weeks.

And that may be just a tip of the iceberg for Dallas' hospitalization, depending on the amount of damage caused by the mishap.

Dallas was hospitalized at Cabell-Huntington Hospital last Sun-

day after a nylon strap on his backpack was entangled around his neck and got caught on his bed at his Corn Fork residence.

Dallas' school, May Valley Elementary, and a few area residents have taken on the task of soliciting donations to assist Dallas' family with medical and other expenses.

Dallas' father, Roger Marsillett, said Tuesday that his son's condition was improving, but he would have to remain in the hospital's intensive care unit for a couple more weeks.

"He's doing good right now,"

Marsillett said. "He's trying to talk around the (respirator) tube."

Marsillett said Dallas must have been coming off the top bunk when the nylon strap got caught on the bed.

"It was just a freak accident," he said.

Vance Hale, whose son is one of Dallas' classmates, has taken a personal interest in collecting donations for the Marsillett family.

The extent of Dallas' injuries are not fully known at this time, Hale

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Dallas Marsillett

## 911 split spurs feud in court over funds

by Chris McDavid  
Staff Writer

The financial arrangement for Prestonsburg's and Floyd County's E-911 systems was a controversial topic Friday among fiscal court members and one area resident.

In February 1990, Floyd County enacted an ordinance for the collection of 89 cents per month for every telephone line in the county, and the city of Prestonsburg recently chose to operate its own E-911 system.

Now that the city and county have agreed that it is in the best interest to operate separate systems, the county still holds the money collected for the city's system.

But at least one Floyd County magistrate and an area resident don't want to give Prestonsburg citizens their money back until after the county's system is up and running.

The issue concerning separate 911 systems heated up during a regular meeting of the Floyd Fiscal Court Friday.

The court approved an agreement between the city and county to establish a fair method of separating responsibilities, equipment and money which has been collected from Prestonsburg citizens.

The agreement passed on a 3-1 vote, with Magistrate Jackie Owens voting against it.

Magistrate Owens objected to using the 911 funds for a nearly \$29,000 payment to Network Design Engineering Inc. for the remapping of approximately 70 percent of Prestonsburg and a small portion of the county.

"They're talking about them coming into the E-911 money and getting that money," Owens said Friday. "If the 911 system didn't go in and the money had to be refunded, we owe that money to the people not Prestonsburg."

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## Lemme outta here!



**The bird's the word**  
These turkeys at Country Boy Farm Supplies were to be given away prior to the Thanksgiving holiday.

photo by Susan Allen

## City clerk resigns in response to councilwoman's questions

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

Long-time Martin city clerk, Johnnie B. Stephens, abruptly resigned Monday during a city council meeting after Councilwoman Thomasine Robinson questioned her about budget figures.

Robinson asked Stephens about the balance in the fire department account, which Robinson had listed

as \$6,690.

Stephens asked Robinson to wait until council finished a discussion on purchasing new electric heaters for the fire station and she would get her books.

Stephens said the discrepancy was probably a "typo" and explained that accounting errors are found and corrected in quarterly reports.

After reviewing Robinson's doc-

ument, Stephens noted that it was a July balance sheet for the department.

The balance for the fire department was \$1,497, Stephens said.

Robinson then said the department's spending figures did not balance and that there appeared to be a major error in the balance of the city's parks and recreation fund.

"That's correct," Stephens said. "This is an administrative thing that could be discussed in the office. It's an administrative thing."

"This started before," Stephens said. "Here's my resignation, effective the first of the month. If somebody can't give me a call... I'll work with anybody."

Stephens took out a piece of paper, wrote out her resignation and laid it on the council table.

After a short, stunned silence, Robinson said, "I will (call you) Johnnie B. I'm not on to you."

"It's administrative," Stephens answered curtly.

After Monday's meeting, several people came to Stephens' office and said they wished she would re-

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## Fugitives wanted in three states found hiding in attic

by Chris McDavid  
Staff Writer

Two Indiana fugitives were taken into custody Friday after they were found hiding in the attic of a Meade Branch residence.

Tracy L. Patrick, 26, and Tiffany M. Faine, 29, both of Prestonsburg, were arrested by KSP troopers Byron Hansford and Mickey Watson at the home of Patrick's mother.

According to court records, the

suspects were fleeing from authorities in three other states "in order to avoid prosecution on the charge of conspiracy to possess cocaine."

Court records also indicate that the Clark County Sheriff's Department in Jeffersonville, Indiana, confirmed there were drug-related warrants against Patrick and Faine, and they would be extradited to face the charges.

In an unrelated matter, Floyd de-

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## Hearings on state takeover put on hold

Officials want a local quorum in place to address charges

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

Hearings on evidence against the two remaining Floyd County school members have been postponed until January.

Hearings to oust board members Jody Mullins and B.J. Newsome were set to begin December 15 in Frankfort, but state school board members have asked that they be reset for January 21.

Also, a hearing on whether a three-year state takeover of the system was also set to begin December 15, but state officials expect it to be bumped to January 21, too.

Jim Parks, spokesman for the Kentucky Department of Education, said Education Commissioner Wilmer Cody agreed to the postponement so that the local board would have an opportunity to discuss the proposed takeover of the school system.

"Since the local board did not have a quorum and couldn't make a decision about defending the district from a takeover, the hearings have been reset for January 21-23," Parks said. "We anticipate a board member being appointed in time for the December 16 (regular Floyd County) meeting. There will be a quorum to take up the issue of state management."

Whether the three board members can make a decision to accept or resist a takeover is not relevant, Parks said.

After talking with the state department's legal advisor, Kevin Noland, Parks said the local board need only discuss the issue of a takeover and a decision is not necessary.

State board members felt the local board should have the opportunity to address the issue before a hearing is held, Parks said.

Three board members will have to agree on an item before any action can be taken. State law requires issues to be decided by a majority of the entire board, not just by a majority of those present.

Parks said state officials hope to reset the takeover hearing for January 21-23 and plan to do so unless some unforeseen circumstances

(See Hearings, page six)

## Murder charges are reduced in separate cases

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

Two Floyd Countians had their murder charges reduced to reckless homicide Friday and one was sentenced to five years in prison.

Frankie Newsome of Prestonsburg was sentenced to five years for the November 1996 shooting death of Willie Robert Hatfield, 41.

Hatfield was shot one time in the neck at the home of Curtis Newsome on the Right Fork of Bull Creek.

Newsome was sentenced by Circuit Judge Danny P. Caudill.

Also Friday, Michael Watkins, of Wayland, was sentenced to five years probation in connection with the 1992 death of Simson Smith, 72, of Turkey Creek.

Watkins and Smith's wife, Brenda Smith, were both indicted for murder. Smith was convicted on a murder charge in 1993 and sentenced to 20 years in prison.

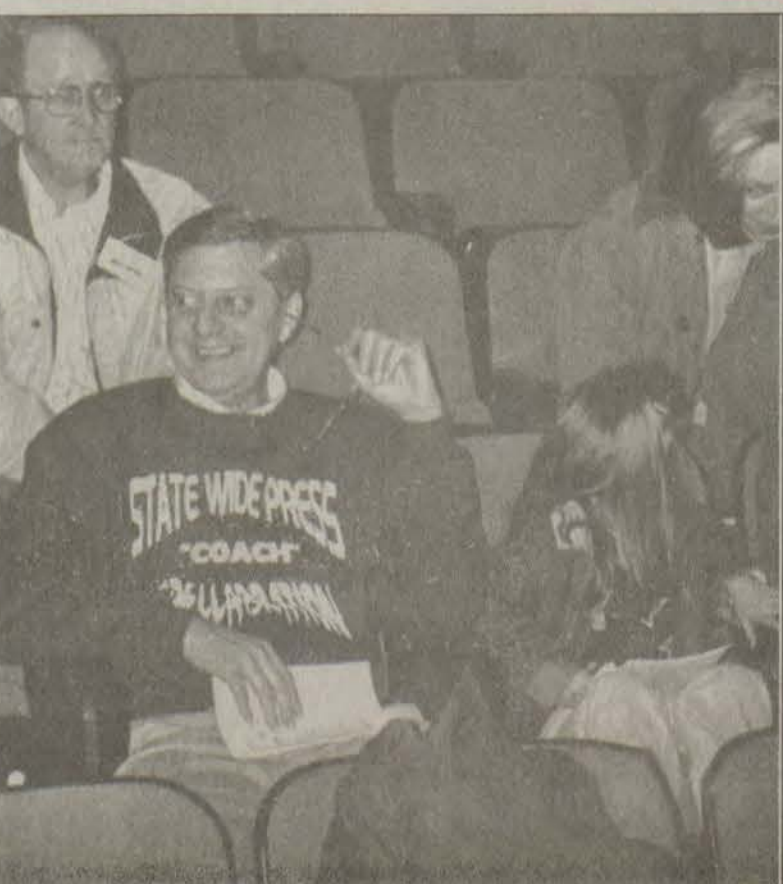
Simson Smith died after being

(See Murder, page six)

## Contract renewal in doubt

Bill Jack Darby, "coach" of the Statewide Press team, is reportedly looking for new opportunities after his squad was knocked out of contention Sunday during the first annual Spellabration at Prestonsburg Community College. The event was conducted to raise funds for adult literacy programs in Floyd County. Appalshop's team won the contest, with the Mountain Arts Center placing second. All others, including Darby's Statewide Press team, tied for third thanks to the pity of the event's sponsors.

photo by Scott Perry



## Director's job extended after heated closed-door discussion

by Chris McDavid  
Staff Writer

After an apparently heated closed-door discussion Monday about Big Sandy Health Care's executive director, the board of directors extended the director's probationary period for another six months, which may be in conflict with the board's policy.

The board of directors went into a closed session Monday night for nearly 90 minutes to discuss a personnel matter.

The board retired to a room down the hall from the main meeting room, but not so far that the angered voices of some of the board members could not still be heard.

When the board returned to the open meeting, chairperson Bertie K. Salyers announced that executive director Ellis Buchanan's pro-

batory period would be extended.

"Your probationary period, if you decide to remain with Big Sandy Health Care, is hereby extended for six months," Salyers told Buchanan.

Specifics about an apparent dispute concerning Buchanan's employment with Big Sandy Health Care have not been made public.

The initial probationary period for new employees is 10 weeks, but Buchanan said Monday that he has apparently been on probation for approximately six months.

And now the board has chosen to extend his probationary period for an additional six months.

Board policy also states that if an employee's performance is satisfactory, the employee would be given permanent employment, however, if an unsatisfactory per-

formance is observed, "the initial probationary period may be extended for up to 90 additional days."

Several employees with Big Sandy Health Care were present at Monday's board meeting and became vocal after the board's executive session to show their support for the executive director.

"I don't understand," Kim Smith, patient care coordinator at the Hope Clinic, said. "I thought tonight we were going to come here and something was going to be decided."

Salyers told Kim that she did not know where she got information that a decision would be made at the meeting.

"Well, maybe it was just wishful thinking," Smith said, adding that the Big Sandy organization was in

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# Director

chaos before Buchanan became the executive director.

"...That is not in the best interest of our employees and certainly not in the best interest of our patients," Smith said about allowing the leadership of Big Sandy Health Care to be left "hanging for six more months."

"My understanding is that this is the board's purpose," she said. "Correct me if I'm wrong."

Salyers told Smith that the board was earnestly seeking to do what is best for the Big Sandy Health Care.

One of the board members said they had to come to a compromise in the executive session.

"Everybody's not happy with the decision, but we all had to compromise," the board member said.

"But is that fair to (Buchanan)?" Debra McKenzie, system's analyst, asked.

"The problem is that Big Sandy Health Care, with regard to the executive director's position, has lacked stability," Smith said. "There's a big problem and it does

affect the employees. To drag this thing on is not in anyone's best interest because they're wondering what's going to happen tomorrow."

Salyers said the board gave "every employee of Big Sandy Health Care an opportunity in appropriate channels to have input into the process."

However, when Salyers was confronted with that issue by one of the employees, her comment was not addressed by the chairman.

"But if you did this process with all of your other employees, how many employees would you have?" Beth Howard, patient care coordinator at the Mud Creek Clinic, asked.

Apparently ignoring the question, Salyers asked the audience if there were any other comments.

"Why do we have to settle for a compromise?" Sonya Hall, central office associate accountant, asked the board. "...If that's the policy (for employees) why doesn't it apply to him?"

Salyers said the board was not

taking anything away from Buchanan, it was just not giving him permanent employment.

"I sincerely apologize if you don't have the same information that we have," Salyers said. "We have to respect confidentiality and we have to have some trust."

One of the board members, Suimkha Maddiwai, stated her support for Buchanan after the meeting. "He's good for the Big Sandy Health Care," she said. "I'd like to keep him."

Maddiwai said the health care center has been able to get additional doctors on staff since Buchanan has been employed.

"It is the board's privilege to do what they want to," Buchanan said after the meeting. "Although it breaks their own policy."

Buchanan said everything at the Big Sandy Health Care has been better since he became the executive director, however it apparently has not been good enough.

The executive director said the matter of his personal employment has become a personal issue for those who oppose him.

"My only interest in this organization is for patients and the staff," he said. "I have no personal interest, but it is difficult to take care of the staff and patients (under these conditions)."

An anonymous caller contacted *The Times* Tuesday morning and suggested that a reporter contact Dr. Vogelsang and Eula Hall, with the Mud Creek lab, to get "the whole story."

Vogelsang said he respected the board's decision, and would not answer any other questions about the issue.

Numerous attempts were made to contact Hall Tuesday at the Mud Creek Clinic, however, the phone lines were busy throughout the day.

Monday's meeting was abruptly adjourned following a statement from Howard and a round of applause from the audience.

Only eight of the board's 15 members were present at the meeting.

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# Court

One area resident, Betty Puckett, agreed with Owens and said the money should be used for the county's system, which was the original goal of the project before the city decided to establish its own 911 system.

"I go along with Jackie on that 911," Puckett said. "Why does Prestonsburg need a separate 911 system?"

Puckett and Owens apparently agree that the county should use all the 911 funding for the county's system first, and then assist with the city's system.

Deputy Judge-Executive Chris Waugh attempted to explain to Owens and Puckett that the funding being spent for the city's mapping belongs to the citizens of Prestonsburg. He added that cities have a right to determine if they want to operate their own systems, which is what Prestonsburg has elected to do.

On prior occasions, Waugh has explained to the court that the mapping company must start the addressing process in a county's county seat.

"I really believe this is not the time to jump off the ship..." Waugh said to Owens. "This is the time to bring the ship to shore."

"We didn't collect this money for Prestonsburg's 911 system," Owens said. "We collected this money for our system."

"If we work together in this thing we can get online a lot faster than if we fight and argue," Waugh said. "It's a fair deal for both (the city and county) to make sure all citizens have 911. In order for us to get this system on faster, we need to work with them to get this done."

On a related issue, Owens questioned why the county was going to sell the 911 radio equipment to the city for half price.

"How come we no longer need it?" Owens asked. "We don't have our system running."

Waugh and Judge-Executive Ben Hale explained to Owens that the equipment was purchased when the county was considering operating the system.

Since the county voted to have the KSP Post 9 dispatch all 911 calls for the county, Hale explained that it would be cheaper for the city to utilize the equipment for its system and as a backup system for the county.

"I thought we discussed using a fire department out in the county as a backup system," Owens said.

Waugh said only one fire department in the county is manned 24 hours a day and that it would be "unfeasible" to pay additional personnel at one of the other fire departments for a backup system.

"It would cost us a fortune," Waugh said. "I understand your concerns, but we want to do the fair thing — make sure the money (Prestonsburg residents) paid goes towards their E-911 system."

"If we collected it from Prestonsburg, I think the people in the hollers would understand," Owens said. "(The city is) going to pay half price and we're going to eat the rest of (the cost)."

In other action Friday, the fiscal court awarded a bid to JBC Inc. for the repair of the Rough and Tough Road at a cost of \$16,368.

Magistrate Gerald DeRossett voted against the company's bid, saying he wanted to give the bid to a Floyd County company whose bid for the project was over \$1,000 more than JBC's bid.

East Kentucky Excavation, in Martin, bid the project at

\$17,498.48.

"Oppose," DeRossett said when asked for his vote on awarding the bid to the lowest bidder. "I think we ought to give the job to the people of Floyd County."

Judge Hale explained that the advertisement for the project included a clause which states the fiscal court has the right to award the bid to the lowest and/or best bidder.

When Hale prompted County Attorney Keith Bartley for his

advice on the issue, Bartley said he was not going to make the court's decision for it.

"I would be concerned about turning down a lower bid just because they're not from here," Bartley said.

The fiscal court went into a brief closed-door session to discuss pending litigation. No action was taken when the court returned to the open meeting.

All members were present at Friday's meeting.

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Nov. 29	(Sat.)	! vs. Clemson (Fox Sports Net)	Phoenix, AZ
Dec. 3	(Wed.)	# vs. Purdue (ESPN)	Chicago, Ill
Dec. 6	(Sat.)	vs. Indiana (CBS)	Indianapolis
Dec. 10	(Wed.)	at Canisius (UKTV Live)	Buffalo, N.Y.
Dec. 13	(Sat.)	GEORGIA TECH (ESPN)	LEXINGTON
Dec. 20	(Sat.)	TULSA (ESPN)	LEXINGTON
Dec. 23	(Tues.)	AMERICAN (UKTV Live)	LEXINGTON
Dec. 27	(Sat.)	LOUISVILLE (CBS)	LEXINGTON
Dec. 30	(Tues.)	at Ohio (UKTV Live)	Athens, Ohio

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Jan. 13	(Tues.)	SOUTH CAROLINA (ESPN)	LEXINGTON
Jan. 17	(Sat.)	ARKANSAS (CBS)	LEXINGTON
Jan. 21	(Wed.)	vs. Alabama (UKTV Delay)	Louisville
Jan. 24	(Sat.)	at Tennessee (UKTV Delay)	Knoxville, TN
Jan. 27	(Tues.)	at Vanderbilt (ESPN)	Nashville, TN
Feb. 1	(Sun.)	FLORIDA (ABC)	LEXINGTON
Feb. 4	(Wed.)	at LSU (JP)	Baton Rouge
Feb. 8	(Sun.)	at Villanova (CBS)	Philadelphia
Feb. 11	(Wed.)	TENNESSEE (JP)	LEXINGTON
Feb. 14	(Sat.)	OLE MISS (JP)	LEXINGTON
Feb. 18	(Wed.)	at Florida (JP)	Gainesville
Feb. 22	(Sun.)	GEORGIA (JP)	LEXINGTON
Feb. 25	(Wed.)	at Auburn (JP)	Auburn, Ala.
Feb. 28	(Sat.)	at South Carolina (CBS)	Columbia, S.C.
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## WW Commission discusses Hooters

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

One discussion at Thursday's Wheelwright City Commission meeting centered on an unusual topic—Hooters.

During a discussion on reimbursement for a trip to Lexington by Commissioner Luther Johnson Jr. and police chief Steve Toy, Commissioner David Boyd questioned a food reimbursement request.

"You went to Hooters?" Boyd asked Johnson.

"Yeah," Johnson answered. "They wanted \$11 for a sandwich." Toy piped up from the audience that the restaurant was "the best place to eat" in Lexington.

According to the receipt for the lunch, the two ordered a Hooter-

burger, a ham and cheese sandwich, two orders of fries and sodas. The total for the lunch was \$19.09.

A motion to pay the bills passed unanimously.

In other discussions Thursday, Mayor David Marlee Sammons announced that the city's Christmas parade would be held December 20 at 3 p.m. Commissioners voted to donate \$200 for an annual Christmas dinner for children and senior citizens.

Officials also agreed to purchase a crown, trophy and top hat for the parade's prince and princess. The town's tree-lighting ceremony will be held after the parade.

Mayor Sammons announced that any organization or person wanting to participate in the parade should call city clerk Mary Ann Slone at city hall.

In other action Thursday, commissioners:

- voted to give the fire department \$200 for candy and fruit for the department's annual Christmas run;

- approved paying \$200 in incentive pay to each city employee;

- agreed to allow a dance to be held in the swimming pool building with half the proceeds going to the city;

- voted for work to be done to divert water on 79 Hill and to repair a drain near Timika Jackson's and Robert Hood's homes;

- agreed to tear down an old building near the post office and, if the owners do not reimburse the city for the cost, the land will be claimed by the city;

- canceled the December meeting and authorized the city clerk to pay routine bills;

- approved seeking quotes from accountants to perform the city's annual audit; and

- reported that Patriot Construction Company was awarded a bid for \$320,307 to do work on the city's swimming pool.

Commissioners Andy Akers and Jimmy Little were absent from Thursday's meeting.

### Halloween crew

Rajana Bowen, Sarah Bowen, and Clinton Revis were costume and poster contest winners during Halloween parties sponsored by the Prestonsburg Housing Authority.



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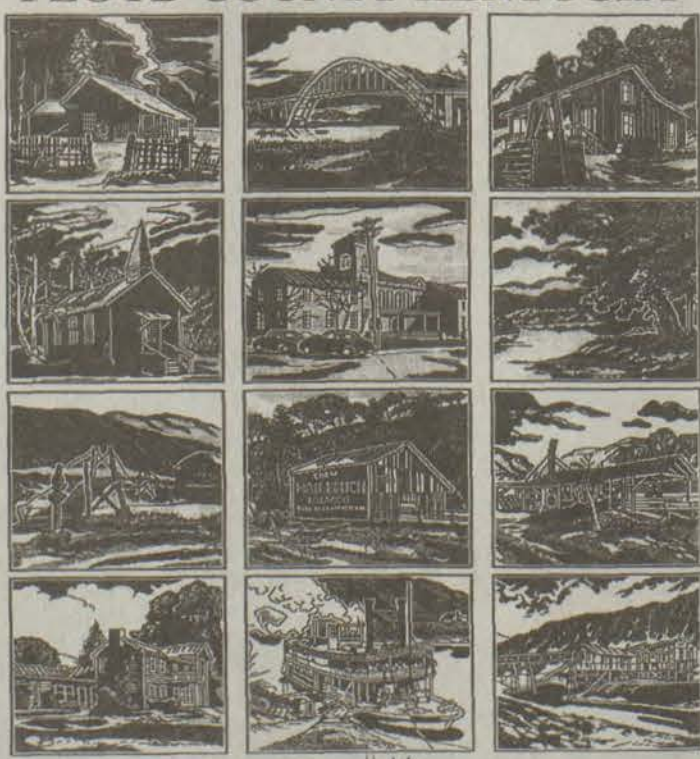
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# Viewpoint

## Quote of the week...

"I would rather be able to appreciate things I cannot have than to have things I am not able to appreciate."

—Elbert Hubbard

## Editorial

### Ride'm cowboy

by Scott Perry

You can't whip a dead horse, or so the saying goes, but in Floyd County we occasionally tend to overlook that point.

Sometimes we don't just whip it, we dig it up, whack it a few times and then wonder why it won't giddyup.

Take the great 911 debate...please.

This issue has been cussed and discussed for an eternity, it seems, and now that it is moving somewhere close to operative status it's getting the treatment again.

Okay, there's no arguing that the 911 project was screwed up from its inception. Let's do like the lawyers do and just stipulate that fact.

But if the 911 project once was lost, now it's found. It is going to be implemented sometime in our lifetimes.

Is everybody happy?

No way, José.

Now, some of us find it necessary to gripe about the city of Prestonsburg's decision to fire up its own 911 system, using funds and equipment accumulated via the county's original project.

The first question

that comes to our mind in relation to P'burg's uppitness... So what?

But some folks outside the city are absolutely, positively convinced that they are getting ripped off.

How so?

Have county residents been assessed an extra surcharge to help pay for the city's system?

Nope. In fact the surcharge isn't even being collected at all.

Will county residents see their 911 services curtailed by the city's system?

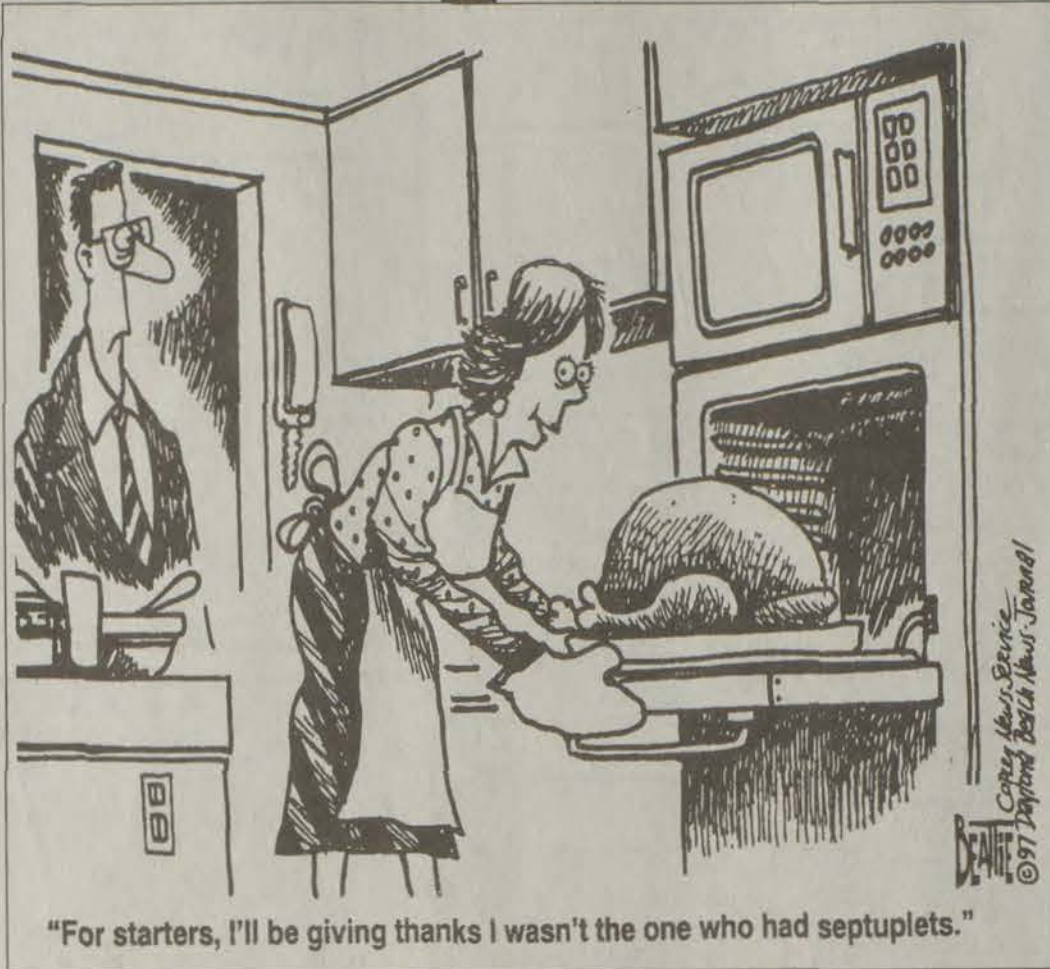
Nope.

What is the problem, people?

From what we've been able to ascertain so far, the problem is a two-by-four sized chip on a bunch of shoulders. Some folks are just obsessed with instigating a city versus county civil war in Floyd County. But, while there may really be some reasons for grudges to be carried, this ain't one of 'em.

Nobody is getting taken for a ride on this horse, no matter how hard it's whipped.

Better we should plant some flowers on its grave and see if they'll blossom into something special.



"For starters, I'll be giving thanks I wasn't the one who had septuplets."

## Letters to the Editor

### Spellabration is successful, participants receive thanks

Editor:

As we reflect on this weekend's events, we want to ensure that everyone involved in the 1997 Spellabration is acknowledged. The goal of the event was to raise awareness of the illiteracy problem in Floyd County, and we believe we were successful in accomplishing this. Without the support of the community, this problem cannot be alleviated. The response was tremendously encouraging. If we all work together, the problem of undereducation can be corrected. It takes cooperation, and our community proved on Sunday that this can be achieved.

Thank-you to the following teams:

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An extra special thanks to the following:

Mrs. Deborah Allen, Field Office Manager, Department for Employment Services; M. K. Combs, morning weather anchor, WYMT-TV; Mr. Paul P. Hughes, president, Carter-Hughes Toyota; Fred James, executive director, Prestonsburg Tourism Commission; Kelly Moore, co-owner, Moore Brothers Barber and Styling Shop; Dr. Faye Newsome, assistant professor of education, Morehead State University; Virginia Tech Volunteers.

Just as the problem of illiteracy is persisting, the work of the Floyd County Adult Literacy Council also does not end with the successful completion of the Spellabration. Our next tutor training will be held January 8, 9

and 10.

Anyone interested in helping us to eradicate undereducation in our community can reach us at 886-7323.

Holiday greetings to all, and best wishes for happiness in the new year.

Jenny Howard and Alicia N. Smith  
1997 Spellabration Co-Coordinator  
VISTA Volunteers  
Floyd County Adult Literacy Council

### Child abuse—a matter of fact

Why should you report child abuse?

First and foremost, you should report child abuse to protect the child. The intent of the law is not to hurt or punish. It is to get help to children and families in need. We all have a stake in the protection of Kentucky's children. Studies have linked child abuse and neglect to a wide range of criminal and social misbehaviors. Why? Violence breeds violence. The only method of response the victim of child abuse may know is physical force or aggression. The lessons necessary to the development of interpersonal skills may have never been taught in the abusive or neglectful environment. The emotional damage which may result from child abuse or neglect often is vented through self-destructive expressions such as substance abuse, running away, prostitution, suicide and antisocial expressions such as rape, murder and the continuation of child abuse and neglect.

To obtain more information about child abuse and neglect, call our hotline number at 1-800-468-8920.

Peter O. Samples, state chairman  
Kentucky Multi-County Task Forces  
on Child Abuse, Inc.

### One county for all the people

Editor:

Floyd County is run by the 41 Democratic caucus, the Republican party and the politic in power. Most are what we call mayors, godfathers, or just plain sellouts. They get their piece of the pie from our government, but don't worry too much about their neighbors. They, or their families, get good jobs in our government. They get their tickets taken care of, they get a pat on the back, and around election time, they get a spoonful of gravel. They take their benefits and go along with whatever the politic in power wants to do. The same old, same old, which caused the problem with the magistrate system.

Approximately 90 percent of the popula-

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Allan S. Perry III  
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*Liberty of thought is  
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—Voltaire

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If a state task force's recommendations are adopted, the fastest growing industry in Kentucky could soon be the manufacture of license plates.

The Governor's Criminal Justice Response Team has recommended that convicted felons spend more time in prison, like 85 percent of their sentences, before becoming eligible for parole.

The current average is something like 50 percent.

Making criminals pay for their crimes is an absolute must and, since a great many crimes are committed by repeat offenders, it only makes sense to keep crooks in jail longer.

The down side of the longer-jail-term proposal is pretty obvious, though.

While criminals are paying their debts to society, we taxpayers are footing the bills for their stays.

So how do we balance the books on crooks?

Probably can't.

But we can keep them locked up until they're too old to pester anyone else.

And, if we made prison stays a little more like work, a bunch of these bums might put out a little more effort to obey the law.

## Coffee Break

by Scott Perry

Speaking of work, there's plenty of it to the north, and we've been issued an invitation of sorts to come and get it.

We're indebted to reader Gary Blake for a clipping from the *Columbus (Ohio) Dispatch*, which suggests we hillbillies are actually welcome in the Buckeye State, where they are having a tough time finding enough people to fill all the job openings.

Columbus, which already has more than 150,000 transplanted Appalachians, is expecting 30,000 more migrants. Actually, city employers are hoping they'll come.

"We need them to come," said Carla Wilke Jones, vice president of Ohio Packing. "These people are truly willing to work. They have a good work ethic."

Thanks for the compliment.

Say, why don't you move your company down here so we won't have so far to drive?

With welfare reform-inspired out migration becoming a basic fact of life in our neck of the woods, it is encouraging to note the evidence of some backwater in the flood of folks looking to move out of our area in search of opportunity.

West Liberty, in Morgan County, has been identified as one of the fastest growing areas in Eastern Kentucky, with a 23 percent increase in population.

Can't say right now if those numbers reflect northern retirees moving back or if they suggest new opportunities are being found, but we're pushing for the latter.

With any luck at all, we could be seeing the foundation laid for our region's own "Golden Triangle," bordered by I-64 to the north, Route 23 to the East and the Mountain Parkway to the west.

Plenty of room there for growth, and we might even be willing to settle for a metal less precious than gold for our triangle.

It's been a while since Kentucky football fans were actually sorry to see a season come to an end but, despite the fact that the Cats won just one more game this year than last, there's no comparing one to the other.

Forget the final score, the first half of the UK-UT game Saturday was as exciting as a Steven Spielberg flick and just as effective, making you want more, more, more.

Yeah, we got thumped more than once this year, just like every other year, but different, too.

We lost with style. Maybe the new UK football program will turn the tables on our won-lost tradition, but if they don't we won't agonize over it.

Never imagined that losing could be so much fun.

Encore!

# Letters

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tion of Floyd county lives in the County areas outside the city limits of Prestonsburg, but approximately 80 percent of all grants, coal severance tax money, and other state and federal money is spent in Prestonsburg.

The Prestonsburg City Government gets Arts centers, 911 centers, golf courses (most likely with country palaces for the bankers, lawyers and doctors in Prestonsburg).

The common people in Prestonsburg don't know what their government is doing, but they know they are being taxed to death to create more jobs for the city fathers.

It's our families and our neighbors who don't have playgrounds. It is us who have iron water, mud holes, and the smell of sewer in our door steps. We are all Floyd Countians, but we are not treated the same when it comes to how they spend the money. Floyd County is a house divided by economics.

1998 will come to pass and the magistrate system will be gone. The magistrate system of government has taken its toll on our government from the country road crews who can't put gravel in a neighbor's drive way because they didn't vote right, to a school system full of big high-paying jobs which it can't afford. Reform will come and the commissioner system will not only cause change through the Floyd County government, but in Prestonsburg city government as well. Floyd County will come together as one county. We will all get to vote together under this new commissioner system of government, and united we will be strong.

Elmer Lee Johnson  
Weeksburly

## Writer has questions

Editor:

In the November 21st edition of The Times is a story about RND filing for bankruptcy and what the cost to the taxpayers might be (as there is no such thing as county or federal money), it has to be taxpayers money. It seems that the loss depends on what the property sells for, which might be anything.

When they filed for bankruptcy some months ago and a notice was put in the Lexington Herald-Leader; it listed their declared assets and liabilities totaled in dollars. While I don't recall the exact figures at this time, the assets were, as I remember, somewhere around \$1,000,000.00 or more. This can be easily determined as it is a public record. I wrote a letter at that time pointing this out and wondering what action, if any, was being taken to preserve Floyd County taxpayers' interest.

As I never learned anything then, nor have I read or seen any news concerning this company being discussed in the media since, I would like to know why we can't be considered when dividing the assets of RND as listed in its bankruptcy, and not have to rely on the sell of the property?

John F. Billips  
Martin

## Hats off to Paul Hunt Thompson

Editor:

I would like to commend Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson and the Floyd County Sheriff's Department for their help in raising much-needed funds for the Kentucky Sheriffs' Boys and Girls Ranch.

Each year numerous companies and businesses sponsor a calendar for the Sheriffs' Department by placing ads, which helps to provide the means for boys and girls to attend camp each summer.

The program for these calendars is headed by Sheriff Thompson and Omery "Chuck" Hall, together with Deputies Tommy Gearheart, Dwayne Jarrell, David Gray, William Parker, and Lora Ousley. They not only call the businesses, but also take Ranch representatives to local businesses asking for their support. Sheriff Thompson also opens his office to us each year for

our use while working on the calendars.

We depend on funds throughout Kentucky to help send underprivileged children to camp. Each year we raise approximately \$3,000.00 from Sheriff Thompson's calendar. This helps tremendously in offsetting the cost of providing a free week's camping experience to needy children in Kentucky.

We are certainly indebted to Sheriff Thompson and the Floyd County Sheriffs' Department for their help with this program and their support of the Kentucky Sheriffs' Boys and Girls Ranch!!

Ray H. Stoess  
Executive Director  
Kentucky Sheriffs' Association  
Kentucky Sheriffs'  
Boys and Girls Ranch  
Gilbertsville

## No place is sacred

Editor:

That is exactly how I feel after my house was burglarized Sunday, the 16th. There are a lot of sick people out there in this world. I believe that whoever did this is pure scum.

But being a person who tries to be good to people it is hard to stomach. As for you, thief, you will eventually slip up and when you do you will fall hard, mister.

Why don't you go out and get a job instead of stealing from me and my brother, we work very hard for what we get. What went wrong, Mr. thief didn't you get your monthly supply of food stamps or SSI? Do you know what they do to scum like you in third world countries?

In Iran, if a person steals, he gets his hands chopped off. A jerk you are a complete menace to society. I know you have slipped through the cracks of the Floyd County judicial system.

You better watch out because where you'll be going you'll need all the protection you can get. You can run but you can't hide, mister.

Sanford A Baca  
Martin

## Carnival a success

Editor:

The annual Clark Elementary School Fall Carnival was held on October 25. The carnival was a complete success. The students,

parents, teachers, and community enjoyed several hours of games, food, and prizes. The carnival is sponsored by the Clark Elementary PTA for the purpose of raising funds to improve the instruction of our students.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the individuals and businesses that helped us make our carnival such a success this year. I'm not going to try to mention people or businesses by name. These people gave and worked to help the school and the community. Their efforts are greatly appreciated, and have made us have a stronger school with their contributions.

Wayne D. Combs, Principal

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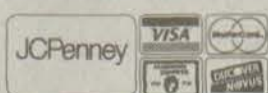
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# Money woes for city of Wayland

by Chris McDavid  
Staff Writer

Wayland commissioners are wondering why they can't afford to pay bills similar to those they had six months ago when they had revenue to spare after paying the city's expenses.

During the city's regular monthly meeting Thursday night, Mayor Eugene Mullins told the commissioners that the city was "going to have to find some way, some how to cut back on these bills."

The mayor asked what the city was doing differently that would prevent it from paying the same bills—it was able to pay four or five months ago.

"We've got a policeman back here and we can't pay him," Mayor Mullins said, referring to officer Danny Martin who was sitting in the back of the meeting hall.

Wayland police chief Aaron Kidd clarified that officer Martin is not paid by the city and that his salary is provided by a federal COPS grant, however, funding for the officer's salary would not be available for a couple of days because the paperwork process has recently changed.

"We're going to have to cut back, we owe the state government \$481 and they want their money," the mayor said.

Although the commissioners could not determine where the city could cut back on expenses, commissioner Tommy Murphy said he believed the city's financial woes began when it purchased blacktop.

According to the minutes of the city's July meeting, the city paid more than \$4,000 for blacktop.

Commissioner Lisa Gray abstained from voting to approve the July financial statement because the commissioners had previously passed a motion to spend \$3,000 for the blacktop.

The minutes of the July meeting indicate that Mayor Mullins decided to go ahead and purchase the blacktop because he did not think the city would be able to have it put down for "quite some time" if it was not purchased immediately.

"Mayor Mullins agreed not to make any purchases in the future without notifying the commission and getting (its) approval first," the minutes state.

"While we're talking about cutting costs to pay bills, something we need to be thinking about — we know that we have been approved for sewer grant money," commissioner Stephens said. "We know that's coming. We do have to account as to having a place for the treatment facility."

Stephens said that because the project involves federal money, the

city will have to pay to have the site surveyed.

"This is something we need to start thinking about," Stephens said, "because we're going to have to come up with the money to have that done and buy that lot."

Stephens and Mayor Mullins estimated that the lot could cost between \$1,500 and \$3,000.

The commission also discussed collecting delinquent taxes in the city.

"If they don't pay, we need to pull them in court," police chief Kidd said.

The police chief said he had contacted the small claims office in Prestonsburg about collecting the property taxes, and he discovered that there is a \$16 filing fee for each case and that the city could file only 25 cases every year.

"How far are we going to go back to collect these taxes?" the mayor asked.

The city clerk said that the oldest tax bills in the city are only about four years delinquent.

The commission did not take any official action Thursday to try and collect the taxes, however, it did discuss methods that may increase the city's property tax collections.

Mayor Mullins and commissioner Stephens said they believed it may be effective for the city to publish the names of residents, who

have not paid their taxes, in the local newspaper.

In other discussion Thursday, the police chief reported that the police department had issued two speeding citations and made one domestic violence arrest and four felony arrests.

Commissioner Tommy Robinson was not present at Thursday's regular meeting.

## State, county office closings for holiday

Most state and county offices will be closed Thursday and Friday for the Thanksgiving holiday.

The following is the holiday schedule:

- Floyd County Sheriff's Department-closed Thursday, but will have 24-hour dispatch; the tax office will be open on regular schedule Friday, and will be open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday;
- District and circuit courts and the clerks' offices will be closed Thursday and Friday;
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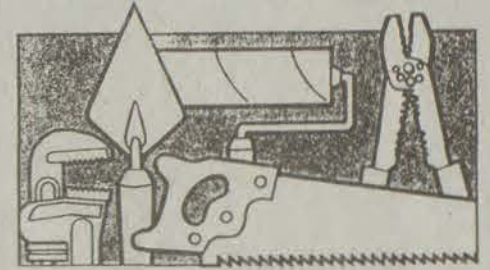
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## Clerks

consider. Stephens said she had made up her mind and would be "outta here" by December 1.

When Stephens said "this started before," she was referring a run-in she had with former Mayor

## Hearings

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arise. "Everybody would like to deal with all the issues at the same time because certain information is overlapping," Parks said. "Some evidence relative to the board member's removal is also evidence in the state management issue."

Earlier this month, Cody charged Mullins and Newsome with misconduct, nonfeasance and willful neglect of duty for failing to eliminate a budget deficit; approving expenditures without prior state approval; and "allowing a pattern of significant ineffective and inefficient governance and administration."

The two have vowed to fight the charges, claiming that state officials failed to prevent unauthorized expenditures, and that most of the problems in the system occurred before they took office in January.

The hearings will be held in the state board meeting room on the first floor of the Capital Plaza building in Frankfort.

## Youth

said, referring to a "black spot" on the boy's brain.

"They couldn't tell how much damage is done until after they get his neck taken care of," Hale said, adding that Dallas' father indicated doctors were going to heavily sedate the boy for about a week.

"They're not sure how long he had been like that, but one of his brothers found him when they went to get him to play a game," Hale said.

While Dallas' parents and brothers performed cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR), one of his brothers called his grandmother to have her call for an ambulance.

"I just couldn't wait (for the ambulance)," Marsillett said. "I got

## Murder

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beaten and run over with a vehicle.

At Friday's hearing, assistant commonwealth attorney Brett Davis said that Brenda Smith was largely responsible for her husband's death.

Watkins' attorney, Hugh Convery with the Department of Public Advocacy, said Watkins admitted to some involvement in Smith's death and "expressed sympathy for the family."

Davis said Smith's daughter agreed to Watkins' plea bargain because "most if not all of the blame" for the murder had been placed on Brenda Smith.

Watkins was also given credit for 411 days that he has served in jail awaiting trial.

Raymond Griffith's wife at a council meeting. Robinson is Griffith's daughter.

Also Monday, Mayor Alan Whicker reported that a major sewer leak had been repaired at a cost of just over \$600.

Earlier this month, state environmental officials attended a special council meeting and stressed the importance of fixing the leak because it allowed 80,000 gallons of raw sewage to run into Beaver Creek daily.

Whicker said Floyd Judge-Executive Ben Hale had assisted in the project and will provide \$5,000 in Area Development Funds to buy rock and sand to hold the new line in place.

There are three other serious sewer problems in the city, Whicker said, but few funds are available to do the repairs.

"We've received bids on the other projects and they total \$101,000," Whicker said. "We're talking through Judge Hale with EPA for an agreed order to have repairs done at a time when the money's available...By no means are we out of the woods."

Rumors that the city would be receiving thousands of dollars for the repairs are just rumors, the mayor said.

"We have to take it with a grain of salt," Whicker said. "It gets you high for a little while until you hit the ground," he added.

In other business Monday:

• Council approved a \$150 one-time cost of living adjustment for full-time employees and \$75 for part-time workers. Whicker said all employees and council members were eligible for a \$25 gift certificate for a turkey or ham. "Council and the mayor (are) included in the gift certificates, but not the Christmas bonus," Whicker said.

• Council authorized the mayor to purchase a maintenance vehicle at a "reasonable" price. Whicker said he was not interested in a new or necessarily good used vehicle, only a dependable one. Councilman Rick Caudill said "we should call (Coroner) Roger Nelson to pronounce (the current truck) dead." Councilwoman Hazel Robinson said, "Maybe the board of education will sell us one."

• Councilman Everett Akers Jr. asked the mayor to contact state highway officials regarding the placement of guardrails near one of the twin bridges. Akers said the rails now blocked access to the bridge walkway which is used by many residents. Whicker said he would contact them.

• Out of the blue, Whicker pointed to the empty seat usually occupied by city attorney Tim Parker and said, "I guess you've noticed the attorney is not here tonight. Caudill asked, "what happened to him?" The mayor responded, "I don't know. He didn't call us tonight."

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him in the truck and took him. It seemed like a nightmare."

Marsillett said he met the ambulance near the fire station in Lancer, and his son was then transported to Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Hale said Dallas' mother, Debbie, and father have remained by their son's side throughout the entire ordeal, and financial concerns can only make matters worse during such a tragedy.

Approximately \$800 has been collected at the school for the boy's family, and that money was used to purchase new beds so the bunk

## Fugitives

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tective Homer D. Neeley charged Patrick with felony theft for allegedly stealing a car from an area doctor.

According to Neeley's warrant, Patrick stole Dr. Charles Hieronymus' 1992 Cadillac on September 15.

The detective said Monday that he and the state police had searched the Meade Branch residence on two prior occasions Friday, but they were hindered by Patrick's mother.

After making an alleged threatening phone call to a Floyd County resident and bragging about eluding the authorities, the state police returned to the residence for a second time and found the suspects hiding in the attic, Det. Neeley said.

Patrick and Faine waived an extradition hearing Monday during their arraignments in Floyd District Court.

"I've signed extradition four

times now and they won't come," Faine told Trial Commissioner Jack Hyden. "Can we set a time limit on this?"

Patrick's arraignment was confusing after she agreed to sign the extradition papers and began talking about charges in Louisville and Lexington.

"My father's going to drop that charge," Patrick said about the theft charge.

Hyden commented to Patrick about her knowledge of the court system and the law.

"I know all about it judge," Patrick said to Hyden. "I've been here for so long."

Patrick and Faine were being detained in the Floyd County Adult Detention Center under no bond because of the fugitive warrants. Lexington authorities took the suspects into custody Tuesday to face charges in Fayette County.

# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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**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.

**Newsome family reunion Veterans and dependents**

All veterans and dependents can now call Jo Elliott for assistance through the D.A.V. Call (606) 377-2827 to schedule and appointment.

**Site base council to meet at ACHS**

Allen Central's regular site base council meeting will be held Tuesday, December 2, at 6 p.m. in the library.

**Weight loss classes**

Worried about gaining weight over the holidays? The Pikeville Methodist Hospital is introducing a special three-week Healthy Solutions Diet Blitz. The next classes begin the week of December 1. Call the Lifestyles Center at (606) 437-3563.

**Depressed?**

A 12-step support group for depression is now being formed in the Big Sandy area. If you have problems such as dealing with divorce, the death of a loved one, loss of a job, or any other relationship problem, you can benefit from this group. If you are interested in helping to start this group or attending, call (606) 886-0483.

**Attention parents of multiples**

An organizational meeting to form a support group for the parents of multiples (twins, triplets and quads) will be held Wednesday, December 3, at 7 p.m. in conference room B at Highlands Regional Medical Center in Prestonsburg.

For more information, contact Denise Preece at (606) 789-7387.

**Annual orders being taken at MMS**

Martin Middle School is now

**Art Exhibit is scheduled at PCC**

"Our Different Roads" is the title of an exhibition of art by Professor Whitaker's drawing class. This display runs December 1-9 at the Prestonsburg Community College Art Gallery. A reception will be held December 1 from 5:30-8:30 p.m. All are invited.

If art is a reflection of the personality who painted it, this show has many varied personalities. Conservative, nostalgic, free, wild, bohemian, and other worldly are just a few of the personalities on exhibit. Just possibly one of these roads might be for you.

For further information, call Brenda Miller at 606-886-3863, extension 417.



Savannah Bartley and Cody Bartley were elected Prince and Princess of the Fall Dance held at Osborne Elementary School.

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taking orders for the school annuals. Contact Mrs. Hancock at the school for details. December 16 is the last date to place an order. The cost is \$16.

**Christmas bazaar**

The Pikeville College Appalachian Christmas bazaar will be held Friday, December 5 and Saturday, December 6, 10 a.m.-8 p.m. at the Pikeville College gym. There will be crafts, food, entertainment and also photos with Santa and Mrs. Claus. Admission—\$2. (Proceeds benefit scholarship fund). For more information: (606) 432-9326.

**Free health clinic**

On December 2, Dr. Chandra Varia will host her second free health clinic for women of all ages, in Martin. Various services available. Call 285-9222 to schedule an appointment.

**4-H Heritage Search**

A new association—The Floyd County 4-H Friends and Alumni Association—is being formed. During the 4-H Heritage Search campaign that runs from August 1-December 31, name and addresses are needed for former individuals involved in 4-H.

Send names and addresses to Chuck Stamper, Floyd County 4-H Educator, 670 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

**Bazaar and breakfast**

Auxier Freewill Baptist Church is having a Christmas bazaar and breakfast, Friday, November 28, from 7 a.m. - 2 p.m. and Saturday, November 29, from 7 a.m.- 5 p.m. Choice of pancakes or biscuits and gravy with fried apples, ham, or sausage or bacon.

**Christmas dinner concert**

Tuesday, December 2, at 6:30 p.m. a Christmas Dinner Concert will be held at the Best Western Gateway Inn, Huntington, West Virginia, featuring The Hoppers and New Journey Christmas Concert. Phone (606) 836-2346.

**Pikeville College Christmas concert**

A Christmas concert featuring the Pikeville College chorus, band,

and community choir will be held Thursday, December 4, at 7:30 p.m. in Booth Auditorium (fifth level of Record Memorial Building) on the Pikeville College campus. The concert is free and open to the public.

**Mended Hearts Lights of Life**

The Mended Hearts Chapter 220 will celebrate their Lights of Life program on Monday, December 1. The group will meet at 7 p.m. for refreshments and entertainment in Conference Room B at Highlands Regional Medical Center. After the dinner, the Lights of Life on the Christmas tree outside HRMC will be turned on.

**Christmas craft bazaar at Martin**

A Christmas craft bazaar will be held in the Martin Middle School gym on Saturday, December 6, from 9 to 4. A wreath demonstration will be held from 11 a.m. to noon. Pictures with Santa, a cake demonstration, and face painting will be held at various times during the bazaar. Call 285-3857 for details. Admission free. Sponsored by the academic team.

**4-H family craft night**

The next Family Craft Night will be held on Monday, December 9, at 6 p.m. at the Floyd County Extension Office at 886-2668.

**4-H project pick-up**

Anyone who has a 4-H project at the Floyd County Extension Office needs to come by and pick it up before December 1. State Fair checks will be in the mail this month.

**P'burg site base council to meet**

Prestonsburg Elementary's site base decision making council will have their regular monthly meeting on Monday, December 1, at 6 p.m.

**Foster Children's Christmas Party**

The Floyd County Foster Parent Association will sponsor a Christmas party on December 22 for the foster children from Floyd County. They are asking for donations, such as toys or books, from persons or businesses. Contact

874-0463; 478-3138; 587-1568; or 886-6216.

**PHS council to meet**

The Prestonsburg High School SBDM council will hold its regular

meeting on Thursday, December 4, at 7 p.m.

**Is life worth prolonging?**

A program, entitled "Is Life Worth Prolonging Beyond the

Lord's Will?", will be held in the Prestonsburg Community College auditorium on December 9 at 6 p.m.

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Sat.-Sun. Mat. 2:20, 4:25

**CINEMA 7** "PG-13"  
**Mortal Kombat**  
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Sat.-Sun. Mat. 2:15, 4:15

**CINEMA 8** "PG-13"  
**Flubber**  
Mon.-Sun. 7:00, 9:00; Fri. Mat. 4:00  
Sat.-Sun. Mat. 2:00, 4:00

**CINEMA 9** "G"  
**Anastasia**  
Mon.-Sun. 7:10, 9:10; Fri. Mat. 4:10  
Sat.-Sun. Mat. 2:10, 4:10

**CINEMA 10** "R"  
**I Know What You Did Last Summer**  
Mon.-Sun. 7:10, 9:10; Fri. Mat. 4:10  
Sat.-Sun. Mat. 2:10, 4:10

**Bone Densitometry now Available at our Lady of the Way Hospital**

Our Lady of the Way Hospital has recently installed and begun testing for bone density to aid in the diagnosis of osteoporosis. Osteoporosis is a "silent" disease that gradually weakens bones, so that patients become more and more fragile and are likely to break bones. Menopause in women is the single most important cause of osteoporosis. It has been estimated that in women over 50 years of age, they have a 40% chance of experiencing a fracture related to decreased bone mass during their remaining lifetime.

To address this problem affecting every family in the community, Our Lady of the Way Hospital recently acquired a DEXA scanner called the "Eclipse" from Norland Medical Systems that represents state of the art diagnostic equipment to measure bone density. The test is painless, quick and noninvasive. It is currently reimbursed by most insurance companies including Medicare, and is available upon request through your physician.

The radiology department has the knowledge and training to address this new technology, as medication are now available to patients for this disease. These medications can build bone density and slow down the bone density loss where it had been diagnosed through the testing procedure now provided at Our Lady of the Way Hospital.

Ask your physician about osteoporosis and DEXA scans. Call Our Lady of the Way Radiology Department for appointments at (606) 285-5181, extension 354.

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Shown above are students of Prestonsburg Community College whose art work is on display at the gallery. Students are, (from left to right) Jack Sagaree, Mark Vanderpool, Shawn Kidd, Jason Daniels, Patricia Goodman and Andrea Martin. Other students not pictured are Ashley Derossett and Dollie Lewis. Jamie Bentley, Tracy Campbell, and Matt Lafferty (not pictured) will also exhibit work.

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# Funds for emergency food and shelter

Floyd County has been awarded \$20,001 to supplement its emergency food and shelter programs in 1998 by the federal Emergency Food and Shelter National Board Program, a national board chaired by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). The funds were appropriated by Congress and awarded to high-need areas based on unemployment numbers. A local board will award the funds to local agencies to expand or supplement their ongoing efforts to meet food and shelter needs in Floyd County.

Each year a new local board is convened by the chairperson of the previous year's board. The judge-executive and local representatives of The Salvation Army, American Red Cross, the Council of Jewish Federations, Catholic Charities, the National Council of Churches of Christ and the United Way must be invited to serve. Other service organizations may also be represented and interested persons, especially Native Americans and people who have experienced homelessness, are encouraged to join.

Persons interested in joining the Phase XVI Board for 1998, should contact Phase XV Chairperson Gwen Hall at 874-9170 by December 16.

The Phase XVI Floyd County Emergency Food and Shelter Board will hold its first meeting on Thursday, December 18 at 10 a.m. in the hall of St. Martha's Church, 75 Martha's Vineyard, Prestonsburg, off Route 302 near Jenny Wiley State Park.

At that meeting, the Floyd County EFSP Board will elect a chairperson, set up an appeal process, and award funds according to guidelines established by the 1997 Board at its September 11 meeting. That board determined that 90% of funds would be spent on emergency food; 8% on shelter (motel stays) and 2% on administration.

Any Floyd County service organization that already serves the hungry and homeless and meets the fol-

lowing criteria may apply for Phase XVI funds. To qualify, local governmental or private voluntary organizations must: 1) be non-profit, 2) have an accounting system, 3) practice nondiscrimination, 3) have demonstrated the capability to deliver emergency food and/or shelter programs, and 5) if they are a private voluntary organization, they must have a voluntary board.

Qualifying organizations may pick up an application packet on Wednesday, December 3, between 11 a.m. and noon from the Catholic Social Service Bureau Outreach Office, 75 Martha's Vineyard, Prestonsburg. Gwen Hall will be available to answer questions and help with the paperwork. Applications may also be requested by calling 874-9170 and leaving a message that includes the name of the contact person, the agency, a mailing address and phone number.

Completed applications must be returned to Hall by Thursday, December 11, and will be considered by the board on December 18. Applicants are encouraged to attend the December 18 meeting to answer any questions about their application.

Floyd County has been receiving Emergency Food and Shelter Program funds for many years. In 1997, \$22,033 was awarded to twelve agencies. The Floyd County Ministerial Association received \$1,342 to provide emergency shelter in local hotels/motels. Ten food pantries received funding to buy food and diapers; St. Vincent's Mission—\$1,500; Mud Creek Community Health Corporation—\$2,500; Christian Service Ministry (known as Drift Food Pantry)—\$2,500; Wayland United Methodist Church Food Pantry—\$2,500; Middle Creek Community Development Club—\$2,500; Betsy Layne Church of God Bread of Life Food Pantry—\$2,000; Fishes and Loaves Food Pantry—\$2,000; and Prestonsburg Food Pantry—\$2,000.

The Catholic Social Service Bureau received \$441 to administer the program locally. The Floyd County Board estimated that these funds will have provided 44,996 meals and 134 nights of shelter by December 31, 1997.

Floyd County's Emergency Food and Shelter Board has done more than just allocate funds in 1997. It has worked cooperatively with all the county's food pantries in serving clients and continually updating a directory of food pantry services that is circulated through local social service agencies. Board members have participated in the welfare reform hearings and meet-

ings. On December 12, they will meet with the Floyd County Bar Association to accept that organization's annual donations to feed the hungry, and will distribute the money evenly between all existing food pantries, not just those who are recipients of EFSP funds. The board also accepts furniture and appliances for fire victims and others who, because of some mishap, must furnish a household with little or no funds. Board secretary Doreen Martin coordinates the storage and delivery of furniture. Furniture donors should contact Martin at 377-2342, or 377-6266 to make arrangements.



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## Loan seminar held

A small business loans seminar is occasionally offered by the Morehead State University East Kentucky Small Business Development Center.

This seminar was held on Tuesday, November 11, from 6 p.m.-8:30 p.m. The instructor was Mike Morley, general management consultant, of the Morehead State University Small Business Development Center.

This seminar was presented at the East Kentucky Beverage Auditorium, (beside Long John Silver's) in Coal Run, Pikeville.

Topics covered at this seminar included: Developing the Business Plan, Preparing the Financial Documents, Making the Loan Presentation and Sources of Small Business Loans. This seminar will be very valuable to anyone who is interested in starting, or who has just started, their own business.

The number of people who can attend these seminar are limited by available space.

For information about upcoming seminars through the Small Business Center, or to pre-register for those events, contact Linda or

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**WHEREAS**, Susan Martin Wells served Highlands Regional Medical Center as an Administrative Assistant for 14 years and as Assistant to the President for one year prior to her death, and

**WHEREAS**, Susan Martin Wells devoted herself fully to the advancement of Highlands Regional Medical Center and her Community, and was untiring in her love and devotion to her family,

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Trustees of Highlands Regional Medical Center has lost a true and loyal friend of the hospital,

whose loss shall be keenly felt by the membership of the Board, and that Floyd County has lost a beloved and respected citizen, and to the family the Board extends sympathy and condolence in the loss of your loved one.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Trustees of Highlands Regional Medical Center at its October 27, 1997 meeting, pays tribute to Susan Martin Wells by the enactment of this Resolution to commemorate her extraordinary service.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES**, that this Resolution be spread upon the permanent records of the Medical Center, and that a copy thereof be delivered to Susan's family, and to the local newspapers.

This Resolution unanimously passed by the Highlands Regional Medical Center Board of Trustees at the meeting of October 27, 1997.

*Robert M. Duncan*  
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# Appalred spellers are champs of Spellabration

by Janice Shepherd  
Managing Editor

They came; they spelled; they were conquered.

Paula Preece, Deborah Schmedemann, and Pam Weiner, representing Appalachian Research and Defense Fund, had honed their spellings skills and outlasted the competition during a Spellabration Sunday at Prestonsburg Community College.

Mountain Arts Center's Misty Daniels, Bob Meyer, and Pam Meyer took second place honors at the adult spelling bee.

The Spellabration was sponsored by the Floyd County Adult Literacy Council and Carter-Hughes Toyota to raise funds for adult education programs in Floyd County.

Competitors raised \$2,340 for adult literacy programs in Floyd County.

The earnings will be used for tutor-training expenses. Jenny Howard, a VISTA volunteer and a co-coordinator of the Spellabration, said Tuesday.

The funds will also purchase computer software for adult learners.

"The software is becoming an invaluable tool for adult education programs, and the Floyd County Adult Literacy Council plans to implement more of this technology into our programs across the county," Howard said.

Instructional materials will also be purchased with the money raised by the Spellabration. The center serves 600 students annually, and lots of supplies are needed, Howard said.

"These expenses should exhaust our earnings quickly, but the awareness we were able to increase means more to our program — and to the entire population of Floyd County — than any amount of \$\$\$," Howard said.

"We recognized great support from our local businesses and the community at large, and hope to see greater involvement in our program as a result of Sunday's event."

Other teams and their members participating in the event — and taking third place — were:

- Bank Josephine, sponsoring South Floyd High School — Brent Cook and Larry Nobili.

- Big Sandy Health Care Inc. — Ellis Buchanan, Lisa Duff, and Tiffany Howell.

- City of Prestonsburg, representing the mayor's office — Rhonda Burchett, Teresa Hayes, and Sue Webb.

- First Commonwealth Bank — Peggy Centers, Della Clark, and Pat Flanagan.

- Floyd County Judge Executive's Office — Judge Ben Hale, Maggie Robinson, and Janet Tackett.

- The Floyd County Times — Jennifer Kendrick, Scott Perry, and Debbie Porter.

- Gearheart Communications, sponsoring Betsy Layne High School — Christibeth Blackburn, Wesley Nelson, and Kristy Stevens.

- Giovanni's, sponsoring Prestonsburg High School — Robert Nelson, Nikki Patton, and Elexas Thornberry.

- Jenny Wiley State Resort Park

- Vickie Ewen, Julian Slone, and Ron Vanover.

- Kaze, Kinner & Chafin — Trish Click, Tina Hall, and D.B. Kaze.

- Pillersdorf, DeRossett & Barrett, sponsoring David School — Craig Bower, Mary Myron Stork, and James Wilson.

- Reno's Roadhouse — Wes Holland, Michael Macelchese, and Angie Wicker.

- Sam an Tonio's — Susie Brackett, Sherry Cline, and Nichole Murray.

- State Wide Press — Debbie Darby, Bill Darby, and Judy Marshall.

- Trans Financial Bank — Ronnie Baldrige, Elizabeth Hamilton, and Ronald Salisbury.

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From right, Misty Daniels, Pam Meyer, and Bob Meyer took second place honors as Appalred representatives Paula Preece, Pam Weiner, and Deborah Schmedemann, correctly spelled the winning word in the Floyd County Literacy Council's Spellabration Sunday at Prestonsburg Community College. Also pictured is M.K. Combs with WYMT.



John Clayton presented an award to Gini Carter-Smith for excellence in her work effort. Carter-Smith's family is formerly of McDowell.

## Carter-Smith receives award

Gini Carter-Smith received the Employee of the Year Award for the Director's Office of the Kentucky Division of Child Support Enforcement. John Clayton, Commissioner of the Department for Social Insurance, presented the award at the 1997 Kentucky Conference on Child Support Enforcement held in Louisville, October 28-30.

Carter-Smith has been a state worker for 18 years, and is currently the Personnel Officer for the

Division of Child Support Enforcement in Frankfort. She is the daughter of Jenny Carter of Frankfort, and the late Curtis Carter. Gini resides in Frankfort with her 14-year-old son, C.J.

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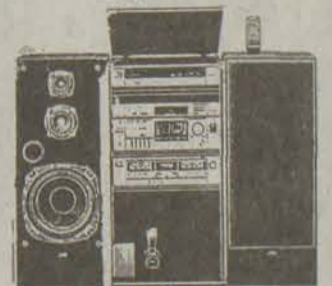
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# Betsy Layne resource center builds character

Betsy Layne Elementary Family Resource Youth Services Center hosted a Character Education Awards Breakfast, October 21.

Character Education is a new concept that "Quality Kids" are trying to promote within the elementary schools in Floyd County with character traits, such as citizenship, respect, tolerance and justice, stressed.

Each student was selected by their homeroom teacher for the first nine weeks grade period.

After students were selected for the award, Karen Allen, principal, notified parents of their children's leadership and invited them to an award's breakfast.

Carolyn Ferrall, the school's Character Education coordinator welcomed everyone to the award ceremony where students and their parents were introduced to Betty

Newman, Rita Howell and Raetta Damron of "Quality Kids." Raetta Damron, who is also with the Kentucky Opry, treated them to special music.

The highlight of the morning came when the students were given their Character Education Award for Citizenship by Teresa Frazier, school counselor.

Brian Akers of the Family Resource Center said, "It was a collaborated effort for this event bringing the school and community together to reward children for demonstrating exemplary character traits."

Chuck Stamper of the county's 4-H program has also incorporated character education in his school programs.

Student award winners were Wesley Akers, Shaina Boyd, Kaylan Cantrell, Rachel Cates,

Austin Collins, Jordan Collins, Chasity Conn, Kristal Daniels, Kelly Hall, Amanda Hollyfield, Duran Jarvis, Lola Justice, Cody Kinney, Clayton McCutcheon, Andie Meade, Tricia Newsome, Chris Roberts, Christina Robinette, Erin Rodgers, Sammy Sanders, Jordan Scarberry, Chris Stanley, Bethany Tackett, Callie Tackett,

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Amanda Bowers was elected as the Queen of the Fall Dance at Osborne Elementary School.

## Prestonsburg writer at state book exhibit

Prestonsburg area resident, Robert Rennick, will be among those on hand to meet the public and sign their books at the 1997 Kentucky Book Fair. The fair showcased an array of prominent authors from around the state and throughout the nation.

Rennick will be signing "From Red Hot to Monkey's Eyebrow," a fascinating guide to unusual name places in Kentucky. From Nonesuch in Woodford County, to Needmore in Casey County, the unique places many Kentuckians call home are examined by Rennick, a trained folklorist and amateur social historian. The book comes complete with map, index and humorous drawings by Linda Bolieau. Rennick also will sign a book which lists historic post offices, "Kentucky's Salt River Valley: A Survey of the Post Offices of the Greater Louisville Area," which covers places long gone and still existing.

Rennick will be part of the largest roster—160 authors—in the 15 year history of the KBF. More than 330 titles, also a record, will be on sale.

**Rennick will be signing "From Red Hot to Monkey's Eyebrow," a fascinating guide to unusual name places in Kentucky.**

There will be a wide variety of biographies, histories, novels, calendars, cookbooks, poetry, photographic and editorial cartoon collections, memoirs, and romance novels. There will be books for children, and on the Civil War, sports, including the University of Kentucky Basketball Wildcats and the Cincinnati Reds.

There will be books on barbecue cooking, the wildflowers of Mammoth Cave, serving tea in style, a singing family, Daniel Boone, and the ordeal of a woman kidnapped by Indians.

Other titles are on the Bingham newspaper empire, the Ohio frontier, the history of coal, spirituality, Kentucky's road to statehood, dealing with grief, Hernando de Sota's exploration of the Southeast, lost treasures, the life of a forest, sewing tools, advice for teenagers, Robert E. Lee and Christmas in Appalachia. Three veteran newspaper columnists will autograph their collections.

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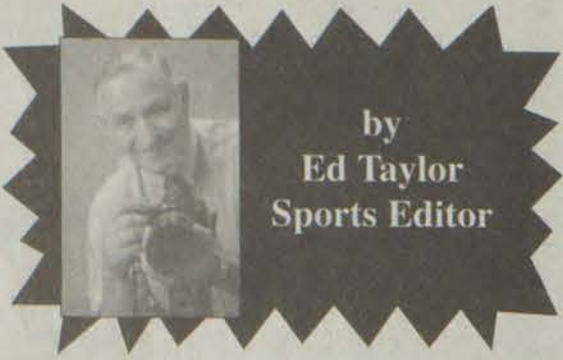
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## A Look At Sports

### Final week of tuning up, as season starts Monday

Finally. The high school basketball season is less than a week away as all eight county schools go through their final tune-up before the season tips off next Monday.

Since practice officially began back on October 15, players, coaches and fans alike have awaited the start of the '97-98 season.

This past Saturday at Johnson Central, three county women's teams played in a panorama as to get an indication of what needs working on for the upcoming season. Of the three games, only one came home with a scrimmage victory. But, really, all panoramas are could be "glorified scrimmage games." They mean nothing, and prove less. It affords a coach the chance to look at some untested players or others that may show a little promise of helping their team.

It gives the regional referees an opportunity to work on some actual game situations, and coaches a chance to get in tune at bugging the officials.

In all, the Johnson Central panorama was a very good one, with some of the best regional teams we have.

South Floyd faced Greenup County, and the still-young Lady Raiders did not fair too well in losing. There were some good signs, and then some old habits were still present. The Lady Raiders, in falling to Greenup County, could not handle the press, something they had better solve because they will see a lot of it this year.

Free-throw shooting continues to be a major, major problem for all county teams. Much like last year, no team really shot that good from the charity stripe.

South Floyd was impressive in putting up the three-point shot, and they have several who can do that.

Betsy Layne fell in their scrimmage game, and looked a little slow in running the court. Their passing was "lazy," and not crisp like you would expect. But the inside game was good, as well as the play out front. Again, free-throw shooting is haunting.

Allen Central picked up a scrimmage win, even though they struggled to pull out the two-point win. Matched against a smaller Elkhorn City team, the Lady Rebels had too many turnovers, and looked to tire very easy.

But on defense, they are ready to challenge any team and when they get their offense, which will come, they will be a team to be reckoned with.

Allen Central's Runnin' Rebels played at Knott County Central Saturday night, and Prestonsburg was over at Perry Central. Both teams will be in this Saturday's shootout at Sheldon Clark in their final scrimmage before the boys' season tips off Tuesday.

What about some of the players who will be on the hardwood this season? There are many good ones. Just for fun, let me give you my Preseason All-Conference team. I know

(See Sports, page four)

## Branham recalls '47 Blackcats

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

This past Friday, November 21, marked the 50th Anniversary of the game when Prestonsburg defeated Pineville in the Flood Bowl to cap off one of the most successful football campaigns of the Blackcat football program at the time.

Seth Branham became a household name in connection to Prestonsburg football, but also in the sports of basketball and baseball, as well. Branham recalled the '47 team, declaring the Pineville game as "the finest hour" for a Blackcat team after defeating Pineville 28-21, to win the Flood Bowl.

"They were without a doubt the best team we played all year," said Branham. "It was a sweet victory because we beat them at home."

Pineville came into the game undefeated, and Prestonsburg (8-1) had suffered but one loss going into the game. The lone loss was a 33-13 beating at

Hazard in the team's fourth game of the season. Branham said the consensus was that the '47 team was Prestonsburg's finest.

"That's just not my opinion, but that of my teammates that live in Prestonsburg, and some friends we played against," said Branham.

Branham, who also starred in three sports, left Prestonsburg High School in 1949, and said he hasn't seen a football, basketball or baseball game in Kentucky. "I'm sorry I haven't," he said.

Branham resides in Idaho Falls, Idaho where he is enjoying the high mountain country and snowfall.

Branham recalled coach John R. Eibner, who coached just the one season at Prestonsburg.

"We were blessed with a great coach in Coach Eibner," he said. "He was 6'3", weighed 240 pounds and never used profanity or raised his voice, but you learned that you had better listen to him."

Branham credited Coach Eibner with

installing the "T" formation for the first time in the mountains, with Louisa being the only other team using the formation.

"We beat them 7-6 at Louisa, and that was the only loss of the season for them," said Branham.

Branham scored the lone touchdown for Prestonsburg, when he scored on a 70-yard run and Ruthie Mayo scored the extra point. But with the win, Prestonsburg still didn't get the respect around the state that fans expected.

Branham further described Coach Eibner as always wearing a felt hat, bow tie, and blazer.

"He was a class individual," said Branham. "All the way. He made us believe we were pros all year long."

But Eibner was a conditioning coach as well, and, according to Branham, had the Blackcats in great condition.

"We never had one injury to any player. I mean no injuries at all," said Branham. "We were in great condition. We didn't have 1A, 2A, or 3A back then."

Prestonsburg was ranked sixth in the state of Kentucky that year.

Prestonsburg's football schedule that season was anything but "cup cakes", and more than often the Cats played away from their lair.

"Why the schedule we had, I'm not sure," explained Branham. "In the 10 games we played that year, seven were on the road."

Branham said in spite of having to play most of the games on the road, still the Prestonsburg fans were there.

"The Prestonsburg fans were so, so, great," he said. "They followed in such great numbers, the town had to be closed down. They were always there for us."

Road games for Prestonsburg in '47 included games against Whitesburg, Jenkins, Pikeville, Louisa, Raceland, Paintsville and Pineville.

Indeed, from past records, Branham was one of the best to play the game of football, not only in Prestonsburg, but in the state of Kentucky.

## Music pumps in 42 points in Allen win over Adams

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

Coach Ashland Gearheart made a statement, and then Ramanda Music backed up that statement with a 42-point performance against Adams Middle School in grade school basketball last week.

"If Mandy gets the ball down low she is hard to stop," said Ashland of Music. "It's two points or a foul."

Music had 17 field goals, and hit eight-of-11 free throws in the 53-44 win over the Lady Blackcats.

Another good one, Ashleigh Ousley, led Adams with 14 points. Heather Nelson finished in double figures with 10 points. The high scoring Erin MaJakey was held to seven points. Cheresh Shepherd added five points, and Kari Ross totaled four points. Tiffany Frasure and Charlie Mullins scored two apiece.

Rachel Mitchell scored five points for Allen. Beth Joseph and Chanel Music had three points apiece.

Allen took a 12-6 lead after the first quarter. Music scored 11 points in the opening period. She added six in the second period, with Allen leading 25-19 at the half.

Ousley had all six of the Lady Blackcats' points in the first quarter, but Nelson picked up the scoring in the second period to keep Adams close.

In the third period, Music scored 13 points, to give Allen a nine-point lead after three quarters. In the fourth quarter, with the Adams defense paying attention, Music hit six consecutive free throws in scoring nine points in the period.



Big move

The South Floyd Lady Raiders had their up and down times in the Johnson Central panorama last Saturday afternoon, but are expected to have a solid season with several veteran players returning. (photo by Ed Taylor)

## Martin buries four treys as Adams Blackcats edge Paintsville Tigers

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

Ryan Martin was rather quiet in the first half of the Adams Middle School game against Paintsville this past Saturday, but the noise he made in the second half, especially the third quarter, was heard all the way up Route 23. Martin hit four three-point baskets in the game in scoring 13 points, but three of those came in the second half, and two in the all-important fourth quarter.

Martin was one of three players who scored in double figures for the Blackcats. Kevin Younce led the Cats with 14 points. Shawn Newsome added 12 points.

Adams trailed by seven points, 41-34, going into the final period until Martin and Newsome got hot hands. Adams outscored Paintsville 16-6 in the quarter to pull out a 50-47 edging of a good Paintsville team in a non-conference game. Newsome had five points in the fourth period. T.C. Hatfield hit some key free throws down the stretch, connecting on three of four attempts. He finished with just

the three points, but they were big ones.

Younce had 10 of his 14 points in the first two quarters. He tossed in four in the opening period that staked the Blackcats to a 14-7 first-quarter lead. Newsome also scored four points in the first.

Chad Harmon, who led Paintsville with 23 points, picked up the offense for Paintsville in the second period. He scored nine points in the stanza, hitting a three-point basket. Harmon led a 20-11 run for the Tigers, to net them a 27-25 halftime lead. The Tigers were perfect from the free-throw line in the second quarter, and missed only one in the first half.

Martin hit his first trey in the second quarter, and only had three at the break. Younce scored six points in the second period, with Tony White netting two.

Paintsville outscored Prestonsburg 14-9 in the third period, behind Harmon who had two three-point baskets and scored 10 points.

Dustin Hall finished with 10 points for Paintsville.

Craig Fleenor, Matt Slone, Philip

Allen and White all scored two points apiece for Adams.

### PAINTSVILLE (47)

player	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Harmon	7	3	0-0	23
Robinson	1	0	3-2	4
Hall	4	0	2-2	10
Gullett	0	0	6-3	3
Rutledge	1	0	1-1	3
Melvin	1	0	2-2	4
totals	14	3	14-10	47

### ADAMS (50)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Martin	0	4	2-1	13
Newsome	5	0	3-2	12
Hatfield	0	0	6-3	3
Younce	6	0	8-2	14
Fleenor	1	0	0-0	2
Slone	1	0	0-0	2
Allen	1	0	1-0	2
White	1	0	0-0	2
totals	15	4	20-8	50

Paintsville..... 7 20 14 6 - 47  
Adams..... 14 11 9 16 - 50

### From the corner

Amanda Hall (50) scored seven points against Morgan County in the final tune up last Saturday before the Lady Cats open against Jenkins this coming Monday night. (photo by Ed Taylor)



# Daredevils edge Betsy Layne 46-42 behind Taylor's 18 points

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

Jessica Paige scored 10 points, and Sara Johnson added eight to lead the McDowell Lady Daredevils to a 42-31 win over the Betsy Layne Lady Cats Tuesday night at McDowell. Johnson had five rebounds in the game.

Jessica Adams added eight points in the win for McDowell. Adams had a three-point basket in the game.

Devon Reynolds scored seven points for the Lady Cats. Natasha Stratton, Kimberly Taylor and Jessie Slone scored four points each.

McDowell led 10-7 after the first period, with Johnson working underneath for four points in the first. The Lady Daredevils took a 18-12 halftime lead to the locker room.

Stephanie Skeans scored five points for McDowell, and had four rebounds. Megan Ousley had a three-point basket, scoring five total points. Ashley Johnson finished with two points.

Kimberly Clark had three points for the Lady Cats, while Danielle Newsome had two points. Brandy Rogers scored one.

## MCDOWELL BOYS PICK UP VICTORY

Justin Taylor pumped in 18 points, and Joe Skeans finished with 13 to lead the McDowell boys to a 46-42 win over Betsy Layne. Skeans scored nine of his points in the second quarter, which included a three-point basket. Taylor had eight points in the second when the Daredevils scored 19 points.

Betsy Layne led 7-4 after the first quarter, with Jordon Compton scoring four points. But the 19-15 spurt by McDowell netted them a 23-22 lead at the half.

Bobo Hamilton hit a hit three-point basket, and scored eight points in the third period for Betsy Layne, but the Daredevils made up the difference from the free-throw line, where they hit four-of-six to stay in front, 35-32.

Jeremy Clark led Betsy Layne with 14 points. Chace Vance added eight, and Compton finished with six. Hamilton had five points. Matt Hamilton and Michael Rogers scored two apiece.

Jason Spriggs added nine points to the McDowell offense. Moore had an off game, and netted only two points. Ward and J.R. Zimmerman scored two apiece.



### For two

Betsy Layne's Shenna Akers (41) scored against Morgan County in the Johnson Central Lady Eagles Panorama last Saturday. Betsy Layne fell 52-37 to the Lady Cougars. (photo by Ed Taylor)

# Future of UK football depends on recruiting

by Cliff Smith  
Contributing Writer

For Hall Mumme and his coaching staff to succeed where so many others have failed, the forthcoming recruiting class in February is of the utmost importance.

The first step has already been taken by the transformation of a previously-anemic offense into the nation's leading pass offense and third best total offense.

The second step must bring in players capable of similarly transforming the defense. That is the challenge of the current recruiting efforts.

Three hurdles must be overcome:

- The lack of a recent winning tradition.
- The size of Commonwealth Stadium in relation to other SEC schools.
- The lack of knowledge about the football facilities — the Nutter Training facility and the indoor field house — at UK.

Plans exist for increasing the seating capacity of the stadium and UK football recruiting coordinator, Claude Bassett, is hard at work

acquainting prospects, their parents, and their high school coaches with the football facilities and program at UK.

Bassett says, "Kentucky is the best-kept secret in American college football." Bassett is out to change that in a hurry.

Kentucky presently has a maximum of 25 football scholarships to award to deserving players, and Bassett expects to use all 25 of them.

According to the new recruiting coordinator, UK will likely sign eight-to-12 Kentucky High School prospects, with the remainder coming from out of state.

The emphasis will be on defensive players, with ideally eight-to-11 defensive linemen, two to four linebackers, and four to seven defensive backs.

Offensively, UK expects to recruit only four offensive linemen, two quarterbacks, two running backs and two wide receivers.

These figures reflect precisely what ideally the staff would like to accomplish.

But a big surprise may come in the number of new walk-ons in UK recruits. It could be as many as four or five dozen.

Bassett himself spends 15-to-25 hours a week reviewing and evaluating films of recruiting prospects,

and other assistant coaches spend six-to-eight hours a week doing the same. Then, during October and November, up to seven coaches go out making visits and attending games in which prospects of interest are playing.

Bassett and his staff already have a computer database of the names and addresses of high school coaches in the state of Kentucky, but they are at work on compiling such a database for all states east of the Mississippi, which is a clear indication of how he, Coach Mumme, and the staff plan to broaden UK's football recruiting efforts.

Most of Kentucky's offense returns next year, but there will be some significant losses from what, even with them, has been a very weak defense.

The transformation of the defense may take two years or even three, but it must begin with the forthcoming recruiting class and Coach Mumme and staff realize that.



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## Johnson's 22 points, 11 boards leads McDowell

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

Sara Johnson did the job both ways as she scored 22 points and pulled down 11 rebounds in leading the Lady Daredevils of McDowell to a 70-42 win over the Lady Hornets of Auxier. Ashley Johnson, who finished with 10 points, had three assists in the game and she is only a sixth-grader.

Game-scoring honors went to Auxier's Jennifer Curnutte, who finished with 25 points. Curnutte had three three-point baskets in the contest. Tiffany Rowe tossed in 12 points doing something that not many are doing in county basketball. She connected on 12-of-17 free throws for her 12 points. Meredith Powers scored four points, and Amie Vanover finished with one point.

After a shaky start in the first quarter, the Lady Hornets got the hot hand in the second period, with Curnutte scoring eight points and Rowe hitting eight-of-10 free throws, as Auxier matched McDowell with 19 points in the quarter. McDowell held a 30-25 halftime lead after leading 19-6 in the first quarter. Johnson scored eight points in the first quarter for McDowell, with Jessica Paige tossing in six.

McDowell went on a 24-6 run in the third quarter to open up a close game. The Lady Daredevils led 62-31 after three quarters. Auxier's six points came on two three-point baskets by Curnutte. Johnson, who went scoreless in the second quarter, pumped in 14 points for the Lady Daredevils.

Rhonda Newsome and Paige finished with eight points for McDowell. Jessica Adams netted seven points, and Megan Ousley scored six. Leigh Ann Tuttle had four points.

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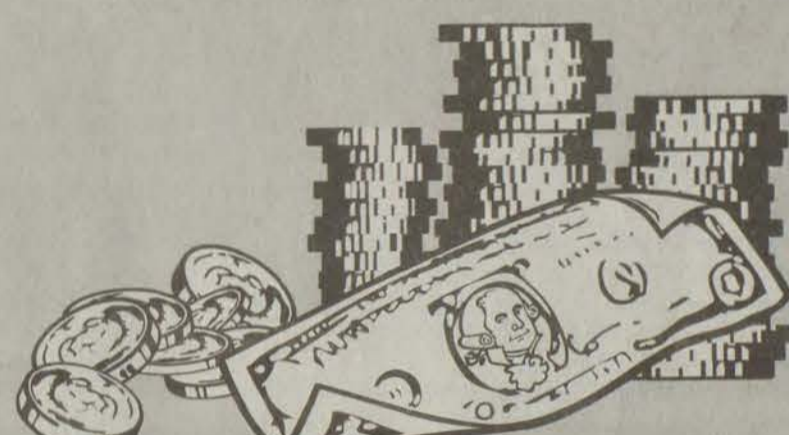
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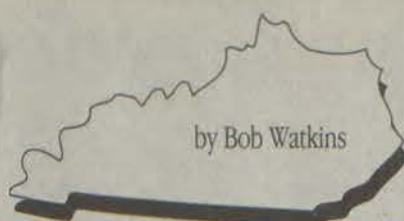


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# SPORTS IN KENTUCKY



## UK football season lived up to media guide cover...and more from the rearview mirror, some observations, and news

• Even at 5-and-6, yes, Kentucky fans, that was a football season. And with a finale for the ages.

• Best quote Saturday: "We're going to work hard in the off-season. Get my guys out there and work and get ready for next season."— Tim Couch.

• The person who composed the cover for UK's 1997 football press guide, please stand up ... and take a bow, pass 'Go' and collect \$200. "It's a whole new BALLGAME," it was shouted above stop-action photos of Tim Couch.

• Anybody think the UK-Tennessee rivalry has lost its luster? There were 61,076 refutations to that notion Saturday at Commonwealth Stadium.

• No, Hal Mumme should not be nominated for sainthood. And UK's coach did not always practice good judgement. But, wasn't it fun? Rick Pitino said, "I like him because he takes responsibility for his mistakes."

• Yes, Hal Mumme made mistakes. But wasn't it a charming departure to hear a coach say things like, "I blew it" and "My bad"?

• Will all those (UK fans) who said Peyton Manning blundered by staying in college another year, take heed of what UT's quarterback means to Tim Couch? And, then consider what Manning told Couch after Saturday's game. "You're good for college football. Enjoy it."

• Yes, game officials do 'take care' of Peyton Manning, give him the benefit of any doubt. Mumme must campaign for like treatment next season.

• First name on my Heisman ballot was never in pencil. Now, it's underlined.

• Jeff VanNote (UK Network) and Dave Rowe (ESPN2) agree on one thing: "UK's Derek Homer is going to be a great running back."

• Message to Derek Homer: North and south! North and south!

• Message to Tim Couch: Stop officiating. Stick to your business.

• I love Jeff Snedegar's style, but his ejection from the Tennessee game is as bad as teammate Mike Webster's spitting in a student's face. Snedegar's heave-ho hurts his team, forces him to sit out the next one, at UoL in August.

• Who would have thought someone would say, "Only 352 days until football season"?

• From the 'College sports is about money' Dept., did you know UK's loss to Tennessee lets the Lexington school in on what will likely be an \$8-plus million payoff for UT and the SEC from bowl game revenues? If the Wildcats had beaten Tennessee, UK's share would be substantially less.

• Perfect postscript to Saturday's season-closer with Tennessee? How about another match this Saturday between Eastern Kentucky and Western Kentucky in the I-AA playoffs?

### COOPER AND MUMME

Louisville's ex-coach received a tax-clear million dollars to take a hike at UoL. Kentucky got a hefty pay increase and contract extension for coaching the Wildcats to one more win than a year ago.

Cooper got what he deserved. Three seasons into a five-year deal, he didn't cut it at UoL because he was never able to spin doctor with Rick Pitino believability, but kept talking anyway.

With nothing but hollow predictions Sunday through Friday that fizzled on Saturday, Coop's attempts to be sunny Ron became hot air, and soon smacked of braggadocio. When Gen. George Patton preached that Americans will not tolerate a loser, he was talking about Ron Cooper and UoL supporters. Fans tramped away in droves from tailgate parties.

Mumme's new contract with UK, on its face, looks like a reward for bringing a feel-good back to Kentucky football, and filling all those Curry-blamed empty seats at Commonwealth Stadium. Alas, we think this is about money all right, but more a pre-emptive strike to allay fears among UK bigwigs that Texas or another football factory might call and woo Mumme away. So much for their faith in a contract.

Ironically, Mumme has been rewarded for doing things that, frankly, still amaze me that Bill Curry never recognized nor thought to try. No, I don't mean open up the offense for Tim Couch, which was a no-brainer. But hire innovative and imaginative men, risk takers, to augment his conservatism and high-mindedness. Men to stir mystery back into UK football, missing since

days of Fran Curci.

Mumme brought to the Div. I light of day Guy Morriss, offensive line coach, and defensive coordinator Mike Major. In his first try, Morriss blended linemen who previously almost got Billy Jack Haskins and Jeff Speedy killed, into an efficient unit in front of Couch that allowed the pride of Hyden and all points to ring up numbers as if football was a Wal-Mart check-out.

Meanwhile, Major, with proverbial masking tape and bailing wire, opted to not punt wherever possible. He fashioned a relentless and commando-minded bandit defense. Then he macro-managed it to add significantly to the fan-happy reality that Kentucky did have a legitimate shot in every game it played.

So, we wonder, will Morriss and Major receive bonuses for jobs well done?

### UK RECRUITING HAUL STRIKES RIGHT CHORD

Indications are Kentucky may have struck the perfect chord with Tubby Smith's first pluckings from the high school class of '97. A collection of signees rated a cut below super-duper (snicker) leaves margin (between the ears?) for Tubby and staff to mold newcomers into a team instead of puddle jumpers to the NBA.

After Tayshaun Prince—rated eight in America by hypster Bob Gibbons, but 63rd by Recruiting USA—UK signee, seems a notch below the ballyhooed dandies on UK's early shopping list. You remember Vince Yarbrough, Joe Pryzbilla, Paris London, Al Harrington, JaRon Rush, Corey Maggette, etc.?

So, a glance at the newest Kittens: J.P. Blevins, 6-2 Metcalfe Co. High. The Gibbons ratings hype aside (where it belongs), the 6-2 Metcalfe County star has the markings of Cameron Mills...Richie Farmer...John Pelphrey...Travis Ford...on back to Larry Pursiful. A kid who (probably) knows about corn bread and milk and Moon Pies, and had a goal on his garage by age five, and a Wildcat tee-shirt by first grade. Put Blevins in a blue uniform and expect everything.

Souleymane 'Jules' Camara, 6-11, Mouth of Wilson, Va. Word is, 'a project.' Same label was applied to another native African a few years back, Akeem (later Hakeem) Olajuwon. As then, the word potential applies here again.

Desmond Allison, 6-5, Tampa, Fla. See Heshimu Evans today, you see Allison tomorrow. Ideally, see Winston Bennett yesterday, see Allison tomorrow.

Tayshaun Prince, 6-7, Compton, Calif. Historically, Kentucky's fortunes with California hot-shots has been remarkably bad. No signee from the Left Coast has prospered here. Perhaps Prince will settle into 'being a UK Wildcat' instead of 'being a Chicago Bull' and change

history.

### DIS 'N DATA

✓ Sam Bowie. It's early but the UK All-American '84 is better than expected as a color commentator sidekick to Ralph Hacker on the UK Basketball Network.

✓ Write this name in your future's book. Michael Bradley, UK's 6-11 freshman, has the look of a man who totes a lunch pail and hard hat to his work and gives The Man a solid day.

✓ Saul Smith. This, ladies and gentlemen, is a recruiting coup. Watch this kid grow, if not taller, then possibly to draw comparisons to Mike Bibby.

### JUST WONDERING

✓ Is there a human being here more worthy of admiration than one who says "my spouse is my hero"?? UK coach Hal Mumme said recently, his hero is his wife, June. Based on interviews with WHAS-TV last week, a radiant June Mumme is every iota deserving of her husband's respect and affection. And ours too.

✓ Will some enterprising intern in UK's sports information office pull a photo of Nazr Mohammed 1995, place it alongside a 1997 one, and work up a before & after recruiting campaign called Butterfly Man for recruiter coach George Felton to send to 6-11 prospect Dan Gadzuric. Physically, Mohammed has metamorphosed from a fat caterpillar freshman into a veritable butterfly and poster boy for UK's conditioning program.

### READERS (RIGHT) WRITE

✓ About UK's football season... H.B. Quinn, Cadiz (E-Mail): Too many years UK has lost games that should have won or at least had a chance to win. This year's Vandy game is a good example of winning one they should have won. It was ugly, but how many ugly games have we lost to Vandy these past few

years? I think Hal Mumme brings an exciting style of play that appeals to fans and players. Also, everything I hear about his relationship with Kentucky high school coaches is positive. Hopefully, the recruiting will be good because it all starts there. I'm another out here who believes all Tim Couch's publicity helps the program.

✓ On being cautious with praise for Mumme...

Robert Campbell, Leslie County (E-Mail): I generally agree with your plea for cautious optimism for new head coach Hal Mumme. While his first year has had some great moments, we are still 2-5 (at the time of this post) in the SEC, as well as 5-5 overall. This is an improvement over most of the Curry years, and some of the Claiborne and Curci years, too. But this shows what a brutal league the SEC is.

"One of my favorite reasons to like Coach Mumme is his wide-open offense. I have agonized for decades while we tried to play "smash-mouth" with SEC teams that are better at it and have been successful at it longer than UK. I like his "hands-on" approach to the offense. He has a "philosophy" of what he wants done on the football field - both offensively and defensively - and that is ATTACK! This, in my opinion, is what was sorely lacking in the program under Curry.

"We will probably not have clear picture of the direction of the program until Mumme's third or fourth year. UK needs defensive help - NOW! - and a steady stream of recruits that can compete in the SEC."

COMMENT: Thank you for writing. And so it goes.

Have a point of view you would like to share? Write to Bob Watkins, Sports In Ky. P.O. Box 124, Glendale, Ky. 42740. Or, E-Mail SptsInKy@aol.com.

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# Duff boys fall to Betsy Layne Bobcats

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

The Betsy Layne Elementary Bobcats placed three players in double figures en route to a 59-36 win over the Duff Bulldogs Monday night at Betsy Layne.

Brant Brooks scored 12 points to lead the Bobcats. Jeremy Clark and Jordan Compton added 10 apiece.

Jeremy Rister led Duff with nine points, and Robert Fitzpatrick tossed in eight points.

Duff led 11-9 after the first quarter behind Rister, who scored seven

points in the opening period. He hit a three-pointer in the quarter. Fitzpatrick and Greg Isaac had two points.

In the second, Betsy Layne picked up their offense, and went on a 17-7 spurt that netted them a 26-18 halftime lead. Clark, Brooks and Dustin Elkins each had four points in the stanza. Josh Bentley drilled a three-point basket for the Bulldogs, while Rister and Isaac had two points each.

Duff trailed by nine points, 37-28 after three quarters. Compton scored six points in the third period for the Bobcats. Isaac scored four Betsy Layne points.

Betsy Layne put the game away with a 22-8 run in the final quarter.

led by three-point baskets from Chace Younce and Matt Hamilton. Hamilton had five fourth-quarter points. Bobo Hamilton scored four in the period. Duff was held to just two field goals in the final stanza, and they hit four-of-11 free throws.

Bentley finished with five points for Duff. Isaac had six, and Nathan Sturgill scored three. Tim Workman and Brian Paige scored two each, while Austin Francis had one point.

Elkins netted four points for Betsy Layne, as did Michael Rogers and Hamilton. Shawn Rose totaled three points, with Younce, Matt Hamilton, and Jonathan King scor-

## KGHA holds grouse hunt

The Kentucky Grouse Hunter's Association is sponsoring a Draw Hunt for Grouse on December 6. There will be two hunters per group, and each person may bring one dog.

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The hunt is sponsored by the Paintsville Recreation Department. There will be a dinner on December 7 for club members only.

Also, the KGHA is holding a grouse hunt on December 19, 20 and

21 at the Pennyrile National Forest. The hunt is for club members only.

For more information on either hunt, or, if you wish to participate in the hunts, contact John Cantrell at 297-4218, or call the Paintsville Recreation Department at 789-2612.

## AMS rolls past MCA

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

Coach Neil Turner made a wise decision when he benched all his regular starters, and opted to let his "B" team start when the Blackcats hosted the Mountain Christian Academy Falcons this past Tuesday night at Adams.

The regular starters did get to some action, coming in the fourth quarter.

Jeff Allen led the Blackcats in scoring with eight points, as everyone played, and all but two got in the scoring column. Aaron Neeley, Chris Spriggs, Tony White, Barry Sturgill, Zachary Stone, Philip Allen and T.C. Hatfield each scored six points in the victory. Matt Turner added five points, all of them in the fourth quarter. Josh Yates and Andrew Howell each scored four points. Ryan Martin and Shawn Newsome totaled two apiece, while Josh Murdock scored one point.

Caudill led the Falcons with his six points. Repunyan netted five points, with Barnette scoring four. Burchett, Halbert and Beatty tossed in two each.

Adams led 9-5 after the first quarter, with Spriggs scoring four points in the opening quarter. A 20-6 run by the Blackcats gave them a 29-11 halftime lead.

MCA had only eight field goals in the game, and hit only six-of-19 free throws.

Adams will entertain Paintsville this Saturday. MCA travels to McDowell on Monday night.

## Sports

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there will be some surprises this year, and someone will have a great season that we don't know about. But, looking from last year until this season, here it is:

- Andy Jarvis Prestonsburg
  - John Ortega Prestonsburg
  - Todd Howard Allen Central
  - Craig Johnson Betsy Layne
  - Wes Samons Prestonsburg
  - Justin Paige South Floyd
  - Joe Campbell Prestonsburg
  - Scott Collins Betsy Layne
  - Gary Hunter Allen Central
  - Neil Newsome Betsy Layne
  - Nick Compton South Floyd
  - Kyle Conley Prestonsburg
  - Jesse Hall Allen Central
  - Justin Holbrook South Floyd
  - Jason Keathley Prestonsburg
- The girl's Preseason All-Conference team was a little harder to pick. There are so many good ones:

- Natalie Cooley Allen Central
  - Shelly G'house Prestonsburg
  - Misty Scott Allen Central
  - Crystal Martin Allen Central
  - Jessica Clark Betsy Layne
  - Misty Berger South Floyd
  - Jesse Burke Prestonsburg
  - Mandy Music Allen Central
  - Jennifer Hopkins Allen Central
  - Sabrina Yates Betsy Layne
  - Amanda Compton South Floyd
  - Margaret Morgan South Floyd
  - Ladonna Slone Prestonsburg
  - Amanda Hall Betsy Layne
  - Kimi Nunnery Prestonsburg
- Now this is just my list. And it is all PRESEASON! Could be, none of these will make it, but I wouldn't count on that, either. It will be interesting, when the final list does come out, how it matches up with this one. I'm sure someone will keep this one, and let me know.

### DEDICATION

Henry Webb is a dedicated coach. Just how dedicated? Well, he went to Johnson Central and coached his girl's team in the Johnson Central panorama, and then went and got married. Way to go, Henry.

I wish both of them the best, they both are wonderful people.

### WHY?

Why all the work on the D.W. Howard gym floor at Betsy Layne, when practice and ball games have to be called off because of rain? That's right, rain. The old roof leaks so bad that practice or games cannot be held in the gym.

This is not a new wrinkle, but one that has been there for the past

four years. Herb Kingsley has been running out on the floor, and wiping up the water for a long time. Doesn't someone think it is time to fix the problem and give Herb a rest?

I understand that coaches Tim Rice and Bill Newsome have used the water buckets on the floor to catch the falling rain, to teach their respective team dribbling drills.

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Basketball. I lost count of how many grade school games I have attended, but it has been fun. I look forward to the high school season as well.

While I will not be able to attend every game, I sure would appreciate it if each coach would just fax me a copy of their scorebook after each game, home or away. I am more than willing to make every effort to get every game in the sports section. But, if I cannot get information, then I cannot print it. Now, when a team loses, then it doesn't seem necessary to print it, but, what if you player or players have a good game (win or lose)? In such a case, they deserve recognition.

### YOUNG HAS SUCCESSFUL SURGERY

Rusty Young, former Prestonsburg Blackcat, underwent successful knee surgery last week and is doing fine. Rusty, who starred at center for the football Blackcats, had surgery at the Kentucky Sports Medical Surgery Unit in Lexington. We wish Rusty the best and a very quick recovery.

I hope that every coach, every player, every fan, every one who reads this section and those who don't, has the very best Thanksgiving. I really mean that. I appreciate everyone of you, and remember the real reason for giving thanks.

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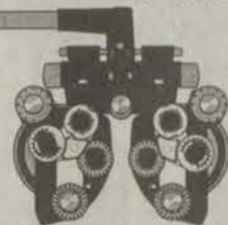


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**Spriggs, Skeans leads McDowell**

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

Jason Spriggs scored 15 points, and Joe Skeans added 12 to help lead the McDowell Daredevils past

**Combs scores 20 in 43-28 Duff win**

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

The Duff Lady Bulldogs outscored Betsy Layne 14-0 in the third quarter, and went to record a 43-28 win over the Lady Bobcats in grade school basketball Monday night.

Beth Combs tossed in a game-high 20 points, and Donnetta Mullins added 10 points to lead the Lady 'Dawgs.

Devon Reynolds topped the Lady Bobcats with 10 points. Kimberly Tackett netted six points.

Betsy Layne held a 13-10 lead after the opening quarter, with Reynolds scoring seven points in the first quarter, and hit a three-point basket. Mullins kept Duff close with four points in the first period.

Combs scored six points in the second quarter, as Duff was two-points better in the second, but still trailed 21-20 as the two teams went to the locker room at the half. Clark scored four points in the second period for Betsy Layne.

Betsy Layne struggled offensively as the third period unfolded, while Combs and Mullins each threw in six points to lead the 14-0 run for the Lady 'Dawgs. Betsy Layne never could recover from the third quarter margin.

Clark, and Jodi Stapleton finished with four points for Betsy Layne. Brandi Bentley and Danielle Newsome had two points each for Betsy Layne.

Amber Scott and Leslie Martin netted four apiece for Duff. Lauren Robinson scored three, and Johnny Ison had two points.

a good Auxier team, 53-36 in a game played at Auxier Monday night.

McDowell improved to 7-2 overall, and 3-1 in conference play.

Eric Jarrell scored 14 points to lead the Hornets. Jody Harris netted 11, while Jason Compton scored six points. Brandon May tossed in three points, and Steven Jones scored two.

Skeans scored seven first-quarter points to lead the Daredevils to a 18-10 first-quarter lead. Justin Taylor, who finished with seven points, had five of those in the opening quarter.

Adam Ward scored four in the initial stanza, and he finished the game with nine points.

Harris and Compton had four apiece for Auxier after the first quarter.

May scored two points in the first period.

McDowell went on a 12-7 run in the second quarter, and led 30-17 at the half. Spriggs, who was shut out in the first quarter, scored

eight points in the second. Harris hit a three-point basket for Auxier, with Compton and Jarrell scoring two points.

Jarrell had a six-point third period for Auxier, but the Hornets trailed 42-25 after three quarters. Ward and Spriggs hit treys for the Daredevils, Ward scoring five points in the period.

In the fourth, Jarrell again had six points for Auxier. Both Spriggs and Josh Moore had four points for McDowell.

Free-throw shooting for both ball clubs was horrendous. McDowell connected on only four-of-12 attempts, while Auxier could only hit three-of-12.

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**Hits jumper**

Sophomore Natalie Cooley put up a jumper against Elkhorn City last Saturday in scrimmage action at Johnson Central. Cooley scored 14 points in a 52-50 win over the Lady Cougars. (photo by Ed Taylor)

**Smith, Tackett combine to lead Melvin past Prater**

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

Rusty Tackett just missed a triple-double in the Osborne Holiday Classic at Wheelwright last Monday night. Tackett scored 20 points, had 10 assists, but pulled down only nine rebounds to lead the Cougars to a 57-35 win over a very strong Prater Creek team.

Matt Smith had three, three-point baskets, and finished with 19 points. He had five rebounds and two assists. Jeremy Tackett finished in double figures with 11 points. Tackett hauled in nine rebounds, had four assists, and came up with six steals.

Nick Spears scored 14 points to lead Prater Creek. Wesley Spears, still on the come back, finished with seven points. Craig Keathley scored six.

Tackett netted eight first-quarter points that gave the Cougars a 19-4 first-quarter lead. Tackett had six

points in the first, and Smith buried one of his treys and scored five points for the Cougars. Keathley and Sinters had a field goal apiece for Prater.

Sinters drilled a three-point basket, and scored five points for Prater in the second period, but the Cougars trailed the host Cougars, 29-17 at the half.

Smith picked up the offense for Melvin in the third quarter, scoring 12 points to lead a 20-10 charge. He hit two three-point baskets in the quarter. Nick Spears had six points for Prater Creek in the period.

Coach Tony Isaac said he was pleased with the way his team performed.

"We played an excellent game against a very good team," he said. "I thought Jeremy played more under control. Kevin (McKinney) played a good defensive game I thought. He gave up his scoring to play defense."

**Melvin has three in double figures**

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

The Melvin Cougars placed three players in double figures, and rolled to a 50-27 win over the Auxier Hornets last Tuesday night at Wheelwright in front of a large crowd.

Matt Smith led the Cougars with 13 points. Rusty Tackett and Kevin McKinney added 10 points apiece. Jeremy Tackett just missed double digits with eight points.

Steven Jones led Auxier with eight points, as Auxier placed seven players in the scoring column. Jason Compton, Eric Jarrell and Jody Harris scored four points each. Steven Jones and Jeffery Jones had

two points apiece. Michael Ousley scored one point. Jones scored all of his points in the fourth period, hitting a three-point basket to lead a 10-2 Auxier spurt.

For Melvin, Adam Branham hit a three-pointer in the third period and finished with three points. Adam Tackett, Ronnie Brown and Charles Mullins scored two points apiece.

Melvin just about scored all the points they would need in the first quarter, when they put 25 points on the scoreboard. McKinney had 10 first-quarter points, and Smith scored seven in the period. Jeremy Tackett netted six.

Melvin led 25-3 after one quarter and took a 38-9 lead at the half.

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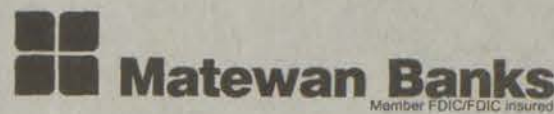
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# OBITUARIES

## Eva Mae Hazlette Estep

Eva Mae Hazlette Estep, 86, of Paintsville, died Wednesday, November 19, 1997, at Sayre Christian Village Nursing Home in Lexington.

Born March 11, 1911 in Magoffin County, she was the daughter of the late Thomas Hazlette and Hannah Collinsworth. She was preceded in death by her husband, George Estep.

Survivors include three sons, George Estep and James Estep, both of Lexington, and David Estep of Van Lear; five brothers, John Hazlette and Sammie Hazlette, both of Ypsilanti, Michigan, James E. Hazlette of Prestonsburg, and Clyde Hazlette and Thomas Hazlette, both of Hager Hill; five sisters, Ruth Centers of Paintsville, Mattie Wright and Julie Swartz, both of Daytona Beach, Florida, Fannie Louise Ehman of Shelby, Ohio, and Sarah Hazlette of Ft. Wayne, Ohio; five grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Saturday, November 22, at 11 a.m., at the Jones-Preston Funeral Home Chapel, with Dick Vanhoose and Manford Fannin officiating.

Burial was in Highland Memorial Park in Staffordsville, under the direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

## Eugene Flannery

Eugene Flannery, 67, of Beaver, died Sunday, November 23, 1997, at his residence, following a brief illness.

Born January 30, 1930 in Pike County, he was the son of Liza Wright Flannery of Beaver and the late Alvin Flannery. He was a retired coal miner and member of the U.M.W.A. Local No. 5899 at Wheelwright.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by his wife, Dona Hall Flannery; three sons, Jimmy Flannery and Jerry Flannery, both of Harold, and Udale Flannery of Beaver; three daughters, Betty Compton of Allen, Linda Nunemaker of Dwale, and Sandy Tackett of Beaver; one sister, Linda Gail Tackett of Beaver; eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, November 25, at the Samaria Old Regular Baptist Church at Teaberry, with the ministers of the Old Regular Baptist Church officiating.

Burial was in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

## Joe Berger

Joe Berger, 78, of Bevinville, died Friday, November 21, 1997, at his residence, following an extended illness.

Born October 12, 1919 in Warren, Pennsylvania, he was the son of the late Joe and Ida Berger. He was a retired coal miner, a World War II veteran, a member of UMWA Local No. 5899 at Wheelwright, and baptized in the Pentecostal Church.

Survivors include his wife, Pearl E. Hall Berger; five sons, Charles Guy Berger, Donald Ray Berger, Eddie Dean Berger, all of Bevinville, Joe David Berger of Virgie, and Jimmy Darrell Berger of Independence; two daughters, Karen Caudill of Bevinville and Linda Reed of Pikeville; 12 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, November 24, at noon, at the Wheelwright Freewill Baptist Church, with Rev. Louis Ferrari officiating.

Burial was in the Matthew Tackett Cemetery at Melvin, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

## Erlan Sturgill

Erlan Sturgill, 88, of Betsy Layne, died Sunday, November 23, 1997, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital.

Born November 11, 1909 at Toler, she was the daughter of the late B.F. and Maude Sturgill Roberts. She was a member of the Harold Church. She was preceded in death by her husband, Rufus Sturgill.

Survivors include two sons, Gene Sturgill of Pikeville and Willie Guy Sturgill of Louisville; five daughters, Nadine Lingle, Lou Sturgill and Joyce Casale, all of Louisville, Barbara Richardson of Betsy Layne, and Charlotte Justice of Pikeville; two brothers, Guy Roberts of Harold and Rell Roberts of Lexington; three sisters, Ruby Young of Prestonsburg, Lydia Roberts of Seattle, Washington, and Winnie Hume of Sarasota, Florida; 14 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, November 26, at 1 p.m., at the Harold Church of Christ, with the Evangelists James H. Harmon and Bennie Blankenship officiating.

Burial will be in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel, under the direction of Floyd Funeral Home, Prestonsburg.

Serving as active pallbearers will be Keith Lingle, Todd Lingle, David Billiter, Chris Biliter, Danny Forsyth, Steven Forsyth, Mike Sturgill, Kevin Ray, Sean Purser and Mike Westerfield.

Serving as honorary pallbearers will be Raymond Workman, Anthony Workman and Mathew Lingle.

## Marie Osborne Johnson

Marie Osborne Johnson, 76, of Hi Hat, died Thursday, November 20, 1997, at the Saint Joseph Hospital in Lexington, following an extended illness.

Born March 24, 1921, in Buckingham, she was the daughter of the late Jefferson and Liney Ellen Mullins. She was a retired retail merchant and owner and operator of Johnson's Grocery at Hi Hat. She was a member of the Burton Pentecostal Church of Bypro, a member of the Eastern Star, Wheelwright, and a member of the Hi Hat Community Club.

Survivors include her husband, Curtis Johnson; two sons, Marvin Glenn Johnson of Sumter, South Carolina and Donald Wayne Johnson of Winchester; two daughters, Anita Little of Bypro and Eloise Stiltner of Phyllis; two sisters, Audrey Hall of Bevinville and Nawonie Conley of Lexington; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Sunday, November 23, at 11:00 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel with clergyman Louis Sanlin officiating. Burial was made in the Buckingham Cemetery at Bevinville, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers were Vernon Hall, Jerry Hall, Ken Osborne, Jeff Osborne, Wes Odis, Jerry Simpson, Hobert Hall and Randy Long.

## Leo Moore

Leo Moore, 40, of Wayland, died Wednesday, November 19, 1997, in an accident on Rt. 80, Martin.

Born May 14, 1967 at Mousie, he was the son of Glenn Moore and Ethel Patrick Moore. He was disabled.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by his wife, Madonna Thornsby Moore; one son, Luke Moore of Wayland; four daughters, Penny Moore, Megan Moore, Rachel Moore and Samantha Moore, all of Wayland; three brothers, Billy Ray Moore of Hazard, Steven Moore of Knott County, and James Moore of Estill; and six sisters, Brenda Neal of Milford, Indiana, Jeanette Slone of Hindman, Wanda Greer of Allen, Linda Risner of Knott County, Patricia Moore of Knott County and Teresa Lynn Moore of Florida.

Funeral services were Saturday, November 22, at 2 p.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home Chapel.

Burial was in the Bailey Cemetery at Hueysville, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

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Just joy beyond compare,  
While still on earth you miss me yet,  
You wouldn't want me there,  
If you could see where I have gone.  
If you could see where I have gone,  
I had made the trip with me,  
You'd know I didn't go alone,  
The Savior came with me.  
When I awoke, He was by my side,  
And reached down His hand,  
Said, "Hurry now, You're going home  
to a grand and glorious land."  
"Don't worry over those you love,  
For I'm not just with you,  
And don't you know with you at home,  
They'll long to be here too?"  
If you could see where I have gone,  
and see what I've been shown,  
You'd never know another tear  
Or ever feel alone,  
You'd marvel at the care of God  
His hand on every life,  
And realize He really cares,  
And bears with us each strife.  
And that He weeps when one is lost,  
His heart is filled with pain  
But Oh! the joy! when one comes home.  
A child at home again.  
If you could see where I have gone,  
Could stay with me awhile,  
Could share the things that God has made  
To grace eternity.  
But, no, you couldn't ever leave,  
Once Heaven's joy you'd known,  
You couldn't bear to walk earth's paths  
Once Heaven was your home  
If you could see where I have gone.  
If you could see where I have gone,  
You'd know we'll meet some day,  
And though I'm parted from you now,  
That I am just away.  
So, thank you, loved ones, thank you friends,  
For living for the Lord,  
And now that I'm at home with Him,  
Secure in every way,  
I'm waiting here at Heaven's door,  
To greet you some sweet day.

Sadly missed by her children and grandchildren.

## Dollie Newsome Thacker

Dollie Newsome Thacker, 71, of Robinson Creek, died Friday, November 21, 1997, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg.

Born July 16, 1926, she was the daughter of the late Sam Newsome and Zellie Little.

Survivors include two sons, Tommy Bentley and Richard Bentley, both of Caney Creek; two daughters, Billie Sue Tackett of Caney Creek and Geraldine Conway of Bellvidere, Illinois; two brothers, Sam Newsome Jr. and Chester Newsome, both of Caney Creek; one sister, Lizzie Bowling of Bowling Fork; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Sunday, November 23, at 1 p.m., at the R.S. Jones and Son Funeral Home Chapel, with the Old Regular Baptist Church ministers officiating.

Burial was in the Gid Little Cemetery at Caney Creek, under the direction of R. S. Jones and Son Funeral Home, Virgie.

## Joan Patton Slavens

Joan Patton Slavens, West Prestonsburg native and graduate of Prestonsburg High School, died November 20, 1997, at her Golf Club Estates home in St. Petersburg, Florida. She had formerly lived in Ashland and worked as an accountant for the Fairchild Buick and Kopps Office Supply Company. She was a member of the South Pasadena Community Church and the Pasadena Civic Association.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Preston Slavens. She was the daughter of the late John and Dona Meadows Patton.

Survivors include one son, Gary Slavens of Raleigh, North Carolina; one daughter, Cara Slavens of Ann Arbor, Michigan; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were at the Royal Palm Mausoleum in St. Petersburg, with Rev. Erich Heintzen officiating, under the direction of the David G. Gross Funeral Home.

## Clive Akers Jr.

Clive Akers Jr., 54, of Emerson, New Jersey, died Sunday, November 16, 1997, in New Jersey.

Born July 26, 1943 at Garrett, he was a son of the late Clive and Orpha Chaffins Akers. He was a Navy veteran having served 20 years, he was a member of American Legion Post 206, Westwood Navy Fleet Reserve Association and the National Rifle Association.

Survivors include his wife, Linda Akers; three daughters, Anna Lee Gibbs of Wellington, Laura Cornell, and Heather Akers of Emerson, New Jersey; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, November 19, at 10:00 a.m., at the Becker Funeral Home in Westwood, New Jersey. Burial was made in the George Washington Memorial Park, Paramus, New Jersey.

Obituary provided courtesy of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

## Beatrice Hall

Beatrice Hall, 76, of Wheelwright, died Saturday, November 22, 1997, at UK Medical Center in Lexington, following an extended illness.

Born October 19, 1921 in Floyd County, she was the daughter of the late Wid and Dolly Johnson Hall.

Survivors include two sons, Virgil Hall of Wheelwright and Kenny Meade of Bevinville; one brother, Wid Hall Jr. of Dayton, Ohio; one sister, Rethal Meade of Bevinville; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, November 25, at noon, at the Wheelwright Methodist Church, with Bobby Isaac and ministers of the Old Regular Baptist Church officiating.

Burial was in the Hall Cemetery at Bevinville, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

## Draxie Hall Hopson

Draxie Hall Hopson, 92, of Mountain Manor Nursing Home, Prestonsburg, died Wednesday, November 19, 1997, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg.

Born April 4, 1905 in Floyd County, she was the daughter of the late James Emory Hall and Minda Moore Hall. She was preceded in death by her husband, James W. Hopson. She was a member of the Auxier Freewill Baptist Church.

Survivors include four sons, Glenn E. Hopson of Thelma, Alex Webb Hopson of Omar, West Virginia, Jim Ray Hopson of Martinez, Georgia, and Palmer D. Hopson of Winchester; two daughters, Eileen Davis of Alexander and Opal June Toth of Willoughby, Ohio; 14 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Saturday, November 22, at 1 p.m., at Jones-Preston Funeral Home Chapel, with Bobby Joe Spencer officiating.

Burial was in Richmond Cemetery in Prestonsburg, under the direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

## Dannie Ray Isaacs

Dannie Ray Isaacs, 59, of Louisville, formerly of Floyd County, died Wednesday, November 19, due to cancer.

Born October 24, 1938 at Teaberry, he was the son of the late Arthur Isaacs and Dorothy Stewart Isaacs. He worked as a carpenter and steelworker. He was a U.S. marine veteran.

Survivors include three children, Michael, Dannie Jr. and Rebecca, all of Florida, and Daniel of Louisville.

Burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery in Louisville.

Honorary pallbearers were Wade Martin, Justin Newman, Paul Felty, Bill "Crush" Dingus, Billy Dingus and Arnold Hall.



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# OBITUARIES

## Betsy Louise Goble

Betsy Louise Tyler Goble, 67, of Lexington, formerly of West Liberty, died Friday, November 21, 1997, at St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington.

Born March 13, 1930 at West Liberty, she was the daughter of the late Roy and Stella Taulbee Tyler.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles Goble. She was a Sonitrol Security Monitor, a member of the First Baptist Church at West Liberty, a Morgan County High School salutatorian and a member of the Paulina Chapter No. 360 Order of Eastern Star.

Survivors include one daughter, Deborah Cottle of Lexington; one son, James A. Goble of Lexington; two brothers, James A. Tyler of Rochester, New York, and Roy Tyler Jr. of Stanton; one sister, Marie Davidson of St. Louis, Missouri; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, November 24, at 10 a.m., at the Potter Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Shirl Davidson officiating.

Burial was in the Salyer Cemetery at West Liberty, under the direction of Potter Funeral Home Inc., West Liberty.

## Verlin Shores

Verlin Shores, 74, of West Liberty, formerly of Endicott, died Wednesday, November 19, 1997, at his residence.

Born March 18, 1923 at Clintwood, Virginia, he was the son of the late Arthur and Pearl Vanover Shores.

He was a retired coal miner and former owner of Shore's Grocery Store.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Rissie Blackburn Shores.

Survivors include two daughters, Brenda Crider and Billie Joe Snyder, both of Endicott; one brother, Aulden Shores of Mansfield, Ohio; two sisters, Helen Rose of Arlington, Texas, and Mildred Wolf of Glen Burnie, Maryland; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were Saturday, November 22, at 11 a.m., at the Floyd Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Nathan Lafferty officiating.

Burial was in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel, under the direction of Floyd Funeral Home, Prestonsburg.

Serving as active pallbearers were Donald Morrison, Micheal Morrison, Burnes Spears, Kenneth Blackburn, Mark Blackburn, Jeff Jervis, Marvin Shores, Stevie Shores, Bill Collins, Bill Collins Jr., Beverly Crider and Russell "Red" Hackworth.

Honorary pallbearers were Bryan Blackburn and Verlin Ray Crider.

This obituary is reprinted due to an error.

## Bessie Miller Webb

Bessie Miller Webb, 97, of East Point, died Thursday, November 20, 1997, at her residence.

Born November 18, 1900 in Lawrence County, she was the daughter of the late Henry B. Miller and Tealie Meade.

She was a teacher at the Lawrence County Schools.

She was preceded in death by her husband, McKinley Webb, on April 19, 1972.

Survivors include six daughters, Geneva Saunders, Kinalene Horne and Addie Stambaugh, all of East Point, Estillene Martin of Lyndon, Ohio, Emogene Music of Auxier, and Muriel Dutton of Dayton, Ohio; three brothers, David Miller and Edward Miller, both of Louisa, and Junior Miller of Monroe, Michigan; one sister, Kitty Ruth Carroll of Monroe, Michigan; 13 grandchildren, 24 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services were Sunday, November 23, at 2 p.m., at Jones-Preston Funeral Home Chapel, with Dave Flanery officiating.

Burial was in the Webb Family Cemetery at East Point, under the direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

# PCC gets new telephone system

Students at Prestonsburg Community College will have better access to the information they need, when they need it, once an obsolete mechanical telephone system serving the college is replaced by a high-tech digital system in mid-December at a cost of about \$115,000.

"Acquisition of a new telephone system is long-overdue," said Dr. Deborah Floyd, PCC president. "For several years now, we have had digital-video distance-learning technology which provides our students with access to courses taught at locations all over the world, but we have not been able to provide them with reliable telephone access to the PCC campus from only a few miles away."

In her remarks to an All-College Meeting last January, Floyd told PCC employees that "how we treat our customers — in other words, the degree of satisfaction they feel regarding our performance, or nonperformance — will determine whether PCC is, or isn't, successful."

Reflecting on her earlier remarks, she said, "This new phone system should certainly increase the degree of satisfaction our customers feel regarding our service."

Most of the money for the new phone system was allocated from the college's fund balance last year and was supplemented by additional funds from this year's budget. A new phone system has been included in PCC's Strategic Plan since the 1995-96 fiscal year. The University of Kentucky approved funding for the new system early last month.

The new phone system will improve access to all offices on the PCC campus by increasing the number of trunk lines from 9 to 11. Special features that will enhance public access to all college offices and services include:

- Automated attendant — callers who know their party's extension number or the spelling of their last name can be transferred to their party without speaking to an operator; those who need assistance can still speak to an operator.

- Voice mail — callers whose parties are unavailable may leave messages that can be retrieved by the intended recipient from any phone by use of a password or code; the outgoing message on any extension may also be changed at any time from any phone by use of a password or code.

- Zone messaging — a single message may be left on groups of extensions simultaneously.

In addition, the new system features a stand-alone personal computer loaded with accounting software that will log all phone calls and perform cost analysis on phone use.

Robert McAninch, professor of political science, who teaches several distance-learning courses offered by PCC, said, "Most of the communication between me and the students who take these courses is by telephone. Our old, obsolete phone system created a number of problems for distance-learning students who needed to reach me in the past. The advanced features of this new, computerized phone system should virtually eliminate all of the technical problems these students have faced in

trying to reach me."

Gia Hall, director of admissions/registrars, said the new phone system will improve her staff's ability to respond to requests for information from students and prospective students.

"Our office is the first stop for most prospective students and the special features of the new phone system will enable us to better manage the numerous requests for information that we receive on a daily basis," Hall said.

## Thank You

The family of Markus L. Little (Doc) and the family of Marco Slone would like to thank Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Hestor Flower Shop and the '97 football team of South Floyd, and members of the Old Regular Baptist, and all who were there for his family at their time of need.

GARY AND BRENDA LITTLE AND FAMILY

## CARD OF THANKS

The family of Hershell Hamilton would like to thank everyone who helped us during our time of sorrow. We especially want to thank McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, Left Beaver Rescue Squad, the Lexington VA Medical Center, Samaria Old Regular Baptist, the McDowell First Baptist Church, the Floyd County Sheriff's Department, Homer and Ruby Howell and everyone who sent the beautiful flowers and food during our sorrowful time.

The family of Hershell Hamilton

Elisha "John C." Howell lived seventy years. He was born October 28, 1927, and died November 21, 1997. He was a member of the former Missionary Baptist Church of McDowell. He was the son of Jarvey and Lizzie Cox Howell of Price, Kentucky, who preceded him in death.

After serving the United States Armed Services he returned to Floyd County. In June 1949, John C. married Zella Anderson. They lived many years at several places along the Ohio River. He was employed by the United States Corp of Engineers. After retirement they made their home at Neville, Ohio.

From their union were born one daughter: Pansy Woo of Cranford, New Jersey, two sons, David Gerald Howell of Batavia, Ohio, Jarvis Dean Howell of Neville, Ohio. Four granddaughters - Caroly, April, Melissa and Stephanie. Two great grandchildren - Jeana and Joshua.

Two brothers and two sisters preceded him in death: Carl Akers, Teddy Howell, Garnett Akers Hays and Sally Howell Hutshion. He leaves four brothers: McKinley Howell of Dayton, Ohio, Burbage Howell of Plymouth, Ohio, Roland Howell of McDowell, Kentucky and Ralph Howell of McDowell, Kentucky.

Funeral services for Elisha "John C." Howell, was conducted Tuesday, November 25, 1997, at 11:00 a.m., at the First Baptist Church, McDowell, KY, with the Clergyman Harry Hargis officiating. Burial followed in the Anderson Family Cemetery, McDowell, KY, with the Hall Funeral Home, Martin, KY, caring for those arrangements.

Pallbearers: Chuckie Howell, Tommy Woo, Ricky Howell, Jim Howell, Dale Stumbo, John Floyd, Johnny Floyd, and Glen Floyd.

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The family of Alfreda Henson would like to thank all of our friends and loved ones who sent flowers and food. For their kind words, prayers and love during our time of sorrow. We would like to especially thank Louie Ferrari, Wheelwright Freewill Baptist Church, Tracy Patton, Betsy Layne Freewill Baptist Church, Dr. Chandarana and staff, Dr. Reddy and staff, Life Line Ambulance Service, McDowell ARH, Floyd County Sheriff's Department, and Special Thanks to Hall Funeral Home.

FAMILY OF ALFREDA HENSON

## CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank all the people who helped us in anyway during our time of grief. If it was a hug, smile, food, flowers or if you just sat with us awhile, we thank you. Every gesture meant so much to us. Our loss may never fade away, but our friends and family made it somewhat easier to bear. Once again, thanks to everyone who helped us in anyway. A special thanks to Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, sheriff's office, Samaria Church and the many Old Regular Baptist ministers who stood by us. We will never forget the love and affection we were shown.

The family of Magalene Tackett  
Sue, Ricky, Nicky, Greg, Shelia, Charlotte,  
Dana, Ken, Kevin, and Kimberly

## CARD OF THANKS

The family of John Jasper Bartuka wishes to gratefully acknowledge the thoughtfulness and kindness of friends, relatives and neighbors upon the loss of our loved one. Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, prayers or spoke comforting words. We are especially grateful to the Wheelwright United Methodist Church, the clergyman, Bobby Isaac, for his comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

The family of John Jasper Bartuka

## CARD OF THANKS

The family of Anna Isaac would like to extend their appreciation to all those friends, neighbors and loved ones who helped comfort them during their time of sorrow. Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, prayers or spoke comforting words. A special thanks to the clergyman, Lori Vannucci, for this comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

The family of Anna Isaac

## CARD OF THANKS

The family of Anna Catherine Bailey would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their help upon the loss of our loved one; those who sent food and flowers, or just spoke comforting words. A special thanks to the clergymen, Ondie Wireman and Kevin Hughes, for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

The family of Anna Catherine Bailey

## CARD OF THANKS

The family of Bertha Conn wishes to thank all those friends, neighbors, and family who helped in anyway upon the passing of their loved one. Thanks to those who sent food, flowers, prayers and words of comfort expressed. A special thanks to the Little Salem Regular Baptist Church, Dana, Ky., the Regular Baptist ministers for their comforting words, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

The family of Bertha Conn

## CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mossie Lee Butler wishes to thank all of those who were so kind and considerate during our time of grief. We want to thank those who sent flowers and gifts of love. We especially want to thank the clergymen, Ted Shannon and Denver Meade, for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

The family of Mossie Lee Butler



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# David couple attends national awards anniversary in Washington

Daniel J. Greene of David and his wife, Ann, attended ceremonies in Washington, D.C., November 17, commemorating the 25th anniversary of the Jefferson Awards.

Greene, founder and director of The David School, received a Jefferson Award in 1994 for his service activities in regard to the private, non-profit school which addresses educational needs of youth and adults in Floyd and surrounding counties.

The Jefferson Award grew out of the establishment of the American Institute for Public Service in 1972

by Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis, U.S. Senator Robert Taft Jr., and Sam Beard. Their goal was to "establish a Nobel Prize for outstanding public service in America," according to a published history of the organization.

Greene was one of only 25 past award winners who were selected to attend the 25th anniversary celebration.

The day's activities included roundtable discussions at the Library of Congress on "Trust and Participation in a Democracy" and "Grassroot Activism as Model for

Change." Discussion leaders included such dignitaries as journalists Art Buchwald and Lesley Stahl, actor Michael Keaton, retired U.S. Senator Howard Baker Jr., and Elaine Chao, wife of Kentucky Sen. Mitch McConnell, among others.

The celebration culminated with a banquet Monday evening at the National Museum, hosted by Keaton and Stahl, with music by the Peter Duchin Orchestra and country singer Ronnie McDowell.

Each year between 350 to 400 individuals are recognized by the institute in their local area, and around five of these are chosen as national recipients of the Jackie Kennedy Onassis Awards for Outstanding Public Service Benefiting Local Communities. Greene was among five persons nationally who was chosen for this award in 1994.

Newspapers, television stations and cable companies typically nominate persons in their region for local awards and for national recognition. Greene was nominated by WCHS-TV in Charleston, West Virginia. Jo Corey, who is in public affairs for the station, joined the Greenes for the anniversary celebration in Washington.

The David School, which Greene founded in 1974, began as an alternative high school for young people who had dropped out of public school. Providing academic and vocational instruction, it now also

serves those who are at high risk of dropping out. In addition, it has evolved into a multi-purpose educational institution, providing adult education and literacy instruction, a preschool program and a family learning center program. It receives no public support except through competitive grants and relies on contributions from foundations, corporations and individuals.

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Dan Greene, right, poses with actor Michael Keaton and Jo Corey of WCHS-TV during the 25th anniversary celebration of the Jefferson Awards in Washington, D.C.

## School board member training to be reviewed

The Appalachia Educational Laboratory (AEL) will review training for local school board members and make recommendations for improvement as a result of a grant awarded by the Department of Education's Bureau of Management Support Services.

AEL will use the \$29,278 research grant to conduct an in-depth analysis of local school board member training.

This third-party review will look at the content, delivery and effectiveness of the required hours that certify elected school board members to serve on local boards of education.

The results and recommendations will be presented to the Kentucky Board of Education at its June 1998 meeting.

For the next six months AEL will be in Kentucky, observing and interviewing boards and training programs and collecting current research findings that relate to effective board operations.

"The research findings will enable us to provide more effective training for local school board members," said Becky Goad, the department's school board member liaison.

"The role of local boards has changed dramatically since the passage of the Kentucky Education Reform Act in 1990, and good training is essential for success."

## Holiday travelers will find low prices at the gas pumps

There is good news for motorists traveling this Thanksgiving weekend as gasoline prices are down 4.3 cents from this time last year, AAA Blue Grass/Kentucky reports.

AAA's monthly Fuel Gauge Report shows the average price for regular self-serve unleaded gasoline nationwide is \$1.234, down three cents from last month - the biggest monthly drop in two years. Across the state, the average price for regular self-serve unleaded is \$1.128 and in Lexington the price is down to \$1.10, four cents below last month's average. Locally, prices varied from a high of \$1.19 to a low of \$1.06.

An estimated 32.4 million Americans will travel 100 miles or more from home this holiday weekend, making this Thanksgiving the busiest in AAA's 13 years of tracking holiday travel projections. Over 27 million people will travel by car, truck or van and as expected, over 62 percent of travelers will be staying with family or friends.

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## 150,000 jobs, 40,000 new homeowners legacy of USDA rural programs in '97

The U. S. Department of Agriculture recently issued a "rural report card" to the nation, summarizing the impact of its rural development programs during fiscal 1997. Jill Long-Thompson, under secretary for USDA's Rural Development mission area, cited major gains in the areas of rural homeownership, community facilities construction, business development and the expansion of rural water and utility service as evidence of the Clinton-Gore Administration's commitment to improving the quality of life in rural America.

"More than 150,000 rural jobs were created or preserved and more than 40,000 single-family homes were purchased by rural Americans during 1997, thanks to the USDA Rural Development programs," Long-Thompson said. "We also made major gains in expanding telecommunications, and other utility services rural Americans will need to be competitive in the 21st century."

Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman said the effectiveness of USDA Rural Development programs are being magnified by working in partnership with other public and private entities. "USDA has been able to improve the lives of many more rural residents and the communities in which they live by working in tandem with state and local governments and with private enterprise," Glickman said.

Nationally, USDA Rural Development provided \$2.6 billion in loans and grants for rural housing, \$226 million for community facilities, and \$540 million for rental assistance for low-income rural people.

USDA also provided \$936 million in loans and grants to help start or expand rural businesses and cooperatives, and \$1.3 billion to finance rural water or wastewater projects.

It is provided \$824 million to help rural electric cooperatives expand and improve their services,

and loaned \$380 million for rural telecommunications projects. An additional \$8.6 million was used to finance distance learning and telemedicine projects.

In Kentucky, USDA Rural Development programs created or preserved 1,886 jobs and helped 1,450 rural people purchase homes.

"Most Americans know USDA assists the nation's farmers and looks after the national forests, but many are unaware of the much broader impact USDA programs have on rural America," said Thomas G. Fern, state director for USDA Rural Development in Kentucky.

"Whether it is providing rural areas with access to quality health care or education, helping rural Americans buy or repair homes, extending clean water service or supporting businesses and cooperatives that create good jobs, USDA Rural Development programs are helping to pump new life into the nation's rural economy." Rural America encompasses 80 percent of the nation's land area, and is home to about 20 percent of its people.

Fern cited the following as major highlights of 1997 for USDA Rural Development programs in Kentucky:

- Provided financing to help 1,450 rural people buy single-family homes, USDA also financed the building or rehabilitation of 110 units of multiple family housing. In total, USDA's Rural Housing Service invested more than \$81,145,580 either as loans, guaranteed loans or grants in rural housing last year.

- Helped to build new or improved community facilities—including a child day care center, nursing home, city hall, vocational school, two fire trucks and two hospitals—in 11 rural communities, by providing more than \$4,677.70 in loans, guaranteed loans or grants. These facilities serve a rural population of approx-

imately 109,000.

- Provided in excess of one million dollars in rental assistance to help nearly 6,000 rural, low-income households obtain well-built, safe housing. Half of the rental program beneficiaries were elderly, with average annual incomes of less than \$6,000.

- Financed the start-up or expansion of 15 rural businesses or cooperatives, creating or preserving more than 1,710 jobs in the process. Over 32.5 million was approved for the past year for the guaranteed and direct Business and Industry (B&I) program to rural business and cooperatives.

- Extended \$800,000 under the Rural Development Economic and Grant Program (REDLG) to rural electric cooperatives currently participating in the Rural Utility Service program for commercial development or expansion.

- Loaned \$3,500,000 to local non-profit entities or public bodies to re-lend to local businesses in the rural community through the Intermediary Relending Program (IRP).

- Provided more than \$30 million in loans and grants for 49 rural water or wastewater projects that serves 23,596 people.

- Provided \$211,410 in grants and \$135,229 in loans for two distance learning and telemedicine projects that serve rural citizens in Kentucky, West Virginia, Virginia and Tennessee.

"When USDA was reorganized in 1994, rural development programs that had been scattered among numerous agencies were collected under the umbrella of USDA Rural Development to create a stronger, more flexible and better integrated rural development agency," Long-Thompson said.

"We are seeing ample evidence that this new agency is the major force behind the renewal of our rural heartland. USDA is now better able to offer help to some of the nation's neediest rural communi-

## Students at PCC named to Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges

The names of 50 students from Prestonsburg Community College who have been selected as national outstanding campus leaders will be included in the 1998 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges.

Campus nominating committees and editors of the annual directory have included the names of these students based on their academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities and potential for continued success. They are recognized as members of an elite group of students from more than 1,800 institutions of higher learning in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, and several foreign nations.

PCC students included in this year's directory are:

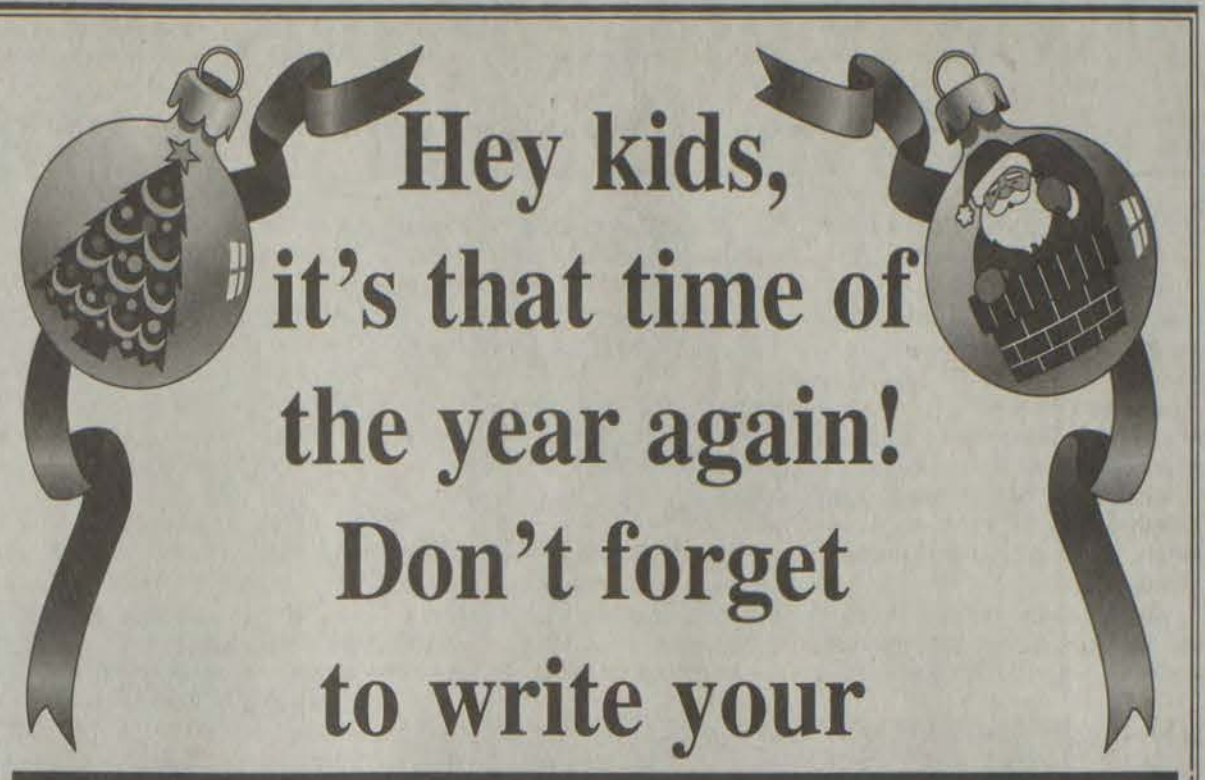
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# PRESTONSBURG JUNIOR BASKETBALL LEAGUE

## JUNIOR VARSITY HAWKS VS SPURS

Josh Bingham scored a game-high 19 points to lead the Hawks to a 46-25 win over the Spurs in junior varsity play this past Saturday at the Adams Middle School gym. Austin Francis added nine points, and Shane Hatfield scored six. Brittany Bates finished with four, while Jeremy Shepherd, Jason Hughes, Shawn Whitt, and Heather White scored two points each.

Tommy Layne had eight points to top the Spurs. Nathan Lafferty added six points, as did Ryan Hammonds. Tyler Burke scored two points, and Michael Stephens had one point.

Bingham scored eight points in the first quarter for a 15-2 lead. The Spurs struggled big time at the free-throw line in the first half, hitting only four-of-16 free throw attempts. The Hawks led 19-8 at the half.

Layne hit a three-point basket, and scored five points for the Spurs in the fourth quarter. Bingham had the only three-point basket for the Hawks.

## LAKERS VS SIXERS

The Sixers placed seven players in the scoring column, and posted a 29-16 win over the Lakers Saturday. Kory Caudill scored eight points to lead the Sixers. Four of those came in the first quarter. Justin Ferrell had six points, and Brandon Hurt scored five, all in the third quarter. Trevor Compton netted four, while Tony Meade and Chad Allen had two points each.

Kyle Wicker and Kris Bentley had six points each to lead the Lakers. Eddybanks Kuss scored four points.

## PACERS VS BULLS

Michael Morrison and Adam Meade combined for 31 points to lead the Pacers to a 39-16 win over the Bulls. Morrison scored a game-high 19 points, and Meade added 12 points. Kyle Ousley netted six, and Johnny Newsome scored two.

John Mark Stephens led the Bulls with six points. Kevin Smiley totaled four, as did Chanel Music. Michelle Lackey had two points.

The Bulls led 5-4 after the first quarter, and took a 9-8 lead to the locker area at the half. But a 17-2 third quarter put the Pacers in front to stay.

Morrison scored 10 points in the third period, including a three-point basket. He had six points in the fourth period.

## TRAINING LEAGUE PISTONS VS BULLETS

Andrew Shepherd had 13 points, and Nick McGuire added eight to lead the Bullets past the Pistons, 25-15. Michael Lackey and Justin Conn scored two points each.

Tommy Johnson led the Pistons with nine points. James Absher scored the other six points.

It was 2-0 in favor of the Pistons after the first quarter. The Bullets went on a 6-4 run in the second period to lead 8-4 at the half.

## BULLS VS LAKERS

Zach Stanley had a game-high 14 points for the Lakers, but it was the Bulls coming away with a 26-20 win over the Lakers in training league basketball.

Chase Carpenter led the Bulls with 12 points. Darcie Hicks added six, while Tyler Layne and Chayse Martin scored four points each. Carpenter scored all 12 of his points in the second half, hitting eight in the third and four in the fourth.

## HORNETS VS HAWKS

The Hawks scored a 25-15 win over the Hornets behind Michael Lafferty's 12 points. The Hawks took a 12-0 lead after the first quarter, with Lafferty and Bryan Whitten scoring six points each. Whitten finished the game with six points. Tiffany Burke netted four points. Chris Oliver and Zack Ousley scored two and one points, respectively.

Jonathan Moore led the Hornets with his eight points. Alex Hammonds tossed in two points.

## SIXERS VS SONICS

Brooke Herrick scored a game-high 14 points to lead the Sonics to a 31-12 win over the Sixers. Herrick scored eight of her points in the third

period, after scoring six in the second quarter. Chase Brown and Jesse Drury added six points each. Alanna Green scored three points, and Matthew Crisp finished with two.

Aaron Patton led the Sixers with four points. Trevor Patton netted three, while Adam Layne scored two. Josh Holbrook finished with one point.

## PEE WEE LEAGUE KNICKS VS PACERS

J.D. Head scored all 12 of his teams' points as the Pacers turned back the Knicks 12-5 in Pee Wee basketball. Andrew Brown and Steven Perry scored two points each for the Knicks. Billy Robinson had one point.

## NETS VS MAGIC

Zach Bragg and Seth Setser scored six points apiece in a 14-2 win over the Magic. Allen Craynor added two points for the winners.

Joshua Clouse scored the only two points for the Magic.

## LEAGUE STANDINGS

Junior Varsity		Pee Wee League	
Hawks	2-0	Nets	2-0
Sixers	2-0	Knicks	1-1
Pacers	2-0	Pacers	1-1
Bulls	0-2	Magic	0-2
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## Balanced scoring gives Melvin win over Auxier

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

The Melvin Lady Cougars used a balanced scoring attack to hold off a good Auxier team in grade school basketball at the Wheelwright gym Tuesday night. Tiffany Williams and Ashley Thornsberry scored 10 points each to lead Melvin to a 38-27 win.

Game scoring honors went to Auxier's Jennifer Cunnotts, who finished with 19 points, and buried four three-point baskets. Tiffany Rowe scored the other eight points for the Lady Hornets.

Williams scored six of her points in the first quarter, as Melvin built a 12-5 lead at the first stop. Carla Hall, who had four points for the game, had all four in the opening period. Cunnotts hit her first trey in the first quarter.

Melvin led 23-11 at the half, and was in front by 15 points after three quarters, 35-20. Cunnotts scored nine points in the third, hitting two three-point baskets. She scored her final five in the fourth, and hit a

trey.

Thornsberry did not get involved in the Melvin offense until the third period, when she scored eight points. Her other two came in the second period.

Toni Little and Jessica Petty finished with six points apiece for Melvin. Hall had four, and Liz Williams tossed in two.

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Betsy Lane High School \$69,670.38	Betsy Lane High School	January \$8,000.00
Betsy Lane Elementary \$18,693.69	February \$2,200.00	June 852.00
John M. Stumbo Elementary \$9,852.06	February 650.00	June 7,000.00
Harold Elementary \$6,300.00	February 450.00	August 685.64
Prater Elementary \$1,000.00	March 4,000.00	August 3,550.00
	April 850.00	November 1,000.00
	May 150.00	December 4,000.00
	June 18,000.00	Total \$25,087.64
	June 500.00	
	July 1,350.00	
	July 108.00	
	July 1,000.00	
	September 3,000.00	
	September 100.00	
	Total \$37,358.00	

LICENSED CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION QUARTERLY REPORT

License No. 0610  
 Name of Organization Betsy Lane High School PAC, Inc.  
 Mailing Address P. O. Box 241  
 City, State, Zip Stanville, KY 41659

Reporting Period  
 Calendar Quarter for 1997  
 1 2 3 4  
 (circle one)

PART 1

GAMING ACTIVITY	GROSS RECEIPTS	CASH	NON CASH	ADJUSTED GROSS RECEIPTS
1. Bingo	1. 121,570	1. 135,000	1. -	1. 13,430.
2. Pulltabs	2. 332,475	2. 266,807	2. -	2. 65,668.
3. Raffles	3.	3.	3.	3.
4. Special Licenses	4.	4.	4.	4.
5. Non Cash Prize Wheels	5.	5. Not Applicable	5.	5.
TOTAL	6. \$454,045.	6. \$401,807.	6. -	6. \$52238

FEE DUE (line 6 gross receipts x .005).....\$ 2270.23

PART 2

EXPENSES (As listed on Attachment A)

1. Gaming Supplies.....	1. 11,306.08
2. Gaming Equipment.....	2. -
3. Facility Rent.....	3. 7,800.00
4. Utilities.....	4. -
5. Insurance.....	5. -
6. Advertising.....	6. 53.00
7. Janitorial Services.....	7. -
8. Bookkeeping & Accounting Services.....	8. 330.00
9. Security.....	9. 1034.15
10. Char. Gaming Trade Organization Dues.....	10. -
11. Other (Pursant to 500 KAR 11:120, excluding purchase of non-cash prizes).....	11. 2600.22
TOTAL	12. \$23,123.45

TOTAL TRANSFERS TO GENERAL ACCOUNT DURING QUARTER.....\$24,000.00

SIGNATURE AND VERIFICATION

Under penalty of perjury, I declare that I have examined this report, including any accompanying schedules and attachments, and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is a true, correct, and complete report. Declaration of preparer (other than organization official) is based on all available information.

OFFICER OF ORGANIZATION MUST SIGN REPORT

Officer: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Preparer, if not Officer: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: Accountant Date: 10-24-97  
 Pat Conn

Daytime Phone: (606) 478-9437

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 Weddings/Engagements . . . . . C 5  
 New Arrivals . . . . . C 6  
 Birthdays . . . . . C 7  
 Ag News . . . . . C 7  
 Kounty Kettle . . . . . C 10

# Lifestyles

The Floyd County Courthouse offices will close at noon Wednesday for Thanksgiving.

PSA

## Moms hate head lice

I guess it's just another example of art imitating life, but a couple of weeks ago, little April in the comic strip For Better or Worse, discovered she had head lice.

Poison Oak



Clyde Pack

Of course, "having lice" is not a subject totally unfamiliar in literature because even Harper Lee, in To Kill a Mockingbird, devoted a chapter

to describing the reaction of the new teacher (Miss Caroline) upon discovering a cootie crawling around on the head of Burris Ewell. Yet, while it's quite natural in real life, and perhaps even in certain pieces of serious literature, for a kid to bring home from school a headful of lice, it may seem a bit unusual for such a discussion to appear in the funnies. Of course, this is the same strip that caused such a national uproar a while back when they killed off the family dog.

Anyway, April has lice and her mom has told her not to worry, that they're harmless. Then she calmly goes about the business of getting rid of them.

Calmly? Did I say calmly? Here's where a comic strip (that apparently strives to portray reality) and I part company.

Take it from me, mothers are not calm when it comes to head lice.

I'd always thought of my mother as being typical. She was—for the most part—a sane, rational, clear-thinking woman. But looking back, I'm sure she likened anyone having lice as someone having committed a deadly sin. Therefore, the mere mention of head lice at school caused her to go bonkers.

And, it didn't have to be the Muddy Branch school, either. If she heard on the radio or read in the Grit that there was an outbreak of head lice in a school in rural Mississippi or northern Montana or even in Bangor, Maine, it was all the same. What resulted was that my little brother Joe and I would find ourselves down on our knees with our heads in Mom's lap being gone over with a fine-toothed comb...literally.

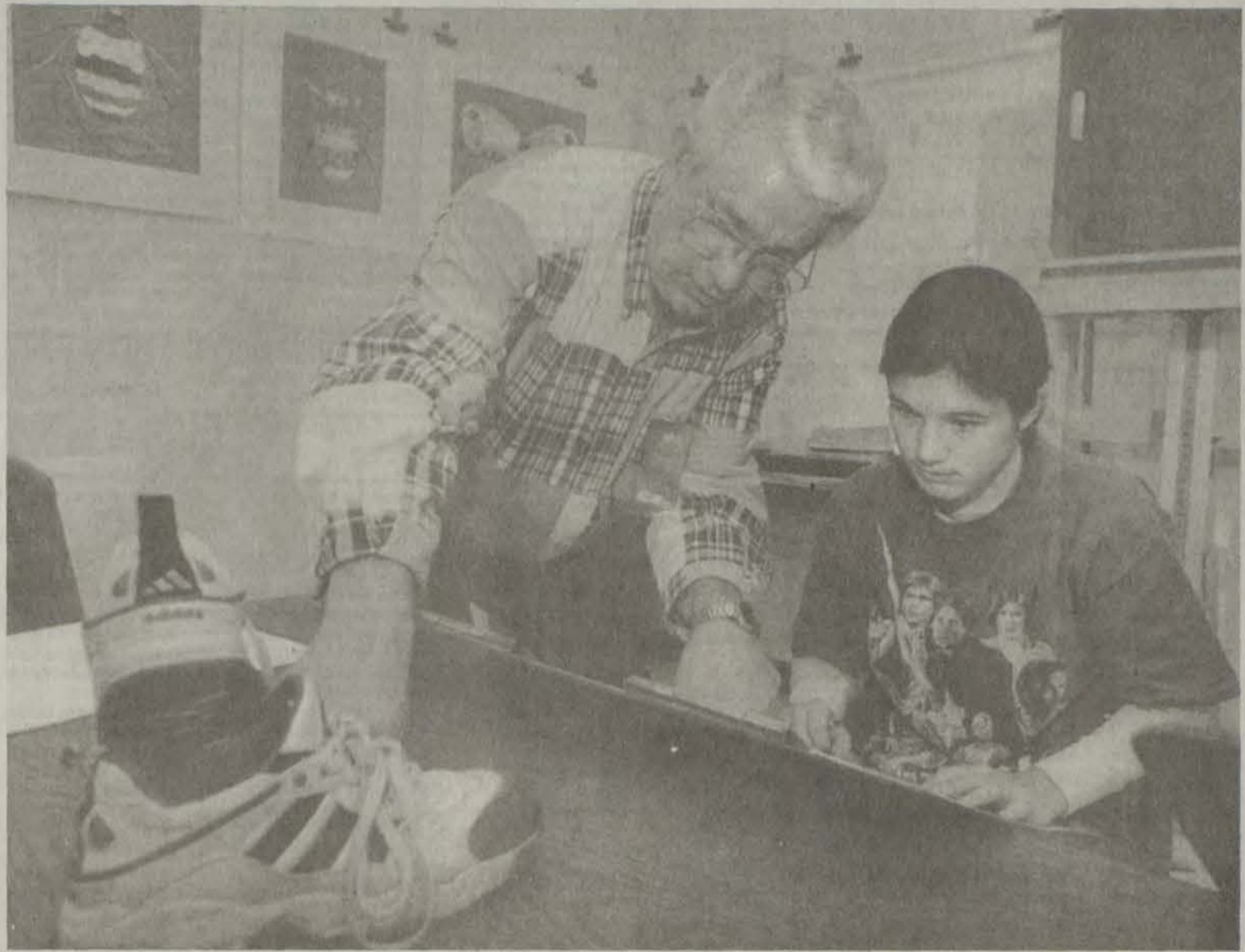
The teeth on that comb were like a hundred little razors. And, apparently she was of the opinion that it didn't do any good unless each tooth went all the way to the bone. When she'd get through, our scalps felt like two freshly-turned new grounds.

"It isn't a sin to catch lice," she'd say, "but it is a sin to keep 'em."

"But, I...ouch...ain't...owww...got 'em!" I'd argue. "You won't ever have, either, if I can help it," she'd answer.

As it always turned out, for all her excavations, she never once unearthed a living creature, and I shudder to think what might have happened if she had. I can remember, however, when other kids (whose moms probably hated lice as much as mine did) would come to school with their hair all slicked back with Blue Ointment and stinking to high heavens.

Come to think of it, some of the experiences I encountered growing up in an Eastern Kentucky coal camp would make a wonderful comic strip.



Art teacher Bill Fraley, a former resident of Floyd County, helped a Drawing I student at Big Walnut High School in Ohio, draw her shoes as a study of light, dark and values. Fraley is retiring after teaching for nearly 30 years. Fraley is the son of Alta Fraley of Prestonsburg and the late Challie Fraley. (photo by Joy Parker, ThisWeek)

## Fraley retiring as art teacher

Editor's Note: The following story is reprinted with permission from ThisWeek in Big Walnut, Ohio, about former Floyd Countian Bill Fraley, son of Alta Fraley of Prestonsburg and the late Challie Fraley. Fraley, who lives in Westerville, Ohio, recently retired from teaching art in the Big Walnut High School in Ohio. He credits his success as an art teacher to the late Frankie Best, a Floyd County art teacher, and educators at Morehead State University; the Ohio State University; and Prestonsburg High School.

by Joy Irwin  
 ThisWeek Staff Writer

"I don't think I chose teaching," Big Walnut (Ohio) art teacher Bill Fraley said. "I think teaching kind of chose me. There are a lot of things that are easier to do than teaching, but once you get into it there is nothing any better to do. It is fantastic."

Fraley was scheduled to retire (a couple of weeks ago) after spending 32 years in service to Ohio education, all

of which, with the exception of one-and-a-half years, have been in the Big Walnut School District.

"I have known Bill for the duration for the time I have been here," Big Walnut Superintendent Melissa Conrath said. "He is respected by the staff and is an institution at the high school. He will be greatly missed. He cares very deeply for the school and it is a mutual feeling by the staff. He is upbeat and has done so much for the school. I hate to lose such a positive teacher. He has given far more than his teaching. His contributions are extended beyond the classroom."

During his years as an art teacher for Big Walnut, Fraley has served on the Principals' Advisory Committee, taught evening adult art classes, arranged for his students to paint Christmas windows in the community, developed Student Appreciation Day, developed spectacular fall homecoming halftime shows with fireworks, designed the layout for the art department in the new high school, participated in the Jennings Scholarship Program, and received the Golden

Apple Achievers Award from Ashland Oil Company.

He is particularly known for his wacky, creative and often elaborate stunts promoting Student Appreciation Days and homecoming.

"Seven years ago, one of the things we might do for Student Appreciation Day, we would have badges made up and gold decorations," Fraley told ThisWeek. "We would meet the students with donuts and juice. The kids would get off the bus and have no idea that it was happening that day. When we did the first one, we had some of the parents involved, and we sent a fire truck out and brought kids in. One time, we had a student who couldn't seem to get to school on time. We sent him a limousine and brought him to school. The cooks would prepare a special lunch day. The faculty would serve the food and everybody got it free. We would do all kinds of things like that. Those were wonderful times. We would make floats and sundaes and have the board and staff serve. We did picnics on the patio during lunch.

"We started with homecoming, and

then we did fireworks. People dressed up as characters being cheerleaders, and those were the superintendent and teachers. Our homecomings were quite spectacular. We had sky divers. I had one school call the principal and ask if I would do their homecoming. I didn't, because I had enough to do here." Big Walnut High School principal Charles Workman said Fraley has contributed a lot to the spirit of the school.

"He is an excellent teacher," Workman said. "He has done a lot of things over the years to promote school spirit and involve students. One thing that sticks out in my mind is that if I were to ask him to do something, I knew he would far exceed what I would do. I knew he would do it perfectly to a fault. He would take pride to the umpteenth degree. I appreciate that in someone. I knew it would be done flawlessly and perfectly. That is one of the many things I could say about him. But to me, that is one thing I will remember about him. I will miss him as a teacher, and I will miss him more

(See Fraley, page four)

### Ten Years Ago (November 25, 1987)

Mayor Ann Latta indicated growth and financial improvement in her state of the city report, saying that city workers will receive a five-percent pay raise...The Floyd County Public Library re-opened with a new look after extensive renovations...Two of the county's four magistrates listened to "cultured woes" at the last fiscal court meeting...A Prestonsburg native, James Arthur Hughes, was credited with assisting the area's economic growth and commercial expansion...Delmer Parsons, 42, of Allen, lost his life Thursday at the Jaco Mining Company when a highwall collapsed...A Friday night raid at a Martin home netted a marijuana find at the home of 25-year-old David Watson by Martin City Police...The Floyd County Solid Waste Program was selected by the Department of Waste Management to host the annual Kentucky Landfill Management School...There died...Martha Jo Crisp, 62, of Allen, Tuesday, from injuries sustained in an automobile accident...Alex Mullins, 82, of Betsy Layne, Monday, at his home...Walter Setser, 44, of West Prestonsburg, pronounced dead at the scene Saturday on US 23 by the Pike County coroner...Marvin Park May, 61, of Martin, Monday at Central Baptist Hospital...Lynda Ellen Hall, 85, of Martin, Tuesday at Highlands Regional Medical Center...Delphia Hamilton Hall, 73, of Galveston, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital...Patrick Henry Stricklin, 83, of Little Paint, Saturday, at his home...John Gilbert Mace, 38, of Humble, Texas, former-

ly of Printer, Monday, at the Veteran's Administration Hospital in Huntington, West Virginia...Johnnie Morris Parsons, 73, of Pikeville, Monday, at the Veteran's Hospital in Huntington, West Virginia...Kenneth Barry Peters, 40, of Martin, Monday at Highlands Regional Medical Center...Harlan Bentley, 63, of Teaberry, Saturday, at his residence...and Elva L. Akers, 99, of Banner, Saturday, at his residence.

### Twenty Years Ago (November 23, 1977)

A crime wave which swept Wheelwright and vicinity, beginning Friday morning and continuing through Monday morning, included the dynamiting of a home, the burning of the city hall-fire department building, the theft of four vehicles, breaks into four buildings, and the shooting and wounding of a Knott County man...Ground was broken Friday at the North Lake Drive site here of the \$690,000 Prestonsburg Municipal Building. Special guests at the ceremony were Congressman Carl D. Perkins and Charles Mason...Two major water distribution projects in Northern Floyd County have been fully funded, and work on both is expected to be underway by early next spring, it was said this week by water district

leaders...Work has begun on a \$3 million South Central Bell project that will provide Prestonsburg residents with the most modern and efficient telephone service available, according to Phill Scott, local telephone company manager...What may have been the stiffest sentence imposed in the area for first-degree assault was handed down in circuit court here last Thursday by the jury sitting in the trial of a Hueysville man...There died: Mrs. Alpha Jean Johnson, 47, of Melvin, dead on arrival last Thursday at McDowell Appalachian Regional; Finley

Case, 67, of Honaker, November 15 at Highlands Regional; Mrs. Lillia Hall, 82, of Hueysville, Saturday at St. Clair Hospital in Morehead; Cola Salisbury, 59, of Barnett's Creek, Saturday at his home; Johnny Lee Oakes, 62, of Weeksbury, Friday at

Highlands Regional Medical Center; Alex Miller, 75, of Kalamazoo, Michigan, formerly of Floyd County, Saturday in a Kalamazoo Hospital; Melvin Jacobs, 60, of Hi Hat, Wednesday at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; Charles Ray King, 45, of Hueysville, last Thursday at Methodist Hospital in Pikeville; Mrs. Mildred Patrick, 52, of Lackey, November 15 of a heart attack at Garrett Restaurant;

Mrs. Minnie Cook Hall, 67, of Dry Creek, Sunday at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

### Thirty Years Ago (November 23, 1967)

More than 67 percent of the money spent by visitors to Dewey Lake and Jenny Wiley State Park last year was spent by out-of-staters, a new report by a University of Kentucky researcher shows...The Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club will sponsor the annual Christmas Parade, Saturday afternoon, officially opening the yule season...First of the candidates elected at the Nov. 7 election to take office is Harry Gordon Allen, new Floyd County tax commissioner...During last week's sessions of the Eastern Kentucky Education Association, Nelson R. Allen, native of this county, was named EKEA president, and Phillip Dingus, principal of Martin High School, was elected president for the one-year term which began with the next EKEA session...Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Lowell T. Hopson, of Grayson, formerly of Martin, their second daughter, Alisa Lynn, Nov. 18 at King's Daughters' Hospital, Ashland...There died: J. S. Reynolds, 75, Wednesday at his home at Beaver; Samuel Bryan Hale, 71, Sunday at his home at Harold; Harry D. Goble, 74, formerly of Dwale and a veteran of World War I, Nov. 11 at Tucson, Arizona; Roe Green, 82, of Town Branch, Monday at the Methodist Hospital, Pikeville; Jim Bob Parsons, 71, Monday at his home at Grethel;

(See Yesterdays, page four)

## Our Yesterdays

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

# Society

## Allen Central art students win exhibit

In the recently-held Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs' regional student art competition, several Allen Central students won awards. This event is held annually and the first place winners will go to state competition at Louisville in the spring.

Larry Hicks, son of Larry and Linda Hicks of Langley, won both first and second place in the area of photography. In drawing, John Case won second place, and Barry Conley placed third. John is the son of Jerry and Charlotte Case of Garrett and Jean Ann and John Estep of Prestonsburg. Barry is the son of Jackie and Wendy Conley of

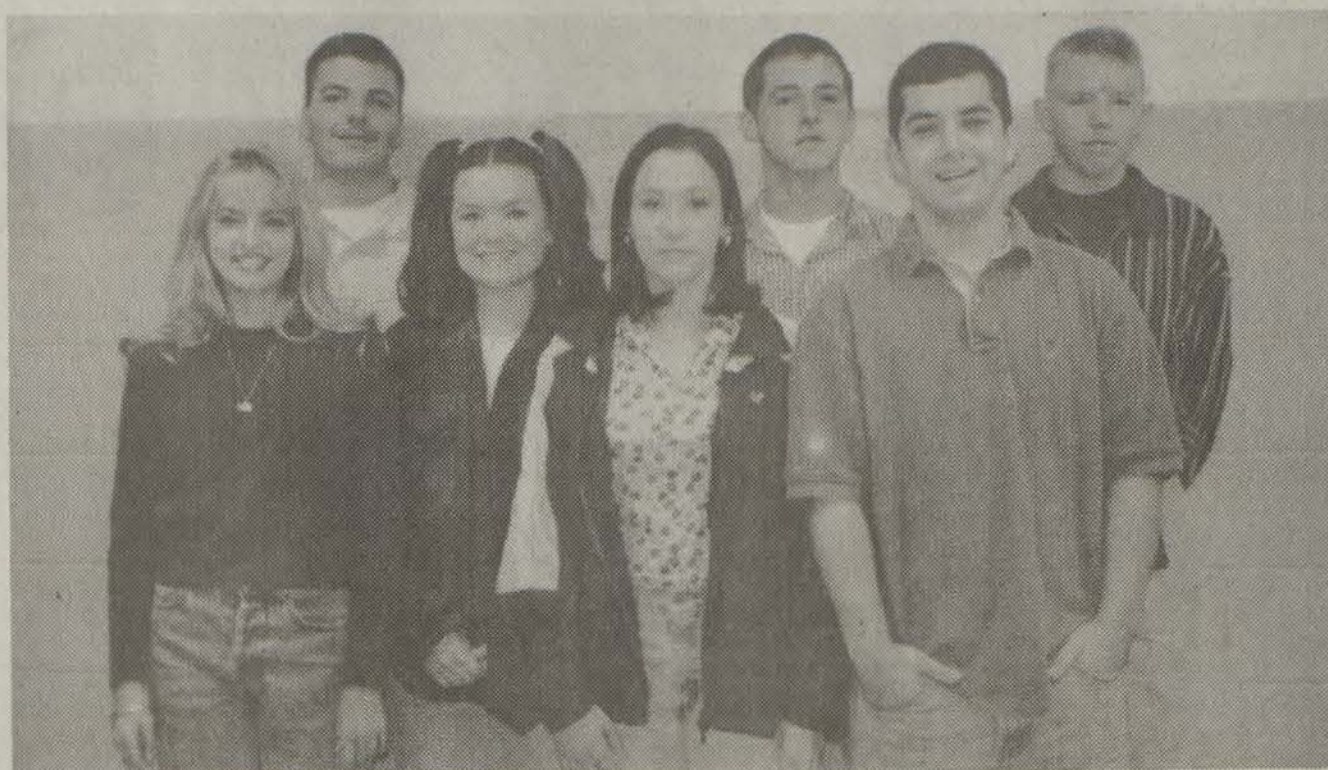
Garrett.

Kerrie Patton placed first in both Watercolor and Painting. Kerrie is the daughter of Kern and Linda Patton of McDowell.

Placing second in Painting was Samantha Bradley of Wayland. She is the daughter of Sam and Mary Bradley.

Mike Combs won third place in Watercolor. Mike is the son of David and Jamie Combs of Lackey. Keisha Flannery won first place in Tie-Dye. She is the daughter of William and Latrilla Flannery of Martin.

These students had their work submitted by Mrs. Caralita O'Quinn and the Lackey Garrett-Wayland Women's Club. All students are members of the Talented and Gifted Art Program at Allen Central.



### Student artists

Allen Central students winning the Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs' regional student art competition were, from left, Kerrie Patton, Keisha Flannery, Samantha Bradley, and John Case; and in back row, Larry Patton, Barry Conley, and Mike Combs.

### Attend Goble funeral

James E. and Marie Goble, Prestonsburg, attended the funeral, Monday, of Betsy Louise Goble of Lexington, formerly of West Liberty. The funeral service was held at the Potter Funeral Home in West Liberty. Betsy Louise Goble was the widow of Charles A. Goble, former Floyd County Times printer.

### Miriam Lodge meets

The regular meeting of Miriam Rebekah Lodge No. 31 was held November 18, with the new noble grand, Lorena Wallen, presiding.

Communications and bills were received and disposed of. The sick list was reviewed and those remaining will be remembered in prayer.

A report was given on the visit of the Rebekahs to Mountain Manor Nursing Home on November 16th. Besides singing, those attending visited with several of the residents there.

The lodge deputy, Jean Hickman, read a letter she received from the assembly president, Teresa Krekel, outlining the duties of her office for the ensuing year.

Birthday greetings were extended to Mabel Jean LeMaster. An older member, who was not present, James B. Goble, was also remembered on his birthday and was remembered with a card from those present.

Prior to the meeting, the members enjoyed delicious refreshments and an hour of fellowship in the dining room.

Members present were: Lorena Wallen, Hope Whitten, Sue Moore, Virginia Goble, Claudine Johns, Jean Hickman, Paulena Owens, Violetta Wright and Mabel Jean LeMaster.

The next regular meeting will be held December 2nd at 7:00 p.m.

Members were reminded of the District Meetings to be held December 6th at Paintsville with the members of Pleasant Valley Rebekah Lodge No. 116 at 6:00 p.m. for dinner and meeting to follow.

### Banks deployed

Marine Lance Cpl. Steven D. Banks, son of George R. Banks of Hueysville, has completed a six-month deployment with the 22nd Marine Expeditionary Unit (MEU), embarked aboard the ships of the USS Kearsarge Amphibious Ready Group (ARG).

Banks' unit deployed in April as part of the USS Kearsarge ARG, which includes the amphibious assault ship USS Kearsarge, the amphibious transport dock USS Ponce and the dock landing ship USS Carter Hall.

During the deployment, Banks participated in the evacuation of more than 2,500 American citizens from Sierra Leone, conducted jointly with French, Nigerian and Sierra Leone surface combatants. Banks' ship was also involved in several multi-national exercises designed to challenge communications, increase task force and unit readiness, and provide desert-like training for Marines.

The deployment gave Banks the opportunity to visit Italy, and several ports in Spain, where he enjoyed the diverse culture and exotic shopping. In addition, he was able to participate in several community outreach projects in the host communities.

Banks' unit is an expeditionary intervention force with the ability to rapidly organize for combat operations in virtually any environment. MEUs are composed of more than 2,000 personnel and are divided into an infantry battalion, an aircraft squadron, a support group and a command element.

The 1995 graduate of Allen Central High School of Eastern, joined the Marine Corps in August 1995.

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# FOR THE RECORD



## District Court

Editor's note: All first offense DUIs are allowed to do two days public service in lieu of \$200 of the total court costs and fines. All individuals who are charged in cases involving alcohol or drugs are referred to alcohol or drug counseling.

Laura V. Ramey, 24, of Hueysville, falsely reporting an incident, \$50 fine and court costs, with 90 days to pay.

Jeffrey L. Ramey, 26, of Hueysville, falsely reporting an incident, \$50 fine and court costs, with 90 days to pay.

Billy Hall, 50, of Auxier, AI (1st, 2nd) \$50, disorderly conduct, \$50, possession of marijuana, \$100, 10 days in jail to be probated if fines are paid within 60 days and there are no further violations for 12 months.

Chad McIntyre, 18, address unknown, attempted burglary, 3rd, six months jail, probated if no further violations of the law for 12 months, attempted burglary, 3rd, merged, criminal mischief, 3rd, \$50 fine and court costs with 30 days to pay.

Lisa L. Slone, 20, of Prestonsburg, possession of alcohol by a minor, \$25 on the condition there are no further violations for 180 days, license not in possession, \$25 plus court costs with 180 days to pay.

Robert Mahaska, 46, of Martin, operating a motor vehicle under the influence, 2nd degree, \$617.50, seven days jail, alcohol and drug education class, suspend \$50 with proof of ADE completion.

## To Catch A Thief

Note: The Floyd County Sheriff's Department will be providing information on a weekly basis concerning thefts in the county. Motorized items reported stolen will include the vehicle's VIN (vehicle identification number), engine number or serial number when provided.

two RCA videocassette recorders, serial numbers 011297294 and 214563539, model 301, and Panasonic videocassette recorder, serial number F65A4499285, with remote control, reported stolen November 18 from the Prater School.

four-wheeler, VIN JKALFB11PB501307, engine number LF400AE501699, model number KLF400-B1, stolen November 14 from the Old Middle Creek area.

tools and tool box, including half-inch drive SAE deepwell, half-inch metric deepwell, SAE wrench set and various ratchets, valued at \$1,500 stolen November 12 from the Emma area.

32-inch television, videocassette recorder and Nintendo game system reported stolen November 1 from the Prestonsburg area.

aluminum scaffold and scaffolding board reported stolen October 24 from the Hueysville area.

RCA 25-inch television with built-in video cassette recorder, reported stolen October 16 from the McDowell area.

Murray five horsepower push mower and Sunbeam gas grill, reported stolen October 8 from the Dwale area.

10-inch Mitre saw, vacuum cleaner, Marlin .22 bolt action rifle, .357 Ruger (Colt 45 style), 13-inch Hitachi TV with VCR, serial number V52654852, electric can opener, Calphalon stock pot, red tool box, electric drill and saw, belt sander, Arctic sleeping bag, and over 300 CDs, reported stolen September 26 from Little Paint area.

14K rope chain with diamond heart necklace, 14K gold nugget bracelet, white 14K wedding band, three white 14K diamond rings and 14K hoop earrings, reported stolen September 26 from the Abbott Mountain area.

Homelite weedeater reported stolen September 22 from the David area.

push-type gasoline lawnmower, reported stolen September 24 from the Auxier area.

Murray, 22-inch cut five horsepower high wheel lawnmower, red, serial number 7291804373N00034, model number 22535X92A, reported stolen July 30 from behind the National Guard Armory.

Homelite, PLT 3400 weedeater, red or blue, model/serial number Vt15090-A, reported stolen between July 22 and July 24 from Pike/Floyd Hollow. There are points of identification which the owner can verify.

1995, S-10 pickup, black, VIN 1GCCS1446SK127434, Tag number 0232BA, reported stolen June 28 from the Branham's Creek area. In the vehicle was a 9mm handgun.

1996, Honda TRX 300, four-wheeler, red, VIN 4787E1507VA803556; engine number 8902944; reported stolen April 11 from the Tinker Fork area of Mud Creek.

1993, Honda 4TRAX, four-wheeler, red, VIN 478TE1504PA517389; engine number TE15E8521735; reported stolen February 4 from the Martin area.

Model 66 stainless steel .357 Smith & Wesson revolver, serial number 9K84984, reported stolen June 16 from the Prestonsburg area.

1996 Honda TRX 300, four-wheeler, red, VIN 478TE1502TA823386, red, reported stolen December 10 from the Martin area.

Sears Craftsman 20-inch cut mulcher/mower, gray aluminum color, serial number 090392M-009939; reported stolen in April from the Maytown area.

Anyone with information about any of the stolen items listed should call sheriff's detective Homer Neeley at 886-6711. Anyone wanting to report items stolen can also call detective Neeley.

To assist in the recovery of stolen items, persons should record all serial and VIN numbers on their property and a hidden identification mark that cannot be changed should also be put on the merchandise.

## Marriage Licenses

Dianna Lynn Hall, 25, of Lackey, and Richard Brian Smith, 35, of Lackey.

Linda K. Adkins, 37, of Dana, and Danny L. Allen, 47, of Dana.

Raquel Keathley, 29, of Harold, and Ronnie Lee Lawson, 33, of Harold.

Debra Lynn Wells, 40, of Harvey, Illinois, and Arlie Cooper, 51, of Mansfield, Ohio.

## Police Dispatch Log

Editor's note: Dispatch logs are taken from the dispatch logs of the Prestonsburg Police Department.

November 17  
8:42 a.m. — Advance Auto Parts Store reported a suspicious-looking dog entering and exiting the business without buying anything.

3:56 p.m. — A man at Goble Roberts reported kids fighting on the school bus and the driver could not control them.

6:05 p.m. — Wal-Mart reported a juvenile shoplifter in custody.

8:12 p.m. — A woman at Cliffside reported a man breaking into her apartment through the window.

10:59 p.m. — A resident at Prestonsburg Inn reported loud music coming from one of the rooms.

11:56 p.m. — Reno's reported a man in a truck was waiting for one of their employees with a gun.

November 18  
11:56 a.m. — A woman on Main Street requested an officer talk with her about the threatening phone calls she had been receiving.

3:27 p.m. — Wal-Mart reported a shoplifter in custody.

4:46 p.m. — A Green Acres woman reported that someone had stolen some things from her apartment, then brought them back.

8:40 p.m. — Report made from University Drive that the man in the white truck was back, watching students from the parking lot at the MSU campus.

11:34 p.m. — Food City reported two males acting suspicious at the entrance of the store.

November 19  
9:34 p.m. — A judge at the Floyd County Courthouse requested EMS for a subject that had passed out in the district courtroom.

12:42 p.m. — A Cliffside woman wanted an officer to talk with her concerning a theft that occurred in August or September.

1:42 p.m. — A female patient at Mountain Manor needed EMS to respond to her because she was having abnormal bleeding.

November 20  
1:49 a.m. — A woman reported her husband had been missing for several days, and his vehicle was parked at the intersection of the 23/114 underpass.

2:42 a.m. — A man at Neeley Apartments advised dispatch that his sister-in-law was in his apartment harassing both his wife and him.

8:17 a.m. — A Happy Mart employee reported a woman causing trouble there.

10:05 a.m. — Regency Hair Design requested EMS for a woman who had fainted.

11:18 a.m. — A Highland Terrace man needed EMS for "numbness".

12:47 p.m. — A West Prestonsburg man reported things had been stolen from his vehicle.

2:21 p.m. — A woman on Meade Branch reported that her kitchen was on fire.

9:09 p.m. — KSP reported an accident, vehicle vs. deer (the deer lost) near Republic Diesel.

9:43 p.m. — A woman reported a domestic dispute near the Corner Market.

10:41 p.m. — A man on Neeley Street requested extra patrol because he heard someone on his porch.

11:19 p.m. — Tiger Mart reported a driver left off without paying for their gas.

November 21  
6:36 a.m. — Report of a lost tractor-trailer. The driver couldn't find Sears.

10:36 a.m. — EMS needed at Wright's Barber Shop where a man was having seizures.

11:12 a.m. — A child called dispatch reporting her dad was going "crazy" and was dragging her mom through the house by her hair, and tearing things up.

12:00 p.m. — A woman at Green Acres reported that yesterday, she had one-half of a pill left of her medication, and today, it was gone.

4:10 p.m. — Job Corps needed assistance as a female resident was in her room and wouldn't come out, and was considered a threat to herself.

4:19 p.m. — An accident without injuries was reported near the Old Chamber Building.

6:34 p.m. — A woman at Neeley Apartments reported someone was knocking and then running off at her apartment.

10:26 p.m. — Comfort Suites reported someone had put shaving cream on two vehicles there.

11:10 p.m. — A Reno's employee reported vandalism of his vehicle at the parking lot.

November 22  
1:04 a.m. — A domestic dispute with a weapon involved was reported in progress on Mayo Court.

2:04 a.m. — SuperAmerica reported a truck driver drove off without paying for their gas.

2:13 a.m. — Hardee's reported two males were cursing and yelling through the drive-thru box and wouldn't leave.

12:20 p.m. — An accident without injuries was reported at the intersection of 23/80.

4:23 p.m. — Wal-Mart reported a juvenile shoplifter in custody, along with possession of marijuana.

6:57 p.m. — PCC reported shots were fired out of a vehicle's window in their parking lot.

7:08 p.m. — Sam 'an Tonio's reported a suspicious man at their bar that they wanted removed.

8:40 p.m. — A minor accident without injuries was reported at the old Center Stage Building.

November 23  
12:35 a.m. — An Auxier woman reported there was a man in her house with a liquor bottle threatening others.

1:06 a.m. — Hardee's reported an extremely intoxicated male on their premises.

2:54 a.m. — a 71-year-old man at Highland Terrace needed EMS for his respiratory problems.

3:23 p.m. — Helig-Meyers reported vandalism on one of their trucks.

9:13 p.m. — A Green Acres woman reported that someone had stolen some pictures from her house while she was at church.

11:30 p.m. — A report of extra assistance needed for a structure fire on Rt. 404 across from the new David School.

## Property Transfers

Imogene Tackett to Mildred Johnson, property at Weeksbury.

Kellie Chaffins and Neva Chaffins to Bewell Duff and Carolyn Duff, property on Stone Coal Creek.

Kentucky Housing Corporation to the Floyd County Kentucky Courthouse, property on KY 1428 between Allen and Martin.

Curtis Johnson to Marie Johnson, property on Left Beaver Creek.

Myrtle Spears, Gary Spears, Harli Spears and Marlene Spears, Glema Stevens and Mark Stevens, Connie Parsons and Michael

Parsons, Norma Salisbury and Kevin Salisbury, Daryl Spears and Gail Spears, Tammy Gannon and Timothy D. Gannon, Paulette Howell and Willie Howell, Patricia Akers, Melissa F. Spears and Jerry Spears to Don Robin Spears, property location not listed.

Alta Marie Osborn to Don Robin Spears, property on Branham's Creek.

Oliver B. Williamson and Cassandra Williamson to Jesse E. Williamson and Camellia Williamson, property on Ivy Creek.

Carolyn Hall Gibson and Ivan Gibson to Ronald L. Carter and Marcia Carter, property at the Copperas Lick Estates.

Michael Spears and Stephanie Spears to Greg Little, property in Wheelwright.

Curtis C. Johnson an Edna Johnson to Tabatha L. Johnson, property on Left Beaver Creek.

Jonathan B. Rogers and Ida L. Rogers to David Allen Rogers and Sondra Rogers, property at Weeksbury.

Paul E. Joseph and Charles R. Joseph for P & B Ambulance Service, Morgan Joseph, Charles R. Joseph, Harold Joseph, Jr., and Eva Joseph, Dayton Joseph, Jr., Opal Joseph, Paul E. Joseph and Nadean Joseph, Ashland Joseph and Wanda Joseph, Meda J. Joseph, Gary Yates and Linda Yates, Ricky Yates, Jimmy Yates and Connie Yates, Barbara J. Joseph, Greg Clark and Ernestine Clark, Buddy Wallace Lemaster and Geraldine Lemaster, Herman Joseph and Joann Joseph, Ronnie Joseph and Eugenia Joseph, United States of America, Internal Revenue Service, Commonwealth of Kentucky, Cabinet for Human Resources, Division of Unemployment Insurance, Department of Worker Claims, Floyd County Kentucky, City of Prestonsburg, and Res-Q-Ambulance, Inc. by Earl Martin McGuire to First Commonwealth Bank, property location not listed.

Henry T. Risner and Belinda Risner to First Commonwealth Bank, property located in Floyd County.

Linzie Hall, Jr. to Marilyn Hall, property on Bryant Branch.

Paul P. Hughes to Jobie Tackett, property location not listed.

Editor's Note: All inspections are made by Floyd County Health Department environmentalists John L. Bailey, Russell Wallace, and Mark Johnson.

Gas & Go and Happy Mart, Harold, 91 in retail and 98 in deli: Critical violation. Two freezer units (upright) failed to maintain 0°F during inspection. All contents were removed and placed in the walk-in freezer until freezer units in question can be serviced. Owner given ten days to correct critical violation.

Other violations: Counters not properly labeled under food preparation counter. Food scoop stored with handle in contact with food. Proper hair restraints not in use. Ice buildup in bottom sections of upright freezer. Large hole in wall in breakroom storage area and hole in food preparation wall. Walk-in cooler has no light.

Inspector's note: All hot foods being held correctly at 140° plus.

Taco Bell Express, Harold, 97: Pre-fried taco shells, rice stored in large plastic container not properly covered. Hole in the wall above small storage counter. Facility appears very clean and well organized.

The Market Place, Prestonsburg, 95 in retail and 96 in deli: No hair restraints worn in deli area. Refrigeration units not maintained. Inside of units peeling paint and rusted racks. Contact not clean. Cooling units in deli area and shelving in retail needs cleaning. Improper storage of single service articles (Styrofoam plates). Articles stored on floor in storage area. Floors in bad repair in retail area. Hood in deli area not clean. Lights not shielded in preparation area.

Sam an Tonios, not rated: Follow-up visit. Observation of employees performing their duties showed no poor hygienic practices.

Inspector's Note: Recommend cleaning and sanitizing all equipment and shelving throughout preparation area.

Slone's Grocery, Bevinsville, 94: No self-closing doors on restrooms. Floor in bad repair. Ceilings in bad repair. Lighting not shielded. Unvented gas heaters.

May Valley School, not rated. Inspection made due to complaint of nauseating odor from school classroom. Personnel found child's backpack that was soaked in gasoline. The backpack was removed and the odor was eliminated.

## Suits Filed

Editor's note: Suits filed are not indicative of guilt but represent only the claims of those filing the action.

Margie M. Roberts vs. James S. Roberts of Grethel; petition for child support and health insurance.

John Ashby of Prestonsburg et al. vs. Opal A. Slone of Pikeville; petition for child support and health insurance.

John Ashby of Prestonsburg et al. vs. Don K. Turner of Georgetown; petition for child support and health insurance.

John Ashby of Prestonsburg et al. vs. James D. Halbert of Allen; petition for child support and health insurance.

John Ashby of Prestonsburg et al. vs. Thomas L. Hall of Teaberry; petition for child support and health insurance.

William White of Prestonsburg vs. Paulette White of Prestonsburg; petition for dissolution of marriage.

Ford Motor Credit Company of Dearborn, Michigan vs. Tony M. Ratliff of Honaker; alleged debt.

Ford Motor Credit Company of Dearborn, Michigan vs. Herman E. May of Prestonsburg; alleged debt.

Progressive Insurance Company

of Louisville vs. Neal Hollyfield of Betsy Layne; petition for compensation for injuries sustained on or about May 27, 1996 on KY 979 in Grethel.

Leann Spradlin of East Point vs. Aileen Fraley of Weeksbury; petition for compensation for injuries sustained on or about June 24, 1996 on KY 80 near Watergap.

Will Hamilton of Beaver et al. vs. J & M Equipment of Pikeville et al.; alleged property damage.

Robert B. Burchett of Prestonsburg vs. Steve Conley of Salyersville et al.; petition for compensation for injuries sustained on or about December 11, 1995 on US 23.

Gregory A. Runyon of Pike County vs. Sue Broughton of Ashland; petition for compensation for injuries sustained on or about June 20, 1997 in Floyd County.

Thomas Lee Word et al. vs. Prestonsburg Lodging Associates, Inc.; compensation for alleged wrongful death.

Kentucky Department of Highways vs. Unisign Corporation, Inc.; alleged property dispute.

Kentucky Department of Highways vs. Mark R. Theiss; alleged property dispute.

Brenda C. Music of Prestonsburg vs. University of Kentucky of Lexington; alleged contract dispute.

Amy Knight White of Prestonsburg vs. James D. Campbell of Prestonsburg; petition for compensation for injuries sustained on or about December 17, 1996 on KY 1428.

Miranda Martin of Wayland vs. Neil Kevin Martin of Printer; peti-

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## MSHA sets grace period for reporting mine-related illness cases—no penalty if filed by December 31

The Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) is announcing a "grace period" from today until December 31, during which mine operators can report to MSHA—without risk of citation—occupational illness cases they should have reported during the past five years but did not.

"To prevent miners' job-related illnesses, the mining community needs accurate information," said J. Davitt McAteer, assistant secretary of labor for mine safety and health. "Occupational illnesses in mining may be significantly under-reported due to apparent misunderstanding about reporting requirements. We're taking action now to correct past oversights without any penalty for late reporting."

Mine operators, including inde-

pendent contractors, are required to send a report to MSHA within 10 days after they are notified or otherwise learn that a miner has an illness that may have resulted from work in a mine, or for which an award of compensation has been made. During the grace period, however, MSHA will not impose any penalty for lateness on mine operators and independent contractors who report occupational illnesses that may have gone unreported during the past five years.

For more information, mine operators and miners are advised to call their MSHA District Office. They can also leave a message, comment, or anything else they would like to tell the agency on MSHA's Toll-Free "Grace Period" Hot Line: 1-888-249-8223.

While the mining industry has

made significant progress in reducing health hazards, some miners continue to suffer from occupational illnesses such as black lung disease, silicosis, noise-induced hearing loss, occupational asthma, asbestosis, and musculoskeletal disorders.

MSHA has identified instances of occupational illness where mine operators did not file required reports with MSHA, even though state workers' compensation agencies, other state or federal agencies, labor organizations, or occupational medicine clinics had received reports.

After the grace period ends, MSHA will conduct audits and will consider special assessments on citations issued for failing to report cases that were required to be submitted to the agency.

## Fraley

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as a person and a friend."

Fraley has been involved in art since he was a very young child.

"As far as I can remember back, I was doing something in this field," Fraley said. "My mother would say, 'Where have you been?' I would be upstairs, and I would show her a little painting I had done or something like that. She still has some on the wall."

For Fraley, being an art teacher involves more than teaching a student how to create a piece of art.

"Teachers do not have any way that we can measure what we have done. We go home and we say, 'Did I do the right thing today? Did I say the right thing? Did I hurt someone today?' Unless they let us know, we never know what kind of influence we have had. We have no way of testing or measuring that. A student may have come along and a teacher may have said only one little something that was positive and pushed them all the way through.

"You can go all the way through your career and ask, 'Gee, have I done anything good along the line?' If you have just one student that comes along and says, 'I never did do anything in the field, but I

had a ball in your class,' or 'I did something that I didn't think I would ever do and I remember what you told me,' it was worth it.

"I have had many students that I would stay awake all night long trying to think how I could help. It may not have been their artwork, it may have been their personality. Maybe it was just one word of encouragement they needed. I have to try to help. It doesn't mean that I may have accomplished it, but I have to try."

Fraley believes that each student who enters his classroom and does his or best work deserves an A, and he expected his students to do their best.

"I want to say, 'Look, you give me the best try that you can me. You show me that you are trying. You try to do as I am asking you to do. You are going to get your A.' I like to feel that I know the student well enough to know that I am getting the best I can get out of them; that they are not giving me a con job.

"There is going to be another student coming in and they will say, 'Gee, I really like this stuff. I want to get in there and really do

it,' and I do expect quite a bit out of that particular student because that is what they are coming in for. They may even want to go on in the field. If they do, give me your best shot. But, you start to lax off, I'm going to cut your grade. You have to ask if they are giving me the best job they can do and are they really trying to be creative.

"In the last few days that I am here, up to my last hour in the building, it will be the same."

Although Fraley loves teaching his students, he is looking forward to his retirement and having time to devote to his own art work.

"I will miss the students, but it is time for me to go ahead with my life and try something different. I am not saying that I want to quit teaching, I may want to teach adult classes. There are a lot of things I could do.

"One of the things I am doing now, is that I make usable Scrimshaw powder horns for the sportsman. It looks like the old horns that you see in movies that people used to carry for their gun powder. I will continue to do that because I enjoy that. I also want to do some painting."

## Yesterdays

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Floyd Robinson Sr., 55, Saturday at home at Lancer; Frank N. Wells, 69, of Bypro, Sunday at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; Werlie C. Boyd, 77, of Harold, last Thursday at the Methodist Hospital, Pikeville.

### Forty Years Ago (November 21, 1957)

Barring unforeseen complications, Prestonsburg's new water plant will go into operation about Dec. 1, it was said Wednesday...Body of Denver Crabtree, 67, who apparently died of a heart attack while hunting, was found in the woods on Sang Factory hollow, Wednesday night...Striking workmen of the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company returned to work Tuesday morning—exactly one month after they had walked off their jobs...Residents of Floyd County received \$67,393 in October under Kentucky's four assistance programs...Herbert Hume, superintendent of Mason County schools, was elected without opposition to the presidency of the Eastern Kentucky Education Association last week, succeeding Mrs. Dorothy Conley, of Wheelwright...Married: Miss Helen Meade, of Prestonsburg, and Mr. William F. Osborne, of Kenova, W. Va., Nov. 2 at the Church of God, here; Miss Juliana Williams, and Mr. G. C. Perry II, November 16 at the Louisville Methodist Church...There died: Mrs. Carmel Howell, 87, Tuesday at her home at Teaberry; Mrs. Sola Hazel Page, 48, of Wayland, Monday at the McDowell Memorial Hospital; Mrs. Pollie Nunnery Loar, 82, Thursday of last week at her home at Betsy Layne; Miss Tilda Bentley, 77, Sunday at Ligon; Mrs. Kitty Rice Conn, 79, Friday at Dana; Mrs. Dixie Blackburn Jervis, 68, of Endicott, Saturday at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Henry Meade, 64, Friday at the home of his daughter on Mare Creek; John Matthews Sellards, 75, formerly of Endicott, Friday at Willniamson, W. Va.; Jerry Roger Mullins Sr., 43, Floyd County native, Sunday at the Pikeville Memorial Hospital; Sol Crisp, 73, Monday at his home here; John C. McNeil Sr., 67, formerly of Wheelwright, Saturday in Ohio.

### Fifty Years Ago (November 20, 1947)

Prestonsburg's Dollar Day, linking closely in with the national fight on inflation, gained wide recognition this week through an Associated Press news-story telling of the undertaking here...Added to the growing list of new business structures erected in

this county since the war, are two new theatre buildings in the Beaver Creek section at Martin and Drift...Two more of the 128 Floyd Countians who lost their lives during World War II were buried at home this week after having been returned from foreign military cemeteries. Sgt. Russell Hale, who at 21 was killed July 12, 1944 in Germany, was buried Sunday at Myrtle. Pfc. Ray V. Lawson, 23, who was killed Jan. 18, 1945 while serving as a tank crewman in the Battle of the Bulge, was buried Wednesday on Stone Coal Creek, near Garrett...The home of Frank Neeley was completely destroyed by fire Tuesday morning on the Abbott road as was the home of Mrs. Minnie Walters at Ball Alley, near here, Wednesday night...Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lafferty, of Lackey, a daughter, Patricia Ann, recently at the Beaver Valley Hospital, Martin...There died: Homer McKenzie, 54, last Wednesday at his home at Auxier; Kelly Keathley, 72, Nov. 12 at his home at Osborn.

### Sixty Years Ago (November 25, 1937)

Plans for the consolidation of certain high schools of the county may be a part of the discussion to be held at a meeting here Tuesday evening, of H. W. Peters, state superintendent of public instruction with Floyd school officials and citizens...Dedication of the \$41,000 building now being completed at Wheelwright Junction to accommodate high school students of the upper Left Beaver section will be made Monday evening, it was announced this week by Wayne Ratliff, principal of the Wheelwright consolidated school...Norman Hall, 27, Hueysville miner, died Sunday when trapped inside his pickup truck after it had plunged over an embankment on the Salt Lick road...Fire of unknown origin early Tuesday night destroyed three homes at Martin, causing a total estimated damage of \$4,500...Stores in this section report a large increase in the sale of winter underwear...In This Town-That World this week, this item read as follows: After receiving our farewell salute, Presbyterian Pastor Potter, transferred to Joplin, Mo., admitted that everyone hated to see him go, but the Reverend added, "not enough to come to church"...Married: Miss Marguerite Gorton, and Mr. Carthel H. Smith Sr., both of Prestonsburg, Oct. 16 at Catlettsburg...There died: Mrs. Oma Jordan Howard, 28, of Garrett, Wednesday at the Stumbo Memorial Hospital, Lackey.

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# WEDDINGS ENGAGEMENTS



### Gearheart-Brinager to wed

Walter F. and Sharon Gearheart of Harold announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Melena, to Steven M. Brinager, son of C. Michael and Ernestine Brinager of Williamson, West Virginia. The wedding will be held at Immanuel Baptist Church in Pikeville, on Saturday, December 13, at 1 p.m. A reception will follow in the church's fellowship hall.



### Hall-McGlone to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall, of Banner, announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Carla Jo Hall, to Craig Allen McGlone, of Prestonsburg. Craig is the son of Dan McGlone of Huntington, West Virginia, and the late Carol McGlone. The wedding will take place on Saturday, November 29, at 2 p.m., at the Community United Methodist Church in Prestonsburg. A reception will be held at the Jenny Wiley State Park, Convention Center. The gracious custom of open ceremony will be observed.



### Halloween party

The Prestonsburg Senior Citizens Center held a Halloween Party on October 31. A prize was awarded for the best costume. The winner was Emma Jean Pelphrey, who is pictured in costume with center director Al Gunter.



Karen Joanne Meurer and Jack Carter Wells

## Meurer-Wells to wed

The wedding ceremony of Karen Joanne Meurer of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and Jack Carter Wells of Prestonsburg was held October 18 at 1 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church. Dr. Quentin E. Scholtz officiated.

Organist for the ceremony was Fred Graham. David Leslie was the pianist.

Matron of honor was Patrice Melancon. Bridesmaids were Dr. Clarice Mugglin, Whitney Mayo

and Nicole Meurer.

Ben Testerman served as the groom's bestman. Ushers were Edward Lee Carter and Christopher N. Carter. Groomsmen were David Allen and John Michael Mayo.

The bride is the daughter of Ida and Guenter Meurer of Milwaukee. She received a medical degree at Vanderbilt University. She recently completed residency training in West Portland, Maine. She will practice internal medicine in Knoxville, Tennessee.

The groom is the son of Dorothy C. Wells of Prestonsburg and the late Jack Frost Wells. He received a doctorate degree in physics at Vanderbilt University and recently completed a post-doctorate fellowship at Harvard University. He now has a position in atomic physics at Oak Ridge National Laboratory in Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

A wedding reception was held at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Resort Park. David Leslie provided musical entertainment with piano selections. A dinner was held at 6 p.m. for family and out-of-town friends.

## POETS CORNER

by Walter Walker

(Walker is the father of Floyd County resident Jean Rosenberg.)

Join the immortal march  
of souls  
awakened by love,  
to love

who now go forth  
in the realm of spirit  
Creating there  
a better world  
for all.

Raise up those who have fallen.

Lend a steady hand  
to those  
who, now awakening  
are beginning to rise and walk.

We are all companions  
in Creation  
of the eternal realm  
of consciousness

whose essence is  
pure beauty,  
pure harmony  
pure love  
(which are the same).

I call you not servant,  
but friend,  
for a servant knows not  
his master's heart's  
desire.

Lo, I am with you always,  
Come to Me.  
Come with Me.  
For in Me you will find  
all that you know  
and love.  
Be strong in the knowledge of  
God's LOVE  
and  
POWER.

I am always with you!

I will speak to you  
in many ways,  
in  
the beauty of a flower,  
in  
the singing of a bird,  
in  
the smile of a child,  
in  
the cry of need  
of a fellow man,  
all are my voice.

Let us go forward together  
serving  
a needy world  
with  
all the love our soul  
can pour forth.

Be calm among chaos.

Be confident  
amid  
dispair.

Be loving  
amid  
selfishness and hatred.  
Be GOD  
among MAN!

# SUNSHINE LINES



by Beverly Carroll

Senior citizens, as you will recall, your Sunshine Lines column has been dealing with issues related to elder abuse. If you are an abused senior citizen the term "elder abuse" does not need explanation. You know first hand what it is. As a victim of abuse, you know how it feels to be abused and you know all too well what abusive behavior inflicted on you or toward you does to you as a person. Besides the pain, shame and embarrassment you are forced to contend with, most abused adults are afraid to take the one most important step necessary to get it stopped—make one telephone call to either the Abuse Hotline; Cabinet of Human Resources; mental health facility/professional; or a law enforcement agency.



Beverly Carroll

Bonnie Hale, Doug Lawson and Sue Jones at the Big Sandy Area Development District (BSADD) updated me on an outstanding seminar they attended dealing with this issue. Because of a scheduling conflict I was unable to attend this meeting. However, these people, who incidentally are "elder care" professionals, are responsible for providing me some of the materials I will share with you over the next few weeks.

This week I will share with you the "signs" one trainer taught these professionals to look for when abuse is suspected. Unfortunately, I do not know the name of the trainer who is responsible for this particular part of the training materials. When I learn his/her name I will certainly let you know. Credit must be given where credit is due. This instructor deserves recognition for sharing his/her knowledge with us in a context that is easily understood.

If you suspect abuse, according to this trainer, look for these "signs" in the victim:

- unexplained or repeated injuries
- sunken eyes or cheeks
- injury(ies) that have not been (medically) cared for properly
- evidence of dehydration and/or malnutrition without obvious cause
- bruises, welts, discolorations on both upper arms [and legs]
- presence of old and new building
- evidence of excessive medication (drowsiness)
- overall care—poor; bedsores, poor hygiene, soiled clothing
- notably passive and withdrawn (seems afraid to talk; stays to self)
- severe depressive episode [mood]
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In abusive situations, you will at times, identify other "signs" as not being "normal." However, if one analyzes and expounds on the eleven "signs" this trainer outlined as presented above, most everyone will be able to identify characteristics that should alert you to the possibility that abuse might be occurring to an individual.

### "Love doesn't have to hurt"

Remember that your intervention (call) might be the only hope a person has of being rescued from having to endure more pain, or from continuing to live in an isolated, prison-like environment. Elder abuse should be brought to the attention of authorities who can help the victim receive the medical/psychologist treatment that may be necessary.

To help yourself or to help someone you know, call your local abuse center; a crisis hotline; your local police; 911; or your Eldercare Locator at 1-800-677-1116. These people are trained to help victims of abuse—young and old alike.

For more information about the places you can contact, or to talk with an attorney about your fear of legal implications for "getting involved" call your Benefits Counseling Coordinator, for Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Pike counties, Charles Slone at 886-3876 or toll-free at 1-800-556-3876.

Remember, "Love doesn't have to hurt."

# November is NATIONAL Diabetes Month

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November 11: A son, Jerry Dale Slone II, to Harmalena and Jerry Dale Slone of David.

November 12: A son, Dustin Leonard, to Augela M. and Kevin L. Click of Sitka; a son, Mason Edward, to Pamela J. and Stephen V. Ritz of Van Lear; a son, Ethan Martin, to Pamela J. and Stephen V. Ritz of Van Lear; a son, Eric Daniel, to Loretta Lynn and John Kline of Hager Hill.

November 13: A daughter, Haley Brooke, to Susie Mae and Glenn Powers Jr. of Auxier; a daughter, Ada Marie, to Ada Faye and Andy Rowe of Royalton; a daughter, McKayla O'Quinn Taylor, to Patricia Johnson of Hager Hill.

November 14: A son, Mark Anthony Gilliam Jr., to Mark and Fontella Gilliam of Wheelwright; a daughter, Dakota Kaye Greathouse,

to Alicia Jean Dunn of Prestonsburg. November 15: A daughter, Alicia Nicole, to Augela and Vernon Johnson of Weeksbury.

November 17: A daughter, Sara Paige, to Rebecca and James Doug Maynard of Betsy Layne; a daughter, Lacy Cecile, to Beverly Kay and Paul Lester May of Pikeville; a son, Colby Bryant, to Mary Elizabeth and George Avery of Deboard.

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August 15: A daughter, Victoria Morgan Ray, to Gina Tackett and Timothy Ray.

October 9: A son, Cody Garland, to Linda and Cody Williamson; a daughter, Brianna Cheyenne Kidd, to Brandy Ratliff and Timothy Kidd.

October 10: A son, Coby Wayne, to Jennifer Ann Gayheart; a son, Barrington Dalton Clyde, to Kimberly and Barry Allen Mosley; a daughter, Stormy Nicole, to Suzette Renee Rich.

October 11: A daughter, Katherine Elizabeth, to Angela Hodge and Thomas Maynard; a son, Jonathan Michael, to Staci and Michael Taylor.

October 12: A daughter, Bailey Nicole, to Donna and Jimmy Tackett.

October 13: A daughter, Bethany Donn, to Kimberly and Donald Triplett.

October 14: A son, Dylan Christopher, to Linda and Christopher Fields; a daughter, Kaylyn Dawn, to Brenta and Timothy Barb; a son, Tristin Lee Sykes, to Tonya Corder and Robert Lee Sykes.

October 16: A son, Cory Daniel, to Michelle and Danny Brewer; a son, Russell Alexander, to Connie and Russell Reed; a son, Jordan Tyler, to Tammy and Todd Belcher; a son, Conley Austin, to Tammy Leigh and Conley Mullins; a daughter, Myra Lashae, to Leslie and Myron Deskins; a son, Kirclin O'Ryan, to Tammy Mullins.

October 17: A son, Jacob Nathaniel, to April Dawn and Jacob Goff.

October 19: A son, Isaac Jordan, to Edyth and James Chapman; a son, Byron Wesley, to Audrey and Kevin Cox.

October 20: A son, Jacob Thomas, to Tonetta Rechele McCoy; a son, Joshua Lucas, to Martha and Robert Hopson; a son, Andrew Tyler, to Melissa Ann and Chalmers Gordon Lowe Jr.

October 21: A son, Aaron Scott, to Danita and John Rogers; a daughter, Courtney Nicole, to Diane and Elmer Watkins; a son, Gregory Tyler Elster Blackburn, to Barbara Suzanne Dotson and Gregory Ray Blackburn.

October 26: A son, Dalton Jerry Douglas, to Sandra and Darrell Gooslin.

October 27: A daughter, Allison Shae, to Dorothy and Roger Freeman; a daughter, Audreanna Juanita, to Dean and Robert Snell; a son, Ricky Lee, to Pamela and William Wolford.

October 28: A son, Justin Thomas Elkins, to Amanda Lee Hazelett; a daughter, Marissa Ann, to Linda Sue and Edward Conley.

October 29: A daughter, Morgan Taylor, to Brenda and David Bentley; a daughter, Marissa Paige, to Rhonda and David Taylor; a daughter, Samantha Jo, to Angelina and Christopher Fugate.

October 30: A son, Christopher Darrell, to Christy and Frank Allen Jr.; a daughter, Alyssa Kacey, to Gerri and John Tracy Collins; a son, Jackson Lowe, to Darlena and John Clark Flanery; a son, Hunter Lee Hampton, to Michelle and Jeffery Case; a daughter, Makaylan Brooke, to Kansadren and Michael Dotson; a son, Jacob Thomas Edward, to Sabrina Kay and Joseph Adkins.

October 31: A daughter, Alexis Mahay, to Tabitha and Stuart Christopher King; a daughter, Rebekah Danielle, to Kimberly and Robert Lindsey; a son, Keaton Jamal, to Sabrina Reed and Craig Anderson.

November 1: A son, Jason Clansy Phillips, to Pamela Faye Conn; a son, Donovan Lee, to Christy McGuire and Randy Layne; a son, David Mack Blair II, to Kimberly Ann Howell and David Blair; a son, Dalton Lee, to Brandy and Dannie Mercer II.

November 3: A daughter, Casey Leann Rogers, to Jodi Nichols and Terry Rogers Jr.; a son, Brandon Dale, to Michelle and Cyrus Dale

Huffman.

November 4: A daughter, Carli Morgan, to Mary and Darrin Dotson.

November 5: A daughter, Rachel Michelle, to Michelle and Keith Allen Bailey; a son, Danny Logan, to Jeannie and Danny Wayne Fouts; a daughter, Natasha Marie, to Holly and Shannon Keith Scott; a son, Eric Tyler, to Christine Thacker; a daughter, Courtney Racquell, to Christie Dye and Michael Roberts.

November 6: A son, Jacob Todd, to Angel Nicole Wright; a daughter, Casey Danielle, to Jeanene and Terry Joe Adkins; a son, Brandon Lewis, to Diana and Seldon Lee Casey; a son, Michael Leo Spencer, to Zelma and Narvel Leo Tackett.

November 7: A daughter, Hollie Lynn, to Ronetta and Charles Bowling.

November 8: A daughter, Hayleigh Bryanna, to Vickie Kimberlain and Bryan Pugh.

November 9: A son, Jeremy Keith, to Donna Michelle and Brian Keith Elkins.

November 10: A son, Douglas Cole, to Deana Maria and Douglas Stiltner; a son, Ryan Michael, to Regina and Michael Eads.

November 11: A son, Zachary Daniel, to Kimberly Faye Osborne; a son, Randall Leland, to Jenny Lee and Randall Ousley; a daughter, Jasmine Faith, to Nora Gail and Jeremy Shane Gibson; a son, Megan Elizabeth, to Sherry Lynn and Timothy Lee Samons; a son, Dalton Wayne, to Melissa Carol and Chris Allen Pigg.

November 12: A daughter, Madison Lanesha, to Tamatha and John Patrick Rippey; a son, Austin Ryan, to Lois Marie and Randy Dwayne Justice; a son, Christopher Todd, to Christy Lynn Kelly; a son, Zachary Lee, to Crystal Lynn Osborne.

November 13: A son, Jordan Blake, to Renee and Anthony Wayne Hampton; a son, Peyton Kyle, to Vickey Lynn and Tim Blackburn.

November 15: A daughter, Merkie Kaelynn, to Gail Smith Slone and Garfield Slone; a daughter, Kayla Jean, to Debra Kay and Robert Edward Bishop.

November 16: A son, Payton Ray, to Kimberly Sue and Timothy Ray Williams.



Matthew Logan Music

## Birth announced

Greg and Tina Music of Hager Hill, announce the birth of their son Matthew Logan.

Matthew was born, September 26, at Paul B. Hall Regional Medical Center. He weighed 8 lbs., 14 ozs. and was 20 1/2 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Tom and Joyce Meade of Van Lear. Maternal great-grandmothers are Marie McAllister and Beatrice Meade, both of Van Lear.

Paternal grandparents are Ronald and Helen Music of Auxier. Paternal great-grandmother is Eunice Music of Little Paint.

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# Health, tobacco industries search for common ground

Amidst settlement talks and lawsuits, FDA regulations and discussions of the tobacco price support program at the national level, historic tobacco talks in their own right have been taking place here in Kentucky. In a state where tobacco is part of the very culture of the Commonwealth, cooperation between health groups and tobacco interests was unheard of until a year ago when the Kentucky Health and Agriculture Forum was born.

**"Kentucky has set the pace for other tobacco states," said Amy Barkley, Executive Director of CHAD.**

This effort was initiated when the Burley Tobacco Growers Cooperative Association requested a meeting with representatives of the American Heart Association, American Lung Association, and American Cancer Society. At that meeting in May of 1996, there was discussion of possible areas of cooperation between health and tobacco interests. Subsequently, another meeting was convened in August of 1996, and additional health and agriculture interests were invited. At that time, the Coalition for Health and Agricultural Development (CHAD) was asked to convene ongoing meetings to bring together leaders in health and agriculture to discuss potential "common ground." Those discussions have taken place at nine additional meetings where there has been agreement from the group that the meetings are worthwhile and should continue.

The following mission statement was developed recently to help give the meetings more focus: The Health and Agriculture

Forum, covered by the Coalition for Health and Agricultural Development, Inc. (CHAD), is a community of pro-farmer/pro-health stakeholders. Its mission is to provide a safe place for people with diverse positions on tobacco

issues to work together to sustain healthy individuals, families, farms, and rural communities, which are interconnected.

- The Forum's goals are to:
- Appreciate the values and concerns of all participants
  - Build trust and strengthen relationships
  - Provide an open forum for diverse opinions
  - Broaden our network of health and agriculture leaders
  - Be clear on areas of disagreement and focus on common goals
  - Educate each other, the public, and elected officials
  - Seek funding for development of projects which are consistent with these goals

After much discussion, it was agreed that the Forum would focus on two issues:

1. Development of a "blueprint" for diversification, which would evaluate current efforts, reveal targeted opportunities and recommend a focus or plan for Kentucky. Also support for current project/proposals aimed at strengthening Kentucky agriculture and preparing it for the future.

2. Strengthening the state's youth access law to reduce illegal sales of tobacco products to minors.

While health and agriculture interests cannot agree on many issues, those two fit into the philosophies and goals of each: protecting Kentucky's children while also protecting the family farm.

"Kentucky has set the pace for other tobacco states," said Amy Barkley, Executive Director of CHAD. "Similar groups have now formed in Virginia, Tennessee, Georgia, and the Carolinas, and they are looking to Kentucky as an example of health and agriculture working together."

Most recently, several Forum-member organizations have signed a "Resolution of Mutual Understanding Between Organizations and Individuals Interested in Working

Cooperatively to Reduce Underage Tobacco Use While Ensuring Economic Stability and Opportunities in Tobacco Growing States." Similar to a resolution being circulated and signed by various groups in tobacco states and at the national level, the document spells out the concerns of both health and agriculture groups and the need to work together on areas of common ground.

Participating organizations in the Health and Agriculture Forum are: Ag 2000 Project, American Cancer Society, American Heart Association, American Lung Association, Burley Tobacco Growers Cooperative Association, Champions for a Drug-Free Kentucky, Coalition for Health and Agricultural Development, Commodity Growers Cooperative Association, Kentucky ACTION, Kentucky Cabinet for Health Services, Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service, Kentucky Department of Agriculture, Kentucky Department for Public Health, Kentucky Medical

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## AG NEWS

### Keep firewood pests out in the cold

by Patricia G. Spicer  
Floyd County  
Cooperative Extension Service  
Agent for Agriculture  
and Natural Resources

Firewood provides a source of warmth and comfort as outdoor temperatures drop. But, firewood also can be a way for insects to enter the home and cause concern as they emerge and fly or crawl around indoors.

Most insects found in firewood won't harm people or their homes. Some pests tunnel into logs to feed; others simply hide or overwinter beneath bark. These insects won't infest structural wood or furniture inside a home when they emerge. The only harm they cause is concern about their presence indoors.

Spraying firewood with insecticides to control pests is not a good idea because the practice is ineffective and could cause release of harmful vapors when the wood is burned. Firewood management is the best way to control insects that can enter the home on logs.

Store firewood outdoors and only bring inside what will be burned immediately or within a few hours. If you store firewood indoors for an extended period, pests devel-

oping or hiding in logs can emerge. And firewood kept inside can become a harborage for rodents.

Burn older wood first to shorten the time pest infestations can become established.

Outdoors, put the woodpile away from the house and off the ground.

Firewood stacked against the side of a home provides a direct, hidden avenue for termites and carpenter ants to enter the structure. The lack of ventilation also can create a moisture problem. Stack logs off the ground to increase air circulation and drying. One way to do this is to stack firewood on poles suspended between concrete blocks.

When bringing firewood inside, shake or knock logs together to dislodge pests clinging to the bark. Remember to check the bottoms of log carriers because pests often crawl into carriers when firewood is brought inside.

It's easy to eliminate the occasional insect emerging from firewood by using a broom or vacuum cleaner.

For more information, contact Pat Spicer at the extension office, located at 670 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, or call 886-2668.



Their first choice for their first child was  
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When this picture was taken, Scott and Lela Daniel of Allen, Kentucky had been home with their new son for almost a week. And, as you can see, their smiles still haven't worn off.

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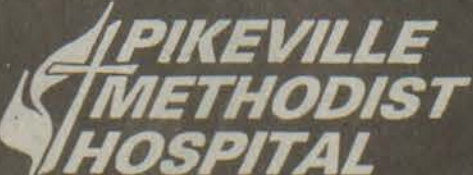
It's a good possibility that the Daniels' smiles have something to do with their new son, Kash, but the staff at *The Birth Place* would like to think that those smiles are also a result of their visit to Pikeville Methodist Hospital.

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## BIRTHDAYS



Christian Anthony Goble



Brandon Scott Goble

### Brothers celebrate birthdays

Christian Anthony Goble and Brandon Scott Goble recently celebrated their birthdays with separate parties.

They are the sons of Tony and Jolean Goble of Abbott.

Christian Anthony celebrated his second birthday on November 5 with a party at McDonald's in

Prestonsburg. Christian's younger brother, Brandon Scott, celebrated his first birthday at home on October 31.

The Halloween theme was used in decorations throughout the home for the party.

Many friends and family members attended both parties.

# What makes a family strong and successful?

by Nyoka Slone  
CYFAR coordinator

There are at least five "L's" which contribute to strong family relationships. Learning—Families are where we learn our values and skills. Strong families have a pattern of activities for home life, they select appropriate television programs, and stay involved in their communities and neighborhoods. Strong families teach by example and learn through experiences.

Loyalty—Strong families have a sense of loyalty and trust toward each other. The family sticks together during times of trouble. In times of success and defeat, the family becomes a cheering section or a mourning bench. A loyal family also has a sense of give and take.

Love—Love is at the heart of a strong family. The family is normally the place where love is shown. Real love is composed of honesty, understanding, patience, and forgiveness. This type of love requires constant daily effort by all family members. Loving families share activities and express affection for one another.

Laughter—Laughter is good medicine for a family. Humor can

help relieve stress and tension. Laughter helps a family see things more realistically. Positive laughter means that no one, neither the parents or children, is the object of the joke. Sarcasm and put-downs produce negative laughter and is discouraged. Positive laughter can also help bond family members together.

Leadership by Example—Parents and other adult family members model the values and behaviors that they hope their children will demonstrate. If no one accepts the role of leadership, the family will weaken. Each family needs its own special set of rules and guidelines. The rules are passed along from the adults to the children by example, with firmness and fairness. Strong firmness allow

children a voice in decision making. All families, regardless of type, need to be strengthened and

nurtured from time to time. These suggestions should be useful during such times.



**Safety first**

Bruce E. Edsten, aviation safety program manager with the Federal Aviation Administration, presented a safety seminar recently at the Combs Memorial Airport. (Photo by Allen Bolling)

## Christmas concert

A Christmas concert featuring the Pikeville College Chorus, band, and community choir will be held December 4, at 7:30 p.m. in the Booth Auditorium on the Pikeville College Campus. The concert is free and open to the public

### LIGHTS OF LIFE TREE

Big Sandy Mended Hearts, Chapter #220, cordially invites you to honor the achievements of those you admire, or remember those you love, by sponsoring a light on its LIGHTS OF LIFE TREE this holiday season.

This lovely holiday display of light and beauty is located at Highlands Regional Medical Center on a handsome live tree. It illuminates the night from December 1 until after New Years, showing all of the Big Sandy area your remembrance and your care for others.

This year, proceeds from the LIGHTS OF LIFE TREE will go to Mended Hearts, Chapter #220. Your gift will do double duty; it will represent your care for someone you admire or love, and it will help support our local heart patients.

Each gift of \$5.00 for A LIGHTS OF LIFE TREE light will be acknowledged by a thoughtful card to the person you honor or the family of the person you remember. You will also receive a letter of thanks, serving as your tax-deductible receipt.

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# KOUNTY KETTLE

The following recipes are reprinted from a cookbook, "A Cookbook of Treasures," compiled by the Garrett First Baptist Church. The cookbooks sell for \$10 each and proceeds will go toward blacktopping the church's parking lot. For more information about the cookbooks, contact Alice Martin at 358-2731 or Darlene Rowe at 358-4200.

## CABBAGE, POTATOES AND SAUSAGE

1 cabbage head  
1 pkg. smoked sausage  
6 to 8 medium potatoes  
Salt  
Pepper  
Sliced onion (optional)  
Cut cabbage into wedges. Add potatoes, quartered or halved, whichever you prefer, then add sausage, sliced. Add onion if you want it, then season to taste with salt and pepper. Great served with corn bread.

Peggy L. Turner

## CHEESY GREEN BEANS

10 slices bacon  
2 (16 oz.) cans green beans  
1 lb. mushrooms, sliced  
3/4 c. chopped onion  
3/4 tsp. ground black pepper  
1 (16 oz.) jar Cheez Whiz  
Cook bacon until crisp. Drain bacon, reserving 1/4 cup drippings. Crumble bacon; reserve 2 tablespoons. Warm beans; drain well. Add mushrooms and onion to 1/4 cup drippings in skillet. Cook and stir on medium-high heat 10 minutes; drain. Add bacon, hot cooked green beans and pepper; mix lightly. Spoon into a 2-quart serving dish. Microwave Cheez Whiz as directed on label. Pour over green bean mixture. Sprinkle with reserved 2 tablespoons crumbled bacon. Makes 10 servings.

Michelle Bragg

## SWEET POTATO CASSEROLE

1 (No. 2 1/2 size) can yams, drained  
1 can apple pie filling  
3 Tbsp. flour (heaping spoons)  
1/3 c. brown sugar  
1 1/2 tsp. cinnamon  
4 Tbsp. butter  
Combine yams and apple filling. Put this in a quart casserole dish. Mix together flour, sugar and cinnamon. Cut in butter until crumbly. Sprinkle this mixture over yams and apples. Bake 1 hour at 350°. Makes six servings.

Peggy Daniels

## CORN CASSEROLE

1 lb. pork sausage  
2 cans whole kernel corn, drained  
1 medium bell pepper, chopped  
1 can cream  
6 slices cheese  
1 (16 oz.) can whole tomatoes, drained  
2 Tbsp. flour  
Pinch of salt  
Place drained corn in large casserole dish. Crumble sausage in frying pan and brown. Drain sausage (saving 2 tablespoons of grease) and place on top of the corn. Place chopped pepper and tomatoes on top of the sausage. Then lay cheese slices on top of tomatoes. Combine 2 tablespoons of grease, 2 tablespoons of flour and salt in a frying pan over medium heat. Add the whole can of cream and stir until it thickens. Do not let it brown! Pour gravy over the casserole, then bake at 400° for about 40 minutes or until liquid bubbles over the top of the cheese layer. Stir until completely mixed.

Gwen Braden

## ALABAMA BISCUITS

2 1/2 c. flour (plain)  
1/2 tsp. salt  
1/2 tsp. soda  
4 to 6 Tbsp. sugar  
6 Tbsp. shortening (Crisco)  
1 pkg. yeast, dissolved in 1/4 c. warm water  
1 c. buttermilk (warm and add yeast)  
Mix and roll out. Cut with biscuit cutter. Butter one and put on top of another. (Take about 1/2 stick of butter and melt to dip biscuits in.) Let rise about 2 hours. Bake at 375° about 10 to 12 minutes.

Deloris Preston

## CORN CAKE

1 pkg. corn muffin mix (Gold Medal)  
1/3 c. milk  
2 Tbsp. margarine, melted  
1 egg  
1 can creamed corn  
Preheat oven to 400°. Grease a 9 x 13-inch pan. Combine all ingredients until moistened. Spread mixture into greased pan. Bake approximate-

ly 15 minutes or until golden brown.  
Dana Rister

## HAMBURGER STEAK

(Saucy Style)  
1 lb. ground beef  
1/2 c. soft bread crumbs  
1/2 tsp. salt  
1/4 tsp. pepper  
1 can tomato sauce  
2 Tbsp. chopped green onions  
3 Tbsp. Worcestershire sauce  
1 tsp. mustard  
Combine ingredients and shape into four patties. Brown in skillet. Pour off excess fat. Mix other ingredients and pour over the meat and simmer eight to ten minutes.

Marie C. Mullins

## EASY PEPPER STEAK

1 large sirloin or round steak  
2 cans beef broth  
2 green peppers, sliced thin

1 large onion  
2 Tbsp. soy sauce  
3 Tbsp. cornstarch  
1 box Minute rice  
Cut steak into small bite size pieces. Fry steak and onion until done. Add beef broth and 1 tablespoon soy sauce. Cook 10 minutes. Add green peppers and cook until tender. Mix cornstarch in 1 cup water and 1 tablespoon soy sauce. Add to steak and stir until thick. Serve over cooked rice. Serves 4 to 5.

Drema Buchanan

## BAKED PORK CHOPS

6 lean pork chops  
1 onion, diced  
1 can cream of mushroom soup  
Brown the chops in a large skillet, then place them in a 9 x 13-inch baking dish. Brown the onion in the pork chop drippings. Pour mushroom soup over onion and bring to a

boil slowly. Pour mixture over chops. Cover and bake at 275° for about 2 hours.

Iness Stiltner

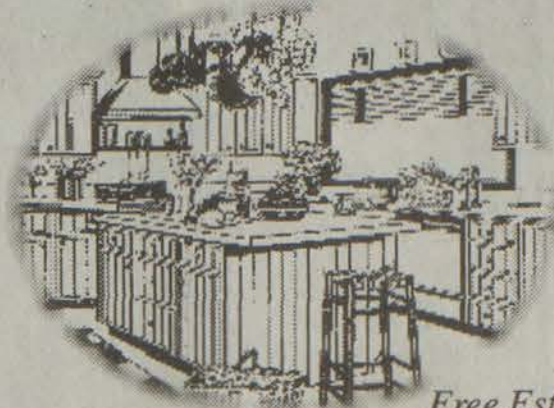
## ZESTY MEAT LOAF

2 eggs  
3/4 c. milk  
1 c. dry bread crumbs  
2 tsp. salt  
1/2 c. minced onions  
1/2 c. carrots  
2 lbs. ground beef  
Topping:  
1/2 c. catsup  
4 Tbsp. prepared mustard  
6 Tbsp. brown sugar  
Preheat oven to 300°. Meat Loaf: Beat eggs. Add all remaining ingredients and mix well. Pack into 5 x 9-inch loaf pan. Topping: Mix all ingredients and spread over meat loaf. Bake 1 1/2 to 2 hours.

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## Self-contained self-rescuers still function properly

The Labor Department's Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) and the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) have notified all users of a self-contained self-rescuer (SCSR) manufactured by Mine Safety Appliances Co. that a problem exists which may render the unit unusable unless certain specific procedures are followed prior to using the device. Fragments of the chemical that produces oxygen have been found in the breathing tube of some units and would be undetectable by the typical user prior to initial use. If inhaled, these particles may induce a choking response from the person and could cause the wearer to discard the device rather than use it when it is most needed.

"We've identified a problem and have taken steps to protect the miners," said Davitt McAteer, assistant secretary of labor for mine safety and health. "These steps include training miners in interim procedures for donning the unit and pro-

viding a label to be attached to each unit reminding the miner of these procedures. In the meantime, the units will be replaced promptly to keep the risk of harm as low as possible."

MSHA, NIOSH, and the manufacturers have informed all affected mine operators that prior to using the Portal-Pack SCS the wearer must exhale into the breathing tube three times. This action would clear any particles in the breathing tube, preventing them from being inhaled by the user.

Mine Safety Appliances Co., based in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, has recalled the Portal-Packs and is replacing them with Life-Saver 60 SCSRs. The company has commit-

ted to replacing all units by early 1998. The Portal-Pack SCSRs are no longer manufactured.

MSHA enforcement personnel have informed some 110 affected mine operators of the new donning instructions and have required these mine operators to have their workers immediately trained in the added procedure to ensure their safety should an emergency situation arise.

Also, MSHA inspectors will help see that instruction labels are attached to all units.

There are approximately 7,000 of the Portal-Pack SCSRs currently in use. SCSRs have a limited shelf life and manufacturers of these devices typically assemble units as they are needed rather than stock

them for long periods of time.

The fragments were observed in the breathing tube of 11 of 43 Portal Pack SCSRs examined by MSHA and the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), who, jointly with MSHA, approves respirators for use in the mining industry. The particles were detected in devices that had been deployed in either the carried or machine-mounted mode.

In response, MSHA and NIOSH recommend that all carried and machine-mounted Portal-Pack SCSRs be the first units to be removed from service as soon as they can be replaced by any other approved SCSRs.

To facilitate faster replacement, MSHA will temporarily permit the use of more than one type of SCSR at mining operations which use the MSA breathing device.

Federal mining regulations require that all underground coal miners be equipped with a breathing device that will provide the user at least one hour of oxygen during a

mine emergency situation. In the event of a fire or explosion, the underground mining environment may become contaminated with toxic gases and fumes from which the SCSRs protect the user.

### MSHA notifies coal mining community of problem in breathing device

## COMMERCE CORNER

This past week marked the first anniversary for the Commerce Corner. We hope you've enjoyed reading our article in the newspaper, and that in some way it has helped you get more from your Chamber Membership contribution. We appreciate the willingness of The Floyd County Times for making it possible for us to reach our members on a weekly basis.

Also this past week, the Chamber of Commerce Executive Committee finalized the contract renewal of Executive Director Carla S. Coburn. This will be the third year she has represented our business organization.

As the holiday season fast approaches, the Chamber of Commerce is looking at alternatives of promoting our membership busi-

nesses. We are currently considering the use of banners in strategic locations throughout the county to promote shopping locally. We hope, as you take part in the biggest shopping day of the year, the day after Thanksgiving, you'll keep in mind our message, we can all make a difference in the stability of our local economy by keeping our shopping dollars at home.

If you're driving by the Chamber of Commerce, we hope you will take time to appreciate the Nativity Scene on our lawn. We recognize the effort of the City of Prestonsburg for this and other hol-

iday decorations throughout the city.

This week, we congratulate Comfort Suites and manager, Jim Ousley, for their quality service to the business community. Recently a business traveler stopped in the Chamber office for information, and mentioned that the friendly service at Comfort Suites was second to none. We are proud of the quality service of this Chamber Member

business. This week, we welcome the following businesses as members of our organization: Latta and Brown Law Offices, SuperStar Video, Hall

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Carla Coburn

## Scrap the IRS tax code and start over

by Jack Faris  
President, NFIB

The IRS Tax Code is beyond repair. American small-business owners know this better than most, and they are ready to take action. On September 22, in Independence, Missouri, the National Federation of Independent Businesses launched a nationwide petition drive that encourages small-business owners, their employees, families, patrons—anyone—to sign a petition calling upon the President and the Congress to abolish the IRS Code. This grassroots effort will sunset the code by December 31, 2000, and demand a simpler, fairer tax code that all Americans will understand.

The petition drive will now move across America, with a goal

### Real estate class at MSU

Morehead State University has received a \$26,798 grant from the Kentucky Real Estate Commission to provide educational services in real estate to the university's 22-county service region in Eastern Kentucky.

The grant will provide funds for a variety of services offered to license and materials for classes on and off campus.

This is the 12th year that MSU's Real Estate Studies has received the grant, according to Dr. Beverly McCormick, assistant vice president of Enrollment Management who serves as chairholder of the program.

"The grant will benefit not only degree seeking students but also will allow those people who already hold a real estate license to continue their education," Dr. McCormick said.

"The program serves the community as a research resource to local agents and offers advice to those buying and selling real estate," Dr. McCormick said. "Knowledge about real estate is important to everyone. Most of us are going to own property one day and will need to at least know the basics."

of gathering one million signatures by June 1998, the opening of NFIB's Congressional Small Business Summit in Washington, D.C. Ultimately, the petitions will be presented to Congress as a "million reasons" to stop talking about the code and to take the kind of action that taxpayers want.

The Campaign to Abolish the IRS Code will succeed. Already, there is support in Congress. Within two days of the campaign kick-off, members of Congress introduced bills calling for sunset of the code by the end of the century. If anyone tells you it can't be done, remember when the Berlin Wall went up and everyone thought it would be there forever—now it's gone. Furthermore, nothing is impossible when you have the grassroots support of millions of small-business owners.

Obviously there are many problems with the IRS Code. What began, in 1913, as a one-page form, 14 pages of tax law and a top tax rate of just seven percent has evolved into the unwieldy monster we know today. Consider this: The current tax code is seven million words. Lincoln's Gettysburg Address is 269 words. The Declaration of Independence is 1,337 words. The IRS' simplest return form, the EZForm 1040, has 33 pages of instruction. The IRS Form 1040 now comes complete

with 76 pages of instruction.

Our country cannot remain prosperous and dynamic if we continue to over-tax and over-burden American production; if we continue to search only for ways to eke out revenue from sources that are fast drying up.

The current solution to our tax woes is to push Congress into "tax reform," but even the positive steps that take place involve modifying the current code, making it even longer and more confusing. Tax

### Neighbors helping neighbors

Good Neighbors of Kentucky has been in East Kentucky for several months now. It is operated by Barry and Janie Spurlock.

Good Neighbors of Kentucky is an organization that is set up to help businesses say congratulations to people in the community who have had a special occasion happening in their lives, such as the purchase of a new home, engagement, marriage, college graduation, new move ins, or a new baby.

Good Neighbors represent businesses who want to make East Kentucky a better place to live and who care about the community and the people in it. Good Neighbors has visited numerous people in the Floyd County area and given gifts such as free theater tickets, flowers, water test, discount coupons and

reform does not occur when the tax code is expanded and complicated by even more verbosity.

Our country stands on the threshold of great progress, and we can get there. Tear down the IRS code.

Replace it with a system that advocates lower taxes to create jobs and opportunities; one that fosters growth to encourage work and savings. Replace it with a system that is fair for all taxpayers and simple enough to understand.

much more. It is the goal of Good Neighbors to enhance life as well as business in the community of Floyd and surrounding counties.

The businesses that are currently involved with Good Neighbors are Highlands Regional Medical Center, Floyd County Times, East Kentucky Water, Jenny Wiley Theater, Jenny Wiley Florist, Hall Funeral Home, Woodmen of The World, Central Insurance Agency, Lynda Spurlock Century 21 Realty, First Commonwealth Bank, Tammy's Shear Perfection and Arrow Printing.

Good Neighbors would like to visit you on your special occasion. Contact them at (606) 886-1091 and let them know if you or someone you know has had one of these special events take place in their lives.

## Accreditation is granted to Highland's blood bank by the blood bank association

Highlands Regional Medical Center's Blood Bank has been granted accreditation by the American Association of Blood Banks (AABB), according to John Boswell, M.D., medical director of Highlands Clinical Laboratory and Blood Bank.

Accreditation follows an intensive on-site inspection by specially trained representatives of the association and establishes that the level of medical, technical and administrative performance within the facility meets or exceeds the standards set by the AABB. By successfully meeting those requirements, Highlands Blood Bank joins more than 2,000 similar

facilities across the United States and abroad that have earned AABB accreditation.

"The AABB's inspection and accreditation procedures are voluntary," Dr. Boswell explained. "Highlands Blood Bank sought accreditation because this program assists facilities around the country in achieving excellence by promoting a level of professional and medical expertise that contributes to quality performance."

The AABB Inspection and Accreditation Program assists blood banks and transfusion services in determining whether methods, procedures, personnel knowledge, equipment and physi-

cal plant meet established requirements. These standards set the level of professional proficiency for community, regional and Red Cross blood centers, hospital-based blood banks and transfusion services throughout the United States engaged in blood banking and transfusion medicine which account for collecting virtually all of the nation's blood supply and for transferring more than 80 percent of the blood used for patient care in the United States.

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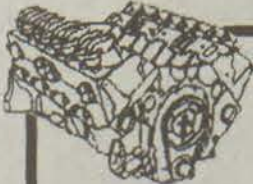
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**Legals**

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 CIVIL ACTION NO. 97-CI-00121**

Matewan National Bank/Kentucky, Plaintiff vs. Tommy Keathley, Cathy E. Keathley, his wife; and

Floyd County, Kentucky, Defendant

**NOTICE OF SALE**

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the August 8, 1997, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 11th day of December, 1997, at the hour of 4:45 p.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

Being Lots No. 27, 28 and 29 in the Stumbo Addition to the Town Site of Laynesville, (Harold), Kentucky for a more particular description a map or plat of same is filed in the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office and made a part thereof.

For reference of source of title see Deed to Tommy Keathley and Cathy E. Keathley and Cathy E. Keathley, his wife, dated July 2, 1985 of record in Deed Book 293, Page 226, Floyd County Clerk's Office.

For the purchase price, the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

Given under my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1997.

Earl Martin McGuire  
Master Commissioner  
Floyd Circuit Court  
P.O. Box 1257  
Prestonsburg,  
Kentucky 41653  
Phone 606-886-8140  
Fax 606-886-9755

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 CIVIL ACTION NO. 96-CI-00836**

Edgar Moore, Plaintiff vs.

Eva Hale Chaffins, single; James Earl Chaffins and Rhonda Bates Chaffins, his wife; Marjorie Thornsbury Hale, widow; Mattie Martin, Individually, and Mattie Martin as Executrix of the Estate of Cordell Martin; Edd Moore, widowed; Glenna Kay Shepherd; Anthony Hale; Jimmy Hale; Paula Flakner; Bonnie Hughes; Commonwealth of Kentucky, Cabinet for Human Resources, Division of Unemployment Insurance and Floyd County, Kentucky, Defendants.

**NOTICE OF SALE**

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the September 23, 1997 term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to

offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 11th day of December, 1997, at the hour of 4:45 p.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

That the subject matter real property is hereby adjudged to be indivisible pursuant to KRS 389A.030 and said real property is hereby ordered to be sold as a whole by the Master Commissioner of the Floyd Circuit Court, said real property being more particularly described as follows:

Two certain tracts of real property located on the Left Middle Creek, a tributary of the Big Sandy River in Floyd County, Kentucky, and being more particularly described as follows:

**TRACT NO. 1**

**BEGINNING** at the creek opposite a sycamore tree on east side of the creek; thence a straight line a west course with Elbert Castle's line to a hickory tree; thence same course to the top of point of Mary Ann Prater line; thence down the point with said line to a white oak near the branch; thence same course straight to the branch; thence an east course with the branch to the creek; thence with the creek north course to the pointies the sycamore the beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to Willie

Hale by Frank Prater and Mary Ann Prater, his wife, by deed dated October 14, 1929, recorded in Deed Book 82, Page 598, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

**TRACT NO. II**

The whole of said land is bounded and described as follows: Designated as Lot No. 3 in division of the Elbert Castle, deceased, estate. Being the same property conveyed to the parties of the first part and recorded in Deed Book 83, Page 635. Beginning on center of Middlecreek opposite a sycamore; thence a west course crossing the bottom and up hill to a marked rock on the point; thence a southwest course with the point to marked hickory; thence same course to a small black oak on top of point; and to Mary Ann Prater's line; thence on east course down the point to Willie Hale's line; thence same course with Willie Hale's line to a sycamore the beginning and the Grantor has excepted all oil and gas and mineral rights to operate and drill the same.

There is hereby reserved and excepted from both of the hereinabove described tracts of real property the Willie Hale Family Cemetery, the boundaries of which are defined by a fence which presently surrounds said cemetery. There is also reserved and excepted from the hereinabove real property a 12-foot wide easement for purposes of ingress and egress to said cemetery.

Being the same prop-

erty conveyed to Willie Hale and Julie Hale, his wife, by deed from the 7th day of March, 1930, from Arco Castle and Lorrains Castle, his wife, of record in Deed Book 83, Page 635, Floyd County Clerk's Office.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price, the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgement with a lien retained upon said property as a further security.

Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 18th day of November, 1997.

Earl Martin McGuire  
Master Commissioner  
Floyd Circuit Court  
P.O. Box 1257  
Prestonsburg, KY 41653  
Phone 606-886-8140  
Fax 606-886-9755

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-5356**

**Operator Change**  
In accordance with the 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Maple Ridge Mining Corporation, P.O. Box 219, Harold, Kentucky 41635 intends to revise permit number 836-5356 to add an operator. The new operator will be Floyd Ridge Mines, Inc., Route 317, P.O. Box 39, Deane, Kentucky 41812.

**CITY OF MARTIN LARGE ITEM PICK UP**  
Dec. 1, 2 & 3, 1997—8:30 a.m.-3 p.m.  
*Items must be at curb.*

**SCHEDULE OF AREA DATES:**  
Mon., 12/1/97—City Downtown streets & Ice Plant Hollow  
Tues., Dec. 2, 1997—Lower end New Edition, Cracker Bottom, Old Post Office Street.  
Wed., Dec. 3, 1997—Cumminsville, Brawley Street, Pagent Hill, Grigsby Heights.  
ALAN R. WHICKER, Mayor  
606-285-9791 or 285-9335

**NOTICE (OF FILING OF SETTLEMENT)**

I, Frank DeRossett, Jr., Clerk of the Floyd District Court, do hereby certify that the following settlements of estates have been filed in my office. Anyone desiring to take exception to said settlement must do so on or before December 29th, 1997, at 9:00 a.m.

Settlement	Case Number	Estate Of:	Fiduciary	Date Filed
Final	95-P-00130	Rex Allen Stewart	Robert Russell Webb	10-30-97
Final	96-P-00061	Helen Salisbury Webb	Susan Goins	10-30-97
Final	97-P-00150	Martisha Davis	Wyoma Duff	10-24-97
Final	95-P-00435	Lakie Stephens	Bonnie Stephens	10-30-97
Final	96-P-00310	James Lewis	Beverly Lewis	11-03-97
Final	96-P-00138	Julia Holbrook	Roger Lee Holbrook	11-13-97
Final	96-P-00406	Jake Neal Crisp	Bill Crisp	11-20-97

**NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT**

I, Frank DeRossett, Jr., Clerk of the Floyd District Court, do hereby certify that the following persons have been appointed fiduciaries by the District Court. All persons indebted to an estate should settle with the fiduciary within six months from the date of appointment.

Date of Appointment	Case Number	Estate of:	Fiduciary	Attorney
11-05-97	97-P-00366	Virgil L. Bray P.O. Box 1249 Martin, KY 41649	Jeanette Bray P.O. Box 1249 Martin, KY 41649	B. D. Nunery P.O. Box 511 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
11-05-97	97-P-00367	Tommy D. Bray, Jr. P.O. Box 1249 Martin, KY 41649	Jeanette Bray P.O. Box 1249 Martin, KY 41649	B. D. Nunery P.O. Box 511 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
11-05-97	97-P-00368	Lisa A. Bray P.O. Box 1249 Martin, KY 41649	Jeanette Bray P.O. Box 1249 Martin, KY 41649	B. D. Nunery P.O. Box 511 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
10-27-97	97-P-00388	A. V. Smith Box 377 Wheelwright, KY	Roland Lee Smith P.O. Box 123 Wheelwright, KY William Edward Smith P.O. Box 13292 Detroit, Michigan	Amie Burke Box 76 W. Prestonsburg, KY 41668
10-28-97	97-P-00390	Charles E. Burke Box 76 W. Prestonsburg, KY 41668	W. Prestonsburg, KY 41668	Amie Burke Box 76 W. Prestonsburg, KY 41668
10-29-97	97-P-00391	Jimmie G. Perdue 430 South 7 Street Fernandina Beach, FL	Elizabeth Louise Perdue 430 South 7 Street Fernandina Beach, FL 32034	Martin L. Osborne P.O. Box 985 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
10-29-97	97-P-00392	Otis Folgy Justell, KY	Norma Patrick 125 Boone Trail, Richmond, KY 40475	Dwight Marshall Prestonsburg, KY
10-29-97	97-P-00394	Krystal Trimble 5714 Hwy. 460 Staffordsville, KY	Teresa and Randall Trimble 5714 Hwy. 460 Staffordsville, KY	Dwight Marshall
10-29-97	97-P-00393	Morgan Trimble 5714 Hwy. 460 Staffordsville, KY	Teresa and Randall Trimble 5714 Hwy. 460 Staffordsville, KY	Dwight Marshall
10-30-97	97-P-00395	Darcus Howard David, KY 41616	Chalmer Howard 342 Ridgeway Auxier, KY 41602	Jackie Howard Box 142 David, KY 41602
10-30-97	97-P-00396	Doffey Vance Bevinsville, KY 41606	Delphia Vance Bevinsville, KY 41606	Dwight Marshall P.O. Box 1378 Prestonsburg
10-31-97	97-P-00397	Charles W. Goble 289 Toms Ck. Rd. Ivel, KY 41642	Irma Goble 289 Toms Ck. Rd. Ivel, KY 41642	Della S. Hall Box 188 Bypro, KY
10-31-97	97-P-00398	Effort Hall Box 188 Bypro, KY	Eddie Harvey H.C. 74, Box 95 Honaker, KY 41639	Honaker, KY 41639
11-3-97	97-P-00399	Josie Harvey H.C. 74, Box 95 Honaker, KY 41639	Petition to Dispense Vernie Jones Box 572 Betsy Layne, KY 41605	Angela Jones H.C. 77, Box 1832A Grethel, KY 41631
11-3-97	97-P-00400	Petition to Dispense Vernie Jones Box 572 Betsy Layne, KY 41605	Angela Jones H.C. 77, Box 1832A Grethel, KY 41631	Angela Jones H.C. 77, Box 1832A Grethel, KY 41631
11-03-97	97-P-00401	Petition to Dispense Vernie Jones Box 572 Betsy Layne, KY 41605	Angela Jones H.C. 77, Box 1832A Grethel, KY 41631	Angela Jones H.C. 77, Box 1832A Grethel, KY 41631
11-04-97	97-P-00402	Billy Marsillett 2124 1/2 E. Market St. Warsaw, IN	Larry D. Brown P.O. Box 550 Prestonsburg, KY 41653	Larry D. Brown P.O. Box 550 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
11-04-97	97-P-00403	Barbara F. Mullins 2270, Rt. 466 Weeksbury, KY 41667	Verlin P. Mullins Rt. 466, Box 2270 Weeksbury, KY 41667	Verlin P. Mullins Rt. 466, Box 2270 Weeksbury, KY 41667
11-04-97	97-P-00404	Harvey Howard Betsy Layne, KY	Siltania Howard Betsy Layne, KY	Siltania Howard Betsy Layne, KY
11-05-97	97-P-00405	James Clinton Goines P.O. Box 123 Printer, KY 41655	Fred Goines P.O. Box 123 Printer, KY 41655	Clyde Combs, Jr. P.O. Box 1257 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
11-05-97	97-P-00406	Miranda Shea Ferguson Rt. 3 Deboard, KY 41214	Tim Ferguson P.O. Box 492 Martin, KY 41649	Keith Bartley P.O. Box 1378 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
11-05-97	97-P-00407	Hilary Brook Ferguson Rt. 3 Deboard, KY 41214	Tim Ferguson P.O. Box 492 Martin, KY 41649	Keith Bartley P.O. Box 1378 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
11-06-97	97-P-00408	Name Change Hargis Pigman Box 1397, Camel Br. Rd. Prestonsburg, KY	Dockie B. Pigman Box 1397, Camel Br. Rd. Prestonsburg, KY	Dockie B. Pigman Box 1397, Camel Br. Rd. Prestonsburg, KY
11-06-97	97-P-00409	Name Change Hargis Pigman Box 1397, Camel Br. Rd. Prestonsburg, KY	Dockie B. Pigman Box 1397, Camel Br. Rd. Prestonsburg, KY	Dockie B. Pigman Box 1397, Camel Br. Rd. Prestonsburg, KY
11-07-97	97-P-00410	Margie Ann McDavid Gen. Del. Weeksbury, KY 41667	Zanada McDavid Springfield, Ohio	Martin Osborne P.O. Box 985 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
11-10-97	97-P-00411	Gomer Gayheart 3995 Racoon Rd. Hueysville, KY 41640	Bertha Gayheart 3995 Racoon Rd. Hueysville, KY 41640	Bertha Gayheart 3995 Racoon Rd. Hueysville, KY 41640
11-11-97	97-P-00412	Hershell Hamilton H.C. 72, Box 730 Hi Hat, KY 41636	Alberta Hamilton H.C. 72, Box 730 Hi Hat, KY 41636	Greg Isaac P.O. Drawer 189 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
11-13-97	97-P-00413	George W. Bellamy P.O. Box 283 Weeksbury, KY 41667	Jo Agnes Smith P.O. Box 523 Weeksbury, KY 41667	Bobby Rowe P.O. Box 1320 Prestonsburg, KY 41653
11-14-97	97-P-00414	Magalene Tackett P.O. Box 052 Beaver, KY 41604	Sheila Hall P.O. Box 052 Beaver, KY 41604	Sheila Hall P.O. Box 052 Beaver, KY 41604
11-17-97	97-P-00415	Petition to Dispense Billie Jo Mitchell P.O. Box 1297 Prestonsburg, KY 41653	Novella Mosley P.O. Box 69 Huddy, KY 41535	John D. Preston P.O. Drawer C Prestonsburg, KY 41653
11-19-97	97-P-00416	Tom Keathley Box 76 Betsy Layne, KY	Martha Keathley P.O. Box 14 Betsy Layne, KY	Hon. James D. Adams P.O. Box 1240 Prestonsburg, KY
11-20-97	97-P-00417	Buford Huff Box 73 Bevinsville, KY 41606	Ruth Huff P.O. Box 73 Bevinsville, KY 41606	Hon. James D. Adams P.O. Box 1240 Prestonsburg, KY
11-20-97	97-P-00419	Buford Huff Box 73 Bevinsville, KY 41606	Ruth Huff P.O. Box 73 Bevinsville, KY 41606	Hon. James D. Adams P.O. Box 1240 Prestonsburg, KY

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**Counseling Associate (Level 0100)**  
12-month professional position  
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**Responsibilities.** Under the supervision of the Director of Admissions/Registrar, this individual will assist the Director of Admissions/Registrar in all aspects of the daily functions in the Admissions and Records Office.

**Requirements.** Associate degree plus 0 years experience or equivalent.

**Salary Range.** \$18,625-\$21,605 (Specific salary, commensurate with qualifications and experience, will be determined by the University of Kentucky Compensation Office.)

**Applications** may be obtained from the Prestonsburg Community College Personnel Office (Johnson Building, Room 113) or by contacting Toni Fraley, 606-886-3863, ext. 233. Please refer to position CA2 when applying.

**Deadline to apply:** Completed applications must be received in the Personnel Office by 3:00 p.m., Wednesday, December 10, 1997, or until position is filled.

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**POSITION AVAILABLE**  
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**Responsibilities.** Under the supervision of the Director of Counseling, this individual will work with traditional and non-traditional student populations primarily with the Eastern Kentucky Concentrated Employment Program, Veterans Affairs, KHEAA Work-Study Program, assessment testing of students and the retention of students in the developmental program.

**Requirements.** Associate degree plus 0 years experience or equivalent.

**Salary Range.** \$18,625-\$21,605 (Specific salary, commensurate with qualifications and experience, will be determined by the University of Kentucky Compensation Office.)

**Applications** may be obtained from the Prestonsburg Community College Personnel Office (Johnson Building, Room 113) or by contacting Toni Fraley, 606-886-3863, ext. 233. Please refer to position CA1 when applying.

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The Housing Authority of Floyd County does not discriminate in admission, or access to, or treatment, or employment in subsidized housing on account of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age, handicap, or familial status.

Telephone 606-886-1235 (Voice)  
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The Floyd County Housing Authority has decent, affordable rental housing located in the Martin, Minnie, Ivel and Mud Creek areas for all qualified applicants. Rent is based on income. For more information, please call 285-3833, 377-2422, 478-4224, 478-4440, or 886-1235, or stop by the offices located in the complexes at Warco on Rt. 80, Left Beaver Creek Townhouses on Ky. Rt. 122, Ivy Creek Townhouses, Ivy Creek Rd. Ivel, Ky. and Creekside Village Apartments on Rt. 979, Harold, Ky. Warco has one-, two-, three- and four-bedroom apartments, Left Beaver Creek Townhouses consists of 50 three-bedroom apartments, Ivy Creek Townhouses has two-, three-, and four-bedroom apartments, and Creekside Village consists of two- and three-bedroom apartments. We do business in accordance with the Federal Fair Housing Law.

The operation is located 0.5 mile southeast of Drift in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 0.8 miles southeast from KY 122's junction with KY 1101 and located on Simpson Branch of Left Fork of Beaver Creek. The operation is located on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 quadrangle map at latitude 37° 28' 19" and longitude 82° 44' 22."

The 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 41653-1410. Written comments or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's date.

#### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-5293, Renewal

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Progress Land Corporation, HC 82 Box 1045, Arnold Fork Road, Kite, Kentucky 41828 has applied for Phase II Bond Release on Permit Number 836-0266, Increments 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, & 6, which was last issued on August 6, 1996. The application covers an area of approximately 34.7 acres located 1.5 miles south of Weeksbury, Floyd County, Kentucky. The permit area is approximately 1.3 miles south from the junction of KY Route 466 with Caleb Fork County Road and 0.4 mile south of the junction of Johns Fork with Elisha Fork. The latitude is 37 degrees, 18 minutes, 30 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 41 minutes, 15 seconds.

The bonds now in effect for Permit Number 836-0266 are: Increment 1, \$3,000; Increment 2, \$5,300; Increment 3, \$3,800; Increment 4, \$3,600; Increment 5, \$13,400; Increment 6, \$5,800, totaling \$34,900. Approximately twenty-five percent (25%) of the original bond amount of \$65,400 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the Fall of 1989 for Increments 1, 2, & 4 and Fall of 1995 for Increments 3, 5, & 6. All disturbed areas have been seeded as to provide adequate growth for plant species and provide appropriate conditions for the surrounding wildlife.

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 16, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 19, 1998 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 canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 16, 1998.

#### NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE Pursuant to Application Number 836-0243

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Addington Enterprises, Inc., 1500 North Big Run Road, Ashland, Kentucky 4102, has applied for a Phase I Bond Release on Increments No. 14 and 20 of permit number 836-0243, which was last issued on 3/14/96. The application covers an area of approximately 7.76 acres located 1.5 miles East of Ivel in Pike and Floyd Counties. The permit area is approximately 2 miles east from the junction of U.S. 23 and Ivy Creek Road and located 0.25 mile South of Ivy Creek. The latitude is 37° 35' 12" and the longitude is 82° 37' 30."

The bond now in effect for 836-0243, Increment #14 is a surety bond for \$800.00. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$800.00 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for 836-0243 Increment #20 is a surety bond for \$5,900.00. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$5,900.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed to date includes: backfilling and grading, fertilizing, seeding, mulching and the estab-

ishment of an initial growth of vegetation completed August 17, 1987.

Written comments, objections and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, No. 2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by January 16, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 19, 1998 at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional Office, 109 Mays Branch Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 16, 1998.

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following item will be offered for public sale on November 21, 1997, at 11:00 a.m. at the First Commonwealth Bank Parking Lot, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to satisfy the unpaid balance of an installment contract signed October 7, 1994.

Item to be sold: 1994 Honda Civic Ex, S/N 3120.

All items are sold "as is where is." Seller reserves the right to bid and to reject any or all bids. Items are to be paid for following the sale, or satisfactory arrangements are made with the seller. Announcements at the sale take priority over ad.

Purchaser to pay all taxes and transfer fees.

For further information contact Mike Haney, 886-2321.

First Commonwealth Bank  
169 North Arnold Avenue  
Prestonsburg, KY 41653

#### NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Motts Branch Coal, Inc., P.O. Box 2765, Pikeville, Kentucky 41502, has applied for Phase I Bond Release on Permit Number 836-8044 which was last issued on 9/18/97. The application covers an area of approximately 4.0 acres located 0.65 mile north of Garrett in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.8 mile north from KY Route 80 junction with KY Route 550 and located 0.10 mile east of Right Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37° 29' 12" and the longitude is 82° 50' 20."

The bond now in effect for the permit is a certificate of deposit in the amount of \$10,800. Approximately 60 percent of the original bond amount of \$10,800 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: Backfilling, final grading, and seeding of the disturbed area to achieve the approved post mining land use completed in September 1997. Results thus far achieved includes: the area is stable and vegetation is well established.

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 5, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 6, 1998 at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 5, 1998.

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 5, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 6, 1998 at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 5, 1998.

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, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's date.

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#### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-5293, Renewal

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Mineral Resources, Inc., 861 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has applied for a Phase I Bond Release on Increment Number 7 of permit number 860-0333 which was last issued on 11/10/93. The application covers an area of approximately 136.91 acres located 0.76 mile southwest of Garrett in Knott and Floyd Counties.

The permit area is approximately 0.45 mile southeast from Hunter Branch Road junction with KY Route 80 and located 0.45 mile southeast of Rock Fork. The latitude is 37° 27' 52" and the longitude is 82° 51' 00."

The bond now in effect for the Increment No. 7 is a surety type bond in the amount of \$118,600. Approximately 60 percent of the original bond amount of \$118,600 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, and seeding to achieve the approved post mining land use which was completed in September 1997. Results thus far achieved are: area is stable and vegetation has been established.

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 5, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 6, 1998, at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be received within thirty (30) days of today's date.

#### NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Motts Branch Coal, Inc., P.O. Box 2765, Pikeville, Kentucky 41502, has applied for Phase I Bond Release on Permit Number 836-8044 which was last issued on 9/18/97. The application covers an area of approximately 4.0 acres located 0.65 mile north of Garrett in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.8 mile north from KY Route 80 junction with KY Route 550 and located 0.10 mile east of Right Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37° 29' 12" and the longitude is 82° 50' 20."

The bond now in effect for the permit is a certificate of deposit in the amount of \$10,800. Approximately 60 percent of the original bond amount of \$10,800 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: Backfilling, final grading, and seeding of the disturbed area to achieve the approved post mining land use completed in September 1997. Results thus far achieved includes: the area is stable and vegetation is well established.

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 5, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 6, 1998 at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 5, 1998.

#### NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that CONSOL of Kentucky, Inc., P.O. Box 130, Mousie, Kentucky 41839 has applied for a Phase I Bond Release on Increment Number 7 of permit number 860-0333 which was last issued on 11/10/93. The application covers an area of approximately 136.91 acres located 0.76 mile southwest of Garrett in Knott and Floyd Counties.

The permit area is approximately 0.45 mile southeast from Hunter Branch Road junction with KY Route 80 and located 0.45 mile southeast of Rock Fork. The latitude is 37° 27' 52" and the longitude is 82° 51' 00."

The bond now in effect for the Increment No. 7 is a surety type bond in the amount of \$118,600. Approximately 60 percent of the original bond amount of \$118,600 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, and seeding to achieve the approved post mining land use which was completed in September 1997. Results thus far achieved are: area is stable and vegetation has been established.

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 5, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 6, 1998, at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be received within thirty (30) days of today's date.

#### NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Motts Branch Coal, Inc., P.O. Box 2765, Pikeville, Kentucky 41502, has applied for Phase I Bond Release on Permit Number 836-8044 which was last issued on 9/18/97. The application covers an area of approximately 4.0 acres located 0.65 mile north of Garrett in Floyd County.

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The bond now in effect for the permit is a certificate of deposit in the amount of \$10,800. Approximately 60 percent of the original bond amount of \$10,800 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: Backfilling, final grading, and seeding of the disturbed area to achieve the approved post mining land use completed in September 1997. Results thus far achieved includes: the area is stable and vegetation is well established.

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 5, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 6, 1998 at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 5, 1998.

#### NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Addington Enterprises, Inc., has applied for Phase III bond release on Permit Number 836-5311 which was last issued on 1/26/96. The application covers an area of approximately 52.07 acres located north of Copperas Creek in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 1/2 miles northeast from State Route 194 junction with Copperas Creek and located at Copperas Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 42 minutes and 16 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 37 minutes and 51 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 9 is a surety No. 16-42-15 and 41-0130-71843-95-6 for \$23,600. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$23,600 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: seeding and mulching completed in the Spring of 1991. 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 9, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for 10 a.m. 1/5/98 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 1/2/98.

#### NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Addington Enterprises, Inc., has applied for Phase III bond release on Increment No. 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 18, 21 and 22 of permit number 836-0242 which was last issued on 9/23/97. The application covers an area of approximately 226.16 acres located 0.175 miles northeast of German in Floyd County, Kentucky.

The permit area is approximately 1.0 miles north from Crooked Branch Road's junction with KY 194 and located 0.25 mile east of Copperas Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 42 minutes and 30 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 38 minutes and 57 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 1 is a surety No. 16-41-78 and 41-0130-71803-95-4 for \$25,700. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$25,700 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: establishment of the post-mining land use.

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, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by January 5, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for Tuesday, January 6, 1998 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. This hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 5, 1998.

#### NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Addington Enterprises, Inc., has applied for Phase III bond release on Permit Number 836-5311 which was last issued on 1/26/96. The application covers an area of approximately 52.07 acres located north of Copperas Creek in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 1/2 miles northeast from State Route 194 junction with Copperas Creek and located at Copperas Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 42 minutes and 16 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 37 minutes and 51 seconds.

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Reclamation work performed includes: seeding and mulching completed in the Spring of 1991. 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 1/2/98.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for 10 a.m. 1/5/98 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 1/2/98.

#### NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Addington Enterprises, Inc., has applied for Phase III bond release on Increment No. 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 18, 21 and 22 of permit number 836-0242 which was last issued on 9/23/97. The application covers an area of approximately 226.16 acres located 0.175 miles northeast of German in Floyd County, Kentucky.

The permit area is approximately 1.0 miles north from Crooked Branch Road's junction with KY 194 and located 0.25 mile east of Copperas Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 42 minutes and 30 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 38 minutes and 57 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 1 is a surety No. 16-41-78 and 41-0130-71803-95-4 for \$25,700. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$25,700 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: seeding and mulching completed in the Spring of 1991. 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, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for 10:00 a.m. January 5, 1998 at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional Office, 109 Mays Branch Road, Pikeville, KY 41501. The hearing

100% of the original bond amount of \$18,600 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 6 is a surety No. 16-41-82 and 41-0130-71807-95-0 for \$10,800. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$10,800 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 7 is a surety No. 16-42-13 and 41-0130-71841-95-3 for \$16,600. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$16,600 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 8 is a surety No. 16-42-14 and 41-0130-71842-95-0 for \$6,400. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$6,400 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 9 is a surety No. 16-42-15 and 41-0130-71843-95-6 for \$10,100. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$10,100 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 10 is a surety No. 16-42-16 and 41-0130-71844-95-2 for \$18,300. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$18,300 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 11 is a surety No. 16-42-17 and 41-0130-71845-95-5 for \$10,200. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$10,200 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 12 is a surety No. 16-42-18 and 41-0130-71846-95-5 for \$5,300. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$5,300 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 14 is a surety No. 16-42-19 and 41-0130-71847-95-1 for \$17,100. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$17,100 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 15 is a surety No. 16-42-20 and 41-0130-71848-95-8 for \$35,100. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$35,100 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 18 is a surety No. 16-42-22 and 41-0130-71849-95-4 for \$21,900. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$21,900 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 21 is a surety No. 16-42-23 and 41-0130-71850-95-2 for \$4,800. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$4,800 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 22 is a surety No. 16-42-21 and 41-0130-71851-95-2 for \$5,400. Approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$5,400 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: seeding and mulching completed in the 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, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for 10:00 a.m. January 5, 1998 at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional Office, 109 Mays Branch Road, Pikeville, KY 41501. The hearing

will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 5, 1998.

#### NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Progress Land Corporation, HC 82 Box 1045, Arnold Fork Road, Kite, Kentucky 41828 has applied for Phase III 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 mile 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 \$6,600. One hundred percent (100%) of the remainder of the original bond amount of \$16,300 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the Spring of 1991. 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 9, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 12, 1998 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 canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 9, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 12, 1998 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 canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 9, 1998.

#### NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Progress Land Corporation, HC 82 Box 1045, Arnold Fork Road, Kite, Kentucky 41828 has applied for Phase III Bond Release 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 Road and 0.1 mile east of 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 bond of \$2,400. One hundred percent (100%) of the remainder of the original bond amount of \$10,000 is included in the application for release.



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 9, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for January 12, 1998 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 canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 9, 1998.

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE**

The following items will be offered at public sale on December 5, 1997 at 11:00 a.m. at Harold Branch Lot, Harold, Kentucky.

Item to be sold: 1984 Chevrolet Monte Carlo, Serial # 1G1AZ37GXR115490.

All items are sold "as is where is." Seller reserves the right to bid and to reject any or all bids. Items are to be paid following the sale, or satisfactory arrangements are made with the seller. Announcements at the sale take priority over ad. Purchaser to pay all taxes and transfer fees.

Terry Sizemore  
Collection Manager  
The Bank Josephine  
P.O. Box 471  
Prestonsburg, KY  
41653

**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application No. 836-5341, Renewal**

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Czar Coal Corporation, HC 64 Box 915, Debord, Kentucky 41214, has applied for a renewal of an underground mining operation located 2.7 miles south of Odds in Floyd, Martin, and Johnson Counties, Kentucky. The proposed operation disturbs 42.50 acres of surface area and will underlie an additional 123.00 acres, for a total of 165.50 acres.

The operation is approximately 2.70 miles southwest from Daniel's Branch Road's junction with KY State Route 3 and located 0.1 miles south of Dick's Creek. The operation is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The latitude is 37° 42' 52" and the longitude is 82° 38' 58".

The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Pocahontas Development Corporation. The operation will underlie land owned by Pocahontas Development Corporation.

The 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 the Division of Permits, No. 2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE**

December 12, 1997, at 10:30 a.m., a 1996 Clayton Regal 24x48 mobile home, S/N CLH021263TNAB will be sold to the highest bidder for cash "as is where is" at Hylton Mobile Homes, Rt. 23, Ivel, KY 41642. Under the terms of a Retail Installment Contract and Security Agreement. The mobile home may be inspected before the sale. The bank reserves the right to bid. The buyer will pay all taxes and transfer fees.

Collection Department  
Pikeville, KY  
Greg Justice,  
Auctioneer

**NOTICE TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS**

The regularly scheduled monthly meetings of the Commission of David Water District will be held on the second Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the David Area Volunteer Fire Department #2, David, Floyd County, Kentucky. These meetings are open to the public, and all interested persons are encouraged to attend.

Jackie Howard,  
Chairman  
David Water District

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 CIVIL ACTION NO. 97-CI-00270**

Community Trust Bank, N.A., d/b/a "Pikeville National Bank and Trust Company, Plaintiff

vs.  
Russell Ward, Jr. and Loretta Ward, husband and wife, and Floyd County, Kentucky, Defendants

**NOTICE OF SALE**

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the September 16, 1997 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 11th day of December, 1997 at the hour of 9:00 a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

Route 119 at Wayland, 197 Front Street. BEGINNING at a point on North edge on concrete walk on a line midway between House # 1157-1158 and House #1159-1160, witnessed S 61:30 W 18.02 feet to the Northwest corner of House #1157-1158 and S 51.10 E 18.02 feet to the Northwest corner of House #1159-1160; thence with line midway between House #1157-1158 and House #1159-1160 S 5:10 W 76 feet to a stake; thence S 85:50 E 58 feet to a stake on a line midway between House 1156-1160 and House #1161-1162; thence with line midway between House #1159-1160 and House #1161-1162 N 5:10 E 76 feet to a point on North edge of concrete walk; thence with edge of concrete walk; thence with edge of concrete walk N 84:50 feet to the beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to Russell Ward, Jr. and Loretta Ward, his wife from Mary Ellen Morris, by deed dated March 3, 1986, recorded in Deed Book 298, Page 499, in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security.

Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 18th day of November, 1997,  
Earl Martin McGuire  
Master Commissioner  
Floyd Circuit Court  
P.O. Box 1257  
Prestonsburg, KY  
41653  
Phone 606-886-8140  
Fax 606-886-9755

**COMMONWEALTH**

**OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 CIVIL ACTION NO. 97-CI-00782**

First Commonwealth Bank of Prestonsburg, Inc., Plaintiff

vs.  
James C. Sparks and Margie Sparks, his wife, Defendants

**NOTICE OF SALE**

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the November 12, 1997 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 11th day of December, 1997, at the hour of 9:45 a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

Being the same property conveyed to James C. Sparks and Marjorie G. Sparks, husband and wife, by deed dated the 9th day of April, 1996, for Robert Lee Burchett and Roslyn Burchett, his wife, Tom Oak McGuire and Orella McGuire, his wife, which is recorded in the office of the Floyd County Court Clerk, in Deed Book 394, at Page 375, and being more particularly described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying and being on the waters of Middle Creek, Floyd County, Kentucky, and thus described:  
Beginning at a 2-inch steel pipe above the road; thence N 20-52-30 W 150.12 feet up the hill to a 2-inch steel pipe; thence N 20-52-30 W up the hill to the center of the ridge; thence along the ridge in an easterly direction approximately 150 feet to a point on the center of the ridge S 25-28-56 E down the hill to a steel pipe; thence S 25-28-56 E approximately 150 feet to a steel pipe; thence S 63-14-20 W approximately 150 feet to the beginning.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price, the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security.

Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 18th day of November, 1997  
Earl Martin McGuire  
Master Commissioner  
Floyd Circuit Court  
P.O. Box 1257  
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41653  
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**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 CIVIL ACTION NO. 97-CI-00453**

First Commonwealth Bank of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, Plaintiff

vs.

RND, Inc.; Floyd County, Kentucky; Big Sandy Area Development District; East Kentucky Economic Development and Jobs Creation Corporation d/b/a Eastern Kentucky Corporation; and Floyd County Development Authority, Defendants  
By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the October 9, 1997 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction,

on the 11th day of December, 1997, at the hour of 10:30 a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel property located and lying in Floyd County, Kentucky:

Being the same property conveyed Floyd County Development Authority from United Central Industrial Supply Company by deed dated the 6th day of October, 1993, and recorded in Deed Book 371, page 95, in the office of the Floyd County Clerk.

A certain tract or parcel of land, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

BOUNDARY "A" beginning on a stake corner to H.G. Hagons and Rebecca Preston land; thence running with H.G. Hagons line to the G.W. Allen line; thence with G.W. Allen line to Wess Flannery line; thence with Wess Flannery line to A.J. Davidson Allen line; thence with A.J. Davidson line to the J.M. Allen line; thence with the Rebecca Preston line; thence with the Rebecca Preston line; thence the point to a Hickory tree; thence on around the hill to a Poplar tree on the west bank of drain; thence on around the hill to the center between a Hickory and a Buckeye tree on the point; thence down the side of the point to the Beaver Highway #80; thence with said Highway #80 to the Rebecca Preston branch; thence with the meander of said branch to the John Allen line; thence with the A.J. Davidson line to the beginning.

BOUNDARY "B," TRACT #1. Containing 6.75 acres more or less and described as follows: Beginning on a stake in the center of Rebecca Prestons branch from which a large Silver Maple bears S 32-00 E 7 feet, then up the hill with the land of Ella Preston etc. N 8-30 W 83.4 feet to a stake, thence N 13-00 E 174.6 feet to a stake, then N 45-35 W 134 feet (passing on foot right of a large Chestnut tree at Plus 98 feet) to a stake, then N 73-15 W 164 feet to a stake four feet right of a scrubby White Oak, then N 44-15 W 55.2 feet to a stake, then N 8-30 W 85 feet to a stake, then N 4-20 E 114.5 feet to a fence post in the line of land of Hiram Hagons, then down the hill with his line N 82-45 W 342.4 feet to a stake in lower edge of old county road a corner to B.L.C. May, thence with a line of same S 80-15 W 42 feet to a stake in the Centerline of Beaver Highway, thence with the Centerline of said Highway to center of Rebecca Preston branch, then with the center of said branch to beginning, containing 6.75 acres more or less.

TRACT #2 Containing 4.27 acres more or less and described as follows: Beginning on a hickory on the point opposite where John and Arzilla used to live, said hickory standing about three hundred feet from the house built by them, then around the hill S 29-30 W 174.6 feet to a stake from which a bunch of pawpaws bear N 11-00 W 27 feet, then S 74-00 W 164 feet to a poplar on the bank of a drain, then up the hill S 22-30 E 460 feet to a Black Oak, then around the hill S 59-00 W 150 feet to a stake from which a Maple bears N 85-00 E 4 feet then up a point, S 46-00 E 134 feet to a Sycamore, S 68-00 E 194.6 feet to an Ash, two sugars and an Elm in a Poplar stump, then around the hill, M 38-15 E 127 feet to a stake from which a White Oak bears N 27-00 E 8 feet, then down a point N 5-00 W 132.8 feet to a stake, then

N 17-30 W 122.8 feet to a stake, then N 11-15 W 92.4 feet to a Black Oak and a Sugar. Same course 118.4 feet to a stake, then N 10-25 W 132.4 feet to a stake, then N 19-30 W 63 feet to a stake 8 feet right of a White Oak, then N 14-35 W 138.2 feet to the beginning, containing 4.27 acres more or less.

BOUNDARY "C." This is a deed to clarify rights and title of the property line between Anna Preston and Virnus Issac, beginning at an iron stake which is a marker of United Fuel Gas Co. Transmission line. Thence running East up the point within three feet of the North side of a hickory tree, thence up the point to top of the point to a red oak tree, thence running down the hill to near a walnut stump, thence back across the end of bottom to Highway 80, thence running with Highway 80 to a stake at the beginning.

A portion of the afore described surface land has been platted and a map of said plat known as the Preston Addition has been filed in the office of the Floyd County Clerk on October 27, 1967, designated Map File No. 352.

There is excepted and reserved from the property hereby conveyed that portion of said property conveyed to the Commonwealth of Kentucky, Department of Transportation, from Elmcok Division of Envirotech, by Deed of Conveyance, dated April 11, 1978, of record in Deed Book 238, at Page No. 42, Floyd County Clerk's Office.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security.

Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 18th day of November, 1997.

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Master Commissioner  
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**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 CIVIL ACTION NO. 97-CI-00381**

Trans Financial Bank, FSB (f/k/a "First Guaranty National Bank") and Trans Financial N.A., Plaintiff

vs.  
Charles G. Hurst and Judy Hurst, Defendant

**NOTICE OF SALE**

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the November 6, 1997 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 11th day of December, 1997, at the hour of 11:15 a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

Rt. 680, Minnie, Kentucky, Sizemore Branch. BEGINNING with a 20 feet approach leaving the old county road turning right approximately 160 feet to approximately 1/2 length of embankment behind it running with the old county road then turning left for approximately 150 feet across the embankment to KY State Right-of-Way, then turning

left with KY State Right-of-Way to the beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to the first parties from Duane Youmans and Brenda Youmans, his wife, by deed bearing date June 16, 1993, and recorded in Deed Book 367, Page 223, in the office of the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price, the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security.

Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

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**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 CIVIL ACTION NO. 97-CI-00132**

Jimmy Reed and Pasty Reed, Plaintiffs

vs.  
Charles A. Jarrell, Defendant

**NOTICE OF SALE**

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the February 19, 1997 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 11th day of December, 1997, at the hour of 11:45 a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

Real Estate Property located on Fred's Creek of Mays Branch in Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a beech tree at the big gate; thence running up the point with line of lot no. 4, N 75.10 E 372 feet to a black oak on the point, N 83 30 E 410 feet to a stake by right side of chestnut oak N 80 50 E 209 feet to a post oak on said point corner to lot No. 6; thence S 7 40 W 1100 feet to a small locust on the end of point; thence up the point S 32 15 W 127 feet to X on a rock; S 27 15 W 295 feet to an X on a rock on top of a hill between the said May Branch and Trimble Branch corner, to W.S. Harkins land; thence along with the top of the ridge with said line N. 81 10 W 181 feet to an X on a rock; N 50 15 W 433 feet to a hickory S 79 45 W 162 feet to a double chestnut and hickory; N 70 15 W 329 feet to two black oaks corner to lot No. 3; thence down the point thence straight line to Alex Harmons line; thence with his line to Troy Nelson line; thence with Troy Nelson line to county road; thence with the county road.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price, the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien

retained upon said property as a further security.

Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

Given under my hand, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1997.

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**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. ONE Action No. 94-CI-00552**

Allen Lee Hubbard, Director and Shareholder of Inner Mountain Mfg., Inc., Plaintiff

vs.

Inner Mountain Mfg., Inc., Darwin Burchett, and First Guaranty National Bank of Martin, Kentucky, Defendants

**NOTICE OF SALE**

By virtue of an Agreed Decree of Dissolution of Corporation and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered by the Court on September 12, 1997, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 11th day of December, 1997, at the hour of 2:00 p.m., the following described property:

All accounts receivable, equipment, inventory and customer lists of Inner Mountain Manufacturing, Inc. of Prestonsburg, Kentucky. A copy of the accounts receivable, equipment, inventory and customer lists may be obtained by contacting the Master Commissioner at the address set forth at the bottom of this Notice.

A complete list of the accounts receivable, equipment, inventory and customer lists will be available for review on the date and at the place of sale ordered. Said sale shall also include the good will of the corporation and the trade name "Boss Hoss." Purchaser shall also have the right to lease the building which is presently occupied by Inner Mountain Manufacturing, Inc. and the parking area immediately in front of the building and the storage area used behind and the right of service trucks to turn upon adjacent properties for a period of twenty years at a rental of \$1,000 per month with a cost of living adjustment every five (5) years. If the purchaser is a corporation lessor may require individual guarantors. The form of the lease which will be executed may be reviewed by contacting the undersigned Master Commissioner.

Purchaser must agree to assume all warranty obligations of Inner Mountain Manufacturing, Inc. Any purchaser shall have the privilege of paying all or any part of the purchase price or paying said bond or bonds before maturity by paying the balance of the principle together with all accrued interest there upon.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

Bidders will be prepared to comply with the terms set forth herein.

Given under my hand, this 18th day of November, 1997.

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**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1**

**CIVIL ACTION NO. 96-CI-00637**

United Companies Lending Corp., Plaintiff

vs.

Jessie Mae Keen, et. al., Defendant

**NOTICE OF SALE**

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the October 24, 1997 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 11th day of December, 1997, at the hour of 2:30 p.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on the Big Sandy River containing One Lot, described as follows:

Being Lot No. 6 in the Ford Addition in the city of Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky, as shown on Plat of said Addition now on file in the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office, to which reference is hereby made for a more complete description of said property.

Being the same property conveyed to Jessie Mae Keen, by deed dated 10/27/94, of record in Deed Book 382, Page 237, in the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include, costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price, the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security.

Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

Given under my hand this 11th day of November, 1997.

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**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 CIVIL ACTION NO. 97-CI-00650**

Inez Deposit Bank, Plaintiff

vs.

David Ayala and Laura Ayala, Defendants

**NOTICE OF SALE**

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the November 11, 1997 Term, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 11th day of December, 1997, at the hour of 3:15 p.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, on a credit of thirty (30) days at the rate of 12% per annum, the following described property to-wit:

Certain tracts or parcels of land located at Branham Creek, Floyd County, Kentucky, and being more described as follows:

TRACT 1: Beginning at the Berry Akers line at a planted stone at the highway; thence running eastwardly with said line to the top of the point; thence running northerly to a marked post at Wallace Keathley's line; thence running straight down the hill with said line to a marked post at the highway; thence up the road to the beginning.





Vanderpool; Bounded on the south by Alben Arnett and B. Vanderpool; Bounded on the east by Butler Vanderpool; Bounded on the west by B. Vanderpool. More fully described in Deed from Sherman Vanderpool, Enose Vanderpool, Mary J. Williams, Phoebe Shoemaker, Curtis Vanderpool, Akelah Vanderpool to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said \_\_\_ County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Harlan Hopkins and Leora Hopkins, his wife; Roy Vanderpool and Audrey Vanderpool, his wife; Bert Vanderpool and Nellie Vanderpool, his wife; Flora Arnett and S.C. Arnett, her husband. R/W 1328

Date of Agreement: 6/15/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Miscellaneous Book 9, Page 193

Harlan Hopkins and Leora Hopkins, Roy Vanderpool and Audrey Vanderpool, Bert Vanderpool and Nellie Vanderpool, and Flora Arnett and S.C. Arnett granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr. Trustee for Inland Gas Corp. for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Charlie May, G.V. Joseph and D.J. Vanderpool; Bounded on the south by Alben Arnett and R.A. Wireman; Bounded on the east by D.J. Vanderpool; Bounded on the west by Betty Arnett Heirs, Lizzie Nickel, H.A. Vanderpool. More fully described in Deed from Hoy Vanderpool, et. al, 12/18/22, recorded in Com. D.B. 5, Page 62, J.B. Vanderpool 1/1/09 recorded in D.B. 26, Page 176-177 dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_ A.D.

Jacob Vanderpool, 12/27/17 recorded in D.B. 40, Page 98, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_ deed records of said \_\_\_ County, to which reference is here made for further description.

**PIPELINE FG-48 MAGOFFIN COUNTY, KENTUCKY**

J.B. Owens, Sr. and Virgie Owens, his wife R/W 1289

Date of Agreement: 8/13/47 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 62

J.B. Owens, Sr. and Virgie Owens granted an easement of right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee of Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky, to wit:

Bounded on the north, James Owens, Jr.; bounded on the south, Roosevelt Minix; bounded on the east, Hargis Salyer and R.C. May, Jr.; bounded on the west, O.J. Owens and Hager Watson. More fully described in deed from W.M. Howard, to which reference is here made for further description.

James W. Owens and Rebecca Owens, his wife R/W 1282

Date of Agreement: 8/19/47 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 59

James W. Owens and Rebecca Owens granted an easement of right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee of Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky, to wit:

Bounded on the north, C.M. Owens; bounded on the south, O.J. Owens; bounded on the east, R.C. May and Hargis Salyer; bounded on the west,

C.M. Owens. More fully described in deed from J.B. Owens, Sr., to which reference is here made for further description.

H.G. Salyer and Muriel Salyer, his wife R/W 1283

Date of Agreement: 7/31/47 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 57

H.G. Salyer and Muriel Salyer granted an easement of right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee of Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky, to wit:

Bounded on the north, Media Salyer and others; bounded on the south, Byrd Owens and others; bounded on the east, Skid Montgomery; bounded on the west, Shafer Arnett and R.C. May. More fully described in deed from J.B. Owens to deed recorded in said Magoffin County to which reference is here made for further description.

R.C. May, Sr., Guardian for R.C. May, Jr. R/W 1285

Date of Agreement: 8/9/47 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 59

R.C. May, Sr., Guardian for R.C. May, Jr. granted an easement of right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee of Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky, to wit: Bounded on the north, Hargis Salyer and Byrd Owens; bounded on the east, Alvin Arnett and Hargis Salyer; bounded on the west, Max Owens and J.B. Owens. More fully described in deed from J.B. Owens to which reference is here made for further description.

J.B. Owens, Sr. and Virgie Owens, his wife R/W 1289

Date of Agreement: 8/13/47 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 62

J.B. Owens and Virgie Owens granted an easement of right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee of Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky, to wit:

Bounded on the north, James Owens, Jr. bounded on the south, Roosevelt Minix; bounded on the east, Hargis Salyer and R.C. May, Jr.; bounded on the west, O.J. Owens and Hager Watson. More fully described in deed from W.M. Howard to which reference is here made for further description.

Rosevelt Minix and Marie Minix, his wife R/W 1290

Date of Agreement: 8/13/47 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 66

Rosevelt Minix and Marie Minix granted an easement of right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee of Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky, to wit:

Bounded on the north, J.B. Owens; bounded on the south, Ben Jackson; bounded on the east, Burnett Howard Heirs; bounded on the west, Hade Jackson. More fully described in deed from Hager Watson to which reference is here made for further description.

Kindle Wireman and Polly Wireman, his wife R/W 1333

Date of Agreement: 8/25/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 349

Kindle Wireman and Polly Wireman granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr. Trustee for Inland Gas

for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Benny Bailey and Cora Bailey; Bounded on the south by Bass Howard; Bounded on the east by G.I. Stephens; Bounded on the west by Amos Auxier. More fully described in Deeds from Steve Wireman heirs to Kindle Wireman and Sally Wireman dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

J.B. Owens and Virgie Owens, his wife R/W 1334

Date of Agreement: 8/06/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 350

J.B. Owens and Virgie Owens granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr. Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Kash Arnett; Bounded on the south by Ollie Owens; Bounded on the east by J.G. Arnett Heirs; Bounded on the west by Kenis Mans. More fully described in Deeds from Jasper Owens heirs to J.B. Owens dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume 55, Page 247, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Tressie Mae Watson and Hager Watson, her husband R/W 1336

Date of Agreement: 10/09/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 352

Tressie Mae Watson and Hager Watson granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corp. for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by lands of Haden Jackson; Bounded on the east by lands of Haden Jackson; Bounded on the west by lands of O.J. Owens Kenis Mans. More fully described in Deeds from Haden Jackson and Nelis Jackson to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, A.D., recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed Records of s a i d \_\_\_ County, to which reference is here made for further description.

Haden Jackson and Nellous Jackson, his wife R/W 1337

Date of Agreement: 10/08/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 352

Haden Jackson and Nellous Jackson granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corp. for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by lands of Ollie Owens; Bounded on the south by lands of Hager Watson; Bounded on the east by lands of Jeff Gullett; More fully described in Deed from Calloway Montgomery and A.B. Salyers dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, A.D., recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed Records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Joy Hoyzy Minix, widow and Wardie Minix, single R/W 1341

Date of Agreement: 10/01/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 355

Joy Hoyzy Minix and Wardie Minix granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Crate Holbrook; Bounded on the south by Jay Minix; Bounded on the east by Molly Montgomery; Bounded on the west by Crate Holbrook. More fully described in Deeds from Montgomery Heirs to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

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Jeff Gullett and Sola Gullett, his wife R/W 1338

Date of Agreement: 10/01/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 353

Jeff Gullett and Sola Gullett granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr. Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Haden Jackson; Bounded on the south by Charles Montgomery; Bounded on the east by Haden Jackson and Doney Patrick; Bounded on the west by Haden Jackson and Crate Holbrook. More fully described in Deeds from Noah Lovely to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Crate Holbrook and Nellie Holbrook, his wife R/W 1339

Date of Agreement: 10/01/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 353

Crate Holbrook and Nellie Holbrook granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Jeff Gullett and Haden Jackson; Bounded on the south by Cal Montgomery; Bounded on the east by Eula Montgomery Gullett; Bounded on the west by Hash Salyers and Jasper Minix. More fully described in Deeds from Skid Montgomery to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Calloway Montgomery and Molly Montgomery, his wife R/W 1340

Date of Agreement: 10/06/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 354

Calloway Montgomery and Molly Montgomery granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Crate Holbrook; Bounded on the south by Jay Minix; Bounded on the east by Molly Montgomery; Bounded on the west by Crate Holbrook. More fully described in Deeds from Montgomery Heirs to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Robert Montgomery and Audra Montgomery, his wife R/W 1344

Date of Agreement: 10/06/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 356

Robert Montgomery and Audra Montgomery granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Lee Rigsby; Bounded on the south by Crate Holbrook; Bounded on the east by Wylie Minix; Bounded on the west by Robert Montgomery. More fully described in Deeds from W. Allen Heirs to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Manda Salyer, widow R/W 1345

Date of Agreement: 10/01/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 357

Manda Salyer granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Crate Holbrook; Bounded on the south by Wiley Minix; Bounded on the east by Molly Montgomery; Bounded on the west by Bill Pitts. More fully described in Deeds from Bruce Minix to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Wiley Minix and Dora Minix, his wife R/W 1342

Date of Agreement: 10/01/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 355

Wiley Minix and Dora Minix granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Bill Pitts; Bounded on the south by Molly Montgomery; Bounded on the east by Wardie Minix or Brice Minix; Bounded on the west by Weston Allen. More fully described in Deeds from Jack Minix to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Western Allen and Sis Allen, his wife R/W 1343

Date of Agreement: 10/28/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 356

Western Allen and Sis Allen granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Lee Rigsby; Bounded on the south by Crate Holbrook; Bounded on the east by Wylie Minix; Bounded on the west by Robert Montgomery. More fully described in Deeds from W. Allen Heirs to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Denie Minix and Lessie Minix, his wife R/W 1348

Date of Agreement: 10/08/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 359

Denie Minix and Lessie Minix granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Sam Salyer; Bounded on the south by Ollie Bailey; Bounded on the east by Morgan Rowe; Bounded on the west by Lang Minix. More fully described in Deeds from Louis Minix to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Denie Minix and Lessie Minix granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Price Holbrook; Bounded on the south by Haden Jackson; Bounded on the east by Haden Jackson; Bounded on the west by Oscar Howard and Price Holbrook. More fully described in Deeds from Sherman Allen to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Dewey Howard and Daisy Howard, his wife R/W 1349

Date of Agreement: 10/14/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 360

Dewey Howard and Daisy Howard granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Hadan Jackson; Bounded on the south by Dean Bailey; Bounded on the east by Ollie Bailey; Bounded on the west by Dean Bailey. More fully described in Deeds from Langley Minix to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Chester Allen and Dora Allen, his wife R/W 1346

Date of Agreement: 10/08/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 358

Chester Allen and Dora Allen granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Mandy Salyer; Bounded on the south by Sam Salyer; Bounded on the east by Robert Montgomery; Bounded on the west by Wiley Minix. More fully described in Deeds from George Banks and W.A. Allen to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Sam Salyer and Fanny Salyer, his wife R/W 1347

Date of Agreement: 10/19/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 358

Sam Salyer and Fanny Salyer granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Chester Allen; Bounded on the south by Hage Jackson; Bounded on the east by Dennie Minix; Bounded on the west by Wiley Minix. More fully described in Deeds from Chester Allen to Sam Salyer and Fanny Salyer dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Denie Minix and Lessie Minix, his wife R/W 1348

Date of Agreement: 10/08/48 Magoffin County, Kentucky Deed Book 72, Page 359

Denie Minix and Lessie Minix granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Dean Bailey and Hadan Jackson; Bounded on the south by Lee Collins; Bounded on the east by Dean Bailey; Bounded on the west by Jack Howard. More fully described in Deeds from Dean Bailey to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Alfred Allen, widower R/W 1365

Date of Agreement: 8/05/49 Magoffin County, Kentucky Miscellaneous Book 9, Page 261

Alfred Allen granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Woodford Howard; Bounded on the south by Alfred Allen; Bounded on the east by Barnett Heirs; Bounded on the west by Kentucky University Land Company. More fully described in Deed from B.F. Holbrook to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Alfred Allen, widower R/W 1365

Date of Agreement: 8/05/49 Magoffin County, Kentucky Miscellaneous Book 9, Page 262

Haden Jackson, Nelous Jackson and Georgia Patrick granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Kentucky University Land Company; Bounded on the south by Sherman Allen; Bounded on the east by Alfred Allen; Bounded on the west by Price Holbrook and John Howard. More fully described in Deeds from Nelson Jackson to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Alvie Lee Carty and D.J. Carty, her husband R/W 1368

Date of Agreement: 8/15/49 Magoffin County, Kentucky Miscellaneous Book 9, Page 263

Alvie Lee Carty and D.J. Carty granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Kentucky University Land Company; Bounded on the south by Alfred Allen; Bounded on the east by Alfred Allen; Bounded on the west by Oscar Howard. More fully described in Deeds from Kewin Carty to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company Date of Agreement: 11/03/48

Unrecorded Ollie Bailey and Mary Bailey, his wife R/W 1364

Date of Agreement: 8/03/49 Magoffin County, Kentucky Miscellaneous Book 9, Page 260

Ollie Bailey and Mary Bailey granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Dean Bailey and Hadan Jackson; Bounded on the south by Lee Collins; Bounded on the east by Dean Bailey; Bounded on the west by Jack Howard. More fully described in Deeds from Dean Bailey to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Alfred Allen, widower R/W 1365

Date of Agreement: 8/05/49 Magoffin County, Kentucky Miscellaneous Book 9, Page 261

Alfred Allen granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Price Holbrook; Bounded on the south by Haden Jackson; Bounded on the east by Haden Jackson; Bounded on the west by Oscar Howard and Price Holbrook. More fully described in Deeds from Sherman Allen to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Haden Jackson and Nelous Jackson, his wife and Georgia Patrick, widow R/W 1366

Date of Agreement: 8/03/49 Magoffin County, Kentucky Miscellaneous Book 9, Page 262

Haden Jackson, Nelous Jackson and Georgia Patrick granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Kentucky University Land Company; Bounded on the south by Sherman Allen; Bounded on the east by Alfred Allen; Bounded on the west by Price Holbrook and John Howard. More fully described in Deeds from Nelson Jackson to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Alvie Lee Carty and D.J. Carty, her husband R/W 1368

Date of Agreement: 8/15/49 Magoffin County, Kentucky Miscellaneous Book 9, Page 263

Alvie Lee Carty and D.J. Carty granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Kentucky University Land Company; Bounded on the south by Alfred Allen; Bounded on the east by Alfred Allen; Bounded on the west by Oscar Howard. More fully described in Deeds from Kewin Carty to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company Date of Agreement: 11/03/48

Unrecorded Ollie Bailey and Mary Bailey, his wife R/W 1364

Date of Agreement: 8/03/49 Magoffin County, Kentucky Miscellaneous Book 9, Page 260

Ollie Bailey and Mary Bailey granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Dean Bailey and Hadan Jackson; Bounded on the south by Lee Collins; Bounded on the east by Dean Bailey; Bounded on the west by Jack Howard. More fully described in Deeds from Dean Bailey to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Alfred Allen, widower R/W 1365

Date of Agreement: 8/05/49 Magoffin County, Kentucky Miscellaneous Book 9, Page 261

Alfred Allen granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:

Bounded on the north by Price Holbrook; Bounded on the south by Haden Jackson; Bounded on the east by Haden Jackson; Bounded on the west by Oscar Howard and Price Holbrook. More fully described in Deeds from Sherman Allen to

dated the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_, 19\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_, Page \_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.

Date of Agreement: 9/17/49  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Miscellaneous Book 9, Page 279  
 Price Holbrook and Delma S. Holbrook granted a right of way to D.J. Carty for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Jim Banks; Bounded on the south by Morgan Fletcher; Bounded on the east by Langley Minix; Bounded on the west by H.G. Salyer. More fully described in Deed from Levi Arnett, Bk. 8, page 367, Stephen Arnett, Book 11, Page 102, and Lewis Minix, Book 19, Page 597 to Nelson Jackson and Tempy Jackson, his wife, deceased dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_\_\_, Page \_\_\_\_\_, Deed records of \_\_\_\_\_ said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.  
 Langley Minix and Francis Minix, his wife R/W 1378  
 Date of Agreement: 9/24/49  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Miscellaneous Book 9, Page 278  
 Langley Minix and Francis Minix granted a right of way to D.J. Carty for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Sam Salyer; Bounded on the south by Dean Bailey; Bounded on the east by Dennie Minix; Bounded on the west by Haden Jackson. More fully described in Deed from Charley Minix, Emily Minix, Dennie Minix, Leslie Mini, etc., to Langley Minix and Francis Minix dated the 7th day of April, 1937, recorded in Volume 61, Page 396, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.  
 Jim Banks and Ida Banks, his wife R/W 1379  
 Date of Agreement: 9/19/49  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Miscellaneous Book 9, Page 280  
 Jim Banks and Ida Banks granted a right of way to D.J. Carty for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by D.C. Williams; Bounded on the south by Haden Jackson; Bounded on the east by Jackson Minix; Bounded on the west by Morgan Allen. More fully described in Deed from George Banks and Ida Banks to Jim Banks and Ida Banks dated the 13th day of April, 1940, recorded in Volume 60, Page 610, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.  
**PIPELINE FG-54**  
**MAGOFFIN COUNTY, KENTUCKY**  
 Dewey Howard and Daisy Howard, his wife R/W 1349  
 Date of Agreement: 10/14/48  
 Deed Book 72, Page 360  
 Dewey Howard and Daisy Howard granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee, Inland Gas Corp., for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Haden Jackson; Bounded on the south by Dean Bailey; Bounded on the east by Ollie Bailey; Bounded on the west by Dean Bailey. More fully described in Deed from Langley Minix to \_\_\_\_\_ dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A.D. \_\_\_\_\_, recorded in \_\_\_\_\_

Volume \_\_\_\_\_, Page \_\_\_\_\_, Deed records of said \_\_\_\_\_ County, to which reference is here made for further description.  
 Morgan Rowe and Kate Rowe, his wife R/W 1356  
 Date of Agreement: 11/12/48  
 Deed Book 9, Page 190  
 Morgan Rowe and Kate Rowe granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Chester Allen; Bounded on the south by Charlie Rowe and A.B. Rowe; Bounded on the east by Lee Rigsby; Bounded on the west by Dennie Minix. More fully described in Deed from Wesley Rowe and Jane Rowe to \_\_\_\_\_ dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_\_\_, Page \_\_\_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.  
**PIPELINE FG-56**  
**MAGOFFIN COUNTY, KENTUCKY**  
 C.M. Owens and Afton Owens, his wife R/W 1335  
 Date of Agreement: 8/04/48  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 72, Page 351  
 C.M. Owens and Afton Owens granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by James Owens, Jr.; Bounded on the south by J.B. Owens; Bounded on the east by R.C. May; Bounded on the west by Ollie Owens. More fully described in Deed from J.B. Owens, Sr. to C.M. Owens dated the 19th day of October, 1937, recorded in Volume 60, Page 279, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.  
 Charlie Rowe R/W 1354  
 Date of Agreement: 1/04/49  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Miscellaneous Book 9, Page 191  
 Charlie Rowe granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Morgan Rowe; Bounded on the south by Sarah Rowe; Bounded on the east by Roy Rigsby; Bounded on the west by Dennie Minix. More fully described in Deed from Wesley Rowe and Jane Rowe to \_\_\_\_\_ dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_\_\_, Page \_\_\_\_\_, Deed records of said \_\_\_\_\_ County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.  
 Sarah Minix R/W 1355  
 Date of Agreement: 12/30/48  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Miscellaneous Book 9, Page 191  
 Sarah Minix granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Morgan Rowe; Bounded on the south by Dudley Watson; Bounded on the east by John Rowe Heirs; Bounded on the

west by Dudley Watson. More fully described in Deed from Wesley Rowe and Jane Rowe to \_\_\_\_\_ dated the 22nd day of May, 1922, recorded in Volume 62, Page 434, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.  
 Morgan Rowe and Kate Rowe, his wife R/W 1356  
 Date of Agreement: 11/12/48  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Miscellaneous Book 9, Page 190  
 Morgan Rowe and Kate Rowe granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Chester Allen; Bounded on the south by Charlie Rowe and A.B. Rowe; Bounded on the east by Lee Rigsby; Bounded on the west by Dennie Minix. More fully described in Deed from Wesley Rowe and Jane Rowe to \_\_\_\_\_ dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, recorded in Volume \_\_\_\_\_, Page \_\_\_\_\_, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is here made for further description.  
 James Edgar Allen, et al to Richard Williams, et al Recorded in Deed Book \_\_\_\_\_ Page \_\_\_\_\_, Magoffin County Clerk (Page 179).  
**PIPELINE FG-41**  
**MAGOFFIN COUNTY, KENTUCKY**  
 Lillie Mae Wireman, widow, Mae Hoskins and John Hoskins, Oran Wireman, single; N.N. Salyer, Guardian for Edward Wireman; Seldon Wireman and Jane Wireman R/W \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Agreement: 4/15/42  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 32, Page 1  
 Lillie Mae Wireman, Mae Hoskins, John Hoskins, Oran Wireman, N.N. Salyer, Guardian for Edward Wireman; Seldon Wireman and Jane Wireman granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Abe Wireman; Bounded on the south by John Hale; Bounded on the east by Amos Wireman; Bounded on the west by Allen Wireman. On the waters of Bee Tree of Licking River containing 317-21 acres, more or less, including premises conveyed to Lessor by Ramey Wireman, by kinship. County Court Clerk's Office.  
**PIPELINE FG-40**  
**MAGOFFIN COUNTY, KENTUCKY**  
 Sallie Hale and John M. Hale, her husband R/W 1459  
 Date of Agreement: 1/16/52  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 76, Page 538  
 Sallie Hale and John M. Hale granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Mary Stephens Joseph, et al.; Bounded on the south by Verna Arnett; Bounded on the east by Dona Howard; Bounded on the west by John M. Hale. More fully described in Deed from Sollie Howard heirs to Woodrow Hale and Sallie Hale dated 20th April day of Jan. A.D. 1951 1945 recorded in Volume 63, Page 358 444 Deed Records of said Magoffin

County, to which reference is hereto made for further description.  
 Amos Wireman and Catherine Wireman, his wife R/W 1463  
 Date of Agreement: 8/15/52  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 79, Page 220  
 Amos Wireman and Catherine Wireman granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Ramey Wireman; Bounded on the south by Julia Wireman; Bounded on the east by Byron Salyer; Bounded on the west by Kelly Wireman and N.N. Wireman. More fully described in Deed from J.W. Howard Silas Shepherd Green to Catherine Shepherd Wireman dated the 31st day of December and 22nd day of September A.D. 1920 recorded in Volume 6, Page 192, Deed Records of said Magoffin County, to which reference is hereto made for further description.  
 Hargis Hopkins and Myrtle Hopkins, his wife R/W 1463-A  
 Date of Agreement: 10/07/52  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 79, Page 221  
 Hargis Hopkins and Myrtle Hopkins granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Ramey Wireman; Bounded on the south by Julia Wireman; Bounded on the east by Byron Salyer; Bounded on the west by Kelly Wireman and N.N. Wireman, Grever Shepherd and Silas Shepherd. More fully described in Deed from J.W. Howard, Spec Com. to Catherine Shepherd Wireman dated the 22nd day of September A.D. 1922 recorded in Volume 6, Page 192, Deed Records of said Magoffin County, to which reference is here to made for further description.  
 Roy Allen and Goldie Allen, his wife R/W 1464  
 Date of Agreement: 7/17/52  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 79, Page 221  
 Roy Allen and Goldie Allen granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Byrd Allen; Bounded on the south by Walker Allen; Bounded on the east by Bruce Stephens; Bounded on the west by Buddy Allen. More fully described in Deed from S.Y. Allen to \_\_\_\_\_ dated the 23rd day of January A.D. 1946 recorded in Volume 67, Page 408, Deed Records of said Magoffin County, to which reference is here to made for further description.  
 Dave Wireman, Jr. R/W 1465  
 Date of Agreement: 6/24/52  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 79, Page 222  
 Dave Wireman, Jr. granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Tony Wireman; Bounded on the south by

Ramey Wireman; Bounded on the east by Byron Salyer; Bounded on the west by M.F. Arnett. More fully described in Deed from Dave Wireman to Dave Wireman, Jr. dated the 23rd day of February A.D. 1957 recorded in Volume \_\_\_\_\_, Page \_\_\_\_\_, Deed Records of said Magoffin County, to which reference is hereto made for further description.  
 Tonie Wireman and Stella Wireman, his wife R/W 1467  
 Date of Agreement: 6/24/52  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 79, Page 224  
 Tonie Wireman and Stella Wireman granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Jasper Rowe, etc.; Bounded on the south by Dave Wireman, Jr.; Bounded on the east by Jasper Rowe, etc.; Bounded on the west by M.F. Arnett. More fully described in Deed from Dave Wireman to Tonie Wireman to dated the 25th day of February A.D. 1937 recorded in Comm. 8, Page 36, Deed Records of said Magoffin County, to which reference is hereto made for further description.  
 Joe Arnold Rowe R/W 1468  
 Date of Agreement: 6/20/52  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 79, Page 224  
 Joe Arnold Rowe granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Boon Allen and Smith Allen; Bounded on the south by Frank Shepherd heirs; Bounded on the east by Dr. M.M. Collins; Bounded on the west by Jasper Rowe and Odie Rowe to Joe Arnold Rowe, dated the 28th day of January A.D. 1948 recorded in Volume 71, Page 634, Deed Records of said Magoffin County, to which reference is hereto made for further description.  
 Jimmie Mullins and Arizona Mullins, his wife R/W 1470  
 Date of Agreement: 8/4/52  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 79, Book 226  
 Jimmie Mullins and Arizona Mullins granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Byrd Allen; Bounded on the south by Walker Allen; Bounded on the east by Bruce Stephens; Bounded on the west by Buddy Allen. More fully described in Deed from S.Y. Allen to \_\_\_\_\_ dated the 23rd day of January A.D. 1946 recorded in Volume 67, Page 408, Deed Records of said Magoffin County, to which reference is here to made for further description.  
 Dave Wireman, Jr. R/W 1465  
 Date of Agreement: 6/24/52  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 79, Page 222  
 Dave Wireman, Jr. granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Tony Wireman; Bounded on the south by

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 Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Roy Allen; Bounded on the south by Dr. M.N. Collins; Bounded on the east by Walker Allen; Bounded on the west by Hatcher Allen and Jim Mullins. More fully described in Deed from Smith Whitaker, Myrtle Cooper, Spec. Commissioner, Norman Shepherd to Smith Allen Conley; Bounded on the west by M.F. Arnett More fully described in Deeds from Frank Shepherd heirs to Jasper Rowe and Odie Rowe and Bruny Shepherd dated the 21st day of May and 5th July A.D. 1939 and 1946, recorded in Volume 373, Page 76, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is hereto made for further description.  
 Ramey Wireman and Bessie Wireman, his wife R/W 1472  
 Date of Agreement: 8/15/52  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 79, Book 227  
 Ramey Wireman and Bessie Wireman granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Dave Wireman, Jr.; Bounded on the south by Byron Salyer and Hopkins Heirs; Bounded on the east by Byron Salyer; Bounded on the west by Shepherd Heirs. More fully described in Deed from Com., Magoffin County Clerk of Julia Wireman and others to Ramey Wireman and Bessie Wireman, his wife dated the 13th day of May, 1950, recorded in Volume 8, Page 237, Deed Records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is hereto made for further description.  
 Byron Salyer and Betty Salyer, his wife R/W 1473  
 Date of Agreement: 8/15/52  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 79, Book 225  
 Byron Salyer and Betty Salyer granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by W.M. Conley Heirs and Odie Rowe; Bounded on the south by Catherine Wireman; Bounded on the east by Morris Wireman; Bounded on the west by Ramey Wireman. More fully described in Deed from Dave and Julia Wireman Heirs to Byron Salyer dated the 5th day of February, A.D. 1944 recorded in Volume 65, Page 472, Deed Records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is hereto made for further description.  
 Jasper Rowe and Odie Rowe, his wife R/W 1474  
 Date of Agreement: 6/20/52  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 79, Page \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bounded on the north by Roy Allen; Bounded on the south by Smith Allen; Bounded on the east by M.F. Arnett. More fully described in Deed from Taylor Allen to Jimmie Mullins and Arizona Mullins dated the 20th day of October A.D. 1943 recorded in Volume 66, Page 98, Deed Records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is hereto made for further description.  
 Smith Allen and Hattie Allen R/W 1471  
 Date of Agreement: 7/30/52  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 79, Book 227  
 Smith Allen and Hattie Allen granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in

7/1/53  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 79, Page 427  
 Julia Wireman granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Nancy Conley; Bounded on the west by M.F. Arnett More fully described in Deeds from Frank Shepherd heirs to Jasper Rowe and Odie Rowe and Bruny Shepherd dated the 21st day of May and 5th July A.D. 1939 and 1946, recorded in Volume 373, Page 76, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is hereto made for further description.  
 Brunie Shepherd and Joe Arnold Rowe R/W 1474-A  
 Date of Agreement: 11/25/52  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 79, Page 249  
 Brunie Shepherd and Joe Arnold Rowe granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Joe Arnold Rowe; Bounded on the south by Tony Wireman; Bounded on the east by Nancy Conley; Bounded on the west by M.F. Arnett, Jasper Rowe and Odie Rowe More fully described in Deeds from Frank Shepherd heirs to Brunie Shepherd and Joe Arnold Rowe dated the 29th day of December 1951, 5th day of July, 1939 recorded in Volume 78, Page 322-3, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is hereto made for further description.  
 Byron Salyer and Betty Salyer, his wife R/W 1477  
 Date of Agreement: 7/1/53  
 Magoffin County, Kentucky  
 Deed Book 79, Page 426  
 Byron Salyer and Betty Salyer granted a right of way to Ben Williamson, Jr., Trustee for Inland Gas Corporation for a pipeline over and through the following property located in Magoffin County, Kentucky:  
 Bounded on the north by Ramey Heirs; Bounded on the south by Ramey Heirs; Bounded on the west by Catherine Wireman. More fully described in Deed from Susie Sheperd to \_\_\_\_\_ dated the 16th day of March, 1937, recorded in Volume 60, Page 315, Deed records of said Magoffin County, Kentucky to which reference is hereto made for further description.  
 Julia Wireman, Widow R/W 1478  
 Date of Agreement: \_\_\_\_\_  
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- '92 Chrysler New Yorker - stk. #3812P
- '93 Chevy Lumina - stk. #3949P
- '93 Nissan T2WD - stk. #4090P
- '92 Olds Ciera - stk. #4135T
- '94 Ford Ranger 4x2 RC - stk. #4170P
- '95 Olds Achieva - stk. #4271P
- '90 Ford Tempo - stk. #4284T
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- '94 Chevy Cavalier - stk. #4322T
- '91 Chevy Lumina - stk. #4383T
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- '94 Pontiac Sunbird - stk. #4399P
- '92 Toyota T 4x2 S/B - stk. #4411T
- '91 Ford Probe CX - stk. #4415P
- '92 Chevy Camaro - stk. #4422T
- '93 Nissan T 2WD - stk. #4425T

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- '95 Toyota Corolla - stk. #G624
- '97 Olds Achieva - stk. #G625
- '96 Chevy Lumina - stk. #G619
- '93 Ford Ranger - stk. #GT620
- '93 Ford Aerostar - stk. #GT621
- '94 Pontiac Trans AM - stk. #G622
- '92 Ford Explorer - stk. #T1427A
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- '97 Ford Taurus - stk. #G615
- '98 Mercury Mystique - stk. #G606
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- '97 Ford Escort - stk. #G608
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- '96 Pontiac Sunfire - stk. #G596
- '96 Chevy Beretta - stk. #G597
- '95 Ford Taurus - stk. #G598
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- '96 Mitsubishi Galant - stk. #G591
- '93 Chevy Lumina Z34 - stk. #G592
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- '96 Toyota 4x2 - stk. #4542P
- '94 Toyota Corolla - stk. #4530T
- '93 Cadillac DeVille - stk. #4524T
- '93 Olds Bravada 4x4 - stk. #4528T
- '93 Pontiac Firebird - stk. #4517P
- '92 Chevy Blazer - stk. #GT552A
- '94 Mazda B-2300 - stk. #M1088A
- '95 Dodge Intrepid - stk. #G582
- '95 Geo Tracker - stk. #GT584
- '97 Ford Thunderbird - stk. #4501P
- '94 Chevy Camaro - stk. #4502P

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- '94 Toyota Corolla - stk. #4493P
- '97 Toyota T-4x2 X-cab - stk. #4491P
- '94 Mercury Cougar - stk. #4489P
- '92 Chevy Blazer - stk. #GT319A
- '92 Ford F-150 - stk. #G428B
- '94 Dodge Intrepid - stk. #GT527A
- '96 Ford Mustang - stk. #G284
- '96 Ford Taurus - stk. #G288
- '92 Dodge Stealth - stk. #J0300A
- '95 Toyota T-100 Pickup - stk. #T377
- '94 Ford Explorer - stk. #T1255A
- '92 Mazda MPV - stk. #M1003A
- '90 Ford F150 - stk. #GT339A
- '92 Ford E150 - stk. #J0287B
- '92 Ford Thunderbird - stk. #G399
- '97 Ford Contour - stk. #G416
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- '96 Ford Taurus - stk. #G422
- '96 Ford Escort - stk. #G430
- '94 Ford Taurus - stk. #435
- '94 Ford Mustang - stk. #G451
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- '95 Ford Thunderbird - stk. #G524
- '96 Olds Achieva - stk. #G525
- '95 Mercury Cougar - stk. #G529
- '94 Toyota TPU - stk. #GT522
- '94 Mazda B4000 - stk. #GT531
- '92 Ford Mustang - stk. #T1345A
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- '95 Ford Mustang - stk. #3905T
- '96 Toyota T4x2 - stk. #3930P
- '96 Pontiac Grand Prix - stk. #4110P
- '96 Ford Windstar - stk. #4150P
- '95 Pontiac Grand Am - stk. #4164P
- '95 Chrysler Cirrus - stk. #4179P
- '96 Chevy Beretta - stk. #4193P
- '94 Honda Accord - stk. #4222P
- '95 Dodge Dakota - stk. #4238T
- '96 Pontiac Grand Am - stk. #4250P
- '96 Plymouth Neon - stk. #4295P
- '96 Olds Ciera - stk. #4316P
- '96 Toyota Corolla - stk. #4319P
- '95 Toyota Corolla - stk. #4346T
- '91 Toyota T 4x4 - stk. #4355P
- '93 Toyota T-100 4x4 - stk. #4470P
- '95 Pontiac Sunfire - stk. #4471P
- '93 GMC G1500 Sierra 4x2 - stk. #4361T

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- '95 Toyota Celica - stk. #4395T
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- '95 Ford Taurus - stk. #4408P

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- '94 Ford Ranger - stk. #GT626
- '94 Ford Explorer - stk. #GT623
- '94 Toyota 4x4 - stk. #4564P
- '98 Ford Windstar - stk. #GT609
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- '96 Pontiac Grand Prix - stk. #G600
- '95 Mazda Millenia - stk. #G595
- '96 Jeep - stk. #GT590
- '94 Toyota 4x4 - stk. #4544P
- '96 Chevy Camaro - stk. #4536T
- '96 Ford F-150 4x4 - stk. #4539P
- '95 Toyota Tacoma 4x4 XC - stk. #4533P
- '95 Dodge Ram Van Conv. - stk. #4529T
- '97 Toyota 4x4 XC - stk. #4518P
- '95 Nissan Truck - stk. #GT470A
- '96 Mazda B4000 - stk. #4397TA
- '94 GMC Jimmy - stk. #GT583
- '97 Toyota Camry - stk. #4504P
- '95 Ford F-150 4x4 - stk. #4498P
- '95 Ford Mustang - stk. #G365
- '93 Olds Cutlass - stk. #G374
- '97 Mercury Sable - stk. #G367
- '96 Ford Crown Victoria - stk. #G372
- '94 Dodge Stealth - stk. #G378
- '96 Mercury Marquis - stk. #381
- '96 Dodge Ram Pickup - GT393
- '97 Ford Taurus - stk. #G397
- '97 Ford Taurus - stk. #G406
- '97 Mercury Cougar - stk. #G414
- '95 Chevy C1500 - stk. #GT426
- '96 Buick Regal - stk. #G412
- '94 Honda Accord - stk. #G446
- '95 Ford Windstar - stk. #GT452
- '96 Ford Mustang - stk. #G447
- '97 Mitsui Eclipse - stk. #G461
- '96 Chevy Silverado - stk. #GT456
- '94 Ford Explorer - GT474
- '95 Ford Explorer - stk. #GT495
- '96 Ford Ranger - stk. #GT499
- '95 Ford F150 - stk. #GT500
- '96 Ford F150 - stk. #GT409A
- '95 Ford F150 - stk. #GT508
- '94 Chevy S-10 Pickup - stk. #GT509
- '95 Ford Bronco - stk. #T1457A
- '97 Ford Thunderbird - stk. #G485
- '95 Chevy Camaro - stk. #G487
- '96 Toyota Camry - stk. #G52
- '96 Ford Explorer - stk. #GT514
- '97 Ford Thunderbird - stk. #G528
- '97 Ford Thunderbird - stk. #G535
- '97 Mercury Cougar - stk. #G538
- '94 Toyota T 4x4 - stk. #4433T
- '97 Toyota Corolla DX - stk. #3895P
- '97 Toyota Corolla DX - stk. #3896P
- '96 Dodge Intrepid 4dr. - stk. #4476P
- '94 Toyota T-100 4x4 - stk. #4472P
- '95 Ford Bronco - stk. #T1414A
- '95 Jeep Cherokee - stk. #T1397A

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- '94 Chevy Blazer - stk. #4205TB
- '97 Toyota Camry LE - stk. #4102P
- '97 Toyota Corolla DX - stk. #4104P
- '97 Toyota Corolla DX - stk. #4105P
- '97 Toyota Corolla DX - stk. #4107P
- '97 Toyota Corolla DX - stk. #4108P
- '95 Buick Regal Grand Sport - stk. #4132P
- '93 Ford E140 Conversion Van - stk. #4133P
- '95 Toyota T1 2WD XC DX - stk. #4182P
- '95 Toyota Camry LE - stk. #4232P
- '97 Ford Taurus - stk. #4252P
- '96 Ford Ranger 4x2 XC - stk. #4254P
- '96 Toyota Camry LE - stk. #4288P
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- '95 Chevy Blazer LS - stk. #4431T

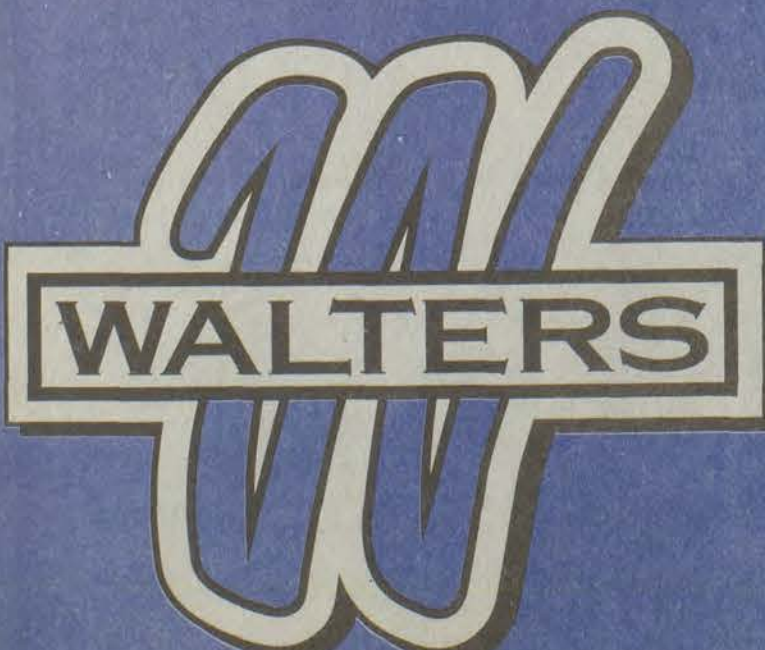
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- '97 Mercury Grand Marquis - stk. #G539
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- '95 Olds Aurora - stk. #G501
- '97 Ford F-150 - stk. #GT510
- '95 Chevy C1500 4x4 - stk. #4420P
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- '97 Ford E350 - stk. #GT537
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- '96 Toyota 4-Runner - stk. #4494P
- '97 Toyota 4-Runner - stk. #4495P
- '97 Toyota Avalon XL - stk. #4255P
- '96 Toyota 4-Runner 4-WD - stk. #4305P
- '95 Chevy Tahoe - stk. #GT368
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