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Welcome, KBA prexy

Richard H. C. Clay, president of the Kentucky Bar Association, is in town today to meet with local attorneys and speak to young people. The Louisville lawyer will meet with the area's volunteer lawyer organization at 8 a.m. and with other members of the Floyd County Bar Association at 8:30 in the Justice Center. At 9:30, he's scheduled to preside over an all-school assembly at Prestonsburg High School, and at 11:30, he's to speak to Mike Dixon's police supervision class at Prestonsburg Community College (114 Pike Building). PCC is slated to host a reception for Clay at 12:30 in room 102 of the Johnson Building.

In one's blood

The Central Kentucky Blood Center is sponsoring its fifth annual Children's Art and High School Scholarship Essay Contest, with the theme "Give Blood ... The Gift of Life."

- Children's Art Contest — open to 4th, 5th and 6th graders in CKBC's service area. The winning design will appear on the summer campaign T-shirt given to donors in July and August.
 - High School Scholarship Essay Contest — open to high school juniors and seniors in the CKBC area. Three scholarships will be awarded for \$500, \$300 and \$100.
- Entry deadline is March 31. For details on the contests, contact Sally Baker, CKBC, 330 Waller Ave., Lexington, KY 40504, or call 606/276-2543.

Local pharmacist prescribes answers

Community pharmacist Alicia Dawson of McDowell, UK College of Pharmacy faculty members Bryan Yeager and Sara Smith, and St. Joseph Hospital clinical coordinator Durran Taylor will answer callers' questions on medications during KET's Ask the Pharmacist segment.

The program, taped earlier, will air on KET Tuesday, January 26.

During the KET broadcast, pharmacists will be on hand in the studio to take viewers' calls.

Viewers can find out more about the programming by visiting the KET Web site at www.ket.org.

Public meetings

- Prestonsburg City Council personnel committee, today, noon, City Hall, special meeting to conduct interviews for police officers.
- Housing Authority of Martin Board of Commissioners, today, 3 p.m., Grigsby Heights Community Room.
- Prestonsburg City Council, regular meeting, Monday, noon, City Hall
- Floyd County Solid Waste Commission, Monday,
- Martin City Council, 6 p.m., City Hall

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School board members hear criticism
State official admonishes board regarding athletic complexes

by Willie Elliott
Staff Writer

Floyd County Board of Education members took almost six hours to deal with the items on the regularly-scheduled board meeting at Adams Middle School Tuesday night — and Wednesday morning with the meeting adjourning after midnight.

After Circuit Judge John David Caudill swore in members Terry Dotson and Johnnie Ross, the board dealt with communications from the public, six consent items, ten

reports, 13 action items and, in executive session, the sale of the central office facility.

Bud Reynolds, representing the Floyd County Education Association (FCEA), told the board the atmosphere in Floyd County Schools is not conducive to teaching and learning.

Following an executive session on Tuesday evening, the Floyd County Board of Education approved the sale of the school system's central office property on Arnold Avenue in Prestonsburg for \$191,000 to Prestonsburg Industrial Corporation.

The corporation will lease the facilities back to the board for a sum of one dollar per year for a period of two years. The time frame, board members said, will allow them to pursue other opportunities for a central office location.

Officials with the industrial organization could not be reached for comment.

Reynolds said the "trust level is low" and the system is "as political as it has ever been."

Board member Johnnie Ross

responded, "The system is not as political as ever or I would resign tonight."

Linda Chaffins, a teacher at Betsy Layne Elementary, asked the board members to "become a seventh grader" and then led them through a day at her school where they would be soaked several times during a rainy day going from building to building. Chaffins said she used this technique to get the board to honor a previous promise and build canopies for the school.

Interim Supt. Woodrow Carter

said he would look into the possibility, but both he and member Carol Stumbo stressed the need to follow a process in making decisions.

Osborne Elementary parents and teachers continue to work for the return of Paul D. Tackett as principal. Teachers Roger Johnson and Jeanice Hall spoke on behalf of the dismissed principal saying that if we really mean "children first," Tackett's dismissal was not a sound decision.

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Although it closed the Adams Middle School parking lot, a diesel spill early Thursday morning did not stop school from starting on time. Prestonsburg firefighters used sand to stop the spill from spreading and then used orange cones to cord off the area. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

Two spills within three days

by Janice Shepherd
Managing Editor and
Willie Elliott
Staff Writer

A series of minor accidents that could have been tragic occurred this week in the vicinity of Prestonsburg.

The Prestonsburg Fire Department received a call about 10 minutes after 7 yesterday morning from a truck driver who had driven to Paintsville and called in the inci-

dent. The fire department was told that about 400 to 500 gallons of diesel fuel had spilled on the ground at Adams Middle School.

However, the driver of the fuel truck at the scene said only 55 to 75 gallons had spilled. The driver had hooked up his hose on one side of the truck to fill a diesel tank on the local school parking lot when a hose coupler on the other side of the truck popped off and fuel came spilling out.

Dean Cook, driver of the fuel truck, said, "I heard the valve come

off. I immediately shut the valve off and then cut the pump off."

He estimated that about 30 seconds elapsed from the start of the spill to the shutoff of the pump. The valve is about 3' wide and that's why so much fuel came out in such a short period of time.

It could have been worse, though, the truck holds about 7,500 gallons. A fuel company representative said the truck was just about

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Commission considers if wife can work in sheriff's department

by Pam Shingler
Editor

Pam Blackburn has been working long hours since the first of the month learning the Floyd County tax collection system and helping her husband, the sheriff, in his role as the county's tax collector.

Whether she can receive pay as a full-time, regular employee of the sheriff's office is still up in the air.

That was the primary concern of the Floyd County Ethics Commission at its Wednesday afternoon meeting.

On the surface, the ethics code ordinance that applies to nepotism — the hiring of family members — would seem to prohibit Pam Blackburn from working for her husband John K. Blackburn.

The ethics code states that "no county government officer or employee or agency shall advocate, recommend or cause the employment, appointment, promotion, transfer, or advancement of a family member to an office or position of employment with the county government or agency ..."

However, the Blackburns' attorney

Jerry Patton, referring to state law, said the issue hinges on the difference between the words "may" and "shall."

State law, Patton said, indicates that a sheriff "may" appoint his own deputies. "The use of 'may' leaves it to his discretion," the attorney said. "He may appoint all new deputies or he may leave the former deputies."

There's the catch that keeps this from being an open-and-shut case in which the county ordinance prohibits the sheriff from hiring his wife.

Pam Blackburn was hired as a deputy sheriff last November by former sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson, who is now county judge-executive.

When her husband took office Jan. 4, he kept the former sheriff's staff. According to the Blackburns' attorney, the new sheriff did not hire her.

"To allow her to continue as deputy as she was in November 1998, he is in no way violating the ordinance," Patton said. The differ-

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Dance Cats: Grand National Champions!

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

It's getting to be old hat with the Prestonsburg Dance Cats, a high school dance team, who seem to know well the road to St. Louis, Missouri, where they compete each year in pom and jazz dance routines.

While the team has found success each time in the national competition, this year was a special one for the local group who has performed in front of thousands of fans around the region.

Last weekend, Jodi Shepherd's dance team made their third trip to St. Louis' old Union Station and for the third straight year they have returned home national champions. But this year, they are the Grand National Champions.

Explanation: The first year they were national champions in the jazz competition. Last year, they won the national title in the pom routine, but this year they captured both the pom and jazz national titles and won over all-star groups.

"I am very proud of them," said Shepherd, who took along her newborn baby, Gregory Chase Shepherd. "He was the

good luck charm. He was an angel the whole trip."

Shepherd hesitated to make comparisons between this year's national title team and the previous two.

"They all work hard to get to where they are," she said. "This group has really worked hard. The competition is so much stronger this year and it gets stronger each year. I believe this is the strongest team we have

taken down there."

The squad left Prestonsburg Friday morning before the chickens arose. They boarded a chartered bus and headed toward the Gateway to the West.

Once in St. Louis the team began to make preparations for the competition with practice times. Even Shepherd was surprised by the finish of the dance team.

"We did better than we thought we would do," she confessed. "Some thought we would win in the pom and maybe a third in jazz. We didn't expect to do as well as we did."

Kay Willis, who accompanied the team to St. Louis, said that the squad had a mistake in their first routine and they thought it would cost them first place.

"But it didn't. They said we were in first place all the time," she said. "The girls did really well, and we all are proud of them."

The Prestonsburg team not only competed against high school squads but studio teams, as well. Shepherd said that the

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Ashleigh Frasure, Lauren Hites, Destiny Spurlock, Ami Trimble, and Jessica Trimble were all smiles after the Prestonsburg Dance Cats won their third national championship.

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Criticism

They said Tackett's presence was needed at the school and pleaded with the board to "put children first and reinstate Paul D. Tackett."

In her public comment, Opal Dorene "Sissy" Williams asked a series of questions relating to the superintendent search, including a direct one to Carter: "What qualifications do you have to run this system?"

Carter replied, "I'm not going to respond to that."

Ross said he could see how Carter might be nervous, but it bothered him that Carter said he would not answer the question. He said it suggested "we have something to hide."

Carter said he was not nervous, but this question and others seemed to be of such nature that they were intended for public embarrassment. He also said it was not fair for him to answer questions without access to the statutes that Williams was reading from.

Williams said it was not her intention "to embarrass, but rather to learn what is going on."

Board chairman Terry Dotson suggested that Carter be given time to look at the questions and give written replies. Both Carter and Williams agreed to that suggestion.

Contesting a recent vendor bid award, Bob Williams, a representa-

tive of Lance, showed the board how Lance's bid was better than other competitors, including Tom's which received the contract. He showed how he believed the system would have made more money with the Lance bid.

The board members readily agreed that the bid was better. Dotson said the only reason he could think of for the other bid being accepted was that the acceptance was done at a "time of great stress" and the bid may not have been given the consideration it deserved.

Associate Education Commissioner Tom Willis told the board this matter was already being looked into.

Board members and Willis engaged in a long discussion about the two football fields that are to be built at Prestonsburg and South Floyd high schools. Kelly Moore, PHS Athletic Complex Committee president, gave a report of what the group wants in a football field.

As soon as Moore finished his report, Willis admonished the board members not to give away their authority on matters dealing with the fields.

Both Moore and South Floyd principal Debbie Daniels assured Willis that they knew from the start that such committees were limited to suggestions and had no power to

make decisions.

Willis told the board that, basically, it has \$4 million to build both facilities and not all this money has to be used for this purpose. He also reminded them that the South Floyd project would likely cost more because Prestonsburg already has a site and South Floyd has to purchase a site.

Willis said the important thing was to get started on these projects as soon as possible.

In his report on KIRIS scores, assessment coordinator Phil Paige said there were many things that could be done to improve scores, but none would be effective "until the board creates an environment where learning can take place."

Paige said the system needs to experience a "calmness" and added that it was everybody's job to create this atmosphere.

The board approved two disaster days for South Floyd High and South Floyd Middle School. A local school system cannot apply for disaster days unless the district has missed more than 20 days system-wide. A local board of education may request disaster days when one school or part of the district is forced to miss on a particular day or days due to an emergency.

The two South Floyd schools were forced to miss two days of

school last Nov. 10 and 11 because of no water. The plan was to make up the two days during the intercession on Jan. 7 and 8; however, bad weather and road conditions prevented that.

If these days are granted by the state, the whole system will be on the same schedule with closing day being June 4.

Ross said it would make more sense to wait and see if other schools missed days, but Willis said it was important to make the request as early as possible and recommended the board send the request in immediately.

The board also approved the establishment of an additional occupational therapist position.

Last April the board established positions of occupational therapist and occupational therapist assistant. The board was told the number of referrals has dramatically increased from 104 students in August to 154 students in December. In addition, screenings and evaluations are done.

The current provider is well over caseload and cannot meet the requirements outlined in the Individual Educational Plan of all students needing services, according to Carter.

The cost to the district for this additional 200-day position would be about \$37,099 for salary and \$4,000 for equipment and mileage.

Carter added an attachment to the proposal from the last board meeting answering questions that board members had asked.

He said the cost for this position for the rest of the year would be \$18,500 in salary and \$4,000 for equipment and mileage. He also said the system had looked into employing a certified occupational therapist assistant (COTA) but a shortage of

qualified individuals exists.

In other actions, the board:

*Approved the creation of two itinerant teaching positions in special education;

*Approved change and BG-4 orders for Prestonsburg High School;

*Approved an exit survey for employees;

*Approved Community Health Service Grant;

*Approved additional funds for professional development planning and analysis;

*Approved bid specifications and permission to advertise for sealed bids to bring playgrounds into compliance.

A report was also given on attendance, and The Times plans to run a separate story on that next week.

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At Tuesday night's Board of Education meeting, the superintendent search committee was introduced to the board and citizens attending the meeting: from left, board chairman Terry Dotson, teacher representatives Connie Gearheart and Bud Reynolds, principal representative Carole Combs, and classified representative Keith Smallwood. Absent were Nadine Hicks, central office representative, and parent representative Tammy Vance. (photo by Willie Elliott)

Commission

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ence, he contended is between "hiring" and "continuing."

John Rosenberg, chairman of the local ethics commission, said he interpreted the state statute to indicate that the employees of a sheriff's office are terminated when a sheriff leaves office, meaning that Pam Blackburn and the other deputies who served under Thompson would lose their jobs and the new sheriff could rehire them if he wished.

Several of those present then posed the potential for lawsuits if deputies were let go by an incoming sheriff. Blackburn said he was told by officials with the Kentucky Sheriffs Association that he was "not supposed to fire anyone."

Thompson, who sat in on the meeting, said that the state provides some money now to sheriff's departments to upgrade their staff. "Once they're in it, they (deputies) do have a limited amount of protection (from firing)," he said.

"We have been trying to end the practice of hiring all family members (by elected officials)," said commission member Patty Murphy. "This is an issue that's come up, and it's our task to try to do the right thing."

"If the term (of employment) doesn't end, it seems you have a very strong case to continue," said Rosenberg, but he reiterated that he thought the state statute indicated the terms were over and the sheriff was to hire new people or rehire old ones.

Rosenberg, who heads the Appalachian Research and Defense Fund (Appalred), then pointed out that the commission could seek an opinion from another attorney. "I wouldn't want us to make a mistake," he said.

Sheriff Blackburn added, "We want to do the right thing, too."

Patton said he had already written to the state attorney general for an

opinion, but he could not be sure when an opinion would be handed down.

After discussion about seeking an opinion from County Attorney Keith Bartley, commission member Peggy Bradford made a motion to that effect, seconded by Murphy. The motion was approved to ask Bartley to give his opinion as to whether the sheriff was "rehiring or just retaining" the previous sheriff's staff.

Pam Blackburn told the group she is working now as an unpaid volunteer because of the volume of work required as taxes come in. Rosenberg asked if she would be willing to serve as a volunteer until the commission receives a legal opinion.

Commission member Curt Hall asked also if she was willing to continue unpaid and if her serving as a volunteer is legal. Attorney Patton advised her to "get counsel, too" in case the ruling orders the sheriff "to clean house."

Murphy said that if the state finds in favor of Pam Blackburn remaining in the sheriff's employment, she ought to receive pay retroactive to the first of the month since she has been on the job. The others seemed to agree.

Thompson, who served as sheriff for two terms, gave his take on Blackburn's having his wife as an assistant. "The department handles \$8 to \$8-1/2 million per year, a lot of it cash," he said. "In fact, it's handled twice, when it's taken in and when it's dispersed to taxing authorities."

"It's difficult," he said, "to get someone for \$9 an hour who, if those books don't come out right, is going to stay there until midnight to work it out."

Thompson's wife Donna worked with him in the sheriff's office and was allowed to continue working for him in the judge-executive's office

because she was in his employ before the current ethics code took effect, a practice commonly referred to as "grandfathering."

Getting rid of employees after a new official takes office, which was often done in the past, is harder to do now, Thompson said.

"I know the law says employees serve at the pleasure of the sheriff, but that's not true," he said, referring to lawsuits which have been filed across the state. "The days of discharging a road worker or a trained deputy sheriff, those days are over."

Most of those present expressed frustration over ambiguity in the nepotism section of the ethics code.

"For everyone's sake, we need to have some specificity," Murphy said. "Officials should know what they can do and can't do. Everything has to have a process."

Murphy added that the commission had tried "to work on specific language" when it drafted the original ethics code for the county, but the final version adopted by the fiscal court was less specific.

The commission has drafted an updated code, but it has not been brought before the current fiscal court.

In other commission business, Bradford reported that she has received financial disclosure statements from several elected officials, but other officials, as well as county employees who handle money, have not turned in their statements. The forms are available from the county clerk's office and are returned to that office.

Also present at Wednesday's meeting were commission members John Porter and Lorena "Sis" Hall. Bobby Joe Akers was absent.

A tentative date of Feb. 16 was set for the next ethics commission meeting.

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A grader driven by Bill Marsillett was hit by a truck driven by Terry D. Asbury on US 23 at Prestonsburg Tuesday. The tank of the truck erupted and spilled diesel oil on the highway. (photo by Willie Elliott)

Spills

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empty and the driver was emptying the last portion of the load when he filled the school's diesel tank.

"He (the driver) did a really good job. He laid absorbent pads all around the drains. Nothing got in the waterway," the fuel company representative said.

Cook, the driver, said that no one was at the school at the time of the spill. He radioed back to the company to report the incident.

Lon May, Floyd County Disaster Emergency Services (DES) officer, said no fines will be issued because the incident was reported and the company worked with authorities to clean up the spill.

Randy Gearheart, who is with the HAZMET cleanup team, con-

cluded. "As long as they're making an effort with the clean-up, there won't be fines," Gearheart said.

Prestonsburg police officer George Tussey kept traffic from entering Adams Middle School because car tires would have spread the fuel, Prestonsburg Fire Chief Tom Blackburn said.

"Before the traffic got started, the police got here and stopped the traffic. They let the kids come through. There was no danger of flash fire. It's diesel and it's cold too," Blackburn said.

When the fire department arrived on the scene, they immediately put sand on top of the fuel to keep it from spreading. They sectioned off the spill to prevent children or parents from walking across the sand.

They also made sure that the diesel would not go down storm drains (two were in the fuel's path as it spread), which would have contaminated the water supply.

In a situation where water supply is endangered, "You're talking about a whole other story," May said. "That would bring in agencies like the Division of Water."

Randy Gearheart said the clean-up will include taking a sample of the spill and removing the sand. The sand must be taken to an

approved landfill, Gearheart said.

Fire chief Blackburn said the crew might have to put down another layer of absorbent material to completely remove the fuel.

Blackburn said he thought the school parking lot would be closed for about three hours Thursday.

The fuel truck belonged to the Jenco Transportation Corporation fleet.

About 3:30 p.m., Tuesday, a grader driven by Bill Marsillett was hit by a truck driven by Terry D. Asbury on US 23. The tank of the truck erupted and spilled diesel oil on the highway.

Crews from the state and the City of Prestonsburg applied sand to the slick road. The accident was investigated by officer Gerald Clark of the Prestonsburg City Police. Marsillett was taken to the hospital for observation.

On Wednesday, a car driven by a student driver from Job Corps ran into the gas meter at R & L Apartments on South Lake Drive.

Owner Rick Dubson praised the prompt action by Prestonsburg police and fire crews. "They were here in a matter minutes," he said. The lines were immediately fixed and, according to Dubson, the gas company replaced the meter that afternoon.

ACHS queen



Jessica Frasure

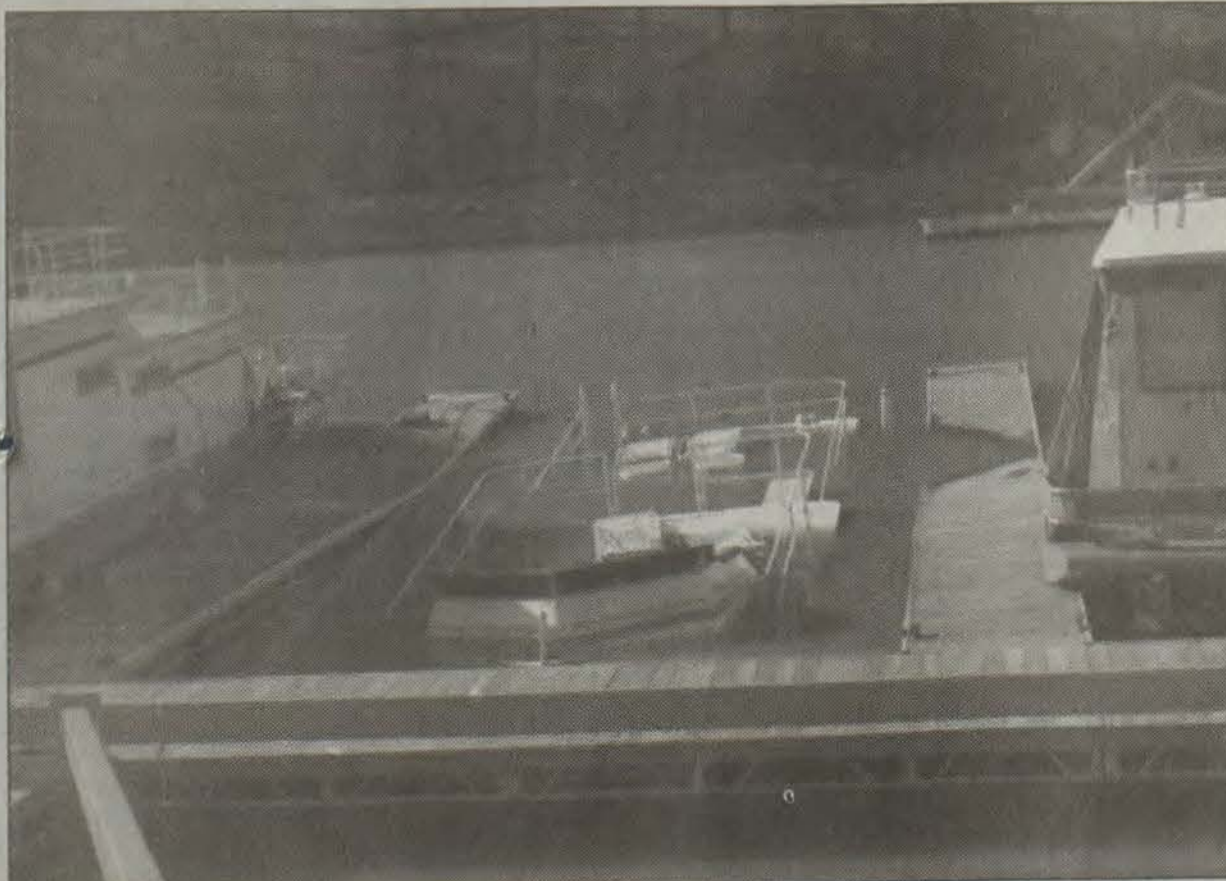
Jessica Marie Frasure was crowned football homecoming queen at the Don Daniels Athletic Center at Allen Central High School on October 9. She was escorted by Ryan Owens, son of Joe and Teresa Owens, of Garrett.

Jessica is a senior at Allen Central. She is a member of the Art T.A.G. program, FBLA, and a captain of the boy's varsity cheerleaders. She plans to attend Morehead State University upon graduation.

Jessica is the 17-year-old daughter of Keith and Rita Frasure of Martin. She is the granddaughter of Gene and Betty Frasure of Langley and Bradley and Rubestene Akers of Martin. (Reprinted due to permission)



Newly elected State Representative Phillip Childers, D-Hindman, left, and newly elected State Representative Ira Branham, D-Pikeville, met recently during the legislative Organizational Session in Frankfort to discuss issues that both of their bordering legislative districts have in common. (Photo by LRC)



Sunken treasure

This boat at the Jenny Wiley State Resort Park Marina sank sometime Sunday night. The high winds may have been a factor, but officials at the park say a sinking of this nature occurs almost yearly. Officials would not release the name of the boat's owner. (photo by Willie Elliott)

Cats

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determining a national champion.

"They take how you did in the pom routine and then the jazz and then average the scores," she explained. "We were all excited when it was announced we had won first place."

Shepherd said the trip to St. Louis went smoothly and there were no obstacles along the way. "It was a good trip for us," she said. "It was real nice, just a perfect trip."

The high school Dance Cats were not the only squad that made the trip. The Elite Dance Team was there, as well. The Elite squad placed third in the Junior Elite Division.

There was some individual competition for the dance team. Ashley Frasure was one of the top five finalists in individual competition. Local girls who made the All-American

squad include Frasure, Ashley Greene and Sarah Conley.

For the Elite team, Jenna Stewart was in the top five in the Pee Wee division; Kaitlin Clark was a top five finalist in the junior division, and Frasure was a finalist in the senior division.

After regrouping from the success of St. Louis, the local dance team will be in competition at Myrtle Beach in March, according to Shepherd.

"This will not be a national competition," she said. "But we will compete in the EDA Championship. Until then, we will continue to perform at ball games."

Shepherd said the trip to the national competition is a learning experience.

"Every year every team gets bet-

ter," she said. "While we are in competition we watch and see what everyone else is doing and we come home and work on getting better for next year. We are already thinking about next year."

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97 OLDS 88	16075	12980 / 229 mo.	
97 BUICK LESABRE CUSTOM	16450	12980 / 229 mo.	
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95 HYUNDAI SONATA GL	8175	6980	
95 NISSAN 240 SX...Automatic	11100	6980	
95 MITSUBISHI GALANT LX...Auto, sunroof	10725	6980 / 179 mo.	
96 MAZDA 626 LX	11700	9980	
96 NISSAN ALTIMA GXE	11475	9980	
96 MAZDA 626 DX	11550	9980 / 199 mo.	
95 DODGE NEON	8650	4980	
94 DODGE INTREPID	7725	5980	
93 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX	7225	5980	
93 FORD T-BIRD SUPER COUPE	9025	6980	
96 PONTIAC SUNFIRE	9000	6980	
97 FORD ESCORT LX WAGON	9975	7980	
96 GEO PRIZM	8700	7980	
95 FORD T-BIRD LX	9530	7980	
97 PONTIAC GRAND AM SE	11575	7980	
96 FORD PROBE...14,000 miles	11350	8980	
98 DODGE NEON...6,000 miles	11450	8980	
95 CHEVY CAMARO	SAVES\$\$	9980	
95 CHRYSLER CONCORDE	11200	9980	
97 PLYMOUTH BREEZE...28,000 miles	11000	9980	
96 CHRYSLER CIRRUS LXL...Leather	13200	9980	
95 FORD TAURUS SHO...Leather, moonroof	13075	9980	
94 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL	12250	9980	
96 OLDS ACHEVA...3.9% financing available	SAVES\$\$	9980	
95 CHEVY CAMARO SPORT CONVERTIBLE	13400	9980	
98 PONTIAC SUNFIRE SE	12300	9980	
96 CHEVY LUMINA	SAVES\$\$	11980	
96 OLDS 88 LS...Leather	15550	11980	
98 FORD TAURUS GL			
Aluminum wheels, power seat	16100	12980	
95 BUICK RIVIERA...40,000 miles	18050	12980	
96 CHEVY CAMARO RS CONVERTIBLE			
Leather, all options	16725	13980	
96 LINCOLN TOWN CAR	SAVES\$\$	14980 / 279 mo.	
97 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL	23850	15980 / 279 mo.	
95 OLDS AURORA	21500	15980 / 299 mo.	
96 CADILLAC SEVILLE	26050	17980	
TRUCKS & VANS			
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15,000 miles, 8 passenger, natural gas	SAVES\$\$	5980	
96 GEO TRACKER...36,000 miles	7850	5980	
95 NISSAN HARDBODY PU	8025	5980	
96 SUZUKI X90 4x4	8525	6980	
92 GMC SONOMA EXTENDED CAB...Auto, air	SAVES\$\$	6980	
92 DODGE D150 PU...21,000 miles, auto, air	SAVES\$\$	6980	
96 MAZDA 92300	9300	6980	
98 FORD RANGER...9,000 miles	12400	7980 / 159 mo.	
97 NISSAN HARDBODY...21,000 miles	11500	8980 / 179 mo.	
95 SUZUKI RODEO	SAVES\$\$	8980	
95 JEEP WRANGLER LSS 4x4...43,000 miles	13025	9980	
96 NISSAN FRONTIER	SAVES\$\$	9980 / 199 mo.	
93 CHRYSLER TOWN & COUNTRY			
Low miles, leather, all options, rear air	11500	9980	
95 FORD WINDSTAR GL	SAVES\$\$	10980	
97 GEO TRACKER 4x4			
Hardtop, auto, air, 21,000 miles	12400	10980 / 219 mo.	
96 DODGE CARAVAN	SAVES\$\$	10980	
97 DODGE GRAND CARAVAN	16800	11980 / 249 mo.	
95 JEEP CHEROKEE 4x4...Auto	SAVES\$\$	11980	
92 CHEVY STEP VAN			
24,000 miles, 15 feet, dual wheels	SAVES\$\$	12980	
94 FORD EXPLORER 4x4	14600	12980	
96 DODGE CONVERSION VAN			
Full size, 29,000 miles	SAVES\$\$	12980 / 239 mo.	
95 FORD EXPLORER 4x4	18100	12980	
98 FORD WINDSTAR GL	18025	14980 / 259 mo.	
95 HONDA PASSPORT 4x4...95 1/2 model	17575	15980	
96 FORD EXPLORER 4x4	22050	15980	
96 HONDA PASSPORT 4x4...30,000 miles	19025	16980	
97 FORD EXPLORER 4x4	SAVES\$\$	16980 / 299 mo.	
97 MERCURY MOUNTAINEER AWD	23025	17980 / 319 mo.	
98 PONTIAC TRANSPORT	SAVES\$\$	17980	
98 JEEP CHEROKEE 4x4...7,000 miles	SAVES\$\$	18980 / 329 mo.	
97 HONDA PASSPORT 4x4...20,000 miles	SAVES\$\$	18980	
97 FORD F150 XCAB XLT 4x4...3 door, V8	22400	18980	
96 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE LIMITED 4x4...V8	23725	18980	
98 ISUZU RODEO 4x4...113 miles	SAVES\$\$	22980	
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Viewpoint

Quote of the day...
Freedom is never voluntarily given by the oppressor; it must be demanded by the oppressed.
—Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

Friday, January 22, 1999 A4

Editorial

There is nothing wrong with Rep. Tom Riner using the University of Kentucky basketball tickets he is allowed to buy as a state legislator to raise money to feed the poor. Indeed, it is an admirable gesture, but the Louisville Democrat should have selected a better method for raising that money.

In an informal opinion sought by Riner, the Legislative Ethics Commission said legislators can donate their tickets to charities or sell them at face value.

However, selling tickets for more than face value — a.k.a. scalping — is illegal in Kentucky. And scalping may have been involved in the manner in which Riner chose to dispose of his tickets.

Admirable gesture

Riner arranged for Christ the King Baptist, the Louisville church he pastors, to buy his season tickets at face value along with those of fellow legislator Porter Hatcher, D-Louisville, and Leonard Gray, Gov. Paul Patton's legislative liaison.

The church, in turn, sold the tickets to a broker in Texas, netting a profit of \$5,940. The money was used to feed the poor at Christmas.

The Texas broker sold the tickets to a Cincinnati broker, who sells individual \$20 tickets over the Internet for \$200 to \$300 each.

While Riner, Hatcher and Gray did not personally profit from these transactions, the two brokers did, and they did it by selling the coveted tickets at an inflated price. So, in a sense, Riner was promoting scalping, although since the tickets were not resold in Kentucky, state laws presumably do not apply.

In the future, we suggest that the church conduct a raffle for the tickets. While some church members may consider raffle as gambling, it surely is better than scalping the tickets. Indeed, UK game tickets are regularly offered as prizes at raffles throughout the state.

The loudest complaints over Riner's disposal of his tickets have come from UK Athletics Director C.M. Newton, who is threatening to deny the legislator future tickets. The university's interest in this is hard to understand. After all, UK received the money it asked for the tickets. — *The Daily Independent, Ashland*



Letters to the Editor

FORMER STUDENT PRAISES PRINCIPAL

Editor:
As a 1998 graduate of Dr. W.D. Osborne Elementary, I was shocked to hear that Osborne's best principal ever was fired from his job.

Mr. Tackett had been my principal for five years, and I have never seen so much utmost concern and dedication in a principal. He was so good to Osborne last year. He kept an open mind on anything and rewarded students for good behavior.

Many students at Osborne got the privileges to visit sites and historical monuments, thanks to Mr.

Tackett.
Often, Mr. Tackett would come into our room and talk to us, just to ask our opinion on class trips and school issues. He would talk to us on our level and make us feel at ease, like our opinions counted.

I think it is a shame that future students from Osborne will not get the leadership of Mr. Tackett.

Thanks for everything, Mr. Tackett.
Brittany Bailey
Bypro

THANKS FOR CHRISTMAS TREATS

Editor:
The City Commission of Wayland, would like to express our thanks to the businesses and individuals who were able to donate to our project of giving out Christmas treats to the children and elderly in the community: Gay Wright, Rite Aid of Prestonsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Tufts, Prestonsburg IGA, Foodland, Food City, Winn Dixie, Big Lots, Ulysses

Buelis, Hall Funeral Home, Bobby Hamilton, Stella and Elmer Castle and ElkHorn Coal Corp. of Prestonsburg.

Thanks to you we were able to give out more than 350 treat bags.

Wayland City Commission
Carol Stapleton, Clerk

Other Voices

A commentary

Places of mutual respect

by Robert F. Sexton

One opinion poll after another shows that parents today are deeply concerned about safety and violence in their children's schools. Although the facts don't justify the outcry, horrifying tragedies like the one last year in Paducah and a fixation on spectacular crimes by the news media and the public help explain it. School officials and legislators all over America jump to respond.

Strong security and good discipline measures are needed. But there's lots more to it, said about 100 students, teachers, parents, and citizens who talked about school violence at the East Kentucky Leadership Committee.

They weren't talking about the rare, spectacular episodes like Paducah. That's another matter, and not what I'm talking about. When they talked about "safety and violence," they meant the less dramatic, day-to-day variety that every parent has experienced.

"What would you have to see to know your school is safe?" the group at the leadership conference were asked. Their list was different than the one we usually hear in political campaigns. What did they say?

On top of their list was respect—of teachers for students, students for teachers, parents for teachers, teachers for parents. What else did they believe make schools safe?

• Teachers and students who are focused on seri-

ous academic work

- Support for students who need special help
- Clear and intelligent leadership from the principal

• Every single student having someone in the school who cares about him or her (Bill Bond, the principal at Heath High School in Paducah, mentions this one often.)

- Consistent discipline from teachers, principals, and in the home
- A caring staff so young people feel that they are valued
- Serious parental involvement in the lives of their children
- Qualified teachers

One thing is clear from this list from students, teachers, parents and citizens: what they have created is a textbook description of a good school.

Good schools, these folks believe, are safe schools. Nobody mentioned security guards. Nobody mentioned metal detectors. Nobody mentioned barbed wire to keep bad people out.

It's no surprise that people want to talk about violence in schools, and that the political reaction understandably grabs for the most visible solutions.

But there's the rub: "Schools are a reflection of community, they always have been," said the principal of an east Kentucky school. "When I'm trying to

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Changes in our schools

Letters to the Editor

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PostScript

by Pam Shingler
Editor



Apparently, Judge-Executive Paul Hunt Thompson is learning some of the harsh realities of being the top administrator, as well as its chief public relations man.

Last week as he welcomed members of the Kentucky Appalachian Commission to Floyd County, he related that the Thursday meeting was the third or fourth time in about a week that he had been at a meeting with Gov. and Mrs. Paul Patton.

As he was getting dressed to come to the convention center, his wife and adviser Donna asked who was going to be at the meeting.

He told her that the governor and first lady would be there, at which time she exclaimed, "You can't wear that!"

When he got over the shock of her reaction, he asked, "Why can't I wear this?"

According to the judge, Donna explained, "The governor's already seen you in that."

Now, we women can certainly understand. Most of us notice what other people are wearing. It's not necessarily something we want to do, it's simply a part of our innately superior observation skills. It doesn't necessarily mean we're passing judgment; it just means we notice things. We generally notice if someone wears the same outfit several days in a row.

Even though men used to be the peacocks of the species, in the last couple hundred years they've been pretty subdued. Those who've worked in offices have tended to wear dark conservative suits that seem to look basically the same even with some variation in color.

Donna, of course, is more attuned to her husband's wardrobe than any of us would be and certainly more so than the governor who has not shared the same circle of friends as Thompson (although I sense that's changing).

Whether Gov. Patton had begun to notice a pattern to the judge's attire is not likely something he would ever own up to, but Mrs. Judge is not going to risk the shame of an unfashionable partner.

Thompson confessed to the KAC audience that he is bowing to the pressure. (Now we know who's really running Floyd County.) He said Donna convinced him that he will have to budget in the next several pays for new duds, a suit this time, a blazer and slacks the next, and so on, until he is fully presentable for a week of meetings with the governor, if that's what's called for.

The judge intimated that he hadn't really expected this as a part of the job. He seemed perfectly at ease with the uniform and with the casual clothes that suited his previous role as sheriff.

This new job has a different set of expectations. He must still appear strong and yet approachable, but he also has to be smooth and almost lawyer-ly.

I'm pleased to note that he did us proud in his welcoming remarks to the KAC members. Despite his protestation that he was extremely nervous to be speaking in front of such a crowd, he was entertaining, cordial, well-spoken, and appropriately professional.

He represented Floyd County well. Now, about that tie ...

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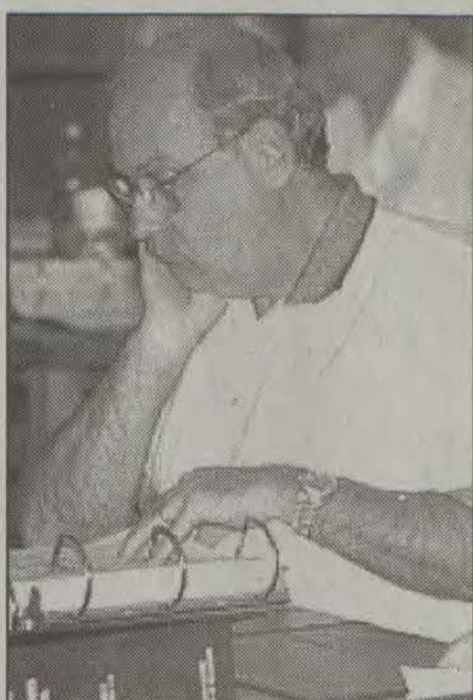
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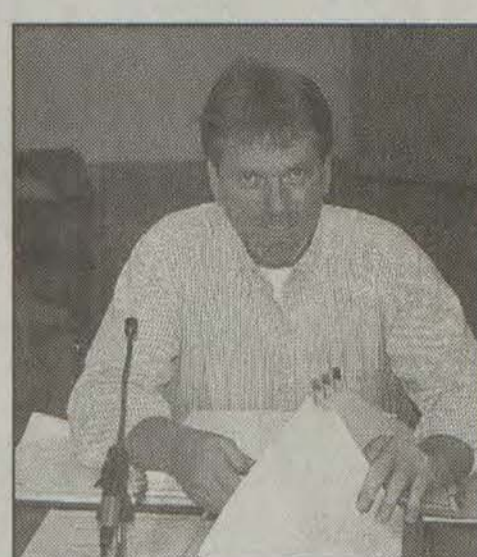
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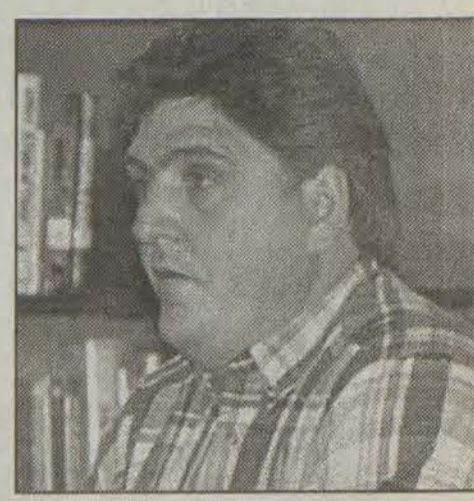
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Education: High school and vocational training



Name: Jody Mullins
Residence: Hueysville
Occupation: Plumber
Education: GED

Quote: "There are two things in life no one can take from you," my grandmother would say, "Your education and your God. Cherish them both and don't forget where you were raised. Never consider who people are, but what they need and do your best to help them."

It is in this spirit that I serve as a member of the Floyd County Board of Education. Has it been easy? No! In fact, it has been one of the most difficult things I have ever done, but it is extremely important work! The tough decisions have affected my life in ways I could have never imagined and believe me, there have been many tough decisions. Only time will tell if our actions will be as beneficial to our children as we hoped they would be. We don't have to agree, so don't stop telling me what you think.

Quote: My reason for serving (on the board) came out of frustration with what I had seen go on for some time. The school system should be of the taxpayer, by the educators, and for the children. If for anything else, it's not right.

I came into this job to effect change — to make things better. We must do it through our youth. I bring something to this board that it needs. I have no ties, no connections with this board other than the welfare of students. Therefore, no one should question the motives for what I do.

Quote: Representing the people of Left Beaver and Floyd County on the Board of Education is perhaps the most important responsibility that I have had in my life. More than anything, I want to keep the promise that I have made — to work tirelessly on the behalf of Floyd County children and to make schools good places for them to be.

Quote: Being the newest-elected board member, I have found my first two-and-one-half months to be somewhat of a challenge. But every time you walk into a school building and see the smiling face of a child and know that just maybe you have done something to be a part of that smiling face makes it all worthwhile. I can only promise to all the kids and parents always to do the best job that I'm capable of doing and to make the right decisions.

Quote: I wanted to be a board member to help make some decisions to better the education of children. I saw some real problems that I wanted to change, but I was quick to realize that it takes three votes on the board to change things.

It was a bad time to be a board member from Floyd County. I would get so discouraged at state board meetings when I would hear, "There are 174 school districts and Floyd County." But I think things are looking up for our children because we now have a balanced budget, and I want to see to it that every child in Floyd County has textbooks, supplies and an opportunity to get a good education.

Forecast for Floyd County, KY

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LOCAL 7-DAY FORECAST

Today	Tonight	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Cloudy, a few t-storms. 64	Cloudy and mild with rain 48	Cloudy and mild with rain. 55/38	Clouds and sun; mild. 48/34	Mostly sunny and pleasant. 57/40	Partly sunny and pleasant. 59/42	Partly sunny and pleasant. 55/37	Partly sunny and mild. 49/32

THE WEEK AHEAD...

Temperatures

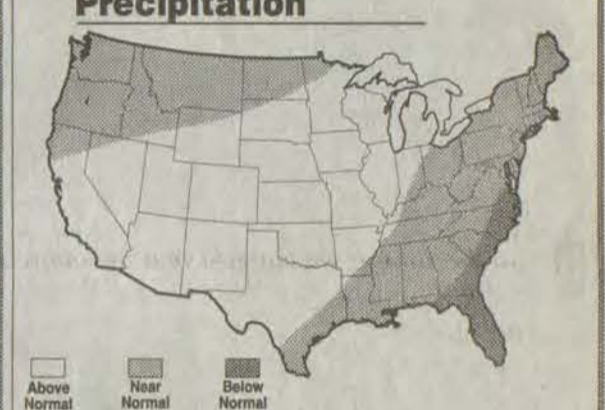


NATIONAL SUMMARY

The weather pattern will continue to change over the next week. Arctic air will again penetrate the nation, starting in the West. Mild air will continue to hang on across the East Coast. As the flow continues to change, so will the storm track. Storms will organize over the southern Rockies and track northeastward into the Great Lakes. Dry weather will prevail along the Eastern Seaboard.

THE WEEK AHEAD...

Precipitation



U.S. TRAVELER'S CITIES

City	Today		Saturday		Sunday		Monday		Tuesday	
	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo
Atlanta	66	52	58	38	54	37	61	45	65	48
Boston	49	35	47	37	50	35	47	30	47	33
Chicago	44	36	38	28	36	26	42	30	43	29
Cleveland	52	42	50	36	41	31	44	31	46	32
Denver	40	22	54	28	54	23	44	19	39	13
Des Moines	34	29	37	23	46	25	41	28	41	23
Detroit	44	38	46	32	40	29	44	30	43	29
Houston	68	42	64	40	72	49	74	51	74	54
Indianapolis	52	41	44	28	43	31	50	36	51	35
Kansas City	42	30	41	28	51	34	50	34	48	29
Los Angeles	65	54	70	47	63	41	59	38	59	30
Miami	82	69	80	63	77	58	75	63	79	66
Minn.-St. Paul	32	26	34	21	33	17	29	15	31	13
New Orleans	70	50	60	40	64	48	72	53	75	53
New York City	48	42	52	39	52	34	48	34	48	35
Omaha	34	26	40	24	46	27	42	26	43	20
Phoenix	67	44	73	53	75	50	67	42	62	39
San Francisco	58	48	56	44	49	39	50	36	50	38
Seattle	44	38	44	32	40	26	42	28	39	29
Washington	56	48	55	44	56	34	54	36	58	38

SUN & MOON

Sunrise		Sunset	
Fri.	7:42 a.m.	5:43 p.m.	
Sat.	7:42 a.m.	5:44 p.m.	
Moonrise		Moonset	
Fri.	10:52 a.m.	11:13 p.m.	
Sat.	11:27 a.m.	none	
Moon Phases			
Jan 24	Jan 31	Feb 8	Feb 16

WORLD TRAVELER'S CITIES

City	Today		Saturday		Sunday		Monday		Tuesday	
	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo
Amsterdam	43	35	45	41	48	33	44	43	55	46
Berlin	41	32	41	37	46	35	40	32	45	42
Buenos Aires	86	67	85	70	89	63	81	58	80	59
Cairo	74	50	67	46	64	48	67	48	63	43
Jerusalem	58	43	58	38	51	37	54	40	54	37
Johannesburg	77	63	81	64	84	64	84	64	85	64
London	46	37	49	44	48	37	50	49	58	49
Madrid	43	40	46	36	54	36	56	39	57	39
Mexico City	76	41	65	41	66	43	68	45	70	46
Moscow	38	25	38	18	24	21	28	23	29	16
Paris	42	38	45	37	47	35	46	42	51	44
Rio de Janeiro	89	75	85	75	85	75	85	75	85	74
Rome	56	39	56	39	56	40	57	41	58	44
San Juan	80	72	82	71	83	71	82	70	81	68
Seoul	44	30	46	35	51	33	49	31	47	25
Sydney	72	66	73	64	81	70	81	70	81	68
Tokyo	49	43	56	46	61	58	66	56	64	54
Toronto	42	41	47	39	44	31	47	34	45	32
Winnipeg	15	1	20	2	15	9	6	12	9	12
Zurich	44	36	42	34	44	35	44	38	47	41

School personnel changes

At its Jan. 19 meeting, the Floyd County Board of Education heard of the following personnel actions that have taken place in the system since Dec. 21:

Certified hiring: Lt. Col. Larry D. Maynard Sr., Army Instructor (ROTC) at Allen Central High School, effective Dec. 2; Ryan Jones, teacher at South Floyd High School, effective Dec. 22.

Certified transfers: Lora Smallwood transferred back to Osborne Elementary full time, effective Dec. 29; Brent Rose transferred from Adams Middle School to full time at Prestonsburg High, effective Dec. 29.

Classified hirings: Julie Case, bus driver, Betsy Layne area, effective Dec. 15; Sharon Cross, primary aide, McDowell Elementary, effective Dec. 16; Teresa Prater, custodian, Allen Central High, effective Jan. 11.

Classified transfers: Diana Case, from primary aide to in-school suspension/instructional aide, McDowell Elementary, effective Dec. 16; Calvin Miller, bus driver, from bus 3492 to bus 797 in the Prestonsburg area, effective Dec. 16 afternoon run; Margie Goodman, bus driver, from bus 1496 to bus 1197, Allen Central area, effective Dec. 16, afternoon run; Donald Wireman, bus driver, from bus 1391 to bus 2392, Prestonsburg area, effective Dec. 16, afternoon run.

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KCTCS students eligible for aid

With spring registration periods fast approaching, it's time for students interested in attending Kentucky's community and technical colleges to start thinking about financial aid.

The good news is that virtually all students in the Kentucky Community and Technical College System are eligible for some type of scholarship, loan, grant or tax credit.

The federal financial aid form for each branch—the 15 technical colleges and the 13 community colleges—is exactly the same. Issued by the U.S. Department of Education Student Financial Assistance Programs, the form is used by all students who enroll in a four-year college, professional school, or two-year community or technical college.

Financial aid comes in a variety of forms:

- A federal grant, such as the Pell Grant or the Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG), is money that students do not have to pay back.
- A federal loan, such as the Stafford Loan or Federal Perkins Loan, is money that students do have to pay back.
- Federal Work-Study (FWS) is money that students earn in a work setting and do not pay back.
- In addition, students may be eligible for Title VII and Public Health Act Programs.

To be eligible for federal financial aid, a student must be a U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen; be registered with Selective Service (if required); attend a college that participates in the programs listed; work toward a degree, diploma or certificate; make satisfactory academic progress; not owe a refund on a federal grant or be in default on a federal educational loan; and demonstrate financial need.

Individual colleges offer a variety of student scholarships—money that does not have to be paid back. To determine the type of financial aid that best serves individual needs, a student should contact the Financial Aid Office and/or Admissions Office at the institution he or she plans to enter. Scholarship and financial aid forms can be found there.

Students also may be eligible for the Hope Scholarship, a federal tax credit for the first two years of postsecondary education. And a new program in Kentucky—the Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship—allows students to earn college scholarships if they make good grades in high school and/or score at certain levels on the ACT.

For more information on student financial aid, contact the KCTCS institution nearest you. If you are not sure which institution to call, call KCTCS' central office at 1-877-KCTCS4U, or visit the system's Web site at www.state.ky.us/agencies/kctcs.

Other Voices

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discipline a violent child and I see parents who think that violence solves problems, I have my biggest challenge. Getting parents (not children) to understand that violence is never an option is the hardest thing I have to do as a principal."

The principal said we shouldn't be surprised to see violence among young people. "We have video games where little boys practice killing. Rambo is the model of masculinity. We watch movies with every kind of imaginable violence."

The parents and students and teachers who were talking, felt that safe schools are most likely in places where people solve problems without violence. Safe communities are places where people take responsibility for themselves and each other. These are places where bonds of mutual trust and mutual support keep things on an even keel.

Said the principal, "I want my school to be in a community where parents do the work on this at home."

It's appropriate to strive for laws that make schools safe. But the ultimate antidote to violence lies in the everyday life of everyday communities—in how people treat one another at home, school, church, on the street corner, or at the grocery store. It has to do with the quality of our schools, churches, and governments. This is what the wise folks from east Kentucky said.

Getting there is another matter. But the ultimate tonic for violence is to create schools that are challenging centers of learning, where all people feel valued, where clear discipline is the rule, where civil and respectful behavior is the only acceptable standard. These are schools where everyone is busy doing academic work.

Legislators and school administrators have to take the heat when violent actions occur, so they must respond. But demanding and exciting schools in safe communities are the real solutions.

Robert F. Sexton is executive director of the Prichard Committee for Academic Excellence.

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Glaeser graduates from basic training



Frank A. Glaeser

Air Force Airman Frank A. Glaeser III has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

During the six weeks of training, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization, and customs and received special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Glaeser is the son of Linda L., and stepson of Claud D. Jones of Dana.

He is a 1988 graduate of Prestonsburg High School.

Moore completes six-month deployment

Navy Fireman James F. Moore, son of Charles E. Moore of Auxier, recently completed a six-month deployment to the Atlantic Ocean aboard the guided missile frigate USS Stark.

Moore was one of more than 200 sailors who departed their home port of Mayport, Florida, in August, to represent the United States in Standing Naval Forces Atlantic (SNFL). USS Stark, joined ships from eight other NATO countries including Canada, Denmark, Germany, the Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain and the United Kingdom to make up SNFL.

During the deployment, Moore's ship sailed through the waters of the Atlantic Ocean with other SNFL units to serve as an immediate reaction force, capable of rapid response in times of crises or tension, and to demonstrate NATO solidarity. In addition, Moore and fellow crew members had the opportunity to be part of the first NATO maritime force to visit St. Petersburg, Russia.

Moore's ship is a combatant ship designed to protect amphibious expeditionary forces, underway replenishment groups and merchant

convoys from undersea attack. In addition to torpedoes, frigates carry helicopters that have sonar and torpedo capabilities, expanding the ship's reach.

He joined the Navy in October 1996.

Participated in Operation Desert Fox

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Daniel L. Cordial, son of Clifford and Edith Cordial of Wayland, recently participated in Operation Desert Fox while assigned to the aircraft carrier USS Enterprise, currently deployed to the Mediterranean Sea and Arabian Gulf.

During the operation, U.S. forces launched attacks on military installations in Iraq. The attacks were made after Iraqi President Saddam Hussein's refusal to allow U.N. teams to inspect Iraqi installations for weapons of mass destruction. President Hussein constantly denied inspectors access to facilities which could house or manufacture such weapons in Iraq.

Carriers, like USS Enterprise, home ported in Norfolk, Virginia, are forward deployment around the world to maintain a U.S. presence and provide rapid response in times

of crisis. They serve as a highly visible deterrent to would-be aggressors and, if deterrence fails, offer the most versatile and powerful weapons available, including Tomahawk cruise missiles and tactical aircraft.

The 1996 graduate of Allen Central High School at Eastern, joined the Navy in October 1996.

Oaks graduates from basic training

Army Pvt. Orville C. Oaks has graduated from basic infantry training at Fort Benning, Columbus, Georgia.

During the course of instruction, the soldier received training in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, physical fitness, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

The infantryman developed basic combat skills and battlefield operations and tactics, and experienced using various weapons and weapons defenses available to the infantry crewman.

Oaks is the son of Eunice and Jerry L. Oaks of Prestonsburg. He is a 1998 graduate of Prestonsburg High School.

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MAYO MOMENTS

by Linda Lyon
 Mayo Marketing Director

Greetings from Mayo Technical College. We are into our second semester as a technical college and I am happy to report that the "State of the College" is excellent. Enrollment is good, the campus is buzzing with activity and we move forward into this new era.

This week I want to highlight our second retiree of this month. Margaret E. (Margie) Rice has been an employee at Mayo since July 1970. She worked in the old Region 11 office until it closed and then she moved across the street to the Mayo

Administrative offices as a part of the reorganization.

Margie has handled the travel vouchers and reimbursement for many years. Most of us don't worry about how to file this or that report, what forms to use or how far it is from point A to point B, because we know that Margie knows and will "help us out." It is much easier to make the trip, attend all the meetings, make all the connections, and keep up with the agenda than it is to figure out the reporting of that trip on the travel voucher. I, for one, am going to miss her a lot. I always forget to set my trip meter, never know how far I traveled between points and most often have several combined meetings and destinations when I travel. It's an almost hope-

less tangle. I have a feeling we are going to want to post her home phone number on or near our computers. (No, I'm not giving that out — you will have to ask Margie.)

Margie attended the old Meade Memorial High School for three years and graduated from Johnson Central High School. She then came to Mayo where she graduated in June 1970 with a diploma in Business and Office. She came to Mayo to become a secretary and just never left, well until now. She has been a part of the office scenery here for so long, it will seem like something is missing when she retires.

Margie is the daughter of Thomas and Alice Rice of Hager Hill and an honored member of the Mayo family.



Margaret E. Rice

Owning your own business seminar at Mayo Wednesday

"Owning your own business" is a seminar to be offered by the Mayo Regional Technology Center and the Morehead State University East Kentucky Small Business Development Center. This seminar will be presented on Wednesday, January 27, from 1 p.m.-3:30 p.m. and will be instructed by Mike Morley, director of the Morehead State University Small Business Development Center. This seminar will be offered free of charge and will be presented at the Mayo Regional Technology Center, located on 513 3rd Street, Paintsville.

Topics to be covered at this seminar will include: Choosing a Business, Building a Plan, Choosing a Structure, Checking Your Market, Licenses and Taxes, and Financing Alternatives.

The number of people who can

attend this seminar will be limited only by available space. For additional information or to pre-register, contact Linda or Mike at the East Kentucky Small Business Development Center at (606) 432-5848 or call, (606) 789-5321.

Retirees get bigger break

Retirees will get something of a Christmas present as they figure their estimated tax payments for 1999. In 1998, retirees could exclude up to \$35,000 of their pension income. Starting January 1, 1999, \$35,700 is the new pension exclusion for Kentucky taxation purposes.

Governor Paul Patton calling this positive exclusion, "a good break for Kentucky retirees," said "We are pleased to announce this tax savings for 1999. For those Kentuckians living on a fixed income such as retirees this type of tax break really makes a big difference in the quality of life."

The Kentucky General Assembly provided for indexing the exclusion amount beginning in 1999 to offset the effort of inflation. Typically, as the cost of living increases, pensions usually increase to offset these costs.

For additional information, about the pension exclusion contact the Revenue Cabinet's Taxpayer Assistance Office at (502) 564-4581 or the KRC taxpayer service center nearest you.

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Big Sandy Briefs

The Numbers Game

Wednesday's Results	January 20, 1999
LOTTO KENTUCKY 09-13-17-24-32-37 Next Estimated Jackpot \$8.8 million	POWERBALL 02-12-19-40-48 ²⁷ Next Estimated Jackpot \$12 million

Competition for 1998 Fireman of the Year was no barn-burner

The Salyersville Volunteer Fire Department's 1998 Fireman of the Year is also the squad's newest full-time employee.

Paul Puckett, 44, recently received the honor of Fireman of the Year after being named Fireman of the Month eight times.

The fire department responded to 312 emergency calls during 1998 and Puckett participated in 249 of those. — *The Salyersville Independent*



after noon on Friday, January 8, and began in earnest later that night. The area had two inches of rain within ten hours during Friday night and early Saturday morning, according to Carter Conley, a member of the Magoffin County Rescue Squad. Conley said the rain fell on frozen ground and could not be absorbed.

The flood alarm system was activated at 4 a.m. to inform residents that flood waters could be expected to low-lying areas of Salyersville. — *The Salyersville Independent*

Cut-Thru holds strong against recent flood of local criticism

Tributaries and not the Licking River are being blamed with a recent flooding of Salyersville streets and Ramey Memorial Park.

For the second time since completion of the Salyersville Cut-Thru Project, Ramey Memorial Park was partially covered in standing water.

Sporadic rain began in the Salyersville area shortly

Turner enters guilty plea

Twenty-one-year-old Donald Turner of Jackson entered a guilty plea on charges of first-degree burglary Tuesday in Martin Circuit Court, in connection with the May, 7, 1998 burglary of Earl Harmon's home on Emily Creek.

Harmon's wife, Betty, surprised two burglars when she arrived home at 10:30 p.m. with her six-year-old grandson. She said one of the burglars threatened her with a gun, ordering her and her grandson to lie on the ground.

Mrs. Harmon refused, ran through the house with the child in front of her, looked out the front door and told the men they were "in for it now," when she saw a car coming up her driveway. The men reportedly fled with some television sets, collector-edition knives and several guns.

Martin Circuit Judge Stephen "Nick" Frazier informed Turner of his rights, telling him that a guilty plea meant that he had waived his rights, Frazier added that if the court accepted the plea, then it cannot be appealed.

"You can receive 10-20 years in the penitentiary," Frazier told Turner. "The Commonwealth of Kentucky



Magistrates to hear Grand Jury report

A Grand Jury report on the condition of the Magoffin County Courthouse was scheduled to be presented to the new members of the Magoffin County Fiscal Court during a special meeting on January 14.

The report, which was submitted by the jury to Circuit Judge Robert Morgan in December, described the courthouse as "a disgrace" and listed detailed suggestions for the improvement of the property. — *The Salyersville Independent*

recommends a sentence of 15 years." As part of the plea agreement charges of unlawful imprisonment against Turner were dropped. — *The Mountain Citizen*

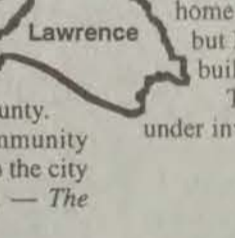
Fletcher improving, no arrests have been made

Kentucky State Police and the Martin County Sheriff's Department continue their search for one or two possible suspects in the Jan. 10 shooting of 51-year-old Delmer Fletcher of Elk Creek.

Rumors circulated Tuesday evening that authorities had arrested a suspect in the shooting. However, this could not be confirmed at press time.

Fletcher was shot twice in the abdomen and once in the right shoulder with a 30/30 rifle as he entered his home around 7:05 p.m. after returning from a shopping trip with his wife and daughter.

Fletcher was flown by Health Net to St. Mary's Hospital in Huntington, W.Va., where he remains a patient. After undergoing surgery, he was moved out of intensive care and is listed in fair condition. — *The Mountain Citizen*



Funding given for water upgrade

With four large checks in hand written for four large sums of money, Gov. Paul Patton came to the Louisa Community Center Monday morning bearing news that will bring millions into Lawrence County.

Before his brief visit was over, Patton presented checks that will help pay for an upgrade at Louisa's water treatment plant, extend water lines into areas of the county, construct a golf course at Yatesville Lake and provide millions for improving roads in the county.

The first of the checks was a Community Development Block Grant for \$996,695 to help the city of Louisa expand their water treatment plant. — *The Big Sandy News*

When firefighters arrived on the scene, one room of the building was fully engulfed in flames, but crews were able to contain the fire to one room and part of the upper floor.

Preston said it took firefighters around 30 minutes to get the fire under control.

The business, which sold antiques, furniture and home decorations, lost some of its merchandise, but Preston said a lot of it was saved. The entire building suffered heat and smoke damage.

The cause of the fire is unknown and still under investigation. — *The Big Sandy News*

Governor Patton takes time to talk politics

Aside from presenting millions of dollars in checks to Lawrence County on Monday, Gov. Paul Patton's visit contained some political moments as well.

Patton, who presented checks to fund improvements to the city's water treatment plant, an expansion of water lines into the county and the construction of a golf course at Yatesville, touched on the importance of government and of having qualified senators and representatives.

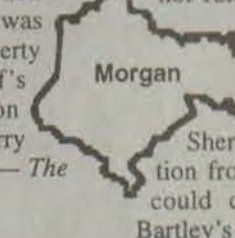
"It may be easy for people here in this county to see what is happening and what needs to be done, but in Frankfort, it's hard to see that for each individual community," Patton said. — *The Big Sandy News*

County employees rehired, road crew gets raises

The Morgan County Fiscal Court at its first regular meeting of the new year last week re-employed all county employees and approved a 50-cent per hour wage increase for county road department employees.

The magistrates also approved an expenditure not to exceed \$120,000 for deputy clerks' salaries.

Bids were opened for a 4-wheel drive vehicle for the Sheriff's Department, but none was accepted. The bids were as follows: West Liberty Ford, \$29,022.60; Fleming Sheriff's Department, \$28,639.94; Floyd Anderson Chevrolet of Campton, \$29,099.00, and Larry Fannin Chevrolet of Morehead, \$29,710.00. — *The Licking Valley Courier*



Investigators said Bartley died almost instantly from a crushed skull. An autopsy revealed he had been struck three times with a blunt instrument — once on the side of the head and twice on the back of the head. There was no sign of a struggle and officers said it appeared that Bartley was ambushed by his assailant as he rounded the corner of his house.

Bartley's billfold was missing and the case is being investigated as a robbery/homicide. Investigators have not ruled out other possible motives, but said they have uncovered no evidence to indicate that Bartley was the victim of any kind of personal vendetta.

Investigators, including Morgan County Sheriff Bill Frank Lacy, issued pleas for information from anyone with information of any type that could conceivably have a bearing on the case. Bartley's family and friends posted a \$5,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the killer. And the case was featured on a Crime Stoppers program on a Lexington television station. All to no avail.

The \$5,000 raised by family and friends is still being offered and anyone with any information about the case should call the State Police at (606) 784-4127 and ask for Detective Robert Motley or Detective Skeepers, or dial the KSP toll-free at 1-800- 222-5555, or call Sheriff Bill Frank Lacy at 743-4321. — *Licking Valley Courier*



Knott County man found guilty of kidnapping

A Knott County man charged with kidnapping his wife and later breaking into her home and assaulting her at gunpoint has been found guilty.

Elisha Jacobs of Dema kidnapped his wife and took her from Kentucky to Tennessee and back to Kentucky before releasing her on Feb. 27, 1998. During that trip, Jacobs repeatedly struck his wife and threatened her with a shotgun, according to a

statement from the U.S. attorney's office. Then, on April 27, Jacobs traveled from Kentucky to Kendallville, Ind., where he broke into his estranged wife's home and assaulted her at gunpoint, the statement said.

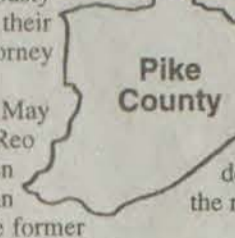
Jacobs was found guilty Wednesday by a jury on one count of kidnapping, three counts of interstate domestic violence, two counts of using a firearm in a crime of violence and one count of possession of a firearm while subject to a domestic violence order. Sentencing is scheduled for April 5. — *Troublesome Creek Times*

Smith to replace King, who was hired to replace Smith

The often-litigated Pike County Board of Education celebrated its first meeting of the new year by hiring its old attorney.

At the recommendation of Superintendent Frank Welch, board members voted unanimously last night to employee Neal Smith as their legal counsel in place of Pikeville attorney Rick King.

King was hired to replace Smith last May in the last days of then-superintendent Reo Johns' administration. Smith had been dismissed that January after launching an internal investigation into the sale of the former Sycamore Elementary School property, which later became the Kentucky Youth Academy. — *Appalachian-News Express*



nearby home at around 5:30 a.m. and noticed smoke billowing out of the upstairs portion of the woman's house.

Within seconds Bentley was inside the burning structure and escorting both Vass and her cat "Annabelle" to safety.

While Vass and her cat managed to emerge from Friday's events no worse for the wear, a Belfry firefighter was not quite as fortunate. BVFD Capt. James Earl Williams said fireman John Ball was slightly injured after the ladder he was on slid out from under him and crashed to the ground. At the time of the accident, Williams said, Ball was attempting to climb to the roof of the house. — *Appalachian News-Express*

Woman, cat rescued from burning home

An 80-year-old woman, as well as a family pet, escaped unharmed from an early Friday morning house fire due to the efforts of her nephew.

Stone resident Lillian Vass was asleep when her nephew Ernest Bentley looked out the window of his

Pike County paid little attention to MLK holiday

When most of the nation and much of Kentucky took a day off Monday in observance of civil rights leader Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday, Pike County for the most part observed business-as-usual.

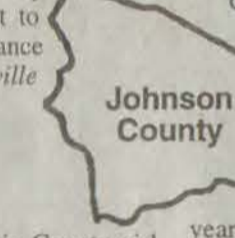
The Pike County School System was one of only nine districts in the state that was in regular session. School officials said the holiday was not "put on the schedule." — *Appalachian News-Express*

Shooting victim charged with arson

A Johnson County man who is a victim in a pending criminal case is now a defendant in an arson case.

William M. Smith, 43, of Sitka was named in an indictment returned last Friday by the Johnson County Grand Jury charging him with second-degree arson, defrauding a secured creditor and theft by deception.

The indictment claims that Smith, on July 8, 1998, "started a fire with the intent to destroy his home and to collect insurance proceeds for such loss." — *The Paintsville Herald*



Runaway call leads to drug arrests

Police searching for a runaway Martin County girl found the girl and a little something extra early Sunday morning in Johnson County.

Officers with the Johnson County Sheriff's Department arrested two adults after they found marijuana at a Wiley Branch residence while looking for the 16-year-old runaway, according to Johnson County Sheriff Bill Witten.

Witten said the sheriff's office received a call at 1 a.m. Sunday from the Kentucky State Police that the girl had run away from her Martin County home and was thought to be at a house on Wiley Branch Road.

When officers arrived, they discovered the 16-year-

old sitting on the couch in an "extremely intoxicated" condition. They also smelled a strong odor of marijuana and found a half-smoked cigarette in an ashtray on a table, the sheriff said.

Officers searched the house and found seven bags of processed marijuana, one set of scales and other drug-related items. They also found a man, Scotty W. Caudill, hiding in a closet.

Caudill, 24, of Nippa and Shelly Haunhorst, 21, of Paintsville and arrested. — *The Paintsville Herald*

Sheriff and city snag two in raid

In its first cooperative effort in seven years, the Johnson County Sheriff's Department teamed up with city and state police last Tuesday night to make the new administration's first drug bust.

Arrested were Gary Jones, 33, and his wife Deanna Jones, both of Tutor Key.

According to a press release issued by the sheriff's department, a confidential informant purchased pain pills and muscle relaxants from the two suspects the same day the department received an anonymous tip.

Sheriff's deputies and two city policemen raided the couple's trailer and found approximately 100 bottles of prescription pills, a large amount of cash and several weapons. — *The Paintsville Herald*

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REGIONAL OBITUARIES

Pike County

Tommy DeMurray, 78, of Pikeville, died Sunday, January 10, 1999. He was a retired MSHA federal mine inspector. Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Wednesday, January 13, under the direction of the Lucas & Hall Funeral Home.

Johnny Atherton Goff, 46, of Raccoon died Wednesday, January 13, 1999. He was a self-employed mechanic. He is survived by his wife, Emogene Justice Goff. Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m., Saturday, January 16, under direction of Lucas & Hall Funeral Home.

Billie Louise Daniels, 72, of Pikeville, died Wednesday, January 13, 1999. She was self-employed. She is survived by her husband, Clifford Daniels. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, January 16, under the direction of Thacker Memorial Funeral Home.

Lillian Stevens Kendrick, 49, of Pikeville, died Wednesday, January 13, 1999. She is survived by her husband, Roger Dale Kendrick. Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Friday, January 15, under the

direction of Justice Funeral Services.

Jane Trick, 83, of Pikeville, died Tuesday, January 12, 1999. Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Friday, January 15, under the direction of Justice Funeral Services-Morris Chapel.

Mila Oneal Blankenship, 89, of Freeburn, died Tuesday, January 12, 1999. Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Thursday, January 14, under direction of Phelps Funeral Services.

Anna Rae Roberts Sexton, 73, of Pikeville, died Friday, January 15, 1999. She is survived by her husband, Gene Sexton. Funeral services were Monday, January 18, under direction of Lucas & Hall Funeral Home.

Cellia May, 75, of McAndrews, died Thursday, January 14, 1999. Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Sunday, January 17, under the direction of Rogers Funeral Home.

Henry Herbert Blackburn, 87, of Pikeville, died Saturday, January 16, 1999. He taught school

in the Pike County School System in the 1940s and then was employed by the Kentucky Power Company until he retired in 1976. He is survived by his wife, Olga M. Lowe Blackburn. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, January 19, under the direction of Lucas & Hall Funeral Home.

Adam Bruce Dotson, 32, of Ransom, died Monday, January 18, 1999. He was a disabled coal miner. He is survived by his wife, Tammy Tackett Dotson. Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday, January 21, under the direction of the Rogers Funeral Home.

Dorothy Maynard, 92, of Pikeville, died Monday, January 18, 1999. She is survived by her husband, Richard Maynard. Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday, January 20, under the direction of the J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

Elmer "Dale" Sturgell, 52, of Harold, died Sunday, January 17, 1999. He was a mine inspector for the Kentucky Department of Reclamation. Funeral services were at 11 a.m., Wednesday, January 20, under direction of Lucas & Hall Funeral Home.

Emma Pauley Oney, 92, of Regina, died Monday, January 18, 1999. Funeral services were conducted at noon, Thursday, January 21, under the direction of Lucas & Hall Funeral Home.

services were conducted 1 p.m., Wednesday, January 20, under the direction of Thacker Memorial Funeral Home.

Ethel Arthur Chase, 94, of Toler, died Saturday, January 16, 1999. Funeral services were conducted 11 a.m., Tuesday, January 19, under the direction of Rogers Funeral Home.

Aretta "Wee Wee" Jude, 64, of Freeburn, died Sunday, January 17, 1999. Funeral services were conducted at noon, Wednesday, January 20, under the direction of Jones & Son Funeral Home-Phelps Chapel.

William Lee Isom, 72, of McCarr, died Saturday, January 16, 1999. He was a retired coal miner. He is survived by his wife, Bernice Gooslin Isom. Funeral services were 1 p.m., Tuesday, January 19, under the direction of Hatfield Funeral Chapel.

George Roger Roberts, 68, of Pikeville, died Sunday, January 17, 1999. He was a banker. Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m., Thursday, January 21, under direction of J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

Cordelia Hopkins Compton, 92, of Robinson Creek, died Monday, January 18. Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m., Thursday, January 21, under the direction of Lucas & Hall Funeral Home.

Knott County

Mary Lavern Dunoy, 88, of Hindman, died Wednesday,

Darke Anderson, 84, died Monday, January 18, 1999. Funeral

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January 13, 1999. Graveside services were conducted Saturday, January 16, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

Estie Terry, 80, of Hazard, died Monday, January 11, 1999. Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m., Thursday, January 14, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

Magoffin County

Vernie Arnett, 86, of Salyersville, died Sunday, January 10, 1999. Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m., Wednesday, January 13, under the direction of Salyersville Funeral Home.

Audley Hunley, 88, of Salyersville, died Saturday, January 9, 1999. Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m., Tuesday, January 12, under the direction of Dunn-Kelley/Prater & Dunn Funeral Home.

Charles J. "Chucky" Gipson, 25, of Salyersville, died Thursday, December 24, 1998. Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m., Sunday, December 27, under the direction of Dunn-Kelley/Prater & Dunn Funeral Home.

Johnson County

Lee Gibson, 65, died Friday, January 15, 1999. Funeral services were conducted at the Paintsville Funeral Home.

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OBITUARIES

Emma Wakeland

Emma Wakeland, 96, of Prestonsburg, died Tuesday, January 19, 1999, at the Riverview Manor Nursing Home in Prestonsburg.

She was born December 22, 1901, at Wise, Virginia, the daughter of the late Edward and Jane McGuire. She was a charter member of the Church of Christ of Prestonsburg.

Her husband, Estill Wakeland, preceded her in death.

She is survived by one son, Lloyd Crum of Allen; and one grandson.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, January 22, at 1 p.m. at the Floyd Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be in the Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel, under the direction of the Floyd Funeral Home.

Anna Elizabeth Gibson Caldwell

Anna Elizabeth Gibson Caldwell, 90, Floyd County native, of Colorado Springs, Colorado, formerly of Lexington, died January 18, 1999, after a long illness.

She is survived by four sons, Robert Caldwell of Virginia Beach, Virginia, Taylor Caldwell of Golden, Colorado, James Caldwell of Dayton, Ohio, and Jack Caldwell of Prestonsburg; one daughter, Virginia DeSaverio of Colorado Springs, Colorado; twelve grandchildren and thirteen great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Ossie L. Caldwell, who died July 15, 1987.

Visitation will be Sunday, January 24, from 5-9 p.m., at Kerr Brothers Funeral Home, Lexington, with funeral services to be held at the funeral home on Monday, January 25, at 1 p.m.

Maudie Vance Hall

Maudie Vance Hall, 95, of Grethel, died Wednesday, January 20, 1999, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, McDowell.

She was born August 16, 1903, at Beaver, the daughter of the late Sylvester Vance and Mary Alice Elliott Vance.

Her husband, W. J. Hall, preceded her in death.

Survivors include five sons, Lovel Hall of Langley, Denzil Ray Hall of McDowell, Forrest Dean Hall of Grethel, James K. Hall of Beaver, Virgil B. Hall of Okeechobee, Florida; two daughters, Delphia Hall Driggs of Towson, Maryland, Elise Hall of Pocatello, Idaho; two brothers, Noah Vance and Ernest Vance both of Beaver; 26 grandchildren, 59 great-grandchildren, and 20 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, January 23, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home, Martin, with the Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Burial will be in the W. J. Hall Cemetery, Grethel, with the Hall Funeral Home caring for those arrangements.

Henry Boleyn

Henry Boleyn, 76, of Proctorville, Ohio, formerly of Hueysville, died Tuesday, January 19, 1999, at St. Mary's Hospital, Huntington, West Virginia.

He was born December 20, 1922, in Knott County, the son of the late Cecil B. Boleyn and Susan Fitch Boleyn.

He was a disabled U.S. Army World War II veteran, and member of James W. Alley Masonic Lodge, Wayland.

He is survived by his wife, Agnes Crager Boleyn.

Other survivors include two sons, Roy Boleyn of Edna and Bryan Ray Boleyn of Prestonsburg; two daughters, Adrian Ann Shepherd of Hueysville and Betty Tackett of Proctorville, Ohio; four brothers, Eugene Boleyn of Ohio, Mark Boleyn of Garrett, Bruce Boleyn of Spencerville, Indiana, and Wayne Boleyn of Marion, Indiana; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, January 22, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, Martin, with the clergyman Jerry Manns officiating.

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

Ellis Marshall

Ellis Marshall, 71, of Warsaw, Indiana, formerly of Martin, died Saturday, January 16, 1999, in the Kosciusko Community Hospital in Warsaw, Indiana, after a long illness.

He was born on February 5, 1927, in Floyd County, the son of the late Albert and Annie Flannery Marshall.

He was a retired coal miner having worked for the Stephens-Elkhorn Coal Company and a member of the United Mine Workers of America.

He is survived by two sons, Daryl Marshall and David Marshall, both of Warsaw, Indiana; one daughter, Peggy Marshall of Warsaw, Indiana; two brothers, Raymond Marshall of Jackson, and Claude Marshall of Auburn, Indiana; six sisters, Oda Howard and Ethel Lovely, both of Hueysville, Grace Tinker of Prospect, Louellen Tinker of Jackson, Alberta Watson of Duncan, Oklahoma, and Dora Mullins of Eaton Rapids, Mich.; 8 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday, January 21, at 1 p.m., in the Hall Funeral Home Chapel in Martin.

Burial will be in the Click Family Cemetery at Stephens Branch Road in Martin, under the direction of the Hall Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers were Roger Marshall, John Habegger, Joe Habegger, Tony Marshall, Don Marshall, Terry Ratliff and Joe Ratliff.

Reprinted due to an error.

The Floyd County Times will publish a special keepsake edition on Friday, February 5, in remembrance of Floyd County citizens that died in 1998.

Information for this special edition is taken from the past year.

This edition will be open to the public for you to place your "In Memory" tributes of deceased loved ones.

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AUXIER

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

Auxier United Methodist Church, Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Night Service, 6:00 p.m. Everyone Welcome! Pastor, Doug Lawson.

HORN CHAPEL

Horn Chapel Methodist, Auxier Rd.; Sunday Morning Services, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday School 10:00; Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.; Bible Study, Wednesday 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Garfield Potter.

ABBOTT

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

ALLEN

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

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

BANNER

Prater Creek Baptist Church, Prater Creek; Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Morning, 11:00; Sunday Evening, 7:00; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Kids for Christ Club meets; Sunday, 11:00 a.m., Jr. and Beginners Church meets; Independent Fundamental Baptist Church; Pastor, Gary Fish.

Daniels Creek Baptist Fellowship Church of God, Banner, Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Service, 7:00; Tuesday Bible Study, 6:30; Everyone Welcome. Pastor, David Shepherd.

BEAVER

Elliott's Chapel Free Methodist Church, Beaver, Rt. 979; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Philip T. Smith.

BETSY LAYNE

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

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

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

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

Betsy Layne Church of Christ at Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Minister, Tommy J. Spears.

BEVINSVILLE

Jacks Creek Baptist Church, Bevinsville; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Thursday, Women's Bible Study, 6:30 p.m. Pastor, Jeff Barrett.

BLUE RIVER

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

BONANZA

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

BUFFALO

Endicott Freewill Baptist Church;

Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Youth Service, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. and the first Saturday each month at 7:00 p.m.; Sunday Service, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Jim Smith

CORN FORK

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

COW CREEK

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

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

DANA

Sammy Clark Branch Freewill Baptist Church, Dana; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Church, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Youth Meeting Sunday, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 6:30 p.m.; Pastor, Jody Spencer; Assistance Pastor, Terry Hall.

DAVID

Goodloe Pentecostal Church, Rt. 850, David, Ky.; Sunday Night, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Malcolm Slone.

DRIFT

Drift Pentecostal Church, Drift; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Worship Service, Saturday and Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Ted Shannon.

Drift Independent Church, Drift; Thursday, 6:30; Sunday, 11:00.

Drift Freewill Baptist Church, Drift; Prayer Service, 6:30 p.m., Thursday; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Church Service, 6:30 p.m.; Pastor, Randy Turner.

Drift Presbyterian Church, Route 1101, Drift; Sunday Services, 11:00 a.m.; Part-time minister, Mary Alice Murray.

DENVER

Liberty Baptist Church, Denver; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Merle Little.

DWALE

Dwale House of Prayer, Dwale, Ky.; service Saturday night, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday night, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Woodrow Crum.

EAST POINT

Free Pentecostal Church of God, East Point, Rt. 1428; Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Service, 11:00; Sunday Night, 6:30; Thursday Night, 6:30; Pastor, Buster Hayton.

Little Paint First Church of God, East Point, 671 Little Paint Road; Sunday School, 9:45; Morning worship, 11:00; Sunday Evening, 6:00; Youth Fellowship, Sunday 6:00; Wednesday Night, 7:00; Kings Class (Children Ministry) Wednesday 7:00; Pastor, A Wayne Burch.

EMMA

Emma United Methodist, Emma, Ky.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00; Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.; Paul Aiken, Pastor.

Martin Branch Freewill Baptist, Estill; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Services, 11:15 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Wayne Stevens.

GARRETT

Rock Fork Regular Baptist Church, Garrett; 4th Sunday of each month at 9:30 a.m.; Moderator, Elder Earl Slone; Assistant Moderator, Elder Jerry Manns.

Rock Fork Freewill Baptist Church, Garrett, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Elder Brodey Ambergue.

First Baptist Church, Garrett; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Bible Study, 7:00 p.m., Wednesday; Pastor, Randy Osborne.

Garrett Church of God, Garrett; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Donald Bragg.

Garrett Community Christian Church,

Route 550, Garrett, Ky.; Service Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. and Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Regular meeting 2nd Saturday at 6:30 p.m. and Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m. Come and bring a friend. Everyone welcome. Pastor, Donnie Hackworth.

GOBLE ROBERTS ADDITION

Landmark Church of God, Goble Roberts Addition; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:10 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Kenneth E. Prater, Jr.

Community Freewill Baptist, Goble Roberts; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; 4th Saturday Night, Regular Service & Business, 6:00 p.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Paul D. Coleman.

GRETHEL

Grethel Baptist Church, State Route 3379, (Branhams Creek Road), telephone 587-2043; Junior Church and Morning worship at 11:00; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Youth meeting Wednesday night 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting and bible study at 6:30.

HAGER HILL

Highland Church of Christ, Rt. 23, Hager Hill, telephone 789-6433; Sunday School 10 a.m.; Worship 11 a.m., Sunday evening 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible study 7 p.m.

HAROLD

Harold Church of Christ, at Harold; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.; Minister, James H. Harmon

Lower Toler Church of Christ at Harold; Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study 6:30 p.m.; Minister, Lonie Meade.

HI HAT

The Church of God of Prophecy at Hi Hat, invites you to worship with us each week. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Night Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday night is family night! Everyone welcome! Pastor, Don Fraley, Jr.

United Christian Church, Meade Bottom, Hi Hat, Ky.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Saturday, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday, 10:00 a.m., 7:00 p.m. Brother, Bill Slone, Pastor

HUEYSVILLE

Hueysville Church of Christ, Sunday School, 10 a.m., Sunday morning worship 11 a.m., Wednesday service, 7 p.m., Sunday evening, 7 p.m., Minister, Jeff Prater.

United Community Baptist Church, Hwy. 7, Hueysville, Ky.; Service each Friday night, 7:00 p.m. and each Sunday at 2:00 p.m. Come worship with us and bring a friend. Everyone welcome. Pastor, Carlos Beverly.

Salt Lick United Baptist, Salt Lick, Hueysville, Ky.; Service each Thursday at 6:30 p.m. and the 4th Sunday at 10:30 a.m. Everyone welcome. Pastor, Jacob Jarvis.

IVEL

Tom's Creek Freewill Baptist, U.S. 23, first exit (north of Layne Brothers); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Chuck Ferguson.

LACKEY

Lackey Freewill Baptist Church, Lackey, Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Everyone Welcome. Pastor Johnny J. Collins, of Wayland. "If we meet and you forget me you have lost nothing, but if you meet Jesus and forget him you have lost everything."

LANCER

Lancer Baptist Church, Lancer, welcomes you to the services. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Tom Biddle.

Pleasant Home Baptist Church, Lancer-Water gap Road; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday night, 6 p.m.; Sunday Youth Meeting, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday programs available for children; Pastor, Mark Tackett.

LANGLEY

Maytown United Methodist Church, Langley; Morning Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Youth Sunday, 5:00 p.m.; Sunday Night, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Night, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Roy Harlow.

MARTIN

Stephens Branch Missionary Baptist Church, Stephens Branch; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Mid-Week Bible Study, Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.

Martin House of Worship, in Martin on Old Post Office St. Saturday and Sunday at 7 p.m.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Sunday; Relief Society/Priesthood/Primary 9:30 a.m.;

Sunday School 10:30 a.m.; Sacrament Meeting 11:40 a.m.; Wednesday; Seminary 6:00 p.m.; Young Women/Young Men/Scouting 7:00 p.m.; Family History, Tuesday 12-8:00 p.m. and Thursday, 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

First Assembly of God, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6 p.m.; Missionettes & Royal Rangers, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Lorie Vannucci.

Trinity Chapel, Pentecostal Holiness Church, North Main Street, Martin; services: Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday evening worship, 7:00 p.m.; Thursday worship, 7:00 p.m.; Second Saturday Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Youth Activity nights, 1st and 3rd Saturday, 6:00 p.m.; Womens Ministries, 2nd Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Men's Ministries, 2nd Friday, 7:00 p.m.; Men's Bible study Monday evenings, 6:00 p.m.; Ellis J. Stevens, Pastor.

Faith Bible Church, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 6 p.m.; Independent Fundamental Baptist; Pastor, Don Crisp.

Martin Freewill Baptist Church, Martin, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Bible Study, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Youth League, Tuesday, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Pastor, John L. Blair.

First Baptist Church, Martin, Ky.; Sunday School 10:00; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00; Sunday Evening Worship, 5:00; Wednesday service, 6:00; Pastor: Russ Taylor.

Community Church of God, Arkansas Creek, Martin; Friday, 7 p.m.; Sunday Morning, 11 a.m.; Deacon, Bud Crum.

Martin Church of Christ, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Youth Group, 7 p.m.; Evangelist, Gary Mitchell.

Martin Methodist Church; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11:00; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 7:00; Pastor, Roy Harlow.

Old Time Holiness Church; 2 miles up Arkansas Creek, Brother John W. Patton. Friday Evening, 7:00; Sunday Evening, 7:00; Sunday School, 11:00; Everyone Welcome.

Full Gospel Community; Main Street, Martin, Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Bible Study; Pastor, Lavonne Lafferty.

MAYTOWN

Maytown First Baptist Church, Main Street; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor Ed Taylor.

Church of Christ, South Lake Drive; Sunday, 10 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 7:00 p.m.; Evangelist, Benny Blankenship.

St. James Episcopal Church, school starts 9:45. Enquire classes to begin in January. For more information, contact the Rev. Johnnie E. Ross, 886-8046.

Faith Freewill Baptist Church, 1/4 mile above Worldwide Equipment on Rt. 1428. Buddy Jones, Pastor; Sunday School, 10:00; Worship, 11:00; Wednesday Prayer meeting, 7:00; Sunday Night Service at 6:00 p.m.

Prestonsburg Community College Baptist Student Union; meets every Wednesday, 11:30-12:30 in J102. Lunch, discussion, travel available to all students, faculty and staff. French B. Harmon, Director, Ella C. Goble, president. For more information, call: 874-9468 or 478-2978.

First Church of God, Prestonsburg; Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Kids Bible Club, 7 p.m.

Town Branch Community Baptist, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 6 p.m.; Pastor: Tom Nelson.

Tom Moore Memorial Freewill Baptist Church, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor Clifford Austin.

Benedict Baptist Church, Cow Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Gordon Fitch.

PAINTSVILLE

Our Savior Lutheran Church, Sipp

9:45-10:45 a.m.; Adult Class, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; Pastor: Father John Moriarty.

Community United Methodist Church, 141 Burke Ave., (off University Drive), Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday morning worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday evening worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday evening prayer service, 7 p.m.; classes for adults, youth and children; choir practice, Wednesday, 8 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Sam Knox.

The Third Avenue Freewill Baptist Church, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11:00; Evening Worship, 6:00; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00; Pastor, Manford Fannin.

First Christian Church, 560 North Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg. No Wednesday evening or Sunday evening services at present. Bible study, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Minister, Kevin G. Jett.

Highland Avenue Freewill Baptist Church; Sunday School, 9:50 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, David Garrett.

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First Presbyterian, North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Pastor, Rev. George C. Love.

First United Methodist Church, 256 S. Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:45; Morning Worship, 10:55; Evening Worship, 7:00; Wed. Prayer Meeting, 7:00. Pastor, Wayne Sayre.

Victory Christian Ministries Church, 1428 E., Prestonsburg; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 11:30 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Sherm Williams.

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Church of Christ, South Lake Drive; Sunday, 10 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 7:00 p.m.; Evangelist, Benny Blankenship.

St. James Episcopal Church, school starts 9:45. Enquire classes to begin in January. For more information, contact the Rev. Johnnie E. Ross, 886-8046.

Faith Freewill Baptist Church, 1/4 mile above Worldwide Equipment on Rt. 1428. Buddy Jones, Pastor; Sunday School, 10:00; Worship, 11:00; Wednesday Prayer meeting, 7:00; Sunday Night Service at 6:00 p.m.

Prestonsburg Community College Baptist Student Union; meets every Wednesday, 11:30-12:30 in J102. Lunch, discussion, travel available to all students, faculty and staff. French B. Harmon, Director, Ella C. Goble, president. For more information, call: 874-9468 or 478-2978.

First Church of God, Prestonsburg; Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Kids Bible Club, 7 p.m.

Town Branch Community Baptist, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 6 p.m.; Pastor: Tom Nelson.

Tom Moore Memorial Freewill Baptist Church, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor Clifford Austin.

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THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO ME

Jim Bakker recently spent a week as a daily guest on the Rev. James Robison's TV program.

The PTL founder was plugging his new book, "Prosperity and the Coming Apocalypse: Avoiding the Dangers of Materialistic Christianity in the End Times."

In it, he said, he repudiates the "prosperity gospel" he once preached from Heritage USA, the Christian fantasy land he built in the

1980s before he was sent to prison for defrauding contributors.

(By the way, the government apparently doesn't allow him to keep any proceeds from the book.)

I've been following Bakker since his release and, while some of you will think I've taken leave of my senses, I've about come to the conclusion that he's the church's most compelling - and prophetic - voice today.

Bakker's fall forced him to re-examine his soul. He lost his empire, his marriage and his freedom.

Originally sentenced to a medievally harsh 45 years (the sentence later was reduced), he faced the prospect of dying in jail as an old man.

For years he'd insisted that it was God's will for all Christians to be successful in worldly affairs, to own mansions and drive luxury cars, to live like "king's kids."

In prison, ostracized and humiliated, he restudied the New Testament's biographies of Jesus as much as 16 hours a day.

Using Greek dictionaries, Bakker broke down Jesus' discourses word by word.

He discovered a Jesus very different from the divine Santa Claus about whom he'd always preached.

The experience changed him. The first book Bakker wrote following his release from prison was titled, simply, "I Was Wrong." It's among the finest religious books I've ever read.

In his new book Bakker argues that Jesus had almost nothing good to say about money.

Instead, Jesus warned that it was nearly impossible for a rich person to enter heaven; a camel could more easily pass through the eye of a needle.

"Woe to the rich," He said, "for you're now receiving your comfort in full."

Jesus demanded that His followers give all their possessions to the poor and depend upon God to provide for their own needs day by day.

He promised the disciples that they'd have to endure persecution and suffering.

For that reason, among others, Bakker also has concluded that Christians won't be divinely "rap-

tured" away from Earth just before the Great Tribulation that evangelical Christians predict will scorch the world prior to Jesus' Second Coming.

Bakker thinks Christians will be left right here to endure the Tribulation alongside everyone else. That idea is certain to get Bakker's head handed to him on a plate by his conservative Christian brethren.

When it comes to the doctrine of money, my own take is that it's like any other subject with which we must deal. That is, if you're not balanced, you can fall out of the canoe

poorer you are, they said, the more spiritual you are.

A friend of mine once aptly described this as being "crummy for Jesus."

manage it wisely.

"I was young, and now I am old," King David said, "and I have never seen the righteous forsaken or God's children begging for bread."

God does, on the other hand, demand that we love and trust Him foremost.

"You can't serve God and money," Jesus said.

In God's scheme of things, we're never to seek riches per se. We're to

yearn for His anointing, not for vacation homes in Hawaii.

Money is mostly for giving away, for helping others, not for buying ourselves bigger trinkets while our neighbors freeze.

The bottom line is that we're neither to hate money nor worship it. We're to see it for what it is: a tool.

It can do the works of God or of Satan, depending upon the heart of the person who holds it.

JESUS DIDN'T SAY MUCH GOOD ABOUT THE RICH

on either side.

Some people long distorted the Bible by claiming that God demands we all be paupers. The

That's silly. The Scriptures contain too many promises that God will provide for us. They tell us too much about how to earn money and



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Allen Central runs past Feds Creek

Hayes sparks Rebels in 86-55 victory

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Whatever upset dreams the Feds Creek Vikings had in the opening game of the Boys' All "A" Regional Basketball Classic of coach Johnny Martin's Allen Central Rebels was soon dispelled after the first quarter as the Rebs rolled to an unexpected easy 86-55 victory to advance to the second round of the tournament.

Allen Central (13-3) will face the Elkhorn City Cougars in the first semifinal game tonight at 6:30 p.m. at the T.W. Oliver Gymnasium. Elkhorn posted a 59-46 win over the Phelps Hornets Wednesday night.

Allen Central's outside firepower and smothering defense was too much for the Vikings, even though they did make a second quarter run at the Rebels but still trailed by 10 points at the half.

The Vikings were never in it after the first period that Allen Central led 27-11. The Rebels buried seven three point baskets in the game.

Jeremy Hayes came off the Rebel bench and hit some short jumpers that sparked the Rebels in the opening quarter. Hayes finished with 12 points for the game but played a strong defensive game.

"He has been playing well for us," said the Allen

Central coach. "He played well on the boards, also."

Junior Larry Mullins led the Rebels scoring with 19 points. Nick Samons finished with 13 points as five players scored in double figures. Gary Hunter added 13 and Jesse Hall finished with 10.

Coach Martin said his team seemed to tire in the second quarter when they allowed Feds Creek to climb back into the thick of things.

"We were tired. We got tired and let them get back in it," he said. "But these kids came out in the second

half and we played another strong second half."

Allen Central held the 16-point advantage after the first quarter, but the Vikings were not ready to load back on the boat. A 17-10 run in the second period cut the margin to eight points, 37-29, when the two teams headed to the locker areas.

"We made some changes at the half and Jesse (Hall) came out and hit some big baskets for us to start the third quarter," said Coach Martin.

Hall opened the Allen Central third with a long three-point basket and Brian Jones followed with a layup that gave Allen Central a 13-point lead. Allen Central slowly extended the lead to 18 points by the end of the third quarter, 62-44.

Mullins went on a personal 8-0 run that saw the Rebel lead swell to 30 points, 74-44, as Feds Creek turned the ball over on four consecutive possessions.

The Rebels opened the game with a 5-0 spurt with Hunter drilling a three-pointer on the first shot of the game. The tempo was set as Allen Central went to its pressing defense that caused Feds Creek all sorts of problems.

Samons and Mullins hit back-to-back treys putting

(See Allen Central, page two)

Allen shuts down Caudill in 46-35 win over Falcons

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Allen Elementary coach Jack Goodman went to the triangle and two defense in order to contain the Mountain Christian Academy's high scoring forward Josh Caudill and point guard Carlo Repuyan when the two teams met on the hardwood Tuesday night in the first round of the Floyd County Grade School Tournament at the Allen gym.

Allen concentrated on the two high scoring players in hopes of stopping one and slowing the other. Caudill appeared confused and could not get into the flow of the game offensively as he was held to just six points by the Allen defense. But stopping Repuyan was another story as he pumped in 19 points for the Falcons in a 46-35 losing cause.

Chris Kidd pumped in 23 points to lead the Eagles' scoring, hitting nine of 16 free throw attempts. Kidd used his quickness to get loose under the basket in picking apart the Falcons' defense. Nick Clay, with a brace on his leg, pulled down 10 rebounds (unofficially) and scored seven points. Zach Bradshaw had seven points with Matt Setser scoring six. Brian Conn finished with three points.

Repuyan led MCA with his 19 points. Caudill finished with six, Kyle Scaff and Andrew Burchett finished with three apiece. Halbert had two points as did Randy O'Neal.

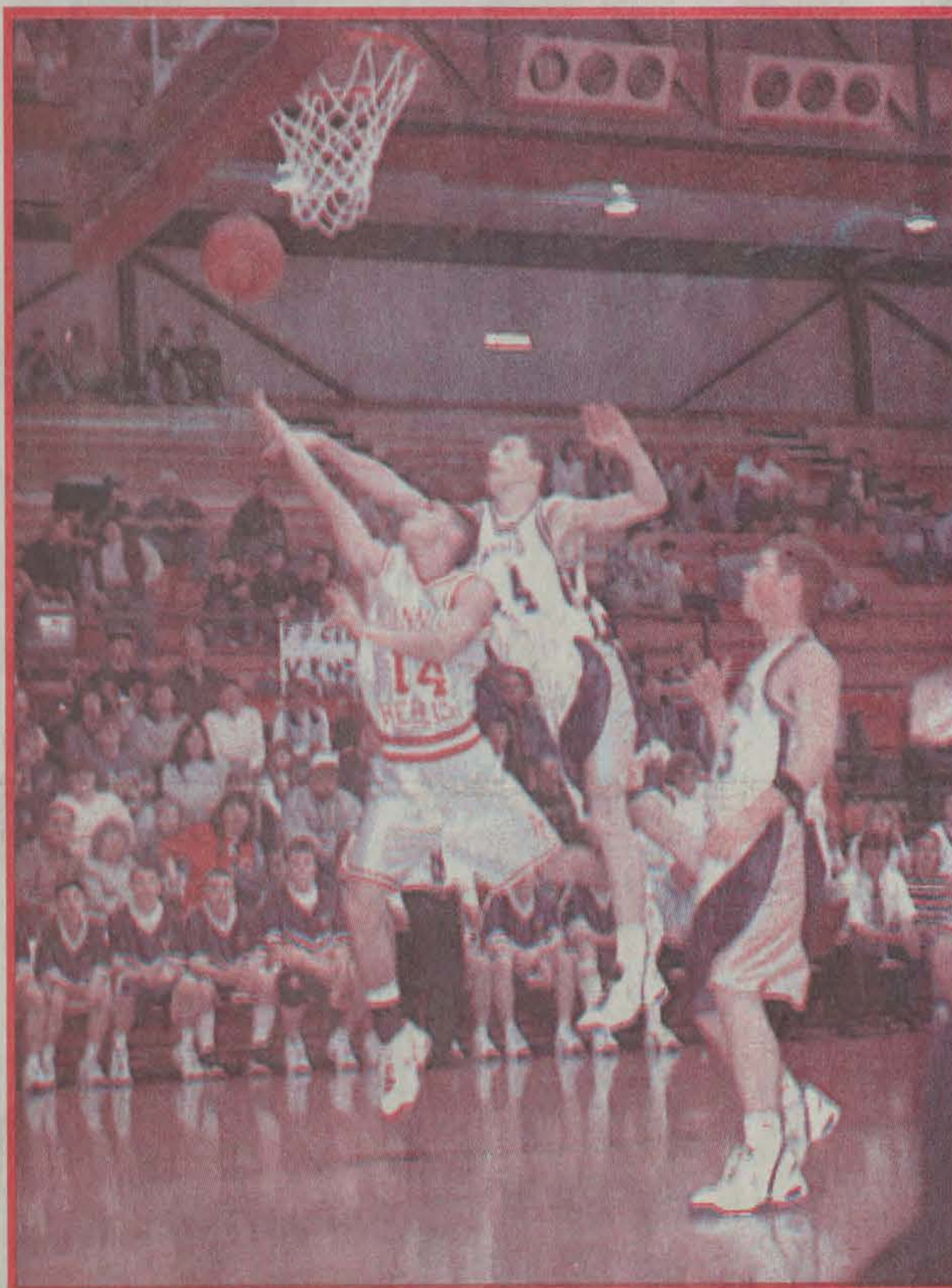
MCA was in the driver's seat and in control of the game in the fourth quarter. Kyle Scaff hit a three-point basket with 4:47 to play that put the Falcons in front 31-25. Clinton Halbert's rebound basket made it a 33-28

(See Allen, page two)



One of the best

MCA's Carlo Repuyan (5) scored 19 points but his team lost to the Allen Eagles last Tuesday night in tournament play (photo by Ed Taylor)



Under for two

Allen Central's Larry Mullins (14) scored on this drive to the basket in the first quarter against Feds Creek. Mullins had 19 points to lead Allen Central to an 86-55 win over the Vikings in the opening game of the Boys' All "A" Regional at Pikeville Wednesday night. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Murphy scores 17 as Allen Central eliminates Adams in tourney play

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

The Floyd County Grade School Tournament tipped off Tuesday night and the Allen Elementary gym was crowded with basketball fans who witnessed some outstanding basketball.

The first boys' game saw the Allen Central Middle School Rebels squaring off against Adams Middle School.

Michael Murphy scored a game-high 17 points to lead the Allen Central Rebels to a 50-41 win over a good Adams' team. Brian Paige added 11 points and James Prater netted 10.

Joey Willis led Adams with 14 points. Josh Hayton tossed in 11 points.

Adams appeared tired when they came onto the court to start the fourth quarter. Allen Central held a 17-23 lead but the lead went to 10 points in a hurry with an 8-2 run by the Rebels. Rosi Samons drilled a three-point basket and the Rebels hit five of seven free throws that gave Allen Central a 35-25 lead with 4:25 to play.

Adams did not quit as they chipped away at the lead and narrowed the margin to four points, 38-34, on a lay-in by Michael Morrison with 2:12 remaining.



Strong move

Michael Murphy went up hard but was fouled on this play in grade school tournament action at the Allen Elementary gym Tuesday night. (photo by Ed Taylor)

With 1:27 to play, Hayton scored underneath for a 41-37 deficit but Allen Central won the game from the charity stripe as they shot 14 attempts in the final 1:19 of the game, hitting 10.

Allen Central led 9-7 at the first stop. Adams took a 2-0 lead to start the game on a basket by Willis. A basket by Eric Jarrell made it 4-0. The game was tied at 5 on a three-point basket by Allen Central's Neil Allen. The Rebels took their first lead at 7-5 on a basket by Murphy. Hayton tied the game at 7 but Allen Central owned the lead at 9-7 after one period.

Adams scored the first seven points of the second quarter to assume a 14-9 lead. Hayton had a rebound basket and free throw with Willis scoring underneath to lift the Blackcats to the seven point lead. But Murphy's long trey and two free throws by Prater tied the game at 14. Adams held a one point lead, 15-14, at the half on a John Hunt free throw.

Willis drained a three-pointer to start the third period and Hayton followed with a short jumper with Willis hitting one of two free throws to complete a 6-0 run by Adams as they led 21-14, their biggest

(See Murphy, page three)

GRADE SCHOOL TOURNAMENT...

Adams advances to second round with win over Stumbo

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Tabatha Caudill scored a game-high 10 points to lead the Adams Middle School Lady Blackcats to a 35-21 win over John M. Stumbo in the opening round of the Floyd County Grade School tournament Tuesday night at Allen Elementary. Erin Majaakey tossed in seven points.

Shelly Hammond led Stumbo with eight points and Heather Hamilton scored six.

The game was closer than the final 14-point margin might indicate. Adams led 23-19 after three quarters but hit eight of 10 free throws in the closing minutes for the 35-21 win.

The game was tied three times in the opening quarter with Majaakey giving Adams a 2-0 lead at the onset. Hamilton tied the game at 2, and it was tied again at 4, 7, and 9 before Adams scored the final eight points of the first quarter to take a 17-9 lead. Virginia Webb hit two free throws and had a rebound basket followed by two lay-ins by Caudill to complete the 8-0 run.

Stumbo scored the first six points of the second quarter to bring the two teams to within two points, 17-15. Kesha Newman hit a three-pointer with 3:59 to play in the first half to make it a two-point game. Miranda Lafferty scored on a long jumper to end the first half with Adams in front 19-15.

Amanda Stephens opened the Adams' third quarter with a basket and Hammond drained a trey to keep the

(See Adams, page two)



On the boards

Adams Middle School's Erin Majaakey (40) battled for a rebound against Stumbo in tournament play Tuesday night (photo by Ed Taylor)

Allen Central girls stay perfect in conference race

Hopkins, Cooley lead Lady Rebs in come-back win

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Senior Jennifer Hopkins and junior Natalie Cooley combined for 31 points to lead Anthony Moore's Allen Central Lady Rebel team to a 63-42 come-from-behind win over a much improved South Floyd team.

Hopkins finished with 16 points and Cooley added 15 to spark the Lady Rebels as they survived a Lady Raider scare.

Martha Crawford led South Floyd with 13 points, including three three-point baskets. Misty Berger finished with seven.

South Floyd came to play as they stopped the Lady Rebels with just four points in the opening quarter and led 15-4 at the first stop. A shocked Allen Central crowd urged the Lady Rebels but still they trailed 22-16 at the half.

South Floyd controlled the boards in the first half, giving up just the one attempt at the basket. Shanna Hall had five rebounds in the first five minutes of the game and Crawford's long range bombs kept the Lady Raiders in front.

But it was Allen Central who emerged from the locker room to rally from seeming defeat. It was Cooley and Hopkins who brought the Lady Rebels back alive.

South Floyd turned the ball over on its first five possessions of the third quarter and Cooley took advantage of the mistakes. She scored the first nine points for Allen Central and rallied her team to a 25-22 lead when she drained a three-point basket with just over four minutes to play in the period. Cooley found her spot in the middle 10 feet from the basket where she hit three straight jumpers before

burying the trey.

Then it was Hopkins' turn and all she did was bury two consecutive three-point baskets that gave Allen Central a 33-22 lead with 2:56 to play in the third. South Floyd did not get a score until 1:35 to play in the third when Crawford hit two free throws. Crawford later hit her third trey of the game and pulled her team to within eight points, 35-27. But Allen Central held a 39-27 lead after three quarters when Hopkins hit a 17-footer just ahead of the horn.

Hopkins kept up her torrid pace at the onset of the fourth quarter by hitting two straight three-pointers and two free throws to lead a 12-2 spurt that netted them a 51-30 lead. Cooley had two free throws and a layup in the run.

Shanna Hall finished with five points and nine rebounds for the Lady Raiders. Olivia Stewart added six points with Stacia Stanley scoring three, Lindsey Hall, Angie Tackett and Jessica Paige had two points apiece.

Beth Combs scored seven points for Allen Central. Shanna Howell and Jennifer Risner finished with six each. Shannon Sizemore had four; Rebecca Smith hit a three-point basket for three points; and Tonya Howard scored one point.

Allen Central improved to 10-6 overall and 4-0 in conference play. South Floyd is winless in the conference at 0-4. The Lady Raiders are 3-9 overall.

SOUTH FLOYD (42)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Stanley	1	0	2-1	3

S. Hall	0	0	8-5	5
L. Hall	1	0	0-0	2
Stewart	1	0	9-4	6
Crawford	0	3	4-4	13
Hamilton	0	0	2-0	0
Berger	0	0	8-7	7
Tackett	0	0	2-2	2
Paige	1	0	0-0	2

ALLEN CENTRAL (63)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Hopkins	1	4	2-2	16
Cooley	5	1	2-2	15
Combs	3	0	2-1	7
Howell	3	0	1-0	6
Risner	1	1	2-1	6
Sizemore	1	0	3-2	4
Prater	0	0	2-0	0
Howard	0	0	2-1	1
Smith	0	1	0-0	3

South Floyd.....	15	7	5	15	-	42
Allen Central.....	4	12	23	24	-	63

15th Region in need of umpires for upcoming season

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Robert Staggs, assigning secretary for the 15th Region baseball and softball umpires, has issued a call for registration of those interested in umpiring high school baseball and softball in the 15th Region.

Anyone interested in umpiring should contact Robert Staggs at (606)432-1807 or (606)432-9235 before March 15.

There will be a meeting of the Big Sandy Umpires Association on Sunday, February 14, at 2 p.m. in the Pikeville College Gym. Anyone interested in umpiring should attend.



Adams

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score close at 21-18. Caudill's layup made it a 23-19 game after three periods.

Adams took a 10-point lead, 29-19, as the fourth quarter unfolded. Caudill hit two free throws and Stephens a short jumper followed by two charity tosses by Majakey. Stumbo could never recover.

Newman finished with five points for Stumbo. Kristen Smith and Lyndsey Frasure had one point each.

Lafferty, Heather White, Amanda Webb, Jennifer Curnutte, and Greta Ousley had two points each in the game. Webb had four points.



At the point

Leslie Hamilton brought the ball up court against Millard Monday night in high school basketball action. Hamilton scored five points in the Lady Cats' 74-59 win over the Lady Mustangs. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Allen

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game at the 4:17 mark.

But over the final four minutes, the Falcons were stopped as the Eagles began to soar. Bradshaw started the Allen spurt with a 120-foot jumper. Clay followed with a tip-in of a missed shot and Bradshaw scored off a Falcon turnover that gave the Eagles a 34-33 lead. Repuyan drove the middle of the lane and was wide open only to miss the shot. Allen grabbed the rebound and on the way up court Andrew Burchett was whistled for his fifth personal foul. In disgust, Burchett jerked off his jersey and a technical foul ensued. Kidd hit one of two on the personal foul and sank both technicals that gave Allen a 36-33 lead with 2:04 to play.

MCA seemed to be devastate

after the technical and never could recover. Kidd hit two baskets underneath and two free throws to ice the game for Allen. In the final four minutes, MCA only scored two points on two Scalf free throws.

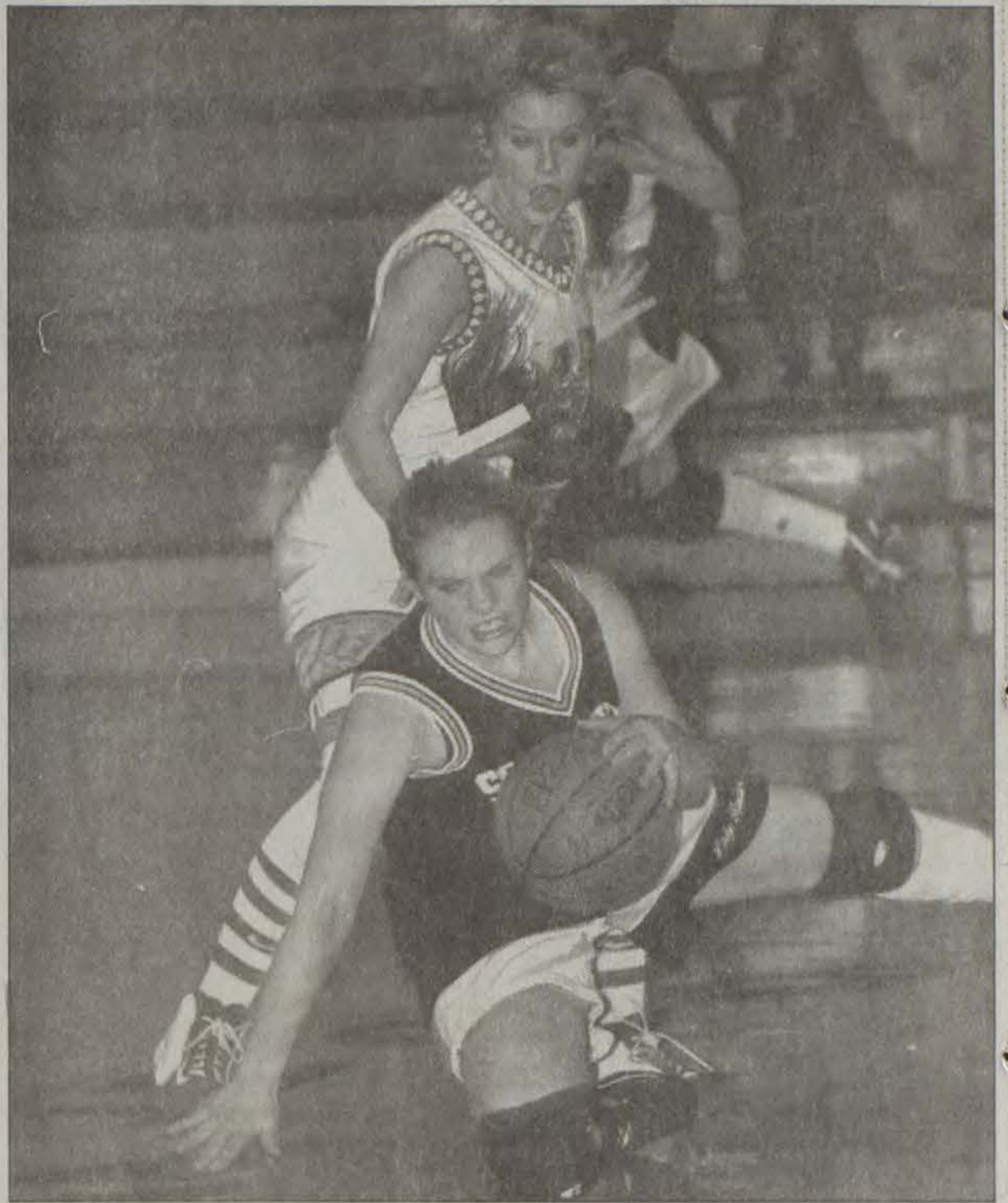
Allen led 11-6 after the first quarter. Repuyan, rated as one of the top grade school players in the area, scored all six of the points for MCA.

In the second period, the Falcons spread their wings as they went out

to a 18-14 lead behind the shooting of Burchett, Caudill and Repuyan. All three hit consecutive three-pointers to give the Falcons the lead. Repuyan completed a three-point play.

Randy O'Neal hit a basket underneath to tie the game at 20 at the half. The ball hung on the front of the rim and fell in when the horn sounded for the tie.

MCA scored the final six points of the third period to lead 28-24 after three periods. Repuyan had five of the eight points scored in the period. Caudill hit a three-point basket, his second of the game.



On the floor

Allen Central came from behind to defeat a determined South Floyd team last Monday night in conference basketball. Martha Crawford went to the floor as Allen Central's Jennifer Hopkins was near by. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Allen Central

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the Rebels up 21-8 with 2:40 left in the first quarter. Feds Creek had but one field goal in the final four minutes of the first quarter. Hayes hit a rebound basket. Hunter a long jumper and two free throws by Rodney Scott for the 16-point lead.

Allen Central went up by 21 points midway of the second quarter when Hunter scored on a rebound basket for a 36-15 lead. But the shooting touch left the Rebels, which allowed Feds Creek to run off 12 unanswered points and move to within nine, 36-27.

Carl Sizemore started the Feds Creek run by completing a three-point play and scoring off a steal. Gene Justice drained a three-point basket followed by a lay-in by Josh Varney. Jimmy Spears had a put-back for the nine point difference. After a free throw by Jones, Paul Hess went underneath for a basket just before the half ended.

Allen Central's defense forced the Vikings into 23 turnovers. With four minutes left in the game, Coach Martin went to his bench.

Feds Creek, a much improved

program, was led by Sizemore's 16 points. Varney added 13 and Justice finished with nine.

Scott added nine points for Allen Central with Jones scoring three.

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Betsy Layne frosh wins own tourney

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Coach Rachel Lawson's Betsy Layne freshman team captured its own freshman tournament this past weekend — and over some pretty good competition. The tournament showcased some pretty impressive talent that will be playing for the Lady Cats in future years.

Betsy Layne defeated Shelby Valley in the championship game 44-35 to win the six-team tournament. Kim Clark, a sixth-grader, scored 12 points to lead Betsy Layne scoring. Kim Tackett and Whitney Lykins (a seventh-grader) scored nine points each. Devon Reynolds added seven and Tabitha Mitchell scored five. Natasha Stratton, eighth-grader, had two points.

Jessica Justice led Shelby Valley with 11 points. Amanda Thacker scored nine for the Lady Wildcats.

Betsy Layne led 8-5 after the first quarter and held a four-point advantage at the half, 17-13. Betsy Layne hit 10 of 15 free throws in the fourth quarter to seal the victory. Overall, Betsy Layne was 17 of 25 from the charity stripe.

Betsy Layne reached the championship game by virtue of a 45-19 win over the Pikeville freshman team. Tabitha Mitchell led the way with 12 points for the Lady Cats. Devon Reynolds netted 10 and Whitney Lykins finished with nine points. Kim Clark and Amy Keathley finished with two points apiece.

Betsy Layne outscored Pikeville 21-4 in the third period that opened up an otherwise close game. Mitchell scored seven points in the third period and Reynolds had four.

The Lady Cats led 13-7 after the first quarter and took a 19-12 half-time lead. Pikeville only had two field goals in the first half and only one in the final two quarters.

Amanda Shepherd and Cayci Dotson led Pikeville with five points each.

In an opening round game, Betsy Layne posted a 43-25 win over Pike Central's freshman squad. Mitchell led all scorers with 13 points. Kim Tackett added nine points and Lykins tossed in seven. Clark and Stratton scored four points each with Reynolds and Daneille Newsome netting two apiece.

Tabitha Witt and Amanda Robinette scored one apiece.

Ashley Russell led Pike Central with 11 points. Amy Ratliff scored five and Charla Hall tossed in four.

OTHER GAMES

Allen Central's freshmen team dropped two straight in the round robin tournament. They fell to Shelby Valley in an opening game

and Johnson Central in the loser's bracket.

Johnson Central finished 1-1 in the tournament winning over Allen Central before falling to Shelby Valley.

Pike Central lost to Betsy Layne and Pikeville. Pikeville lost to Betsy Layne after beating Pike Central.



On the move

Stumbo's Kristian Smith (24) brought the ball up court against Adams Middle School's Amanda Webb (32). The two teams met in the opening game of the girls' county basketball tournament at Allen Elementary Tuesday night. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Parsons' 22 points, 14 rebounds lead Betsy Layne past Millard

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Sophomore Jenny Parsons scored 22 points and hauled in 14 rebounds to lead the Betsy Layne Lady Cats to a 74-59 win over a much improved Millard Lady Mustang team.

Betsy Layne had to have three players in double figures to offset the 31-point performance by Millard's Ashley Ratliff. Devon Reynolds added 11 points for Betsy Layne while Leslie Hopkins scored 10. Sheena Akers scored eight points but also had a career high 14 rebounds.

Ratliff hit two three-point baskets and was 11 of 12 from the free throw line in scoring her 31 points. Amy Ratliff finished with nine points.

Ashley Ratliff had eight of her points in the first quarter, allowing the Lady Mustangs to take a 14-9

first quarter lead. Amy Ratliff added four first quarter points. Akers was four of four from the free throw line in the opening quarter.

But in the second period, Reynolds and Parsons carried the hot hands for the Lady Cats. Reynolds drained a three-pointer and hit five of six free throws for 10 second quarter points. Parsons scored nine points in the second period to help in a 29-11 run by the Lady Cats that netted them a 38-24 halftime lead. Ashley Ratliff had eight second quarter points for the Lady Mustangs.

Parsons continued her torrid shooting in the third period with eight points while Hopkins, who was held scoreless in the first two quarters, scored five points. Amber Roberts chipped in with four points. Ashley Ratliff connected on five of six free throws and hit a trey in scoring eight points for Millard.

Betsy Layne held a 15-point

advantage after three quarters and was never threatened after that.

Heather Hamilton scored only three points in the game but dished out seven assists. Amanda Hall finished with six points as did Roberts. Leslie Hamilton netted five with Samantha Maynard scoring two. Kim Tackett had one point.

Betsy Layne will have a week's layoff and will return to the hardwood Thursday, January 28, when they will host Perry Central.

BETSY LAYNE (74)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Hall	3	0	2-0	6
Parsons	8	1	4-3	22
Hopkins	4	0	6-2	10
L Hamilton	1	0	4-3	5
Reynolds	2	1	6-4	11

Akers	1	0	8-6	8
Maynard	1	0	0-0	2
Tackett	0	0	2-1	1
Roberts	3	0	0-0	6
Hamilton	1	0	4-1	3
Mitchell	0	0	2-0	0

MILLARD (59)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
A Ratliff	7	2	12-11	31
Am Ratliff	4	0	2-1	9
Kinney	2	0	2-1	5
Coleman	1	0	2-1	3
Hopkins	0	0	2-1	1
Bevins	1	0	1-0	2
Coleman	1	0	6-3	5
Flanery	1	0	2-0	2
Elswick	1	0	0-0	2

Betsy Layne.....	9	29	21	15	-	74
Millard.....	14	11	20	15	-	59

Caudill places second in wrestling at Ashland

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

High school wrestling could be the next sport that gains in popularity as second year wrestling coach Jerry Butcher has the Prestonsburg wrestling program off and running for the second year.

Butcher saw both the high school and middle school teams perform well at different sites in the tri-state. Both teams were on the road last weekend with the middle school squad traveling to Nitro, W.Va. for the Andrew Jackson Middle School Invitational while the high school team traveled to Ashland to take part in the Ashland Invitational Tournament.

Junior Jeremy Caudill placed second at Ashland in the heavy weight division. Hank Mullins also placed in the tournament, taking fourth place in the 160-pound weight class.

"Jeremy had to wrestle very well in order to take the third-ranked heavyweight in the state into overtime before losing 10-8. He wrestled with the kind of intensity that will take him to the state wrestling tournament this year."

The middle school placed seventh overall at Nitro out of 18 teams. Butcher stated that he was very proud of his team and the three wrestlers who finished with medals. Heath Chaffins finished in first place in the 95-pound weight class by pinning all of his opponents. Evan McNutt finished second in the heavyweight division while Andrew Howell took fifth place in the 145-pound class. Butcher also cited Nick Chaffin, Daniel Jarrell and Mike Fannin for the performance they showed.

"I am proud of all these young men who spend their time participating in wrestling," said Coach Butcher. "They could be doing a number of other things, but they choose to work hard and give up

(See, Caudill, page four)



Defense

This is the kind of defense the Feds Creek Vikings had to face as Gary Hunter put pressure on the basketball during the boys' All "A" regional Wednesday night. Allen Central advanced to the semifinals of the tournament with an 86-55 win over the Vikings. The Rebels face Elkhorn City tonight in a 6:30 p.m. tipoff. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Murphy

lead.

But Allen Central went to a full court press and scored eight unanswered points, taking a 22-21 lead on Mike Slone's three-point basket.

With 17 seconds left in the third, Willis canned a 16-foot jumper that pulled the Blackcats to within one point, 24-23. But when an errant Adams pass found its way into the hands of Paige, he drained a three-pointer just ahead of the horn for a 27-23 Allen Central lead after three.

Samons finished with six points for the Rebels with Slone scoring five points.

Hunt scored six points for the Blackcats with Jarrell finishing with four. Morrison also had four

points. Adam Dixon netted two points.

Allen Central advances to face the winner of the Stumbo/Betsy Layne game tonight.

Adams will fall from the tournament, but await the Middle School Tournament next week.

ALLEN CENTRAL (50)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Murphy	2	1	14-10	17
Paige	1	2	4-3	11

Allen	0	0	4-1	1
Prater	1	0	10-8	10
Samons	0	1	7-3	6
Slone	0	1	4-2	5

ADAMS (41)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Hayton	5	0	2-1	11
Dixon	1	0	0-0	2
Willis	3	1	8-5	14
Hunt	0	0	9-6	6
Jarrell	2	0	0-0	4
Morrison	1	0	2-2	4

Allen Central.....	9	5	13	23	-	50
Adams.....	7	8	8	18	-	41

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Balance boosts Prestonsburg Lady Blackcats

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Coach Jackie Day Crisp and the Prestonsburg Lady Blackcats (11-6) picked up their second Floyd County Conference win this past Tuesday night with a thrilling 71-67 win over the Betsy Layne Lady Cats (5-7).

Three players scored in double figures for Prestonsburg led by Amelia Conley's 21 points. Brandy Wells pumped in 15 points while Brooke Coleman added 11. But Prestonsburg had a balanced scoring attack throughout their roster with Crystal Slone and Kimi Nunnery scoring eight points each.

Betsy Layne got a strong floor game from Amanda Hall and Jenny Parsons. Both players scored 21 points with Parsons hitting a three-

pointer for the Lady Cats. Parsons had 10 rebounds in the game. She came into the contest averaging over 15 points per game and 11 rebounds per outing. Freshman Devon Reynolds added seven points.

Betsy Layne had control of the game with less than four minutes to play nursing a five-point lead. But the younger Lady Cats could not hold the margin as Prestonsburg pulled out the victory.

"It was a tough game and a tough loss for us," said Betsy Layne coach Cassandra Akers. "We got down early and had to come back. We have been playing sporadic of late and you never know who will show up to play. But this team has shown a lot of improvement."

Wells was on fire in the first

quarter for Prestonsburg, scoring 11 points to lead the Lady Blackcats to a 23-9 first quarter lead. Wells hit a three-pointer and four field goals in the period. Coleman had five points in the quarter. Parsons scored seven of her team's nine first quarter

trail 33-31 at the half. After three quarters, Betsy Layne clawed its way back in front, leading 53-52. Coach Cassandra Akers got good support from the bench area with Parsons scoring six points. Shelly Greathouse buried a

Betsy Layne falls to 1-2 in the conference race while Prestonsburg improved to 2-1.

Prestonsburg will meet front runner Allen Central at home tomorrow (Saturday) in a big matchup between the two county powers. Allen Central leads the conference race with a perfect 4-0 mark. It was the third straight win for Prestonsburg since falling to Sheldon Clark last week.

Coleman	3	0	10-5	11
Conley	9	0	6-3	21
Wells	6	1	0-0	15
Hyden	1	0	2-2	4
Adams	0	0	2-0	0

Conley, Wells lead in 71-67 victory

points. Betsy Layne heated up in the second quarter, led by Hall's hot hand. Hall completed an old-fashioned three-point play and scored 13 points in the second period to lead a comeback for Betsy Layne as Betsy Layne outscored Prestonsburg 22-10 in the quarter to

treys for Prestonsburg and three players tossing in four points in the period for the Lady Blackcat squad.

In a close, fourth quarter encounter, Conley made her presence known around the basket, scoring 10 of her 21 points in the fourth. Kimi Nunnery got involved in the offense, scoring six points.

Prestonsburg hit 17 of 35 free throw attempts while Betsy Layne connected on 14 of 20 tries.

PRESTONSBURG (71)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
G'house	0	1	4-1	4
Slone	3	0	5-2	8
Nunnery	2	0	6-4	8

BETSY LAYNE (67)

players	fg	3pt	fta-m	tp
Hall	9	0	4-3	21
Parsons	6	1	10-6	21
Hopkins	1	0	2-2	4
Hamilton	1	0	0-0	2
Reynolds	3	0	2-1	7
Akers	1	0	2-2	4
Roberts	2	0	0-0	4
Hamilton	2	0	0-0	4

Prestonsburg.....	23	10	19	19	- 71
Betsy Layne.....	9	22	22	14	- 67

Freshman tourney...

Prestonsburg freshmen defeat Sheldon Clark in title game

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

The Prestonsburg Lady Blackcats freshman basketball team rolled through their own tournament and came away with some impressive wins in capturing the tournament title this past weekend.

Prestonsburg defeated Sheldon Clark in the championship game, 46-32 after winning over South Floyd in the opening round.

Mitchell drains five treys in 46-32 win

Rachael Mitchell scored 17 points and Megan Hyden added 13 to lead Prestonsburg past Sheldon Clark. Ashleigh Ousley netted eight points. Cherish Shepherd, Vicki Bowling, Charli Mullins and Judy

Bailey scored two points each in the victory.

Heather Horn led the Lady Cardinals with 12 points and Jennifer Wellman added 10. Desiree Cassidy and Amber Evans scored five and four points, respectively. Nicole Hammond had one point.

Prestonsburg trailed 8-7 after the first quarter with Hyden, scoring all seven points for the Lady Blackcats. In the second quarter, Ousley had four points and Mitchell drilled a three-pointer as Prestonsburg outscored the Lady Cardinals 11-6 to take a 18-14 halftime lead.

Mitchell hit her second and third three-pointer in the third quarter as Prestonsburg extended its lead to

30-20 after three periods. Hyden scored four points in the third with Ousley scoring two.

Mitchell was finished as she hit treys number four and five in scoring eight points in the final period. Mullins and Shepherd had two points each in the quarter.

PRESTONSBURG VS SOUTH FLOYD

The Lady Blackcats opened the tournament with a 27-20 win over a good South Floyd team. Prestonsburg shut out the Lady Raiders in the second quarter, outscoring them 10-0 in the period.

South Floyd held a 7-5 first quarter lead but just could not find the basket in the second period. Prestonsburg led 15-7 at the half.

Prestonsburg could only score two third quarter points but held a 17-13 lead after three periods.

Ousley led the Lady Blackcats' scoring with eight points. Hyden finished with seven while Mitchell and Erin Majaake, an eighth grader, scored five apiece. Bowling had two points.

Kandace Mitchell led South Floyd with 12 points. Sara Johnson netted four with Tiffany Williams and Ashley Johnson, an eighth grader, scoring two each.

CONSOLATION GAME

In the consolation game, Knott County won over South Floyd 50-34 behind the 19-point performance of Carissa Triplett. Brandy Williams scored 11 and Tiffany Slone netted seven. Tabitha Short scored six. Wilma Dobson finished with four and Tonya Amburgey had three points.

Jessica Paige scored 14 points to lead South Floyd. Megan Ousley, a

seventh grader, and Ashley Johnson had seven points each. Williams netted three with Burger scoring two. Johnson had one point.

SHELDON CLARK VS KNOTT COUNTY

Sheldon Clark defeated Knott County to advance to the championship game, 40-32. Cassidy led

Caudill

most of their Saturdays. "I would like to thank the Floyd County Board of Education, interim superintendent Woodrow Carter, Prestonsburg High School, the site base council, our principal Coy Samons and football coach John Derossett. Also, I want to thank my assistant coaches, Rick Fannin and J.P. Dale for their help in getting wrestling started at Prestonsburg High School.

the Lady Cards with 13 points while Wellman tossed in nine. Heather Horn and Lisa Chapman had eight points apiece. Amber Evans netted two in the win.

Sheldon Clark owned a 14-7 lead after the first quarter behind Cassidy and Horn. Chapman scored six of her eight points in the second quarter that gave Sheldon Clark a 22-14 halftime lead.

Triplett finished with 10 points to lead Knott County. Slone scored seven and Amburgey added six.

(Continued from page three)

"However, without the parents of these young men, who support wrestling financially and emotionally, these young men may not have had the opportunity to participate in the sport."

The middle school and high school teams will be traveling to Huntington, W.Va. Friday, January 22, and take part in the WSAZ-TV 3 Wrestling Tournament.



Prestonsburg Freshmen Team

Rosehill wins over Piarist

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Rosehill placed four players in double figures in rolling past the Piarist School Lady Knights 76-25 in girls' high school basketball Monday night at the Piarist gym.

Emily Meyer scored 11 points to lead the Lady Knights scoring with Kari Ross finishing with eight points. Morgan Caldwell netted four while Amanda McDonald and Clarissa Mulliken scored one

apiece. Jill Daniels scored 16 points to lead Rosehill. Cassie Wenning tossed in 14 while Holly Routt scored 12. Laura Riddle had 10 points.

Rosehill scorched the nets in the first quarter with 31 points behind the scoring of Daniels who had 10 points in the first quarter. Routt had six points. Rosehill led 31-4. Meyer hit a three-pointer and McDonald a free throw for the four Piarist points.

The Lady Knights outscored Rosehill in the second quarter 14-12 with Meyer hitting two more three-pointers and scoring eight points. Ross had four points in the period with Caldwell netting two.

But Rosehill blitzed the Lady Knights in the second half, outscoring them 33-7.

Ross had five rebounds and five block shots in the game for the Lady Knights. Tai England had five boards. Chasity Ison had three block shots.

Good news for Kentucky:

Utah receives snow

Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources elk biologist Charlie Logsdon reported that Utah finally begun to receive snow. This is good news for the Elk Restoration Project.

Department employees enter their third week in Utah, but have not been able to capture any elk due to the mild weather Utah has been experiencing. But that all will change over the weekend. Utah is getting heavy snow, which will force the elk to come down from the mountains to the lower elevations for food. The biologists have been visiting the bait sites and making sure there is adequate food at each. They hope to begin trapping at the end of this week.

Once a load of elk (approximate-

ly 55-70) has been captured, the elk will be transported to the Hardware Ranch where they will be kept in pens while tests are run before they can be sent to Kentucky. At the ranch, the elk will be run through a handling shoot. Here they will be weighed, tagged with a vet tag and plastic cattle tag, blood will be drawn and they will be given a form of a TB test.

The elk will be separated into groups for testing for food supplements to see if the stress of the trip can be reduced. After 72 hours, the elk will be run through the shoot again and the biologists will look for an increase or decrease in weight, the TB tests will be read and the elk that receive a clean bill of health will be fitted with radio

collars. The elk will be loaded into the trailer and sent to Kentucky. The trip, from Utah to Kentucky, in good weather, will take approximately 30 hours.

PHS girls' game rescheduled

The Prestonsburg High School girl's basketball team was scheduled to play Allen Central Saturday night. That game has been rescheduled for next Tuesday, January 26, at 6 p.m. in the PHS gym, according to Ron Hampton, assistant principal at the high school.

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The 1997-98 school year marked yet another year of achievement for C.M. Newton, Director of Athletics at the University of Kentucky. As chairman of the NCAA Men's Basketball Tournament Committee, he had the pleasure of handing the 1998 championship trophy to Tubby Smith, Newton's hand-picked successor to Rick Pitino.

Hired on April 1, 1989, Newton had a lengthy, impressive list of credentials and brought a sparkling reputation for integrity at a crucial time in the history of UK athletics.

In accepting the position, Newton outlined his goals by saying, "I have a resolve to try very hard to

continue that great tradition, and at the same time, to do it totally within the NCAA and SEC rules and not sacrifice the academic integrity of this University."

Newton came to UK after an illustrious basketball coaching career. In his last two seasons (1998 and 89), he was named SEC Coach of the Year in 1989. Newton was director at Vanderbilt from 1982-89, compiling a 129-115 record. In 32 years of coaching at Transylvania, Alabama, and Vanderbilt, Newton compiled a 509-375 record. His Alabama teams won three consecutive Southeastern Conference championships.

Just as impressive was Newton's ability to produce winning teams that also possessed exceptional academic credentials. During Newton's tenure at Vanderbilt, 18 Commodores were named to the Academic All-SEC team, and all 21 of his seniors earned their diplomas.

Newton is highly regarded on the national level. He served 11 years on the board of directors of the National Association of Basketball Coaches. He worked six years on the NCAA Basketball Rules Committee,

serving as chair of the elite group for five of those years. He was president of USA Basketball, the nation's governing body for all international basketball, from 1992-96. He is also a member of the prestigious NCAA Division I Basketball Committee and became chair of that group in 1997-98. He is a member (and former chair) of the NCAA Committee on Basketball Issues.

In 1997, Newton was given the John Bunn Award by the Naismith Basketball Hall of Fame. The award recognized Newton for his lifetime of contributions to the sport, and is the highest honor given by the Hall of Fame other than induction.

Newton began his coaching career at Transylvania in Lexington. Recommended for the job by Coach Rupp, Newton guided Transy to a 169-137 record in his 12 years at the helm despite the handicap of a limited scholarship program.

In 1969, once again with the backing of Rupp, Newton answered a call from Paul "Bear" Bryant to take on the challenge of building the downtrodden Alabama basketball program. During his 12-

year tenure, Newton orchestrated a complete turnaround in the Crimson Tide's basketball fortunes, compiling a sparkling 211-123 record. In addition to the three SEC championships, Newton guided the Tide to two trips to the NCAA Tournament and four berths in the NIT. A satisfied Bryant once remarked "C.M. Newton is a winner, and that's important, but more than anything else, he wins or loses with class, and that's more important."

Newton was born Feb. 2, 1930 in Rockwood, Tenn. He grew up in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., where he was eventually named a charter member of that city's Sports Hall of Fame. After high school, Newton enrolled at UK on a basketball scholarship. He was a letterman on the Wildcats' 1951 national championship team. Also a standout baseball pitcher, Newton hurled in the New York Yankees' minor league system before entering college coaching.

Newton and his wife, Evelyn, have three grown children—son, Martin, and daughters Deborah and Tracy—and five grandchildren.

Cat Scratch

RECRUITING NOTES:

The University of Kentucky announced that tight end Bobby Blizzard of Hampton, Va., and running back Artose Pinner of Hopkinsville, Ky., have enrolled and will participate in spring football practice. Both signed with UK last February but did not meet academic requirements.

The 6-foot-7, 240-pound Blizzard was ranked by most recruiting services as one of the nation's top tight end prospects after the 1997 season. He played for Hargrave Military Academy in Chatham, Va., this past season.

Pinner was a first-team Courier-Journal All-State selection in '97 after rushing for 3,274 yards and 33 touchdowns for Hopkinsville High School. Last fall he attended Lexington Community College, which does not have a football team.

"We're excited to have Bobby and Artose join us," coach Hal Mumme said in a statement released by UK. "Each of them has excellent ability, and being able to participate in spring practice will be a tremendous plus for them." Blizzard and Pinner will count as part of UK's 1999 signing class, leaving the Wildcats with 23 scholarships to offer when the signing period opens Feb. 3.

Heralded freshman football player Dennis Johnson will not be joining the Kentucky basketball team this season. Johnson agreed to put off until a future season his wish to play two sports after meeting with UK basketball coach Tubby Smith. "He

agrees he's way behind because of going to a bowl," Smith said before adding, "which I hope he always has that problem." UK football's berth in the Outback Bowl Jan. 1 delayed Johnson's wish to join the basketball team. A further delay came when he scheduled wrist surgery on his left wrist. Johnson, who is 6-foot-7 and weighs 251 pounds, will devote himself to football this winter.

UK BASKETBALL MUSEUM

If there had been a shot clock running on efforts to open a University of Kentucky Basketball Museum, it would have expired long ago. Instead, the 10,000-square-foot museum is scheduled to open next month, successfully concluding a 21-year effort to create a shrine to UK hoops.

Since 1978, when the first committee was formed, projected opening dates have come and gone as the museum encountered fund-raising problems. Now enough money has been raised to finish work on the \$5.5 million facility adjacent to Rupp Arena, and the board of directors said this week it will open Feb. 13.

OVIATT LEAVING UK

University of Kentucky strength and conditioning coach Ron Oviatt is leaving UK to take the job as strength and conditioning coordinator at Louisiana State, LSU Athletic Director Joe Dean said. Oviatt, the 1997 SEC Strength Coach of the Year for football, has been at UK since '95.

Cat Profile



Tayshaun Prince



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Height: 6-8
Weight: 206
Class: Freshman
Position: Guard/Forward
Hometown: Compton, CA

Hometown: Compton, CA (Dominguez High School)

Full Name: Tayshaun Durrell Prince

Nickname: Tay

Birthdate: February 28, 1980

Place of birth: Compton, California

Parents: Diane and Thomas Prince

Major: Undeclared

Strengths: Size and mobility make him a tough match-up

•Size: Arm span will help on defense

Must Improve: Must gain weight, strength and confidence
Smith on Prince: "Tayshaun's potential is enormous. He's going to continue to get stronger. As a left-hander, he'll create problems for defenders because of his ability to pass and see the court. He has the versatility to beat you both inside and outside. I think he fits in everywhere."

Hobbies: Playing video games and watching movies

My greatest moment in sports was: Hitting 10 three's in one game

The thing that impresses me most about Coach Smith is:

The way he carries himself

My advice to youngsters is: Never give up

My future goals are: Graduating and getting drafted

The Cats Prowl



Auburn Tigers

Wed., Jan. 20th at 8:00pm

Rupp Arena--Lexington • Television--Jefferson Pilot

The Tigers are not only the surprise team of the SEC, but quite possibly the entire college basketball scene in the early season. After a tough road victory at Ole Miss, Coach Cliff Ellis' Tigers are undefeated (16-0) going into a home contest against the Florida Gators. The game at Rupp will go a long way in saying how good these Tigers really are. Auburn returns four starters and are lead by senior Bryant Smith and junior Chris Porter.

Cat keys to victory: •Limit Auburn's three-point shooting to less than 30%.
•Control boards.
•Run their half-court offense better--shoot the three better.

Prediction: UK 72 Auburn 62



Mississippi State

Sat., Jan. 23rd at 1:00pm

Rupp Arena--Lexington • Television--UKTV

Series Record: UK leads series by 75-16
Series Record in Lexington: UK leads 38-4
Series Record in Starkville: UK leads 27-10
Series Record at Neutral Sites: UK leads 10-2
First Meeting: Feb. 28, 1921--UK 28, MSU 13
Last Game: Jan. 10, 1998--UK 77, MSU 71
Current Series Streak: Won 2
Coach Stansbury's Record Against UK: 0-0
Players Returning: 3 STARTERS: Washington, Hyche, White
4 Letterman: Hamilton, Roberts, Myles, Billups
Players Lost: 2 STARTERS: Horatio Webster (17.0 ppg), Whit Hughes (3.5 ppg)

Classic Cats

THE UNFORGETTABLES



During the Coach Rick Pitino era, several of his teams adopted various nicknames--among them "Pitino's Bombinos" and "The Untouchables." But no team captured the hearts of Wildcat fans more than "The Unforgettables" of 1991-92.

After battling probation for two seasons, the '92 squad set out to make its presence felt in postseason play. Led by seniors Richie Farmer, Deron Feldhaus, John Pelphrey and Sean Woods, the Wildcats advanced all the way to the East Regional Championship to face Duke. In what many have labeled the "greatest college game ever played," Christian Laettner drained a shot at the overtime buzzer that kept UK out of the Final Four.

Athletics Director C.M. Newton summed up their accomplishments during a postseason ceremony in which the seniors' jerseys were retired, "Today our program is back on top, due largely to four young men who persevered, who weathered the hard times, and who brought the good times back to Kentucky basketball. Their contributions to UK basketball cannot be measured in statistics or record books."

Cat Trivia

What was the final season ranking of the 1992 squad. "The Unforgettables"?

Hot Cat Stat

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE UK VARSITY CHEERLEADING SQUAD AS THEY JUST WON THEIR 5TH CONSECUTIVE NATIONAL CHEERLEADING CHAMPIONSHIP! GO CATS!

Next Week on Page 22

A LOOK AT THE LADY CATS

If you've got a question, comment, write:

THE CATS PAGE C/O GAME DAY NEWS
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Upcoming Kentucky Wildcats Schedule

Date	Day	Opponent	Time	Site	TV
Jan. 20	Wed.	Auburn	8 p.m.	Lexington	JP
Jan. 23	Sat.	Mississippi State	1 p.m.	Lexington	UKTV
Jan. 26	Tues.	Georgia	9:30 p.m.	Athens, Ga.	ESPN
Jan. 30	Sat.	LSU	3 p.m.	Lexington	JP
Feb. 4	Thurs.	Florida	7:30 p.m.	Gainesville, Fla.	ESPN
Feb. 13	Sat.	South Carolina	4 p.m.	Lexington	JP

NASCAR

This Week
On TV



All Times Eastern

- **Winston Cup, Bud Shootout**
Noon • Sunday, Feb. 7 • CBS
- **NHRA AutoZone Winternationals**
10:30 a.m. • Sunday, Feb. 7 • ESPN2

POINTS STANDINGS

WINSTON CUP	BUSCH	TRUCK
1. Jeff Gordon, 5,328	1. D. Earnhardt Jr., 4,469	1. Ron Hornaday, 4,072
2. Mark Martin, 4,964	2. Matt Kenseth, 4,421	2. Jack Sprague, 4,069
3. Dale Jarrett, 4,619	3. M. McLaughlin, 4,045	3. Joe Ruttman, 3,874
4. Rusty Wallace, 4,501	4. Randy LaJole, 3,543	4. Jay Sauter, 3,672
5. Jeff Burton, 4,415	5. Elton Sawyer, 3,533	5. Tony Raines, 3,596
6. Bobby Labonte, 4,180	6. Phil Parsons, 3,525	6. Jimmy Hensley, 3,570
7. Jeremy Mayfield, 4,157	7. Tim Fedewa, 3,515	7. Stacy Compton, 3,542
8. Dale Earnhardt, 3,928	8. Elliott Sadler, 3,470	8. Greg Biffle, 3,276
9. Terry Labonte, 3,901	9. Buckshot Jones, 3,453	9. Ron Barfield, 3,227
10. Bobby Hamilton, 3,786	10. Hermie Sadler, 3,340	10. Mike Bliss, 3,216

TOP TEN

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

- | | |
|---|---|
| 1. Jeff Gordon (1)
Car owner is back | 6. Bobby Labonte (6)
Teaming with Tony |
| 2. Mark Martin (2)
Roush preparing new digs | 7. Jeremy Mayfield (7)
Guarding against slump |
| 3. Dale Jarrett (3)
Expects to be champ | 8. Dale Earnhardt (8)
Loves Daytona |
| 4. Rusty Wallace (4)
Ditto | 9. Terry Labonte (9)
Welcome back, Rick |
| 5. Jeff Burton (5)
Bright young star | 10. Bobby Hamilton (10)
Straight shooter |

1999 WINSTON CUP SCHEDULE

Date	Track	Location
Feb. 7	Daytona International Speedway*	Daytona Beach, Fla.
Feb. 14	Daytona International Speedway	Daytona Beach, Fla.
Feb. 21	North Carolina Speedway	Rockingham, N.C.
March 7	Las Vegas Motor Speedway	Las Vegas, Nev.
March 14	Atlanta Motor Speedway	Hampton, Ga.
March 21	Darlington Raceway	Darlington, S.C.
March 28	Texas Motor Speedway	Fort Worth, Texas
April 11	Bristol Motor Speedway	Bristol, Tenn.
April 18	Martinsville Speedway	Martinsville, Va.
April 25	Talladega Superspeedway	Talladega, Ala.
May 2	California Speedway	Fontana, Calif.
May 15	Richmond International Raceway	Richmond, Va.
May 22	Charlotte Motor Speedway*	Concord, N.C.
May 30	Charlotte Motor Speedway	Concord, N.C.
June 6	Dover Downs International Speedway	Dover, Del.
June 13	Michigan Speedway	Brooklyn, Mich.
June 20	Pocono Raceway	Long Pond, Pa.
June 27	Sears Point Raceway	Sonoma, Calif.
July 3	Daytona International Speedway	Daytona Beach, Fla.
July 11	New Hampshire International Speedway	Loudon, N.H.
July 25	Pocono Raceway	Long Pond, Pa.
Aug. 7	Indianapolis Motor Speedway	Indianapolis, Ind.
Aug. 15	Watkins Glen International	Watkins Glen, N.Y.
Aug. 22	Michigan Speedway	Brooklyn, Mich.
Aug. 28	Bristol Motor Speedway	Bristol, Tenn.
Sept. 5	Darlington Raceway	Darlington, S.C.
Sept. 11	Richmond International Raceway	Richmond, Va.
Sept. 19	New Hampshire International Speedway	Loudon, N.H.
Sept. 26	Dover Downs International Speedway	Dover, Del.
Oct. 3	Martinsville Speedway	Martinsville, Va.
Oct. 10	Charlotte Motor Speedway	Concord, N.C.
Oct. 17	Talladega Superspeedway	Talladega, Ala.
Oct. 24	North Carolina Speedway	Rockingham, N.C.
Nov. 7	Phoenix International Raceway	Avondale, Ariz.
Nov. 14	Miami-Dade Homestead Motorsports Complex	Homestead, Fla.
Nov. 21	Atlanta Motor Speedway	Hampton, Ga.

1999 CRAFTSMAN TRUCK SERIES SCHEDULE

Date	Track	Location
March 20	Miami-Dade Homestead Motorsports Complex	Homestead, Fla.
March 27	Phoenix International Raceway	Avondale, Ariz.
April 3	Evergreen Speedway	Monroe, Wash.
April 10	Mesa Marin Raceway	Bakersfield, Calif.
April 17	Martinsville Speedway	Martinsville, Va.
May 8	Memphis Motorsports Park	Millington, Tenn.
May 16	Pikes Peak International Raceway	Fountain, Colo.
May 22	I-70 Speedway	Odessa, Mo.
June 5	Bristol Motor Speedway	Bristol, Tenn.
June 11	Texas Motor Speedway	Fort Worth, Texas
June 19	Portland International Raceway	Portland, Ore.
June 26	Watkins Glen International	Watkins Glen, N.Y.
July 3	Milwaukee Mile	West Allis, Wis.
July 10	Nashville Speedway USA	Nashville, Tenn.
July 18	Nazareth Speedway	Nazareth, Pa.
July 24	Michigan Speedway	Brooklyn, Mich.
Aug. 1	New Hampshire International Speedway	Loudon, N.H.
Aug. 5	Indianapolis Raceway Park	Clermont, Ind.
Aug. 20	Gateway International Raceway	Madison, Ill.
Aug. 28	Heartland Park Topeka	Topeka, Kan.
Sept. 9	Richmond International Raceway	Richmond, Va.
Sept. 24	Las Vegas Motor Speedway	Las Vegas, Nev.
Oct. 1	Louisville Motor Speedway	Louisville, Ky.
Oct. 15	Texas Motor Speedway	Fort Worth, Texas
Oct. 30	California Speedway	Fontana, Calif.

FROM THE ARCHIVES:

The rich history of NASCAR
Ricky Rudd has an odd recollection of his Winston Cup debut at Rockingham back in 1975. "I think I finished 11th, but I was a number of laps down," Rudd said. "Truth is, I was completely worn out by the halfway point. I remember one time in the race when Donnie Allison, who was in contention, pulled up behind me, and I moved over to let him pass. He just waved thank you, and I looked over there, and he looked relaxed and rested, and he must have been up in his 40s at the time. He was driving with one hand!"

Hendrick makes emotional return to NASCAR race team

By Monte Dutton
NASCAR This Week
Rick Hendrick made an emotional return to the leadership of his wildly successful NASCAR race team on Jan. 15, but his health may still be an obstacle. Hendrick, 49, continues to receive chemotherapy treatments to keep leukemia in check. "If I stay with it, there's a possibility and a probability that maybe I could be cured," he said. The legal problems that resulted in his banishment from the Hendrick Motorsports empire no longer stand in his way. On Dec. 31, 1997, Hendrick pleaded guilty to federal charges related

to misdealings in his automobile dealerships. In addition to a \$250,000 fine, his sentence required him to stay away from his race team and car businesses for a year. On Friday, he looked weak and tired, and several times he wept as he discussed his team with the racing media. Hendrick will become CEO of the three-car team of three-time Winston Cup champion Jeff Gordon, two-time champion Terry Labonte and Wally Dallenbach Jr. Brother John Hendrick, who ran the team in Rick's absence, will continue to serve as president of Hendrick Motorsports.

ENGINE DEAL: Butch Mock, who has hired veteran Ted Musgrave to drive his No. 75 Ford this year, will run engines provided by Robert Yates Racing this year. "It brings a big plus to our team," said Mock. "Who in a Ford would not want Robert Yates' engines? They're very horsepower-oriented. These are people with no tolerance for not running well."
NO CONCESSION SPEECH: Dale Jarrett is determined to prevent Jeff Gordon from tying an all-time record by winning the Winston Cup championship for the third straight

year. "We know what it takes," he said. "We expect to win." "We need to be a little better on the road races. Gordon won both of them last year. Our short-track program is good, but you can't concede anything anywhere." Jarrett was second in 1997 and third last year.
INVESTING IN SUCCESS: Larry Hedrick's Statesville team has undergone expensive changes designed to improve its effort this season with driver David Green. Engine-builder David Evans is now on hand to provide power from in-house.

THE WINSTON CUP CIRCUIT

A S A

By Monte Dutton
NASCAR This Week

The Midwest-based American Speed Association has often been a leader in the field of lessening the expense of stock car racing and, à la NASCAR, providing a level playing field for its competitors.

For instance, ASA cars use standard fiberglass bodies, all provided by a single supplier. This takes aerodynamics away from each team and eliminates costly wind-tunnel research.

Beginning in 2000, the ASA will do away with purpose-built engines and will switch over to fuel-injection V-8's that are similar to those in production cars. NASCAR engines are based on technology that has not been widely used in passenger cars since the

mid-1980s.

That is the good news. What many NASCAR fans might find objectionable is that the new ASA engines will all come from one supplier, just like the bodies. Furthermore, the Ford-bodied entries will be running the same General Motors engines, except for a set of valve covers that read Ford.

ASA officials are targeting the new engines at 450-480 horsepower, which is about where NASCAR would like its current restrictor-plate engines to be. ASA hopes the new engines will cost about half what the current ones do.

If all its manufacturers would build engines within an established formula, the ASA formula could have a significant effect

on NASCAR. It also might draw manufacturers — Chrysler as well as the Japanese — not currently involved in the Winston Cup Series.

KEEPING RABBIT'S FOOT HANDY: Bill Elliott, winless for four seasons now, does not think his team needs improving. What needs improving, he said, is his luck.

"We were off to a good start in '97 and again last year," said Elliott. "We almost won the Daytona 500 right off the bat in '97, and both years we started out consistent. Then just a lot of things happened that we couldn't do a thing about. I got banged up pretty bad, one thing led to another, and by the end of both years, we were struggling."

"What's beat us are things we can't control."

PROFILE

Rick Mast



Rick Mast, right, talks with fellow driver Ward Burton.

By Monte Dutton
NASCAR This Week

During a Winston Cup career that began in 1988, Rick Mast has had his moments, but not in victory lane.

In 1989, in an unsponsored car, Mast came close to winning the Daytona 500, winding up sixth. He almost won at Rockingham in 1994, coming home a close second to Dale Earnhardt.

This season finds Mast taking yet another step that he hopes will bring him that elusive taste of victory.

After two fruitless seasons, and six before that with Richard Jackson, Mast will climb into Cale Yarborough's No. 98 Ford Taurus.

In 242 starts in the

Busch Grand National series, Mast won nine times and claimed five poles. He finished in the top five 39 times and earned a total of \$662,031. He made his 200th start in that series on March 25, 1990, at Hickory, N.C.

Mast also made 175 consecutive BGN starts, dating from 1985 through 1990. He won consecutive BGN events at Dover on Sept. 19, 1987, and at Martinsville on Sept. 26.

HOMETOWN: Born in Lexington, Va., lives in Rockbridge Baths, Va.

AGE: 41

WIFE: Sharon

CHILDREN: Ricky (15), twins Katie and Sarah (2).

CAR: No. 98 Ford Taurus, owned by Cale Yarborough.

RECORD AS DRIVER: 276

starts, 4 poles, 0 wins, 7 top-five finishes, 32 top 10s, more than \$5.5 million in career earnings.

FIRSTS: Start (Aug. 27, 1988, at Bristol), pole (Nov. 13, 1992, at Atlanta), win (none).

WHAT IS THE NATURE OF YOUR DEAL WITH CALE YARBOROUGH?

"I'm doing what I think is best for me right now. We have an agreement; nothing is official or signed, but an agreement in principle."

HOW CLOSE DID YOU COME TO NOT HAVING A RIDE?

"I had two good situations in three months, basically there for me, that went away. During that time period, there were about four that I just let go. I decided I wanted to hold off for what was the best fit for me."

YOUR TURN

Letters From Our Readers

Dear NASCAR This Week,
My children are very big fans of Jeff Gordon. We haven't been able to find an address to write him at.

It would mean a lot to the three of them if you could provide one.

Sheatina G. Sparks
Alexis, N.C.

Dear Sheatina,
Write Jeff at Hendrick Motorsports, 4433 Papa Joe Hendrick Blvd., P.O. Box 9, Harrisburg, N.C. 28075.

Dear NASCAR This Week,
I read in my paper about a race July 17 at Myrtle Beach Speedway.

Could you send me information on it — how much to go, what time of day it is, where I write or call to get tickets?

Sara Ausbrooks
Franklin, Ky.

Dear Sara,
As of our last information, the time of the race has not yet been finalized.

For information, write Myrtle Beach Speedway, 4300 Hwy. 501, Myrtle Beach, S.C. 29579, or call the track at (843) 236-0500.

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

CREW OF THE WEEK

■ LJ Racing owner Joe Falk and Clyde Booth will share crew-chief duties for new driver Steve Grissom at Daytona. Falk says he will hire a permanent crew chief later. Also, Donnie Disharoon is Darrell Waltrip's new crew chief in the No. 66 Big Kmart Ford.

Fan Tips

The International Race of Champions, now in its 23rd year, will hold four races this season: Daytona on Feb. 12, Talladega on April 24, Michigan on June 12 and Indianapolis on Aug. 6. Television coverage will apparently be split between The Nashville Network and either ESPN or ESPN2.

TRIVIA

1. When was the last time a driver won multiple events on the same weekend?
2. Who holds the modern record for most consecutive top-five finishes to start a season?

ANSWERS
1. Mark Martin at Charlotte, Oct. 7-8, 1986
2. Cale Yarborough, nine, 1974

AROUND THE GARAGE

Who's hot...

WHO'S HOT?
Derrick Cope will have four different sponsors and four different paint jobs.

WHO'S NOT?
Ricky Craven and Steve Grissom are still sponsor-shopping.

The Friday Comics

GEORGE by MARK SZORADY



THE SPATS by JEFF PICKERING



OUT ON A LIMB by GARY KOPERVAS



MAMA'S BOYZ by JERRY CRAFT



R.F.D. by MIKE MARLAND



BRINGING UP FATHER



BUTCH AND DOUGIE by ALEX HOWELL



MAGIC MAZE

ROBERT —

F M J G D F A X V D S O N K I
 F D A X V U T Q A O M J H F C
 A Y W U R L E R P N L Y T J H
 F D B Z L T N C X V T D S R B
 Q O M A K O I N U O D E O U H
 F D V M C N A M A R A N R B Z
 Y U W V H M T R O I B N F K Q
 D O N G T L K F E N S E I C H
 G O U L E T D F D E C K H A A
 Z A A X W E V U S D L R O T O
 V N M K R O L Y A T J E I S H

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

- Altman
- Burns
- Conrad
- De Niro
- Duval
- E. Lee
- Fulton
- Goulet
- Kennedy
- McNamara
- Redford
- Stack
- Taylor
- The Bruce
- Vaughn



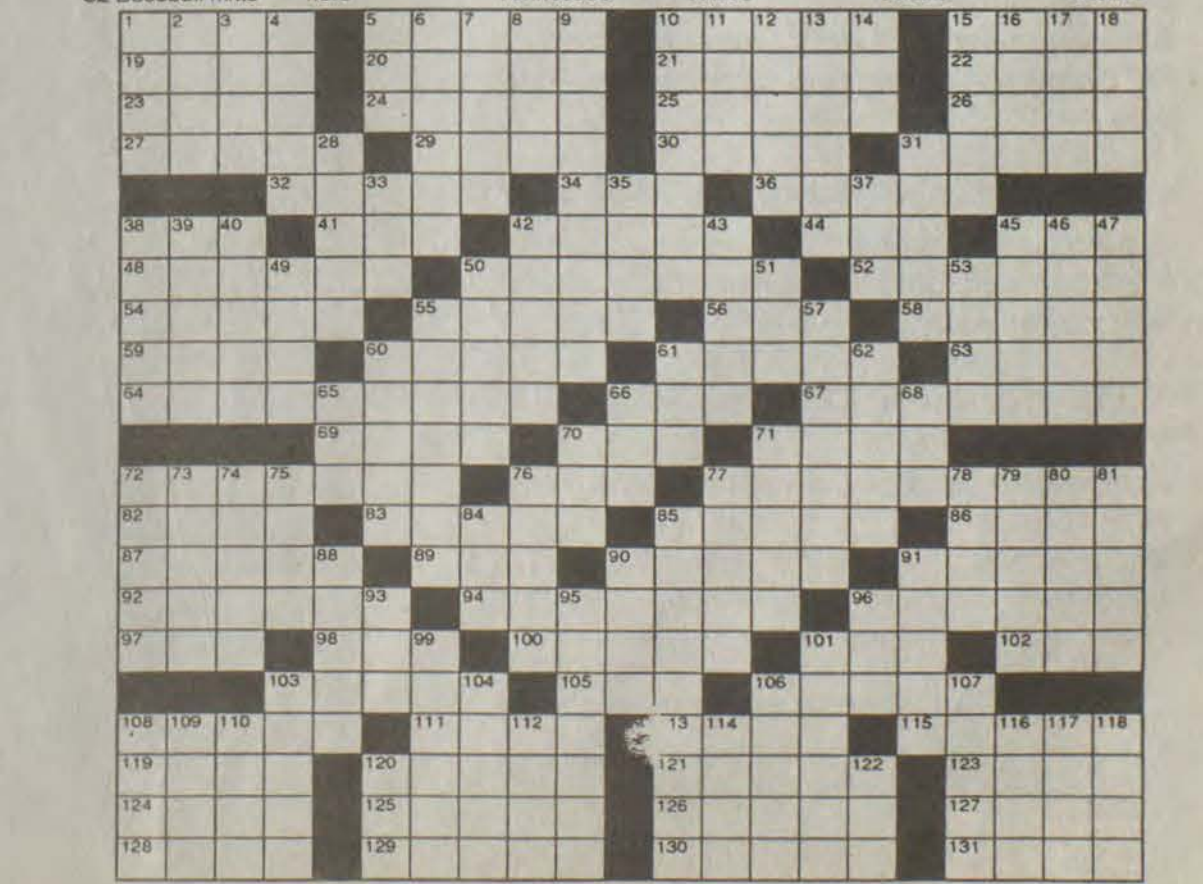
FIND AT LEAST 6 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PANELS.

Differences: 1. Hat is missing. 2. Bow is missing. 3. Shirt is different. 4. Package is smaller. 5. Eyeglasses are missing. 6. Rolling scroll is missing.

Answers to Crossword Puzzle and Magic Maze can be found on page A10

Super Crossword

- ACROSS
- 1 President and decorated Navy pilot of WWII
- 5 Fragrant wood
- 10 Dulled or satiated
- 15 President and U.S. Chief Justice
- 19 Opera highlight
- 20 Pedro's pal
- 21 Fragrant seed
- 22 River in Belgium
- 23 Cooper or Bussey
- 24 Ill-starred lover
- 25 Tale of adventure
- 26 Rich source
- 27 Weather word
- 29 Hardy heroine
- 30 Cap or hole lead-in
- 31 Succinct
- 32 Gluts
- 34 Latin conjunctions
- 36 Have scruples
- 38 Bikini top
- 41 Oscar-winner for Patricia Neal
- 42 Par — (by air mail)
- 44 Wire measure
- 45 Prom follower
- 48 Unit of instruction
- 50 Eileen or Walter
- 52 Baseball mitts
- 54 Nimble
- 55 Vaguely
- 56 Malleable metal
- 58 Discharges
- 59 Nothing in Madrid
- 60 Danube feeder
- 61 Minor woodland deity
- 63 Network
- 64 President born in New Jersey
- 66 Mountain pass
- 67 President who helped frame the Bill of Rights
- 69 Russian communities
- 70 Mortar
- 71 Washer cycle
- 72 President assassinated in office
- 76 European gull
- 77 President who signed the Declaration of Independence
- 82 Jai —
- 83 Red dye
- 85 Dr. Saik
- 86 Mil. infraction
- 87 Pouchlike cavity
- 89 Enthusiastic one
- 90 Kind of code
- 91 Babylonian hero
- 92 Strangeness
- 94 Cone-bearing tree
- 96 Dry, red wine
- 97 Egyptian god of pleasure
- 98 Headlong flight
- 100 Marine hazards
- 101 Hebrew letter
- 102 Ball or brow lead-in
- 103 Chess and checkers
- 105 Wrath
- 106 Takes a supporting position
- 108 Scorching
- 111 Marionette maker
- 113 Actor O'Neal
- 115 Office force
- 119 Rich fabric
- 120 Mother of Isaac
- 121 A votre — (to your health)
- 123 Coin of Iran
- 124 Nobelist
- 125 Wiesel
- 126 More ancient
- 127 Amazon catacean
- 128 President who was originally named Leslie Lynch King Jr.
- 129 Yearned
- 130 Requires
- 131 President who was governor of Tennessee
- DOWN
- 1 Hand luggage
- 2 Russian river
- 3 Father
- 4 President who was governor of Ohio
- 5 Elevator cage
- 6 Hammed it up
- 7 Marching coins?
- 8 Matures
- 9 He was the only four-term president known as "Old Hickory"
- 10 President known as "Old Hickory"
- 11 Presently
- 12 Wined and —
- 13 Regard highly
- 14 Ruby or Frances
- 15 President who was governor of Virginia
- 16 Hebrew lyre
- 17 Govt. agents
- 18 "A — Grows in Brooklyn"
- 28 California/Nevada lake
- 31 Fine silk netting
- 33 Large wine cask
- 35 Very small
- 37 Russian plane
- 38 Mel of many voices
- 39 Stately
- 40 Stage whisper
- 42 Fortified
- 43 Brazilian seaport
- 45 Japanese and English
- 46 Fist fight
- 47 City in the Ruhr valley
- 49 Serb or Croat
- 50 Charred stems of heather
- 51 — picker (Jussy one)
- 53 King of Israel
- 55 "The — Anne Frank"
- 57 Of dryads or oreads
- 60 Base-stealer's play
- 61 Square of turf
- 62 Pours steadily
- 65 Dutch uncle
- 66 Intimidate
- 68 Genetic substance
- 70 Farm layer
- 71 Underwater detecting device
- 72 Barbecue specialty
- 73 Escape detection
- 74 Plants used in fragrant ointments
- 75 Legal conjunction
- 76 Lesser in importance
- 77 Casey or Chuck
- 78 Kind of bank?
- 79 Cognizant
- 80 In the — (wealthy)
- 81 List of candidates
- 84 Cul-de —
- 85 President who drafted the Declaration of Independence
- 88 Burden bearer
- 90 Bridge support
- 91 Santa's helpers
- 93 Sweet potato
- 95 Whinnied
- 96 Bouncer
- 99 Minnesota iron range
- 101 Tinged
- 103 Avarice
- 104 Transparent wrapping
- 106 Famous jockey
- 108 Dismantle
- 108 Musical symbol
- 109 Nimbus
- 110 Moslem prince
- 112 Appraise
- 114 Ivy League college
- 116 Japanese aborigine
- 117 Go bankrupt
- 118 Antiaircraft fire
- 120 It flows in the spring
- 122 Stammering sounds



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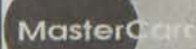
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Kentucky, in Civil Action No. 84-CI-00588, now pending in the Floyd Circuit Court, Division No. II, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, styled: Brenda Justice; Glema Collins; Dawson Boyd; Ray Boyd; Mary Akers; Rubenstine Akers; individually and as next friends for Lavone Conn; Richard Click; N.D. Click and Lavone Conn, Plaintiffs

vs. Herman Conn, individually and as Executor of the purported Last Will and Testament of Audra Boyd, and Thelma Conn, Ruth Sloan, Denver Conn, and Gillis Conn, Defendants

And Herman Conn, Counter Claimant

vs. Unknown Spouse of Brenda Justice; Faye Boyd, Spouse of Ray Boyd; Howard Collins, Spouse of Glenna Collins; Georgia M. Boyd, Spouse of Dawson Boyd; Bradley Akers, Spouse of Rubenstine Akers and Unknown Spouse of Richard Click; Unknown Spouse of Buford Conn; Ralph Slone, Unknown Spouse of Ruth Slone and Thelma Conn, Spouse of Herman Conn, Counter Defendants.

The nature of this action is one to establish the indivisibility of a tract of property, sale of the property and distribute the proceeds from the sale to any individual who may own an interest in it. If you are an heir or devise of Audra Boyd, you are hereby warned and notified that you have twenty (20) days from and after January 20, 1999, in which to file an answer to the complaint. If you fail to do so, the relief demanded in the Complaint may be awarded to the Plaintiffs. This may be a matter for which you may want to consult an attorney at law.

Hon. Arnold Turner, Jr. Warning Order Attorney P.O. Box 388 Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 (606) 886-8189 (606) 886-2843

within the permit boundary will be 1613.95 acres. The proposed operation is approximately 0.25 mile north from KY Route 1428's junction with KY Route 194 and located 0.5 mile north of Cow Creek. The latitude is 37°38'30". The longitude is 82°41'45".

The proposed operation is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Peachie Merritt. The operation will underlie land owned by Sandra Barkan, Roland Blackburn, Clyde Burchett, Forest Burchett, Gale Burchett, Joe Burchett, Landon & Nellie Charles, Ed & Bertha Cline, Leonard Goble, Floyd & Ona Harris, Irvin Harris, Lewis Irvin Hunt, William Jarrell, Columbus Jervis, Gardie Jervis, Ed Leslie Estate, Peachie Merritt, James & Mary Wells, Troy Whitt, and Rosie Woods Estate.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-5334, Renewal #3

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Matt/Co, Inc., 432 Meadows Branch, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 has applied for a permit for an underground coal mining operation located 2.0 miles north of Emma in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 3.16 surface acres and will underlie 1,124.0 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary will be 1,127.16 acres.

The proposed operation is approximately 1.0 mile east from KY Route 1428's junction with Sugarloaf Branch Road and located 0.1 mile north of Sugarloaf Branch. The latitude is 37°39'40". The longitude is 82°41'58".

The proposed operation is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Joe Burchett, Landon & Nellie Charles, Ed & Bertha Cline, Freddie Collins, Maxine Crider, James Crisp, Esta Crum, Elkhorn Coal Corporation, Bradis Goble, Charles Harris, Floyd & Ona Harris, Irvin & Jenny Harris, Johnny Huffman, Lester Hunt, Ransom Hunt, Lewis Irvin Hunt, Gardie Jervis, Greg Johnson, Timmy Plummer, Albert Ratliff, Ronald Reid, Mary Reynolds, Randall Robinson, Grace Weedman, and James & Mary Wells.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, # 2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-5306, Renewal #3

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Matt/Co, Inc., 432 Meadows Branch, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 has applied for a permit for an underground coal mining operation located 0.5 mile north of Emma in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 8.05 surface acres and will underlie 1605.90 acres, and the total area

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-0261, Major Revision No. 4

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Lodestar Energy, Inc., 251 Tollage Creek, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501, has applied for a major revision to an existing surface mining and reclamation operation located 0.75 mile north of Prestonsburg in Floyd County. The major revision will add 15.46 acres of surface disturbance making a total of 1099.76 within the revised permit boundary.

The proposed major revision area is approximately 0.75 mile northwest from KY 3's junction with KY 1428 and located 0.1 mile east of Levisa Fork of Big Sandy River. The latitude is 37°41'00". The longitude is 82°45'13".

The proposed major revision is located on the Prestonsburg and Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be affected by the major revision is owned by Maudie Baldrige Warrix, and the City of Prestonsburg.

The major revision proposes to add 15.46 acres of surface disturbance, in which the operation's method of surface mining will be "Area Mining". The major revision application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1410. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application No. 836-5287 RN

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Buck Coal, Inc., 544 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has applied for renewal of permit for an underground coal mining operation located 1.3 miles northeast of Hi Hat in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 1.9 acres, and will underlie 1475.65 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary will be 1477.62 acres.

The proposed operation is approximately 1.8 miles southeast of the junction of KY 122 and Spewing Camp Branch Road, and is located 0.1 mile east of Spewing Camp Branch. The latitude is 37°24'26", and the longitude is 82°43'08".

The proposed operation is located on the McDowell USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Wheelwright Mining Company. The operation will underlie land owned by Polly Tackett Estate, Marcetia Newman, Teddy D. Lawson and Doug Frazier, Eugene & Mack Hall, Bill M. & Shirley Mosely, Carl Collins, Virgil & Margaret Conn, Green & Helen Gayheart, William Alvin & Myrtle Gayheart, Lonnie Akers, Ed Mosley, Jr., Julie Marie Wilson, Jeff & Elizabeth Henson, Heirs, Margie Parson, Carl Butler & Patricia Mosley, Sam & Nora Martin, Wheelright Mining Company, Virnus & May Issac, Levi Hall, Estate, Kennel Dye, Estate, Ida May Reynolds, Virgil & Jean Hall, Pink Osborne, Troy Howell, Woodrow & Betty Caudill, Michael & Cora Hobson, Charles R. & Ethel Bradley, and the Bank Josephine.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-0261, Major Revision No. 5

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Lodestar Energy, Inc. 251 Tollage Creek, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501, has applied for a major revision to an existing surface coal mining and reclamation operation located 0.75 mile north of Prestonsburg in Floyd County. The major revision will delete 10.20 acres of surface disturbance and 8.30 acres of underground mining making a total of 1081.26 within the revised permit boundary.

The proposed major revision area is approximately 0.75 miles northwest from KY 3's junction with KY 1428 and located 0.1 mile east of Levisa Fork of Big Sandy River. The latitude is 37°41'00". The longitude is 82°45'13".

Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, US 127 South, Frankfort, KY 41654.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application No. 836-5360 RN

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that The Elk Horn Coal Corporation, 544 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653, has applied for renewal of permit for an underground coal mining operation located 0.5 mile southwest of Craynor in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 2.0 acres, and will underlie 192.6 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary will be 194.6 acres.

The proposed operation is approximately 1.5 miles southwest of the junction of KY 979 and Mink Branch Road, and is located 1.5 miles southwest of Mink Branch. The latitude is 37°25'53", and the longitude is 82°40'22".

The proposed operation is located on the McDowell USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Chester Newsome. The operation will underlie land owned by Chester Newsome, Blaine Slone, Joseph Mining Company, Inc., Sue Hall, John Hall, The Elk Horn Coal Corporation, and Donna Terry.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, US 127 South, Frankfort, KY 41654.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Barry Jenkins, mailing address P.O. Box 89, Wayland, KY 41666, hereby declares his intention to apply for a retail beer license no later than January 22, 1999. The business to be licensed will be located at 1231 KY Rt. 7, Wayland 41666 doing business as J&H Stop and Shop.

Any person, association, corporation, or body politic may protest the granting of the license by writing the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control, 1003 Twilight Tr. A-2 Frankfort, KY 40601, within 30 days of the date of this legal publication.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Edward G. Park, mailing address 241 Robin Hill Lane, Paintsville, KY 41240 hereby declares his intention to apply for a retail beer license no later than January 22, 1999. The business to be licensed will be located at 11400 West Mountain Parkway, KY 41653, doing business as Family Market.

Any person, association, corporation, or body politic may protest the granting of the license by writing the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control, 1003 Twilight Tr. A-2 Frankfort, KY 40601, within 30 days of the date of this legal publication.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to KRS 231.040, application for a permit to operate a place of entertainment, has

been made by Kimberly Hunt of 1334 Right Fork, Island Creek Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501, the name of the proposed business of entertainment is The Dew Drop Inn. The nature of the business will be sell beer by drink carryout, jukebox pooltables, video and live entertainment.

Pursuant to KRS 231.070, the Floyd County Attorney shall investigate whether the applicants lacks good moral character, or whether the applicants will obey the laws of the Commonwealth in the operation of the business, or whether the applicant, within the last two (2) years prior to the date of filing the application has been convicted in Kentucky of maintaining a public nuisance. Pursuant to KRS 231.080 any person desiring to oppose the permits shall file with the County Clerk no later than February 18,1999, in writing, allegations that show cause as to why the application shall not be granted. Said written information shall be signed, dated and reflect the current address of said person providing the information.

Pursuant to KRS 231.080, a hearing has been scheduled for February 18, 1999, at the hour of 1:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as same can be heard before the Floyd County Judge/Executive at the Floyd County Courthouse, 2nd Floor in Prestonsburg, Kentucky. the Floyd County Judge/Executive shall hear evidence in support of or in opposition to the granting of the permit. Hon. Keith Bartley Floyd County Attorney

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-0261, Major Revision No. 5

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Lodestar Energy, Inc. 251 Tollage Creek, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501, has applied for a major revision to an existing surface coal mining and reclamation operation located 0.75 mile north of Prestonsburg in Floyd County. The major revision will delete 10.20 acres of surface disturbance and 8.30 acres of underground mining making a total of 1081.26 within the revised permit boundary.

The proposed major revision area is approximately 0.75 miles northwest from KY 3's junction with KY 1428 and located 0.1 mile east of Levisa Fork of Big Sandy River. The latitude is 37°41'00". The longitude is 82°45'13".

The proposed major revision is located on the Prestonsburg and Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be affected by the major revision is owned by The City of Prestonsburg.

The major revision proposes a change from forest premining land use to fish and wildlife, industrial, residential and recreational postmining land use.

The major revision application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1410. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS

350.093, notice is hereby given that J.R.M. Coal Co., Inc., Box 320 McDowell, KY 41647, has applied for Phase II/III Bond Release on permit number 436-5073, which was last issued February 10, 1993. The application covers an area of approximately 4.22 acres of surface and 436.19 acres of underground for a total permit acreage of 436.19 acres, located 0.20 miles southeast of East McDowell in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.20 miles southeast from KY Rt. 1929's junction with Ned's Fork Road and is located on Ned's Fork of Frasure's Creek. The latitude is 37°25'36". The longitude is 82°41'57".

The bond now in effect for this permit is \$9,600.00 of which approximately 100% of the original bond amount of \$9,600.00 is being applied for release in the application.

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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 March 15,1999.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for March 16, 1999 at the Department for 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 formal or informal conference is received by March 16,1999.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Floyd County Fiscal Court is accepting bids for three (3) John Deer Self Propelled Hydraulically Driven Highway Mowers. Bid price should include the cost of delivery to the Floyd County Garage located at Mare Creek in Stanville, Kentucky within 30 days of the award date. Bid Specifications can be picked up at the Office of the Floyd County Judge/Executive during the regular hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Bids should be submitted in a sealed envelope to the office of the Floyd County Judge/Executive, Second Floor, Floyd County Courthouse, South Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 no later than 4:00 p.m., February 16, 1999. Bids will be opened at the regular Floyd County Fiscal Court meeting to be held on February 19,1999 at 10:00 a.m. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids and will award to the lowest and/or best bidder.

Floyd County Fiscal Court Paul Hunt Thompson County Judge/Executive

PUBLIC NOTICE

Dwayne & Angie Jarvis, mailing address 21 Mullins 2nd Street, Pikeville, KY 41501, hereby declares their intention to apply for a restaurant drink liquor license no later than January 22, 1999. The business to be licensed will be located at 2330 Water Gap Road, Prestonsburg, KY 41653 doing business as Tailspin Sportsbar, Grill and Nightclub Inc.

The owner(s) principal officers and directors; limited partners; or members, are as follows: President, Angie Jarvis of 21 Mullins 2nd Street, Pikeville, KY 41501. Vice President, Dwayne Jarvis of 21 Mullins 2nd Street, Pikeville, KY

41501.
Any person, association, corporation, or body politic may protest the granting of the license by writing the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control, 1003 Twilight Tr. A-2 Frankfort, KY 40601, within 30 days of the date of this legal publication.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to 405 KAR 8:010, Section 16(5), the following is a summary of permitting decisions made by the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Division of Permits with respect to applications to conduct surface coal mining and reclamation operations in Floyd County.
Buck Coal Incorporated
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Kentucky May Coal Company Incorporated
836-5369
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Floyd County
Fiscal Court
Paul Hunt Thompson
County Judge/Executive

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY TRANSPORTATION CABINET DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by the Department of Highways in the Division of Contract Procurement and/or the Auditorium located on the 1st Floor of the State Office Building, Frankfort, Kentucky, until 10:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time on the 12 day of February, 1999 at which time bids will be publicly opened and read for the improvement of:

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