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News Briefs

MSU production features 3 locals

This area will be well represented when Morehead State University presents the musical "Big River (The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn)" Thursday-Saturday in Button Auditorium. Scott Bradley of Prestonsburg is musical director and Shawn Slone, also of Prestonsburg, will portray Pap Finn and Sheriff Bell. Plus, Tres Dean of Paintsville has a leading role. Showtime is 8 p.m. For reservations, call 606/783-2170.

Meetings to go to

If tomorrow is the third Thursday of the month — and it appears to be — then the city fathers (and mothers) of Wheelwright and Wayland are scheduled to meet. Meeting time is 7 p.m. at the respective city halls. See democracy in action. Go. Speak out. Be nice.

And ...

The Floyd County Board of Education has scheduled a special meeting for today (Wednesday) at 5:30 p.m. at Adams Middle School. The agenda item is the setting of the "real and personal property tax rate and general budget for 1998."

Scare tactics

Halloween will be on — guess what — Halloween this year. Trick or Treat night for Floyd County, including the City of Prestonsburg, is set for Saturday, October 31, from 6 to 8 p.m. Boo!



Safe Trick or Treat

The Prestonsburg Rotary Club and Holiday Inn announce that Safe Trick or Treat will be held on Sunday, October 25, from 3 p.m. until 6 p.m. at the Prestonsburg Holiday Inn.

The event is for children 12 years of age and under. Local businesses will provide safe treats for children.

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Race lures drivers

by Ed Martin
Publisher

A dirt track race that is apparently bringing some top-notch drivers to a local race track is also stirring up some controversy.

The Dirt Track World Championship Race will be held at ThunderRidge October 17-19. This race has drawn comments and inquiries from around the country. Promoters say the possibility exists that this race could be one of the biggest events in this area for quite some time. They speculate that there will be between 10,000 and

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Festival praised at city council

by Pam Shingler
Editor

It was something akin to a love fest at Prestonsburg City Council Monday evening.

Council members basked in the glow of a successful Jenny Wiley Pioneer Festival last week, which most agreed was the best ever.

Amid the good feelings, council members gave the nod to the first reading of an ordinance that keeps the city tax rate as it is.

Mayor Jerry Fannin said the state Department of Local Government recommended that

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The Jenny Wiley Pioneer Festival's parade Saturday drew a crowd of people to downtown Prestonsburg to watch beauty pageant winners, Shriners, and floats travel down North and South Lake Drive. (photos by Mike Burke)

Aryan 'commander' sentenced to 1+1

by Pam Shingler
Editor

The penalty for violating another person's civil rights and for using the US postal service to send threats is one year and a day.

At least that's what a federal judge in Lexington meted out last Friday to Charles Edward Hall Jr., 29, of Prestonsburg, who last spring was arrested for harassing mixed

race couples and blacks in Pike and Floyd counties, among other charges.

The Spurlock man, at the time of his arrest, reportedly characterized himself as the "commander" of the White Aryan Legion, an apparent white supremacist group.

Hall, who has been in Scott County Detention Center in Georgetown for five months, will receive credit for time already

served, making him eligible for release in about 60 days, according to his attorney Andrew Stephens of Lexington.

The sentence was handed down by US District Judge Karl S. Forester, who also decreed that Hall receive three years of supervision following his release.

Attorney Stephens credits the fact that his client entered a guilty plea at his arraignment for the light sentence. A primary condition for the sentence, Stephens said, is that Hall "leave people alone."

"The judge told him, basically," Stephens said Monday, "to go home, take care of your family, and keep your mouth shut."

The case's beginning in May was a bang compared to the whimper of Hall's sentencing.

Hall's arrest made state and regional news when FBI and state officers raided his home on Spurlock on May 19. Seized were various weapons, Nazi flags and pictures of Oklahoma City bomber Timothy McVeigh and Adolf Hitler.

Hall was charged with discrimination in housing, the mailing of threatening communications to interracial couples, and the destruction of government property, stemming from his part in shooting into the Langley Post Office.

Arrested along with Hall were Pikeville brothers Richard J. and James D. Taylor, and Washington state native Daniel R. Koplitz, who was listed as living in Georgetown at the time. All three have also pleaded guilty in the case and are waiting to be sentenced.

Federal prosecutor Kenneth R. Taylor was quoted in the Lexington Herald-Leader as telling Judge

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What do you think?

Changes in testing prompt comments

Last week the Kentucky Department of Education decided to spread the high school part of the Commonwealth Accountability Testing System (CATS), formerly known as KIRIS, across the last three years of high school.

In the past the juniors completed all parts of the testing, with the exception of portfolios which were done in the 12th grade.

Taking some of the pressure off 11th graders, now the test will be broken down as follows:

- 10th—reading, practical-living and vocational studies
- 11th—arts and humanities, mathematics, science, and social studies
- 12th—on demand writing and portfolios.

Some local students who will be affected by this decision were asked to comment on the new testing format.



Jennifer Cole
Sophomore,
South Floyd
High School

The sophomores should take the test to see how well they do and find where they stand in their class.



Misty Berger
Senior
South Floyd
High School

This is a good idea because it (taking the test) can get them better prepared for college. It gives them an idea of what taking tests for college will be like.



Stephanie Sexton
Senior
Allen Central
High School

I don't think they should change it. It should just be the juniors. The junior year is the best year for the test ... the students have covered most of the basic subjects by then.



Shannon Sizemore
Sophomore
Allen Central
High School

It is a good idea. When we get to be juniors, we will know what to do. We will have more experience in test-taking. We only took the test once or twice in grade school so this will give us extra time to get ready.

Section AA



Health Day
Seniors at Wheelwright get a dose of good health.

CHECK OUT SPORTS



CHECK IT OUT!!!
Kentucky at LSU
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Gala marks MAC's second

The Mountain Arts Center in Prestonsburg will celebrate its second anniversary Saturday with concerts and cake.

The showcase Kentucky Opry will be joined by the Kentucky Opry Junior Pros and, in a special appearance, by former Junior Pro and Nashville recording artist, Rebecca Lynn Howard.

A pre-show reception begins at 6 p.m. in the lobby. Ticket holders will receive a free commemorative Kentucky Opry and Junior Pro photograph with a listing of all the M A C

performances since the opening in October of 1996.



"Reminiscing with the Opry" is the theme of the concert, which begins at 7:30 p.m.

After the show, the audience can join the performers and MAC staff for cake and refreshments.

The Opry's mainstay is a mix of country, bluegrass, gospel and Top 40 musical selections with dashes

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Put on your boots Legislators to visit area dump sites

Times staff report

Members of the state legislature's Interim Joint Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources will be in this region today through Friday to look at illegal dumps and to discuss remedies.

A visit to the-dump-that-won't-go-away on KY 3051 between Auxier and East Point on the Floyd-Johnson County line is on the agenda for Friday morning. Numerous attempts have been made to clean up the site and to stop the dumping, but the trash keeps coming back.

Also on Friday morning, the group will tour an illegal dump at Concord, east of Paintsville.

Committee members will meet Thursday evening at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park, where they will be given a report on clean-up efforts at Dewey Lake.

Today and early tomorrow, they are slated to be at Breaks Interstate Park in Pike County. There, they will hear about development at the park, clean-up at Fishtrap Lake, and bear and elk sightings in the region. While at the Breaks, they will also review Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources regulations.

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PRESTONSBURG, KY
Entrance to Wal-Mart

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Holiday Inn Hill

Council

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the city increase its tax rate, but "I'm recommending that we leave it as is."

The current rate amounts to 21 cents per \$100 assessed real estate value and 27.8 cents per \$100 of assessed value on tangible personal property and franchises.

A recommendation for a zoning change on KY 302 at Watergap was approved. The approval allows the Jim Hamer Company to build a sawmill on the site, which is described as across from the Bryan Griffith Dental Office. The operation will employ 35 to 40 persons at starting wages of \$10 an hour, the mayor said.

No one opposed the zoning change during an earlier hearing of the zoning commission, according to Larry Adams, zoning enforcement officer, who submitted the request for change.

Councilman Ralph Davis alerted the group that Cablevision "wants to sell itself to another company," and he asked the council to indicate it does not approve of the sale. Council members voted to send a letter to the company to that effect.

Gorman Collins Jr., also of the cable committee, pointed out areas in the 1994 cable contract that are of concern. He questioned if the city is getting its proper share after the latest Cablevision rate increases and if the company is holding up its part of the contract in regard to operating a local office.

At Collins' suggestion, the council instructed the clerk to set up a meeting of a Cablevision represen-

tative and the cable committee.

The council also approved the second reading of an ordinance that directs Burlington Publishing Systems to revise the city's Code of Ordinances to conform with changes in state law.

On the recommendation of the Personnel Committee, chaired by Robert Allen Jr., council voted to accept bids for an outside firm to prepare job descriptions and evaluate the city's personnel needs.

Because the appearance of the city's police officers on white motorcycles during Saturday's parade "reflected well on the city," Estill Carter suggested the local police force keep one of the motorcycles on hand. He said the owner, Wes Blackburn, is willing to let the city use one for free. However, Carter recommended, and the council agreed, to pay the interest expense of the cycle if it does not exceed \$100 a year.

Even though only words of praise were heard in conjunction to the weekend festival, Fannin reminded that anyone with criticisms or suggestions should attend the festival committee meeting at 6 p.m. on Nov. 1 at City Hall. The committee will evaluate this year's event and begin plans for next year.

The next regular meeting of the council is Monday, Oct. 26 at noon at City Hall.

Besides those previously mentioned, in attendance were council members Billy Ray Collins, Trent Nairn and Danny Hamilton. Hansel Cooley was absent.

Race

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14,000 spectators to view over 100 cars competing in three different events.

With top name drivers scheduled to participate, the race has the potential to bring to this area a large amount of tourism dollars with the possibility of the race being held here every year.

The race came to Floyd County when the race promoters decided to move the race from its home in West Virginia to ThunderRidge. The track in West Virginia was apparently damaged by floods a few months back and was unable to handle the crowds the promoters said; however, rumors have been afloat that the race was moved because of lawsuits and potential lawsuits between the race promoters and that track's owners. Those rumors, though, have not been confirmed.

ThunderRidge came into the picture because the promoters had been here for races in the past, and apparently liked what they saw. The decision was made about three weeks ago to bring the race to Floyd County, and the promoters came to town to begin preparation.

The fact that a race of this magnitude was put together in such a short time has created additional

controversy; however, the promoters appear to have done their homework and the race will be held despite the concerns about potential problems created by such a large crowd at the local track.

One of those problems is the amount of seating available at the local track. ThunderRidge seats approximately 4,000 people, promoters say. The rest of the spectators can sit on the hillside behind the track or in the infield if they bring lawn chairs, race organizers added. The hillside is a little far from the track, and it is recommended that spectators bring lawn chairs from home for the infield.

Another concern is the security at the track and the extra police protection required at a world-class event. Promoters say that a security firm from another track is being brought in to assist in the operation.

The question has also been raised about the availability of food and drink for that many visitors. ThunderRidge officials say they are handling the concessions and added that this should not be a big concern.

For more information about the Dirt Track World Championship, call ThunderRidge at 886-7223.



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Aryan

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Forester that Hall and the Taylor brothers were only "pranksters" but that Koplitz "seems like the real deal out of the Northwest," referring to hate group activity in that section of the country.

The original arrests reportedly followed a nine-month investigation by the FBI and Kentucky State Police, which included a Floyd County Sheriff's Deputy working undercover.

Reports at the time of the arrest included alleged discussions by

Hall and the others concerning access to explosives at the National Guard Armory in Prestonsburg.

Federal authorities apparently believed at the outset of the investigation that Hall's White Aryan Legion was a relatively large organization with ties to other racist groups. However, they said they later determined that it consisted of only a few men.

US Attorney Taylor reportedly told Judge Forester, "We really

thought we were getting into a hornet's nest and we had some dangerous people. But when we arrested Mr. Hall, I was surprised by how little aggression we saw."

"He was a big wanna-be," Taylor said. "Mr. Hall, we believe, became infatuated with this movement, with belonging to a group."

Hall reportedly told the judge he considered the White Aryan Legion to be "just like a social club or something."



Mrs. O'Quinn fifth-grade class is having fun working on their newest chapter, "Space and Beyond." They are in training to be astronauts and are ready for anything. These young Space Cadets have made many space-related crafts and used their lively imaginations as they've studied this unit. The class says this has been their favorite subject.

MAC

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of contemporary and classic tunes. The country music portion of the show includes songs recorded by many of the US 23 Country Music Highway Stars.

Creative lighting, sparkling costumes and the humor of local character "Munroe Birdshett" are added attractions.

The Kentucky Opry Junior Pros include 17 students in musical training, ranging from ages 6 to 19.

Salyersville native Howard, who was one of the original Junior Pros, is now recording in Nashville. Her album, scheduled for release in January, will include a single from the soundtrack of the movie "The

Apostle." Now living in Hendersonville, Tenn., near Nashville, Howard has opened for such country music stars as Doug Stone, Vince Gill, Marty Stuart and fellow Kentuckian John Michael Montgomery.

Tickets for the gala are \$12 for

adults, \$10 for seniors and students, and \$30 for a family package of up to five members. For reservations, call 606/886-2623 or toll-free 1-888/622-2787.

The anniversary celebration is co-sponsored by *The Floyd County Times*.

Sites

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The committee junket will end Friday afternoon with a report on the PRIDE program (Personal Responsibility in a Desirable Environment) at the Carriage House Hotel in Paintsville. James

Bickford, Secretary of the state Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet, will present the report, followed by comments from Jean Dorton, coordinator of Johnson County PRIDE.

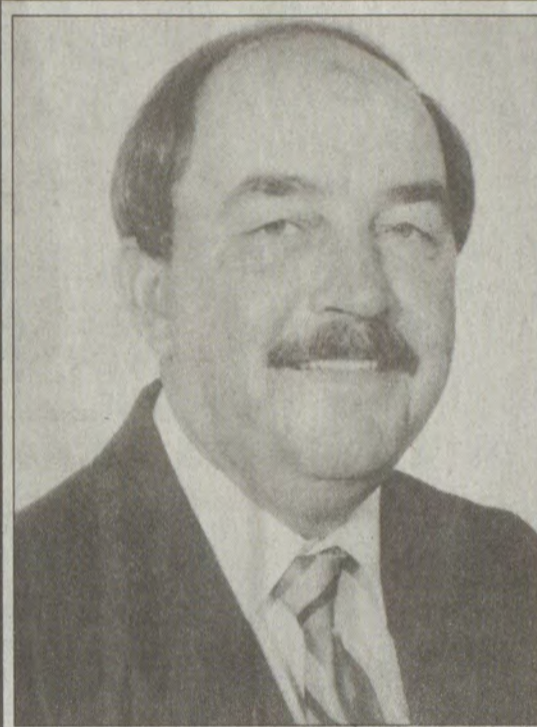
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Viewpoint

Quote of the week...

Some praise at morning what they blame at night, But always think the last opinion right.
—Alexander Pope

Wednesday, October 14, 1998 A4

Editorial

For all its good deeds and charitable contributions, Ashland Inc. has operated with a reckless disregard for the environment and public health.

No other conclusion can be drawn from the proposed \$32.5 million settlement of pollution violations by three Ashland oil refineries, including the refinery that fumes and spews alongside Interstate 64 in Boyd County.

As part of the deal with the Clinton administration, Ashland agreed to spend \$12 million to upgrade pollution controls at its refineries in Kentucky, Ohio and Minnesota...

Ashland owns the majority interest in Arch Coal, one of several property-holders who also hold in their corporate hands the fate of Black Mountain.

As Ashland and the federal government work out a final settlement, we urge both sides to search for ways to help safeguard Black Mountain as part of the resolution.

Few places, if any, are more vital to Kentucky's biodiversity or more worthy of preservation.

Rising 4,139 feet between Kentucky and Virginia in Harlan County, Black Mountain's upper reaches are home to a northern forest community that cannot be found on a similar scale outside the Adirondacks. Its woodlands and streams shelter almost 40 plants and animals that are in danger of disappearing from Kentucky.

Riddled with old underground coal mines, Black

Mountain increasingly shows the outward scars of strip-mining. Unearthing the last coal reserves might well ruin Black Mountain's unique natural habitat (and lower Kentucky's highest

It's a natural

point, to boot.)

Because of complicated ownership pattern and the value of the coal and timber, saving Black Mountain as a preserve won't be simple.

But it must be done. Ashland and Arch cannot guarantee Black Mountain's preservation because other owners also have a say. But Ashland and Arch could give preservation efforts a huge and helpful leg up.

In addition to the refinery upgrades and environmental projects, Ashland has agreed to pay the federal government \$5.86 million in cash fines. This money would be better spent preserving Black Mountain.

All involved in the negotiations—Ashland, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the Justice Department—should seize this opportunity to begin something that could be of incalculable lasting value.

Also, as Ashland and Marathon launch their refinery partnership, the merged company, Marathon Ashland Petroleum, must improve on its predecessor's sorry environment record. *Lexington Herald-Leader*



Letters to the Editor

AMENDMENT PROPOSED TO REDUCE PROPERTY TAXES

Editor:

As election day is rapidly approaching, most thoughts tend to center on our local and state offices to be filled. This year, thanks to the hard-fought effort of the Senator from Pike County, Gary Johnson, and our Governor, Paul Patton, we have the opportunity to repeal the yearly tax on our automobiles.

This has been an issue that I have extreme, personal hard feelings toward, and I would like to encourage all voters to read carefully, and vote for, the two constitutional amendments that will enable Sen. Johnson and Gov. Patton to complete this campaign promise.

Once again, I encourage all of you to vote yes on both constitutional amendments, and let's do away with tax on our cars.

Joe Back
Prestonsburg

SHELTER THANKS CHEERLEADERS

Editor:

The Big Sandy family abuse shelter would like to thank the Prestonsburg High School cheerleaders for their assistance at our table during the Jenny Wiley Pioneer Days Festival.

The following is a list of those who attended: Jane Hale, Heather Ousley, Tiffany Ratcliff, Rachael Vaughan, Jamie Osborne, Morgan Stumbo, Ashley Leslie, and their friends, Mark Miller, Dustin Music, Josh Justice, and Jody Harris.

Also assisting staff were Brenda Greer, Jason Greer, Ruth Taylor and Dan Rowland. A very special thanks goes to these folks for their help.

Linda Hutchinson,
Program Coordinator

SENATOR URGES YES VOTE

Editor:

I would like to urge all voters to vote yes on Constitutional Amendment 2 on Nov. 3, 1998. I sponsored this as Senate Bill 127, and it was expanded by a House bill sponsored by Rep. Harry Moberly of Richmond.

This Constitutional Amendment 2 will allow the legislature to remove or lower taxes on tangible personal property. Tangible personal property includes motor vehicles, watercraft, equipment, machinery and inventory. Under the present Constitution, property must be taxed at its fair value unless exempted by the Constitution.

During my campaign, I promised to try to remove the "birthday tax" on automobiles. The first step is for you to vote yes on Constitutional Amendment No. 2. If you pass this Amendment, I will introduce legislation to remove your car taxes.

This Amendment 2 will also allow anyone who is totally disabled under any retirement system to qualify for the homestead property tax exemption.

Your support is necessary to allow your representatives in Frankfort to remove this unfair tax, and, at

the same time expand the Homestead Exemption to help those that need it the most.

Gary C. Johnson
Pikeville

FROM SAND TO 'PAM'

Editor:

Welcome Pam Shingler. I really enjoy your Post-script column, not only for the thought-provoking subject matter, but for your excellent writing. I note carefully how you dot your i's and cross your t's, hoping to improve my own grammar, as an added bonus.

In your second column, 'Paying Homage' to our ancestors, I thought, "How true!" And just think how we had to scour our cookware with sand, or our own grubby fingernails, never dreaming that one day we would have "no-stick" pots and pans, and Pam.

Effie Moore Salem
Prestonsburg

THANKS TO AND FROM ROTARIANS

Editor:

The Prestonsburg Rotary Club recently held their annual Pancake Day at the First Methodist Church Family Life Center. All proceeds go toward scholarships for our local seniors.

We would like to thank Serjio Ojeda and Nick Lawson, students at the Prestonsburg Job Corps who helped in our flipping and frying on that busy day. Thanks to all patrons who came and enjoyed our meal and supported the cause, the businesses who helped in keeping our costs down so more monies would go toward the scholarship, and to the First Methodist Church for allowing us to use their facility.

And, most of all, thank you to all the Rotarians who could take time out of their busy schedule to work in this worthy project.

Carla R. Boyd
Past-President
Prestonsburg

READER SUGGESTS GRANTS TO AID IN COMPLIANCE WITH SEPTIC LAWS

Editor:

I am responding to a recent letter to the editor in the Floyd County Times. The letter pertained to costs associated with new septic/sewer lines and treatment of household/business waste.

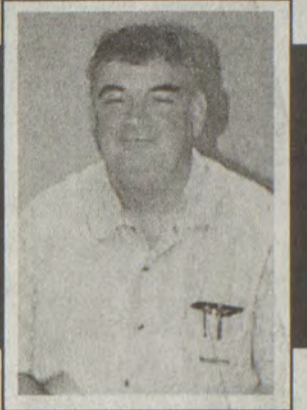
The writer was upset about the costs associated with hooking up a home or trailer and the fact that the new law allows for no connection of electricity until the home is in compliance.

I can understand the concern of a lot of people regarding this new law. Homes and businesses in the near future will have to get rid of straight pipes and non-working septic systems and new homes/businesses will have to have an approved system.

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Mountain Voices

by Willie Elliott
Staff Writer



The sweltering days of summer are almost over. We now have a few days and nights that we can endure without using either the air-conditioner or the furnace.

Now is the time for us to open our windows and enjoy what's out there. We should do this both day and night. During the day we can enjoy the sounds of the birds and the insects. If we listen closely, we can catch the rhythm of their lives.

The sweltering days of summer are almost over.

The creatures exude a sense of contentment that most of us could use in our lives.

Of course that's easy for them since they have not

been bombarded by the Clinton-Lewinsky shenanigans for the last 10 months. I suspect they would also be tense if they had to read the Starr report.

Up in Royal Hollow where I live most of the sounds are, as the French would say, au naturale, and I don't mean naked. If we walk 20 feet from our back door, we are in the woods. It is very seldom that we hear the noise of motor vehicles.

Sometimes I wonder what Henry David Thoreau would think of our woods or whether Robert Frost would stop by on a snowy evening.

The day sounds are fine, but the night sounds are quite special. They have a soothing effect on the body. I can lie down and tune in to the rhythm of the insects and be asleep in a matter of minutes.

Before going to sleep, it's nice to listen to the fox that barks out to a mate or hear the wood hen that seems to be telling us good night. These sounds are even more pleasant when they occur on a moon-lit night. At times like this, I say to myself, "Royal Hollow ain't all that bad."

Sometimes early in the morning, the temperature drops and the furnace kicks on. The windows must then be closed, but there are few sounds by this time. Even night animals and insects have to rest sometimes.

When the cold days come, it's back to the furnace or wood-burning stove. If we have to have cold, then a wood-burning stove is the way to deal with it.

Even in winter there are sounds we can enjoy. Well, I don't know how enjoyable it is to hear the wind whipping snow around the corners of the house.

Linda tells me I am either lying or confused when I tell her that I can hear it snow, but at night I can actually hear the snow as it begins to fall.

Linda can be sarcastic (just to me) sometimes. She will say, "Here is a man that can hear snow falling but can't hear a word when I tell him to take the garbage out or feed the animals."

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Prestonsburg Tourism Commission looks at advertising, data sharing

By Willie Elliott
Staff Writer

Changing their way of thinking from "my corner of the world" to "our corner of the world" and promoting US 23 were two of the major themes of the regular meeting of the Prestonsburg Tourism Commission on October 8, at the Mountain Art Center (MAC).

The members discussed ways to improve the present advertising method so they can get "more bang for the bucks". Fred James, executive director of the commission, and MAC director Bob Meyer presented a plan that included hiring a person to handle the huge data base that the two agencies have accumulated.

A data input/output person would enable the agencies to target specific groups rather than using mass mailings, James said.

In addition advertising would include many agencies and not just one as has been the practice in the past. For example, an ad might read, "Visit Prestonsburg," and under that heading would be information about the MAC, Jenny Wiley Theatre, Thunder Ridge race track and other attractions.

The MAC would be the entity that would hire the person for data input/output, but the individual would work for various groups. Cooperating with other groups and selling the region as a whole is the group's goal.

The group stressed the need to take advantage of the advertising potential of US 23. Members mentioned the various country music stars associated with the highway and what the completion of the Dorton-Jenkins stretch of the highway can mean to this area's

tourism.

James said the data base now totals about 10,000 names and is increasing by nearly 100 names per month. "The best marketing practice is to work with people who have been here before," he said. "When a group comes in, it's not enough to send just one mailing." He added it is necessary to communicate with these people every time an event of interest to them comes up.

Mayor Jerry Fannin informed James that the city was planning to

erect a welcome sign with the greeting, "Welcome to Prestonsburg." He also said that the commission has about 40,000 brochures left and that he can easily use those by the end of the year.

James said he did a training session for Super 8 Motel on-site and that, although he does not have time for many training sessions, he can make available to other businesses a training film on hospitality.

The group discussed a box lunch program, in which legislators would be invited to Prestonsburg for lunch and information about the region.

Two big events are scheduled for the Prestonsburg area this week: The second anniversary celebration of the MAC and a championship car race at Thunder Ridge. All motel rooms in the area have already been taken, James said.

The commission meets the second Thursday of every month.

Transy's enrollment growth

Transylvania University broke two enrollment records this fall. Full-time enrollment is up five percent—from 1,010 to 1,060—and new student enrollment is up from 343 to 345, making this the largest full-time enrollment and the largest entering class in Transylvania's 218-year history. Total enrollment is up 4.7 percent—from 1,027 to 1,075.

Five of those students are from Floyd County: Elizabeth Blackburn, Emily Damron, Hanna Halbert, Monica Majmundar and Ronald Tackett.

"Transylvania's enrollment growth is attributed to a high retention rate of returning students and increased interest in Transylvania from high school students and their parents," said President Charles L. Shearer. "Again this year, we had to close admission to the freshman class at an early date."



Realtors picnic

The Big Sandy Board of Realtors held their annual picnic at Archer Park, recently. Robert Damron took his turn at the barbecue grill. (Photo by H. Allen Bolling)

Letters

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This law along with the Pride Program we have heard so much about are designed to clean up the water and other elements of our environment in Eastern Kentucky. We all know that it's long past due.

We can no longer continue to dump human waste, chemicals and other pollutants into our ground and water supply. You should be able to drink from any stream around these beautiful hills but I dare say none of us would do so today.

On top of our own pollutants, many of us have lousy well water caused by rampant strip mining and blasting. The Pride program and new laws are designed to make the water and lands cleaner for use not only by us, but for future generations.

Now, while I am all for cleaning

things up, we have to realize that problems need to be addressed. It's very easy to make laws and regulations but we have to also include people in these decisions. I am talking about people all over this state who have no problem with clean water, lands and air, but need help individually in complying.

There is a major cost involved if one seeks to build a new septic treatment system or upgrade one that is no longer viable. We have pumped millions of dollars into the PRIDE program across these mountains, but it seems those less fortunate have been left out of the mix.

There are elderly people living in trailers, old houses, rural and isolated farm and mountain homes all over this state who cannot afford to fix, upgrade or install a proper sep-

tic system.

I feel that grants and low interest loans should be made available based on income to those who need help in complying with what generally is a good idea/law. There are all kinds of low cost loans and grants out there for everything from farming to education to small businesses. We need to set up a fund to aid poorer people in complying with this law.

There's not many who want to pollute or don't want a clean environment.

If the government will help out, we all can enjoy a better, cleaner place to live without feeling too big a bite out of our pocketbooks in getting there.

"Chuck" Charles Scoville
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Hi, I'm Ira Edsel Branham, the Democrat candidate for state representative in the 94th District. I've enjoyed meeting and talking with as many of you as I have and I'd like to know your thoughts about how I can best serve our district, if elected.

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Please know that my door is always open and I do invite you to drop by or give me a call any time at 331 Main Street, Pikeville or call 432-2704 or 1-800-427-5661. Your input on the following questions would be much appreciated.

1. What do you believe to be the number one project we could undertake in the 94th District?

2. What project do you believe would benefit the 94th District most in terms of enhancing our potential tourism draw?

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Imajeon Robinson, pageant director, wishes to express her deepest thanks and appreciation to all who had attended the 1998 Patriotic Beauty Pageant. To the little boys and girls who took part in the pageant, and the parents for taking time bringing them to enter. The judges were Irene Sturgeon of West VA., Jamie Hall of Morhead KY., Michelle Hall of Garrett KY. The auditors, Kimberly Robinson of Martin, Shanice Sturgeon of West VA.

A portion of the proceeds from this pageant will be given to several local charities.

Sincerely,
Pageant Director

TO THE PARENTS AND VOTERS OF DISTRICT 1:



On January 13, 1998, I was sworn in as a member of the Floyd County Board of Education, marking the beginning of positive change and setting the course for a new direction. This was a journey you and I began together and one that we must continue.

The children of Floyd County deserve the very best educational opportunity we can give them. The only way this can happen is by electing to our Floyd County Board of Education someone who has demonstrated strong, effective leadership and the ability to make tough decisions based solely upon a genuine concern for all of our children.

Together, we can manage our own affairs, effect positive change, and build an educational system we can all be proud of!

Let's stay the course!
Let's continue what we have started!



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The Garrett High School Black Devils included, first row, from left, Coet Bolen, Eddy Hicks, Richard Lyons, Earnest Bolen Jr., Chester "Mutt" Higgins, Roy Lyons, James Mullins; back row—Clarence Moore, Bob Prater, Jack Patrick, Claude Frady, Dewey Duff, Jackie "Cougar" Slone, and Mack Slone, Eugene Mullins and Edmund Bolen were part of the team but aren't pictured.

Labor Day and long ago faces

This Labor Day weekend was like many holidays in the past. There was the steady strea of south and eastbound traffic, Friday, into Eastern Kentucky and the west and northbound traffic of Sunday and Monday, out of Eastern Kentucky.

The high-rising tree-covered mountains of Eastern Kentucky with their deep valleys all filled with memories of youthful days is like a magnet drawing on the anticipated excitement of seeing old but endearing friends. Like the watchful towering oak tree on a mountain point, the guardians of our past are sadly disappearing. The friends and families of long ago are now holiday or 72-hour returning residents, who will soon slip into the past era. Their roots are deep and many-branched like the guardian old oak tree. Like autumn's flying leaves—some flat, some curled and twisted into different shapes, some clinging to the branch like our memories—the full moon of that weekend made the memories of old friends just a little more memorable in some hearts and more tearful in the eye of others.

There are many family reunions taking place, but the granddaddy of all the reunions, are the school and hometown reunions. These events took place all over Eastern Kentucky on Labor Day weekend. This was the case in the town of Wayland, a small community in Floyd County, on the Right Fork of Beaver Creek. It has remained steadfast to its annual school and town reunion. The grade school has been demolished, but the high school building and gym still stand, no thanks to past closings by the school boards.

I met and got into another's toolbox of memories over Labor Day weekend, a former resident and student of Wayland, whose career in the field of education has touched many Kentuckians lives. I sat talking with this tan, softly spoken but vibrant man in the lobby of the Holiday Inn. At the age of 79, he looked like a distance runner; he still has a full head of hair; but it was graying in the right places, to give him a very distinguishing 50-ish appearance. He was wearing a short-sleeved white shirt and light-blue denim trousers. The man was Claude Frady, former principal of Hindman High School, former teacher of, as he stated, "six classes a day of English at Garrett High School, and the basketball coach of Garrett High in the years of 1948-49.

As I reached into Mr. Frady's

toolbox of memories, I could see a long-ago young teenage boy as he described his days of growing up in Wayland's Coal Camp town. His father was a coal miner during the 1920s. It was during this time in the coal fields that miners moved from coal town to coal town. The miners followed the work, much like migrate workers follow vegetable crops today. Families of miners of that era would ask each other "how many times have you moved?" If you hadn't moved at least six-eight

This and That

by: Bill Francis

times you weren't classified as an experienced miner and the families hadn't been around much.

Frady was born in Wilder, Tennessee. His father, Claude Frady, and mother, Fannie Hall Frady, were also born in Tennessee. In the 1920's, they picked up their belongings and children and moved into Pike County Kentucky, at Marrowbone, then to Weeksbury in Floyd County, then on to Dwale, where he attended the second through the sixth grade. Then his father moved to Wayland. His father began working for Elkhorn Coal Corporation. He cut coal as a machinist. He finished his grade and high school days at Wayland High School, graduating in 1937. He journeyed into his past with friends such as Francis Harmon, Joe Hobbs, and Arthur Haywood and recalled the skills of Mabre Martin, to name a few who played baseball, basketball, and football at Wayland. He talked of his school days as a student at then, Caney Creek Jr. College, (Alice Lloyd College). The two of us had a time remembering to call it by its present name. He recalled living at Caney's Cottage on the campus at the University of Kentucky, then being drafted in his junior year. He graduated later and his first teaching days were at Wayland. Later he became principal of both the grade and Wayland High School.

Our conversation then progressed to his coaching and teaching days, first as a teacher at Garrett High School. I could see faces and hear the memories of the students and ballplayers flooding his

thoughts and eyes. I could hear the referee's whistle and hear the bouncing basketball. I compared his memories to the blowing leaves of that day as he described his teaching and coaching days. The branches of the guardian oak trees swayed in a blowing wind as he talked and coaching days. The branches of the guardian oak trees swayed in a blowing wind as he talked of his students and players. That was like comparing the uniqueness of a leaf. Each student had their place; each leaf is important to as guardian oak. He named a student and then another, and the same thing would happen as he named his famed ballplayers. He told me of many of his outstanding English students and basketball players. I will try to name a few in this short article.

Frady was the basketball coach in 1948 when the Garrett High School "Black Devils" went to the state tournament. Many of his players were on the All District team: Dewey Duff, Jackie "Cougar" Slone, and Eugene Mullins. On the All Tournament Team in Regionals were Dewey Duff, Jackie Slone, James and Eugene Mullins. Honorable mention on the State Team went to Dewey Duff.

Frady had forgotten in his modesty, as I reminded him, he was honorable mention as Coach of the Year in 1948. The school buildings and its once young, energetic principal, Charles Clark, and many teachers live on in the fond memories of its former students. Frady stated one of Eastern Kentucky foremost educators was Charles Clark.

Frady and his wife Eloise, live in Bowling Green. Garrett High and grade school, along with its gymnasium and classrooms full of memories, have been leveled to the ground to build a park. All that remains of the school with once the largest enrollment in Floyd County and proud with tradition and memories, is a long-standing elm tree that stood behind the high school. Its long hanging branches, as if crying gracefully awaiting the arrival of the voices of children and the ringing of bells. Hopefully, in the wisdom of some, for the memories it will remain Garrett High School and sports field.

Mr. Frady and I hope to continue or travel into times past at "Our Appalachian Day" at Alice Lloyd College in October.

Bill Francis, a former student of both Garrett grade and high school, is retired from the University of Kentucky. He lives at Mousie.

Local professionals are sought for speaker-trainer program

A statewide speaker's bureau is now being formed to educate Kentucky citizens on recent progress in child brain development activities in the Commonwealth.

The top recruiting priority is obtaining the speaking services of well-known men and women from the professional community.

"The people we seek are the movers and shakers of our state who stand tall in community service," said Floyd County native Quentin D. Allen, who is state recruiting coordinator.

Kentucky is emulating the successful Florida speaker-training program, Allen said. Three regional sites, Lexington (December 7), Somerset (December 9), and Owensboro (December 11) will train 30 people each. Each speaker will be expected to deliver 10 speeches a year.

The professional people recruited will represent police, pediatricians, juvenile justice, senior citizens, social workers, business, faith community, family youth service resource service centers, child care,

head start/preschool, public health and politicians.

Deadline for recruitment is October 25, when all applicants will be turned over to the Kentucky "I Am Your Child" Recruitment and Invitation Committee for final

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I attended Prestonsburg Elementary and Prestonsburg High School (Class of 1957).

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**Managerial changes announced for
Pikeville District by American Electric**

American Electric Power (AEP:NYSE) has named new managers for its reorganized Pikeville District which covers operations in Pikeville, Paintsville, Hazard, Jackson and Whitesburg.

New superintendents, according to John Coffey, Pikeville District manager, are:

- Mary Begley, Whitesburg area;
- Tim Hall, Paintsville area;
- Mike Lasslo, Hazard area; and
- Oscar Ratliff, Pikeville District engineering.

"These new managers live and are involved in the communities they serve.

"Each is ready to assist customers and will strive to make customer service a priority item. They can be reached by dialing 1-800-572-1113," Coffey said.

Begley, previously South Pike Customer Service Team supervisor, is a 1981 graduate of Morehead State University. She began her career at AEP in 1982 in Hazard, and worked in Whitesburg from 1990 to 1994 as a marketing and customer services representative.

She and her husband, Dan, will relocate to the Whitesburg area.

Hall, an AEP employee since December 1976, was a line mechanic until being promoted to line crew supervisor in 1982.

The Betsy Layne High School graduate was promoted in 1995 to Floyd County Customer Service Team supervisor.

He and his wife, Kay, have two children and live in Paintsville.

Lasslo, a University of Kentucky electrical engineering graduate, had been customer services superintendent in Hazard since 1995.

He began his AEP career in 1978 as an electrical engineer, and later worked as customer services manager and station manager. He and his wife, Patti, have two sons and live in Hazard.

Ratliff, hired in 1981 in AEP's Roanoke, Virginia, engineering department, transferred to Kentucky in 1982.

He has worked in Pikeville's engineering, marketing and customer services, and energy services functions. Ratliff moved to Paintsville in 1994.

He and his wife, Linda, live at Dana.

AEP also announced continued supervisory duties for:

- George Burchett, who leads measurement electrician activities based in Pikeville;
- Doug Combs and Mark Cornette, who lead functions in the company's Hazard and

Pikeville stores operations, respectively, overseeing materials acquisition and stock;

• Carolyn Thacker, who heads credit and collections based in Pikeville; and

• Clarice Wallace, who leads meter reading activities based in Hazard.



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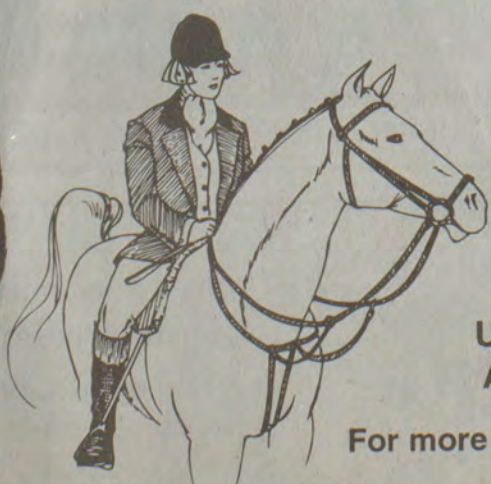
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THE FAMILY OF CLAUDE HALE

Card of Thanks

The family of Curtis Bert Case wishes to thank all those friends, neighbors, and family who helped them in any way upon the passing of their loved one. Thanks to those who sent food, flowers, prayers, and words of comfort expressed. A special thanks to the Mouth of Mud Church of Christ; the clergymen, Elbert "Red" Lawson and Doug Ramey, for their comforting words; the sheriff's department for their assistance in traffic control; and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

THE FAMILY OF CURTIS BERT CASE

Card of Thanks

The family of Susan Akers would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their help in the loss of our loved one: those who sent food and flowers, or spoke comforting words. We deeply appreciate you all. A special thanks to Clergyman Albert King for his comforting words; the sheriff's department for their assistance in traffic control; and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

THE FAMILY OF SUSAN AKERS

Card of Thanks

The family of Simon Akers wishes to gratefully acknowledge the thoughtfulness and kindness of friends, relatives, and neighbors in the loss of our loved one. Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, prayers, or spoke comforting words. We are especially grateful to the clergymen, Tracy Patton, Mark McCoy and Tim McClanahan, for their comforting words; the sheriff's department for their assistance in traffic control; and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

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A halo of gold and wings of white,
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Love, all your family*



Naomi Goble Gagle

Naomi Goble Gagle, 81, of Prestonsburg, died Friday, October 9, 1998, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg.

Born November 3, 1916 at Prestonsburg, she was the daughter of the late William C. and Byrd Beavers Goble. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Prestonsburg.

She was a former office worker for International Harvester in Fort Wayne, Indiana, and a former teacher at Prestonsburg High School.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Lawrence H. Gagle, on December 15, 1993.

Survivors include one sister, Dora Osborne of Prestonsburg.

Funeral services were Monday, October 12, at 11 a.m., at the First Presbyterian Church in Prestonsburg, with Rev.

George Love officiating.

Burial was in the Spring Hills Cemetery in Fort Recovery, Ohio, under the direction of Carter Funeral Home, Prestonsburg.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, October 15, at noon, at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home of Martin.

Burial will follow in the Fitzpatrick Cemetery in Prestonsburg.

Mary Ellen Poe

Mary Ellen Poe, 81, of Prestonsburg, died Monday, October 12, 1998 at Highlands Regional Medical Center in Prestonsburg.

Born on December 1, 1916 in Floyd County, she was the daughter of the late Malcolm and Sally Johnson Hughes. She was a homemaker.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Ned Poe Jr.

Survivors include seven sons, Joe Alex Poe and Bill Henry Poe, both of Salyersville, Leonard Edward Poe and Johnny Bruce Poe, both of Blue River, and Charles Gene Poe, Isaac Poe, and Malcolm Pete Poe, all of Prestonsburg; three daughters, Pauline Ousley of Claypool, Indiana, Mary Dorothy Smith of Scotts, Michigan, and Goldie Ann Shepherd of Shelbyville; three brothers, Dewey Hughes of David, Charlie Hughes of Claypool, Indiana, and Leonard Hughes of Ada, Ohio; seven step-grandchildren; six step-great-grandchildren; 11 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday, October 15, at noon, at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home of Martin.

Burial will follow in the Fitzpatrick Cemetery in Prestonsburg.

Taylor Calhoun

Taylor Calhoun, 63, of Ijamsville, Indiana, formerly of Prestonsburg, died October 11, 1998, at his residence.

Born June 6, 1935 at Water Gap, he was the son of the late Ershel and Mabel Boggs Calhoun. His was a metal polisher for C.N.I. in Warsaw, Indiana, and was a member of the Trinity Faith Tabernacle of Piercetown, Indiana.

He is survived by his wife, Ruth A. Sharp Calhoun; two stepsons, Danny Sharp of Wabash, Indiana, and Steve Sharp of Laketon, Indiana; two stepdaughters, Barbara Jackson and Sherry Sharp, both of Ijamsville, Indiana; two brothers, Johnny Calhoun and Lester Calhoun, both of Atwood, Indiana; five sisters, Verlin Nichols of Prestonsburg, Pat Whitaker of Silver Lake, Indiana; Birdie Wolfe of North Webster, Indiana, Verbie McCorkle of Warsaw, Indiana and Laurie Shepherd of Piercetown, Indiana; six step-grandchildren; three step-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, October 13, at 7 p.m. at the Trinity Faith Tabernacle Church in Piercetown, Indiana with Rev. William Whitaker officiating.

Burial followed in the Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel, under the direction of Floyd Funeral Home in Prestonsburg and Delaughter-McKee Mortuary in North Manchester, Indiana.

Dennis "Bob" Jones

Dennis "Bob" Jones, 66, of Hi Hat, husband of Nora Lou Matthews Jones, died Monday, October 12, 1998, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital in McDowell.

Born May 16, 1932, in Grethel, he was the son of the late James Madison "Matt" Jones and Lona Bell Hall Jones. He was a retired businessman and a U.S. Army Veteran.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by one son, Brian D. Jones of Grethel; one daughter, Briggett D. Jones of Hi Hat; two brothers, Burnis Jones of Hopkinsville, and Shelby Jones of Okeechobee, Florida; four sisters, Fostella Mitchell of Beaver, Jeanette Trott and Clara Hamilton, both of Columbus, Ohio, and Roxie Bentley of Grethel; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Friday, October 16, at 11 a.m. at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, with Heiko Giese officiating.

Entombment will be in Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel, with the Hall Funeral Home of Martin, caring for those arrangements.

Serving as pallbearers will be his nephews, Jimmy Mitchell, Gary Mitchell, Ron Howell, Roger Jones, Dwight Jones, Mark Daugherty, Larry Daugherty, Darrell Daugherty, Robby Matthews, Greg Matthews, Tony Trott, Ralph Jones, Ricky Jones, Jerry Jones and Neal Matthews.

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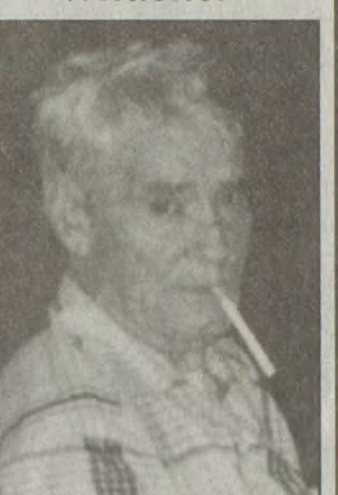
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"Whacker"



James F. Spears

James F. "Whacker" Spears, 74, of Endicott, died Friday, October 9, 1998, at the home of his nephew, Belvra Collins of Allen, following a six-month illness.

Whacker was born May 1, 1924 at Endicott, to the late Drew and Dixie Spears Collins. He was a farmer and member of the Church of Christ.

He is survived by his wife, Gladys McKenzie Spears; and one sister, Sarilda "Coonie" Endicott of Endicott.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by four brothers, John Spears, Estill Spears, Kermit Spears and Bill Goble; and three sisters, Lydia Sherman, Renia Burchett and Annie B. Collins.

Funeral services will be held Monday, October 12, at 2 p.m., at the Floyd Funeral Home Chapel, with James Morrison officiating.

Burial will be in the Collins Family Cemetery on Left Fork of Home Branch, Endicott.

Serving as active pallbearers will be Dennis Goble, Gary Blackburn, Steffan Jervis, Lonzo Jervis, Burnis Spears, Bradis Reed, Roosevelt Reed and Belvra Collins.

Honorary pallbearers will be James A. Goble, Willis Lewis Jr., Ricky "Jake" Jarrell, Chester Burchett, Maryland "Bo" Burchett, Tommy Lewis, Kelvin Sherman, Jim Bo Burchett and Gerald Ray Maynard.

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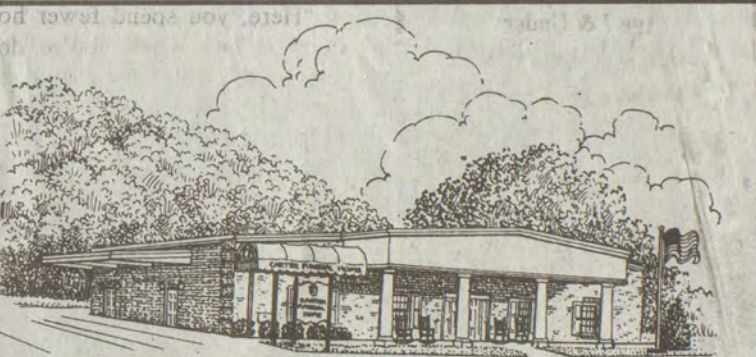
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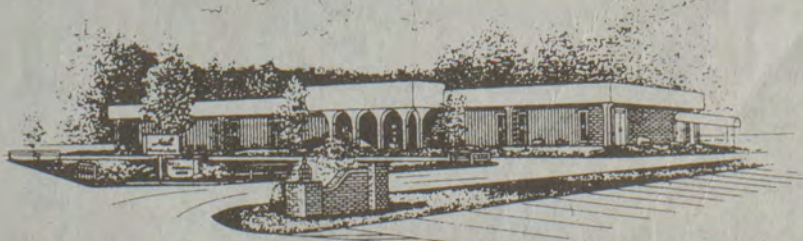
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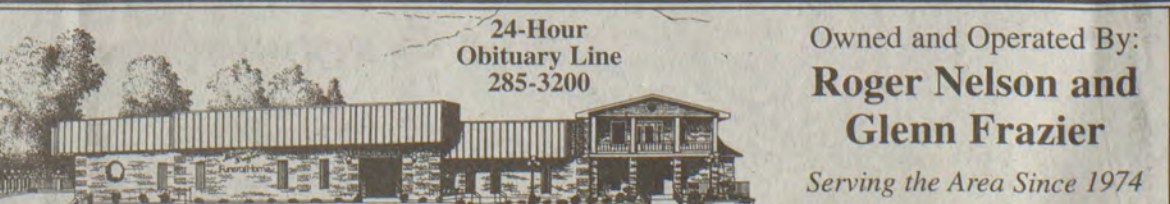
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Terina Hicks is a recent GED graduate of Prestonsburg Elementary Family Resource Center. Hicks was a student of Joyce Hall. For more information about the GED program, contact the Prestonsburg Elementary Family Resource Center at 886-7088.

Robertson wins Hale scholarship

Jesse Robertson of Prestonsburg, a freshman at the University of Kentucky, has been awarded the \$700 Isaac Henry Hale Scholarship to assist with expenses at UK.

"They called my home in Prestonsburg, then they tracked me down here to tell me I'd been awarded the scholarship," said Robertson, son of Charles and Sandra Robertson of Circle Drive. Actually, it was the second scholarship he had received. Earlier, he was awarded the Chancellor's Scholarship, which provides \$500 a semester over eight semesters. Both assist with the cost of tuition and expenses.

Robertson, who graduated last spring from The Piarist School in Martin with a 3.92 grade point average, has enjoyed the transition from high school to college.

"I like having more freedom and responsibility. In high school, you had to be in school seven hours a day, five days a week," Robertson said.

"Here, you spend fewer hours in class and when you're done, you leave. But I do spend more time studying after class," he said.

Robertson already was accustomed to the demands of college, since he had earned 19 hours at Prestonsburg Community College while still in high school.

At UK, he is a pre-accounting major. His announced interest in a business major aided his selection for the Isaac Henry Hale Scholarship, which is given by the UK Carol Martin Gatton College of Business and Economics.

The scholarship was created last year by Gary and Charlotte Hale of London, in memory of their son, Henry Hale died in April 1996, one day before his 22nd birthday, while undergoing treatment for a brain tumor at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minnesota.

Henry Hale had completed his degree requirements prior to his death, and he was awarded his bachelor's degree summa cum laude and with department honors from the Gatton College's finance program in May 1996.

Gary and Charlotte Hale established the scholarship fund to assist students from Eastern Kentucky with tuition expenses arising from their pursuit of a business degree.

Robertson said he has written the Hales to thank them for their

generosity. He said his business major is a good fit with his personality. "I enjoy working with people, and I chose accounting because I enjoy working with numbers and statistics," he said.

He also finds himself a good fit with UK. "I chose UK, because it has a respectable business college. It also is the state's flagship university, and it is not too far from Prestonsburg," Robertson said.

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The family of **Sherman Edward Puckett** wishes to thank all of our neighbors and friends during our time of grief. We want to thank those who sent the beautiful flowers. A special thanks to Evangelist Bennie Blankenship, John Burke, Larry Johnson, D.A.V 128., and Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home for their kindness and thoughtfulness which will always be remembered.

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Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, prayers, or spoke comforting words.

We are especially grateful to the clergymen Bethel Bolen, Jerry Manns, and Greg Nichols, and the choir and members of Hueysville Church of Christ.

A special thank-you to all the pallbearers and honorary pallbearers, the nursing staff on the ICU floor at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, and the Disabled American Veterans for conducting graveside services.

Our special thank-you to Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

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Calendar items will be printed as space permits

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

Historical society to meet

The Floyd County Historical and Genealogical Society will meet Monday, October 19, at 7 p.m. in the conference room at the Floyd County Library in Prestonsburg. Everyone is invited.

Friends of PHS

Friends of Prestonsburg High School Library will meet Monday, October 26, at 7:30 p.m., in the PHS Library. The group is raising funds to buy books for the library. All former students and interested persons are urged to attend.

Recreation activities

The South Floyd Youth Service Center is providing recreation activities before school and during lunch periods. The center is sponsoring several guest presentations. Contact the center for time and subjects.

The center has a One-Stop Career Station satellite. This is available to the community as well as to the students. Stop in Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Anyone interested in Adult Ed., contact the center.

The South Floyd Youth Services Center is located on South Floyd's campus in room 232. For more information, contact Keith Smallwood or Mable Hall, 606-452-9600, ext. 145 or 158.

Social security representative at Mud Creek

A social security representative will visit the Mud Creek Clinic each Tuesday evening during the month of October.

The representative will be in the clinic to assist people in filing Social Security claims and appeals.

People can also apply for Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Black Lung and Social Security numbers. You can also pick up booklets on Social Security and get questions answered.

McDowell Family Resource Center activities

• GED classes are taught each Thursday by Joyce Hall at the McDowell Family Resource Center. These classes are free for those interested in earning their G.E.D.

• The McDowell Family Resource Center has clothing for those families in our area who are in need of clothing. Call 377-2678 for more information.

Craftspersons sought

Hazard Community College is compiling a list of craftspersons and persons interested in crafts.

HCC is interested in helping craftspersons be successful in their trade and develop programs and opportunities for people to learn

about arts and crafts.

If you are interested in business and marketing training to help your crafts business or in teaching or taking a craft class, call the Knott County Branch of Hazard Community College, 785-4114. Larry Parke, the business and industry trainer, is available to help craftspersons start, refine or expand their business.

Judy Johnson, the continuing education facilitator, is coordinating non-credit classes and seminars about crafts.

Spectacular

First Baptist Church, located on First Avenue (down the street from Billy Ray's), will hold a Spectacular after each Prestonsburg High School home football game. Free food, fun, music and fellowship. Come and bring a friend!!

Revival

The Tom Moore Memorial Free Will Baptist Church at Cliff will be having a revival, October 11-18. Sunday evening service, 6 p.m.; weeknight services, 7 p.m. Special singing nightly. Jason Hurt is the evangelist.

Paramount Arts Center presents Billy Dean in concert

Country star Billy Dean will be in concert at the historic Paramount Arts Center on Thursday, November 5, at 8 p.m.

Tickets will go on sale this Thursday morning at 9:30 a.m. For ticket information (only \$18 each plus \$1 service charge) call the Paramount Arts Center, 1300 Winchester Ave., in Ashland, at 606-324-3175.

Halloween dance

A Halloween dance will be held

Wednesday, October 14 at 7 p.m. at McDowell Elementary K-6 in the auditorium. Admission is \$2. Costume optional. Sponsored by PTA.

South Floyd Youth Services Center activities

• Recreation and activities held before school and during lunch.

• One Stop Station satellite at the center. Students and community can come in to check on careers, colleges or write résumés.

• GED classes.

• Cancer Supper Group.

For information on these and other services, contact Keith Smallwood or Mable Hall at 452-9600, ext. 145 or 158.

Adams Middle School Youth Services Center activities

• Any parents interested in taking free "Introduction to Computers" class, contact the center at 886-9812.

• Respect Society for any sixth or seventh grade students interested. Contact the center for info.

Can't stop drinking?

If you think you have a problem with alcohol, Alcoholics Anonymous is willing to help. For meeting information, call 1-800-467-8019.

Depressed Anonymous will meet

The new 12-step group in the Big Sandy area will meet every Thursday at 7 p.m. in the conference room of the Big Sandy Area Development office (located over on Stephen's Branch, Cliff, behind Schwan's). Anyone interested may attend. Call 886-0483 for more information.

Diabetes/support group

The Johnson County Diabetes Association and Support Group meetings will be held the third Tuesday of every month at 7 p.m., at the Johnson County Health Department. Call 789-2590 for more information.

Dream Factory needs volunteers

The Prestonsburg chapter of the Dream Factory, a non-profit organization that grants "wishes" to chronically-ill children ages 3-13 in the Big Sandy area, is in need of volunteers and financial assistance. For more information, call 889-0707.

Meeting space

The New Horizons Club Inc. has meeting space available for support groups and other organizations. The facility is located at 2 W. Court Street in Prestonsburg. For more information call 886-6760 ask for Scott.

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Ward edits publications

by **Barbara E. Williams**
Journalism student
Pikeville College

Elgin Ward, assistant professor of English at Pikeville College, has assumed the 1998-1999 editorship of The Pikeville Review and Voices from the Hill.

"I want to present good literature to the public and continue earning the respect these publications have brought to our college," said Ward. "I really enjoy working on these books."

Ward added, "The Pikeville Review is a great way for Pikeville College to make itself known to the world in a positive way."

Manuscripts were submitted from Australia, Canada, England, France, Germany, Guam, Japan, South Africa, and all over the U.S. for the 1998 issue of the Review, according to Ward. "Quality and a concern for craft are the only true requirements for acceptance."

Ward was Review assistant editor in 1996 and co-editor in 1997 with Dr. James Riley, who started

the publication 11 years ago.

"I was very pleased when Elgin agreed to accept the editorship of the Review," said Riley. "He did a good job on the '98 issue, and I'm looking forward to reading his first issue in '99."

Voices from the Hill is a collection of good representative student English essays, literature papers, and Pikeville College poetry contest winning poems and is published by the Division of Humanities.

"The essays in Voices are used in English classes as teaching tools and are a great way to showcase student accomplishments," said Ward, editor of Voices the past two years. "I am a writer myself, but I love to edit."

Ward is starting his seventh year at Pikeville College, and is currently working toward a Ph.D. in literature and criticism at Indiana University of Pennsylvania.

"I like the small family-like atmosphere of Pikeville College," said Ward. "I was really impressed when I first came here, because the students come first. The college has

a great family of faculty who really care about their students."

In addition to his campus responsibilities, Ward is a member of the Board of directors for the Dollars for Scholars program, which he helped start in Pike County.

He and his wife, Carole, live in Allen. They have three sons, Elgin Jr., Timothy, and Christopher, and six grandchildren, who reside in the Huntington, West Virginia, area.

Ward's hobbies include traveling with his wife, enjoying his grandchildren, reading, and playing golf.

Student co-editors were: Paula Dye Cool, a junior from Pikeville; David Meek, a junior from Shelbyana; Roger Mullins, a sophomore from Virgie; Jennifer A. Robinson, a junior from Pikeville; Michele D. Smith, a sophomore from Phelps; and Tammy Bradley Wright, a senior from Raccoon.

The Pikeville Review sells for \$4.00 and is currently available through the Pikeville College bookstore.

Three win MSU honors

Three Floyd County students earned degrees with honors from Morehead State University during the 1998 summer sessions.

They are:

• Jeremy E. Clark of Eastern, bachelor of business administration, magna cum laude.

• Donna R. Ousley of Martin, bachelor of social work, cum laude.

• Elizabeth J. Smith of Hi Hat, bachelor of science, cum laude.

To earn a degree magna cum laude, a student must have a cumulative grade point average of 3.6 to 3.89 on a 4.0 scale. To earn a degree cum laude, a student must have a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 to 3.59 on a 4.0 scale.

Updating at PMH

Pikeville Methodist Hospital is updating its list of foreign language interpreters and need the help of local residents.

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by Barbara E. Williams
Pikeville College
journalism student

being, but you must define regular because no one is regular," said Teddy.

Teddy is a Christian who believes that God made him for a reason. "I do not look at my disability as a punishment, but as a gift from God." Teddy is thankful that God gave him the ability to do things that only the less fortunate dream about doing. "God gave me a brain, and I intend to use it for everything it is worth," said Teddy. "I thank God every day for allowing me to just be here. He is the most important person in my life."

Instead of blaming others for his disability, Teddy says he does the things he wants to do, and does not sit and wait for someone to hand him everything on a silver platter. Teddy's motto is to go all the way and not settle for half.

Teddy is the son of Carl and Teresa Smith of Bowling Fork of Marrowbone in Pike County. His sister, Selena, is a sophomore at Pikeville College, and his brother, Max, is a sophomore at Millard High School.

School has always been important to Teddy. From his childhood to adulthood, he loved to learn. Teddy graduated as an honor student from Millard High School this summer with a grade point average of 3.43 and was number seven out of a class of sixty.

"I knew Pikeville College was where I wanted to go, and had no reason to look elsewhere," said Teddy. "I found the best college the day I toured the Pikeville campus."

From the first day of his classes, students and teachers have been

very nice, friendly, and helpful to Teddy. "I like all my instructors," said Teddy. "I'm having a great time here; college is a lot of fun."

Pamela Scott, Teddy's reading and study skills instructor, said, "Teddy is a delight to have in the classroom. He is always prepared and ready to contribute to discussions," Scott added, "With his strong determination, Teddy should do very well at Pikeville College."

According to Teddy, "All buildings here have elevators, and that helps a lot." He can easily access the buildings that have automatic door openers. His mother is there five days a week to help him access the only two buildings that do not have automatic door openers, prepare his lunch tray, and assist in general. Teddy's mother said the college has offered assistance in these areas, but she wanted to personally be available for Teddy during his first semester transition.

Teddy and his family expressed their appreciation Ron Damron, dean of Enrollment and Student

Services, for his assistance in college preparations. "Ron Damron talked to and guided us from the

beginning, and has done everything in his power to make Pikeville College my home," said Teddy.

Teddy Wayne Smith (Teddy), a freshman at Pikeville College, is having a wonderful time this fall. This is not unusual for most PC freshmen, but Teddy is not the usual college freshman. Teddy suffers from a type of muscular dystrophy that has made him physically disabled since birth.

"The disease I have is called anterior horn cell disease. Otherwise, I am a regular human



Sandy Carroll is a recent GED graduate of the Prestonsburg Elementary Family Resource Center. Carroll was a student of Joyce Hall. For more information about the GED program, contact the Prestonsburg Elementary Family Resource Center at 886-7088.

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Selective service registration

For the first time, the Internet can be used to find out if a man is registered with the Selective Service System (SSS).

"This will make registration verification easier for men in millions of computer households," says Gil Coronado, director of the Selective Service System in Arlington, Virginia, the government agency responsible for conducting a draft in a national emergency. "It will also make it easy for officials dispensing federal and state benefits or privileges linked to registration to check and see if a young man is registered before he is deemed eligible for the benefit," Coronado said, noting that the Selective Service System celebrates its 58th anniversary during September. The agency was formally created on September 16, 1940.

There are many federal and state benefits linked to the registration requirement. These include federal student assistance (Pell grants and college loans), job training under the Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA), and eligibility for jobs in the Executive Branch of government, including jobs with the U.S. Postal Service. Eligibility for citizenship may also be affected if a young man was required to register, but failed to do so. Additionally, half of all the states have legislation supporting Selective Service. Several states deny enrollment in state colleges and universities to young men who are required to register, but have not done so. Many states refuse state employment to those young men not registered with Selective Service.

Anyone using a computer connected to the Internet can go to the Selective Service Web site at <http://www.sss.gov>, and they will find a link to "Check a Registration." By entering a man's

last name, social security number, and date of birth, the SSS computer will research the data base and display on the screen the man's Selective Service number and effective date of registration.

"This new verification service will be enormously helpful to men who must provide their Selective

Service numbers to obtain student loans or federal jobs," notes Coronado.

Young men must register within 30 days of turning 18 in accordance with federal law. More than 38 million men have registered since 1980, however none has been drafted. The last draft ended in 1973.

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CONCURRENT NOTICE

NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF NO SIGNIFICANT EFFECT ON THE ENVIRONMENT AND NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS

Wednesday, October 14, 1998

The City of Paintsville, City Building, 101 Euclid Avenue, P. O. Box 71, Paintsville, KY 41240, (606) 789-2600, applicant.

TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS:

On or about Friday, October 30, 1998, the above-named city will request the Kentucky Department of Local Government to release federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (PL 93-383) for the following project:

The Honey Branch Industrial Site: Sewage Project will construct a 1.0 mgd WWTP on Route 2381 in Johnson County with a waste water collection line extending roughly along Route 302, Route 3 and the airport access road to the Industrial Park site. Federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act will be used to fund the collection line. Other components of the complete project include construction of a second waste water collection line from the WWTP along Route 2381 and KY 321 (locally known as old U.S. 23) to American Standard in Johnson County; construction of a water supply line extending from Floyd County along KY 321 and Route 3 to its junction with the airport access road; and, finally, construction of a second water supply line extending south from Martin County along Route 3 and then along the airport access road to the site. The water lines will provide a dual source of water for the proposed United States Penitentiary - Big Sandy. Portions of this project are located in the 100 year floodplain. Every action will be taken to minimize impacts to the floodplain. The proposed construction will conform with all applicable local, state and federal floodplain construction standards. WWTP / industrial site collection line: Census tracts 9806, 9802, 9502.

It has been determined that such request for release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and, accordingly, the above-named city has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (PL 91-190).

The reasons for the decision, pursuant to Part 58.16(a)(3), are: 1) No public agency or individual has presented any data which indicates there are any negative environmental impacts to result from this project; 2) All environmental impact issues raised during environmental assessment have been resolved or will be addressed during project implementation; and 3) All NEPA requirements can be met without preparation of an Environmental Impact Statement.

An Environmental Review Record respecting the within project has been made by the above-named city which documents the environmental review of the project and more fully sets forth the reasons why such Statement is not required. This Environmental Review Record is on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying, upon request, at the Big Sandy Area Development District, 100 Resource Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653, during normal business hours.

No further environmental review of such project is proposed to be conducted prior to the request for release of federal funds.

All interested agencies, groups, and persons who disagree with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by the City of Paintsville to the Office of the Mayor. Such written comments should be received at the Office of the Mayor, City of Paintsville, City Building, 101 Euclid Avenue, P. O. Box 71, Paintsville, KY 41240, on or before the close of business Thursday, October 29, 1998. Any comments received will be considered and the city will not request the release of federal funds or take any administrative action on the within project prior to the date specified in the preceding sentence.

The City of Paintsville will undertake the construction of the industrial site waste water collection line described above with Block Grant funds from the Kentucky Department of Local Government (KDLG) under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974. The City of Paintsville is certifying to the State that the City and Mayor Robin Cooper, in his capacity as certifying officer, consent to accept the jurisdiction of the federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental reviews, decision making, and action; and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval, the City of Paintsville may use the Block Grant funds and the State and HUD will have satisfied their responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969. The State will accept an objection to its approval only if it is on one of the following bases:

- (a) The certification was not in fact executed by the city's Certifying Officer.
- (b) The City has failed to make one of the two findings pursuant to SS578.57, 58.53 or 58.64 for the project, as applicable.
- (c) The City has omitted one or more of the steps set forth at Subparts F and G for the preparation and completion of an EA.
- (d) No opportunity was given to the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation or its Executive Director to review the effect of the project on a property listed on the National Register of Historic Places, or found to be eligible for such listing by the Secretary of the Interior, in accordance with 36 CFR Part 800.
- (e) The recipient has committed funds or incurred costs not authorized by this part before release of funds and approval of the environmental certification by HUD or the state.
- (f) Objections have been made by a federal agency.

Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedures (24 CFR Part 58) and may be addressed to the Kentucky Department of Local Government, Division of Community Programs, 1024 Capital Center Drive, Frankfort, KY 40601.

Objections to the release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be considered by the State. No objection received after Friday, November 13, 1998, will be considered by the State.

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Seniors hosted at Wheelwright event



Seniors Citizen Center Directors: front row Lois Curry, Wheelwright; Ellen Brown, McDowell; Nannetta Yates, Betsy Layne; and Loretta Bentley Mud Creek back row Shanon Anderson, Wayland and Al Gunter, Prestonsburg.



Sissy Hall shoots practice baskets as other senior citizen participants watch.



Charlie Williams shows Robeta Luxmore the finer points of the walker.

by Willie Elliott
Staff Writer

of the many prizes that were given at the end of the activities.

Norma Mullins, one of the seniors who enjoyed the day, said, "(It is) wonderful for old folks to get together. I used to live in Wheelwright and I had a lot of friends here."

Senior citizens from various parts of Floyd County did not let the cool weather dampen their spirits as they gathered at the Paul Hunt Thompson Park in Wheelwright on Friday to participate in Wheelwright Senior Day.

Other centers represented at the event were Betsy Layne, McDowell, Mud Creek, Prestonsburg and Wayland. The Martin Senior Citizen group had another engagement and could not attend.

This annual event is sponsored by the City of Wheelwright, city commissioners, and Wheelwright Senior Citizen Center, directed by Lois Curry. Many people in the community volunteer their time to make this a successful event for the seniors.

The event included a health fair, sporting events and a picnic.

Leigh Ann Maynard from McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital was on hand to provide the seniors with literature on age-related health care.

Charlie Williams from C&M Home Care and Medical Equipment displayed medical devices designed to make seniors' lives easier. He showed a one-touch basic diabetes monitoring system, a walker with wheels and a shopping basket.

The Left Beaver Rescue Squad had three presenters. Jeffery Mullins checked blood pressure readings for the seniors before they engaged in the athletic events. Patrick Wright and Danny Gullett showed a 911 film and did pulse readings.

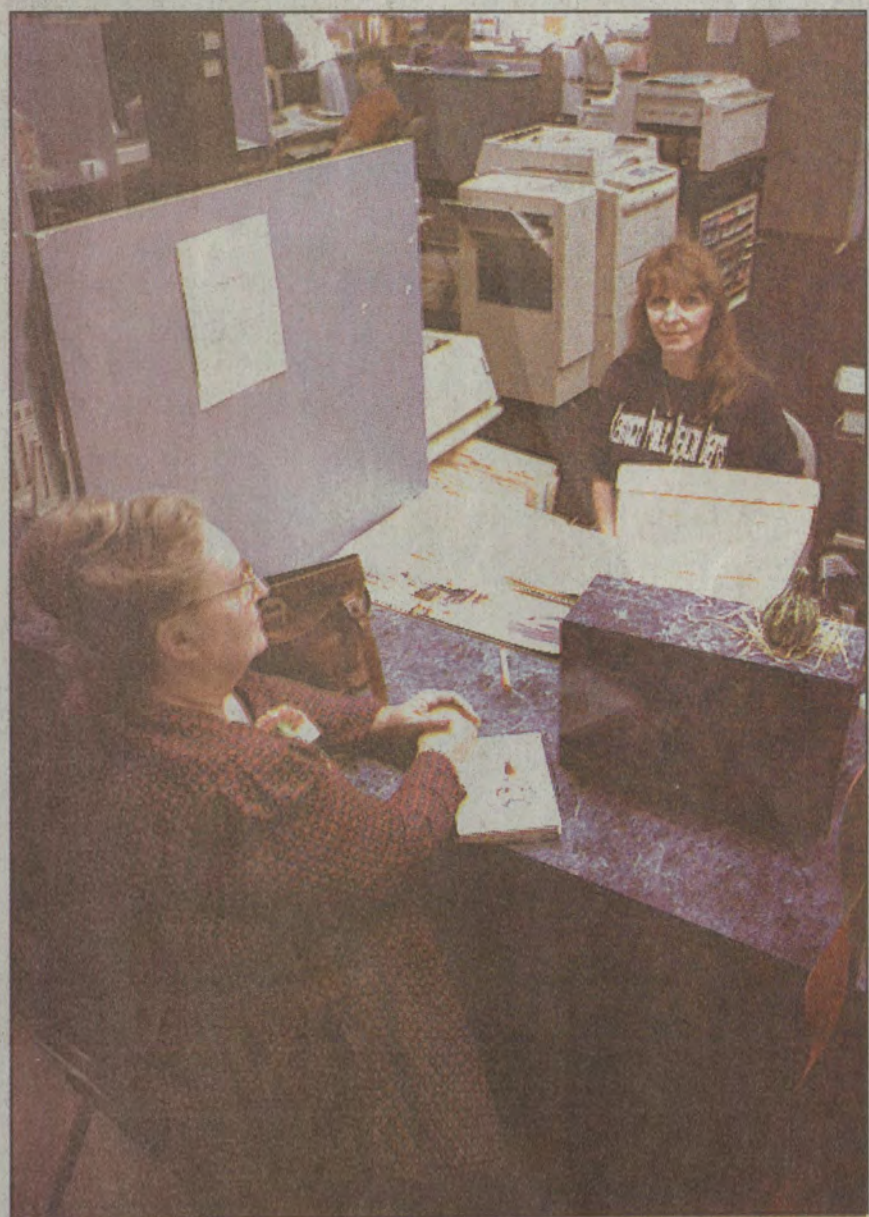
Ricky Thornsberry from the Floyd County Sheriff's Department had a display of contraband drugs.

The sporting events included basketball, softball, football toss, hog-calling contest and others. Trophies were presented to the winners in the various sports competition, and those who did not win in these events still had a chance to win one

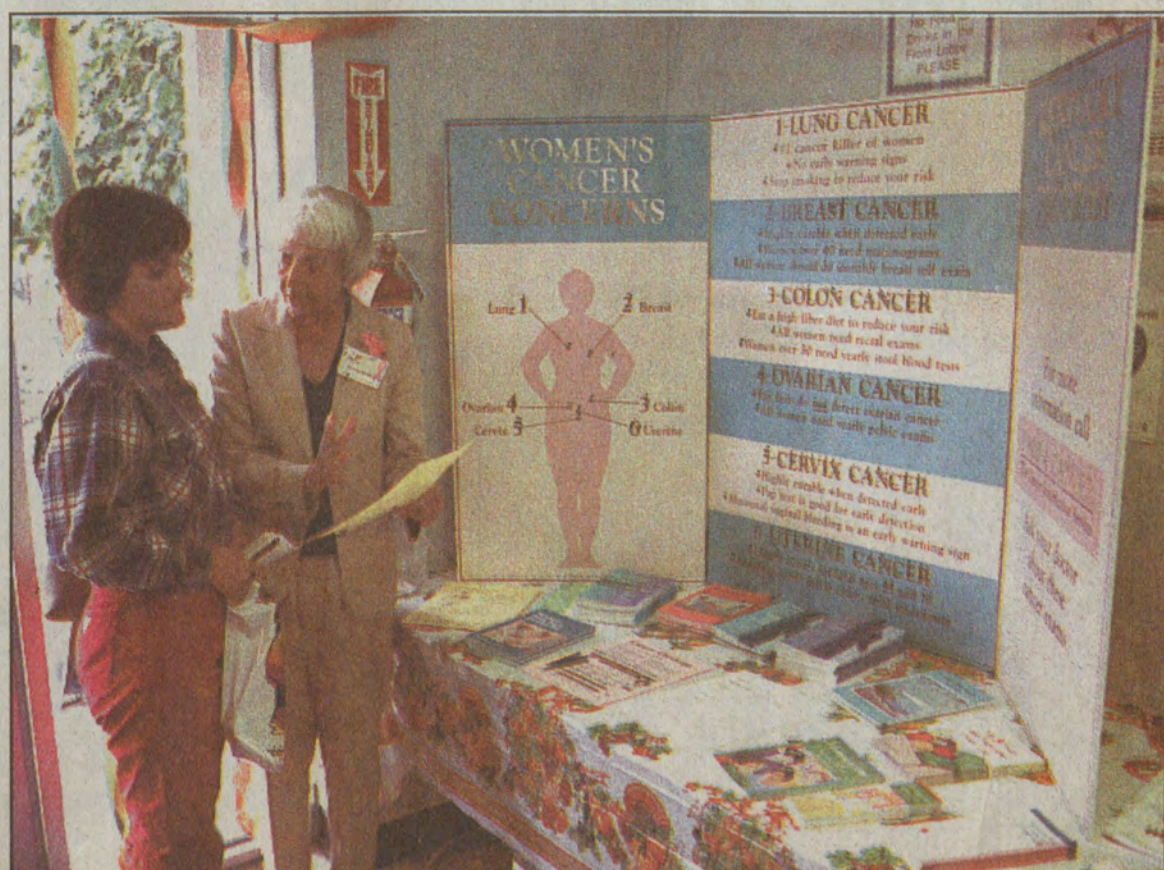


Leigh Ann Maynard displays her health literature for seniors.

Be healthy



With loads of people in town for the Jenny Wiley Pioneer Festival, the Floyd County Health Department sponsored Women's Health Day on Friday to encourage women to take better care of themselves. Pat Tyson, a registered nurse with the Kentucky Cancer Program, showed Loretta Ferrell of Martin literature on cancer. Tyson advised that though more women will get breast cancer, more women will actually die of lung cancer. Kathy Blair of East Point came by for a routine check-up, which she received after going over paperwork with health department clerk Tammy Justice of Prestonsburg. Janice Cooley, postmaster at Hueysville, talked with nurse Carrie Branham prior to Cooley's examination. The department plans a similar activity at the Mud Creek Clinic on Oct. 24. (photos by Ed Taylor)



Jim Claypool Conservation office sponsors contest

The 1998 Jim Claypool Conservation Art Contest and Conservation Writing Contest, formally known as the Conservation Poster and Essay Contest, is now under way.

This year's theme is Kentucky Wildlife Sharing Our Common Wealth.

This is a contest in which students may enter a transactive writing (in the form of a letter, feature article, editorial or speech) or artwork that must be standard art poster size (22"X28").

Writing may be in written ink, typed or computer-generated on one side of the paper only.

For artwork, any thickness or color of art board or cardboard may

be used. No plywood or composition board will be accepted. Artwork may be rendered in any medium: pencil, ink, charcoal, crayon, oil, etc., but it must be flat art.

While 3-D art is unacceptable, collages or other art pasted onto your board will be acceptable as long as it is flat art pasted securely to the poster board.

An entry must be created by one and only one student, all others will be disqualified. Also, all entries become property of contest sponsors which are: The Courier Journal, Floyd County Conservation District, and the Kentucky Farm Bureau.

Students in grades K through 5 may enter the Jim Claypool

Conservation Art Contest or the Conservation Writing Contest. They may not enter both contests. Students in grades 6 through 12 may enter the Conservation Writing Contest.

The Floyd County Conservation District will hold a banquet next spring to honor school and county winners and also schools that had

100% participation. Winners and their families are invited to attend.

The District will award school winners of artwork and writings the following: first place—\$25, second place—\$20, third place—\$15. County winners will be awarded: first place—\$50, second place—\$25, third place—\$20.

All winners will receive certifi-

cates. Schools with 100 percent participation will receive a plaque and \$100.

Extra copies of the tabloids are available in the local Kentucky Farm Bureau office, Floyd County Public Library, and the Floyd County Conservation District. All writings and artwork must be com-

pleted by November 23.

If there are any questions regarding the 1998 Conservation Writing Contest and the Jim Claypool Conservation Art Contest, please contact Michelle Goble at the Floyd County Conservation District at 886-9545, ext. 104.

Fire hazard season is underway in Ky.

Drought conditions may increase fires during fall forest fire hazard season.

Some areas of Kentucky received rain recently. But was it enough? The Kentucky Division of Forestry is concerned that drought conditions may increase fire occurrence during the Fall Forest Fire Hazard Season that began October 1, and ends December 15.

"It is critical that special care be taken when burning outdoors at

seasons, burning is restricted within 150 feet of the woods to the hours of 6 p.m. to 6 a.m. Prior to this change you could burn after 4:30 p.m. through midnight. This change was made because the wind is generally calmer during the evening hours, and humidity is usually higher, making it harder for fires to escape.

While burning is allowed between 6 p.m. and 6 a.m., no one should burn unless the air is calm, and there is adequate moisture in the air to allow control of fire.

It is illegal to start a fire any time of the year on or near timberland without taking all reasonable precautions to prevent it from spreading. Reasonable precautions require that the ground be cleared around a fire and that tools and water be readily available.

The law also requires that all outdoor fires be attended until extinguished.

Remember, other laws regarding outdoor burning may apply. Check state air quality and waste management regulations along with local ordinances before conducting any outdoor burning.

For additional information on the changes to the forestry burning law and other forestry issues, you may contact the Kentucky Division of Forestry at (502) 564-4496 or visit the division's web site at <http://www.state.ky.us/agencies/nrepc/dnr/forestry/dnrd-of.html>.

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all times, but especially during the Forest Fire Hazard Seasons," said Mark Matuszewski, director of the Division of Forestry. Matuszewski referred to the recent wildfires in Florida as an example of how devastating fire can be.

"If the drought conditions continue, we could be looking at a very serious fall forest fire season. When the leaves fall and dry out, they create a fuel source for forest fires.

"It only takes a spark to damage thousands of acres of one of Kentucky's most valuable resources, our forests," he said.

House Bill 488, passed by the 1998 General Assembly, changed the times in which it is legal to burn during the forest fire hazard seasons. House Bill 488 also changed the dates for the Spring Forest Fire Hazard Season. The Spring Forest Fire Hazard Season now begins on February 15, and ends on April 30.

During the forest fire hazard



Wayne Paige earned his G.E.D. through the McDowell Family Resource Center. Pictured with him is Joyce Hall, G.E.D. instructor.

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HISTORICAL NOTES

Historic-sounding gap road was pioneer route to the west

by Henry P. Scalf
(Reprinted from the *Floyd County Times*, June 13, 1963.)

The old road connecting Virginia and the west by way of the Big Sandy Valley is gone now, except for bits of wagon trail that have survived here and there, at the back of bottoms or around hill-sides.

Between Ivel and Tram, on the north side of the river and above U.S. Highway 23, a short segment begins at a field fence and ends a few hundred feet south in a yard at the top of a low hill. For the last 60 years or so, its only travelers have been leaves, twigs, and rolling stones.

From the top of the hill, where the short stretch of ancient road ends in a yard, you can see the village of Tram and the white houses in the river bottoms.

Down under the promitory are the remains of the old log house that domiciled the domestic slaves of Colonel Harry Stratton, one of the founders of Floyd County and an early justice of the peace. Water birches grow in a dump where his own house once stood and where, in 1796, the region's first Methodist Sunday School class was held.

Eight years after Col. Harry built the house, the Virginia Road was authorized. The old pioneers who had come from Virginia to Kentucky wanted a road back east over which they could drive their herds of hogs and cattle to market. The lawmakers of Frankfort authorized it in 1802. It began at Mt. Sterling and ended at Pound Gap, which was then called Sounding Gap.

There it connected with a road leading to Richmond. By most settlers it was called the Virginia Road, by others the Sounding Gap Road. Later it came to be known as the Mt. Sterling-Pound Gap Road.

At first it was not really a road, only a path beaten out by the bison, the Indians, and the first white immigrants. It followed ridges and streams, and the first attempts to negotiate it with ox-drawn wagons were foolhardy adventures inviting disaster. Many are the traditions of broken axles that forced some of the founding families to settle in Eastern Kentucky when they had originally planned to reach the Blue Grass.

After that first legislative notice in 1802, the lawmakers neglected or forgot the road for 18 years. Then, in 1817, when Alexander Lackey of Prestonsburg was a member of the Kentucky House of Representatives, a bill was passed to open a road from Mt. Sterling via Prestonsburg to the Kentucky-Virginia line. Lackey was named

one of the three commissioners to establish it. For many years this road was the subject of several legislative acts and many Floyd County court orders.

In the period from 1836 to 1847, the legislature was especially generous when it came to Eastern Kentucky roads. Between Owingsville and the Big Sandy River the lawmakers spent \$168,783.83. Between Mt. Sterling and the Virginia line they authorized the expenditure of \$23,243.40.

However, recognizing that the section between Piketon and Sounding Gap covered atrocious terrain, they allocated an additional sum of \$6,324.00 for it. These improvements did little more than make the road passable for most of the year.

Before and after the road was improved, it was a highway for immigrants. They emerged through Pound Gap, traveled down Shelby Creek, and followed the river north and west, the covered wagons rolling and swaying with the slow movement of the oxen that drew the families and their possessions west.

Scores of the migrating families stopped at Col. Harry's and stayed the night. It was a house of good cheer and commodious enough for company.

When the road was built, Floyd County was a wilderness empire, broken here and there by pioneer cabins. The town of Prestonsburg, then a log cabin hamlet of less than a dozen souls, was the only town between Abingdon, Virginia and Washington, the county seat of Mason County, Kentucky.

Floyd County began at Pound Gap and extended west to Blackwater Creek in present-day Morgan County. Its northern boundary was the Tug River, and on the south it bordered the North Fork of the Kentucky River.

The year that the road was built, the legislature carved Clay County out of Floyd, because its inhabitants were complaining about the hundred and fifty miles of rough trail they had to ride to reach their county seat at Prestonsburg.

Col. Harry would sit on a bench in his huge living room tending the fire in his fireplace and listening to the immigrants as they talked about going west.

The Territory of Ohio had just achieved statehood and the town of Chillicothe was the new state capital. A few score miles from Chillicothe was the Wabash River, and across it were the vast, rolling grasslands of Indiana. Further west was a virgin grassland known as Illinois.

Many were the nights that Col. Harry had for company old Spencer Adkins, whose home was

at present-day Millard in Pike County. The two were fast friends and had hunted and explored the valley in the days when the creeks had no names. Years later, when litigation over land titles arose,

Stratton and Adkins often served as witnesses in court. Universally referred to as the Old Hunters, they told of finding streams that had

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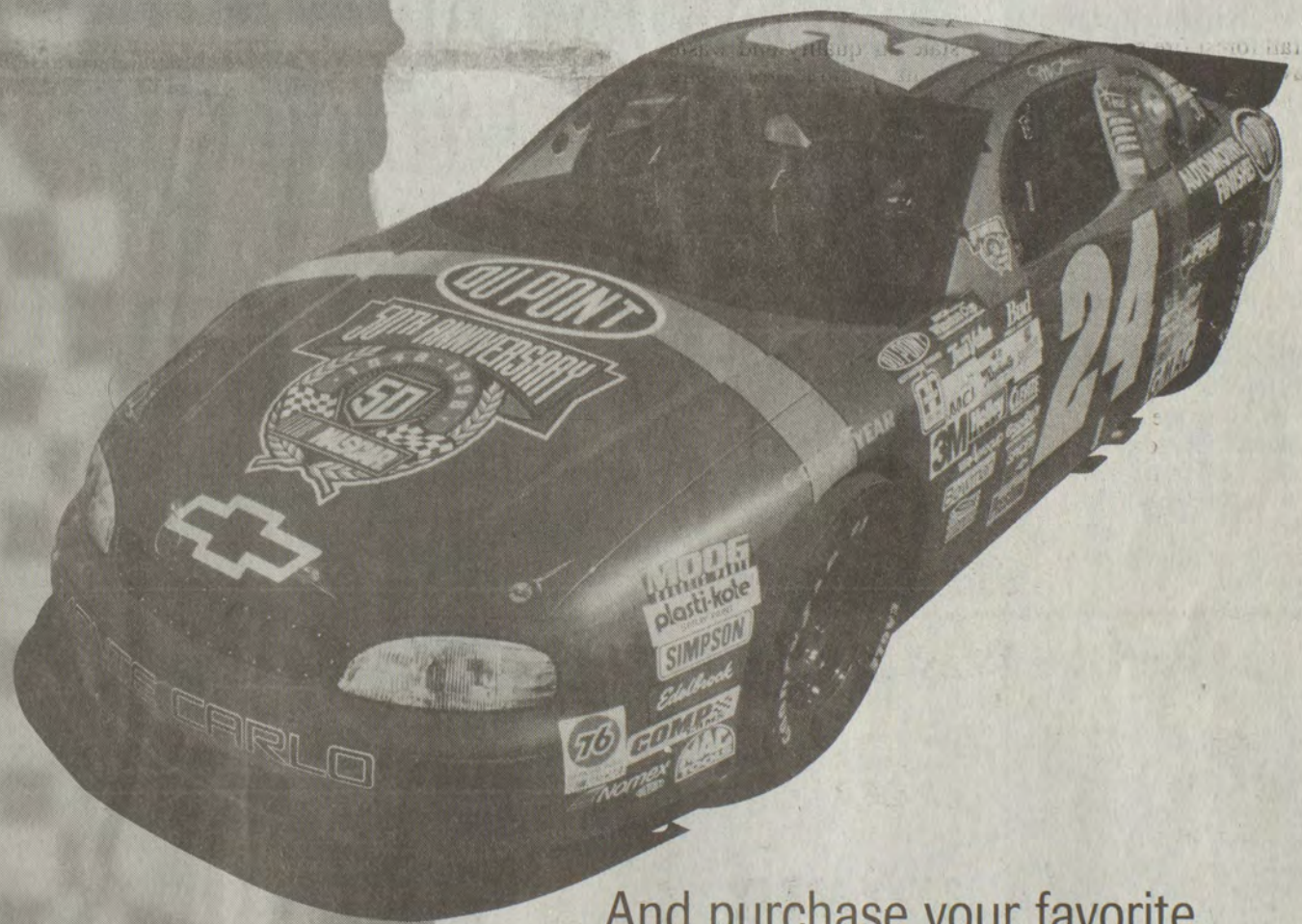
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Floyd students complete MSU degree requirements

Sixteen students from Floyd County completed degree requirements during Morehead State University's 1998 summer sessions.

Completing degree requirements were:

- Michelle Lee Bragg, Prestonsburg, master of arts in

education.

- Teresa A. Campbell, Banner, bachelor of arts.
- Jeremy E. Clark, Eastern, bachelor of business administration.
- Bridget J. Conn, Endicott, bachelor of arts.
- Ryan D. Hamilton,

McDowell, associate of applied science.

- Brian Keith Handshoe, Prestonsburg, master of arts in education.
- Patricia L. Handshoe, Prestonsburg, master of arts in education.
- Krystal G. Isaac, Bevinsville,

bachelor of arts.

- Stacy Renee Meade, Harold, bachelor of science.
- Donna R. Ousley, Martin, bachelor of social work.
- Tina Darlene Petry, Prestonsburg, master of arts education.
- Donna Lynn Robinson,

Prestonsburg, master of arts education.

- Steven Eliot Romans, McDowell, master of arts education.
- Regina R. Scott, Garrett, bachelor of arts.
- Elizabeth J. Smith, Hi Hat, bachelor of science.

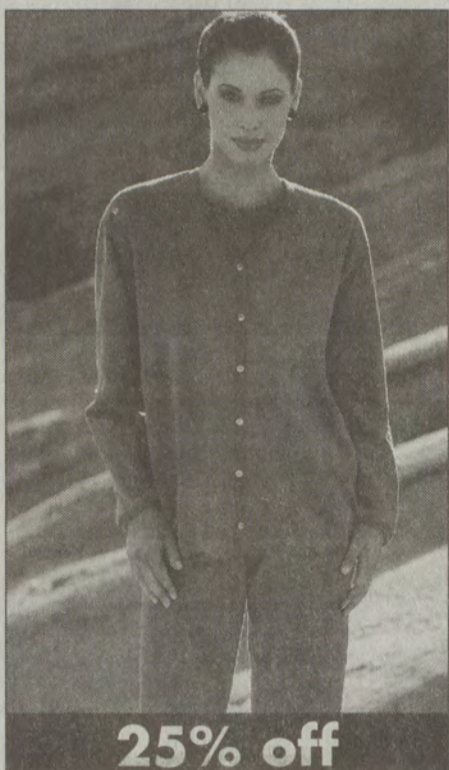
Joyce Ann Watson, Garrett, education specialist.

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EKU open house is October 27 in Prestonsburg

Prospective college students and their parents will have a chance to learn more about college life at Eastern Kentucky University during EKU's Open House Tuesday, October 27 at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park.

The Open House, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Convention Center, will give students and their

parents an opportunity to talk to representatives from all academic areas. Staff members from EKU's admissions and student financial assistance offices also will be present.

High school students, non-traditional students and those planning to transfer from a community college are encouraged to attend.

"Prospective college students are naturally concerned about admission requirements, courses of study, social and recreational opportunities, living and study facilities, costs and career decisions," said Les Grigsby, director of admissions. "Our open house will answer many of those questions."

Students and parents from Floyd, Pike, Magoffin, Johnson, Martin and Knott counties are invited. About 650 students from those counties currently attend EKU. Some of the 1,300 Eastern alumni from those counties also will attend the Open House.

Grigsby said that many prospective students and their parents are

surprised to learn that about 75 percent of EKU students receive some type of financial assistance.

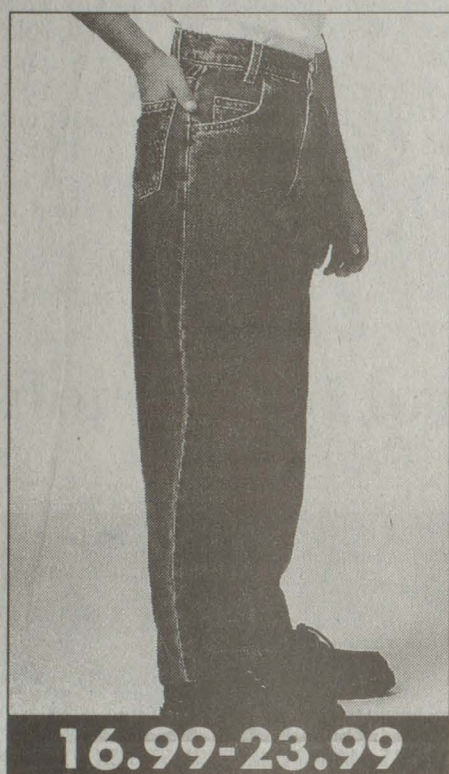
"Students tell us this information is important in helping them make a college choice," Grigsby said. "We encourage them to explore the many opportunities available to help meet the costs of a college education."

Refreshments will be served at the event.

For more information, call EKU's Division of Admissions, at 800-465-9191.

Prospective students also may visit the EKU web site at www.eku.edu.

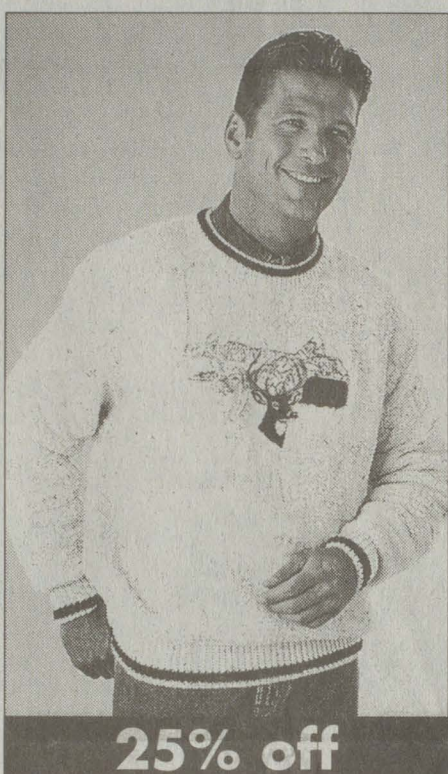
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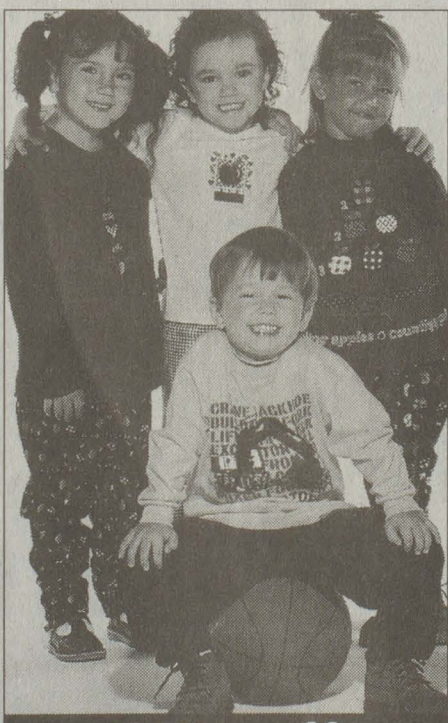
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Work on this page is done entirely by the students.

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Off to space camp we go...



by Meaghan and
Morghan Slone

Hi, I'm Meaghan. Hi, I'm Morghan. We're from Prestonsburg Elementary. We went to Science Camp at Prestonsburg Elementary. We had lots and lots of fun. We did so many different things that we're only going to say some of the things we did at Science Camp. The things we did were make ice cream, make bubbles and go to the movies about three times. Also we went to River Park that is beside Billy Ray's. Oh, yeah, and we went to the Prestonsburg Elementary field and had games with water balloons. When we played games with water balloons we had teams and you had to put the balloons between your legs and run and put it in a bucket without dropping it. Then the next person on that team would go next. Also, we had to get partners and pass the balloon full of water. After every pass you would scoot back until you threw the balloon and then it bursts.



Eating watermelon

by Chayse Martin

There was a Watermelon Social held at Prestonsburg Elementary on Thursday, July 16, 1998. This gathering was held to make Auxier teachers and kids to feel welcome to come to our school. Many people came to this social. Around 50 were there. Many parents visited the rooms of their children, but they did not know whose classroom their child was in at the time.

There were 25 Auxier kids and parents. There were two Auxier teachers at our school, Ms. Darrell and Mr. Hackworth. Then we went to the lunchroom where the social was held. Then they gave out numbers and at the end were going to

give out 28 watermelons to 28 different people. I won one and as soon as I got home I ate the watermelon right up.

Many people were there just to view their child's classroom and meet the new staff. Others were there just to eat watermelons. This was very nice of the school to hold this for Auxier and for Prestonsburg Elementary. This social gained a lot of new kids from Auxier because we showed other kids how nice and clean we can be and they like us, so they came to our school.

I really hope they have one of these next year because I really like to eat watermelons.

Safety Patrol on the job

by Rachael Blackburn

As a Safety Patrol Officer I have a very important job. I care for the students of Prestonsburg Elementary including the teachers. We have a number of jobs to do every day and accomplish them very well. Our jobs include taking down and putting up the flag daily, making sure all the students go into the correct building, and getting them into safely.

Our most important job is to keep people that do not work at our school from parking in the teachers' parking lot. As a Safety Patrol Officer of Prestonsburg Elementary we would like to give our appreciation to Ms.

Holland for her help so far this year.



Pictured: Ashley Harris, Anna McGuire, Warren Combs, Caitlin Hale, Alisha Shell, Josh Johnson, Rachel Blackburn, Alison Ellis, Christina Morris and Zachary Carroll.

CPR is a good thing for all students to know



by Caitlin Hale

On a very special day we had a visitor. Her name was Kim Blocker, and she was from Our Lady of the Way Hospital. She presented Cardiac and Respiratory Education. I thought it was nice of her to show us all those things. In Health we were studying some of those things too. I liked it. I loved the video and when she taught us how to do CPR it was breathtaking. I know we all learned a lot that day, and we hope to see her again.

Auxier students attend new school



by Billy Ousley
I went to Auxier Elementary last year. When I heard that it was going to close I was very sad. I didn't know where I was going to go to school the next year. I was very worried. When I came to Prestonsburg

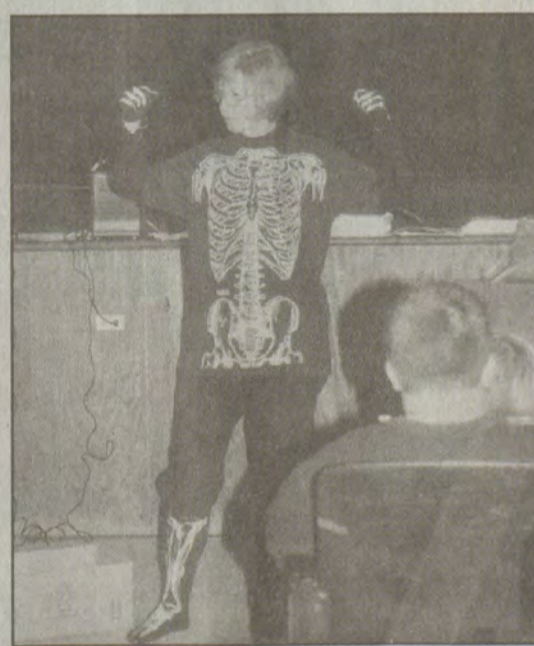
Elementary I didn't see many of my friends from Auxier. I soon made new friends at Prestonsburg and came to like to school as well. The teachers are nice at Prestonsburg. My favorite subject in school is Math. It turned out that it wasn't as

scary as I thought it would be.

Pictures: New students from Auxier.

Ms. Charlene Darrell and Mr. Bobby Hackworth, teachers from Auxier.

Ms. Lorna Williams, cook from Auxier.



Mr. Backbone

by Michael Hernandez

Mr. Backbone came to Prestonsburg Elementary September 16, 1998. Mr. Backbone wasn't there so it was Mrs. Backbone. Mrs. Backbone taught us to:

B Be Prepared
A Feet Apart
C Chin Up
K Knees Apart
B Back Bowed In
O Object Close
N Never Twist
E Exhale

Mrs. Backbone taught us this and more. She gave us examples. It was great. Guess what? She's a physical therapist. She gave us all pencils. That was the Mr. Backbone program.

Summer Camp '98

by Josh Johnson

In July of 1998 Prestonsburg Elementary Family Resource Center had a Summer Camp. We had camp for 22 days. On Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays we went swimming at Jenny Wiley State Park pool.

On Friday, July 10, we went to New Haven, KY to the Kentucky Railway Museum. We got there ahead of schedule so we went on to Abraham Lincoln's Birthplace at Knob Creek. We had a snack under the shelter and toured a small cabin with old articles of that time. Some of them belonged to Lincoln's family.

We went on to the Railroad Museum. We toured the station and the Model Train Museum. Then we rode on an antique train.

We stopped in Lexington on our way home and ate at Cracker Barrel, my favorite place to eat.

On Thursday, July 16th, we went to Hazard, KY to WYMT TV

station. We went on a tour of the station. We saw the renovation, the control room and the broadcast room. We met M.K. Combs, the weatherman. He explained how he did the weather. He showed us how the cameras worked. We stood in front of the set where they do the news and had our picture taken.

We stopped at Pizza Hut and had lunch on the way back to Prestonsburg.

On Thursday, July 23, Nyoka Slone, from the Extension Office came to the lunchroom to teach us how to make medicine sticks, earth bracelets and God's Eye crafts.

She told us the story behind the medicine sticks. She also told us what each color on the Earth Bracelets stood for. Nyoka helped us to make the God's Eye out of popsicle sticks and yarn. We got in the floor and played an Indian game. We had lots of fun with her.

Summer Camp was GREAT!!! I loved it. I can't wait until next July.



So, so, Mi!

by Brooks Herrick and
Michael Stephens

We're two fifth grade students from Prestonsburg Elementary. We would like to tell you about Music TAG. Music TAG is a talented and gifted program for students who sing or play. You must score a 95% or above on an oral test. Our teacher, Ms. Rebecca Haywood, tests us by singing a song and if we score a 95% above you're allowed to participate. During Music TAG you sing songs that are more complicated than songs you sing in your regular class period. This takes hard work,

time and devotion, including students, Ms. Haywood, and parents. Every year we put on a spring play for the school. Then one night we put on the play for the community. Last year we also had Create, Record, and Talented Education (CRATE). Selected students went to the Mountain Arts Center (MAC). A MAC personnel gave the students the music to a song by a professional artist and these students made new words for the song. Each student got a recording of their song. We hope to see you at our spring play.

Notes

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already been named. Most, however, had been unnamed, so Harry and Spencer had named a few themselves.

You can walk a few steps on the ancient highway and with your foot rake back the gathering leaves.

Down under them lies the rotted organic matter of the years. Under that is a rutted ditchline, cut first in the stony bed by the wheels of covered wagons going west, later by the loaded iron carts going east.

The first Pennsylvania, Marylanders, and Virginians to come to the western country had found iron ore in the hills along the Ohio River in present-day Greenup and Carter counties and across the river in the Hanging Rock section of Ohio. So many iron smelters had been erected, producing bars of raw iron that were shipped back east, much of it going up the Big Sandy and through Sounding Gap.

The iron trade to the east reached its height before the Civil War, but some of it lingered on until after the internecine struggle. The road of empire was to the west and demand turned the laden wagons around.

The creaking vehicles and the struggling, straining oxen on the Sounding Gap Road ceased and the memory of their exertions faded. Only a few old records exist to remind us of a forgotten chapter in our region's history.

Col. Harry prospered on his vast plantation, his slaves tending the herds of cattle and hogs and hoeing the corn in his fields. Once a year he and some of the Laynes or other pioneer families would gather hundreds of hogs together and move the herd slowly eastward.

Two months later, they would return from Lynchburg with the proceeds of the sale and settle accounts with their neighbors. The hogs, moving slowly and feasting on the mast beside the road, would arrive in Lynchburg in good condition. They usually sold for the princely sum of three cents a pound.

South of the Stratton Plantation were the other Stratton estates, and beyond them, principally around modern-day Harold, were the Laynes.

Richard Stratton had settled at the mouth of Mare Creek in 1798,

and, being still fearful of the Indians, despite the licking that Mad Anthony Wayne had given them the year before, had built his cabin upon a rocky promontory high above the river. Wise in the ways of the frontier, "Uncle Dickie" had cleared the woods back of his cabin as far as a rifle ball would carry.

A few years after Richard Stratton cleared the land and built his cabin at Mare Creek Narrows, the Sounding Gap Road was built. Under his cabin the hill descended as a rocky declivity to the river. The builders cut a narrow road in the rocky hillside above the river. It added new meaning to the name, Mare Creek Narrows.

North of Col. Harry's home, the road hugged the back of a giant bottom, and when it reached the mouth of Ivy Creek, it crossed a crude wooden bridge.

South of the creek was another place where the hillside came down to the river, so a road had to be cut through that place, too. Seven feet wide, the road cut through the rock for a hundred feet or more. Residents promptly named it the Ivy Narrows.

It was there at Ivy Narrows, on a cold, gray day in November, 1861, that General "Bull" Nelson, the Union commander, and Captain Andrew Jackson May, the Confederate commander, fought a contest to decide whether the valley should be slave or free. By then Col. Harry was sleeping in his grave.

He made his departure in 1850, at an advanced age, the rigors of frontier life having affected him only slightly. He lived much longer than most of his pioneer compatriots.

Right where the section of the Sounding Gap Road ends in a private yard a couple of hundred feet above Col. Harry's old home, the Confederate cavalymen hitched their horses after galloping from Piketon to reinforce Captain May.

There the horses stood and pawed the earth as the Union cannon roared half a mile away.

They were still there swinging the limbs to which they were tied when the fleeing Confederates reclaimed them and rode back to Piketon.

Gone now are the covered wag-

ons, the iron-laden ox carts, and the herds of half-wild hogs. The roar of Nelson's cannon is but a footnote in history, and the fleeing Confederates are not even ghosts along the way.

Remaining at the site of Col. Stratton's home are only the almost impenetrable thickets of water birches and a few decayed logs of the slave quarters.

Overlooking the historic home-

site are only a few hundred feet of the Sounding Gap Road. It begins at a wire fence and ends in a yard, but a century and a half ago it went all the way to the top of the Cumberland Ridge and connected

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College officers announced

Pikeville College recently announced the 1998-1999 student class officers. They are:

• Senior class—president: Tina Hurley, Phelps; vice-president: James Hurley, Hazard; secretary: Sarah Norman, Pikeville; treasurer, Susie Fitzpatrick, Acworth, Ga.
• Junior class—president: Donnie Adkins, Shelbiana; vice-president: John Fleming, Dinguss, W. Va.; secretary: Melanie Joyce,

Richlands, Va.; treasurer, Missy Ratliff, Phelps.

• Sophomore class—president: J.J. Walker, Hardy, vice-president; Debbie Freeman, Phelps; secretary: Shannon Lockard, Hardy; treasurer: Amy Yates, Phelps.

• Freshmen class—president: Misty Stevens, Harold; vice-president: Carla Bowens, Stone; secretary: Jamie Deel, Grundy; treasurer: Susan Thomas, Hardy.

The class officers make up the Campus Activity Board (CAB) which is responsible for planning, organizing, and executing all student activities. They were selected by their peers through elections in September. In addition, the presidents of each class, along with dorm representatives, a commuter representative, and two faculty representatives, compose the Pikeville College campus senate.

PCC 1998 Flex Track registration

Prestonsburg Community College is offering an eight-week Flex Track session, beginning on October 19, for those who want to work toward a college degree or need to retrain, but can't spare time to attend courses at traditional times.

The Flex Track program is designed primarily for working adults who must schedule other activities around their jobs. The Flex Track schedule consists of regular college courses compressed into shorter time frames at flexible hours.

Courses are scheduled for fewer

sessions of longer duration to permit completion of the regular course material within eight weeks.

Offered during the Fall Flex Track session at Sheldon Clark High School will be two classes, English 101 and Introduction to Criminal Justice, and at Magoffin County High School, The Old Testament as Literature and Developmental Psychology.

Classes to be offered on the Prestonsburg campus include experiential education (service learning), walking, weight training/conditioning and gerontology.

A modern social problems class will be offered through the Pikeville campus at Mullins High School. All developmental classes in reading, writing and math, continue to be available to students needing college preparatory courses.

New students may register for 10 or fewer hours during this session at

a tuition cost of \$45 per credit hour (resident) and \$135 per credit hour (non-resident). Current full-time students may add any number of Flex Track courses at no additional charge.

Others may register for 12 or more credit hours during the Flex Track session of a cost of \$666.75 for resident students and \$1,725 for non-residents. Registration fees are not included in this amount.

Registration for new or continuing students is daily through October 19 in the Admissions and Records office (J131) on the Prestonsburg campus. Hours are Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Students on the Pike County campus may register in Pikeville on the same dates and times. For additional information, call 886-3863, ext. 396, or 432-4800, ext. 221.

Adult care issues subject of Morehead meeting

The National Adult Family Care Organization Downlink conference which will focus on adult care issues will be held Friday, October 23, on the Morehead State University campus.

The conference will run from 1 to 3:30 p.m. in the Riggle Room, Adron Doran University Center. The session will provide current information on adult family care as a viable high quality, low cost alternative to institutionalization and is geared to social workers, nurses, policy planners and supervisors in long term health care living arrangements, mini-home operators, family care members, and hospital discharge planners.

Among the presenters will be Dr. Raymond Coward, dean of the School of Health and Human Services at the University of New Hampshire, and Dr. Elsie Fetterman, president of the National Adult and Family Care Organization.

Dr. Coward is an internationally known gerontologist with primary interests in the development, delivery and evaluation of health and human services. A panel discussion on adult family care issues will follow with interactive questions and answers with panelists and participants in downlink sites around the nation.

This presentation is being sponsored by MSU's Department of Human Sciences and Office of Continuing Education. The cost to attend is \$5. To register, call Stephanie Evans at 606-783-2875. For questions related to the conference, call Jane Ellington at 606-783-2968.

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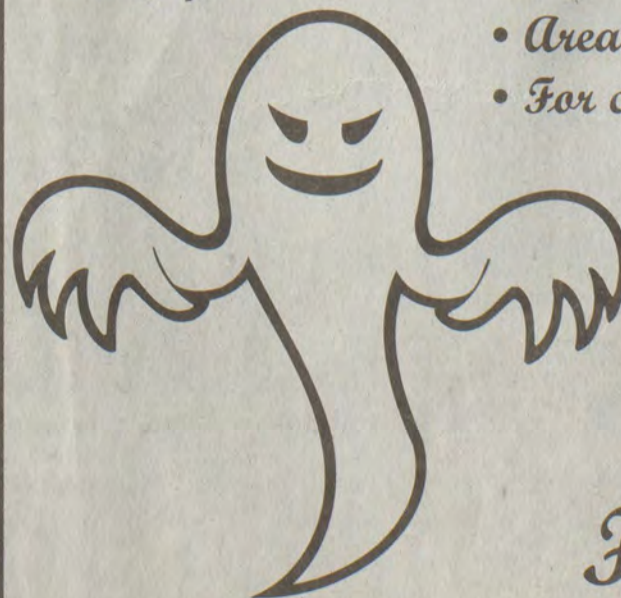
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Stumbo raises big melon

James Scott Stumbo of McDowell, raised this 70-pound watermelon. The watermelon measured two feet long and three-and-a-half feet around. Stumbo says the secret to raising a big watermelon is to have a family with about 50 years of experience in gardening to tell you exactly what to do. Stumbo said he was trained by his uncles, Peco, Paul, Larry and "good ole cousin" Dale.

Cooper elected officer

The Kentucky League of Cities (KLC) elected officers for the next year at its annual convention last month.

New officers are: Mayor Pam Miller of Lexington, president; Mayor Daniel Ruckriegel of Jeffersonton, First Vice-president; Mayor Robin Cooper of Paintsville, second vice-president. Immediate past president is Mayor Arthur Byrn of Mayfield.

The board of directors has several leadership responsibilities, including oversight of KLC financial activities; membership development and retention; communications regarding League services, legislative positions and promotion of League activities; and service on ad hoc committees and task forces.

Founded in 1927, the Kentucky League of Cities (KLC) is a membership organization of 347 cities across the Commonwealth. A staff

of 40, headquartered in Lexington, provides services in a host of areas vital to city government, including bond, investment and insurance pooling; advocacy at the state and federal levels; legal assistance; an annual convention; a monthly publication, The Kentucky City; training and educational seminars; and information services.

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Littering patrols stepped up

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers at Paintsville Lake has announced it is placing increased emphasis on illegal dumps and littering on government property.

This is in response to U.S. Attorney Janet Reno's directive to all United States attorneys to work with federal, state and local agencies to address such illegal activities.

The Eastern District of the U.S. Department of Justice has advised the Corps that all such activities brought to their attention will be prosecuted to the fullest.

Corps Rangers can issue citations for violators to appear in court before U.S. Magistrate. Penalties can range up to \$5000 and or six months in jail. In many recent cases, violators have also been required to clean up entire dump sites at their expense.

Specifically, the Corps is asking for public assistance and information on the following:

- Reporting known locations of illegal dump sites;

- Reporting persons or license numbers of vehicles observed dumping or littering on federal property. These reports can be anonymous if so desired. Reports can be phoned to the Corps Office at Paintsville Lake at 606-297-6312.

In addition to enforcement actions, the Corps has an active volunteer program for those interested in volunteering their time to assist in clean up of roadside dump sites

or unsightly litter along our scenic highways. The Corps provides all materials needed for cleanup activities as well as pickup and disposal of loaded trash bags and other dump materials.

Persons interested can contact the Resource Manager at Paintsville Lake, Monday—Friday, 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. at 606-297-6312 or write Resource Manager, Paintsville Lake, 807 Ky. Rt. 2275, Staffordsville, Ky. 41256.

New students teachers at PES

Stephanie Lawson and Melissa Mullins are Prestonsburg Elementary's newest student teachers. Stephanie and Melissa both attend Morehead State University and plan to graduate in December. Stephanie is working in Debbie Holland's fourth grade class. Melissa can be found hard at work in Diane Turner's second grade. Plants and animal habitats are among the many subjects they have been covering.

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Elkhorn City 16, Fleming-Neon 0
Whitesburg 48, Shelby Valley 20
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Raceland 27, West Carter 13
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Games on Tap

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL
Thursday, October 15
Red, White, Blue Bowl
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COLLEGE GAMES
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Kentucky at LSU
Louisville at Tulane
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Baltimore at Pittsburgh

Dunfee rushes for 315 yards in 49-42 loss to Bethlehem

Hall passes for 203 yards at Rebs fall to 3-4

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

It was a wild one on homecoming night at Allen Central when Louisville Bethlehem and the Rebels put 91 points on the scoreboard, but it was Bethlehem coming away with a 49-42 win in a game that had to be a record-setting night for Allen Central.

The Rebels totaled 518 yards on offense that saw senior quarterback Jesse Hall and junior running back Mark Dunfee have their season best.

Hall completed nine of 14 passes for 128 yards. Sophomore Brandon Sizemore completed one pass, to Hunter, for a 75-yard completion.

On the receiving end was Gary Hunter with three catches for 121 yards. Hunter had two touchdown

passes. Jonathan Ellis, who is used mostly for kicking, caught five passes for 59 yards. Ellis had two two-point conversion catches.

Dunfee carried the football 19 times for 210 yards. Hall had 11 attempts for 26 yards. Dunfee had three returns for 47 yards and a 5-yard reception, giving him 262 all-purpose yards. He scored two touchdowns for the Rebels. Freshman D.J. Hoover carried for 77 yards on 13 attempts.

Allen Central made some early mistakes and Bethlehem took advantage of the miscues in building a 22-6 first quarter lead. It was a 28-14 game at half time.

The Rebels fell behind 21-0 at the onset before scoring.

"We had four turnovers for the game," said Rebel coach Kevin

Spurlock, "and two came in the first minute and they scored 14 points off of them in the first minute and half to lead 14-0."

After three quarters, Louisville owned a 42-28 advantage. But Allen Central did not quit and came back to tie the game at 42-42 with four minutes to play in the game.

Allen Central had problems with stopping the running game of Bethlehem. Louisville picked 414 yards on the ground, the most against Allen Central this season. They were one for 10 in passing for only 25 yards.

Allen Central had good field position most of the night with some very strong return yardage. The Rebs had 118 yards in returns with freshman Shawn Newsome returning the ball four times for 54 yards. Dunfee

had 47 yards on three returns.

Hunter led the defensive side of the football with nine first hits and one assist. Hall had five first hits, one fumble recovery and three assists.

Ryan Owens had five solo hits, one assist, one quarterback sack and caused one fumble. Eric Combs had three assists, one first hit, caused a fumble and had a fumble recovery. D.J. Hoover, had four first hits and two assists.

Allen Central travels to South Floyd Thursday night for the annual Battle of the Beavers. The game is slated to kick off at 7 p.m.



Dog days

It may be late for dog days, but the Hazard Bulldogs help take a bite of South Floyd's playoff hopes this past Friday night at Brackett Field. B.J. Bryant (above) was held to just 56 yards rushing in the district contest. Senior quarterback Charlie Williams (right) passed for only 13 yards in the 26-6 setback to Hazard. The loss dropped South Floyd to 2-5 on the season and 1-5 in the district. The Raiders will meet Allen Central this Thursday night at Brackett Field in the annual Red, White and Blue Bowl. South Floyd will close out their season on the road at Elkhorn City after traveling to Louisville Beth Haven. (photos by Ed



Lights dim in playoff hopes for Raiders

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

The South Floyd Raiders will not be taking part in the state playoffs come next month after dropping a 26-6 decision to visiting Hazard Friday night.

The loss to the Bulldogs dropped the Raiders to 1-4 in district play with one game remaining against Elkhorn City. South Floyd is 2-5 overall. The Raiders will entertain Allen Central in the Red, White, and Blue Bowl this Thursday night.

Danny French spoke a language the Raiders had a hard time figuring out when he rushed for 262 yards and scored two touchdowns. The speedster had scoring runs of 52 and 71 yards.

The Bulldog defense keyed on sophomore sensation, B.J. Bryant, and shut him down after a first quarter touch-

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Hall, Crisp shred Cougars defense

Crisp scores four TD's in 69-20 win

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

It wasn't as if Prestonsburg coach John Derossett was trying to run the score up or anything, but when Adam Hall set up in the shotgun position, you had to feel that Coach Derossett was not too pleased with the way his team ran the football two weeks ago at Breathitt County.

So, when your team is not running the ball, well, the next best thing is to throw it, and that is what Hall did as he had his career-best outing with 16-21, passing for 316 yards as the Blackcats routed underdog Morgan County 69-

20 in front of a large homecoming crowd this past Friday night.

Hall had to share top billing with teammate Seth Crisp, who also had his best career night. Crisp hauled in six

touchdowns. He had four touchdowns in the game.

The tone was set for this one in the first four minutes of the game. The

yard touchdown pass, and on the next seven possessions, Prestonsburg would score as the Blackcats handled the Cougars.

Prestonsburg could have reached the century mark in this one had that been the intentions of the coaching staff, but Coach Derossett called off the wolves in the second period and the second half as not to embarrass Morgan County.

Hall made things look easy as he picked apart the Morgan County secondary. In limited time on the field, Grant Castle had two catches for 68 yards and two touchdowns. Nathan Leslie scored two TD's on three catches. John Ortega had one catch for a touchdown.

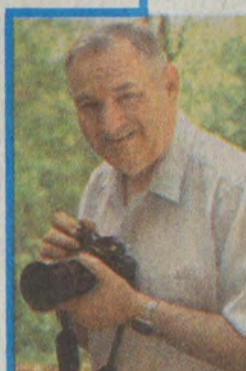
Prestonsburg did not utilize its running game at all with the starters playing most of the first half. In fact, the only time the ball was run by the backfield was when Hall was about to be caught and he scampered for a 9-yard pickup.

He handed the ball to Castle for a 6-yard gainer in the first quarter. Hank Mullins was the only other

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A LOOK AT SPORTS

UK football: Can the Cats go bowling?



Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

It appears the easy part of the UK football season has passed and now things really get serious. After faltering against Arkansas, a game they should have won, the Cats did

not look that good against South Carolina and were fortunate to come away with a win.

Now they must journey to Baton Rouge and face an LSU team that is one of the SEC's best. But that is not all. In the remaining games the 4-2 Cats have, only one is winnable and the other four will be hard to put in the win column.

The Cats are a 10 underdog against LSU. They then come home to face a resurgent Georgia team, which is finally ranked in the top 25. Next will be Mississippi State, which handled Auburn last weekend.

The Georgia and



Mississippi State games will go in the "L" column and the Cats will be 4-5. Vanderbilt should give some relief from the previous three, and it should be a victory for Hal Mumme's team, 5-5.

But Kentucky has to close out its regular season on the road against the number two team in the country, Tennessee, and the Vols will be awaiting Tim Couch and company. UK will finish with a disappointing 5-6 season.

Now, is that good enough to earn a bowl appearance somewhere? There are so many bowl games that it seems just like all the top teams in the nation are given yet one more game to play around New Year's Day.

With the disappointing finish, Couch, who will just miss the Heisman Trophy, will opt for the NFL, realizing that his receiving corps as well as the front line won't be back next year. Couch will sign a very lucrative NFL contract, hopefully with the new Cleveland Browns.

BASEBALL

I predicted an Atlanta/New York World Series and at first I thought I had really missed on this one after the way Cleveland and San Diego started off. But the Yankees

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came back to take a 3-2 lead and the Braves are on their way back, cutting the 3-0 advantage the Padres enjoyed, to 3-2 and headed back to Atlanta (at press time).

MOVED ON...

David Bowen, athletic director at Allen Central, has been moved to Betsy Layne High School where he will serve as assistant principal.

David is one of the hardest-working AD's around and I am sure he will be an asset to the Betsy Layne school.

CAR SHOW...

The Star Bank 11th annual Red, White and Blue Car Show will take place this Saturday at the Martin branch parking lot. The show has become one of the best in Eastern Kentucky and will attract a number of historical cars.

Registration for the show begins at 8:30 a.m. and car owners can register until 11 a.m. Lots of prizes and other items will be given away with the Best of Show receiving a \$500 savings bond.

The Kentucky Opry will provide entertainment for the day, beginning at 10 a.m. until 2 p.m.

If you like the old cars from the past, the atmosphere created by the car shows, then the place to be is in Martin at the Star Bank parking lot.

GRIDIRON WINNER...

Carlos Slone, Wheelwright, was the winner in this week's gridiron games. He won on the total points scored after being tied with two others. Congrats to Carlos. Hey, play the game, you may be the next winner.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULES NEEDED...

We are starting to work on our annual Basketball Times and I need boys and girls basketball schedules for the high schools. Also, I need the grade school schedules for county games.

I am looking forward to the high school and grade school basketball season. I took in the girls' middle school game between Adams and Allen

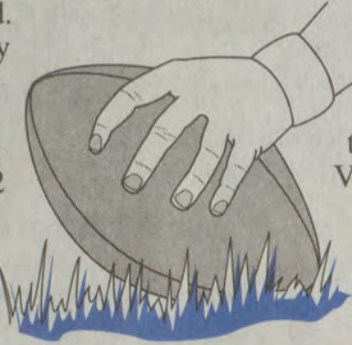
Central Monday night and let me give you some names to look for later down the road.

From Adams, Erin Majakey and Jennifer Curmutte are going to be good ones. Add an Amber Scott and Jessica Isaac to that list. I know there are other outstanding grade schoolers out there.

It was good to see Pete Grigsby Jr. at the ball game the other night. He has lost weight and said he is feeling better because of it. I appreciate all that he has done over the years for athletics in Floyd County. Pete had surgery some months back.

WORLD 100...

Thunder Ridge will be a noisy place this weekend as the Dirt Track World 100 Championship takes place. There has been a lot of controversy over this race and if you have followed it on the internet, there are a lot of good things said about it as well as negative things. I guess it is a matter of what part of the country you live in.



Some will opt for the West Virginia race while others will flood Thunder Ridge.

I have a list of about 60 drivers who have registered for the race at Thunder Ridge and that list includes the name of Scott Bloomquist. The list came from race officials.

Charlie Swartz is coming out of retirement to run in this race. I heard that he was asked to take part and maybe enticed somewhat. A big name like Charlie Swartz will only bring in more fans, soooo!

Some of our local drivers have registered, such as Paul Harris, Chuckie May, Brandon Kinzer, Eddie Carrier Sr., Eddie Carrier Jr., and Ronnie Cole Jr., the 13-year-old racing sensation from Salyersville. The Conley boys, Delmas and R.J., from Wheelersburg, Ohio, will be in the thick of things, according to the list I have received.

We will have a complete listing and stories in Friday's sports section.

Defense

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starter to carry the ball and that for an 11-yard pick up.

But the Prestonsburg front line gave Hall all the time he needed as he operated out of the shotgun. The Blackcat receivers found a lot of space between them and the Morgan County defenders.

Prestonsburg scored 31 points in the first quarter and took a 59-6 half time lead.

Crisp scored the first touchdown on the 46-yard completion from Hall. Morgan County, which found itself operating out of its own end zone, appeared to take an intentional safety as Prestonsburg went in front 9-0.

With 5:52 to play in the first, Hall connected with Castle for a 15-yard scoring pass for a 15-0 game. Again, with their backs to the wall, Morgan County appeared to take the safety and it was 17-0.

It took two plays for the Blackcats to score on their next possession with Hall throwing a scoring strike to Mullins for a 20-yard touchdown. Brooks Stinnett kicked his third PAT to make it 24-0.

After a three and out for Morgan County, Crisp blocked a punt attempt, gathered up the football and ran into the end zone with 2:16 to play in the first period to give the Blackcats an insurmountable 31-0 lead following the Stinnett PAT.

Crisp set up the next Prestonsburg score by coming up with an interception of a B.J. Benton pass. With 11:41 left in the second period, Hall hit Ortega with a 32-yard pass completion. On a fake PAT, Crisp, the ball holder, passed to Buck Combs for the two-point conversion for a 39-0 margin.

The beat went on and after Hall hit Castle for his second touchdown catch, a 53-yard completion, it was time for the bench to take over. Castle's second touchdown catch gave the Blackcats a 45-0 lead.

Nate Allen recovered a Morgan County fumble, and on the first play from scrimmage, Hall found a wide open Leslie in the end zone for a 26-yard pass completion and Stinnett added the PAT for a 52-0 score.

Morgan County finally got on the board on a halfback pass from Jon Lykins to Brent Jenkins for a 55-yard scoring pass. But a nice 43-yard kickoff return by Castle set up a three-play pass completion from Hall to Leslie that gave Prestonsburg a 59-6 half-time lead.

Prestonsburg used the halfback pass play to score early in the third quarter when Ortega hit Crisp with a 33-yard completion and the Stinnett PAT made it a 66-6 game. Prestonsburg's final points came on a 38-yard field goal by Stinnett with one second on the clock in the third quarter.

Morgan County added touchdowns, against the Prestonsburg bench, by Jenkins and Eric Smith to make the score a little more respectable.

On the ground, Prestonsburg rushed for 133 yards led by freshman John Abshire with 33 yards. Matt Slone carried the football nine times for 28 yards.

In the game, brothers J.T. and John Abshire both came up with interceptions for the Blackcats. Austin Clark completed two passes for 12 yards passing. Prestonsburg totaled 461 yards on offense.

Jeremy Caudill led the Prestonsburg defense with nine first hits (unofficial) and four assists. Those came in the first half. Leslie had six first hits and three assists.

Morgan County, which was headed for negative yardage against the Prestonsburg starters, looked a little better against the junior varsity team.

The Cougars finished with 283 yards total offense. The Cougars rushed for 162 yards and passed for 121. Jon Lykins rushed for 71 yards to lead the ground attack.

Morgan County had four turnovers. The Cougars were intercepted three times and they fumbled the

football away twice. They had five fumbles in the game but recovered three. They were penalized 60 yards on seven yellow flags.

Prestonsburg lost the ball once on an interception. The Blackcats fumbled the football twice, but recovered it both times. They received 45 yards in penalties on seven flags.

Stinnett, who is one of the best kickers in the area, had four points after and a field goal.

Prestonsburg will travel to Leslie County this Friday night for a district game. The Blackcats has a game remaining with Shelby Valley before closing the regular season at home against Pikeville.



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Pikeville, Cordia capture Piarist School meet

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Stephanie Kelly posted a time of 17:28 to finish first in the women's division of The Piarist School cross-country meet and lead the Pikeville Lady Panthers to a team first place in capturing the invitational meet at the Jenny Wiley State Resort Park last week.

Cordia finished first in the men's division, led by Nick Combs' time of 18:01 for overall first place.

The host team, Piarist, had three girls to finish, led by Kari Ross with a time of 22:46 for 18th place. Tai England placed 21st and Nora Traum finished 30th.

Kelly had the quickest time for the Lady Panthers followed, closely by Emily Demarest at 17:47. The two finished one and two in the race.

Oneida Baptist's Amanda Travis took the third position at 18:55 with Lizzy Hall (Pikeville) and Sarah Hobbs (Pikeville) rounding out the top five. Pikeville's Sarah Boyd fin-

ished ninth overall.

Combs had the best time for the men with Cordia taking first place as a team.

Riverside Christian's Jesse Fugate finished a strong second behind Combs with a time of 18:13. June Buchanan had the third and fourth place finishers in Trevor Slone and Ray Slone. David Smith of Cordia finished out the top five.

Finishers in the boys and girls classes are:

MEN'S CROSS-COUNTRY

Top Ten: 1. Nick Combs, Cordia; 2. Jesse Fugate, Riverside; 3. Trevor Slone, June Buchanan; 4. Ray Slone, June Buchanan; 5. David Smith, Cordia; 6. Kelly Smith, Cordia; 7. Dustin Branham, Pikeville; 8. Ben Beeler, Pikeville; 9. Nathan Gardner, OBI; 10. Michael Fugate, Riverside.

Other finishers: Shafter Couch, Cordia; Matt Sykes, Pikeville; Josh Hurt, Cordia; Josh Flinner, OBI; Craig Miller, Riverside; Cody Roberts, Pikeville; Curt Lowndes, Pikeville; Ken Neace, Riverside; Brad Hartsock, Pikeville; Brandon Richardson, OBI.

Bobby Ray, Pikeville; Kaleb Anderson, June Buchanan; Chuck Wilkerson, OBI; Terry Watson, Cordia; Chad Short, June Buchanan; Stan Hubbard, OBI; Chris Martin, Cordia; Josh Weaver, Riverside; Josh Combs, Riverside; Steven Justice, Pikeville; Adam Hutchinson, Piarist; Denton Ladner, OBI.

George Hall, Piarist; Malachi Young, Cordia; Adam Smith, Pikeville; Steve Gwinn, OBI; Robert Hall, Piarist; Jason Fugate, Riverside; Chris Weaver, Riverside; Tyler Johnson, Pikeville.

WOMEN'S CROSS-COUNTRY

Top Ten: 1. Stephanie Kelly, Pikeville; 2. Emily Demarest, Pikeville; 3. Amanda Travis, OBI; 4. Lizzy Hill, Pikeville; 5. Sarah

Hobbs, Pikeville; 6. Amelia Cody, Cordia; 7. Jennifer Martin, OBI; 8. Jessica Hicks, Cordia; 9. Sarah Boyd, Pikeville; 10. Lauren Francisco, Pikeville.

Other finishers: Joy Woods, OBI; Taran Cody, Cordia; Nikki Moore, Pikeville; Don Ella Bush, Cordia; Jessica Lucas, Cordia; Elizabeth Combs, Pikeville; Alicia Barrett, OBI; Kari Ross, Piarist; Michelle Hall, Pikeville; Charity Lucas, Cordia.

Tai England, Piarist; Kara Caudill, June Buchanan; Kim Hickman, Pikeville; Megan Travis, OBI; Christa McPeck, Pikeville; Jessica Maggard, June Buchanan; Leslie Campbell, June Buchanan; Hope Grigsby, Cordia.

Shelby Jones, Riverside; Nora Traum, Piarist; Janda Conley, June Buchanan; Lyn Gibson, June Buchanan; Kristy Noble, Riverside; Stephanie Bailey, OBI; Emily Brashear, June Buchanan; Samantha Collins, June Buchanan.



A good start

Adam Hutchinson (right) and George Hall represented The Piarist School in last week's cross-country meet at the Jenny Wiley State Park course. It was the second annual invitational with Cordia taking home the championship. (photo Piarist School)



Off to the races

The Piarist School girls' cross-country team hosted their annual invitational meet last week at the Jenny Wiley State Park with seven teams taking part. Pikeville High School took first place at the meet. (photo Piarist School)

NASCAR CONNECTION

Still doing it the old way

by Steve Mickey

Somewhere lost in the high speeds of Talladega last Sunday was the seldom seen sight of an "old-time" independent driver crossing the finish line in a very respectable 12th place. That old-time independent was 57-year-old Dave Marcis, who is in his 32nd year of competition in NASCAR Winston Cup racing.

Dave nowadays is best known for the black leather wingtip shoes he wears while driving and his willingness to speak out on just about any issue that arises within the series. But no doubt what Dave will want to always be remembered for is the way that he competed every week on the circuit.

For years, Marcis ran his own operation on a shoestring budget that relied as much on the winnings from a race than the few sponsorship dollars that he was able to generate — most of which came in the form of a one-race deal that usually gave him just enough money to put the sponsors decal on the hood of his car.

I can still remember the first time I ever got to spend some time in the pits before a race. I was amazed at the sight of the haulers and all of the luxuries that they afforded their team.

Then parked right there among all of the high-priced rigs was the sight of Marcis' hauler that didn't even have a lift gate on the rear door to lift the car up to the storage compartment. For sure there wasn't the sight of a kitchen or lounge on his rig, just tools and equipment to make the race.

I soon discovered that being an old-time independent also meant more than just the absence of a modern hauler. While other drivers were out conducting interviews and signing autographs, Marcis could be identified by the sight of his legs sticking out from under his car as he worked to get his Chevy up to speed.

1997 was a year that saw Marcis struggle just to qualify for a race and, to be honest, it wouldn't have been much of a surprise if Marcis announced before the beginning of the '98 season that his driving days were over. But to know Dave Marcis is to know a man that still believes he can get the job done behind the steering wheel.

He began last season with another one of those one-race sponsorship deals with Realtree Camouflage, but after making the

starting lineup of his 29th consecutive Daytona 500, Realtree decided to sign on for the entire season.

The year-long deal was a welcome relief to Marcis, but the years of running his own team as an independent began to catch up with him on qualifying day each week.

In a sport that has seen the trend for success to be leaning toward a multi-car team, Marcis had more than lived up to his independent status. The years that saw his team have just enough money to make it

in the show have assured Marcis that just making a race these days is a victory in itself.

You see, all of those years when he was just making the race, the multi-car operations were out testing as much as they were actually racing.

It seemed the other teams were always spending money on research and development projects while the only research and devel-

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Raiders

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down. Bryant finished with his season low in rushing when he gained only 56 yards on 18 carries. Darren Newsome led the Raiders' rushing game with 82 yards on nine carries.

Senior quarterback Charlie Williams completed only three of nine passes for 13 yards. P.J. Cox caught two passes for 11 yards.

South Floyd won the toss and elected to receive the ball. On the ensuing kickoff, Bryant raced 78 yards into the end zone only to have the touchdown called back on a clipping call that was unnecessary.

The Raiders got the football at

the Hazard 38 and moved to the Bulldogs' 12-yard line on the running of Newsome. But the drive stalled out on a fourth and seven when Williams' pass fell incomplete.

But the Bulldogs kept the Raiders on their end of the field when they fumbled the football on the first play from scrimmage. South Floyd took over on the Bulldogs' 18, but a 5-yard penalty placed the ball at the 23 when Bryant scampered into the end zone to give South Floyd its only lead of the game, 6-0 with 6:12 to play.

The Raiders had control of the

football when the first quarter ended but were forced to punt after two plays into the second period.

Hazard then struck on first play from the line of scrimmage with French galloping 52 yards for the touchdown. On a draw play, French burst up the middle and went the distance untouched to tie the game at 6-6.

Williams was intercepted at the Hazard 43-yard line and it took but two plays for French to break free and jaunt 71 yards for the touchdown that gave Hazard a 12-6 lead that held up at the half.

Hazard struck again with 6:52 to

play in the third period when Josh Reffett scored on a 6-yard run that gave the Bulldogs a 20-6 cushion after Tony Russell ran the two-point conversion.

In the next four possessions, there were three fumbles. Hazard coughed up the ball twice and South Floyd once. The Raiders had a three and out. Hazard led 20-6 after three quarters.

Russell put the final points on the scoreboard for Hazard on a 2-yard run with four minutes to play to give the final 26-6 margin.

Hazard gained 310 yards on the ground against the Raiders. They

had 327 yards offense for the game.

Billy Hall, Andy Moore, and Billy Bryant had fumble recoveries for the Raiders. P.J. Cox led the Raider defense with six first hits and three assists. Bryant had five first hits and one assist.

South Floyd had three turnovers, two on fumbles and one interception. Hazard fumbled the ball away three times.

They were penalized for 70 yards on six flags. South Floyd had four flags for 30 yards.

Hazard improved to 4-3 on the season and is still in the playoff picture.



South Floyd's Darren Newsome was tripped on this running play against Hazard last Friday night. The Raiders dropped a 26-6 decision to the Bulldogs. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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College Weekend

Kentucky to fall at LSU; Virginia the big upset winner

As a variety of conference races take shape, the potential game of the week takes place out west in the Pac-10, where UCLA hosts Oregon. This contest looks just as evenly matched as last year's in Eugene, Oregon, which UCLA, then ranked 18th, came from behind to win 39-31.

In a game that featured a combined 947 yards of offense, the Bruins used a 265-yard ground attack to overcome a 21-10 Oregon lead and capture their second in a row over the Ducks. They'll make it three on Saturday, but just barely.

There are two huge inter-divisional games in the Southeastern

Conference. Kentucky (East) takes on LSU (West) in Baton Rouge, La. in a rematch of a game the Cats would just as soon forget.

Last year in Lexington, the unranked Wildcats took a surprise 21-20 halftime lead over then No. 16 LSU and then self-destructed, turning the ball over on their first three possessions of the second half.



The Tigers turned all three chances into TD's and went on to pummel Kentucky 63-28. LSU will win its third straight over Kentucky, but this one won't be a rout.

Our upset of the week unfolds in the Atlantic Coast Conference — specifically in Atlanta, where Virginia visits Georgia Tech. The Cavaliers are in for a

surprise from the Yellow Jackets, but, then again, these two teams had quite a battle in 1997 in Charlottesville, Va.

In that one, Virginia needed a 1-yard TD plunge by Anthony Southern with 1:16 left to play to win 35-31, but it was the passing by both teams that stood out: QB's Aaron Brooks of Virginia and Joe Hamilton of Georgia Tech completed 40 of 52 passes for a total of 645 yards.

Both QB's are back, but this time it'll be Hamilton's Yellow Jackets who will win a squeaker.

In Gainesville, Fla., meanwhile, the Florida Gators will run their string of wins over Auburn to four.

In their '97 matchup, Florida wide receiver Jacques Green threw for one TD, caught another and ran for another as the seventh-ranked Gators upset No. 6 Auburn 24-10. Another two-TD Florida win sounds about right.

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THE RACING REPORTER

Jarrett wins at Talladega

Dale Jarrett had two firsts this past Sunday at Talladega Superspeedway. First, he won the Winston 500 for the first time in his career, and then he collected an extra check from R.J. Reynolds Tobacco for winning the Million Winston No-Bull bonus.

Jarrett took the lead in his No. 88 Quality Care Ford Taurus on lap 164 of the 199 lap event and held off charges by Terry Labonte and Jeff Gordon to record his third Winston Cup victory of the 1998 season.

"What an unbelievable race car," said Jarrett. "It was incredible, both the car and engine. It's been a tough year, but we made it back. But I've got to thank all the crew and especially Todd, who made it happen."

Crew Chief Todd Parrott said, "A million dollars. I can't believe it. It's been a rough year, but that guy (Dale Jarrett) is a smart driver. He knew when to take the lead and how to hold the other guys off."

Jeff Gordon, who was one lap

down at one point in the race, battled back and with two laps remaining, tried to get underneath Jarrett for the lead, but didn't quite have enough speed and had to settle for the runner-up spot.

"I thought I had a shot at the million and I got all excited there at the end," said Gordon. "But Dale did a great job and I'm happy for him. We got over this hurdle, but we've still got four more to go. What happened to Mark could have happened to me."

Gordon has now finished in the top five in the last 16 races.

Mark Martin, who trailed Gordon by 174 points going into Sunday's race, was caught up in a major wreck on lap 136. It occurred when the cars driven by Ernie Irvan and Sterling Marlin touched going into turn two. There was a multiple

chain reaction that either damaged or took out the cars of Dale Earnhardt, Mark Martin, Dick Trickle, Johnny Benson, Rusty Wallace, Steve Grissom, Michael Waltrip, Kyle Petty, Ward Burton and Kevin LePage.

Martin was able to drive his badly damaged car back to the pit area where repairs were made, but when he re-entered the track, he was 22 laps down.

"We didn't run good today," Martin said. "But we didn't want to wreck.

We were running sixth even though we weren't that good. I'm disappointed, but I'm glad we didn't hit hard. I just hate this restrictor-plate racing. You just can't use your skills to get yourself out of trouble when something happens like you can at Charlotte and the other tracks. If all our racing was like this, I'd get out of it."

Mike Skinner, who led the most laps in the Richard Childress Lowe's Monte Carlo was one of the dominant cars, but he got caught in a drafting-shuttle near the end and wound up finishing seventh.

Skinner's teammate, Dale Earnhardt, had repairs made to his No. 3 Goodwrench Monte Carlo after being involved in the wreck on lap 136 and ran as high as third before a broken gear in the rear end of his car forced him to retire.

TOP 20 FINISHERS:

1. Dale Jarrett
2. Jeff Gordon
3. Terry Labonte
4. Jimmy Spencer
5. Jeremy Mayfield
6. Bobby Labonte
7. Mike Skinner
8. Chad Little
9. Michael Waltrip
10. Jeff Burton
11. Derricke Cope
12. Dave Marcus
13. Brett Bodine
14. Sterling Marlin
15. Bobby Hamilton
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TOP 10 WINSTON POINTS LEADERS

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| 3. Dale Jarrett | 4098 |
| 4. Rusty Wallace | 3883 |
| 5. Jeff Burton | 3806 |
| 6. Jeremy Mayfield | 3761 |
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12. Tony Roper
13. Ron Barfield
14. Dennis Setzer
15. Stacy Compton
16. Scot Walters
17. Kevin Harvick

Football stats, standings, schedule

SCORING				
PLAYER	SCHOOL	TD	C/PAT	TOTAL
John Ortega	Prestonsburg	17	5 - 0	112
B.J. Bryant	South Floyd	14	1 - 0	87
Grant Castle	Prestonsburg	8	3 - 0	54
Gary Hunter	Allen Central	8	1 - 0	50
Matt Tackett	South Floyd	6	1 - 0	38
Darren Newsome	South Floyd	4	4 - 0	36
Seth Crisp	Prestonsburg	6	0 - 0	36
Mark Dunfee	Allen Central	5	0 - 0	30
Chad Bryant	Betsy Layne	4	2 - 0	28
Jonathan Howell	Betsy Layne	4	1 - 0	26
Nathan Leslie	Prestonsburg	4	1 - 0	26
Brian Jones	Allen Central	3	2 - 0	24
Jesse Hall	Allen Central	2	2 - 0	18
Jonathan Ellis	Allen Central	1	2 - 4	14
Bradley Brooks	Betsy Layne	2	0 - 0	12
P.J.Hall	South Floyd	1	3 - 0	12
Anthony Tackett	Betsy Layne	2	0 - 0	12
D.J. Hoover	Allen Central	2	0 - 0	12
Kyle Tackett	South Floyd	1	2 - 0	10
Adam Hall	Prestonsburg	1	1 - 0	8
Matt Slone	Prestonsburg	1	1 - 0	8
Tim Sloan	Prestonsburg	1	0 - 0	6
Br'don Sizemore	Allen Central	1	0 - 0	6
Brent Rose	Allen Central	1	0 - 0	6
Andy Moore	South Floyd	1	0 - 0	6
Ryan Owens	Allen Central	1	0 - 0	6
Shawn Newsome	Allen Central	1	0 - 0	6
Leroy Prater	Allen Central	1	0 - 0	6
Jarrod Johnson	South Floyd	0	3 - 0	6
Jeremy Caudill	Prestonsburg	1	0 - 0	6
Brook Stinnett	Prestonsburg	0	0 - 4	4

STATS		
RUSHING	SCHOOL	TOTAL
B.J. Bryant	South Floyd	774
Mark Dunfee	Allen Central	758
John Ortega	Prestonsburg	700
Grant Castle	Prestonsburg	442
Chad Bryant	Betsy Layne	317
Darren Newsome	South Floyd	304
Hank Mullins	Prestonsburg	223
Bradley Brooks	Betsy Layne	140
Matt Tackett	South Floyd	120

PASSING	SCHOOL	TOTAL
Adam Hall	Prestonsburg	38/872
Jesse Hall	Allen Central	51/797
Charlie William	South Floyd	43/643
Seth Crisp	Prestonsburg	14/170

RECEIVING	SCHOOL	TOTAL
Gary Hunter	Allen Central	23/604
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Brian Jones	Allen Central	21/320
Kyle Tackett	South Floyd	16/315
Seth Crisp	Prestonsburg	16/255

STANDINGS	
PRESTONSBURG	5-2
ALLEN CENTRAL	3-4
SOUTH FLOYD	2-5
BETSY LAYNE	1-6

as of October 9

NASCAR—

(Continued from page three)

opment that he was doing was driving for Goodyear in its tire test at the various tracks.

Much of Marcis' R&D comes from help that he gets from Richard Childress Racing. Childress and Earnhardt have been an ally to Dave in recent years and can always be seen lending him an engine or giving him parts to help make a race.

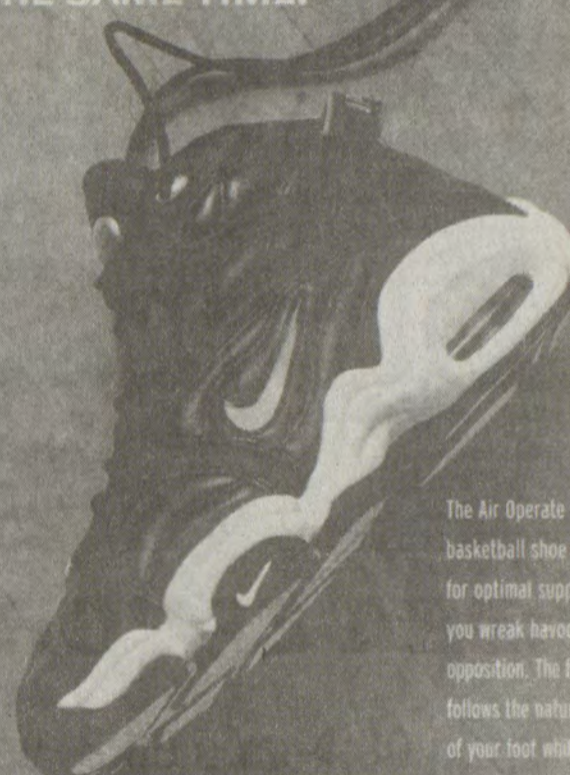
Even with all that Marcis has going against him, it seems the one obstacle that he just can't overcome is the provisional program that NASCAR now uses in making up the field of a race.

Drivers who finished in the top 25 in points get first crack at using a provisional each week and in many cases Marcis actually recorded a faster time out because of his position in the point standings he couldn't use a provisional.

Maybe the most questionable use of all of the provisionals is the one reserved for past Winston Cup champions. Sure, it wouldn't hurt to let them use a couple a year, but it shouldn't be used on a weekly basis by a former champion as has been the case this year.

The day is near that Dave Marcis will no longer even attempt to qualify for a race, and when that day does arrive Winston Cup has lost its last link to its glorious past.

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Alabama	22	* East Carolina	16
Arizona	20	* Oregon State	10
Arkansas	21	* South Carolina	7
Arkansas State	28	* Southwestern Louisiana	14
Brigham Young	34	* Hawaii	9
Central Michigan	28	* Northern Illinois	7
* Colorado	24	* Texas Tech	16
Colorado State	25	* New Mexico State	7
Eastern Michigan	18	* Western Michigan	14
* Florida	30	Auburn	15
* Florida State	37	Clemson	6
* Georgia	45	Vanderbilt	10
* Georgia Tech	16	Virginia	15
* Indiana	24	Iowa	15
* Kansas State	35	Oklahoma State	7
L.S.U.	29	Kentucky	13
* Louisiana Tech	19	Alabama-Birmingham	14
* Marshall	42	Kent	7
* Memphis	23	Cincinnati	14
Miami (Ohio)	38	* Ball State	8
Michigan	34	* Northwestern	17
* Mississippi State	46	East Tennessee State	6
* Missouri	24	Oklahoma	9
* Navy	27	Colgate	10
* Nebraska	45	Kansas	7
* Nevada	20	* North Texas	16
* New Mexico	21	San Diego State	20
* North Carolina State	31	Duke	14
* Ohio State	44	Minnesota	10
* Penn State	28	Purdue	19
* Pittsburgh	33	Rutgers	8
San Jose State	16	* Texas-El Paso	13
Southern California	26	* Washington State	17
Southern Mississippi	18	* Army	14
Syracuse	36	Boston College	16
Texas A&M	21	Baylor	19
* Texas Christian	20	* Southern Methodist	9
* Toledo	27	Bowling Green	12
* Tulane	27	Louisville	10
Tulsa	13	* Rice	10
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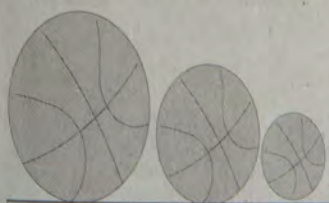


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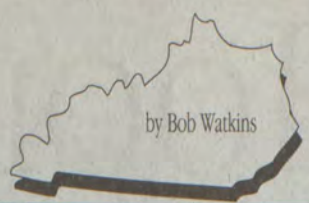
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SPORTS IN KENTUCKY



UK to stay in penthouse; Smith's harvest best in two decades

How to rate Kentucky's basketball recruiting campaign this year? How about the best in nearly two decades. Which, by any measure is extraordinary for a defending national champion with four returning regulars.

In 1979 UK landed Sam Bowie, Melvin Turpin, Derrick Hord, Dirk Minniefield and Charles Hurt. By Thanksgiving this year, Tubby Smith will have signed Keith Bogans, Marvin Stone, John Stewart and possibly 6-10 Marquis Estill and/or 6-11 Jonathan Bender.

Parallels between the classes of '79 and '98 are noteworthy.

As Bowie was, Marvin Stone is a mobile power forward with superb instincts and shooting range. Despite foot and leg problems, by 1981 the effusive Bowie was an All-American and would be chosen ahead of Michael Jordan in the '84 NBA Draft. Stone has the same potential.

As Bowie was, Stone seems genuinely happy to discuss school, the campus and Kentucky basketball instead of his hops and how soon he can springboard to the NBA. This is a reflection, I believe, of Tubby Smith's philosophy — grow and learn and enjoy a day at a time and let the next level take care of itself.

Impressive too, Alabama newspaperman Bill Ellis on why Stone chose Kentucky over Alabama: "If you were a great player and UCLA, Kentucky, North Carolina and the NBA came calling, where would you put a school that has treated men's basketball like a second class citizen on your list? Kentucky is the best overall basketball school in the nation, certainly in the SEC. It is an honor to play for Kentucky. Only a very select few are given the opportunity to even visit."

Stone's high school coach at

Huntsville Grissom Ron Stapler: "Some of the coaches have compared him to former Kentucky player Walter McCarty. I tell you who he reminds me of, because he's gotten so much stronger and with his ability to shoot, is Alonzo Mourning. He can play with his back to the basket or facing it in the high post."

Keith Bogans. Accolades showered on Bogans as America's premier player are gaudy even without outrageous comparisons to MJ. Suffice to say they are reminiscent of Derrick Hord. Bogans is a clutch player, a creator, but more a listener. Enough said.

Next, John Stewart is compared to Nazr Mohammed. Forget that. If Stewart improves the way Melvin Turpin did, UK fans and the kid from Indianapolis won't remember Mohammed from a door stop. On a star-studded team, Turpin was the leading scorer in his junior and senior years. 1981-84 Kentucky was 74-21 and he was on the way to being All-America. Of course, the hefty Stewart will be reminded often also, that Turpin ate his way to an abbreviated NBA career.

Finally, if 6-10 Marquis Estill and/or Mississippian Jonathan Bender does the expected after Midnight Madness and commits to UK, headline writers and columnists will remind graybeard Wildcat fans of glory days of twin towers — Bowie and Turpin. In 1984 the two led UK to a 29-5 record and a trip to the Final Four in Seattle.

But, with Tubby Smith running this show into the new century, Kentucky should spend lots of time around the NCAA Tournament

penthouse.

UK REACHES A THRESHOLD ... AGAIN

Midnight Madness/LSU week. For reasons known only to SEC schedule-makers UK's basketball mania and LSU seem intertwined in Kentucky's athletic crossroads each autumn.

Fans scramble for a first glimpse at the Tubby Smiths, and the football team gets another chance to see if it can keep a place at the top of sports pages and television's evening sports report. Mid-October finds Wildcats once again at a threshold of opportunity as the boys with cajun names and wearing pumpkin-colored shirts show up on the schedule. LSU at Baton Rouge. What a chance.

Hal Mumme's team is 4-2, still has not proven it can beat anybody with a winning record, but just like always it seems, here comes October opportunity. Despite a damaging loss at Arkansas, these Wildcats arrive at the season's turn with a chance. A good chance in games at LSU, Georgia at home, an open date, then a visit from Mississippi State. Victory or victories against teams with winning records would mean bowl bid consideration.

While it has shown some of the familiar tendencies to self-destruct and go belly-up at crucial times of teams past, this Tim Couch-led outfit also shows flickers of being able to turn corners. Spring a surprise. UK has a defense capable of creating turnovers now instead of getting run over by a truck. Certainly the next three opponents are 18-wheelers, but opportunity is at hand.

Having seen LSU lose at Florida last week, a Kentucky victory at Tiger Stadium is probably wishful thinking for all but the most frenzied Big Blue fan. But playing in Commonwealth Stadium where, in other Octobers UK has sprung a few goblins, Georgia and Mississippi State are beatable.

Stay tuned. Footnote to cynics who say Kentucky can never be a football title contender: Five seasons ago, Kansas State was rated the worst football team in America, but last week the No. 3 ranked Wildcats earned a feature spread in The Sporting News touted as national championship contenders.

Five years ago it said in this space, given its location, facilities, fan support and commitment, UK is no less a sleeping giant in football than K-State.

YELLOW FLAGS DON'T WORRY MUMME

Yellow flags 18 times at Arkansas. UK leads the SEC in penalties so far this season and led the league all of last year. Hal Mumme says he's not concerned.

Excuse me, partner, but since this ain't Lincoln or Gainesville, from here it looks like UK football is still a few rocks from the sun from affording 18 center snaps cancelled, let alone the yardage walk-offs. Mumme spins, mmm, explains his team's penalty yards as a trade-off for aggressive play. Gee, Nebraska, Ohio State and a host of Top 10ers manage to assault opponents every Saturday without yellow flagging their chances of winning.

I thought Football 101 taught penalties are the result of lack of discipline, preparation and concentration. Moreover, reputation of being the SEC's most penalized team doesn't help since presumably game officials read box scores and statistics lines too. Next time Jonas Leining grapples with a defensive end and his fingers curl, what you think the odds are, Hal, of holding being flagged against UK?

But never mind, Mumme says penalties are all right.

DIS 'N DATA

• Baseball. Gee, did anybody hear the air pffiffing out of this season when McGwire, Sosa and Griffey Jr. sat down? ... I don't care what you say, Major League umpires, by and large, don't know a strike zone from a no-fly zone. Stand up, Ted Hendry. And the calls at second base are bad too. ... Jim Leyland in Denver, hmmm. But Felipe Alou in LA?

• Week 5: Leading Heisman Trophy candidates: 1. Ricky Williams, Texas; 2. Cade McNown, UCLA; 3. Tim Couch, Kentucky; 4.

Others.

• NBAful. Day 100 of the NBA lockout came and went last week with no change. Owners, lawyers and players union representatives met again this week for what was called a 'drop dead' date to save the NBA regular season. No progress. Good job, guys. Don't budge an inch. We're going to miss you this winter.

• Nike decline? Here's a surprise. With it's swoosh plastered across the head, chest, feet and butt of college sports, Nike has decided it has diluted the impact of its image. "...in the process ... many sports fans (have) become resentful of its pervasive presence," warbles Sports Illustrated who then—with a remarkable grab for the obvious—quotes an apparel industry analyst: "...consumers seem to like logos for only a certain period of time. And when they begin to see one everywhere, they get sick of it." Gee.

• Prediction: Maybe, before all's said and done, Phil Knight's outfit will be on the phone to C.M. Newton about a buy-out. Wouldn't that be a hoot?

• Eclipse. Breathitt County High quarterback Kyle Moore has been flinging passes since becoming a starter as a sophomore. Moore is now second in KHSAA all-time passing yards with 7,911. Sound like a lot? The state record is a few light years away, 12,167, held by Tim Couch.

WORTH REPEATING

Dan Quisenberry died two weeks ago of brain cancer. The affable relief pitcher for the Kansas City Royals for 12 summers was 45. His two World Series appearances aside, Quiz is remembered for an uncommon wit and a Leo Bascalia view of life. Some Quiz quotes...

Being a Major League ball player: "I'm here! It's Merry Christmas! There are toys in my locker. Gloves and bats and balls."

His disease: "I've had so many good things happen to me. So why not me?"

Player salaries: "No man is worth more than another, and none is worth more than \$12.95."

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HOOP SCOOP

There aren't many recruiting stories crazier than the one involving 6'7 George Williams from Sugar Land (Elkins) TX. It was being reported on the internet several weeks ago that the University of Houston had gotten a commitment from Williams, who ranks #24 nationally by the HOOP SCOOP.

To confirm this fact, I called John Eurey, who is Williams AAU coach. Eurey told me that this was false. He also told me that the top three schools on Williams list were N.C. State, Michigan, and Vanderbilt. As a matter of fact, he led me to believe Houston was not even a factor. So I went with this on our web site a week ago Monday, September 28th.

Two days later Greg Swaim, the Editor & Publisher of Midwest Basketball called and told me that he has a source close to the Houston program who thinks it is a done deal - Williams is going to Houston. At that point, I tried several times unsuccessfully to call Williams, but was able to talk to four other people who had knowledge of the recruiting situation and none of them thought Houston was even in the picture, much less close to getting a commitment.

So on Thursday, October 1st, I told our readers that Eurey's information looks to be as good as gold, which leads us to believe that Swaim's source is either an overzealous Houston fan or he has one heck of a scoop.

Over the next four or five days I found out how Ken Starr feels. If you don't like the message, attack the messenger. That was the approach of the Houston fans. Not only did they tell me I was wrong about Williams, but they also questioned my credibility, because I was wrong about 6'4 Antonio Falu from Houston (Waltrip) TX.

Let's talk about Falu for a second. This is the guy who committed to the University of Alabama last spring, but later reneged when the old coaching staff got fired. Since that time Alabama has been investigated for the illegal recruitment of Falu.

Obviously, Falu can't go to Alabama, so late in the summer he was telling the coaches at the University of Louisville, that he was going to Louisville. Then, to our surprise, he publicly committed to Houston, but behind the scenes has continued to tell people that he only made the commitment to Houston to eliminate all the pressure to stay home.

When the NCAA recently placed Louisville on three-year probation, Falu eliminated the Cardinals, because he didn't want to go to a school that was on probation. However, he is still planning on visiting both Oregon State and Florida International. So I will stand by what I said earlier about Falu not being a sure thing for Houston.

Now let's get back to Williams. On Wednesday, October 7th, the Charlotte Observer erroneously reported that Williams had verbally committed to N.C. State. Apparently 6'8 Ray Henderson from Charlotte (East Mecklenburg) NC wanted to commit to the Wolfpack, but over the weekend,

N.C. State got a commitment from 6'1 Anthony Grundy from Chatham (Hargrave Military) VA. As a result, they backed off Henderson, because they only have one more scholarship to give and they think the last piece to their puzzle is a talented athletic wing forward, like Williams.

Obviously, somebody put two and two together and figured that N.C. State was backing off Henderson, because Williams had committed. While we still think N.C. State is the leader and we understand he had an excellent visit last weekend, our sources tell us that this one appears to be a long way away from being done. As a matter of fact, Eurey is now telling us that Houston is making a strong push, which leads us to believe that the Cougars might now be #2 on his list.

Another interesting story involves the recruitment of 6'3 DeShaun Williams from Paterson (Catholic) NJ, who ranks #45 nationally by the HOOP SCOOP. A month ago, one of our competitors reported that Williams had committed to Villanova. Just to make sure that this was indeed correct, I went right to source Williams attending Five-Star Basketball Camp is August Honesdale Session, which I happened to be covering.

Williams not only told me that he hadn't committed, but also said he was a long way away from making a decision. He said that he also liked Xavier and Syracuse and added that he might even open it back up further if he wasn't completely sold on one of those schools this fall.

We also talked with Williams' high school coach Jerome Smart, for a long time after the all-star game at Five-Star and he told us that if it were done today, he thought Williams would pick Syracuse, instead of Villanova.

So we put all this on our web page, but several days later the guy who erroneously reported that Williams was going to Villanova did acknowledge that he had jumped the gun, but still predicted that it was only a matter of time, before he committed to the Wildcats. Having said all this, I really enjoyed reporting on our web site Sunday night that Williams had committed to Syracuse.

Things can change fast in this business and, although we still think UCLA will be very tough to be beat, Duke is making a very strong push for 6'9 Carlos Boozer from Juneau (Douglas) AK, who ranks #5 nationally in the class by the HOOP SCOOP. As a matter of fact, we have several sources that think that Duke will pull off the upset.

If Duke gets both Boozer and 6'6 Michael Dunleavy from Portland (Jesuit) OR, who we think will pick the Blue Devils over North Carolina and Stanford, their current recruiting class would be on the same level as the great class they signed two years ago. If you recall, Duke already has commitments from 6'11 Casey Sanders from Tampa (Prep) FL, 6'10 Nick Horvath from Arden Hills (Mounts View) MN, and 6'2 Jason Williams from Metchum (St. Joseph) NJ. Which leads us to our next ques-

tion. Which class would you rather have? The great Duke recruiting class of '97, which included Elton Brand, Shane Battier, Chris Burgess, and William Avery or this current class, which, if they get Boozer, would also include three players who rank among top 10 nationally?

We thought that Kentucky might drop out of the race for 6'7 Donnell Harvey from Cuthbert (Randolph Clay) GA when they got 6'10 Marvin Stone from Huntsville (Grissom) AL, but apparently the Wildcats are still involved. However, if he decides to do something this fall we think it greatly reduces their chances.

Another player Kentucky is still in the hunt for is 6'11 Jonathan Bender from Picayune (H.S.) MS, who is planning on visiting Lexington, KY for the Midnight Madness. Also planning on making unofficial visits to Kentucky for Midnight Madness are Stone and 6'4 Keith Bogans from Hyattsville (DeMatha) MD, both of whom have already committed to the Wildcats. And you can bet that Stone and Bogans will be trying to convince Bender to become part of the package.

The University of Cincinnati has one remaining scholarship and they're going after 6'9 Dermarr Johnson from Pittsfield (Maine Central Intsiute) ME, who currently ranks #14 nationally in the senior class by the HOOP SCOOP, although he has as much potential as anybody in the class. As a matter of fact, Johnson plans to make his official visit to Cincinnati next week during their Midnight Madness.

However, we still think Pittsburgh is the school you have to beat for Johnson, because Troy Weaver, who is currently an assistant coach for the Panthers, was

formerly Johnson's AAU coach. Also, Weaver, has already landed Johnson's teammate - 6'6 Jamal Brown from Pittsfield (Maine Central Institute) ME.

One player who was scheduled to make a visit during Midnight Madness was 6'7 Travis Watson from Mouth of Wilson (Oak Hill) VA, who was supposed to be at Clemson. However, he has now moved the visit up a week. Speaking of Watson, we're

hearing rumors that Florida State and Texas are both out, which means the final three are Clemson, Virginia, and Michigan. Our guess is that it will be Virginia, but right now it's far from done.

Ron Naclerio, our New York City Editor, says that 6'10 Mark McCarroll from Middle Village (Christ the King) NY hasn't done it, but we think that St. John's already has a secret verbal commitment from this vastly improved big man who has also grown several inches since last spring.

However, other sources close to the program speculate that St. John's doesn't want to make it official. Apparently the Red Storm coaching staff doesn't want to do anything to scare off 6'9 Abraham Keita from Winchendon (School) MA, 7'0 Josh Moore from Oakdale

(St. Thomas More) CT, and/or 6'9 Carlos Boozer from Juneau (Douglas) AK.

Look for Baylor to get commitments later this week from 6'2 Wendell Greenleaf from Houston (North Shore) TX and 6'7 Terry Black from Indian Hills (JC) IA, who ranks as one of the top five junior college players in the nation. Assuming that this indeed happens later in the week, Baylor will only have one scholarship remaining. But we don't expect Baylor to sign anybody else until after the fall signing period is over. At that point all of assistant coach Mike Wilson's international travel last summer should pay big dividends, because the Bears are believed to be the leader for a pair of 7'2 guys - one from Moscow and the other from Lithuania.



Dwarfed

A South Floyd runner was covered by two Hazard Bulldog defenders last Friday night at Brackett Field. The Raiders fell to the Bulldogs 26-6 as they playoff hopes faded. South Floyd will entertain county rival Allen Central Thursday night in a 7 p.m. start. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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TOP-10 CRAFTSMAN POINTS LEADERS

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Dallenbach has driven the Budweiser Chevrolet for 11 races this season, including the last eight consecutive events in a driver fill-in capacity. The 35-year-old New Brunswick, N.J., deposited three top-10 finishes in the 11 races he has driven for Hendrick

this season. His best finish was seventh at Pocono, June 21.

The son of Wally Dallenbach Sr., a former world-class driver who serves as crew chief in the CART series, Dallenbach Jr. began racing at a small road-course track not far from his childhood home in Basalt, Colo.

He returned to the East Coast after high school and gained seat time in various divisions of racing, including NASCAR modified cars.

Still seeking his first Winston Cup victory, he has posted two second-place finishes at the Bud and the Glen in 1993 and 1995.

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Kristen Dillion, daughter of Michael and Stacie Dillion of Vermillion, Ohio, participated in the Kawanis World's Greatest Kids Race. This race is held each year on the first Sunday in October in Vermillion, Ohio. Proceeds from this race benefit Kawanis projects. She was sponsored by Amvet Post 22 Vermillion. She is the great-granddaughter of Ed Hall of Allen, and Hazel Hughes of Martin.

GIRL SCOUTS:

More than selling cookies

When the average person hears the words Girl Scouts, they automatically think of those tasty Girl Scout Cookies that they can only buy one time a year. When a Girl Scout hears those words she will probably think of fun times, helping others, community projects, cooking, or crafts. In June, the Girl Scouts in Floyd County were busy thinking of the end of school and the upcoming Girl Scout Olympics.

Preparation for this event began in April when some leaders met to get the event underway. The leaders knew that getting as much participation as possible was important and also getting good weather was imperative. June 13 was chosen as the scouts' Olympic day. They reasoned that schools would be out and most girls would not

leave on vacation until later in this summer.

Several area businesses were asked to help sponsor the event. Prestonsburg Community College gave permission for the group to use the event at the walking track area of the college. Many other businesses donated money, items of food, and supplies. Those businesses were Prestonsburg Pizza Hut, Prestonsburg Foodland, Brown's Food Service, Christian Appalachian Project, Prestonsburg Dairy Cheer, Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Woody's Carry Out, Reno's, Giovanni of Martin, Estill Stop and Shop, Martin Sav-A-Lot, Prestonsburg Food City, Prestonsburg Winn Dixie, Floyd County IGA, and Martin Foodland. The Prestonsburg Fire and Rescue

sent a crew to be on hand in case of accidents.

Approximately 100 girls from 11 troops attended the event. The girls competed in their appropriate age levels. There were Daisy Scouts (5-6 years old), Brownie (6-8 years old), Juniors (9-11 years old), and Cadettes (12-14 years old). The girls were allowed to sign up to participate in four events. The events were bean bag toss, sack race, three-legged race, 50-yard dash, jumprope contest, frisbee throw, crab walk, broad jump, and 220 race for Brownies and 440 race for juniors and cadettes.

Wanda Ratcliff with the help of Tiffany Ratcliff and two older Cadette girls, Kari Hicks and



Girl Scouts competed in such events as an old-fashioned sack race.

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Attending the Young family reunion and representing the Conley-Griffith generations were, from left, Lillian Conley, Barba T. Coceres, Mary Conley Coceres, Meghan Slone, and (seated), Ollie Young Griffith Nichols.

Five generations of Conley-Griffith gather at Young Reunion

Five generations of a Floyd County family were present recently at the Young family reunion in Jacobson Park, Lexington.

Ollie Young Griffith Nichols, 92, who raised her family in Estill, was joined by her daughter, Lillian Conley, Prestonsburg; her great-granddaughter, Barbara T. Coceres, Prestonsburg, a student at ECU, Richmond; Barbara's mother and Ollie's granddaughter, Mary Conley Coceres, Hilliard, Ohio; and her great-great-granddaughter, Meghan Slone, Barbara's daugh-

ter, Richmond. Also attending the event were the following members of Lillian Conley's family: son, Jim Conley; daughter, Rita Conley; grandson and wife, Jim and Lynetta Conley; sister, Opal Dooley; sister, Julia Duchemin and Bob; and Bill Griffith, brother.

Ollie Nichols now lives in Franklin, Ohio, with her daughter, Julie. She often spends two-month periods in Floyd County with her daughter, Lillian Conley.

Youngsters earn prizes at Country Fair



Bobbin for apples

Andrea Collins took her turn bobbing for apples at the Parkway Baptist Country Fair last Saturday as Linda Adams looked on. Anna Grace McGuire was successful at her attempt. (photo by Ed Taylor)



Golf anyone

The putt-putt golf course was a popular event at the Parkway Baptist Country Fair. Johnny Adams, left, Joe Gilliam, Buddy Bieger, and Andrea Collins teed-off on the first hole. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Parkway Baptist Church, 1428 South, Prestonsburg, recently hosted the church's young people to an old-fashioned country fair that the failed to dampen.

Most of the events were under tents and the events went on a scheduled, despite the wet weather.

Church members worked for several weeks to organize the events that included bobbin' for apples, balloon toss, bean bag toss, fishing booth, putt-putt golf, ring toss, pizza shack, hot dog wagon, watermelon stand, basketball, softball toss, boat float, and much, much more.

The most popular spot at the country fair was the dunking booth. Kids lined up for the chance to dunk the church's Sunday School superintendent, John Dixon. John made three trips

into the water as some young people took dead aim on the bullseye that tripped the lever.

The City of Auxier loaned the dunking booth, as well as a food booth, to the church for use during the fair. Hall Funeral Home and Carter Funeral Home furnished the tents for the events. The cotton candy machine was on loan from the McDowell Volunteer Fire Department.

The Prestonsburg Fire Department brought their mini-fire truck to the fair and provided rides for the children.

The country fair was a way to reward the church's young people, fair organizers said. The youngsters had to earn their way to the fair. During a four-month period, each person earned tickets to be "spent" at the fair. They could

accumulate tickets by being in Sunday School, bringing a friend, learning Bible verses, having good behavior, and in other ways. The incentives worked, and many prizes were taken home during the fair.

"Members of the church started bringing in prizes that the kids could win," said Ed Taylor, the church pastor. "It didn't take long for a good number of nice prizes to accumulate. The cooperation of the church membership was great. I think the adults had as much fun as the kids did in putting on the fair."

The fair was held Saturday, October 3, from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m.

At the fair, the kids spent the tickets they had earned to participate in the various events. Each booth or game required that the youngsters pay out a certain number of tickets.

The ring toss, where they could win liters of soft drinks, was a popular attraction, as well as the "old-fashioned fishing hole."

The kids consumed numerous hot dogs, pizza, funnel cake, and cotton candy which prompted some of the church people to comment, "I don't care if I ever see another hot dog!"

The putt-putt golf course was of the homemade variety and was constructed by Charles Collins, Jerry Justice, Jim Lyon, Charles Justice, Arnold Griffith and Johnny Adams. In fact, all the booths were constructed by the church members. All booths were constructed so that they could be disassembled and used again.

The church also just completed a Youth Conference, which was well attended. John Kellough, Evansville, Indiana, along with his wife Betty and son Luke, ministered to the church's young people. The conference was topped off with the country fair.

Plans are to repeat the fair again next year with the addition of other booths. Also to be added next year will be the sack race, horseshoes, three-legged race and other events of competition. Organizers, though, have already ruled out the greasy pig contest.



Ring the bottle

Jimmy Bieger had fun tossing rings at soft drink bottles during Country Fair day at Parkway Baptist Church. (photo by Ed Taylor)



Eatry

Everyone loves a hot dog and the food was popular last Saturday during Country Fair fun at the Parkway Baptist Church parking lot. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Poison Oak

by Clyde Pack

A coal camp was a coal camp

I saw a documentary on TV the other night depicting life in a 1940s coal camp in Pennsylvania.

I've long suspected that a coal camp was a coal camp, no matter where it was, and what I saw—tired, dust-covered miners with their dinner buckets under their arms, trudging home after they'd put in their shift; laughing children playing a game of baseball in a paper-filled school yard; women gossiping over the backyard fence as they hung freshly-washed clothes on the line—pretty much proved that. But one scene in particular, a grainy, black and white photo of a row of company houses, caused me to look twice. What I saw was the very same community in which I had lived, except mine was a couple of states away, in Eastern Kentucky. The only discernible difference I noticed in the brief time the image was on the screen was that a set of railroad tracks ran in front of theirs where a dusty, deeply-rutted, dirt road ran in front of ours.

Apparently, the same guy who designed theirs also designed ours. Or maybe both coal companies ordered the same pattern from Sears and Roebuck; three rooms down, two rooms up. I couldn't tell what color their houses were, except that they were light colored, but I'd bet my autographed picture of the Judds against a dime that they too were yellow.

If there hadn't been a second floor, the two-story structure in Silk Stocking Row would have been nothing more than shotgun houses. For those who don't speak real estate, that means you could stand at the front door and shoot a shotgun straight through the house and out the back door.

From the front porch you walked into the front room. And that's what we called it; the front room. Some of the neighbors had a bed in this room, but we never did. After my older brother and sisters moved out, we actually made our front room into a living room, complete with a sofa, some plush chairs and a coffee table. But we still referred to it as the front room.

There were no more than two or three television sets in the entire community, and they belonged to someone else. But, the front room is where we kept the big floor-model, Philco radio with the phonograph on the top. So, that's where, at night, we'd listen to the Supertime Frolic, Amos and Andy, and Charlie McCarthy and Edgar Bergen. During the day, though, the room was seldom used, except as a passageway to the rest of the house. Of course, that all changed when we finally got our TV, a 17-inch, table model Crosley. Then again, the coming of TV changed a lot of things, didn't it?

Question: Guess what we called the middle room?

Answer: The middle room. I can't ever recall having done this before, but it looks as if we're getting to have a Part II to this fascinating tour. So, hold your breath and run right out next week and buy this paper and we'll continue our trek down memory lane.

SOCIETY

Visit to Hawaii

Deborah Whitt-Bailey of Prestonsburg and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald K. Melnick of Westland, Michigan, recently journeyed to Hawaii for 11 days. They stayed four days on the Island of Honolulu at the Waikiki Coastline at the Outrigger Reef Hotel and enjoyed shopping and site-seeing. They also visited USS Arizona Memorial (Pearl Harbor). Then, September 12, they went onboard the S.S. Independence American Hawaii Cruises Ship for a seven-day cruise of the islands of Oahu, Kauai, Maui and Hawaii, also known as "The Big Island."

They also visited many historical places, including Hawaii Volcanoes National Park.

Maytown volunteer fire department honors

George A. Patton

On Sunday afternoon, Sept-

ember 27, a large gathering of the Maytown Volunteer Fire Department, members of their families and friends enjoyed the annual pig roast held at the fire department. Before the festivities began, dispatcher George A. Patton was honored with many accolades and presented a 12"x15" plaque with the following inscription "Dedicated To George A. Patton on September 27, 1998 for his service and dedication to the Maytown Fire and Rescue since 1971."

Also inscribed on the plaque was the following Fireman's Prayer:

"When I am called to duty, God wherever flames may rage; Give me strength to save some life whatever be its age; Help me embrace a little child before too late; Or save an older person from the horror of that fate, Enable me to be alert and hear the weakest shout, And quickly and effectively to put the fire out. I want to fill my calling and to give the best in me; To guard my

every neighbor and protect his property, And, if according to your will; I have to lose my life; Please bless with your protecting hand, my children and my wife."

Master of ceremonies Chris Bailey expressed the department's appreciation to Patton for his many years of dedicated service. He is the oldest and one of the few remaining charter members. Even though he became disabled in 1979, he has continued to fill his position of dispatcher with the installation of a base unit in his home.

Since it was granted a charter by the state in April 1973, much progress has been made at the Maytown Volunteer Fire Dept., including a second story addition to the fire house; three certified fire trucks; a four-wheel drive rescue truck; Jaws of Life; radios installed in the trucks; a paging system; portable generator and an insurance rating of 6-8 which saves area residents hundreds of dollars

on their insurance premiums.

Active membership in the Maytown Volunteer Fire Department consists of the chief Jeffrey Campbell; assistant chiefs Chris Martin and Marvin Salisbury; captains Chris Bailey and Keith Frasure; lieutenants Kevin Thacker and Freddie Shepherd; secretary-treasurer Darrell Bradley; dispatcher George A. Patton; and members George Gray, Mark Jervis, Jim Bailey, Bolton Martin, Wesley Halbert, Shawn Bailey, Keith Hayes, Ralph Goble, Ken Scarberry, Michael Salisbury, Jason Osborne, Leroy Prater, Larry Johnson, Gary Osborne, Donald McGarey, James Layne, Greg Ratliff.

Junior firemen are Nick Amburgey, Randall Wright and Johnathan Reed.

Advisory board members are chairman Randy Martin, vice chairman Clifford Blanton, Delbert Martin, Ralph Lafferty and Solomon Caudill, Jr.



George Patton

OUR YESTERDAYS

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

Ten years ago (October 12, 1988)

Floyd County teachers are speaking out about salary levels and the state's new self-insurance plan... Magistrate Ed Caudill resigned his post of 24 years, citing ill health and his being "victimized by a perplexing criminal conviction."... Martin City Council authorized application of a grant and loan to fund construction of a waste water treatment plant for the city... Marriages: Laura Katherine Hereford and Dr. Rondal Goble, Aug. 6 in Prestonsburg; Angela Ann Newman and Travis Glenn Jones, June 26 in Grethel... There died: Stallard (Doc) Clark, 76, of McDowell, Oct. 7, at Appalachian Regional Hospital; Pricey Evelyn Case Kidd Collins, 83, of Betsy Layne, Oct. 10, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital; Ted Halford Ferrell, 55, of Pikeville, Oct. 10, at Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington; Lola Allen Hall, 77, of Wayland, Oct. 8, at her residence; Foster D. Hamilton, 50, of Teaberry, Oct. 10, at University of Kentucky Medical Center; Hiram Hicks, 88, of Lima, Ohio, Sept. 19, at St. Rita Hospital in Lima; William J. (Bill) Montgomery, 69, of St. Charles, Mo., Sept. 23 at Barnes St. Peters Hospital; Kimberly Ann Reesor, 5, of Lawrenceburg, Sept. 29, after being struck by a vehicle in front of her home; Jeremy Cecil Rice, 10, of Betsy Layne, Oct. 8, at his residence; Robert Langford (Linky) Robinson, 81, of Martin, Oct. 4, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Lola (Odie) Allen Shepherd Rowe, 92, of Ivyton, Oct. 7, at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Twenty Years Ago (October 18, 1978)

That a shopping center planned months ago will be built off the Mountain Parkway, near the junction of the Parkway and US 23 at Kathy Friend, has been made more certain by the spending by the Parkway Plaza Association of \$50,000 on construction of a sewer system to serve the facility... Word that the U.S. Department of Labor is buying the Prestonsburg Shoe Company (U.S. Shoe) building for use as a Job Corps center was followed this week by a reliable report that the shoe company will remain here and expand its production in a new location... A raid on the Cool Water Fork of Salt Lick Creek, Tuesday afternoon, netted officers one of the largest hauls of illegal alcoholic beverages in recent months, and resulted in the arrest of a resident of the section... The Beaver-Elkhorn Water District has stabilized its financial situation and is now planning extension of its mains into new areas of the county to serve a thousand or more new consumers... There died: W. M. "Bill" Jones, 77, of Dema, October 15 at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Belvard E. Burchett, 66, of Emma, October 13 at Mountain Manor Nursing Home; Langley Hall, 75, of East McDowell, Tuesday at the home of his son at Minnie; Floyd Handshoe, 63, of Hueysville, at Our Lady of the Way

Hospital; Trimble Slone, 67, of Larkslane, October 10 at U. K. Medical Center in Lexington; Aster Walker, 60, formerly of Floyd County, October 17 in Louisville; Mrs. Sarah Ward, 65, of Honaker, Wednesday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital; Merritt Chaffins, 38, of Mousie, October 5 at June Buchanan Primary Care Center; Dona Salyers, 79, of Dry Creek, October 16 at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; Luther G. Martin, 44, formerly of Amba, October 14 at his home in Elkton, Maryland.

Thirty Years Ago (October 17, 1968)

U.S. Appellate Judge Bert T. Combs has disqualified for the hearing of the Floyd County educational division redistricting case, and Federal Judge John W. Peck has been named to succeed him on the three-man panel of federal judges to sit in the hearing... The \$65,000 bond now being sold to finance Floyd County school construction does not include funds for the proposed Right Beaver school. County Superintendent Charles Clark said a bond issue of \$1,200,000 has been authorized by the State Department of Education for the Beaver Creek school. This will be augmented by \$300,000 in Title I federal funds... The second Floyd County mining town to be sold, almost lock, stock and barrel, changed hands this week. The town of David, center for almost 30 years for the mining operation of Princess Elkhorn Coal Company was sold by Mr. and Mrs. David L. Francis and James D. Francis III, all of Huntington, W. Va.; to the John Allen Co. Inc., of Prestonsburg... Another big step in Kentucky's communications progress was made in September when South Central Bell Telephone Company installed its 800,000th telephone in the state... Charles Prater, former Floyd County Times newsboy who now resides at Clewiston, Fla., has signed a contract for the Kaiser Jeep Corporation to produce the compact camper which he assembled during his spare time... Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Marcello, Rochester, N.Y., their second child, a daughter, Kathy Lynn, October 14, at St. Mary's Hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Bobby D. Branaham, Warsaw, Ind., a son, Oct. 5... There died: Miss Della Mae Sword, 51, last Wednesday at Prestonsburg General Hospital; Mrs. Martha Meade, 84, of Printer, at the McDowell Hospital; Miss Willie Campbell, 70, of Warsaw, Ind. formerly of Prestonsburg; Mrs. Ruth Archer Patrick, 72, of Prestonsburg, at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Alexs Morgan Crider, 91 years old of East Point; Mrs. Sarah Lafferty, 74, of Garrett, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin; Mrs. Minnie Francis Perry, 73, of Hi Hat, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin; Ison Moore, 81, of Minnie, last Wednesday at McDowell Hospital; Mrs. Patsy Weber, 59, former Wayland resident, Sunday at her home at Caropolis, Pa.; Johnny R. Pack, 83, of Martin, Saturday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital; Mrs. May Ratliff Dingus, formerly of Dinwood, this county, at Irving, Texas.

Forty Years Ago (October 16, 1958)

An end to further work-stoppages on the Prestonsburg flood control project may have been reached at a conference here Wednesday... Help for crippled children of three counties and free chest X-ray examinations for Floyd County residents will be given this month, it is announced by M. V. Clark, administrator of the Floyd County Health Department... A close look into the economic ills of Eastern Kentucky and its growth potential was being made this week by high-ranking officials... Volunteer contributors last week got the Floyd County Emergency and Rescue Squad off to a good start in its drive for funds with donations totaling \$630... Although there is an apparent pickup in coal mining operations and 1958 production is regaining considerable lost ground, the year's loadings are so far behind those of 1957 that last year's loading will not be surpassed... Advance funds

Help for crippled children of three counties and free chest X-ray examinations for Floyd County residents will be given this month.—Forty years ago

to prepare preliminary plan for a new courthouse will be granted by the Federal Housing and Home Financing Agency, County Judge Henry Stumbo has been advised... Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Thompson, of Bridgeport, Ohio, a daughter, Mariann Mayo, September 24; to Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Laferty, a girl, Catherine Gail, October 2; to Mr. and Mrs. Hansel Cooley, a son, Otis Hansel, at the Paintsville Hospital... There died: Mrs. Eva Holbrook Puckett, 79, at her home at Bonanza; Mrs. Bertie Howard, 60, of Garrett. She was the widow of Rev. Howard; Albert Williams, 69, father of Rufus Williamson of Bypro; Josh Gray, 63, of Wayland at McDowell Hospital; Glen Dixon, 48, of East Point; A. J. Wilson, 84, at the home of a son; Mrs. Nannie Boyd Conn, 67, of Betsy Layne; Eugene Nelson, 33, former resident of this county; Mrs. Belle Smith Nelson, 63, Peru, Ind., formerly of Prestonsburg; Hargis Clemons, 68, at a Lexington hospital, Eli Dennis Fairchild, 76, Lagarville, Ohio, formerly of Abbott Creek.

Fifty Years Ago (October 14, 1948)

Total registration for the draft in Floyd County stood on September 30 at 3,598... The railroads today formally asked for a 13 percent increase in freight rates... frozen foods locker plant will be opened in Prestonsburg by Miss Jo Pack of Paintsville... High bis bar REA extension, Big Sandy Co-op members, Washington Conference seek \$50,000 allocation for line extensions and possibility of awarding contracts on new lines... Two days before expiration of the labor contract existing between the Kentucky-West Virginia gas company and approximately 225 employee-members of Local Union 510 International Oil Workers (CIO), an agreement was reached shortly before midnight Saturday on new contract terms... Six residents of one Floyd community have within the last week entered guilty pleas to charges ranging from

murder to breaking and entering, and as a result as many penitentiary sentences were handed down by Floyd Circuit Court juries... Oral arguments on the validity of the redistricting bill which separated Floyd and Knott counties, created one new district and generally reshuffled the judicial map in this section will be heard by the Court of Appeals, Nov. 5, Joe Hopson, counsel for Commonwealth's, Attorney John Chris Cornett and others attacking the legislation, said this week... Although Prestonsburg's PTA needs all possible which serves an average of 450 pupils meals at the school cafeteria daily, it will not sponsor a Halloween Carnival and the usual lotteries this year... Raymond M. Foley, head of the Federal Housing and Home Finance Agency said today that what the country needs is a good \$6,000 house. "We must produce lower cost housing or force a serious drop in home production. There died: Dan Prater, 70, former Floyd magistrate, at his home on Middle Creek; Riley Prater, 66, at Blue River, Saturday; Mrs. Laura Belle Gardner, one of Prestonsburg's oldest and most revered women, at the age of 85; Mrs. Telia Pitts Ousley, 44, wife of Elza Ousley, at her home at Brandy Keg, Wednesday morning.

Sixty Years Ago (October 13, 1938)

Assuring the continuation of the street building program here, a new W.P.A. project expenditure of \$39,039 was approved for Prestonsburg street improvement by President Roosevelt... With suspension of work on the \$200,000 grade school building here threatened unless the City Board of Education raises \$50,000 as the sponsor's contribution on the project which is being done by the Works Progress Administration, a holding company composed of Prestonsburg citizens has been organized so that the required amount could be raised... A sharp upturn in business is credited with creating the necessity of extending tracks in the Martin railway yards a distance of from 8,000-10,000 ft... During its twelfth enrollment, extending from Oct. 1 to next March 31, the Civilian Conservation Corps announced today it will operate 30 C.C.C. camps in Kentucky... Her grandmother's century-old buttons, one of the oldest entries in the recent Hobby Show here, won first-prize for the youngest competitor, Miss Mary Katherine Mayo. The Hobby Show was started in 1835 by Mrs. Anna Mayo... Circuit Judge John W. Caudill was named division lieutenant governor at the 1938 convention in Knoxville, Tenn., last week... Assistant Attorney General J. K. Lewis ruled today that the game of bingo violates, the state constitutional provisions against lotteries... An ordinance passed in 1915 by the City Fathers states that any person arrested and convicted for "dancing tango dance" may be fined \$5 to \$20... Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Curt Homes at the Paintsville Hospital on Oct. 7, a daughter, Elizabeth Francis... There died: William Pierce Runnels, 44 years old at the Paintsville Hospital; funeral services for Mrs. Nevesta Stephens Blackburn, 86, were held here this week; Douglas Reed, 68, at his home on Reed Branch, near Bosco; Mrs. Minto Johnson, 28, Wednesday, at her home near Blue River; Mrs. Otella Hamilton, 28, at Wayland; Thomas Turner, at the Martin Hospital.

FOR THE RECORD

Restaurant, School, and Mobile Home Park Inspections

Editor's Note: All inspections are made by Floyd County Health Department environmentalists Russell Wallace, Mark Johnson, and Janet Conley.

- Parker Youth Ministries, Wheelwright, 98: Thermometers not in all units. Mop head stored on the floor.
- Gould's Concessions, 98: Single service items improperly stored. Door screens in need of repair.
- Prestonsburg Band Boosters, 98: Thermometers not observed in cooling units. Hair restraints not used by all personnel in food preparation.
- Prestonsburg Lady Blackcats, 99: Improper storage of single-service items.
- St. James Episcopal Church, 97: Thermometer not in all cooling units. Food improperly stored in refrigerator. Food stored uncovered.
- Wesley Methodist, 98: Thermometers not in all cooling units. Single-service items improperly stored.
- Banana Boat, 99: Thermometers not present in all cooling units.
- Voices of Faith, 98: hair nets not worn. Lights not properly shielded.
- Town Branch Church, 95: Onions stored on floor. Clean utensils improperly stored. Improper storage of single-service articles. Lights not shielded.
- Lancer Baptist Church, 90: hands not being washed. No container provided for handwashing. Lights not properly shielded.
- Larry Jenkins Concession, 98: Hair restraints not worn. Lights not

shielded.

- Lee's Grill, 96: Facility needs to be screened on three sides.
- Floyd County Republicans, 95: Hair restraints not worn. Lights not shielded.
- Bluegrass Concession, 100: No violations observed.
- L & M Concession, 98: Single-service items improperly stored. Floors in some disrepair.
- Jeff's Concession, 99: Mop head stored on floor.
- B & B Concessions, 100: No violations.
- Perry County Ambulance Service, 93: Proper sanitization of utensils not used. Owner given one day to correct. Microwave and food preparation counter soiled. Serving trays improperly stored.
- Zaks Snacks, 97: Some food uncovered. Disposable plates improperly stored.
- Funnel Cake, 97: Ice scoop improperly stored. Disposable plates improperly stored. Window screen needs repair.
- Taco Bell, 96: Thermometers provided for all hot and cold storage units. Hand drying devices not in operation in public restrooms. Light fixture not shielded over three-compartment sink.

Marriages

Glenda Gail Robinson, 19, of McDowell, and Donnie L. Newsome, 29, of Hi Hat.

Jamie L. Lewis, 37, of Martin, and Charles E. Justice, 40, of Martin.

Property Transfers

Teresa Faye Miller to Curtis M. Miller and Rosa L. Miller, property location not listed.

CSX Transportation Inc. to Ronald B. and Clementine Tackett, property location not listed.

Anna Mae Wade (Howell) to James Ray Mesker, Anna Belle Wallace, and Daisy Robertson, property on Tolers Creek.

Judy Ousley and Denver Ousley, Alice Prater, Peggy Jo Prater Hopkins and Gordon Hopkins, Brenda Prater Wilkinson, Ralph E. Prater, Phyllis Prater Dotson, Curtis E. Prater and Angie Prater, Bonnie Prater Ousley and Gary Ousley, Ima Jean Prater Nelson and Rebel Nelson, Michael Ernest Prater, Charles D. Johnson and Martha H. Johnson, Janet S. Johnson, Ruth Douglas Prater, Charles Prater and Mary Ruth Prater by Martin L. Osborne, Kenneth E. Prater Jr. and Sadie Prater, Connie Prater and Ted McGinnis, Susan Reffett and Bill Reffett to Charles C. Prater and Charles D. Johnson, property location not listed.

Kathy Lynnn Akers, Ricky Gillespie and Sherry Gail Meade Gillespie to Marcus Ray Hamilton, property location not listed.

Ruth Ousley to Marvin Ousley, and Debra Ousley, property on Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek.

Clara Cantrell Pelfrey to L.J. Hampton, property in Gasco Park Addition at Prestonsburg.

James E. Dillon aka James E. Dillion to Charles C. Reid and Annabelle E. Reid, property in the Rolling Acre Estates.

Jo Angus Smith and Karen Lou Sword and Scottie Rosetta Jervis, co-attorneys for Edna Tackett to Garland and Anna Thornsberry, property at Weeksbury.

Clinton Campbell to Randy Hagans and Lynn Hagans, property at Lancer.

Edward Ousley and Peggy Ousley to the Commonwealth of Kentucky, property near the intersection of U.S. 23 and KY 114.

Kent Dingus and Deborah

Dingus to the Commonwealth of Kentucky, property near the intersection of KY 114 and KY 404.

Thelma Merritt and Billy Merritt to Clyde E. Derossett Jr., property location not listed.

Palmer Frasure, Diane Frasure Burchett and Gary D. Burchett, Harm Frasure and Deborah L. Frasure to Palmer Frasure and Diane Frasure Burchett, property on the Howell Branch of Big Mud Creek.

Palmer Frasure, Diane Frasure Burchett and Gary D. Burchett, Harm Frasure and Deborah L. Frasure to Palmer Frasure and Diane Frasure Burchett, property on the Howell Branch of Big Mud Creek.

Elsie B. Keathley and Richard Keathley, Shirlene Hamilton, Danny Hamilton and Rhonda Hamilton, Linda G. Hamilton, Kozetta Bowen and Homer Lee

Bowen, Amos Hamilton and Rosetta Hamilton to Dewey Lee Rogers and Lorene Rogers, property location not listed.

Paulina Brown Sammons and Russell Sammons to Aleene Brown, property location not listed.

Lenny Hall and Alesha Hall to Johnny Dale Pack, property location not listed.

Lenny Hall and Alesha Hall to Johnny Dale Pack, property at McDowell.

Willard Smith to Russell James and Jeanette V. James, property on Wolfe Branch of Middle Creek.

Ray Virgil Prater and Beulah Prater to Mary Johns and Marty Johns, property on Steels Creek.

Phyllis Martin Adkins to Charlie Martin and Jamie Martin, property at Wayland.

Anna Wright to Hugh Allen Hall and Kathy Hall, property at McDowell.

Audrey T. Hall, Everett Ray and Berta Turner, Bobby Glenn and Alberta Turner, David Lawrence and Peggy Turner, Andy and Myra Elliott, and Jimmy Paul and Donna Turner to Tommy Martin, property location not listed.

Heather Ann Kelley to David W. Bentley and Brenda G. Bentley, property location not listed.

Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation to Charles Rickett and Margaret Rickett, property on Abbott Creek.

Louis and Linda Sue Ferrari to Dovie Hall, property location not listed.

Mark and Mia Curry to Dovie Hall, property location not listed.

CSX Transportation Inc. to Barbara O. Johnson, property location not listed.

Virginia M. Sayle to Elizabeth L. Frazier, property in the Dingus and Layne Subdivision at Lancer.



OCTOBER IS BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH BREAST CANCER FACTS



- 1 in 8 women will be diagnosed with breast cancer in her lifetime.
- 62 is the average age of women diagnosed with breast cancer at Highlands
- The youngest patient diagnosed with breast cancer at Highlands was 24 years old, the oldest was 94
- In 1987 the average size of a tumor was 6 cms, in 1997, it was 2.5 cms (smaller tumor size is a good prognosis indicator) for comparison size, a penny is 2 cms
- 28 new breast cancers were diagnosed in 1997 at Highlands, our second lowest year; the average has been 32 new cases per year
- 352 breast cancers have been diagnosed at Highlands since the Breast Center opened in 1987
- 85% of the breast cancers diagnosed at Highlands are also treated at Highlands
- 69% of patients diagnosed and treated for breast cancer at Highlands did not have a family history of breast cancer
- Over 3157 breast cancers were diagnosed in the state of Kentucky during 1997.
- Early breast cancer detection and prompt intervention increase the odds for a good outcome, with mammography still the single best method of detection.

During October, National Breast Cancer Awareness Month, the Breast Center at Highlands Regional Medical Center and the Breast Center at the Paintsville location will reduce the price for a Screening Mammogram to \$69.95 (please note that a screening mammogram means no previously diagnosed problems or breast cancer). In addition, Breast Cancer Awareness coffee mugs will be given to the first 500 customers. Please note—Appointments are required.

To schedule an appointment, call 886-7575 or 789-3760



Karissa Porter, a Pikeville College graduate and employee of the Physical Therapy Department at Pikeville Methodist Hospital, recently demonstrated some techniques and procedures involving patient transfers, to Pikeville College first-year nursing students. Her coworkers Judy Stephens and Joyce Damron have also recently appeared as guest lecturers.



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AG NEWS



by Patricia G. Spicer

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Spring flowering trees and shrubs blooming now

Looking out the window at your home landscape plants may have been a little confusing this fall. It's been looking a lot like spring in the county.

Forsythia has been in bloom for about six weeks. I've also seen flowering dogwood, crabapple, hawthorn, apple, cherry and pear in

bloom. What's going on?

Flower buds on most spring flowering trees and shrubs are formed in early to mid August. They remain dormant through the fall and early winter because of chemicals found naturally in the buds that inhibit growth. Normally these flowers will not

develop into open flowers until they have received a certain number of hours of cold (counted at 45 degrees F). The number of hours of cold needed to break dormancy varies between different species and even between different cultivars. High temperatures can also break the chemically induced dormancy on these flower buds.

The wet spring this year caused many foliage diseases resulting in premature leaf drop. The drought this summer also caused many tree leaves to fall prematurely. Without leaves to shade the flowers buds from direct sunlight, they got hotter than normal resulting in the breakdown of these natural growth inhibiting chemicals. Thus we have spring in October.

The trees and shrubs that are blooming now will not have as many blooms next spring as they

normally would. Generally all of the flower buds on a tree do not open under conditions like we are seeing so the plants will still bloom in the spring.

The fruit that may start to form on any fruit trees will be killed by cold winter temperatures. We will see a decreased bottom on trees in the spring as a result of the fall bloom.

Is there anything you can do for your tree or shrub? There is absolutely nothing that can be done for trees and shrubs that are blooming now.

Enjoy the touch of spring and wonder at the miracle of nature.

For more information about home landscaping, contact Pat Spicer at the Extension Service Office, (606) 886-2668 or stop by the office at 921 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg.

Small World

by Aileen Hall

A WELCOME FRIEND

Tim Banks is a young man who works at Highlands Regional Hospital in Prestonsburg. He was likely expecting to have a routine day when he went to work September 25, but he added a very bright spot for a lady who was having an otherwise difficult day.

The doctors had just informed Myrtle Akers of Dana that her husband, Simon, would not survive his critical illness. She had gone to the cafeteria for something to eat and, remembering her own medication, searched for it in her purse. In doing so, she laid her billfold on the table without realizing what she'd done.

Myrtle had gone back to Room 410 to sit by Simon's bed when she got a call from downstairs. She was asked to confirm her address and Social Security number, then to come back downstairs. She went thinking it had something to do with Simon's records, for she hadn't even missed the billfold that was returned to her.

Mr. Banks said, "I only opened it enough to see your name and address." It did contain some money for she had just cashed a check, but nothing was missing. He didn't want a reward but she was insisting he take some gift of appreciation.

Whether or not he accepted anything, he probably has no idea of the impact his honesty had on a very gracious lady who very much needed a ray of sunshine on that day.

GETTING WELL

Dean Conn of Harold recently went through a quadruple bypass open heart surgery, and that was his second major operation within two months. He wasn't really expecting—or wanting—either of them but, since they came anyway, he has been grateful for some good doctors and the medical care he was given.

He's also grateful that Jewell has been there to make some good soups and do all those things he needed to help him get well, even when he didn't want to eat...or move...or walk...or do anything. Sometimes those things they tell you are good for you don't look very good to you.

Dean is making progress and we wish him a great big Get Well!

BAD NEWS TRUCK

Dean has always been a good source for family stories as he and Jewell have four daughters and eight grandchildren. He will need a little more time to recuperate before I ask him about some of the things that transpire around the Conn residence.

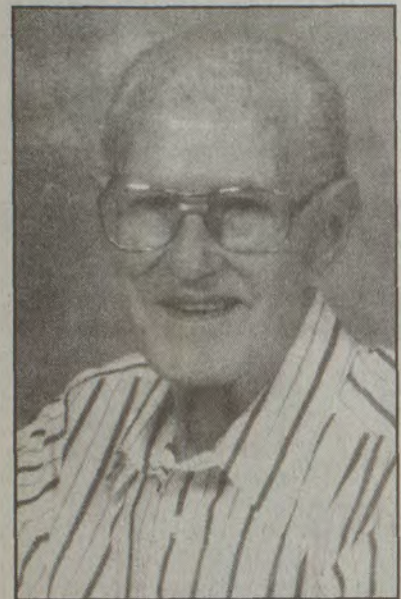
I remember, though, a story one of the family shared about one of his grandsons, Ryan Barnett. Ryan lives with his parents, Melody and Jerry Barnett in Morehead.

Melody had ordered some item that would be delivered by one of those little brown trucks and Ryan, about five at the time, was playing in the front lawn. Suddenly he stuck his head in the door and called out, "Mommy, here comes that PMS truck again!"



Aileen Hall

BIRTHDAYS



89th birthday

Family and friends will gather in the home of Berry Akers on Branham's Creek, Grethel, on October 17 to honor and celebrate his 89th birthday.



Jordan Ray recently celebrated his first birthday on May 12, with a party at McDonalds in Pikeville with his grandparents, aunts and uncles, and lots of friends. His parents are Donnie and Lela Ray.



Lauren Deskin Ward

Turns nine

Lauren Deskin Ward celebrated her ninth birthday on September 23, and received the best birthday present of the day when a pharmaceutical company called offering her first job in a commercial advertisement.

She has a contract with Cam Talent Agency in Cincinnati and Columbus, Ohio. Lauren's parents accepted the offer for her.

Lauren went to Columbus, Ohio to have the advertisement pictures taken. Her picture will appear on flyers in doctors' offices, pharmacies and magazines in libraries.

She is enrolled at the Allen Elementary School where she is in fourth grade. She recently made the academic team. She also plays the piano and sings.

She is the daughter of Steve and Karen Ward and the granddaughter of Harold and Peggy Yates of Auxier and Raymond and Anna Rae Ward of McDowell.



80th birthday

Lou Ella Edwards of Lackey, celebrated her 80th birthday with family members and friends in her home. Those attending were Robert Chalfared of Wabash, Indiana; Winona Blanton of Wabash, Indiana; Harold Dean and Arvella Martin of Garrett; Jake and Dorlane Runyon of Paintsville; Deven Runyon, Reannon Wells, Roger and Devonna Vanhooose; Tammy and Nick Carroll, Katlin and Kayla Music, Robbie and Jamie Hashbarger, Greg, Becky, Anita, Riley and Jasmine Chalfafaseh, Lucille Ousley and Sonja Ratliff.

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by Kristopher Fultz
4-H council reporter

This year the Floyd County Teen Council is off to a great start! This year promises to be the best ever. Let us begin by introducing our newly-elected officials for 1998-99: president, Wes Nelson; vice president, Leslie Hopkins; secretary, Morgan Clark; treasurer, Sheena Brock and reporter, Kris Fultz.

Now that you have met our council's officers, let us tell you a little about our activities. The Teen Council recently attended the Northeast Area meeting at Yatesville Lake this past September. In October, we are also planning a lock-in for our members which provides an opportunity for us to get better acquainted.

Again we are sponsoring a family this Christmas. This is when we pitch in as a council and buy Christmas presents and food for a family in need. Last, but not least, we have been asked to teach leadership classes to groups of T.A.G. (Talented and Gifted) students throughout the year. This is the second year we have helped with this program. We as a council, will have fun teaching these students and the students will have fun while learning leadership skills.

You can see this does promise to be a great year, and I can't wait to see where we go as the year progresses!

Floral arrangement classes at PCC

Local residents who want to add that something extra to their Christmas decorations can do so by attending the community center for Lifelong Learning at Prestonsburg Community College.

PCC's floral arrangement instructor is offering two classes in Christmas decorations to help homeowners get ready for the season.

The first class will be held on four consecutive Mondays beginning on October 19, 26, November 2 and 9. The second class will be held on four consecutive Mondays beginning November 16, 23, 30 and December 7.

The classes will be held in the Johnson Administration building on the Prestonsburg campus of PCC.

For more information, or to register, call the Community Center for Lifelong Learning at 886-2863, ext. 258, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.



Apple prince

Isaiah Bentley, the son of Angela Bowers of Meally and Brian Bentley of Garrett, was crowned Apple Prince, Monday, Sept. 28, at the Paintsville High School gym for the Apple Days Festival. He rode in the parade Saturday, October 3. He is the grandson of Laura Bowers of Wheelwright, and Larry Bentley of Morehead and Inga Bentley of Cleveland, Ohio. He wore a zoot suit tux with a hanging chain on his pants, and his hat tilted to the side.



Birth announcement

Brandon Christopher Cecil was born July 15, at 3:03 p.m. at Woodford Memorial Hospital in Versailles. He weighed 7 lbs. 15 ozs. and was 20 1/2 long. He is the son of Jody and Tabitha Cecil of Banner and brother of Jordan Richard Cecil. His maternal grandparents are George and Teresa Cooley of Banner. His paternal grandparents are Emma Cecil of Stanville and the late Jim Cecil.

NEW ARRIVALS

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September 27: A daughter, Heaven Krista Bray, to Michelle Boyce of Lovely.

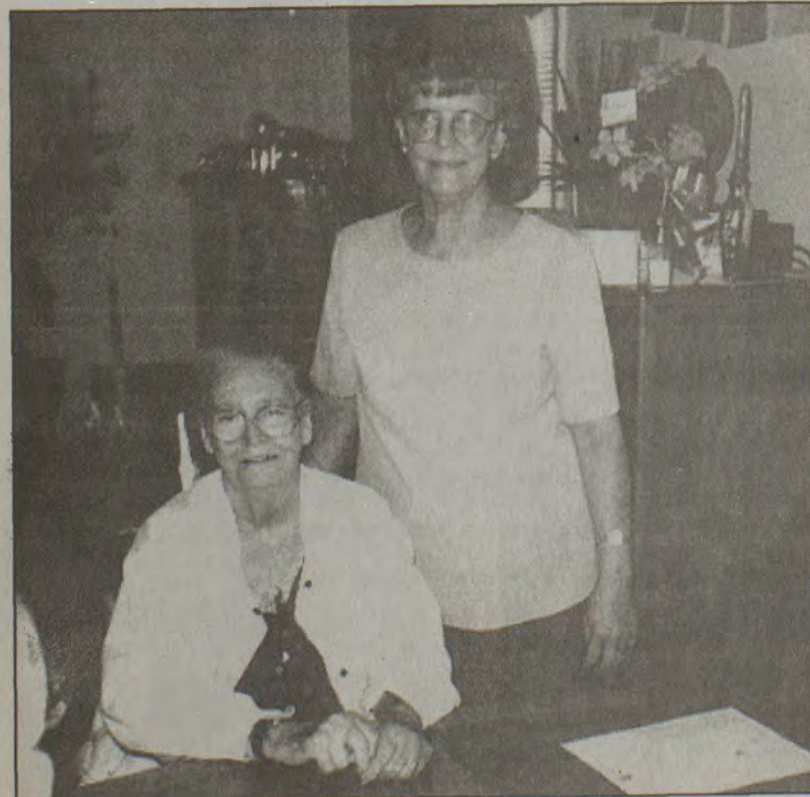
September 28: A son, Nathaniel, to Marcus and Vonda Sparks of Salyersville.

September 30: A daughter, Sallye Alisha Ariel, to Benjamin and Joyce Ferguson of Royalton; a daughter, Emily Paige McKayla, to Regina Sue Howell of Inez; a daughter, Alyssa Rose, to Nellie Bartley and Larry Bartley of Pikeville.

October 1: A son, Kyle Patrick Webb, to Nancy and Bobby Edward Webb of Allen; a daughter, Emily Grace, to Melissa and Paul Hall of Van Lear; a son, Eddie Anthony, to Candace and Eddie Patrick of Inez; a son, Evan Alan Cramer, to Brenda Lee Horn of Auxier.

October 3: A daughter, Brianna Leshea, to Diane and Teddy Slone of Langley.

October 4: A daughter, Cheyenne Autumn Alaniz to Adam and Raven Alaniz of Hippo.



Mud Creek birthdays

Ocie Alley and Lizzie Hamilton celebrated their September birthdays, September 25, with family members and friends at The Mud Creek Senior Citizens Center. A pot luck lunch was served. The birthday cake was donated by Community Trust Bank.

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Scouts

(Continued from page one)

Kristi Howard, served as judges for the Daisy troops. Bridget Clay and Jeanette Allison were in charge of the Junior troops and Phyllis Allison and Jodie Hall worked with the Brownies.

The olympics began with a parade from the parking lot to the gazebo. The girls were instructed how and where the events were to be held and who would be in charge of their group. The events were held simultaneously at different spots inside the track area. At the end of all the events the girls and their guests ate lunch while the judges laid out the ribbons. Gold medallions were then given to those who won first place. Silver medallions to second place winners and bronze to third place winners. Every girl

received a participation ribbon. Each troop provided the girls with a Floyd County Girl Scout T-shirt.

• Bean Bag Toss—Juniors, first, Stacy Howard; second, Darcy Hicks and third, Anna Grace McGuire.

Brownies, first, Kristie Shepherd; second, Micayla May; and third, Cassie Williams.

Daisies, first, Micaya Canterbury, first, Whitney Hackworth, second, Audrianna Kidd, and third, Brittany McKinney.

• 3-Legged Race—Juniors, first, Shannon Hicks and Amber McKinney, second, Darcy Hicks and Angela Whitaker and third, Stephanie Carroll and Megan Patton.

Brownies, first, Beth Allen and Ali Hackworth; second, Brittany Collins and Lindsey Brown; third, Barbie Brown and Tosha Wallen.

Daisies, first, Emily Williams and Brittany McKinney; second, Audrianna Kidd and Kaitlyne Hackworth; third, Whitney Hackworth and Hillary Cline.

• Jumprope—Juniors, first, Kaitlin Hale; second, Katherin Austin; and third, Stephanie Carroll.

Brownie, first, Whitney Caudill; second, Tiffany Owens and third, Mikayla May.

Daisies, first, Ali Wright; second, Kaitlynn Hackworth; and third, Hillary Cline.

• Sack Race, Cadettes, first, Kari Hicks, second, Kristi Howard;

Juniors, first, Darcy Hicks, second, Megan Patton; third, Amber McKinney.

Brownies, first, Beth Allen; second, Tiffany Owens; third, Whitney Howell and third, Pam Slone.

Daisies, first, Kaitlyne Hackworth; second, Ali Wright; third, Brittany McKinney.

• 50-Yard Dash, Cadettes, first, Kari Hicks and second, Kristi Howard.

Juniors, first, Megan Patton; second, Lakole Ousley and third, Amber McKinney.

Brownies, first, Beth Allen, second, Kim Knox and third, Ali Hackworth; Daisies, first, Ali Wright; second, Brittany McKinney and third, and Hillary Cline.

• Crab Walk—Juniors, first,

Darcy Hicks; second, Megan Goble; and third, Mandy Roberts.

Brownies—First, Beth Allen; second, Lindsey Brown; third, Ali Hackworth.

Daisies, first, Micaya Canterbury; second, Ali Wright and third, Sheena Jarrell.

• Frisbee Throw—Cadettes, first, Kristi Howard; second, Kari Hicks.

Juniors—First, Kim Williams and second, Kari Hicks.

Brownies—First, Lauren Hughes; second, Rachel Tussey and third, Megan Hall.

Daisies—First, Micaya Canterbury; second, Whitney Hackworth and third, Kim Chaffins.

• Broad Jump—Cadettes, first, Kari Hicks and second, Kristi Howard.

Juniors—First, Amber McKinney; second, Megan Patton and third, Lakole Ousley.

Brownies—First, Brittany Collins; second, Whitney Howell and third, Pam Slone.

Daisies—First, Sheena Jarrell; second, Kim Chaffins and third, Micaya Canterbury.

• 220 Yard Run—Brownies, first, Brittany Collins; second, Tiffany Owens and third, Maura Minix.

• 440 Yard Run—Juniors, first, Megan Patton; second, Anita Allison and third, Caitlin Hale.

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Sack Race winners included Kari Hicks, Kristi Howard, Darcy Hicks, Megan Patton, Amber McKinney, Beth Allen, Tiffany Owens, Whitney Howell, Pam Slone, Kaitlyne Hackworth, Ali Wright and Brittany McKinney.



Troop 409 showed plenty of team spirit.



Bean Bag Toss winners included Stacy Howard, Darcy Hicks, Anna Grace McGuire, Kristie Shepherd, Micayla May, Cassie Williams, Micaya Canterbury, Whitney Hackworth, Audrianna Kidd, and Brittany McKinney.



Local Girl Scouts gathered to listen to the rules regarding the various competitions. The Girl Scout Olympics were held at Prestonsburg Community College.



Girl Scouts used their leg muscles as they ran down the Prestonsburg Community College walking track.



220 Yard Run winners included Brittany Collins and Tiffany Owens. Winning the 440 yard run were Maura Minix, Megan Patton, Anita Allison and Caitlin Hale.



50-Yard Dash winners included Kari Hicks, Kristi Howard, Megan Patton, Lakole Ousley, Amber McKinney, Beth Allen, Kim Knox, Ali Hackworth, Ali Wright, Brittany McKinney and Hillary Cline.



Girl Scouts learned to improve their posture when they tried to keep bean bags balanced on their heads.



Three-Legged Race winners included Shannon Hicks, Amber McKinney, Darcy Hicks, Angela Whitaker, Stephanie Carroll, Megan Patton, Beth Allen, Ali Hackworth, Brittany Collins, Lindsey Brown, Barbie Brown, Tosha Wallen, Emily Williams, Brittany McKinney, Audrianna Kidd, Kaitlyne Hackworth, Whitney Hackworth and Hillary Cline.



Crab Walk winners included Darcy Hicks, Megan Goble, Mandy Roberts, Beth Allen, Lindsey Brown, Ali Hackworth, Micaya Canterbury, Ali Wright and Sheena Jarrell.



Broad Jump winners included Kari Hicks, Kristi Howard, Amber McKinney, Megan Patton, Lakole Ousley, Brittany Collins, Whitney Howell, Pam Slone, Sheena Jarrell, Kim Chaffins and Micaya Canterbury.



Jumprope winners included Kaitlin Hale, Katherin Austin, Stephanie Carroll, Whitney Caudill, Tiffany Owens, Mikayla May, Ali Wright, Kaitlynn Hackworth and Hillary Cline.



Frisbee Throw winners included Kristi Howard, Kari Hicks, Kim Williams, Jessica Maynard, Brittany Crisp, Lauren Hughes, Rachel Tussey, Megan Hall, Micaya Canterbury, Whitney Hackworth and Kim Chaffins.



Girl Scouts participated in a March of Troops before the start of the Girl Scout Olympics.

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8:00 p.m.—
9:00 p.m.—
10:00 p.m.—

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17

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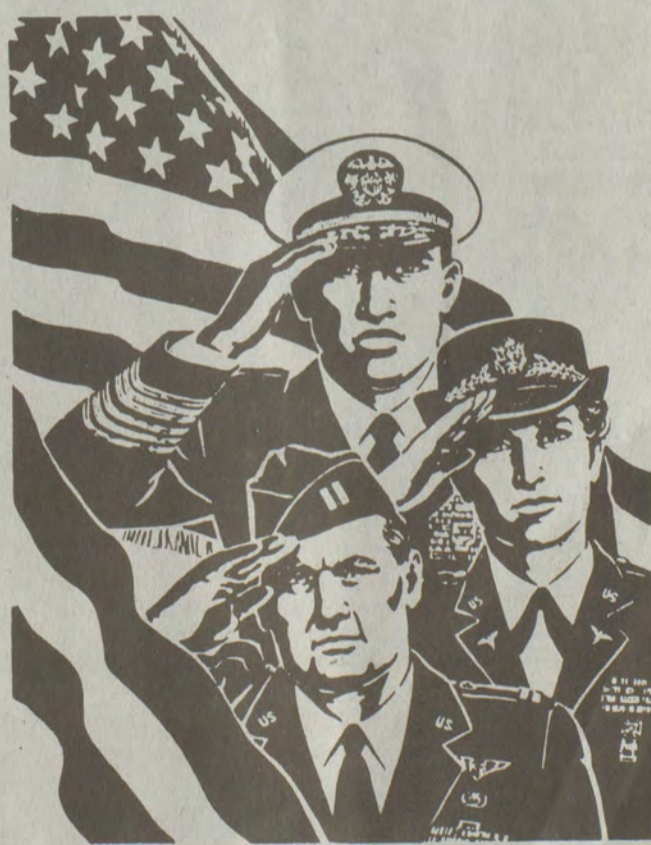
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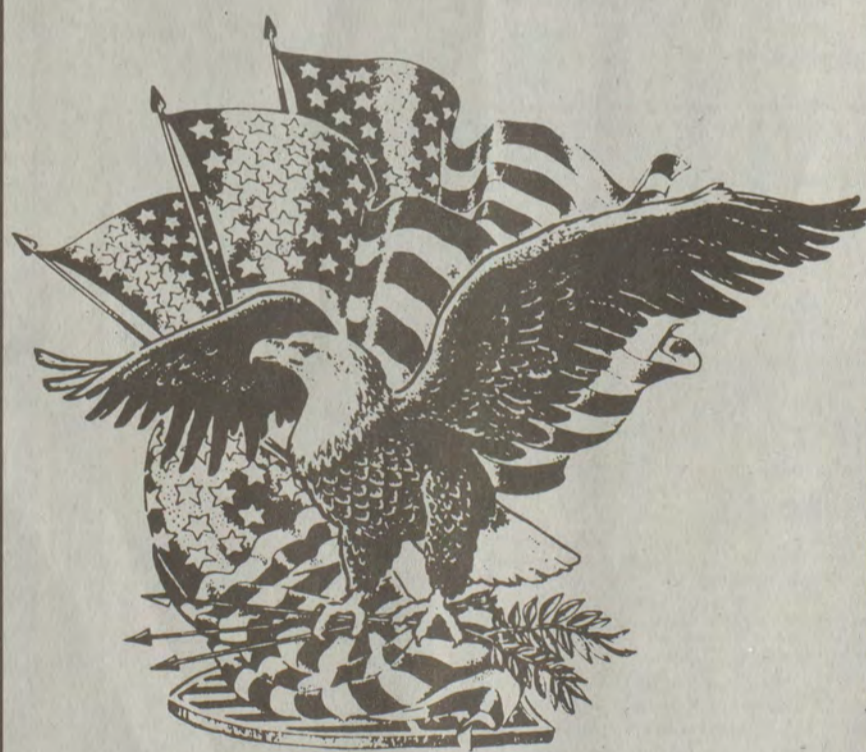
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Local professional photographer earns photographic craftsman degree



Earns degree

Steven Porter and his wife, Angela, represented the state of Kentucky as the PPA Certified liaison to the PPA International Convention in New Orleans, Louisiana. Angela is the co-owner and manager of Porter Studio and Associates. She is a graduate of Pikeville College, where she achieved the Bachelor of Science Degree with emphasis on chemistry, biology and secondary education.

Steven G. Porter of Porter Studio and Associates in Prestonsburg, has earned the Photographic Craftsman Degree from Professional Photographers of America. The degree was presented to Porter by PPA President Bert Behnke at the association's annual convention held July 31-August 5 in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Porter has met the standards of excellence set by the Professional Photographers of America. He has been awarded the Photographic Craftsman Degree in recognition of his service to the Photographic Profession as an orator, author and mentor.

This degree establishes Porter as one of only two persons in the entire state of Kentucky to hold the prestigious PPA Certified, Master of Photography and Photographic Craftsman degrees.

Also, a print created by the local photographer was accepted into the General Collection of the 107th International Exposition of Professional Photography. His work was on display at the Ernest N. Morial Convention Center in New Orleans, L.A., in its conjunction with the PPA International Convention. This exhibition was open to the public.

Titled "First Light," the entry and more than 3,500 other photographic works constitute the world's largest annual exhibit of Professional Photography gathered simultaneously under one roof. More than 7,000 images were selected by a panel of 60 eminent photographers from the United

States and Great Britain.

Porter also completed the PPA International Judging Course in June of this year, held in Atlanta, Georgia, prior to receiving his Photographic Craftsman Degree. This course will allow him to become a Certified International Print Judge, responsible for judging prints submitted from all over the world to PPA by PPA members wishing to achieve the Master of Photography Degree, which is one of the requirements for receiving this degree.

Potter receives national sales award

Morgan Stanley Dean Witter announced Monday that Reed Potter, Jr. a Financial advisor in its Pikeville office, has earned one of the firm's prestigious National Sales Director's awards. The award is conferred on financial advisors who demonstrate outstanding leadership in their first 12 months with the firm.

Potter, who has been with Morgan Stanley Dean Witter since June 1997, is a native of Pikeville. Since joining the firm, he has completed the firm's graduate study program in "401(k) and other retirement plans" which qualifies him as a Retirement Planning Specialist at the firm. In addition to this latest award he has been awarded two of

the firm's Outstanding Performance awards. He holds a bachelor degree in business administration from Transylvania University and a master's degree in business administration from Morehead State University. Reed is an active member of the Pikeville United Methodist Church; Rotary International; is a board member of the Coal Operators and Associates and helps coach a team in the East Kentucky Youth Soccer Association.



Paul D. Nesbitt, MBA, PE, LS, and Harold L. "Bud" Baldrige, PE, LS (right) reviewed paperwork at Nesbitt. The company recently acquired Baldrige firm, Baldrige Engineering.

Nesbitt acquires local firm

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SUBMIT resume to the Floyd County Conservation District, 214 South Central Ave., Suite 102, Prestonsburg, KY 41553.

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INVITATION TO BID

The Floyd County Board of Education is requesting sealed bids for the following mobile units that have been declared surplus property:

- Melvin Elementary: Two (2) 24'x32' One (1) 20'x32' One (1) 12'x60'
- Prater Elementary: Two (2) 24'x32'
- Harold Elementary: Two (2) 24'x32' One (1) 20'x34' One (1) 12'x60'
- Auxier Elementary: One (1) 20'x32'

All bids must be marked on the outside of the envelope "Sealed Mobile Bid Enclosed." The bids must be at the Maintenance Department by 10:00 a.m. on November 4, 1998 for bid opening. The awarded bidder will be responsible for any cost for removal of mobile units from the Floyd County Board of Education properties. The Floyd County Board of Education has the right to reject any and all bids.

For further information, contact Gregory Adams, Director of Facilities at (606) 874-2049 or 23 Martin Street, Allen KY 41601.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR SEALED BIDS

Site Preparation and Construction of Golf Cart Barn/Maintenance Building at John M. Stumbo Park.

Bid specifications may be picked up at the Floyd County Judge/Executive's office at 149 South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

Bids will be accepted through Friday, October 16th, 1998, at the close of business at 4:00 p.m.

LEGAL NOTICE

In accordance with Chapter 65 and 424 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes the following information and supporting data may be inspected by the general public at Floyd County Extension Office, 921 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY, on 10/16, 1998, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Floyd County Extension District Board
Tyrone Martin, Chairman, Floyd County Extension District Board, P.O. Box 84, Auxier, KY 41602.

Board Members:	Name	Address
Vice Chairman		
Secretary	Dorothy Harris	245 Little Paint Cr., East Point, KY
Treasurer	Kermit R. Howard	Box 237, Dwale, KY 41621
	Donald Hicks	87 W. Old Middle Cr. Rd., Prestonsburg, KY
	Arnold Lowe	128 Rt. Turner Br., Eastern, KY 41622

County Judge-Executive, Benjamin Hale, Courthouse, Prestonsburg, KY

SUMMARY FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR FISCAL PERIOD 07/01/97 TO 06/30/98

Beginning Cash on Hand, (date).....	\$209,127.00
Receipts	
Property Taxes.....	\$131,008.00
Assessments.....	\$
User Fees.....	\$
Miscellaneous.....	\$ 3,778.00
Total Receipts.....	\$343,913.00
Expenditures	
Administration.....	\$
Salaries.....	\$ 44,788.00
Operations.....	\$ 54,891.00
Debt Retirement.....	\$ 0
Other.....	\$ 39,801.00
Total Expenditures.....	\$139,480.00
Ending Balance, (date).....	\$204,433.00

I, the undersigned, Treasurer of Floyd County District Cooperative Extension Education Fund, hereby certify that the above is a true and correct record of the accounts of the Floyd County District Cooperative Extension Education Fund, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, as of 09/30/98.

Kermit R. Howard, Treasurer
Floyd County District
Cooperative Extension Education Fund

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the foregoing Affiant, Kermit R. Howard, this 8th day of October, 1998. My commission expires 12-14-2001, Betty Gayheart, Notary Public, State of Kentucky at large.

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**ADVERTISEMENT
FOR BID**

Floyd County Schools are requesting bids for Sanding and Sealing of the Betsy Layne Elementary Dome Gym Floor.

Bid specifications can be obtained in the Director of Facilities Office located at the Maintenance Department, old Allen Elementary School, 23 Martin Street, Allen KY 41601. Bid opening will be at the Maintenance Department on October 21, 1998 at 10:00 a.m.

For further information please contact Gregory Adams at (606) 874-2049.

**NOTICE OF
INTENTION TO
MINE****Pursuant to
Application****#860-5172, Renewal**

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Kentucky May Coal Company, Inc., HC 82 Box 1045, Arnold Fork Road, Kite, Kentucky 41635 has filed an application for Renewal of an existing surface and underground coal mining operation located 2.00 miles southeast of Halo in Knott & Floyd Counties. The proposed operation will disturb 11.13 surface acres and will underlie 1166.00 acres, the total area within the boundary will be 1177.13 acres.

The proposed operation is approximately 2.00 miles southeast from KY Route 1098's junction with Arnold Fork Road and located 0.18 miles north of Pigeonroost Fork. The latitude is 37 degrees 17 minutes 05 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees 42 minutes 28 seconds.

The operation is located on the Wheelwright U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Virnus Issac Estate. The operation will underlie land owned by Virnus Issac Estate, Mildred Issac, Grant Honeycutt, Fess Hall, Junior Mullins, Larry Honeycutt, Barris Hall, Prindle Hall, Annie Collins, Dove Issac, Bob Zuren, Willie Johnson, Dewey Johnson, Tom Roop, Ben Johnson, Ed Gieson, Jeff Goble, Louie Burke, Lonard Bobby Barkley, Orville Burke, Grant Burke, John Roop, C.L. Tackett, Johnny Roop, Sid Tackett and Tommie Roop. The operation will use the underground method of mining.

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

**NOTICE OF
BOND RELEASE
PERMIT NO. 860-
0283**

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Francis Coals, Inc., P.O. Box 549, Allen, Kentucky 41601-0549, has applied for Phase III bond release on Increment Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 12, 13 and 14 of Permit Number 860-0283 which was last issued on March 6, 1998.

Increment No. 1 covers an area of approximately 1.91 acres, Increment No. 2 covers an area of approximately 2.85 acres, Increment No. 3 covers an area of approximately 6.41 acres, Increment No. 4 covers

an area of approximately 9.18 acres, Increment No. 5 covers an area of approximately 5.39 acres, Increment No. 6 covers an area of approximately 8.03 acres, Increment No. 7 covers an area of approximately 6.75 acres, Increments No. 12 covers an area of approximately 8.02 acres, Increment No. 13 covers an area of approximately 3.18 acres located 1.70 miles east of Handshoe in Knott and Floyd Counties.

The permit area is approximately 0.70 miles south from Kentucky Route 2029's junction with Signal Knob Lookout Tower Road and located 0.10 miles north of Fitch Branch. The latitude is 37°28'06". The longitude is 82°56'12".

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 1 is a surety bond in the amount of one thousand seven hundred fifty dollars (\$1,750.00). One hundred percent (100%) of the original bond amount of \$5,000 is included in this application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 2 is a surety bond in the amount of six thousand five hundred sixty dollars (\$6,560.00). One hundred percent (100%) of the original bond amount of \$10,400 is included in this application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 3 is a surety bond in the amount of four thousand forty five dollars (\$4,045.00). One hundred percent (100%) of the original bond amount of \$20,300 is included in this application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 4 is a surety bond in the amount of seven thousand three hundred dollars (\$7,300.00). One hundred percent (100%) of the original bond amount of \$7,300 is included in this application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 5 is a surety bond in the amount of seven thousand eight hundred twenty five dollars (\$7,825.00). One hundred percent (100%) of the original bond amount of \$17,700 is included in this application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 6 is a surety bond in the amount of six thousand four hundred dollars (\$6,400.00). One hundred percent (100%) of the original bond amount of \$6,400 is included in this application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 7 is a surety bond in the amount of six thousand three hundred ten dollars (\$6,310.00). One hundred percent (100%) of the original bond amount of \$13,400 is included in this application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 12 is a surety bond in the amount of ten thousand eight hundred sixty five dollars (\$10,865.00). One hundred percent (100%) of the original bonds amount of \$21,100 is included in this application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 13 is a surety bond in the amount of one thousand four hundred thirty five dollars (\$1,435.00). One hundred percent (100%) of the original bond amount of \$21,100 is included in this application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 14 is a surety bond in the amount of four thousand one hundred thirty dollars (\$4,130.00). One hundred percent (100%) of the original bond amount of \$14,200 is included in this application for release.

Reclamation work performed for Increment No.

1 includes: establishment of the post-mining land use. Reclamation work performed for Increment No. 2 includes: establishment of the post-mining land use. Reclamation work performed for Increment No. 3 includes: establishment of the post-mining land use. Reclamation work performed for Increment No. 4 includes: establishment of the post-mining land use.

No. 5 includes: establishment of post-mining land use. Reclamation work performed for Increment No. 6 includes: establishment of the post-mining land use. Reclamation work performed for Increment No. 7 includes: establishment of the post-mining land use.

Reclamation work performed for Increment No. 12 includes: establishment of the post-mining land use. Reclamation work performed for Increment No. 13 includes: establishment of the post-mining land use. Reclamation work performed for Increment No. 14 includes: establishment of the post-mining land use.

Written comments, objection, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by November 13, 1998.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for Monday, November 16, 1998 at 1:00 p.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1410. This hearing will be canceled if no requests for a hearing or informal conference is received by November 13, 1998.

This is the final advertisement of the application. Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort Kentucky 40601, by November 13, 1998.

**NOTICE OF
BOND RELEASE
PERMIT NO. 836-
9004**

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Kanawha Enterprises, Box 590, Martin, Kentucky 41649, has applied for Phase III bond release on Permit Number 836-9004 which was last issued on July 23, 1987. This application covers an area of 5.51 acres located 0.60 mile north of Hunter in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.20 mile southeast from KY 122's junction with Shop Branch Road and located 0.60 mile south of Aker Branch. The latitude is 37°31'01". The longitude is 82°45'05".

The bond now in effect for the permit is a certificate of deposit in the amount of seven thousand five hundred fifty dollars (\$7,550.00). One hundred percent (100%) of the original bond amount of \$13,200 is included in this application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: establishment of the post-mining land use.

Written comments, objection, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by November 13, 1998.

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**COMMONWEALTH
OF KENTUCKY
DEPARTMENT OF
FINANCIAL INSTITU-
TIONS
FRANKFORT, KEN-
TUCKY****LEGAL NOTICE**

IN THE MATTER OF: Application submitted by First Commonwealth Bank, Martin, Floyd, County, Kentucky for a Bank Charter

This is to provide legal notice that the above-named bank has made application to the Kentucky Department of Financial Institutions for a bank charter.

The law of Kentucky provides that the

Commissioner of the Department of Financial Institutions satisfy himself that there is reasonable assurance of sufficient volume of business for the proposed corporation to be successful, and whether the public convenience and advantage will be promoted by the opening of the proposed corporation before approving such application. Any interested party may file written comments on whether the statutory criteria set forth above have been met provided that such party notifies the Department in writing within twenty (20) days after publication of this notice. Formal written notice shall be sent to the Kentucky Department of Financial Institutions, 477 Versailles Road, Frankfort, Kentucky, 40601.

This 14th day of October, 1998

James B. Tate, Director
Division of Financial Institutions
Department of Financial Institutions

**NOTICE OF
PERMIT CONFER-
ENCE
Pursuant to
Application
Number 836-5335**

In accordance with the provisions of 405 KAR 8:010 Section 11, Notice is hereby given that a permit conference is

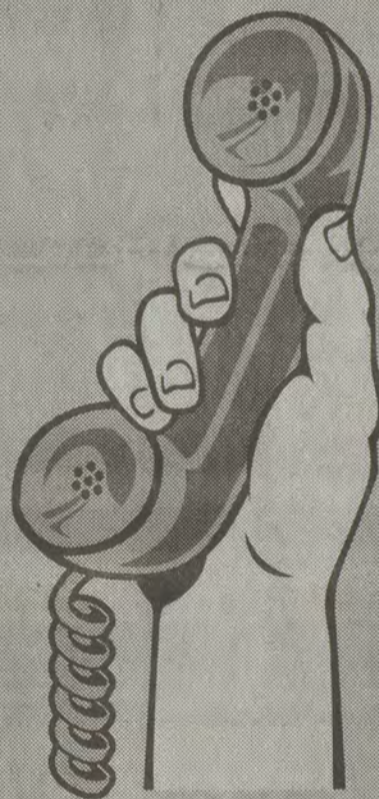
scheduled for October 28, 1998 at 1:00 p.m. at the Prestonsburg Regional Office for the Department of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, concerning the above application filed by The Elk Horn Coal Corporation, 415 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. The application is for an underground and surface mining and reclamation operation located 3.6 miles Southeast of McDowell, Kentucky in Floyd County.

The proposed operation is approximately 1.5 miles southeast from KY 1929's junction with Ned Fork County Road and located along Poplarlick Fork of Frasure Creek. The latitude is 37°24'20". The longitude is 82°41'35". The surface area to be disturbed is owned by The Elk Horn Coal Corporation. The operation will land owned by the Elk Horn Coal Corporation, Millard Caudill, Liza Hamilton, Alvin Gayheart, Ricky & Michelle Blevins, Ronnie & Mildred Blevins, Ernest & Delores Blevins, William Howell Heirs, Myrtle Paige, Virbil & Jean Hall, Fred & Jill Mosley, Anthony Newsom, Woodrow Caudill, Benji Caudill, Elanor Pike, Garlis Caudill, Troy & Mary Howell, Teddie Howell, Bee Howell Estate, Pauline Allen, Rita Varney, Billy J. Issac,

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The proposed operation is located on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Any person whose interests are or may be adversely affected by the issuance of the proposed permit may present information relevant to the permit, in oral or written form, at time of the conference.

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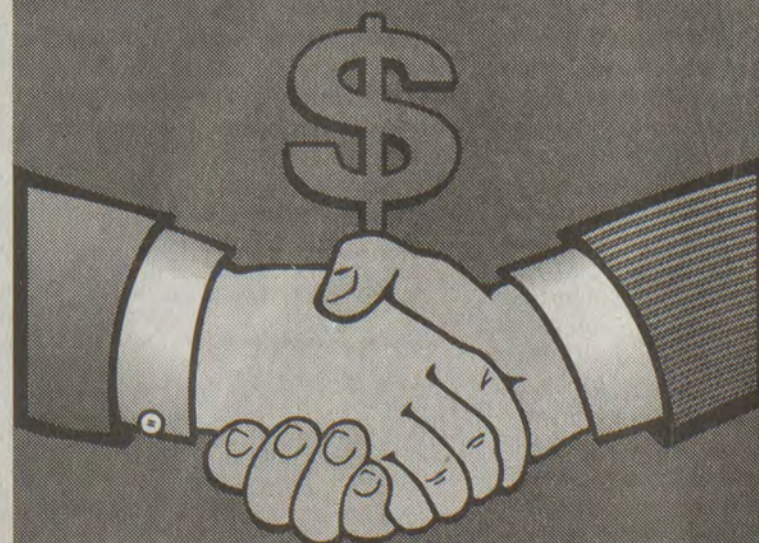
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