

Hagans receives MSU Leadership Award



Paul Hagans

Morehead State University has announced that Paul Matthew Hagans of Langley is among those students receiving an Alumni and Leadership Award for the fall semester. Hagans, the son of Paul and Deborah S. Hagans, is a graduate of Allen Central High School. Listed in "Who's Who in American High Schools," he was a member of the Beta Club and Academic Team and was named the essay winner in the Community Trust Bank's competition. A sports enthusiast, he was a member of the golf team and tennis team where he was the winner in men's singles competition in the Kenneth Huffman Memorial Tennis Tournament.

To be eligible for the Alumni Award, at least one of the applicant's parents or grandparents must be an MSU alumnus and an active member of the MSU Alumni Association. The student must be admitted to MSU as an entering freshman or transfer student; have a minimum composite of at least 18, and have an Admissions Index of at least 500. Transfer students must have a 3.00 grade point average (on a 4.00 scale) for the equivalent of at least one full term. The scholarship, with a value of \$500-\$750 per year, is renewable for three academic years if a 2.75

g.p.a. is maintained during each of the first two semesters and a minimum cumulative 3.00 g.p.a. for each semester thereafter. To be eligible for the Leadership Award, applicants must be admitted to MSU as an entering freshman; have exhibited strong leadership and achievement capabilities through school and community activities; have a minimum ACT composite of 18, and have a 2.50 grade point average (on a 4.00 scale) based on seven semesters of work. The scholarship, valued at \$650 per year, is renewable for three academic years if a 2.50 g.p.a. is maintained each semester.

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Shortridge killed in Pike County wreck

by Chris McDavid
Staff Writer

A Prestonsburg woman was killed and two passengers were injured early Sunday morning in a one-vehicle accident in Pike County. Karla Darice Phipps Shortridge, 21, was pronounced dead at the scene of the mishap by Pike deputy coroner Mike Hall. Police say that Shortridge was traveling north on Route 119 in Sidney when her 1989 Toyota "ran off the road and struck a guardrail." The vehicle then traveled along the guardrail over an embankment and struck a fence before stopping, police say. The incident occurred around 1

a.m. Sunday. A Kentucky State Police media release says that two passengers in Shortridge's vehicle were transported to South Williamson Appalachian Regional Hospital, where they were treated for minor injuries. The release does not identify the passengers or indicate if anyone in the vehicle was wearing a seat belt. Shortridge is survived by her mother, Alrita Shepherd; husband, Steven Shortridge; one son, Coty Douglas; and two step-sisters. Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Thursday at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel in Martin. KSP trooper J. Howard is investigating Sunday's fatal accident.

Somerset man wins new truck

Paul Bell of Somerset became the latest Kentucky Lottery Truck\$ and Buck\$ grand-prize winner last Friday. A Johnson County man, Ralph Scott of Paintsville, has been notified that he will be eligible as one of nine other Truck\$ and Buck\$ Second Chance Promotion finalists chosen from over one hundred thousand entries the Kentucky Lottery received.

Bell and two of his friends came to the Kentucky Lottery Office in Louisville to claim his new Ford F150 XLT with a ticket he had purchased in his hometown.

Truck\$ and Buck\$, a \$2 instant scratch-off ticket, is the first Kentucky Lottery instant game to offer a vehicle as a top prize. Players can win cash prizes by matching the Your Numbers and Winning Numbers, or they can win the grand prize, a Ford F150 XLT, by revealing a truck symbol.

Players have a second chance to win a truck by collecting the front, middle, and back segments from second chance stubs located on the side of the Truck\$ and Buck\$ tickets. Once players have collected all three truck segments, they can mail them to the Truck\$ and Buck\$ Second Chance Promotion. Ten finalists, selected weekly in random drawings, were given a chance to choose the key that starts the Ford F-150 XLT. The person with the key, the Somerset man, won the truck. The other nine contestants will go home with prizes ranging from \$500 to \$3,000.

Farmer to elect representative

In December, farmers in the Flat Gap area of Johnson County and in Martin County will be electing a representative to the Johnson-Floyd-Martin-Pike County FSA area committee. Nomination forms can be picked up at the FSA office in Paintsville, or by calling 789-3766.

Clarification

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In years past, burning was limited to 4:30 p.m. to midnight. The change in the law is intended to prevent fires by allowing burning only during the time when typically the wind is calm and humidity is increased, forestry officials said.

The law also restricts burning within 150 feet of the woods or burning anything capable of spreading fire into the woods. The law also restricts burning during 6 p.m. to 6 a.m. if the air is not calm or if there is not adequate moisture in the air to allow the control of fire.

For more information about changes in the fire hazard season law, call (606) 478-4495.

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Burke appointed first Family Circuit Judge in Pike County

Governor Paul E. Patton on August 25, named Pikeville attorney Kathryn Burke the first Family Circuit Judge in Pike County. The appointment is effective September 1.

Three names were submitted to the governor by the Pike Circuit's Judicial Nominating Commission, after August 18 interviews with six applicants.

Burke has practiced law for 20 years, beginning in Pikeville with her late father, Francis D. Burke. Prior to starting her practice, she served as law clerk for former Kentucky Supreme Court Justice; James B. Stephenson. She is a graduate of Johns Creek High School; Hollins College, Roanoke, Virginia; and the University of Louisville's Brandeis School.

Burke's practice has had an emphasis on family law for several years. She has served as Special Domestic Relations Commissioner for Pike Circuit Court and as a guardian ad litem for both Pike Circuit and District Courts. Kentucky Chief Justice Robert Stephens appointed Burke to the state's Task Force for the Establishment of Family Courts in Kentucky in the fall of 1997. In addition, she served as co-chair of Pike County's committee to form a family court.

Burke said she is gratified by the appointment, and excited about the opportunity to serve the citizens of Pike County in this important role. "The Family Court concept is an attempt by the legal community to help families which are in trauma

when they come to the legal system. Family Court can assist these families by meeting not only their legal needs, but also their emotional, financial, and physical needs."

The daughter of Faye Helvey Burke and the late Francis D. Burke, she is a granddaughter of the late F.M. Burke, who served as state senator from Pike County in the late '60s. Her son, Stephen, is a fourth grade student at Johns Creek Elementary, where Burke has served as president of the PTA and on the Primary and Transformation committees of the Site-Based Council. In addition, she is a 1997 graduate of the Prichard Committee's Commonwealth Institute of Parent Leadership. She and her son attend Pikeville United Methodist Church.

CAP, Yatesville park to host boat parade and Labor Day celebration

Christian Appalachian Project and Yatesville Lake State Park to host boat parade and Labor Day celebration

The Christian Appalachian Project (CAP) and Yatesville Lake State Park are hosting a Labor Day picnic and boat parade at the Park's marina and Boone's Landing Family Retreat Center located on the shores of Yatesville Lake.

Activities for the day include a prayer breakfast aboard CAP's

houseboat, The Daniel Boone, a picnic lunch and a boat parade.

Boat owners are encouraged to decorate their vessels and enter them in the five-mile parade up the lake from the marina to Boone's Landing. The boats will be divided into three categories, over 70 horse power, under 70 horsepower and houseboats.

"Originality and creativity are encouraged and trophies will be awarded in each of the three categories," said Albert Bloomfield,

manager of Boone's Landing.

The Labor Day celebration, which is open to the public and free of charge, is from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. The boat parade will line up at 10:00 a.m. and end at Boone's Landing at noon. A picnic lunch will be served at Boone's landing. Afternoon activities will begin at 3:00 p.m. in the park marina with clowns, live music, games and drawings for a weekend aboard the Daniel Boone, and a free, two-day pontoon rental.

Lowest pre-Labor Day gas prices

Travelers will find the lowest average pre-Labor Day price for gasoline in nine years with self-serve regular unleaded gas selling for 18.9 cents cheaper than at this

time a year ago, according to AAA. AAA's Fuel Gauge Report shows that the national average for self-serve regular unleaded gasoline is now \$1.075 per gallon, the lowest price since Labor Day 1989 when it averaged \$1.062.

The average price has dropped 2.4 cents in the last month. Last Labor Day the average price was \$1.264.

"It continues to be a sensational year for gas prices, a trend that began late last year," says Dan Dickson, public relations manager for AAA Bluegrass/Kentucky. "Prices rose slightly this summer, but now seem to be falling again, so enjoy the ride on that cheaper tank of gas," remarked Dickson.

Some experts believe that lower gas prices will give drivers a psychological boost, prompting them to take more holiday trips.

To illustrate what's been going on in the gasoline marketplace, the national average prices for self-serve unleaded gasoline the past six months were: July, \$1.099; June, \$1.108; May, \$1.098; April, \$1.079; March, \$1.081; and February, \$1.114.

Increasingly, gas can't be purchased for under a dollar in much of the country. Prices are still the

highest in the west and are the lowest in the southeast.

This summer's stable gasoline prices can be attributed in large measure to higher than normal oil inventories.

And unless crude oil prices rebound by October, the Federal Government predicts that gas prices will remain low with a gradual increase throughout 1999, when the world oil market comes into balance.

In Kentucky, the average price for a gallon of self-serve regular unleaded gas is now 99 cents, down 5 cents from last month and the lowest average prices so far this year.

In Lexington, a survey of 30 gas stations found that the price for a gallon of self-serve regular unleaded gas is 94 cents, down 11 cents from a month ago.

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Viewpoint

Quote of the week...
It is more shameful to distrust one's friends than to be deceived by them.
—Francois de La Rochefoucauld

Guest Editorial

Cooperation on mine safety

The agreement between state and federal mine safety officials to cooperate on coal dust issues is most welcome. Part of the deal, apparently, is joint monitoring of compliance with dust control plans. "It's another set of eyes, another inspection day," enthused Joe Pavlovich, who runs the federal Mine Safety and Health Administration's district office in Barbourville. It underscores "some really exciting areas of cooperation," said Laura Douglas, head of the state Public Protection and Regulation Cabinet. Which just goes to show what a difference a few weeks, and a little legislative pressure, can make. In the immediate aftermath of The Courier-Journal series on coal dust testing fraud, you would have thought that state and federal mining officials were pledged to different fraternities. John Franklin, commissioner of the Kentucky Department of Mines and Minerals, told a legislative hearing back then that

there was little his agency could do to help prevent black lung. But now, the state has found it can share information on dust control problems; develop on-site training for miners in dust-control; emphasize miners' rights and responsibilities in classes; circulate information on health and safety matters, and jointly monitor compliance. That sounds like a lot. Asked at one of the earlier legislative hearings whether his agency ought to get involved in health matters, Franklin said, "I don't see any reason to be involved." Lawmakers must have given him some reasons. At the Madisonville hearing, Franklin said he didn't know whether the feds wanted any help. Obviously, they've made it clear that they do. Miners who are trying to avoid black lung need all the help they can get, not bureaucratic evasion and confusion. —*The Courier Journal*



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Parents, take a stand

Editor:
I am writing concerning the Floyd County Schools. We are paying city taxes to send our kids to school but, as it seems, we are sending them to school but when they return home we are teaching them ourselves. It is time the concerned parents stood up and take a stand! If anyone wants to get together and fight against this thing, call Frank or Tabatha Bentley at 874-8919 or 874-0041, or Donald Ratliff, 874-9858. Frank Bentley Dwale

paper. Granted, she is still at the age where she mostly reads the cartoons. We sometimes read and discuss the political cartoons. I have noticed you have school and other sections that are directed toward children. I assume from this, you encourage young readers. Although I consider myself a liberal, (believe me folks, liberal has not yet been declared a dirty word. I can say liberal in the newspaper) I am not without a sense of humor. In fact, I found the cartoon very funny. I would have preferred to have seen it in a more adult forum. Don't make me have to screen your paper before I allow my child to read it.

Reader says political cartoon was offensive

Editor,
I am writing to complain about a political cartoon that appeared in your paper last week. The cartoon was the "kneepad - skateboard" one...need I say more? My ten-year-old daughter reads your

Barb Hale
Blue River
(Editor's Note: The Floyd County Times staff makes every effort to keep The Times a family newspaper but, occasionally, something gets in the newspaper that some readers find offensive. We can't change that; however, and we will keep our young readers in mind when we select future cartoons from our political cartoon service.)

OTHER VOICES

Labor Day honors excellence in Kentucky's workforce; best and brightest workers deserve truth in hiring

by Tom Underwood
State Director
National Federation of Independent Business/Kentucky
Labor Day is a time to honor the women and men in Kentucky's workforce; and particularly those who have distinguished themselves in their occupations. But some Kentucky workers are not earning the rewards and salaries they deserve, because past employers have stopped providing information about their ex-employees' performances for fear of lawsuits. Most legal action over disclosures from past employers has resulted from information about workers with less-than-stellar work histories. But the state's best and brightest are the ones getting a raw deal. According to 1998 membership ballot results from the National Federation of Independent Business/Kentucky, 94 percent of the state's NFIB small-business owners strongly support legislation that would legally allow firms to disclose reference information about former employees to potential future employers. Only 3.2 percent of the small-business entrepreneurs opposed such a provision and another 2.8 percent were undecided. This is clearly a mandate from Kentucky's hard-working small-business leaders who

need all the help they can get in hiring good employees in this climate of critically low unemployment. Hiring is serious business for all businesses, but particularly for small business. When a small business has only five employees, for example, and needs to fill one of those positions, that's 20 percent of its work force. Therefore, it's critical that small-business employers have all pertinent information available to them to make sure they are hiring the right people for the jobs. It's a simple case for truth in hiring, and it not only benefits the employers. While undesirable workers are having their poor track records kept under wraps, good workers are not getting the references they deserve. These people are being unfairly deprived of the benefits of higher salaries because they cannot take advantage of positive reports that past employers might offer if they were allowed. If you are like most employers these days, you respond to reference requests simply by confirming that past employees in question did, in fact, work for you and the dates of employment. In today's "gotcha" legal environment, employers who offer up the traditional reference—whether complimentary or critical of a person's work—are left open to lawsuits charging defamation. (See Voices, page five)

Letters to the editor policy

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School Days, School Days Go vs. Not Go

A grandmother sought psychological services for her 12-year-old granddaughter, "Susie". Susie had missed so many days of school that her case had been referred to the legal system. Her history included poor academic grades since the first grade, chronic, significant emotional problems, and extreme acting-out behaviors at home. After appropriate treatment that involved her grandmother and meetings with school personnel, Susie was able to advance to the next grade and reportedly was successful. Whether we want to know about it or not, absenteeism is a continuing challenge for most schools. In fact, the problems of truancy are not going away, but just might be increasing.

Things to Ponder



by Mable Rowe Lineberger, Ph.D.

As has been repeatedly revealed by research, "absenteeism is a sign of trouble that often leads to lower academic skills and grades, delinquency, and dropouts. Studies have shown that high school dropouts are twice as likely to be unemployed and on welfare, and overall, tend to be facing a more difficult life than their graduating counterparts." Based on the Floyd County Board of Education's 1997-1998 end-of-the-year-summary of school attendance, the percentages of attendance for our local schools tended to show a common pattern revealed across the school years: (1) highest percentage rate for attendance tends to be in elementary schools - Harold 94.8 and Osborne 93.8; (2) decline begins in the middle years - Adams Middle School 91.1; and (3) high schools often have the lowest percentage of attendance - South Floyd 90.2, Allen 89.5, Betsy Layne 87.2, and Prestonsburg 86.2. As expected, the child's parents tend to be a major cause of their child's truancy and some causes for absenteeism also seem to vary according to age and grade level. For elementary students, the most frequent reasons tend to be a lack of transportation, separation anxiety, family dysfunction, and illness. Young children's parents tend to keep kids home, but more often do not get children up in the morning and prepare them for school. At the high school level, the basic causes of absenteeism given were lack of family involvement, drugs, social problems, and peer confrontations. Similar to Susie, research has focused on teenagers who were absent excessively from school due to physical complaints, such as headache, dizziness, upset stomach and back pain. Results showed that they were likely to have underlying emotional problems, especially anxiety and depression. Students with extreme absences and physical complaints need to be interviewed with their families by an appropriately qualified clinical person. Various intervention and rehabilitation programs to increase student attendance have been designed by school systems. One principal wrote that a program focusing on school attendance for kindergarten and first grade students is likely to be successful for preventing an increase in absenteeism that often occurs by the fifth or sixth grade. The leaders of one school felt that the most appropriate approach was a combination discipline/attendance policy that emphasized parental involvement and accountability. Another important component was developing relationships with community agencies such as social services and probation departments. One program involved period-by-period attendance, local police officers picking up truants and bringing them for counseling, phone calls to parents when their child is out of school, and contact with the district attorney if parents are consistently non-supportive of regular attendance. However, a vice-principal wrote that "The school cannot be 100 percent responsible for kids not coming to school when the school is doing everything possible internally, as well as reaching out to parents and the community." Another school's program promoted the "three its: responsibility, which includes being in class and doing one's best; recognition, believing that students who do their best deserve to be recognized; and respect, having an atmosphere of tolerance and mutual respect among students and staff." According to the Floyd County Board of Education's present attendance policy: (1) a student's name shall be forwarded as a truant (See Ponder, page five)

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Openings available in law class

Limited enrollment remains available in Prestonsburg Community College's new Law Enforcement Technology Program, according to coordinator Mike Dixon.

Although the college has offered law enforcement classes for several years, this is the first semester in which students can pursue an Associate in Applied Science Degree in Law Enforcement Technology at PCC. With the federal Bureau of Prisons' commitment to build a maximum security facility in Martin County, many residents of the Big Sandy region are enrolling in law enforcement and corrections-related classes PCC officials said. The bureau's target

activation date of late 2001 or early 2002 allows adequate time for residents to earn an associate degree at PCC, or complete requirements for a bachelor's degree, according to instructors at PCC.

Dixon said the law enforcement program also helps students prepare for job opportunities at the state, county and city levels, including city police, sheriff's departments, park rangers, transportation officers, fish and wildlife officers, water patrol officers, and state correctional facilities. Graduates of the PCC program will also meet the minimum requirements for entry into the Kentucky State Police Academy, Dixon said, and are much better prepared for

law enforcement careers than applicants without formal corrections education.

"This is a degree program," Dixon explained. "We are providing semester-long efforts—more than in an academy. This makes job candidates more attractive, better prepared, and better versed in the language of the profession than a 'walk-on' to an academy."

Although the college's formal registration period closed recently, area residents wishing to enroll in the Law Enforcement Technology Program—or other areas of study at the college—have until September 1 to complete late registration. If there is sufficient demand for specific classes, additional sections

can be offered, and can even begin in mid-semester and continue on an alternative schedule.

Law enforcement technology classes offered by PCC this semester include:

- LEN 101, Introduction to Criminal Justice. An introduction to the philosophical and historical background of law enforcement agencies, processes, purposes, and functions. The class includes an evaluation of current law enforcement trends and career orientation.

- LEN 201, Introduction to Criminalistics. The course is designed to give the student a basic knowledge of crime scene protection, collection, preservation, and identification of evidence, including proper search, dusting latent prints, casting, fingerprint classification, and the use of the crime laboratory in crime detection and prosecution.

- LEN 205, Leadership and Management. This class is a detailed study of the organization, administration and function of the police department. It covers the designing of policies and a study of the arrangement within a department of specific operations and commands.

- LEN 215, Police Operations and Programs. The class examines the organization, administration and supervision of patrol functions. Subjects covered include the responsibilities, techniques and methods of police and patrol. The course also covers various services and public assistance options offered by police organizations.

- LEN 217, Criminal Procedures. The class is a detailed study of the laws of arrest (including the use of force), search and seizure, emphasizes the Constitutional basis, historical development, statutes, and recent court decisions.

Specific information regarding course availability, time and location may be obtained from Dixon or the PCC director of admissions, Gia Potter, at (606) 886-3863, ext. 282 or 249 respectively.

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Prison job training program offers employment opportunities

Residents of the Big Sandy area have three to four years to become qualified for employment at the U.S. Department of Corrections, Bureau of Prisons' planned penitentiary in Martin County.

The \$100 million maximum-security facility is located near the Floyd, Johnson and Martin county lines at Honey Branch Industrial Park. Construction is expected to begin in 1999 and be complete in late 2001 or early 2002.

The USP-Big Sandy penitentiary will employ approximately 400 persons, according to bureau estimates. Of those, 176 will be bureau employees transferred from other USP facilities throughout the nation; qualified applicants from the region's labor force can fill the remaining 224 positions.

The bureau employs staff in more than 200 job categories at more than 80 locations nationwide, and offers quality benefits and competitive salaries. Correctional officers comprise the largest part of the Bureau workforce, and institutions routinely have vacancies.

According to information provided by the bureau, all job applicants must:

- Be a United States citizen.
- Be less than age 37 at time of appointment, unless the applicant has previously served in a federal civilian law enforcement position covered by special civil service provisions, including early or mandatory retirement. (A waiver may be granted up to age 39 for some positions, including nurses and psychologists. Others such as medical doctors, physician assistants and chaplains are exempt from the age requirement).

According to the bureau's salary rates effective January 1998, a GS-5 correctional officer's starting salary is about \$24,600. To qualify for a correctional officer position at the GS-5 grade level, applicants must have one of the following:

- A bachelor's degree in any field of study, or
- At least three years of qualifying general work experiences such as supervisor, teacher, counselor, parole or probation worker, worker with juvenile delinquents, welfare, or social worker, fire fighter, clergy member, emergency medical technician, air traffic controller, salesperson in commissioned sales, security guard, manager, or day care facility worker; or
- A combination of undergraduate education and qualifying general work experience, as described above, that equals at least three full years.

The bureau will also employ correctional treatment specialists (often called case managers or drug treatment specialists) who develop, evaluate, and analyze program needs and other data about inmates. According to bureau information, the work the specialists perform is similar to that of a social worker. Applicants must have completed undergraduate education that includes 24 semester hours of social science, as well as one year of professional casework experience or two years of graduate education in social science, or at least two years of combined graduate education and professional casework experience.

The USP-Big Sandy facility will operate on a three-shift per

day schedule, with each shift lasting eight hours. Employees rotate posts, shifts, and days off. Those assigned to night duty are paid a percentage of their basic hourly rate above regular pay, and employees are paid 25 percent above regular pay for all work on Sundays.

According to bureau information, a background investigation is done on all employees to "determine character and fitness for the job. Character and personal attributes must be excellent, and applicants must be completely dependable in emergency situations and willing to perform extra and prolonged duty assignments if necessary."

All applicants must also meet the physical requirements for the positions for which they are being considered. The physical exam is made at no cost to the applicant, and is usually performed by a federal medical officer.

Employees are also given in-service training. The first week is devoted to acquainting the individual with the environment in which he or she will work, and with functions of the institution. The training includes orientation to the physical plant, familiarization with policies and procedures and techniques to effectively supervise and communicate with inmates. All employees must also attend a three-week advanced orientation to corrections at the bureau's training center in Glynco, Georgia, at government expense. Candidates must successfully complete all phases of training to become employed.

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J W Theatre celebrates successful season

On Sunday, August 23, Jenny Wiley Theatre celebrated the close of its 34th season. The summer music theatre, located in Jenny Wiley State Resort Park in Prestonsburg, has a mission of "enriching the regional community through the performing arts."

"The 34th season was definitely one to remember," Carla S. Coburn, CEO of Jenny Wiley Theatre, said

last week. "It has been very exciting for me to see how much time and energy it takes to make these shows come to life. We are very proud of this season's mainstage productions of Cinderella, The Legend of Jenny Wiley, and Smoke on the Mountain. As well as our campground production of The Saga of the Hatfields and McCoys, written by local playwright, Bob Boduch, and our

Children's Theatre Productions of The Three Little Pigs and The True Story of Jack and the Beanstalk, directed by Joe Clark."

This year marked a historical milestone because, for the very first time, Jenny Wiley Theatre presented the world premiere of its original production of The Legend of Jenny Wiley, a show which told the tale of local heroine Jenny Wiley and her struggle to survive. The story for the theatre's production was adapted by producing/artistic director, Patrik Baldauff. The music was composed by local talent, Scott Bradley, with lyrics by Peyton Dixon. The theatre will be releasing the soundtrack for the production in September, and are currently taking orders for CD's.

At the closing ceremonies on Sunday, the president of the theatre's board of directors, Randall C. Burchett, invited all of the Jenny Wiley Theatre staff, cast and crew

on stage for a final bow. He praised all their efforts in addition to the many individual and business contributors, volunteers, stage parents and members of the board of directors, who work all year for the three months of magic under the stars at Jenny Wiley Theatre.

He also presented actress, Kelly Hackett, who cast the lead role of Jenny Wiley for The Legend of Jenny Wiley, with a plaque to be displayed in the theatre office, listing all the names of the staff, cast and crew who were a part of the successful first season of the shows presentation.

Now that the season has ended, the theatre is getting geared up for next summer.

"We are already planning our 35th anniversary celebration next summer, with a line-up for the '99 season of Grease, Oklahoma, The Legend of Jenny Wiley and Pinocchio," Coburn said.

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Stephen Bailey to address Big Sandy Valley Historical

Stephen Bailey, a New Mexico researcher will address the Big Sandy Valley Historical Society Saturday, September 12, about his research for a new book about John C. C. Mayo.

His address, "Jed Clampitt's First Two Quarters," will be delivered at the Paintsville Country Club at 1 p.m. The address will include never-before-published information about Mayo's career.

Mayo, a Paintsville resident, was considered Kentucky's richest man when he died in 1914. It is estimated that he controlled some 600,000 acres of minerals—most in East Kentucky—equal to about 2 percent of Kentucky's surface area.

Bailey, a Paintsville native, has been an independent scholar study-

ing both the history and genealogy of the Big Sandy region for several years. He received his master's degree from the University of the Navajo Indian Reservation in New Mexico.

In addition to his book about Mayo, Bailey plans to author a history of the Big Sandy Valley that covers the entire scope of the region's history. Bailey has done extensive genealogical research about Abiud Fairchild, a Revolutionary War soldier who settled in Johnson County.

The historical society will hold a business meeting at 11 a.m., to be followed by a luncheon at noon. All members and guests are urged to attend. Bailey's address is open to the public.

Floyd County students invited to UK preview night in Prestonsburg

Students from Floyd County area high schools and their parents are encouraged to learn more about admissions, residence halls and other college concerns at the University of Kentucky Preview Night, from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday, September 2, at the Jenny Wiley State Park Convention Center.

All academic colleges will be represented at Preview Night.

"This is a great opportunity for prospective UK students and their families to learn more about UK from current students, academic advisers and admission representatives," said Kelly Sullivan, assistant director of admissions at UK. "It's a chance for prospective students to have their questions answered concerning financial aid, scholarships, campus life, residence halls, and the

enrollment procedure."

One of the current students who will be on hand to answer questions from prospective UK students is Josh Walton, a junior majoring in business administration and civil engineering. He said his experience at Preview Night enticed him to attend UK.

"Preview Night made me decide that I wanted to make a campus visit, which led me to choose the University of Kentucky over many other colleges I was considering at the time," Walton said.

In addition to high school students, community college students interested in transferring to UK are encouraged to attend Preview Night.

For more information, call Sullivan at (606) 257-2000.

ACHS band members to play in county band

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

They were:

• Sarah Noble a clarinet player, was selected as First Chair Clarinet. She is the daughter of Ron and Tena Noble of Garrett, and an 8th grade student at Duff Elementary.

• Leslie Martin, a trumpet player, was selected as First Chair Trumpet. She is the daughter of Randy and Gloria Martin of Langley, and an 8th grade student at Duff Elementary.

• Kendra Bailey, an 8th grade clarinet player from Martin Middle School. She is the daughter of Doug and Deb Bailey of Langley.

• Brett Whitaker, a 7th grade alto saxophone player from Duff

Elementary. He is the son of Bobby and Sheila Whitaker of Hueysville.

• Johnna Ison, an 8th grade alto saxophone player from Duff Elementary. She is the daughter of Johnny and Regina Ison of Martin.

• Kyle O'Quinn, an 8th grade baritone saxophone player from Duff Elementary. He is the son of Danny and Billie O'Quinn of Garrett.

• Heather Watkins, an 8th grade trumpet player from Duff Elementary. She is the daughter of Jerry and Ruby Watkins of Garrett.

• Jonathan Vanderpool, a 6th grade baritone player from Duff Elementary. He is the son of Kenny and Wanda Vanderpool of Garrett.

• Gary Patton, a 7th grade percussionist from Duff Elementary. He is the son of Michael and Betty Patton of Hueysville.



Members of the Floyd County Woodmen of the World youth group got together recently to pick up trash and do other grounds work at Allen Elementary School. Trash bags and gloves were provided by Kevin Stumbo with Project PRIDE.

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Editor's note: As a service to the many clubs and committees that

OBITS

Stewart Garrett

Stewart Garrett, 87, of Dwale, died Thursday, August 27, 1998, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg.

Born July 17, 1911 at Dwale, he was the son of the late Medley and Eliza Lafferty Garrett. He was a retired Kentucky/West Virginia Gas employee, an Army veteran of World War II, and a member of the Christ United Methodist Church at Allen.

Survivors include one sister, Ecie Branham of Dwale; four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Sunday, August 30, at 2 p.m., at the Christ United Methodist Church at Allen, with Rev. Kenneth LeMaster and Rev. Jack Howard officiating.

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

Serving as pallbearers were Mike Mullins, Kevin Mullins, Garry Mullins, Stanual Mullins, William Davis, Brad Walls, Monty Branham and Jackie Howard.

Pallbearers listed for Bessie Moore Salyers

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Bessie Moore Salyers were Joshua Salyers, Jason Lowery, Brian Lafferty, Dennis Hutchinson, John Hall Jr., Russell Roberts Jr., Danny Terry, Kevin Hall, Joe Colley and Richard Justice.

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.

Kentucky reunion

The 12th annual Kentucky Reunion will be held at the Anheuser Busch Park on Schrock Road in Columbus, Ohio, on September 12, at 11 a.m. For more information, contact Freer Martin at (614) 890-4445.

PTA meeting

The Prestonsburg Elementary PTA meeting will be held September 10, at 7 p.m., in the school auditorium.

Calhoun, Porter reunion

The annual Calhoun, Porter reunion will be held September 19, at the Stumbo Park Convention Center in Allen, from 10-6. Bring a covered dish. For more information, call Darrell or Vickie Calhoun (874-9615) or Deborah Porter Lumpkins (874-8023). There will also be gospel singing.

The Winners

The Winners cancer support group will meet September 14, at 6 p.m. in the Leonard Lawson Cancer Care Center at Pikeville Methodist Hospital. Call 437-3500, ext. 3552 for more information.

Aids Update

An Aids Update will be held September 18, at 6 p.m., in the Pikeville Methodist Hospital Education Center in the Wallen and Cornett Building. Call 437-3525 to register. The class is free.

Miracle/Healing Service

On September 4, at 5 p.m., there

will be a special Miracle/Healing Service at 7 p.m., at Betsy Layne Grade School auditorium. Music and singing with Larry Duty, Sherry Coleman and others. Judy Caudill will be ministering.

Blackburn reunion

The 12th annual Blackburn reunion will be held September 6, at Allen Park. Lunch will be served at noon. Bring a covered dish. Rook and horseshoe tournament, with trophies. Call 886-1809 for more information.

PHS council to meet

Prestonsburg High School SBDM council will hold its regular meeting on Thursday, September 3, at 7 p.m.

Clark council to meet

Clark Elementary SBDM council will hold its council regular meeting on September 8, at 6 p.m., in the school library. Everyone welcome.

Clothes closet

St. James Episcopal Church announces that it intends to keep its clothes closet open as long as supplies are available. The closet will be open the first Saturday of every month, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. beginning September 5.

Mollett, Waller reunion

The annual Mollett, Waller reunion will be held September 6, at 11 a.m., at the home of Matilda Mollett (located on School House Road at Blaine). Bring a covered dish. For more information, contact Matilda Mollett at (606) 652-4473.

PES council meeting

Prestonsburg Elementary will hold its regular SBDM council meeting on September 8, due to the Labor Day holiday, beginning at 6 p.m. in the school auditorium.

MSU closed

Morehead State University will be closed on Monday, September 7, in observance of the Labor Day holiday. There will be no classes. Classes will resume on September 8.

Sleepwell Club

The initial meeting for the Sleepwell Club of East Kentucky, a sleep support group sponsored by Pikeville Methodist Hospital, will be held September 10. The first meeting will be conducted at the Pikeville Fire Department's meeting room at 7 p.m. The group is for anyone who suffers from sleep apnea. For more information, contact Pikeville Methodist Hospital's Sleep Lab at 437-3989.

Dwale homecoming

The Dwale homecoming will be held September 5, at 11 a.m. Past and present residents and their families are invited. Lunch will be served at 1 p.m. Bring a covered dish. Games and horseshoe tournament at 9 a.m.; king, queen, prince and princess contest at 3 p.m.

PTA officer elections

Nominations for officers are being accepted in the office of McDowell Elementary. The election will be held September 8, at 7 p.m.

SBDM meeting, election

McDowell Elementary SBDM meeting will be held September 8, at 6 p.m. The parent election will be held September 9, at 6 p.m. Nominations are now being accepted.

Prater reunion

The tenth annual Prater reunion will be held September 12, at the old homeplace on Prater Fork. Bring a covered dish. For more information, call Robert Prater at 358-9517.

Friend Day

Friend Day will be held at the First Christian Church on September 6, beginning at 11 a.m.

Guest speaker will be George Stanberry. Special singing by Norm Marcum and Rita Paynter. Dinner will be after morning service.

Community blood drive

The Central Kentucky Blood Center will sponsor a community blood drive from August 31-September 5, in celebration of Labor Day. The Prestonsburg Donor Center is located on the second floor of the Municipal Building in downtown Prestonsburg. For more information, call 886-1557. A free t-shirt will be given to all donors.

Holbrook reunion

The Holbrook reunion will be held September 7, at Dewey Lake Shelter No. 4, with registration at 10:30-11:30 a.m. Prizes will be awarded. There will be old-fashioned games. If possible bring a covered dish and beverage. A main course and beverages will be provided.

Retired teachers to meet

The Floyd County Retired Teachers Association will meet at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Resort Park, September 3, at 10 a.m. Susan Compton, director of instruction in the Floyd County School System will be the main speaker. New retirees will be honored at the meeting.

Building self-esteem

A free one-hour seminar will be held on Building Your Child's Self-Esteem on September 8, at noon, in the Lifestyles Center, located in the Collins and Love Building, South Mayo Trail, Pikeville. Call 437-3563 to register.

Layne reunion

The Layne reunion will be held Sunday, September 6, from 12-4 p.m. at the Tom's Creek Baptist Church, at Ivel. Bring a covered dish.

Johnson, Hubbard reunion

The Bee Johnson, Malcom Hubbard family reunion will be held Labor Day Weekend, September 6, at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park cabins 137 and 138. For more information, contact Mary Emma Ousley (606) 285-3882 or Richard Bee Johnson (205) 477-6728.

Shigionoth '98

East Kentucky Youth Ministries presents Shigionoth '98, with performances from Jennifer Knapp, Grits, Crystal Lewis, Anointed, Newsong, Petra and more, on Labor Day weekend, September 4-5, at Perry County Park in Hazard. For more information, call (606) 435-1129.

WHS reunion

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

Teachers wanted

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

Wayland homecoming

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

Collins, Spears reunion

A reunion for the descendants of Rhesa (Rece) and Mary Collins and Thomas and Rutha (Speers) Spears will be held on September 13, at Picnic Hollow, next to Dewey Dam, Jenny Wiley State Park, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call Pat Womack at (606) 473-7192 or Virginia Edgel at (606) 836-5337 for more information.

Parsons reunion

The annual Parsons reunion will be held September 6, at the Isaac Parsons Cemetery, on Parsons Branch (off Rt. 979, Big Mud), from

noon to 5 p.m. Bring a dish to share. Lunch served at 1 p.m. For more information, call E.J. Parsons (423-426-7585) or Amos Carroll (606-478-2338).

Howard family reunion

The 36th Howard family reunion will be held Sunday, September 6, at 12:30 p.m., at the Hueysville Church of Christ. Howell family descendants are Lewis Howard and Emma Hale, John E. Howard, John Howard, Sam Howard and James Howard. A potluck will be served. Call Richard D. Howard at (606) 744-3752 for more information.

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Card of Thanks

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—Helen Steiner Rice

The family of Chris Hayes deeply appreciates all the support family and friends gave us during our time of sorrow. We would like to thank everyone who brought food and sent such beautiful flowers. We would like to thank the staff at Hall Funeral Home; the Reverend Thomas Spears; and the singers from the Church of Christ.

THE FAMILY OF CHRIS HAYES
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Card of Thanks

The family of Roger Dean Hopkins wishes to gratefully acknowledge the thoughtfulness and kindness of friends, neighbors and relatives 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 Little Rosa Regular Baptist Church; the Regular Baptist ministers for their comforting words; the sheriff's department and Marcus Gibson for their assistance in traffic control; and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

THE FAMILY OF ROGER DEAN HOPKINS

Card of Thanks

The family of Dean Crisp 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 just spoke comforting words. A special thanks to the clergyman, Richard Crisp, for his comforting words; the sheriff's department and Marcus Gibson for their assistance in traffic control; and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

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We, the family of Robert Virgil England, would like to thank all those who offered prayers, words of comfort, brought food, or took time to be with us during our time of sorrow. A special thank-you to Dr. Vicher and the nurses of McDowell ARH Home Health for their care of Dad; to the ministers of the Regular Baptist Church; to Hall Funeral Home for their kindness and professional care; the sheriff's department for traffic control; to Uncle Buddy and Aunt Diane for your love and concern; and to Cheryl, God blessed us the day you came to care for Dad. No words can ever repay for the love and care you gave to Dad.

God bless you all.

Daughter: Brenda Youmans, and family
Sons: Robert Eric and Danny England, and families

In Appreciation

We, the family of the late BESSIE MOORE SALYERS, would like to take this time to humbly thank each and everyone who helped us in so many ways during Mom's illness and recent passing.

We want to remember the many friends who came by the house so many times, just to check on us, to see if we needed any help, or were faithful by calling each day to offer support.

We want to remember the several hundred people who came by the funeral home to pay their respects and offer condolences. To the ministers, Jeff Prater and Bethel Bolen, and the Hueysville Church of Christ Choir for a beautiful service on Wednesday night. To Roger Bolen, Ondle Wireman, and Ted Shannon for a consoling service at the funeral. To the singers from the Drift Pentecostal Church and Jerry Waddell who traveled from Pikeville to be with us and for the beautiful songs he sang. For the abundance of beautiful floral arrangements that were delivered to the funeral home...We thank you so much.

We want to remember the many funeral directors from the surrounding counties who came to support us, many acting as pallbearers. To Elder Jason Lowery who conducted the graveside service for us and to Hershell Owens and Marcus Gibson for escorting us safely to Davidson Memorial Gardens.

We want to remember with a loving heart Vicene Chaffins and Dora Jean Handshoe for their untiring efforts to provide help with Mom when we saw that the end was nearing. A special thanks for a special lady, TRILBY COLLINS, for the months that she devoted, helping care for Mom, at times when she too, was not well.

Thank you to the many people who brought food to the house or funeral home and to our Hueysville Church of Christ family who so graciously stood by our side during our hours of sadness.

We thank and recommend the Hospice of Big Sandy for their services, had it not been for them, we would not have been able to keep Mom at home throughout her illness.

And, it would not be complete without remembering my co-workers at Hall Funeral Home for riding out the storm with me; to Tommy and John Jr., for their patience and understanding during the times I had to be away from the funeral home to be by Mom's side during the past months.

To anyone that we may have not mentioned, to all who helped in any way, May God bless each of you in some special way.

JACK L. SALYERS, JOSHUA SALYERS,
AMANDA SALYERS LAFFERTY

Card of Thanks

The family of Hazel Garnett Skeans Osborne 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 clergyman, Ted Shannon, for his comforting words; the sheriff's department and Marcus Gibson for their assistance in traffic control; and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

THE FAMILY OF
HAZEL GARNETT SKEANS OSBORNE

Goose Creek Symphony to perform in Somerset

"The Goose is Loose" and heading toward Somerset. Described by fans as "a symphonic hoedown," the Goose Creek Symphony was originally formed in the late 1960's by Floyd County native Charlie Gearheart with Paul "The Pearl" Spradlin. This popular band shared the same stage with such greats as Jimi Hendrix and The Allman Brothers and made an appearance on The Ed Sullivan Show. Goose Creek Symphony has a reputation for their distinctive style of music which is as true to Gearheart's

Appalachian upbringing as it was to his experiences playing jazz, rock, and even military marching band music.

"A Goose Creek song is a musical journey, traversing passages and movements as an orchestra would, thus the term, Symphony."

—Charlie Gearheart

"A Goose Creek song is a musical journey," Gearheart explains, "traversing passages and movements as an orchestra would, thus the term, Symphony."

In 1976, the group disbanded to

be with their families and Gearheart decided to put down his Martin acoustic and pick up his fly rod. He moved to the Northwest, where he

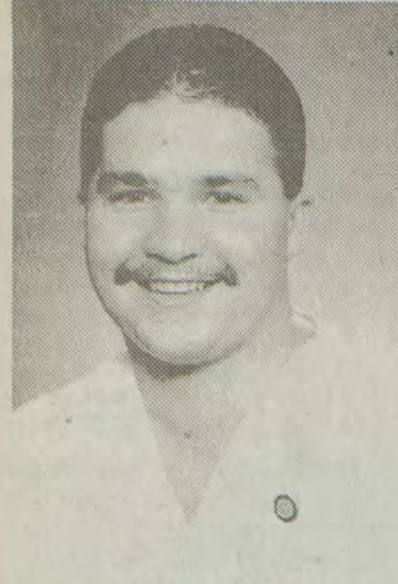
ran a "fly shop" and worked as a fly fishing guide, and he and his wife raised their family. When the kids grew up, Gearheart and his Symphony reemerged, releasing OSO Special (June Appal Records)

in 1990. Later that year, Capitol released a compilation disc, "Higher On The Mountain."

Now with the release of "The Goose Is Loose," things have come full circle. Gearheart's creation is more vital than ever, while Spradlin continues to lend his invaluable contribution as songwriter, co-arranger, harmony singer, and guitar sfinger. The band's performances are increasingly populated by the rapidly growing masses of wildly enthusiastic new "Goose Heads" joining the band's long-standing

devoted fans. With a talented line-up of musicians, Goose Creek Symphony's music continues to soar to new heights.

For ticket information about the September 18 concert at the Center for Rural Development in Somerset, call 677-6090.



Ryan Hamilton

Hamilton receives degree

Ryan Dwayne Hamilton, of McDowell, graduated with high distinction from the Associate Degree Radiologic Technology Program at Morehead State University's College of Science and Technology. The pinning ceremony took place on the campus of Morehead State University on July 31.

He has been accepted to the University of Louisville's Radiation Therapy program, and began classes on August 24.

Ryan is a 1995 graduate of South Floyd High School. He is the son of Ricky and Gwen Hamilton of McDowell, the grandson of Willis and Earlene Mathews of Prestonsburg; Dorothy DeRossett of Printer, and the late Pay Hamilton.

Ky Opry to perform

The Kentucky Opry concludes its special 1998 Summer Season this Labor Day weekend. The performers have experienced a remarkable 10-show schedule that has brought audiences from nearly every Kentucky county and 30 different states.

Freddie James, Prestonsburg Tourism director, said last week, "It's been the "hottest" new show this side of Myrtle Beach and is now talked about practically all over America," James said.

All "home grown" talent, the Opry blends country, bluegrass, gospel, and 50's and 60's music into a family show.

For tickets, call 606-886-2623 or toll free 1-888-622-2787. Ticket costs are adults, \$12; seniors and students, \$10; and for a family package up to five members, \$30.

Receives award



Ashley Akers

Morehead State University has announced that Ashley Nicole Akers of Dana is among those receiving a Leadership Award for the fall semester.

Akers, the daughter of Diana Elliott, is a graduate of Betsy Layne High School. She was a member of the Mentor Program, National Honor Society and Beta Club. She was also a volunteer at a senior citizens center and Pikeville Methodist Hospital.

To be eligible for the Leadership Award, applicants must be admitted to MSU as an entering freshman; have exhibited strong leadership and achievement capabilities through school and community activities; have a minimum ACT composite of 18, and have a 2.50 grade point average (on a 4.00 scale) based on seven semesters of work.

The scholarship, valued at \$650 per year, is renewable for three academic years if a 2.50 g.p.a. is maintained each semester.

Applications and information on scholarships and grant programs at MSU are available from the Office of Admissions, MSU, Morehead, KY 40351-1689. The toll-free number is 800-585-MSU1 (6781).

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No, you're not seeing double—these two sisters are part of the fantastic faculty at BLE. Melita Meade (left) teaches Primary P-3/P-4, and Melanie Cooke teaches 4th grade Language Arts.

Local insurance agent elected to board

Phillip D. Hunt, CIC, vice president of Hall and Clark Insurance Agency Inc. in Prestonsburg, has been elected to serve on the Board of Directors of the Professional Insurance Agents of Kentucky.

The Professional Insurance Agents of Kentucky is a trade association representing insurance professionals. Its members sell and service all kinds of insurance, but specialize in coverage for homes, autos and businesses.

The association has a strong focus on quality continuing education for its members so that they can stay up to date with the many

changes in the insurance industry. Hunt, who has been serving the community's insurance needs since 1984, is also very active in other area groups.

The Floyd County Chamber of Commerce is one of these in which he currently serves as a board member and was recently the "Business Person of the Year" for 1997-98.

Other insurance-related activities include various committee assignments in both the Independent Insurance Agents of Kentucky and the Professional Insurance Agents of Kentucky, where he serves as membership

committee vice chairman, making him responsible for membership benefits, public relations, and the association's web page development, before being elected as a board member.

Hunt has also been recently honored with the prestigious des-

ignation of Certified Insurance Counselor (CIC) which was conferred upon him following the completion of a rigorous insurance education program sponsored by the Society of Certified Insurance Counselors.

Washington Youth Tour '98

Sponsored by rural electric cooperatives for over 35 years, the Washington Youth Tour provides an educational opportunity for over 1,000 high school juniors each summer.

This year was no exception as 59 juniors from Kentucky toured our nation's capitol along with more than 400 juniors from across the nation during the week of June 5-12. They got to see up close the historical sites around Washington and meet some of Kentucky's congressional delegation.

Some of the sites that the group toured included the Smithsonian Institute, Arlington Cemetery, Tomb of the Unknowns, National Holocaust Museum, Lincoln Monument, Vietnam Memorial and many more sites in and around Washington.

Participating this year were schools from Johnson, Martin and Floyd counties. There are several requirements for students to be eligible. One of the requirements is for the students to take a written test on the history of cooperatives and rural electrification.

Megan Bertling and Miranda Wells represented Big Sandy RECC on the youth tour this year. Megan attends Sheldon Clark High School and Miranda attends Johnson Central High School. Both will be seniors during the 1998-1999 school year.

Holbrook appointed as resource manager

The United States Army Corps of Engineers, Huntington District, announces the appointment of Mark R. Holbrook as resource manager, Dewey Lake. Dewey Lake, impounded in 1948, is home to Jenny Wiley State Park, Dewey Lake Wildlife Management Area, Camp Shawnee and U. S. Army Corps of Engineers Recreation Areas. The resource manager is responsible for the overall operation of the project.

Holbrook earned a Bachelor of

Science degree in Police Administration from Eastern Kentucky University in 1979. He attended Prestonsburg Community College and graduated from the Kentucky State Police Academy for Special Enforcement Officers in 1981. He has received advanced training from the Federal Bureau of Investigation Academy, United States Customs Service, Kentucky Department of Criminal Justice Training, Texas A&M University, Michigan State University and U.

S. Army Corps of Engineers Beville Center—University of Alabama, Huntsville.

Holbrook has been with the Corps since 1990, he served as resource manager at Fishtrap Lake in Pike County, from 1994 until 1998. Holbrook has previously held positions as Kentucky State Police Water Safety Officer, Floyd County Chief Deputy Sheriff, area supervisor of Kentucky State Park Rangers and as adjunct instructor in Law Enforcement Technology at

Prestonsburg Community College.

A Floyd County native, Holbrook is the son of Helen Smiley Holbrook of Middle Creek and the late Phil Holbrook. His wife, Patricia, is employed by the United States Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Prisons. Holbrook has two daughters, Ashley and Candace. He is a member of Fitzpatrick First Baptist Church, Fraternal Order of Police and a life member of the National Rifle Association.

Floyd to chair national policy advisory group

Dr. Deborah L. Floyd, president of Prestonsburg Community College, has been named to serve on the American Association of Community College's Joint Commission on Federal Regulations. Floyd is currently serving a second term on this commission, a group which helps to formulate AACC's position on federal issues and comprises community college presidents and trustees nationally.

"It is with great pleasure that I have accepted the role of chair of the Joint Commission on Federal Relations. Historically, change has occurred when voices are heard. In my role as chair, I will make a concerted effort to advocate those issues which will impact not only the mission of our college, but also

of community colleges throughout the nation," Floyd said.

The PCC president was elected in 1996 by community college CEOs to a national seat on the AACC Board of Directors which provides leadership in policy development. The organization comprises the chief executive officers of more than 1,100 associate degree-granting, regionally accredited institutions of higher education.

Dr. Floyd has also served as chairperson of the AACC Publications/Public Relation Commission; Commission on Small/Rural Community Colleges; The W.K. Kellogg Foundation; consultant with Rural Initiatives; and The Ford Foundation project director of the Rural Community College Initiative at PCC.



Karen Allen, principal, welcomed everyone to Betsy Layne Elementary School at the PTO Ice Cream Social, on August 6.

Local student wins Who's Who scholarship

A \$1,000 college scholarship has been awarded to Wesley Howard of Hueysville, by the publisher of Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Howard will attend the University of Kentucky in Lexington. He has received many awards for academic and leadership achievements.

This outstanding teenager is one of 200 students selected to receive financial awards for college expenses this year by Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation.

The Foundation, funded by the publishers of Who's Who, has

awarded \$200,000 for college scholarships this year and over \$2,407,000 to date.

Who's Who Among American High School Students annually recognizes more than 700,000 of the nation's high-achieving high school students for their leadership in academics, extracurricular activities, community service and athletics.

The largest publication in the field of student recognition, Who's Who was created in 1967 to acknowledge the achievements of outstanding young people in America's public, private, and parochial high schools.

Local man is recognized for substance abuse treatment work

One Floyd County man has been honored for his contribution toward the treatment and prevention of substance abuse. Donald "Donnie" Howard, alcohol and drug counselor for Mountain Comprehensive Care in Prestonsburg, was selected for the Excellence and Lifetime Commitment Award at the event.

Howard is the anchor for MCCC's substance abuse treatment program, and has spent 25 years as a residential alcohol and drug counselor. He has taught counselors throughout Kentucky and has had a major impact on helping many people in Eastern Kentucky recover from alcohol and drug dependency.

The 1998 Robert Straus awards

were presented during the recent Kentucky School of Alcohol and Other Drugs Studies, sponsored by the state Department for Mental Health and Mental Retardation Services. The recognition is in honor of Straus, a retired University of Kentucky professor, internationally known authority on alcohol and drug abuse, author and former member of two presidential alcohol and drug abuse advisory councils.

The Straus awards are given annually to Kentuckians in the areas of volunteer and community advocacy, prevention, treatment, and community organizations or businesses.

Conley joins Michigan practice

Terry F. Conley, a native of Melvin, recently joined the state and local tax practice of Arthur Andersen's Michigan practice. Arthur Andersen is the world's largest professional service firm with annual service revenues totaling over \$12 billion dollars and employs approximately 80,000 professionals.

He has accepted the position of senior tax manager and will be a member of a national specialty team

servicing the world's largest companies in merger and acquisitions, tax planning, tax controversies, and business consulting. He will also serve as a member of a regional leadership team covering Michigan, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Kentucky. He graduated from Pikeville College and studied accounting under Howard Roberts. Conley is the son of George and Dorothy Hamilton of Melvin.

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Rebs win, skid ends

Allen Central snaps 19-game skid in bowl win

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Blame it on the defense! But this time the defense was in a positive mode as the Allen Central Rebels' defense held the Betsy Layne Bobcats to 191 yards on offense and snapped a 19-game losing streak with a 31-18 win over the Bobcats in the Bobcat Bowl at Betsy Layne Friday night.

"I was very proud of our defense," said first-year coach Kevin Spurlock. "The thing is we started two freshmen on defense. Coach (Pete) Greene has done a great job with our defense. I can't see why some high school team hasn't given him a head coaching job."

It wasn't a good night for Betsy Layne any way you

looked at it, even though a large crowd turned out for the county matchup.

Betsy Layne, already with injured players on the sideline and on crutches, saw two others leave the game with injuries, causing a threat to the rest of the season. James Akers was ejected for an unsportsmanlike-like play and will miss the next game for Betsy Layne.

First-year player Anthony Tackett, who figured to be the feature back for the Bobcats, went out with what could be a season-ending broken leg or dislocated knee. Michael Gross, another first-year player was also injured.

Allen Central hadn't won a football game since the 1996 season. The Rebels went winless last season (0-10) and dropped the first game of this season to Powell County.

Mark Dufee rushed for 102 yards on eight carries and scored two touchdowns in leading the Rebel offense. Senior quarterback Jesse Hall and sophomore QB Brandon Sizemore threw just three passes, but all three hit their targets for 91 yards passing. Two of the strikes went for touchdowns. Gary Hunter was on the receiving end of all three passes and he scored two TD's.

Bradley Brooks was outstanding in the losing cause for the Bobcats. Coming back from a separated shoulder, Brooks carried the football 17 times for 111 yards and scored one touchdown. Tackett rushed for 35 yards before leaving the game, while Chad Bryant totaled 33 yards rushing and a touchdown. Jonathan Howell, a fill-in for injured quarterback Tyler Puckett, scored a touchdown for the Bobcats.

The Allen Central coach cited a good start for the Rebels as being necessary to pull out a win over Betsy Layne. He said it was imperative that his team score first.

"We needed to score first because if they ... score first, it might demoralize our team," Spurlock said.

The Rebels were ready to answer the call of their coach and got on the scoreboard first for a 7-0 lead. But there were some anxious moments before they crossed the goal line.

In an "accidental" onside-opening kickoff, Betsy Layne recovered an Allen Central fumble at the Allen Central 45-yard line. They moved the football into the red zone, but the Rebels' defense rose to the challenge and held the Bobcats on a fourth down play.

Allen Central picked up four consecutive first

Allen Central visits Jenkins this Friday night while Betsy Layne will travel to South Floyd.



On the move

Betsy Layne's Chad Bryant (20) picked up some valuable real estate against Allen Central last Friday night in football play at Betsy Layne. Mark Dunfee (22), left, scored two touchdowns and rushed for 116 yards to lead the Rebels to a 31-18 win, snapping a 19-game losing streak. (photos by Ed Taylor)

Prestonsburg falls to Lexington Catholic, 34-14

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

It was almost the bewitching hour when the Prestonsburg Blackcats and Lexington Catholic Knights finished playing football this past Saturday night in the second game of the St. Joseph Hospital Bluegrass Bowl and it was a long ride home for coach John Derossett's ballclub after dropping a 34-14 decision to the state's fifth ranked team.

Prestonsburg was impressive in the opening quarter as neither team was able to light up the scoreboard.

"We got inside the 10 yard line twice on them but we could not score," said Prestonsburg coach John Derossett. "We fumbled the football away both times. We played great football. We are going to be all right."

Senior John Ortega had a standout night and has to be considered one of the best players in the state. Ortega rushed for 130 yards, had 65 yard receiving and returned two kickoffs for a total of 98 yards giving his 293 all-purpose yards.

But Ortega did not just do it on the offensive part of the line but on the defensive side as well. He had 10 tackles in the game and came up with one interception.

Seth Crisp, who was filling in for the injured Adam Hall, completed nine of 20 passes for 109 yards.

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GRADE SCHOOL FOOTBALL



Grade school football

Greg May (19) carried the football for the Adams Middle School Blackcats in gridiron action at Sheldon Clark High School last Saturday afternoon. The Blackcats won a 6-0 decision over the Johnson County 8th grade team. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Middle school gridorama held at Sheldon Clark High School

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Sheldon Clark High School will be the site for the middle school gridorama, the official opening of the grade school football season. Although the regular season does not begin until next week, the grid gives fans a sneak preview of what to expect this coming season.

All teams, who are members of the Big Sandy Conference, will take part in the gridorama. Betsy Layne Middle School elected not to take part this season, although they will have a football program.

The fun and excitement of grade school football gets underway at 9 a.m. Saturday when Warfield will

face Pikeville in game one. Coach Jack Goodman's Allen Eagles will meet Magoffin County in the second game, slated to kick off at 10 a.m.

Football action will continue when the Adams Middle School Blackcats square off against the Johnson Central eighth grade team at 11 a.m. in what could be the best game of the grid. Both teams are expected to be strong this season.

In the final two grid games of the afternoon, South Floyd Middle School meets Inez at noon. The Raiders have been one of the top grade school programs in the conference. Allen Central will meet the Johnson Central grade school seventh grade team at 1 p.m. in the final game.



DMA champions

The Prestonsburg High School majorettes won the 1998 state DMA twirl team and dance twirl championship. Two girls from the team, Courtney Collins and Kayla Goble, won state solo twirling titles. First row: Ashley Boyd. Second row: Jennie Epperson, Courtney Collins. Third row: Beth Smith, Kayla Goble, Felisha Bradford, Britni Duff. Fourth row: Jennifer Lafferty, Stephanie Hicks. The team is sponsored and instructed by Denise Hunter.

A Look At Sports

From the back of a Vanhoose Lumber receipt—sports

HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISH...

I have to take this space to wish Charles Hager a belated happy birthday. We'll not give his age, but we wish him a happy birthday and hope he has 65 more. Happy birthday, Charles!

BENGALS KEEP BLAKE...REDS NOTES

The Cincinnati Bengals has told Jeff Blake he can stay with the Bengals for the upcoming NFL season. The Bengals did not get across midfield against Atlanta last Sunday, but one time in a 17-0 loss. Oh, it is going to be a long, long season for the orange and black tigers, much like the red and white Cincinnati Reds.

But the Reds are showing some life, after they have been eliminated from the first week of the season, and are currently in, or tied for, third place in their division.

Are you interested in the home run race between Mark McGwire and "Slammin'" Sammy Sosa of the Cubs? My prediction: Sosa will be the one with the final picture in the papers after leading the major league in home runs and setting a new season high total. He will finish ahead of Maris as the new home run king.

Ken Griffey Jr. has sort of faded away in the home

run derby for the cellar dwelling Mariners. Look for Griffey to want to be traded before next year.

UK AT U OF L...

The college football scene unfolds this weekend and I am all excited. Hal Mumme and Tim Couch and the Kentucky Wildcats will invade Papa Johns Arena in Louisville as they face the Cardinals in their season opener.

Saturday will be a big day in the city of Louisville. The game kicks off at 3 p.m. and UK is carrying the favorite's role, favored by 11 points.

Louisville coach, John Smith, has wrinkled a few of the UK faithful feathers with some comments he made concerning UK. But that is all part of the motivating game.

I'm excited about the Cats' season. I think they will earn a bowl bid. I really do!

The Cats could be 3-0 after the first three outings

with wins over Louisville, Eastern Kentucky and Indiana. Now, that is it could be, not will be. But Roy Kidd at Eastern may have his troops primed for an upset.

After the first three games, comes Florida, which no one wants to play. Following Florida is Arkansas which will make the Cats 3-2. In a close one, the Cats should win over the Gamecocks but then it is LSU and Kentucky falls to 4-3. Georgia, Mississippi State and Vanderbilt will give the Cats a 7-3 mark before they fall big time to the Volunteers of Tennessee for the final 7-4 season and a bowl bid.

Couch is one of several players being mentioned as a candidate for the Heisman Trophy this season. I contend that if he wins, he turns pro. If not, he stays another year at UK.

This should be an enjoyable year!

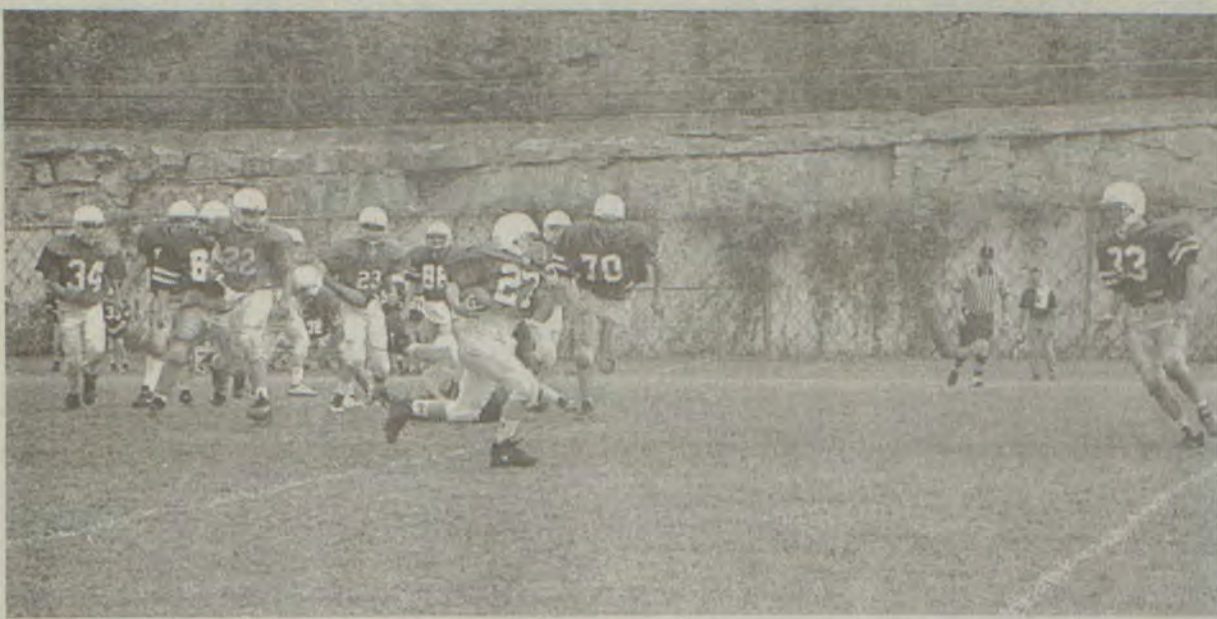
GRADE SCHOOL...

Word is Roger Johnson, who guided the Osborne

(See SPORTS, page two)



Ed Taylor
Sports Editor



Grid time

The middle school football season got off to a good start this past Saturday in the Big Sandy Conference Gridorama at Sheldon Clark. Five games highlight the afternoon with all four county teams picking up wins (photo by Ed Taylor)

PRESTONSBURG

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Nathan Leslie was the stalwart on defense with 12 tackles, two sacks and one blocked punt. Kevin Woods had two sacks and four tackles. Buck Combs completed the game with an outstanding 11 tackles.

The Blackcats totaled 182 yards on the ground while passing for 109 for 291 in total offense. The Knights had 300 yards rushing and 80 passing.

But Catholic returned a Prestonsburg turnover into the first score when Ross Mann scooped up a Blackcat fumble and raced 70 yards for a touchdown and a 6-0 Lexington lead.

The Knights, just before half-time, added a second touchdown on a 1-yard plunge by Stephen Jones. The PAT by Colin Barber made it

13-0 at the half for the Knights.

After Catholic made it 20-0 on a Matt Haney 49-yard scoring run and Barber's PAT, Prestonsburg got on the scoreboard on a John Ortega 69-yard touchdown run for a 20-6 game in the third period.

Lexington's Haney scored from 55 yards out for the Knights with Barber adding his third PAT for a 27-6 margin. The Blackcats got their final score when Tim Sloan recovered a Catholic fumble and raced 51 yards for the touchdown. Seth Crisp hit Ortega in the end zone for the two-point conversion and a 27-14 score.

The Knights added their final score on a 20-yard pass play from Ryan Neff to his brother Aaron Neff for the final 34-14 margin.

Coach Derossett said his team

suffered from leg cramps in the second half.

"Conditioning in the second half was really a factor," he said. "We had a bunch of players with cramps. When we could get our best 11 on the field, Catholic could couldn't move the football. They had two long runs and they came when Nathan was cramped up.

"We fumbled twice in the first half and that really hurt us. We had two chances to score and missed out."

The Prestonsburg coach said that experience was a key also.

"We had seven starters with no experience on the varsity and Catholic started seven seniors on defense," he said.

Prestonsburg (0-1) will travel to Sheldon Clark to face the Cardinals

REBS

FROM PAGE B1

downs with the ball resting on the Bobcat one-yard line where quarterback Jesse Hall plunged across the goal line for the score and Jonathan Ellis added a point for the 7-0 lead.

"I talked with Coach (Ted) George and he said it wasn't meant to be an onside kick," Coach Spurlock said. "He just didn't get the ball good enough. It worked out for a break for them."

The Rebels held the 7-0 lead after the first quarter, but the Bobcats were on the move themselves entering the second quarter. They sustained a drive that culminated with Bryant scoring from two yards out to make it a 7-6 game.

"They bounced back nicely," Coach Spurlock said of the Betsy Layne drive. "They didn't quit."

It only took three plays for Allen Central to extend their lead to 13-6.

With Sizemore behind center, Hunter was hit with a 49-yard completion in the end zone.

After three downs and out for the Bobcats, the Rebels struck again with Hall connecting with Hunter on a 30-yard pass play that gave the Rebels a 19-6 advantage.

The defense of Brian Jones and Ryan Owens kept the Bobcats at bay as Howell was sacked seven times by the duo.

"Both played great on defense and B.J. (Hoover), who is just a freshman, had a great game as well," Spurlock said.

With 7:04 to play in the third period, Allen Central put the game away when Dunfee broke two tackles, stumbled, righted himself and jaunted 59 yards for the touchdown and a 25-6 lead.

The fourth quarter was but six seconds old when Allen Central put the final six points on the board. Dunfee scored on a six-yard run to make it a 31-6 score. Coach Spurlock then went to the bench.

"We are not going to play a junior varsity schedule, and I wanted to let some of the other players play," he said. "We weren't out to embarrass anyone. And we didn't want to get anyone hurt." Betsy Layne got to use some new faces and they were very impressive.

Brooks scored with 6:20 left in the game for a 31-12 game. The Bobcats made it even more respectable by scoring with just 20 seconds to play. Howell carried the ball into the end zone from seven yards out for the final 31-18 count.

Coach Spurlock said there were several things that impressed him but the one that stood out was the overall play of his team.

"I was impressed with how hard they played," he said. "They are a good group of kids that do what they are told. This was a big rivalry and you didn't see any pushing and shoving out there. I like the way they handled themselves."

"Jesse did a great job at quarterback. He is a veteran and didn't panic any and kept the players settled down. Dunfee ran the ball well for us," said the Rebel coach.

Allen Central finished the game with 262 total yards. They rushed for 171 and passed for 91. The Rebels had three turnovers, fumbling the ball away twice and losing it on one interception. They were flagged for 85 yards in penalties on seven flags.

Betsy Layne rushed for 167 yards but had only 24 yards passing for a total of 191 yards on offense. The Bobcats turned the ball over but once, on an interception. They were hit with eight penalties for 90 yards.

Allen Central visits Jenkins this Friday night while Betsy Layne will travel to South Floyd.

201 SPEEDWAY

Drivers prepare for Bombers Classic at 201

by Chris Belcher
Track Writer

A field of 100 drivers filled the pits this past Saturday night at the legendary 201 Speedway in Sitka, one week prior to the running of the Bombers Classic scheduled for this weekend. It is expected to be the biggest show of the race season at 201.

Several claim bombers made the necessary transition to their cars to the super bomber configurations.

In the claim bomber feature this past Saturday night, Melvin's Jody Puckett was off at the drop of the green flag and ran all the way to the checkered flag in winning the claim bomber feature. The closest battle on the clay would be for second place between Doug Saylor of Staffordsville and West Liberty's Keith Potter. Saylor placed second with Potter taking third place.

There were 15 cars running in the super bomber feature at 201 with Beadie Blackburn quickly taking the point and on to victory lane. Again, the closest battle developed for second place on the clay track, with Olive Hill driver Joey Back holding back a strong challenge by Leslie B. Combs. The two battled for the first 13 laps until Combs was able to draw in the No. 6 ride of Back, while the duo entered turn three. With Combs' D14 car to the inside, his momentum forced him into Back's machine, bringing out the yellow and forcing Combs to the rear of the running order.

From here to the checkered, Blackburn held on to a comfortable advantage and took the checkered flag. Back finished second in his debut at 201.

Veteran dirt track driver David Powers exploded to take the point in the late model feature and held off a late charge by Grayson's Steve Littleton. Powers took the checkered flag to win the race. Littleton placed second with Michael Vaughn taking third.

In the road hog feature, Sitka's

Lloyd Kimbler needed only six points to catch leader Gary Jennings. He appeared well on his way to victory until he was slowed by mechanical problems on lap eight.

Jerry Honeycutt took the point and then the checkered flag in winning the feature event. Jennings placed second.

Raccoon's Jack Clevenger Jr. wrapped up the four-cylinder points race by leading all 10 laps of Saturday night's feature. Clevenger led all 10 laps of the feature race.

Patricia Thacker drove Clevenger's four-cylinder to the winners circle in capturing the powder puff feature. Mary Mullins finished second.

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SPORTS

FROM PAGE B1

Eagles to successful seasons, will not coach the new South Floyd Middle School boys basketball team this season.

Melinda (Hopkins) Osborne will take the helm of the program that has talent galore for the upcoming basketball season in the grade school ranks.

Now I may be wrong, but she must be the first to coach a boys' basketball program in Floyd County, high school or grade school. She had applied for the girls' coaching job at South Floyd High School, but was hired to head up the boys' middle school program.

Hopkins has had some coaching experience at the high school level when she assisted her brother, Jimmy Hopkins, in coaching the McDowell High School girls' program.

April Bradford will coach the girls program at South Floyd Middle School.

THUNDER RIDGE...

Some good stock car racing is on tap this weekend at Thunder Ridge Speedway. Some top name late model drivers will be in town vying for the prize of \$5,000.

GOLF...

The Christ United Methodist Church of Allen will hold its sixth annual Golf Scramble at Stumbo Park in Allen. The proceeds go to the new Wesley School.

NASCAR...

What! Inspecting the tires of Jeff Gordon? Come on! Seems Gordon beat the rest of the field on two good tires while Mark Martin was running on four good ones. Why doesn't the world admit that Gordon is the best Winston Cup driver to come along in a long, long time.

My favorite, Jeremy Mayfield, has slipped in the points standings, but I think he will be the next "Gordon" of NASCAR.

My good friend, Perry Jones, was fortunate to get tickets to Bristol and enjoyed the race.

SCHEDULES...

I need all the girls' volleyball schedules, along with middle school basketball schedules. We are currently working on a fall sport tab.

Until Friday, good sports everyone and be good sports!

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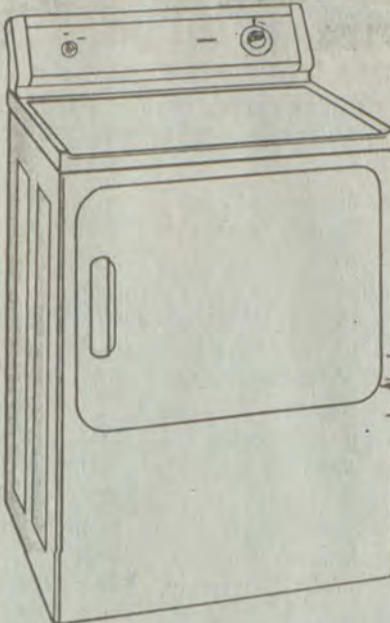


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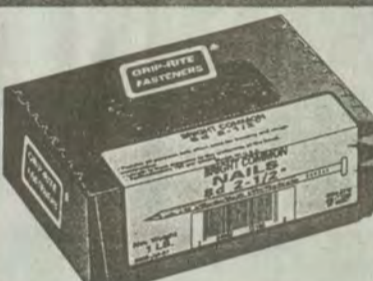


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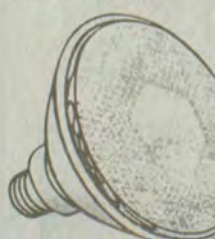
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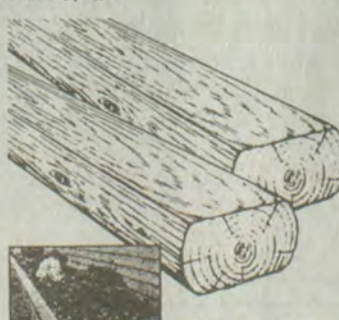
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Turnovers costly as South Floyd falls 38-22 to Paintsville Tigers

by Phillip Anderson
Contributing Writer

For the second straight week the South Floyd Raiders had no problems putting points on the score board, but two early turnovers were costly for the Raiders in a 38-22 setback. The Paintsville Tigers took advantage of those mistakes by scoring two touchdowns in the first quarter.

Running back B.J. Bryant rushed for 201 yards and scored two touchdowns in leading the rushing game of the Raiders. Fullback Darren Newsome carried the football 15 times for 85 yards. Matt Tackett had 35 yards on four carries.

Junior quarterback Charlie Williams completed seven of 18 passes for 44 yards. He was intercepted twice. Kyle Tackett had two catches for 25 yards, one being for a conversion. Newsome had one catch for 13 yards.

Off-side penalties haunted the Raiders and the coaching staff.

"They looked like they had not been on the field," South Floyd coach Donnie Daniels said. "I told the coaches in our coach's meeting that it wasn't the kids' fault. They played hard. But it made us look bad as the coaching staff."

Coach Daniels said it was hair-pulling time when his team had the ball on the Tigers' 41-yard line with a chance to tie the score and take the lead.

"It was just before halftime and we were there," he explained. "We had three straight off-side calls with time running off the clock. Instead of trying to go in and score, I just wanted to kill the clock and hang onto the football and go in six points down."

The first touchdown for the Tigers came when Seth Lauffer scored from one yard out with 6:59 left in the first quarter. The Tigers connected on the two-point conversion as quarterback David Castle found a wide open Danny Scott, putting the Tigers up 8-0.

It looked like the Raiders were going to strike back when Charlie Williams found Jarrod Johnson for a 12-yard gain. On the next two plays the Raiders ran the football only to see themselves facing a third 14 from their own 48. An off-side penalty on Paintsville gave the Raiders a third and nine from the Tigers' 47. Williams dropped back to pass and was intercepted by Danny Scott who returned it for Paintsville's second touchdown, making it 14-0.

But the Raiders fought back behind the strong ground game of Darren Newsome, B.J. Bryant, and Matt Tackett. With 10:28 left in the second quarter, Tackett broke a couple of tackles and rushed in from 11 yards out, putting the Raiders on the scoreboard. The two-point conversion was good as Williams connected with Kyle Tackett for a 14-8 game.

The Raiders' defense stepped on the field and forced the Tigers to punt the ball after a blocked pass by defensive lineman James Walker. What



Just before the game

South Floyd coach Donnie Daniels gave some late minute instruction to his team before South Floyd met Paintsville Friday night. Paintsville pulled out a 38-22 win over the Raiders. (photo by Phillip Anderson)

looked like a turning point for the Raiders saw the special teams fumble the football on a Tiger punt. The Raiders' defense returned to the field and stopped the Tigers once again on downs. This gave the Raiders a first and ten on their own 32-yard line. After two rushing attempts by Newsome, and Bryant picking up 15 yards, the Raiders were hit with a false start penalty. Two plays later Williams found a wide open Kyle Tackett for a gain of 15. On the very next play B.J. Bryant broke free to the sidelines for a 45-yard score, tying the game at 14 with 3:26 left in the second quarter. It didn't take the Paintsville Tigers long to get back on the scoreboard when David Castle found Seth Lauffer for a 36-yard gain, setting up a one-yard score by Matt Brown. The two-point conversion was no good, giving the Tigers a 20-4 lead at the half.

On the ensuing kickoff to start the third quarter, Paintsville Tiger Nick Baldrige returned the ball for 80 yards, giving the Tigers great field position. With 10:47 left in the third Eric Sluss scored Paintsville's fourth touchdown of the game for a 21-14 game.

The Raiders came out strong on their opening drive of the third quarter behind the rushing game of Bryant, and Newsome only to fumble the football. The Tigers took advantage of the turnover when Castle connected with a wide open Danny Scott for a 63-yard touchdown with 4:08 left in the quarter putting the Tigers up 32-14. The Tigers' final score came with 9:49 left in the fourth when Eric Sluss scored from six yards out, putting the Tigers in front 38-14.

At the 6:18 mark in the fourth, both teams were hit with personal foul penalties. For the Raiders, the foul was on James Walker and, for the Tigers, it was on Matt Brown.

Brown was also ejected from the game. This didn't slow either team down as the Raiders put their final points on the scoreboard with 5:10

remaining in the fourth quarter when Bryant scored from 10 yards out. Matt Tackett added the two point conversion for the final 38-22 score.

Andy Moore had nine first hits and two assists in leading the Raider defense. Clayton Williams had four first hits, four assists and a fumble recovery. Matt Tackett finished with five first hits and three assists. James Walker had five solo tackles.

Coach Daniels said his first two games have not been easy ones.

"We haven't played any creme puff teams," he said. "The mistakes we are making we should have corrected after three weeks in camp. Those are the things you learn in the fifth and sixth grades."

"But we just have to bear with them even though it gets to a breaking

point. We have an open date coming up and we will lick our wounds and keep on playing. We're going to be all right. It was a physical game. We went after them and they came after us. We need to get better before we play Pikeville."

The Tigers finished the game with 158 yards on the ground (unofficial) led by senior Eric Sluss with 64 yards. It was the passing game of the Tigers that hurt the Raiders as Castle connected on four of 12 passing for a total 132 yards. He also carried the ball three times for 11 yards. The Tigers will travel back to Johnson County to face Berea this Friday.

South Floyd (0-2) will host the Betsy Layne Bobcats (0-2) this Friday night as both teams look for their first win of the '98 season.

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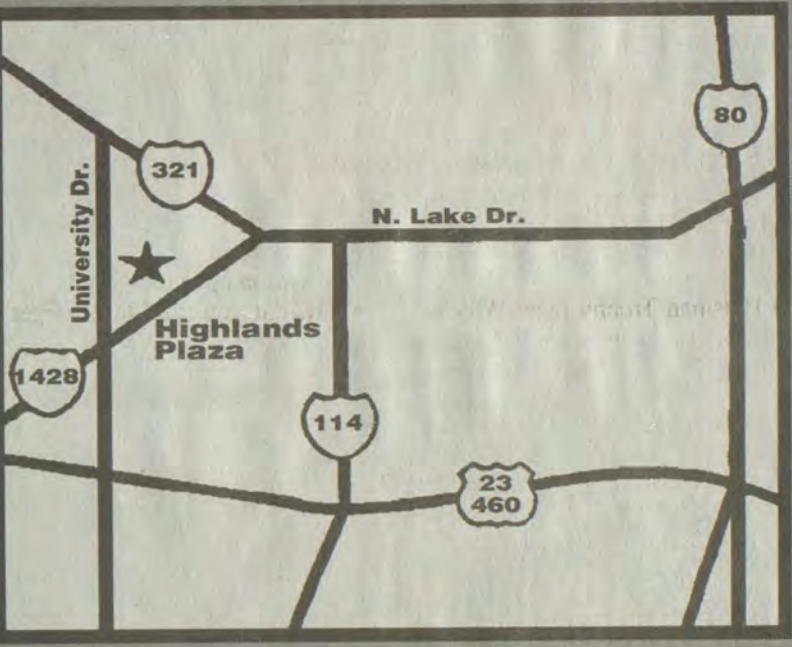
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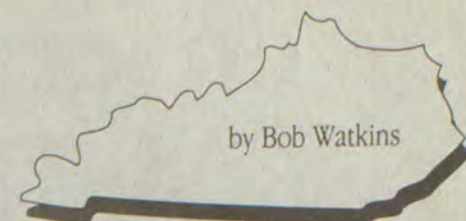
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SPORTS IN KENTUCKY



Game week: In 'A Show' Kentucky should win at Louisville ... 42-21

The way I see it.

• Game week: Kentucky at Louisville. Pass rush, pass rush, contain, contain. With two pass-happy attacks; Saturday's game ought to be A Show. Final score: 42-21, Kentucky.

• If your kid is a baseball fan who thinks Mark McGwire is cool then I'm sorry the word andro has reached his ears. But what McGwire sticks in his mouth is his business. What comes out is ours. Sometimes.

• Meanwhile, Sammy Sosa crams wads of tobacco into his mouth, but not a media sermon to be heard.

• Excuse me but are you the guy who can't lay it on thick enough for Hal Mumme, but who said last spring: "...sure Tubby Smith won, but he did it with Rick Pitino's players."

Reminder: Mumme's first UK team won five games with Bill Curry's players, despite having one of the country's finest quarterback/leaders. And, Mumme managed to recruit only half the state's top college prospects.

• Before we hand over keys to the pope-mobile and 'anoint King Hal,' why don't we wait until Sept. 26 and let Steve Spurrier show us how much better Mumbleball is.

• Is anything better, more dramatic and defining of good, tough football than a goal-line stand.

• Maybe there is something as good: Watching Tim Couch play.

• Prediction: Kentucky high school football's scoring leader in 1998? With head coach dad calling the shots and a media machine to be fed, has to be Jonathan Chapman, Pikeville.

• Prediction: Sept. 12, if Eastern Kentucky beats UK or plays close at Commonwealth Stadium, Colonel fans will clamor for a series. But the chances of UK assistant AD Larry Ivy throwing Roy Kidd another bone or remembering his phone number, are slim and none.

• Heisman Trophy race: Why is Texas' Ricky Williams a 'runaway favorite?' Because USA Today said so.

• If you believed Ohio State Heisman hopeful Andy Katzenmoyer would not qualify academically to compete this season, please raise your hand.

• Why do executives at Fox-Television, ESPN and ABC believe we care a tinker's damn who they have in their '3-man team in the booth?'

• Yo, Boomer, get a job.

• Yes, Charles Barkley has a chance of being elected governor of Alabama. And Charles Manson has a chance for parole. And the odds are probably the same.

• The NBA lockout goes on. Yes! Keep it going guys. Let's find out how much we miss you.

• What is a litmus test? Oh, of course, a single indicator test as in an NBA lockout and greed to gauge how much we care.

• Former St. Xavier football standout and Boston College signee Chris Sheehan returned to Louisville last week. Home sick. Said he wanted to get a job and re-evaluate his future in football. The last Louisville St. X star to 'get a job, step back and re-evaluate' was Scott Padgett.

• Just Wondering Dept: When a high school team assaults an opponent by 70-or-more points, how can the winning head coach bring himself to go to mid-field to shake hands with his opposite number?

• Want to gauge the chances Tim Couch will return for his senior year at Kentucky? Watch carefully the performances of this year's offensive linemen, the backup guys.

• So, another Dallas Cowboy, Larry Allen, is in trouble with Texas law enforcement on a sexual assault charge. This is news?

• Hazing. Grown men New Orleans Saints did what?

• New Orleans Saints found guilty of the brutal hazing of rookies should run a gauntlet in jail.

• Name of the week: Bowling Green High School defensive tackle Free Harrison.

• Names? Perfect one for a place kicker, Wilson Wickesham. For Owensboro High, Wickesham kicked a school record five field goals, all in the first half, of the Red Devils' season opener.

• Say, did you used to be Tiger Woods, hot-hot media darling?

UK FOOTBALL FUTURE

Lemme see if I have this straight — college football programs normally sign 25-30 scholarship athletes per recruiting season each February. Kentucky might be more

than a fourth of the way toward its quota six months before February's signing period. Impressive.

Defensive back Terrel Starks and running back Artose Pinner are enrolled at Lexington Community College; Tight end Bobby Blizard is farmed to Hargrave Academy; Wide receiver C.J. Lofton is already at Hargrave; Defensive tackle Artie Steinmetz has transferred from Michigan State; Offensive lineman Drew Ashcraft of Paul Dunbar has committed; defensive back Jed Bassett will enroll at UK when he returns from a Mormon mission.

Unofficially, Derek Smith and Jared Lorenzen of Highlands are ready to commit to UK, and Thornton Chandler Jr., a 6-4, 255-pound center-tackle at Jacksonville, Fl Raines High School has said yes to UK, (according to Auburn's internet recruiting watchers).

All this and UK recruiting coordinator Claude Bassett is still working the phones.

Stay tuned.

UOFL FOOTBALL

Tough road ahead for Coach John Smith's crew. Cardinal fans had better enjoy the home dates at Pappa John's because UoFL, picked to finish next to last in Conference USA, plays on the road at Southern, Miss, Tulane and East Carolina, rated 1-2-3 in the league. And the Cards play at Utah, the choice to win the Pacific Div. in the WAC.

CHAPMAN & THE CHASE

McGwire, Sosa and now Pikeville High running back Jonathan Chapman. The count-up is on. As frenzied baseball media tracks the chase for Roger Maris' record 61 home runs, Chapman's touchdown total is becoming the focus in the Bluegrass.

The 6-1, 190-pound All-Stater who transferred to Pikeville after scoring 87 touchdowns at Breathitt County High, put four on the board in the season opener against Estill County, moving him nearer Derek Homer's state record 110 at Fort Knox (1993-96).

The hope here is Chapman's chase for a personal record won't result in run-up scores (Estill fell 55-6) or an injury to an obviously 'real deal' college prospect.

Q S N A'S

Fans ask questions.

Q. As widely speculated, do Tim Couch's chances of winning the Heisman Trophy depend on Kentucky winning nine games?

A. Don't believe it. Couch's Heisman chances depend on performance of course, but also the number of times he is on television. And, as was proven with Charles Woodson a year ago, how much media hype is devoted to the UK quarterback after Nov. 1 as the deadline nears for ballots cast by so many media lambs.

Q. Again and again you have decried UK's contract with the devil Nike Corporation, so how come no criticism on the University of Louisville's deal with Papa John Pizza having its name plastered across UofL's new football stadium?

A. Somehow images of pizza, even Pappa John's, is more palatable than images of Phil Knight and Michael Jordan making more money off college athletics.

HOOPS SCUTTLEBUTT

Kentucky is no longer recruiting Georgia power forward prospect Rod Grizzard. The 6-7, 220-pound prospect is said to have academic problems and will not qualify.

Louisville. Antonio Falu, a 6-4 guard at Houston Waltrip High School, will have UofL coach Denny Crum for an in-home visit in September. And Falu has agreed to make a campus visit to UofL in the fall.

Western. Hilltoppers coach Dennis Felton has signed 7-1, 285-pound Chris Marcus. Idea for Coach Felton: Video retrievals — Louisville Eastern High 1989 and UofL through 1993, focus: Felton Spencer. And, Chicago Kenwood High School coach Harry Davis circa 1995, and UK through 1998, focus: Nazr Mohammed.

PARTING SHOT

Ohio State senior linebacker Andy Katzenmoyer had to take three summer school courses to retain his eligibility. One of the courses was called 'AIDS: What every college student should know.'

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two mid-term exams and a shopping survey on condoms.

Wrote Rick Reilly of Sports Illustrated: Aside to Andy: Looking into your sock drawer doesn't count as condom field research.

And so it goes.

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Allen Methodist Church to hold sixth annual golf scramble

The Christ United Methodist Church of Allen will host its sixth annual Golf Scramble at the Beaver Valley Golf Course in Allen at the Stumbo Park on Saturday, September 12.

Proceeds from the scramble goes to the new Wesley School in Allen.

Entry fee is \$50 per person with

a blind draw for the first 80 players. ABCD players will have a shotgun start at 9 a.m.

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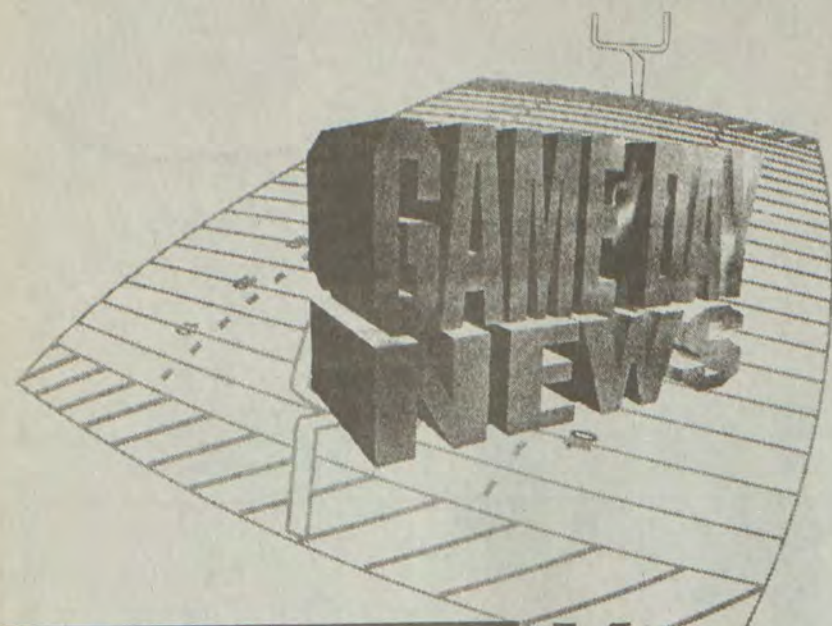
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Mummy's No Dummy

on fake punts. Put another way, UK punted 39 times last year, but went for it on fourth down 38 times. The Cats also tried seven onside kicks, recovering one.

Limited hitting in practice: The Wildcats scrimmaged four times last spring and none in August. Hitting in practice is limited to work on technique;

there is no full-scale hitting or tackling to the ground. Mumme's approach was rewarded with far fewer injuries for the Wildcats than in previous seasons.

"We're not going to get anybody hurt if we can help it," Mumme says. "Why have a car wreck during the week when you're going to have one on Sunday?"

"Mummeball is more classroom than battlefield," wrote John Clay of the Lexington Herald-Leader. "The head coach is not a

Schwarzkopf but an alchemist, busy turning ordinary metals into gold."

Open Practices: All practices are open to fans and media. "I think the guys like crowds," Mumme says. "I know when I was playing that I liked to perform in front of crowds. I think it makes them practice better." As for the fear of having his plays stolen, Mumme

Say What?
"He's bigger than we ever dreamed of," said Omus Shepherd, the Leslie County High School principal.

"When Tim is playing, he is as dangerous as a broken fruit jar."

replies, "There aren't many secrets anymore. Everybody pretty much knows what everybody is doing."

Punting the ball out of bounds: UK's punts are

designed to go near the sideline or out of bounds. "Look at the guy on the other end of the field (returning the punt)," Mumme says of the strategy. "It's usually the best athlete on the team. In this league, that means his future is N-F-L. Now, the guy I'm sending to tackle him, his future is C-P-A. That's not a good match up."

Playing true freshmen: Other than offensive linemen, Mumme believes in playing true freshmen. Twelve scholarship true freshmen played in 1997 and only five reashirted.

Junior varsity team: Mumme started a junior varsity team in 1997. The JV is comprised primarily of walk-ons, in addition to a few scholarship players who are not being redshirted. The JV team, headed by graduate assistant coach Chris Hatcher, posted a 2-3 record. "Having a JV team gives our walk-ons a chance to play games in our system and not just be on the scout team all year," Mumme says.

From the side lines

How do you evaluate your first season at Kentucky?

"We're pretty disappointed we didn't win a couple more games. Defensively, we did about as good as we could do; we played well enough to win seven games. Offensively, I think we played good enough to win five games. Considering there was a lot of on-the-job training, and the fact that we only had 27 or 28 defensive players on scholarship, it was okay. I thought the seniors gave good effort and we did turn a couple of corners, but we still have a long ways to go."

What enabled the immediate offensive success?

"I think the most visible reason is Tim Couch, but I think there were a lot of less obvious ones, too. Coach (Guy) Morriss did a tremendous job putting together a line that could play and coach (Mike) Leach did a great job with the receivers. We really didn't have a proven back going into the season. Anthony White gave a courageous effort and had a good year and Coach (Tony) Franklin really did a nice job bringing along Derek Homer."



"Mummeball"

Coach Hal Mumme is know for his unconventional ways. Here are some examples of his off-the-beaten path approach:

Throwing the football: Mumme's offensive goals is to throw the ball to set up the run. His run-pass ratio in 1997 was 36 percent run and 64 percent pass.

Taking risks: The Wildcats attempted 38 fourth down conversions and made 21, including three out of four

Hot Cat Stat

Kentucky broke or tied 51 school records and 15 South Eastern Conference records.

Kentucky set a home attendance record with an average of 59,110 fans per home game.

Cat Trivia

The U of K Cheerleaders have won how many National - Universal Cheerleader's Association - Championships?

The Cats Page



1998 KENTUCKY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

| DATE | OPPONENT | SITE | TIME |
|----------|--------------------|------------------|-----------|
| Sept. 5 | at Louisville | Louisville | 2:00 p.m. |
| Sept. 12 | Eastern Kentucky | Lexington | 1:30 p.m. |
| Sept. 19 | Indiana | Lexington | 1:30 p.m. |
| Sept. 26 | at Florida | Gainesville, Fla | TBA |
| Oct. 3 | at Arkansas | Little Rock, Ark | 7:00 p.m. |
| Oct. 10 | South Carolina | Lexington | 7:00 p.m. |
| Oct. 17 | at Louisiana State | Baton Rouge, La. | 8:00 p.m. |
| Oct. 24 | Georgia | Lexington | 7:00 p.m. |
| Oct. 31 | Open | | |
| Nov. 7 | Mississippi State | Lexington | 1:30 p.m. |
| Nov. 14 | Vanderbilt | Lexington | 1:30 p.m. |
| Nov. 21 | at Tennessee | Knoxville, Tenn. | TBA |

*All times Eastern and subject to change.

Dear Cats Page

Dear Cats Page,
I've heard that there's talk about the expansion of Commonwealth Stadium. Can you tell me the status of those talks?
Another milestone for Kentucky football will occur soon as commonwealth Stadium will be expanded following the 1998 season. Plans for an expansion have been researched in recent years, and the excitement and record crowds generated in Hal Mumme's first season pushed the project to the front burner.
The tentative plan calls for both ends of Commonwealth Stadium to be enclosed, along

with the construction of 40 luxury boxes, 10 in each corner of the stadium. The total number of seats is expected to surpass 67,000. In preparation for the new construction, the south end zone bleachers will be dismantled prior to the 1998 campaign, but the addition of extra bleachers in the north end zone will help compensate for the loss. Capacity for the upcoming season will be 55,453.

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In the Zone

1998 KENTUCKY FOOTBALL SIGNEES

| NAME | POS. | HT. | WT. | CL-EXP. | HOMETOWN (PREVIOUS SCHOOL) |
|-------------------|-------|------|-----|---------|--|
| Dougie Allen | WR | 5-10 | 162 | Fr-HS | Lexington, Ky. (Dunbar HS) |
| Mike Beirne | WR | 6-3 | 205 | Fr-HS | The Woodlands, Tx. (The Woodlands HS) |
| Bobb Blizzard | TE | 6-7 | 240 | Fr-HS | Hampton, Va. (Hampton HS) |
| Matt Burke | OL | 6-6 | 275 | Fr-HS | Schaumburg, Ill. (Schaumburg HS) |
| Chris Demaree | DE | 6-4 | 220 | Fr-HS | Louisville, Ky. (Male HS) |
| Tramaine Gaines | OL | 6-4 | 290 | Fr-HS | Lake Mary, Fla. (Lake Mary HS) |
| Edgar Ganitt | WR | 6-3 | 200 | Fr-HS | West Hampton, N.J. (Rancocas Valley HS) |
| Kevin Gregory | DE | 6-5 | 250 | Fr-HS | Mississauga, Ontario (John Abbott College) |
| Richard Hardin | DE | 6-6 | 240 | Fr-HS | Louisville, Ky. (Male HS) |
| Chase Harp | QB | 6-3 | 210 | Fr-HS | Danville, Ky. (Danville HS) |
| Vincent Harrison | DB | 5-11 | 185 | Fr-HS | Cincinnati, Ohio (Princeton HS) |
| David Johnson | DB | 6-0 | 185 | Fr-HS | Virginia Beach, Va. (Princess Anne HS) |
| Dennis Johnson | DE/LB | 6-7 | 256 | Fr-HS | Harrodsburg, Ky. (Harrodsburg HS) |
| Martez Johnson | RB | 5-10 | 175 | Fr-HS | Detroit, Mich. (DePorres HS) |
| Anthony Kelly | DB | 5-11 | 183 | Fr-HS | Cambellton, Fla. (Graceville HS) |
| Morris Lane | DB | 6-2 | 200 | Fr-HS | Valdosta, Ga. (Lowndes HS) |
| C.J. Lofton | WR | 6-1 | 190 | Fr-HS | Valdosta, Ga. (Lowndes HS) |
| Dayton Mickens | LB | 6-2 | 205 | Fr-HS | Copperas Cove, Tex. (Copperas Cove HS) |
| Artose Pinner | RB | 5-11 | 197 | Fr-HS | Hopkinsville, Ky. (Hopkinsville HS) |
| Ronnie Riley | LB | 6-2 | 205 | Fr-HS | San Antonio, Tex. (Judson HS) |
| John Robinson | DT | 6-4 | 260 | Fr-HS | Old Washington, Ohio (Buckeye Trail HS) |
| Matt Schnieder | LB | 6-3 | 215 | Fr-HS | Cincinnati, Ohio (Moeller HS) |
| Mike Scipione | QB | 6-6 | 235 | Fr-HS | Centerville, Va. (Fork Union Military Acad.) |
| Kendrick Shanklin | WR | 5-9 | 170 | Fr-HS | Baton Rouge, La. (Catholic HS) |
| Moned Sneed | DB | 6-1 | 185 | Fr-HS | Elysian Fields, Tex. (Elysian Fields HS) |
| Terral Starks | DB | 6-0 | 185 | Fr-HS | Mayfield, Ky. (Mayfield HS) |
| Anthony Wajda | DB | 6-4 | 185 | Fr-HS | Louisville, Ky. (Trinity HS) |
| Maurice Wells | DE | 6-3 | 220 | Fr-HS | Richmond, Va. (Huguenot HS) |
| Pat Wells | DE | 6-3 | 250 | Fr-HS | Frankfort Ky. (Western Hills HS) |
| Jamal White | LB | 6-3 | 215 | Fr-HS | Cincinnati, Ohio (Colerain HS) |

*UK signee Dennis Johnson was named the National Defensive Player of the Year by USA Today, The Sporting News, and Parade Magazine.

Cat Food

TAILGATING RECIPE OF THE WEEK

Spiced Cider (Serves 24)

- 1 qt. cider
- 1 cup brown sugar
- 1 2-inch stick cinnamon
- 1 cup sugar
- 2 qts. orange juice
- 2 cups lemon juice
- orange and lemon slices

Combine cider, sugars, and cinnamon stick. Boil 5 minutes. Mix with orange and lemon juices that have been heated to boiling point. Pour into mugs and float slices of orange and lemon on top.

Submitted by: Jane Doe - Shelbyville, KY

THE RACING REPORTER

by Gerald Hodges

JEFF GORDON KEEPS ON WINNING

Mark Martin continues to chase Jeff Gordon's rear bumper as Gordon won the Winston Cup CMT 300 at New Hampshire Speedway, Sunday for his ninth victory of 1998, while Martin once again, finished second.

"I'm fortunate to have a crew chief like Ray Evernham," Gordon said. "He doesn't mind making a gutsy call. Those two tires just made our car come alive. What an unbelievable day."

Gordon was referring to a pit stop on lap 233 of the 300-lap event. Evernham elected to put on two fresh right side tires only. This move allowed Gordon to take over the lead once he re-entered the track.

Martin was second in his No. 6 Valvoline Ford Taurus, and even though he took on a complete set of four new tires, he was never able to challenge Gordon for the lead.

"We had a good car once again, but Jeff Gordon is awesome," Martin said. "I tried to drive my car as fast as his, but I couldn't do it."

TOP 25 FINISHERS:

1. Jeff Gordon
2. Mark Martin
3. John Andretti
4. Dale Jarrett
5. Jeff Burton
6. Kenny Wallace
7. Bobby Labonte
8. Rusty Wallace
9. Dale Earnhardt
10. Ricky Rudd
11. Kenny Irwin
12. Robert Pressley
13. Jimmy Spencer
14. Chad Little
15. Mike Skinner
16. Kevin Lepage
17. Sterling Marlin
18. Joe Nemecek
19. Dick Trickle
20. Jeremy Mayfield
21. Johnny Benson
22. Rick Mast
23. Geoff Bodine
24. Dennis Setzer
25. Steve Grissom

TOP 20 WINSTON CUP POINTS LEADERS

1. Jeff Gordon, 3597
2. Mark Martin, 3530
3. Dale Jarrett, 3359
4. Rusty Wallace, 3175

5. Bobby Labonte, 3083
6. Jeremy Mayfield, 3002
7. Jeff Burton, 2933
8. Dale Earnhardt, 2809
9. Terry Labonte, 2657
10. Ken Schrader, 2575
11. John Andretti, 2575
12. Bobby Hamilton, 2469
13. Sterling Marlin, 2440
14. Ernie Ivan, 2433
15. Jimmy Spencer, 2373
16. Bill Elliott, 2361
17. Chad Little, 2352
18. Johnny Benson, 2248
19. Ted Musgrave, 2177

RAINES PICKS UP THIRD WIN AT LOUISVILLE

Tony Raines took the lead from Mike Bliss with nine laps remaining in the Craftsman Truck Series Kroger 225 at Louisville Motor Speedway, Saturday. It was Raines' third victory of the season in his No. 19 Pennzoil Ford, and the fourth of his career.

"This is a good team we've got here," Raines said. "And I'm pretty fortunate to be driving this vehicle for this team. I couldn't be happier. Winning the race is what we were aiming to do."

Bliss led 206 of the 225 laps before Raines was able to get by.

"We just got tight there at the end," Bliss said. "I couldn't hold it on the bottom. We were better on long runs. I just slipped up, and he got by me."

TOP 10 FINISHERS:

1. Tony Raines
2. Mike Bliss
3. Andy Houston
4. Stacy Compton
5. Terry Cook
6. Tony Roper
7. Jimmy Hensley
8. Greg Biffle
9. Jack Sprague
10. Mike Wallace

HORNADAY CONTINUES TO LEAD TRUCK POINTS

1. Ron Hornaday, 2871
2. Jack Sprague, 2845
3. Joe Ruttman, 2755
4. Tony Raines, 2686
5. Stacy Compton, 2551
6. Jay Sauter, 2474
7. Jimmy Hensley, 2412
8. Ron Barfield, 2306
9. Randy Tolsma, 2299
10. Mike Wallace, 2239
11. Andy Houston, 2227
12. Greg Biffle, 2217
13. Rick Carelli, 2202

14. Mike Bliss, 2198
15. Bryan Reffner, 2195

BLISS WILL LEAVE TEAM ASE AFTER '98 SEASON

Mike Bliss will be leaving the Ultra Motorsports/ASE Team Racing after the conclusion of the 1998 Craftsman Truck Series.

In a joint announcement by Bliss and the team prior to the Kroger 225, it didn't appear there was any hope for Bliss to continue on as driver of the No. 2 ASE Ford.

"The team and I came to an agreement that things weren't working out," Bliss said. "It just isn't there. It's time for me to move forward."

TOP 10 POINTS LEADERS

1. Dale Earnhardt Jr., 3269
2. Matt Kenseth, 3174
3. Mike McLaughlin, 3094
4. Randy LaJoie, 2839
5. Buckshot Jones, 2758
6. Elton Sawyer, 2728
7. Phil Parsons, 2677
8. Tim Fedewa, 2676
9. Elliott Sadler, 2610
10. Hermie Sadler, 2548

TOP 10 MONEY LEADERS

1. Dale Earnhardt Jr., \$598,160
2. Matt Kenseth, \$533,220
3. Randy LaJoie, \$474,782
4. Mike McLaughlin, \$436,500
5. Elliott Sadler, \$412,460
6. Jeff Purvis, \$365,440
7. Elton Sawyer, \$341,025
8. Phil Parsons, \$333,365
9. Joe Bessey, \$323,920
10. Tim Fedewa, \$213,030

ROOKIE OF THE YEAR STANDINGS

1. Andy Santerre, 1551
2. Wayne Grubb, 1336
3. Blaise Alexander, 1210

MANUFACTURER'S STANDINGS

1. Chevrolet, 186
2. Ford, 134
3. Pontiac, 118

RACE WINNERS

1. Dale Earnhardt Jr., 5
2. Joe Nemecek, 2

POLE WINNERS

1. Dale Earnhardt Jr., 3
2. Robert Pressley, 2
3. Jeff Burton, 2

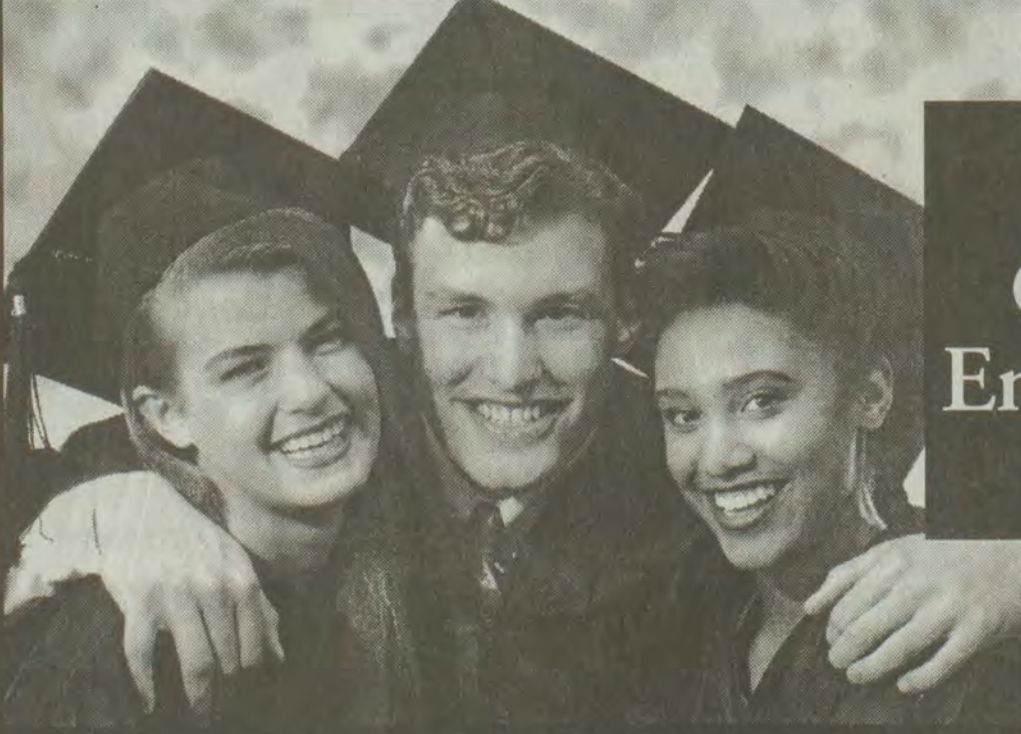
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NASCAR CONNECTION



by Steve Mickey

THE TRADITION CONTINUES

Very few Winston Cup race tracks can stir up memories like Darlington Raceway. It was the very first superspeedway that hosted Winston Cup events, opening in 1950. What drivers found the first time they went to Darlington was unlike any other race track that they visited.

Many of the memories that come to mind when thinking about Darlington can be traced directly to the unique dimensions of the track itself. Originally, the plans called for the track to be a true mile and a quarter oval, but the finished product became what was described as an egg-shaped oval. The reason for the rather odd shape can be traced to the farmer who didn't want to part with his minnow pond just for the sake of building a race track.

Because of that little ol' minnow pond, Darlington ended up with two sets of turns that don't really resemble each other. Turns one and two have 25 degree banking, while turns three and four are banked 23 degrees. In addition to the difference in banking, turns three and four are narrower than turns one and two.

The difference in the turns usually shows up in what has become known as a "Darlington Stripe." It seems that every driver who has attempted to tame this speedway has pulled into pit road with a black stripe on the right rear quarter panel. More times than not that stripe has been courtesy of turns one and two.

It seems that since that very first Southern 500 and the very first Darlington Stripe, that racing in Darlington on Labor Day weekend has been special. For years the race was held on Monday and the off day on Sunday because the track became famous for the rowdiness of the weekend.

The infield crowd would begin arriving on Friday night and had two full days to what you might say "get ready for the race." For many fans, it was their family vacation and, even though it was just for a weekend, they managed to get enough partying out of their system to last them through the winter.

Times have changed on the Winston Cup circuit and gone are the days of the Monday race and the old grandstands that at one time made Darlington one of the tracks on the entire circuit. Now with new

tracks, such as Las Vegas and California, it seems that Darlington has come under fire for not keeping up with the times.

The raceway is now under the ownership of International Speedway Corporation, which is headed by the France family. If you have ever been to some of the other ISC owned tracks, then you know that one of the last things that the France family seems to want to do is spend money on upgrading their

speedway properties. Until just recently even France's own Daytona International Speedway looked much the same way it did when it was first constructed.

Darlington has been in need of a face lift for many years and, for whatever reason, France just didn't see the need to invest money in the old speedway. The result of this neglect has seen the spring race fail to sell out the last couple of years. Race fans are to some extent being

spoiled by not only the newer tracks but by guys like Burton Smith, who has put millions of dollars back into existing facilities to make sure that the needs of not only drivers but the fans as well are being met.

Maybe one reason that France felt like he didn't need to invest money back into Darlington was the fact that he controlled the schedule and that he would always see to it that Darlington would have two races each year. That may be true,

but lately ISC has begun to give some of its attention to the upgrading of the speedway.

Since 1993, with the naming of Jim Hunter as track president, the track has slowly begun to make a move forward in staying with the times. New tower grandstands have been built along with new hospitality suites. The old restrooms and concessions have been replaced with modern ones and the fans now find more parking lots than before.

Fortunately for us fans, they can make all of the improvements they want at Darlington, but nothing will ever take away the tradition and history that the track has provided the past.

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Star Bank to host Cruise-In, 50s Dance

The Star Bank of Martin (formerly Trans Financial Bank) will host its first annual 50s Dance and Cruise In this Saturday, September 5, at the Martin branch bank parking lot.

The evening's events allow car owners a chance to showcase their cars and enjoy an evening of fun and dance.

Entertainment will be provided by Brutis the DJ with some help from Worthless Willie the comedian. The entertainment begins at 6 p.m. and will last until 10 p.m.

Those "kids" of the 50s will want to once again try their hand at hula-hoops. But the night will be a throw-back to the 50s as participants come dressed in the 50s style and take part in the Best 50s Dressed Contest.

Dash plaques will be given to the first 50 cars that show up. Door prizes will be given away throughout the evening. Ten T-shirts will be awarded to those in attendance. Fans will have a chance to share in the 50/50 pot.

It promises to be an afternoon of fun, excitement and just a good time for all who attend. While the theme is the 50s and 60s, everyone is welcome to come out and enjoy the festivities.

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On being Southern

In an article appearing in the August 16 issue of Florida Magazine, writer Mike Thomas compiled a list of positives about those of us who like to thank of ourselves as being Southern.

Although his list was written to contrast a more darker aspect of our history (namely the Civil War), I found it interesting.

He said he loves the South because of Southern hospitality, Southern cooking, Southern music, Southern



accents and Southern belle. He says our food has flavor and our music has soul.

Thomas also credits the South with cornbread, greens, catfish, buttermilk biscuits and peach cobbler. Furthermore, he praised the South for giving us the Blues, Elvis, Chuck Berry, Hank Williams, William Faulkner, Hank Aaron and Bear Bryant. And, finally, he says the South has manners.

Despite all our many faults, it makes us sound pretty good, doesn't it?

Nobody was more Southern than Jerry Clower. His sudden passing saddened those of us who enjoyed his humor. He was one of a kind and was constantly professing his Christianity. He was once quoted as saying he'd never tell a story anywhere that he wouldn't tell in church. I think that speaks volumes about the man.

Another comment I heard someone on TV say about him—and something with which I heartily agree—is that he didn't tell funny stories, he told stories funny. He'll be missed...and so will the Ledbetters.

When Rick and Terri Roberts honeymooned out west a month or so ago, they decided to drive a bit out of their way in order to see if they might run into a particular celebrity that they'd just read about in the August issue of the Saturday Evening Post.

When they arrived in Moab, Utah, sure enough there he was, big as life and twice as natural: Blender, a three-year-old, 60-pound redbone hound owned by John and Nancy Hauer.

The Post story describes the famous canine as a world-class athlete, a con artist, a defender of the weak, and a panhandler who is getting sick and tired of baloney sandwiches. As a member of the Paintsville Humane Society, Rick Roberts said he just couldn't resist the opportunity to see for himself the four-legged wonder that Ed Martley, had described in the lengthy, two-part article.

Roberts said that according to the article, the dog became famous because when rafters on the Colorado River pass near the Hauer property, Blender plunges into the water and swims toward them. Fearing the dog will drown, those aboard the rafts rescue him...and give him sandwiches.

When the voyage is over, Blender trots the ten miles or more up the highway toward home, often stopping northbound cars, hoping for a lift. After a rest, he watches for other rafters and does it all again.

Roberts said the Hauer's weren't home, but he did get pictures of ole Blender (obviously between swims) standing on the front porch.

Ten Years Ago (August 31, 1988)

New election laws require four people to file for precinct officer's jobs...Hopes for a new Prestonsburg High School may be wishful thinking, according to the state's facilities report issued this month...A Floyd County jury found Walt Carroll Jr., 20, of Martin, guilty of reckless homicide for the November 19, 1987 slaying of his brother...Floyd Sheriff's Deputies seized a cache of marijuana, with the latest find being at Johns Creek near the German Bridge area...Due to a reduction in funding, the Floyd County Health Department planned to begin charging fees for services September 1...There died: Willie D. Adkins, 22, of Salyersville, August 21, at the Paul B. Hall Medical Center in Paintsville; Britton C. Burke, 99, of Stanville, died August 27 at his residence; Edna Garrison, 63, of Wayland, August 25 at the Highlands Regional medical Center; Naomi Hall Hamilton, 59, of Harold, August 25 at the Highlands Regional Medical Center; Ronald Ray (Duck) Hunter, 43, of Ypsilanti, Michigan, August 27; Jimmy Kinney, 53, of McDowell, August 30 at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; Mary Louise Music, 68, of Prestonsburg, August 28; John H. Rice, 68, of David, August 24 at the residence of Frank Delano Reynolds; Joe F. Stumbo, 63, of Flat Rock, Missouri, August 21 at the Missouri Baptist Hospital in St. Louis, Missouri; Morris Ray (Peanut) Stumbo, 34, of Minnie, August 25 at the Highlands Regional Medical Center; and Roberta Tackett, 58, of Beaver, August 29 at her resi-

Pikeville author adds another chapter to her life

by Janice Shepherd
 Managing Editor

THE BEGINNING

Once upon a time, Tina Meade sat down at her computer at her home in Pikeville to chat on-line with her friend, James Johnson of Ohio. The two had never met, but their friendship developed over the Internet.

James is a minister with an on-line question and answer service that Meade used often. After Thanksgiving Day in 1996, Tina sent a message to James that was totally different from their usual correspondence. That Thanksgiving, Tina said, she had served "the best turkey I ever made" to her husband and children. She made up a story that was supposed to be about a turkey but wound up being about a chicken with a ballcap who left home. She sent that story to James through the Internet.

James responded with: "That heart once beat in a mother hen and went on to tell a story about the chicken's adventures and how it got killed."

Tina enjoyed the story and told it to her nine-year-old daughter, who said that James was "a bad man" because the chicken died. So, Tina made up a happier story to please her daughter.

She sent the story to James, who wrote another chapter to the chicken's tale, and then Tina added another and the story kept going on and on.

And so Tina's great Internet adventure began, and her latest book, "Tales from the Coop," was born.

THE STORY

The story is geared toward students in the fourth through ninth grade and revolves around Chirpy

Chicken, who leaves home because his mom is killed, Tina said. Chirpy Chicken marries and has many adventures. He meets FrankenChicken, dinosaurs, and presidents.

"It ends with his coming to the realization that he's had a great life and of all the things he's done with his life, the most important thing has been his family and the cove they've shared," Tina said.

THE CONTROVERSY

Tina and James worked on the book for about six months, but they encountered problems with chapter six.

"He had nothing but bad things to say," Tina recalled. "He made me mad."

Called "The Rescue," the chapter tells of Chirpy Chicken's (now named Conrad) trip to the moon to rescue chickens on the moon.

"(James) said chickens can't fly to the moon, and I said, 'Yeah, and chickens can't talk either,'" Tina said, laughing.

James rewrote the chapter and applied his knowledge of science to the story. Tina thought it was too complicated, and the two bantered back and forth until they decided to stick with James' version.

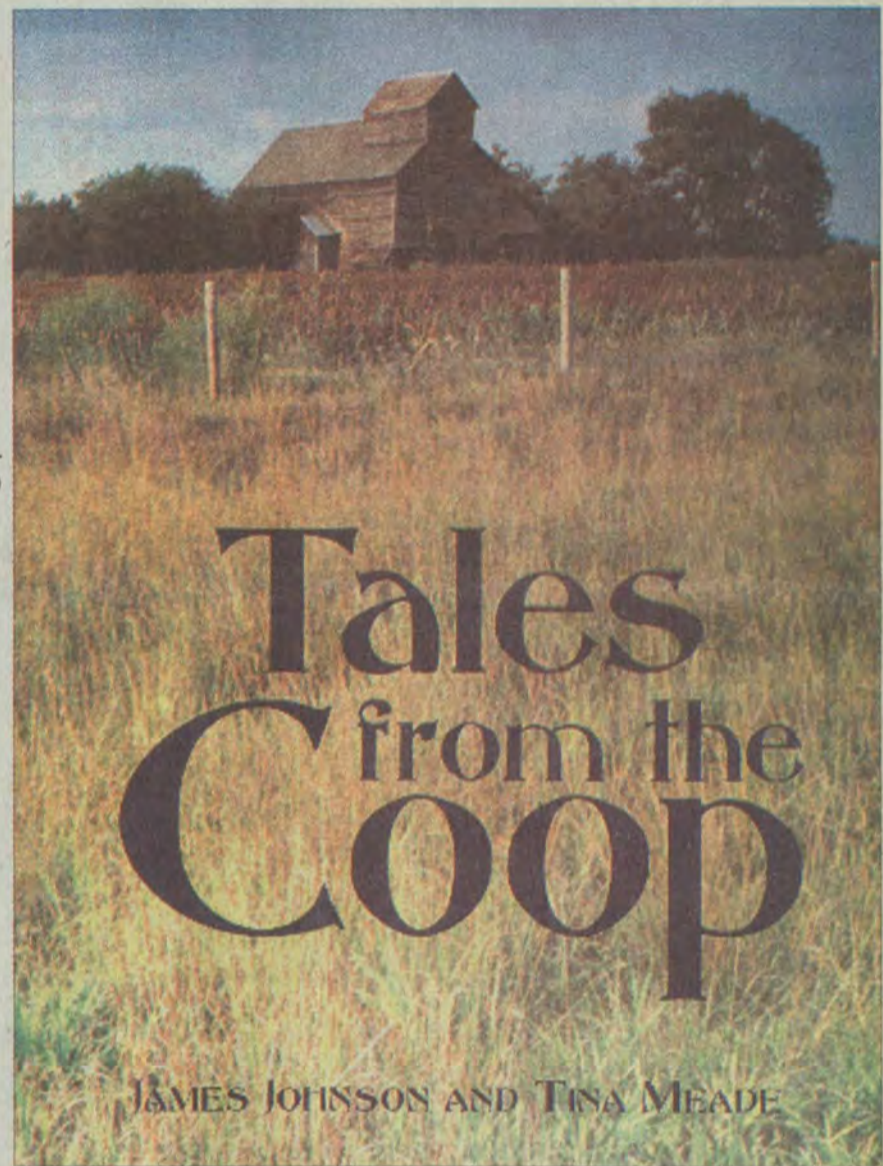
AN APOLOGY

James wrote an apology to Tina in the form of a

(See Author, page four)



Tina Meade, former Stanville resident, and James Johnson, a minister in Ohio, will hold a book signing session September 11 at the Floyd County Library. Books may be purchased at local bookstores and brought to the library for signing; or, the books may be purchased at the library from the authors during the signing. (photo by Janice Shepherd)



In "Tales from the Coop," Chirpy Chicken ventures from his home after the death of his mother. He meets a mate and raises a family. He also has many adventures. The book is geared toward students in the fourth through ninth grade, but author Tina Meade said adults are finding the book entertaining, as well.



Although they had never met, Tina Meade of Pikeville and James Johnson of Ohio wrote a book through the Internet. The book, "Tales from the Coop," went on sale at local bookstores in July.

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Twenty Years Ago (August 30, 1978)

Prestonsburg's hopes of enlisting Corps of Engineers assistance toward additional flood control projects were dashed recently on completion of the Corp's reconnaissance report on the flood problem here...Jack M. Friar, of Allen, Floyd County extension agent for 4-H, has received national recognition for his efforts in youth career guidance...The fiscal court last Tuesday rescinded its August 8 order terminating the contract of Big Wheel, Inc. contractor on Phase I construction at the county park office at Allen...An assistant attorney general last week handed down an opinion to the effect that ex-Sheriff Joe W. Lewis may not be employed in any capacity in the office of his son, Sheriff Doug Lewis...The grand jury for the September criminal term of circuit court got off to a belated start Monday when two of its members failed to appear but began its study of violations by noon...There died: Mrs. Mary Jane Allen, 78, formerly of this county, Friday at Greenup; Dewey Gilbert Stumbo, 49, formerly of Minnie, Monday at the University of Minnesota Hospital; Abraham L. Nunnery, 80, formerly of this county,

recently in Marathon, Florida; Gary Whittaker, 76, formerly of Prestonsburg, August 20 in Veteran's Administration Hospital in Tennessee; Johnnie Moore, 67, of McDowell, Saturday, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; Archie Burrus, 58, of Prestonsburg, August 22 at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Mrs. Peggy Collins, 69, of Orkney, Monday at Mountain Manor Nursing Home; Troy Whitt, 75, of Prestonsburg, Thursday at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Thirty Years Ago (August 29, 1968)

A new site for the regional hospital planned for the Prestonsburg vicinity by the

Highlands Hospital Corporation, has been selected, it was announced this week by Chalmer H. Frazier, Prestonsburg General Hospital administrator. The new location is a 17-acre tract on US 23 near Auxier...Registration at Prestonsburg Community College stood at 420 at the end of the regular registration period, Tuesday afternoon...Dewey Lake claimed its first victim of the year Sunday afternoon when a 10-year-old Martin county girl drowned after the boat in which she and four others were riding, sank...Groundbreaking ceremonies

for the long-planned clubhouse which will be erected on the grounds of the Floyd County Fish and Game Club will be held Sunday at the club's annual fish fry...Born to Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Harris, of Topmost, a daughter, August 12 at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Roger N. Bentley, of Dema, a daughter, August 20; to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shepherd of Drift, a son, August 23; to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Shepherd, of Hueysville, a son, August 25...There died: Mrs. Ruby Lumpkins, 34, of Manton, Sunday at Lima, O.; John Owens, Jr., 27, Monday at his home at Garrett; Mrs. Thelma Collins, 62, of Ivel, Wednesday at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Steward Horne, 55, of Little Paint, Friday en route to the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Joe I. May, 71, Tuesday at his home in Harold; Mrs. Elizabeth Latham, 57, formerly of Floyd County, Saturday at Inkster, Michigan.

Forty Years Ago (August 28, 1958)

Dynamiting of an automobile in front of the home of Councilman G. Goff, of Martin, before daybreak last Thursday was regarded this week as an attempt to intimidate the official rather than to create major damage or cause him or his family injury...A suit filed in circuit court here last week by two creditors of Floyd County attacks county spending for non-governmental and unnecessary purposes and seeks to enjoin fiscal court from spending from its funds...L. B. (Lennie) Moore, Prestonsburg, announced this week

(See Yesterdays, page four)

Our Yesterdays

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

SOCIETY

Wells Family Reunion planned

The Wells Family and all descendants of Richard Wells, born 1760, in Pennsylvania, and died in 1838 in Kentucky, his wife Susannah Hutchison Wells born 1779, died 1862 in Kentucky, will meet on September 5, to tour the

graves and for the reunion, September 6.

If members are planning to take the tour of the graves of our ancestors, they should meet Bobby Wells and Danny Blevins at the Johnson Central High School parking lot at 2 p.m., to leave and tour approximately eight different cemeteries where Wells ancestors

are buried.

The family will meet at the Johnson Central High School from 9 a.m. until approximately 6 p.m. The Historical Committee members, Bobby Wells, John B. Wells III, Pamela Wells and Charles C. Wells will conduct a genealogical meeting at 10 a.m. Everyone who is interested in the family roots should attend this meeting. John Wells III will present a video of Wells members who traveled to England in June.

Entertainment is planned for 11 a.m. There will be an auction at 11:30 p.m. Members need to bring their crafts and special items for the auction.

Following the auction, there will be a memorial service in memory of those loved ones who have gone on since last year's reunion.

Dinner will be served at 1:15 p.m. Members are encouraged to bring their special dishes to share with the group. Paper products, silverware, and bread will be furnished. Bring meats, vegetables, salads, desserts and drinks.

The election of officers and board members for the 1998-99 year will follow the meal. At about 4 p.m., the group who went to England will be meeting to share pictures and their experiences while on the trip. All are encouraged to stay and reminisce about the days of our parents and view pictures taken from their roots in England.

If you have questions, or need information, call John B. Wells III,

Paintsville at (606) 789-1940, or Bobby Wells, Prestonsburg at (606) 886-2101.

The Wells Family has a couple of projects that they are working on: marking unmarked graves of their ancestors and awarding a \$500 scholarship for a young person to attend higher education, who can trace their roots to Richard Wells.

The Wells Family just purchased two stones. One was for Mary Butcher Wells, who is buried in a Paintsville cemetery, and Matilda Clark Spears, who is buried in the Spears cemetery on Culp Creek in Greenup County. The family has planned a memorial service to dedicate Matilda Spears stone on September 12, at 1 p.m. All of the descendants of Rose

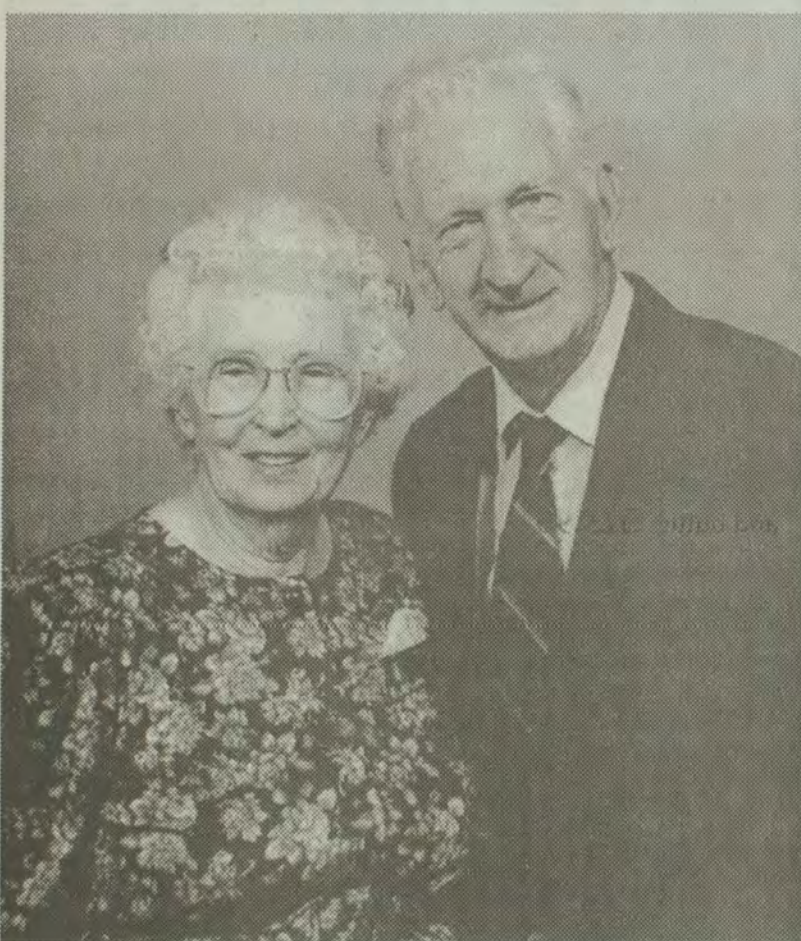
Anna Wells Spears are encouraged to attend this service.

Due to receiving extra funds this year, the Wells Family will be awarding three scholarships at the reunion. Those persons receiving the 1998 scholarship's are Stacey Ray Lundergan, from Morehead, \$500; Peter Wade Cook, from Thornhill, \$250; and Andrea Denise Griffith from Allen, \$250.

ANNIVERSARIES



Ted and Alberta (Shelton) Shannon of Drift will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on September 3. The couple have two children and five grandchildren. Ted Shannon has been pastor of the Drift Pentecostal Church for 42 years.



50th anniversary

Charles (Blockey) and Ruth Layne will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on September 3. The couple have eight children: Deva Sue, Danny, Joe, David, Debra, Diane, Daryl, and Dale. Ruth is a retired school teacher; Charles has worked in various capacities before his retirement, including operating "the picture show machine at Wayland;" motor man for a coal company; and factory worker for Firestone Tire Company and later at Reynolds Metal Company, both located in Phoenix, Arizona. Mr. and Mrs. Layne have 19 grandchildren.

Author

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Chirpy Chicken story. Chapter three, "Chronic Complainer Charles Chicken caught and cooped."

That chapter starts out with: "Charles Chicken was a Clod. There was no other word for him. Clod fit him perfectly."

"The Chronic Complainer is an apology for him talking bad about Chapter 6," Tina said.

The apology was accepted and "Tales From the Coop" moved forward.

James attended, and that's the first time the two authors met.

NO ENDINGS, HERE

Although "Tales from the Coop," is finished, Tina and James' literary adventures aren't.

The two are collaborating on a book about the role of women in the home, the church, and the world. The book is from Tina's perspective, but James is adding the scripture references and suggesting topics.

IN THE BOOKSTORES

"Tales from the Coop," went on sale in July at the Readmore Bookstore in Prestonsburg and at the Jenny Wiley Gift Shop at May Lodge. The authors can be contacted by e-mail at chirpychicken@juno.com.

To access James' Christian question and answer program through which Tina and James met, e-mail majordomo@listbox.com. In the body of the letter to James, type "subscribe" and then "nice-list," Tina said. Correspondents should next add their e-mail address.

Tina and James will have a book signing session next Friday, September 11, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Floyd County library. Books can be purchased directly from the authors.

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LIVING EXAMPLES

"Almost all the stories have morals and Christian values are taught," Tina said. "Things happen that couldn't actually happen to chickens. It's the people, and they learn from the things they go through."

Tina and James used some aspects of their own lives in their "Tales from the Coop." Tina and her husband have six children; James and his wife have three sons. All the children's names are in the story, and one of Tina's aunts, Goldie, is also mentioned.

One chapter mentions a girl who scored 32 on her ACT. That person is actually Tina's son, Seth Collins, who was home-schooled. Tina held a graduation ceremony for her son at the Betsy Layne Senior Citizens Center on June 5.

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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.

• Otter Creek Correctional Center, 91: Gym has water fountain in disrepair. Urinal absent in Dorm A. Light out in property room and in Dorm B.

• Allen Food Mart, 98: Regular inspection following pre-opening by new owners. Utensils improperly

stored in preparation area. Mop head stored on floor.

• The Playhouse, 93: Thermometers in all cooling units. Food storage room stored on the floor. Microwave soiled. Utensils improperly stored. Hair restrains not used in food preparation area. Establishment has said that a splash guard will be installed above food

pick-up area.

• Winn-Dixie, 96 in deli and 95 in retail: Items in retail and food preparation area stored on floor. Restrooms and handwash sinks have some soap, tissue and toweling absent. Some soil accumulation. Mop head stored on floor.

• T & S Tobacco Mart, 98: Cigarettes stored on floor.

• MiDee Mart Deli, 95 in deli and 97 in retail: Thermometers not in all cooling units. Food stored on floor of deep freeze. Mixer head and microwave soiled.

• Campbell's Grocery, 97 in deli and 97 in retail: Investigation made due to complaint regarding improper grilling procedures. Grilling was not occurring at inspection, but precautionary measures were discussed and carried out.

Labeling on deli-packaged items to include date. Floor in food preparation area needs repairs. Ceiling in retail area needs repairs.

• Triangle Market, 96: Produce improperly stored on floor. Outside cooling unit has broken thermometer. Proper temperature being maintained. Some coolers need thermometers. Ice scoop improperly

stored. Bagged ice labeled prior to completion of inspection.

• Dollar General Store No. 3566, 96: Restroom has no self-closing door and improper waste receptacle. Storage room has several bulbs out. Mop head stored on the floor. Area in back has broken glass.

• Cardinal Country Store No. 6, 96 in deli and 96 in retail: Thermometer absent from some cooling units in both retail and food service. Cigarettes stored on floor. Popcorn and cashew scoops improperly stored. Personnel not wearing hair restrains during food preparation. Meat slicer, pop dispenser and tray and cappuccino machine has slight soiling.

• MCA lunchroom, 98: Dumpster has no lid. Evidence of leak in ceiling in food preparation area.

WEDDINGS



ENGAGEMENTS

Stevenson-Hatfield exchange vows

Richard and Susan Stevenson of Grove City, Pennsylvania, announce the marriage of their daughter, Sarah Jane Stevenson, to Ronald Scott Hatfield, son of Ronald and Kathleen Hatfield of Lexington.

The couple exchanged vows July 4, at 10:30 a.m., at Harbison Chapel, Grove City College, in Grove City, Pennsylvania with Rev. Dr. F. Stanley Keehlwetter and Rev. David Joachin officiating at the matrimony.

Escorted by her father, Ronald Hatfield, the bride wore a formal wedding gown of silk bombazine and Chantilly lace, styled with a lace bodice, scalloped Sabrina neckline and short lace sleeves; the full skirt was completed with a back lace-edged wateau train. A Juliet cap secured the elbow-length veil. She carried a bouquet of burgundy and white roses accented with ivy and statice.

Dr. Richard Konzen was organist and Joanna Rice was soloist.

The honor attendant was Emily Stevenson of Grove City, Pennsylvania, sister of the bride.

Those serving as bridesmaids were Sara Baker of Cincinnati, Ohio; Jennifer Cowan of Decatur, Georgia; Kathryn McDonald of Cincinnati, Ohio; Joanna Rice of Los Angeles, California; and Rachel Roe of Maryville, Tennessee.

The bridesmaids wore short-sleeved navy blue, tea length dresses with navy sashes. They carried bouquets of red and burgundy roses accented with stargazer lilies and navy blue ribbon-wrapped stems.

The flower girl was Kirsten McClelland, cousin of the bride. The reader was Laura Guarina from Atlanta, Georgia, also cousin of the bride.

The guest book attendants were Tiffany Rudicil of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Aaron Skrypski of Baltimore, Maryland.

The bestman was Mark Hatfield of Lexington, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were John Hatfield, brother of the groom; Jack Justice, Erik Melton, Bryan Stalker, all of Lexington; and Donald Tackett of Johnson City, Tennessee.

The outdoor reception was held in the Magoffin Inn, Mercer from 12-3 p.m.

The bride is a 1993 graduate of Grove City High School, Grove City, Pennsylvania, and a 1997 graduate of Maryville College, Maryville, Tennessee. She is a graduate student at the University of Kentucky pursuing a master's in communications.

The groom is a 1990 graduate of Pikeville High School, Pikeville, and a 1996 graduate of the University of Kentucky, Lexington. He is a computer programmer employed by MMIS Inc., Lexington.



Jennifer Blackburn

Blackburn, Berger to wed

James and Myra Gillispie of Auxier announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Jennifer Blackburn, and Christopher Berger, son of Sheila Hicks of Prestonsburg and Charles Berger of Bevinsville.

The bride is the granddaughter of John and Betty Bays of Auxier and Archel and Emma Jean Blackburn of Endicott.

The groom is the grandson of Pearl Berger of Bevinsville and the late Joe Berger.

The couple will exchange vows in a lawn wedding ceremony on Saturday, September 5, at 6 p.m., at the home of the bride's great-grandmother, Alice Bays. The home is located on Auxier Road, near Highlands Regional Medical Center.

In the event of rain, the ceremony will be held at the Highlands Avenue Freewill Baptist Church in Prestonsburg.

The gracious custom of an open wedding will be observed.



Crider, Fitzpatrick to wed

Janice and Stanley Jervis of West Prestonsburg and William J. Crider of Campton announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Brandy Ann Crider, to Joshua H. Fitzpatrick, son of Stephen H. Fitzpatrick of Prestonsburg and Carol and Dan Zimmerman of Somerset. The wedding will be held at the Penny Road Community Church at Virgie on November 6, at 6:30 p.m. A reception will follow at the church. The couple will reside in Somerset.



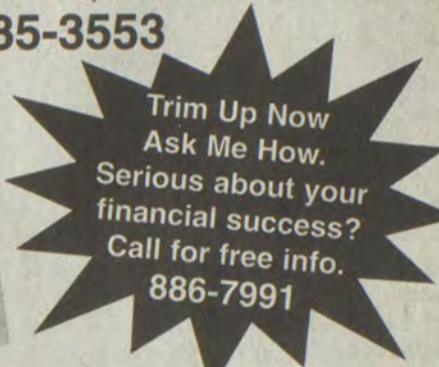
Spears, Hall to wed

Larry Spears of Banner and Shelia Bowens of Winchester, announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Daphnie Robin Spears, to Douglas Keith Hall, son of Keith Hall of Elkhorn and Annette Miller of Staffordsville. The couple will exchange vows on Saturday, September 5, at 4:30 p.m., at Little Paint First Church of God in Prestonsburg. A reception will be held in the church fellowship hall. The gracious custom of an open wedding will be observed.

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AG NEWS



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Yellowjacket season here again

August brings school buses, the blooming of fall wildflowers and unfortunately large numbers of yellowjackets. Though they have been around all summer, yellowjacket colonies near maturity in late-summer and fall. Huge numbers of workers are out foraging for food for the developing queens. With insect prey (their usual diet) becoming scarce, yellowjackets scavenge for other sources of food, especially sweets like fruit, ice cream, beer and soft drinks. They can become unwelcome pests at picnics and other outdoor activities.

The best way to reduce the threat of foraging yellowjackets is to minimize attractive food sources. People eating outdoors should keep food and beverages covered until ready to be eaten. Spills and leftovers should be cleaned up promptly. Trash cans should be covered with tight-fitting lids.

A dilute solution of ammonia and water (approximately 6 ounces of ammonia per gallon of water) sprayed in and around trash cans and sponged onto outdoor tables and food preparation surfaces may help to repel yellow jackets.

Hummingbird bird feeders attract

yellowjackets and other wasps and bees. While the hummingbirds are not intimidated by the wasps, they can cause a problem for the homeowner. Try using vegetable oil around the feeding slits; spray a product like Avon's "Skin So Soft" lotion on the feeders.

Although only of marginal benefit, traps are available which catch impressive numbers of yellowjackets when properly baited and positioned (generally around the outer edges of the area you wish to protect). Braunschwagger liverwurst spread used with jelly has been an effective attractant.

Elimination of yellowjackets is best accomplished by locating and destroying the nests. However, with foraging yellowjackets this is often impractical, since the nest (or nests) may be located several hundred yards away. If the nest entrance can be located it can often be eliminated by carefully applying a wasp aerosol insecticide into the nest opening.

Insecticidal dust formulations, e.g., carbaryl (Sevin), bendiocarb (Ficam), Drione, etc., are especially effective provided a hand duster or similar type application device is to

be used to dispense several puffs of the dust into the nest opening. A dry empty liquid detergent bottle filled no more than halfway with dust and shaken before dispensing works fairly well in lieu of a commercial duster. A few pebbles or marbles added to the bottom of the bottle prevents the dust from caking.

Treatment should be performed late at night after all yellowjackets are in the nest and less active. Pinpoint the nest opening during the daytime, so you will remember where to direct your treatment after dark.

Approach the nest slowly and do not shine the beam of your flashlight directly into the nest entrance as this may startle the wasps; instead, cast the beam to the side to illuminate the nest indirectly. If possible, place the light on the ground rather than in your hand. As with hornets, yellowjackets are extremely aggressive when the nest is disturbed.

If you have any questions, contact Pat Spicer at the Floyd County Cooperative Extension Service office (606) 886-2668 or stop by 921 South Lake Drive in Prestonsburg.



Pat Spicer

BIRTHDAYS



Randy Dillon Hamilton

Third birthday

Randy Dillon Hamilton celebrated his third birthday, August 23rd. He is the son of Randy and Brenda Hamilton of Beaver.

He is the grandson of Mabeth Baker of Beaver and the late Larry Dale Mitchell, Foster Thacker of Shelbyana and the late Pauline Hamilton Thacker.

Dillon celebrated his birthday at Pizza Hut with his friends and family. Guests attending were Zachary Tackett; Shaina, Shellie and Lucus Hamilton; D.J. an Cory Kidd; Cassie and Jarrod Morton; Cody Akers and Sara Johnson.

The Rugrats Theme was used.



Effie George Cook celebrated her 88th birthday at her daughter and son-in-law's, Dan and Kathy Mathis at Lake Norman Mooresville, North Carolina, with her twin sisters, Mildred Branham of Prestonsburg, and Thelma Thomas of South Shore, on August 17. She observed her birthday on September 1.



Kelsey Mart

First birthday

Kelsey Danae Martin celebrated her first birthday on August 19, at her home. Her brother, Blake, as well as many friends and family joined in on this special day. She is the daughter of David and Sarah Martin of Minnie. She is the great-granddaughter of Shirley Martin of McDowell and the late Dollie and Hatch Branham. She is the granddaughter of Jim Martin of Maytown and Jeanene McGuire of McArthur, Ohio. She is also the great-granddaughter of Verna and A.J. Savicki of Leslie, Michigan, and granddaughter of Darlene and Willie Branham of Spring Arbor, Michigan. She also has one sister, Kristi Martin, of Bevinsville.

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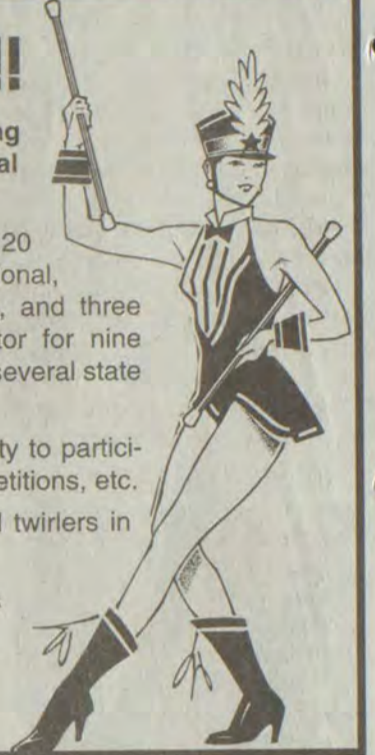
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August 18: A daughter, Kayla Alexa, to Hayes and Gladys Maggard of Inez.

August 19: A daughter, Haley Danielle, to Trent and Diana Slone of Whittensville; a son, Adrian Paul, to Mollie Shepherd of Salyersville; a son, Nicholas Jordan, to Sheila and Rocky Rowe

of Prestonsburg.

August 21: A daughter, Hannah Renee, to Tamara Renee and James Neil Little of Prestonsburg.

August 22: A daughter, Morgan Danielle Green, to Rhonda Renee Bentley of Martin.

August 24: A son, Jonathan Edward, to Misty and Eddie Caudill of Topmost; a daughter, Stasha Danielle, to Kathy and Stacy Russell of Salyersville.

Yesterdays

(Continued from page one)

he will be a candidate for Railroad Commissioner, Third District of Kentucky...The county's second historical highway marker was erected Friday commemorating Daniel Boone's discovery of the salt springs at the present David on Middle Creek in 1767...Jarvis Allen, office deputy and legal adviser to Sheriff Hershel Warrens, said this week that crime in Floyd County is increasing...Public assistance recipients in Floyd county received \$68,395 in June, it was announced recently by the Department of Economic Security, Frankfort...Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gunnell, of Pedro, O., a son, Dennis Gordon, August 14 at Ironton, Ohio; and to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wright, a daughter, Andrea Christian, August 24 at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Holbrook of Brainard, a son, August 26...There died: Rev. Lee Moore, 71, Wednesday at his home at Price; Mrs. Emma Zell Music, 85, formerly of Prestonsburg, August 21 at the home of a daughter in Asheville, North Carolina; Mrs. Louisa R. Spradlin, 67, of Betsy Layne, Saturday at a Lexington hospital.

Fifty Years Ago (August 26, 1948)

Judge William B. Ardery ruled Tuesday the General Assembly severing Floyd and Knott counties as a judicial district and the general reshuffling of counties in a re-districting shake-up over this section is constitutional. Attys. Joe P. Hobson and Bert T. Combs, of Prestonsburg joined Commonwealth's Attorney John Chris Cornett, of Hindman, in assailing the act. Judge Ardery gave Commonwealth's Attorney Cornett, Knott County, and J. B. Clarke, Martin County, a "reasonable" time to move to their new districts...Only one of four persons charged with selling whiskey or possessing it for sale left the Floyd County courtroom Monday with an acquittal...Floyd Fiscal Court members met highway officials in Frankfort last week to solicit state aid on construction of a road from David to connect with the Magoffin County route state is expected to build soon...Elderly coal miners will start receiv-

ing pensions next month, marking an end to one of the famous labor-management struggles of modern times. The amount will be \$100 a month...Eighteen deputies were removed Saturday from the list of Floyd County deputy sheriffs. This latest reduction followed the removal of others earlier in the week...There died: Reece Bentley, 29, of Frasure's Creek, Monday as a result of the county's first hunting tragedy of this season; funeral rites for Pvt. Ernest Mullins, killed December 26, 1945, while serving with General Patton's Third Army near Luxembourg were conducted Wednesday at Hunter; Thomas Wright, 62, at his home at Wheelwright, last Thursday; Leon Hays, 23-year-old veteran and native of Martin, was killed in a car accident in Rowan County Monday; Rev. Enoch Garrett, 90, died last Wednesday in Wheelwright; Hibbert Fleming, 62, Friday at his home in Wheelwright.

Sixty Years Ago (August 25, 1938)

Coal from District 8 of Price Area No. 1 under the National Bituminous Coal act which was invalidated last February will be reestablished October 1, according to the belief of coal operators...While working at the Inland Gas Company on Middle Creek, Alka Hicks and Jimmy Prater, of Hippo, and others killed 18 copperhead snakes...In a report to the Secretary of State, G. Tom Hawkins, of Praise, listed election expenses in his campaign for United States Senate as \$9.07; John A. Kreke, of Newport, nominee for representative of the Fifth Congressional District, reported he spent nothing...Martin Policeman Tavis Flannery noted a pick-up in "business" last week when 12 persons were jailed in Martin's lock-up on various charges within one day. But when he opened the door the next morning, he found that business had fallen off. Eight prisoners had escaped...When Rev. E. Howard Cadle, nationally-known radio preacher was forced by a storm to land in Louisa, he held impromptu services during which 12 persons were converted...Married were Miss Ella Belle Akers and Mr. Tom Moore.

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2 pkg. (9 oz. each) frozen French-style green beans
3 tablespoons water
1 can (10 3/4 oz.) condensed cream of mushroom soup
1/4 cup milk
1 can (7 oz.) sliced button mushrooms, drained
1 pkg. (3 oz.) cream cheese, cut into small pieces
1 can (2.8 oz.) French-fried onions

Place frozen green beans in 1 1/2-quart round glass casserole. Add water. Cover and microwave at high (100%) for 9 minutes, breaking beans apart with fork after about half the cooking time. Drain well. Set casserole aside.

In mixing bowl, stir together soup and milk. Stir in drained beans, mushrooms, and cream cheese. Spoon into round glass casserole.

Microwave at high for 6 minutes, stirring about halfway through cooking time. Top with onions. Microwave at high for 2 minutes longer or until thoroughly heated.

SALMON STEAKS WITH SHALLOT BUTTER

(Makes 4 servings. Total cooking time: 11 to 12 minutes)

4 fresh salmon steaks (about 1 1/2 pounds)
1 cup water
3 tablespoons chopped shallots or green onion
1 tablespoon butter or margarine
1 tablespoon cornstarch
1/8 teaspoon dried rosemary, crushed

3/4 cup chicken broth
1 teaspoon lemon juice

Place salmon steaks in 10x6x2-inch glass baking dish. Pour water around salmon. Cover and microwave at medium high (70%) for 8 minutes or until salmon flakes easily when tested with a fork. Drain and place on serving plate; cover and keep warm.

In 2-cup glass measuring cup, combine shallots and butter. Microwave at high (100%) for 1 to 1 1/2 minutes or until tender, stirring once. Stir in cornstarch and rosemary. Stir in chicken broth. Microwave at high for 2 to 2 1/2 minutes or until boiling and thickened, stirring once. Stir in lemon juice. Spoon over salmon to serve.

CREAMY FUDGE SAUCE

(Makes 1 3/4 cups. Total cooking time: 4 1/2 to 5 minutes)

1 cup sugar
3 tablespoons cocoa powder
1/3 cup all-purpose flour
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 1/3 cups milk
1 teaspoon vanilla flavoring

2 tablespoons margarine or butter

Stir together sugar, cocoa powder, flour and salt in 1 1/2-quart microwave-safe bowl. Gradually stir in milk. Microwave at high (100%) for 4 1/2 to 5 minutes or until boiling and thickened, stirring with whisk after every minute. Stir in vanilla and margarine. Serve warm or cooled. Store in refrigerator.

NOTE: Stir in 2 to 3 drops peppermint extract for peppermint fudge sauce. Stir in a few teaspoons more milk if a thinner consistency is desired.

HOT CARAMEL SAUCE

(Makes 2 cups. Total cooking time: 4 1/2 to 5 1/2 minutes)

1 1/2 cups firmly packed brown sugar
1/2 cup margarine or butter
2 tablespoons light corn syrup
1 can (5 oz., 1/3 cup) evaporated milk

Combine sugar, margarine and corn syrup in 1 1/2-quart microwave-safe bowl. Microwave at high (100%) for 3 1/2 to 4 minutes or until mixture reaches full boil and sugar dissolves, stirring once or twice. Gradually stir in milk. Microwave at high for 1 to 1 1/2 minutes or until mixture again reaches boil. Cool to lukewarm before serving. Store in refrigerator.

WHITE CHOCOLATE ALMOND SAUCE

(Makes 1 3/4 cups. Total cooking time: 4 to 4 1/2 minutes)

1 pkg. (12 oz., 2 cups) white chocolate morsels
1/2 cup whipping cream
1/2 cup sliced almonds

Microwave white chocolate morsels in 1-quart microwave-safe bowl at medium high (70%) for 3 to 3 1/2 minutes, stirring every minute. Stir until smooth. Warm whipping cream in microwave oven at high (100%) for 30 seconds or until lukewarm. Stir into melted morsels. Stir in almonds. Microwave at MEDIUM (50%) for 30 seconds or until warm. Serve warm. Store in refrigerator.

LAYERED CHOCOLATE BUTTERSCOTCH BARS

2 1/2 cups (about 65) crushed vanilla wafers

1/4 cup Land O Lakes® Butter, melted
2 teaspoons vanilla
1 cup flaked coconut
1 cup (6-ounce package) semi-sweet chocolate chips
1 cup butterscotch flavored chips
1 can (14 ounce) sweetened condensed milk
1/2 cup salted peanuts

Heat oven to 350°. In medium bowl stir together vanilla wafers, melted butter and vanilla. Press on

bottom of greased and floured 13x9-inch baking pan. Sprinkle with coconut, chocolate and butterscotch chips. Pour condensed milk over the top; sprinkle with peanuts. Bake for 20 to 27 minutes or until edges are lightly browned. Cool completely; cut into bars. Cover; store refrigerated. Makes 3 dozen.

GLAZED APPLE PIE BARS

Crust

2 1/2 cups all-purpose flour
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup Land O Lakes® Butter, chilled

1 egg, separated, yolk beaten with enough milk to equal 2/3 cup, reserve white

Filling

1 cup crushed corn flakes
8 to 10 medium tart cooking apples (8 cups), peeled, sliced
1 cup sugar
2 teaspoons cinnamon, divided usage

1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg
1 reserved egg white
2 tablespoons sugar
Glaze
1 cup powdered sugar
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
1 to 2 tablespoons milk

Heat oven to 350°. In medium bowl, combine flour and salt; cut in butter until crumbly. With fork, stir in egg yolk and milk until dough forms a ball; divide in half. On lightly floured surface, roll 1/2 of dough into 15x10-inch rectangle, place on bottom of 15x10x1-inch jelly-roll pan. Sprinkle with corn flakes; top with apples.

In small bowl, combine 1 cup sugar, 1 1/2 teaspoons cinnamon and nutmeg. Sprinkle over apples. Roll remaining half of dough into 15 1/2x10 1/2-inch rectangle; place over apples.

Beat egg white with fork until foamy; brush over top crust. In small bowl stir together 2 table-

spoons sugar and remaining 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon; sprinkle over crust. Bake for 45 to 60 minutes or until lightly browned.

In small bowl, stir together powdered sugar, vanilla and enough milk for desired glazing consistency. Drizzle over warm bars. Makes 36 bars.

TURKEY-APPLE QUESADILLAS

Sweet honey mustard
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Spread mustard on 1 side of each tortilla. Layer 1 tortilla with 2 slices turkey, 1/2 apple slices and 3 slices cheese. Cover with 1 tortilla. Repeat with remaining tortillas. Brush melted butter on both sides of each quesadilla. Heat 10-inch skillet or griddle. Grill quesadilla over medium heat, turning once, until cheese is melted and quesadilla is lightly browned (2 to 3 minutes). Repeat with remaining quesadilla. Cut into wedges. 4 servings.

JOHNNY APPLESEED CAKE WITH CARAMEL SAUCE

1 1/4 cups all-purpose flour
1 cup whole-wheat flour
3/4 cup sugar
3/4 cup brown sugar, firmly packed

2 tablespoon baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon ground nutmeg
1/2 teaspoon baking soda
1/4 teaspoon curry powder
3/4 cup vegetable oil
3 eggs, slightly beaten
2 teaspoons vanilla
2 large tart cooking apples (2 1/2 cups), 1/2-inch cubes

3/4 cup walnuts, finely chopped

Sauce
1 cup brown sugar, firmly packed
1/2 cup whipping cream
3 tablespoons Land O Lakes®

Butter
1 teaspoon vanilla
Garnish
Sweetened whipped cream, if desired

Heat oven to 350°. In large mixer bowl, combine flour, whole-wheat flour, sugar, 3/4 cup brown sugar, cinnamon, baking powder, salt, nutmeg, baking soda and curry powder. Beat at low speed until well mixed (1 to 2 minutes). Add oil, eggs and 2 teaspoons vanilla. Beat at medium

speed, scraping bowl often, until well mixed (1 to 2 minutes). By hand, stir in apples and walnuts.

Spread into greased and floured 13x9-inch baking pan. Bake for 40 to 45 minutes or until top springs back when touched lightly in center. Cool completely.

Just before serving, in 1-quart saucepan combine 1 cup brown sugar, whipping cream and butter. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, until sugar is dissolved (3 to 4 minutes). Stir in vanilla. Drizzle sauce over each piece of cake; dollop with whipped cream, if desired.

Chicken soup for love and relationships

Do you have a story?

Do you have heart-warming, insightful and powerfully moving stories about love and relationships? The authors of the New York Times Best-selling book series, Chicken Soup for the Soul are currently seeking stories to include in Chicken Soup for Love and Relationships.

So far, Chicken Soup for the Soul titles have sold more than 30 million copies to date, literally transforming the lives of readers from all walks of life.

What makes a good Chicken Soup for the Soul story?

A Chicken Soup story is an inspirational, sometimes emotional, often humorous, true story that opens the heart and re-kindles the spirit. It is the personal account of an event, a relationship, a lesson learned or a dream fulfilled that helps the reader discover basic principles they can use in their own lives.

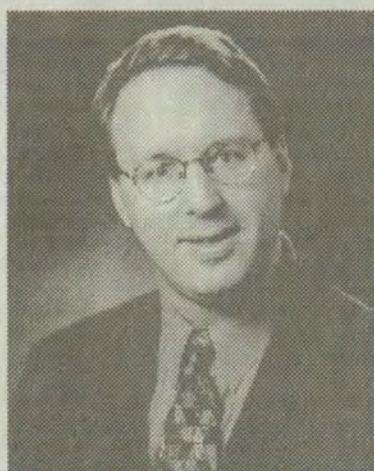
Some of the topics will be included are: Love and Intimacy, Finding Each Other, On Commitment, Understanding Each Other, Overcoming Obstacles, On Family, The Flame Still Burns, and Aging and Love After Death.

If you have a great relationship or love story and would like to be included in Chicken Soup for Love and Relationships, send your stories to: Chicken Soup for Love and Relationships at 3104 E. Camelback Rd. No. 531, Phoenix, AZ 85016 (keep copies as we are unable to return materials). Fax to (602) 508-8912. Or e-mail them to soup4soul@home.com.

The maximum word count is 1200 words. For each story selected in the book, a 50-word biography will be included about the author and a permission fee of \$300 will be paid for one-time rights. There are no limits to the number of submissions. Stories must be received no later than September 10.

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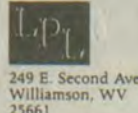
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BUSINESS/REAL ESTATE

Workplace communication wins with 'buzzword bingo'

Legal documents are notorious for being written in legalese rather than plain English. That explains, in part, why some people get so much pleasure from poking fun at lawyers.

Now it appears the tables have been turned and corporate executives and managers are the latest target. The Wall Street Journal reports that "buzzword bingo" is all the rage among white-collar workers. There has even been a Dilbert cartoon about this clandestine office game.

As I understand it, bingo-like cards filled with corporate buzzwords - instead of numbers - are secretly distributed among employees at the start of meetings with their boss. Printed on the cards are buzzwords such as proactive, impactfulness, employee empowerment, cor-

porate culture, core competency, matrix, and paradigm.

Employees check off the buzzwords on their cards as the words roll off the boss's tongue during the meeting. The first person in the room to fill in a complete line coughs loudly - the equivalent of shouting "Bingo!" - to alert other players that they have won the game.

A buzzword, which can be any popular new word or term used by a particular group, is not harmful in and of itself. It is used in the corporate world as a kind of shorthand to describe succinctly a philosophy, activity or function of the organization. Overuse of a buzzword has the adverse effect of draining it of all meaning, excitement and sincerity. Buzzword bingo is a natural

response by employees to the proliferation and overuse of buzzwords that together can amount to "corporate speak."

Buzzword bingo actually is a



It's Everybody's Business

by Rex Martin

sign that a healthy check-and-balance system exists in the modern workplace. Executives and managers embarrassed by the possibility that their direct reports are having some fun at their expense may reex-

amine and, hopefully, improve their communication methods.

Critiquing modern painters in the 19th century, author John Ruskin wrote, "The greatest thing a human soul ever does in this world is to see something, and tell what it saw in a plain way."

The same may be said about the art of business communications.

An acronym familiar to most business people today is KISS, which stands for "keep it simple, stupid." As applied to business communications, KISS means that directives, memos and verbal remarks should be clear and direct, without overused buzzwords, tired clichés, or lengthy commentary.

President Lincoln understood the

essence of clear communication. Invited to the November 1863 dedication ceremony at Gettysburg, Lincoln was asked to make a "few appropriate remarks." Edward Everett, a great speaker of that era, was scheduled to give an "oration."

I don't know what buzzwords Everett may have used during his two hours of oratory. He and his many words are all but forgotten while Lincoln's Gettysburg Address is revered and studied today for its simple eloquence.

The sooner business executives and managers learn to communicate

more clearly, the sooner buzzword bingo will lose its appeal. When that day comes, bosses will no longer have to wonder whether those people who cough during their meetings have developed colds or winning bingo cards.

Rex Martin is chairman, president and CEO of NIBCO INC., an Elkhart, Ind.-based worldwide provider of flow-control products and systems for customers in the residential and commercial construction, industrial, and irrigation markets.

Century 21 real estate corporation appoints Lowe, and partners/SMS as advertising agency of record

Century 21 Real Estate Corporation, franchiser of the world's largest residential real estate brokerage system, announced, August 20, that it has awarded its \$40 million advertising account and agency of record status to Lowe and Partners/SMS. Lowe and Partners will be responsible for developing brand image advertising for the Century 21® System and its more than 6,300 independently owned and operated franchised broker offices worldwide. Arnold Advertising, headquartered in Boston, held the account previously.

Garfinkel, co-chairman and chief creative officer of Lowe and Partners/SMS. "Century 21 Real Estate Corporation is a first-rate organization in a compelling category," commented Marvin Sloves, co-chairman of Lowe and Partners/SMS. "We are very proud to add the CENTURY 21 name to our list of great clients."

The Century 21 Real Estate Corporation's account will be serviced from Lowe and Partners/SMS' headquarters in New York.

Century 21 Real Estate Corporation (www.century21.com), based in Parsippany, New Jersey, is the franchisor of the world's largest residential real estate organization, providing comprehensive marketing programs, training, management, and administrative support to more than 6,300 independently owned and operated franchised broker offices in more than 25 countries and territories worldwide.

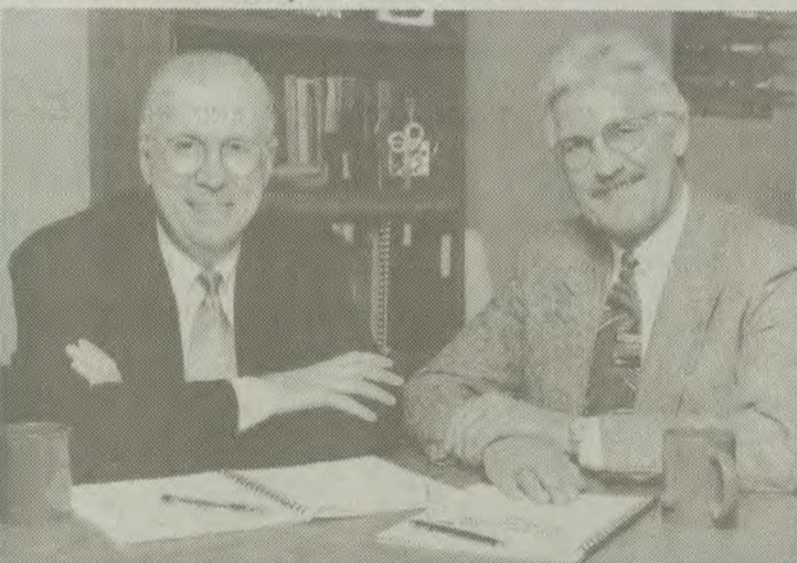
According to a 1998 Wirthlin Worldwide Study, Century 21 Real Estate Corporation ranked highest of all national real estate brands in consumer awareness, brand preference and overall professionalism and knowledge among its sales associates. In addition, the System was ranked number one at helping

consumers buy and sell their homes. Century 21 Real Estate Corporation is a subsidiary of Cendant Corporation (NYSE:CD).

Lowe and Partners/SMS is a full-service advertising agency and marketing communications firm that handles clients including The Coca-Cola Company, Mercedes-Benz, Heineken USA Inc., Sun Microsystems Inc., Braun, Eddie Bauer, KPMG Peat Marwick, Oral-B, Ralston Purina, Western Union, Denny's, Perdue, Courtyard by Marriott, Long John Silver's, U.S. Virgin Islands, Valvoline and Whitehall-Robins. Headquartered

in New York City, the company opened Lowe and Partners/SMS in San Francisco in the spring of 1997, also a full-service advertising agency, with 60 employees and billings exceeding \$125 million. Together, Lowe and Partners/SMS employ more than 400 with total billings of \$740 million.

Lowe and Partners/SMS is part of the Lowe Group's main advertising network, Lowe and Partners Worldwide. Founded in London in 1981, Lowe is ranked 13th among agency networks and has billings in excess of \$3.8 billion and offices in 34 countries.



Nesbitt Engineering, Inc., Lexington, recently announced the acquisition of Baldrige Engineering, PSC, in Prestonsburg. A leading engineering consulting firm for more than 22 years with offices in Lexington and Hazard, Nesbitt offers mining, civil, and environmental consulting services throughout Kentucky and surrounding states. As a result of this acquisition, Nesbitt expands their expertise to include gas and oil well permitting, gas pipeline survey and design. Nesbitt will maintain the Prestonsburg office location at 834 South Lake Drive. Pictured are, Paul D. Nesbitt, MBA, PE, LS, and Harold L. "Bud" Baldrige, P.E., LS.

Wal-Mart awards grant

The Prestonsburg Wal-Mart store presented March of Dimes with a grant in the amount of \$2,000, on Monday, August 24.

The donation is part of the matching grant program funded by the Wal-Mart Foundation.

"March of Dimes will use the funds for the continued fight against birth disease in Eastern Kentucky," March of Dimes representatives said.

"We are thrilled to be able to support a variety of causes through funds raised by this orga-

nization and our associates," said Greg Salyer, Prestonsburg store manager. "The money will be utilized for programs in our community and we are glad to help them out. It is just part of Wal-Mart's ongoing commitment to our communities where we conduct business."

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RUMMAGE AND YARD SALES

GARAGE SALE: Rain or shine. Thursday, Sept. 3. One mile off Mt. Parkway on David Rd. Jct. 404.

YARD SALE: 1320 and 1274 Riverside Dr. behind Giovannis Aug. 28-29, 8 am 'til 4 pm. Baby, children, men, and women's clothing, some glass ware, chair, odds and ends.

SEPT. 1, 2, AND 3: 246 N. Highland, Prestonsburg.

YARD SALE: Sept. 4 and 5, Fri. and Sat. Located at Cambell's Residence. Gas Fork Rd., Allen, KY (brick house). Small womens, clothing, teenage girl clothing, appliances, dishes, dryers and washer, tires. Come see, we have a little bit of everything. Rain or shine.

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THREE FAMILY YARD SALE: Sat. Sept. 5, 9-5. Sun. Sept. 6, 1-5. Baby, boys, mens and womens clothes. Lots of misc. items. Mt. Parkway, Fitzpatrick Rd.

YARD SALE: Wed., possibly Thurs., Sept. 2 & 3. 1 mile from Pizza Hut, Mays Branch, veer left all the way up to end of road.

YARD SALE: Sept. 2-3. 91 S. Roberts Dr. Baby clothes (0-24 months), kids computers, women's and big men's clothing and shoes.

CAR PORT SALE: Rain or shine. 3rd house on right on Stone Coal Rd. in Garrett. 358-4337, lots of items for sale due to moving, includes curtains, sheets, spreads and household items too numerous to mention. Sept. 2-4, starting at 9 am.

4 FAMILY YARD SALE: Lots of items. 1.3 miles up Abbott Rd., Prestonsburg. Sept. 3,4,5 1998. 8:00am-4:00 pm.

YARD SALE: Back to school boys clothes, toys, and more. Sat. Sept. 5 and Sept. 8. 9:00am. 449

N. Arnold Ave., 2 blocks from high school.

3 FAMILY YARD SALE: Sept. 2-3. Wed. and Thurs. 9:00am. Follow signs in Allen near intersection. First right passed Ky. Wholesale and Tobacco. Roller blades, books, toys, CD's, clothes of many sizes, etc. Low prices on everything.

MOVING SALE: Fri. and Sat. 4th and 5th. 1 1/2 miles on Stephen's Branch at Martin. Furniture, bedding, kids and adult clothing, pictures, and too much more to list.

YARD SALE: Sept. 3-7, on Rt. 404, across from Fire Department at house and trailer. Mens, womens, boys and girls regular and slim clothes. Coats, shoes, and lots more.

YARD SALE: 8" table saw, dry/wet vac, water pump, sewing machines, chain saw, clothes, and many things, at Dwale across left to Jimmy Wise's house, Sept. 3 and 4, 9:00 am to 6:00 pm.

YARD SALE: Friday, Aug. 4. Girls size 4-6, boys 6-10, mens and womens' clothing in all sizes, twin bed, dishes, toys, bed spreads, and curtains. Lots more odds and ends. Three miles up Buck's Branch to the top of the hill. Cancel if rain. 9-6. 886-9246 or 886-1968.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF DELINQUENT UNMINED COAL TAXES

The following 1989 omitted, 1990 omitted, 1991 omitted, 1992 Omitted, 1997 Unmined Coal Unpaid Tax Claims will be offered for sale at the courthouse in Prestonsburg, Ky., on September 23, 1998, at 10:00 a.m. The amount opposite the name includes total amount due before the date of sale.

Paul Hunt Thompson Sheriff of Floyd County

| 1989 OMITTED | BILL # | NAME | ADDRESS | AMOUNT |
|--------------|--------|--------------------------|----------------------------|----------|
| | 1C | ADDINGTON INC | 1500 BIG RUN RD, ASHLAND | 580.45 |
| | 2C | BASINGER FOSTEENA | GALLAWAY RD., LAKELAND FL | 87.52 |
| | 20C | FRANCIS ENT. | BOX 7, GARRETT, KY. | 408.08 |
| | 23C | HENRY HALL HEIRS | | 82.95 |
| | 26C | EUGENE HAMILTON | RT. 979, TEABERRY, KY | 690.67 |
| | 31C | HARKINS MINERAL | BOX 190, BETSY LAYNE, KY | 429.70 |
| | 35C | WILLIAM HARKINS | 134 PADDOCK, NIKCHOLAS, KY | 13.13 |
| | 51C | LEONARD HALL | RT. 1, BOX 27, HONAKER, KY | 472.03 |
| | 56C | EDITH MARTIN | BOX 111, MARTIN, KY | 504.48 |
| | 67C | WM. & MARY MARTIN | BOX 801, MARTIN, KY | 441.15 |
| | 81C | EMMALEEN RUCKER | RENO DR., GEORGETOWN, KY | 27.18 |
| | 83C | SALISBURY HEIRS | RT. 122, HUNTER, KY. | 328.21 |
| | 88C | GOODMAN SYKE | BILOXI, KY | 172.58 |
| | 90C | SOUTHERN KY. ENGERY | BOX 1747, ABINGDON, KY | 46941.18 |
| | 91C | SOUTHERN KY ENGERY | BOX 1747, ABINGDON, KY | 1608.22 |
| | 92C | SUE STEPHENS | 4660 CORYDON, IN. | 131.17 |
| | 95C | T&K MINING | CLEVELAND, OHIO | 186.56 |
| | 96C | TRANSCONTINENTAL | LEXINGTON, KY. | 4265.12 |
| | 99C | UNKNOWN | | 375.26 |
| 1990 OMITTED | | | | |
| | 1C | ADDINGTON INC. | 1500 BIG RUN RD., ASHLAND | 758.64 |
| | 3C | BASINGER FOSTEENA | GALLAWAY RD., LAKLAND, FL | 86.32 |
| | 16C | PEGGY & BILL DAVIS | BOX 2171, PIKEVILLE, KY | 659.07 |
| | 23C | FRANCIS ENTERPRISE | BOX 7, GARRETT, KY | 523.71 |
| | 27C | HALL HEIRS | | 106.55 |
| | 30C | EUGENE HAMILTON | RT. 979, TEABERRY, KY | 903.13 |
| | 35C | HARKINS MINERAL | P.O. BOX 190, BETSY LAYNE | 3740.22 |
| | 37C | HARKINS MINERAL | P.O. BOX 190, BETSY LAYNE | 1353.28 |
| | 40C | WILLIAM HARKINS | 134 PADDOCK, NICHOLASVILLE | 15.04 |
| | 43C | TRIMBLE HATCHER | P.O. BOX 1020, PIKEVILLE | 389.35 |
| | 56C | LEONARD HALL | RT. 1, HONAKER, KY | 616.52 |
| | 63C | EDITH MARTIN | BOX 111, MARTIN, KY | 659.07 |
| | 92C | GENE PORTER | S. DAYTONA, FL. | 1533.40 |
| | 95C | EMMALEEN RUCKER | RENO DR., GEORGETOWN | 33.40 |
| | 97C | SALISBURY HEIRS | RT. 122, HUNTER, KY | 428.03 |
| | 102C | GOODMAN SYKE | BILOXI, KY | 224.03 |
| | 104C | SOUTHERN KY. ENGERY | BOX 1747, ABINGDON, VA | 30105.28 |
| | 105C | SOUTHERN KY. ENGERY | BOX 1747, ABINGDON, VA | 2105.76 |
| | 106C | SUE STEPHENS | CORYDON, IN. | 169.75 |
| | 109C | T&K MINING | CLEVELAND, OHIO | 242.34 |
| | 110C | TRANSCONTINENTAL | LEXINGTON, KY. | 5588.22 |
| | 126C | LELAND WRIGHT | AUXIER, KY | 420.62 |
| 1991 OMITTED | | | | |
| | 1C | ADDINGTON INC. | 1500 BIG RUN, ASHLAND, KY | 725.00 |
| | 2C | FOSTEENA BASINGER | GALLAWAY RD., LAKELAND, FL | 82.77 |
| | 18C | HARKINS MINERAL | BOX 190, BETSY LAYNE | 11665.48 |
| | 19C | HARKINS MINERAL | BOX 190, BETSY LAYNE | 3169.62 |
| | 21C | WILLIAM HARKINS | 134 PADDOCK, NICHOLASVILLE | 14.88 |
| | 35C | EDITH MARTIN | BOX 111, MARTIN, KY | 342.14 |
| | 47C | GENE PORTER | S. DAYTONA, FL | 971.16 |
| | 48C | EMMALEEN RUCKER | RENO DR., GEORGETOWN | 32.28 |
| | 51C | GOODMAN SYKE | BILOXI, KY | 118.55 |
| | 52C | SOUTHERN KY. ENERGY | BOX 1747, ABINGDON, VA | 28033.05 |
| | 53C | SOUTHERN KY. ENERGY | BOX 1747, ABINGDON, VA | 2011.55 |
| | 53C | SOUTHERN KY. ENERGY | POB 1747, ABINGDON, VA | 2011.88 |
| | 54C | STEPHENS, SUE AND GROVER | 4660 HWY 62E | 90.64 |
| | 57C | TRANSCONTINENTAL | | |
| | | COAL PROCESSI | 249 EAST MAIN, SUITE 200 | 5338.49 |
| | 62C | WRIGHT, CARL | P.O. BOX 363, VAN LEAR | 248.01 |
| | 63C | WRIGHT, LELAND | P.O. BOX 160 | 269.43 |
| 1992 OMITTED | | | | |
| | 10C | MARTIN, EDITH | BOX 111 | 198.11 |
| | 22C | RICHARDSON FUEL INC. | 24700 CENTER RIDGE RD. | 27010.32 |
| | 25C | SKYE, GOODMAN CRAMER | 703 HOLLY HILLS | 70.58 |
| | 26C | STEPHENS, SUE AND GROVER | 4660 HWY 62E | 54.70 |

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

RN needed for a full-time position in the Floyd County Health Department Home Health Agency.

One year nursing experience is required. Home health experience desirable. Current license to practice nursing in the State of Kentucky and current driver's license required. Beginning salary \$25,408.50 annually plus benefits.

Must submit application by September 11th to the Floyd County Health Department, 144 North Front Street, Prestonsburg, Ky.



FLOYD COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT HOME HEALTH AGENCY

Equal Opportunity Employer

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 (214 South Central Ave., Prestonsburg, KY 41653) from (Monday thru Friday) between the hours of (8 a.m. to 12 a.m.). (Floyd County Soil Conservation District).

Director (Jim Carter, II, 123 South Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg, KY)
 Assistant Director (Ruby Akers, Box 185, Drift, KY 41619)
 Secretary (Anna Sue Stumbo, Box 236, McDowell, KY 41647)
 Treasurer (Floyd Allen, Box 185, Eastern, KY 41622)
 Board Members (Lloyd Wells, 106 John C C Mayo Ave., Auxier, KY 41602)
 (Jim Reynolds, 1500 St. Rd. 850, David, KY 41616)
 (Billy Merritt, 184 Bee Fork, Prestonsburg, KY 41653)

SUMMARY FINANCIAL STATEMENT
 Floyd County Soil Conservation District

For Fiscal Period July 1, 1997 to June 30, 1998

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|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| Beginning Cash on hand (July 1, 1997) | \$83,874.22 |
| Receipts | |
| Fiscal Court | \$73,624.02 |
| State Aid | \$ 4,000.00 |
| Interest & Reimbursements | \$ 4,346.84 |
| Total Receipts | \$81,970.86 |
| Expenditures | |
| Salaries | \$34,840.83 |
| Office Operations | \$ 5,743.04 |
| Education & Promotion | \$28,861.34 |
| Supervisors Expenses | \$ 5,056.09 |
| Miscellaneous | \$ 998.99 |
| Total Expenditures | \$75,500.29 |
| Ending Balance (June 30, 1998) | \$90,344.79 |

YARD SALE: September 4, 1998, at Highland Terrace, 34 Mays Branch, Prestonsburg, KY. 9:00 to 4:00. Residents have items too numerous to mention.

NAME BRAND clothes, toys, and Home Interior. Two blocks from Prestonsburg High School on Arnold Avenue. Sept. 3, at 8:00 am - ?

CLOTHING SALE: Bring a bag and fill it with clothes for \$3.00 or fill two bags for \$5.00. Also, there will be wood craft items for sale. **PLACE:** St. Vincent Mission. **WHERE:** David, KY 41616, six miles off the Mt. Parkway on Hwy. 404. **WHEN:** Sept. 8 and 11. **TIME:** 9:30-2:30.

5 FAMILY Yard Sale, Sept. 3 and 4 at the mouth of Finance Hollow, Martin. Tools, Truck tool boxes, wreaths, professional punching bag, building materials, various plumbing supplies, etc.

5 FAMILY YARD SALE: 1125 Turkey Creek, 1 1/4 miles, follow signs. Home of Wanda Brown. Sept. 1 thru Sept. 15.

SERVICES

Book Keeping

DO YOU NEED TYPING, BOOKKEEPING, PAY-ROLL AND BILLING DONE? Cheap rates, because I work out of my home. Call Denise at (606)587-1185 after 6 o'clock.

Carpentry Work

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

Mobile Home Movers

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

Roofing & Construction

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

Services

MULLINS HOME BUILDING, REMODELING AND STORAGE BUILDINGS: Mike Mullins. Roofing, guttering, plumbing, storm windows, decks, painting and remodeling, work shingles, concrete blocks. All work guaranteed. Phone 606-377-2101.

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

Taxi Service

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

EAST KENTUCKY TRANSPORTATION INC.

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

ALLEN CITY CAB

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

Tree Service

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

LOST AND FOUND

Found
FOUND IN THE NEW ALLEN AREA: a female Dalmatian. 606-874-2238.
FOUND: Female Calico, year old. Right Fork, Bull Creek area, 874-3999.
FOUND: 2 small house dogs. Daniels Creek, Banner. 874-9438.

MISC.

Miscellaneous

VISIT THE LARGEST PANELING CENTER in Eastern Kentucky at Goble Lumber. Over 80 different prefinished pan-

els in stock and as low as \$4.95 per panel. Call Goble Lumber, 874-9281.

Free

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

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

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

Weight Loss

REDUCE; Lose Weight while you sleep. Take OPAL, available at Reid's Pharmacy, 127 Main St. in Martin.

METABOLIFE 356 tm Diet/Energy Aid. All natural! 100% 30 day \$ back guarantee. 90 caplet bottle only \$44.00, includes P&H and tax. Send check or money order to: Sharon Godsey, 35 Kessler Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45217.

Elderly Care

NEED A RESPONSIBLE PERSON to stay with elderly person. 285-3140.

CHRISTIAN lady will do in home care for an elderly lady as PVT CNA. Day shift will furnish references. Please call 447-2144.

Legals

NOTICE OF LOCATION APPROVAL

This is to give public notice that location approval has been granted by an agreement between the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet, (KTC) and the Federal Highway Administration, (FHWA) for the following proposed project: Floyd County, KY 550, Bridge at Right Fork of Beaver Creek (Midas): Item #12-1039, FD52 036 0550 000-001; BRO 05351 003

The Department of Highways considers this project a Categorical Exclusion in accordance with 23 CFR 771.117 (d), (3). On July 15, 1998 the Division of Environmental Analysis, as part of the environmental approval process, determined that this project meets the conditions for a Programmatic Categorical Exclusion as defined in the June 2, 1995 agreement between KTC and FHWA. The categorical exclusion determination, maps, and plans are available for public inspection at the Kentucky Department of Highways, District #12 Office, 101 North Mayo Trail, Pikeville, Kentucky.

Linda Wagner-Justice, P.E. Chief District Engineer Department of Highways P.O. Box #2468 Pikeville, Kentucky 41502 (606) 433-7791

NOTICE OF LOCATION APPROVAL

This is to give public notice that location approval has been granted by an agreement between the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet, (KTC), and the Federal Highway Administration, (FHWA), for the following proposed project: Floyd County, KY 1428, South Twin Bridge at Martin: Item #12-1040.0,

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF DELINQUENT UNMINED COAL TAXES

The following 1997 Unmined Coal Unpaid Tax Claims will be offered for sale at the courthouse in Prestonsburg, Ky., on September 23, 1998, at 10:00 a.m. The amount opposite the name includes total amount due before the date of sale.

Paul Hunt Thompson
Sheriff of Floyd County

| BILL # | NAME | ADDRESS | AMOUNT |
|--------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------|
| 3C | ALLEN ANNA L | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 15.75 |
| 47C | AYERS BETTY | C/O MATT CO INC | 36.17 |
| 51C | BERNER JEANNIE | C/O MATT CO INC | 65.32 |
| 53C | BOYD JERRY J EST C/O DEAN CONN | C/O CONN WALDEAN AND JEWEL | 1,282.85 |
| 54C | BOYD JERRY J EST C/O DEAN CONN | C/O CONN WALDEAN AND JEWEL | 1,282.85 |
| 126C | BUSH NED | C/O MATT CO INC | 846.19 |
| 127C | CARTER JAKE | BOX 336 | 50.31 |
| 128C | CHAPPERAL COAL CORP C/O COSTAIN | 249 E MAIN ST STE 200 | 107.42 |
| 129C | CLARK CHESTER | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 145.59 |
| 130C | CLARK CLINTON | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 145.59 |
| 131C | CLARK HELEN B | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 281.71 |
| 132C | CLARK KENIS EST C/O SHIRLEY BELCHE | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 281.71 |
| 133C | CLARK LANGLEY | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 281.71 |
| 134C | CLARK LEONARD | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 556.45 |
| 135C | CLARK RACHEL | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 281.71 |
| 136C | CLINE JACQUELINE H | C/O MATT CO INC | 36.17 |
| 143C | COMPEAN HEIRS MARY LOU | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 79.47 |
| 145C | CONN STEVE | P.O. BOX 85 | 559.10 |
| 146C | CONN STEVE | P.O. BOX 85 | 192.12 |
| 161C | COOK WALLY AND BRENDA | BOX 8604 MARTZ PAULIN | 18.39 |
| 163C | CRAMER SKYE G | 703 HOLLY HILLS | 22.17 |
| 164C | CZABOT HELEN | C/O MATT CO INC | 65.32 |
| 171C | DAVIDSON S P HRS C/O S D HATCHER | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 2,382.32 |
| 173C | DAVIS JOHN ARCHER | 11165 SEABECK HWY | 86.01 |
| 187C | EBER PATRICIA R | C/O MATT CO INC | 16.72 |
| 352C | ELLIOTT OLIN ANDREW II | P.O. BOX 598 | 14.57 |
| 353C | ESCLAVON JEANNIE R | C/O MATT CO INC | 16.72 |
| 355C | FITZPATRICK HENRY JR | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 15.75 |
| 356C | FITZPATRICK HENRY JR | P. O. BOX 326 | 226.99 |
| 357C | FITZPATRICK HENRY JR | P. O. BOX 326 | 31.44 |
| 360C | FRANCIS ENTERPRISES INC | P. O. BOX 324 | 238.77 |
| 367C | GRAHAM BURCHETT | C/O MATT CO INC | 2,169.99 |
| 373C | HALL JERRY HRS | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 866.71 |
| 374C | HALL JOHN HEIRS | | 48.42 |
| 377C | HAMILTON COAL AND LAND | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 207.71 |
| 380C | HANCOCK BOBBY | C/O MATT CO INC | 36.17 |
| 381C | HANCOCK CLYDE F | C/O MATT CO INC | 36.17 |
| 382C | HANCOCK THOMAS | C/O MATT CO INC | 36.17 |
| 391C | HARKINS MINERAL ASSOCIATES | P.O. BOX 190 HAYES COMPLEX 107 | 7,030.45 |
| 392C | HARKINS MINERAL ASSOCIATES | P.O. BOX 190 HAYES COMPLEX 107 | 19,521.29 |
| 402C | HARKINS MINERAL ASSOCIATES | P.O. BOX 190 HAYES COMPLEX 107 | 8,945.60 |
| 403C | HARKINS MINERAL ASSOCIATES | P.O. BOX 190 HAYES COMPLEX 107 | 4,488.25 |
| 405C | HARKINS MINERAL ASSOCIATES | P.O. BOX 190 HAYES COMPLEX 107 | 7,199.04 |
| 414C | HATCHER JAMES TR C/O HATCHER/TRI | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 1,699.77 |
| 415C | HATCHER JAMES TR C/O HATCHER/TRI | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 9,351.27 |
| 416C | HATCHER JAMES TR C/O HATCHER/TRI | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 1,333.55 |
| 420C | HAYES LEASING | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 197.58 |
| 427C | HOWARD FAMILY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP | C/O MATT CO INC | 124.89 |
| 428C | HOWARD FAMILY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP | C/O MATT CO INC | 124.89 |
| 442C | HOWARD JANE D | C/O MATT CO INC | 124.89 |
| 456C | HURT BOBBY SUE HALL | UNKNOWN | 50.31 |
| 457C | INDUSTRIAL FUELS C/O STEVE CASTL | 249 E MAIN ST STE 200 | 3,301.41 |
| 459C | JOHNSON CHARLES | BOX 159 | 14.37 |
| 460C | JUSTISON SHIRLEY R | C/O MATT CO INC | 16.72 |
| 462C | KENDRICK RUTH | 2206 WIND JAMMER DR | 456.13 |
| 465C | LAKWAY FUEL INC | C/O RICHARDSON FUEL INC | 8,627.68 |
| 466C | LIKENS CAROLYN L | BOX 235 MAIN ST | 14.87 |
| 467C | LIKENS CAROLYN L | BOX 235 MAIN ST | 19.60 |
| 468C | LIKENS CAROLYN L | P.O. BOX 236 | 17.14 |
| 469C | LIKENS CAROYLN L | BOX 235 MAIN ST | 19.94 |
| 470C | LODESTAR ENERGY | 333 W VINE ST STE 1700 | 65.29 |
| 471C | LODESTAR ENERGY | 333 W VINE ST STE 1700 | 15,580.99 |
| 472C | LODESTAR ENERGY | 333 W VINE ST STE 1700 | 5,198.35 |
| 473C | LODESTAR ENERGY | 333 W VINE ST STE 1700 | 3,344.57 |
| 474C | LODESTAR ENERGY | 333 W VINE ST STE 1700 | 597.46 |
| 475C | LODESTAR ENERGY | 333 W VINE ST STE 1700 | 262.57 |
| 476C | LODESTAR ENERGY | 333 W VINE ST STE 1700 | 42.27 |
| 477C | LODESTAR ENERGY | 333 W VINE ST STE 1700 | 162.84 |
| 478C | LODESTAR ENERGY | 333 W VINE ST STE 1700 | 665.98 |
| 479C | LODESTAR ENERGY | 333 W VINE ST STE 1700 | 8,554.56 |
| 480C | LODESTAR ENERGY | 333 W VINE ST STE 1700 | 578.71 |
| 481C | LODESTAR ENERGY | 333 W VINE ST STE 1700 | 590.13 |
| 482C | MAGGARD ORIOLE | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 723.07 |
| 500C | MARTIN HENRY | | 19.88 |
| 509C | MAYNARD MARY L | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 281.71 |
| 514C | MAYO MAUREEN | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 33.25 |
| 521C | MITCHELL PAULA H | GEN DEL | 28.67 |
| 528C | OHLEH OLIVIA | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 79.47 |
| 533C | PARKER PENNY | 4514 DAIL RD | 53.62 |
| 534C | PARKER PENNY | 4514 DAIL RD | 271.22 |
| 535C | PARKER PENNY HOPKINS | 4514 DAIL RD | 718.79 |
| 536C | PATTON HENRY S | BOX 7 | 37.40 |
| 550C | POWERS P D AND MARY | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 881.69 |
| 560C | RICHARDSON FUEL INC | 1 KING JAMES S STE 118 | 2,105.43 |
| 561C | RICHARDSON FUEL INC | 1 KING JAMES S STE 118 | 240.16 |
| 563C | ROBERTS GERALDINE C/O JEANNIE ES | C/O MATT CO INC | 65.32 |
| 564C | ROBERTS HELEN | C/O MATT CO INC | 123.63 |
| 565C | ROBERTS IDA | C/O MATT CO INC | 36.17 |
| 566C | ROBERTS JIMMY | C/O MATT CO INC | 16.72 |
| 567C | ROBERTS JOHNNY | C/O MATT CO INC | 16.72 |
| 568C | ROBERTS WILLIAM THOMAS JR | C/O MATT CO INC | 16.72 |
| 570C | SALISBURY HRS C/O FRANK D SALISB | RT 122 | 165.44 |
| 571C | SALISBURY HRS C/O FRANK D SALISB | RT 122 | 182.14 |
| 572C | SHEPHERD HARGIS C/O MADGE MOORE | 6 HAYES AVE | 275.93 |
| 577C | SHORT MARY BELLE EST C/O JOHNNIE | 159 S ARNOLD AVE | 481.57 |
| 583C | STEELE LINDA | P.O. BOX 1133 | 718.79 |
| 584C | STEELE LINDA | P.O. BOX 836/260 RIVERSIDE APT B | 53.62 |
| 585C | STEELE LINDA | P.O. BOX 836/260 RIVERSIDE APT B | 271.22 |
| 590C | STEWART KATHERINE | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 281.71 |
| 593C | TEDCO INC | 1 KING JAMES CTR STE 118 | 442.05 |
| 596C | THEIS CAROL | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 151.94 |
| 607C | TURNER JIMMY | P.O. BOX 161 | 14.57 |
| 609C | TURNER RAY | P.O. BOX 155 | 14.57 |
| 610C | UNDERWOOD GENEVIEVE | 1202 8TH ST | 507.34 |
| 611C | UNKNOWN | (SEE COMMENTS) | 23.25 |
| 612C | UNKNOWN | | 58.22 |
| 613C | UNKNOWN | | 66.99 |
| 614C | UNKNOWN | | 131.73 |
| 632C | WILLIAM THOMPSON | C/O LODESTAR ENERGY | 487.60 |
| 635C | YATES CLIFTINA R | C/O MATT CO INC | 36.17 |
| 636C | YOUNCE MARY JANE DAVIS | 24858 RT 122 | 86.01 |

Concrete Work

CONCRETE WORK: Driveways, patios, carports, etc. Also carpentry work, block and brick work. References. Free estimate. 886-6718.

Contractors

EXCAVATING, custom work, back hoe, dozer, hauling, and filling gravel. 25 + yrs. exp. Reese Ray 874-8049.

Excavation Services

DEYTON EXCAVATION: General trenching, septic systems, creek banks, landscaping. (606)884-2559, call after 5 p.m. or leave a message.

Furniture Refinishing

FURNITURE REFINISHING: Can refinish any wood table and chairs, buffets, dressers, hutch, desk, etc. From stripping to stain or varnish. Call 874-8141.

Heating & Cooling

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

Home Repair

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

Mining Safety Classes Offered

COAL MINE SAFETY and First Aid Classes: CPR and MET also available. Call Curtis Hughes at 285-0650.

Schwan's Home Food Service
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Salary \$600 per week
GUARANTEE!!!

- ✓ SALARY \$600 per week
- ✓ 5 Day Work Week
- ✓ FULL BENEFIT Package
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- ✓ Forbes Top 100 Companies
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The Department of Highways considers this project a Categorical Exclusion in accordance with 23 CFR 771.117 (d), (3). On July 15, 1998 the Division of Environmental Analysis, as part of the environmental approval process, determined that this project meets the conditions for a Programmatic Categorical Exclusion as defined in the June 2, 1995 agreement between KTC and FHWA. This categorical exclusion determination, maps, and plans are available for public inspection at the Kentucky Department of Highways, District #12 Office, 101 North Mayo - Trail, Pikeville, Kentucky.

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Chief District Engineer
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NOTICE OF LOCATION APPROVAL

This is to give public notice that location approval has been granted by an agreement between the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet, (KTC) and the Federal Highway Administration, (FHWA) for the following proposed project:

Floyd County, KY 1428, North Twin Bridge at Martin; Item #12-1041, FD52 036 1428 000-001027; BRZ 1203 171

The Department of Highways considers this project a Categorical Exclusion in accordance with 23 CFR 771.117 (d), (3). On July 15, 1998 the Division of Environmental Analysis, as part of the environmental approval process, determined that this project meets the conditions for a Programmatic Categorical Exclusion as defined in the June 2, 1995 agreement between KTC and FHWA. The categorical exclusion determination, maps, and plans are available for public inspection at the Kentucky Department of Highways, District #12 Office, 101 North Mayo Trail, Pikeville, Kentucky.

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NOTICE OF ENACTMENT AND SUMMARY OF BOND ORDINANCE

Ordinance of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, authorizing and providing for the issuance and sale of \$187,000 principal amount of City of Prestonsburg Water, Sewer and Natural Gas System Revenue Bonds, Series 1998 for the purpose of financing the cost (not otherwise provided) of the construction of extensions, additions and improvements to the combined and consolidated water, sewer and natural gas of said city; setting forth terms and conditions upon which said bonds may be issued and outstanding, providing for the collection, segregation and distribution of the revenues of said combined and consolidated water, sewer and natural gas, and providing for an advertised, public, competitive sale of said bonds.

As required by KRS 83A.060(9), I hereby certify that an Ordinance bearing the above title was given first reading (by Title and Summary) by the City Council of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, at a duly convened meeting of said City Council held on July 27, 1998, and was given second reading (by Title and Summary) and enacted by said City Council at a duly convened meeting held on August 10, 1998, and that the following is a

Summary of such Ordinance prepared by W. Randall Jones, of the firm of Rubin & Hays, Attorneys at Law, Louisville, Kentucky. (Signed W. Randall Jones)

SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE

Said Ordinances authorize the issuance of \$187,000 of City of Prestonsburg Water, Sewer and Natural Gas System Revenue Bonds, Series 1998 (the "Bonds"), for the purpose of financing the cost (not otherwise provided) of the construction of the Project referred to in said title; authorizes interim financing to pay the costs of said Project pending the issuance of the Bonds; designates Engineers for the Project and the depository bank of the proceeds of the Bonds and of certain funds to be maintained in connection with the Bonds; provides for principal and interest on the Bonds, an Operation and Maintenance Fund, and a Depreciation Fund; provides that said Bonds are secured by a pledge of the gross revenues of the System; establishes the method of payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds, and the conditions and restrictions for the issuance of bonds ranking on a parity with the Bonds; provides certain covenants of the City for the further protection of the holders of the Bonds, including covenants as to compliance with the Internal Revenue Code; and prescribes terms and conditions upon which bids will be received for the purchase of the Bonds. A copy of the full text of said Ordinance is available for public inspection during regular business hours, Monday through Friday, (signed) Sue Webb, City Clerk, City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093 notice is hereby given that Buck Coal, Inc., 544 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653 (606) 886-2330, intends to apply for Phase III Bond Releases on Increments No. 1, and 5 Permit No. 436-5181 which was last issued on 6/24/98. Increment No. 1 covers a surface area of approximately 8.85 acres, with 0.25 acres 3rd party disturbance; Increment No. 5 covers a surface area of approximately 7.03 acres. There is no underground area involved with these Increments. The operation is located approximately 1.4 miles northeast of Garrett in Floyd County. The permit area is 0.80 miles south of the Goose Creek Road's junction with KY 80. The Latitude is 37°29'30" and the Longitude is 82°48'40", and is located on the Martin 7 1/2 minute USGS quadrangle maps.

The performance bond (Surety) currently in affect, and the original bond for the increments are as follows:
Inc. No.1, current \$9,400, original \$29,600.
Inc. No. 5, current \$8,500, original \$30,500.
100% of the original bond amounts are included in this request for release for Increment No. 1 and No. 5.

Reclamation work thus far performed includes: backfilling and grading, sampling and testing, liming, fertilizing, seeding and mulching, and was completed in Fall 1989. Results thus far achieved include: establishment of vegetation and the post mining land use in accordance with the approved post mining land use plan. Written comments, objections, and request for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow

Complex, Frankfort, KY 40601 by Oct. 23, 1998.

A hearing date for this bond release request has been set for Oct. 26, 1998 at 1 p.m., at the Department for Surface Mining and Enforcement's Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by Oct. 23, 1998.

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Huntington District, by this Notice of Availability (NOA), advises the public that the Draft Environmental Assessment (DEA) for the City of Allen Wastewater Treatment Project, is complete and available for public review. The project is located in Floyd County, Kentucky. A Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) is anticipated for the proposed project. A Draft FONSI is included with the DEA for public review.

In compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and 40 CFR 1501.4, the DEA and draft FONSI must be available to the public in the affected area for thirty (30) days for review and comment. Final determination regarding the need for additional NEPA documentation will be made after the public review period, which begins on or about September 1, 1998. Copies of the documents may be viewed at the following locations:

Office of the Mayor
City Of Allen
Allen, Kentucky

Office of the Mayor
90 North Lake Drive
Prestonsburg, Kentucky

Big Sandy Area
Development District,
Inc.,
100 Resource Drive
Prestonsburg, Kentucky

Floyd County Chamber of
Commerce
245 North Lake Drive
Prestonsburg, Kentucky

Floyd County Public
Library
53 North Arnold Avenue
Prestonsburg, Kentucky

Copies of the DEA and draft FONSI may be obtained by contacting the Huntington District Office of the Corps of Engineers at (304) 529-5712. Comments pertaining to the documents should be directed by letter to: A. Benjamin Borda, Chief Environmental Analysis Branch Planning Division, Huntington District Corps of Engineers, 502 8th Street, Huntington, West Virginia 25701-2070.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION II CIVIL ACTION NO. 98-CI-00403

TRANS FINANCIAL BANK, N.A., PLAINTIFF vs. RONALD B. AKERS, MELISSA S. AKERS, FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY AND THE BANK OF NEW YORK, AS TRUSTEE UNDER THE POOLING AND SERVICING AGREEMENT DATED AS OF AUGUST 31, 1997, SERIES 1997-C, DEFENDANTS

By virtue of default judgment and Order of Sale signed on the 14th day of August, 1998, in the Floyd Circuit Court, I shall proceed to offer for sale, at the door of the Floyd County Justice Center, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the best bidder at public auction on Thursday, September 10, 1998, at the hour of 9:00 a.m., or thereafter, upon terms of ten (10%) percent down at the time of sale with the balance on a credit of sixty (60) days, the following described property which is being sold for enforce-

ment of liens in the amount of \$29,347.16, plus interest at the rate of 9.0% from September 29, 1997 until paid to Trans Financial Bank by Defendants, Ronald Akers and Melissa S. Akers, plus court costs and reasonable attorney fee to be approved by the Court at a later date, said property being located in Floyd County, Kentucky, and particularly described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Big Sandy River at Allen, and being more particularly described as follows: Lying and being in the town of Allen, Floyd County, Kentucky, in the Reynolds Addition to said town, as shown by plat of said addition on file in the Office of the Clerk of the Floyd County Court, and being Lot Nos. 23, 24, and 25 of said addition.

Beginning at an iron stake in the northerly right of way line of a 30 ft. street at the corner of property of J.S. Reynolds; thence with his line N 53 30 W 107 ft. to an iron stake in the southerly right of way line of another unnamed street 42 feet wide; thence with the southerly right of way line of said street, N 59 00 E 50 ft. to an iron stake; thence containing with the southerly right of way line of said street, N 63 00 E 103 ft. to an iron stake in the southerly right of way line of the 20 ft. street; thence with the northerly right of way line of said street, S 25 15W 63 ft. to an iron stake; thence continuing with the northerly right of way line of said street, S 30 00 W 87 ft. to the iron stake, the place of BEGINNING.

Being the same property conveyed to the Parties of the First Part from Rubin Stephens and Anna Jean Stephens, by Deed bearing date February 15, 1991, and recorded in Deed Book 344, Page 537, in the Office of the Floyd County Court Clerk.

For the purchase price of the above-described real estate, purchaser or purchasers must pay ten (10%) percent at the time of sale and execute bond for the balance with approved surety or securities bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having in full force and effect of judgment, or purchaser may pay cash. The balance remaining due after down payment shall bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid.

The purchaser of said property shall be responsible for payment of the 1998 real property taxes. Delinquent taxes due for the years of 1994, 1995, 1996 and 1997 shall be paid from the proceeds of said sale.

Bidders will have to comply promptly with these terms. Any announcements made on date of sale takes precedence over printed matter contained herein.

THIS THE 27TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1998
ERIC D. HALL
MASTER COMMISSIONER
P.O. BOX 388
PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY 41653
(606) 886-8189

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093 notice is hereby given that Branham & Baker Coal Company, Inc., 148 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653, has applied for Phase II bond release on Permit Number 836-0162 which was last issued on 3/15/94. The application covers an area of approximately 140 acres located 0.75 mile north of Hippo in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.75 mile south form Rt. 50 junction with Prater Fork Road and

located on 0.2 south Pitts Fork. The latitude is 37°33'03". The longitude is 82°51'30".

The bond now in effect for the Increment 2, 3, & 6 is \$157,200. Approximately 25% of the original bond amount of \$391,000 is included in this application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: grading seeding and tree planting.

Written comments objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by 10/16/98.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for 9:00 a.m. 10/20/98 at the Department of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or information conference is received by 10/16/98.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-5362 Amendment No. 2

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Redbone Coal Company, Inc., P.O. Box 2805, Pikeville, KY 41502, has applied for an amendment to an existing underground coal mining and reclamation operation located 1.0 miles north of Broad Bottom in Pike and Floyd Counties. The amendment will add 12.80 acres of surface disturbance and will underlie an additional 501.86 acres making a total area of 2235.74 acres (12.00 ac. overlap) within the amended permit boundary.

The proposed amendment area is approximately 0.81 miles north from CR 1505 junction with U.S. 23 and located along Hammond's Branch. The latitude is 37° 33'16"N, and the longitude is 82°37'02"W.

The proposed amendment is located on the Broad Bottom and Harold USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The surface area to be disturbed by the amendment is owned by Fairview Land et.al. The amendment will underlie land owned by Noah & Nola Adkins; Betsy Layne Church of God; Alfred & Loretta Brooks; Mildred Brooks; James and Sharon Clark; Peggy Clark; Gregory & Bernice Clark; Debra Hurd Click; Ralph & Melissa Coleman; Sally Jean Simpson Crump; East KY Energy; John Elkins; Adam Estep; Fairview Land et. al.; Don & Angeletta Fields; Hugh B. & Patricia Hall; Basil & Eula Hall; Tim & Mageline Hall; Dock Sr. & Gertrude Hicks; Paul F. Jones; Stan & Lynn Justice; Rita King; KY Dept. of Transportation; Armilda Lee; Franklin Leedy; Freddie and Tammy Mills; Ralph & Judy Murphy; Linda Quale, Et. Al.; Franklin H. Ransdell; Fran & Roy Reaso; Stephen Anthony Scalf; Anthony Wayne Scalf; William R. Scalf; James and Darlene Stone; Raymond & Judy Stephens; John M. Stumbo Estate; Don and Terri Wallen; Robin and Skip Wells; Glen and Helen Whitt.

The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, KY, 41653-1410. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of

the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, US 127 South, Frankfort, KY 40601.

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

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Branham and Baker Coal Company, Inc., has applied for Phase III bond release Permit Number 836-0162 which was last issued on 3/15/94. The application covers an area of approximately 63 acres located 0.75 mile north of Hippo in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.75 mile south from Rt. 850 junction with Pitts Fork Road and located 0.2 mile south of Pitts Fork. The latitude is 37°33'03". The longitude is 82°51'30".

The bond now in effect for the Increment 4 and 8 is \$31,300.00.

Approximately remainder of the original bond amount of \$274,600.00 is included in the application for release.

This is the final advertisement of the application.

Reclamation work performed includes: grading, seeding and tree planting.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Service, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by 10/2/98.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for 9:00 a.m. 10/6/98 at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or

informal conference is received by 10/02/98.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application

836-8017, Renewal
In accordance with KRS 350.55, notice is hereby given that Lodestar Energy, Inc., 251 Tollage Creek, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501 has applied for renewal for a permit for a loading facility, coal processing facility affecting 11.33 acres located 0.25 mile east of Ivel in Floyd County.

The proposed facility is approximately 0.25 mile south from U.S. 23's junction with Ivel road and located 0.25 mile south of Levisa fork of Big Sandy. The latitude is 37°35'19.7". The longitude is 82°39'54.5".

The proposed facility is located on the Harold U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area is owned by Industrial Fuels Mineral Co., J.K. Stratton Heirs, and CSX Transportation, Inc. The operation will affect the area within 100 feet of Ivel public road. The operation will not involve relocation or closure of the public road.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objection, requests for a permit conference must be filed with the director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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

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