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## Two charged with selling fake insurance

by Randell Reno  
Staff Writer

A Floyd County couple has been named in a 21-count indictment alleging they accepted payments from customers who believed they were purchasing insurance, but were instead lining the accused couple's pockets.

Regina C. Lafferty, 46, and Tommy L. Lafferty Jr., 48, were indicted Monday by a grand jury on charges of posing as an insurance agency.

Regina Lafferty was indicted for committing the offense of fraudulent insurance act when she took money from several companies and individuals who thought they were buying insurance from her.

Mark Moore, of Green Mountain Anesthesiology; Dwayne Scaff, of Modern Engineering and Construction Company; Jean Stephens; Ronnie Akers; Shop-A-Lot; Rick Crum, of East Kentucky Auto Transport Inc.; East Kentucky Auto

Transport Inc.; Pete Diabo, of East Kentucky Graphics; Rosemary Helmundollar, of Ratliff's Farm Supply; Edgar Hall; Mickey D. Bouassa, of Security Unlimited; Gus M. and Betty Z. Kalos; and Keith Jones were named in the indictment as victims of the alleged sham.

Both were named in one count that they allegedly accepted payment for insurance from Steve and Virginia McKnight, of McKnight Electric.

Terry Lafferty allegedly acted alone in committing the offense of fraudulent insurance act when he took money from the McKnights on a separate occasion.

The indictment alleges the Laffertys took the insurance payments and converted them to their own use.

The 21 counts of fraudulent insurance acts are class D felonies, each of which has a maximum penalty of five years in prison and a fine of \$10,000 or twice the amount gained as a result of the violation, whichever is greater.

## Charges dropped after one suspect turns in another

by Randell Reno  
Staff Writer

A Garrett man learned that it pays to squeal, after burglary charges against him were dismissed after he told police the name of one of his alleged accomplices.

Arley Michael Jackson, 21, Byron Rister, 19, and Joseph Collett, 19, all of Garrett, were arrested and charged with burglarizing property owned by former Wayland mayor Eugene Mullins on October 28.

It was Jackson who implicated Rister in the robbery, said Trooper Mickey Watson. The officer told Jackson if he named his help, his assistance would be mentioned to the commonwealth's attorney.

Watson then spoke with

Rister's mother and to his lawyer before Rister turned himself in to the trooper.

Rister was also charged with first-degree wanton endangerment for allegedly pointing a gun at Deputy Sheriff Bobby Hackworth. That charge was amended to second-degree wanton endangerment and a separate charge of cultivating marijuana was dismissed for lack of evidence.

Charged with third-degree burglary and theft by unlawful taking, Rister's charges have been sent to the grand jury for consideration.

Collett was charged with first-degree criminal mischief, theft by unlawful taking and second-degree burglary, which was amended to third-degree burglary.

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## Roads ready for winter, judge says

by Randell Reno  
Staff Writer

Floyd County Judge-Executive Paul Hunt Thompson says area roads are ready for winter.

Should the county experience a rough winter, Thompson said most of Floyd County's roads have been repaired.

Road work on Dicky Town, Spradlin Branch and the new exit to Duff Elementary has been completed, the judge said, allowing road crews to warm patch other area roads.

Any other major work scheduled on Floyd County roads will be postponed until spring because Mountain Enterprises lost its asphalt preparation plant to a fire.

Thompson said work remains to be done in the form of pulling ditches and grading in a few areas, but for the most part the roads should be ready.

Although he expects another warm winter for our area, the judge says the county is stocked up on salt at the Wheelwright storage site and the state will provide more to the county if it is needed.

## The sweet smell of mud...



The oil-streaked, blackened water streaming through the streets of Prestonsburg was a small price for the long-absent rain which finally came to Floyd County Wednesday. (photo by Randell Reno)

## Teen driver in graduation party crash charged with murder

by Randell Reno  
Staff Writer

Having turned 18, a Grethel teen will be tried as an adult for the alcohol-related death of his friend.

A single charge of murder has been brought against Jacob Ellis Carroll in Floyd District Court as a result of a June 10 accident which claimed the life of a passenger in Carroll's truck.

Police say a combination of alcohol and speeding contributed to the accident.

Only 17 at the time, Carroll and

his friends were allegedly celebrating their graduation from Betsy Layne High School the following day.

While apparently racing another vehicle, Carroll's 1998 GMC Club Cab pickup truck left the road and struck a large tree, resulting in fatal injuries to 18-year-old Edgar Dewayne Hughes.

Hughes, who was a passenger in the vehicle, was ejected from the truck, struck a tree, and landed eight to nine feet away.

Hughes was a student at Prestonsburg Community College, a 1998 graduate of Betsy Layne

High School and an employee of Velocity Market at Betsy Layne. He was the son of Edgar Hughes and Paulette Kidd Hughes of Dana.

Carroll suffered a laceration to his head and was taken to McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital.

Kentucky State Police Public Affairs Officer Mike Goble said that the vehicle's air bag and possibly the use of the seatbelt saved Carroll's life. "Damage to the vehicle was very severe," he said.

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## Drug case headed to grand jury

by Randell Reno  
Staff Writer

Facing numerous counts of drug possession and trafficking, an Ivel man's case has been sent on to the grand jury.

Trooper Mickey Watson said in Floyd District Court that his investigation into a forged prescription led him to the home of Scott Forest Moore, 33. The Kentucky State Police Trooper said that a check with Moore's address on it was allegedly used by Teresa Collins in the forgery case.

The trooper said after he was invited into the man's home, Moore, who Watson said appeared intoxicated, pulled out a citation asking the officer about his court date.

Seeing that the citation was for drug possession, Watson asked Moore if he had any drugs in the house. Upon Moore's reply of no, the officer asked to look around but was denied.

Trooper Watson said he then heard someone in an adjacent room. For his own security he said he then looked around the corner

into the bedroom. Upon finding another male in the room, Watson asked him to come into the living room with the others.

Watson testified that allegedly setting in plain view of that bedroom was a pipe used for smoking marijuana. The trooper informed Moore that he no longer needed a search warrant because he had probable cause.

Watson secured the home and searched the residence, allegedly finding packages of marijuana and

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Farmers' market participants get in line to sample the food that was on hand at Friday night's banquet at the Extension Service Building. (photo by Willie Elliott)

## Farmers' Market participants close one season, look to the next

by Willie Elliott  
Staff Writer

The group known as Farmers' Market, operating at Martin, met last Friday evening at the Extension Service Building in Prestonsburg to celebrate a successful year and make plans for another season.

The celebration consisted of a buffet dinner that was brought by different individuals and included ham, dressing, baked beans, potatoes and casseroles, to name a few.

The group presented Rick "Ranger" Caudill with a plaque for the support he provided when the organization was trying to get started. Caudill promised continued support for the group and suggested it would be a good idea to open the market to other counties and even other states.

Steve Muntz explained a new concept in raising poultry, pasture poultry. Pasture poultry uses the hillside for raising meat birds. The fowls are placed in a portable cage that can be moved throughout the pasture.

Muntz said this practice was designed for

the small entrepreneur who would process only a few birds.

He said this was a problem now because of USDA regulations. As it stands now, only big processing companies can get a license to process poultry.

Muntz said there was a grass-roots group trying to make it possible for small business people to do such processing. He said shrimp and rabbits could be processed in the same facility.

A training program is currently underway at Kentucky State University to train individuals in processing fowl and other meat animals.

Muntz said a processing plant, even a small-production unit, doesn't come cheaply. The minimum price just for equipment runs about \$75,000.

Muntz said no matter how or at what scale the poultry is processed, a USDA inspector has to inspect the process and product.

Even though we have just finished a growing season, people were invited to take some of the seeds that were on display during the dinner.

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## Briefs

### Harold man killed in wreck

A Harold man was killed early Tuesday morning when his vehicle rear-ended a coal truck on US 23.

Kenneth Bolden, 26, died at Highlands Regional Medical Center, where he was being treated after the wreck.

State police reports indicate Bolden was driving his 1989 Jeep Cherokee north on US 23 one mile north of Prestonsburg around 6 a.m., when he struck a 1994 Westar semi coal truck driven by Ronnie K. Martin, 29, of Martin.

Bolden was pronounced dead at the hospital at 7:52 p.m.

Martin was not injured.

Trooper Todd Kidd continues to investigate the accident.

### Martin County man arrested on drug, gun charges

Kentucky State Police and the Martin County Sheriff's Department arrested an Inez man on numerous drug and gun violations.

Officers armed with a search warrant raided the home Tarkey Blackburn, 35, shortly before 9 p.m. Tuesday, based on information uncovered in an investigation.

Following a search of Blackburn's residence, police allegedly found one pound of processed marijuana worth an estimated \$1,500, five marijuana plants and two handguns which had been reported as stolen.

Blackburn has been charged with trafficking marijuana, cultivating marijuana, receiving stolen property and possession of a handgun by a convicted felon.

# School system personnel changes since October

Superintendent Paul W. Fanning is giving notice of personnel actions that have taken place since October 24, 1999.

**Certified HIRINGS:**

Michelle Hall, special education teacher at Allen Central Middle School, Oct. 25.

Timothy Potter, special education teacher at McDowell Elementary, Nov. 8.

**Certified Transfers:**  
Henry Webb, from assistant principal at South Floyd High School to principal at South Floyd High School, Oct. 27.

There were no **Certified Retirements/Resignations, Leave of Absences or Terminations.**

Substitute teachers hired:

Timothy Potter, certified substitute, Oct. 11; Jill Little, emergency substitute, Nov. 1; David Gearheart, emergency substitute, Nov. 1; Susan R. Stephens, emergency substitute, Nov. 5; Theresa Hyden, emergency substitute, Nov. 4; Donald Duers, emergency substitute, Nov. 8; Amber Spears, emergency substitute, Oct. 22; Rhonda Yates, emergency substitute, Oct. 28; Lisa Howell, emergency substitute, Sept. 9; Marcella Skeans, emergency substitute, Nov. 8; Melissa Smith, emergency substitute, Nov. 8; Calvin Music, emergency substitute, Nov. 9; Chad Hamilton, emergency substitute, Nov. 11 and Mary Reffitt, emergency substitute, Nov. 11.

**Classified hirings:**

Angela Blair, substitute cook, Nov. 12; Jeweline Mitchell, substitute cook, Nov. 12; Carolyn Scarberry, substitute teacher aide on

Friday ONLY, Nov. 10; Lisa Rae Hall, custodian (4 hrs. per day) at Osborne Elementary, Nov. 12;

Eva Bevins, substitute teacher aide, Nov. 8; Martha F. Bentley, substitute teacher aide, Nov. 8; Scheryl Donna Tackett, substitute cook, Nov. 8; Bonita Griffith, substitute cook, Nov. 8; Teresa Hamilton, substitute cook, Nov. 8; Anna Loray Hutchins, substitute teacher aide for Clark FRC After School Child Care, Nov. 8; Anita Sturgill, substitute custodian, Nov. 8; Marcella Skeans, substitute teacher aide, Nov. 8; Arlene Hughes, substitute teacher aide, Nov. 8; Anthony G. Castle, maintenance tech "C" at maintenance dept., Nov. 18; Stephen Frasure, custodian at Prestonsburg High (4 hrs. per day), Nov. 5; Darrell Hicks, custodian at Prestonsburg High (7 1/2 hrs. pr day), Nov. 5; Marlene Tackett, substitute teacher aide, Sept. 23; Stacey Adams, instruc-

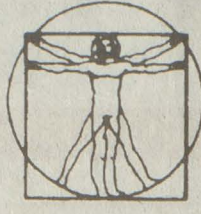
tional assistant at Prestonsburg Elementary, Nov. 5; Amy Newsome, substitute cook, Oct. 28; Betty Boyd, special education teacher aide at Betsy Layne, Oct. 29; Karen Caudill, substitute bus aide, Nov. 27; Debbie Hall, substitute teacher aide, Nov. 1; Jerry B. Combs, substitute teacher aide, Nov. 1; Gearidine Bentley, substitute teacher aide, Nov. 1; Beverly J. Conley, substitute teacher aide, Nov. 1; Wendell D. Burke, substitute bus driver, Oct. 7; Teresa L. Rowe, substitute teacher aide, Oct. 19; Sally McCown, Title One teacher at McDowell Elementary, Oct. 25; Brenda Rice, special needs teacher aide at Prestonsburg Elementary, Oct. 18; Robin R. Damron, special needs teacher aide at Allen Elementary, Sept. 23, and Tammy Lea King, special needs teacher at Betsy Layne Elementary, Oct. 15.

**Classified transfers:**  
Stephen Frasure, transferred from bus driver at Betsy Layne area to bus driver at Prestonsburg area, Oct. 18.

**Classified leave of absence:**  
Mason Holt, family medical leave, from Nov. 1 to Dec. 1; Lana Wright, family medical leave, from Sept. 29 to Dec. 22; Inez Frasure, family medical leave, Sept. 13 to December 6; Marie Prater, medical leave due to knee surgery for three months, beginning Nov. 1; Kathy Mullins, family medical leave, from Oct. 25 to Dec. 6 and Mary Hall, family medical leave, from Sept. 27 to Oct. 11.

**Classified resignations:**  
Teresa Evans, resigned as after school child care aide, Oct. 14 and Linda Justice, retired as Head Start teacher, Aug. 8.

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## Drugs

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cocaine and various drug paraphernalia.

Moore's attorney asked Trooper Watson if it wasn't a practice of his to gain entry into homes without permission. Watson restated that he was invited into the home by Moore and Collins.

The attorney then asked the officer if it wasn't his habit to search homes without permission and without warrants. Judge Allen said those kind of questions were not for his courtroom, silencing the attack

on the officer.

The drugs Watson allegedly found were packaged as if ready to sell, the officer said. The cocaine bags were in baggies that had their corners cut and tied off and the bags of marijuana were heat sealed.

Watson also took into his possession a small locked gray box. Moore told the trooper the box contained his prescriptions but he had locked them up and had lost the key, Watson testified.

Watson was accused by Moore's lawyer of illegally breaking into the box, but Watson produced a copy of a search warrant that gave him the permission to look.

The box contained 130 to 150 prescription pills containing codeine. Moore produced a few bottles confirming he did have prescriptions for some drugs, but, according to the officer, there were far too many for which he did not have prescriptions.

Moore has been charged with first-degree cocaine trafficking, first-degree possession of cocaine, trafficking in less than eight ounces of marijuana, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, prescription not in original container, second-degree drug trafficking and second-degree possession of a controlled substance.

## Osborne principal sues over dismissal

**Times Staff Report**

Osborne principal Paul David Tackett, who was dismissed from his job just prior to Christmas last year but reinstated later after being cleared of the charges by tribunal, has filed suit against Arnold Woodrow Carter, state manager for Floyd County Schools.

The alleged basis for the termination was a dispute over whether Tackett was entitled to take certain days off for sick leave.

"In fact, the Plaintiff (Tackett) had a valid entitlement to sick leave, in that his treating physician (Dr. Charles Hardin) had specifi-

cally recommended the time off and submitted documentation to this effect," the complaint states.

The suit alleges that Tackett was slandered and defamed by Carter on December 17, when Carter allegedly falsely told a gathering of media and parents of school children that Tackett had committed an "illegal" act of some unknown description, the exact words being "illegal but not criminal."

Tackett, who is being represented by Ned Pillersdorf, seeks unspecified punitive and compensatory damages.

A complaint represents only one side of a conflict.

## DWS (driving while sleepy) can be a killer

by **Randell Reno**  
Staff Writer

Travelers beware — lack of sleep may kill you.

Many Floyd Countians travel to other locations during the holiday break. Upon entering Kentucky's interstate and other freeways, most commuters will be met with a cacophony of vehicles and traffic. The U.S. Department of Transportation is asking that you be at your most alert while traveling.

Sleep deprivation and afternoon lulls in a person's body clock all too often cause drivers to fall asleep at the wheel. The department reminds drivers that there are many false beliefs about falling asleep at the wheel.

Coffee or beverages containing caffeine will make you more alert, but only temporarily. Sleep has no substitute. The caffeine will temporarily ease the drowsiness, but it will return shortly.

You cannot tell when you are going to fall asleep. Sleep is not voluntary. If you are drowsy, you can fall asleep and not even know it.

The only safe driver is an alert driver. If you are alert you not only drive safely but you are more likely to avoid the vehicle that may be veering into your lane or even headed straight at you. When you become sleepy, you became confused and use poor judgment.

If you believe you cannot take a nap, you should at least pull to

the side of the road or into a rest area and relax for no less than 15 minutes.

Young people do not need less sleep than older people. Half of the victims of fatigue-related crashes are drivers under the age of 25.

Being sleepy makes you misperceive things. If you get sleepy on the road do not delay a rest period. You should immediately pull off the road to rest. Your life and your family members' lives may depend upon it.

Brief lapses into sleep that last only four to five seconds will allow you to travel at least 100 yards at 55 miles an hour. You have plenty of time in that lapse to kill yourself or someone else.

Time is not the race. Remember the saying, "Life is a journey not a destination." Enjoy the journey. Pull off the road and take a nap if you need it. And get to the destination alive together.

## Murder

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Members of the Left Beaver Ambulance and Rescue Squad, Mud Creek Fire Department and Floyd County Sheriff's Department responded to the scene, along with KSP Troopers Rick Conn and Mickey Watson.

KSP Trooper Stewart Howard, who investigated the scene, filed the charge against Carroll.

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The charge of criminal mischief was dismissed. Collett's charges were also waived to the grand jury.

All charges against Jackson were dismissed.

The three men allegedly participated in the theft of \$8,000 to \$10,000 worth of items from property owned by Eugene Mullins of Garrett. Jackson, Collett and Rister allegedly took two heaters, two air conditioners, two televisions and other items from Mullins' property.

Hackworth said the land, located on Stone Coal Creek of Garrett, has a number of storage buildings and houses. The perpetrators allegedly had entered the land on four-wheel all-terrain vehicles, which they used to haul away air compressors, floor jacks and various pieces of mechanical equipment. The three men then allegedly proceeded to sell the booty to a Knott County man.

The initial theft happened early Thursday morning, October 28. The investigation of the burglary was handled by Kentucky State Police Trooper Mickey Watson.

Mullins replaced the locks on the various buildings that afternoon, only to find that on Friday morning those locks had been cut.

Mullins had returned to the property late Thursday night and caught one of the men, who was allegedly on a return trip to steal more goods.

Much of the booty was recovered from the Knott County man, whose name was not released. The man admitted to police officers that he knew he was buying stolen property. He also told officers the alleged thieves made at least six trips back and forth from the property to his residence.

Charges against the man will be handled in Knott County.



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# Debt 101: Hardknocks course for college students

As nearly 15 million college students piled into university classrooms all across the country this fall, many were surprised to find that lessons were no longer based on reading, writing, and arithmetic. The rite of passage for today's young adults isn't about English 101 and French class, combined with a few all-nighters and weekends of parties. It is about getting and using their own credit cards and learning fiscal responsibility.

The Consumer Federation of America recently released a 90-page study outlining the growing problem of college students and credit card debt. The study showed that nearly one-fifth of students who carry a credit card have accumulated about \$10,000 in financial debt. Teenagers and young adults are charging almost \$141 billion a year to buy clothes, CD's, and fast food.

While it may seem easy for students to get credit cards, especially from solicitors who set up shop on campus, using incentives such as free pizza, Cokes, and T-shirts, they soon realize that it isn't easy to overcome thousands of dollars of debt.

Consumer Credit Counseling Services of Central Ohio (CCCS), America's first non-profit debt counseling company, is helping hundreds of college students get out of debt. Leisa Igo, certified credit counselor for CCCS in Lexington, says the college debt

problem is growing due to lack of economic education. "Students should be taught budgeting techniques early in their school years," Igo said. "These significant lessons should stress the responsibility of paying credit balances in full and on time."

CCCS provides debt management and budget counseling to college students who find themselves in financial trouble. In a debt management program, students literally cut up all their credit cards, automatically canceling the accounts until the balances owed are paid in full.

Throughout personal finance education and one-on-one counseling, the student works out a monthly payment plan with creditors to climb their way out of debt. Upon completion of the plan, creditors are generally willing to issue credit cards.

"Obtaining a credit card can be a rewarding experience for many, but it can also bring some people down, affecting their everyday lives, their mentality, and their sense of well-being," Igo said. "We're available when these students come to the realization that they are financially out of control. It is our job to help them regain their financial security and improve their quality of life."

The problem begins when students are literally flooded with credit card issuers screaming, "instant credit," persuading young people to open an account and

earn immediate rewards. It is estimated that the typical college student will receive .25 credit card solicitations per semester by mail, at makeshift tables manned by solicitors, in campus bookstore bags, and on bulletin boards across campus.

Many credit card offers land in the hands of students who have no income or are likely facing financial dilemmas due to loans obtained to pay for the cost of tuition and room and board.

Yet, regardless of the students' financial well being, they are often automatically approved for at least a \$500 credit limit, sometimes up to \$2,000, even with no income.

"It is not necessarily the fault of the credit card company," says Igo. "Marketers simply go where the dollars are, and the dollars are with teenagers and young adults. It takes a highly responsible young person to learn the correct use of credit. Not everyone is at that stage of financial maturity during their college years."

Credit-granting companies such as VISA and Mastercard stand by their efforts to promote credit use by college students, staying that not all students use credit irresponsibly. According to Mastercard, 59 percent of students say they pay their credit card balances in full, versus only 40 percent of the general population.

While opening up a credit card account can be an opportunity for some people to establish a lifetime

of good credit, it can be a danger zone for others. Because of the risk involved in on-campus solicitation by credit companies, more than 300 colleges and universities across the nation have banned the practice.

Dr. Steve Bisese, assistant vice president for student life and dean of students at Georgetown College, says the college hasn't allowed credit card companies to solicit on campus in the past two years.

"We simply didn't like the tactics that credit card companies were taking to sign up students for their personal credit cards," said Dr. Bisese. "Some companies would offer incentives to fraternities and other campus organizations in return for their help in promoting the credit card, adding peer pressure for students to open an account."

"Sometimes our students just didn't know what they were getting into. It's good to have a program like CCCS available to help students when they need it."

Igo agrees with Bisese's statement when she says that many students are not aware of the consequences until it is too late. "I see college students charging everything from books to clothes to tuition," Igo said.

"Many of these people don't understand how the interest rate they are paying will affect the total amount owed, and are quickly finding out that creditors don't always have a fixed rate. We try to teach them the basics of budgeting their money, so they can get back on their financial feet again as wiser and more competent users of credit."

According to the American Bankers Association, more than 1.4 million Americans filed for bankruptcy last year alone as a result of the misuse of unsecured credit. In an effort to stop young adults from heading in the same direction, financial industry professionals such as Igo are trying to educate both students and parents about the dangers of opening a credit card account while attending college.

Recently, Warren Buffett, the third richest man in America, provided some free economic advice

to teens and young adults: avoid credit cards. At a forum on economics at a high school in the small community of Davenport, Nebraska, Buffet was quoted as saying, "If you're going to make progress, you will not do it by borrowing at 18 to 20 percent interest."

Such advice, coming from a man who has been so financially

successful, indicates the necessity of educating the young people of America about borrowing money.

"I encourage students to choose wisely when opening a credit card," says Igo. "If they are not careful when making financial decisions, these young adults can ruin their credit records, and realize in a very short time how in debt they really are."

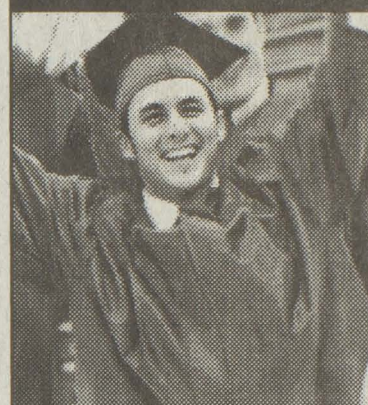
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Graduates of Highlands Paramedic Class, from left, Steve Gauze, Mary Howard, Mary Fran Moore, Darrell Sparks, and Matthew Stapleton with Dr. Paul Brizendine, program medical director, Dianna Ward, RN, MSN, instructor, and Dena Patton RN, MSN, Clinical Program director.

## Highlands Regional graduates third paramedic class

Highlands Regional Medical Center held graduation ceremonies on Wednesday, November 17, for its third paramedic class.

This year, 11 students representing Floyd, Johnson, and Martin counties graduated from the intense

18 month program with nine of the group having completed and passed their state board examinations for certification.

Dena Patton, RN, MSN, clinical manager of Highlands Emergency Department and Clinical Director

of the paramedic program welcomed graduates, family members, and guests to the ceremony.

"There is no better way to serve our community and eastern Kentucky than to ensure that our people have access to advanced life support emergency medical services," Patton said. "Statistics prove that at some time everyone present in this room will need or have a family member who will need advanced emergency medical services. The people in this graduating class are eastern Kentucky people trained, dedicated, and there to provide advanced emergency services when called upon day or night."

Highlands began the paramedic program in keeping with its mission to look after the health, wellness, and medical needs of our neighbors in eastern Kentucky and to provide those services in the places that best meet their needs.

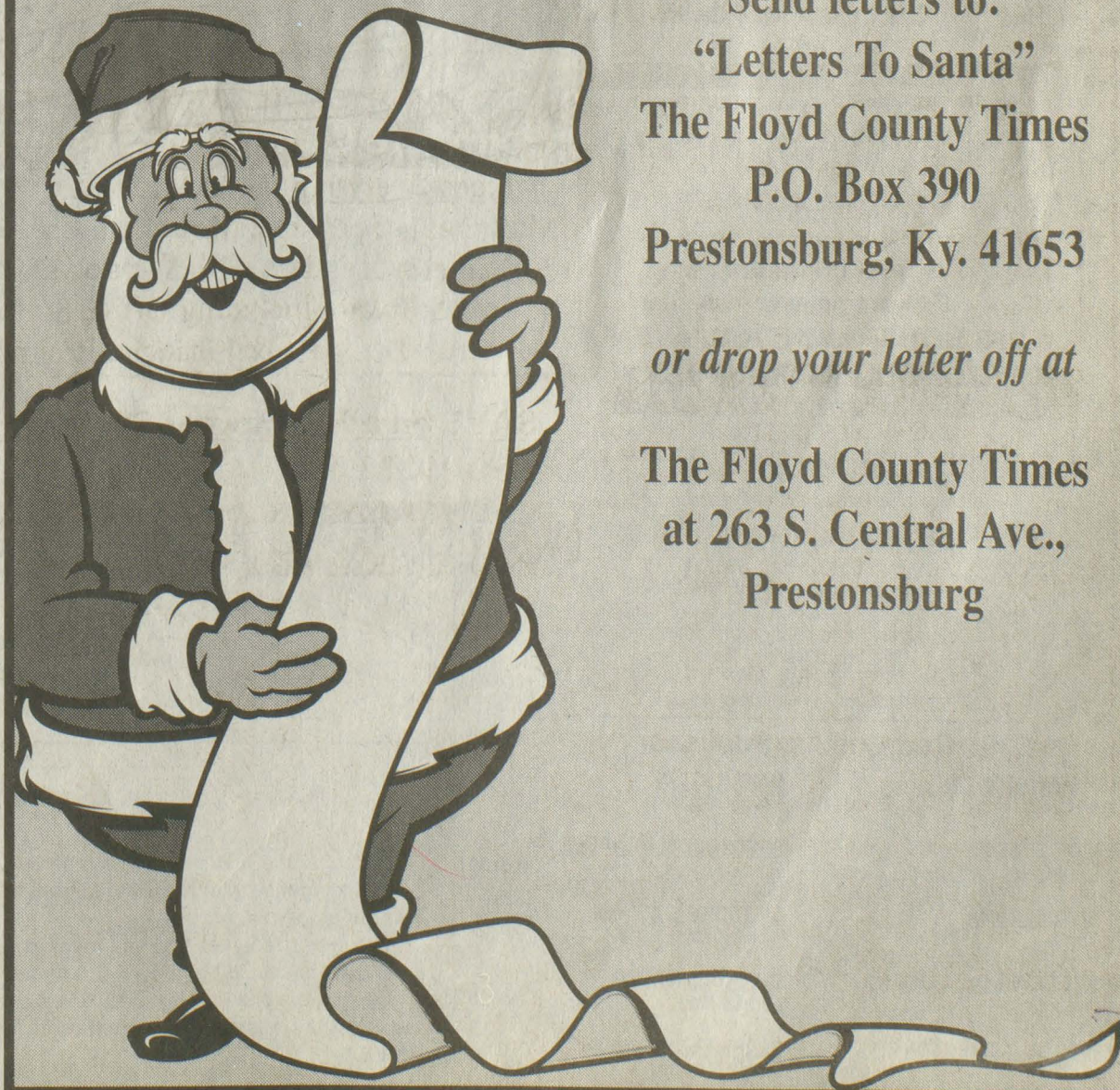
Paul Brizendine, M.D., medical director of Highlands Emergency Services and medical director of the paramedic program, said, "Since Highlands began the paramedic program in 1995, we have seen great improvements in the way patients are well cared for, expertly treated in the field and gotten into the hospital. There is no doubt this expert emergency pre-hospital care in the field improves the overall outcome for patients."

During the ceremony, Dr. Brizendine was presented with a plaque in appreciation for his help and involvement with the paramedic program since its inception and for his involvement with numerous EMS projects.

This year's paramedic graduates are Barry Blair, Mary Fran Moore, Darrell Sparks, and Kevin Reid from Floyd County; Mary Howard, Jennifer Ramey, John Ramey, Matthew Stapleton, and Mitchell Vanhoose from Johnson County; and Steven Gauze and Roy May from Martin County.

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# Viewpoint

## QUOTE OF THE DAY...

If you think you're too small to be effective, you've never been in bed with a mosquito.

Betty Reese—

Friday, November 26, 1999 A4

## Editorial

### Insurer recognizes managed care's flaws

From the standpoint of good medical care, United Health Care, the nation's second-largest health insurer, obviously wrote the right prescription recently when it abandoned its "preauthorization" requirement, the detestable and dangerous policy under which doctors need to obtain permission before they provide treatment to their patients.

It is equally obvious, however, that United's move was also intended to shield the company from the devastating retaliation of an outraged nation. To put it another way: Abandoning the pre-authorization requirement comes in a political context. The entire managed-care industry is under a microscope in Washington, D.C., and across the country.

Suddenly, and to an unexpected extent, health care has become a major political issue in the presidential campaign. Democrats-Al Gore and Bill Bradley are debating their respective health insurance proposals.

Even Republican George W. Bush, who hasn't said much about the issue recently, was campaigning in South Carolina recently for improved health care for veterans.

Most significant of all, perhaps, both the House and the Senate have approved patients' rights bills that contain provisions the insurance industry dreads and opposes. The House version of the legislation, for example, would give patients the right to sue their health maintenance organizations.

These political moves come after years of pent-up rage by doctors and patients who have been forced to waste countless hours dealing with reams of baffling forms and contend with stupid, insensitive insurance clerks, even as many of these patients recover from painful, disabling diseases or injuries.

Changes such as the abolition of the pre-authorization requirement are intended to cool this anger and abort ambitious health care reform. These revisions in the clumsy, wasteful and often insulting business practices of insurers are years overdue.

Abolishing pre-authorization will help United in another way. It will save the company a lot of money — as much as \$100 million a year, according to one medical administrator at United. Other insurers ought to, and probably will, follow United's lead.

Companies which remain oblivious to the mood of the country and to the anger of the doctors and patients they are supposed to serve will expose themselves to punishing reprisals which will be richly deserved.

— Reprinted from the Milwaukee Journal Sentinel.



## Letters to the Editor

### Right is right and wrong is wrong

Editor:

Upon receiving the "news" that you had become managing editor of the Floyd County Times, I personally believed that a breath of fresh air had come to our town. I have followed your professional development since your days at Kentucky State University and delighted in reading your articles in The Jackson County Sun.

In fact, I very much remember the articles regarding the Daniel Boone National Forest and the court case that followed. Never have I respected anyone as much as I did you during that particularly tough time in your professional career.

Personally, it is quite humbling to know that our relationship has resulted in such respect and mutual admiration, but perhaps the most encouraging "news" that I received from your column of November 21, was the basic belief that "right is right and wrong is wrong, no matter who does it." If those words sound familiar to you, they should. When you were a Scout I used those words often and, whether they apply to me or someone else, they remain true.

In consultation with the board secretary, who tells me that she has checked the audio tape, the motion reads: to begin to purchase "the property discussed in executive session that is needed for the completion of construction of the Prestonsburg High School Athletic Complex, subject to fee simple title and approval by Facilities Management, Kentucky Department of Education." If this motion is in error, as you suggested in your editorial, then I erred on the side of grace, but let me assure you that no decision was made about that property in executive session.

In the presentations made to the board, we were

told that additional property would be needed, we reviewed the appraisal, and were shown a map that indicated a colored parcel to which we needed title. I then asked our attorney what we would need to do once we returned to open session. His instructions were that a motion needed to be made regarding the property and that the motion needed to include which athletic complex would be effected, fee simple title, and approval by Facilities Management, Kentucky Department of Education.

Let me be clear, I did not intend to mislead anyone or withhold information to which the public would otherwise be entitled, but acted in accordance with the advice given me by counsel... advice that was given openly and loudly enough for all those present to hear. Once the board was called back into session, I acted as best I understood the instructions from our attorney.

I firmly believe that to get good leadership, you must look for the best and to keep good leadership, you must expect them to do their best. Only time will tell whether the leadership I have brought to the FCBE is indeed what we needed to move beyond the political past, to a future that will bring the maximum educational benefit to our children.

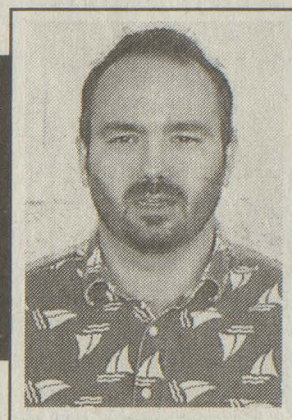
But the one thing I have learned thus far is that, it is better to earn the appreciation of an honest critic, than to endure the betrayal of a false friend.

Thank you for both your friendship and your honest critique. Congratulations in your new job. Do your best and expect others to do the same. Welcome home "RB" and ... keep up the good work!

Respectfully,  
The Reverend Johnnie E. Ross, member

## Soap Box

by Randell Reno  
Staff Writer



### Glorious Rain

By the time this week's column is read, Thanksgiving will be past, many of us will have been Christmas shopping at least once, and some will already be eating turkey or ham once more.

But on the day of this writing it is raining. Mud is everywhere, oil slicks are streaming off the roads and streets, people's glasses are fogged over and wet, forest fires are being put out or dampened, and the earth is drinking a long-awaited thirsty drink.

So, whether we have taken time to or not, we should be thankful for this blessing of cold, glorious, late fall rain. The few umbrellas I have seen have been lifted up and look to the heavens in their own tribute of thanks.

Instead, today the world has gone mad. There is a barrage, an outright attack on the various department stores as the rush for gifts and good deals is on.

The traffic has begun to build, people are everywhere, and slowly but surely the Christmas season will build tension in the masses.

Wal-Mart, Kmart, J.C. Penney's, Goody's and tons of other stores will join the power companies of the region to receive their Christmas gifts. Literally millions will be spent on gifts and on power bills that go into Christmas lights hanging everywhere.

But here right now it is raining. Glorious, wonderful, soothing, cool rain.

By the time some of you read this, your Christmas trees may already be up and decorated. You may have fought with your spouse, your children, or even your pets over just how it should look. You may have broken ornaments that were lifelong keepsakes or you may have even spent lots of cash on new ones.

You may be ready to lie down and rest on this long weekend. You could be sitting behind your table or desk working. You could be doing a million different things.

As I walked down the streets of Prestonsburg on this day that I am writing, I saw frowns from this nastiness. I heard a few folks say, "I hate this type of weather." I saw ladies with purses and notebooks over their heads trying to protect their hair. But I almost danced down the sidewalks. A needed and trusted friend has come to visit. It is raining.

Only the human race complains about the blessings it receives. Our eyes are too blind to see them. We whine when it is hot and when it is cold. We are not satisfied with snow, wind or rain. Even if you think the weather is perfect, someone around you will disagree. But for now, from the deep blue heavens, we are being given a cleansing, extinguishing, washing, settling, enjoyable rain and I for one am very, very thankful for it.

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# 'Tis the season for thanks and giving

by Paul Prather

I've been thinking about the compound word we use to describe this week's holiday.

It's made up of "thanks" and "giving," obviously. (And you wonder why I get paid the big bucks? It's to contemplate stuff like this!)

To me, "thanks" and "giving" constitute a pretty fair description of what it takes to live a joyful, spiritually rewarding life.

First, we should practice being thankful to God and to other people. It takes self-discipline to do that, yet the Bible has an awful lot to say about the importance of maintaining an attitude of gratitude.

The Scripture tells us that God inhabits, or lives in, the praises of His people. When we thank God we please Him and incur greater blessings.

Besides, when we concentrate on our blessings rather than on our disappointments, when we choose to focus on the positive rather than on the negative, we transform ourselves and others.

We lift our own spirits. We

## GOSPEL ACCORDING TO ME

encourage our neighbors, too.

It's amazing how much our choice of words affects our state of mind, and how much our state of mind affects every other aspect of our lives.

For instance, the Journal of the American Geriatrics Society recently published a new study that demonstrates scientifically how the words used to describe older people can change their physical mobility and their health.

Researchers asked seniors to play a brief computer game during which words associated with aging momentarily flashed on the screen, reports the Associated Press in a newspaper article about the study.

"Positive images of aging — words like 'wise' and 'astute' instead of downers like 'senile' or 'diseased' — received subconsciously was all it took for healthy older people to (later) pick up their walking pace," the Associated Press says. "The finding suggests that stereotypes about getting old can significantly affect how people

function. "How well older people walk can predict their future health and independence. Falls are a huge health problem, and doctors recommend exercise programs for even the very elderly to strengthen muscles important for walking and balance."

In short, older people become to some extent what they think they are. And what they think they are is influenced by the words they speak, read or hear.

The same principle probably works for all of us, regardless of our age.

If we talk about how healthy and blessed we are (and, I suspect, if we're thankful), we'll be healthier and happier. We'll walk at a snappier pace.

If we dwell on gloom and despair, well, look out.

My second point is that we should all become givers, to the Lord's work and to each other.

Jesus said, "Give and it will be given to you; good measure,

pressed down, shaken together, running over, it will pour into your lap. For by your standard of measure it will be measured to you" (Luke 6:38).

That's a promise from the Son of God.

It's one of those cosmic laws God set in motion when He founded the universe: Often we receive financial abundance and other kinds of rewards to about the same extent that we first give to others.

I'm embarrassed by how stingy many of the Lord's people are. Then they wonder why God doesn't supply the answers to their prayers.

When we give generously — Saint Paul said, "cheerfully" — we touch off a heavenly cycle.

God Himself repays us many times over what we've given, because we've proven ourselves to be people of faith and of concern for others.

So this week as you sit down to your turkey dinner, make a point of expressing thanks to the God who provided it and the person who baked it. Then find someone to whom you can give a needed gift in return.

## Rosenberg participates in forum on Capitol Hill

Prestonsburg resident Jean Rosenberg, coordinator of Education Pay\$ Career Development Center at Prestonsburg Community College, recently joined with more than 250 community leaders and service providers in Washington, D.C., November 6-9, to advocate on behalf of women in transition.

Rosenberg participated in "Shaping Our Future: Building for the Next Century, a national confer-

ence organized by Women Work! The National Network for Women's Employment.

Former Congresswoman Geraldine Ferraro, the first woman nominated on a national presidential ticket and a guest speaker at the conference, praised the work of programs such as Education Pay\$ Career Development Center for their important work helping women in transition obtain the education and training necessary to re-enter the workforce.

"Here at Prestonsburg Community College, we work with hundreds of women who are taking steps to change their lives," says Rosenberg.

"Displaced homemakers and single parents must often overcome numerous barriers to employment, including little or no experience in the paid workforce. The Education Pay\$ Career Development Center is a critical link between women in transition and full-time jobs that pay well and offer growth opportunities."

Women Work! national conference, which is held biennially,

brings together service providers and advocates from around the country for four days of skill-building, networking and advocacy.

Workshops focused on nontraditional training and careers, fund raising, financial management and special policy briefings on vocational education and workforce development issues.

At this year's conference, participants also met with U.S. Senators, Representatives and their staff at a Congressional forum and during individual office visits where they discussed women's economic justice issues and the need for continued support of educational and training programs for women.

Rosenberg visited the offices of Senator Jim Bunning and Representative Hal Rogers.

"The Women Work! Conference was a great opportunity for me to tell other programs about our program's successful strategic for helping women to achieve economic self-sufficiency and to learn from our counterparts in other states," says Rosenberg. "Our services to women in the Big Sandy Region

will be strengthened and enhanced as a result of my participation in this conference."

Women Work! is the leading national organization working to empower displaced homemakers and single parents and assist them in achieving economic self-sufficiency through education, job training and employment.

In addition to providing a national voice for women entering or returning to the workforce, Women Work! provides training and technical assistance for more than 1,400 job training and education programs nationwide and serves more than 400,000 women each year.

In the Big Sandy area, the Education Pay\$ Career Development Center provide encouragement, support and training to more than 350 women as they prepare for and enter the paid workforce.

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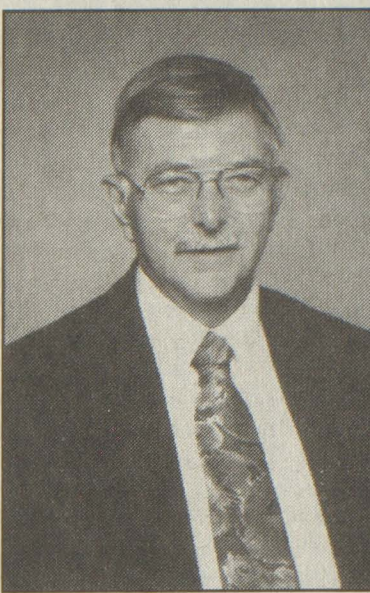
**Howard Mayo Ferguson**  
 Howard Mayo Ferguson, 89, of Auxier, died Monday, November 22, 1999, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, following an extended illness.  
 He was born August 15, 1910, in Laynesville, Floyd County, the son of the late Josh Ferguson and Rosanna Skeens. He was an employee of Inland Steel Co.  
 He was a member of the Auxier Freewill Baptist Church, and Auxier Volunteer Fire Department.  
 He is survived by his wife, Eula Mae Spurgeon Ferguson.  
 Other survivors include two daughters, Renee Wells of Van Lear, Nancy Slone of Prestonsburg; one brother, Elmer Ferguson of Wheelwright; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.  
 Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, November 24, at 2 p.m., at the Auxier Freewill Baptist Church, with Rev. Bobby Joe Spencer officiating.  
 Members of the Auxier Volunteer Fire Department acted as pallbearers.  
 Burial was in Davidson Memorial Gardens, Ivel, under the direction of Carter Funeral Home.

**Jarvey Jacobs**  
 Jarvey Jacobs, 40, of Pippa Passes, died Monday, November 22, 1999, following a house fire.  
 Born on March 29, 1959, in Knott County, he was the son of the late Arthur and Bessie Slone Jacobs. He was a disabled Kentucky-West Virginia Gas Company employee.  
 He is survived by his wife, Connie Adkins Jacobs.  
 Other survivors include two sons, Jarvey Gene Jacobs and Clarence Jacobs both of Florida; one daughter, Shirley Jacobs of Florida; three brothers, Otis Jacobs, Larry Jacobs and Merrill Jacobs, all of Pippa Passes; four sisters, Marie Jacobs and Dora Collins, both of Pippa Passes, Judy Slone of Hindman, Nettie Jean Slone of Lackey.  
 Funeral services will be conducted Friday, November 26, at 11 a.m., at the Holly Bush Old Regular Baptist Church, Pippa Passes, with ministers of the Old Regular Baptist Church officiating.  
 Burial will be in the Jacobs-Slone Cemetery, Pippa Passes, under the direction of the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.



## Allen is guest speaker at East Point church

Hoyt W. Allen Jr., executive director of the Kentucky-Ohio-West Virginia Evangelistic Association (KYOWVA), will be guest speaker at East Point Church of Christ on Sunday, December 12.  
 He will present a mission program to teens and adults during the Sunday School period, starting at 10 a.m., and he will preach at the 11 a.m. service.



**Hoyt W. Allen, Jr.**  
 Among services of the KYOWVA Ministry are beginning new congregations, financially supporting evangelists for congregations in need, administering a Bible Correspondence Course Program that involves more than 1,000 people, coordinating a group of volunteers who build churches, sponsoring quarterly men/boys supper meetings, publishing a quarterly newsletter, provision of programs for missionary talks at churches and camps, working with religious personnel, and a number of other support programs.

The church is located on KY 1100 at East Point, off US 23. Dave Flanery is minister of the congregation.  
 Rev. Allen's office is in Ironton, Ohio, at the Central Christian Church. He has been affiliated with KYOWVA since 1984 and has held seven located ministries, including at churches in Quincy, Ashland and Wallingford in Kentucky.  
 He has studied at Johnson Bible College in Tennessee, Cincinnati Christian Seminary, Summit Theological Seminary, Shawnee State University, Ohio University at Ironton and Kentucky Christian College, where he received a Bachelor of Arts degree.  
 Before entering the ministry, he worked as a steelworker, short order cook, mechanic, water well driller, painter and other jobs.  
 He is active in a number of religious organizations and is a frequent contributor to church publications.

## Governor Patton announces state veterans' cemetery

**FRANKFORT** — Governor Paul Patton announced Wednesday that the first of four state veterans' cemeteries would be located on beautiful, gently rolling farmland in the Hopkinsville area (Christian County).  
 The long-range plan is to have a state veterans' cemetery in the west, north central, northeast and southeast regions of Kentucky to supplement the three open national cemeteries, located at Camp Nelson (Jessamine County), Lebanon (Marion County), and Mill Springs (Pulaski County).  
 "Establishing these state cemeteries is long overdue and our veterans and their families have earned this benefit as a recognition for their service to the nation," Governor Patton said.  
 The U.S. Department of Veterans' Affairs (USDVA) pays 100 percent of the construction costs and the initial equipment. The state is responsible for providing the parcel of land for the cemetery and the perpetual care of administration, operation and maintenance. Local veterans' organizations and civic groups working with the county officials have been involved in acquiring potential cemetery sites for all the regions of the state.  
 Fronting on Fort Campbell Boulevard (route US 41A), the Christian County site will serve over 87,000 veterans in a 75-mile radius and the active duty soldiers and families of Fort Campbell.  
 "This fills a void in the western region for veterans and their families for burial services," Brigadier General (Ret) Les Beavers, commissioner for the Kentucky Department of Veterans' Affairs said. "We want to have the cemeteries within convenient driving distance for family members."  
 Additionally, Fort Campbell will be better able to provide burial honors as a final act of respect for the veterans.

## WEDDINGS/ENGAGEMENTS

### Pigman-Montgomery to wed

Mr. and Mrs. William "Bill" Pigman of Prestonsburg announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Mary Elizabeth, and James Scott Montgomery, son of Judy Montgomery of Thelma and James "Jim" B. Montgomery of West Van Lear.  
 The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Marguerite M. Sharp of Town Branch and Dockie Bell Pigman of Water Gap and the late Hargis Pigman.  
 The groom-to-be is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ray L. Melvin of Paintsville and Harold Montgomery of West Van Lear and the late Lula Marie Montgomery.  
 The wedding will take place at the Eastside Freewill Baptist Church on November 27, at 7:30 p.m. The custom of open wedding will be observed.

## Gov. supports budget boost for mental health services

**FRANKFORT** — Calling it a great day for people in the Commonwealth with mental retardation and developmental disabilities and the biggest step ever for state government on the issue, Governor Paul Patton announced November 17 his support for a comprehensive plan to boost mental health services in Kentucky.  
 "We're going to do this because we're a compassionate people. We're going to do this because it's the right thing to do," the governor said to cheers and applause from the group of legislators and mental health advocates gathered in the Capitol Rotunda. "We simply must make the commitment to care for the most vulnerable of our citizens. And, I'm here to tell you that I'll find the money and it'll be in my budget when that budget is submitted to the General Assembly."  
 The proposed legislation, sponsored jointly by Representatives Jimmie Lee and Steve Nunn would create the Kentucky Commission on Services and Supports for Individuals with Mental Retardation and Other Developmental Disabilities.  
 The commission would advise the governor and the General Assembly concerning the needs of persons with mental retardation; develop a statewide strategy for the regionalization of those on the waiting list for services, assuring equal access in every region of the state; assess the need for specialized out-patient clinics; evaluate the effectiveness of the service delivery system; and develop and recommend a comprehensive ten-year plan with funding in the next biennium to begin to address the plan.  
 In the first year, Gov. Patton proposes approximately \$4 million in state general funds, which, when matched with federal funds, will create more than \$13 million for community based services. \$8 million would be set aside in the second year of the biennium, when providers have had an opportunity to build upon their existing capacity.  
 When combined with the federal share, the funding over the two years will create over \$40-million in new services.  
 Governor Patton told the group that the increased funding and services won't eliminate the waiting list. "But it'll serve everyone on the emergency waiting list and hundreds more and give us the resources we need to respond to new emergencies when they occur, instead of months or years later."

## School and district accountability indices release date changed

**FRANKFORT** — The school and district accountability indices, part of the Commonwealth Accountability Testing System (CATS), will be released in mid-January, the Department of Education announced November 19.  
 The data was originally scheduled to be released in mid-December, but the National Technical Advisory Panel on Assessment and Accountability (NTAPAA) is not able to complete its review of the data by that time. The change will allow NTAPAA to make sure the interim accountability model works properly.  
 "It's important that we seek the input of our technical advisors before midpoint results are released to the schools," said Education Commissioner Wilmer S. Cody.  
 Schools already have all the data that will be used to calculate the accountability indices. In September, data from the first CATS assessment was released to schools, districts and the public. Teachers and administrators have been using the data to determine how to improve student achievement in specific subjects.  
 The accountability indices include results from the state's performance-based testing system, the Comprehensive Test of Basic Skills (CTBS) and non-academic indicators such as dropout, retention, attendance and successful transition to adult life rates. These indices, averaged with the indices from the 2000 tests and non-academic indicators, will serve as baselines for schools to use when determining goals in the CATS accountability model.  
 The accountability indices from 2001 and 2002 also will be averaged, and the progress schools make from their baselines will determine their eligibility for reward money.

## Pikeville College sponsors fifth annual Angel Tree project

The Pikeville College Psychology Club is in the process of sponsoring its fifth annual Angel Tree Project. The project is designed to help more than 120 local needy children whose names are submitted by the local family resource centers.  
 The students, faculty and staff of Pikeville College support this project by giving of their time as well as their resources. An "Angel Tree" has been placed on the campus and angel ornaments on the tree represent the needy children of the region. Students, faculty and staff are given an opportunity to choose one of these ornaments and sponsor a child. Santa and Mrs. Claus, who will spend time with each individual child, will distribute presents.  
 Pikeville College President Hal Smith, reflecting on last year's project, commented, "This is one of the most heartwarming programs in which I have had the opportunity to participate. I am very proud of our College community and the generosity shown toward others."

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# Big Sandy Briefs

## The Numbers Game

Wednesday's  
Results

November 26, 1999

Because of the early deadline, The Times was unable to record lottery winning numbers for Wednesday

### Water district introduces plans to expand services

A public meeting was held Friday, November 12, at 4:30 p. m. in the Magoffin County House by Magoffin County Water District.

Bill May read the public notice of the intent to file application with the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Rural Utilities Services for funding to construct a water line extension to service the Grape Creek-White Oak area, Cow Creek, Hammonds Fork and Salt Lick, of Magoffin County. The Magoffin County District will be seeking funds in form of a loan and a maximum of grant for which the specific area of the county is eligible.—The Salyersville Independent

was denied again by fellow board members Tuesday evening as the board met in regular session in the Magoffin County High School library.—*The Salyersville Independent*

### School resource centers to sponsor holiday food drive

The Hensley and Borders Family Resource Center are proud to announce their first Annual Christmas Food Drive to assist families in crisis or need. The food drive has been made possible through the combined efforts of students, parents, teachers, principals, nurses, school staff and Family Resource Center personnel.

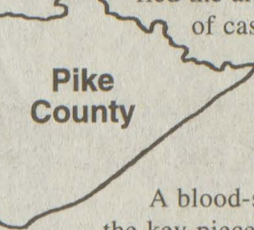
The Family Resource Centers are now accepting non-perishable food items or monetary donations for the food drive at Millard Hensley and Prater Borders schools through December 13. Donors can drop off items at the Millard Hensley or Prater Borders Resource Centers Monday through Friday between 2:30 p. m. and 4 p. m. or call on the centers to make other arrangements.—*The Salyersville Independent*

### Four indicted for false mine statements

A federal grand jury in Ashland has returned indictments against four people, including a McCarr woman, who has been charged with making false statements on a Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) Certificate of Training.

The indictments, which involve two separate cases, were announced last Nov. 19 in a statement jointly released by Joseph L. Famularo, a U.S. attorney for the Eastern Division of Kentucky in Lexington, and Assistant Secretary of Labor for Mine and Safety and Health Administration Davitt McAteer.—*Appalachian News Express*

Around 10 p. m., police say an attendant at the Coleman Oil gas station at Shelbiana was closing for the night when a white male wearing a purple ski mask entered the store armed with a sharp instrument and demanded money. The attendant complied with the demand, police say, and the suspect then fled the area on foot with an undisclosed amount of cash.—*Appalachian News Express*



### Grand jury will hear miner's murder case

A blood-spattered pair of blue jeans are among the key pieces of evidence of tying a Virgie man to the Nov. 6 beating death of a 68-year-old retired coal miner, a detective on the case testified in Pike District Court Friday, Nov. 19.

Testimony given by Kentucky State Police Detective Sean Welch about possible reasons for the killing of Richard "BeBay" Roberts were enough to send the case against Kalton Joe Adkins, 20, to the Pike Grand Jury, where he will be subject to criminal indictment on capital murder and first-degree robbery charges.—*Appalachian News Express*

### Extra principal issue dies again from lack of support

Prater-Borders and John T. Arnett Elementary will continue to remain under one principal, at least for the time being and probably through the current school year.

An effort by two Magoffin County School Board members to add another elementary principal's position

Mark Grayson, publisher of The Martin County Sun, responded to are "Around the Region." Grayson said the allegation that he asked the Martin fiscal court to pay for an audit for his paper, as originally printed in the Martin Citizen, is untrue. According to a letter Grayson's lawyer sent to County Judge-Executive, Lon Lafferty, Grayson proposed that each paper pay its part of the audit. The last sentence of the letter reads, "Each newspaper would pay the cost of auditing its own circulation and all parties would agree to be bound by the result." The Times regrets the error.

### Maynard gets 10 years

On the final day of the long and storied career of Martin Circuit Judge James A. Knight, Milo resident Wanda Maynard received final sentence for her involvement in the cover-up of the murder of William Ratliff.

Maynard, 33, entered a guilty plea in September on charges of tampering with physical evidence and arson. She received five years on each of the two counts. Although it was believed she might receive shock probation, Judge Knight imposed the original sentence.

Maynard, along with Melody Bowen, reportedly burned

the vehicle that Bowen and accused murderer Gary Haven Cochran Mills were driving the day Ratliff's charred remains were found inside his burned-out Ford pickup truck on an abandoned strip mine road on KY Rt. 645 near Milo.—*Mountain Citizen*

### Judge Knight gives up gavel

After nearly 20 year of judicial service for Martin, Johnson and Lawrence counties, 24th Judicial Circuit Judge James A. Knight dismissed court for the last time.

Judge Knight, well known for his wit, fairness and fair legal hand, said his decision was based on health reasons, citing diabetes and poor vision along with a few other minor ailments for retiring.

His role as an elementary teacher years before pursuing a legal profession helped serve him well as an attorney and as judge. As one novice newspaper reporter put it, "Judge Knight helped me a great deal when I first started covering court stories. He always made sure I understood what was going on, explaining court room procedures and legal terminology."—*Mountain Citizen*

### Arraignment held in Blaine shooting case

A Lawrence County woman accused of shooting her husband two weeks ago was arraigned on an assault charge last Wednesday.

Coleen Jordan, 34, of Blaine, did not enter a plea to the first-degree assault charges against her, but District Judge Susan Mullins Johnson scheduled a preliminary hearing for, Wednesday, in the felony case.

Johnson also said that the \$25,000 bond against the woman would remain.—*Big Sandy News*

Board of Education office. Persons interested in the vacant seat have until Dec. 6 to apply.—*Big Sandy News*

### Mills testifies as evidence wraps up in murder trial

Gary Mills took the witness stand in his own defense Monday and claimed that his former girlfriend killed Lawrence County resident William Walker Ratliff during an altercation over money in March 1998.

Mills, taking the stand in Johnson Circuit Court as testimony in his murder trial was winding down, claimed that Melody Bowen cut Ratliff's throat after Ratliff provoked a fight with Mills.

Mills said he, Bowen and the victim had gone to a Martin County strip mine to "party" and that Ratliff and Bowen wandered off into the woods. When they returned, Mills said Ratliff and Bowen began arguing over money and that Ratliff began fighting with Mills. Mills said that a gun went off during the struggle and that Bowen then slit Ratliff's throat.—*Big Sandy News*

### Applications now available for vacant county school board seat

The search has officially begun for a replacement for Lawrence County school board chairman Proctor Mullins, who died in October.

Applications for Mullins' Blaine district school board seat are now available in the Lawrence County

### Community workshop set here to plan for new century

More jobs, affordable transportation, fewer dropouts, safer homes. These are a few of the ideas a group of Morgan county agencies has generated in a collaborative effort to improve our community for the upcoming millennium.

In the spirit of old-fashioned barn raisings and quilting bees, the group, which calls itself Vision 2000, invites the community to join the building of this county-wide plan. The group will host a community asset building workshop Tuesday, Nov. 30, at the Morgan County High School. Registration will begin at 5:30 p.m. and the meeting will begin at 6 p.m. Refreshments will be served.—*The Licking Valley Courier*

Total personal income in Morgan County increased from \$104,707,00 in 1980 to \$152,273,000 in 1997, according to a report recently by the Department of Commerce. This represented an increase of 45.4 percent in total local personal income from 1990 through 1997.

The same report indicates that total personal income nationally had increased by 45.4 from \$4.66 trillion in 1990 to \$6.77 while personal income in Kentucky had increased by 44.4 percent from \$55.7 billion in 1990 to \$80.4 billion in 1997.—*The Licking Valley Courier*

### ARH Auxiliary active and growing

In the last two years, the Morgan County ARH Auxiliary's membership has increased from 16 to 33 volunteers, and being a very active group is what the organization believes accounted for this turnaround in growth.—*The Licking Valley Courier*

the college is responding appropriately.

"Alice Lloyd College fully supports integrity in the democratic process and has no tolerance for fraudulent activity of any kind. Appalachian students enjoy a quality education with an emphasis on character building here at Alice Lloyd. Our response to student involvement is to reprimand them while also teaching them the importance of ethical behavior."—*Troublesome Creek Times*

### Vote-buying: It's both a crime and a tradition

Required by a college course to observe a class at Caney Creek Elementary School, Amy Renee Robinson and Stephanie Dawn Edwards got more of an education than they expected.

A federal indictment alleges that the teacher they observed, Phillip Darrell Sparkman, persuaded them to sell their votes for \$30 each in a hotly contested May 1998 Democratic primary election for Knott County Judge-executive. Now Sparkman and five others are charged with vote fraud in an alleged scheme to buy the votes of dozen Alice Lloyd College students.—*Troublesome Creek Times*

### Total personal income increases

### Tight budget for Knott Co. school board

The Knott County School Board of Education covered a full agenda in a lengthy meeting on Nov. 11, including a discussion of the working budget for 1999-2000, an update on policies dealing with TB testing and sharing information on the forming of a local planning committee.

Finance officer Roger Martin outlined the current year's budget. Total revenue of \$13,360,653, plus the beginning balance for the year, gave the school system approximately \$14,157,000 in operating funds, Martin explained.—*Troublesome Creek Times*

### Alice Lloyd College responds to voter fraud allegations

In the fall of 1999, Alice Lloyd College was informed by a media report that nine students were involved in an alleged 1998 Knott County voter fraud scheme. After conducting an internal investigation, Alice Lloyd College is responding with both punitive and educational measures. Joe Stepp, Alice Lloyd College president, emphasizes that

### State police respond to two separate robberies

Officers from Kentucky State Police Post 9 in Pikeville responded to two separate robberies on Friday, Nov. 19.

### Service shirkers keeping rates up

Governor Paul Patton's expressed support for a state law requiring Kentuckians to participate in garbage collection programs drew a round of applause from members of Johnson County Solid Waste Commission, but they added that requiring participation and enforcing it were two different issues.

Johnson County enacted an ordinance in the mid-1980s requiring residents to enroll in a trash pick up program, but 15 years later just about half are actually using the service.—*The Paintsville Herald*

filing os fuits, he said anyone who has not paid taxes in any of the past several years is likely to be sued soon, and he urged those property owners to settle up.—*The Paintsville Herald*

### 'Air raid' eyed in battle for tourists

The Paintsville Tourism Commission wants travelers to tune into what Johnson county has to offer, but they may not have to make them stop before they can look and listen.

The Commission on Thursday, Nov. 18, authorized executive director Jim Williams to research the the cost associated with developing a low-power radio station that will offer information on Johnson County tourist attractions to people on the go.

The station, which would have limited range, would provide continuous pre-recorded information that could be updated frequently to coincide with tourism offerings—such as the Kentucky Apple Festival.—*The Paintsville Herald*

### Tax Dodgers still have time to dodge suits

Assistant county attorney Lance Daniels has received authorization to file suit against 49 delinquent property owners, but he said those people still have time to avoid legal action.

While Daniels did not identify the latest list of delinquent property taxpayers pending the actual

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97 TOYOTA CAMRY LE	11550	8990
96 TOYOTA CAMRY LE	13575	9990
97 NISSAN ALTIMA GXE	11475	9990
97 HONDA CIVIC LX	12625	9990
97 HONDA ACCORD	14500	10990
98 HONDA CIVIC DX	12275	10990
97 HONDA CIVIC EX	14050	10990
96 NISSAN MAXIMA GXE	14100	11990
96 NISSAN MAXIMA SE	16050	12990
97 HONDA ACCORD	19,000 miles	12990
97 SUBARU LEGACY	14135	12990
96 TOYOTA AVALON	Moonroof, leather	14990

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97 FORD ESCORT LX	8400	5990
97 GEO METRO LIS	8075	5990
97 FORD ASPIRE	15,000 miles	5990
97 CHEVY CAVALIER	8875	6990
96 GEO PRIZM	SAVE \$55	6990
98 DODGE NEON	8400	6990
98 DODGE NEON	SAVE \$55	7990
97 PONTIAC SUNFIRE SE	12350	8990
98 GEO TRAC	10525	8990

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96 OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME	10875	7990
98 CHEVY MALIBU LS	14600	9990
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97 PONTIAC GRAND AM GT	11825	9990
98 CHEVY LUMINA	15500	10990
98 CHEVY LUMINA	SAVE \$55	11990
98 OLDS CUTLASS	16025	11990
99 PONTIAC GRAND AM SE	SAVE \$55	12990
99 CHEVY MONTE CARLO	19,000 miles	12990
99 BUICK CENTURY CUSTOM	SAVE \$55	12990
97 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE SSE	18100	12990
97 BUICK RIVIERA	20175	12990
98 OLDS INTRIQUE	17375	12990
99 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE SE	18700	13990
99 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX SE	17900	13990
99 CHEVY MALIBU	14875	13990
99 BUICK LESABRE CUSTOM	19450	14990
99 BUICK REGAL LS	19650	14990

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Model	Price	Save
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96 OLDS AURORA	Pearl white, moonroof	18000
97 CADILLAC SEVILLE	28650	17990

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96 FORD CONTOUR GL	8350	5990
95 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX SE	8550	6990
97 FORD CONTOUR GL	9375	6990
97 OLDS ACHEVA	9375	6990
98 FORD T-BIRD LX V8	9350	6990
96 PONTIAC GRAND AM	SAVE \$55	6990
97 CHEVY LUMINA	11175	7990
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97 CHEVY S10	9050	5990
96 FORD RANGER	9100	6990
97 MAZDA B2300 X-CAB	9200	6990
98 CHEVY S10 L3	12350	7990
98 OLDS 98 REGENCY	13925	11990
98 OLDS ALERO	15200	11990
98 MITSU ECLIPSE	SAVE \$55	11990
98 CHEVY CAMARO	7,000 miles	12990

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Model	Price	Save
95 CHEVY ASTRO CONVERSION VAN	SAVE \$55	8990
95 FORD WINDSTAR	11100	8990
96 PLYMOUTH VOYAGER	12200	8990
92 DODGE RAM 350	15-passenger Van	9990
96 PONTIAC TRANSPORT SE	14450	9990
95 MERCURY WILLAGER	12100	9990
96 FORD WINDSTAR GL	17400	10990
98 FORD WINDSTAR GL	17800	10990
99 PLYMOUTH VOYAGER	12,000 miles	13990
97 PONTIAC TRANSPORT	Leather	19950
99 PONTIAC MONTANA	SAVE \$55	16990
96 CHRYSLER TOWN & COUNTRY	Leather	20100
98 CHEVY ASTRO	20700	16990

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Model	Price	Save
95 GEO TRACKER	SAVE \$55	3990
96 GEO TRACKER 4x4	Hardtop	6990
96 JEEP CHEROKEE 4x4	SAVE \$55	9990
97 KIA SPORTAGE EX 4x4	13875	9990
97 JEEP WRANGLER SE	13950	10990
93 CHEVY SUBURBAN CHEYENNE	SAVE \$55	12990
95 NISSAN PATHFINDER	15175	12990
96 CHEVY S10 BLAZER	19650	14990
96 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE	18275	14990
96 FORD EXPLORER LIMITED	Pearl	19700
97 HONDA PASSPORT 4x4	20300	15990
97 NISSAN PATHFINDER 4x4	20300	15990
97 GMC JIMMY SLS 4x4	38,000 miles	20250
97 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE	20325	16990
98 CHEVY S10 BLAZER LS 4x4	21800	16990
96 HONDA PASSPORT 4x4	22450	16990
97 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE	V8	20425
97 FORD EXPLORER LIMITED	Pearl	24800
98 DODGE DURANGO 4x4	27850	21990
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**The Father House, Big Branch, Abbott Creek;** Sunday School, 10:00; Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, J.J. Wright.

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**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. WPRG 8 p.m. Sundays.

**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 Fundamental Baptist Church; Pastor, Gary Fish.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

**BUFFALO**  
**Endicott Freewill Baptist Church;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Youth Service, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. and the first Saturday each month at 7:00 p.m.; Sunday Service, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, B.J. Crider.

**CORN FORK**  
**Brandy Keg Freewill Baptist, Corn Fork;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday

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

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

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

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**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.

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**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.

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**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.

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

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

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**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

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**Free Pentecostal Church of God,** Weeksbury; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Saturday, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Pastor, John "Jay" Patton.

**Weeksbury Church of Christ;** Sunday, 10 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Mike Hall.

**WHEELWRIGHT**  
**Wheelwright United Methodist Church,** Wheelwright; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 services; Pastor, Bobby Isaac.

**Youth Fellowship Center;** Youth Meeting, Mon.-Tues., 6:00; Thursday Night Bible study, 7:00 p.m..

**Wheelwright Freewill Baptist,** Wheelwright junction; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7 p.m.; Wednesday evening worship, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Louis Ferrari.

**Free Pentecostal Holiness Church, Rt. 122,** Upper Burton; Friday night, 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Louis Sanlan; Rev. David Pike, assistant pastor.

**Lighthouse Temple, Middle of Main Street, Hall Street;** Sunday Services, 12:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday Services, 7:00; Pastor, Roy Cosby.

**WEST PRESTONSBURG**  
**Faith Deliverance Tabernacle, West** Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Thursday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Don Shepherd.

**First Assembly of God, West** Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday night, Bible Study 7 p.m.; Pastor, James T. Benton.

**The Church of God of Prophecy, West** Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Night, 6 p.m.; Wednesday night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Arner B. Whitaker.

**Free United Baptist Church, West** Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:30 p.m.; Midweek Prayer Service, 6:30 pm.

**WAYLAND**  
**Zion Deliverance Church, Wayland;** Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship service 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7 p.m.; Saturday Evening Worship, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Mike Davis.

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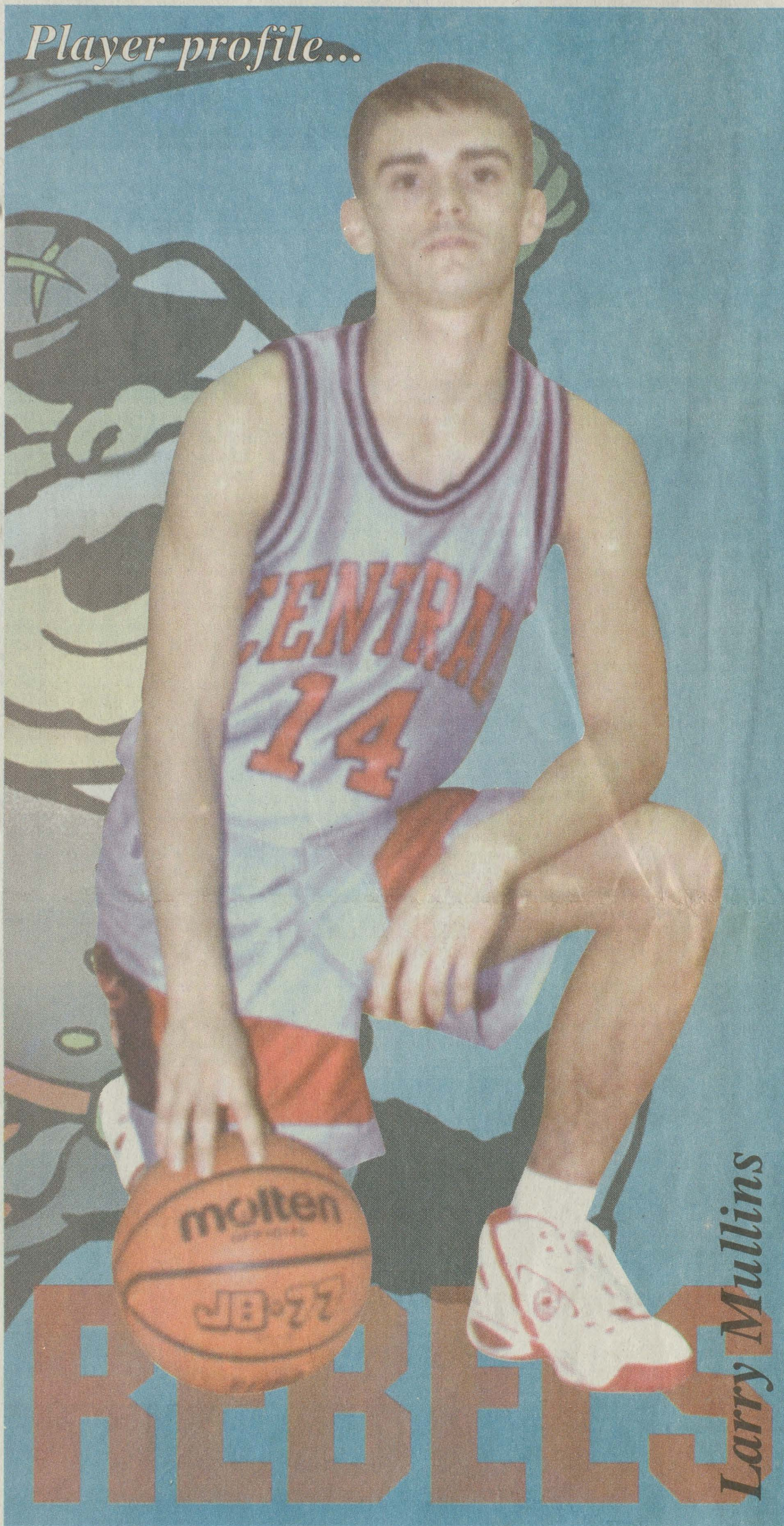
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Larry Mullins

Mullins will need broad  
shoulders in '99-'00

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

Last year, Allen Central's Larry Mullins (5-foot-8, 140) could go on the floor and just be himself. After all, Mullins was surrounded by four other talented players who shared the load of team leadership.

That was last year. This is this year and Mullins will be a lone returning starter for the Rebels when the season tips off Tuesday night at home against Feds Creek.

Gone are Nick Samons, running mate of Mullins at the two-guard; Gary Hunter, small forward; Jesse Hall, power forward; and Brian Jones. Mullins knows his role this basketball season.

"I realize there is a big load on my shoulders this year in leading this team," he said. "I have to pick my game up a lot. I know also that I am going to have to step up another level. But I think we will have a good season."

Mullins averaged just over 12 points per game last season while dishing off an average of 2.1 assists. He realizes the loss from last year but also is optimistic about the upcoming season.

"We lost a lot from last year, losing four of our starters," he said. "But Coach (Johnny) Martin is a

good coach and he knows what he is doing. We have a lot of talent coming up. We have a strong junior class and we have three or four good seniors who will help lead us this year."

While the Rebels do have seniors, they are not experienced seniors. Leslie Slone, Jeremy Sexton, Josh Howell and Nathan Goble are the foursome but none saw much playing time last year.

"Jeremy Sexton is going to help us a lot," said Mullins. "He is quick and big. He didn't get to play that much last year, but he has improved."

Of the returning players, Jeremy Hayes probably saw more playing time than any of the others. However, Mullins says he needs to be more of a force in the game.

"He has to step up his game tremendously," said Mullins. "He has to get a lot done at the three spot."

Josh Howell, according to Mullins, played early but "slacked off" as the season went on last year.

"All Josh has to do is build his confidence up," said Mullins. "He can shoot the ball real well."

Leslie Slone will most likely be the running partner of Mullins this season and he is another who burn

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Lykens, Clark combine for  
35 points for the Lady Cats

by Karen Joseph  
Sports Writer

It was another emotional night at Betsy Layne on Tuesday night as the school honored its eighth graders.

A special dedication was sent out to Jessica Bentley. Jessica's grandmother was there to receive Jessica's medallion. Jessica is recovering at the University of Kentucky. The student body and the staff at Betsy Layne Elementary School wanted to wish her a speedy recovery and to wish her and her family a Happy Thanksgiving.

After the ceremony, the Bobcats took on the Lady Rebels from Allen Central Middle School. Betsy Layne got off to a slow start, but they got going in the second quarter to defeat the very strong Allen Central Rebels.

Whitney Lykens was the leading scorer with

25 points, including two three-point baskets. Kim Clark finished with 11 for the Lady Cats.

For the Lady Rebels, it was Terri Mullins leading the way with 10 points.

The Bobcats defeated the Rebels by a score of 46-31.

Whitney Lykens put the Bobcats on the scoreboard first by hitting a lay-up to begin the game, but on the next trip down the floor Samatha Nelson answered for the Rebels by scoring two.

For the Bobcats, it was all Lykens and Clark in the first half of the game. Lykens had eight points and Clark had four in the first quarter.

For Allen Central, Terri Mullins had four points in the first period and Samatha Nelson and Jessica Isaac each had a basket.

Allen Central got the ball to start the second

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Terry Moore hits free throw to  
give Rebels win over Bobcats

by Karen Joseph  
Sports Writer

For the second night in a row, Dwight Newsome and his Betsy Layne Elementary boys basketball team have had a hard night.

On Monday night, the Bobcats lost a heart-breaker to Allen Elementary in overtime. Then, on Tuesday night, the game went right down to the final seconds when the Bobcats lost another nail biter to Allen Central Middle School.

Terry Moore hit a free throw with 1.1 seconds remaining on the clock to give the Rebels the win.

Jordan Kidd had three three-pointers for the Bobcats and Dustin Addis had four three-pointers for the Rebels. It was a battle on the boards for both teams. Both teams have height and speed.

Dustin Addis hit three treys in the first quarter for the Rebels and Jordan Kidd had one trey for the Bobcats. The Rebels outscored the Bobcats by eight points in the first quarter, giving them a 17-9.

The Bobcats fought hard in the second quarter. They outscored the Rebels by two points in

the quarter, but still trailed at the half by six.

Jordan Kidd hit another three for the Bobcats and Brent Newsome had six points for Betsy Layne. Jonathan Vanderpool had four points in the second period for the Rebels. Wes Tackett had three points and Paul Francis and James Slone each had two points for the Rebels in the second quarter. The score was 28-22 in favor of the Rebels at the half.

The Bobcats came out in the second half with determination in their eyes, outscoring the Rebels by four points in the third quarter.

Jordan Kidd, Brenton Akers and Jeremy Coleman had two each for the Bobcats in their comeback in the third quarter.

Brent Newsome helped his team's cause by scoring five points, three from the charity stripe, for the Bobcats.

For the Rebels, Paul Francis hit a three-pointer and Justin Hall and Austin Francis contributed to the team by scoring two points each.

The Bobcats continued to fight back in the fourth quarter, but came up one point shy of

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Breann Akers (15) and Becky Thomas (42) go up for the rebound in the game between the Betsy Layne Lady Bobcats and the Allen Central Lady Rebels. (Photo by Karen Joseph)

# Oneida Baptist routs Piarist Knights

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

Oneida Baptist scored 39 points in the first quarter and never looked back as they posted a 104-54 win over the Knights of the Piarist School in the Three Rivers Conference tournament at Riverside this past Sunday.

George Hall scored 22 points to lead the Knights with Matt Goeing in double figures with 14 points.

Oneida jumped out quickly in the opening quarter with its full court defense scoring several easy baskets off turnovers. Oneida led 39-7 after the first quarter. Robert Hall hit a three-point basket in the first quarter with Evan Mulliken and Brett Hall scoring two points each.

George Hall, who went score-

less in the first eight minutes, had nine second-period points with Goeing scoring six, but the Knights trailed 53-22 at the half.

In the third quarter, Goeing had six points and George Hall hit the first of his two three-point baskets. Mulliken had four points in the

period.

Oneida led from the start to the end, led by Woods with 21 points. Flahn added 14 and Curtis scored 16.

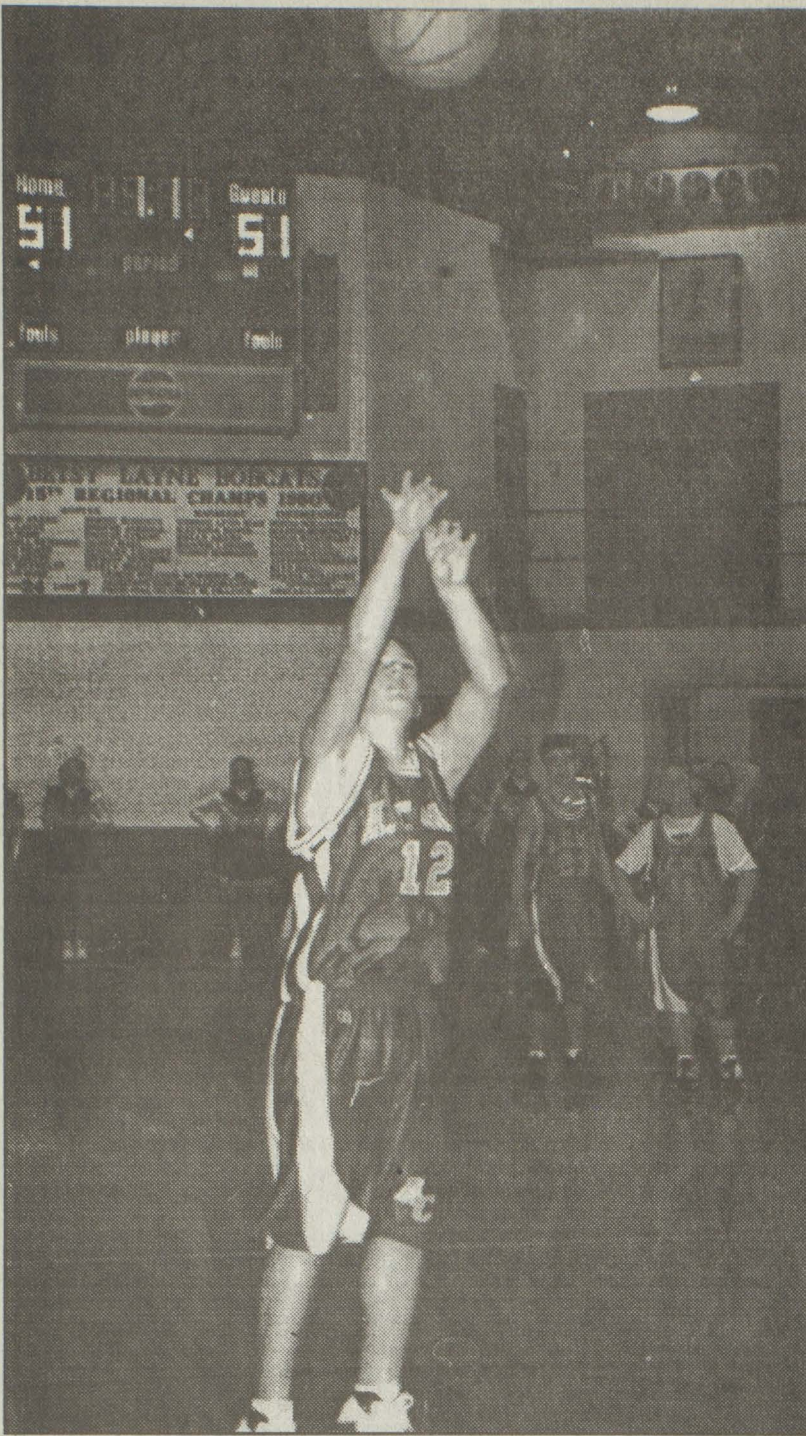
Mulliken and Brett Hall had six points each for Piarist. Robert Hall and Brian Yates had three points

each, both hitting three-point baskets.

George Hall had 12 rebounds for the Knights. Mulliken pulled down seven and Brett Hall had six. George Hall had five assists.

Piarist hit 37 percent from the floor for the game.

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Terry Moore (12) scored only one point in the game against Betsy Layne, but it was one point that really counted. Moore hit a free throw with 1.1 second to go to give the Rebels the 52-51 win. (photo by Karen Joseph)

## Sports Schedule

Saturday, November 27  
LadyCat Shootout at Betsy Layne

Monday, November 29  
Girls Basketball  
Allen Central at Johnson Central  
Prestonsburg at Magoffin County  
Pikeville at South Floyd

Grade School Basketball  
Osborne 5th-6th Grade  
Tournament  
Shag Campbell Invitational  
Tournament at Allen

## Rebels

the Rebels and the Rebels came away with the win.

In the fourth quarter, Paul Francis hit 4-of-6 shots at the free throw line. Austin Francis and Dustin Addis each had a three-point basket for the Rebels. Austin also hit a two-point basket. Justin Hall had two points and Terry Moore hit a free throw, his only point in the game, to give the Rebels the lead.

The lead went back and forth in the fourth quarter and the score was tied with 1.1 seconds remaining in the game, when Betsy Layne was called for a foul when Moore went up for the shot.

Moore missed the shot but hit the crucial free throw to win the game. Betsy Layne called a timeout in an attempt to ice Moore, but it didn't work. Allen Central won over the Bobcats 52-51.

Jordan Kidd hit another three in the fourth quarter, plus a two-pointer and a free throw for a total of 16 in the game. Brent Newsome hit two baskets and two free throws in the fourth to give him 21 for the game. Adam Roberts scored all four of his points in the final quarter. Brenton Akers finished with four, while Jeremy Coleman, Buddy Conn and Preston Simon each finished with two for a total

of 51 points for the Bobcats.

For Allen Central, Justin Hall finished with seven points, Austin Francis had 10, Paul Francis had 13 and Terry Moore had one, the game winning point. Dustin Addis led the Rebels in scoring with 14, Jonathan Vanderpool finished with four and Wes Tackett finished the game with three for a total of 52 points.

Both teams will have the rest of the week off and will resume play on Monday night. Betsy Layne will travel to Mountain Christian Academy and Allen Central will play in the Shag Campbell Invitational Tournament.

## Lykens

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quarter, trailing the Bobcats by three. Allen Central came within two points in the second quarter when Terri Mullins stole the ball and took it the distance of the floor to score with 4:19 remaining in the half.

Betsy Layne failed to score on their next trip down the floor, but on the next possession by Allen Central, Kim Clark stole the ball and made a very pretty pass to Whitney Lykens to score two points and give the Bobcats back the four-point lead.

On the next possession by the Bobcats, it was Lykens getting the assist to Clark and Clark adding to the Bobcats lead. Jessica Isaac hit a long shot at the buzzer to bring the Rebels within nine of the Bobcats going into the locker room.

In the second half, both teams came out cold. Neither team scored until three minutes had passed in the third quarter.

Samatha Nelson hit a two-point basket for the Rebels to pull them within seven points of the Bobcats.

But Whitney Lykens quickly took charge. Lykens stole the ball and took it the distance to score two points. Then, on the next trip down, Lykens hit a three-point basket to give the Bobcats a 12-point lead.

The Bobcats led by as many as 17 points in the third quarter and the quarter ended with the score of 37-20.

The Rebels refused to give up. They came back strong in the fourth quarter, outscoring the Bobcats by two points.

No. 15 (Do not have name on roster) came off the bench for the Rebels to score four points in the fourth quarter. Terri Mullins also had four points for the Rebels in the fourth. But the Lady Bobcats held on to win the game with the score of 46-31.

Breann Akers finished with four for the game. Akers did some very good rebounding for the Bobcats. Candice Meade finished the game with only two points but had a very good defensive game for the Bobcats. Tabetha Witt had two points for the Bobcats and a very good game inside.

For the Lady Rebels, Terri Mullins finished with 10 points and played a very good defensive game as well. Samatha Nelson finished with four points for the Rebels. Becky Thomas had four points for the Rebels and several rebounds. Jessica Isaac finished with eight points and No. 15 had four points in the game.

Both teams will have the rest of the week off and will resume play on Monday night. Betsy Layne will travel to Mountain Christian Academy and Allen Central will participate in the Shag Campbell Tournament at Allen.

### Osborne Fall Classic

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## Mullins

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of Mullins this season and he is another who burn the nets.

"When Leslie gets hot, he is hot," said the returning guard. "As long as he is hitting and we are working hard, we are going to do good."

Inside presence for Allen Central will have to come in the form of Z.W. Chaffins (6-3, 230) just a sophomore.

"Z.W. is going to help us a lot," said Mullins, "when he gets back, especially when we have

to play a team like Pikeville and Paintsville. Over the summer he played against Belfry's Jonathan Wright and shut him down. He is going to be a big part of this team."

Mullins mentioned Rodney Scott, who played so well in last year's Class A state tournament.

"Rodney Scott, if he can get things straightened out, he can help us. We need Rodney. He proved that in last year's state tournament."

The Rebels will play the same up tempo game, according to Mullins, that has been their trademark over the years under Coach Martin.

"We will run the same run-and-gun style basketball as last year," he said. "With the lack of height we have, that is what we have to do if we are going to win. I think we will have a good year. We have better shooters than last year and that is going to help."

## Prestonsburg Junior Basketball

Results of the Prestonsburg Junior Basketball League from last weekend.

### JUNIOR VARSITY LEAGUE PACERS VS BULLS

A fourth-quarter rally by the Pacers came up two points short in a 39-37 loss to the Bulls in junior varsity play. The Pacers had a 17-7 fourth quarter run before the clock expired on the rally.

Andrew Shepherd scored 19 points to lead the Bulls' scoring, with Brooks Herrick netting 10. Tommy Johnson and Westley Hall added four, while Mikey Crum finished with two.

Game scoring honors went to the Pacer's Nick McGuire with 20 points. McGuire hit four three-point baskets in the game. He had 15 of the 17 points the Pacers scored in the fourth period.

Zach Ousley added six points for the Pacers. Wesley Woods netted four while Ricky Crider and Bobby Hughes scored two apiece.

The Pacers held a 8-6 lead after the first quarter, with McGuire scoring four points. Herrick had four points for the Bulls.

In the second period, the Bulls went on a 13-6 run that netted them a 19-14 halftime lead. Shepherd scored nine points in the quarter, including a three-point basket.

Shepherd continued his scoring in the third period and led another 13-6 spurt that earned the Bulls a 32-22 lead after three periods. Shepherd scored nine points in the third quarter.

### HAWKS VS LAKERS

Zack Stanley pumped in 23 points and Matthew Crisp hit for nine points in leading the Hawks to a 41-21 win over the Lakers. Michael Lackey added six points, Chris Baker netted two and Benji Fish scored one.

James Lafferty's 11 points led the Lakers. Chayse Martin totaled nine and Carman Maines had one point.

Martin had six of his nine points in the first quarter and Lafferty scored five, including a three-point basket, to give the Lakers an 11-8 lead. However, the Lakers went scoreless in the second quarter and trailed 19-11 at the half.

In the fourth quarter, Stanley scored 13 points in a 15-3 run for the Hawks.

### TRAINING LEAGUE

#### BULLETS VS HORNETS

Taylor Clark had the hot hand in the first quarter for the Bullets, scoring 10 points and finishing with a game-high 14, as the Bullets won over the Hornets 22-10. Jesse Brock added eight points for the Bullets.

Dustin Coleman led the Hornets with eight points. Lewis Plummer scored two.

The Bullets led 14-4 after the first quarter behind Clark. The Hornets went scoreless in the second period and trailed 16-4 at the half. After three quarters it was a 20-4 game.

#### SIXERS VS LAKERS

The Lakers edged the Sixers

13-10 with Jody Tackett scoring eight points and Josh Rodebaugh five.

Cameron Tincer led the Sixers with six points. Nathaniel Stephens scored three and Josh Holbrook added one.

It was scoreless after the first quarter, but the Lakers outscored the Sixers 10-5 in the second to lead at the half.

#### SONICS VS HAWKS

Jared May scored eight points to lead the Hawks past the Sonics in training league play. The Hawks posted a 14-4 win Saturday afternoon. Joshua Head netted four points and Steven Boatwright added two.

Vincent Hayes and Christopher Mullins scored two points apiece.

The Hawks led 6-0 after the first quarter and took a 8-2 lead to the locker area at the half.

#### PEE WEE LEAGUE

##### KNICKS VS BULLS

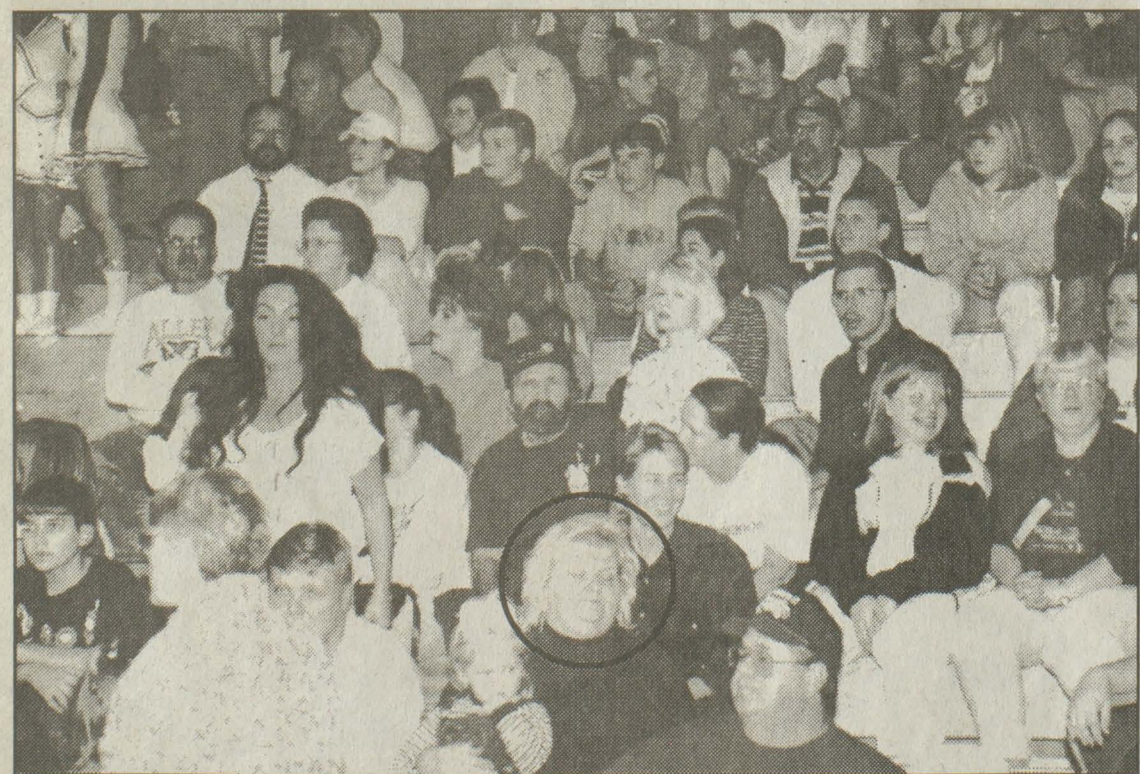
The Knicks got eight points from Myles Mixin in an 11-9 win over the Bulls in basketball play. Frankie Conn tossed in two points and Evan Bays scored one for the winners.

Brian Branham led the Bulls with seven points, while Will Allen scored two.

##### BULLS VS PACERS

The Bulls and Pacers played to a 4-4 tie and both teams went home happy. Trinity Stewart and Corey Forney had two points each for the Pacers. Brian Branham scored all four points for the Bulls.

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KY 41659. Any person, association, corporation, or body politic may protest the granting of the license(s) by writing the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control, 1003 Twilight Tr. A-2, Frankfort, KY 40601, within 30 days of the date of this legal publication.

**NOTICE OF BIDS**

The Floyd County Board of Education is requesting sealed bids on a mechanic truck.  
**Bid Specifications:**  
One 2000 model to include:  
V8 gasoline engine, four (4) wheel drive, regular cab and chassis, 141" WB, manual trailer tow mirror, dual rear wheels, power steering, power brakes, air-conditioned, AM-FM radio, color white with gray interior, vinyl bench seat, floor mats, manual transmission, a tool bed with a tommy lift, rear or front five (5) ton winch - reese hitch application, rear axle ratio 488 with a locking differential, 15,000 lbs GVW, eight (8) foot snow blade with attachment with inside controls, engine block heater.

Bids will be accepted at the Floyd County Board of Education, Attention: Finance Dept., 183 North Aronld Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The Floyd County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Any questions, please call Marvin Jervis at (606) 285-9443 ext. 14. Sealed bids will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. on December 6, 1999. All sealed bids received will be opened at 2:00 p.m. on the above date.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Pursuant to 405 KAR 8:010, Section 16(5), the following is a summary of permitting decisions made by the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Division of Permits with respect to applications to conduct surface coal mining and reclamation operations in Floyd County.  
Czar Coal Corporation  
836-5339  
Issued 991004

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In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Joshco Mining, Inc., P.O. box 400, Virgie, Kentucky 41572, has applied for Phase III bond release on Permit Number 836-5298 which was last issued on September 22, 1998. The application covers an area of approximately 12.00 acres located 1.00 mile southwest of Orkney in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.30 miles west from Moore Branch Road's junction with KY Route 122 and located 3,000 feet north of Pilgrim Rest Church. The latitude is 37°25'36". The longitude is 82°44'42".

The bond now in effect for this permit is a certificate of deposit

in the amount of thirty-one thousand six hundred dollars (\$31,600.00). One hundred percent (100%) of the original bond amount of \$31,600 is included in this application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: establishment of the post-mining land use.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by January 4, 2000.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for Wednesday, January 5, 2000, at 9:00 a.m., at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg

Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. This hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by January 4, 2000.

#### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application #898-0284, Renewal (1) In accordance with KRS 350.55, notice is hereby given that Lodestar Energy, Inc., 251 Tollage Creek, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501 has applied for renewal of a permit for an existing surface and underground coal mining and reclamation operation. This operation consists of 707.68 surface acres and 1554.46 underground acres for a total of 2010.94 acres

and is located 5.70 miles southwest of Pikeville in Pike and Floyd Counties.

(2) The proposed operation is approximately 4.2 miles southwest from Pike 1289 junction with KY Route 1426 and located 1.1 miles south of Island Creek. The Latitude is 37°25'04". The Longitude is 82°36'17".

(3) The proposed operation is located on the Pikeville U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The operation will use the contour strip and auger method of surface mining. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Sam Fields, Gene and Garnett Hall, Harrison and Juanita Rogers, G.B. Spears, Goldie Clark Heirs and Pearl Martin Heirs, Jackuelene Hall, Bruce Hall Heirs, Hubert Hall, Industrial Fuels Mineral Corp.,

Chapperal Coal Corp., Hayes Johnson, Crit and Lydia Johnson Heirs, Frank Johnson, Prater Creek Processing Co., Inc., Willard and Kate Akers, Thomas B. Ratliff, and Lodestar Energy. The operation will underlie land owned by Jacqueline Hall, Bruce Hall Heirs, Hubert Hall, Industrial Fuels Mineral Crop, Chapperal Coal Corp., Hayes Johnson, Crit and Lydia Johnson Heirs, Frank Johnson, Prater Creek Processing Co., Inc., and Lodestar Energy. The operation will affect an area within 100 feet of public road 3416 Island Creek County Road and 3379 Branham Creek County Road. The operation will not involve relocation of the public roads.

(4) The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional Office, 109 Mays Branch Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

The project is located in Floyd County, Kentucky. A finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) is anticipated for the proposed project. A Draft FONSI is included with the DEA for public review.

In compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and 40 CFR 1501.4, the DEA and draft FONSI must be available to the public in the affected area for thirty (30) days for review and comment. Final determination regarding the need for additional NEPA documentation will be made after the public review period, which begins on or about November 1, 1999. Copies of the documents may be viewed at the following locations:

Office of the Mayor  
90 North Lake Drive  
Prestonsburg,  
Kentucky

Mr. Nicholas E. Krupa, Chief Environmental Analysis Branch, Planning Division Huntington District Corps of Engineers  
502 Eighth Street  
Huntington, West Virginia 25701-2070

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

Floyd County Public Library  
53 North Arnold Avenue  
Prestonsburg, Kentucky

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

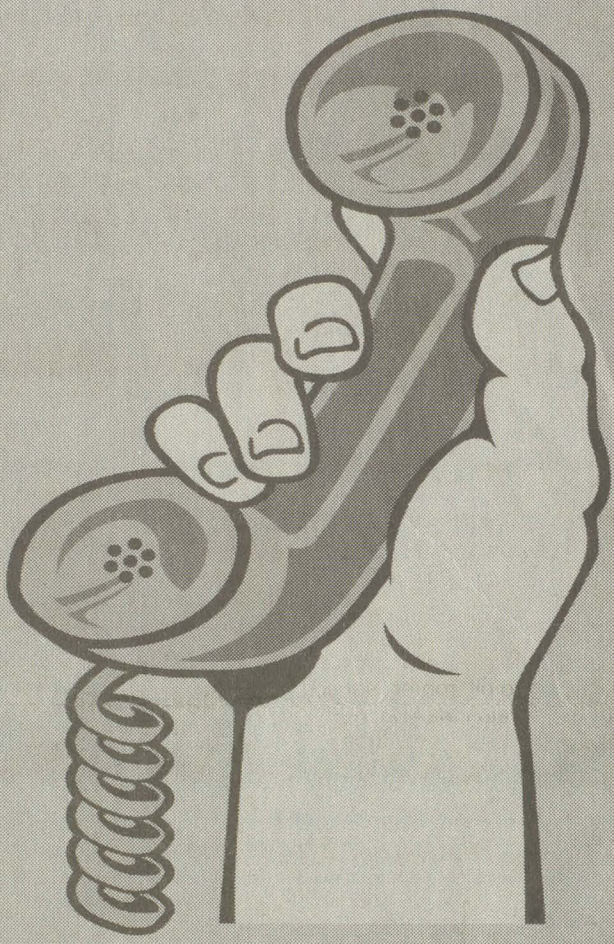
Mr. Nicholas E. Krupa, Chief Environmental Analysis Branch, Planning Division Huntington District Corps of Engineers  
502 Eighth Street  
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#### NOTICE TO: THE HEIRS OF MELVIN AND LOUISA HOOVER YOU MAY BE ENTITLED TO ROYALTY PAYMENTS!

Any person who believes they may be an heir or descendant of Melvin Hoover and Louisa Hoover should contact:

Attorney Donald H. Combs  
P.O. Drawer 31  
Pikeville, Kentucky 41502  
(606) 437-6226  
who has been appointed by the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky to inform all heirs of Melvin and Louisa Hoover of their rights to royalty payments in Civil Action No. 98-332 styled "Estate of Louisa and Melvin Hoover, Margaret Hayes, Administratrix, et al. v. Equitable Production Co., et al".

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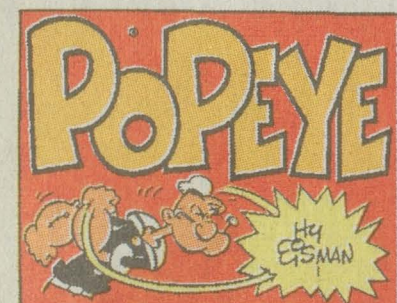
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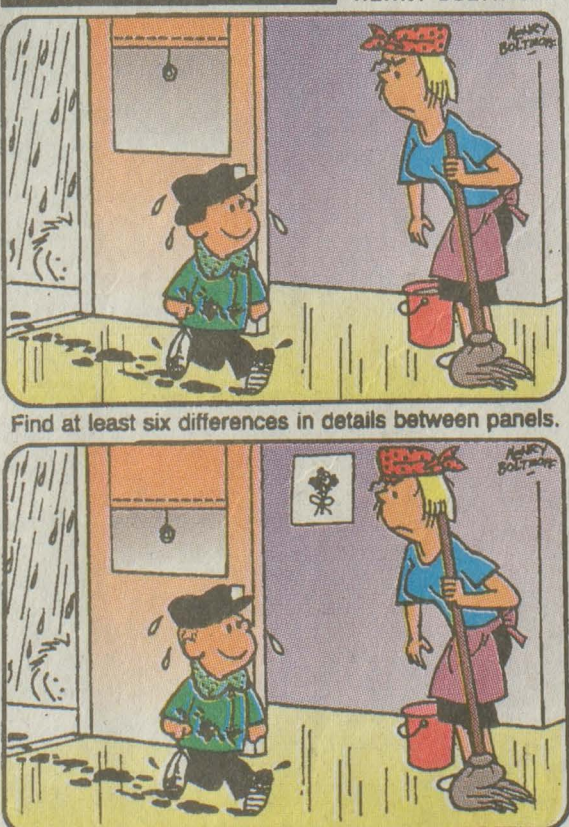
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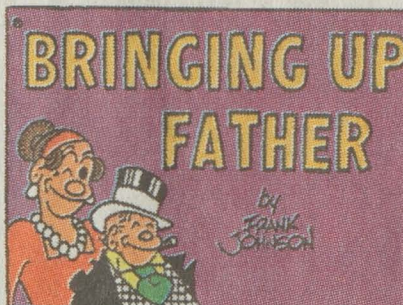
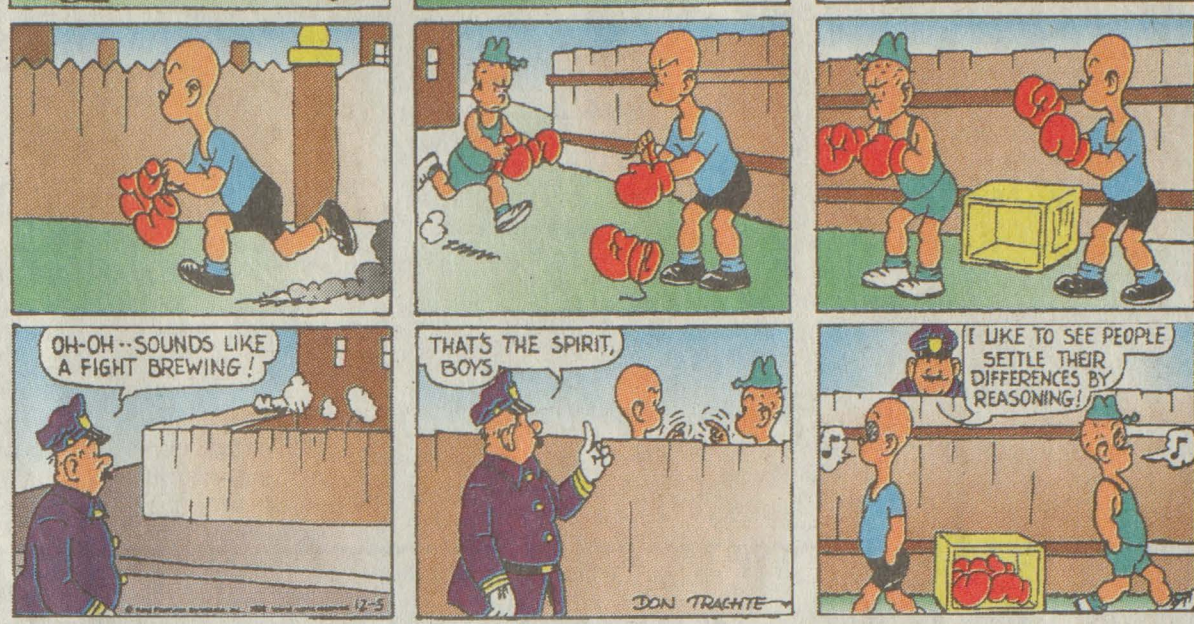


## HOCUS-FOCUS BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Differences: 1. Bandanna is backward. 2. Picture has been added. 3. Shade is lower. 4. Bucket has no water. 5. Boy's hat is different. 6. Broom handle is taller.

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



### Super Crossword

- ACROSS**
- 1 Trails
  - 5 Strike-breaker
  - 9 Burst of energy
  - 14 "Lonesome George"
  - 19 Gulf country
  - 20 Unwind a rind
  - 21 Actress Shire
  - 22 Nose
  - 23 Vitile statistics?
  - 24 Movie mutt
  - 25 Speaker of remark starting at 42 Across
  - 27 Alarm
  - 29 Mrs. Zeus
  - 31 XXVII x II
  - 32 Sleep stage
  - 33 Contralto Stevens
  - 35 Rampur royalty
  - 39 Soho snack
  - 41 Diocese
  - 42 Start of a remark
  - 49 Hair ball?
  - 50 Former nation: abbr.
  - 51 D-Day code name
  - 52 Gilbert of "Roseanne"
  - 55 Game division
  - 58 Massachusetts city
  - 60 Paint pigment
  - 62 Author Irving
  - 63 Fluffy female
  - 64 September birthstone
  - 67 They may be saturated
  - 70 Add fringe
  - 73 Remsen or Flatow
  - 74 Cambodia's Lon
  - 75 Part 2 of remark
  - 81 Fire
  - 82 — Dhabi
  - 83 Oomph
  - 84 Floor model
  - 85 Flatter
  - 88 A mean Amin
  - 90 Stillier's partner
  - 94 Be nosy
  - 95 Null and void
  - 99 Impasse
  - 100 Basilica area
  - 101 Make some dough
  - 102 Jet-setter's need
  - 104 Onassis' nickname
  - 105 Part 3 of remark
  - 110 Sosa stat
  - 113 Swell place?
  - 114 Moment of truth
  - 115 — do-well
  - 116 Browning's bedtime?
  - 117 Pipe cleaner?
  - 119 Manipulates
  - 122 In shock
  - 126 End of remark
  - 132 Word with steak or soda
  - 137 Hunky-dory
  - 138 Key
  - 139 Rob of "Silk Stalkings"
  - 140 Sorcery
  - 141 Lacquered metalware
  - 142 Football
  - 9 Fr. holy woman
  - 10 Norm
  - 11 Einstein's birthplace
  - 12 100 dinars
  - 13 "Bewitched" kid
  - 14 Actress Rita
  - 15 Planet, for one
  - 16 Transvaal residents
  - 17 Roast host
  - 18 Delibes opera
  - 26 Done
  - 28 Org.
  - 30 Eyebrow shape
  - 34 Cozy
  - 35 Sailor's shout
  - 37 "Nautilus" captain
  - 38 Author Dinesen
  - 40 Moral man?
  - 42 Wading bird
  - 43 "Candid Camera" creator
  - 44 — Domini
  - 45 '88 US Open winner
  - 46 Mason's tool
  - 47 Proposition
  - 48 Apiece
  - 53 Endangered animal
  - 54 TV's "Broken —"
  - 56 Facts, for short
  - 57 Spruce
  - 59 Sill
  - 61 Sniggler's quarry
  - 65 Parched
  - 66 Sheet of stamps
  - 68 It'll give you a lift
  - 69 "Elephant Boy" actor
  - 71 Guy's counterpart
  - 72 Monitor message
  - 75 Animals
  - 76 Successful
  - 77 "High Sierra" actress
  - 78 Salad veggie
  - 79 Bullets, briefly
  - 80 Director Nicolas
  - 81 "Nash Bridges" network
  - 86 Reggae's Peter
  - 87 Dual-use items?
  - 89 "What — for Love" (75 song)
  - 91 Slightly open
  - 92 Exceptional
  - 93 Surrounded by
  - 96 Neither masc. nor fem.
  - 97 Crooner Jerry
  - 98 Slaps on
  - 99 Shoestring
  - 101 Persian poet
  - 103 Freshly
  - 106 Push a product
  - 107 A/C measure
  - 108 Spear-headed
  - 109 Porthos' pal
  - 110 Appomattox signature
  - 111 Freeway sounds
  - 112 Gold brick?
  - 118 Author Ferber
  - 120 "Braveheart" extra
  - 121 Nevada city
  - 123 Gusto
  - 124 — Stanley Gardner
  - 125 Profound Peter
  - 127 Vinking weapon
  - 128 Fleur-de—
  - 129 Souffle ingredient
  - 130 Actress MacGraw
  - 131 Cal. page
  - 133 "Toodle-ool"

### MAGIC MAZE

#### MICHAELS

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

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| Bolton   | Crawford | Faraday | Jordan  |
| Caine    | DeBaKey  | J. Fox  | Learned |
| Chang    | Dukakis  | Jackson |         |

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## Mountain artists on display

Story and photos  
by Pam Shingler

Three Floyd County artists have works in the new "Images from the Mountains" exhibit at Appalshop, the arts and heritage organization in Whitesburg.

Larry May, Richard Nunemaker and Shannon D. Shepherd are among the elite whose work was chosen for the traveling exhibit that will visit 12 eastern Kentucky towns from now until late 2000.

The exhibit opened Sunday at the Appalshop gallery.

May's intriguing oil and acrylic entry is titled "Lost Valley, Lost Dog." It incorporates elements of the retired art teacher's life in northern Kentucky where he taught for almost 30 years before moving back to the mountains.

The artist grew up at Toler Creek, the son of Phil May and the late Myrtie Hamilton May. When he retired, he moved to Benham in Harlan County, his wife's hometown.

May says his painting in the show represents the concept of losing and gaining. He says he lost some things when he moved from his farm near Covington, but he felt he had to get back to the hills.

His work has been shown at the Mountain Arts Center in Prestonsburg and at galleries in northern Kentucky. He works full time as an artist in his Benham studio now.

Richard Nunemaker's portrait, "Pieciful Times," depicts a woman's face mottled by the lines of age and experience. A Vietnam veteran, Nunemaker worked for a time as an illustrator in Fort Wayne, Indiana, but spent the last 26 years in the sign business before retiring.

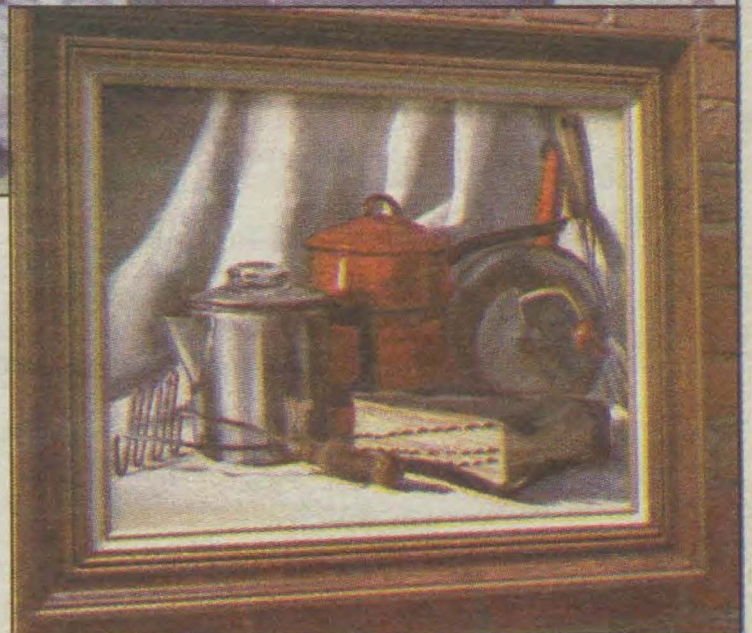
In the exhibit brochure, Nunemaker says he finished the acrylic and water color painting in 1998. "I've found much satisfaction and joy in doing this lady from a



Larry May, a Floyd County native now living in Harlan County, stands beside his painting "Lost Valley, Lost Dog," at the opening reception Sunday for the Images from the Mountains exhibit at Appalshop in Whitesburg.

Carolyn Boyd of Morehead has three oil paintings in the exhibit.

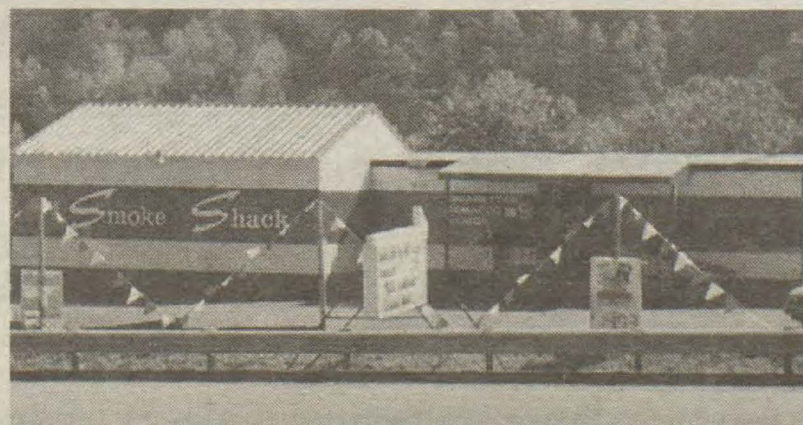
This one, titled "Grandma's Tools," shows "objects once used by my mother on a regular basis," she



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24	2	TBS	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	★★½ "Oscar" (1991, Comedy) Sylvester Stallone.			★★★ "Rocky III" (1982, Drama) Sylvester Stallone.			★★ "Rocky IV" (1985, Drama) Sylvester Stallone.			★★½ "Rocky V" (1990)				
3	3	NBC	Saved-Bell	Hang Time	City Guys	One World	City Guys	Inside Stuff	Greg White	Tubby Smith	Country	Edition	College Football: Bayou Classic -- Grambling State vs. Southern. (In Stereo Live)					
4	5	PBS	Barney	Salty's	Creatures	Zoom	Sewing	Sew	Schools	Reading	Culture	Culture	Power-Place	Power-Place	Ventured	Ventured	Free Speech for Sale	
8	8	ABC	Doug	Recess	Pepper Ann	Sabrina	Doug	Mountaineer	Mickey	Pepper Ann	College Football: Arizona at Arizona State. (Live)						PGA Golf	
23	9	WGN	Video Computer Store	Rocket Chef	Show	Aire Core 3	Outdoor	Soul Train (In Stereo)	★★ "The Mighty Ducks" (1992, Comedy) Emilio Estevez.			Xena: Warrior Princess	Hercules-Jrnys.					
6	10	CBS	Cryptkeeper	Warriors	Wild Amer	MobileHm	Walters Auto Report	Tubby Smith	College Football: Vanderbilt at Tennessee. (Joined in Progress) (Live)						College Football: Syracuse at Miami.			
11	11	FOX	Digimon	Xyber 9	Monster	Digimon	Beast	Avengers	NFL	More-Game	★★★ "March of the Wooden Soldiers" (1934, Fantasy)			Party of Five (In Stereo)	Star Trek: Voyager			
13	13	CBS	(8:00) Saturday Early Show	Paid Prog.	Rescue	Flying Rhino	Magazine	College Football: Vanderbilt at Tennessee. (Live)						College Football: Syracuse at Miami.				
7		ABC	Doug	Recess	Pepper Ann	Sabrina	Doug	Winnie-Pooh	Mickey	Squiggle	College Football: Georgia at Georgia Tech. (Live)						PGA Golf	
14	46	ESPN	Spanish Fly	Photo Safari	Sportscenter		College Gameday		College Football: Pittsburgh at West Virginia. (Live)						Gameday	Timber	Shooting	Tennis
33	30	DSC	Outward	Real Kids	Hunter-Croc		Incredible	Movie Magic	Ten Deadliest Snakes		Shark Attack Files II (R)	Into the Unknown (R)		Sole Survivor (R)		Aquatic Ape (R)		
16	31	TNT	Wild, Wild West	Adv. of Brisco County, Jr.			Due South (In Stereo)	Twilight Z.	★★ "Don't Tell Mom the Babysitter's Dead" (1991) Christina Applegate.				★★★ "Trading Places" (1983, Comedy) Eddie Murphy.					
31	32	A&E	Guide to Historic Homes	America's Castles (R)		House Beautiful (R)		Tess of the D'Urbervilles (R) (Part 1 of 2)			Tess of the D'Urbervilles (Part 2 of 2)			Bio. Millennium				
27	33	TNN	Secrets	Fishing	Outdoors	Ducks	Shooter	Powerboats	In-Fish	Hunting	Outdoor	Trucks!	Car	ClassicCar	Horsepower	Mechanic	Inside NASCAR (In Stereo)	
19	34	NICK	Catdog	Catdog	Catdog	Catdog	Catdog	Catdog	Catdog	Catdog	Catdog	Catdog	Thornberrys	Thornberrys	Thornberrys	Thornberrys	Thornberrys	Thornberrys
17	35	USA	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	WWF Live Wire (In Stereo)		Hercules-Jrnys.	Walker, Texas Ranger	★ "Downhill Willie" (1997, Comedy) Keith Coogan.				"Swimsuit: The Movie" (1997, Comedy) Rebecca Bush.					
28	38	FAM	Kids	Angela	Pretenders	Countdown	S Club 7	Big Wolf	Weird Ohs	Kids	Angela	S Club 7	"Ferngully... the Last Rainforest" (1992)	Partridge	Partridge	Boss?		
34	41	MTV	Daria (R)	Britney	TRL Weekend Edition		News (R)	House of Style-10th Anniv.	True Life (R)	Model	Model	Model	Model	Fashionably Loud V		House of Style-10th Anniv.		
	43	LIFE	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Next Door	Next Door	★★½ "Wife, Mother, Murderer" (1991) Judith Light.			Trial: The Price of Passion		
	44	CNBC	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	CNET News.com	
	45	ESPN2	Sportscenter (R)		NFL Films	X 2Day (R)	Bloopers		Golf: Showdown at Sherwood.			College Football: Air Force at New Mexico. (Live)						
29	49	AMC	Poor Little Rich Girl (1936)	Fashion	★★½ "One Touch of Venus" (1948)		★★★ "Cleopatra" (1963, Drama) Elizabeth Taylor, Richard Burton.			Roman Spring-Mrs. Stone								
10	51	SCIFI	Mystery Science Theater 3000 (R)				★★½ "Roujin Z" (1991, Science Fiction)			★½ "Scanner Cop" (1993, Science Fiction) Daniel Quinn.		★★ "Scanners II: The New Order" (1991) David Hewlett.						
32	52	HIST	Military Blunders		Military Blunders: The Bay		Military Blunders: Disaster		Military Blunders		Military Blunders: Japan's		Military Blunders		Military Blunders: German			
35		FX	Picket Fences	Beverly Hills, 90210		Beverly Hills, 90210		★★★ "Big" (1988, Comedy) Tom Hanks.				M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	In Color	In Color	
20	14	HBO	Can't Hardly	Edge	Howard Cosell: Telling		Inside the NFL (In Stereo)		Reverb (R) (In Stereo)		★ "Spice World" (1997) Melanie Brown.		Worst Witch	★★½ "Turner & Hooch" (1989) PG			"In & Out"	
	15	HBO2	Flamingo	★★★ "The Ice Storm" (1997, Drama) Kevin Kline. 'R'			3 Cats-Miami	★★½ "Midnight in the Garden of Good and Evil" (1997, Drama) Kevin Spacey. 'R'				★★★½ "Born on the Fourth of July" (1989) Tom Cruise.						
	16	HBO3	Place in Sun	★★★ "Chinatown" (1974, Drama) Jack Nicholson. 'R'				★½ "Hope Floats" (1998) Sandra Bullock. 'PG-13'						★★★ "Winchell" (1998) Stanley Tucci. 'R'		★★½ "Cousin Bette" (1998) 'R'		
21	17	MAX	How Stella Got Her Groove	★★★ "Holiday for Lovers" (1959)			★★½ "Renaissance Man" (1994, Comedy) Danny DeVito. 'PG-13'			"Eat Your Heart Out" (1997) John Craig.		★★★½ "Dead Poets Society" (1989) 'PG'						
	18	DISN	PB & J Otter	Rolie Polie	★★ "Pippi Longstocking" (1997) 'G'			Ducktales	Amazing	Omba Moko.	★★½ "Air Bud" (1997) Michael Jeter. 'PG'			Jersey	Jersey	Jersey	Jersey	

# UK Art Museum features U of L artist

On November 14, the University of Kentucky Art Museum opened an important exhibition of paintings and drawings by Louisville artist Henry Chodkowski.

As a result of several extended visits to Greece, most recently in 1991-92 and 1998-99, Chodkowski has been inspired by the Minoan labyrinth at Knossos. His richly textured landscapes, acrylic paintings and graphite drawings, often layered with collage, are moody meditations on elemental forms that invoke the modern and ancient landscapes of Greece.

Jay Kloner, professor of art history at University of Louisville, writing in the cata-

logue that accompanies this exhibition, notes that Chodkowski's observations of Crete are "the basis for visual insights."

"The degree of feeling for landscape as portent is virtually unique. There is manifest respect for nature's shadow. It is as if old millennial forebodings surface here. While this could be reminding of apocalyptic thought, it is all the more appropriate to our time in positing generative class," Kloner writes.

Chodkowski was born in Hartford, Connecticut, in 1937 and studied at University of Hartford (B.F.A. 1961) and Yale University (M.F.A. 1963).

As professor of advanced painting at the University of

Louisville, Chodkowski is an influential teacher, known as much for the achievement of his students—Gaela Erwin, Mark Priest, Guinever Smith, Katherine Fenwick, Mary Newton—as for his own art. The works on view are courtesy of the artist and Heike Pickett Gallery, Versailles, Kentucky.

"Henry Chodkowski: Mavros Labyrinthos Series" continues through February 27, 2000. An exhibition catalogue will be available at the museum.

"Henry Chodkowski: Mavros Labyrinthos Series" has been made possible by the Richard Florsheim Art Fund and the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Louisville.

The exhibition, organized by the artist, premiered at the Miami University Art Museum, Oxford, Ohio, in September and will travel to the Dishman Art Gallery, Lamar University, Beaumont, Texas, following its showing at the University of Kentucky Art

Museum. The University of Kentucky Art Museum is open noon to 5 p.m., Tuesday through Sunday; closed Mondays and University holidays.

For more information, call 606/257-5716.

## Bluegrass for charity

A bluegrass music concert to serve as a Christmas fundraiser for foster children is planned for Saturday, December 4, from 6 to 10 p.m. at the Ball Creek Volunteer Fire Department, near Softshell in Knott County.

Scheduled to perform are Sherri Prater and Band, O'Dean Smith,

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24	2	TBS	(4:00) "Rocky V" (1990)	WCW Saturday Night			*** "For Your Eyes Only" (1981, Adventure) Roger Moore, Carole Bouquet.			*** "Never Say Never Again" (1983) Sean Connery.							
3	3	NBC	(2:00) College Football	News	NBC News	Fortune	Cash Exp.	*** "Home Alone" (1990, Comedy) Macaulay Culkin.			Most Amazing Videos		News	Saturday Night Live (R) (In Stereo)			
4	5	PBS	Legislative	Religion	Lawrence Welk Show	Red Green	Red Green	Kentucky	Ky Life	Keeping Up	Wait for God	Time Goes	Goodnight	Short List	Short List	(Off Air)	
8	8	ABC	(4:30) PGA Golf: Skins Game -- First Day. (Live)	Entertainment Tonight			College Football: Notre Dame at Stanford. (Live)			News			Relic Hunter (In Stereo)	NYPD Blue			
23	9	WGN	Beastmaster (In Stereo)	Earth: Final Conflict	Fresh Prince	Ill. Luckiest	*** "The Doctor" (1991, Drama) William Hurt.			News (In Stereo)		Wayans	**** "Raiders of the Lost Ark" (1981)				
6	10	CBS	(3:30) College Football: Syracuse at Miami. (Live)	Paid Prog.	Chito	Figure Skating: Ice Wars: USA vs. the World.			Walker, Texas Ranger		News	Sports	Lost World (In Stereo)				
11	11	FOX	Dream Team (In Stereo)	X-Files "Dreamland"	Friends	Friends	Cops	Cops (R)	America's Most Wanted		News		Mad TV (In Stereo)		WWF Jakked		
13	13	CBS	(3:30) College Football: Syracuse at Miami. (Live)	Access Hollywood			Figure Skating: Ice Wars: USA vs. the World.			Walker, Texas Ranger		News	Coach	Coach	Hercules		
7		ABC	(4:30) PGA Golf: Skins Game -- First Day. (Live)	News	Seinfeld	College Football: Notre Dame at Stanford. (Live)			News			ER "Rites of Spring"		Profiler			
14	46	ESPN	Tennis: ATP Championship -- Semifinals	Sportscenter		College Football: Wyoming at San Diego State. (Live)			College Gamenight			Sportscenter	College Basketball (Live)				
33	80	DSC	UFOs Over Phoenix (R)	Guide		Storm Warning! (R)		Wild Discovery: Gorillas		Chimpanzees in the Congo		Justice Files (R)		New Detectives (R)		Wild Discovery: Gorillas	
16	31	TNT	Trading	** 1/2 "Sixteen Candles" (1984, Comedy) Molly Ringwald.			Grinch	**** "E.T. the Extra-Terrestrial" (1982, Science Fiction) Dee Wallace.			*** 1/2 "The Shawshank Redemption" (1994, Drama) Tim Robbins.						
31	32	A&E	Bio. Millennium	Biography of the Millennium: 100 People... 1,000 Years			"Horatio Hornblower: The Duel" (1999) Ioan Gruffudd.			"Horatio Hornblower: The Fire Ships" (1999, Adventure)			Horatio Hornblower				
27	33	TNN	Rollerjam (R) (In Stereo)	** "Search for Grace" (1994) Lisa Hartman Black.			Opry	Grand Opry	Gaither Gospel Hour		Oak Ridge Boys		Opry	Grand Opry	Gaither Gospel Hour		
19	34	NICK	Thornberrys	Thornberrys	Thornberrys	Thornberrys	Thornberrys	Thornberrys	To Be Announced (In Stereo)			I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	Lucy and Desi		Laverne	Happy Days
17	35	USA	** 1/2 "Wayne's World 2" (1993, Comedy) Mike Myers.			* 1/2 "Exit to Eden" (1994, Comedy) Dana Delany.		** 1/2 "Housesitter" (1992, Comedy) Steve Martin.			** 1/2 "Dead Man's Curve" (1998) Matthew Lillard.						
28	38	FAM	World Gone Wild	** "Au Pair" (1999, Comedy-Drama) Gregory Harrison.			"Dad, the Angel & Me" (1995) Judge Reinhold.			** "Grease 2" (1982, Musical) Maxwell Caulfield, Michelle Pfeiffer.							
34	41	MTV	Road Rules	Road Rules	Road Rules	Road Rules	Road Rules	Road Rules	True Life (R)	Fashionably Loud V (R)	House of Style-10th Anniv.	Model	Model	Model	Model	Model	Fashionably
	43	LIFE	(4:00) ** "Trial: The Price of Passion" (1992, Drama) Peter Strauss.	"Love's Deadly Triangle: The Texas Cadet Murder"			Oh Baby	Ruby (R)	Any Day Now (In Stereo)		** "The Lemon Sisters"						
	44	CNBC	Ushuaia	Tim Russert		Squawk Box	Olympic	National Geographic Explorer (R)			Tim Russert (R)		National Geographic Explorer (R)				
	45	ESPN2	Football	At the Races	College Basketball: Puerto Rico Shootout -- Teams TBA			NHL Hockey: Chicago Blackhawks at St. Louis Blues. (Live)			NFL 2Night	NFL 2Night	NBA 2Night	Gamenight			
29	49	AMC	Roman Spring-Mrs. Stone	**** "Stagecoach" (1939, Western) John Wayne.			*** "Five Million Years to Earth" (1967) Andrew Keir.			History of Pinball		Glowing in the Dark		"Stagecoach" (1939)			
10	51	SCIFI	*** "The Butcher's Wife" (1991, Comedy) Demi Moore.			*** 1/2 "Field of Dreams" (1989, Fantasy) Kevin Costner.		** 1/2 "Leviathan" (1989, Science Fiction) Peter Weller.			** "Watchers" (1988, Horror) Corey Haim.						
32	52	HIST	Military Blund	Military Blndrs		Military Blunders		History's Lost & Found		Wrath of God: Disasters	David L. Wolper: The Man That Makes		Crossing	History's Lost & Found (R)			
35		FX	Beverly Hills, 90210	Beverly Hills, 90210		M*A*S'H	M*A*S'H	In Color	In Color	Married...	Married...	Toughman World Champ.		* "Warriors" (1994, Drama) Gary Busey, Michael Pare.			
20	14	HBO	(4:45) "In & Out" (1997)	** "Can't Hardly Wait" (1998) Jennifer Love Hewitt.			* 1/2 "I Still Know What You Did Last Summer" (1998)			Taxicab Confessions Six		*** 1/2 "Boogie Nights" (1997) Mark Wahlberg. 'R'					
	15	HBO2	Born-4th	*** "Losing Isaiah" (1995, Drama) 'R'			*** "Deadly Voyage" (1996, Suspense) Omar Epps. 'R'		** 1/2 "Midnight in the Garden of Good and Evil" (1997) Kevin Spacey.			Inside the NFL (In Stereo)		Midnight			
	16	HBO3	Cousin Bette	** 1/2 "Outbreak" (1995, Suspense) Dustin Hoffman. (In Stereo) 'R'			Long Shots: The ABA			*** "Cast a Deadly Spell" (1991) 'R'		** 1/2 "Witch Hunt" (1994, Mystery) Dennis Hopper. 'R'		"Ponette"			
21	17	MAX	Dead Poets	**** "Unforgiven" (1992, Western) Clint Eastwood. (In Stereo) 'R'			* 1/2 "Deadly Outbreak" (1996, Drama) 'R'		** 1/2 "Heartbreak Ridge" (1986) Clint Eastwood. 'R'			Pleasure		"Masseuse 2" (1997) 'NR'			
	18	DISN	Jersey	Jersey	Jett Jackson	Jersey (R)	So Weird	** 1/2 "Air Bud" (1997) Michael Jeter. 'PG'		"You Lucky Dog" (1998, Comedy) Kirk Cameron.			So Weird	Jersey (R)	Zorro	Spin-Marty	

# NEWS OF THE WEIRD

by Chuck Shepherd

— In November in Tokyo, a passenger was killed in a car accident that occurred when the driver, Ms. Tomomi Okawa, 25, rammed a concrete pole; according to police, she lost control when she missed the brake pedal because of her trendy but clunky platform shoes. And in September, schoolteacher Misayo Shimizu, 25, died several hours after fracturing her skull on a sidewalk after toppling over in her 5-inch-heel platform shoes.

— Mr. Patrick Corp, 24, pled guilty to possession of child pornography in Grand Rapids, Michigan, in November and will be recommended for a federal prison sentence. He had photographed his 17-year-old girlfriend with her permission. Although she is beyond the age of consent to have sex in

Michigan, she is too young to be photographed while doing so. In Canada, photographer Gary Geisel, 56, is fighting the same battle; Canada's age of consent for sex is 14, but Manitoba and other provinces set the photograph age at 18.

## 1999 Election Roundup

— In mayoral voting, pro wrestlers Jerry "The King" Lawler finished third in Memphis, Tennessee (11 percent of the vote), and Outlaw Josey Wales IV finished third in Houston (10 percent). David W. Irons Jr. won a county council seat in Seattle, beating his sister Di, who had the support of their parents. Eugene Reppenhagen beat his ex-wife Carol for a seat on the Gloversville, New York, town council. Levi Levy, 67, lost all five seats he ran for this year in Fairfax County, Virginia.

And African-American Albert Jones finished third in the Louisiana governor's race, six weeks after ballot officials rejected his attempt to list himself as Albert "Super Nigger" Jones.

## Cultural Diversity

— The German Supreme Court ruled in August that the lifetime guarantee offered by U.S. clothing retailer Lands' End is illegal in that country because it is "economically unfeasible" and therefore is unfair competition, despite its validity in the United States, England and Japan. Previously, the Zippo lighter and Tupperware companies had had to eliminate their lifetime guarantees in order to do business in Germany.

— Latest Rumors: The Cambodian government had to calm widespread fears in

June that evil spirits surrounding the royal family had demanded the souls of long-haired women, thus setting off a surge of hair sacrifices around the royal palace aimed to pacify the demons. And in August, several women were injured leaping from speeding cars in Zimbabwe because they believed a rumor that some drivers were forcing women to breastfeed large frogs in order to attain prosperity.

— In July, the Bangladesh Acid Survivors Foundation sponsored a tearful return to Dhaka by six young women who had received plastic surgery abroad to recover from sulfuric acid attacks by men because the women's families had paid them insufficient dowries. The United Nations said there were 130 such attacks in

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24	2	TBS	(8:00) "The War Wagon"	*** "Never Say Never Again" (1983, Adventure) Sean Connery.						*** "Octopussy" (1983, Adventure) Roger Moore, Maud Adams.						"Licence to Kill" (1989)			
3	3	NBC	Juicing	Vaa Impe	Kenneth C.	Rod Parsley	Meet the Press	Foreman	Bob Pruett	** "The Christmas Box" (1995) Maureen O'Hara.			Nutcracker on Ice		Figure Skating (In Stereo)				
4	5	PBS	Barney	Teletubbies	Dragon	Wishbone	Zoboomafoo	Arthur	Bottom Line	Comment	W. Edwards Deming		Living Literature		Tony Brown	To Contrary	MotorWeek Kentucky		
8	8	ABC	Henry M.	Foreman	In Touch Ministries		Children	This Week	Baywatch Hawaii			Golf: Gillette Tour Challenge Championship. (Live)		PGA Golf: Skins Game -- Final Day. (Live)					
23	9	WGN	Charles	Charles	Full House	Fam. Mat.	Fresh Prince	Malibu, CA	Lost World (In Stereo)		*** "Honey, I Shrunk the Kids" (1989) Rick Moranis.			**½ "Look Who's Talking" (1989) John Travolta.					
6	10	CBS	Time of Praise		Church	Century 21	Gateway Gospel		NFL Today		NFL Football: Cincinnati Bengals at Pittsburgh Steelers. (Live)			NFL Football (Live)					
11	11	FOX	Fox News Sunday		Wall St	Travel	Kerry's Cure	Paid Prog.	Fox NFL Sunday		NFL Football: Philadelphia Eagles at Washington Redskins. (In Stereo Live)			NFL	Skating				
13	13	CBS	Sunday Morning		Face Nation		Cryptkeeper	Warriors	NFL Today		NFL Football: Cincinnati Bengals at Pittsburgh Steelers. (Live)			NFL Football (Live)					
7		ABC	Hour of Power (In Stereo)		Southland Hour		Tabernacle	This Week	Paid Prog.		Golf: Gillette Tour Challenge Championship. (Live)		PGA Golf: Skins Game -- Final Day. (Live)						
14	46	ESPN	Sportscenter	Sportwklly	Reporters	Sportscenter	NFL Countdown			Dog Show	Timber	Shooting	World Cup Skiing		Tennis: ATP World Championship -- Final.				
33	30	DSC	Zooventure	Boneheads	Jaws & Claws	"Cool Bears"	Hunter-Croc	A.R.K.	Empire State Building (R)		On the Inside		Shipwreck! (R)		Hurricane X (R)	City of Steel: Carrier (R)			
16	31	TNT	Lois & Clark-Superman		In the Heat of the Night		In the Heat of the Night		*** "Top Gun" (1986, Drama) Tom Cruise, Kelly McGillis.			***½ "Witness" (1985, Drama) Harrison Ford, Kelly McGillis.							
31	32	A&E	Breakfast With the Arts "Nutcracker"		Open Book		House Beautiful		Mysteries of the Bible (R)		Unexplained (R)		Pride and Prejudice (R) (Part 1 of 3)		Pride and Prejudice (R)				
27	33	TNN	NASCAR	Mechanic	Inside NASCAR (In Stereo)		Raceday (In Stereo)		NASCAR	Trucks!	Car	ClassicCar	Horsepower	Mechanic	Auto Racing (In Stereo)		Racers (In Stereo)		
19	34	NICK	Doug	Doug	Doug	Doug	Doug	Doug	Doug	Doug	Doug	Rugrats	Rugrats	Rugrats	Rugrats	Rugrats	Rugrats		
17	35	USA	USA High	USA High	WWF Superstars		"Young Indiana Jones and the Masks of Evil" (1993)		"His Bodyguard" (1998, Suspense) Mitzi Kapture.		"My Husband's Secret Life" (1998, Drama) Anne Archer.								
28	38	FAM	Digimon	Digimon	Believe It	Alien	S Club 7	Big Wolf	Weird Ohs	Kids	Angela	S Club 7	LFO Concert	Boys Will Be Boys		Partridge	Boss?		
34	41	MTV	TRL Weekend Edition		Model	Model	Model	Model	Fashionably Loud V (R)		True Life (R)	House of Style-10th Anniv.		Britney		MTV Video Music Awards (R) (In Stereo)			
	43	LIFE	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	100 Years of Women (R)		Golden Girls	Golden Girls	"No Child of Mine" (1993, Drama) Patty Duke.			"Blue Valley Songbird" (1999, Drama) Dolly Parton.		"Once in a Lifetime" (1994)					
	44	CNBC	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	CNET News.com		
	45	ESPN2	Trout Unlim.	Outdoors	Sportsman's	Expeditions	Trout Unlim.	Outdoors	Fishing		Speed Skating		Women's College Volleyball		NHRA Awards Banquet		Auto Racing		
29	49	AMC	(8:30) "Stowaway" (1936)	*** "Tarzan and His Mate" (1934) Johnny Weissmuller.			Hidden H'wood			*** "The Sea Chase" (1955, Adventure) John Wayne.			*½ "A Couch in New York" (1996) William Hurt.						
10	51	SCIFI	CNet	New Edge	Earth 2 (In Stereo)		Space: Above and Beyond		Star Trek "Obsession"		Outer Limits "Last Supper"		Outer Limits "Worlds Apart"		Outer Limits "In the Zone"		Outer Limits "The Heist"		
32	52	HIST	History's Crimes & Trials		History's Crimes & Trials		History's Crimes & Trials		History's Crimes & Trials		History's Crimes & Trials		History's Crimes & Trials		History's Crimes & Trials		History's Crimes & Trials		
35		FX	Picket Fences		Beverly Hills, 90210		Beverly Hills, 90210		Millennium "Pilot"		Millennium "Lamentation"		Millennium "Monster"		Millennium		Millennium		
20	14	HBO	(8:45) ** "Dance With Me" (1998) Vanessa L. Williams.	**½ "Who Am I?" (1998, Comedy) Jackie Chan. 'PG-13'			"Kickboxing Academy" (1997) 'NR'			** "The Newton Boys" (1998) Matthew McConaughey.		*** "Rudy"							
	15	HBO2	(8:00) **½ "Death on the Nile" (1978)	** "A Perfect Murder" (1998) Michael Douglas. 'R'		Real Sports (R)		"The Shadow Men" (1998) Eric Roberts.		**½ "The Innocent Sleep" (1995) Rupert Graves. 'R'									
	16	HBO3	It Started	"Love and Death on Long Island" (1997)		Freestyle: The Victories of Dan Gable (R) (In Stereo)		*** "Miss Firecracker" (1989) 'PG'		Out for Love... Be		**½ "Eyewitness" (1981) William Hurt.							
21	17	MAX	** "Lethal Weapon 4" (1998, Action) Mel Gibson. 'R'	**½ "Grumpy Old Men" (1993) Jack Lemmon. 'PG-13'			** "Beaches" (1988, Drama) Bette Midler. 'PG-13'		**½ "Big Business" (1988) Bette Midler.		Ruth. People								
	18	DISN	PB & J Otter	Rolie Polie	"We're Back! A Dinosaur's Story" (1993) Movie		Amazing	Omba Moko.	**½ "Johnny Tsunami" (1999, Drama)		MusicVids	Smart Guy	Smart Guy	Smart Guy	Smart Guy				



Smile Awhile

Sara Hopson

# SMILE AWHILE...

## The Honeymoon, Part VII: All's well that ends well

As picturesque as Venice was by night, the daylight afforded us an even better view of this thousand-year-old water wonderland. Perched upon oak pylons that are being attacked by rot and fungus as a result of higher tides brought on by global warming, the experts (whoever they may be) claim this beautiful city can stand for only two more generations before it joins Atlantis at the bottom of the Mediterranean.

In fact, while we were waiting in line to

view the interior of St. Mark's Basilica, the tide came in and began oozing up through cracks in the cobblestone, forming small fountains and pools all over St. Mark's Square. According to scientists who study the Greenhouse Effect, a big melt-down in both the Arctic and Antarctic regions is responsible for this rise in ocean levels thus preventing the wooden foundation of Venice from thoroughly drying out in between high tides.

It was also in St. Mark's Square, in between those worrisome lakes that were forming in all the low spots, that we were confronted with one of the weirdest scenes that we had ever witnessed. Now, get this — people were actually buying birdfeed and luring hundreds (maybe even thousands) of pigeons to swarm them and light upon their bodies. We saw grown people covered by these flapping feathered creatures that are so filthy San Francisco columnist Herb Caen once referred to them as "flying rats." A lady

from our tour group thought it might be fun to be part of this spectacle so she bought herself a bag of birdfeed and jumped right into the fray only to wind up later with her arms scratched and swollen from knuckles to shoulders.

"Ronnie!" I exclaimed. "Put that camera away and let's get out of this bird mad-house!"

"Are you kidding! I'm getting some great shots here," he responded. "Look at that little girl running with those two pigeons flapping on top of her head. Does that remind you of anything?"

"A bad hair day?" I replied.

"No, try again," he stated.

"Tippi Hedren?" I answered, hesitantly.

"Bingo! The birds is coming, the birds is coming!" he laughed. "Oh, look! I think the big gray one is about to peck that tourist's eye out!"

"Listen up, Alfred Hitchcock. Do you

realize how much food these birds have eaten? If we don't get out of here soon, we'll end up looking like one of these statues. You do know what birds do to statues, don't you?" I said as I pointed to an encrusted replica of Hercules. "Well, imagine a big gob about the size of your fist splattering all over your new Sony camcorder."

As I turned to see how Ronnie was responding to this new piece of information, I caught sight of him running, hunched over his precious camera, and heading for the shelter of the nearest cafe awning nearly 50 yards away.

"Were you just going to leave me out there to catch histoplasmosis?" I queried, as I ran to him.

"Is that what they call bird poop in Italian?" he asked.

"No, it's a nasty disease spread by birds,"

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24	2	TBS	(4:00) *** "Licence to Kill" (1989) Timothy Dalton.	*** "Diamonds Are Forever" (1971, Adventure) Sean Connery.			*** 1/2 "A View to a Kill" (1985, Adventure) Roger Moore, Christopher Walken.			Midnight								
3	3	NBC	(4:00) Figure Skating	News	NBC News	Dateline (In Stereo)	Third Watch (In Stereo)	*** "Men in Black" (1997) Tommy Lee Jones.			News	Profiler "Doppelganger"	ER					
4	5	PBS	Old House	Workshop	Garden	Cucina	Lawrence Welk Show	Nature (R) (In Stereo)	Masterpiece Theatre "Shooting the Past"		Congress	This Is America		(Off Air)				
8	8	ABC	(3:30) PGA Golf (Live)	News	ABC News	*** "The Santa Clause" (1994, Comedy) Tim Allen.		Snoops "True Believers"	Practice "Bay of Pigs"	News	NYPD Blue (In Stereo)	Pensacola						
23	9	WGN	*** "The Rocketeer" (1991, Adventure) Bill Campbell.			*** 1/2 "The Nutty Professor" (1963) Jerry Lewis.			MacGyver "The Odd Triple"	News	Replay	Wayans	Beastmaster (In Stereo)	Xena				
6	10	CBS	(4:00) NFL Football: New York Jets at Indianapolis Colts.	60 Minutes (In Stereo)		Touched by an Angel		"One Special Night" (1999, Romance) Julie Andrews.			News	Madison	Access Hollywood					
11	11	FOX	(4:30) Figure Skating	3rd Rock	Drew Carey	King of Hill	King of Hill	Simpsons	Futurama	X-Files "Millennium"	News	X-Files "Tunguska"		Star Trek: Voyager				
13	13	CBS	(4:00) NFL Football: New York Jets at Indianapolis Colts.	60 Minutes (In Stereo)		Touched by an Angel		"One Special Night" (1999, Romance) Julie Andrews.			News	Coach	Coach	Big Break				
7		ABC	(3:30) PGA Golf (Live)	News	ABC News	*** "The Santa Clause" (1994, Comedy) Tim Allen.		Snoops "True Believers"	Practice "Bay of Pigs"	News	Madison	ER "Power" (In Stereo)						
14	46	ESPN	(3:30) Tennis	Rear View Mirror - CART		Sportscenter NFL		NFL Football: Atlanta Falcons at Carolina Panthers. (Live)			Sportscenter		NFL					
33	60	DSC	Pile-Up (R)	X-Creatures (R)		High Speed Chase (R)		Survive! (R)		Survive IV (R)		Shipwreck - Edmund	FBI Files (R)	Survive! (R)				
16	61	TNT	*** 1/2 "The Shawshank Redemption" (1994, Drama) Tim Robbins, Morgan Freeman.			*** 1/2 "The English Patient" (1996, Drama) Ralph Fiennes, Juliette Binoche.			*** 1/2 "The English Patient" (1996)									
31	62	A&E	(4:00) Pride and Prejudice	Pride and Prejudice (R) (Part 3 of 3)			"Horatio Hornblower: The Duchess and the Devil"		"Horatio Hornblower: The Wrong War" (1999)		Horatio Hornblower							
27	63	TNN	Union 76 Pit Crew	Ducks	Buckmstr.	Outdoors	Buckmastr	AmLegnds	In-Fish	Championship Bull Riding	Hunting	Remington	ClassicCar	Lawn Mower	Union 76 Pit Crew			
19	64	NICK	Rugrats	Rugrats	Rugrats	Rugrats	Rugrats	Little Bill	Nick News	Bewitched	Bewitched	Jeffersons	Jeffersons	Laverne	Laverne	WKRP	Wonder Yrs.	
17	65	USA	"Every Mother's Worst Fear" (1998) Cheryl Ladd.			WWF Sunday Night Heat		Pacific Blue "Reckoning"		JAG (In Stereo)	La Femme Nikita (R)		Law & Order		La Femme Nikita (R)			
28	68	FAM	World Gone Wild	** 1/2 "The Sandlot" (1993, Comedy-Drama) Tom Guiry.			*** 1/2 "Superman" (1978, Fantasy) Christopher Reeve, Margot Kidder. (In Stereo)			E.R. Stories: Families		Church	Children					
34	41	MTV	MTV Video Music Awards	House	House of Style-10th Anniv.	True Life (R)	Model	Model	Model	Model	Fashionably Loud V (R)	Unplugged (R) (In Stereo)		120 Minutes (In Stereo)				
	43	LIFE	(4:00) "Once in a Lifetime"	"Dead by Sunset" (1995, Drama) Ken Olin, Lindsay Frost.			Any Day Now (In Stereo)		Beyond Chance (R)		Archie-Riverdle							
	44	CNBC	Ushuaia	Tim Russert (R)		Squawk Box	Hardball (R)	National Geographic Explorer (R)			Tim Russert (R)		National Geographic Explorer (R)					
	45	ESPN2	(4:30) Auto Racing: Off-Road Racing. (R)	At the Races	Dog Show	Street Rod	Powerboat Racing		RPM 2Night	NASCAR 2000: Greatest Moments			RPM 2Night	Amer Cup	Skiing			
29	49	AMC	Elegance	** 1/2 "Palm Springs Weekend" (1963) Troy Donahue.			Screen	** "Elephant Walk" (1954, Drama) Elizabeth Taylor.			Lot		Screen	Charlie Chan				
10	51	SCIFI	Outer Limits "Birthright"	Outer Limits "The Camp"	Outer Limits "Falling Star"	Outer Limits (In Stereo)		Outer Limits (In Stereo)		Outer Limits (In Stereo)		Outer Limits (In Stereo)		Outer Limits "Resurrection"				
32	52	HIST	History's Crimes & Trials	History's Crimes & Trials	History's Crimes & Trials	Tales of the Gun (R)		Sworn to Secrecy (R)		History Undercover (R)		Military Blunders		Tales of the Gun (R)				
35		FX	Millennium "The Innocents"	Millennium "Exegesis"	Millennium "Via Dolorosa"	Millennium		Toughman World Champ.		Millennium "Omerta"	Married...	Dick & Paula	Married...	Fast Food				
20	14	HBO	(4:45) *** "Rudy" (1993) Sean Astin.	** "Dance With Me" (1998, Drama) Vanessa L. Williams. 'PG'			Sex and-City		Sex and-City	*** "RKO 281" (1999) Liev Schreiber.		Chris Rock	Reverb (R) (In Stereo)					
	15	HBO2	** "Her Alibi" (1989) Tom Selleck. 'PG'	Edge	** 1/2 "The Edge" (1997, Suspense) Anthony Hopkins. 'R'			** "A Perfect Murder" (1998) Michael Douglas. 'R'		"Letters From a Killer" (1998, Drama) 'R'		Strategic						
	16	HBO3	Eyewitness	** 1/2 "Intimate Relations" (1996) 'R'			Innocents Lost (R) (In Stereo)		** 1/2 "For Richer, for Poorer" (1992) 'PG'		*** "The Apostle" (1998, Drama) Robert Duvall. 'PG-13'		Tuskegee					
21	17	MAX	(4:40) "Ruthless People"	*** "Outrageous Fortune" (1987) Bette Midler. 'R'			* 1/2 "The Second Arrival" (1998) Patrick Muldoon. 'R'		** "The Replacement Killers" (1998) 'R'		Intimate	"Code of Silence" (1985)						
	18	DISN	Smart Guy	Smart Guy	Jett Jackson	Baby-Sitters	So Weird	Gargoyles	Darkwing	Bonkers	*** "The Parent Trap" (1961, Comedy) Hayley Mills. 'G'		Walt Disney Presents		Zorro	Spin-Marty		

# Ashland museum has new exhibits for holiday visitors

Holidays at the Highlands Museum and Discovery Center opened November 16, with three new exhibits for holiday visitors.

"Miniature Mansions: Dollhouses from 1900-2000," brings together dollhouses from both the museum's collection and on-loan houses from area residents. These houses were childhood toys or products of adult hobbyists and reflect a love of miniatures. The exhibit includes a salute to men and boys with a fire station built in 1970.

The exhibit also includes a construction area for younger visitors to try their hand at putting together a dwelling sized for Raggedy Ann and Andy.

"The Interactive Soundwall" is the museum's next holiday offering. This is a traveling exhibit installed and designed by sculptor Ed Weiss of Dearborn, Michigan. A multi-colored and geometrically shaped wooden sculpture, the soundwall generates sounds that vary in tone, quality, and duration when touched. Programmed sounds

range from the familiar orchestral tones to unique electronically synthesized sounds. The wall offers an exhilarating experience in sound exploration and music composition for all ages.

Third, "Fur Fancy" opens in the clothing display area. The exhibit spans the years from 1870 to the 1960s. This exhibit features fabric from exotic monkeys to farm-raised mink; from children's sized furs to synthetic furs developed when endangered species became a growing concern. There is a dress-up space

along with a please-touch area that asks the visitor to feel the difference between real and synthetic fur.

For more information, contact the museum at 606/329-8888. Museum hours are 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Tuesday-Saturday; 7-9 p.m. Monday. Holiday hours: closed Thanksgiving, December 24-27, and 31, and January 1. Admission cost is \$2 for adults, \$1 for children and seniors, and free to members.

The museum is located at 1620 Winchester Ave. in Ashland.

# Critters can enjoy holiday spirit

FRANKFORT— John James Audubon State Park in Henderson abounds with wildlife, especially birds that flock to its observation center. So why shouldn't Audubon's critters enjoy the holiday season?

On December 11, the park is sponsoring Christmas for the Critters, in which park visitors make edible ornaments to decorate the trees around the observation area. The event runs from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. CST.

The menu includes popcorn and cranberry strings, suet bowls, pinecone birdfeeders, peanut and apple strings, and bread ornaments.

The park staff will provide the materials and instruction. The visitors need only provide their willingness to have fun and enjoy doing something for the park wildlife.

For more information, call the park at 270/826-2247.

# Group to perform on Lonesome Pine

The Paperboys come roaring into Louisville for the first time this December. This Canadian band's music is Celtic at root, but branches out with a bit of Bluegrass, some Afro-Latin, and lots of Rock.

The show is frighteningly kinetic, with racing double fiddles, flashy banjo, throbbing drums and percussion.

The group will perform as part of the Bank One Lonesome Pine Special series on Saturday, December 4, at 8 p.m., in the Bomhard Theater of the Kentucky Center for The Arts.

The Paperboys were formed in 1992 by Tom Landa, who sings the lead vocals and plays several

stringed instruments, including guitar, bouzouki and mandolin.

The rhythm section is Paul (Lolly) Lawton (drums, percussion) and Cam Salay (5-string banjo, bass). Shannon Saunders plays accordion, fiddle, viola, bass and piano. Doug Schmidt plays accordion and keyboard. Dave Gossage aug-

ments the Celtic sound with flute, whistles and guitar. Tom Landa is the principal songwriter of the group.

In 1998, The Paperboys released their second CD, "Molinos," on the Stony Plain label. The album won the Juno Award for Best Roots/Traditional Group and has sold more than 12,000 copies to date.

Ticket prices for reserved seating are \$16 and \$18. For tickets call 502/584-7777 or 1-800-775-7777. For special group rates call Krista at 502/562-0152. Visit on the web: www.kca.org.

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24	2	TBS	Little House on the Prairie	Little House	Varied	Mama	Mama	Matlock		Hunter		Movie				Cosby Show	Cosby Show		
3	3	NBC	Later Today	Sunset Beach		Leeza		News	Extra	Days of Our Lives		Passions		Rosie O'Donnell		Oprah Winfrey			
4	5	PBS	Varied Programs	Body Elec.	Varied Programs		Theodore	Teletubbies	Barney	Varied Programs				Barney	Mr Rogers	Sesame Street			
8	8	ABC	Dr. Joy Browne	Maury		The View		News	Port Charles	All My Children		One Life to Live		General Hospital		Sally			
23	9	WGN	Fam. Mat.	Cosby Show	Knight Rider			Dream Maker		News		Hawaii Five-0		MacGyver		Full House	Full House		
6	10	CBS	Enquirer	Paid Prog.	Donny & Marie			News	Young and the Restless	Bold & B.		As the World Turns		Guiding Light		Oprah Winfrey			
11	11	FOX	Forgive or Forget		Judge Lane	Brown		Ricki Lake		Jenny Jones		In the House	Parent	Monster	Beast Wars	Digimon	Rangers		
13	13	CBS	Donny & Marie		Montel Williams			News	Young and the Restless	Bold & B.		As the World Turns		Guiding Light		Nanny	Home Imp.		
7		ABC	Judge Judy	Brown	Sally			Paid Prog.	Port Charles	All My Children		One Life to Live		General Hospital		Montel Williams			
14	46	ESPN	Sportscenter		Sportscenter			Sportscenter		Varied Programs									
33	30	DSC	Assignment Discovery		Home Matters			Design		Christopher Lowell		Home Matters	Design	Christopher Lowell		Great Chefs	Great Chefs		
16	31	TNT	Lois & Clark-Superman		In the Heat of the Night			Movie		Movie		Varied Programs		Kung Fu: Legend		L.A. Heat			
31	32	A&E	Quincy		Equalizer			Murder, She Wrote	Simon & Simon	Law & Order		Northern Exposure		Quincy		Equalizer			
27	33	TNN	Home Studio	Am. Country	Alice	McCoys		Dallas		Aleene's Creative Living		Waltons		Dallas		Crook & Chase	McCoys	McCoys	
19	34	NICK	Kipper	Blue's Clues	Little Bear	Franklin		Gullah	Busy World	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Franklin	Maisy	Doug	Doug	Hey Arnold!	Ace Ventura	Garfield	Rocko's Life
17	35	USA	Almost	Something	Ned-Stacey	Fired Up		Wings	Wings	Working	Naked Truth	Single Guy	Boston	Movie		Baywatch			
28	38	FAM	Itsy Bitsy	CBN Special	700 Club			Varied	Itsy Bitsy	Itsy Bitsy	Wiggles	Storytime	Varied	Donkey	3 Friends	Varied Programs		Alien	Big Wolf
34	41	MTV	Videos	Varied	Music Videos			Varied	Spankin'	Varied	News Link	Hot Zone	Varied Programs	Real World	Real World	TRL			
	43	LIFE	Next Door	Attitudes	Party of Five			Chicago Hope		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie				Party of Five		Ellen	Ellen
	44	CNBC	Squawk Box Cont'd		Market Watch					Power Lunch				Street Signs				Market Wrap	
	45	ESPN2	Flex Appeal	Crunch	NHL 2Night	NBA 2Night		Varied Programs								Karate		Varied Programs	
29	49	AMC	Movie	Varied Programs	Movie	Varied Programs		Movie	Varied Programs										
10	51	SCIFI	Sightings		Forever Knight	DarkShad	DarkShad	Gallery	Beyond	Twilight Z.	Twilight Z.	Lost in Space		Quantum Leap		Seaquest DSV			
32	52	HIST	Real West		In Search	In Search		FBI-Story	Crimes	Weapons at War		Air Combat		20th Century		In Search	In Search	FBI-Story	Crimes
35		FX	Picket Fences		Beverly Hills, 90210			Beverly Hills, 90210		Movie				M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	NYPD Blue		In Color	In Color
20	14	HBO	Movie Cont'd	Movie	Varied Programs			Movie		Varied		Movie				Varied Programs			
	15	HBO2	Movie Cont'd	Varied Programs															
	16	HBO3	Movie Cont'd	Varied Programs												Movie		Varied Programs	
21	17	MAX	Movie Cont'd	Movie	Varied	Movie				Movie		Varied		Movie				Varied	Movie
	18	DISN	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Bear	Mermaid	Winnie-Pooh	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Bear	Madeline	Katie-Orbie	Amazing	Ducktales	Timon	Aladdin		Going Wild!	Ready-Not

# SOAP UPDATES

**ALL MY CHILDREN:**

Marian told Stuart the truth about Colby's paternity and revealed she had Adam locked away. Liza questioned Marian and Stuart about what they were hiding. Brooke agreed to help Rae find Daniel. Palmer came face-to-face with Leo. Tiffany urged Becca to allow Scott to explain his actions. As Mateo vowed to go on with his life without Hayley, Hayley confronted Ryan and declared her intention not to lose their friendship. Leo aimed a gun at Palmer. Wait To See: Shots ring out at Palmer and Vanessa's party. Sophie makes a chilling threat against Janet.

**AS THE WORLD TURNS:**

Chris and Abigail's relation-

ship moved to another level. Margo was haunted by something she couldn't recall. Carly's life changed in a split second. Barbara felt overwhelmed by family pressures. Jake and Julia wound up in an unexpected location. Wait To See: Kate finds that it is, indeed, true that a picture is worth 1,000 words. Tom races to find evidence to clear Margo.

**THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL:**

Macy talked to Taylor and Ridge of her plans with Thorne. Taylor and Ridge, meanwhile, agonized over whether to tell her of Thorne's affair with Brooke. Rick defended Amber to Brooke, reminding her that it was he who pressured her into having sex.

Meanwhile, Amber sent e-mail photos of baby Eric to Becky, hoping it will quiet her. Tawny suggested Amber have another baby. In Paris, Kimberly told Becky they can help each other if Becky would reveal Amber's secret. Wait To See: Adam acts on his concerns for Kimberly.

**DAYS OF OUR LIVES:**

Marlena had second thoughts about keeping "Hope" on as a patient. Stefano was shocked to see his face burned raw, but he was still determined to learn about Hope and the transformation. Meanwhile "Hope" told Lili she's closed the book on Princess Gina and wants to be known only as Hope Williams. Craig was upset by Nancy's sudden depar-

ture. Meanwhile, Nancy tried to bribe Mrs. Rush to keep her secret, only to be told that the young girl she heard singing is her daughter. Victor saved Vivian from being killed by Dr. Bryce's deadly injection. Wait To See: Princess Gina decides to tell Greta the truth.

**GENERAL HOSPITAL:**

The FBI arrested Jerry who assured Bobbie he was innocent. Roy tried to comfort Bobbie. Faison made his move to grab Felicia. Nikolas walked out on Stefan for lying about being his father. Roy advised Hannah to cut her losses and leave Sonny. Laura reminisced about her troubled times with Luke and her good times with Stefan. Meanwhile,

Luke pondered his relationship with Felicia. Wait To See: Stefan has crucial evidence against Helena. Alexis discovers a loop-hole in Uncle Herbert's will that could change everything.

**GUIDING LIGHT:**

Ross was shaken by a surprising discovery. Josh, Reva and Olivia shared an awkward Thanksgiving. Frank made an arrest. Events in San Cristobel took a dangerous turn. Wait To See: Pilar spins out of control. Reva and Josh break sad news to Marah and Shayne.

**ONE LIFE TO LIVE:**

Renee accused Blair of being

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24	2	TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	★★★ "The Living Daylights" (1987, Adventure) Timothy Dalton, Maryam D'Abo.						★★★½ "From Russia With Love" (1963) Sean Connery.		
3	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	College Basketball: Marshall at Massachusetts. (Live)	Law & Order	Dateline (In Stereo)		News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night				
4	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur (R)	To Read	Business	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Kentucky Tonight (Live)	Jackie: Behind the Myth (In Stereo)		News	Computer	(Off Air)				
8	8	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	20/20		NFL Football: Green Bay Packers at San Francisco 49ers. (In Stereo Live)		News	Nightline			
23	9	WGN	Cosby Show	Parent	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Caroline	Caroline	★★½ "Farewell to the King" (1989, Drama) Nick Nolte.		News (In Stereo)	MacGyver (In Stereo)	In the Heat of the Night				
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Issues	Hollywood	King	Ladies Man	Raymond	Becker	Family Law (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Amazon	
11	11	FOX	Jerry Springer		3rd Rock	Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	Time of Your Life	Ally McBeal "Changes"		News	Simpsons	Caroline	Jerry Springer (R)		
13	13	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	King	Ladies Man	Raymond	Becker	Family Law (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late	
7		ABC	Judge Judy	News	News	ABC News	Ent. Tonight	Seinfeld	20/20		NFL Football: Green Bay Packers at San Francisco 49ers. (In Stereo Live)		News	Nightline			
14	46	ESPN	NFL	Sportscenter	Monday Night Countdown				Figure Skating: Nations' Cup.				ESPNews	Sportscenter			
33	30	DSC	Gimme Shelter (R)	Your New House (R)	Wild Discovery: Predators				On the Inside	Ultimate Guide		Ultimate Guide "Dogs" (R)	On the Inside	Ultimate Guide (R)			
16	31	TNT	In the Heat of the Night	Due South (In Stereo)	ER "Home" (In Stereo)				WCW Monday Nitro (In Stereo Live)						★★½ "Ricochet" (1991, Suspense) Denzel Washington.		
31	32	A&E	Murder, She Wrote	Simon & Simon		Law & Order		Biography: Alan Alda		Investigative Reports	Poirot	Law & Order		Biography: Alan Alda			
27	33	TNN	Dukes of Hazzard	Alice	Alice	Waltons (In Stereo)		Life-Lorrie Morgan		Roger Miller Remembered (R) (In Stereo)		Dallas (In Stereo)		Dukes of Hazzard			
19	34	NICK	Figure It Out	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Thornberrys	Rocket	Kotter	Kotter	Kotter	Kotter	Kotter	To Be Announced	
17	35	USA	Pacific Blue "Caretakers"	Baywatch "Wet and Wild"		JAG "Full Engagement"		Walker, Texas Ranger		WWF Raw	WWF War Zone		Walker, Texas Ranger		Silk Stalkings (In Stereo)		
28	36	FAM	Addams	Two-Kind	Partridge	Boss?	Boss?	Random	★★★ "Dunston Checks In" (1996) Jason Alexander.		Famous Families	700 Club		Boss?	Random		
34	41	MTV	webRIOT	Blame Game	Groove	MTV Jams	Beat Suite	TRL Wanna	TRL (R) (In Stereo)		Head Trip	Road Rules	Road Rules	Loveline (In Stereo)	Rock	25 Lane (R)	
43		LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait	Beyond Chance		★★½ "Seduction in a Small Town" (1997, Drama)		Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Oh Baby	Mysteries		
44		CNBC	Market Wrap		Edge	Business Center		Upfront Ton.	Hardball		Rivera Live	News With Brian Williams		Hardball (R)	Rivera Live (R)		
45		ESPN2	ESPNews	Sportsman's	Motor	Legends	College Basketball: Dayton at Kentucky. (Live)		Billiards		Billiards	Bodybuild		World Cup Skiing	Boxing (R)		
29	43	AMC	(4:30) ★★★ "Miracle in the Rain" (1956)	"Every Girl Should Be Married" (1948)		Fashion	★★★½ "Samson and Delilah" (1949) Victor Mature.		★★★ "Salome" (1953, Drama) Rita Hayworth.		Stranger						
10	51	SCIFI	Star Trek "Wolf in the Fold"	Hercules-Jrns.		Outer Limits (In Stereo)		Outer Limits "Double Helix"	Outer Limits (In Stereo)	Outer Limits "Fear Itself"	Poltergeist: The Legacy	Friday the 13th: The Series					
32	52	HIST	Weapons at War (R)	Air Combat		20th Century (R)		Hell's Angels (R)	Top Speed: Land		More-Disasters	History's Lost & Found		Hell's Angels (R)			
35		FX	Beverly Hills, 90210	Beverly Hills, 90210		M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	NYPD Blue "Raging Bulls"		X-Files "The Beginning"	Married...	Married...	X Show	X-Files "The Beginning"			
20	14	HBO	Men Don't	Mother	★★ "Teen Wolf" (1985, Comedy) Michael J. Fox. 'PG'				American Hollow (In Stereo)		★★★ "The Negotiator" (1998, Action) Samuel L. Jackson. 'R'		★★½ "The Siege" (1998)				
15	HBO2	Golden	★★★ "Les Miserables" (1998, Drama) Liam Neeson. 'PG-13'				Sex and-City	Sex and-City	★★½ "The Leading Man" (1996) Jon Bon Jovi. 'R'		Reverb (R) (In Stereo)		Chris Rock	Taxicab 6			
16	HBO3	Outbreak 'R'	★★½ "Robin Hood: Prince of Thieves" (1991) Kevin Costner. 'PG-13'				Sanders	Dennis M.	★★★ "Chinatown" (1974, Drama) Jack Nicholson. 'R'		★★★½ "Paper Moon" (1973, Comedy) Ryan O'Neal. 'PG'						
21	17	MAX	(4:30) "Fair Game" (1995)	★★★ "Ever After: A Cinderella Story" (1998) 'PG-13'				★★ "Tommy Boy" (1995) Chris Farley.		Peep Show	★★ "You So Crazy" (1994, Comedy) 'NR'		★★ "Orgazmo" (1997) Trey Parker.				
13		DISN	Torkelsons	GrowPains	GrowPains	Smart Guy	★★ "Mr. Headmistress" (1998, Comedy)		Movie	Holidays in Concert (R)		"Halloweentown" (1998, Comedy)		MusicVids	Zorro	Mickey	

# Weird

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1997 and 200 in 1998.

— In June, a federal judge struck down the no-public-dancing ordinance in the town of Pound in the mountains of southwest Virginia. (Previously, a dance permit could be issued only to someone who was "proper" and "of good moral character.") Said one city council member, explaining the old ordinance, "There's bound to be trouble when you mix drinking, country music and dancing."

## Hypocrisies

— Teresa Heinz, wife of U.S. Sen. John Kerry and generous donor to environmental organizations, installed what Idaho's leading green groups called an illegal well on her vacation retreat near Ketchum because, according to one critic, she needed much water to maintain her five acres of Kentucky bluegrass. According to an October Boston Herald report, Heinz said she was forced to dig the well because state conservation officials denied her request

to buy rights from the Big Wood River in an expensive 1998 hearing.

— Latest Practice/Preach Disconnects: Psychologist Michael Brooks, author of the book "Instant Rapport," was arrested in July for illegally commandeering a first-class seat on a Continental airliner and not budging. And Earl L. "Butch" Kimmerling, who fought to prevent his foster daughter, age 9, from being adopted by a gay couple, was arrested in Anderson, Indiana, in May and charged with molesting the girl. And federal authorities filed a lawsuit in Lake Worth, Florida, in July against the wheelchair sales store Action Mobility for failure to have any parking spaces for the disabled.

## Surprise!

— Two months after the Columbine High School massacre, a mock hostage practice, complete with much gunfire, at Alvin (Texas) High School sent 193 kids and their teachers scrambling under desks, terrified, until the word

finally reached them that it was a training exercise and that only blanks were being fired. The only two school officials informed in advance thought the exercise would be more subdued and thus failed to tell anyone about it.

## Update

— Wayne Dumond made News of the Weird in 1988 when he won \$110,000 in an invasion-of-privacy lawsuit against an Arkansas sheriff; vigilantes had castrated Dumond as an alleged rapist, and the sheriff had displayed Dumond's genitals in a jar on his desk as a souvenir, which a jury said was unnecessary. Three governors (including Bill Clinton, who was a friend of the rape victim's mother) rejected DNA findings favorable to Dumond and gave in to the many protesters demanding that he stay in jail. Dumond, now 50, was released on parole in October 1999.

## Undignified Deaths

— In October, a 36-year-old woman was killed instantly walking along

Wabash Avenue in downtown Chicago when hit by a pane of glass that had fallen from the 29th floor of a skyscraper owned by an insurance company. The next day, in the village of Tracadie Cross, Prince Edward Island, Canada, a driver lost control of a hearse and killed a 68-year-old pallbearer as he emerged from a funeral at a church.

## Also, in the Last Month ...

— A Las Vegas TV producer and photographer were fired for creating "on the scene" footage of October's California earthquake by rocking their video truck. A 29-year-old man who had just failed a driving test for the fourth time drove his car into a testing office, just missing the five examiners inside (Bergen, Norway). Frances and Harold Mountain squatted on a courtroom floor to divide up nearly 100 Beanie Babies, the last items of property to be settled before their divorce became final (Las Vegas). A judge ruled that a husband was so unhy-

gienic (ignoring a toilet that had overflowed into the dining room) that it would be grounds for divorce (Buenos Aires). At a chess tournament on Spain's Menorca island, the country's governing sports organization ordered urine-sample drug tests. (Send your Weird News to Chuck Shepherd, P.O.

# My Old Kentucky Home hosts candlelight tours

While My Old Kentucky Home in Bardstown is beautiful anytime of year, Christmas has to be considered a special time to visit the graceful, historic mansion. The festive holiday spirit is alive with an annual series of candlelight tours that begins the day after Thanksgiving Day and runs for 16 straight days.

As always, the mansion will be decorated with garlands and illuminated by candlelight for tours conducted by costumed interpreters. Traditional refreshments also will be served. New for this year's

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event is a visitor's center dedicated last spring. The center will host entertainment throughout the season, including school and choral groups singing Christmas carols. A toy train display will be set up in the center's lobby.

Admission for tours is \$4.50 for adults, \$4 for persons 62 and older, and \$2.50 for children age 6-12. There is no admission charge for children under 6. Tours run from 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. each day. For more information, call My Old Kentucky Home State Park at 502/348-3502.

Table with columns for TV channels (TBS, NBC, PBS, ABC, WGN, CBS, FOX, ESPN, DSC, TNT, A&E, TNN, NICK, USA, FAM, MTV, LIFE, CNBC, ESPN2, AMC, SCIFI, HIST, FX, HBO, HBO2, HBO3, MAX, DISN) and time slots (5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 6:30, 7:00, 7:30, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, 11:30, 12:00, 12:30). Includes program titles and ratings.

Soaps

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in on the scam involving Max posing as Asa's son. Ben wrestled with his anxiety over what he may have done to Max during the operation. Kevin defied Skye's warnings and continued to drink to ease his pain over Grace's death. Later, Kevin confronted two armed robbers at the diner and taunted them to shoot him. Sam suggested setting up a foundation to honor both Megan and Grace. Blair told Dorian that Renee now knows the truth about Max, but that she (Blair) lied to Renee about her part in the scam Wait To See: A shot is fired in the diner. Viki and Ben are watched by a stranger.

PASSIONS:

Theresa and Ethan shared a passionate kiss at the cabin. Meanwhile, Gwen decided to surprise Ethan at the cabin. Orville was rushed to the hospital where it appeared he had a connection to Eve. Luis and Sheridan headed to New Mexico to find the truth about his father, Martin. Tabitha devised a plan to burn Charity at the stake during the Thanksgiving pageant. Ivy locked Sam in the supply closet and forced him to hear her say she wants him back. Wait To See: Once again, Miguel risks his life to save Charity.

PORT CHARLES:

Taggart questioned Kevin,

Lucy, Scott and Eve about DV's shooting. Scott was later arrested for attempted murder. Lee had bad news for Scott and Lucy. Chris caught Rachel preparing to pull the plug on DV. At the Scanlon Thanksgiving dinner, Courtney announced her feelings for Frank. Chris alerted Joe about Matt's fatigue and the danger it poses for his patients. Wait To

See: Rachel decides to learn more about Chris' affair with Nicole.

SUNSET BEACH:

Tim's body began to emerge as the monument base cracked. Derek broke into Tim's room to make sure there was no incriminating evidence to be found. Meg remained determined to find out what "Ben" (Dererk) was up to. Carmen was puzzled to see

Ricardo up and walking and celebrating victory. Tobias (Gregory) prepared his revenge against both Olivia and Annie. Amy told Antonio she wants to be a nun. Wait To See: Meg and Sara devise a plan to learn the truth about "Ben."

THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS:

Brock was determined to build

a relationship with Mac with Kay's help. Meanwhile, Nikki seethed at what she perceived was Victor's growing interest in Ramona. Ashley felt Cole was becoming increasingly remote from her. Victoria's "fan" continued to send unsettling mail. Wait To See: Brad faces a decision that could change his life.

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SOAP SCRAPS

BY SALLY STONE

Kelly Ripa has agreed to a new contract with "All My Children" to play Hayley Vaughan for, at least, another three years.

Over at "Days of Our Lives," congratulations were also in order for Deidre Hall who joins a select group of celebrities (starting with Shirley Temple) who have had dolls made in their image. The new Deidre/Marlina doll was launched earlier this month at New York's FAO Schwarz. Both Deidre and the doll's maker, The Mattel Toy Company, contributed a portion of the day's sales to PATH, an organization that helps the homeless.

Michael Swan (Adam, "The Bold & the Beautiful") was also accorded a rare honor this month when he joined a limited number of guests invited to Spago's in Beverly Hills where the famous chef, Wolfgang Puck, cooked them a special Millennium gourmet

feast complete with an assortment of wines considered among the best produced in the past 50 years. (Hint: If the waiter brings you a bottle with a screw cap, chances are, it wouldn't have made Puck's short list.)

Paul Taylor starts his new stint on "As the World Turns" November 29 as Isaac Jenkins, a man with a secret that reportedly links him to Ben (Peter Parros). Jaime Dudney (Georgia) and Nathaniel Marston (Eddie) will be leaving the show some time in December. The soap says the change is storyline-dictated and has nothing to do with Marston's arrest for damaging an ATM last month.

The population will gain at least three more little people in 2000 courtesy of Crystal Chappell (Olivia, "Guiding Light") and her husband, Michael Sabatino (ex-Peter, "ATWT"; ex-Jonathan, "AMC," etc.); Ellen Dolan (Margo, "ATWT") and long-time beau, Doug Jeffrey; and Nolan North (Chris, "Port Charles") and his wife, Jill.

FAN FARE: Sylvia in Long Island says: "My list of the unbelievable things soaps do is make divorce so easy and quick. One day a couple is married. The next day they're divorced. It's so bizarre."

Maybe so, Sylvia. But remember, these are the same people whose children are able to grow from toddlers to teens practically overnight.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING		© TVData												DECEMBER 1, 1999			
IM	CV	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30
24	2	TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	NBA Basketball: Houston Rockets at Phoenix Suns. (Live)				Insde NBA	★★★½ "On Her Majesty's Secret Service" (1969)			
3	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Christmas-Rockefeller	Garth Brooks & the Magic	Law & Order (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night			
4	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur (R)	Page	Business	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Great Performances			In Performance	Frame	News	Life Choices	(Off Air)		
8	8	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	Two Guys	Whose?	Drew Carey	Norm	20/20	News	Nightline	Politically	Enquirer
23	9	WGN	Cosby Show	Parent	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Caroline	Caroline	★★½ "Baby, It's You" (1983) Rosanna Arquette.			News (In Stereo)	MacGyver	In the Heat of the Night			
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Andy Griffith	Hollywood	Red-Nosed Reindeer	"The Test of Love" (1999, Drama) Roma Downey.			News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Conflict		
11	11	FOX	Jerry Springer	3rd Rock	Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	★★★½ "Jerry Maguire" (1996, Comedy-Drama) Tom Cruise. (In Stereo)			Simpsons	Caroline	Jerry Springer (R)				
13	13	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	Red-Nosed Reindeer	"The Test of Love" (1999, Drama) Roma Downey.			News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late		
7		ABC	Judge Judy	News	News	ABC News	Ent. Tonight	Seinfeld	Two Guys	Whose?	Drew Carey	Norm	20/20	News	Nightline	Politically	Judge Lane
14	46	ESPN	NHL-Shots	Up Close	Sportscenter			College Basketball: ACC/Big Ten Challenge			College Basketball: ACC/Big Ten Challenge			Sportscenter	Billiards		
33	30	DSC	Gimme Shelter (R)	Your New House (R)	Wild Discovery			On the Inside "E.R. Stories"			Bear Attack 2	Eco-Challenge	On the Inside "E.R. Stories"	Bear Attack 2			
16	31	TNT	In the Heat of the Night	Due South (In Stereo)	ER "True Lies" (In Stereo)			★★★ "Dirty Dancing" (1987, Drama) Jennifer Grey.			★★★ "Dirty Dancing" (1987, Drama) Jennifer Grey.			★★½ "Footloose" (1984)			
31	32	A&E	Murder, She Wrote	Simon & Simon	Law & Order "Custody"			Biography: Dave Thomas			L.A. Detectives	American Justice (R)	Law & Order "Menace"	Biography: Dave Thomas			
27	33	TNN	Dukes of Hazzard	Alice	Alice	Waltons "The Prodigals"			Century of Country (R)			Barbara Mandrell and the Do-Rites: The Last Dance	Dallas "The Split"	Dukes of Hazzard			
19	34	NICK	Figure It Out	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Rugrats	Rocket	Kotter	Kotter	Kotter	Kotter	Kotter	Kotter	To Be Announced
17	35	USA	Pacific Blue (In Stereo)	Baywatch "A Little Help"	JAG "Heroes" (In Stereo)			Walker, Texas Ranger			★ "Regarding Henry" (1991, Drama) Harrison Ford.			Walker, Texas Ranger	Silk Stalkings "The Party"		
28	38	FAM	Addams	Two-Kind	★★ "Christmas Every Day" (1996) Robert Hays.			"Borrowed Hearts: A Holiday Romance" (1997, Drama)			Christmas Miracles	700 Club	Boss?	Random			
34	41	MTV	webRIOT	Blame Game	Groove	MTV Jams	Beat Suite	TRL Wanna	TRL (R) (In Stereo)	Head Trip	AIDS Day	True Life (R)	Loveline (In Stereo)	Rock	Undressed		
	43	LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)			"Something to Live For: The Alison Gertz Story" (1992)			Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Designing	Mysteries
	44	CNBC	Market Wrap	Edge	Business Center			Upfront Ton.	Hardball	Rivera Live	News With Brian Williams	Hardball (R)	Rivera Live (R)				
	45	ESPN2	ESPNews	Outdoors	Motor	Auto Racing	NFL 2Night	College Basketball: ACC/Big Ten Challenge			College Basketball: ACC/Big Ten Challenge			NHL 2Night	NBA 2Night	NFL 2Night	
29	49	AMC	(4:30) "Vigil in the Night"	★★½ "Jivaro" (1954, Adventure) Fernando Lamas.			★★★ "The Fighting Seabees" (1944) John Wayne.			★★★ "Rebel Without a Cause" (1955) James Dean.			Beast-Fathoms				
10	51	SCIFI	Star Trek (In Stereo)	Hercules-Jrnys.	Sliders "Into the Mystic"			Sliders "Love Gods" (R)			Sliders (R) (In Stereo)			Poltergeist: The Legacy			
32	52	HIST	Weapons at War (R)	Air Combat "The Bombers"	20th Century (R)			Sports: Taming the Games			Top Speed: Water			Train Wrecks (R)			
35		FX	Beverly Hills, 90210	Beverly Hills, 90210	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	NYPD Blue "Show and Tell"			X-Files "Triangle"			Married...	Married...	X Show	X-Files "Dreamland"	
20	14	HBO	Family Video	★★★ "And the Band Played On" (1993) Matthew Modine. 'PG-13'			Stuart Little	★★½ "Color of Night" (1994, Suspense) Bruce Willis. (In Stereo) 'R'			Chris Rock	★★★ "RKO 281" (1999) Liev Schreiber.					
	15	HBO2	★★★½ "Avalon" (1990, Drama) Armin Mueller-Stahl. (In Stereo) 'PG'			"Attack of the 50 Ft. Woman" (1993) 'R'			★½ "The Inkwell" (1994, Drama) Larenz Tate. 'R'			★★½ "Crazy People" (1990, Comedy) 'R'			Life of Crime		
	16	HBO3	(3:45) "The Evening Star"	★★★ "Lethal Weapon" (1987, Drama) Mel Gibson. 'R'			Sanders	Dennis M.	★★½ "The Pillow Book" (1996, Drama) Vivian Wu. 'NR'			★★★ "Gia" (1998, Drama) Angelina Jolie. 'R'					
21	17	MAX	★★½ Endangered Species			★★★ "Crocodile Dundee" (1986) Paul Hogan. 'PG-13'			★★½ "Crocodile Dundee II" (1988) Paul Hogan. 'PG'			★ "Bug Buster" (1999) Katherine Heigl. 'R'	Emmanuelle	"I'm Losing You" (1998) 'R'			
	18	DISN	Torkelsons	GrowPains	GrowPains	Smart Guy	AIDS	"The Thirteenth Year" (1999, Fantasy)			AIDS	★★★ "Splash" (1984, Comedy) Tom Hanks. 'PG'			MusicVids	Zorro	Mickey

# Cost of leisure travel dips, new AAA survey shows

The overall cost of leisure travel dipped \$5.52, in October to \$405.88, down 1.3 percent from the previous month, according to AAA Blue Grass/Kentucky. The first monthly AAA Leisure Travel index reflects the sum of the monthly national average in three

travel-related categories: airline fares, car rental rates and hotel costs. In September, the overall average cost was \$411.40; in August, \$392.98; in July, \$409.47; and in June, \$403.10. Airline fares and hotel rates dipped slightly more than two percent in October

while car rental rates rose nearly seven percent. The national average cost of a round-trip airline ticket in October was \$232.98, down \$5.17 from September's national average of \$238.15. The daily cost of renting a car was \$39.08 in October, up \$2.55

from September's national average of \$36.53. Hotel room rates averaged \$133.82 per day nationally, down \$2.90 from \$136.72 the previous month. The October report is based on data from 1,000 domestic airline fares for 20 major U.S. destinations, 3,800 intermediate-sized car rental rates and more than 10,000 AAA two and three-diamond lodging room rates. Leisure travel usually requires an advance purchase, travel during off-peak hours and a minimum stay, such as a Saturday night. Airline fares include sales tax but not other charges. Hotel and rental car rates do not include tax and other fees.

## Jenny Wiley Heritage Trail opens

FRANKFORT — A new driving trail that retraces the steps of famed pioneer Jenny Wiley has been established. The Jenny Wiley Trail Heritage Byway embraces a 154-mile loop drive in eastern Kentucky that includes portions of the Country Music Highway (US 23) and scenic KY 1.

Participating in the task force were representatives of the Transportation Cabinet, the Division of Forestry in the Cabinet for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection, and three agencies in the Tourism Development Cabinet — the departments of Parks, Travel, and Fish and Wildlife Resources.

The driving route provides easy access to more than 60 miles of existing recreational facilities, including hiking trails, watchable wildlife areas, campgrounds, river canoeing opportunities, and biking trails. The driving route replaces the old Jenny Wiley hiking trail. A state task force established in 1996 examined maintenance and land-use issues that had led to the trail's deterioration. The task force decided to close the pathway and set up a trail that incorporated existing public facilities, such as state parks and wildlife management areas.

Working with a \$50,000 legislative allocation, the task force has printed 20,000 brochures that outline the new trail's route. It also recounts the harrowing tale of Jenny Wiley's kidnapping by Indians in 1789 and her eventual escape. The pamphlet will be distributed at sites throughout the region, such as state parks and local tourism offices. It is also available by calling 1-800-225-8747. The Transportation Cabinet has erected more than 100 roadside signs marking the route.

# Electronic field trips provide front-row seats for Kentucky destinations

Without ever leaving the classroom, students across Kentucky have taken "electronic field trips" to various exciting areas of educational interest around the state, and now the home viewer has an opportunity to do the same.

December 11, it's off to Mammoth Cave, a coal mine and a newspaper. And on Saturday, December 18, KET travels to the Louisville Zoo, the Speed Art Museum and the Kentucky Center for the Arts.

KET broadcasts several of its "Electronic Field Trip" installments, originally aired on KET's Star Channels, for all KET viewers to enjoy. Airing on KET in special blocks Saturday, December 4—beginning at 1 p.m. "Electronic Field Trips" visits places as diverse as a coal mine and the Speed Art Museum in Louisville.

"Electronic Field Trips" are KET productions. Production partners include the Kentucky Department of Agriculture, The Cooperative Extension Service, University of Kentucky College of Agriculture, Kentucky Coal Marketing and Export Council, Cabinet for Economic Development and WKYU/Bowling Green. The programs are closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing. Viewers can find out more about programming on KET by visiting the KET Web site at <http://www.ket.org>, a Kentucky.com affiliate.

Beginning at 1 p.m. on Saturday, December 4, viewers can travel via KET to the site of the Battle of Perryville, the Mountain Homeplace, a horse farm and a veterinary clinic. On Saturday,

THURSDAY EVENING TV schedule table with columns for time slots (5:00-12:30) and rows for various channels (TBS, NBC, PBS, ABC, WGN, CBS, FOX, ESPN, DSC, TNT, A&E, TNN, NICK, USA, FAM, MTV, LIFE, CNBC, ESPN2, AMC, SCIFI, HIST, FX, HBO, HBO2, HBO3, MAX, DISN) listing program titles and details.

# CRITTERS CORNER

This week we'll continue to discuss the subject of house-breaking puppies by focusing on setting the puppy up to succeed. Last week we covered the basic concepts; keeping these in mind should make the process go more smoothly.

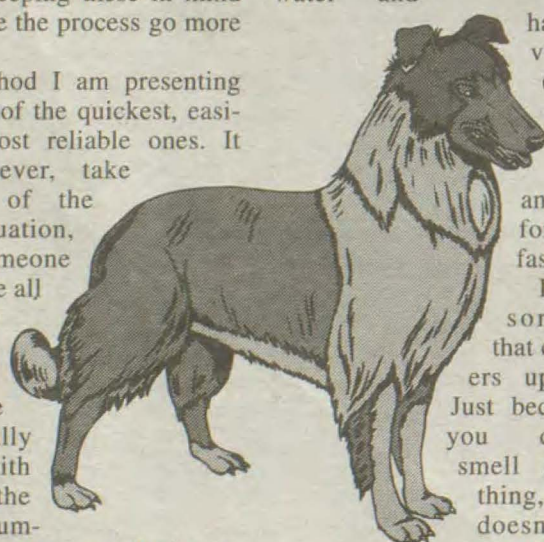
The method I am presenting here is one of the quickest, easiest, and most reliable ones. It does, however, take advantage of the perfect situation, where someone will be home all day with the pup. In the real world we are usually dealing with less than the ideal circumstances, so each case calls for its own modification of the basic plan.

First off, resign yourself to a couple of weeks of pretty intense work with the puppy. Hard work now, for a short time, will pay off with years of a well-behaved pet.

Arm yourself with cleaning supplies, because there will be accidents. The best cleaning agents are a mild detergent and clear water. Use absorbent cloths or paper towels to blot up as

much moisture as possible.

You will also need a good odor neutralizer. Most vets' offices carry very effective products. A good household substitute is half water and



half white vinegar. (Be sure to spot check fabric and carpet for color-fastness).

Don't get something that only covers up odors.

Just because you can't smell anything, it doesn't

mean that puppy can't. Remember dogs' noses are many times more sensitive than ours, and they tend to return to previously soiled areas.

Now that you are aware of that little gem, use it to your advantage. Soak up a little of puppy's next puddle on a piece of paper towel or newspaper, and place it in the area you want him to use, to encourage him to eliminate there.



(By the way, for this same reason, don't use ammonia-based cleaners; they have a chemical makeup somewhat similar to urine).

Fix the puppy up a little "home-within-a-home." It seems to turn people off when we call it "crate training," probably because it conjures up images of a dark, cramped airline crate. Actually, a roomy, airy, wire cage is more the ticket.

A blanket draped over one end of the cage will give him a nice place to sleep. Remember that dogs are den animals, so a crate is not cruel; in fact it becomes his "safe spot."

In the crate you want room for him to stand up, turn around, stretch out, etc. and not much more. (Wolf dens aren't exactly the Waldorf). He needs his bed, some water in a no-tip bowl, and some toys in there. No food, since in his ideal situation,

he is going to be on a feeding schedule.

This is to be a sanctuary, not a prison. He goes in there when he is tired, overnight, when you are gone, and any time you can not actively supervise him.

He does not go in there because you have better things to do and don't want to fool with him. (It is kosher to use it as a time-out spot for short periods when you just can't handle the little demon any longer.)

Now, his wolf-ancestor instincts should kick in—the ones that say "don't soil the den." Of course, he can only hold things so long, so he should have lots of opportunities to relieve himself in his "spot." The selected area should ideally be outdoors.

It should be close enough to be convenient for you and him while he is still little, but far enough away so it won't be a problem when he weighs 80 lbs. and has to get rid of all that kibble he packs away in a day's time.

Carry that soggy little paper

towel you prepared earlier out with you in a sandwich bag; you can then pick up the whole mess in the bag and dispose of it.



How often should you take him out? I can give you a rule of thumb, but the exact timing will depend on the individual pup. Older puppies have more control, females sometimes take longer to develop bladder control, digestive upsets and recent deworming may affect the need to eliminate.

In general, take the pup out first thing in the morning, last thing at night, after every meal, after every play session, any time he seems restless, and especially if you see him starting to walk in circles.

Initially, I would get up at least once during the night until I was sure he had enough control to last 'til morning. This goes for weekends and holidays too.

And notice I said take him out, not let him out. You are to go with him and see that he eliminates.

I am running out of room, but since this is such an important topic I don't want to shortchange it. We've set Puppy up to succeed; next week we'll show him how.



FRIDAY EVENING										DECEMBER 3, 1999									
IM	CV	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	12:00	12:30			
24	2	TBS	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	*** "Dr. No" (1962, Adventure) Sean Connery, Ursula Andress.				*** "Thunderball" (1965, Adventure) Sean Connery, Claudine Auger.						
3	3	NBC	News	Edition	News	NBC News	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Providence (In Stereo)	Dateline (In Stereo)	Law & Order "Gunshow"	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night					
4	5	PBS	Reading	Arthur (R)	Workplace	Business	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Comment	McLaughlin	Wash. Week	Wall St	Evening at Pops (In Stereo)	News	Asian	(Off Air)				
8	8	ABC	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	Hollywood	Ent. Tonight	Boy-World	Odd Man	Sabrina	Hughleys	20/20	News	Nightline	Politically	Enquirer		
23	9	WGN	Cosby Show	Parent	Wayans	Fresh Prince	Caroline	Caroline	*** "The Crow" (1994, Fantasy) Brandon Lee.				News (In Stereo)	MacGyver "Deadly Silents"	In the Heat of the Night				
6	10	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Andy Griffith	Hollywood	Charlie B.	Snowden's	Nuttiest Nutcracker	Nash Bridges (In Stereo)	Sports Overtime	Late Show	Beastmaster				
11	11	FOX	Jerry Springer (R)	3rd Rock	Friends	Friends	Drew Carey	*** "Cliffhanger" (1993, Adventure) Sylvester Stallone.				News	Simpsons	Caroline	Jerry Springer (R)				
13	13	CBS	News	News	News	CBS News	Seinfeld	Frasier	Charlie B.	Snowden's	Nuttiest Nutcracker	Nash Bridges (In Stereo)	Point After	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late				
7		ABC	Judge Judy	News	News	ABC News	Ent. Tonight	Seinfeld	Boy-World	Odd Man	Sabrina	Hughleys	20/20	News	Nightline	Politically	Judge Lane		
14	46	ESPN	(3:00) Golf	Up Close	Sportscenter				50 Greatest	50 Greatest				NASCAR Winston Cup Awards	Sportscenter	NBA 2Night	NFL		
33	60	DSC	Gimme Shelter (R)	Your New House (R)	Wild Discovery: Babies II				On the Inside: Submarine	News	Discover	Storm Warning! (R)	On the Inside: Submarine	News	Discover				
16	61	TNT	In the Heat of the Night	Due South (In Stereo)	ER "The Right Thing"				NBA Basketball: Indiana Pacers at Utah Jazz. (In Stereo Live)				Insid NBA	**½ "The Secret of My Success" (1987) Michael J. Fox.					
31	62	A&E	Murder, She Wrote	Simon & Simon "Thin Air"	Law & Order				Biography: Julia Child				Investigative Reports	Poirot	Law & Order "Guardian"	Biography: Julia Child			
27	63	TNN	Dukes of Hazzard	Alice	Alice	Motor Madness (In Stereo)				ECW Wrestling				Rollerjam (In Stereo)	Rollerjam (In Stereo)	Motor Madness (In Stereo)	Auto Racing (In Stereo)		
19	64	NICK	Figure It Out	Kenan & Kel	All That	Catdog	Thornberrys	Catdog	Doug	Kotter	Kotter	Kotter	Kotter	Kotter	Kotter	To Be Announced			
17	65	USA	Pacific Blue (In Stereo)	Baywatch "Rendezvous"	JAG "Shakedown"				Walker, Texas Ranger	** "Greedy" (1994, Comedy) Michael J. Fox.				*** "A Bronx Tale" (1993, Drama) Robert De Niro.					
28	68	FAM	Stingiest Man in Town	Life of Santa Claus	Rudolph's Shiny New Year				** "Dutch" (1991, Comedy) Ed O'Neill. (In Stereo)				Random	Random	700 Club	Boss?	Random		
34	41	MTV	webRIOT	Blame Game	Groove	MTV Jams	Beat Suite	News	Fashionably Loud V (R)	Daria (R)	Daria (R)	Daria (R)	Fanatic (R)	Loveline (In Stereo)	Rock	Unplugged			
	43	LIFE	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Intimate Portrait	Chicago Hope (In Stereo)	Figure Skating: Nations' Cup.				Once and Again (In Stereo)	Golden Girls	Golden Girls				
	44	CNBC	Market Wrap	Edge	Business Center				Upfront Ton.	Great Game: The Story Of Wall Street				News With Brian Williams	Great Game: The Story Of Wall Street (R)				
	45	ESPN2	ESPNews	Expeditions	Reel Guys	NFL Films	NFL	NFL 2Night	College Football: MAC Championship - Marshall vs. W. Mich.				NFL 2Night	NHL 2Night	Rodeo				
29	49	AMC	Those Daring Young Men	*** "Laura" (1944, Mystery) Gene Tierney.				**½ "The Babe Ruth Story" (1948) William Bendix.				Cinema	**½ "The Giant Behemoth" (1959)				"The Battle of the Sexes"		
10	51	SCIFI	Star Trek (In Stereo)	Hercules-Jrnys.				Brimstone "Pilot"	Brimstone "Encore"	Brimstone "Poem"	Brimstone "Heat"	Brimstone "Pilot"	Brimstone "Encore"						
32	52	HIST	Weapons at War (R)	Air Combat "Combat Crew"				20th Century (R)				Little Big Horn: The Untold Story				Century: Heaven and Earth (R)	Little Big Horn: The		
35		FX	Beverly Hills, 90210	Beverly Hills, 90210	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	NYPD Blue (In Stereo)	X-Files "Dreamland"	Toughman World Champ.				X Show	X-Files (In Stereo)					
20	14	HBO	** "Clockwatchers" (1997) Toni Collette. 'PG-13'				Inside the NFL (In Stereo)	½ "A Low Down Dirty Shame" (1994)				"New World Disorder" (1999) Rutger Hauer. 'NR'	Chris Rock	Taxicab Confessions Six					
	15	HBO2	(4:30) ** "The Newton Boys" (1998)				*** "Indictment: The McMartin Trial" (1995) James Woods. 'R'	½ "Small Soldiers" (1998) Kirsten Dunst. 'PG-13'				*** "The War of the Roses" (1989) Michael Douglas.							
	16	HBO3	(4:30) ** "The Object of My Affection"				*** "RKO 281" (1999) Liev Schreiber.	Sanders	Dennis M.	** "Love Affair" (1994, Drama) Warren Beatty. 'PG-13'				**½ "Eve's Bayou" (1997, Drama) Jurnee Smollett. 'R'					
21	17	MAX	Easy Money	**½ "Dead Poets Society" (1989, Drama) Robin Williams. 'PG'				**½ "Vampires" (1998, Horror) James Woods. 'R'				"Striking Poses" (1999) Shannen Doherty. "Pleasurecraft" (1999) Juan Carlos. 'R'							
	18	DISN	Smart Guy	Smart Guy	Jett Jackson	Jersey (R)	So Weird	Homeward Bound: Incredible Journey				** "Shiloh" (1997) Blake Heron. 'PG'	MusicVids	So Weird	Jersey (R)	Zorro	Mickey		

## Great Performances on KET presents a salute to Broadway's leading ladies

From Lillian Russell to Liza Minelli, audiences have always gone crazy for Broadway's leading ladies. Now KET viewers can see why. Great Performances "My Favorite Broadway: The Leading Ladies," hosted by Julie Andrews, airs on KET 8 p.m. Wednesday, December 1, and features such favorites as Nell Carter, Liza Minelli, Bebe Neuwirth and Rosie O'Donnell.

Also taking center stage are Jennifer Holliday, Rebecca Luker, Martin Mazzie, Audra McDonald, Faith Prince, Elaine Stritch and Karen Ziemba. Performing numbers from their favorite shows are Linda Eder, Anna Kendrick with the Kit Kat Girls, Judy Kuhn, Priscilla Lopez, Andrea McArdle and the Rockettes.

The evening's repertoire is drawn from such beloved musicals as Dreamgirls, Show Boat, A Chorus Line, Gypsy, Chicago and Guys and Dolls, to name a

few. Celebrated Broadway musical director Paul Gemignani conducts.

Highlights include "And I Am Telling You" (Jennifer Holliday), "Nowadays" (Bebe Neuwirth and Karen Ziemba), "Adelaide's Lament" (Faith Prince), "Some People" (Liza Minelli), "Love Changes Everything" (Audra McDonald), "Bewitched" (Marin Mazzie), "The Ladies Who Lunch" (Elaine Stritch), "Man of La Mancha" (Linda Eder) and "Tomorrow" (Andrea McArdle).

Great Performances "My Favorite Broadway: The Leading Ladies," produced by Metropolitan Entertainment Group and WNET/New York, is closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing. Viewers can find out more about programming on KET by visiting the KET Web site at <http://www.ket.org>, a Kentucky.com affiliate.

## Julia Child and Jacques Pepin are delectably together again on KET

Julia Child and Jacques Pepin are together again with the fire, fun and culinary genius that promises yet another hit in the kitchen—and yet another fun show for the viewing public. Airing on Tuesdays at 11 a.m. beginning November 30, "Julia and Jacques Cooking at Home" promises to be a delicious treat.

Viewers will find themselves charmed by the special magic America's favorite cooking duo conjures up in Julia's legendary

kitchen and enticed by the mouth-watering good food they prepare and enjoy. Julia and Jacques' warmth and conviviality shine through the programs along with their spirit, whimsy and remarkable skills as they offer techniques, tastes and recipes at the heart of today's cooking.

Jacques actually wears a toga when he prepares Julia's Caesar Salad (as prepared for Julia by the original Caesar Cardin), and Julia really draws a starter's pistol to initiate their "battle of the

souffles." From salads to stews to desserts and more, the pair reach the hearts of the audiences who love them for their easy camaraderie, step-by-step instructions and great talent.

"Julia and Jacques Cooking at Home," produced by A La Carte Communications, is closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing. Viewers can find out more about programming on KET by visiting the KET Web site at <http://www.ket.org>, a Kentucky.com affiliate.

## Biography of Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis on KET

For a few unforgettable years, she was one of America's most fascinating first ladies. And for decades, she was an unwavering mainstay in the midst of the 20th century's storm of cultural values.

"Jackie: Behind the Myth", a two-hour biography airing on KET at 9 p.m. Monday, November 29, and on KET2 at 9 p.m., Tuesday,

November 30, presents an expansive, intimate portrait of Jacqueline Bouvier Kennedy Onassis, framed by the times in which she lived and informed by the people who knew her.

The film traces the arc of Jackie's extraordinary life, from her seemingly idyllic youth to her days as a beloved first lady to her

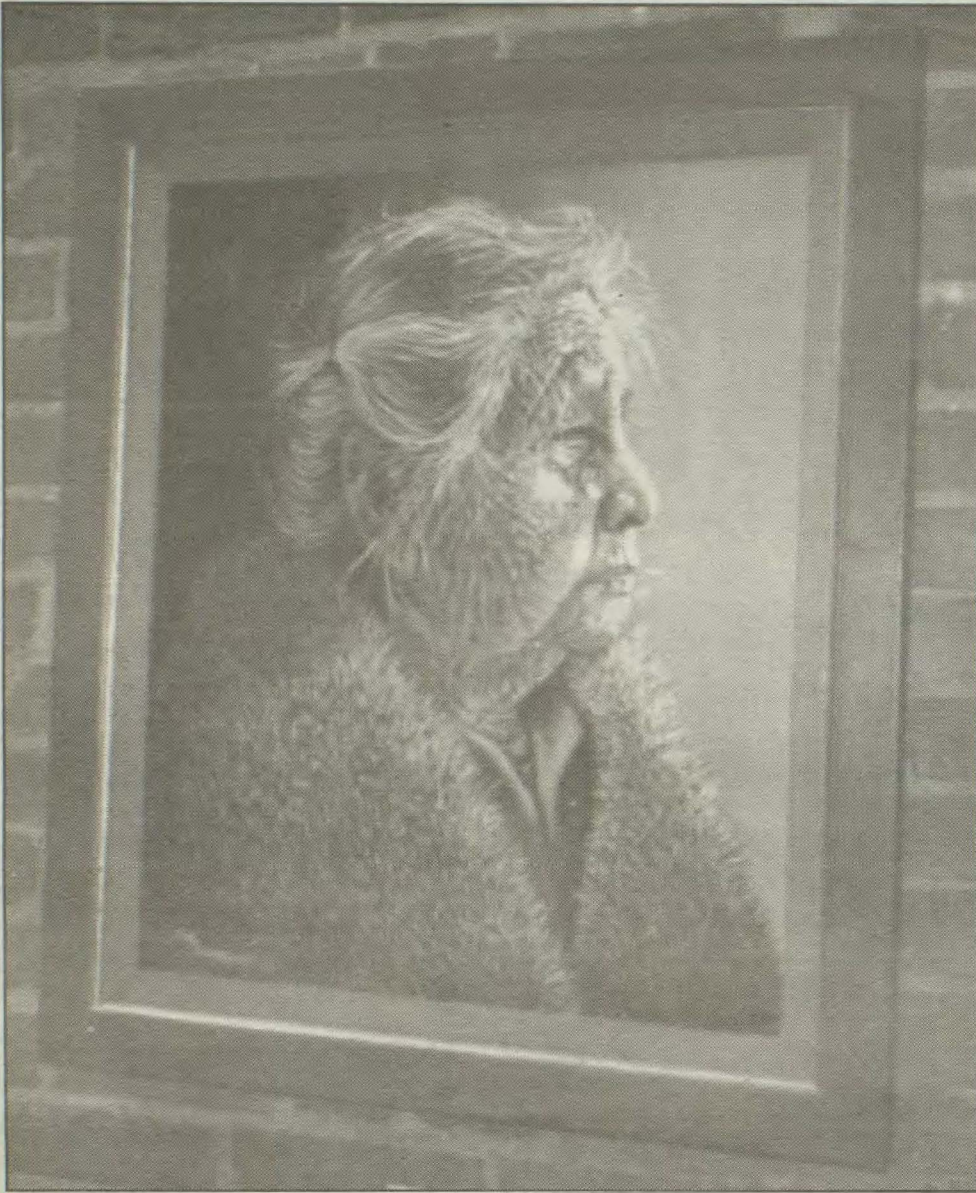
post-White House marriage and career, and finally, to her valiant efforts to promote and preserve America's cultural heritage.

"Jackie: Behind the Myth," reveals an intelligent, insightful woman whose courage and commitment captured the heart of a nation.

The documentary goes beyond

the headlines and the hype—and beyond the obvious—to unveil the full story of this remarkable American life. Throughout the program, photos, newsreels and home movies are interwoven with Jackie's own words while poetry and journal entries illuminate her true feelings about pivotal events in her life.

"Jackie: Behind the Myth", produced by WNET/New York and Behind the Myth, Inc. in association with Nippon Television, is closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing. Viewers can find out more about programming on KET by visiting the KET Web site at <http://www.ket.org>, a Kentucky.com affiliate.



**Old woman**

In the Images from the Mountains exhibit at Appalshop is the painting "Pieciful Times" by Richard Nunemaker of Prestonsburg. The Floyd Countian, who worked in the sign business for many years, now devotes his time to art.

# Exhibit

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photo," he says. "By looking at her face, you can feel she has had a long, hard life."

A Magoffin County native who teaches art at Betsy Layne High School, Shepherd used family members as inspiration for the two line etchings accepted into the show.

One of his entries is of a bee gum built by his Uncle Luther. "I have always been impressed with the ingenuity of the people I grew up with," the Stanville resident writes in the brochure. "This bee gum was made from a hollow chunk of beech tree with a piece of coal belt on top, to allow easy access to the sweet honey."

The other etching is of his grandmother working. "Some of my favorite memories are of my granny doing normal chores, like peeling potatoes. She takes pride in doing the hard work of everyday life," he writes.

The exhibit includes works by 24 artists, all of them from or working in the mountains. Most of the art depicts Appalachian people and places.

The other artists whose work was chosen for the exhibit are Ron Baker of Big Creek; Sarah R. Baker and Cassidy B. Grillon of Hazard; Misty L. Banks, Jennifer Chadwell Boggs and Nancy K. Brown of Whitesburg; Carolyn Boyd of Morehead; Crystal Fletcher, Michael W. Gibson and Rakisha Polland of Bonnyman.

Also, Nathaniel Harris of Raccoon; Tracy Hawkins of Lexington and Elkhorn

City; Berniece Johnson of Robinson Creek; David A. Lucas of Haymond; April Nevarez of Viper; Ruby Lewis Partin of Linefork; Ruby Queen of Hitchins; Shelia Spencer of Happy; Sandra Stephens of Grayson; Karen M. Telford of Wellington, and Violet Vago of Salt Lick.

Entries were juried by Mimi Pickering, a film and video maker at Appalshop, and Michael Ware, art professor at Alice Lloyd College.

The exhibit will be at the Appalshop gallery through December 24 and will begin its on-the-road schedule in early January.

The schedule includes

- January 3-24, Lee's College Library, Jackson,
- February 1-22, Maysville Community College,
- March 1-22, Open,
- April 3-24, Somerset Community College,
- May 1-22, Foothills Artists, West Liberty,
- June 1-22, Open,
- July 3-24, Southeast Community College, Cumberland,
- August 1-22, Morehead State University,
- September 1-22, Alice Lloyd College,
- October 2-23, Hazard Community College,



**BARN**

Ruby Queen of Hitchins calls this oil painting "Barnetts Barn." It's part of the Images from the Mountains exhibit at Appalshop gallery in Whitesburg.



**Grady's boots**

Violet Vago of Salt Lick did this watercolor, titled "Grady's Boots," part of the Images from the Mountains exhibit. She said the boots belong to her husband. She has a second watercolor, "Kentucky Winter," in the traveling show.



**Bee gum and Granny**

Shannon D. Shepherd, art teacher at Betsy Layne High School, has two entries in the Images from the Mountains exhibit at Appalshop. "Bee gum" and "Granny" are etchings.

## Comment on Kentucky celebrates a quarter-century of information

Who would have thought in 1974 that KET's new public affairs program, the brainchild of KET founder O. Leonard Press, would still be on the air at the turn of the century—with its original host, no less.

However, on Friday, December 3 at 8 p.m. host Al Smith celebrates the completion of 25 years on the air—or roughly 1,300 weekly programs—with "Comment on Kentucky."

The Friday-night program, broadcast statewide on KET, offers the insights of Smith and a constantly

changing panel of reporters from around the state concerning the events of the week and their impact on Kentucky.

"Although we cover government, business and education," comments host Al Smith, "I think our show is most like a country courthouse conversation about politics—who's up, who's down. Of course we are reporters or writers, not farmers, but there's a touch of rural humor and skepticism, revoking county seat whittlers and tobacco splitters or the ladies on a lunch break.

"I was a country newspaper editor when we started "Comment." Maybe one reason we've lasted 25 years is because we honor grassroots values and zestfully share the gossip on both sides of the fence."

"Comment on Kentucky" is a KET production, produced by Renee Shaw. The show is closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing. Viewers can find out more about programming on KET by visiting the KET Web site at <http://www.ket.org>, a Kentucky.com affiliate.

## 'Kentucky Life' on KET celebrates the holidays throughout December

During this festive season, viewers can enjoy a month-long look at holiday celebrations in Kentucky with four "Kentucky Life" specials, airing at 8:30 p.m., Saturdays, December 4-25.

On Saturday, December 4, the "1996 Holiday Special" gives viewers the opportunity to meet a Santa in Shepherdsville; Rockcastle County children who learn to play tiny violins and dulcimers; and a Louisville woman who repairs dolls and toys for children. The special also takes a look at antique toys in Richmond and the holiday lights and sights of Frankfort.

"Pioneer Christmas in Washington," airing Saturday, December 11, visits the town of Washington, just south of Maysville in Mason County, where each holiday season the community celebrates in history and pioneer roots with special music, crafts and other observances of the

season.

"Christmas Around Bardstown," airing Saturday, December 18, features festivals in and around Bardstown, including a train ride, a tour of My Old Kentucky Home, reading by the fireside and caroling.

Finally, on Christmas Day, the "1998 Holiday Special" features Homer Ledford and the Cabin Creek Boys; a trip to a Christmas tree farm; and a look at the seasonal flower, the poinsettia.

Byron Crawford hosts each of these holiday specials.

"Kentucky Life," is a KET production, produced by Joy Flynn. The programs are closed-captioned for the deaf and hard-of-hearing. Viewers can find out more about programming on KET by visiting the KET Web site at <http://www.ket.org>, a Kentucky.com affiliate.

## Kentucky Crafted: The Market expands plans for 2000

Frankfort — Preparations for the 19th year of Kentucky's hand-crafted gift market are well underway. Kentucky Crafted: The Market, Homecoming 2000, is scheduled for February 5-6.

The Market features Kentucky contemporary, folk and traditional crafts, musical recordings, two-dimensional visual art, books and food products for the wholesale and retail trade.

This year, The Market will offer a section containing books by Kentucky authors from the Kentucky Book Fair. Activities and entertainment will include book signings, Kentucky cultural entertainment, and educational children's craft activities.

The Market will be held in the Kentucky Fair and Exposition Center, South Wing B, in Louisville.

Kentucky Crafted: The Market, Homecoming 2000 will not only feature

more than 275 exhibitors, but also former exhibitors from past years, giving this year's Market more product selection than ever before.

"Homecomings and reunions are traditional events in Kentucky," says Program Director Fran Redmon. "What better way to celebrate the Millennium than to bring back many of the wonderful craftspeople that have been part of The Market's success and history for nearly 20 years?"

The Market opens to the public from 9 a.m.-6 p.m. on Saturdays and noon to 5 p.m. on Sunday. The cost is \$5 for adults and \$2 for children ages 6-12. Children under 6 are admitted free. Parking is \$3.

The Market is sponsored by the Kentucky Craft Marketing Program, a state agency in the Kentucky Arts Council, Education, Arts and Humanities Cabinet, Commonwealth of Kentucky.

## TOP OF THE CHARTS

Compiled by Mickey Greene along with nationwide surveys of radio airplay, club play and video favorites as well as sales.

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### Top 10 Pop Singles

1. Santana Feat. Rob Thomas "Smooth" (Arista) Last Week: No. 1
2. 'N Sync & Gloria Estefan "Music Of My Heart," (Miramax/Epic) No. 2
3. Mint Condition "If You Love Me" (Elektra/EEG) No. 13
4. Brian McKnight "Back At One" (Motown Album Cut) No. 3
5. Puff Daddy Feat. R. Kelly "Satisfy You" (Bad Boy/Arista) No. 4
6. Jessica Simpson "I Wanna Love You Forever" (Columbia) New Entry
7. Lou Bega "Mambo No. 5 (A Little Bit Of...)" (RCA) No. 5
8. Mariah Carey Feat. Jay-Z "Heartbreaker" (Columbia) No. 6
9. Jennifer Lopez "Waiting For Tonight" (Work Album Cut/ERG) No. 8
10. Whitney Houston "My Love Is Your Love" (Artista) No. 9

### Top R&B/Dance

1. Ideal "Get Gone" (Noontime/Virgin) New Entry
2. Puff Daddy Feat. R. Kelly "Satisfy You" (Bad Boy/Arista) Last Week: No. 1
3. Marc Anthony "I Need To Know" (Columbia) No. 2
4. Hannah Jones "Was That All I Was" (Nervous) No. 3
5. Juvenile Feat. Mannie Fresh & Lil' Wayne "Back That Thang Up" (Universal) No. 4
6. Donell Jones "U Know What's Up" (Untouchables/LaFace/Arista) No. 7
7. Mariah Carey Feat. Jay-Z "Heartbreaker" (Columbia) No. 5
8. So Plush Feat. JaRule "Damn (Should've Treated U Right)" (Darkchild/Epic) New Entry
9. Jennifer Lopez "Waiting For Tonight" (Work Album Cut/ERG) No. 8
10. Donna Summer "Love Is The Healer" (Epic) No. 10

### Top C&W Singles

1. Dixie Chicks "Fly" (Monument) Last Week: No. 1
2. Alan Jackson "Pop A Top" (Arista Nashville) No. 17
3. Martina McBride "I Love You" (RCA Album Cut) No. 2
4. Roy D. Mercer "How Big 'A Boy Are Ya?" (Virgin) No. 3
5. Tim McGraw "Something Like That" (Curb Album Cut) No. 4
6. Brad Paisley "He Didn't Have To Be" (Arista Nashville Album Cut) No. 5
7. Dixie Chicks "Ready To Run" (Monument Album Cut) No. 6
8. Clint Black "When I Said I Do" (RCA Album Cut) No. 7
9. Steve Wariner "I'm Already Taken" (Capitol) No. 8
10. Randy Travis "A Man Ain't Made Of Stone" (Dreamworks Album Cut) No. 10

### Top Video Rentals

1. The Blair Witch Project starring

- Heather Donahue (Artisan - R)) New Entry
2. The Mummy starring Brendan Fraser (Universal - Rated: R) Last Week: No. 1
3. The Matrix Keanu Reeves (Warner - R) No. 2
4. Life Eddie Murphy (Universal - R) New Entry
5. Election Matthew Broderick (Paramount - R) New Entry
6. 10 Things I Hate About You Julia Stiles (Buena Vista - PG-13) No. 4
7. Shakespeare In Love Gwyneth Paltrow (Buena Vista - R) No. 5
8. Payback Mel Gibson (Paramount - R) No. 6
9. 8MM Nicolas Cage (Columbia TriStar - R) No. 7
10. My Favorite Martian Jeff Daniels (Buena Vista - PG) No. 10

### Top D.V.D. Sales

1. The Blair Witch Project starring Heather Donahue (Artisan Entertainment - R) \$24.95
  2. The Matrix starring Keanu Reeves (Warner - Rated: R) \$24.98
  3. Pinocchio Animated (Buena Vista - G) \$39.99
  4. The Wizard of Oz Judy Garland (Warner - G) \$24.98
  5. Life Eddie Murphy (Universal - R) \$29.98
  6. The Mummy (Widescreen) Brendan Fraser (Universal - PG-13) \$29.98
  7. James Bond Gift Set Sean Connery, Roger Moore (MGM - PG) \$199.98
  8. Election Matthew Broderick (Paramount - R) \$29.99
  9. Titanic Leonardo DiCaprio (Paramount - PG-13) \$29.99
  10. There's Something About Mary Ben Stiller (FoxVideo - R) \$34.95
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## Celtic blend on tap

Vocalist Deborah Packard and guitarist Peter Cairney of the band "Isla" will be performing in concert at the Appalshop on Wednesday, December 8, at 7:30 p.m.

Isla is renown for its blend of traditional-style Celtic and Appalachian music. Tickets are \$8.

Appalshop is located at 91 Madison Ave., Whitesburg.

For more information, call 606/633-0108.

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# 32nd annual Frontier Christmas in Washington

A glimpse of Christmas as it might have been in Mason County's 213-year-old village of Washington will be the theme of the 32nd Frontier Christmas to be held on December 4 and 5, four miles south of Maysville on U.S. 68.

Candle-lit buildings and costumed street vendors offering freshly-cut greenery will greet visitors, as seven historic museums and over a dozen specialty shops hold their annual open houses.

Music will dominate this year's event with Shaker singers Tom Freese and Dwana Patrick,

dulcimer duo, Susie and Bob Hutchison and hammered dulcimer player Kyle Meadows performing at various museums.

Strolling the old flagstone walks will be the a capella trio, Raison D'Etre and Becky Bell's colorful and talented Main Street Bell Ringers. Local choirs and children's singing groups are expected to participate in Frontier Christmas, and are welcomed by Old Washington Inc.

Three Kentucky authors will conduct book signings. Linda Madris-Smith, also an artist, will autograph her new book of prints in Paxton Inn. "Historical

Sketches of Northern Kentucky With A Touch of Ohio" contains scenes of Washington and Maysville and surrounding area.

A new mystery by Bourbon County's Marilyn Dungan relates events that took place in Marshall Key's Tavern, where the author will be autographing her book, "The Tape," during the weekend.

Returning for Frontier Christmas to sign as co-authors their new "Sweet Kentucky Home" will be David and Lalie Dick, who come to Washington Hall every Frontier Christmas from Plum Lick.

Traditional Kentucky Burgoo

will be served in the Washington Meeting Hall; turkey and ham dinners will be offered by the ladies of Haven's Chapel, and typical holiday fare on the menu at Marshall Key's 1809 Tavern.

The Old Church Museum will sponsor a new event this year on Saturday at 7 p.m., when The Golden Chords, a popular Fleming County group, will offer an evening of gospel music. There is no admission charge, but donations will be welcomed.

Also on Saturday at the Old Church, will be weaving and broom-making demonstrations; quilting by Jeanette Tolle at the

Albert Sidney Johnston House, and woodcarving at the Simon Kenton Shrine.

Frontier Christmas will close on Sunday with its traditional vesper service at 4 p.m., conducted by local ministers, and Christmas music performed by local musicians.

Frontier Christmas is sponsored by Old Washington Inc. and the Old Washington Special Events Committee. For further information, please call the Washington Visitors Center at 606/759-7411.

## Shaker Village celebrates the yuletide

HARRODSBURG—The historic Shaker Village of Pleasant Hill celebrates Christmas with special activities throughout the month of December, beginning with "The Shaker Order of Christmas" on Saturday, December 4, and Saturday, December 11.

Most Shakers were prolific songwriters and many wrote special songs they gave to fellow community members as musical holiday gifts. In keeping with this tradition, during "The Shaker Order of Christmas," special shaker Christmas music programs are planned for 1, 2 and 3 p.m., each day.

Visitors will also have an opportunity to glimpse into the past as costumed interpreters provide living history vignettes of Shaker Christmas past. These include tree-decorating, preparing gifts for the poor, cooking and other holiday traditions.

The tours end in the second floor meeting room where everyone is asked to join in the singing of Shaker Christmas songs as they were per-

formed more than a century ago.

On December 4, the Shaker Village craft store will hold its annual Holiday Open House, featuring visiting craftspeople and holiday refreshments. Craft store hours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Throughout the month of December, Holiday Afternoon Tea is served, Monday through Saturday, from 2 to 4 p.m. except for December 24-25. The Trustees' Office Dining is candlelit for the season and the menu includes a variety of warm drinks including cider and spiced tea as well as tea sandwiches, assorted tea breads and muffins, topped off by chocolate and caramel tartlets.

"The Simple Gifts of Christmas," scheduled for December 26-31, gives visitors an opportunity to recover from the "hustle and bustle" of holiday shopping and entertaining. Visitors may come for the day or spend the night in one of the village's overnight guest rooms.

Daytime activities include a show-

ing of "The Shakers," narrated by Academy Award winning actor Ben Kingsley. Guided tours on Shaker architecture, furniture design and Christmas traditions are at 1:30 and 3:30 p.m. and special music performances are 11, 1 and 3 p.m. each day.

Community Christmas Caroling takes place in the village on December 11. Everyone is encouraged to begin the holidays the 19th century way by caroling, along the lantern-lit village road at 7 p.m. Refreshments will be served. In the Shaker spirit, a canned good for the needy is the price of admission.

Winter admission to Shaker Village is \$6.50 for adults, \$3.50 for youth 12-17, \$2.50, children 6-11. Children under 6 are admitted free when accompanied by an adult. The museum is open 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m. and the village is closed to the public Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. For more information, dining or overnight reservations, call (800) 734-5611.

## UK museum open late on Fridays

On November 12, the University of Kentucky Art Museum began evening hours, remaining open until 8 p.m. every Friday.

An audience survey conducted last winter provided important information about how well the museum meets visitors' needs. Among the results was that while the majority of the respondents found the existing hours convenient, a significant percentage expressed interest in having evening hours available. Friday was the most frequent suggestion.

"Friday night will be a good time to visit us," said museum director Harriet Fowler. "There is usually plenty of nearby parking and people can combine a museum visit and an evening concert elsewhere on the campus. The new additional hours will also enable us to plan special weekend programming in response to community needs."

The UK Art Museum is free and open to the public. Hours are noon to 5 p.m., Tuesday through Sunday, noon to 8 p.m. Friday, closed Mondays and university holidays. For more information, call 606/257-5717.

## Amazing stories about Kentucky people

by Kelli Summers  
Kentucky Historical Society

Often people do the most amazing things and we never recognize them or give credit for them. Just a quick glance through the Kentucky Encyclopedia will refer you to several stories that seem unremarkable at face value but are really something when you think about it.

For example, in 1884, Daviess County jailer, W.J. Lucas was killed when trying to defend a black prisoner. Even though this was just after the Civil War, the Daviess County Court

appointed Lucas' wife, Mildred to serve as jailer until an election could be held.

Mildred Summers Lucas was one tough lady. She won the election fair and square even though women didn't have the right to vote. Still, the attesting board named her male opponent as jailer.

Mildred Lucas refused to vacate the office, appealed the board's decision and served as jailer for 16 months until the Kentucky Supreme Court in Atchison vs. Lucas ruled that she could not serve as jailer because she couldn't vote.

Nevertheless, the all-male electorate in Owensboro had affirmed her for the office. She must have been quite a woman.

Another fascinating story took place at Camp Nelson, just south of Nicholasville. By 1864, Camp Nelson had become the most important recruiting and training camp for African-Americans during the Civil War. Many of the wives and children of the volunteers followed them to Camp Nelson as refugees from slavery.

In the midst of the chaos that was America in the 1860s, one of the nameless and all but forgotten

tragedies of wartime occurred.

In November of 1864, armed soldiers drove 400 women and children from the camp. In the freezing cold, many died of exposure and the soldiers left behind were given no word as to where their families were being taken.

The Kentucky Encyclopedia reports that within a few weeks the decision was reversed but not soon enough for the 102 who died as a result. In a strange twist of fate, it was Camp Nelson that became the major point at which former slaves could get their

emancipation papers.

Also it is well known that Ephraim McDowell performed the first abdominal surgery in Danville in 1809. What most people don't know is that his less well-known patient, Jane Todd Crawford, traveled on horseback for 60 miles with a huge ovarian cystic tumor that McDowell later removed.

After a short convalescence, Crawford rode her back home and lived another 32 years.

The fortitude of Jane Todd Crawford is unbelievable. She must have been in agony riding that horse from

her home on the Blue Spring Branch of the Caney Fork of Russell Creek toward Danville.

Then, she went under the knife for totally experimental surgery, then got up and rode the horse back to Russell Creek.

One of the greatest things about our state and our heritage is that it is so rich with tradition and history. It seems that every corner has a story, every family has a hero or a blackguard. It always seems that just around the next bend lies another discovery, another tale of human perseverance or amazing behavior.

# NATASHA'S STARS

Here's a quick way to find out your horoscope with 10 being the best possible week and 0 the most difficult.

## ARIES

(March 21 to April 19)

Magic is on the center stage, and you find that you know all of the tricks of the trade. There is no need to share your secrets; just let people believe in the tricks that they see before their eyes. This week is a 9.

## TAURUS

(April 20 to May 20)

Shake out your blurry vision and seek out a focal point. Don't overreact if your focus feels quite fleeting. Your emotions aim to slightly stress you out. This week is a 5.

## GEMINI

(May 21 to June 20)

Deal with the issues that con-

front you as soon as they present themselves. It may not involve a straightforward introduction, so look for the signs that are more subtle. This week is a 6.

## CANCER

(June 21 to July 22)

You find yourself asking the same sorts of questions for which the great philosophers are known. The specific answers are not as important as the quest to find them. This week is an 8.

## LEO

(July 23 to August 22)

Your inner drive has a route mapped out that is quite extraordinary. You still need to take control of the wheel, but the signs by the side of the road could become quite irrelevant in determining your proper direction. This week is a 7.

## VIRGO

(August 23 to September 22)

Hone in on the reactions of others in order to gain insight into the emotions that are beneath the surface. If you move quickly, you make the discovery before they boil over. This week is an 8.

## LIBRA

(September 23 to October 22)

If you feel that you need help, take the time to seek it out. You are not bothering anyone by sharing the secrets that make you a bit vulnerable. Your true friends have been awaiting the opportunity to support you. This week is a 10.

## SCORPIO

(October 23 to November 21)

Your sensitivity allows you to notice things that others fail to catch. It may not be as obvious as a home run, so think about the smaller steps that get everyone closer to

scoring. This week is an 8.

## SAGITTARIUS

(November 22 to December 21)

Your intuition is worth more than any tuition that you have ever paid. You hold an esteemed degree in high energy and its applications. Wear your cap and gown with pride. This week is a 10.

## CAPRICORN

(December 22 to January 19)

There is some pouting going on when people don't get what they originally wanted. This could include you if you are not careful. Make sure there is some leeway in your expectations. This week is a 6.

## AQUARIUS

(January 20 to February 19)

Deep down, you know the answers to the issues that confront you. Clear your mind and allow the voices in your head to work it all

out. A diplomatic discussion could ensue. This week is a 7.

## PISCES

(February 20 to March 20)

Focusing in on your picture of health could be at the forefront of your mind. Determine a suitable frame and the proper protective glass. There are no negatives with which to make copies. This week is an 8.

## YOU BORN THIS WEEK:

Your performance is as close to perfection as possible. Whether it is a drama or a comedy, you have the abilities to take on the appropriate roles with style. Life takes you through every possible combination. Changing your costume at a moment's notice and the understudy roles that you choose even when you are in the limelight get you rave reviews.

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## INFOLINK BY ZANE BINDER

By Zane Binder

### Review: Command & Conquer, Tiberian Sun opossu@ix.netcom.com

Modern electronic war-gaming has a venerable history, its roots traceable to the sophisticated "board" wargames of the '60's. The genre's standard-bearer - Gettysburg - was Avalon Hill Co.'s flagship. It set new standards in authenticity and historical accuracy but really wasn't fun. Today's wargames, designed for PC's of course, remedy that single "flaw." Westwood Studio's futuristic Command and Conquer, Tiberian Sun (CCTS) is one of the

best!

CCTS - a two CD set - isn't a true sequel but owes substantial lineage to Command and Conquer, Red Alert. Published three years ago, that "real time strategy game" became the measure by which all others were judged. Red Alert is CCTS's springboard: it offers more advanced features, improved "artificial intelligence," and more "administrative duties" than its competing classic, StarCraft.

Sadly, it also offers some of the same annoyances, things the entire genres' saddled with. They include virtually no play instructions (despite a 55-page strategy and explanatory manual) and the inexplicable "use" of only part of your monitor. That

great 19" inch VDT is useless if the game confines itself to a "window!" Though CCTS installs easily and quickly, has gorgeous third-person perspective graphics (but only in 16 colors!), and runs well on midrange speed computers with 64 megs of RAM, learning how to play and game option setup itself is trial and error. CCTS and the "mechanized future warfare" genre are complicated: the "learning curve" is hours upon hours. There's no such thing as sitting down to play and initially having a fine time! Unit maneuvers, learning to construct buildings, money management, and a plethora of other issues - such as what to do when the game's "artificial intelligence" inexplicably overlooks an enemy unit it

MUST attack or otherwise deal with - must be tackled.

Set on a scrolling battlefield and with "cut scenes" of actors with the prominence of James Earl Jones, CCTS's Jump Jet Infantry, Burrowing Tanks, "Cloaked Units" and Firestorm Defense Setups is highly entertaining ... once you learn how to play. But because of strong language and realistic violence, it can't be recommended for youths under 12.

This \$40 street price game (available everywhere) is worthwhile but not perfect. The genre needs refining! Contact Westwood at [www.westwood.com](http://www.westwood.com) for more information.

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## Smile — (Continued from page) How to eliminate due dates on DVD rentals

I tried to explain. "Oh, let's just get out of here and go for a boat ride. That's why I came to Italy anyway."

Taking a gondola ride through the famed canals of Venice is considered to be one of the most romantic experiences in the world. And, since it was our honeymoon, we certainly didn't want to miss this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. However, a word to the wise and future tourists: don't try to sing along with a serenading gondolier, as Ronnie found out when he tried to sing harmony to an Italian rendition of Tom Jones' "Delilah."

"Oh, I didn't know that

was an Italian melody," I stated.

"Neither did Tom Jones," Ronnie chuckled.

But, as someone once said, "All good things must come to an end. Back in Rome, we arrived at the airport, checked BOTH our bags, hooked me up to a Valium IV, and boarded a Sabena 747 for the long trip home.

So, if you've persevered with us up to this point in our Italian holiday, we thank you; and we hope you've been entertained by our adventures, as well as enjoyed a smile or two along the way.

Arrivederci!

(NUE) - If you own a digital video disc player (DVD), you know how much better movies look and sound on your television compared to how they look off a regular VHS video player. Unfortunately for DVD owners, very few video stores rent DVD movies, and the ones that do tend to have a very limited selection.

The good news for DVD users is that there's an online DVD rental store that allows renters to pick from thousands of movie titles without having to worry about due dates or late fees.

NetFlix.com's Marquee

program allows customers to receive four DVD rentals each month for \$15.95. Members can always keep up to four movies at home without worrying about due dates. The rental store is located at [www.netflix.com](http://www.netflix.com).

NetFlix.com CEO Reed Hastings said the program will transform the DVD rental marketplace, enabling subscribers to watch what they want when they want. "Through this unprecedented offer of no late fees and no due dates, NetFlix.com is offering DVD renters greater freedom and spontaneity," Hastings said.

Here's how the program

works:

- No Due Dates. There are no due dates or late fees on movie rentals. Customers can have a maximum of four rentals on hand at a time.

- Pricing. Members select four DVD movies per month from NetFlix.com's unlimited selection of DVD titles for a flat fee of \$15.95 with the option to quit at any time. In addition, Marquee members also receive a reduced rental rate of \$2.99 plus 99 cents shipping on all subsequent rentals.

- Optional Automatic Movie Replenishment.

Customers may pre-select from an unlimited number of DVDs. Members simply return one of their DVDs and the next one of their preorders is automatically shipped to them.

While DVD players have only been available since 1997, there are now more than 3 million players installed in consumer homes. The Consumer Electronics Manufacturers Association expects this number will grow to nearly 4 million hardware units by the end of 1999. For more information, visit [www.netflix.com](http://www.netflix.com).

# Pigeon Forge event honors veterans

Pigeon Forge will honor the people who fought for our country's freedom during a special event that will begin in 2000. "Celebrate Freedom! Pigeon Forge Salutes America's Veterans" is scheduled for Nov. 8-22, next year, with events taking place throughout this East Tennessee city.

The focus of the 2000 event will be the men and women who served in the military during World War II. Historical exhibits will include a map room detailing the theaters of operation during the war with an area set aside for veterans to record their personal memories on videotape. The tapes will be collected and archived in the community library.

Other events planned during "Celebrate Freedom!" include a Symposium of Veterans featuring notable veterans in a roundtable discussion of their experiences; benefit luncheons to raise funds for the World War II National Monument in Washington, D.C.; military band concerts; and canteen dances. Music featured at the dances will reflect the big band sounds of the '40s and '50s.

Operation Liberty, a unique Veterans' Day Parade on the Pigeon Forge Parkway, will be one of the highlights of the 15-day

event. The parade will include active-duty units and equipment and vintage equipment along with the veterans of several military conflicts.

Vehicles and marching units will travel the parade route on the ground while modern and vintage aircraft fly overhead in the same direction of travel.

"Celebrate Freedom!" will conclude with a special memorial service at the Pigeon Forge Community Center.

"We're very excited about this new event," said Ralph Chance, mayor of Pigeon Forge. "People who visit Pigeon Forge can't miss our patriotism, and we're honored to expand on that patriotism and pay tribute to the men and woman who sacrificed so much so that we can enjoy the freedom we experience every day."

"Celebrate Freedom!", designed to honor all U.S. military veterans, will focus on a different military conflict with each ensuring year. 2001 will focus on Korea, 2002 on Vietnam and 2003 on the Persian Gulf.

More information about "Celebrate Freedom! Pigeon Forge Salutes America's Veterans" is available from the Office of Special Events at 865/429-7350.

## EDUCATION Today

BY TERESA THORNE

When standards for teacher training programs began to fall in the 1960s, so did respect for the teachers who were turned out into the nation's primary and high schools poorly trained and poorly prepared to deal with the challenge of educating the nation's young people. (Respect also fell for school administrators who were becoming a national joke. Many of them were appointed by politically-driven local school boards who hired, not on the basis of excellence, but for political and often ethnic expediency. But that's for another column.)

It got so bad, that in the late 1980s, the few good teachers still in the system admitted they were hanging on until they qualified for their pensions and would leave right after they got

their first checks.

Now, things are turning around. Higher standards are being required in the colleges for teacher training. One of the new requirements expected to be put in place in the next few years is increased time for actual classroom experience for student teachers.

Senator Jack Reed (D-R.I.), a member of the Senate committee that crafts federal education law, said, "Too often the experience (of students) in college is a few weeks of poorly supervised sessions in a classroom. Then, upon graduation, they are thrown into a classroom alone."

The National Center for Education Information, a private education research group currently surveying teacher preparation programs, finds only about five percent of the country's 356 colleges require more than four months of student

teaching. For many of these new teachers, it's a sink-or-swim situation when they get their new appointments. Some have no idea how to deal with immigrant or special education students. With a growing immigrant population and an increasing trend to "streamline" physically or mentally disabled youngsters into regular classes, the problems can only get worse.

Like medical students who are required to get continuing hands-on training in hospitals, students in teaching programs need more "hands-on" classroom training so they can come into the school system better prepared to deal with its realities.

Share your views with us. Send guest columns to Education Today, 235 East 45th Street, New York, N.Y. 10017.

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## ENTERTAINMENT EXTRA

by Evelyn Ludvigson

Q. I would like to know what political persuasion Bill Maher of "Politically Incorrect" is. Sometimes he sounds like a conservative and sometimes like a liberal. What are his views? Robert H.

A. People close to Maher say he's liberal on some issues, conservative on others. He has said that his views are not important. When he's hosting his show, he finds it helpful to take positions that encourage interaction. "I don't want a lot of people sitting around agreeing with me," he said. Incidentally, "Politically Incorrect With Bill Maher" will air a one-hour Millennium special starting 12:35 a.m., ET on December 31. Guests will include John Popper, Arianna Huffington, Shelley Long, Gilbert Gottfried, Paul Rodriguez, Rod Steiger and others.

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Q. On a recent television show - I don't recall the name - they used some supposedly Hollywood insider expressions which I thought needed translation for us

outsiders. I wrote down a few of them and wonder if you can explain what they mean. Miles G.

A. You gave me four expressions which I was able to translate with the help of someone who knows such things. Here goes:

First Look Deal - refers to a contract a studio gives to a producer or a director to provide her or his movie-making talents to that studio for a given rate of remuneration, an agreed-upon timetable for the production, and other issues relevant to the deal.

Rags - refers to newspapers, usually tabloids, that write about show business people and not always favorably. This is in contrast to the "trades" which may print unfavorable pieces, but are largely concerned with the "business" part of the entertainment medium.

Option - is the legal right to make a movie granted to a producer or studio by the writer or author in return for an agreed amount of money. The agreement also includes how long the producer can hold the option without making a film. The property would then be returned to

the writer who may or may not enter into another option deal with someone else.

Big Screen - refers to movie screens as opposed to television screens.

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Q A few weeks ago, some of my friends and I talked about famous people who had passed on. One of them was General Douglas MacArthur. One of my friends asked if it's his son who runs the MacArthur Foundation that hands out grants to people doing research. Can you shed some light on this? Emily R.

A. John MacArthur, the co-founder of the John and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation, is not the son of the late general. General MacArthur's son reportedly changed his name several years ago, so that he could avoid living his life under the shadow of his famous dad.

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## Tree of love makes Christmas brighter for area children

RENFRO VALLEY—Children will enjoy a brighter Christmas this year, thanks to the generosity of Renfro Valley visitors and staff. Those children will receive gifts of toys and clothing through Renfro Valley's Tree of Love program.

Now in its eighth year, the Tree of Love helps to connect children in need with the generosity of others, brightening the holidays for both. Each year, the tree is decorated with the names of children whose Christmas gift prospects look bleak.

Visitors to Santa's Workshop, where the tree resides, are encouraged to select a child for whom to provide gifts. The child's age, sizes and gift sugges-

tions are provided.

The children included in the Tree of Love program are selected with the help of several Rockcastle County agencies. Often the children's parents have suffered financial setbacks due to unemployment or health problems. The severity of these adult problems often translates to the absence of Christmas gifts for their children.

"As we celebrate the wonder and magic of the Christmas season, we want to ensure that the children in our area have happy holidays, too," explains Jane Thorne, Renfro Valley CEO. "We are so proud of the generosity of our visitors and staff who, through the Tree of Love, help make this sea-

son."

What happens to the children whose names remain on the Tree of Love after December 18, the deadline for gifts to be returned to Santa's Workshop? "We have a collection box inside Freedom Church in our Village," explains Thorne. "We use the money that guests place in the collection box to purchase gifts for any children whose names are not taken from the Tree."

Season after season, Renfro Valley warms audience's hearts with its family-oriented entertainment. During the holiday season, Rockcastle County children's Christmas celebrations are a little warmer too, because of Renfro Valley's Tree of Love.

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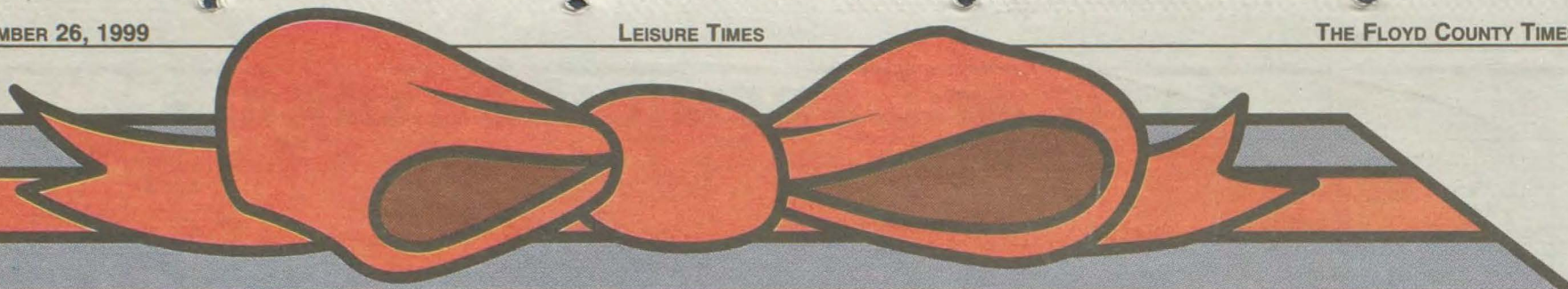
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