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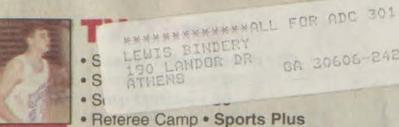


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This week at the Mountain Arts Center spirits — and bodies — have soared. Jasmine Archer of Prestonsburg practiced some of the techniques that the troupe of Commedia Suppa taught the students. Jasmine's partner is Rodd Bayston. The students were taught physical theater, mask-based performance, theatrical comedy, stage combat, physical acting and circus skills. Commedia Suppa is made up of the duo of Allison Williams and Todd Espeland. (photo by Willie

# .Survey of college staff adds more fuel to fire

by Pam Shingler Editor

In the wake of an audit report critical of Prestonsburg Community College, management and the college president's announcement that she is leaving, a survey of employees has been released, purporting to assess the

'campus climate.' The unions representing community college employees -Kentucky Community College Faculty Alliance (KCCFA) and Staff United - called relations at the college "problematic."

The unions distributed questionnaires to all PCC non-executive staff and faculty in May - 85 in all — and received a 41 percent response rate, considerably higher than a normal survey response

"We were pleased at the return rate because the survey didn't come out until after the semester was over," said Dr. Deborah Jacobs, a member of the KCCFA executive council. "We believe (the results) indicate that the faculty and staff do care about issues at

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#### But can he pay?

## Man jailed for non-payment of \$40,000 in child support

Times Staff Report

A Michigan man, formerly from this area, who was the subject of an investigation by the Louisville Courier-Journal into lax child-support enforcement in Kentucky, was sentenced to a oneyear prison term by Judge Danny Caudill in Floyd County Circuit Court last week.

Antoine Stone (whose birth name is Tony Edward Stacy) pleaded guilty in April to being behind in child support payments

by more than \$40,000 in support of his four children who live in Martin.

He was charged with flagrant non-support, a class D misdemeanor, and sentenced to jail for a period of one year.

Stone, 33, had been given five years of probation in January 1998 after pleading guilty to owing more than \$26,000 in child support. He failed to make courtordered payments in February and

(See Man, page three)

# Home Health in trouble

by Janice Shepherd Managing Editor

A patient's refusal to take a bath may cost the Floyd County Health Department its home health services.

The Department of Health and Human Service's Division of Medicaid announced this week it is terminating its Medicare provider contract with the health department's home health agency. The termination is effective July

The action comes after the Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA) determined the local agency is "not in compliance" with regulations regarding skilled nursing services from a survey completed by the state Division of Licensing and Regulations of the Department for Human Resources.

"It all boils down to a differ-



Carol Holbrook

ence of opinion," Floyd County Health Department Director Carol Holbrook said Thursday.

Holbrook said the matter stems from an aide's visit to a local

"We've had this patient for 10

to 11 years," Holbrook said and referred to patient confidentiality regulations in not revealing the patient's name.

"The family is quite satisfied with our services. Care of patients is coordinated between the nurse and the aide ... The nurse does the skilled part of the visit. The aide does the personal care - baths, personal grooming ... The nurse and the aide are not necessarily there at the same time. ... If the aide notices any change of condition in the patient, she calls and reports to the nurse ... In this case, the aide reported the patient refused a bath ... The nurse said the patient had a right to refuse the bath, but she asked the aide why the patient refused.

'The patient had pain in the left side ... The nurse talked to the care giver ... The nurse was familiar

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Crum is rehired at MAC

# Caudill is interim director

by Pam Shingler

The Prestonsburg City Council taketh away and the Mountain Arts Center (with the council) giveth back. At least, that's the case with the program director's job at the center.

After a long executive session Monday night, the city council announced that it was terminating the contract of MAC program director Greg Crum, who has been with the Kentucky Opry since the

early 1990s and with the MAC since its opening two-and-a-half years ago.

On Tuesday evening, as the MAC Management Commission met in executive session at a special-called meeting to discuss several personnel matters, Crum, who had been told of his dismissal early that morning, talked about what he would do next.

Having made many entertainment contacts through his job in arranging shows at the MAC, he mentioned possibilities

Tennessee, particularly Nashville and Pigeon Forge.

But he put a hold on those options when he learned the management group had decided he would "continue his employment" with the regional entertainment and education complex.

The full MAC Management Commission - minus its guiding force since inception, Paul P. Hughes, who resigned in May met with several members of city

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Is a wedding shower in order?

# Beaver Elkhorn seeks union

by Willie Elliott Staff Writer

The Beaver Elkhorn Water District voted to request merger with the Mud Creek Water District during its Wednesday afternoon meeting. In recent meetings various groups have recommended this action, including the Floyd County Utilities Advisory Committee, Big Sandy Area Development District, US Army Corps of Engineers and a representative from Congressman Hal Rogers' office.

Board members Hubert Halbert, Tommy Hall and Paula

Johnson have been advised there is little likelihood that small water districts will continue to get government grants for expansion and

upgrades. County Judge-Executive Paul Hunt Thompson said he thought it was in the best interest of all concerned if the two water districts merge. He pointed out that the Floyd County Utilities Advisory Committee has recommended this action.

Beaver Elkhorn officials will now formally communicate their request and wait for a response from the Mud Creek board.

The board also announced that

the project for the Bill Hall Branch community of McDowell was almost ready to go. Charles Byers from Summit Engineers said he was waiting for the Project Corporation Agreement (CPA), and as soon as that document is signed, work can begin on the pro-

Byers estimated that it would be the middle of July before the agreement was signed and actual work started.

The Floyd County Fiscal Court has agreed to furnish 25 percent of the \$379,000 for the project (or

(See Union, page three)





A stack of water pipes is a welcome sight to the residents of Bill Hall Branch in McDowell. Beaver Elkhorn Water District will soon begin installing the pipes and furnishing water to this area of McDowell. Around 12,000 feet of pipe will be laid, starting about the middle of July. (photo by Willie Elliott)

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#### Appalachian Treasure

Author Billy C. Clark will receive the Appalachian Treasure Award during Morehead State University's 23rd annual Appalachian Celebration next week. Clark, a Catlettsburg native and one of the state's most distinguished writers, will receive the award at the event's opening reception Sunday at 7 p.m. in the Adron Doran University Center. Most of Clark's writing centers on the Big Sandy River and eastern Kentucky. His book "A Long Row to Hoe" is perhaps his most famous. In it he writes, "In 19 years of growing up in this valley, hunger was my most vivid memory and an education my greatest desire." He taught for many years at the University of Kentucky and is now writer-in-residence at Longwood College in Virginia.

#### Dad's day for health

Just in time for Father's Day, the Floyd County Public Health Department is sponsoring Men's Health Day today from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Available are PSA blood testing, occult stool testing, tetanus update, TB skin test, blood pressure check, anemia screening, cholesterol screening, nutritional counseling, and health risk assessment. Cost for the works is \$25, with a body fat analysis \$5 extra. Call 606/886-2788, ext. 234. And, Dad, there'll be free gifts, door prizes and refreshments. Get yourself some.

#### Farmers get ready for market

If it looks like you're raising more in your garden than you and your family can eat, you might want to consider selling your produce at the Farmers Market in Martin. The market is co-sponsored by the City of Martin and the Master Gardeners Program from the University of Kentucky County Extension Agency. An informational meeting is set for Monday, June 28, at 4 p.m. at Martin City Hall. For more infor-

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# Local youth saves family from burning home

by Janice Shepherd Managing Editor

Frank Stanley II wears a golden cross around his neck. When sunlight hits the cross, it gleams in the sunlight, but its edges are blackened. It was found amidst the debris on the Larry Sly Ostrich Farm in of his family's former home and Johnson County, just a few miles placed around his neck by his moth-

"He's my hero. He's my little

Frankie's quick actions saved the lives of his family early Tuesday morning, June 8, when their doublewide mobile home burned down just minutes after they exited it.

The family's home was located from the Dewey Dam Recreation area in Floyd County.

The morning of the fire, Frankie, angel." Frankie's mom, Faye, said 11, dozed on the couch while he Friday. "He's a very smart little was watching television. He woke and then began watching television again. He fell asleep. He woke up again around 3 or 4 a.m. and thought he smelled something burning. He looked toward the front window and saw flames.

He ran through his home, yelling, "Fire, Daddy, fire!"

There were nine people in the house: Frankie, his father and mother, his sisters Kristi, 14, Sasha, 13, and Keisha, 9; his brother, Anthony, and his cousin, Felicia Vanderpool and her 10-month-old baby, Raybon, who were temporarily living with the Stanleys.

When Frank Sr. heard the shouts of fire, he and his family set up a fire brigade. Down the chain they passed containers - "anything we could find," Frankie II said - of water to throw on the flames, but the fire kept spreading.

Frank Sr. told his family to get

up, got up for a brief period of time, house. Frank II, trying to help his father, crawled under the home and turned on the water. Frank Sr. tackled the fire with the water from the hose, but the fire was too strong and he had to give up.

As he came around the house, fire was falling off the porch and sparks hit him, burning blisters on his head and shoulder. All the family could do was watch as their possessions went up in smoke. The fire was fast and furious and everything was over quickly. By the time the fire department arrived, only one wall of the home was left standing.

"It took just 17 minutes to burn to the ground from the time we got up," Faye Stanley said.

All the family had were the clothes on their backs and each other. They had nowhere to go and went "from here to there" until Frank Sr.'s good friends, Lloyd and Tommie Lynn Layne, said they out and then ran to the back of the could temporarily stay in a family home to get the water hose. He home at Garrett. The Stanleys hope pointed the hose at the fire, but the to find a mobile home they can water was turned off under the afford (Frank Sr. is currently unemployed) and set it back up on the and large or extra-large shirts in spot where their old home burned.

Adams Middle School, where Kristi and Sasha attend class, gathered up some items for the family before school was out. The Salvation Army in Paintsville is also helping, Faye Stanley said.

If anyone would like to make donations to the family, they can page 889-2015. Family members wear sizes 34 in jeans, 10 1/2 shoes,

men's clothing; 14 and 18 jeans, size 8 shoes and large shirts in women's. Frankie wears a size 16 in jeans and medium shirt, and 7 1/2 shoes. Keisha wears a size10 to 16 jeans, medium shirt and size 6 or 7

The fire started from either an electrical outlet or a light switch, Faye Stanley said.

# Red, White and Blue Notice

Anyone wishing to submit information regarding veterans of any wars to be published in the Red, White and Blue annual publication, please drop off, or mail to Pam Justice at Martin City Hall, P.O. Box 749, Martin, KY 41649, or call at 285-9335. If you wish to publish a picture and want the picture returned, please enclose a selfaddressed stamped envelope. Information must be submitted before August 31, 1999, to appear in the October publication.

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June 30 is the last day orders can \$37.50. be placed for the Floyd County Pictorial History, scheduled for publication this fall by Turner Publishing of Paducah, according to the Floyd County Historical

Purchasers can save \$5 by ordering the book now. The present cost is \$32.50, plus \$6 for shipping and handling. After publication, the book will have a base price of

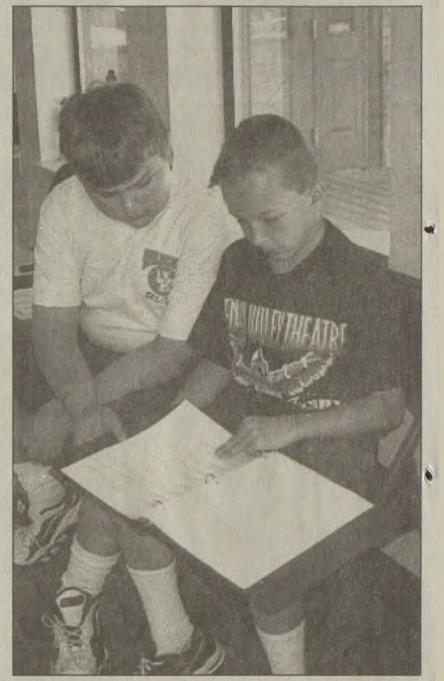
#### Correction

An article in recent edition of the Floyd County Times listed the wrong date for 4-H camp. The camp will be conducted July19-23, at the Diederich 4-H Camp in Rush. For more information, contact the Floyd County Extension Office at

Half of the book will be devoted to pictures of Floyd County families. The editor will publish at least one picture from every family collection submitted.

Those wishing to have more than one picture published should purchase a memorial page for the family. Purchasing a memorial page guarantees that a whole page of the book will be devoted to the family. Memorial pages cost \$225 and entitle the buyer to a free copy of the book. All page orders must be submitted by June 30.

Send orders and memorial page submissions to Floyd County Pictorial History Book, P.O. Box 982, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Checks should be made payable to the Floyd County Pictorial History.



Casey Price (left) and Chris Caldwell look over the script for "The Legend of Jenny Wiley." The cast practiced for the play at the David School on Tuesday. The seaon opens this Friday with the prodution of "Grease." (photo by Willie Elliott)

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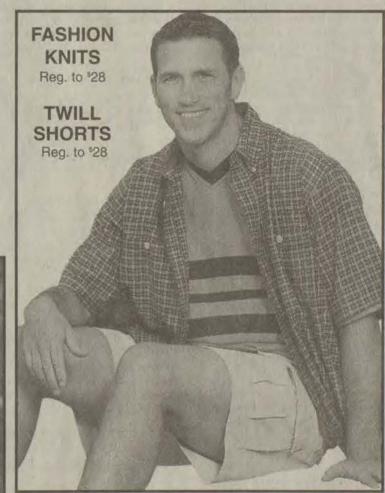


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council who have voiced concerns over which body has ultimate authority over the MAC.

Besides retaining Crum, the commission voted to hire Keith Caudill as interim director of the MAC while they search for a replacement for Bob Meyer who has accepted a job with Community Trust Bank. According to the budget document, Caudill works about one-third time with the Kentucky Opry, which is a separate entity headquartered at the MAC, and two-thirds time with the

The commission also directed its executive committee to recommend a salary adjustment for Caudill. The executive committee is made up of Fannin, who was chosen temporary chairman of the commission, businessman Willard Kinzer and council members Estill Carter and Robert Allen II.

Who has the authority over the MAC is the issue that apparently led to Hughes' resignation as chairman of the Management Commission.

In his letter to the commission, Hughes attributed his decision to "a philosophical difference with some members of the leadership of the City of Prestonsburg as to the ultimate authority of managing" the

"It is my belief that the MAC Management Commission was created to manage the Mountain Arts Center and therefore must have the freedom to exercise that authority,' he said in the letter, dated May 13.

The city council at its last two meetings has discussed concern that the center is operating at a deficit and have mentioned that council members have been approached by employees about problems with the

The deficit, amounting to more than \$100,000, can apparently be covered by revenues from the city's restaurant and hotel tax, but many council members want to see the center become financially solvent and self-supporting.

The issue of control relates to a city ordinance that created the MAC. Hughes and Councilman Estill Carter contend that the ordinance gives the Management Commission the authority to run the center, while Fannin and some of the other council members say the council has the final responsibility.

Prestonsburg Mayor Jerry Fannin said yesterday that he thought the Tuesday meeting represented the start of the healing of the rift between the two groups. Besides Carter and Allen, council members Hansel Cooley, Bill Collins and Gormon Collins participated in the commission meeting, including the executive session. Fannin said he asked them to attend.

'We talked about the need to keep everyone informed," Fannin said, "and the need to deal with problems without letting them fester.

"I hate that this happened, but we have to go on," he said. "Hopefully,

we have all learned."

In giving his formal resignation, Meyer expressed similar sentiments. "Every organization goes through ups and downs," he said, "and we're going through that now.

"We will get through it," said Meyer, who has headed the MAC since before it opened. "I believe the problems are transient in nature, temporary in nature.'

Meyer will remain a part of the Management Commission, as the new representative of the Kentucky Opry, which has a seat on the panel.

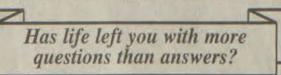
Prior to the executive session, the Management Commission accepted Hughes' resignation "with regret and appreciation." Meyer suggested the commission "do something in commemoration" because Hughes "has invested a significant amount of himself' in the MAC.

Commission members agreed to share the cost personally and to appoint Carlos Wells, JoAnn Lyon and Estill Carter to make a recom-

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mendation on the commemoration. Tom Hutchison added that the group should recognize Hughes at a "major event with a grand audi-

Other commission members in attendance were Linda Gayheart, Penny Stratton, and Mickey McCoy.



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#### Housing group nominated

The Church Housing Association of Prestonsburg is one of 48 housing organizations in Kentucky to be nominated for a Best Practices Award from the US Department of Housing and Urban Development. The local organization was cited particularly for its Neighborhood Network Computer Center at each of its three properties, so that residents can have access to computer technology and other resources via the web. The centers also offer other programs, such as GED instruction, along with nutrition and money management classes. Award winners will be announced at HUD's Best Practices and Technical Assistance Symposium in Kansas City, Missouri, July 21-24.

#### Habitat plans fund-raiser

The Sandy Valley Habitat for Humanity is hosting a performance by evangelist and illusionist Eric Reamer on Friday, June 25, at 7 p.m. at the Pikeville High School auditorium. From Sterling, Colorado, Reamer is author of several books



William May

#### May named **USNA** winner

The United States Achievement Academy announced recently that William May, from Allen, has been named a United States National Award winner in Mathematics.

May, who attends Allen Elementary, was nominated for this national award by Mrs. J. Meade, a teacher at the school.

He will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, which is published nationally.

"Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in America's history. United Certainly, States Achievement Academy winners should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement," said Dr. George Stevens, executive director of the United States Achievement Academy.

The Academy selects USAA winners upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors, and other qualified sponsors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy. The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability, and recommendation from a teacher or director.

May is the son of Billie Jo May from Allen. His grandparents are Billy and Ernestine May of Allen.

on illusions and object lessons in the church. Also featured will be a variety of local musicians singing gospel music. Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$10 for ages 17 and under. Reduced rates are available for groups of 20 or more. Tickets are available at the Chevron Autobahn stations on North and South Mayo Trail in Pikeville or from Carolyn Rasnick, 606/432-4178, ext. 308. All proceeds go toward funding Habitat homes to be built this year.

#### **OLW** sponsors blood drive

Our Lady of the Way Hospital will co-sponsor a blood drive, with Central Kentucky Blood Center, on Wednesday, June 23, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the CKBC bloodmobile at the hospital in Martin. Donors will receive a free gift. For information, contact chairperson Judy Salyer at 606/285-5181.

#### Advisory lifted

The boil water advisory for residents in the Ivel area was lifted Wednesday. Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission had issued the advisory Sunday after a water line break that affected customers along US 23 from Rolling Acres Estates to Blackburn's Nursery.

#### Patton in town

Gov. Paul Patton will be in Prestonsburg on Monday for groundbreaking on the KY 114 road project at the west end of town. The event is set for 9 a.m. Preliminary work has already begun on the con-

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\$94.750). Byers told Thompson, "I'm 99.9 percent sure that anything you contribute beyond the 25 percent will be reimbursed.'

Thompson told Byers to check on this and if either the fiscal court or the water district will be reimbursed, bids could be let to lay the pipes for the project.

Eddie Patton, administrative assistant to the county-judge executive, said bonding could be provided for the project by using the standing bond that the fiscal court has. He up with Beaver Elkhorn Water to counties. ensure this protection.

as the CPA is ready," said Paula Johnson. "These people have waited a long time for water."

the water office by today, and the board will meet next Tuesday to open and award the bid.

The board also agreed to join a group that would purchase water from the Carr Fork Water Plant. The plant plans to sell water to Knott and said an agreement would be drawn parts of Perry, Floyd and Letcher

The board also agreed to give "Let's do everything we can to employees across the board a 70-

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project has been available for three Bids for the project are to be in

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These classes will include learning and rehearsing a short play, as well as basic instruction in general theatre education, such as makeup, basic dance, costume design and dramatic literature. Session I will run from June 28 through July 16, and Session II will run from July 26 through August 13. The Monday

Jenny Wiley Theatre is getting evening following the final day of each camp, the children will perform their play, free to the public, on the amphitheater's main stage.

This year, the Children's Theatre will be directed by Prestonsburg native Emily Auxier Damron. Emily is a graduate of Transylvania University with a BA in secondary English Education, with a double minor in music and drama.

This will be Emily's fifth season with Jenny Wiley Theatre. In addition to performing in the main stage productions, she served as assistant Children's Theatre director to Joe Clark in 1997 an 1998. Damron also has experience performing in University of Kentucky and Transylvania University productions, and has had extensive training in the arts of voice and dance.

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#### Public meetings

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· Prestonsburg City Council, special meeting, today, noon, City Hall Kentucky Appalachian Commission, Monday, 10 a.m., Ramada Inn, Paintsville

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March of that year and disappeared while his child-support debt continued to increase.

Stone is lodged in the Floyd County Detention Center where has been for the last 106 days. These days and ones he spent previously, for a total of 180, will count toward his one-year sentence.

Stone, originally from Martin County, at one time worked for the Internal Revenue Service and earned more than \$45,000 a year. Later, he is alleged to have worked as a computer programmer in Baltimore and made \$65,000 a year.

He was back in Michigan, working with a consulting firm, when a reporter with the Courier-Journal located him - something authorities had apparently been unable to do. According to the newspaper, his then-girlfriend turned him in to Michigan authorities which led to his transfer back to Floyd County.

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#### QUOTE OF THE WEEK...

A teacher affects eternit; he can never tell where his influence stops.

- Henry Adams

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# Editorial

# WELCOME, DR. FANNING

We're tempted to send up the smoke and say that Floyd County has a new pope, but we don't want to be sacrilegious or to offend. But we do have a new, legitimatelyselected (we hope), clear-thinking (but he's coming here), intelligent (but he's coming here) school superintendent.

After years of mishaps of our own making or brought on, we are welcoming a new leader for our beleaguered

Dr. Paul Fanning comes to a place where the physical plant is in horrible shape, not just because of age but because of neglect and the politics of disrepair and unaccountability. At least four schools within the last few weeks have been cited by the health department for leaking roofs, unsafe floors, bad ceilings and nasty restrooms.

Here, it seems hard to believe that in other places, buildings constructed as far back as the 1930s and '40s for goodness sake, 100 years ago - are clean, light, dry and secure. Here, a building put up during this decade is already in need of resuscitation.

He comes to a place where morale is low and suspicion is high. Regardless of how well-intentioned the current leaders are, the legacy of decades of politically-based assignments, of jobs assigned according to the who's-yourdaddy personnel policy, and of conflict resolution by lawsuit has led to distrust and despair that will not be easily overcome.

There are places where policies are delineated and followed, where fairness is built into those policies, where the dross is picked over and tossed out, where good teaching is valued more than brown-nosing, where standards are high and met.

He comes to a place where education is not particularly

Here, he will find many parents who are uneducated themselves and see no reason for their children to be any different. He will find parents who care more about who will coach their children on the sports field than who will teach their children in the classroom. He will find family members who make fun of children who excel academically, who will chastise them for getting above their raisin's.

He comes to a place where it is taken for granted that you play the game of politics and, if you want to survive, you play it well.

This is a place where games-playing is the accepted modus operandi. Even when you don't have to, you take the circuitous route of cutting deals and scratching backs. You don't put nearly as much stock in ability as in contacts, and the good old boys' faces change occasionally, but not their character.

We hope Dr. Fanning has been adequately apprised of the situation, that he is not coming in blind and totally naive, ripe for being eaten alive. We hope he realizes that it's going to take a heap of patience, a ton of common sense, a truckload of honesty, a trunkful of diplomacy and tact, a sea of determination, and a mass of energy to get

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# Letters to Editor

#### SUPPORTS CARTER FOR SUPERINTENDENT

Editor:

Last weekend the Floyd County Board of Education voted to hire a superintendent of schools. Although there has been recent discussion about a new superintendent, I was surprised to learn that this decision has been made.

It is my understanding that the person chosen by our BOE is a resident of Alabama. He is someone who I, and many other residents of this county, have never heardsof before. I wonder why there were no opportunities for public comment on this important

In recent years we have had many administrative changes in Floyd County. Early last year when rumors of a state takeover surfaced, many of us wondered how it would affect our children and their education. And last summer, amid plans for school closings and consolidation, we rallied in protest of actions taken by our state manager and interim superintendent.

Now, having survived the first year of state control, we can look back and see many positive changes. Because of some tough action, our county is well on its way to financial recovery.

For the first time in my memory, school funds are being fully accounted for and this money is being used to provide educational opportunities and to improve conditions for the children of Floyd County. State manager Woodrow Carter has been respon-

sible for many improvements at Betsy Layne Elementary, as well as other county schools. Mr. Carter has two more years to serve in Floyd County.

Now we are told that the BOE has selected a new superintendent whose salary will be \$110,000 per year. Why is it necessary to spend \$220,000 over the next two years for another administrator when Mr. Carter is doing a fabulous job managing our system?

How many people do you know that would spend four consecutive Saturdays as a volunteer in our local schools? Mr. Carter picked up trash at Stumbo Elementary; helped landscape at Betsy Layne High School; helped paint inside the dome gym at Betsy Layne Elementary; and returned to Stumbo to help with their landscaping project.

He did not have to attend any of these "clean-up" events, but he chose to in order to help increase

It is my hope that before they act, the members of our BOE will strongly consider leaving Woodrow Carter in charge of the Floyd County School System for the remainder of his three-year term.

Why strip authority from someone who is acting responsibly and doing such a wonderful job? Why waste \$220,000 for additional administrative personnel? This money could be better spent to improve conditions for our children.

Ann Blackburn Stanville

#### PHS STUDENT IS GRATEFUL FOR HOBY/EXPERIENCE

I would like to thank the Prestonsburg Women's Club and Prestonsburg High School for making it possible for me to attend the 1999 East Kentucky HOBY leadership conference in Lexington. I had a wonderful time and would like to extend my gratitude to all the people involved in making this opportunity possible for me.

HOBY stands for Hugh O'Brian Youth. It is a three-day seminar (June 4, 5, 6) at Transylvania University. One sophomore is selected from each school in eastern and southern Kentucky, each being named an ambassador after selection. There were 120 ambassadors attending this year's HOBY seminar. Each ambassador was selected for leadership qualities and abilities.

During those three days, I made a lot of new friends. I have never seen a more enthusiastic, intel-

ligent, and outgoing group of peers than that at HOBY. We did everything from discussing the pros and cons of Kentucky's public education system to understanding the future of Kentucky in the world

We met people such as Tim Voss (president of Wall Street Greeting Cards) and Dr. T. Pearse Lyons (president and CEO, Alltech Inc.). But it wasn't all hard work and no play. We also did group activities in which we functioned as a group to accomplish the task set before us. We also had social time and a dance.

I encourage each sophomore in eastern Kentucky to strive for this opportunity. It will have a positive impact upon your life. I know it did mine,

Iris Dene' Stumbo 1999 HOBY Ambassador Prestonsburg High School

#### **BL** STUDENTS ON POSITIVE TRACK

Editor

With the recent and numerous school shootings in our country, it seems it's getting harder to turn on the television or flip through a newspaper without seeing those kids and wondering, "What is this world coming to? What's happened to this generation?"

Negative images of teens cross our paths every day, what with the school shootings, drug possession charges, thefts and a number of other crimes. With all this, it's easy to receive the false impres-

sion that all teenagers are "punks," oblivious to the real world and what's going on around them.

However, it's time to focus on the positive. Not all kids are "bad." Many are responsible, fine, young adults who are helping to eliminate the "rebellious teen" stereotype that others have set. The

Betsy Layne High School Cooperative Work Experience Program (CO-OP) is an example of this.

Consisting mainly of seniors at BLHS, the program teaches them what it's like to "live in the real world" and have responsibilities. The students are required to take a class entitled "The World of Work," which teaches a variety of essentials needed to attain and keep a job. A few of these include how to write a resume, qualities employers look for in potential employees and how to impress at a job interview. The course counts as three credits toward graduation.

Gregory Hall, the program's coordinator, teaches the class and aids the students in finding a job. He

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# Letters to the Editor

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Editor



#### GOING FOR BROKE

Ed Taylor and I often talk about the places I go to for the TV Times stories. He keeps saying he's going to some of them, but something always comes up. I'm hoping Nancy will kidnap him some Saturday and take him away for a well-deserved break from sports and his other obligations, some place just for fun.

One day he came up with a place I'd not thought about in years, Broke Leg Falls. I can't remember much about it, but I remember the unusual name. There has to be a story behind it, surely about someone who broke a leg while walking under the falls or shimmying down the slick

Ed, who says his family used to stop there years ago, recalled it as being in Magoffin County, perhaps as you go toward Oil Springs in Johnson County.

Last weekend, I happened upon Broke Leg Falls, well, not the falls exactly, but the vicinity. Turns out the spot is on the other side of West Liberty, near the Morgan and Menifee county line. It's familiar to us oldsters because it's on US 460, the road we once had to take on our four-hour trip to Lexington in the preparkway days.

I saw the name Broke Leg Falls on a map of Menifee County in an atlas of Kentucky county maps - one of the best buys I ever made because it has so many more details than a regular state map. I was looking for the community of Denniston where Clayton Wells' Swamp Valley Historical Museum is located. (See this week's and next week's TV Times.)

Sitting on the porch of Wells' country store, enjoying a cool can of pop, I asked his wife Jeannette and their daughter Darlene about Broke Leg Falls. Since it appeared nearby on the map. I thought I might stop there and get some pictures after I finished with the museum.

They began to wax nostalgic, as the saying goes. They had experienced many wonderful times with their large family and circle of friends at the little park with the beautiful cascade of creek water.

They recalled that the family who had owned the falls property had turned it over to the state years ago with the provision that if the state ceased to maintain it, the park would revert to the family. The state, they said, had built steps down to the creek, made picnic areas and created a charming, natural environment.

They could not recall what had happened, but the state apparently abandoned the park, and over the years, it has been roped off to be inaccessible and has become overgrown as nature reclaims its own. It is no longer a pleasant place for travelers to rest.

Perhaps the state let go of the wayside park when the Mountain Parkway diverted traffic away from the old winding road that, similar to US 23, served primarily to take us away from here and back on the occasional weekend from Ohio, Indiana,

Michigan or Illinois. I tried to keep a lookout when I left Swamp Valley, but all I saw was a small, green, side road sign that said Broke Leg Creek Road. If this was Broke Leg Creek, then surely Broke Leg Falls must be near-

by. However, I did not stop to look. Unlike 35 or 40 years ago, when home was still a good two hours away and this would have been a good place to stop for a few minutes break, I talked myself out of taking the time.

If anyone knows exactly what did happen to the falls park, or if you have a sweet memory about it, give Ed or me a call or write a letter.

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## ANNUAL, **AUTOMATIC AND** ABSENT

ACCOUNTABILITY

by Dick Dellinger Chairman Association of Retired Americans

The Postal Service is in such need of change that any kind of reform is sure to help.

Right? Wrong!

A bill-H.R. 22-currently under consideration in Congress would grant the Postal Service annual, automatic rate increases in the first class mail monopoly with "profits" to be used for executive bonuses.

This not only puts the fox in charge of the hen house, it delivers the hens on a silver platter!

To be sure, our out-of-control Postal Service needs to be made to answer for slip-shod delivery, customer service that teeters on the edge of hostility, and runaway, indefensible spending.

But, if you find accountability by heading west, H.R. 22 is currently heading east.

The Postal Service is the only monopoly that has the power to raise its own rates. The problems this creates are many, some of them painfully familiar to the everyday consumers of the Post Office. Because there is no one to answer

· The level of service is in full retreat. For example, in many communities used to door-to-door delivery, the Postal Service is demanding new end-of-street cluster boxes that force elderly residents into the worst winter weather if they want

. One in five letters destined out-

side of an immediate metropolitan increasing stamp prices higher than area is being delivered late according to the Postal Service's own weakened standards

 The Postal Service raised first class mail rates by a billion-dollarsa-year despite a 393-12 vote of Congress last year demanding no increase in first class mail rates.

· Postal executives wined and dined themselves to the tune of nearly \$125,000 at an elegant retirement party for the outgoing Postmaster General.

 Those same executives—900 of them-rewarded themselves with 1998 end-of-the-year bonuses that averaged more than \$10,000 each.

Currently, a Postal Service demand for an increase in first class mail rates is reviewed by the independent Postal Rate Commission (PRC) which can only make a recommendation back to the Postal Service, which then sets rates where it wants.

Some in Congress would eliminate even this level of review. By tying first class mail rates to an inflation index-with no particular relationship to the cost of delivering mail—they would, practically every year, allow an increase.

Furthermore, by allowing excess revenue each year to be used for executive bonuses and eliminating the federal pay cap as a hindrance to the size of those bonuses, this misguided position would actually encourage postal executives to raise rates to the maximum allowable level every year.

You need to write, call email your congressional representative right now and make it clear that this a raw deal. We need more accountability, not less.

Urge him or her to oppose reforms that grant the Postal Service more authority to raise first class rates. Tell your Congressmember to instead support reforms that give the independent watchdog agency, the PRC, final rate-setting authority to prevent the Postal Service from

necessary.

COMMENTARY

Only then, will postal executives be held to answer for bad service, poor delivery rates and gluttonous spending habits.

Real postal reform means more accountability and we need to support that.

Then we'll have it right.

(Dick Dellinger is chairman of the board and CEO of the Association of Retired Americans, which is a member of the Coalition to Make Our First Class Mail FIRST CLASS with more than 200 member organizations representing more than five million Americans.)

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## Forecast for Floyd County, KY

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# Letters

informs them of job opportunities and keeps an individual progress Enterprises, Margaret Vaughn, Taco report on each person.

Students, in turn, are allowed to leave school each day at the end of their fifth period classes and proceed to their place of work.

can say that I have greatly enjoyed Long John Silver's, DC Trucking, this year's program. I've learned many helpful things in class, and because of my internship here at The Times, I am looking toward journalism as my major in college. I've gained valuable work experience and am looking forward to wherever my future takes me.

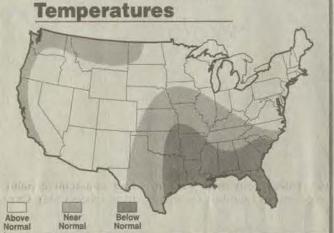
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#### THE WEEK AHEAD...



A storm system is expected to cross the northern half of the nation during the time period. As a result, showers and thunderstorms will cover the northern Plains and Great Lakes. Warm air will blanket much of the West and Northeast. Temperatures across the regions may average 10 to 15 degrees above normal. Plenty of showers clouds. thunderstorms will cover the Southeast and Florida.

NATIONAL SUMMARY

# THE WEEK AHEAD .. **Precipitation**

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Boston	62	53 r	69	58 pc	75	62 pc	74	62 pc	77	62 s
Chicago	72	54 s	71	54 T	75	57 sh	84	61 C	83	61 p
Cleveland	72	50 pc	70	53 pc	76	57 r	79	60 r	80	61 sl
Denver	87	58 t	91	57 sh	89	58 sh	90	59 sh	91	59 s
Des Moines	72	59 s	72	60 r	78	63 r	85	65 s	87	67 t
Detroit	74	52 s	70	55 pc	75	58 r	80	63 r	80	62 r
Houston	85	67 s	89	71 s	89	71.5	92	72 pc	92	74 p
Indianapolis	76	54 s	77	59 sh	7.9	60 t	84	66 r	87	64 c
Kansas City	71	63 pc	75	61 r	81	65 pc	87	69 s	90	69 p
Los Angeles	78	60 s	85	61 pc	83	61 pc	82	62 pc	86	61 p
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Phoenix	106	81 s	108	84 s	110	82 pc	110	81 s	108	82 s
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Cairo	103	68 s	100	67 s	97	69 s	96	72 pc	98	68 p
Jerusalem	87	59 s	85	59 s	84	60 s	82	60 s	83	59 s
Johannesburg	73	44 s	74	40 s	69	42 s	70	44 pc	71	43 p
London	70	58 c	76	61 sh	76	56 pc	69	55 pc	68	48 p
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Moscow	80	61 pc	83	64 pc	82	66 c	83	65 pc	82	63 s
Paris	66	48 pc	70	56 pc	78	59 pc	71	57 pc	73	51 p
Rio de Janeiro	75	65 pc	79	64 C	74	61 1	72	60 pc	71	60 p
Rome	78	59 pc	75	60 pc	79	62 pc	81	66 pc	85	67 p
San Juan	87	75 pc	87	76 pc	90	77 pc	90	77 pc	89	76 p
Seoul	83	63 pc	84	66 pc	85	70 s	87	71 pc	89	72 p
Sydney		49 s	60	47 pc	62	49 s	62	47 pc	60	46 p
Tokyo	76	70 r		68 r	78	68 r		72 pc	82	75 p
Toronto		44 pc		48 pc		56 pc		60 pc	82	59 p
Winnipeg		47 s		55 pc		59 s		59 pc		53 p
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#### READER LONGS FOR RENEWAL

your youngster on their bikes with they rode around the streets alone. I also remember when you could go to the stores or church without locking the doors of your home.

Those were the days before terwas a horrifying rarity instead of a political cause.

There was a time when children prayed in school, when the ten com-

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mandments were valued, and our I remember when you could put founding fathers' Christian values were respected, not laughed at, training wheels and not worry when when people looked to God, family and church for help-not to the government.

Today some believe that there is little hope for America's future, but I believe we can renew our nation rorism and AIDS, when abortion once again by turning to God, and reclaiming America for Christ our

> Thelma Murphy Martin

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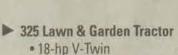
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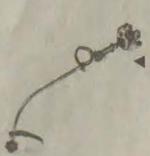




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thick skin because there will be a tremendous amount of cruel, hateful criticism, slung blindly regardless of the facts. He will need to muster every bit of strength he has to fight those who are barnacled to the status quo, and he will need confidence to assert his authority to make sure the system is run in

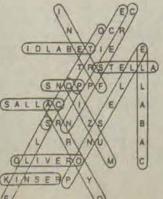
of the region's future.

the best interest of the children and

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That said, Dr. Fanning, we welcome you with open arms. We pledge to help you in any way we can. We will be rooting for you to succeed and nudging you to be strong. Please be the person we need to lead our school system to become what it should and can be. - Pam Shingler

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These students who attended Emma Shepherd's Story Hour at the Floyd County Library chose a suitable place to pose for their "graduation" picture—the steps of the central office of the Floyd County Board of Education. (photo by Willie Elliott)

# Tour leaders here to see local sights

Floyd County next Thursday and Friday to become familiar with locations and activities they might sell to potential tourists.

The Kentucky Department of Travel is hosting a familiarization tour - known as a "fam tour" - to eastern Kentucky June 22-27. Besides the local trip, stops are planned in Ashland, Morehead, Berea, Renfro Valley, Paintsville, Pikeville, Hindman and Louisa.

Group tour operators will visit department said the group is sched- of marketing to the group travel uled to visit the May House in Prestonsburg around 2 p.m. on Thursday, and then attend a performance at Jenny Wiley Theatre in the evening.

> The next evening they will be treated to a performance of the Kentucky Opry at the Mountain Arts Center.

Doris Meador, manager of Kentucky's Group Travel Marketing Office, said, "Fam tours Kathy Yount of the state travel are one of the most effective means

industry. The tour gives operators the chance to do site inspections of properties and attractions that they, in turn, can market to their clients."

Group travel is one of the fastest growing segments of the tourism industry, she said, adding that the state is actively recruiting operators within a day's drive of the state. "These are the most likely clients to utilize Kentucky for group travel," Meador said.

## Committee named to advise on building

Eleven area persons have been appointed to a committee that will advise the Kentucky Community and Technical College System on its new facility in Pikeville.

Prestonsburg Community College will use the facility for its Pike County campus and a number of technical programs will be offered.

Representing PCC on the committee will be Nancy Johnson, the college's academic dean.

Also on the committee are Frank Welch, superintendent of the Pike County School System; Daryl Newsom, owner/operator of NJN Machining; Terry Spears, East Kentucky Economic Development; Danny O'Neal, principal of Belfry Area Technology Center; Jim Brown and John Coffey, Pike County Chamber of Commerce; Glenda Tackett, counselor in the Pike County School System; Jean Clark, Pikeville High School

teacher; Kitty Blackburn, executive director of the Pike 'County Chamber of Commerce; and Bobby McCool, Mayo Technical College

appointments announced by Dr. Keith W. Bird Jr., chancellor of the state's technical colleges. Among the issues the committee will consider is a name for the facility, purchase of equipment and appointment of a director.

# Home-

with the patient ... The family said he had seemed optimistic that her the quality of care we provide," she the patient was okay now and the plan of correction will be approved, said. nurse gave them her number and a second survey completed, and the told them to call her if the patient had the problem again ... They (the surveyors) said our nurse should have gone out there," Holbrook

Holbrook said she checked with the patient's private physician and he agreed with the nurse's opinion and sent the state agency a letter in support of the local health agency. So did the patient's family, Holbrook said.

The physician said we did exactly what we should have done. They said the nurse should have gone there, but that's not the opinion of the family. They said we should have done what we did," she

"The damage this will cause is irreparable. We've done everything we've tried to do. We've jumped through every hoop ... I talked to Tim Vino with the Inspector General's office ... I requested an informal discussion. I was denied that due process ... I'm not going to say we're perfect. We may have failed to dot every "i" or cross every "t". We haven't committed any fraudulent activities. Our patient care is above reproach," the director said.

Holbrook has submitted a plan of correction that includes "implementing all kinds of quality assurance measures." Those measures include keeping logs, daily charts and tracking logs.

"We're making visits whether they're needed or not. We're afraid not to. We don't want to lose our license," Holbrook said.

Holbrook said Barbara Owens, with HCFA, told her a HCFA management team will review the plan when they return from a training session next week.

Owens referred questions to a public relations representative on the HCFA staff, but that person did not return calls Thursday.

Holbrook said she had also talked with Dr. Rice Leech, state Commissioner of Public Health and

termination stopped before the July

"We assume they will accept the

plan," Holbrook said. If they don't, "we have to enter into a legal battle to try to prove our innocence," she said.

"We will make sure our patients are taken care of ... Our patients who have been with us, whether for a few years or a few weeks, know

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If the termination of the provider agreement is not stopped, the health department will "have to shut down the home health agency" and that is "a major" portion of the health department services, the director

Patients seen through the home health agency will be referred "as quickly as possible" to other agencies chosen by the patients, according to Holbrook.

the college and are dedicated to seeing that this institution survives and thrives."

A majority of the responses -72 percent — rated the operation of the president's office as "poor," and 86 percent reportedly said that the work and learning environment had not improved in the three years since another union survey indicated a "growing lack of civility" on the campus.

A question concerning whether PCC is fulfilling its mission to provide quality education and service to its community drew mixed responses. About 51 percent answered "yes" or "somewhat" and 46 percent said "no," with three percent saying they "don't know."

Asked about areas of the college they considered as problems, 92 percent cited management/employee relations, and 89 percent cited both declining enrollment and cam-

Other areas identified as problems were employee turnover, 81 percent; lack of positive direction, 73 percent, and lack of participatory governance, 73 percent.

Questions relating to student satisfaction at the college were also presented. About 70 percent of the respondents identified student retention as a problem. Around two-thirds cited class attendance and rising student fees.

Regarding the college budget,

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92 percent said faculty and staff have little input in setting budget priorities, and 89 percent indicated they thought college funds were not allocated wisely.

More than half of the respondents said the administration's preparation of the college for the upcoming accreditation review by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools was poor. Five percent said the preparation was excellent, 24 percent adequate and 16 percent did not know.

A question on the college's relationships with other regional colleges and universities resulted in 68 percent saying positive ties have not been established.

Ties with the local community were also perceived to be poor. Eighty-six percent of respondents said the administration has not established positive community

"The results are not surprising," said Dr. Thomas Orf, who teaches geography. "We've been saying this for many years now. It validates our concerns."

In light of the announced retirement of PCC President, Dr. Deborah Floyd, the union groups say they recommend that administrators locally and with the Kentucky Community and Technical College System review the survey findings and take steps to address concerns.

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New courthouse may be in the future for Magoffin Co.

A new courthouse for Magoffin County is at the top of the wish list for Judge-Executive Paul Salver.

new facility is being addressed and recognized in Frankfort, but he also believes that funding will eventually be approved for a structure to replace the current courthouse.

Judge Salyer's office recently submitted a ) Magoffin proposal to the Kentucky Administrative County Office of the Courts requesting \$10 mil'ion for the design and construction of a Hall of Justice that primarily would provide facilities for the different levels of Magoffin County's judicial system, including circuit and district courts.

The county judge said he was told that Magoffin County's need for a new courthouse has been given a number two priority, meaning only one other similar project in the state ranks higher. — The Salyersville Independent

> Dials is new director of economic development

Carolea Kirk Dials knows Martin County and says she can sell it. The energetic 26-year-old resident of Lovely will have an opportunity to do just that, also creating opportunity for others, as Martin County's new director of Economic Development.

Dials was chosen Monday for the position by Judge-Executive Lon E. Lafferty. - The Mountain Citizen

> Infant needs kidney transplant

A Martin County infant is in dire need of a kidney transplant.

Two-month-old Dakota Ray Parsley, the son of Floyd and Lisa Parsley of Pigeon Roost, has spent nearly six weeks in the hospital after experiencing problems digesting his formula.

The infant's condition is not caused by a birth defect, according to his doctors, but is the result of dehydration, which damaged the baby's kidneys.

Dakota Ray is in the Women and Children's

Mapping for E-911 system to start in July

Representatives from a Georgia mapping company explained their plan to prepare Lawrence County for an enhanced 911 system to postal officials on Thursday, but their plan wasn't popular with everyone involved.

Mike Simmers, a representative of LAS Systems, said they plan to begin mapping the county on July 5, and under the new system there will be a number for every 5.28 feet. This works out to 100 numbers for every one-tenth of a

Simmers said change of address forms will be handed out to residents, telling them what their new address will be once the system goes into place. This, however, didn't set well with some members of the postal service.

An address management specialist with the US Postal Service in Louisville said people will begin using the address before they have recorded it, which will cause problems. — The Big Sandy News

> Reports list chemicals emitted from power plant

In 1998, American Electric Power's Big Sandy Plant burned over six billion pounds of coal to produce nearly 7.9 million

An advisory was issued recently in Magoffin Not only is he optimistic that the county's need for a County requesting that water be conserved until the dry spell ended.

Dry weather causes water

advisory issue

Gary Rowe, superintendent of the Salyersville Water Works, sought water conservation efforts from customers of the Salyersville Water Works and the Magoffin County Water District.

"The current demand is so high, that people are using it faster than we're capable of processing it," Rowe said before recent heavy rainfalls helped ease the situation.

'We're not a critical stage at this moment. but by conserving, we can possibly prevent a more serious problem just in case that we don't get any rain within the next few days," he said.

Rowe said the current demand is the largest that he's faced at the local water plant since it opened in 1985.

He said the Licking River's flow was at the lowest he's ever seen it. - The Salyersville Independent

Hospital in Charleston, West Virginia and is on dialysis. — The Mountain Citizen

Inez faces financial problems

Without a new budget in place for the fiscal year 2000, the Inez City Council faces financial problems that could affect both the wastewater system and the police department.

During Thursday's rather short regular meeting at city hall, all four commissioners voiced their disapproval of a proposed wastewater rate increase by the Kentucky Division of Water.

Martin

County

Mayor Rick Penix received a letter from the Division of Water saying that the current sewer rates are inadequate to support the expenditures of the wastewater board. Currently, the wastewater customers pay \$4.34 per 1,000 gallons of water per occupant of each house. Of this amount, \$1.85 is allotted for the system's debt service.

According to the letter, the board is not collecting adequate revenue to deposit the required money in the Equipment Replacement Fund. - The Mountain

megawatt hours of electricity. In this coal-burning process, thousands — and in some cases, millions — of pounds of chemicals are released into the air, land and water.

Earlier this month, AEP released the estimated amounts of these chemicals in a Toxics Release Inventory (TRI) report.

Company officials said that although the numbers appear high in the report, they are a result of the large quantity of coal being burned and pose little risk to human health.

The largest amount of any chemical released is sydrochloric acid aerosol. The TRI for the Big Sandy Plant shows that in 1998, 5.4 million pounds of hydrochloric acid aerosol was released into the air. - The Big Sandy Lawrence News

> North Carolina man faces more sex abuse charges

A North Carolina man who was indicted last month on sodomy and sexual abuse charges now faces six more counts of sexual abuse after being charged by a grand jury again on Friday.

Harold Justice, 59, of High Point, North Carolina was indicted on the charges, claiming he subjected a girl under the age of 12 to sexual contact over 30 years ago.

Friday's indictment came after another complaining witness testified before a Lawrence County Grand Jury. - The Big

of a gunshot wound and her husband has been charged with

second-degree manslaughter in connection with the incident.

band, Anthony Campbell, 35, was being held without bond

ment over a gun at about 11:30 p.m. the previous day. She

was an employee of the Lion Apparel plant at West Liberty.

at the Montgomery County Regional Jail.

- The Licking Valley-Courier

afternoon, July 3. Events begin at 3:30 p.m.

Dead is Sherri B. Campbell, 31, of Wellington. Her hus-

State Police said Mrs. Campbell was shot during an argu-

July 4 event moved

to Old Mill Park

The West Liberty Kiwanis Club will break with tra-

dition this year and move its annual Fourth of July,

Celebration from Main Street to Old Mill Park on Riverside

Held on Main Street since the Kiwanians began sponsor-

ing it during World War II, the annual celebration began as a

day-long extravaganza of games, racing, contests, ball

games, music an street dancing that in its heyday drew thou-

sands to West Liberty each year. - The Licking Valley-

Drive. This year's event will be held at the park on Saturday

Paintsville eyes lake as alternate water source

Paintsville Utility officials have begun discussions with the US Army Corps of Engineers about the possibility of using Paintsville Lake as an alternative source for drinking water. The utility, which recently agreed to provide the Morgan County Water District with 1,700,000 gallons of water a month for a new line to serve Morgan residents along KY 172, is "really getting maxed out" on it's water supply, according to Utilities Morgan Superintendent Larry Herald.

Herald said it was virtually impossible for the company to take on any more major projects in

Johnson County until an alternative water source is found. "There's no need putting lines in the ground if we can't put water in them," Herald said. - The Licking Valley-Courier

> Menifee woman is fatally shot; husband charged

A Menifee County woman was pronounced dead at Morgan County Appalachian Regional Hospital last Friday

Adjustments made

in school budget

to put in place a package of financial reductions to bal-

ance their budget, but in this month's meeting,

that plan would be necessary.

The Knott County Board of Education voted in April

walls and ceilings cracked and water wells damaged or

board members realized some adjustments to The board voted 4-1 to re-establish an Knott assessment specialist position after a tense

debate in their regular monthly meeting last Thursday night. — Troublesome Creek Times Perry residents say mine

blasts damaged homes Lawsuits filed by eight residents allege blasting

from area mines damaged homes in a Perry County In addition, one of the homeowners claimed one of the companies took coal from her property without per-

The suits were filed last Tuesday in Perry Circuit

The plaintiffs said they have had their homes shak-

en, items knocked off shelves, foundations damaged,

destroyed as a result of the blasting operation.

The companies named in the suit — the Mountain Coals Corp., Star Fire Mining Company and Lost Mountain Mining Company - are now wholly-owned subsidiaries of Addington Enterprises Inc., Troublesome Creek Times

> Perry County man charged with shooting three men

Kelly Miller, 55, of Hazard was charged with three counts of first-degree assault in a shooting in Hazard. Perry County Sheriff's Detective Tony Eversole said Miller had been escorted out of the Daniel Boone Lounge in Hazard on Saturday night after allegedly making advances to a married woman. Darryl Bowling, a security guard for the bar, was shot in the lower back, Eversole said. Then Tommy Napier, another guard, and Ben Gunsauley, a bar patron, also were shot, according to the detective. Bowling was reportedly in serious condition Sunday at University of Kentucky hospital. Napier was in stable condition at a Hazard hospital; Gunsauley was treated and released. Troublesome Creek Times.

Homicide case ends with plea of guilty

A Pikeville man pleaded guilty to reckless homicide last week in the New Year's Eve 1998 beating death of his 51-year-old neighbor.

Jason Hartsock of Saad Avenue, 19, faces up to five years in prison for the death of Carl "Bub" Blackburn.

Witnesses told the police the two men had been drinking when they started arguing. Blackburn "reared up like he was going to hit" Hartsock, then Hartsock struck him "three or four times," witnesses said. - Appalachian News-

> Bid awarded for new US 119 phase

The completion of US 119 from Williamson, West Virginia, to Pikeville took one more step towards becoming a reality last week when two construction firms were awarded a joint contract for another section of the highway project.

A Transportation Cabinet spokeswoman confirmed Tuesday that the Lexington-based construction contractor Bizzack Inc. and a London-based

contractor, Bush & Burchett, have been awarded the contract to complete an additional one-mile section of highway at Sidney that, once completed, will stretch from the ending point of the Bent Mountain Cut-Thru to approximately one-half mile north of Bevins Grade School. - Appalachian News-Express

Alternative school plan not funded

The Pike County Board of Education's plans to build a new alternative school next year with school safety grant funds got a shot in the foot last night, but board members vowed to

District Communications Director Bruce Hopkins told board members at their regular session last night that the Center for School Safety has denied the school system's application for \$250,000 to establish the alternative school.

"There was \$75,000 available," Hopkins told board members. "We applied for \$250,000 but the money - as we may have expected - all went to Jefferson and Fayette counties. Five hundred thousand dollars went to Jefferson County, and Favette received \$202,000, leaving \$48,000 for the rest of Kentucky." — Appalachian News-Express

Ratliff, the convicted marijuana trafficker earned himself

ed himself back in the county jail on additional drug-related

charges. And, assistant county attorney Lance Daniels says

the defendant will be given no plea bargains and that he will

Just 36 days after being granted work release, Ratliff land-

another spot on the court's docket.

Jury says Holbrook guilty of homicide

A Floyd County Circuit Court jury ruled Friday that a 1997 pedestrian death was not an accident and convicted a Van Lear man of second-degree manslaughter in the case.

The eight-man, four-woman jury also recommended that Shawn Holbrook, 20, serve a 10year prison sentence for the December 1997 death of Mark Allen Justice, 21, of Grayson.

Special prosecutor Luke Morgan, an assistant County attorney general, argued during the trial that Holbrook was on drugs when his red S-10 pickup truck hit Justice as he walked along US 321 on Starfire Hill in Paintsville on the night of December 3, 1997. He also claimed that Holbrook and two passengers in his vehicle tampered with evidence by attempting to wash away evidence at a local car wash after the incident.

Defense attorney Leo Marcum said the fatality was "an unfortunate accident" and suggested that Justice was responsible for his own death, claiming he was drunk and walking in the road when he was hit. - The Paintsville Herald.

No deals this time around

In a system notorious for plea bargaining, a Paintsville man will be given no deals this time around.

Less than six weeks after the Johnson County District Court probated the remaining jail sentence of Scottie J.

Johnson

be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

Ratliff, 26, of Ponderosa Drive was arrested on May 28 and charged with operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of drugs, and possession of marijuana and drug paraphernalia. The Paintsville Herald

Church is not to blame

The Oil Springs Methodist Church minister, Joe Sublett, said Monday that the Johnson County Board of Education, not his church, was responsible for any added costs that may arise from the sale of a portion of Oil Springs School property to the church.

Sublett contends that the church made an offer to buy a portion of the school property previously agreed upon by the two parties and that it was the system's superintendent, Orville Hamilton, and not the church, who delayed the

The board opted to have the property reappraised after Hamilton advised the panel to not sell the particular track of land because it would limit the only access road to the remaining property. — The Paintsville Herald

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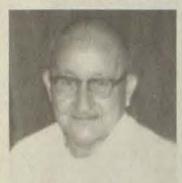
Perry County

Verdie Banks, 90, of Walker's Branch, died Thursday, June 10. Funeral services were conducted June 13, under direction of Engle's Perry County Chapel.

Nina Couch, 87, of Busy, died Thursday, June 10. Funeral services were conducted June 14, under the direction of the Engle Funeral

Harlen Farler, 81, of West Alexandria Road, died Thursday, June 3. He is survived by his wife, Cynthia (Caudill) Farler. Funeral services were conducted June 7, under the direction of Breitenbach-McCoy-Leffler Funeral Home.

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I love you, Daddy,

6 p.m. Std. Time

7 p.m. D.L.S. Time

Dishman Feltner, 41, of Hazard, died Friday, June 11. He is survived by his wife, Donna Campbell Feltner. Funeral services were conducted June 14, under the direction of the Maggard Brothers Funeral

Wilton Herald, 58, of Hazard, died Tuesday, June 8. Funeral services were conducted June 11. under the direction of the Maggard Brothers Funeral Home.

Bill G. Ivey, 61, of Madisonville, died Tuesday, June 8. He is survived by his wife, Barbara Ivey, Funeral services were conducted June 10, under the direction of the Barnett-Strother Funeral Home.

Bernice Joseph, 78, of Viper, died Thursday, June 10. Funeral services were conducted June 14, under the direction of the Engle Funeral Home.

Hazard, died Monday, June 7. Funeral services were conducted June 10, under the direction of Engle Funeral Home.

Willie Stacy, 69, of Hazard, died Wednesday, June 9. Funeral services were conducted June 12, under the direction of the Engle Funeral Home.

James B. Watts, 54, of Dice, died Tuesday, June 8. He is survived by his wife, Iolet Watts. Funeral services were conducted June 11, under the direction of the Engle's Perry County Chapel.

Lawrence County

Arlie Jordan Jr., 77, of Blaine, died Wednesday, June 9. He was a retired state highway employee. He is survived by his wife, Beulah Hay Jordan. Funeral services were conducted Friday, June 11, under the

Willard Bruce Morris, 56, of direction of the Wilson Funeral Home.

> Lewis M. Roberts, 97, died Thursday, June 10. He was a selfemployed carpenter. He is survived by his wife, Garnet E. Roberts. Graveside services were conducted Tuesday, June 15, at Greenlawn Cemetery, Louisa, under the direction of the Jerry Spears Funeral

Wilma Hammond, 85, of Louisa, died Saturday, June 12. She was a former restaurant owner. Funeral services were conducted June 14, under the direction of the Wilson Funeral Home.

Martin County

Elba Mills Jr., 55, of Beauty, died Sunday, June 13. Funeral services were conducted June 16, under the direction of the Richmond-Callaham Funeral

Zephinar Fannin Sr., 87, of Milo, died Friday, June 11. He was a retired coal miner. Funeral services were conducted Monday, June 14, under the direction of the Richmond-Callaham Funeral Home.

Wallace Williamson Jr., 56, of Warfield, died Thursday, June 10. Graveside services were conducted Sunday, June 13, at the Williamson Cemetery, under the direction of the Richmond-Callaham Funeral

Magoffin County

Byrce "Bud" Minix, 81, of Salyersville, died Sunday, June 6. He is survived by his wife, Mae Minix. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, June 9, under the direction of the Salyersville Funeral Home.

Hargis Puckett, 60, of Salyersville, died Friday, June 4. died Friday, June 11. Funeral ser-

Funeral services were conducted Monday, June 7, under the direction of the Salyersville Funeral Home.

Helen Prater, 77, of Knoxville. Tennessee, formerly of Salversville, died May 23. Graveside services were conducted Tuesday, May 25, at the Gullett Cemetery on Middle

Walter Helton, Magoffin County native, 89, of Ezel, died Friday, June 4. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, June 6, under the direction of the Harold and Stewart and Halsey Chapel. Burial was in the Helton Cemetery on Coon

#### Johnson County

Hershel Daniels, 78, of Paintsville, died Wednesday, June 9. He is survived by his wife, Clara Southers Daniels. Funeral services were conducted Friday, June 11.

Martha A. Long, 74, of Johnson County, died Wednedsday, June 9. Funeral services were conducted, under the direction of Preston Funeral Home.

Sherman Jones, 51, of Warsaw, Indiana, died Monday, June 7. He is survived by his wife, Linda Musgrave Jones. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, June 10, under the direction of Grandstaff-Hentgen Manchester Avenue Chapel.

Pike County

Ernest James Gilliam, 89, of Pikeville, died Friday, June 11. He was a retired electrician, formerly employed by Scott Builders. He is survived by his wife, Faye Minnie Ratliff Gilliam. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, June 13, under the direction of J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

Chloe Hudson, 96, of Virgie,

vices were conducted Monday, June 14, under the direction of the R.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home.

Edward "Chick" Spradlin, 72, of Millard Highway, died Friday, June 11. He was a retired assistant train master, formerly employed by CSX. He is survived by his wife, Eloise Little Spradlin. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, June 13, under the direction of the J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

James Herbert Cool, 92, of Sidney, died Tuesday, June 8. He was a former assistant superintendent of the Pike County Board of Education. He is survived by his wife, Myra Cool. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, June 10, under the direction of the Justice Funeral Services-Pike County Chapel of Zebulon.

Ola Hylton, 84, of Rockhouse, A died Wednesday, June 9. She was a retired restaurant cook. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, June 12, under the direction of the Justice Funeral Services-Morris Chapel of Justiceville.

Knott County

Avery Bowling, 57, of Sassafras, died June 10. He is survived by his wife, Evalee Halcomb Bowling. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, June 13, under the direction of the Hindman Funeral Services.

Lucy Fields, 87, of Red Fox, died June 7. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, June 10, under the direction of the Hindman Funeral Services.

Edward (Kojak) Williams, 77, of Bulan, died June 11. He is survived by his wife, Shena Smith Williams. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, June 15, under the direction of the Hindman Funeral Services.

# BITTUARTES

Lenore Crisp Welch

Lenore "Norie" Crisp Welch. 58, of Johnson City, Illinois, formerly of Floyd County, died May 31, 1999, at her home after an extended illness.

She was born on November 1, 1940, in Martin, the daughter of the late Virgil Crisp and Myrtle Crisp

She is survived by her husband, Lyle Welch; two daughters, Susan Sexton Moore, and Tabatha Colson of Johnson City, Illinois; and two sons, Thomas Martinez, of Vienna, Illinois, and Steven Martinez of Johnston City, Illinois; six grandchildren and one great-grandson.

She is also survived by her sisters and brothers. Wanda Clay of Gallipolis, Ohio, Rhea Jennings of Morehead, Fred Douglas "Bud" Crisp of Honolulu, Hawaii, Vernon Crisp of Martin, and Patty Seddon of Johnston City, Illinois. Also surviving are her stepson, Brian Welch of Elgin and her stepdaughter, Cindy Welch of Johnston City.

She was a member of the Community of Faith Church and had worked for the Williamson County Program on Aging as a Health Care Provider.

l-uneral services were conducted at the Meredith-Blue Funeral Home in Marion, Illinois, on Thursday, June 3, at 11 a.m., with Rev. Todd Greiner officiating.

Burial was in the Rose Hall Cemetery in Marion, Illinois.

RADIO

WMDJ-Sun. 9 a.m.

#### Lois Hughes Turner

Lois Hughes Turner, 78, of Spring City, Tennessee, formerly of Wayland, died Tuesday, June 15, 1999, at the Parkwest Hospital, Knoxville, Tennessee. She was born June 10, 1921, in

Floyd County, the daughter of the late Ballard Hughes and Lula Triplett Hughes. She was a retired school teacher; formerly employed by the Floyd County Schools System. She was a member of the Methodist Church, VFW Auxiliary No. 6590, FOE Auxillary Aerie No. 2514, Lady Ellis Lodge No. 2024, a Kentucky Colonel and a member of the Oak Ridge Boat Club.

She was precedeed in death by her husband, Hatler M. Turner.

Survivors include three sisters, Delores Johnson of Pikeville, Mrs. Curtis Moore of Ft. Pierce, Florida. and Helen Saunders of Spring City.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, June 19, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, Martin, with the clergyman Brad Tackett officiating. Burial will be in the Davidson Memorial Gardens, Ivel, under the professional care of Hall Funeral Home.

#### Charles T. Turner

Charles T. Turner, 82, of Wayland, died Wednesday, June 16, 1999, at the ARH Regional Medical Center at Hazard, following a short

He was born March 2, 1917, in Langley, the son of the late Tom Turner and Judy Salisbury Turner. He was a retired coal miner and former tiple operator for the National Mines; a mechanic for the Floyd County School System for 16 years; a member of the UMWA, Local No. 1741, of Wayland, a member of James W. Alley Masonic Lodge No. 869, Wayland; and attended Steel's Creek Regular Baptist Church in Wayland.

He is survived by his wife, Lottie Bartley Turner,

Other survivors include two sisters, Maudie Moore of Wayland, and Milgia Bradley of Zenia, Ohio.

Funeral services will be conducted Sunday, June 20, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, Martin, with Clergymen Jimmy Hall and Ralph Howard officiating.

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

#### Pallbearers listed for Sarah Jones Cooley

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Sarah Jones Cooley were Chris Patton, Michael Cooley, Stewart Cooley, Mitchell Cooley, Linville Martin, Derrick Martin and Mathew Martin.

#### Pallbearers listed for Albert Conn

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Albert Conn were: Ray Conn, Harry Lee Conn, Keith Pitts, Matthew Pitts, Calvin Crum, Greg Conn, Randy Crum and Ervin

#### Pallbearerers listed for Alta Haves

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Alta Hayes were Don Hicks, Don Osborne, Dennis Osborne, Ryan Osborne, Phillip Osborne, Shawn Hicks, Joshua Osborne and Petey Hicks.



Program, Pikeville extension, recently elected their HOSA officers for the 1999-2000 school term. In front row from left are: Misty Akers, president; Rhonda Boyd, parliamentarian; Samantha Trammell, historian; and Karla Harmon, secretary. In back row are Gina Roberts, vice president and Edith Stump, treasurer. The goal for this **HOSA** committee will be to improve public awareness about HOSA and getting involved in the surrounding communities.

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#### Calendar items will be printed as space permits

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

#### Fire works display

The City of Prestonsburg will present the Fourth of July Fire Works Display on Saturday, July 3rd at about 10 p.m. The Kentucky Opry will be performing at the Mountain Arts Center on Saturday, July 3, prior to the display.

#### 4-H camp is July 19-23

Floyd County 4-H'ers will be camping this year, July 19-23, at the Diederich 4-H Camp in Rush. For more information, contact the Floyd County Extension Office at 886-2668.

#### Reunion

Family and friends are invited to the Carmia Wireman Stanley and the late Roosevelt Stanley reunion

to be held June 20, at Dewey Lake Shelter No. 2, beginning at noon. Call 874-2473 for more informa-

#### Lineberger to address Jenny Wiley AARP

Dr. Mable Lineberger will be the guest speaker at the meeting of Jenny Wiley Chapter No. 3528, American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) to be held Friday, June 18, in the medical office building at Highlands Regional Medical Center. The business meeting will began at 6 p.m.

#### Lewis family reunion

Relatives and friends of Jack Lewis are encouraged to a reunion. July 3, at the Stumbo Park in Allen. It will be held at the picnic shelter at the walking track, starting at 10 a.m. For more information, call

#### McDowell SBDM to meet, June 23

The regular monthly Site-Based Decision Making Council meeting for June at McDowell Elementary, will be held on June 23, 5:30 p.m., in the administration building.

#### Allen Central High School SBDM meeting

Allen Central High School regular scheduled SBDM meeting will be held July 6, at 6 p.m. in the school library. It's open to the pub-

#### Mud Creek advisory

council to meet The regular meeting of the Mud Community Family Resource Center Advisory Council will be held at noon on Thursday, June 24, in the center.

All interested members of the public are encouraged to attend.

#### MultiSports 1999-2000 Schedule of Events

June 19 (Saturday, 1 p.m.)-Pro Fitness Deadlift Championships

(Open, Age and Wt. Classes). July 31 (Saturday, 1 p.m.)-Pro Fitness Squat Championships (Open, Age and Wt. Classes)

#### PHS Class of 1989 to hold reunion

The Prestonsburg High School Class of 1989 will be holding a 10year reunion on July 24, at the Holiday Inn in Prestonsburg.

Anyone wishing to attend must contact Michael Adkins at 886-1239 or Stephania Blair at 889-9579 by July 1.

It is very important that anyone planning to attend register in advance.

#### Historical society to meet

The Floyd County Historical and Genealogical Society will meet June 21, at 7 p.m., in the conference room at the Floyd County Library.

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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

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.

New Covenant Pentecostal Church, Rt. 1428 Old Rt. 23 between Prestonsburg and Allen. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Bible Study, Tuesday 7:00 p.m.; Pastor; Don Ash and Danny Clay.

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 Fundamentalist Baptist Church; Pastor,

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

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.

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

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

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

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.

BEVINSVILLE

Creek Baptist Church, Jacks 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 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

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Youth, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Roger

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

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

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

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

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

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.; Parttime 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

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

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

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

GARRETT Rock Fork Regular Baptist Church,

Garrett; 4th Sunday of each month at 9:30 a.m.; Moderator, Elder Earl Slone; Assistant Moderator, Elder Jerry Manns. Rock Fork Freewill Baptist Church, Garrett, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Elder Brodey

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.

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

GRETHEL

Grethel Baptist Church, State Route 3379, (Branham's Creek Road), telephone 587-2043; Junior Church and Morning

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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

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

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

Upper Toler Church of Christ 3.5 miles up Toler Creek on right. Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Nightly Service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.; Minister, Tommy Dale Bush.

HI HAT

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

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

HUEYSVILLE School, 10 a.m., Worship services 11 a.m., Sunday evening, 7 p.m., Wednesday service, 7 p.m., Minister, Chester Varney,

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

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

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

LACKEY

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

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

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

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

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Saints, Sunday; Relief Society/Priesthood/Primary 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School 10:30 a.m.; Sacrament Meeting 11:40 a.m.: Wednesday: 6:00 p.m.; Seminary Young Women/Young Men/Scouting 7:00 p.m.: Family History, Tuesday 12-8:00 p.m. and Thursday, 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

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

Trinity Chapel, Pentecostal Holiness Church, North Main Street, Martin; services: Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday evening worship, 7:00 p.m.; Thursday worship, 7:00 p.m.; Second Saturday

Worship, 7:00 p.m.: Youth Activity nights, 1st and 3rd Saturday, 6:00 p.m.; Womens Ministries, 2nd Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Men's Ministries, 2nd Friday, 7:00 p.m.; Men's Bible study Monday evenings, 6:00 p.m.; Ellis J. Stevens, Pastor.

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

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, 6:00; Wednesday service, 6:00; Pastor: George Greydon Howard.

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

MAYTOWN

Maytown First Baptist Church, Main Street; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study at 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Bob Varney.

McDOWELL

McDowell First Baptist Church, McDowell; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p.m.; individual counseling and family counseling by appointment. Pastor, Harry Hargis.

MIDDLE CREEK Fitzpatrick First Baptist Church, 2656 West Mt. Parkway Prestonsburg, (across

from Clark Elem. School); Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Jennings

Parkway First Calvary Pentecostal Church, Located at the Floyd and Magoffin County line. Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Sunday night, 6:30; Wednesday night, 7:00. A worship Center for everyone. Pastor, Mike D. Caldwell welcomes all. 297-6262

Spurlock Bible Church, Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Dan

MOUNTAIN PARKWAY

Free Pentecostal Deliverance Church, Ext. 46 off Mt. Parkway at Campton, Saturday and Sunday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Patricia Crider.

PRESTONSBURG Community United Methodist Church,

141 Burke Ave. - (off University Drive and Neeley Street), Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday evening Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.. Classes for adults, youth and children. Wednesday choir practice 8:00 p.m. Pastor, Rev. Ernie Carmicle.

Faith Revelation Ministry, 1/4 mile above WorldWide Equipment, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00; Midweek, Thursday, 7 p.m.; Pastor Randy Hagans.

Grace Fellowship, Meeting at the Mountain Arts Center, Sunday morning worship, 10:00 a.m.; Children's Church, nursey provided. Pastor, Bill Stukenberg 285-0761

Seventh-Day Adventist, 5 miles West on Mountain Parkway: Sabbath School, 9:15; Church Service, 10:30; Pastor, Gary Shepherd, 886-0732.

St. Martha Church, Water Gap; Saturday evening mass, 5 p.m.; Sunday, 11:15 a.m.; Religious Education Classes, Sunday, 9:45-10:45 a.m.; Adult Class, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; Pastor; Father John Moriarty. The Third Avenue Freewill Baptist Church, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11:00; Evening Worship, 6:00; Wednesday Prayer

First Christian Church, 560 North Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg, No.

Meeting, 7:00; Pastor, Manford Fannin.

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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.

Wednesday evening or Sunday evening

services at present. Bible study, 10:00

a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.;

First Baptist Church, (Irene Cole Memorial), 54 S. Front St., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; S.M.A.S.H. 6:45 (on Wednesday); Wednesday night, 7 pm.: Bible Study & Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Dr. S. Thomas Valentine, Pastor.

Praise Assembly, 1 mile South of Prestonsburg, intersection of route 80 and U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Praise & Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday evening services, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study, 6:30 p.m.; nursery provided. Pastor, J.M. Sloce.

Katy Friend Freewill Baptist Church, located two miles up Abbott; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wed. Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Jim Price.

First Presbyterian, North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Pastor, Rev. George C. Love. First United Methodist Church, 256 S.

Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:45; Morning Worship, 10:55; Evening Worship, 7:00; Wed. Prayer Meeting, 7:00. Pastor, Wayne Sayre. Victory Christian Ministries Church,

1428 E., Prestonsburg; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 11:30 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Sherm Williams. Parkway Baptist, Rt. 1428, Sugar Loaf,

Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor Ed Taylor. Church of Christ, South Lake Drive; Sunday, 10 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 5:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 7:00 p.m.;

Prestonsburg; Sun. School, 10 a.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

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-

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 Baptist, Prestonsburg;

Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 6 p.m. Pastor: Tom Nelson. Tom Moore Memorial Freewill Baptist Church, Prestonsburg: Sunday School, 10; Morning Worship, 11; Wednesday

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.

Night Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor Clifford

PAINTSVILLE

Our Savior Lutheran Church, Sipp Bayes Room Carriage House Motel. Paintsville; Sunday School, 11:00 a.m.; WKLW (600 a.m.) "Chapel Window", 12:05 p.m. every Sunday; Pastor Rev. Rolland Bentrup.

Faith Worship Center, US 460. Paintsville; Sunday morning service 11:00 a.m.; Thursday service 6:00 p.m. Pastor, Buddy and Maude Frye.

PRINTER

Old Time Baptist Church, Printer; Sunday morning Sunday School, adults 9:30 a.m.; Sunday Morning Church service at 11:00 a.m.; Children's Church also

at 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Night Church Service at 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night Youth Meeting at 7:00 p.m.; Church services 2nd and 4th Saturday night at 7:00 p.m. Every 5th Saturday, special singing at :00 p.m. Pastor, Denver Meade.

Everyone Welcome. Salisbury United Methodist Church, Printer; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00; Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.: Wednesday Services, 7:00 p.m.;

SALYERSVILLE New Bethel Assembly of God, Located

Pastor, Bobby G. Lawson.

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The Kentucky Long-Term central goal of the 1990 Kentucky Education Reform Act-teacher quality in the Commonwealth.

While Kentucky teachers meet or exceed many national performance measures, the report concludes that the state does not collect sufficient data to evaluate teacher quality and track the critical relationship between teacher performance and student out-

The report also finds that teaching at the middle- or high-school level in subject areas for which teachers are inadequately prepared may be widespread in Kentucky.

"Kentucky's Teachers: Charting Policy Research Center released a a Course for KERA's Second report recently on the status of a Decade", which was prepared by Stephen Clements, an assistant professor in the Department of Educational Policy Studies and Evaluation at the University of Kentucky, outlines mounting national evidence of the importance of teacher quality to student performance.

> 'As social research has repeatedly demonstrated, the socioeconomic status of children's parents has the greatest impact on their achievement levels," Dr. Clements reports. "This study reaffirms that perennial conclusion but finds teacher quality is only slightly less influential in its impact on

For example, the report cites a National Commission for Teaching and America's Future (NCTAF) study which found that home and family factors explained 49 percent of the variance in student achievement on grade 3 to 5 math test scores while teacher qualifications explained 43 percent of the variance.

Kentucky teachers, according to the report, have significantly higher levels of graduate education than the national average, score above state and national averages on the ACT college admissions test, and, on average, have higher grade point averages than required by the colleges of education they

Graduates of Kentucky teacher training programs also score at the national average on "core" knowledge and skills and in a number of disciplines, but they lag behind the national average in as many as a dozen disciplines.

Many teachers also may be teaching in subject areas for which they are inadequately prepared. In a study of the college transcripts of Kentucky middle school math teachers, the Center and the Kentucky Department Education (KDE) found that 61 percent were teaching out of field, which the National Commission for Teaching and America defines as having neither a major nor a minor in mathematics or math edu-

Moreover, the report finds that Kentucky presently has no way of assessing the extent of out-of-field teaching in other subject areas or at other levels, as data on the disciplines in which teachers major or minor are not routinely collected. Instead, the state relies on its teacher certification system for indicators of teacher preparedness. That system shows an almost fully certified teaching force.

The report cites a number of trends that will influence the quality of Kentucky's teaching force in the years to come, including the anticipated retirement of as many as a quarter of those currently teaching within the next three years and predicted shortages of teachers in some subject areas.

Additionally, the report examines the roles that teacher training,

alternative certification, professional development, and teacher salaries play in teacher quality.

Many believe it will be necessary to raise teacher salaries in order to elevate the quality of the teaching force, but to do so will present an enormous fiscal challenge, the study finds.

At present, Kentucky teacher salaries rank 28th in the nation while state per capita income ranks 42nd. Kentucky teacher salaries, however, stand at just 87 percent of the national average.

To increase teacher compensation to the national level over the next decade, a Long-Term Policy Research Center analysis finds that an additional \$1.75 billion in revenue would be needed. A lesser goal of 91 percent of the national average would require \$500 million in additional revenue over the next decade.

To improve teacher quality and fully realize the goals set forth in the Kentucky Education Reform Act of 1990, the report offers a series of recommendations:

· Build a comprehensive education data collection system to ensure proper deployment of teachers, assess professional development needs, gauge supply and demand imbalances, and assess the relationship between teacher skills and student outcomes.

· Dramatically improve the professional development system, grounding it more solidly in academic content.

· Examine and evaluate our teacher training system, particularly in light of subject-area preparation, and make changes according-

\* Institute alternative career paths and salary improvements for

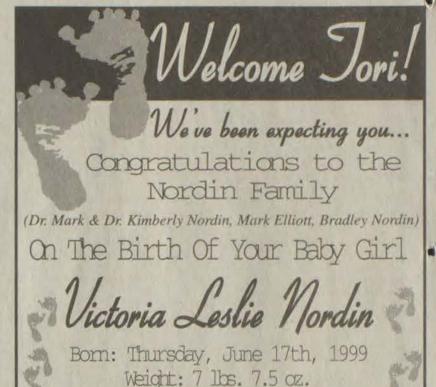
· Expand alternative certification routes and create a new incentive structure.

Copies of the report, "Kentucky's Teachers: Charting a Course for KERA's Second Decade", are available from the Kentucky Long-Term Policy Research Center, 111 St. James Court, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601-8486; Telephone: 502/564-2851 or 800/853-2851; Fax: 502/564-1412 or 800/383-1412; or E-mail at: ltprc@lrc.state.ky.us.

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On June 6, on board the MS Sensation in Tampa, Florida, John F.

Bevins and Jeannie Ann Jacobs were joined in holy matrimony.

Jeannie is the daughter of Ed Wallen and the late Earl and Annie

Hackworth. John is the son of Gertrude Bevins and the late Everett

Bevins. The couple enjoyed a seven-day Caribbean cruise before

returning home to David. Their reception will be held Saturday, June

# FATTHERS





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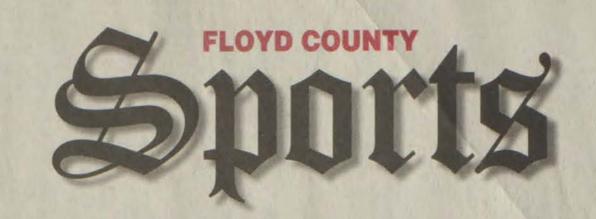
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# Rose takes helm of

# Betsy Layne basketball Bobcats get fifth

by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

There were Junior Newsome, Keith Henry, Junior Newsome, Tim Rice and, now, add Brett Rose to the list of basketball coaches at Betsy Layne High School.

coach in six seasons

Rose was hired last week as the new mentor of the basketball program replacing Tim Rice, who resigned the

Rose becomes the fifth coach in six seasons at Betsy Layne, almost equaling the merry-go-round at South Floyd

in the girls' program. Once a program that most opponents eared. Betsy Layne has found itself at the bottom of the conference standings and has not made a regional tournament appearance in five years under then-coach Keith Henry.

Rose hopes to bring back the school pride and make the game interesting by picking up the tempo more.

"We are going to change their whole tempo," Rose said. "The kids seem to really like it. We are going to get in shape and get on the weights. I want to run the ball up and down the floor. They have been walking the ball up and down the floor.'

Rose started working with the team right after being named the new head coach. He said the team needed work defensively, but the players' attitudes are positive to the changes.

"They seem to like it," he said. "One thing is for sure, we are going to work hard. They told me they played mostly zone defense last year, but I believe you have to play man-to-man so that is the way we are going to go this year."

Betsy Layne has been in camp this week at Pike County Central and Rose likes what he has seen.

"What I am trying to get done this week is get gym time for the kids," he said. "Let

them play against someone besides themselves. I am just trying to watch them and see the little things they are doing here and there and then stop it.'

Rose, when a player leaves the game, would talk and explain things to the player.

> "TI home at night make some notes and

when we start practice in the fall, those are the things we will work on," the new head coach

Rose said the players, as well as parents, have shown a positive response to his philosophy and has vowed their support of the team.

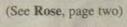
"Everyone seems to be happy with my paching philosophy," he said, "I met with the players and parents last week."

Rose will return a strong crop of sophomores to blend with returning veterans. The Bobcats have leading rebounder Bradley Brooks returning along with inside player Adam Tackett. Add Scott Collins and the Cats will have an strong inside presence. Justin Bartley will return at the point guard slot. But Rose said he has not settled on a starting lineup as of yet.

"I think we have 10 sophomores out, but I didn't bring them to camp this week because I wanted to let the older players show what they can do," said Rose. "We have some good kids. I look for three of our sophomores to get a lot of playing time this year.'

Rose is concerned over the defections the Betsy Layne program has seen and hopes to change that.

"I think we lost a couple of good freshmen to Pike Central." he said. "This is something we have to work on in the future is getting down into the grade school and keeping these kids where they are at.



## A Look at Sports

# Basketball is still king in the mountains



Everywhere you go the talk centers on basketball. Folks want to talk about who will be king in the 15th Region and who will win the district here in Floyd County.

I have been asked how I think Allen Central will do this season after such a heavy loss of players? How will Betsy Layne fare and what about the coaching change at Prestonsburg? Is South Floyd the team to beat this season?

I was at a couple of basketball camps this week. I attended the girls' camp at Sheldon Clark and took in the boys' camp at Pike Central Tuesday. I liked what I saw from both Prestonsburg and

Betsy Layne in the girls' camp. I didn't get to see South Floyd while

Prestonsburg, Allen Central and Betsy Layne took part at Pike Central. The Rebels still have Johnny Martin on the bench and that makes them a contender. Jeremy Hayes, Larry Mullins and Rodney Scott looked impressive. Z.W. Chaffins could give the Rebels some size in the middle. Add Shawn Newsome and Josh Howell and the Rebels could be a surprise team this season.

Betsy Layne will have a new coach (see story in this section) but will return some good players. Bradley Brooks and Adam Tackett did not take part in the camp at Pike Central, but Coach Brent Rose will have some good strong players.

Of course, in camp you can never judge an upcoming season by how you play in the summer camps. From what I have seen, Shelby Valley will be strong with Coach Rodney Rowe back. Feds Creek will be a contender in their district. Pike Central is expected to be strong as will the Pikeville Panthers

#### FOOTBALL NOTES:

. The high school football season is just around the corner and coaches are chomping at the bits to get started. Of course, we will be under a new alignment this season and it should prove interesting.

 No longer are there Districts 1 and 2, but now each semi-state will have four regions which will be broken down into two districts. For instance, last year South Floyd played in Region IV, District 2. This year the Raiders will be in Region IV, District 8.

Looking at that district, eight teams will grace the grid, which will see Paintsville moving in. That means each team in District 8 will have to play each other once and that spells seven district games for each club, leaving only three dates for non-district teams.

But I can see the feasibility of it. Playing teams closer to home cuts down on expenses, plus will get the kids home earlier.

Competing in Region IV,

District 8 will be South Floyd,

Hazard, Jenkins, Paintsville, Phelps, and Pikeville.

Elkhorn City, Fleming-Neon,

· In Class 2A, we will see a lesser number of teams in Region IV. District 8. Belfry, Betsy Layne, Pike County Prestonsburg, Shelby Valley, and Whitesburg comprise this district. That means each team will play only five district games, leaving five dates for non-district teams.

Again, the alignment puts teams closer to home and will create some great rivalries.

We have become so accustomed to seeing Morgan County, Breathitt County and Powell County in this district, but now the district takes on a whole new look.

Pike County Central had a great season last year, but the Hawks lost their coach, Chris McNamey, to the Pikeville Panthers. While there will be a dog fight at the top, the more interesting battle could be for the fourth seed in the state playoffs in November. Four of the six teams will make the playoffs,

(See Sports, page two)



ALLEN CENTRAL'S LESLIE SLONE drove the middle against Feds Creek during basketball camp at Pike Central Tuesday. The Rebels were in their second camp in two weeks (photo by Ed Taylor)

# Sports

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and it will be interesting what four. After all, you have former 3A power, Belfry, dropping in Class. Coach Phillip Haywood is a consistent winner and should have little problem in District 8. Pike Central, in spite of losing McNamey, will be a perennial power. Prestonsburg lost a lot from last season but the Cats will be loaded in the backfield and no doubt be in the hunt for a district championship. Shelby Valley, Betsy Layne and Whitesburg will battle for that fourth seed.

· Lawrence County moves up to Class 3A this season.

 Allen Central will not compete for a district title again this season. The Rebels will not play any eightman football this season but will take part in the eight-man state tournament in November.

The Rebels will have eight home games this season.

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

## Rose

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If we had everybody who was tice. supposed to be at Betsy Layne, we would have a pretty good Rose has no high school

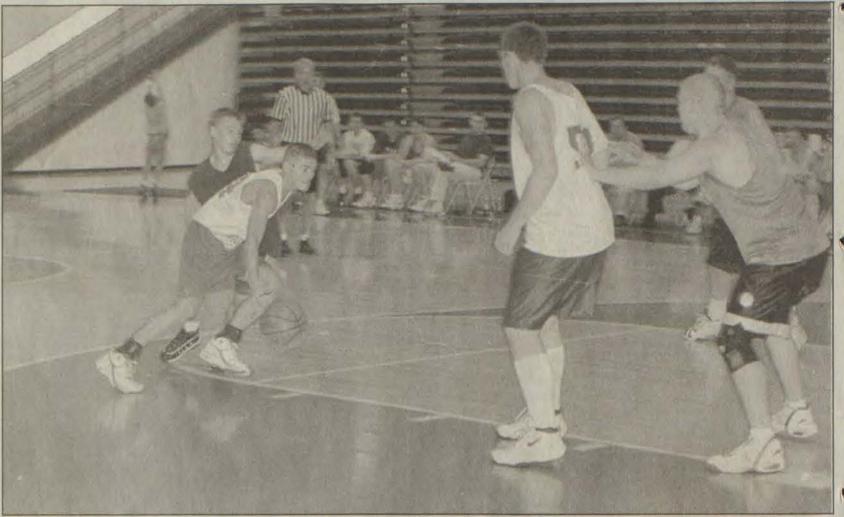
coaching experience, but was successful in the grade school ranks. He coached at McDowell Elementary until South Floyd Middle School came into being. He headed up the Adams Middle School team last season. Rose said it was the same game, but there were some personal adjustments he must make.

"One of the things that helped me in the grade school ranks was I felt I worked harder than the here everyone is working just as hard so I have to make up for that. I will have to do a better job of scouting. I have to be ready in situations. We have to be ready for situations in prac-

"A lot of situations may be new for me that may not be new for a Johnny Martin, who has been around a long time. Nothing is going to bother him. But the game itself doesn't change that much. The players are bigger, faster and quicker. I'll just have to work extra hard and try to keep up with the older coaches.

Brian Johnson who assisted Rose at Adams, will be an assistant at Betsy Layne. Rose said a second assistant will be named

"We are going to hire one other coaches," he said. "Up more assistant," he said. "I am talking to a former grade school coach who is retired. I don't want to say his name because he hasn't made up his mind up yet."



BASKETBALL CAMPS continued this week at Pike Central as part of the 15th Region Officials Association sponsoring the event. (photo by Ed

# Join the summer fun at the Bluegrass State Games

by Ed Taylor Sports Editor

Athletes from across the state of Kentucky are invited to join thousand of others for the opening ceremonies of the 1999 Bluegrass State Games on Friday, July 23.

around the Commonwealth an opportunity to "come and play together" in a way that only the Games provide.

Over 19,000 took part in last year's games. The Games have

larity and allows families from held on two separate weekends in

The official opening ceremonies will be held Friday, July 23, across from Commonwealth Stadium on the campus of the University of Kentucky. This year's ceremonies will

include entertainment for the entire family. On the grounds adjacent to the football stadium, families will find games, clowns, food booths, hot air balloon, give-aways, pony rides, live music and much, much All the fun begins at 4 p.m. on

July 23 and will conclude with the lighting of the Olympic Flame and the administering of the Oath of Athletes by Governor Paul Patton.

Twenty-eight sporting events

The Games have grown in popu- grown to the point they are now the weekend of July 17-18, but the official opening ceremonies will not be held until a week later.

Valvoline, one of the sponsors of the Games, offers an Athlete Assistance Program for any Kentucky athlete 18-years old or younger who may be in need of \* assistance. Athletes may apply for individual sport scholarship from the Valvoline program.

To apply for assistance, a written request must be submitted explaining why the athlete requires a scholarship. Letters of request may be sent with athlete's name, address, phone number and entry form to Valvoline Athlete Assistance Program, PO. Box 1463, Lexington, Kentucky 40588. Request for assistance must be

Booklets with entry forms may be picked up at the Floyd County

#### received no later than June 28. will be offered this year with the addition of a Western Horse Show. The Games actually get under way Times office in Prestonsburg.

area Family YMCA. The camp will be conducted by University of Kentucky and Greg White, head coach of the Marshall Thundering Herd.

The camp is scheduled for June 21-24 for ages 5 and up. The camp Delores at the Pikeville YMCA, will run each day from 9 a.m. until

Openings still are available in 3 p.m. Camp highlights include the High Intensity Basketball Camp camp speakers, free T-shirts, hot that will be held at the Pikeville shot competition, one-on-one, and two-on-two basketball.

Entry fee for the camp is \$90 per Donnie Jones, assistant coach at the camper. Individual instruction, an University of Florida, Shawn additional session, is only \$30. The Finney, assistant coach at the camp even offers a family discount. The first camper pays full price the second camper is \$75 in the same

> For more information, contact (606)433-YMCA.

# Pikeville Lady Bears to host basketball camp

High Intensity basketball

camp still has openings

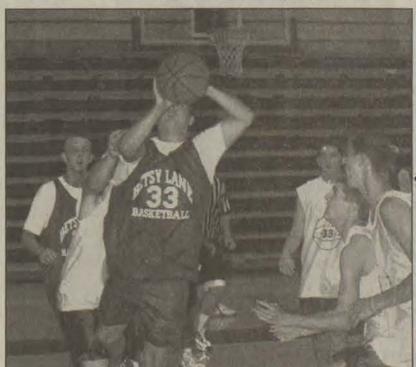
basketball coach Bill Watson will from July 12 through July 14. Each hold the Lady Bears Basketball team is guaranteed eight games. Camp beginning Monday, June 28, Team entry fees are \$300 per team through Thursday, July 1, at the or \$550 for two teams. Three teams Pikeville College gym.

The individual camp is open to all campers. Registration fee for the Coach Bill Watson at (606)789camp is \$80 per camper with family and group discounts available. All campers will receive a camp Tshirt and camp manual.

Also, Coach Watson and his staff

Pikeville College head girls' will conduct a mini team camp may enter for \$750.

> For more information, contact 7830 or (606)432-9235. Those interested may also call assistant coach Robert Staggs at (606)432-1807 or Tammy Tussey (606)432-



LARRY MULLINS OF ALLEN CENTRAL was playing hobbled as the Rebels met Feds Creek in the summer basketball camp at Pike Central. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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#### 1999 POINTS STANDINGS

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	WINSTON CUP	BUSCH	TRUCK			
1.	Dale Jarrett, 2,169	Dale Earnhardt Jr., 2,264	Jack Sprague			
2.	Jeff Burton, 2,103	Matt Kenseth, 2,200	Stacy Compt			
3.	Bobby Labonte, 2,075	Jeff Green, 2,106	Ron Hornada			
4.	Mark Martin, 1,993	Elton Sawyer, 1,960	Andy Housto			
5.	Tony Stewart, 1,838	Todd Bodine, 1,903	Dennis Setze			
6.	Jeff Gordon, 1,820	Jason Keller, 1,850	Greg Biffle,			
7.	Ward Burton, 1,738	Jeff Purvis, 1,845	Jay Sauter, 1			
8.	Dale Earnhardt, 1,723	Mike McLaughlin, 1,676	Mike Wallace			
9.	Rusty Wallace, 1,719	Dave Blaney, 1,640	Kevin Harvic			
	Terry Labonte, 1,643	Casey Atwood, 1,640	Kevin Cywins			

#### TOP TEN

■ Weekly rankings by NASCAR This Week writer Josh Stewart. Last week's ranking is in parentheses.

1.	(3)	Dale Jarrett
2.	(1)	<b>Bobby Labonte</b>
3.	(2)	Jeff Burton
4.	(4)	Mark Martin
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5. (5) Jeff Gordon Tony Stewart (6)

Rusty Wallace 7. (7) Dale Earnhardt (8) Terry Labonte (9)

10. (10) Ward Burton

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#### 1999 WINSTON CUP SCHEDULE

Date	Track	Location
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	Indianapelis Motor Speedway	Speedway, 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.

#### WINSTON CUP SERIES

Dale Jarrett didn't feel like making the Kmart 400 a competitive event, so he and crew chief Todd Parrott came up with a car that nobody could touch.

Helping their domination was the fact that no caution flags flew at a NASCAR Winston Cup event for the first time in more than two years. When Jarrett took the lead after the first round of pit stops on lap 53, the race was literally over.

#### **BUSCH GRAND NATIONAL**

Dale Earnhardt Jr. didn't have time to sulk about finishing second to his father in Friday's first round of the International Race of Champions, Instead, he went to South Boston, Va., and won his second straight Busch Grand National Series event. Earnhardt Jr. passed Jeff Green with 70 laps to go in a race that featured 14 cautions for 59 laps.

#### **CRAFTSMAN TRUCK SERIES**

Dennis Setzer held off Jay Sauter to win Friday's race in Fort Worth, Texas. It was his first win of the season and the second of his career. Setzer was pulling away before two late restarts tested his mettle

#### **FEUD OF THE WEEK**

#### Rusty Wallace vs. NASCAR

FROM THE ARCHIVES

M April 11, 1991,

McDuffie was killed in

was a black day in

NASCAR history.

Veteran driver J.D.

a crash at Watkins

of another Pontiac

in turn five. The so-

the Glen was

called "inner loop" at

constructed to prevent

such a tragedy from

happening again.

Glen, N.Y., when his

Pontiac landed on top

driven by Jimmy Means

When Bill Elliott busted an oil line on lap 168, Wallace felt there should have been a caution. He said that NASCAR didn't throw a yellow flag so they could have a caution-free

NASCAR This Week's Josh Stewart gives his opinion: own interests. Wallace also has been known for his share of sour grapes in the past, and Sunday was probably no NASCAR threw.

# ON THE SCHEDULE

#### THE WINSTON CUP SERIES

Coming up: Pocono 500 Where: Pocono Raceway, Long Pond, Pa. (2.5-mile track), 200 laps/500 miles

When: Sunday, June 20 Defending champion: Jeremy Mayfield

Event qualifying record: Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet,

169.725 mph, June 14, 1996

Race record: Alan Kulwicki, Ford, 144.023 mph, June 14, 1992

Notable: Last year's victory was the first (and only thus far) of Mayfield's career. ... Darrell Waltrip and Bill Elliott have each won four times at Pocono. ... Ken Schrader is a fivetime pole winner.

#### **CRAFTSMAN TRUCKS**

Coming up: Grainger 225 Where: Portland (Ore.) International Raceway (1.967-mile track) When: Friday, June 18

(televised June 19) Defending champion: First event

Track qualifying record:

None

Race record: None Notable: This is the Truck Series' first stop at a road course this season. ... The SuperTrucks will also hit the road the following week at Watkins Glen, N.Y. ... A road race will also be held at Heartland Park (Topeka, Kan.) on Aug. 28.

# Jeff Gordon

**By Monte Dutton** NASCAR This Week

Jeff Gordon may yet become the second driver to capture three championships in a row, but he will have to make quite a comeback. No one who follows NASCAR is counting Gordon out, however. No one in the sport's history has done so much at so young an age. Since winning rookle-of-theyear honors in 1993, Gordon has won three championships (1995, '97, '98), two Daytona 500s (1997, '99) and two Brickyard 400s (1995, '98). He has also won the last four Southern 500s at Darlington.

**AGE: 27** 

HOMETOWN: Born in Vallejo, Calif., raised in Pittsboro, Ind., lives in Mooresville, N.C. WIFE: Brooke

CHILDREN: None

CAR: No. 24 DuPont Chevrolet Monte Carlo, owned by Rick Hendrick

RECORD: 204 starts, 45 wins, 27 poles, 108 top-five finishes, 132 top-10s, nearly \$30 million in career earnings

FIRSTS: Start (Nov. 15, 1992, at Atlanta), pole (Oct. 6, 1993, at Charlotte), win (May 29, 1994, at Charlotte)

HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE THE LEVEL OF COMPETITION SO FAR

THIS SEASON? "It's really close out here now, very competitive. It's good to see. It's exciting racing right now, a lot of different names going to victory lane. It's just good for the sport to see that. I think with the spoiler and air dam rules we have right now, it's contributing to good racing. I would say it's pretty good parity, give and take. Some places the Pontiac is good, some places the Chevrolets are strong, and some places the Fords are strong. It's a good mixture everywhere

HAS YOUR LUCK RUN OUT THIS YEAR? "I was thinking about how fortunate we were last year, when we won 13

races, but especially this year after some of the trouble we've had. We've won three big races, and we're happy about that. We've run well enough to win more races, but when you have trouble like we have, you count your blessings and you're pretty thankful for what you did with a year like we had last year. The plan is to just get momentum, get some things building and get it going and put out the effort like we did at Dover and see how the results turn out. That's what

we've been doing all year long. The results haven't always been there. We just hope we can get some consistency with those results.

WHY HAVE YOU HAD PROBLEMS WITH YOUR CONSISTENCY THIS YEAR? "We've had a lot of success the past few years.

When you have that time of success, you want to live up to those expectations. There's a lot of pressure on you to live up to those expectations. We came out of the box at Daytona with an awesome win in the 500. I thought we were going to start off where we left off. That quickly turned around. We've been having crazy things. We had a blown motor, we've had cut tires, we've had this power steering pump seal go out, things that rarely happened to us the past few years that are happening to us this year. That's just the way racing goes. When you have the type of year like we had last year, when it seemed like we couldn't do anything wrong, you know that those times are going to come back. They certainly have. The neat thing about it is that the effort of the race team hasn't stopped. It's stronger than it's ever been. We're just waiting for things to come around our way a little more."



Jeff Gordon has won three championships in the last four years.

# Your Turn

**Letters From Our Readers** 

Dear NASCAR This Week, Why are almost all the cars in the Busch Series Chevrolets, and on the Sunday NASCAR races, the split is about 50/50, which is much more interesting?

Richard Dirlam Jackson, Mich.

General Motors participates more actively than Ford in Busch Grand National racing. Many of Ford's top teams involve Cup drivers who run limited BGN schedules. although Ed Berrier, Glenn Allen and Elton Sawyer are full-time BGN drivers who run Fords.

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Dear NASCAR This Week. What is with IROC races? I love them, but they don't televise the race, and I can't find any reference to it except for bits and pieces. If they play it, they must sneak it

in somewhere without any listing.

Philip Halstead Sr. Fruitland Park, Fla.

IROC races are televised via tape-delay. In the past, ABC had all the rights and paired the IROC races with live motorsports programming, sometimes months later. However, this year IROC is spread across several networks, and at least two of the four events are scheduled for next-day coverage. What can we say? "Check local listings."

race and a race speed record to talk about.

"While NASCAR has certainly been known to look out for its exception. Jarrett would have won no matter how many flags

#### Who's Hot ... Who's Not

- HOT: Dale Jarrett picked up his second win of the season in a blowout.
- NOT: Bill Elliott was racing sixth until a busted oil line killed his chances. He finished 41st.

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#### Trackside Trivia

- 1. How many second-place finishes did Sterling Marlin have before he won his first Winston Cup race?
- 2. Name the Indiana car builder for whom Jeff Gordon, Tony Stewart and Kenny Irwin all drove during their USAC

1. Nine; 2. Bob East. ANSWERS

#### **AROUND THE GARAGE**

#### Rumors surround By Josh Stewart other races this season, for

NASCAR This Week

BROOKLYN, Mich. What started out as an enjoyable experiment for Kyle Petty turned into a pain in the neck.

Petty was invited to run a few laps in the Panther Racing IRL car Tuesday in Atlanta by car owner Terry Lingler. Since Petty was going to be in Atlanta for testing with Petty Enterprises teammate John Andretti, he

agreed to go out in the car "for fun."

Unfortunately, the rumor mill started spinning to the point where there was talk of Petty actually fielding a car and running in the IRL Atlanta event.

Friday, Petty put the matter to rest.

"No. No question," Petty said when asked if he was going to race in the Atlanta event, "I've never discussed running an Indy race with anybody at Atlanta, or any

that matter. It's not that I don't think it wouldn't be kind of fun, but there just isn't any time for it. My focus right now is Petty Enterprises and the NASCAR schedule."

Ironically, the discussed run around the track in Atlanta isn't even going to happen. Petty needed to have a seat fitted for him so he could get in the IRL car, but a scheduling conflict this past Wednesday prevented him

from going to Indianapolis to have the seat fitted.

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#### LOCKED OUT

Even a race run as smoothly as the Kmart 400 had to be marred by something Sunday.

It turned out to be car keys. Somebody locked the keys to the pace car for the race inside the vehicle. They were forced to tow away the pace car and find an alternative at the last second so the race could begin.

# **Fan Tips**

**CORRECTION:** The Fan Tips which ran on June 1 inadvertently listed the membership dues for the Tony Stewart Fan Club as \$15. Dues are \$20 for single or family (four per household). For more information, write to 6845 Parkdale Place, Suite B, Indianapolis, Ind. 46268, or visit www.tonystewart.com on the Web.

#### CREW OF THE WEEK

■ The only way that Dale Jarrett could have lost Sunday's Kmart 400 would have been if his crew had made some grave error. But the team that set up an awesome car also was on in pit road, which guaranteed a victory. No penalties, no lug nuts left off or any of the other common pit mistakes. The crew was close to perfect, just like Jarrett was on the track.

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opened and read

Wheelwright The Utilities reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

#### BIDS

The Floyd County Board of Education is sealed requesting bids on the Drift Elementary property located at Route 1001, Drift, KY.

Sealed bids will be accepted until 10:00 a.m. July 1, 1999, at the Floyd County Maintenance Department, 23 Martin Street, Allen, KY 41601.

If any further information is needed, please contact Gregory Adams at (606) 874-2049.

The Floyd County Board of Education has the right to reject any and all bids.

#### NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

Pursuant to Application No.: 836-0025 In accordance with

KRS 350.093, notice

is hereby given Brashae Coal Company Inc., Box Hindman. 628. Kentucky 41822, has applied for Phase III Bond Release on Increments #1, #2, #4, #5, #6, #7, #8, #9, and #11, and for Phase II and III Bond Release on Increment #18 of permit #836-0025, which was last issued on 04/19/91. The application covers an area of approximately 182.50 acres located 0.5 mile southeast of Manton

in Floyd County. The permit area is approximately 0.5 mile northeast of Wolfpen Branch Road's junction with Kentucky Route 1210 and located 0.5 mile northeast of Wolfpen Branch. The latitude is 37° 34' 22". The longitude is 82° 48'

25". The bond now in effect for Increment #2 is a surety bond in the amount of \$19,100.00 Approximately 15% of the original bond amount \$127,600.00 is include in the applica-

tion for release. The bond now in effect for Increment #4 is a surety bond in the amount of \$15,600.00 Approximately 15% of the original bond amount \$103,200.00 is included in the application

for release

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release. The bond now in effect for Increment #7 is a surety bond in the amount of \$1,300.00

Approximately 15% of the original bond amount of \$25,000.00 is included in the application The bond now in

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The bond now ib effect for Increment #11 is a surety bond in the amount of \$8,400.00 Approximately 15% of the original bond amount of \$56,100.00 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment #18 is a surety bond in the amount of \$5,200.00 Approximately 25% of the original bond amount of \$5,200.00 is included in the application

release. Reclamation work performed to date includes: backfilling and grading; soil sampling and testing; fertilizing, seeding, mulching and tree setting completed in the Fall 1992-Spring 1993; and the establishment of an adequate vegetative

cover. Written comments, objections or requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, US 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by August 2, 1999.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for August 3, 1999, at 9:00 a.m., at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by August 2, 1999.

#### NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Addington Enterprises, Inc. 1500 North Big Run Road, Ashland, KY. 41102, has applied for Phase II Bond Release on Permit Number 836-0245 which was last issued on 03/03/93. The application covers an area of approximately 216.71 acres. Located 1 mile southwest of Ivy Creek in Floyd/Pike County, Kentucky.

The permit area is approximately 0.75 miles east from US 23 Junction with Ivy Creek and located 1 mile east of Levisa Fork. The latitude is 37 degrees, 35 minutes and 05 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 38 minutes and 44 seconds.

The bond now in effect for Increment No. 1 is a surety for \$226,500.00 Approximately 25% of the original bond amount of \$226,500.00 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes:

seeding and regarding was done as of the fall of 1995. No major activity for reclamation has been done since; with the establishment of the post mine use as per

revegetation plan. Written comments. objections and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by August 6, 1999.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for 9:00 a.m. on August 1999, at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 2705 South Lake Dr., Prestonsburg, 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by August 6, 1999.

#### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 680-5004, Amendment #8

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Pontiki Coal Corporation, P.O. Box 801, KY Route 1439, Lovely, Kentucky 41231, has applied for an amendment to an existing underground coal mining and reclamation operation located 1.0 mile northwest of Moree in Martin, Pike, and Floyd counties. The amendment will add no additional acres of surface disturbance and underlie an additional 583.2 acres making a total area of 18,164.0 acres within the amended permit

boundary proposed amendment area is approximately 4 miles northeast from KY Route 194's junction with KY Route 2061 and located on Brushy Fork. The latitude is 37°43'57" and the longitude 82°31'01".

proposed The amendment is located on the Thomas U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The proposed amendment will underlie land owned by N.B. and Susan Williamson, Richard and Joetta Smith, Walker Smith Heirs, Bill Burchett Heirs, James and Iva Jean Blackburn, Cecil Taylor Heirs, John Heirs, Cornette Claudia M. Blackburn,

and Dick Smith Heirs. The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6. Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, US 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky

#### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-0260, Renewal In accordance with 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given Wolverine Resources Inc., 452 Town Mountain Road,

Pikeville, Kentucky 41501 has applied for a renewal for an access road permit affecting 38.0 surface acres located 2.2 miles Southeast of Marshallville in Floyd

and Magoffin County,

KY. The operation is approximately 2.1 miles East from KY HWY 7's junction with KY HWY 1734 and located on Salt Lick Branch at latitude 37 38' 54" and longitude 82° 54' 36"

The operation is located on the lvyton U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface is owned by Beverly Williams, Orville Fletcher. Fallen Fitzpatrick Bert Spradlin, Floyd Dunn, Green Holbrook Heirs, F.H. Holbrook Heirs, J Howard Heirs. Hatcher Allen, et. al. Cora Miller Heirs, and Hie Risner, et. al. The application has been filed for public

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

#### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-5139, Major Revision #3.

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that REYNOLDS BRANCH COAL CO. INC., P.O. Box 51, Langley, Kentucky 41645, has applied for a major revision to an existing underground coal mining and reclamation located 1.4 miles northeast of Hi Hat in Floyd County. The major revision does not add any new surface or underground disturbances. The current permit area of 1282.70 acres, consisting of 7.98 surface acres and 1274.72 underground acres,

unchanged. The proposed major revision area 1.4 approximately miles northeast from KY Route 979's junction with KY Route 122 and located 0.4 miles north of Clear Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees 23 minutes 17 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees 42 minutes

21 seconds. The proposed major revision is located on the McDowell USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area affected by the major revision is owned by the Polly Tackett Heirs.

The major revision proposes a remining "Approximate Original Contour" variance for 0.5 acres of existing surface disturbance. The major revision

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

Frankfort, KY 40601.

#### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application No. 836-5263, Operator Revision In accordance with 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Buck Coal, Inc., 544 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653, intends to

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Surface

date.

McDowell,

Hunter Branch Road

and KY 122, and is

east of the Left Fork of

Beaver Creek. The

latitude is 37° 30' 03"

The longitude is 82°

The operation is

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Harold,

350.055, notice is hereby given that Kentucky May Coal Company, Inc., HC 82 revise permit No. 836-Box 1045, Amold Fork 5263 to change the Road, Kite, Kentucky operator. The current 41828, has filed an operator is Buck Coal, application for Inc. The new operator Renewal of an underwill be Allen's Land ground coal mining Improvement, and reclamation oper-989 Stephens Branch ation. The proposed Road, Martin, KY operation will affect a surface disturbance of The mining opera-3.44 acres and will tion is located 1.9 underlie an additional miles southeast of 883.00 acres for a in Floyd total proposed permit County, is approxiacreage of 886.44 mately 1.8 southeast acres located 0.8 of the junction of the

ATTACHMENT

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NOTICE OF

INTENTION TO

MINE

Pursuant to

Application Number

860-5161, Renewal

In accordance with

the provision of KRS

miles East of Hall in Knott and Floyd Counties. The proposed operation is approximately 0.75 miles East from KY 122's junction with KY 1498 and located 0.0 miles East of Dave's Branch. The latitude is 37° 18' 05" The longitude is 82°

Estate.

Martin and Wayland U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute 45' 18". quadrangle maps. The operation is The application has located on the Kite been filed for public and Wheelwright inspection at U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute Department for quadrangle map. The Mining surface area to be dis-Reclamation and turbed is owned by Enforcement's Burton Slone. The Prestonsburg operation will underlie Regional Office, 3140 land owned by Ozark South Lake Drive, and Kimberly Sue Prestonsburg, KY Slone, John Bentley, 41653. Written com-Isom and Missouri ments and objections Bentley, Burton Slone, must be filed with the Honeycutt, Grant Director, Division of Trubie and Louetta Permits, #2 Hudson Johnson, Eliza Jane Hollow, Frankfort, KY Johnson 40601 within fifteen Claude and Betty Holbrook,

#### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant Application Number 836-9017 Renewal #1 In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Matt/Co. Inc., 432 Branch Meadows Prestonsburg Kentucky 41653 has applied for a renewal of a permit for a refuse disposal facility located 0.5 miles northeast of Emma in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 21.10 surface acres and will underlie 0 acres, and the total area within the permit boundary

will be 21.10 acres. The proposed operation is approximately 0.24 miles north of KY Route 1428's junction with KY Route 194 and located 0.08 miles east of the Levisa Fork. 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 Eddie B. Merritt.

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

(15) days of today's Anderson, Earl and Mary Lou Wyson, Wade and Draxie Hillard Anderson Sr., Ray Randall and Holbrook, Barris Hall, Robert Thacker, Alex and Anna Mullins, Grady Stumbo and Benny Bailey, Gilbert Little, Greene Hall, Lou and Bertha Holbrook, Maple Burke, Martin and Zella Johnson, Ira Potter, James Lackey. Johnson, Layne Primble Hall, Larry Honeycutt and Dave Isaac. The application has

been filed for public inspection at the Department Mining Surface Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg Kentucky 41653-1455. 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 880-0018, Renewal

No. 3 In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Martin County Coal Corporation, P.O. Box 5002, Inez, KY 41224 has applied for renewal of a permit for a surface and underground coal mining operation located 1.5 miles northeast of Thomas in Pike, Floyd, and Martin Counties. The proposed operation will disturb 649.9 surface acres and will underlie 174.4 acres and the total area within the permit boundary will be 824.3 acres.

The proposed operation is approximately 1.5 miles northeast of Brushy Fork Road's junction with KY 194 and located on Cow Fork. latitude is 37°41'34". The longitude is 82°33'13".

The proposed operation is located on the Thomas U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Pocahontas Development Corporation, Lon B. Martin Rogers. County Coal Corporation, William McCoy Heirs, and TJ Hardin Heirs and underlies land owned

Pocahontas Development Corporation, George East Morrison, Kentucky Energy Corporation, and Martin County Coal Corporation.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department 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 of the Division of Permits. No. 2 Hudson Hollow, 127 Frankfort, South, Kentucky 40601.

**INVITATION TO** BID

The Floyd County Board of Education requests "Sealed Bids" to provide depository services for the 1999-2000 fiscal year.

Copies of bid forms and detailed specifications may

obtained from Jerry A. Lyons, Director of Finance, Floyd County Board of Education, 183 N. Avenue. Arnold Prestonsburg, KY Telephone 41653.

606-886-2354. Bids must received by mail or delivered to Jerry A. Lyons prior to the time bids are opened at the Floyd County Board of Education on Tuesday, June 22, 1999, at 2:00.

**PUBLIC NOTICE** OF MEDICARE **TERMINATION OF** PROVIDER **AGREEMENT** 

Notice is hereby given that effective July 3, 1999, the agreement between Floyd County Health Department Home Health Agency located at 144 North Front Street, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, and the Secretary of Health and Human Services as a provider of home health services in the Health Insurance for the

Aged and Disabled

Program (Medicare) is to be terminated. The Health Care

Financing Administration has determined that Floyd Health Department Home Health Agency is not in compliance with the following Conditions of Participation:

42 CFR 484.30 Skilled Nursing Services

The Medicare Program will not make payment for inpatient hospital services furnished to patients who are admitted on or after July 3, 1999.

For patients admitted prior to July 3, 1999, payment may continue for up to 30 days of inpatient home health services furnished on or after July 3, 1999. Eugene A. Grasser Associate Regional

Administrator Division of Medicaid and State Operations

> NOTICE OF SALE

In accordance with Summary Judgment entered in Family Bank, FSB vs. Billiter & Billiter, Inc., et. al., Johnson Circuit

Court, C.A. No. 99-CI-00133. Family Bank, FSB shall offer for public sale all equipment or other property owned by Billiter & Billiter, Inc. and recovered by Family Bank, FSB pursuant to said

Judgment. The property shall be sold as one lot for one price on the 9th day of July, 1999, at 9:00 a.m. and the sale will be held at the former business address of Domino's Pizza at Broadway, Paintsville, Kentucky 41240. Arrangements

can be made with

Family Bank, FSB for itemizations inspection of the property prior to sale by calling 606-789-3541

The above sale shall be subject to the right of redemption of the United States of America Revenue Service and Family Bank, FSB Dated this 14th day

reserves the right to bid at said sale. of June, 1999. John Blackburn

Chief

Officer

Family Bank, FSB

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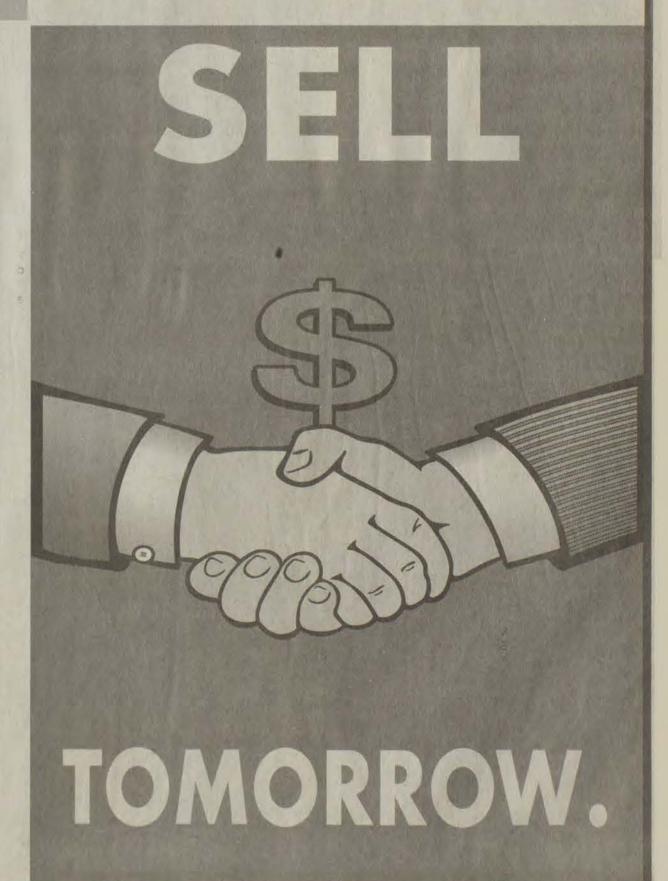
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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions-forward, backward, up, down and

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Callas Resnik King Features Syndicate, Inc.

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Differences: 1. Blinds are longer. 2. Proture is missing from rable. 3. Boy's shoes are different. 4. Cap is furned. 5. Pritow is smaller. 6. Boy's shirt has long sleeves.

Answers to Crossword Puzzle and Magic Maze can be found on page A5

#### R.F.D. by MIKE MARLAND





















#### **BUTCH AND DOUGIE by ALEX HOWELL**

41 Terry or Jerry

cotton fabric 45 Use of force

C.I.C. In

number 4

wood

64 Shopper's

delight

67 Young plg

companion

65 Bagel's

World War I

43 Smooth

48 Site of







effectively

31 "- Weapon"

retreats 38 Playwright O'Casey

(movie) 34 Sheiks

39 Odd and

skirt

42 Leader or

master

44 Labor org

47 He sought the Holy

Grall

45 It's part

funny 40 Ballerina's

77 Observed

79 Just out

81 Chinese medicinal

83 Civil War

(1862)

84 U.S. Army

In WWII

87 Famed WWII

general 88 Conceives In

the mind

89 Pride, envy

and sloth

90 Woodpecker

conductor's

collection

93 Items in a

program 94 He rode a pale horse

animals

circlets

interlocked

96 Bearlike

98 Ring of

101 Civil War

Indian

nest egg 108 South Seas

Ironwood

107 Build a

port 109 Asiatic

86 Killed

group 92 Train

battle site

chief of staff

#### Super Crossword

ACROSS 1 Language spoken around

Kazan 6 Value system 11 Examined the layout,

16 Quarrelsome shrew 17 Path or surgery

starter 18 Husband of Inin. 20 "Apocalypse Now" setting

21 Furry swimmer 22 Union general in the Civil War 60 Forest 24 Debatable

gift 25 Figure of speech 27 Prepare for Ironing

29 Attorner General nominee Baird 30 Hit squarely 32 St. Peters

burg's river 33 Famous Confederate general and family

34 Lively Israeli dance 35 Actress Moorehead 37 Gangster

Diamond 39 "- Death" 40 Former German coin

69 Dutch uncles 71 Bodily strength 73 Resting place 75 Freeman

or Lisa 76 Site of two Civil War

78 Actress Sue - Langdon 80 D-Day landing site 82 Line or lock

angles to a ship's length 85 Broadway brilliance 86 Cast-Iron

starter

83 At right

frying pan 89 Mountaintop historic conference in feature Feb. 1945 91 Left the 49 Location 95 Burdened 50 Historic

Georgia 96 English seaport 54 Medieval tale minister 97 Math. subject 55 Site of the tinguished first shots of the Civil War 59 Seed

- o'clock scholar 101 The covering Love" (song) clearing 62 Goller's 102 Start for list

or theism 104 Crust or test follower 105 Call - day

106 Knows Intuitively 108 Buddhist 66 Brig or stock

doctrine 110 Rank below 68 Baby's perch bart. 111 Stenographic

adjunct 113 Florida seaport 115 Shakespearean

tragedy 117 State admitted in 1864

118 Usa 119 Metal tags 120 Gratifies completely 121 Bronze or

Silver Star 122 West Yorkshire city

DOWN 1 Useful ornaments 2 Museum

collection 3 Sunworshipers' shades

4 "Happy Days Are Here 5 General

known as the "Desert Fox" 6 Historic bomber of WWII

11 Two-door

12 Donkeys

13 Board or

and burros

post starter 14 Make a

boo-boo

compound

16 Countenance

disturbances

15 Chemical

19 Noctumal

20 Anagram

of navel

23 'The Tracks

of My -

(song)

26 Currier's

partner 28 Deal with

cars

7 Head, In Le Havre 8 Crude cabin 9 Angered 10 Site of a

49 Cowboy's hat 50 West Coast capital city 51 Bakery famous Naval battle

byproduct 52 Female lox 53 Where to find Tartarus 55 Criminal

56 Bird's claw 57 Oxlike antelope general 58 Compensate 103 Orange or antelope

61 Natural phenomenon 106 Petty 83 — G. Carroll 70 Make

melancholy 71 Peter or Paul 72 Wooden shoe

73 Respond to a stimulus

74 Arboretum attraction 75 Seaport on Luzon

112 One of the

Gabors 114 Off one's rocker 116 Garden plot

