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Hitting the playground

Students at Allen Elementary got a break from the first day of classes Thursday. In the photo to the right, Ms. Barnett's third-grade physical education class congregated at some of the playground equipment. In the bottom photograph, kindergartners enjoyed swinging out on the rope of the jungle gym. (photos by Chris McDavid)



Locals urged to unite for better schools

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

Efforts began Wednesday to unify Floyd County school officials, employees and the community in an attempt to garner local support for the struggling school district.

State Education Commissioner Wilmer Cody arrived in Floyd County Wednesday to meet with local school employees the day before the start of classes for the 1998-99 school year.

More than 1,000 Floyd County school employees gathered at the Mountain Arts Center Wednesday morning, in part to hear Cody's remarks, plus attend an ethics and legal training session.

Cody told school employees that it is the beginning of a "new era in the history of the Floyd County Schools."

"Our concept of state management is a fairly simple one," Cody said. "While we have the authority to make policy and management decisions, we have no intention of casually or routinely exercising that authority. The decisions need to be made locally—by the local board and by local administrators."

Floyd board members approved a joint agreement with state education officials in January which calls for a three-year state takeover of the school system.

For over a decade, Floyd County's school system has drawn the attention of state education officials and, past efforts by the state to correct political interferences and mismanagement practices have failed.

Cody said Wednesday that Floyd residents "must take ownership" of the system if progress is to continue after state management ends.

Standards set by the state for the district operations include: children come first; school business will be administered according to law; spending will be within budget; fair and professional treatment of all employees; and community involvement plus professional team-work is a must for success.

Also, Wednesday evening, the first of what school officials are calling a "center of influence" meeting was held at May Lodge to encourage civic and business leaders to become more involved in the school system.

Cody, state manager Woodrow Carter, interim superintendent Mike King and board chairman Terry Dotson were keynote speakers at Wednesday evening's dinner, sponsored by Dotson's company, Worldwide Equipment.

About 30 people, including local

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Lodestar cited in fatality

by Chris McDavid
Staff Writer

Federal officials have cited the mining company and contractor of a Floyd County mine for alleged violations which resulted in a mining-related death of a Salyersville man in May.

A report from the United States Department of Labor Mine Safety and Health Administration says the death of Robert C. Cooper, 30, at the Shop Branch Mine #2 in Ivel was caused by an inadequate braking system on Cooper's coal truck.

Cooper was killed on May 22 when he apparently lost control of a coal truck while driving down a hill at the mining site. Cooper died after he jumped from the vehicle and it landed on him.

Lodestar Energy Inc. and contractor Smith Patrick were each cited in June for not providing the

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Fiscal court meets today

Floyd Fiscal Court members will meet in special session at 11 a.m. Friday (today) in the old circuit courtroom on the second floor of the Floyd County Courthouse.

Items on the agenda for the special meeting include opening bids for fence work at the Garrett Park; the creation of the Floyd County Water Supply Planning Commission; and surplus property.

Other items for discussion are salaries and pay rates for jail employees; funding from the Administrative Office of the Courts for a new parking lot; transportation agreement; and the Ligon/Clear Creek water project.

State law requires that discussion at special meetings be limited to items on the agenda.

Shooting suspect was under house arrest; fled state to avoid capture

by Chris McDavid
Staff Writer

Less than two weeks after an area resident was placed under house arrest, he was being sought by authorities for allegedly shooting a Floyd County woman and violating conditions of his home incarceration.

Crit Douglas Caudill, 38, was being held in custody at his home on a 60-day sentence for a third offense driving under the influence charge when he allegedly shot Laura Blackburn, 23, of Beaver, last week.

Kentucky State Police detective Lee Weddington said Tuesday that Caudill "got rid" of the device that monitored his house arrest and fled the state after he allegedly shot Blackburn and attempted to shoot another resident.

Caudill was not arrested or charged with the shooting or escape from house arrest incidents until the following day.

Weddington, who has been investigating the shooting, said Caudill was arrested last Wednesday by Ohio officials on felony warrants obtained by the state police.

The detective said the defendant waived his right to an extradition hearing on August 6 and that Caudill was transported Monday to the Floyd County Adult Detention Center.

Caudill is accused of shooting Blackburn in the left leg following a verbal argument with 22-year-old Stevie Mitchell, whose address is the same as Blackburn's, police say.

The defendant also allegedly shot at Mitchell, but he was not injured in the altercation.

In Floyd District Court Monday, Caudill was arraigned on charges of

first degree assault, wanton endangerment and third degree escape.

Court records indicate Caudill's escape charge is a result of him leaving "the confinement of house arrest."

Floyd District Judge James R. Allen entered a not-guilty plea to Caudill's charges and ordered that he be held at the jail in lieu of a \$20,000 cash bond.

A preliminary hearing is scheduled for 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, August 18, to determine if there is probable cause to refer the case to a grand jury.

Dream Factory makes life 'so much easier' for Tackett family

by Catherine Twiss
Contributing Writer

Dreams continue to come true for area residents through the efforts of the Eastern Kentucky chapter of The Dream Factory.

Jackie and Marty Tackett of Honaker heard about the work of The Dream Factory, a non-profit organization to help critically and chronically ill children, and decided to give the organization a call.

"It had always been our hope and our dream that we could have a handicap (accessible) bathroom," Jackie Tackett said. "We didn't want to go to Florida or see a famous star. We simply had a wish that would benefit us years down the road."

The Tackett's 12-year-old daughter, Candace, suffers from a severe seizure disorder that renders her incapable of independently caring for herself. By having specially equipped bathroom fixtures, such as a shower stall with a lift, salon-

"It will make life so much easier for us...Sometimes money can't buy a dream."

— Janet Tackett

style basin and toilet, it will become easier to provide for Candace's basic needs.

Jackie Tackett called their request a "practical dream" and Dream Factory founder Lenora Blackburn went right to work on

making the latest request a reality. Renovation work is ongoing in an existing room in the Tackett's house and is expected to continue for another two weeks. Using materials donated by local businesses, a handicap accessible shower, toilet and basin, and door is being installed by volunteers.

"It will make life so much easier for us," Jackie Tackett said. "Sometimes money can't buy a dream."

The newly-founded chapter of the national organization has assisted three children and their families in fulfilling dreams.

Blackburn said public support of the program by local businesses has been "simply wonderful."

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Jackie, Marty and Candace Tackett are the most recent family to have a dream come true compliments of The Dream Factory of Eastern Kentucky. The family asked for a "practical dream" for their daughter. (photo by Catherine Twiss)



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Civic center board holds first meet

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

A \$12.5 million civic center to be built in Pike County will have input from community leaders from around the region related to the site and construction of the facility.

A seven-member board of area business, education and community leaders has been named by Governor Paul Patton and Pike County officials to oversee the building and operation of the center.

Floyd County businessman and school board chairman Terry Dotson; Toler miner operator Rex Fought; and Big Sandy Area Development District director Roger Reckenwald were among those named to the board.

"The creation of this board means that we are now very close to the realization of a longtime dream for Pikeville and Pike County," Pike Judge-Executive Donna Damron said in a news release. "It is truly an exciting time."

Other board members are Jean Hale, president and CEO of Community Trust Bank; Calvin Randall Tackett, an attorney from Letcher County; Charles Baird, a Pikeville attorney; and Terry Spears,

executive assistant to Damron.

Patton and state lawmakers approved the multi-million dollar project during the spring legislative session. A feasibility study sought by city and county officials in Pike indicated the facility will have a \$10 million impact on the local economy and will support 85 full-time jobs.

The civic center is expected to accommodate a variety of events, including trade shows, concerts, basketball, soccer, banquets, boxing and wrestling events and equipment shows.

A seating capacity of 10,700 is expected for the proposed 108,000 square-foot center and there are plans to include a country and bluegrass museum with a gift shop.

The feasibility study said that there are 540,000 people living within 50 air miles of the Pikeville area and more than 1.5 million people are living within 75 air miles.

Damron said the area is in need of such a facility.

"The people in Pike County and Eastern Kentucky are currently traveling to Huntington, Charleston, Johnson City and Lexington for concerts and other entertainment events," Damron said. "This facility will provide our citizens the oppor-

tunity to attend family entertainment, sports and trade shows at home. Additionally, the center will attract visitors from neighboring counts and states into Pike County, bringing new dollars into our economy."

According to the study, the center should be built in 18 months and

support 92 full-time construction jobs.

The governor created the Eastern Kentucky Exposition Center Corporation on August 3. The board's first meeting was held Thursday in the conference room of the Pike County Judge-Executive's office.



Local EKU incoming freshmen at Tracy Vance, Van Lear, recently attended a summer orientation session for incoming freshmen at Eastern Kentucky University. In addition to informational and advising sessions and tours, students concluded the day by registering for all classes, which begin Monday, August 24. For more information, call EKU's Division of Admissions at 606-622-2106 or toll-free in Kentucky, 1-800-465-9191. EKU's home page on the World Wide Web can be accessed at <http://www.eku.edu>. Eastern Kentucky University is a comprehensive university serving about 15,500 students on its a 560-acre Richmond campus, throughout its 22-county extended service region, and beyond.

Schools

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ected officials, business owners and interested citizens, attended the dinner to discuss greater community involvement in the schools.

Carter said King has been an "absolute anchor" in the new direction the school system was moving.

King said employees were beginning to show a sense of "solidarity."

"That's something this district has never seen before," King said. "We don't have a dog in this fight and we don't have a political agenda. Everyone is looking at us for an angle, where we're coming from. We want to be open and honest. We're making the commitment here to listen to you and to improve your school district. The most important thing is to improve it for the kids of Floyd County."

Dotson urged local leaders to get involved and offer services that can improve the system.

"It's our jobs as leaders of this community," Dotson said. "We've made a good living here. We've got to keep giving back to the communi-

ty."

Having enough money is not the central foundation for having a good school system, "civic infrastructure" is one key, Cody told the group.

"We can fix the budget and offer advice and information, but the district can't sustain it by itself," Cody said. "Get involved and ask questions. Pay attention to what's going on and express your feelings."

Civic and business leaders must be willing to become involved, in various capacities, in order for the school district to continue making progress, he said.

Efforts to bring the district back from the brink of financial ruin by King, Carter and the local board were applauded by Cody.

"The difference is having leadership that cares, no matter what the issue," Cody said. "I'm very high on Floyd County. I think you have a good board and a good staff. This is a very different place. Be part of the civic effort."

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vehicle with adequate service brakes that would stop the truck in an emergency situation.

They were also in violation for not giving Cooper newly-employed experience miner training, federal officials said.

Floyd County Coroner Roger Nelson, who also conducted an investigation into the incident, says that Cooper had one year of experience as a truck driver and approximately five months on that job.

"This accident occurred because the service braking system on the truck was not properly maintained and was not designed for use with the payload being hauled at the time of the accident," the report says. "Failure to provide adequate training for the victim was also a contributing factor."

Investigators estimated that Cooper's coal truck was loaded with more than double the amount of the manufacturer's specified maximum payload of 26,080 pounds.

The amount of coal being hauled by Cooper's vehicle was estimated at 63,800 pounds at the time of the accident, the report says.

Nelson said in May that Cooper's family members appar-

ently reported that the victim began having brake problems the day before the fatal accident.

The report says that maintenance records, maintained by Patrick, for Cooper's truck indicated a new air compressor and rear brake chamber were installed on the vehicle the day of the accident.

"The compressor appeared to be new but, the new brake chamber could not be readily identified," the report says, noting that a mechanic said he talked to the victim during the shift, but he did not report any mechanical problems with the truck.



Seventh birthday

Alanna M. Meade, daughter of Carla Meade of Hi Hat, and Terry Chapman of Pikeville, will celebrate her seventh birthday on August 31, at her home. She is the granddaughter of Rush and Justine Meade of Hi Hat and Joe D. Simpson of Martin and the late Minnie Faye Simpson. (This article was reprinted due to information omitted from a previous printing.)

Dream

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"Ninety-five percent of what we receive goes straight to the kids of this area, only five percent goes to national headquarters," Blackburn said.

The Dream Factory's mission is to provide an avenue to dreams for ill children of this region that would otherwise go unfulfilled, Blackburn said.

The material and labor donations of local businesses have been instrumental in fulfilling the dreams of children and their families.

Plumber Jeff Slone, contractor Doug Boyd and Lee Boyd, an electrician, are providing their services on the Tackett project. Businesses donating materials include Lowe's of Paintsville and Pikeville, Brock McVey, Pauley Building Center, Wright's Lumber, Meade Construction and Kentucky Carpet.

For more information about The Dream Factory of Eastern Kentucky or to inquire about volunteering services and making donations, contact Blackburn at (606) 889-0707 or write 119 North Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

Correction

An article in Wednesday's edition of The Times reported that Wayne Douglas Hayes and his son, Christopher D. Hayes, were partners in Hayes Drilling and Conn & Hayes Mining Company prior to a shooting incident between the two which resulted in the arrest of the elder Hayes and the death of the other.

Amy Heuke, Christopher Hayes' sister, said Wednesday that her brother had started his own company, C&C Drilling Company Inc. and that he was not affiliated with his father's companies.

Heuke said her brother's company was rapidly growing and that it was started for Christopher Hayes' 8-year-old son, Colby.

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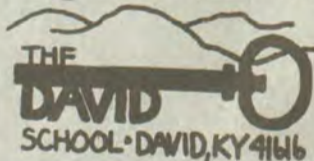
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Crime bill passes The House

The House has passed an appropriations bill for 1999 that funds the bulk of the nation's crime fighting programs. The bill, drafted by Rep. Harold "Hal" Rogers, contains more than \$16 billion for federal crime fighting efforts, including \$4.8 billion for grants and other assistance for state and local law enforcement agencies.

Rogers, who chairs the subcommittee that funds the Departments of State, Commerce, Justice and related agencies, said the bill's number one priority is increased

funding to fight crime and illegal drug use. "Without warning, crime can strike at anyone, anywhere, anytime," Rogers said.

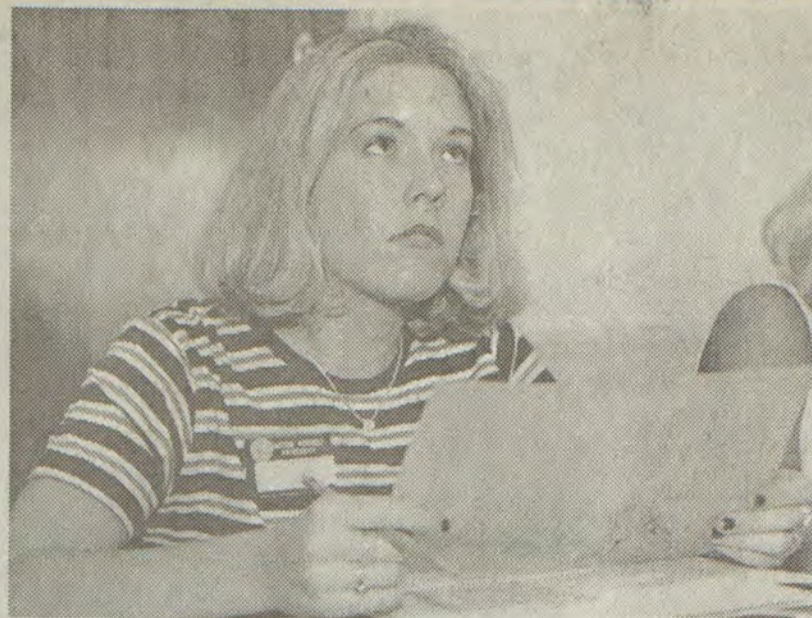
This bill gives our law enforcement officials the money and resources they need to do their jobs and protect our citizens."

Rogers said the bill also funds the Economic Development Administration (EDA), which has provided millions of dollars to distressed communities in Southern and Eastern Kentucky. Rogers' subcommittee funds the EDA's assis-

tance programs at \$368 million for 1999, an increase of \$28 million over current funding.

"Grants from the Economic Development Administration are critical to many of our communities, because they support critical economic development projects," Rogers said. "From waterlines to industrial parks, these grants are 'helping hands' for many of our towns."

The bill also funds the National Weather Service, which supports the weather station in Jackson.



Summer orientation at EKU
Laura Rose, Hi Hat, recently attended a summer orientation session for incoming freshmen at Eastern Kentucky University. In addition to informational and advising sessions and tours, students concluded the day by registering fall classes, which begin Monday, August 24.

Pack advances to Showdown

The local edition of the world's largest talent contest reached an exciting conclusion Tuesday night, August 4 when Jo Pack swept the voting at the "True Value/Jimmy Dean Country Showdown" held at a sold-out Mountain Arts Center in Prestonsburg.

A winning combination of musical talent, stage presence,

charisma and originality caught the attention of enthusiastic fans and a panel of judges.

Jo Pack will now advance to the state Showdown scheduled for September 26 at the Mountain Arts Center to vie for a \$1,000 cash prize and the opportunity to perform at one of six regional competitions in the fall. Regional winners

will be flown, expenses paid, to the televised National Finals to compete for the Grand Prize of \$50,000 and the National Title.

Sandra "Jo" Pack is from Drift, and has been performing since early childhood. Jo will be a senior at South Floyd High School this year.

Now in its seventeenth year, the "True Value/Jimmy Dean Country Showdown" is designed to find the most promising country music talent in America, giving performers a chance to launch their professional careers.

Floyd County community blood drive set for Tuesday

The Floyd County community has the opportunity to join together to save lives on Tuesday, August 25. McDowell ARH and Central Kentucky Blood Center will sponsor the next community blood drive from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., on the bloodmobile at McDowell ARH.

Central Kentucky Blood Center requires 250 units of blood daily to

meet the needs of patients in area hospitals.

At this time, only five percent of the American population are blood donors.

All donors will receive a free t-shirt. For more information about the community blood drive on Tuesday, August 25, contact Mickey Bowling at 606-439-2173.

Coffee House series continues at Paramount

The Coffee House Series, staged in the Marquee Room of the Paramount Arts Center, Ashland, has proven to be very popular, according to its promoters. In fact, Open Mic Night was so well received by the public that it has been incorporated into the remain-

Marquee Room Manager Deborah Blevins, continues to grow and shape itself in the process.

"We have received some very positive feedback," Blevins said. "I've had people call and beg for us to continue."

"Rather than comment cards, patrons are encouraged to leave their suggestions on the table coverings in the lobby, which also contain various types of reading material."

The Coffee House Series, borrowing from the popular concept which has swept the U.S., is being offered in order to provide the community with entertainment options while the Paramount stage is dark for the summer.

It also serves to introduce young artists and musicians to playing for a live audience.



Shay

ing schedule. Poets, readers, and others are encouraged to attend.

Featured on the bill for Friday, August 14, will be entertainer Steve Free and Shay, personal reader and psychic. Singer and songwriter Steve Free is well-known in the tri-state area and was recently awarded a Popular Music Performance Award by ASCAP at its annual meeting. Shay is also well-known and respected in the tri-state for her personal readings. She will give a short talk, then do private mini-readings for those interested.

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Pikeville College fall registration

Open registration for the fall semester at Pikeville College will be Thursday, August 20, from 9 a.m.-noon and 1 p.m.-4 p.m. All students who have not yet pre-registered will need to go to the Armington Science-Learning Center lobby (second floor).

Students who have already pre-registered will need to go to the Office of Student Affairs and to the business office, either Thursday, August 20, or Friday, August 21. Both offices are located on the ground floor of the Administration Building.

All freshmen and transfer students are required to attend orientation on Thursday, August 20. This will be held in the Armington Science-Learning Center's Chrisman Auditorium at 3:30 p.m.

For more information about fall registration at Pikeville College, call (606) 432-9200 or (606) 432-9322.

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Viewpoint

Quote of the week...

The aim of argument, or of discussion, should not be victory, but progress.

— Joseph Joubert

Editorial

Precious cargo on board

by Janice Shepherd
Managing Editor

Thursday, school buses opened their doors to load and unload some precious cargo that comes in small packages — our children.

Because of their size, young children are hard to spot by people in the driver's seat. Because of their age, these young children are also prone to dash out in front of a vehicle without paying attention to whether it's stopped or on the move.

The children are so excited about their first days at school that they're eager to rush home and tell their parents all about their new friends or their new teachers.

In their eagerness, they forget to stop, look and listen; so, we adults must pay extra attention when we're sharing the road with school buses loaded with children.

Buses stop often; so drivers need to be prepared to stop suddenly. Don't tailgate a bus, but follow at

braking distance.

Motor vehicle accidents are the number one cause of injury deaths for children 5 to 18, according to the Blue Grass Auto Club Safety Foundation.

School campuses, too, are potential sites for injuries from motor vehicles.

Drivers approaching the flashing lights at school entrances need to note that the yellow light means it is a heavy traffic area and potential danger exists. Parents picking up their children from school can be distracted by their children's enthusiasm or complaints and may not see approaching vehicles as they pull into the traffic flow; a young child can dart into the road as he hurries to his parent's vehicle; or a bus driver can be temporarily engrossed in bringing under control children released from the confinement of classrooms.

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Do these companies that do their business primarily over the telephone have some kind of warning device that lets them know exactly when we are ready for a meal or have settled in for a nice nap? That's when they hit me. On a good day. On a bad day, I am called to the phone from mowing the lawn to listen

to some guy trying to persuade me how much I need his product which has nothing to do with making lawn mowing any easier (or anything else that is beneficial).

Other Voices

by Willie Elliott

I wouldn't mind telemarketers if they could get the grasp of the meaning of "no" or "I'm not interested." Have you received the one from the company that excitedly informs you that you are entered in their sweepstakes and will receive a watch for doing their little survey? If you haven't, just wait. They intend to sell everyone on the face of the earth four magazine subscriptions over a four-year period that will come to over \$600. They are not amused when I tell them that I can read U.S. News and World Report at three different locations: the school of my choice, the public library, or the internet.

They try to shame me by hinting that such actions are a mark of stinginess. I tell them that doesn't bother me in the least—I was stingy (and knew it) before you called. Oh, by the way, after you turn down this terrific deal on magazines, you don't get the watch.

Telemarketers' favorite trick is to give you a three-month trial period for free. Of course, I forget to cancel and here comes a bill for \$40 or \$50 for some items that I don't even want on my credit card. I wouldn't mind it so much if these people didn't get so gushy about the junk they are pushing.

Every now and then there is some item on television that we order. The only trouble is they try to sell you additional items. It's somewhat like the fast-food people asking, "Would you like French fries with that Neil Diamond album?" Not a word from you Neil Diamond bashers.

The credit card companies must think we all need a dozen or more credit cards. The truth is we don't need any, but we have to have one or carry a large sum of money around with us. Either that or sleep out on the streets when we visit a town or city more than half an hour from our homes. I try to tell them that I do my best to pay off my card each month so there will be no interest (back to that stingy thing again), but they don't want to hear that. The next day they call (or some person they have informed) to tell you that you need insurance on the credit card that you didn't need in the first place.

I have always thought that it was best to be polite and cordial to everyone. That will not work with telemarketers. If you don't stop them, they read on and on (and not very well most of the time). So at some point you have to be forceful and say, "I really don't need your product," and hang up.

Or, you can have some fun. When the telemarketer goes into his pitch, simply tell him that, yes, you will have two of the hogs' heads and a batch of sallet greens. Use a deep southern drawl and mention how much granny loves those sallet greens. After that little trick gets old, you can start talking about how wasteful your wife (or husband) is with money. Both tricks work. I know this is not very ethical. There is no room for ethics when dealing with telemarketers.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Writer urges support for Wellstone Amendment

Editor:
The 1996 federal welfare law created new barriers that have forced many student-parents to leave behind their hopes and efforts toward education and job skills. The law restricts recipients to only one year of post-secondary education before they must also work 20 hours a week, in addition to being full-time students and parents.

I am a student at Morehead State and have met many parents who are struggling with the stress of classes, jobs, daycare, commuting, and parenting. Many have been forced to quit, always with the words, "I'll finish someday."

An important bill is moving through Congress which could improve the chances for low-income Kentuckians to get the education and training needed for living-wage jobs.

On July 9th, the Senate passed an amendment sponsored by U.S. Senator Paul Wellstone to the Higher Education Act. The

amendment says states may allow welfare recipients to go to school for two years before they must also work an additional 20 hours a week. It would also remove teen parents from a 30 percent cap on recipients who can take part in education. Since teens are required to be in school, this cap limits the number of non-traditional students who can count college or vocational training as their work activity.

In September, a committee of senators and representatives will negotiate the final version of this bill. Our own Senator Mitch McConnell is on this conference committee. He voted against the Wellstone amendment in July. Citizens of Kentucky should contact Senator McConnell and urge him to reconsider his position.

Please support the Wellstone Amendment to the Higher Education Act! For more information, call Kentuckians For The Commonwealth at (606) 633-5803.

Judy Hines
Kentuckians For The Commonwealth
Morehead

REPORT TO KENTUCKY

Building roads for the future

by U.S. Congressman
Harold Rogers

There is nothing like a good road to take you where you want to go, and for the people of Southern and Eastern Kentucky, good roads will be critical as we move our region into the 21st century. Not only do good roads help us get to our destinations safely, but modern transportation routes attract business and industry, spur jobs, help ensure that health care and education are more accessible, make it easier for tourists to enjoy our beautiful landscapes, and connect us to the outside world.

Because of the rugged nature of our Appalachian mountains and hills, it has always been difficult, not to mention costly, to build and maintain good roads. The Congress, however, passed, and the President recently signed, a major highway funding bill that will bring a great deal of assistance to our area. The highway bill provides Kentucky approximately \$2.7 billion over the next six years (approximately \$455 million per year) to improve our roads and bridges. This is a 70 percent increase over the highway funding we were getting!

Under the old highway law, Kentucky received only 77 cents in highway money for every dollar we sent to Washington in gas taxes, but under the new law we get back at least 91 cents on the dollar. We fought to get Kentucky a larger share, and we won!

This will go a long way in helping us address Kentucky's transportation needs. In fact, tapping into the gasoline tax gives us a leg up on finishing the nation's 3,025-mile system of Appalachian roads!

The bill also provides \$11.3 million to begin preliminary engineering work and environmental studies on the first stretch of the new I-66 corridor, between the Cumberland and Daniel Boone Parkways from Somerset to I-75 at London. I-66 will create thousands of new jobs in our region, and I'm very excited about this funding.

Over the last few years, there has been a lot of talk in Washington about "building bridges" to the future. This highway bill means real roads and real bridges in Southern and Eastern Kentucky, and these are roads that will help ensure a better future for our region by enhancing safety and opening doors of economic opportunity for all our people.

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Berthy Carr appreciation day held



Barbara Crider, Lorie Foley, Berthy Carr, Jean Rosenberg and Roslyn Burchett are shown as Carr receives the plaque of appreciation.

The Homemaker and Single Parent Career Development Program at Prestonsburg Community College formally recognized their OWE placement worker with a plaque of appreciation, gifts and a reception on July 15.

Berthy Carr was assigned to the program through the Kentucky Department of Employment Services as part of their joint project with the Cabinet for Families and Children. The program requires

Carr to work 80 hours a month.

She regularly volunteered her services well beyond 150 hours each month.

Her dedication to the program that assists in making career plans through workshops and related activities was the focus of the remarks made by PCC's President Deborah L. Floyd at the reception.

This outstanding example of the work ethic by a cash assistance recipient sets a positive example for others.



**Lordy, Lordy
Look Who's 40!**

*Happy
Birthday!*

PCC professor has book published

Jack May's War, Robert Perry's book about Colonel Andrew Jackson May, has just been published by The Overmountain Press of Johnson City, Tennessee. A slick-cover paperback, it sells for \$14.95 and can be purchased at Readmore Books in Prestonsburg and Pikeville.

Robert Perry is associate professor of English at Prestonsburg Community College, where he has taught since 1989. Before coming to PCC, he worked as a research historian at the Stuhr Museum of the Prairie Pioneer in Grand Island, Nebraska. During the 1992-97 period, he led the effort to restore the Samuel May House, Jack May's birthplace, and one of this region's most important Civil War landmarks.

Perry served as president of Friends of the Samuel May House from 1993 to 1997. Since then he has devoted his time to writing this book and developing the Samuel May House Photo Archive.

He is also in the process of developing an on-line archive, which can be accessed at www.geocities.com/heartland/9999.

Jack May's War challenges the widespread assumption that the battles fought in Southwestern Virginia, Eastern Kentucky, and Eastern Tennessee had no impact on the outcome of the war. Focusing on May's military career, Perry shows that the victories which the Confederates won in this theater, allowing them to retain control of Preston's Saltworks and the Virginia-Tennessee Railroad, preserved the integrity of the Confederacy and thereby prolonged the war. Using letters, diaries, battle reports, and other primary sources, he fashions an absorbing narrative that finally does justice to long-neglected subjects like the Battle of Ivy Mountain, the Battle of Princeton, Marshall's three invasions of Eastern Kentucky, Toland's Raid on Wytheville, and the Battle of Saltville.

Although Perry's main focus is the battles and the part Jack May played in them, he also tells us about Solomon May, David May, Reuben May, Mary Matilda May, and other members of the May

family. Solomon May, oldest son of the so-called "Second Samuel May," grew up on the May Farm and came of age during the war period. In June of 1863, according to his brother Bascom, Solmon fled Prestonsburg in order to escape the

Jack May's War challenges the widespread assumption that the battles fought in Southwestern Virginia, Eastern Kentucky, and Eastern Tennessee had no impact on the outcome of the war.

Northern draft.

When Federal soldiers stopped at the May Farm and inquired about Solomon's whereabouts, his mother stalled them at the front door while he fled out the back door and up May's Branch. At the top of the branch he mounted a horse that he kept tethered there and rode to Bowen's Cove in Tazewell County, Virginia, where he joined his uncle's regiment, the 10th Kentucky Cavalry. Solomon's story is a tragic one, and on June 9, 1864, he was killed in action at Mount Sterling, during one of the battles that marked General John Hunt Morgan's Last Kentucky Raid.

Among other things, the book documents the role played by the May Farm during the war period. As Perry shows, the farm served as headquarters for all confederate activity in the region during the fall of 1861. In September, 1861, Jack's regiment, the 5th Kentucky Infantry, conducted its first drills in the meadow below the May House, on land now occupied by the Highlands Shopping Mall. Another thing that attracted the Confederates to the farm was Samuel May's steam-mill, which stood at the mouth of Abbott Creek.

Jack May's War is a fast-paced, action-packed narrative written for a general audience. Though the scenes and characters which Perry presents are based on solid research, the book reads like a novel. Here is a passage describing the Battle of Princeton. The speaker is George Washington Noble, a private in Colonel May's Fifth Kentucky Infantry:

"The Fifth Kentucky was in the advance, and every now and then we would pass a dead man. The soldiers would pull off his boots, take his watch, and search his

pockets. Lieutenant Goadkins said, Clean Up. The enemy was firing and falling back and taking positions in every good place where they had shelter from the bullets. We were displayed in a long line there in the timber and across a

large field, and they were pouring the bullets at us very fast."

In addition to the narrative itself, the book contains 40 never-before-published photographs, five maps, a bibliography, sixty-five pages of notes, and an index.

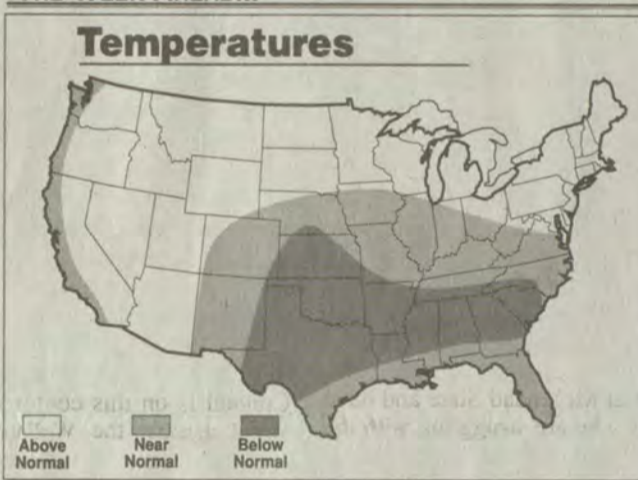
Jack May's War is the third book that Professor Perry has published. During the 1980s, while working for the Stuhr Museum in Grand Island, Nebraska, he published Sand Krog: Resort on the Platte and Sheep King: The Story of Robert Taylor, two works dealing with the history of the American West.

Forecast for Floyd County, KY

LOCAL 7-DAY FORECAST

Today	Tonight	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Mostly cloudy; a t-storm. 86	Rain in the evening 67	A few t-storms. 86/67	A few showers. 86/66	Hazy sunshine and warm. 89/68	Clouds and sun; warm. 89/68	Clouds and sun; showers. 87/69	Clouds and sun; warm. 88/69

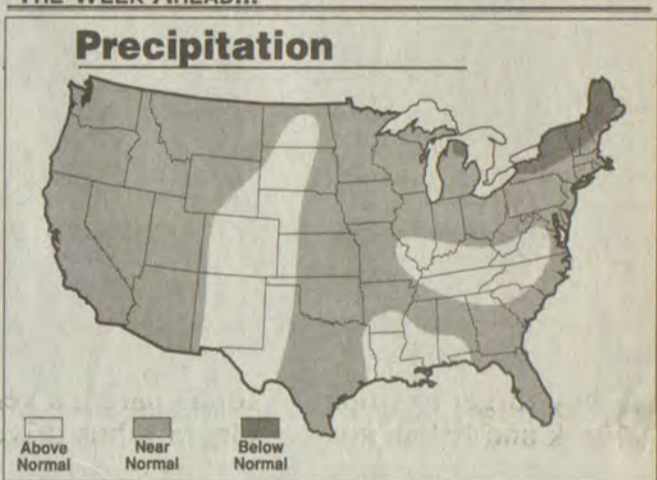
THE WEEK AHEAD...



NATIONAL SUMMARY

Wet and cooler than normal weather will be found from the southern Plains to the Southeast and Gulf states during the period. Meanwhile, very warm weather will continue out West. Monsoonal moisture will be found across the Rocky Mountains, while high pressure keeps the Northeast dry.

THE WEEK AHEAD...



U.S. TRAVELER'S CITIES

City	Today	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W
Atlanta	85 72 t	89 71 t	89 73 t	90 74 sh	89 73 sh
Boston	80 66 s	82 64 pc	78 64 t	82 66 pc	84 68 pc
Chicago	84 66 pc	80 60 pc	82 62 pc	84 66 pc	86 66 pc
Cleveland	82 64 pc	81 61 t	79 61 pc	85 64 s	86 65 pc
Denver	86 59 s	90 60 s	91 60 s	90 59 pc	89 59 pc
Des Moines	85 65 t	83 63 pc	84 66 pc	86 67 pc	87 67 pc
Detroit	84 64 pc	82 62 sh	84 62 pc	84 64 s	86 66 pc
Houston	96 74 t	94 74 t	94 74 t	94 72 pc	94 72 pc
Indianapolis	84 65 pc	84 63 t	84 64 pc	87 65 pc	87 66 pc
Kansas City	84 66 s	87 64 pc	87 67 s	87 67 pc	87 67 pc
Los Angeles	87 67 pc	91 64 pc	90 64 pc	91 65 s	93 64 s
Miami	92 78 pc	93 78 pc	93 78 pc	92 78 pc	92 78 sh
Minn.-St. Paul	78 62 pc	77 59 pc	81 65 s	83 65 pc	84 64 pc
New Orleans	90 73 t	91 73 pc	91 74 t	92 75 pc	91 74 pc
New York City	82 70 s	84 70 pc	86 70 t	88 72 pc	88 72 s
Omaha	86 64 pc	84 62 pc	86 66 s	88 67 pc	88 66 pc
Phoenix	106 86 pc	109 86 pc	108 85 pc	108 84 pc	107 84 s
San Francisco	76 56 pc	72 56 pc	74 56 pc	74 56 pc	74 58 pc
Seattle	80 59 s	72 53 c	72 54 pc	74 56 c	75 57 pc
Washington	84 72 pc	85 72 c	87 71 t	90 72 pc	90 73 pc

SUN & MOON

Sunrise		Sunset	
Fri.	6:46 a.m.	8:25 p.m.	
Sat.	6:46 a.m.	8:24 p.m.	
Moonrise		Moonset	
Fri.	12:15 a.m.	1:58 p.m.	
Sat.	12:57 a.m.	3:03 p.m.	
Moon Phases			
Last	New	First	Full
Aug 14	Aug 21	Aug 30	Sep 6

WORLD TRAVELER'S CITIES

City	Today	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W
Amsterdam	72 60 pc	74 55 c	71 60 s	76 57 s	69 50 pc
Berlin	70 58 pc	78 63 c	76 60 pc	77 61 pc	76 60 pc
Buenos Aires	64 45 s	62 36 pc	62 44 pc	58 29 pc	49 30 pc
Cairo	97 74 s	99 76 s	98 76 pc	98 76 pc	97 75 pc
Jerusalem	89 70 s	90 68 s	89 67 pc	88 67 pc	88 67 pc
Johannesburg	76 44 s	74 39 s	70 45 pc	73 48 pc	75 49 pc
London	75 60 c	73 58 c	76 63 s	77 57 s	68 45 pc
Madrid	97 66 pc	96 64 pc	93 64 pc	97 67 pc	96 66 pc
Mexico City	80 56 pc	76 57 c	78 58 pc	78 57 pc	77 57 pc
Moscow	64 53 pc	64 52 r	66 51 pc	69 54 s	72 57 pc
Paris	75 57 pc	80 57 pc	75 58 pc	79 57 s	74 49 pc
Rio de Janeiro	88 73 s	86 73 s	82 69 pc	80 70 pc	81 69 sh
Rome	90 67 s	88 66 s	86 68 pc	85 67 pc	86 69 pc
San Juan	89 77 pc	87 78 pc	92 80 pc	92 80 pc	91 78 pc
Seoul	90 73 sh	86 72 r	87 73 pc	87 73 pc	88 73 pc
Sydney	70 53 sh	59 50 r	62 48 pc	63 50 pc	65 51 pc
Tokyo	86 79 t	86 78 c	86 77 pc	85 78 pc	85 77 pc
Toronto	81 60 pc	82 57 pc	77 57 pc	82 63 pc	85 62 pc
Winnipeg	76 46 pc	75 56 s	86 62 pc	82 56 pc	79 59 s
Zurich	77 60 pc	81 62 pc	77 61 pc	80 63 pc	79 61 pc



Jenny Wiley Theatre entertainers Herdi Yost (Ann Skaggs); Amanda Ratliff; Terry Cain (Thomas Wiley); Michelle Martin (Elizabeth Borders); and Kelly Hackett (Jenny Wiley), performed "A Woman's Work (Is Never Truly Done)" during Jenny Wiley State Park's open house.

May Lodge showcases J.W. Theatre performers

The Jenny Wiley State Resort Park held an open house at May Lodge, Friday, July 24, to highlight the renovations and attractions in the park.

Special guests for the open house included Secretary of Tourism Ann Latta, and Commissioner of Parks, Kenny Rapier.

To kick off the event, Jenny Wiley Theatre performers Kelly Hackett (Jenny Wiley), Terry Cain (Thomas Wiley), Michelle Martin (Elizabeth Borders), Heidi Yost (Ann Skaggs), and Amanda Ratliff performed two scenes from The

Legend of Jenny Wiley.

Accompanying the actors was Jenny Wiley Theatre musical director and musical composer of The Legend of Jenny Wiley Scott Bradley.

"Jenny Wiley Theatre was proud to have the opportunity to showcase our theatre as the entertainment for Jenny Wiley State Park's open house celebration. We are very excited about the recent renovations made at the park, and look forward to working with them to increase tourism in our area," Jenny Wiley chief executive officer Carla Coburn said.

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Morris to open for Kentucky Opry; releases first album

by **Monica Morris**
Contributing Writer

On Friday night, August 14, Kentucky Opry fiddler David Morris will expand his regular role and become the show's opening act. This event is a first for Morris, sparked by the recording of his first album, "Overworked and Underplayed."

Performing is not new to the 30-year-old Prestonsburg man, who is a native of the Owensboro area. After beginning to learn guitar at age 13, then fiddle at 14, he began to play at local nursing homes.

"They (nursing home residents) are the best audience. They're so pleased to hear you play," Morris said.

The fiddle player came to Prestonsburg in 1991, where he attended Prestonsburg Community College and did maintenance work

for St. Martha Catholic Church while trying to decide what to do with his life. The decision was quickly made for him when Billie Jean Osborne happened to hear him play the fiddle and asked him to audition to join the Kentucky Opry. He joined the troupe that same year and has since become assistant director of the Kentucky Opry Junior Pros.

When the Mountain Arts Center recording studio became a reality, it provided Morris with the opportunity to realize a lifelong dream—making an album of his own. "Overworked and Underplayed" is Morris' own album in more ways than one. Twelve songs on the tape are original, and Morris wrote nine, including the title cut which tells the story of a coal miner/fiddler. Not only did he play fiddle on the album, but he also performed the lead vocals.

Other instrumental parts were provided by some of the Kentucky Opry band members, namely Ray Salyer on bass, James Whited on



David Morris

lead guitar, and Tony Whited on drums; and by other musicians Morris has befriended since moving to Eastern Kentucky.

To provide a true "home-grown" sound to one song in particular, David had his mother come all the way from Whitesville, to provide rhythm guitar. That song, a traditional fiddle tune called "Black Mountain Rag," and "Ashokan Farewell," the popular theme to the PBS Civil War series, are the only songs on the album that are not original.

The songs from "Overworked and Underplayed" which David will perform Friday night, are a mixture of vocal songs and instrumentals. Although the album is country-based, the musical style of the songs vary, and some reflect the influence of Morris' musical heroes, Benny Martin, Vassar Clements, Buck Owens, and Ray

Price, while in others one may hear a faint echo of the trademark sounds of Alan Jackson or even Dwight Yoakam.

Tapes will be for sale at the Friday night show at the Mountain Arts Center, which begins at 8 p.m. For information on ticket prices, or

for reservations, call the Mountain Arts Center ticket office at 886-2623 or toll-free 1-888-622-2787.

"Overworked and Underplayed" can be obtained from the Mountain Arts Center gift shop, or directly from David Royce Morris, at 606-874-4179.

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THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO ME

God's perfect timing

by **Paul Prather**

Ecclesiastes 3 begins: "There is an appointed time for everything. And there is a time for every event under heaven."

This well-known biblical chapter goes on to say there's a time to be born and a time to die, a time to plant and a time to uproot — and so on.

I can't seem to locate my rock 'n' roll reference book today, but if memory serves me the Byrds adapted this passage into a 1960s pop song called,

"Turn, Turn, Turn." Or something like that.

I guess I've always read Ecclesiastes 3 with my rock-music goggles on. (Or should that be, with my yellow-lensed granny-glasses on?)

But when I hit that passage the other day, I happened also to have read recently books by Grant R. Jeffrey and Paul Meier which discuss auspicious time-periods, numbers and dates that appear frequently in the Bible, and in history.

These matters likely have spiritual implications, although I'm often uncertain what the intended meanings are.

Anyway, here's a sampling of biblical times and numbers:

* **THREE:** In Christianity, God has three manifestations: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Humans have three dimensions: spirit, mind and body. In the Old Testament, Jonah is trapped within a great fish for three days. In the New Testament, Jesus lies in the earth three days.

* **SEVEN:** The creation cycle lasts seven days. Enoch, the man taken into heaven without dying, is born in the seventh generation from

Adam. Israel is told to temporarily stop plowing the soil every seventh year. Joseph's famine follows seven bountiful years and lasts seven awful years. The furnace in Daniel is heated seven times hotter than normal. The Great Tribulation lasts seven years. Revelation mentions seven churches, seven bowls of wrath, seven seals, seven trumpets.

* **TWELVE:** Israel has 12 tribes. A year has 12 months. In Exodus, 12 spies go into Canaan. Jesus chooses 12 original apostles. The New Jerusalem has 12 gates, 12 angels and 12 foundation stones.

* **FORTY DAYS:** Noah's flood lasts 40 days. Israel mourns 40 days for Jacob. Twice, Moses is on Mt. Sinai for 40 days. The Hebrews' 12 spies search Canaan 40 days. Goliath challenges Israel 40 days. Jonah tells Nineveh it will be destroyed in 40 days. Elijah fasts 40 days. Jesus fasts 40 days. There are 40 days from Jesus' resurrection to His ascension.

* **FORTY YEARS:** Moses lives in Egypt 40 years. Moses lives in Midian 40 years. Israel wanders the wilderness 40 years. (There are many others.)

* **SEVENTY:** Seventy elders are appointed over Israel. Daniel sees a prophetic vision of 70 weeks. The Babylonian captivity lasts 70 years. The restoration of the Temple takes 70 years. Jesus sends out 70 disciples to minister.

There are other numbers that pop

up a lot in the Bible, such as 6, 30, 49, 50, 430, 490. But you get the idea.

Finally, here's one example of God's apparent fascination with dates:

Moses declared 3,500 years ago that two days on the 360-day Jewish calendar would be bad for the Jews: the 17th of Tammuz and the 9th of Av.

I don't have room enough here to deal with both, so let's just look at events that later took place on the 9th of Av:

In 587 BC on the 9th of Av, the Babylonians destroyed Solomon's Temple. In 70 AD the Romans destroyed the Second Temple; a year later, on the

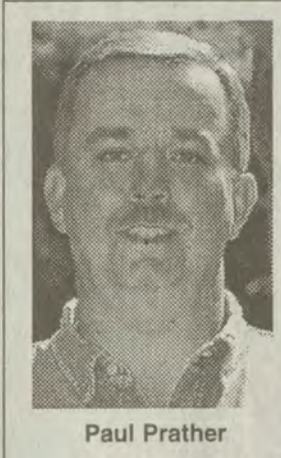
same day, they plowed Jerusalem under. In AD 135 Simon Bar Kochba led a tragic Jewish uprising against Rome. All on the 9th of Av.

In 1096 on the 9th of Av the Crusades began with the killing of many Jews. In 1290 the Jews were expelled from England. In 1306 the Jews were expelled from France. In 1492, the Jews were expelled from Spain.

In 1648 on the 9th of Av, Polish Jews were massacred. In 1882, Russian pogroms against the Jews began. In 1914, World War I broke out in Russia and the Jews were again persecuted.

In 1942 on the 9th of Av, Hitler and his henchmen met in Wannsee, Germany, to produce plans for the final extermination of the Jews.

As I said, I don't know for sure everything these numbers, eras and dates mean, but if nothing else they give a new twist to that old cliché: "There is an appointed time for everything."



Paul Prather

Social Security office to be closed August 20-21

The Big Sandy Social Security office at Prestonsburg will reduce operations on Thursday and Friday, August 20 and 21, according to Jim Kelly, Social Security district director.

Kelly said the office will be installing a new computer system during that time, and service will be temporarily disrupted.

Kelly noted, however, that Social Security services will be available by calling 1-800-772-1213, or by visiting the Social Security office located at 421 Second Street in

Pikeville. The phone number for the Pikeville office is 606-432-2177.

Kelly said the office will be open and fully operational by Monday, August 24.

Correction:

Photo captions in Wednesday's Floyd County Times should have identified Avanelle Mollette as the woman at the washtub and Stella Mollette as Pappy Yoakum at the Sadie Hawkins Day parade in Auxier.

Lafferty passes state board

Brian Lafferty of Hueysville, recently was notified by the Kentucky State Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors that he had successfully passed the examination required by Kentucky to be a licensed embalmer and funeral director.

Lafferty is an employee of Hall Funeral Home of Martin.

He earned a Mortuary Science Diploma from the Mid-America College of Funeral Service in February of 1996, and is a member of the National Morticians Fraternity. He is a graduate of the Allen Central High School Class of 1992 and also studied at Prestonsburg Community College for two years prior to entering the funeral service profession.

Lafferty is the son of Kathryn Lafferty of Hippo, and the late Carlos "Huck" Lafferty. He is married to Amanda Brooke Salyers, the daughter of Hall Funeral Home

director Jack L. Salyers of Hueysville, and Mildred Combs Thacker of Pikeville. He is a member of the Hueysville Church of Christ.



Brian Lafferty

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REGIONAL OBITUARIES

Magoffin County

James "Jimmy" Hassan Salyer, 57, of Salyersville, died Saturday, August 1. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, August 4. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of Salyersville Funeral Home Memorial Chapel.

Knott County

Ronald "Bill" McFall, 52, of Brinkley, died August 2. He is survived by his mother, Georgia

Perkins. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, August 6. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

Claude Combs, 77, of Dwarf, died August 3. Funeral services were held Thursday, August 6. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

Norsey Gibson, 57, of Pippa Passes, died August 6. Funeral services were held Monday, August 10. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the Hindman Funeral Services.

Johnson County

Donald Nichols, 70, of Paintsville, died Sunday, July 26. He was a retired press operator from General Motors. Funeral services were held Wednesday, July 29, under the direction of Preston Funeral Home.

William M. "Buddy Jack" Haney, 62, died Thursday, August 6. Funeral services were held Sunday, August 9, under direction of Preston Funeral Home.

Alice Vivian Penix Setser, 76, who died Saturday, August 8. Funeral services were held Wednesday, August 12, under direction of the Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

Ralamae Ella Fairchild, 47, of Staffordsville, died Friday, August 7. Funeral services were conducted Monday, August 10, with burial in the Fairchild Cemetery at Staffordsville.

Susan Meade Gay, 43, who died Sunday, August 9. Funeral services were held Thursday, August 13, at

Jones-Preston Funeral Home, with burial in Highland Memorial Park, Staffordsville.

Pike County

Leona Alberta Hoskins, 76, of Pikeville, died Monday, August 10. Funeral services were held Thursday, August 13. Funeral arrangements were under direction of Justice Funeral Services-Morris Chapel of Justiceville.

Bernice Prater, 68, of Greasy Creek Road, Shelbyana, died Sunday, August 9. Funeral services were held Wednesday, August 12. Funeral arrangements are under direction of Justice Funeral Services-Morris Chapel of Justiceville.

Alice L. Rose, 90, of Elkhorn City, died Sunday, August 9. Funeral services were held Wednesday, August 12, under direction of Bailey Funeral Home of Elkhorn City.

Mary Bryant, 88, of Robinson Creek, died Saturday, August 8. Funeral services were held Monday, August 10. Funeral arrangements were under direction of R.S. Jones and Son Funeral Home, Virgie.

Florence Justice Osborne, 94, of Jonancy, died Sunday, August 9. She was a retired postmistress. Funeral services were held Wednesday, August 12. Funeral arrangements were under direction of R.S. Jones and Son Funeral Home.

Loranzie "Ranzie" Reed, 49, of Reed Hollow Road, Sidney, died Monday, August 10. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, August 13, under direction of Rogers Funeral Home of Belfry.

Ralph Banks, 70, of Burdine, died Sunday, August 2. He was a retired owner and operator of Banks Service Station, a member of the American Legion Post #66, and a World War II U.S. Army veteran. Funeral services were held Wednesday, August 5. Funeral arrangements were under direction of Polly and Craft Funeral Home, Jenkins.

Mary Baldwin Blackburn, 84, of Canada, died Wednesday, August 5. Funeral services were held Saturday, August 8. Funeral arrangements were under direction of Rogers Funeral Home, Belfry.

Levi Dorton, 72, of Jenkins, died Monday, August 3. He was a retired coal miner formerly employed by Jim Lucas Coal Co. Funeral services were held Thursday, August 6. Funeral arrangements were under direction of Lucas and Hall Funeral Home, Pikeville.

Toy B. Meade Damron, 84, of Right Fork of Island Creek, died Wednesday, August 5. Funeral services were held Saturday, August 8. Arrangements were under direction of Lucas and Hall Funeral Home, Pikeville.

Levi Dorton, 72, of Jenkins, died Monday, August 3. He was a retired coal miner formerly employed by Jim Lucas Coal Co. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Ethel Church Dorton; and his second wife, Fred Napier Dorton. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, August 6. Funeral arrangements were under direction of Lucas and Hall Funeral Home.

Tommy Edwin Epling, 56, of Powells Creek Road, died

Thursday, August 6. He was a deputy sheriff, minister of New Hope Baptist church, and a U.S. Air Force veteran. Funeral services were held Saturday, August 8, under direction of Justice Funeral Services-Morris Chapel.

Emmitt Gibson, 88, of Pikeville, died Tuesday, August 4. He was a retired general contractor, a retired member of the Pikeville Volunteer Fire Department. Funeral services were held Friday, August 7, under direction of J.W. Call and Son Funeral Home, Pikeville.

Elder Julius Hall, 62, of Pikeville, died Monday, August 3. He was a retired coal miner, a truck driver, and a member of the Little Dove Regular Baptist Church. Funeral services were held Thursday, August 6, under direction of Lucas and Hall Funeral Home, Pikeville.

Henry Ratliff, 78, of Belcher, died Wednesday, August 5. He was a retired coal miner. Funeral services were held Saturday, August 8, under direction of Bailey Funeral Home, Elkhorn City.

Oliver McKinley Roberts, 74, of Pikeville, died Wednesday, August 5. He was a retired drilling contractor and oil and gas producer, owner of Roberts Drilling Co. Funeral services were held Friday, August 7, under direction of J.W. Call and Son Funeral Home, Pikeville.

Clara Jean Rose, 63, of Jenkins, died Friday, July 31. She was a retired secretary for the National Mine Service. Funeral services were held Monday, August 3, in the Polly and Craft Funeral Home Chapel, under direction of Polly and Craft Funeral Home, Jenkins.

Lorenzo Dudley Nichols, 62, of Pikeville, died Thursday, August 6. He is survived by his wife, Willie Joyce Nichols. Funeral services were held Sunday, August 9, under

direction of the R. S. Jones and Son Funeral Home of Virgie.

Wayne Williamson, 46, of Canada, died Wednesday, August 5. He was a U.S. Army veteran. Funeral services were held Saturday, August 8, under direction of Rogers Funeral Home of Belfry.

Claudia Deskins, 62, of McAndrews, died Friday, August 7. She is survived by her husband, Charles Deskins. Funeral services were held Monday, August 10, under the direction of Rogers Funeral Home of Belfry.

Garness Hunt Rowe, 75, of Feds Creek, died Thursday, August 6. She formerly worked at the UMWA Hospital in Pikeville. During World War II she worked at Bell Aircraft, riveting wings on aircraft. Funeral services were held Saturday, August 8, under direction of Justice Funeral Services of Pikeville.

Martin County

Rachel Dalton, 71, of Inez, died Wednesday, August 5. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, August 8. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home.

Elizabeth Preece Maynard, 80, of Beauty, died Thursday, August 6. Funeral services were on Sunday, August 9. Arrangements were under the direction of the Phelps and Son Funeral Home.

Dixie Slone, 72, of Inez, died Thursday, August 6. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, August 8 at the Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

David Thomas Jude, 5, of Lovely, died Saturday, August 8. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, August 11. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home.

OBITS

Edith "Sissy" Hall

Edith "Sissy" Hall, 69, of Topmost, died Wednesday, August 12, 1998, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin, following a sudden illness.

Born January 3, 1929 at Topmost, she was the daughter of the late Lewis Hall and Oma Hall. She was preceded in death by her husband, Luke Hall.

Survivors include four sons, Luke Hall Jr. of Winchester, Indiana, Bill Hall of Dayton, Ohio, and Jerry Hall and Lawrence Hall, both of Topmost; six daughters, Sadie Allen of Warsaw, Indiana, Geraldine Roberts, Molly Jacobs, Imalee Hoover and Janice Johnson, all of Topmost, and Kathy Clemons of Greenville, South Carolina; one brother, Curt Hall of Mousie; three sisters, Eva Meade of Deane, Margie Slone of Ohio, and Ethel Ritchie of Kite; 26 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Friday, August 14, at 11 a.m., at her residence, with Eddie Paige and ministers of the Old Regular Baptist Church officiating.

Burial will be in the Joe Hall Cemetery at Dry Creek, Topmost, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

James G. Hall

James G. Hall, 56, of New London, Ohio, died Tuesday, August 11, 1998, at his home, following a lengthy illness.

Born August 19, 1941 at Honaker, he was the son of the late Dave and Maggie Irene Scalf Hall. He was known to many people as the Candy Man. He worked at G. and C. Foundry in Sandusky, Ohio, for many years until he retired in 1994. He was a member of the Fitchville Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife, Linda Hall; one stepson, Arick Parsons of New London, Ohio; three adopted children; four brothers, Henry Hall of Oberlin, Ohio, Delmar Ray Hall of Lorain, Ohio, Tommy Hall of Wellington, Ohio, and Chuck Hall of New London, Ohio; two sisters, Bessie Owens of Oberlin, Ohio, and Lucille Hamilton of New London, Ohio; and one granddaughter.

Funeral services will be Friday, August 14, at the Fitchville Church of Christ, at 11 a.m., with pastor Earl Parsons officiating.

Burial will be in the Grove Street Cemetery in New London, Ohio, under the direction of Eastman Funeral Home.

Christopher David "Chris" Hayes

Christopher David "Chris" Hayes, 27, of Stanville, died Sunday, August 9, 1998, at Stanville.

Born September 3, 1970 in Pikeville, he was the son of Wayne Hayes of Betsy Layne and Gwen Hayes of Stanville. He was the president of C and C Drilling Company Inc. in Pikeville.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by one son, Colby Hayes of Teaberry; one sister, Amy Heuke of Louisville; his paternal grandparents, Clarence and Ann Hayes of Betsy Layne; and his maternal grandmother, Irene Fields of Stanville.

Funeral services were Wednesday, August 12, at 1 p.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, with Tommy Spears officiating.

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

Serving as pallbearers were Logan Reynolds, Hagan Bush, Jeremy Puckett, Brett Conn, Josh Hayes, Tyler Puckett, Nathan Hayes, John Bush and Randy Boyd.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Calendar items will be printed as space permits

Slone family reunion

The fourth annual Joel Slone Family Reunion will be held at the Convention Center, Stumbo Park, at Allen on Saturday, August 22, 1998. Please bring a favorite dish and soft drinks. Any questions, call 606-285-3757 or 606-447-2852.

Cake walk/pie supper

A cake walk, pie supper and dance with live music will be held August 14, at 7 p.m. at the Dwale Shelter.

Mud Creek Community Family Resource and Youth Service Center

- PACE (Parent And Child Education) classes Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 8:30-11:30 a.m.
- GED classes on Fridays, from 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Meditation talk

Jain Nun Sadhavi Shree Subham from Virayatan, India, will give a talk on "Meditation and Spiritual Enhancement," at Dr. Chandra Varia's residence, near Our Lady of the Way Hospital at Martin, on August 14, from 8-10 p.m. Call 285-9575 for more information.

GED registration

GED registration will be held at Prestonsburg Elementary Family Resource Center on August 19, from 8:30 to 2:30. Free classes will be held on Wednesdays, from 8:30-2:30.

Thacker reunion

The Greenville and Dulcenia Coleman Thacker reunion will be held August 16, beginning at 11:30 a.m., at Fish Trap Dam Picnic Shelters. Bring a covered dish.

Teachers wanted

All former Wayland teachers are urged to ride in the Wayland Homecoming parade on Saturday, September 5, at 1 p.m. For information, call 358-4974, 358-4423, or 358-2610.

Ethics commission work session

The Floyd County Fiscal Court and the Floyd County Ethics Commission will conduct a work session on August 18, at 10 a.m., in the Floyd County Courthouse, second floor courtroom.

Potluck picnic

A potluck picnic will be held at Airdrie Farm at Midway (farm of former Gov. Brereton Jones), on August 15, at 5 p.m. Hayrides for adults and pony rides for children. A caravan will proceed Saturday to Midway from Wal-Mart Supercenter, Pikeville, from 11:30 to 12:30 and from the Mountain Arts Center, Prestonsburg, from 12:30 to 1:30. Call Ace Burke at 437-7376 or 273-2885; or Susie Davis at 437-0391, for more information. Those planning to attend are encouraged to bring a covered entree or dessert.

WHS reunion

Wheelwright High School classes 1975-79 reunion will be held September 4-5, at Osborne Elementary. \$25 per couple. Mail to WHS Reunion Committee, c/o Kim Little Frasure, 892 Abbott Mtn. Road, Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653.

Thornton Union Association session

The 53rd annual session of the Thornton Union Association of Old Regular Baptist of Jesus Christ will convene with the Thornton Church at Mayking, beginning August 14. This will be a three-day meeting with dinner being served all three days.

Fibromyalgia meeting

The Fibromyalgia group meetings will be held Monday, August 17, at 7 p.m. Dr. Emily Rayes, specialist in physical management-rehabilitation at the Betsy Layne Senior Citizens will be the special speaker. The meeting is open to the public. For more information, call Phyllis at 874-2769 or Sharon at 478-5224.

Free admission

Admission to the swimming pool at Allen Park will be free during the week of August 10. The pool is open from 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. each day. If you have any questions, call 874-9440.

May Valley GED enrollment

Enrollment for GED classes at May Valley Family Resource Center will be held on August 17, from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Classes are free. Call 285-0321 for more information.

Auction

Faith Freewill Baptist Church will hold an auction Saturday, August 15, at 6 p.m., at the church. Pastor is Rev. Buddy Jones, Prestonsburg.

Wayland homecoming

Members of the Wayland Turntable are having Homecoming '98 on September 4-6. The homecoming begins Friday, at 5 p.m., with a reception and dinner at the community building. On Saturday, events include, at 11 a.m., entertainment by area children; 1 p.m., parade; 2:30 p.m., dedication of building; 3:30 p.m., gospel singing, and from 8-12 p.m., at dance is tentatively scheduled. For more information, contact Bonnie Clark, at 358-4932, or Lois Collins at 358-4423.

After-school child care

The Mud Creek Resource Center's after-school child care is taking applications for ages five to 12. The hours are from 2-7 p.m. The price is \$1 per hour with a one-time registration fee. Call 587-2233.

GED classes

Enrollment for GED classes at May Valley Family Resource Center will be held on August 17, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Classes are free. For more information, call 285-0321.

Howell reunion

The Howell reunion will be held Saturday, August 15, at Dewey Lake, Shelter No. 1. Everyone welcome.

Evangelists to sing at Goodloe

The Evangelistics, consisting of Maudie Ousley and Rick and Lula Wireman, will sing on August 16 at 6 p.m. at the Goodloe Pentecostal Church at David.

GED enrollment

Enrollment for GED classes will be held August 20, starting at 8:30 a.m. at the McDowell Family Resource Youth Service Center.

Council to meet

The Prestonsburg Elementary Family Resource Center advisory council will meet today, at 3 p.m.

Immunizations

The Floyd County Health Department offices in Prestonsburg will be having walk-in days of immunizations only on August 3-14, from 7:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. daily. Parent or guardian must come with the child and bring a copy of immunization record. Any child needing a physical for school must make an appointment. These walk-ins will be for immunizations only.

Cameron Mills
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Sandra Slone, a teacher at McDowell Elementary, dressed as Tom Sawyer's aunt, Polly.



Thomas Tackett, Kimberly Mead, Kelli Johnson, Paul Neal, Amanda Samons, Blake Stumbo, Kyle Brown, Joshua Compton, Eddie Taylor and Jacobs Johnson brought the book, "The Adventures of Tom Sawyer," to life at McDowell Elementary.



Thomas Tackett as Sid Sawyer

The Adventures of Ms. Slone's P3-P4 Class



Jacob Johnson as Tom Sawyer and Kelli Johnson as Amy

"I... I think he's dying," stammered Sid.
 "Rubbish! I don't believe it," snapped Aunt Polly. But she ran up the stairs as fast as she could. By the time she reached Tom's bedside, her face was white with fear.
 "What's the matter with you, Tom?"
 "Oh Aunt Polly, it's my sore toe. It feels as if it's about to fall off."
 Aunt Polly sank into a chair with relief. She laughed a little, then cried a little, and then did both together. This made her feel so much better that she snapped at Tom, "Stop this nonsense, get out

of bed, and get off to school immediately!"

THE ADVENTURES OF TOM SAWYER

Classrooms of today are never as quiet as they were in Tom Sawyer's day, but when Ms. Slone began to read, her P3-P4 class at McDowell Elementary sat quietly as they tried to imagine the next bit of trouble Tom and his friends would be getting into. The characters seemed to come to life, especially the day Tom traded Huck a tooth for a tick and took it to school. Joe Harper and Tom were enjoying themselves on a boring Monday, tormenting the tick when all of a sudden, the Head Master swatted them about the shoulders with his stick, dust flew ending their fine game.

It took two reading sessions to get Tom and Joe out of that trouble. Ms. Slone would laugh so hard that she couldn't read—the students would laugh at Ms. Slone laughing and both together could be heard three rooms down the hall.

The class appeared sad as the last page was read and the book was closed. "Good morning, everybody!"
 "Good morning, Sid!"

"Good morning, Aunt Polly!"
 "Today Mary Sawyer and Joe Harper are class helpers."
 "Becky, would you care to pass out the reading work-books."
 "Amy Lawrence, would you ask Mrs. Hamilton if her class is ready to change, please."
 "Tom, did you think about brining pencil and paper today?"
 "Huckleberry!"

Boring Monday, "I don't think so," Ms. Slone said. She was surrounded by children dressed in the costumes of the book's characters.



Kimberly Meade as Mary Sawyer



Paul Neal as Huckleberry Finn



Amanda Samons as Becky; Paul Neal as Huck; Kyle Brown as Tom; and Eddie Taylor as Joe



Kyle Brown as Tom Sawyer



Blake Stumbo as Tom Sawyer



Amanda Samons as Becky Thatcher



Winners for the most original dress of the 1870's were Amanda Samons and Paul Neal. Each child won a children's classic book.



Joshua Compton as Tom Sawyer and Amanda Samons as Becky Thatcher



Eddie Taylor as Joe Harper and Kimberly Meade as Mary Sawyer



Kelli Johnson as Amy

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 KNOTT COUNTY AT SOUTH FLOYD—FRIDAY

A Look At Sports

Round two goes to Coach Pack

In an appeals ruling, Circuit Judge John David Caudill upheld the findings of a tribunal and ruled that Prestonsburg's head basketball coach, Jack Pack, be reinstated as a teacher and basketball and golf coach.



Ed Taylor Sports Editor

This means that round two goes to Coach Pack, after he had little trouble winning round one. Whether there will be a round three or not remains to be seen.

Jackie Pack is one of the best bench coaches in the state of Kentucky. No one can deny that the man can coach the game of basketball. The unpleasant situation has been a distraction from the program, and the people who suffer the most from things like this are the kids. Many times we fail to take that into account.

In talking with some of the returning players, there are mixed emotions over the whole situation. What happens now is anyone's guess. But, for now, Coach Pack is back at the school, teaching and is the school's head basketball coach as well as golf coach.

I don't know if the case can be taken any higher, but I would hope the school board and everyone else would just let it rest and get back to what is most important, restoring some integrity to the program.

I hope Coach Pack will prove wrong all involved (who questioned his integrity) and show that he can be that example every coach needs to be. Sometimes when we think we are down and about to be counted out, a new opportunity presents itself. The people who get that second chance need to take it and make the most of it and demonstrate they are capable people.



Jack Pack

The ball is in Coach Pack's court and I, for one, am rooting for him to showcase his ability to lead and be that positive example. I believe that everyone deserves a second chance. I hope from all this that both sides can say let's forget yesterday, last week, last year and go on for the betterment of our kids. I would hope both sides would be adult enough to do that and learn something from all this.

COULD THE LIGHTING HAVE CREATED A MONSTER?

The South Floyd Raiders' football team experienced a storm when they hosted Shelby Valley last Saturday night. The Raiders were dragging and not playing too well. Even up to the storm in the second half, the Raiders looked like a team that was nervous. But, after the storm, they were a different team. I wonder if there were some electronic lodes around the ears?

SOUTH FLOYD GRID

South Floyd will host Knott County Central this Friday night in their final scrimmage game before the real season begins. Game time is set for 7:30 p.m. at Brackett Field.

BLACKCATS AT HAZARD

Coach John Derossett will take his Prestonsburg Blackcats on the road to Hazard where they will play Estill County in grid action.

ALLEN CENTRAL GRID

The Rebels final scrimmage game will take place this Saturday at 5:30 at the Don Daniels Athletic Complex. The Rebs face McCreary Central.

BETSY LAYNE AT PHELPS

Coach Ted George and the Betsy Layne Bobcats will be at Phelps Friday night in a 4:30 p.m. start.

OTHER STUFF

• The Chicago Cubs lost yet another fine

(See SPORTS, page two)

STOCK APPEARING



Bobby Wireman finished second in the stock-appearing class at the Riverside Go-Kart Raceway last Friday night. Wireman has been a regular participant at the local track this season. Racing continues this Friday night at Riverside with a 100 percent pay-back (photo by Ed Taylor)

RIVERSIDE RACEWAY RESULTS

Big night planned at Riverside Raceway

by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

The Riverside Raceway will offer go-kart drivers a 100 percent pay-back tonight as racing continues at the Dwale track. Seven classes ran last Friday night.

ROOKIES

Dustin Holbrook drove his familiar 33D to a first-

AROUND TURN FOUR



Friday night racing at Riverside Raceway has drawn large crowds. The Dwale facility will open its gates at 5 p.m. tonight with racing beginning at 7 p.m. (photo by Ed Taylor)

place finish in the rookie class. It was the second straight week that Holbrook has taken the checkered flag and a trip to the winner's circle. Justin Adkins placed second in his No. 99 ride, while Seth "Buckshot" Setser finished third.

SPORTS COMMENTARY

Gridorama battles end this weekend

by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

Allen Central, Betsy Layne, Prestonsburg and South Floyd will play their final preseason scrimmage games this weekend as the start of the '98 football season is only a week away.

Allen Central will face McCreary Central at home this Saturday. Betsy Layne meets Phelps at Phelps, which will feature three games. Prestonsburg plays Estill County at Hazard while South Floyd will host Knott County Central.

The Rebels, who won over Morgan County at Betsy Layne last Friday night, hope their defensive effort continues against Central. The Rebs have been surpris-

(See BATTLES, page two)

ROAD HOGS

Steve Caudill was in kart No. 8, but he finished as the number one driver in winning the road hog class. Caudill finished in front of second-place driver Shannon Halbert. Kenny Patton took the flag for third place.

STOCK MEDIUM

Benji Huff took the checkered flag and a trip to victory lane after winning the stock medium class last Friday night. Huff never trailed in the race after taking the green flag. Daniel Jarrell placed second, and Ken Arnett roll into a third place finish.

STOCK APPEARING

Martin Conley roared to the finish line in winning the stock-appearing class in kart No. 27. Conley finished ahead of Bobby Wireman in No. 11, while Dean Hoskins place third.

250's CLASS

Tim Carr, who took the checkered flag last Friday night in the 250 class, had to settle for second place last week as Mike Sturgill was the first to take the checkered flag at Riverside this past weekend. Carr drove his No. 5 kart ahead of third-place finisher Tim Setser.

OPEN CLASS

Scott Smith finished ahead of Mike Stephens in winning the open class in his No. 5s kart. Stephens was second and Lee Ross took third place in No. 7.

BRIGGS JR

Daniel Jarrell had to battle to finish first in the Briggs, Jr class as two Brandons presented a challenge. But it was Jarrell taking the checkered flag in his No. 3 kart, with Brandon McKenzie finishing second and Brandon Hall third.

Gates open tonight at 5 p.m. with hot laps at 7 p.m. and qualifying afterwards. Admission is only \$10, and the racing fee is also \$10.

Riverside Raceway is fast becoming one of the favorite raceways for go-kart drivers. The track is located at Dwale and easily accessible.

\$15,000 purse awaits drivers at Thunder Ridge

Harris leads late model class points standings

by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

The fall season is before us and the second half of the racing season is winding down. While the weather begins to cool down, racing continues to be hot at the Thunder Ridge Speedway and there should be plenty of noise tonight as the purse swells for all classes that run. All total, drivers in different classes will total \$15,000 in purses.

In the late model feature, the winner will take home the \$3,000 first-place prize money in the 30-lap feature. It has been three weeks since the late models have run at the track.



Paul Harris

The super bombers will race for \$600, while bombers run for \$500. It will be a \$200 purse for the road hog winner. The total amount of the purse is based on how far back each class pays.



Brad Martin

Paul Harris continues to lead the late model points standings with 921, a 152 lead over second place runner Shannon Thornsberry. Brandon Kinzer is third with 601 points. Fourth place belongs to Stanley Haddix and Eddie Carrier, Sr. is fifth.

Kurt Hoffsess holds a slim margin over second place Jerry Wicker in the modified division. Hoffsess has 1,277 points to Wicker's 1,217. Jason Johnson is third with 876 points. Gary Combs and Jeff Jones round out the top five.

Greg Ison had 1,272 points to top the super bomber stock car drivers. David Paris is second with 818, and Billy Stumbo is third with 795.

In the bomber points standings, Johnny Layne leads with 1,239 points, followed by Tandy Spurlock with 1,223. David Chaffins (960), Clint Shutts (785) and Mike Howard (709) complete the top five.

John Henson continues to top the road hog drivers with 910 points. In second place is Jimmy Arnett with 666, followed by Anthony Johnson (633), James Ramey (384) and Randy Cook (232).



Shannon Thornsbury



Kurt Hoffsess

Track promoter Brad Martin continues to work hard in keeping the track in good condition.

"Right now, the track is in great shape," he said. "We had very little dust last Saturday night. We are disk-ing the track up and continue to do so each week. We have been putting plenty of water on it. Things are moving along real good."

The late model purse will grow when racing gets the green flag on September 5. A

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SOWING IN THE EVENING



Jenny Wiley Fish and Game Club president Johnny Lafferty and Jimmy Wright sowed some seeds in one of the many projects the club has taken on in benefiting wildlife in the area. New members are needed for the already 130-plus fish and game club.

KENTUCKY AFIELD

HUNTERS, WANT TO TAKE MORE DEER THIS YEAR?

You may have heard talk at the sporting goods store about some changes in deer hunting regulations this year. While the hunting stories you usually hear aren't always true, there truly are some big changes for the upcoming deer hunting seasons.

First of all, hunters will have the opportunity to take more deer by using bonus deer permits. Hunters that buy their regular statewide permits can also purchase as many as three bonus deer permits at \$10 each. The first permit is an antlerless archery permit, and be used

statewide. The second is an antlerless gun or archery permit, which can be used only in zone one during gun season. The third bonus permit is a quota hunt permit, which can be used by hunters participating in a quota hunt.

It is important to remember that in order to purchase any bonus permit, you must first purchase your regular statewide deer permit. If you fill your statewide permit first, be sure to hold onto the attached stub when you use a bonus tag. This will prove that your are using your bonus tag legally.

Once you've successfully completed your hunt you may check in

your deer over the phone this year by dialing 1-877-CHKGAME (245-4263). The new toll-free phone number allows hunters the option of dialing in their deer. Those who prefer to use a check station still have that option.

HAVE YOU SEEN A BLACK BEAR?

If you've seen a bear in Kentucky in 1998, you're one of a special few. However, bear sightings are becoming more frequent. While there are no solid estimates, the black bear population in Kentucky has been making a comeback in the last 10 years, according

to wildlife biologist Steve Bonney. "Bear reports have been received this spring and summer in

that is easily accessible and dog food left outside provides just such a meal for a hungry black bear.

"Bears are just looking for the easiest meal they can find to make up for the poor mast crop,"

—Steve Bonney

greater numbers than I can ever recall," says Bonney.

Over the July holiday weekend, the fish and wildlife department received at least three different bear-related calls. Two black bears have already been killed this year — largely due to lack of understanding, say officials.

Bears are dormant during the winter and do not eat. When temperatures warm up, bears become more active and begin foraging for food. This period of activity is when humans begin to see bears more frequently.

This past year's mast crop, or acorns, beechnuts and other forest food sources, was poor. As a result, bears wandered in search of food and found sources such as garbage and dog food.

"Bears are just looking for the easiest meal they can find to make up for the poor mast crop," Bonney explains. Open garbage cans, trash

This is where the human/wildlife conflict comes into play.

When humans and bears come into contact, the human usually reacts in one of two extremes.

Either they are intensely afraid or they want to treat it as a Teddy bear. Neither one of these reactions is advised, says Bonney.

"Black bears are generally docile animals," says Bonney, "and will run at the sight of a human." Even the old belief about a mother bear protecting her cubs may be inaccurate when it comes to black bears.



People usually have two questions when it comes to bears. The first is: "Is it going to eat my children?" The second question is: "Can I shoot it?" No, it's not going to eat your children and, short of immediate physical injury, do not shoot a bear, it is against the law.

Bonney advises people to treat bears with respect. If you see a bear in your yard, especially at night, just wait. It will go away. If it is rummaging through your trash can, the same rule applies. If left alone, a bear will go away. You may try hurrying it on its way by yelling, banging pots or turning on bright lights, but do not go near the bear.

Finally, enjoy the unique experience of seeing a bear, but don't encourage its visit. Keep garbage and dog food out of range of bears, especially at night and store it in a bear-proof container. Never feed bears. Feeding will make a bear used to people and can make it dangerous to itself and to humans.

Stars to come out in Charity Classic

Central Baptist Hospital Charity Golf Classic, August 20-23

For four days in August, Lexington's Kearney Hill Golf links play host to more than 60 of the world's best celebrity golfers. On Thursday, August 20 through Sunday, August 23, stars from the world of sports, politics and entertainment will compete in the first-ever Central Baptist Hospital Charity Classic.

This event is the seventh tour stop in 1998 for the Celebrity Players Tour (CPT) and follows the most exciting finish in the history of the Lake Tahoe golf championship. The CPT is the nation's premier celebrity golf association.

CPT members attending the Central Baptist Hospital Charity Classic include Johnny Bench,

Vinnie Del Negro, The Gatlin Brothers, Bill Laimbeer, Ivan Lendl, Jim McMahon, John Brodie and celebrity golf's all-time winner, former Major League pitcher Rick Rhoden. The CPT field will be joined by notable sponsor invitees, including Rex Chapman, Jeff Sheppard, Andy Van Syke and many more.

While celebrities will compete for a \$250,000 purse, local charities come out the winners of this event. Proceeds from the Classic will benefit the Baptist Healthcare Foundation.

"The tournament will extend Central Baptist Hospital's mission to promote better health in our community through research, edu-

cation and improved access to quality care," said William G. Sisson, president and chief executive officer of Central Baptist Hospital.

The Central Baptist Hospital Charity is the first CPT event to be held in Kentucky. It is the seventh of nine tour stops for CPT this year, and will be a medal-play, full-stroke event played under USGA Rules. Previous stops include Ft. Lauderdale; Dallas; Crystal River; Florida; Pittsburgh; Denver; and Lake Tahoe. The CPT will also visit Sacramento and Naples, Florida, later this season.

The event is hosted by the Lexington Urban Fayette County Government.

Tickets are available by calling (606) 225-6550 or can be purchased at participating Kroger stores.

All county senior high band

Twelve members of the Allen Central High School Band were selected, by audition, to participate in the All County Senior High Band.

They were:

- Kyra Osborne, a freshman flute player. She is the daughter of Larry and Rita Osborne of Hueysville.

- Heather Shepherd, a junior clarinet player. She is the daughter of Kathy Shepherd of Hueysville.

- Cheryl Patton, a junior clarinet player. She is the daughter of Michael and Betty Patton of

Hueysville.

- Nikki Patton, a sophomore clarinet player. She is the daughter of Ronnie and Jennifer Patton of Wayland.

- Jamie Gunnell, a sophomore clarinet player. She is the daughter of Paul and Sandy Gunnell of Garrett.

- Debbie Meade, a freshman clarinet player. She is the daughter of Delores Meade of Garrett.

- Krystal Deaton, a freshman alto saxophone player. She is the daughter of Julian and Alberta Deaton of Hueysville.

- Kevin O'Quinn, a freshman

alto saxophone player. He is the son of Danny and Billie O'Quinn of Garrett.

- Shane Baldrige, a freshman tenor saxophone player. He is the son of Garry and Mary Lois Baldrige of Martin.

- Kris Fultz, a freshman trumpet player. He is the son of Jerry and King Fultz of Wayland.

- Jennifer Kendrick, a senior trombone player. She is the daughter of Dennis and Teresa Wilson of Garrett.

- Matt Adkins, a freshman percussionist. He is the son of Vanessa Adkins of Martin.

DRIVERS

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\$5,000 winner-take-all purse will go to the winner of the "Topless Late Model" feature, according to Martin.

"We have had a lot of calls from

late model drivers from around the area who say they are going to be here," he said. "We are expecting at least 25 drivers and maybe more."

"It is going to be a good night

for race fans to be here because we are going to have some good racing," he said.

The date for the final session of stock car racing is set for September 26 but, according to the track promoter, that date may be extended.

"We will race until the weather tells us not to," he said. "Right now, the final date on the schedule is September 26 but, after that, we may go to racing on Sunday afternoons, after church."

THUNDER RIDGE POINTS STANDINGS

LATE MODEL		BOMBERS	
Billy Stumbo	795	Johnny Layne	1239
Paul Harris 921	711	Tandy Spurlock	1223
Shannon Thornsberry 769	645	David Chafins	960
Brandon Kinzer 601		Clint Shutts	785
Stanley Haddix 504		Mike Howard	709
Eddie Carrier Sr446			
MODIFIEDS		ROAD HOGS	
Kurt Hoffsess	1277	John Henson	910
Jerry Wicker	1217	Jimmy Arnett	666
Jason Johnson	876	Anthony Johnson	633
Gary Combs	857	James Ramey	387
Jeff Jones	852	Randy Cook	232
SUPER BOMBERS			
Greg Ison	1272		
David Paris	818		

THUNDER RIDGE NOTES

- Go-kart racing will come to Thunder Ridge this season with a tentative date of August 22 set for the opening of the new track.

- "Work on the new track is going on right now. We will run on dates opposite of the one at Riverside," said Martin. "We can work together and not race at the same time."

- The oval go-kart track will be located in front of the grandstand.
- Yet to come this season is four-wheel racing.

- "We are also building a track for the four-wheelers," said Martin. "They will be racing in the mud this year and race the same day as the go-karts."

- Motor cross racing will also be part of the racing card at Thunder Ridge.

- "We want to give the fans the best racing we can," Martin said, "We will charge just one price, and they can watch whichever event they want. We are just trying to get things going. There is a lot of racing left at Thunder Ridge this season, and the fans are in for some good racing."

- Pit gates open at 3 p.m. this Saturday with the drivers' meeting scheduled for 7 p.m. and racing beginning afterward.

Raiders to host Knott Central

The South Floyd Raiders will host the Knott County Central Patriots in their final tune up before the regular football season gets underway. Game time is set for 7:30 p.m. at Brackett Field.

"We want all our fans to come out and enjoy the game, a hot dog, popcorn and all the festivities of the

night," said Raiders coach Donnie Daniels.

It will be a full game except for no kick-off.



BATTLES

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ing in the preseason.

Betsy Layne struggled against Fleming-Neon last weekend and going up against a good Phelps team will help the Bobcats as they prepare for their opener.

The Cats will begin the season on the road at Cawood and, much to a coach's dread, it will be a district game.

Prestonsburg, who hosted Belfry in their first scrimmage game yesterday, will meet the Engineers of Estill County in the Hazard Gridorama. Coach John Derossett's ballclub was supposed to host the Floyd County Conference Grid, but that fell through.

The Blackcats are expected to be one of the front running teams in District 2 this season.

South Floyd coach Donnie Daniels says he does not know how to take his team after playing to a 20-20 tie against Shelby Valley last Friday night.

"We didn't play well the first half," he said. "And really we didn't play well until after the 30 minute storm delay. But I think the kids were nervous at first plus the fact that we made some coaching mistakes. We corrected all this week."

The Raiders could have been a 22-20 winner but the two point conversion was called back with the game ending in a tie.

The regular season begins August 21 for South Floyd and

Allen Central. Betsy Layne opens August 22 while Prestonsburg is open the first week and begins August 29.

The Rebels will host Powell County in one of only three home games. Mark Dunfee, Mark Howard, Rodney Bentley will lead the Rebel backfield. Jesse Hall will be at quarterback.

Betsy Layne will be looking for a better showing when they meet Cawood in a very early district

game on Saturday, August 22. Tyler Puckett quarterbacks the Bobcats with Chad Bryant, Anthony Tackett and Nick West carries the ball.

South Floyd will be at Shelby Valley as part of a bowl appearance and facing the Phelps Hornets. The game also will be a district contest for the Raiders. Charlie Williams will be behind center with B.J. Bryant, Matt Kidd and Darren Newsome in the backfield.

The Raiders play at 6:30 p.m.

Do you love local sports?

The Floyd County Times is looking for community sports correspondents to cover area games and events. Ideal candidates will be dependable, fair-minded, knowledgeable in sports and able to take good photographs. Good writing skills are a must and typing a plus.

Correspondents should enjoy talking to people and be able to accurately organize facts to write clear and interesting stories on deadline. Most events will be in the evenings and on weekends. Correspondents will be paid a fee and receive credit in the newspaper for their stories.

If you love local sports and want to support our local youth, call Times Sports Editor Ed Taylor at 886-8506.

The Floyd County Times

Dairy Queen of Prestonsburg SPORTS FAN OF THE WEEK



If you are the sports fan circled here...it's your lucky day!

Bring this photo to the Floyd County Times office at 112 South Central Avenue (down the street from the courthouse) to claim your Gift Certificate, which will entitle you to a free 8-inch ice cream cake of your choice, redeemable at Dairy Queen of Prestonsburg, and a Sports Fan of the Week T-Shirt.

Sports

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announcer when Jack Brickhouse passed away recently. Brickhouse was to television what Harry Caray was to radio. I remember watching the Cubs game over Channel 9 when I lived in Indiana. Brickhouse was a good announcer, but he wasn't a Harry Caray.

- The race is still on to see who will break Maris' home run record of 61. Mark McGwire leads the majors with 47 round trippers with Cubs outfielder Sammy Sosa with 46. I don't think either one will reach it, but it gives fans something to follow seeing that about all the divisional races are finished this season.

The only real race is in the

American League West Division where Texas has a half-game lead.

- The Reds' brass say they are disputing each other and that all is rosy with the Reds' front office as John Smith and general manager Jim Bowden have had some disagreements of late. I look for some serious-minded ballclub to sweep Bowden away from the Reds.

- Willie Greene is gone. Like all traded Reds, he will start to blossom as a ball player and hit 30 home runs. Whew! When will Marge get back?

Until Wednesday, good sports everyone and be good sports! Take the kids to Sunday School and church this Sunday.

NASCAR

This Week

On TV

All Times Eastern

- Trucks, Federated Auto Parts 250
5 p.m. • Friday • TNN
- Busch, Pepsi 200
Noon • Saturday • ESPN
- Winston Cup, Pepsi 200
12:30 p.m. • Sunday • ESPN



POINTS STANDINGS

WINSTON CUP	BUSCH	TRUCK
1. Jeff Gordon, 3,082	1. D. Earnhardt Jr., 2,991	1. Ron Hornaday, 2,471
2. Mark Martin, 3,000	2. Matt Kenseth, 2,943	2. Joe Ruttman, 2,444
3. Dale Jarrett, 2,859	3. M. McLaughlin, 2,864	3. Jack Sprague, 2,417
4. Rusty Wallace, 2,769	4. Randy LaJoie, 2,654	4. Tony Raines, 2,215
5. Bobby Labonte, 2,664	5. Buckshot Jones, 2,495	5. Jay Sauter, 2,107
6. Jeremy Mayfield, 2,606	6. Elton Sawyer, 2,472	6. Stacy Compton, 2,073
7. Jeff Burton, 2,453	7. Elliot Sadler, 2,467	7. Randy Tolsma, 1,964
8. Terry Labonte, 2,422	8. Tim Fedewa, 2,454	8. Rick Carelli, 1,947
9. Dale Earnhardt, 2,402	9. Phil Parsons, 2,398	9. Ron Barfield, 1,927
10. Ken Schrader, 2,291	10. Mike Dillon, 2,372	10. Jimmy Hensley, 1,921

FROM LAST WEEK

WINSTON CUP SERIES

Jeff Gordon won from the pole in the Bud at the Glen, his third straight victory. Mark Martin was second for the fourth straight week, followed by Mike Skinner, whose gas-mileage gamble almost paid off with a victory.

CRAFTSMAN TRUCKS

Terry Cook raced from fourth to first in the Stevens Beil/Genuine Car Parts 200 at Flemington (N.J.) Speedway. Cook raced hard with Stacy



J. Gordon

Compton midrace, then held off Ron Hornaday for the win. Points leader Jack Sprague crashed on lap nine and finished 29th. Hornaday and Joe Ruttman passed him in the points chase.

TOP TEN

Weekly rankings by NASCAR This Week writer Monte Dutton. Last week's ranking is in parentheses.

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| 1. Jeff Gordon (1)
Three in a row | 6. Dale Earnhardt (6)
Starting to stall |
| 2. Mark Martin (2)
Second for four straight | 7. Jeremy Mayfield (7)
Too fast too soon |
| 3. Dale Jarrett (3)
A solid fifth | 8. Jeff Burton (8)
Another rough day |
| 4. Bobby Labonte (4)
Another top 10 | 9. Terry Labonte (9)
Bad luck on the road |
| 5. Rusty Wallace (5)
Getting better again | 10. Mike Skinner (10)
Thriving with McReynolds |

ON THE SCHEDULE

Date	Race	1997 Winner	Pole
Aug. 16	DeVilbiss 400, Brooklyn, Mich.	Martin	Benson
Aug. 22	Goody's 500, Bristol, Tenn.	Jarrett	K. Wallace
Aug. 30	CMT 300, Loudon, N.H.	J. Gordon	Schrader
Sept. 6	Southern 500, Darlington, S.C.	J. Gordon	B. Labonte
Sept. 12	Exide 400, Richmond, Va.	Jarrett	Elliott
Sept. 20	MBNA 400, Dover, Del.	Martin	Martin
Sept. 27	Hanes 500, Martinsville, Va.	J. Burton	W. Burton
Oct. 4	UAW-GM 500, Concord, N.C.	Jarrett	G. Bodine
Oct. 11	Winston 500, Talladega, Ala.	T. Labonte	Irvan
Oct. 17	Pepsi 400, Daytona Beach, Fla.	Andretti	Skinner
Oct. 25	Dura-Lube 500, Avondale, Ariz.	Jarrett	Hamilton
Nov. 1	AC-Delco 400, Rockingham, N.C.	Hamilton	B. Labonte
Nov. 8	NAPA 500, Hampton, Ga.	B. Labonte	G. Bodine

FEUD OF THE WEEK

Dick Trickle vs. Darrell Waltrip

The two old veterans, 56-year-old Trickle and 51-year-old Waltrip, tangled over some late-race doings at Indianapolis, and they remain unhappy with

one another.

NASCAR This Week writer Monte Dutton gives his opinion: "Good to see the old warriors still have some vinegar left."

FROM THE ARCHIVES:

The rich history of NASCAR

Glen "Fireball" Roberts was 21 when he came to Hillsborough, N.C., and won his first NASCAR Winston Cup race. On Aug. 13, 1950, Roberts stood in victory lane after a 100-lap race at Occoneechee Speedway. Roberts would win 31 more Winston Cup races before being killed in a crash in 1964.

By Monte Dutton

NASCAR This Week
WATKINS GLEN, N.Y. — It took less than a week for Charley Pressley to resurface.

Pressley, who resigned at Larry Hedrick Racing and was replaced by Tim Brewer, is the new crew chief at Morgan-McClure. Team owner Larry McClure said Pressley is already on the job, preparing Bobby Hamilton's Chevrolet for the Bud at the Glen.

The son of short-track legend Bob Pressley and brother of Winston Cup driver Robert Pressley, Charley Pressley has been a crew chief for five sea-

THE WINSTON CUP SERIES

COMING UP: Pepsi 400
WHERE: Michigan Speedway, Brooklyn, Mich.
WHEN: Sunday, Aug. 16, 12:30 p.m.
DEFENDING CHAMPION: Mark Martin
EVENT QUALIFYING RECORD: Jeff Burton, Ford, 185.395 mph, Aug. 16, 1996
RACE RECORD: Bobby Labonte, Chevrolet, 157.739 mph, Aug. 20, 1995
OTHER FORMER WINNERS: David Pearson won five times, followed by Martin, Richard Petty and Bill Elliott with three each.
NOTABLE: Elliott is the active driver with the most Michigan poles (six) and wins (seven). ... In the first Michigan race of 1998, Ward Burton won the pole and Martin won the race.

BUSCH GRAND NATIONAL SERIES
COMING UP: Pepsi 200

ALMOST HOME COOKING

Brooklyn is in the midst of the Irish Hills, a middle-class resort area that makes up in friendliness what it lacks in poshness. One of the best Brooklyn dining experiences is at the grill of the Clarks Lake Golf Course, west of Brooklyn on the lake of the same name.

WHERE: Michigan Speedway; Brooklyn, Mich.
WHEN: Saturday, Aug. 15
DEFENDING CHAMPION: Steve Park
EVENT QUALIFYING RECORD: Hermie Sadler, Chevrolet, 175.511 mph, Aug. 16, 1997
RACE RECORD: Mark Martin, Ford,

169.571 mph, Aug. 19, 1995
OTHER FORMER WINNERS: Martin has won twice, followed by Park, Jeff Purvis, Bobby Labonte and Todd Bodine with one each.

CRAFTSMAN TRUCK SERIES
COMING UP: Federated Auto Parts 250
WHERE: Nashville, Tenn.
WHEN: Saturday, Aug. 15
DEFENDING CHAMPION: Jack Sprague
EVENT QUALIFYING RECORD: Mike Bliss, Ford, 110.495 mph, Aug. 16, 1997
RACE RECORD: Jack Sprague, 79.226 mph, Aug. 16, 1997
OTHER FORMER WINNERS: Sprague and Dave Rezendes have won the two races and the two poles.
NOTABLE: Rezendes, Sprague and Ron Hornaday have finished in the top five in both races.

PROFILE

Geoff Bodine



John Clark/NASCAR This Week

Geoff Bodine, right, reflects on nearing his 500th career start.

By Monte Dutton

NASCAR This Week
Geoff Bodine, named one of NASCAR's 50 greatest drivers earlier this year, is struggling to get back into victory lane.

Bodine, who has won Winston Cup races driving for team owners Rick Hendrick, Junior Johnson and Bud Moore, also has four victories as a driver/car owner. His most recent victory occurred in 1996 at Watkins Glen, his home track.

In 1981, Bodine, always an innovator, introduced the modern-day use of power steering to the Winston Cup Series at Martinsville. He also was the founder of USA Bobsled Project, which developed the "Bo-Dyn" that is now used by the American Olympic team.

HOMETOWN(S): Born in Elmira, N.Y., raised in Chemung, N.Y., now resides

in Julian, N.C.

AGE: 49
MARITAL STATUS: Divorced
CHILDREN: Matthew (26), Barry (20).

CAR: No. 7 Phillips Ford Taurus, owned by Jim Mattei.
CAREER RECORD: 491 starts, 37 poles, 18 wins, 98 top fives, 183 top 10s, nearly \$13 million in career earnings.

WHAT DOES IT FEEL LIKE TO BE CLOSING IN ON YOUR 500TH CAREER START? "I feel happy to have made it this far. It's been a wild ride getting to this point.

"If I hadn't been in the hospital several times, I might have been able to reach 500 at Watkins Glen, which would have been nice. I remember my first car in the Cup was a yellow and white No. 47, owned by Jack Beebe, and I drove three races for Jack in 1979. I've enjoyed every minute I've

been in a race car since then, not to mention the Modified days back near home.

"Winston Cup racing has been my life for a long time, and that is what I wanted when I moved south in the late 1970s. As busy as we are nowadays, you don't have many opportunities to reflect on your accomplishments. I'm really going to savor the next several races."

WHAT WAS YOUR WORST ACCIDENT? "I think it was right here (Watkins Glen) before they had the inner loop. The brake rotor blew up. Normally you'd go into the turn at about 140 mph, and I was doing 170 or so, so I thought there might be trouble. I knew I was going to hit a tree, but I thought the tree was all I was gonna hit. That was a close shave, a crash that I was lucky to survive."

YOUR TURN

Letters From Our Readers

Dear NASCAR This Week,
I am a 16-year old female and a big Ernie Irvan supporter. I was wondering: How do they determine who goes first when they qualify for a race? Is it by the points or by who finishes where at the end of the last race? I would really like to know.
Elizabeth Gmytruk
Wewahitchka, Fla.

Dear Elizabeth,
Qualifying order is determined by a random drawing at each race.

Dear NASCAR This Week,
I'm a big fan of both Busch and Winston Cup racing. But I have a question. I've learned that a lapped car that is in the way of the leaders can be flagged to move over. Well, this did not happen during the South Boston Busch Series race, July 25. For 10 to 15 laps, Joe [Bessey] stayed in front of Dale Earnhardt Jr., not giving way for him. Why didn't the officials flag Joe [Bessey] to move?
Russ Bryant
Bolivar, Tenn.

Dear Russ,
If a driver could still get back in contention by maintaining a position ahead of the leader, he is generally not given the "move over" flag (blue with a lateral yellow stripe). Like many NASCAR policies, it is a judgment call by officials, but the flag is generally used to alert drivers who are more than a lap down.

If you've got a question or a comment, write: NASCAR This Week Your Turn, c/o The Gaston Gazette, 2500 E. Franklin Blvd., Gastonia, N.C. 28054

CREW OF THE WEEK

It's time for more kudos to Larry McReynolds and his Lowe's crew, which brought Mike Skinner home third and formulated a fuel strategy that very nearly won the Bud at the Glen. McReynolds has experienced considerable success since joining the Skinner team.

ON THE MARKET

SportsCom Inc. offers fans the opportunity to monitor driver conversations from the comfort of home with FanScan. Transmissions are piped on delay to fans watching the race at home over their computer or by phone. Phone calls placed to 888-343-7226 cost \$1.49 per minute.

TRIVIA

- Who is the fourth-generation driver who recently won an ASA race?
- What driver gave veteran car-owner Junie Donlavey his only Winston Cup victory?

1. Adam Petty
2. Jody Fidler
ANSWERS

Who's not WHO'S HOT?
In case you've been vacationing in Alaska or had your cable disconnected, it's Jeff Gordon.

WHO'S NOT? Jeremy Mayfield, the phenom of the first half, is leveling off as the stretch drive approaches.

AROUND THE GARAGE

Charley Pressley named crew chief at Morgan-McClure

sons. He is a native of Asheville, N.C., but will soon move to Abingdon, Va., where McClure's team is situated.

BIG TWO, LITTLE THREE: While Mark Martin and Jeff Burton have continued to run up front in most every race, the summer has seen an accompanying decline in the performances of Jack Roush's other three Winston Cup teams.

Ted Musgrave, soon to be replaced by Kevin Lepage, hasn't finished higher than 15th since the Coca-Cola 600 at Charlotte on May 24. Chad Little's best finish since then was a 13th at Richmond.

And Johnny Benson, who seemed to be on the verge of becoming a force this spring, has had the biggest fall of all. He was ninth in the Coca-Cola 600 and hasn't finished higher than 18th since.

NO WALLY: Despite two second-place finishes here, Wally Dallenbach Jr. did not have a ride for the Bud at the Glen.

Dallenbach recently completed a two-race stint with the No. 13 Ford co-owned by Bill Elliott and Dan Marino. Tom Hubert, also known for his road-racing prowess, drove that car here.

Boris Said subbed for injured

Jimmy Spencer in Travis Carter's No. 23 Ford, and Ron Fellows drove Buz McCall's No. 96 Chevrolet instead of Hut Stricklin. Said relinquished the former car to Spencer for the first few laps on Sunday, thus enabling Spencer to maintain his 11th-place position in the point standings.

Ted Christopher also took over in the Junie Donlavey Ford for Dick Trickle at the first caution flag of Sunday's race.

THE BETTER PART OF VALOR: Two car owners, Ricky Rudd and Chuck Rider, have abandoned plans to field second teams in 1999.

RACING ON THE WEB

Sneak to Racing Collectibles
sneak.to/racing-collectibles/index.html

Strong points: Tucked inside a book sales site, this Web site offers users an excellent place to look for that hard-to-find die-cast model or trading card.

Weak points: Obviously this site's focus is narrow. However, this page would be hard to locate from the main site. Navigation is not smooth because links are located primarily at the bottom of each page.

The Weekend EXTRA



**Smile
Awhile**

Sara Hopson

Getting fresh with vegetables

Sunday morning my niece, Paula, was baptized into the Christ United Methodist Church in Allen, Kentucky. With all her family in attendance, Paula made a public declaration of her life to Christ and came out of the baptismal looking better than before she received the sacrament.

Since it was a joyous occasion, Paula's mother, Bonnie "Suzie Homemaker" Spencer, prepared an elaborate meal to celebrate the event. With her own two hands (Lord knows she's bound to have extra hands hidden in her apron), Bonnie presented the following menu to 12 people in attendance: fried chicken, pork roast, mashed potatoes, creamed new potatoes, green beans, fried corn, corn on the cob, slaw, cornbread, rolls, tomatoes, cantaloupe, iced tea, pink lemonade, and pecan pie.

"When did you find time to fix all this?" I asked as I bit into a juicy, ripe tomato.

"Oh, I did it this morning before I left for church," Bonnie said as she sliced a fresh lemon and placed it in the appropriate Longaberger basket.

"Boy, you must have gotten up early!" I exclaimed. "Where did you get the tomatoes?"

"Oh, we grew those," her husband Paul offered.

"They're wonderful," my mother said. "And this corn is so fresh. Where did you buy it?"

"We grew that, too," Bonnie added as she cut the pie.

"Let me guess," I said sarcastically. "Cantaloupe came from your yard?"

"That's right," Paul laughed.

"So I suppose I'm to believe the grapes in the centerpiece came from your orchard. Right?"

Paul and Bonnie looked at one another curiously before Bonnie said, "It's not really an orchard is it Paul?"

"We have some vines on our back porch. That's where they came from."

And I guess you churned the butter, right?"

"Well, no. That's store bought. My churn broke late last night," Bonnie said indignantly.

"These new potatoes are wonderful," Paula's mother-in-law, Boots, declared.

"Thank you," Bonnie said. "I had Paul dig some extra ones up this morning because I was afraid I hadn't fixed enough."

As I watched to see if Bonnie's nose twitched like Samantha on "Bewitched," I stuffed my face hoping to trip Bonnie up and get her to confess that she didn't prepare the meal with her own hands and vegetables when I tasted the pie.

"Aha! You're slipping. This is store bought!" I exclaimed.

"How did you know?" Bonnie whimpered.

"I saw the box," I laughed.

At least they didn't wring the chicken's neck or kill the hog for the meat. If they did, I don't want to know.

Mellons at the MAC



Curb Records artist Ken Mellons is scheduled to perform on September 18 at Mountain Arts Center in Prestonsburg. Mellons' show time is 8 p.m. Tickets are \$16 and \$14.

Mellons' first single since changing record labels is titled, "Ladies Night." The accompanying video recently began airing on CMT. His debut Curb album is scheduled for release this fall.

While Mellons is new to Curb Records, he is not new to radio's airwaves, television, newsprint, or the live performance stage. Perhaps most recognized for his super-hit "Jukebox Junkie," Mellons' previous singles include "I Can Bring Her Back," "Working for the Weekend," and "Rub-A-Dubbin'" Mellons released two albums while recording for Epic Records: "Ken Mellons" and "Where Forever Begins." Both are still available for purchase.

During his high school years, Mellons—one of a handful of Nashville natives found in the music industry—spent every spare minute singing. After graduating, he paid his dues working as a carpet salesman, shoe salesman, and a grocery clerk, but when the sun went down, Mellons could usually be found singing in one of the small clubs in the Nashville area. A chance meeting with his idol, Keith Whitley, reinforced Mellons to continue in the pursuit of his lifelong dream of recording.

After Mellons' brief stint with Epic Nashville, Mike Curb, president of Curb Records, met with him and, recognizing his sincerity and determination, stepped to the plate and signed Mellons to the Curb team.

"Ken Mellons has proven himself to be an outstanding country performer, both in concert and on record," says Curb. "He has developed a great relationship with country radio and we are proud to have him on our label."

Drawing inspiration from his idols, country music's masters such as Merle Haggard, Lefty Frizzell, and Vern Gosdin, Mellons continues his music with a distinctive style adding a '90s edge to the traditional, hard-core, honky tonk sound.

Fans who want to contact Mellons may contact him by writing to: Ken Mellons Fan Club, P.O. Box 158732, Nashville, Tennessee 37215.

Ted McGinley: Menace on the Internet

by Sally Stone

"I've always felt anyone who preyed on children was a monster," Ted McGinley says. "And, as a father, I've become aware of how important it is for parents to learn how to protect their children from such predators. They operate almost as if they're invisible — and they are, in many ways, at least to most adults. That makes them especially dangerous, since they can seduce the children without anyone else in the family knowing what's going on."

On August 19, the USA Network will air "Every Mother's Worst Fear" starring Cheryl Ladd as the mother of a teenager who is kidnapped by a psychopath she met in an Internet chat room, and who plans to sell her to the highest bidder. Jordan Ladd, Cheryl's real-life daughter, plays the vulnerable teenager. Ted plays the cyberspace predator, Scanman.

McGinley's television credits include roles in "Love Boat," "Happy Days," "Dynasty," (his character was married to Sammy Jo, played by Heather Locklear), and, of course, Jefferson D'Arcy in "Married...With Children." He admits that for much of his television and movie career — both feature and TV films — "I've been playing variations of the All American guy. Even when I play rotten characters, some were rotteners you could, maybe, get to like in time. Or maybe not. But you rarely felt threatened by them. So, this character," he adds,

"was really a departure from much of what I've done."

Asked how he felt when he saw himself on screen as Scanman, McGinley says, "I would have liked to show him as sick as you can imagine someone like him is. But while you can do that in feature films, that's a line you don't cross in television. Still," he says, "I feel the audience will see him pretty much as I did — a frightening, dangerous man who is all the more dangerous because he doesn't look like a monster. At least, on the outside."

McGinley adds, "You know, we tend to feel protective of our children if we see someone approach them who is dirty, disheveled, unfriendly, and seems irrational. But all too often we don't allow ourselves to believe that there's any kind of threat from someone who is clean, well-spoken, well-dressed, and friendly. Someone who looks you right in the eye, as if to say, 'hey, I'm your friend and I'm your children's friend. You can trust me.' But the fact is, you can't trust anyone you don't really know, especially where your kids are concerned."

There has been a veritable epidemic of ternet predation in recent years, with lonely people succumbing to romantic overtures from chat room "buddies," sometimes with tragic results. Lonely and vulnerable youngsters have also been drawn in by those who take advantage of their insecurities. They're often lured to meetings and kidnapped. As McGinley says, "You can imagine what can happen to these kids in the hands of these monsters."

What was it like to work with Cheryl Ladd and her daughter, Jordan?

"Great," says McGinley. "Cheryl is, of course, a wonderful actress. So is Jordan. I have to tell you that she's a remarkably talented actress and very often both Cheryl and I were very uncomfortable with the way Jordan portrayed the pain and terror that I cause her in the film."

What message does he feel "Every Mother's Worst Fear" sends to parents?

"Know what goes on when your child sits down at the computer," Ted says. "My sons are still too young for that, but my wife and I will make sure we know what they're doing when they start using the computer. While I feel it's important to raise your children so that one day they can be self-confident, independent people, I also feel that while they're under your care as parents, you are responsible for protecting them."

Ted has two new features coming up — "Dick," a political comedy, and "Je M'Appelle Crawford." He's married to actress Gigi Rice whom he met when Burt Reynolds invited him to do a play at his Jupiter, Florida theater. Gigi was also in the play; "...and the first time I saw her," says Ted, "I knew I loved her. She later told me she felt the same way, and before we knew it, we were married."

And on every anniversary, Gigi and Ted raise a glass to Burt, whom they consider their personal Cupid.

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by Chuck Shepherd

News of the Weird

— Dayton, Ohio, police believe the wave of library vandalism, involving 40 incidents since 1996, ended in June with the conviction of electrical engineer Carl E. Lenhof, 49. Though he pleaded no contest to just three counts, police believe he is the man who frequently took books on homosexuality, the United Nations, and the Federal Reserve from library shelves in Dayton and neighboring towns and smeared them with feces before leaving them in the men's room and other places.

— The BBC reported in June that despite recent Pakistani government crackdowns, gangs operating around the shrine of Sha Dola in the city of Gujrat have been deliberately deforming infants handed over to the shrine for religious purposes so that they can be used by the gangs as high-sympathy, and unusually effective, beggars. The so-called "rat children" have distinctively smaller heads, which shrine personnel say is due to genetic defects, but which critics say are the result of clamping medieval iron rings on their heads to retard growth and brain function.

— NASA revealed in May that it had inadvertently allowed an astronaut impostor to sit at the Mission Control console at Alabama's Marshall Space Center during a shuttle flight in which actual astronauts were preparing to rescue a satellite from space. Jerry Allen Whittredge was arrested in Houston and charged with lying to NASA officials, but his lawyer said he is mentally incompetent to stand trial. Asked how NASA could not correctly identify its real astronauts, an official said merely that Whittredge made a credible impression.

Thieves Thinking Large

Sometime between March and May, thieves stole an 18-ton steel bridge that connected an isolated cottage to a main road near Bytow, Poland. And in May, in Liverpool, England, thieves stole about 250 feet worth of an entire street (5,000 cobblestones). And in May, thieves stole the entire left field fence of the Capitola-Soquel (Calif.) Little League field.

Affirmative Action, South African Style

The Sunday Times of London reported in April that former prominent London male fashion model Chris Reid had just officially been accepted in the South African town of Port St. Johns as the first-ever white witch doctor. Reid, currently known as Ntombhe Mhlophe and whose "fashion" now consists of animal skins, had just finished a four-month apprenticeship in the art, which is said to retain importance for nearly 90 percent of black South Africans.

Insufficiently Attentive People

In February, Timothy Devine, 37, thought he had merely been struck in the ear while in a Boston park trying to purchase marijuana and that he could walk off the pain, but he decided to go to Quincy Hospital, whose attendants confirmed his emerging suspicion that he might have been shot in the head. And in May in Sacramento, Calif., a 19-year-old man was convicted of four counts of attempted murder, based in part on the testimony of one victim who said he was not aware for several days afterward that he had been shot in the stomach and another who said he thought at first he had been hit in the nose by a rock until a doctor told him a bullet had entered through an ear and exited through a nostril.

Awesome!

— In March, a 20-year-old man was charged with attempted murder in Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, for stabbing a 29-year-old man, an acquaintance, in the head. The victim walked out of his apartment after the stab-

bing, fully conscious and speaking, despite the fact that the butcher knife was still embedded in his skull. He survived.

— In May, according to Pasadena, Calif., Fire Department Chief Joe Nestor, about 1,000 swifts (a small migratory bird similar to a swallow) flew down the chimney of a couple's home and filled their house. There was no authoritative explanation for that, but the explanation in Augusta, Ga., for the thousands of bees that quickly covered Betty Robinson's 1984 Buick in April was the new brand of air freshener she was using in the car. And in May in Weymouth, England, about 20,000 bees covered Jane Clark's house, and furthermore, Clark, trapped inside, could not get the town council to help her because, said a spokesman, bees are a protected species. (After two days, the bees left.)

— In New York City in March, Adonis Gomez, 2, playing on the sofa in a third-floor apartment, bounced out the window but landed safely in the lap of Barbara Jones, 31, who was sitting in a wheelchair on the sidewalk. And a month earlier, in Brooklyn, Bishme Owens, 2, was thrown out an eighth-floor window by his grandmother (who has a history of mental illness) but was slowed by tree branches and landed in a flower bed so that his only injury was a broken arm.

— Golf Imitates Miniature Golf: In May at Beaver Brook Golf Course in Haydenville, Mass., Todd Obuchowski was credited with a hole-in-one on a par-3 hole after his tee shot went over the green and onto a highway, hit a passing Toyota driven by Nancy Bachand, ricocheted back to the green, and rolled into the cup. At least eight golfers witnessed the shot.

— Just Like in the Movies: In Aalesund, Norway, in May, Kristin Nalvik Loendal, 9, riding her bike down a steep hill and failing to stop at an intersection at the bottom, swerved into the path of an oncoming car and was knocked into the air. The driver of the car stopped to help the girl but couldn't find her. As he discovered several hours later, she had landed in the bed of a truck going in the opposite direction and sustained only bumps and bruises.

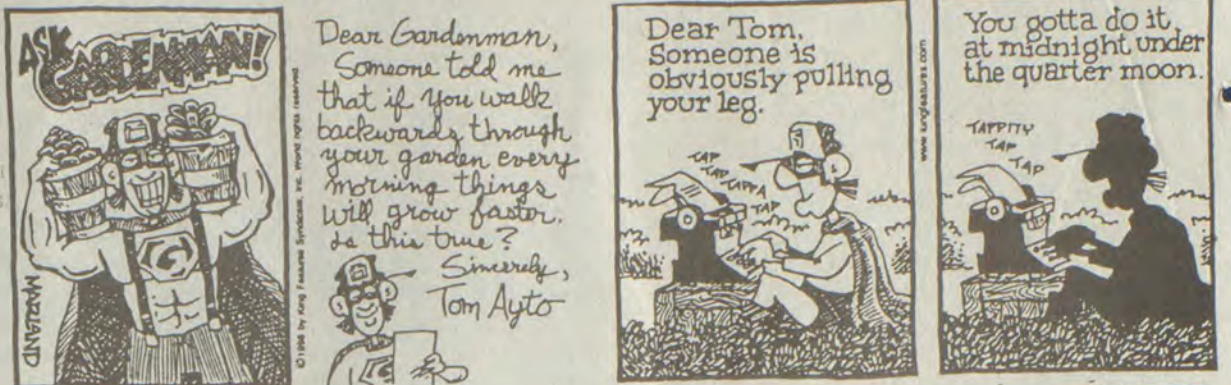
(See **Weird**, page five)

The Friday Comics

GEORGE by MARK SZORADY



R.F.D. by MIKE MARLAND



MAMA'S BOYZ by JERRY CRAFT



THE SPATS by JEFF PICKERING



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YOU WOULDN'T DARE! IT'S MY COMPUTERS THAT CONTROL THE ENTIRE REALM.

WITHOUT ME YOUR LIVES OF LUXURY WOULD BE OVER!

ANY HARDSHIP I BEAR TO BE RID OF YOU WILL BE WORTH IT! TAKE HIM AWAY!

IF NOT FOR YOU, MISS ARDEN, MY PEOPLE WOULD STILL BE ENSLAVED.

I AM ETERNALLY IN YOUR DEBT. ASK, AND IT SHALL BE GRANTED!

WHAT DO YOU SAY, FLASH? WE COULD USE A NEW SHIP.

AND MAYBE SOME NEW CLOTHES WHILE WE'RE AT IT.

I THINK THE NEW CLOTHES CAN WAIT AT LEAST FOR A LITTLE WHILE...

NEXT: NEW ADVENTURE!

Super Crossword

ACROSS	44 Most obese	holding office	starter	38 River in Belgium	ones
1 Cutting remark	46 Did a journalist's job	90 Artificial waterway	1 Pack animal	40 Green flogger	82 British noble
5 Theater souvenir?	50 Loafed	91 British prime minister	2 French farewell	41 Garment trimmer	84 Wash
9 Ironwood	51 Mortarboard	93 Relies	3 Judge's garb	42 Brainstorm	86 Rubber-yielding trees
13 Colorful Cincinnati team	52 Dry and withered	96 Judith Krantz output	4 Having a streaked, tawny coat	43 Expert's award in judo	88 Practice for the bout
17 Style of architecture	55 Type of ball or loaf	97 City on the Oka	5 "Weather" (1933 song)	44 Gambling game	90 Canning process
18 Yugoslav VIP	56 Cherry-red	99 Rajah's wife	6 Novices	45 Very, in France	92 Architect
19 Baby carriage	59 Fred Mertz's due	100 Porter who carried a tune?	7 Brain, in the Philippines	47 Kind of mandarin orange	94 "Arden" (Tennyson)
20 Typewriter type	61 Dye indigo	101 DDE's opponent	8 Plant used in folk medicine	48 Anagram of vile	95 Town in Pennsylvania
22 Pygmy antelope	62 D.C. lobbying org.	104 Dies —	9 Primate	49 Take out	96 Words to Nanette
23 Colorful beverage	63 Believer in evil spirits	106 Petty quarrel	10 Sour-tempered one	51 Joins firmly	98 Enjoys a comedy
25 Enjoyed the blue-plate special	65 Wander from the group	107 Hourglass fill	11 Soup server	53 Necessitates	100 New Jersey city
26 Colorful retailer	67 Rockne, of Notre Dame fame	108 So-so grade	12 Popular uprising, in France	56 Equatorial constellation	101 Turkish officials
28 Colorful murderer	69 Toward the center	111 U.S. sculptor	13 Scarlet tanagers	57 Emulate Michael Bolton	102 Potential energy
30 Old French coin	71 Evangelist McPherson	114 Yellowish-reddish plastid: Bot.	14 Nobelist Wiesel	58 Prevent, in law	103 Paris flower?
31 Loses brightness	72 Rosy	117 Gerontologist's topic	15 Monetary unit of Kuwait	60 Threefold	105 Heronlike bird
32 Rachel Carson subject	75 Certain tapestries	118 Graceful racer	16 Cubic meter	63 Dijon nobleman	107 Braga of films
34 Small reticule	77 "Norma —"	120 Main trunk artery	17 Clothes	64 Social prohibition	108 Cut up the turkey
35 Classic car	80 Arrow poison	121 Christmas visitor	21 Root of the taro	66 Arts degrees	109 One of the Lauders
36 Actress Sheedy	81 Ladder or mother starter	122 Queen of the gods	24 Bear, Dane or Lakes starter	68 Silver/sulfur alloy	110 State, in France
37 Available at once	83 Prince's "Rain"	123 Movement in ballet	27 Overlaid with gold leaf	69 Silver/sulfur alloy	112 Grafted, in heraldry
39 Make's a blunder	84 Spend them in Venice	124 Envy another's possessions	29 River to the Seine	70 Ridicule of Asia	113 Roll call reply
41 Expose to public scorn	85 Lobsters' "lungs"	125 Trevino and lacocca	33 Summer refreshers	72 Capital of Latvia	115 Trundle, as ore
	87 "You care not who — your back..."	126 Dam up, or check	36 Incite	73 Distinct part	116 Diving bird
	89 Those	127 Verve	37 Pillage or plunder	74 Legal document	119 Sweet potato
		128 Cap or pad		76 They assist RNS	
				78 Inland sea of Asia	
				79 Slippery	

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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions-forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

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| Butter knives | Ladle | Silver | Teaspoons |
| Fish knives | Salad forks | Skewers | Tongs |
| Forks | Salt spoons | Soup spoon | Utensils |
| Fruit knives | Servers | Stainless | |



HOCUS-FOCUS



FIND AT LEAST 6 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PANELS.

Differences: 1. Suspenders are different. 2. Shoe lace is missing. 3. Sign is lower. 4. Drop of water is missing. 5. Hand is showing. 6. Leaves are added.

Answers to Crossword Puzzle and Magic Maze can be found on page B5.

Big Sandy Briefs

The Numbers Game

Wednesday's Results	August 12, 1998
LOTTO KENTUCKY 02-03-15-19-21-35 Next Estimated Jackpot \$3.5 million	POWERBALL 02-10-33-42-45 (02) Next Estimated Jackpot \$30 million

Civil War veterans will be honored

In preparation for this year's annual Magoffin County Founder's Day Celebration, which will honor Civil War veterans, the Sons of the Confederate Veterans, Licking Station Camp #1793 met Tuesday to plan the celebration.

Prestonsburg Community College instructor and Civil War historian and author Robert Perry was the guest speaker at the meeting. Sons of the Confederates from Magoffin and Johnson counties honored William Riley Shepherd, a veteran confederate Civil War soldier, August 1, at Shepherd's gravesite in Magoffin County. — *The Salyersville Independent*

Dispute leads to shooting

A Magoffin County man was shot Sunday in an apparent property dispute and his neighbor has been charged in the shooting. Bobby L. Minix, 45, was reportedly injured by frag-

ments from a bullet that was fired into the building he was in at the time.

Minix reportedly had been involved in an argument with Gary Rice, 52, concerning adjoining property that the two owned.

Reportedly, Rice was warning Minix to stay away from his property. He then allegedly fired a rifle into the structure. — *The Salyersville Independent*



Sewer grant passes hurdle

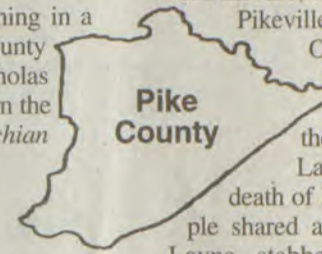
A \$500,000 federal grant for the extension of Salyersville sewer lines received final approval from the U.S. House of Representatives recently.

The grant will enable the city of Salyersville to make substantial upgrades to its current system and put into place line extensions that will serve approximately 240 homes in Stringtown, the Coal Branch Road area, the Burning Fork area, and parts of Route 7 to the Lakeville Road intersection. — *The Salyersville Independent*

Belfry principal named new Pike schools chief

The Pike County Board of Education Tuesday night approved a four-year \$85,000 annual salary for new superintendent Frank Welch.

Welch, 63, was appointed Monday evening in a special session, passing veteran Pike County educator Ronald Thompson and former Nicholas County superintendent Ceberl Gilbert to earn the spot as county schools chief. — *Appalachian News-Express*



Status of board members in doubt

The status of at least two of the Pike County School System's board members remains in doubt.

Board Chairman Alvin Newsome, vice-chairman W. Keith Hall and Shannon Justice are slated to face the Kentucky Board of Education next month to defend themselves against charges they "abdicated" their duties by allowing alleged abuses by ex-superintendent Reo Johns. — *Appalachian News-Express*

indictments against a Pikeville teen-ager charged with the brutal stabbing deaths of his mother and twin sister, and a man who allegedly stabbed his live-in girlfriend to death later that month.

Jurors sent the cases against Aaron Jason Justice, 16, of Pikeville, and Charles Franklin Layne Jr., 38, also of Pikeville to trial.

On June 16, Justice allegedly stabbed his mother and twin sister multiple times with a medium-sized pocketknife outside the family's mobile home at Island Creek. Layne is charged with the June 30 stabbing death of Micki Shawn Fronto at the home the couple shared at Justice Court in Pikeville. Police said Layne stabbed Fronto more than 30 times. — *Appalachian News-Express*

City, county telemarketing deal still in negotiations

The "last leg" of a joint effort between Pikeville and Pike County officials to recruit a Nebraska telemarketing firm to locate in downtown Pikeville is growing larger.

City and county officials have been in negotiations with Interactive Telemarketing Services for more than a year to entice the company to establish a call center in the old Watson's building on Main Street.

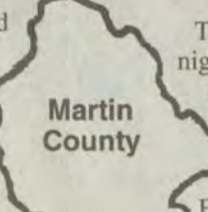
Telemarketing firms contract with other companies to make telephone calls. — *Appalachian News-Express*

Second Goble trial ends in hung jury

Both sides in a controversial rape and sex abuse trial left the courtroom in tears Saturday afternoon after a Johnson County jury told the judge that they could not reach a verdict.

Kelly Goble, 42, was accused of molesting his six-year-old stepdaughter.

Presiding Judge Stephen "Nick" Frazier ruled a mistrial because the jury was unable to reach a unanimous decision. — *The Martin County Sun*



Mini-Mart robbers leave trail of blood, police say

The Mini-Mart at Lovely was robbed Saturday night. Police said the thieves knocked out a window and made off with all the cigarettes in the store except for two brands, worth about \$400.

The business was formerly owned by Fred Chamberlain, who was shot and killed earlier this year at his home on Emily Creek. That case remains unsolved.

Entry was gained through a window beside the door. Police found blood on the glass, as well as the counter-tops in the store, and a trail of blood was found leading

tall. Police are still searching for a suspect in that case. — *The Big Sandy News*

Louisa man's ear bitten off during altercation

A Louisa man faces a charge of second-degree assault after he allegedly bit a chunk of another man's ear off during a fight at a convenience store on Thursday.

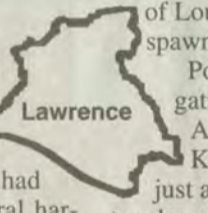
Police think the fight between Lonnie Ratliff, 21, of Louisa and David Kazee, 23, also of Louisa, was spawned by an incident of road rage.

Police said Ratliff claimed that Kazee was tailgating him and bumped his vehicle on Ky. 707. According to witnesses, Ratliff caught up with Kazee at a BP station off U.S. 23 in Burnaugh, just across the Lawrence/Boyd county line, and the two began arguing in the store.

The fight moved outside to the parking lot, where Ratliff allegedly bit a "large portion" of Kazee's ear off, and bit him a second time in the side.

After a lengthy search, police found the missing piece of ear.

Kazee went to King's Daughters' Medical Center where he was treated and released. Ratliff faces assault charges in the case. — *The Big Sandy News*



Sheriff's office busts indoor pot operation

Marijuana eradication season continued in Lawrence County Friday as an anonymous tip and a trail of marijuana leaves led members of the sheriff's department to their second bust in less than two weeks.

Friday morning, the sheriff's office received a call about an indoor marijuana growing operation at a home near Irish Creek, Lawrence County Sheriff Bobby Jo Workman said.

When officers arrived at the home, they found marijuana leaves on the porch, leading into the house and into a cellar with a locked door.

Workman said the home had indoor growing lights in both the cellar and attic, and had grown a total of around 40 plants. Also, several harvested buds from marijuana plants were found in a refrigerator in the home and several growing lights were confiscated.

On July 27, the sheriff's department confiscated what is believed to be the second-largest marijuana haul ever in the county when they took 2,029 plants from the woods off Racoon Road near Blaine. Some of the plants found there had grown to over 12 feet

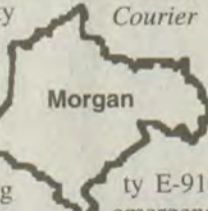
ARH employees walk away from plane crash

Morgan County ARH Hospital administrator Dennis Chaney of West Liberty and pilot David Lang of Lexington escaped serious injury Wednesday afternoon of last week when their plane ran off the end of the runway while attempting to land at the West Liberty Airport.

While still airborne, the single-engine Piper Archer struck the front corner of the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Jon Paul Turner, flipped over, struck a utility pole, clipped the top out of a tree, and landed on its top after plowing through a playhouse in the Turner's back yard.

Both men walked away from the crash. Chaney sustained cuts on his head and leg and was hospitalized overnight for observation. Lang had only a cut on his finger.

No one inside the residence was hurt. — *The Licking Valley Courier*



City, county to switch to E-911 next Monday

On the advice of its newly-organized county E-911 Advisory Board, when West Liberty's 911 emergency dispatching system switches from basic 911 to its new Enhanced 911 system August 17, the entire county will be switched to the new system at the same time. — *The Licking Valley Courier*

Amphitheater under construction

Work has begun on a covered bandstand/stage for an amphitheater to be located inside the southwest corner of the dike at Old Mill Park. It is the first of several additions planned at the park by the West Liberty Tourism Commission. — *The Licking Valley Courier*

Rogers announces \$293,436 grant for water line in Knott

U.S. Rep. Harold "Hal" Rogers announced last week that the Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) has awarded a \$293,436 grant to the City of Hindman. The money will help the city build water line extensions to serve the Bear Branch and Ball Branch areas of Knott County.

The grant will help support the construction of 3.4 miles of water line extensions. The City of Hindman will build two miles of water line to serve 54 homes in the Ball Branch area. The Bear Branch extension will consist of 1.4 miles of water line to serve 55 homes. — *The Troublesome Creek Times*



Elliott buys land, hopes for prison

Elliott County Fiscal Court paid \$250,000 for a 56.4 acre farm, anticipating that it will be the site of a new state prison.

Coal severance tax money was used to pay Mickey and Lou Simmons for the property sandwiched bet-

ween Ky. 7 and the Little Sandy River near Newfoundland.

The state currently is evaluating several locations to build one or two medium-security correctional centers with 1,790 beds.

The General Assembly allocated \$3 million to begin planning new prison space and for feasibility studies in Elliott and Knott counties.

"But it's not limited to those two counties," said Chris Kellogg, state Finance and Administration Cabinet spokeswoman. It could take several months before any decisions are announced, she said.

Three state cabinet secretaries and the commissioner of the state prison system visited Knott County and toured the reclaimed McCoy Coal site as a potential industrial and prison site last week. — *The Troublesome Creek Times*

New facility complete at Cordia

A new \$4.2 million Cordia School was officially opened on August 7. The new school will accommodate up to 400 students (pre-school through 12th grade). — *The Troublesome Creek Times*

Wise men talk because they have something to say; fools, because they have to say something. — *Plato*

Grand jury indicts murder suspects

A Pike County grand jury has returned capital murder

Republican PVA candidate dies

The Republican nominee for Property Valuation Administrator (PVA) died over the weekend.

Susan Gay of Nippa was pronounced dead Sunday evening after being transported to Paul P. Hall Regional Medical Center. An autopsy Monday in Frankfort confirmed Gay suffered a massive heart attack.

In order to declare a vacancy for the nomination of the office of PVA, the Secretary of State's office must receive notice from either the Republican Party chairman or a registered voter that the nomination is vacant. — *The Paintsville Herald*



Schools extend service

A new program to help students succeed was adopted by the Paintsville School Board Monday night.

The program, called Extended School Service, will assist students who do not complete their work or earn a failing grade in any subject. The program is held before and after school. — *The Paintsville Herald*

Democrat wonders whom he'll face

There's still been no word from the campaign camp of

incumbent Jailer Thurman Tackett on his decision to either stay in or pull out of the November general election and that is creating some concern for the race's Democratic nominee.

Tom Matijasic, treasurer for Democrat nominee B. Joe Hill, said Thursday that Tackett's indecision is causing some campaign difficulties for Hill.

Tackett confirmed last month that he was considering pulling out of the jailer's race, indicating at that time that he would announce a decision "soon." He has made no public announcement since, and has not returned phone calls seeking information of his decision.

If he decides to withdraw, he must do so officially before Thursday, October 22 if the Republican Party is to appoint a replacement candidate. — *The Paintsville Herald*

Old-fashioned political rally set

Local, state and national candidates have been invited to Johnson County's Mountain HomePlace later this month for what has been touted as an "old-fashioned" political rally.

The bipartisan event, scheduled for August 29, is being coordinated by a group called Mountain Rally Committee. Special guests include Supreme Court Justice Janet Stumbo. — *The Paintsville Herald*

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95 FORD ASPIRE.....	5400	3980 / 69 mo.
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97 HYUNDAI ELANTRA.....	9325	5980 / 109 mo.
96 GEO METRO.....	6725	5980 / 109 mo.
95 DODGE SPIRIT.....	8475	5980 / 109 mo.
96 CHEVY CORSICA.....	7500	6480 / 119 mo.
95 CHEVY CORSICA.....	8000	6980 / 129 mo.
93 OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME.....	SAVES\$S	6980 / 129 mo.
97 DODGE NEON.....	SAVES\$S	6980 / 129 mo.
96 CHEVY BERETTA.....	SAVES\$S	6980 / 129 mo.
95 OLDS ACHEVA.....	SAVES\$S	6980 / 129 mo.
97 FORD ESCORT LX WAGON.....	10200	7980 / 149 mo.
96 CHEVY CAVALIER.....	SAVES\$S	7980 / 149 mo.

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97 MERCURY TRACER GS...14,000 miles.....	9425	8980 / 169 mo.
98 DODGE NEON...14,000 miles.....	SAVES\$S	8980 / 169 mo.
96 CHEVY LUMINA.....	11200	8980 / 169 mo.
97 FORD TAURUS GL.....	13520	8980 / 169 mo.
97 CHEVY CAVALIER.....	SAVES\$S	9980 / 189 mo.
93 CHEVY LUMINA EUROSPORT 234.....	9575	9980 / 189 mo.
96 FORD PROBE SE...23,000 miles.....	12025	9980 / 189 mo.
96 BUICK REGAL.....	SAVES\$S	9980 / 189 mo.
96 BUICK CENTURY...V6, all power.....	SAVES\$S	9980 / 189 mo.
97 BUICK SKYLARK.....	SAVES\$S	9980 / 189 mo.
96 FORD TAURUS GL WAGON.....	12100	9980 / 189 mo.
96 CHEVY LUMINA...25,000 miles.....	SAVES\$S	9980 / 189 mo.
97 PLYMOUTH BREEZE.....	SAVES\$S	9980 / 189 mo.

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92 TOYOTA COROLLA...Auto, air.....	6175	2980
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93 MAZDA MIATA...59,000 miles.....	10150	5980
94 MAZDA 626.....	10275	8980
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95 MAZDA MIATA MX-5...Red, 25,000 miles.....	13625	10980
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90 BUICK CENTURY...V6.....	SAVES\$S	2980
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92 PONTIAC SUNBIRD CONVERTIBLE.....	SAVES\$S	5980
Auto, air.....	SAVES\$S	5980
91 FORD TAURUS SHO.....	7075	5980
59,000 miles, leather, sunroof.....	SAVES\$S	6980
95 GEO PRIZM.....	SAVES\$S	6980
95 CHEVY CAVALIER.....	SAVES\$S	6980
94 OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME.....	7300	5980
59,000 miles.....	SAVES\$S	7980
95 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX SE.....	SAVES\$S	8980
95 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE SE.....	12700	9980
95 EAGLE TALON ESI.....	SAVES\$S	9980
95 FORD TAURUS SHO.....	SAVES\$S	9980
Leather, moonroof.....	13100	10980
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94 GEO TRACKER...Automatic.....	SAVES\$S	5980
95 GEO TRACKER 4x4.....	SAVES\$S	6980
96 GEO TRACKER.....	SAVES\$S	6980 / 129 mo.
97 GEO TRACKER...20,000 miles.....	SAVES\$S	7980 / 149 mo.
94 FORD F150 XL.....	SAVES\$S	7980
91 DODGE D150 PU.....	SAVES\$S	7980
Auto, air, 19,000 miles.....	SAVES\$S	7980
95 FORD AEROSTAR.....	11575	7980
97 SUZUKI X90...33 miles.....	SAVES\$S	8980 / 169 mo.
95 PONTIAC TRANSPORT...3800 V6.....	11925	8980
94 JEEP CHEROKEE SE 4x4...4 door.....	SAVES\$S	9980
93 DODGE W150 4x4.....	SAVES\$S	9980
95 FORD WINDSTAR GL.....	13025	9980
96 SUZUKI X90 4x4.....	SAVES\$S	9980
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97 CHEVY S10 PU...7,000 miles.....	10800	9980 / 189 mo.
95 NISSAN HARDBODY EXTENDED CAB.....	SAVES\$S	9980
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95 NISSAN PU XE 4x4.....	13700	9980
96 CHEVY LUMINA APV.....	14400	9980 / 189 mo.
95 CHEVY S10 LS X-CAB...37,000 miles.....	SAVES\$S	9980
38,000 miles.....	SAVES\$S	11980
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95 NISSAN PATHFINDER.....	16300	12980
95 JEEP CHEROKEE SPORT 4x4...4 door.....	SAVES\$S	12980
95 NISSAN PATHFINDER 4x4.....	SAVES\$S	14980
19,000 miles.....	SAVES\$S	15980
95 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE LAREDO 4x4.....	17800	15980
96 CHEVY S10 BLAZER 4x4...4 door.....	20375	15980
96 CHEVY S10 BLAZER LT THAOE 4x4.....	SAVES\$S	17980
Leather.....	21300	17980
97 NISSAN PATHFINDER 4x4.....	23125	17980
95 NISSAN PATHFINDER SE 4x4.....	SAVES\$S	19980
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Submit Resumé To:
Floyd County Soil Conservation District
214 South Central Ave., Suite 102
Prestonsburg, KY 41653

Do you love local sports?

The Floyd County Times is looking for community sports correspondents to cover area games and events. Ideal candidates will be dependable, fair-minded, knowledgeable in sports and able to take good photographs. Good writing skills are a must and typing a plus.

Correspondents should enjoy talking to people and be able to accurately organize facts to write clear and interesting stories on deadline. Most events will be in the evenings and on weekends. Correspondents will be paid a fee and receive credit in the newspaper for their stories.

If you love local sports and want to support our local youth, call Times Sports Editor Ed Taylor at 886-8506.

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IMMEDIATE OPENINGS for REGISTERED NURSES

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FOR RENT at McDowell. One bedroom, furnished apartment. \$225 plus utilities and security deposit. 377-6881. HUD accepted.

DUPLEX FOR RENT: 2 BR, total electric, central heat/air. Washer and dryer hookup. Extra nice on new US 23, 1 mile from Prestonsburg. 886-9007.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT: 2 BR, stove and refrigerator. Also, one bedroom furnished or unfurnished. 886-8991.

R & L APARTMENTS: Remodeled Apartments for Rent. One and two room apartments available at 1155 S. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY. For information call: 886-2797.

NEW 2 BR and bath apartment for rent: Located at Little Mud. Stove and refrigerator. Call after 4 pm. 478-9236.

FOR RENT: One bedroom efficiency apartment. Nice, clean, well maintained. Furnished, electric, heat, air. \$275/month, deposit required. 886-6208.

FOR RENT: New, 2 BR apartment, in quite, safe, secluded area. Washer/dryer hookup, kitchen appliances included, inground pool, 16 miles south of Prestonsburg. Call (day)478-8000 or (day or night)437-7661

FOR RENT: 1 BR efficiency - 2 BR townhouse. Located at Harold. Call 478-9593.

Brand New!! 1 and 2 Bedroom Apartments Available **PARK PLACE APARTMENTS** Monday - Friday 9:00 - 4:00 (606) 886-0039 Rents Range From \$185-\$255/monthly Section 8 Certificate Welcome.

TWO BEDROOM APARTMENT: All electric. Nice place to live. Rt. 3, Auxier Heights, near Thunder Ridge. Call 886-3552 after 5PM.

NICE TWO BEDROOM DUPLEX, one bath. Stove, refrigerator, central air/heat, W/D hookup. Good location at US. 23 and Rt. 80. \$380/month plus utilities and \$380 deposit. One year lease. 886-6551 or 237-4758.

Houses For Rent

FOR RENT: 2 BR home near Martin. Cheap utilities, deposit and references required. Call after 874-2055 after 5:00pm.

THREE BEDROOM house for rent at Auxier. Will honor HUD. 886-3799.

FOR RENT: 4 BR, 1 1/2 Bath, House in great location. Located on Rt. 80 close to school and hospital. Beautiful, flowering yard with mature fruit trees and deck in back. Family room, living room, dining room, large laundry, and walk-in pantry. Rent is \$500/month plus \$500 security deposit. No indoor pets allowed. Call 606-886-3178 between 10 am - 6 pm or 606-285-9178.

3 BR, BRICK. 5 Mi. from Prestonsburg. \$450/month plus deposit. 874-8967.

2 BR HOUSE FOR RENT: Real nice and clean, on Hughes St., Prestonsburg. Call 886-2077.

FOR RENT: 2 BR House, 1 BR furnished house, and a 5 BR house. Call 886-2880.

Mobile Home Lots For Rent

TRAILER LOTS FOR RENT: G & B Trailer Court, David. 886-6186.

Mobile Homes For Rent

FOR RENT: Three bedroom trailer. Large yard. References required. HUD approved. Located at Endicott. Call 874-2537.

FOR RENT: Mobile home, 10x50, 1 BR, 1 bath. Call after 5 p.m., Ivel, Ky. 874-2832

MOBILE HOME FOR RENT at Banner. Water, trash, and TV bills paid. 874-0267 or 874-8163.

TWO BEDROOM Trailer for rent. For more information call 478-9397 or 478-3623.

2 BR, trailer for rent. Partly furnished. Located 2 miles from Prestonsburg. \$300/month plus \$150 deposit. 874-9488.

FOR LEASE: Private, landscaped lot in good neighborhood. Less than 1/4 mile from Allen intersection towards Pikeville. \$300/month plus utilities and security deposit required. Call after 3 pm 874-2729.

3 BR, 2 BA, all electric. Central A/C, washer, dryer, refrigerator, and stove. \$400/month plus \$200 deposit. 886-8286 or 886-6186.

FOR RENT: 2 BR Trailer. Partially furnished, one mile above Wayland on Rt. 7. Deposit and references required. 874-2194.

3 BR TRAILER FOR RENT at Martin. 285-5075.

FOR RENT: Nice, 2 BR, Trailer near Highland Hospital at Jenny Wiley entrance. Central heat/air, washer/dryer hookups. \$300/month, \$200 deposit. Call 789-5973.

2 BR TRAILER FOR RENT on Salt Lick. Call 358-4524.

FOR RENT: 1995 model, mobile home. Located on Cow Creek, excellent condition. \$375/month. Call J. Davis 874-2802.

FOR RENT: 2-bedroom, Total electric. Stove and refrigerator, on US. 23, between Prestonsburg and Paintsville. Also mobile home 3 miles from Prestonsburg. Call 886-9007.

EMPLOYMENT

Business Opportunity

\$1000'S POSSIBLE TYPING Part Time. At Home. Toll Free (1) 800-218-9000 Ext. T-6778 for listings.

COUNTRY RESTAURANT and Bar in Lexington. Walk out, all equipment and licenses. Attractive lease. 606-293-1589.

Employment Available

UNEMPLOYED VETERANS Free Help, Job Training (CDL or any short-course), First Month Rent, Deposits. Call 886-3582 (Toll-Free) 1-877-373-3533 **Volunteers of America**

SELL AVON: Free samples with star-up kit, and free gift. Call Nancy at 886-2082.

SEEKING: D/9, D/10, D/11 Dozer Operators. Experience required. Send Resume to: Addington Mining, Inc., PO Box 251, Ivel, KY 41642.

BICYCLE MECHANIC NEEDED: Service, repair, and assembly. Part-time, 20 hours per week. Call Don Fields at 886-8604.

AEROBIC INSTRUCTOR NEEDED: 7-10 classes weekly plus weight room instruction. Part time 20+ hours per week. Call Don Fields at 886-8604.

FAST GROWING RENTAL COMPANY looking for manager trainees. Must be energetic and motivated with desire to succeed. Competitive salary and benefits. Apply in person at A-Plus Rent-to-Own in Pikeville.

LEGAL SECRETARY: Experience preferred. Computer experience a plus. Send resume to: Attention: Jen Kendrick, PO Box 391, Prestonsburg, KY, 41653. Don't forget to mention Job Reference # 693.

POSITION AVAILABLE FOR CHILDREN'S DAY CARE CENTER DIRECTOR

Wonder Years Day Care Program located in Prestonsburg, is seeking qualified applicants for the position of Director. Successful candidates must be a certified day care center operator, have completed training requirements, have skills to effectively provide administrative, fiscal, and programmatic management of a day care program. Must be able to work collaboratively with a Board of Directors, must be able to work well with staff, parents, and children, must be of good moral character, pass a criminal records check, have a professional and nurturing manner, and love children. May send resume and verification of training to Eileen Recktenwald, 150 S. Front St., Prestonsburg, KY. Applications will be accepted until Aug. 14, 1998.

Wanted

ESTABLISHED CONSULTING ENGINEERING Firm relocate, to Pikeville area, looking to fill the following positions: transitman, rodmn, bookkeeper, and receptionist. Exceptional salaries and benefits for qualified individuals. Send resume to:

Environmental Design Consultants, Inc. 7593 Upper Johns Creek Rd. Phelps, Ky 41553 (606) 835-0375

TECHNICAL ADMINISTRATOR: Efficient, knowledgeable person needed for local educational institution. Responsibilities include assistance with web-based curriculum, technical support related to computers and video tape equipment, and training faculty and staff. Knowledge of and experience in Appalachian communities and good communication skills a must. A minimum of an Associate Degree in computer science, media studies, or a related field is required. Previous experience and proficiency with a wide array of software applications preferred. Qualified applicants should send a resume and salary requirements to: PO Box 1111-F, Pikeville, KY 41501.

Seeking Employment

CARPENTRY WORK: All types. New homes, remodeling, have references. Also, cleaning. 587-2053 leave message.

PETS AND SUPPLIES

FOR SALE: Registered Llewelin Setter. Pups are 9 weeks old, excellent blood line, excellent grouse and quail, bird dogs. \$200. Call 606-886-9204 or 886-8708.

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POSITION AVAILABLE for receptionist/secretary, medical/dental office. Experience preferred. Part-time move to full-time. Send resume to: Floyd County Times, ATTN.: Jen Kendrick, PO Box 391, Prestonsburg, KY 41653, Reference Job # 3161.

HELP WANTED: Sales rep. for heavy equipment dealership in Eastern, KY. (3) years field experience required. Send resume to: Personnel, PO. Box 484, Allen, KY 41601.

AVON, FREE samples and products with start-up kit. Enjoy the benefits of having a local Sales Manager. Call 1-800-763-9796. Independent Sales Representative.

AVON: ability to earn \$100's. Simple, fun, product line almost sells itself. Flexible hours, repeat customers. Independent sales representative. 1-800-831-1793.

Help Wanted

SAM-ANTONIOS is now hiring friendly faces for full and part-time waiters and waitresses. No experience necessary. Apply in person at the Prestonsburg location. Mon. - Fri., 9am-4pm.

PRESSERS needed for dry cleaners. 432-5415.

PERSON WITH WOOD WORKING equipment wanted to do work part-time as needed for a wood refinishing shop. Call 606-349-2700 Mon.-Fri. 9-5.

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RUMMAGE AND YARD SALES

MOVING SALE: Sat. Aug. 15 (only) 9-3. Cliff Road, 5th drive on right past Tom Moore Freewill Baptist Church. Watch for signs. Misc. items.

GARAGE SALE: August 13th and 14th, 9am-4pm. Slick Rock Fork, Cow Creek, Rt. 194. Lots of great items. Rain or shine. Follow signs.

YARD SALE: Prestonsburg, across from Post Office. Sat. Aug. 15, 9-2.

SERVICES

Carpentry Work

CARPENTRY WORK, ALL TYPES: New homes from ground up; remodeling or additions; all finish work; drywall; painting (interior, exterior and trim work); all types concrete work, driveways, sidewalks, foundations, etc.; any size pole buildings; garages; decks. Over 20 years experience. Robie Johnson, Jr., call anytime, 886-8896.

REMODELING SPECIALIST:

Carpentry, electrical, masonry, vinyl, and stucco. Charles Scott 889-0798.

Contractors

BACKHOE AND DOZER FOR HIRE: Honest, dependable - 25 years experience. Call 874-8049

Dozer Work

DOZER AND LOADER WORK Also, will haul sand and gravel. Call 886-6632 or 886-8962

Excavation Services

DOZER, EXCAVATOR, DUMP TRUCK, AND BACK HOE WORK: Small jobs OK. Hourly rates. 478-1391 days. 874-0391 evenings.

Heating & Cooling

BLANTON HEATING AND AIR CONDITIONING SALES AND SERVICE. Financing available. 874-2308. MO 2405

Home Repair

WILL DO INTERIOR/EXTERIOR PAINTING AND MINOR HOUSE REPAIR. Fifteen years experience. References on request. Call Chris Shepherd at 886-9978.

ADVERTISE IN THE CLASSIFIEDS AND SEE RESULTS!

Mobile Home Movers

NEED YOUR MOBILE HOME MOVED? Call Crum's Moving Service at 886-6665. Insured or permits. Free estimates. References furnished. Double Wides, long distance moving, honest, dependable, and reliable service.

MOBILE HOME MOVING AND DOZER WORK Insured and permitted. Call Bill Hylton: 432-5678

NEED YOUR MOBILE HOME MOVED? Call DMT Transport Moving Service 606-874-9838 Insured and Permitted. Free estimates and references furnished.

MIKE STANLEY Mobile home set ups. Double wides and single wides. Re-leveling, skirting, siding. Call 433-1475.

Painting

BILL'S QUALITY PAINTING: Interior/exterior and wall papering. 15 yrs. experience. Have local references. Free estimates. 285-0761.

Photographers

WILLIAM'S CREATIVE PHOTOGRAPHY: Weddings, Reunions, Anniversaries, Seniors. PO Box 75, Allen, KY 41601. Phone 606-874-9177. William C. Porter, Photographer. Studio Hours by Appointment. E-Mail: willport@east-ky.net.

Professional

TURNED DOWN FOR SOC. SECURITY/SSI? Free consultation. Call 1-888-582-3345. No fee unless we win your case.

Plumbing

PORTER PLUMBING COMPANY Allen, KY Commercial, residential and service work. Licensed and insured. Rotor roter service, drain cleaning, etc. CALL US FIRST! 874-2794.

Roofing & Construction

FOR ALL YOUR BUILDING NEEDS! New homes, remodeling, roofing, patios, block, concrete or siding. Have 30 years experience. Call Spears Construction, Romey Spears (606)874-2688.

Services

MULLINS HOME BUILDING, REMODELING AND STORAGE BUILD-

INGS: Mike Mullins. Roofing, guttering, plumbing, storm windows, decks, painting and remodeling, work shingles, concrete blocks. All work guaranteed. Phone 606-377-2101.

BANKRUPTCY, DIVORCE, AND CRIMINAL LAW: Need a lawyer? For a free consultation call Billie J. Davenport, Attorney at Law 606-886-8830 or KY Toll Free 1-800-386-8830. THIS IS AN ADVERTISEMENT.

Taxi Service

MARTIN CITY CAB Need a ride? Can't drive? We have fast service, friendly drivers serving all Floyd County and surrounding areas. Call 285-0320. Medicaid accepted. Judy Barnett, owner.

EAST KENTUCKY TRANSPORTATION INC. Taxi Service. Friendly and courteous service, reasonable rates. Medicaid accepted. Wheelwright: 452-2402 Allen: 874-8546.

ALLEN CITY CAB 874-0579 Medicaid/Medicare Approved Now accepting Discover Card. Call anytime to go anywhere. Allen City Cab. 874-0579.

Tree Service

TREE CUTTING AND TRIMMING, Topping, brush removal, land clearing, etc. Large or small jobs. References furnished. Free estimates. Call 874-9271.

TREE TRIMMING of any kind. Yard work, hill side cleaning, and light hauling. Call 886-8350.

LOST AND FOUND

Lost

DIAMOND WEDDING BAND: Lost at Jenny Wiley Theater, possibly in the upper parking lot, Monday night. Reward offered. Any information call 886-6119.

PERSONAL

ATTENTION NEVER BE LONELY AGAIN! Call 1-900-680-1120 Ext. 7428 \$2.99 Per min. Must be 18. Serv-U (619)645-8434.

LIVE PSYCHIC TAROT! Love, Money, know your future Talk One-On-One Now!! 1-900-420-1155 Ext. 4240 \$3.99 Per min. Must be 18. Serv-U (619)645-8434

MISC.

Miscellaneous

VISIT THE LARGEST PANELING CENTER in Eastern Kentucky at

Goble Lumber. Over 80 different prefinished panels in stock and as low as \$4.95 per panel. Call Goble Lumber, 874-9281.

Free

Free Cash Grants! College. Scholarships. Business. Medical bills. Never Repay. Toll Free 1-800-218-9000 Ext. G-6778.

AVOID BANKRUPTCY! Free debt consolidation application with services. Fast help, we care about you! 1-800-517-3406.

FREE PALETTES: Can be picked up behind The Floyd County Times.

Legals

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093 notice is hereby given that Buck Coal, Inc., 544 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653 (606-886-2330) intends to apply for Phase III Bond Release on Permit No. 836-5182 which was last issued on March 23, 1992. The permit covers an area of approximately 165.7 acres and is located approximately 3.0 miles east of East McDowell in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 2.0 miles southwest of KY 979's junction with the Hamilton Branch Road. The Latitude is 37°26'36" and the Longitude is 82°41'15", and is located on the McDowell 7 1/2 minute USGS quadrangle map.

The performance bond (Surety) currently in affect for the operation is \$7,600.00. 100% of the original surety bond of \$87,000.00 is included in this request for release.

Reclamation work thus far performed includes: backfilling and grading, sampling and testing, liming, fertilizing, seeding and mulching, and was completed in winter 1990. Results thus far achieved include: establishment of vegetation and the post mining land use in accordance with the approved post mining land use plan.

Written comments, objections, and request for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by September 28, 1998.

A hearing date for this bond release request has been set for September 29, 1998 at 1:00 p.m., at the Department for Surface Mining and Enforcement's Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by September 28, 1998.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Jim C. Hammer Co. HC 61, Box 106, Salyersville, Kentucky 41465 has filed an application with the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet to construct an earthen fill in the 100 year floodplain. The site is located on Bull Creek, approximately 1.2 miles southwest of the intersection of Route 3 and Route 1428. The latitude is 37°39'08" North, the longitude is 82°44'20" East. Any comments or objections concerning this application shall be directed to: Kentucky Division of Water, Water Resources Branch, 18 Reilly Road, Frankfort Office Park, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. Phone: (502) 564-3410.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Buck Coal, Inc., 544 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 has applied for a Phase III Bond Release on increments no. 3,6,7 and 8 of permit number 836-0206 which was last issued on 1/8/93. The application covers an area of approximately 89.93 acres located 0.95 mile northwest of Grethel in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.4 mile west from KY 979's junction with Parsons Branch and along Parsons Branch. The latitude is 37°30'07". The longitude is 82°40'06".

The bonds now in effect for increment #3, #6, #7 and #8 are surety no's 14-32-60 for \$13,800, 14-32-61 for \$13,800, 14-32-62 for \$10,800 and 14-32-63 for \$16,400, respectively. This includes 100% release of the original bond amounts for these increments.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, grading and seeding and completion of 5 year liability period.

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proposed operation will disturb 14.58 surface acres and underlie 588.14 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary will be 602.72 acres.

The facility is approximately 0.5 mile northeast from KY 1101's junction with KY 122 and located .1 mile east of Left Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37°29'18" and the longitude is 82°45'25".

The proposed facility is located on the Wayland and McDowell USGS 7.5 minute quadrangle map. The surface area is owned by Harry and Reba Martin. The permit will underlie land owned by Harry and Reba Martin, Reba Martin, H.D. Martin, Clinnon Martin, Pete Butler, and Robert Martin.

The operation will affect an area within 100 ft. of a public road located in Stumbo Hollow. The operation will not involve relocation or closure of the public road.

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, KY 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, KY 40601.

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Huntington District, by this notice, advises the public that the Draft Environmental Assessment (DEA) for the Levisa Fork Basin Flood Warning System is complete and available for public review. The project is located in Johnson, Floyd, and Pike Counties, Kentucky, and in Buchanan and Dickenson Counties, Virginia. A Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) is anticipated for the proposed flood warning system.

In compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and 40 CFR 1501.4, the DEA and draft FONSI must be available to the public in the affected area for thirty (30) days for review and comment. Final determination regarding the need for additional NEPA documentation will be made after the public review period, which begins on or about July 31, 1998. Copies of the documents may be viewed at the following locations.

- Johnson County Public Library
444 Main Street
Paintsville, Kentucky
- Floyd County Public Library
53 North Arnold Avenue
Prestonsburg, Kentucky
- Pike County Public Library
343 Main Street
Pikeville, Kentucky
- Buchanan County Public Library
Poetown Road
Grundy, Virginia
- Dickenson County Public Library
Chase Street
Clintwood, Virginia

Copies of the DEA and draft FONSI may be obtained by contacting the Huntington District Office of the Corps of Engineers at 304-529-5712. comments pertaining to the documents should be directed by letter to:

A. Benjamin Borda, Chief
Environmental Analysis Branch Planning Division
Huntington District Corps of Engineers
502 8th Street
Huntington, West Virginia 25701-2070

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Floyd County Schools 1998-2000 Consolidation Plan and Funding Application will be on view to the public August 17 through August 28, 1998, at the Floyd County School's Central Office in Prestonsburg. Please contact Susan Compton for further information at 886-2354, ext. #507.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, on behalf of the Kentucky Economic Development Finance Authority (the "Authority"), will conduct a public hearing at 10:00 a.m., E.D.T., on August 27, 1998 in the Conference Room, 24th Floor, Capital Plaza Tower, 500 Mero Street, Frankfort, Kentucky, regarding the proposed issuance by the Authority of its hospital refunding and revenue bonds in the maximum aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$16,000,000 and its taxable hospital refunding and revenue bonds in the maximum aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$3,000,000 and the loan of the proceeds thereof to Consolidated Health Systems, Inc. and its subsidiary, Highlands Hospital Corporation d/b/a Highlands Regional Medical Center (the "Hospital"), a Kentucky nonprofit corporation, for the purpose of (i) refunding the outstanding portion of those certain County of Floyd, Kentucky, Hospital Refunding Revenue Bonds (FHA Insured Mortgage Loan - Highlands Hospital Corporation Project), Series 1991, dated February 1, 1991, issued in the original principal amount of \$10,475,000 the proceeds of which were used to refinance those certain Kentucky Development Finance Authority, Hospital Revenue Bonds (FHA Insured Mortgage Loan - Highlands Hospital Corporation Project), Series 1983, dated February 1, 1983, issued in the original principal amount of \$11,130,000 the proceeds of which were used to construct and equip the Hospital located on U.S. Route 23 on a 10 acre tract of land near the city limits of Prestonsburg, Kentucky; (ii) refunding those certain taxable Medical Building Funding Corporation IV, flexible Term Notes, Series 1993, dated December 7, 1993, issued in the original principal amount of \$8,000,000 the proceeds of which were used to construct and equip a 68,500 square foot medical office building on the campus of the Hospital, (iii) financing the acquisition and installation of new hospital, medical and administrative equipment (e.g. computers and computer related properties), in furtherance of the Hospital's business of operating health care and related facilities and otherwise promoting the general health of the community, and (iv) paying a portion of the costs of issuance of the bonds.

The proposed bonds will not constitute an indebtedness of the Authority within the meaning of the Constitution and laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky and will not be payable from any funds raised by taxation but will be payable solely from the loan repayments to be made by or on behalf of the Hospital.

Interested persons who wish to express their views either orally or in writing concerning the proposed issue of bonds or the location and nature of the facilities to be financed thereby will be given the opportunity to do so at the above stated time and place.

Sealed bids will be received by the Department of Highways in the Division of Contract Procurement and/or the Auditorium located on the 1st floor of the State Office Building, Frankfort, Kentucky, until 10:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time on the 28th day of August, 1998 at which time bids will be publicly opened and read for the improvement of:

Floyd County, CBGR 0000062
Asphalt Surface on Various Roads.

Bid proposals for all projects will be available until 9:00 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, Friday August 28, 1998, at the Division of Contract Procurement. Bid proposals for all projects will be available at a cost of \$10 each and remittance payable to the State Treasurer of Kentucky must accompany request for proposals (Non-Refundable). Bid Proposals are issued only to prequalified contractors.

Specimen proposals for all projects will be available to all interested parties at a cost of \$10 each (Non-Refundable). Specimen proposals cannot be used for bidding.

Additional information concerning the project may be obtained, and any other prior inquiry or comment concerning the project may be made by contacting the undersigned at 24th Floor, Capital Plaza Tower, 500 Mero Street, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, telephone (502) 564-4554.

David W. Bratcher
Principal Assistant
Department of Financial Incentives
Cabinet for Economic Development
Commonwealth of Kentucky

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY TRANSPORTATION CABINET DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

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LEGAL NOTICE

I have been appointed by the Circuit Court Clerk of Floyd County, Kentucky in Civil Action No. 98-CI-0455, now pending in Floyd County Court, Division No. II, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, styled:

Rosemary Compton and Carl Compton, her husband; Mitch H. Thomas; Glen W. Stumbo; Ruth M. Musselman; Sue Jane Beazley and Richard Beazley, her husband; William L. Stumbo and Joan Stumbo, his wife; and Howard Stumbo, Plaintiffs

vs.
Freida Mullins Akers; Wyatt Stumbo and Cheryl Stumbo, his wife; Linda Alexander and Terry Alexander, her husband; and unknown heirs of Ruby West and Carl West; Clyde Stapleton and Francis Stapleton, his wife; Anna J. Stefan and unknown spouse; Marsha Farguharson and David Farguharson, her husband; William P. Thomas and Patricia Thomas, his wife; Cheryl Andees and Unknown Spouse; James A. Stumbo and Unknown Spouse; Sharon Rose Stumbo and Unknown Spouse, Defendants.

The nature of this action is one to establish the indivisibility of a tract of property, sale of the property, and distribute the proceeds from the sale to any individual who may own an interest in it. The property in question is located at McDowell, Floyd County, Kentucky and was formally owned by Minnie Hopkins Stumbo.

If you are a heir or devise of Ruby West and/or Carl West you are hereby warned and notified that you have thirty days from and after

August 14, 1998 in which to file an answer to the complaint. If you fail to do so, the relief demanded in the Complaint may be awarded to the Plaintiffs. This may be a matter for which you may want to consult an attorney at law.

Ned Pillersdorf
Warning Order Attorney
124 West Court Street
Prestonsburg, KY 41653
(606) 886-6090
Facsimile (606) 886-6148

NOW UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT
Clara's Flower Shop
Garrett, KY
606-358-4410

Clara Conley is no longer owner or operator of Clara's Flower Shop. Clara wishes to invite all of her friends to stop by or to call her at Garrett Wallpaper and Gifts, 358-2003.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR REBIDDING

The Salyersville/Magoffin County Joint Housing Authority is now accepting sealed proposals for the following Comprehensive Improvement Assistance Program Work Item:

Work to be Re-bid:

Replacement of shingles on all ten existing buildings located at the Salyersville/Magoffin County Joint Housing Authority, 540 Allen Drive, Salyersville, KY 41465. Proposals are to be made based on each of the Options as follows:

- Option (1) Replacement of shingles with (20) twenty year warranty without whirlbirds.
- Option (2) Replacement of shingles with (30) thirty year warranty without whirlbirds.
- Option (3) Replacement of shingles with (20) twenty year warranty to include installation of whirlbirds.
- Option (4) Replacement of shingles with (30) thirty year warranty to include installation of whirlbirds.

Revised specifications, plans, and contract documents may be examined at the Housing Authority Office. Prospective bidders must visit the worksite and discuss the specifications with the Housing

Authority Personnel. The deadline for accepting sealed proposals has been set for August 19, 1998 at 1:00 p.m. Bids will be opened that same day at 7:00 p.m. during the Board of Commissioner's regular meeting, which is open to the public.

The Salyersville/Magoffin County Joint Housing Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any and all bids.

For further information you may contact Jennifer Howard at (606) 349-6554 Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

BIDS

The City of Prestonsburg will be taking Bids on the 1997-98 Audit for the City of Prestonsburg until 4:00 p.m. August 14, 1998, for further information contact City Hall 886-2335 ext. 18.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following item will be offered at public sale on August 28, 1998 at 11:00 a.m. to satisfy the unpaid balance of an installment contract signed 10/21/96.

1996 Olds S/N 2933. 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. Call Mike Haney for location, 606-886-2321. First Commonwealth Bank 169 North Arnold Avenue Prestonsburg, KY 41653

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-5380, Transfer In accordance with 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Maple Ridge Mining Corporation, PO Box 219, Harold, KY 41635,

intends to transfer permit number 836-5355 to The Elk Horn Coal Corporation, 544 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. The new permit number will be 836-5380. The operation disturbs 26.45 surface acres and underlies 3,125.26 acres. No new acreage is affected by the transfer.

The operation is located 2.0 miles southeast of Drift in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 1.25 miles southeast from KY 122's junction with the Simpson Branch road, and is located 2.0 miles east of Beaver Creek. The operation is located on the McDowell USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map at latitude 37°28'40", and longitude 82°41'02".

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office at 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Written comments or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, US 127 South, Frankfort, KY 40601. All comments or objections must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's date.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following item will be offered at public sale on August 28, 1998 at 11:00 a.m. to satisfy the unpaid balance of an installment contract signed 02/09/98.

1995 Mercury Mystique S/N 6723. 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. Call Mike Haney for location, 606-886-2321. First Commonwealth Bank 169 North Arnold Avenue Prestonsburg, KY 41653

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following item will be offered at public sale on August 28, 1998 at 11:00 a.m. to satisfy the unpaid balance of an installment contract signed 06/03/98.

1991 Dodge Van S/N 0000. 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. Call Mike Haney for location, 606-886-2321. First Commonwealth Bank 169 North Arnold Avenue Prestonsburg, KY 41653

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Denzil Ray Hall, 512 KY Route 680, McDowell, KY 41647, has filed an application with the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet to place and fill material within the 100-year floodplain, and to construct a building for commercial use on same. The property is located on Water Gap Road near the community of Lancer, approximately 5/10 of a mile from the junction of Route 304 and Route 1428 on Bull Creek in Prestonsburg, Kentucky. Any comments or objections concerning this application shall be directed to: Kentucky Division of Water, Water Resources Branch, 14 Reilly Road, Frankfort Office Park, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. Phone: (502) 564-3410.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-0279, Major Revision No. 4

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Addington Mining, Inc., 1500 North Big Run Road, Ashland, Kentucky 41102, has applied for a

major revision to an existing surface coal mining and reclamation operation located 0.5 mile south/southwest of Wonder in Floyd County. The major revision will not add any surface disturbance and will not add any underground acreage making a total area of 450.20 acres within the revised permit boundary.

The proposed major revision area is approximately 0.63 miles west from Clark Branch Road's junction with Buffalo Creek Road and located in Clark Branch and Wolf Branch of Buffalo Creek and Cow Creek of Levisa Fork. The latitude is 37° 37' 12" and the longitude is 82° 37' 30".

The major revision proposes a change in the post-mining land use from Forestland to Pastureland. This revision also includes modified designs for ponds #1, #2, #3, #4, and #5.

The proposed major revision is located on the Harold, Broad Bottom, Lancer and Thomas U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The surface area to be affected by the major revision is owned by Norman Goble, et. al., Sammy Goodman, Aster Hunter, Jr., Aster & Tony Hunter, Denver Collins, James Burchett Heirs, Trevert Blackburn, Helen Chaffins et. al., Donald Ray Spears, and Barbie C. Bow and Steve Conn.

The major revision application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

This is the final advertisement of the application. All comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be received within thirty (30) days of today's date.

BizFacts

Tending to the store

Retail businesses that hire the most workers, in number of employees, 1997

Eating, drinking establishments

7.6 million

Grocery stores

3.5 million

General merchandise, including department stores

2.8 million

Auto dealers and service stations

2.3 million

SOURCE: Retail Industry Indicators; research by PAT CARR



DONNA'S DAY: CREATIVE FAMILY FUN
by Donna Erickson

READING, WRITING AND SUMMER FUN



While traveling or just hanging around the house this summer, kids and adults can build their writing and reading skills together. The following word games and activities can be a fun way to spend idle time, especially when you share the learning with family or friends. All you need is a pencil, paper, some creativity and a cool glass of refreshing lemonade.

"THIS IS ME" POSTER: On a large sheet of paper or poster board, write your name in block letters going down the left margin. After each letter, list two or three things about yourself that begin with that letter. For example, if your name is Lisa, after L" you might write, "Love — I love my family and they love me." After "I" you may write, "Ice cream is my favorite food." Or, you might decide to simply write a single word after each letter to describe yourself and draw a picture next to the word. Encourage family members to share additional attributes or characteristics about each person and add those to the lists.

WORDS IN A WORD: Here's a challenging word game that can be

played by older children. One person should say a long word with at least seven letters, such as "education." Each player writes "education" at the top of a sheet of paper, then lists as many words as possible with at least three letters using the letters in the long word: cat, date, nut, cute, one, tin, aid. Try another word like "imagination," friendship" or "holiday" to get you started.

READATHON: Invite friends over for a readathon. Participants can bring stories, books, poems, articles or compositions they wrote themselves and "perform" through a dramatic reading.

BEDTIME ABCs: In the evening, play a rousing game of Scrabble or Boggle. Both are word games that require quick reading and spelling skills. Keep the dictionary handy to check spelling!

Donna Erickson's new book, "Donna's Day: Fun Activities that Bring the Family Together" (HarperCollins), is available in bookstores nationwide.

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by JOK CHURCH

YOU CAN

Dear Jax,
How does an airplane fly?
Jonathan & Jeremy Lopez
Glendale, California

Beakman or Jax
P.O. Box 30177
Kansas City, MO 64112
Question, name & address

Dear Jonathan & Jeremy,
Airplanes fly because they are *pushed up* into the sky — pushed up from under their wings. The thing that's pushing is air.

This is one of those times that the universe wants things to be in balance.

The pressure of air under the wing is higher than the pressure on top of the wing. Working to balance the air pressure, the higher pressure pushes up toward the weaker air pressure. While doing that, it also happens to push up the whole airplane.

Jax Place
Jax Place

experiment #1

WHAT YOU NEED: Help and permission from a grown-up - empty soda pop can - big bowl of ice and water - tongs

WHAT TO DO:
Put 3 tablespoons of water into the can. Ask your grown-up to bring the water in the can to a boil by using the stove. After the water is at a full, rolling boil, the grown-up should pick up the can with the tongs and quickly turn it upside down, plunging the can into the ice water. You'll want to do a couple of cans because this is way dramatic.

WHAT IS GOING ON:
When the hot air inside the can cooled, its air pressure dropped. The higher air pressure outside the can pushed in the walls of the can, crushing and collapsing it.

SO WHAT: Airplane wings harness the power of air pressure pushing to push airplanes up into the sky.

experiment #2

WHAT YOU NEED: Sheet of paper - tape - pencil - canister vacuum cleaner

WHAT TO DO:
Fold the paper in half and then tape the open end so that you end up with a shape like the one above — flat on the bottom and curved on top. Put in the pencil as in the drawing to the left. Find where the air blows out from the vac and lift the pencil up into that stream of moving air. When the air flows over the top of the wing, the wing will swing upward.

SO WHAT:
Airplane wings are the same shape as your paper wing. The curved top is longer than the flat bottom. So air on the top has to move faster than the air on the flat and shorter bottom of the wing. The faster air moves, the lower its air pressure. The higher air pressure below the flat bottom pushes up on the wing bottom. That pushes the plane up into the sky!

P.S. from Beakman: When you suck on a soda straw, what you're really doing is lowering the air pressure inside your mouth. It's the higher air pressure on top of the drink that pushes it into your mouth.

"Come Worship With Us"

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

Auxier United Methodist Church, Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Night Service, 6:00 p.m. Everyone Welcome! Pastor, Doug Lawson.

Horn Chapel Methodist, Auxier Rd.; Sunday Morning Services, 9:45 a.m.; Sunday School 10:45; Sunday Evening 6 p.m.; Bible Study, Wednesday 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Doug Lawson.

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

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

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

BANNER
Prater Creek Baptist Church, Prater Creek; Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Morning, 11:00; Sunday Evening, 7:00; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Kids for Christ Club meets; Sunday, 11:00 a.m., Jr. and Beginners Church meets; Independent Fundamental Baptist Church; Pastor, Gary Funder.

Daniels Creek Baptist Fellowship Church of God, Banner, Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Service, 7:00; Tuesday Bible Study, 6:30; Everyone Welcome. Pastor, David Shepherd.

BEAVER
Elliott's Chapel Free Methodist Church, Beaver, Rt. 979; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Philip T. Smith.

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

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

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

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

Betsy Layne Church of Christ at Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m., Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Minister, Tommy J. Spears

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

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

BUFFALO
Endicott Freewill Baptist Church; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Youth Service, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. and the first Saturday each month at 7:00 p.m.; Sunday Service, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, B.J. Crider

CORN FORK

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

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

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

DANA
Sammy Clark Branch Freewill Baptist Church, Dana; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Church, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Youth Meeting Sunday, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 6:30 p.m.; Pastor, Jody Spencer; Assistance Pastor, Terry Hall.

DAVID
Goodloe Pentecostal Church, Rt. 850, David, Ky.; Sunday Night, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Malcom Slone.

DRIFT
Drift Pentecostal Church, Drift; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Worship Service, Saturday and Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Ted Shannon.

Drift Independent Church, Drift; Thursday, 6:30; Sunday, 11:00.

Drift Freewill Baptist Church, Drift; Prayer Service, 6:30 p.m., Thursday; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Church Service, 6:30 p.m.; Pastor, Randy Turner.

Drift Presbyterian Church, Route 1101, Drift; Sunday Services, 11:00 a.m.; Part-time minister, Mary Alice Murray.

DENVER
Liberty Baptist Church, Denver; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 6 p.m.; Pastor Merle Little.

DWALE
Dwale House of Prayer, Dwale, Ky.; service Saturday night, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday night, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Woodrow Crum.

EAST POINT
Free Pentecostal Church of God, East Point, Rt. 1428; Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Service, 11:00; Sunday Night, 6:30; Thursday Night, 6:30; Pastor, Buster Hayton.

Little Paint First Church of God, East Point, 671 Little Paint Road; Sunday School, 9:45; Morning worship, 11:00; Sunday Evening, 6:00; Youth Fellowship, Sunday 6:00; Wednesday Night, 7:00; Kings Class (Children Ministry) Wednesday 7:00; Pastor, A Wayne Burch.

EMMA
Emma United Methodist, Emma, Ky.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00; Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.; Paul Aiken, Pastor.

ESTILL
Martin Branch Freewill Baptist, Estill; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Services, 11:15 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Wayne Stevens.

GARRETT
Rock Fork Regular Baptist Church, Garrett; 4th Sunday of each month at 9:30 a.m.; Moderator, Elder Earl Slone; Assistant Moderator, Elder Jerry Manns.

Rock Fork Freewill Baptist Church, Garrett, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Elder Brodey Amburgey.

First Baptist Church, Garrett; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday; Pastor, Randy Osborne.

Garrett Church of God, Garrett; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Donald Bragg.

Garrett Community Christian Church, Route 550, Garrett, Ky.; Service Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. and Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Regular meeting 2nd Saturday at 6:30 p.m. and Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m. Come and bring a friend. Everyone

welcome. Pastor, Donnie Hackworth.

GOBLE ROBERTS ADDITION
Landmark Church of God, Goble Roberts Addition; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:10 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Kenneth E. Prater, Jr.

Community Freewill Baptist, Goble Roberts; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; 4th Saturday Night, Regular Service & Business, 6:00 p.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Paul D. Coleman.

GRETHEL
Grethel Baptist Church, State Route 3379, (Branham's Creek Road), telephone 587-2043; Junior Church and Morning worship at 11:00; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Youth meeting Wednesday night 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting and bible study at 6:30.

HAGER HILL
Highland Church of Christ, Rt. 23, Hager Hill, telephone 789-6433; Sunday School 10 a.m.; Worship 11 a.m., Sunday evening 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible study 7 p.m.

HAROLD
Harold Church of Christ, at Harold, Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.; Minister, James H. Harmon

Lower Toler Church of Christ at Harold, Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study 6:30 p.m.; Minister, Doyle Meade.

HI HAT
The Church of God of Prophecy at Hi Hat, invites you to worship with us each week. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday night is family night! Everyone welcome! Pastor, Don Fraley, Jr.

United Christian Church, Meade Bottom, Hi Hat, Ky.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Saturday, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday, 10:00 a.m., 7:00 p.m. Brother, Bill Slone, Pastor

HUEYSVILLE
Hueysville Church of Christ, Sunday School, 10 a.m., Sunday morning worship 11 a.m., Wednesday service, 7 p.m., Sunday evening, 7 p.m., Minister, Jeff Prater.

United Community Baptist Church, Hwy. 7, Hueysville, Ky. Service each Friday night, 7:00 p.m. and each Sunday at 2:00 p.m. Come worship with us and bring a friend. Everyone welcome. Pastor, Carlos Beverly.

Salt Lick United Baptist, Salt Lick, Hueysville, Ky. Service each Thursday at 6:30 p.m. and the 4th Sunday at 10:30 a.m. Everyone welcome. Pastor, Jacob Jarvis.

IVEL
Tom's Creek Freewill Baptist, U.S. 23, first exit (north of Layne Brothers); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Chuck Ferguson.

LACKEY
Lackey Freewill Baptist Church, Lackey, Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Everyone Welcome. Pastor Johnny J. Collins, of Wayland. "If we meet and you forget me you have lost nothing, but if you meet Jesus and forget him you have lost everything."

LANCER
Lancer Baptist Church, Lancer, welcomes you to the services. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Tom Biddle.

Trimble Chapel Freewill Baptist, Lancer-Water Gap Road; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night Service, 7:00 p.m.; Youth Service Wednesday, 6:30; Pastor, Joe Coleman.

Pleasant Home Baptist Church, Lancer-Water gap Road; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday night, 6 p.m.; Sunday Youth Meeting, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday programs available for children; Pastor, Mark Tackett.

LANGLEY
Maytown United Methodist Church, Langley; Morning Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Youth Sunday, 5:00 p.m.; Sunday Night, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Night, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Roy Harlow.

MARTIN
Stephens Branch Missionary Baptist Church, Stephens Branch; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Mid-Week Bible Study, Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.

Martin House of Worship, in Martin on Old Post Office St. Saturday and Sunday at 7 p.m.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Sunday; Relief Society/Priesthood/Primary 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School 10:30 a.m.; Sacrament Meeting 11:40 a.m.; Wednesday; Seminary 6:00 p.m.; Young Women/Young Men/Scouting 7:00 p.m.; Family History, Tuesday 12-8:00 p.m. and Thursday, 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

First Assembly of God, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Missionettes & Royal Rangers, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Lorie Vannucci.

Trinity Chapel, Pentecostal Holiness Church, North Main Street, Martin; services: Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday evening worship, 7:00 p.m.; Thursday worship, 7:00 p.m.; Second Saturday Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Youth Activity nights, 1st and 3rd Saturday, 6:00 p.m.; Womens Ministries, 2nd Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Men's Ministries, 2nd Friday, 7:00 p.m.; Men's Bible study Monday evenings, 6:00 p.m.; Ellis J. Stevens, Pastor.

Faith Bible Church, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 6 p.m.; Independent Fundamental Baptist; Pastor, Don Crisp.

Martin Freewill Baptist Church, Martin, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Bible Study, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Youth League, Tuesday, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Pastor, John L. Blair.

First Baptist Church, Martin, Ky.; Bible Study, 10:00; Worship, 11:00; Evening Worship, 6:00; Mid Week, 7:00; Pastor, Pastor, Russ Taylor.

Community Church of God, Arkansas Creek, Martin; Friday, 7 p.m.; Sunday Morning, 11 a.m.; Deacon, Bud Crum.

Martin Church of Christ, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Youth Group, 7 p.m.; Evangelist, Gary Mitchell.

Martin Methodist Church; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11:00; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 7:00; Pastor, Roy Harlow.

Old Time Holiness Church; 2 miles up Arkansas Creek, Brother John W. Patton. Friday Evening, 7:00; Sunday Evening, 7:00; Sunday School, 11:00; Everyone Welcome.

Full Gospel Community; Main Street, Martin, Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Bible Study; Pastor, Lavonne Lafferty.

MAYTOWN
Maytown First Baptist Church, Main Street; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study at 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Bob Varney.

McDOWELL
McDowell First Baptist Church, McDowell; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p.m.; individual counseling and family counseling by appointment. Pastor, Harry Hargis.

MIDDLE CREEK
Fitzpatrick First Baptist Church, 2656 West Mt. Parkway Prestonsburg, (across from Clark Elem. School); Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Jennings West.

Spurlock Bible Church, Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Dan Heintzelman.

MOUNTAIN PARKWAY
Free Pentecostal Deliverance Church, Exl. 46 off Mt. Parkway at Campton, Saturday and Sunday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Patricia Crider.

Parkway First Calvary Pentecostal Church, Located at the Floyd and Magoffin County line, Sunday night, 6:30; Wednesday night, 7:00. A worship Center for everyone. Pastor, Mike D. Caldwell welcomes all.

PRESTONSBURG
Community United Methodist Church, 141 Burke Ave. - (off University Drive and Neeley Street); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday evening Prayer Service 7:00 p.m. Classes for adults, youth and children. Wednesday choir practice 8:00 p.m. Pastor, Ernie Carmiche.

Faith Revelation Ministry, 1/4 mile above WorldWide Equipment. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00; Midweek, Thursday, 7 p.m.; Pastor Randy Hagens.

Seventh-Day Adventist, 5 miles West on Mountain Parkway; Sabbath School, 9:15; Church Service, 10:30; Pastor, Gary Shepherd, 886-0732.

St. Martha Church, Water Gap; Saturday evening mass, 5 p.m.; Sunday, 11:15 a.m.; Religious Education Classes, Sunday, 9:45-10:45 a.m.; Adult Class, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; Pastor: Father John Moriarty.

Community United Methodist Church, 141 Burke Ave., (off University Drive), Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday morning worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday evening worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday evening prayer service, 7 p.m.; classes for adults, youth and children; choir practice, Wednesday, 8 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Sam Knox.

The Third Avenue Freewill Baptist Church, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11:00; Evening Worship, 6:00; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00; Pastor, Manford Fannin.

First Christian Church, 560 North Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg. No Wednesday evening or Sunday evening services at present. Bible study, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Minister, Kevin G. Jett.

Highland Avenue Freewill Baptist Church; Sunday School, 9:50 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, David Garrett.

First Baptist Church, (Irene Cole Memorial), 54 S. Front St., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; S.M.A.S.H. 6:45 (on Wednesday); Wednesday night, 7 p.m.; Bible Study & Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Dr. S. Thomas Valentine, Pastor.

Praise Assembly, 1 mile South of Prestonsburg, intersection of route 80 and U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Praise & Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday evening services, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study, 6:30 p.m.; nursery provided. Pastor, J.M. Sloce.

Katy Friend Freewill Baptist Church, located two miles up Abbott; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wed. Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Jim Price.

First Presbyterian, North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Pastor, Rev. George C. Love.

First United Methodist Church, 256 S. Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:45; Morning Worship, 10:55; Evening Worship, 7:00; Wed. Prayer Meeting, 7:00. Pastor, Wayne Sayre.

Victory Christian Ministries Church, 1428 E., Prestonsburg; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 11:30 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Sherm Williams.

Parkway Baptist, Rt. 1428, Sugar Loaf, Prestonsburg; Sun. School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor Ed Taylor.

Church of Christ, South Lake Drive; Sunday, 10 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 7:00 p.m.; Evangelist, Benny Blankenship.

St. James Episcopal Church, school starts 9:45. Enquire classes to begin in January. For more information, contact the Rev. Johnnie E. Ross, 886-8046.

Faith Freewill Baptist Church, 1/4 mile above WorldWide Equipment on Rt. 1428. Buddy Jones, Pastor; Sunday School, 10:00; Worship, 11:00; Wednesday Prayer meeting, 7:00; Sunday Night Service at 6:00 p.m.

Prestonsburg Community College Baptist Student Union; meets every Wednesday, 11:30-12:30 in J102. Lunch, discussion, travel available to all students, faculty and staff. French B. Harmon, Director; Ella C. Goble, president. For more information, call: 874-9468 or 478-2978.

First Church of God, Prestonsburg; Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Kids Bible Club, 7 p.m.; Pastor Allan Hutchinson.

Town Branch Community Baptist, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 6 p.m. Pastor: Tom Nelson.

Tom Moore Memorial Freewill Baptist Church, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10; Morning Worship, 11; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor Clifford Austin.

Benedict Baptist Church, Cow Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday evening, 6 p.m.;

Wednesday Prayer Service, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Gordon Fitch.

PAINTSVILLE
Our Savior Lutheran Church, Sipp Bayes Room Carriage House Motel, Paintsville; Sunday School, 11:00 a.m.; WKLV (600 a.m.) "Chapel Window", 12:05 p.m. every Sunday; Pastor Rev. Rolland Bentrup.

PRINTER
Salisbury United Methodist Church, Printer; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00; Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Services, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Bobby G. Lawson.

SALYERSVILLE
New Bethel Assembly of God, Located on Burning Fork Rd.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday night service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday night Bible Study and Youth Jam, 7:00 p.m. Nursery provided. 1st Monday of each month ladies meeting, 7:00 p.m. 3rd Saturday of each month men's breakfast fellowship 9:00 a.m.; Pastor, Arthur (Sam) Smith

STANVILLE
Mare Creek Church of Christ, at Stanville, Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible School, 6:30 p.m., Minister, Tommy D. Bush

WATER GAP
Trimble Chapel Free Will Baptist, Intersection of U.S. 23 and Ky. 80, Water Gap, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 7:00; Wednesday youth meeting, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor Joe Coleman.

WEEKSBURY
Free Pentecostal Church of God, Weeksbury; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Saturday, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Pastor, John "Jay" Patton.

Weeksbury Church of Christ; Sunday, 10 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Mike Hall.

WHEELWRIGHT
Wheelwright United Methodist Church, Wheelwright; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 services; Pastor, Bobby Isaac.

Youth Fellowship Center; Youth Meeting, Mon.-Tues., 6:00; Thursday Night Bible study, 7:00 p.m.

Wheelwright Freewill Baptist, Wheelwright junction; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7 p.m.; Wednesday evening worship, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Louis Ferrari.

Free Pentecostal Holiness Church, Rt. 122, Upper Burton; Friday night, 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Louis Sanlan; Rev. David Pike, assistant pastor.

Lighthouse Temple, Hall Hollow, Wheelwright, Kentucky; Sunday Services, 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday Services, 7:00; Pastor, Roy Cosby.

WEST PRESTONSBURG
Faith Deliverance Tabernacle, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Thursday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Don Shepherd.

Family Worship Assembly, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Thursday night, Bible Study and Youth Power Hour; nursery provided; Pastor, Scott Lish.

The Church of God of Prophecy, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Night, 6 p.m.; Wednesday night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Armer B. Whitaker.

Free United Baptist Church, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:30 p.m.; Midweek Prayer Service, 6:30 p.m.

WAYLAND
Zion Deliverance Church, Wayland; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship service 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7 p.m.; Saturday Evening Worship, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Ada Mosley.

Wayland United Methodist Church, Rt. 7, Wayland; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Bible Study, Wednesday, 6:00 p.m. Pastor, Brad Tackett.

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