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School board chair to resign

by Pam Shingler Editor

Just when it appeared that some degree of stability had been reached in the long-troubled Floyd County School System, the chairman of the board of education has announced his plans to resign.

In a letter dated October 4, Dotson told state Commissioner of Education Wilmer Cody, "I feel it is in the best interest of everyone involved, if I tender my resignation to you effective December 31, 1999."

Wednesday in a call to the Times, Dotson said he could not continue to spend the time on the volunteer job that he has been spending. "It is a simple matter of

time," said the chief executive officer of Worldwide Equipment Enterprises.

"It (the chairmanship) has been taking 30 or more hours a week. I just can't do it," he said. "If you do the job and do it right, it is extremely demanding.

Dotson said his business, a multi-million-dollar, multi-state operation with headquarters in Prestonsburg, is growing and requiring more of his time.

He said he made his resignation effective at the end of the year "to give time to get a replacement."

According to Bill Birdwell of the state Department of Education, the replacement process includes

(See Chair, page two)



Tyler O'Bryan of Paintsville prepared yesterday to shoot a ball toward the basket for a chance at a prize as his Uncle Brad watched. They were visiting the carnival in downtown Prestonsburg, which is part of the Jenny Wiley Festival. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

Highlands strike stirs up feelings

by Randell Reno Staff Writer

Since a restraining order was issued against the Service Employees International Union of Highlands Regional Medical Center just weeks ago, the 911

dispatchers at the Kentucky State Police Post in Pikeville have received numerous calls from and about the picketers.

Just Tuesday and Wednesday alone, 10 calls were made to the post concerning the strike.

At 6:49 Tuesday morning, a

call was made saying Eugene Ferguson, a security guard, had been assaulted by Walter Whitaker, a picketing striker, and that the security guard's hat had been stolen. Whitaker, 25, of Salyersville, was arrested and charged with fourth degree assault and theft by unlawful tak-

At 7:40 that same morning, a non-striking employee of the hospital from the Wheelwright area called reporting that someone had put tacks in her driveway.

Another call said that union organizer Kathy McCormick had been assaulted by a guard, specifically that he hit her on the arm twice. The KSP officer investigating the incident said the complaint was unfounded and that the

guard was defending himself. And at 9:03, one of the workers at the hospital called saying she "almost hit" one of the picketers when she came into the

HRMC parking lot. The striker allegedly had made a face at her and she said she was "not going to jail for hitting a picket because the strike line is not patrolled properly.

At 3:08 a.m. Wednesday, a report came in that someone had tried to hit one of the picketers and was still at the hospital. The log entry said there was no contact between the two subjects. Both individuals told different

The picket, Nancy Ellen Perry, was allegedly in violation of the injunction because of where she was standing.

Arrested in the incident was David E. Body, 35, of Munhall, Pennsylvania, for wanton endangerment in the first degree. Body, a security guard employed by the hospital, allegedly tried to run over Perry, according to the arrest report at the Floyd County Detention Center.

At 7:48 Wednesday morning, it was reported that a window had been broken out at HRMC. Upon investigation, a security guard pointed out that two more windows had been broken for a total of three, thus far.

The guard said that marbles had been found near the windows and that the perpetrator(s) had probably been using a wrist rocket (a device similar to a sling shot) to break the windows.

A tent put up near the road made a perfect "hooch" for this incident, said the guard, referring to a hiding place for a sniper. The guards have a few suspects in the incident, which is under investigation. The imported windows cost the hospital \$3,000 each.

Four other calls recorded in the KSP log were noted as "strike related," but carried no details.

The strike began September 2, with no apparent progress being made toward settlement.

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More in store

The Jenny Wiley Pioneer Festival goes into high gear today and tomorrow. If you're reading this before 2 p.m. on Friday, be advised to rush over to the First United Methodist Church on Arnold Avenue and partake of the Rotary Club Pancake Breakfast (or dinner, whichever you prefer). At 3 this afternoon, bluegrass music reigns at the Municipal Parking Lot stage, with some of the best groups in the region. The 3K Run, river race and other athletic events are going on Saturday morning, followed by the parade at 2 p.m., followed by fireworks around 8 p.m. to kick off Cajun Night in the Mountains. Park and stay awhile.

Pike man dead in vehicle

Kentucky State Police officers are investigating the death of a Pike County man. Kenneth A. Stewart, 32, of 660 Elswick Branch in Pikeville, was found dead in his vehicle on Wednesday at about 10:30 a.m. in the driveway of a residence on Lower Pigeon Creek at Sycamore. Officers report no sign of foul play, but the Pike County Coroner's office has sent the body to the state medical examiner's office for an autopsy.

Suspect arrested

A second man has been arrested in the shooting death of Chad Ratliff, 27, of Elkhorn City, who was found dead in Pike County on September 18. Curtis Vilente Murphy, 21, of Regina, was taken into custody by Pikeville City Police Wednesday afternoon at his home. Murphy joins Tommy "Boonie" Dotson, who was arrested earlier on a murder charge and is lodged in the Pike County Detention Center. Arresting officers were Sgt. W. H. Pruitt and Detectives Keith Justice and Ray Akers.

Be warned

Monday, October 11, is Columbus Day, a federal holiday. Many government offices, including post offices, banks and other agencies will be taking a fall break in honor of Christopher's voyage. Call ahead before you make plans to do business.

Public meetings

• Floyd County Fiscal Court, special meeting, today, 3 p.m., Fiscal Courtroom, Courthouse. Agenda: Signing of agreement to surface or resurface roads

• Prestonsburg City Council, Monday, 6 p.m., City Hall

• Floyd County Health Department board, Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., office

• Floyd County 911 Executive Board, Thursday, 6 p.m., Old Tourism Building

• Floyd County Fiscal Court, Friday, October 15, Fiscal Courtroom, Courthouse

Trial begins in motel su occasions persons under the legal

Times Staff Report

The jury trial in a civil suit involving the death of Todd Walters and Super 8 Motel began Monday in Floyd Circuit Court.

The plaintiff, Fannie Walters, administrator of the estate of Gregory Todd Walters, brought the suit which says that the motel knew of the party that Walters and several other teens attended and that motel management had knowledge that the teens were intoxicated when they were ordered to leave.

This order to leave, according to the suit, is a breech of the duty to provide safety of their guests by forcing them to leave in what could be a "clearly foreseeable accident."

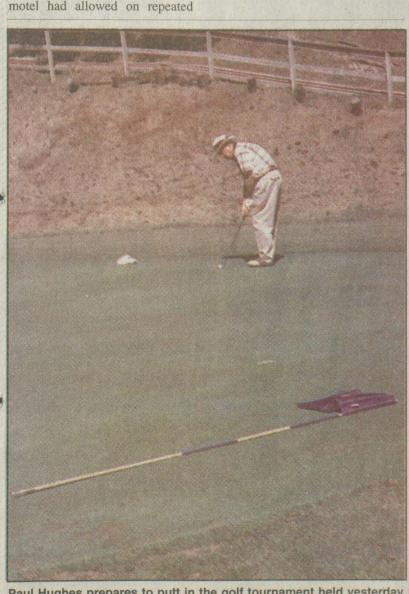
The suit also claims that the

drinking age to consume alcohol inside the premises.

Killed in an auto accident after leaving the party on February 16, 1997, were Walters, 17, Thomas Word II, 18, Forest Howell, 17, and Sean Alexander, 19. The four teens died when their vehicle, driven by Walters, left the road, sailing airborne for nearly 70 feet before colliding into a building.

Prestonsburg police had been informed that a car similar to the one Walters was driving had forced a driver off the road in the area near the motel at about 2 that morning. The accident happened

some four hours later. Testimony was heard earlier this week, but the trial was recessed on Wednesday and is supposed to resume on Monday.



Paul Hughes prepares to putt in the golf tournament held yesterday at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park golf course. The tournament was part of the Jenny Wiley Pioneer Festival that has been going on all week in Prestonsburg. (photo by Willie Elliott)



Whitney Wells sits among some of the supplies she helped collect for Hurricane Floyd victims.

Sixth grader leads charitable drive

Times Staff Report

The young granddaughter of Floyd Countians recently spearheaded a flood relief drive to aid victims of Hurricane Floyd in eastern North Carolina.

Whitney Wells, a sixth grade student at Model Laboratory School at Eastern Kentucky University in Richmond, alerted her teacher and fellow students of the need and helped organize the

The students collected food, clothing, cleaning supplies, drinking water and money for the victims in Greenville, North Carolina.

The daughter of Jim and Aneeva Wells, Whitney had learned of the extent of the disaster from her father, a safety and environmental engineer for NACCO Materials Handling Group in Berea.

Wells' company has a plant in Greenville, where 55 employees suffered extensive losses from the hurricane. NACCO began a relief drive to assist the flood victims. The company delivered a tractortrailer load of supplies collected by Whitney's school and NACCO employees.

Whitney is the granddaughter of Ollie Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore, all of Prestonsburg.

Veb site presents election information

The League of Women Voters ments to the site at any time. and the Center for Governmental Studies announce the availability of election information online through The Democracy Network (DNet). Kentucky joins this unique service for the first time in 1999.

The nonpartisan, nonprofit DNet offers position statements, biographies, endorsement lists and contact information for all candidates to Kentucky state government office in the 1999 election.

All candidates have been asked to participate and have been offered unlimited password access, allow-

This innovative approach creates the opportunity for an ongoing digital debate among opponents. The service is free to candidates and

While many campaigns are establishing individual Web sites, DNet is unique because it provides a "one-stop" resource where the voter can see and compare the positions of all candidates. The sponsoring organizations believe that DNet's interactive system of ongoing debate will help make issues the focus of campaigns and will ing them to up-load position state- encourage communication among non-partisan organization which

citizens and candidates.

The site can be found at http://www.dnet.org/KY/. Voters who are not online are encouraged to use the Internet access services available in many public libraries.

The League of Women Voters of Kentucky is coordinating candidate involvement in DNet locally and providing much of the information available on the site. The League has a long history of bringing fair and objective information to citizens so they can make informed choices at the ballot.

The League is a not-for-profit,

never rates or endorses individual teer or make a contribution; and candidates.

DNet was created in 1996 by the nonprofit, nonpartisan Center for Governmental Studies, a public policy research group based in Los Angeles, California. For more than a decade, the Center has worked to improve the processes of media and governance, launching projects and blue ribbon commissions in the areas of campaign finance reform, higher education and government

finance. DNet is funded through foundation support. More information can be found on the web site.

DNet Kentucky offers several distinct sections:

• 1999 Elections: where voters can access candidate position statements and biographical information; contact a candidate to volun-

send messages to candidates asking news about next year's campaign, questions or suggesting issues to be addressed.

Voting information: where Kentucky citizens can find important information about voting, such as registrationh dates and absentee voting instructions.

· Elected officials: links to state and federal elected officials and other information about state and federal government.

• Political parties: links to state and national political parties.

• Media links: where users can find links to important sources of political news and editorials.

• Bulletin board: where users can post comments, view and respond to others' comments, and participate in an on-line conversations about the 1999 Kentucky election.

 2000 Election information: already underway

• Feedback to tell how you liked DNet Kentucky.

"We hope the people of Kentucky will find this web site an exciting source of up-to-date information about elections and government," said Joan Peoples, Voter Service director for the Kentucky

'To me, one of the best parts is the chance to express opinions electronically and 'talk' to candidates, even though I can't meet with them in person. And candidates should like it too, because they can express their views directly to the voters without going through the filter of the media or paying for ads. I'm eager to see how it (DNet) all works



Funny Faces

Your Clue Last Week's " CEO " Guess Who Call

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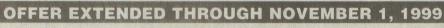
Winner **Kay Miller** of Prestonsburg guessed correctly **Chris Carter**

Can you guess who is pictured? Each caller who guesses correctly will have their name entered in a drawing for a weekly prize.

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My parents are Denzil Ray and Donna Sue Parsons Hall of McDowell. My grand parents are the late W.J. and Maudie Vance Hall of Grethel and the late Ted Parsons and Margie Hamilton Parsons of



My loving wife is Kelly Ann Stumbo Hall, the daughter of Larry Foster and Chris Griffith Stumbo of McDowell. Her grandparents are the late Foster and Edna Hopkins Stumbo of McDowell and the late Raymond Griffith and Anna Skaggs Griffith of Martin.

We have two wonderful children, Emily Ann, 5 years old, and Seth Douglas, 2 years old.

Family alone should never be the reason you vote for any candidate, but the experience of us all has taught us a persons roots help us judge the intent of the heart of honesty, kindness, and willingness to help in the time of need. That said, I am unashamed of my kin and trust who they are and the lives they have led will speak to you of good things that you can expect of me. I promise to you and my family to never fail to up hold the highest level of honesty in the performance of my duties.

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County Commissioners Larry Stumbo, Gerald Derossett, and Ermal Tackett, joined volunteer ombudsman

With winter just around the cor- visit the campus for Parents cleaned free of charge by ner, it's time to dig out those coats from the backs of closets.

However, there are some children in east Kentucky who do not have anything in the back of their closets. That is why Jeremy Cox, a Morehead State University student, started Kids Koats through the uni-Residence

Association a few years ago. Each season, Kids Koats collects about 150 coats for children, said Sharon Colvin, RHA adviser and director of Mignon Hall. Cox and Phillip James, Flatwoods junior, who serve as co-chairs of the Kids Koats committee, have talked with area business owners and managers about placing collection barrels at their locations.

To date, arrangements have been made for about 12 barrels to be placed in businesses throughout the community. There will be two barrels on campus to accept the donated coats. In Morehead, barrels have been located in Rite Aid, Dollar Daze, Goody's, Martin's and Fashion Bug, and a designated table will be set at Wal-Mart.

Cox, a Cincinnati junior, also wants to collect money to buy new coats, hats, and gloves for those in need and to offset the cost of advertising the Kids Koats project. Currently 17 money jars are located in area businesses.

The RHA sent letters to parents of MSU students asking them to bring coats with them when they

Weekend. A coat collection board was stationed outside Jayne Stadium.

Cox plans to collect coats at basketball games later this year. For the MSU/Eastern Kentucky University game on Saturday, December 4, there will be no admission charge for those who bring a coat.

Once the coats are collected, the RHA will arrange for the coats to be

Martinizing and Groce Cleaners. MSUCorps staff members will distribute the coats to Family Resource Centers in a 10-county area, said Steve Swim, MSUCorps coordina-

Additional information is available from the RHA at 606/783-5368; Cox at 783-4769 or James at 783-4647.

Optician presents his response to suit

S. Minix, Howard Crum and Minix Optical.

The suit claims that Minix Optical did not treat or diagnose the condition of glaucoma or other eye conditions or diseases of the eyes. In the response to the suit, Minix and his associates have answered the complaint with the following legal response:

"None of the defendants are licensed under the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky to diagnose or treat conditions of the eye, including glaucoma. They admit that Rowland was fitted for eye glasses and/or contact lenses by them between 1989 and 1998, but duty to do so.

In Wednesday's edition of the they provided no medical care or Times, it was reported that Ann treatment to her at any time. And Rowland had filed a civil suit in they are without knowledge or Floyd Circuit Court against Marcus information concerning the nature or extent of the plaintiff's injury."

> The response, signed by Minix's attorney, D.C. Offutt Jr. of Huntington, also says that the complaint is barred by the statute of limitations and/or "equitable doctrine of latches."

And, finally, the response says that Marcus Minix is licensed as an ophthalmic dispenser or "optician." meaning he can fill prescriptions for eyeglasses or contact lenses. He is not an optometrist or ophthalmologist. An optician cannot diagnose or treat any eye disease, including glaucoma, and neither Minix, nor any of his associates, had a legal

advertising for applications and putting together a screening committee to interview and make the selection.

Birdwell, who has been through the process "at least five times" in this decade with Floyd County, will head the screening committee and will recruit two others to help him.

The other members, he said, will be from outside the local district to include board members from other school systems and/or members of the Prichard Committee for Academic Excellence.

Dotson's replacement on the board will be appointed until November 2000, when an election will be held to determine the elected board member. The present board will have to elect a chairperson from among themselves and the new appointee when Dotson leaves and the replacement is named.

ment that Dotson is resigning. The state official said he helped select Dotson two years ago, after which Dotson was elected last November for a term to end in 2002. Birdwell called the board chairman "one of the top" school board members in the state.

Birdwell said his office will send a packet of information to the local school system with instructions on advertising for potential board members locally. "We want to encourage good people to apply,"

He added that the process will

take at least a month. "The last 21 months have been some of the most rewarding and frustrating challenges of my professional life," Dotson said in his twoparagraph resignation letter.

"I feel it is in the best interest for everyone involved if I tender my Birdwell expressed disappoint- resignation...," he said, adding,

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"The time requirements are just too great with my present family and

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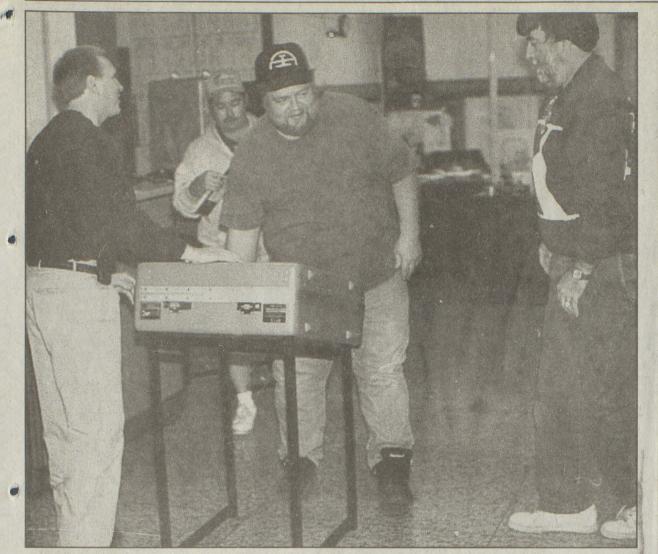
business situation.' Citing pride in the present board's achievements, Dotson said in an interview that he is leaving the school system "with some positives

He pointed to "three balanced budgets in a row," a significant accomplishment for a system that has been plagued with financial problems. He is also proud that the system is getting out of the "property business" by selling off unused and surplus land and buildings.

Dance Friday night at New Horizons

A "Clean & Sober Dance" will be held at the New Horizons Club (the old Korner Drug Store), on West Court Street in Prestonsburg at 4 p.m., Friday.

The dance will be held every Saturday, from 9 p.m. to midnight. Proceeds will benefit various nonprofit organizations.



Floyd County Board of Elections members watch as Bradis Childers of Kentuckiana Election Company demonstrates how to prepare voting machines for the upcoming election. The first print out should have all zeroes when first set up. The board includes, from left, County Clerk and chairman of the election baord Chris Waugh, Norm Marcum, representing the Republican Party and David Layne, representing the Democratic Party. Sheriff John K. Blackburn was unable to attend the demonstration. (photo by Willie Elliott)

A short agenda was on line for to \$511,599. the Allen City Commission meetmeeting briefly to discuss a few

A second reading of the city's amended budget and a vote of all affirmatives set the new budget for the 2000 fiscal year. Funds collected and awarded by grants to the

In other discussion, a lawyer for ing on Monday with members a former city resident had contacted city attorney Stacey Marshall concerning some old water bonds held by the resident. Marshall said he thought the bonds had matured and were useless, but he agreed to

Finally, a new church will be city allowed the budget to be raised coming to the city of Allen. Freddy matters.

Lafferty bought an old church building and may be planning to start a new congregation of the Church of Christ within the city.

Mayor Sharon Woods said, "I think it's wonderful to have a church back in the city."

Only City Clerk Bill Parsons was absent from the meeting. He had to be out because of family



These ladies — from left, Ruth Goebel, Ditty Tackett, Joan Jackson and Jess Mahan — take part in a bridge game. The women belong to the Prestonsburg Bridge Club and meet at the Jenny Wiley State Resort Park Lodge for their games. (photo by Willie Elliott)



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October 6, 1999

The Honorable Julie Paxton P.O. Box 985 Prestonsburg, KY 41653

Dear Judge Paxton:

It is my pleasure to notify you that the United Mine Workers of America's Kentucky Coal Miners' Political Action Committee (COMPAC) has endorsed your candidacy for Circuit Judge.

COMPAC bases its endorsements upon well-defined and closely scrutinized criteria, past records and level of candidate support for issues of concern and importance to Kentucky coal miners, the statewide labor movement and all working people and our families. As a result of our careful consideration of all candidates and issues in this race, we are proud to extend to you our endorsement.

You may be confident that the UMWA members throughout the state are committed to an aggressive, decisive member education, information and get-out-the-vote program toward our shared goal of victory on November 2. With best wishes for a successful campaign, I am

Sincerely,

Steve Earle

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QUOTE OF THE WEEK...

The purpose of an education is to replace an empty mind with an open one.

—Malcolm Forbes

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-Editorial-

CRIME IN SCHOOLS

Although volumes have been written about school crime and many schools have taken proactive, sometimes drastic, steps to discourage violence, little has been known about just how serious the crime problem is in Kentucky's schools.

But that's changing. Eastern Kentucky University's Center for School Safety — created by a mandate from the 1998 General Assembly — has issued the first statistics on crime in Kentucky's public schools. While it is difficult to draw conclusions from those first statistics, the figures will provide a benchmark for future reports on school crime. That way schools will be able to determine whether the crime problem is increasing or decreasing.

No one should be surprised by one aspect of the school crime report: Fights are the most common acts of violence in Kentucky's public schools, and boys are far more likely than girls to be involved in the fisticuffs.

The center reports that more than 4,000 assaults occurred in or around Kentucky schools during the 1998-99 academic year. That includes not only physical attacks during school hours, but also fights at school activities such as sporting events and dances.

But fighting is hardly a new development in schools. Most of us who have been out of the classroom for decades can remember fist fights occasionally breaking out in the hallways or on the playgrounds — and boys were involved in the vast majority of those incidents. However, few of us thought of those scuffles as serious

Well, most fights in Kentucky schools still are relatively minor, but 875 of them were considered serious enough to be classified as "aggravated assaults," which the FBI terms as felonies.

The center also reports 664 larceny-thefts and 151 arsons in Kentucky's schools. Not surprisingly, drugs also are a problem in our public schools. There were 2,237 drug-related violations reported on school campuses.

As for weapons, there were 36 incidents with handguns, seven with shotguns or rifles, 17 described as "other firearm" and 394 with "other weapons." Obviously, any incidents involving firearms in the schools should be considered serious and merit the most severe punishment.

One only has to recall the horrible shooting deaths at Grayson's East Carter High School and West Paducah's Heath High School to realize that Kentucky's schools are not immune to violence, but the statistics show that our schools remain relatively safe.

The center's analysis of victims reveals 377 male student victims of crimes and 180 female student victims per 10,000 students. While those numbers provide little comfort to those who have been victims of school crime, they help put the overall problem into perspective.

The first school crime report helps identify the extent of the problem; future reports will help evaluate how effective schools are in reducing the problem.

— The Daily Independent, Ashland

HEY, A LITTLE MORE MONEY AND I COULD'VE WON THIS RACE... September 29, 1999

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Letters to Editor-

Race a success

The management of Thunder Ridge Entertainment Center would like to thank everyone who participated in making "The Thunder Ridge 100" a success.

We especially thank all of our city officials, policemen and Mayor Jerry Fannin for all their help. Thank-vou to the businesses that sponsored races and all the local fans who have been faithful to attend all year.

Special thanks to our track promoter, Brad Martin, who has spent many hours on the track, working and promoting the races.

Thunder Ridge brings people from all over the US to our local community to see the beauty of eastern Kentucky. Let's keep up the good work.

Anne Reeder General Manager Thunder Ridge

Has opinion on 'what a union is'

letter/Stambaugh, Donald

Has opinion on 'what a union is'

Editor:

I would like to comment about the strike at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

First, I would like to say that I am not an employ-

ee of Highlands, nor a spokesman for their union just a person who thinks the public should become aware of what a union is. It is more than just paying union dues and the

location of their headquarters. Members make up a union, and it's as strong as its members (who are) willing to stand together as a union.

Union means a fair labor contract: protection of jobs, better working place (safety), self-respect as a worker or person, and a raise in wages and benefits.

I see in the Wednesday, October 6, paper that Highlands is asking for résumés and applications for jobs. I assume that if these people are hired, they will be non-union and will be subjected to the promises of Highlands' salaries and "outstanding" benefits, as

long as they are non-union wages.

(As for) the registered nurses who said they didn't want to be union, what protection do they have? Would they turn down better benefits that their union brothers and sisters are trying to get by striking?

To the RN who said that if you don't like where you work or the benefits, find another job, I hope you have seen the cartoon of the hillbilly man with the rag tied around his big toe.

If the union employees at Highlands Regional Medical Center don't ask for better working conditions and improvements, we may not expect to get better service and health care than the hillbilly man.

We will have to continue to drive to Lexington or Huntington to get the better health care. (As for) the statement about union members not

being allowed to vote, I think when HRMC offers the union an acceptable proposal, the union will present it to members to be voted on. This is my opinion of what they may do.

Let's be aware of what a union can do to help the community and the workers at HRMC.

Donald Stambaugh Prestonsburg

Parade float a tribute to many

This is a notice of thanks to the many PCC people who helped to make the Community Biology Club Student Government Association Apple Festival Parade float such a great success. We didn't win any prizes this year, but the community really showed its support for our entry through smiling faces, cheers, and applause as we passed by.

First, our sincere gratitude goes to the PCC-BSRT for supplying the taxidermed, animals for the float and to Wright Lumber Company of Prestonsburg for setting up the 17-foot flatbed truck used to display

PCC students Nathan and Mallory Wright (father and son) meticulously prepared it so the animals would be seen from every angle during the parade. Not only that, but they helped throughout the day, driving the truck, loading, unloading, etc. Thanks, Gentlemen, for a job well done!

We really appreciated, too, the artistry of the PCC poster-making, Heather Daniel, Mary Jackson. Linda Shiber, Pam Hereford, Tony Shiber, and Rachel Wright. They brought a powerful message to the community, i.e., that these and other animals, as

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Letters to the Editor

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PostScript by Pam Shingler



Not a pretty picture

On October 14, people throughout the Big Sandy watershed, from the source in Virginia and along the two forks -Levisa and Tug — in West Virginia and Kentucky, will take a "snapshot" of our area's major river.

They're not literally taking cameras and snapping pictures — although there probably will be some of that. Rather, they are sampling the water to get an environmental picture.

They will dip sampling bottles into the streams that feed the river, forming the Big Sandy watershed. Then, they'll rush the samples to central collection centers, where they'll be gathered and rushed, again, to laboratories for testing.

It's a kind of "day in the life of" scenario.

There's reason to believe the picture will not be a pretty one.

Some of us have been regularly testing streams in this area since early summer, and we had a kind of rehearsal for this snapshot day in late August.

The results of our testing provides a tremendously ugly, even frightening, picture of our precious resource.

In fact, the results for the presence of fecal coliform are so dire that Dr. Tom Vierheller, one of the leaders of our local Water Watch group, warned in a letter, "(B)e SURE to wear gloves and boots when collecting."

The evidence of straight pipes is clear. When I saw the count on the stream I watch, I was revolted. I felt as if I had been running my hands around in the toilet - without flushing.

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' That great used car deal could be all wet

ravaged the landscape and personal property along the East Coast, and that means buyers need to take extra caution when considering used car purchases.

Flood-damaged cars are often sold at auctions and can turn up anywhere," said Jerry Rett, Progressive's Kentucky General Manager. "Hundreds, maybe even thousands of cars already have been damaged by the recent floods. Soon they'll be showing up for sale all over the country, including many Kentucky markets.'

That means buyers need to look carefully for telltale signs of water damage before purchasing a used car. A flood-damaged car can be cleaned making the damage hard to detect, and electrical and mechanical damage often is hidden.

The automobile may operate normally at first, but buyers could encounter costly repairs to computers, sensors and other electrical components later due to water dam-

by looking for clues that the car has can save you a great deal of money

Louisville — Recent floods have been salvaged from a flood," said Rett. "It's all in knowing where to look, what to look for and what questions to ask."

> Rett offers consumers the following tips when buying a used car: Remember to ask if the car has been flood-damaged.

> Look at the car's title to see if the place of transfer is in a state that has experienced floods, and if the title has been stamped with the word salvage.

Look in the glove compartment, trunk and under the seats and dash for water damage, dried mud or rust.

Check to see if the electronics work, and take a close look at the wiring for warning signs.

• Check the instrument panel to be sure all gauges are working properly.

Look for discoloration of the paint and upholstery.

"Get a certified inspector or reliable mechanic to examine any used car before you buy it," Rett added. "Having a used car inspected is "Buyers can protect themselves always a wise choice. The expense

down the road

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Local student enrolls at Centre College

Chris Combs, of Salyersville, Award as part of the college's prohas enrolled this year at Centre College, joining a freshman class marked by unusual academic strength. Three-fourths of Centre's first-year students had ACT scores of 25 or above, and close to 7.5 percent of the freshmen ranked in the top 20 percent of their high school

Combs is the son of James and Virginia Combs of Salyersville, and is a graduate of Magoffin County High School. He received a Centre gram of merit scholarships.

At Centre, Combs is part of a diverse student body that represents 37 states and four foreign countries.

Centre is a selective liberal arts college, currently ranked by U.S. News & World Report as one of the top 50 national liberal arts colleges in the country. This year the college was rated as an excellent value by Kiplinger's magazine and was cited by the Princeton Review 2000 as one of the country's best colleges.

Parade

well as plants, indigenous to Appalachia must be protected if we are truly dedicated to protecting our mountain heritage.

And, what would a parade be without candy? To those PCC students who supplied it-Donna and Tara Church (mother and daughter), Christine Perkins, Peggy Spears, Trador, Melinda Thompson, Heather Witten, Cindy Rodriquez-Risner, Tammy Webb, Jenova Blevins, Martha Holthouse, Marcia Thompson, and Kelli Hammond, as well as some of those already named—Thanks!

Special mention must be given PCC's Maintenance and Operations man, Bill Fitzwater, who really worked as hard as anyone else in making the float a success. PCC students Christian Salyer and Gina Bentley are also thanked for candy and helping to transport the annuals with Fitzwater, the Wrights, and Vicki King and her mother.

The tireless efforts of the PCC Student Government Association (SGA) representative, Rita Ratliff, are to be acknowledged, along with the help of students Kathy Sparks, Tammy Webb and her cute little daughter (dressed up like a baby

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leopard!), Peggy Spears, Mary Jackson, and Pam Hereford's daughter, all of whom distributed candy and flyers of the next CBC activity, "The Reptiles Are Coming...Again!" (October 15), along the parade route.

President, Underwood, was extremely helpful in attending to various details and organizing many students to participate, as well as arranging for our lovely PCC Homecoming Queen, Tonika Fitzwater, to grace our entry by riding before it in an open con-

In addition, PCC faculty members Kathy Smallwood and Arif Azeem were active contributors to the success of the day. And, we mustn't forget my little puppy, "Monti," who led our entourage, blue bow and all!

Thanks, everyone—It was great fun! (P.S. If any name has been omitted, I apologize for the unconscious mistake.)

John Shiber Community

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Community College

PostScript-

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The standard count for fecal coliform, Tom tells us, is 200. Up to 1,000, it's safe to fish in a stream.

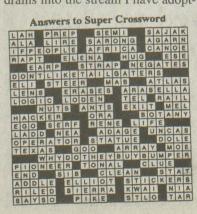
My stream had a count of 60,000 on August 26 — 300 times the

I already knew the stream was in bad shape. When I was staying with my aunt and uncle years ago, I decided to make a walk on up the road past their house a morning exercise regimen. But the lure of that idea quickly faded as my nose was bombarded with the smells of certain morning rituals at houses all along the road.

I opted to walk in the other direction which was more sparsely populated.

My aunt and uncle, who had a septic system, were convinced that the straight pipe used by their neighbor had ruined their well. They had to have another drilled in a different location, and it turned out to be filled with iron.

Their neighbor's bathroom still drains into the stream I have adopt-



ed to monitor and report on, the one with a fecal coliform count of 300 times the norm.

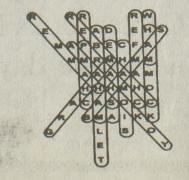
One other stream in our local group of Appalachian Clean Water Partners had a count of 60,000, as well. Of 20 streams, six have counts in five figures and eight in four figures, all significantly above the standard. Only four were within a safe range, a condition where you could wade or dip your hands in and not feel contaminated.

No, it is not a pretty picture, and it won't be as long as we continue to allow our waste to run untreated into our waterways (the same water, by the way, from which we get our drinking water, our bathing water, our dish water and our laundry

If you'd like to participate in the water watch, which is affiliated with PRIDE and the state Division of Water, call Tom Vierheller at 606/886-3863.

Let's improve this picture.

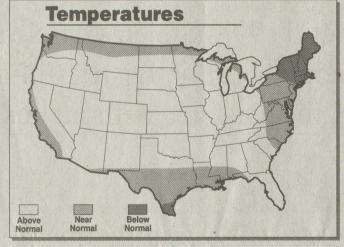
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Forecast for Floyd County, KY

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Warm weather is expected to cover the western half of the nation. Temperatures may average 10 to 15 degrees above normal across the Great Basin and Southwest. Cooler air from Canada will push southward across the Northeast, Tropical moisture will bring showers and thunderstorms to Texas and Florida, while a storm system spreads rain across the Pacific Northwest.

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The strike called by SEIU/District 1199 is over one month old. The bad news is the average Highlands Regional Medical Center employee has lost over \$2,500 in wages. The Union has tried to deny the community access to health care services with the strike.

The good news is numerous employees have returned to work and Highlands Regional Medical Center is providing emergency, inpatient, and outpatient care.

The Union continues to picket the Medical Center and will not allow the Medical Center's contract offer to the Service, Technical and Clerical workers to come to a vote.

The 1997 bylaws of SEIU/District 1199 state in Article VII-Section 5—Rights and Privileges of Members: "Every member of the District in good standing shall have the right to enjoy the full benefits of the District without discrimination of any kind, as follows:

- (a) To vote on contracts directly affecting the member as an employee by secret ballot.
- (b) To vote on all strike call and strike settlements directly affecting the member as an employee, by secret ballot."

The Union members of Highlands Regional Medical Center have paid over \$385,000 in membership dues since 1996, they have lost over \$885,000 in wages since September 2, 1999. All this for a Union that will not allow them to vote on a contract.

The Union's Columbus, Ohio, leadership is prolonging this strike, destroying the Medical Center's reputation, and denying the community needed health services over two issues:

- Mandatory membership in the Union for all Registered Nurses, and
- Simultaneous contract expiration dates for the Service, Technical and Clerical workers, and Registered Nurses

This is wrong and irresponsible. The Union membership should be allowed to vote. Employees should be allowed to earn a living. The Medical Center looks forward to the day we have all of Highlands employees back to work and to the day our positive working relationship with the local Union leadership is restored.

Forum at ACHS looks at facilities plan

by Willie Elliott Staff Writer

The Local Planning Committee (LPC) for the Floyd County Board of Education conducted a public forum at Allen Central High School on Tuesday to explain the new plan to the public.

Chairman Jody Sword and Vice Chairman Paul Hughes explained the plan which was the same material that Sword had covered at the and Roy Johnson were also in attention, delays are certain to happen.

from the Allen Central area spoke about needs at the high school. Webb said the football complex needs a building with showers and a practice field. She said the Quarterback Club for the school struction of the field.

Hughes told Webb and other speakers that their concerns were legitimate, but he encouraged them board meeting on Monday night. to get more information before they LPC members Karen Johnson, go before the board with requests. Danny O'Quinn, Bonita Compton He said that without such informa-

He told the group that the more line, right?" Judy Webb and other citizens information the board has, the easier it is to approve projects.

needs to be done. Bring the board the problem, but also bring them a solution," Hughes said.

Spurlock said, "So we need to do done before the Allen Central prowill raise \$5,000 toward the con- our work?" and Hughes said that ject. was the idea.

Danny O'Quinn told the group it needs to form a committee somewhat like those in place at South Floyd and Prestonsburg.

Kevin Spurlock said, "So after the South Floyd and Prestonsburg fields are finished, we are next in

Sword had to tell him that was not necessarily the case. He "Look at the cost, work that explained that even if the present plan is followed, the work at Elementary and Prestonsburg Elementary could be

> Spurlock's father, Ellis, asked that the new field be handicapped accessible. He said he cannot bring his daughter to the games to see her brother coach because the facility is not equipped to handle her presence. He also said an athlete's father has to watch the game from ground level in a wheelchair and can see very little of the game.

> Members of the LPC told Spurlock that they thought it was law that such facilities be handi-

guess." Superintendent Paul Fanning said it is the "board's hope" that the fields can be ready for next season, but there are too many uncertainties to commit to

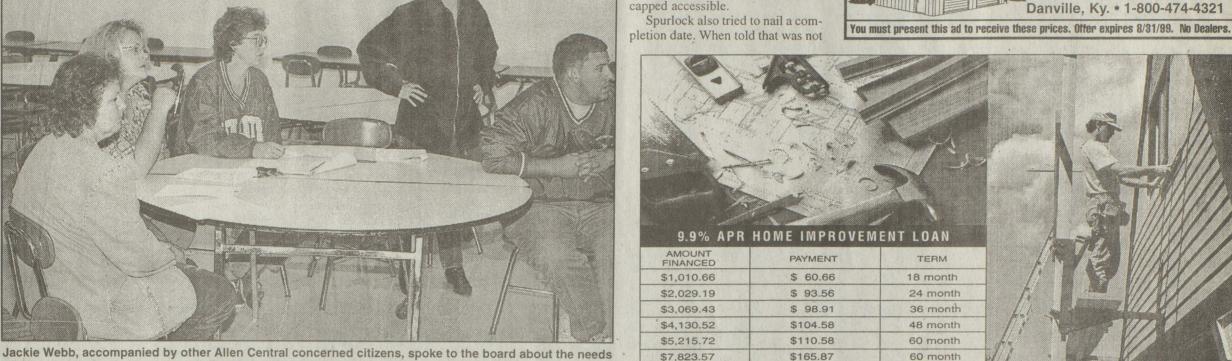
that date. Fanning said it was his understanding that the projects did not have to be finished before other

projects could be started. "We don't

possible, he asked for "a realistic have to wait until the last nail," he said.

The plan will be submitted to the Kentucky Department of Education, and the LPC will hold a similar forum on October 20 at Allen Central High School. Even though it will be held at Allen Central, citizens from all parts of the county are encouraged to attend.

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of the school's football program during Tuesday night's forum. (photo by Willie Elliott)

(NUE) - As citizens of the the oldest generation - grandparworld's most ethnically diverse country, Americans are naturally curious about their past. Many are eager to discover their ancestors' countries of origin or want to learn give them a list of questions so they about their families' medical histo-

This desire to research family roots, also known as genealogy, has intensified as families have grown more mobile and drift further apart

geographically. Ancestry.com, the most comprefamily history and understanding ple who want to start researching

their family trees: · Begin with the present. The first step in family history research begins with stories and traditions that have been passed down from

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• Videotape your relatives. Video hensive online service for tracing cameras can move interviewees from formal environments to more family roots, has some tips for peo- casual ones. For example, ask your grandmother to bake bread as she always has, without a cookbook. Also, use a video camera to record visits to old schools or the family's first home.

· Look for home sources. A generation to generation. Start with home source can be a wedding band

etched with a date of marriage, a quilt with the name of the quilter and the date of completion on it, or an old family letter documenting

· Record your progress. Begin by writing down what you remember and what you've learned. Maintaining a log of activities and citing all sources of information will enable you to use your research time more productively.

• Go online. After learning basic information, visit a family history Web site and type in names of your ancestors. Databases, such as the Social Security Death Index and obituaries, can help. Once you have some of the pieces, create your family tree online, so everyone can share the family history.

For more information, go online to www.ancestry.com.

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Prestonsburg HARLEY-DAVIDS

Federal highway funding measure brings good news

U.S. Representative Harold "Hal" Rogers (KY-5) says the final version of the FY 2000 Transportation Appropriations Bill includes \$400.6 million in federal funding for Kentucky's highways, reflecting an increase of \$27 million from current levels.

The measure, approved by the House of Representatives late last week, also provides \$5 million for the development of a segment of Interstate 66 between Somerset and London, safety improvements on the Daniel Boone Parkway and other projects that will enhance transportation services in southern and eastern Kentucky.

"When we invest in our region's transportation system we also invest in the safety of our people and the promotion of jobs," Rogers said recently. "I fought to include several projects in this year's Transportation Appropriation Bill—projects that are vital to the future of our region.'

The legislation includes \$5 million to be used for engineering, design and environmental review of the Somerset-to-London segment of I-66. Congress provided \$11 million for this segment in 1998. Rogers and Gov. Paul Patton worked together earlier this year to obtain a \$4.5 million grant from the U.S. Department of Transportation for the other priority segment of the I-66 project, located in eastern Kentucky between U.S. 23 and the state's eastern border.

Rogers has also successfully obtained \$2 million to improve the condition of the Daniel Boone Parkway. The funding will be used to design safety improvements in Leslie County, on a stretch being identified

by state transportation officials as having the highest concentration of traffic fataities on the Parkway.

The final version of the legislation also includes \$1 million to replace transit vehicles in southern and eastern Kentucky. The vehicles will be used to support various programs in the region that are moving people from welfare to work and to help isolated seniors obtain health care ser-

The measure also includes \$393 million for the Appalachian Highway Development System that is targeted to improve the distressed region's highways. Kentucky will receive \$39.7 million of the funds.

Rogers, a senior member of the House Appropriations Committee, helped negotiate the final version of the Transportation Appropriations Bill and fought to include the southern and eastern Kentucky projects.

PRESTONSBURG JUNIOR BASKETBALL SIGN-UPS

Saturday, October 9th —9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. (At Prestonsburg High School Football Field

During Jr. Jenny Wiley Bowl)

Saturday, October 16th — 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m (At Adams Middle School Cafeteria)

Sign-up Fee: \$25.00 Each additional brother/sister: \$15.00

GROUP	AGES
PEE-WEE	5-6
TRAINING LEAGUE	7-8-9
JUNIOR VARSITY	10 - 11

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For more information, please call: 886-2232 If no answer, please leave a message.

(If Jr. Jenny Wiley Bowl is cancelled, sign-ups will be moved to Adams Middle School Cafeteria)

Anyone interested in helping coach or organize the league needs to contact: Rick Hughes at 886-2232

REGIONAL OBLIVES

Card of Thanks

The family of Haley Bryant would like to say a special Thank-You to everyone who helped us through our time of sorrow and grief. To all our friends and neighbors who brought food to the house and to the church; to everyone who sent the beautiful flowers; and to all who came to sit with us and spoke words of caring and love.

A special thank-you to Dr. Hall, Dr. Rivera, Dr. Singh and the staff at McDowell ARH for the care and compassion that you gave to our mother and to us during her stay at the hospital; to the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home for your kindness and friendly service; it made a heartbreaking task a little easier to do; to all the florists who made the beautiful arrangements. Our mom loved pretty flowers. To the members of the Little Nancy Church, Pilgrims Rest Church, the Price Community Club for all your love and support and for the food you provided for all of us. And a very special thank-you to all ministers of the Regular Baptist Church who came to be with us. Your words, whether by sermon or by song or personal encouragement to any one of us, means more than we

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Pike County

Madline Bartley Adams, 75, of Elkhorn City, died Wednesday, September 29. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, October 2, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

Jonathan Cory Childers, 21, of Ashcamp, died Friday, September 24. He was a mechanic. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, September 30, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

Sharon Kay McCoy, 52, of Pikeville, died Wednesday, September 29. She was employed by Dairy Mart. Funeral services were conducted Friday, October 1, under the direction of Justice Funeral Services.

Woodrow Wilson Hamilton, 85, of Pikeville, died Wednesday, September 29. He was a carpenter. He is survived by his wife, Laura Mae Johnson Hamilton. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, October 2, under the direction of J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

Phyllis J. Compton, 53, of Elkhorn City, died Wednesday, September 29. She is survived by her husband, David Compton. Funeral services were conducted Friday, October 1, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

Clarence Little, 69, of Jonancy, died Wednesday, September 29. He was a retired coal miner. He is survived by his wife, Tibe "Becky" Hall Little. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, October 2, under the direction of R.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home.

Fay Coon, 66, of Ewington, Ohio, died Thursday, September 30. She is survived by her husband, Charles B. Coon. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, October 2, under the direction of McCoy-Moore Funeral Home.

Johnie Steve Bartley, 55, of Ashcamp, died Friday, October 1. He was a truck driver. He is survived by his wife, Linda Bartley. Funeral services were conducted Monday, October 4, under direction of the Bailey Funeral Home.

Draxie Hall, 76, of River Rouge, Michigan, formerly of Pike County, died Thursday, September 30. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, October 3, under direction of the R.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home.

Bennett Hunt, 72, of Pikeville, died Friday, October 1. He was a retired coal miner. He is survived by his wife, Buna Murphy Hunt. Funeral services were conducted Monday, October 4, under the direction of J.W. Call & Son Funeral Home.

John Smith Jr., 82, of Virgie, died Thursday, September 30. He was a retired coal miner. He is survived by his wife, Vonnie Smith. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, October 3, under the direction of Thacker Memorial Chapel.

Noveline Moore, 76, of Ranson, died Thursday, September 30. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, October 3, under the direction of Hatfield Funeral Chapel.

Nancy Jane Wallace Blackburn, 42, of Elkhorn City, died Friday, Lancaster, conducted Sunday, October 4, under the direction of the Lucas &

Hall Funeral Home.

Gertie May Childress Arms, 86, of Vansant, Virginia, died Friday, October 1, 1999. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, October 5, under the direction of the Grundy Funeral Home.

James Edward "Red" Plymale, 65, of McAndrews, died Sunday, October 3. He was a retired coal miner. He is survived by his wife, Shirley Thacker Plymale. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, October 6, under the direction of Rogers Funeral Home.

Maxie Wood, 86, of Barberton, Ohio, died Monday, September 20. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, September 23, under the direction of the Bacheb Funeral

Virgie Little Sykes, 75, of East Shelbiana, died Saturday, October 2. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, October 5, under the direction of Bailey Funeral Home.

Madesta Sutton Davis, 78, of Pikeville, formerly of Hindman, died Sunday, October 3. She is survived by her husband, Beech M. Davis. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, October 6, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Home.

Gladys Potter, 67, of Jenkins, died Monday, October 4. Funeral services were conducted Friday, October 8, under the direction of Polly & Craft Funeral Home.

John Paul Gray, 76, of Shelbiana, died Tuesday, October 5. He was retired, formerly employed by the Pike County Sheriff's Department. Funeral services were conducted Friday, October 8, under the direction of the Lucas & Hall Funeral Home.

Willie Paul "Bill" Shortridge, 92, of Lewis Center, Ohio, formerly of Mouthcard, died Friday, October 1. He retired from Ford Motor Company, and was a retired coal miner. Funeral services were conducted Monday, October 4, under the direction of Grundy Funeral Home.

Johnson County

Ballard Hyden, 78, died Tuesday, September 28. He is survived by his wife, Eloise Scalf Hyden. Funeral services were conducted Friday, October 1, at Thealka Freewill Baptist Church.

Walter Raymond "Cat" Preston, 87, died Monday, October 4. He is survived by his wife, Christine Preston. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, October 7, at Boons Camp Freewill Baptist Church.

Jannie Murray, 83, died Sunday, October 3. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, October 6, under the direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home.

David Ray Powers, 27, of formerly October 1. Funeral services were Pickerington, died Friday, October 1. Funeral services were conducted October 5, under direction of Dwayne R. Spence Funeral Home.

> Liddie Castle, 91, died Saturday, October 2. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, October 6, at Pigeon Roost Enterprise Baptist Church.

Magoffin County

Mousie Minix Jackson, 84, died Wednesday, September 22. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, September 25, under the direction of Dunn-Kelley/Prater & Dunn Funeral Home.

Geraldine Prater Bailey, 69, of Salyersville, died Monday, September 27. Funeral services were conducted September 30, under the direction of the Dunn-Kelley/Prater & Dunn Funeral Home.

Bennie Elwood "Hen" Hall, 50, died Sunday, September 26. He was a mechanic at Addington Mining. He is survived by his wife, Shirley Russell Hall. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, September 29, under the direction of Dunn-Kelley/Prater & Dunn Funeral Home.

Lawrence County

William A. Cheek, 90, of Louisa, died Wednesday, September 29. He was a retired superintendent with the Lawrence County Board of Education. Funeral services were conducted Friday, October 1, under the direction of the Young Funeral Home.

Bennie Johnson, 85, of Louisa, died Friday, October 1. He is survived by his wife, Jewell Cooksey Johnson. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, October 3, under the direction of Heston Funeral Home.

Edna M. Diamond, 67, of Webbville, died Saturday, October 2. She is survived by her husband, George W. Diamond. Funeral services were conducted Sunday. October 3, under the direction of Young Funeral Home.

Mack Crutcher Jr., 75, of Spokane, Washington, died Wednesday, September 29. He was a retired personnel director with the Veterans Administration Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Patricia Crutcher. Oakey's Funeral Service was in charge of arrangements.

Thelma Louise Caperton, 74, of Louisa, died Tuesday, October 5. She was a retired nurse with Alton State Hospital. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, October 9, under the direction of the Young Funeral Home.

Rell E. Price Jr., 49, of Louisa, died Wednesday, September 30. Funeral services were conducted Sunday, October 3, under the direction of the Wilson Funeral

Martin County

Patricia Darlene Webb, 45, of Cooksville, Tennessee, died Thursday, September 30. She is survived by her husband, Rev. Thomas O. "Tom" Webb. Funeral services were conducted Monday, October 4, under the direction of the Richmond-Callaham Funeral

Anthony Charles Varney, 34, of Ashville, Ohio, formerly of Crum, died Saturday, September 26. Funeral services were conducted Friday, October 1, under the direction of the Richmond-Callaham Funeral Home.

Sharon Gay Colegrove Thompson, 40, of Kermit, W. Va., died September 18. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, October 2, under the direction of the Richmond-Callaham Funeral

Perry County

Vica Eva Gamble, 77, of London, died Tuesday, September 28. She is survived by her husband,

(See Obits, page 11)

Margaret R. Browning

Margaret R. Browning, 58, formerly of Tipp City, died Monday, October 4, 1999, at the Woodland Country Manor, Somerville, Ohio, after a lengthy illness.

She was born January 6, 1941, in Halo, and was a volunteer and chaplain at Stouder Hospital in Troy and was a Kentucky Colonel.

She was preceded in death by her parents, J.D. and Rebecca Cronk and her husband, Elmer

She is survived by two daughters, Deborah Haller of Camden, Gena Lynn Malden of Florida; one brother, Keith Crook of Florida and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday, October 7, at the Morton & Whetsone Funeral Home.

Burial was in Forest Hills Cemetery, under the direction of Morton & Whetstone Funeral

Roxie Risner

Roxie Risner, 92, of Homer, Michigan, formerly died Monday, Prestonsburg, October 4, at her residence.

Born February 28, 1907, in Prestonsburg, she was the daughter of Charles Hackworth and Lula Dotson Hackworth. She was a member of the Christ Apostalic Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Sherman Risner,

Survivors include six daughters, Vinetta Hackworth of Homer, Michigan, Loretta Miller of Florida, Juanita Brown of Parma, Roberta Owens of Chapel Hill, Tennessee, Maxine Yeager and Doris Owens, both of Homer; one sister, Oma Manns of Indiana; six brothers, Wayne Hackworth, Charles Hackworth Jr., and Thurman Hackworth, all of Kentucky, and Elmer Hackworth, and Vernice Hackworth, both of Stockbridge, and Hackworth, of Indiana; 19 grandchildren; several great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, October 6, at 11 a.m., at the Christ Apostolic Church in Albion, with David Trammell and Ron Hackworth officiating.

Burial was in Fairview Cemetery, in Homer, Michigan, under the direction of George White Funeral Home:

Ruby Jewell Ratliff pallbearers listed

Serving as pallbearers for the funeral of Ruby Jewell Ratliff were Greg Ratliff, Charles Ratliff, Brian Ratliff, Charles Ratliff Jr., Shannon Griffith, Ray Woods Jr., Mickey Joe Ratliff, Jimmy Doc Ratliff, Jason Griffith, Bobby Akers, Olin Gene Amburgey, Michael Cole, Jeffery Mulkey, Rondal Wicker, Olin Amburgey, Edgel Ratliff, Alonzo Jones and Curt Knox.

Omission

Robert Fitzpatrick was a pallbearer for the funeral of James Mullins. His named was inadvertently omitted.

The Singing Cookes



will perform at the Holiness Unto the Lord Church at David, on Sunday, October 10th, at 2:00 p.m.

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AUXIER

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

Auxier United Methodist Church, Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Night Service, 6:00 p.m. Everyone Welcome! Pastor, Bob Castle, Asst. Frank Buskirk.

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

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

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

Christ United Methodist, Allen, Ky.; Sunday School, 9:45; Worship, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Sunday Night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Kenneth Lemaster. WPRG 8 p.m.

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, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m., Kids for Christ Club meets; Sunday, 11:00 a.m., Jr. and Beginners Church meets; Independent Fundamentalist Baptist Church; Pastor, 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.

BETSY LAYNE

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

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

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

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

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

BEVINSVILLE 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

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 worship, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting and Youth, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Roger

COW CREEK

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

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

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

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

DRIFT

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

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

Drift Freewill Baptist Church, Drift; Prayer Service, 6:30 p.m., Thursday; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Church Service, 6:30 p.m.; Pastor, Randy Turner. Drift Presbyterian Church, Route 1101, Drift; Sunday Services, 11:00 a.m.; Parttime minister, Mary Alice Murray.

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

DWALE

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

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

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

EMMA Emma United Methodist, Emma, Ky.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00; Wednesday,

6:00 p.m.; Paul Aiken, Pastor. ESTILL Martin Branch Freewill Baptist, Estill;

Sunday School, 10 a,m.; Services, 11:15 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Wayne GARRETT

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

HAGER HILL

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

HAROLD

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

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

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

HI HAT

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

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

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

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

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

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

LACKEY

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

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

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

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

MARTIN

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

Martin House of Worship, in Martin on Old Post Office St. Saturday and Sunday

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

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

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

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

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

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

Worship, 11:00; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00; Wednesday service, 6:00; Pastor: George Greydon Howard. Community Church of God, Arkansas Creek, Martin; Friday, 7 p.m.; Sunday

Sunday School 10:00; Sunday Morning

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

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

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

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

MAYTOWN

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

McDOWELL McDowell First Baptist Church, McDowell; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening

Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday prayer meeting, 7 p.m.; individual counseling and family counseling by appointment. Pastor, Harry Hargis MIDDLE CREEK

Fitzpatrick First Baptist Church, 1490

South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Jennings

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

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

MOUNTAIN PARKWAY enverance Church, Ext. 46 off Mt. Parkway at Campton, Saturday and Sunday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Patricia Crider.

PRESTONSBURG

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

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

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

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

St. Martha Church, Water Gap; Saturday evening mass, 5 p.m.; Sunday, 11:15 a.m.; Religious Education Classes, Sunday, 9:45-10:45 a.m.; Adult Class, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; Pastor: Father John Moriarty.

The Third Avenue Freewill Baptist Church, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11:00; Evening Worship, 6:00; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00; Pastor, Manford Fannin. First Christian Church, 560 North Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg. No

Wednesday evening or Sunday evening services at present. Bible study, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Minister, Kevin G. Jett.

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

First Baptist Church, (Irene Cole Memorial), 54 S. Front St., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; S.M.A.S.H. 6:45 (on Wednesday); Wednesday night, 7 pm.; Bible Study & Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Dr. S. Thomas Valentine, Pastor. Praise Assembly, 1 mile South of

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

located two miles up Abbott; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wed. Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Jim Price. First Presbyterian, North Lake Drive,

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

Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:45; Morning Worship, 10:55; Evening Worship, 7:00; Wed. Prayer Meeting, 7:00. Pastor, Wayne Sayre. Victory Christian Ministries Church, 1428 E., Prestonsburg; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 11:30 a.m.;

Wednesday Night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Sherm Williams. Parkway Baptist, Rt. 1428, Sugar Loaf, Prestonsburg; Sun. School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer

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

St. James Episcopal Church, school

starts 9:45. Enquire classes to begin in January. For more information, contact the Rev. Johnnie E. Ross, 886-8046. Faith Freewill Baptist Church, 1/4 mile above Worldwide Equipment on Rt. 1428.

Buddy Jones, Pastor; Sunday School, 10:00; Worship, 11:00; Wednesday Prayer meeting, 7:00; Sunday Night Service at Prestonsburg Community College Baptist Student Union; meets every Wednesday, 11:30-12:30 in J102. Lunch,

discussion, travel available to all students. faculty and staff. French B. Harmon, Director; Ella C. Goble, president. For more information, call: 874-9468 or 478-First Church of God, Prestonsburg; Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Kids Bible Club, 7 p.m. Pastor: Steve Williams

6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 6 p.m. Pastor: Tom Nelson. Tom Moore Memorial Freewill Baptist Church, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10; Morning Worship, 11; Wednesday Night Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor Clifford

Town Branch Baptist, Prestonsburg;

Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Evening.

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

PAINTSVILLE

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

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

PRINTER

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

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

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

p.m.; Wednesday Services, 7:00 p.m.;

Pastor, Bobby G. Lawson.

SALYERSVILLE

New Bethel Assembly of God, Located on Burning Fork Rd.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m., Sunday night service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday night Bible Study and Youth Jam, 7:00 p.m. Nursery provided. 1st Monday of each month ladies meeting, 7:00 p.m. 3rd Saturday of each month men's breakfast fellowship 9:00 a.m.; Pastor, Arthur (Sam) Smith

STANVILLE Mare Creek Church of Christ, at Stanville. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.: Worship Service 11:00 a.m.; Sunday

Night Service, 6:00 p.m., Wednesday

Bible School, 6:30 p.m.

Everyone Welcome!

WATER GAP Trimble Chapel Free Will Baptist Church, Intersection of U.S. 23 and Ky. 80, Water Gap. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00; Wednesday night and youth service, 6:30 p.m.; Pastor Joe Coleman.

WEEKSBURY

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

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 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 .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, Ada Mosley.

Wayland United Methodist Church, Rt. Wayland; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Bible Study, Wednesday, 6:00 p.m. Pastor, Brad



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Big Sandy Briefs

The Numbers Game

Wednesday's Results

Next Estimated Jackpot

\$2.1 million

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POWERBALL LOTTO KENTUCKY 06-07-15-38-42 (42) 01-19-22-30-33-36

Pikeville police have charged Timothy S. Daniels

and William John Chaney Jr., both 19 and of Regina, in

connection to the disappearance of the Ronald

McDonald statue from the restaurant on Baird Avenue.

and Chaney now face felony charges for receiving

stolen property. The statue was valued at between

\$4,000 to \$5,000. — Appalachian News-Express

Monday 'joyride' caused

damage to shared buses

Classes resumed Tuesday for students at

Phelps Elementary and High schools and Majestic-

Knox Creek Elementary School after a bus theft and

subsequent early-morning joyride Monday crippled

one of four buses shared by the schools and forced a

looking for clues as to the identity of at least two sub-

jects - most likely teens - they believe got in the

parked bus in the Phelps Elementary School parking lot

after midnight Monday and drove it around Phelps for

nearly four hours, damaging it beyond use in the

process. — Appalachian News-Express

But the Pike County Sheriff's Department is still

Although it may have started out as a joke, Daniels

Next Estimated Jackpot \$25 million

Fiscal court reduces water district's governing board

The Magoffin County Water District is now operating under a three-member governing board after a recent meeting of the Magoffin County Fiscal Court.

Meeting in special session, fiscal court members voted to strike down the five-member board and appoint a new three-person panel.

Until September 1998, the water district's Magoffin\ board consisted of three members. Last year, the fiscal court, appointing authority to the board, opted to increase the number to five

From testimony and evidence learned during a fact finding hearing held last month, the fiscal court ruled that the water district was in non-compliance with the rules and regulations of the U.S. Department of Agriculture/Rural Development. — The Salyersville

Indictments released

Newsom murder trial

delayed because of pills

Crum, West Virginia was delayed Tuesday in Wayne

County Circuit Court when the defendant confessed to

lowing jury selection in the trial. Judge Darrell Pratt

told defense attorney Tim Koontz, of Williamson, that

he would have a doctor examine the defendant, "or

The assistant county attorney said the judge

we will have to take him to an emergency room."

had to delay the trial because the defendant has

Newsom was indicted in the February 2

shooting death of his wife, Joyce Maynard,

who was struck in the left side of the head with

a .22-caliber handgun during a domestic dis-

Car theft a mystery

Who stole a 1995 Buick from 73-year-old Sheridan

It is a mystery of how a Covington man came into

possession of Maynard's vehicle. Alex Hobbs, 55, of

Covington, was recently arrested for possession of the

stolen vehicle. Hobbs reportedly told police officials

to be able to assist in his own defense.

pute. — The Mountain Citizen

Maynard of Wolf Creek?

Newsom was taken into custody around noon, fol-

taking medication that morning.

The murder trial of Gary Lee Newsom, 33, of

A total of 10 people have been named by a Magoffin

County Grand Jury in indictments released recently by the office of the Magoffin County Circuit Court Clerk.

Named were Ricky Neil Fletcher, Michael Perkins, Tommy Mann, Douglas Wright Jr., Charles Gambill, Amos Perkins Jr., Joe Douglas Helton, Paul Marshall, James Davis and Kerry Burke. - The Salyersville Independent

Magoffin Elementary site proposed as one of Kentucky's most impressive

Within the next two years, if all goes as hoped, Magoffin County will be serving as home to one of Kentucky's most impressive grade school facilities.

Larry Schwering, with Lucas/Schwering Architects of Lexington, briefed members of the Magoffin County Board of Education on the project's status. Schwering said the plans are still in infancy stages, but actual construction work could begin as early as November.

Schwering said the school "will be one of the finest elementary institutes in the state when it is completed." The Salyersville Independent

that he had purchased the car from a Lexington man outside a housing project for less than \$1,000.

The vehicle was reported stolen on September 12. Police recovered the vehicle on September 18. About 1,000 miles had been put on the odometer. — The Mountain Citizen

Tomahawk, Pigeon Roost, Inez. do well in elementary ranks;

Results from the Commonwealth's Accountability Testing System on the elementary level showed that Tomahawk had the highest combined index score with a 60.2, followed by Pigeon Roost (55.8), Inez (53.7) Warfield (46.9) and Grassy

The only schools to meet or exceed the state testing average were Tomahawk, Pigeon Roost, Inez Elementary and Warfield Middle School.

Tomahawk scored above the state average in reading (82.3), science (62.9), arts and humanities (31.8), and writing ((65.9). Pigeon Roost came in second overall in the county, scoring above the state level in social studies (67.2), arts and humanities (33.8), and practical living (47.9). Inez exceeded state levels with a strong 55.9 in science. — The Mountain Citizen

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Sheldon Clark fails to meet average

Blaine commission meeting focuses on dissolution

The Blaine City Commission was scheduled to meet last Tuesday in its last regular public meeting before an election that will determine the city's future, and some officials were trying to stir interest to keep the community alive.

Over the past year, the city has faced dissolution, undergone an investigation by the Lawrence ney general's office and gotten into public arguments over city records. In September, the commission voted to fire clerk Pauline Wheeler, who is the mother of former mayor

Wheeler's administration was the target of the attorney general probe, which was looking into the city's spending habits. The case was presented to the grand jury, which decided there wasn't enough evidence to

issue an indictment on criminal charges. — The Big

Scores show schools' strong, weak points

School officials are "cautiously optimistic" about he first round of Kentucky Core Content Test results released by the state department of education last week, although scores in areas such as science and arts and humanities were well below the state norm.

In the Lawrence County district, Louisa Elementary posted the highest total score with 61.9, scoring well in nearly every category, except arts and humanities, which was 30.7.

Louisa Middle posted the district's lowest total score at 38.6, but still scored relatively well in the reading category. — The Big Sandy News

schools — Wrigley, Ezel, and Cannel City — averaged

above the state norm in the Kentucky Core Content

PSC approves rate hike for county water district

The rates the Morgan County Water District charges its customers will increase an average of 20 cents per 1,000 gallons this month as a result of an order approving the increase by the Kentucky Public Service Commission (PSC).

The county water district, which buys most of its water from the City of West Liberty, applied for the increase after the city increased the wholesale rate it charges the county from \$2.10 to \$2.25 per thousand gallons.

The 15-cent increase in the wholesale rate was agreed on by city and county officials to help offset the cost of a new two million gallons per day treatment plant the city intends to build at Cave Run Lake.

Based on a monthly usage of 5,000 gallons, the average water bill for county water district customers will go up \$1, from \$30.25 to \$31.25, a 3.3 percent increase. — The Licking Valley Courier

Three elementaries

Local golf course

gets national attention

recreational/industrial complex located in Knott, Perry

and Letcher counties, is attracting national

attention as well as local support with the

and programs that make golf more affordable

and accessible. The primary focus is on chil-

dren — introducing young people of all races

The First Tee's purpose is to create facilities

involvement of the First Tee program.

and economic backgrounds to golf.

The proposed Red Fox golf course, planned for a

score above state norm

Students at three Morgan County elementary

Knott

A good-sized crowd attended the meeting, which was held in a classroom of the former Hindman High

the Chamber of Commerce could have a permanent meeting place in the planned Knott County Visitors Center being planned. — Troublesome Creek Times

Mousie Fun Day is set for October 9

The community of Mousie's Annual Fun Day will be held Saturday, October 9. Festivities will begin with a parade on Saturday at noon. Following the parade a wide variety of activities, including live entertainment, will be taking place at the Jones Fork Park on Route

Events such as a womanless beauty contest, cow chip bingo, basketball tournament, pony rides, threelegged races, dunking booth and a cake walk are sched-

Proceeds to go Jones Fork Park and the new Triplett Park. — Troublesome Creek Times

Hospital names May new full-time CEO

The board of directors of Pikeville Methodist Hospital has made official its support of board president and interim CEO Walter E. May, voting recently to move him up to full-time CEO of the hospital.

A motion was also made to support and ratify all actions taken by May and the hospital's administration regarding activities surrounding the ongoing labor standoff with the United Steelworkers of America. Appalachian News-Express

Two local teens arrested, charged in McKidnapping of Ronald McDonald

With a trusting smile, Ronald McDonald could always be found sitting cross-legged on his favorite park bench in front of the McDonald's restaurant in Pikeville innocently awaiting the day's customers.

But early Saturday morning, America's favorite redhead was the victim of a kidnapping. Make that a McKidnapping.

Rift between Preston, Witten widening

A clash over the dismissal of speeding tickets has escalated into a major personality conflict between Johnson County Sheriff Bill Witten and County Attorney Scott Preston that appears to have seriously strained their working relationship.

Witten and Preston have been somewhat at odds ever since the sheriff's collection of 1998 property taxes began in August. Problems continued this week when both claimed that the other had lied

or misrepresented statements made about the speeding-ticket situation, which began when Preston told police officers that he would dismiss speeding citations issued near the new Highland Elementary School because of what he called "signage problems." — The Paintsville Herald

Prosecutor questions murder-for-hire claim

A man who claims Martin County Deputy Judge-Executive Garry Lafferty wanted to hire him to kill Inez businessman Kelly Goble made the allegations after the man's wife was fired by Garry Lafferty's brother, Martin County Judge-Executive Lon Lafferty.

That's part of Commonwealth's Attorney Anna

Melvin's response to court papers recently filed in Goble's sex crimes case.

In response to a motion filed by defense attorney John David Preston to dismiss rape, sodomy and sexual abuse charges against Goble, Melvin contends that allegations made by Inez resident John Herman Kirk are an attempt by the defense to "cloud" the charges against Goble

Kirk, in an affidavit accompanying Preston's dismissal motion, claimed that Garry Lafferty approached him three times in 1995 and asked him to kill Goble, first offering him \$3,000 and then later \$5,000. — The Paintsville Herald

Will Kroger be next?

As the strike between union employees and management at Highlands Regional Medical Center enters its second month, a separate work stoppage looms in Paintsville.

Members of the United Food and Commercial Workers (UFCW) union in Kentucky, Ohio and southern West Virginia have voted overwhelmingly to strike Kroger stores in that area if a contract isn't negotiated by Saturday, October 9.

The strike could affect the Mayo Plaza store, but Kroger manager Gary Shepherd was not available this week to comment. — The Paintsville Herald

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Chamber of Commerce

In a meeting in Hazard recently, more than 75 peo-

ple heard about the program from two distinguished

guests. Jody Mudd, a former Kentucky Open champion

and member of the PGA golf tour, is now a member of

the design firm planning out the Red Fox golf course;

Richard Bowers is the vice president of the community

affairs for the PGA tour. - Troublesome Creek Times

explores tourism Attracting tourists to Knott County was the main topic discussed during the Chamber of Commerce's

Tests (CATS), which were taken last year by students around the state. Wrigley Elementary scored a school total of 72.9, Ezel average 68.5, and Cannel City, 63.1. West Liberty Elementary averaged 58.1 and East

Valley Elementary, 50.3. Morgan County Middle School posted an average score of Morgan 45. Morgan County High School averaged 54.1. — The Licking Valley Courier

Senior citizens center is closed Fridays, meals cut

Effective Friday, October. 1, the Senior Citizens Centers in Morgan and the four other counties in the Gateway Area Development District will be closed on Fridays and the number of noon meals offered at the centers is being reduced and will be available on a firstcome, first-serve basis (with the exception of the senior citizens who must ride the bus to participate).

Gail K. Wright, executive director of Gateway ADD, said rising costs, rising demand, and reduced funding made the changes necessary. — The Licking Valley

October meeting

During the meeting, Lawrence Baldridge asked if



Eight Floyd County students who participated in the Kentucky Appalachia Science Enrichment Program on the University of Kentucky campus were honored at Monday night's Board of Education meeting. The five students shown are, from left, Justin Newsome, Chad Webb, Amy Morgan, Tiffany Williams and Nikki Steffey. Not pictured are Kyle O'Quinn, Elizabeth Thornsberry and Megan Conley. School officals include, rear left, Carol Stumbo, Johnnie Ross, Terry Dotson, Dr. Paul Fanning, state manager Woodrow Carter and Jody Mullins. (photo by Willie Elliott)

Calendar items will be printed as space permits

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

Troubled children need foster homes

Children with troubled backgrounds need stable foster homes with no children. Mental health background or similar experience preferred. Training and support. \$775 per month. Call Theresa, Presbyterian Child Welfare Agency, (800) 472-3678, leave a message.

Authority sets meetings

The regular meeting of the Housing Authority of Martin will be held the second Tuesday of each month at 1 p.m. in the Community Room of each development on a rotating schedule as indicated: Pageant Hill — January, April, July, October; Town Center — February, May, August, November; Grigsby Heights / - March, June, September, December.

McDowell Family

Resource Center Activities

• Flu shot clinic will be held by the Floyd County Health Department on October 11, at the McDowell Family Resource Center from 8:30 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. Call 377-2678 for an appointment.

· G.E.D. classes are now being held at the McDowell Family Resource Center. Class will meet each Monday from 8 a.m. to 11:30

• The McDowell Family Resource Center is currently offering after-school child care for those parents who work or attend school.

· Any parent who has a child in the fifth grade should call to set up for a physical appointment.

G.E.D. classes

Linda Bailey of The David School will teach G.E.D. classes at the Mud Creek Community Family Resource/Youth Service Center

each Tuesday from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Classes are free.

Housing assistance

The Floyd County Fiscal Court has received funds from the Kentucky Housing Corporation to construct one house for a low-Interested persons may apply by contacting Eddie Patton, Floyd County Judge/Executive Office, 149 South Central Avenue, Suite 9, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, Phone: 606/886-9193 or Donald Akers, A.R.D.F., 120 North Front Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, phone 606/886-3876.

Fibromyalgia meeting

The Fibromyalgia Family Support Group meeting will be held the first Tuesday in each month at 7 p.m. in the Betsy Layne Senior Citizens Building. Guest speaker for the next meeting will be Lisa Williams, massage therapist.

For more information call: Phyllis at (606) 874-2769 or Sharon at (606) 478-5224.

After-game party planned

The First United Methodist Church in Prestonsburg located on Arnold Avenue, one block over from the First Baptist Church, along with the First Baptist Church, will host a special event after Prestonsburg High School's October 8 football game. There will be free food (pizza, pop and cookies), fun and music at both events.

May Valley Family

Resource Center activities

-GED classes every Monday from 12:30-4 p.m. Classes are free. -Health Dept. every Wednesday-services include WIC, 6th grade physicals, well-child physicals, TB skin test, pap smears and breast exams, baby shots, etc.

—Oct. 4-8: Heritage Week -Oct. 13 & 20: Flu shots for community at May Valley Elementary. Cost \$6. Will accept Medicare-Part B and Medicaid. Flu shots for staff and students will be scheduled on a different day. Must call for an appointment at 285-

South Floyd Center walking track is open

The walking track is open to the general public 7 a.m. till 5 p.m. For more information, contact Keith Smallwood or Mable Hall, 606-452-9600, ext. 242 or 243.

Benefit Security Card replaces food stamps

Effective November 1, there will be no paper food stamps issued in Floyd County. They will be replaced by a "Benefit Security Card" which resembles a credit card. Training classes will be given October 4-12, at Allen Park

If you want training on how to use this card, call the food stamp office at 886-3871 for an appoint-

Convention Center.

Big Sandy Abuse Center

The month of October is dedicatto Domestic Violence Awareness. The Big Sandy Famiy Abuse Center has several activities planned for the month.

• October 8 and 9, information table at the Jenny Wiley Pioneer

• October 10, candle light vigil at Pikeville City Park at 6 p.m.,

• October 15 and 16, information table at Martin's Red/White and Blue Festival.

· October 22, private tree planting ceremony for fatal victims of domestic violence in the Big Sandy

Clark Family Resource Center Activities

Floyd County Health Department is in the center on Fridays. Services include WIC, sixth grade physicals, well-child physicals, TB skin tests, pap smears, and breast exams, baby shots, etc. These services are available to anyone in the community.

October 13—Advisory Council Meeting, 4:30 p.m.

October 15—Flu shot clinic for community at Clark Family Resource Center. Cost is \$6. Will accept Medicare-Part B and Medicaid. Flu shots for staff and students will be scheduled on a different day.

October 22—Pap clinic. Appointments are needed.

October 25-29—Red Ribbon Week activities.

For more information about these services, call 886-0815.

Mud Creek Center to hold meeting

The regular meeting of the Mud Community Creek Resource/Youth Service Center Advisory Council will be held at 4 p.m. on Wednesday, October 13, in

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French "Bill" Gamble. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, September 30, under the direction of Maggard Brothers Funeral

Home. Rhonda Joyce Hardigree, 34, of Hazard, died Tuesday, October 5. Funeral services were conducted

Sidney M. Jett Jr., 74, of Dayton, died Tuesday, August 24. He is survived by his wife, Mabel. Funeral services were conducted Friday, August 27, under the direction of Baker-Hazel Funeral

Friday, October 8, under the direc-

tion of Engle Funeral Home.

Tyrone Powers Maniece Jr., 18, of Indianapolis, Indiana, died

Home.

services were conducted Friday, September 25, under the direction direction of Hindman Funeral of Maggard Brothers Funeral Services.

Jerry Williams, 76, of Ary, died Wednesday, September 29. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, October 2, under the direction of Engle's Perry County Chapel.

Knott County

Paul C. Combs, 72, of Redfox, died Monday, September 20. Funeral services were conducted Saturday, September 25, under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services

Velma Glee Combs, 59, of Pinetop, died Tuesday, September

Monday, September 20. Graveside 21. Funeral services were conducted Friday, September 24, under the

> Margie Lee Amburgey Pritchett, 83, of Hindman, died Monday, September 27. Graveside were conducted services Wednesday, September 29, under the direction of the Hindman Funeral Services.

> Nancy "Nannie" Venters Lee, 71, of Knott County, died Wednesday, September Funeral services were conducted Saturday, October 2, under direction of Arch L. Heady Funeral Home, Okolona.

Local HOGs rev up this weekend for good cause

by Randell Reno Staff Writer

The Prestonsburg Harley-Davidson Owners Group (H.O.G.) will host the Sixth Annual Fall Fest this Saturday and Sunday at Archer Park to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association of central

and eastern Kentucky. Many events are scheduled for the fund-raising

The entire project, which is a event is run family-oriented by volun- event, said Sherry teers from Adkins, the group husband, Prentis, who work owns an Ultra Classic Harley. gates and The couple particivarious stapates every year. tions and Adkins admits

do whatev- that er else Davidson motorneeds to be cycles and their

done. riders have an unsavory reputation in some circles, but she said the owners in this area are wellknown and respected in the community, including doctors and

Harley

lawyers. The entire event is run by volunteers from the group who work gates and various stations and do whatever else needs to be done.

Some of the events scheduled for the weekend are a giant pig roast, poker run, slowest motorcycle race, a keg push, and many other field events.

Saturday's activities include a bike show - not necessarily Harley Davidson. Registration times are noon to 2 p.m. and judging will begin at 4: p.m.

Although the fund-raising is sponsored by the local HOG chapter, all types of motorcycles are invited to the competitions and

Sunday, the group will have the Ride For A Cure or poker run. Participants will go from inside Archer Park to three separate stations set up around the town in a 40- to 50-mile run ending back at the park. Contestants will pick up cards at each station trying to get the best, second best, and worst

Adkins said the group is expecting about 400 people to attend the events this year — if the weather is nice, possibly up to 600.

The children will also be included in the festivities. Many games and events are set up for kids on their bicycles that model the games being played by the adult riders, said Adkins.

The local HOG chapter, sponsored by Wes Blackburn, holds events throughout the year, includ-

ing donating Easter baskets to the homeless shelter in Pikeville.

Last year's contribution to the MDA was between \$5,000 and \$6,000, said Adkins. The group donated about \$4,500 to the Shiner's Hospital during Hillbilly Days in Pikeville this year.

Admission is \$10 for either day, with children under 12 entering free. Adkins said the group has raised sebetween \$50,000 and \$60,000 in the past five years for the MDA.

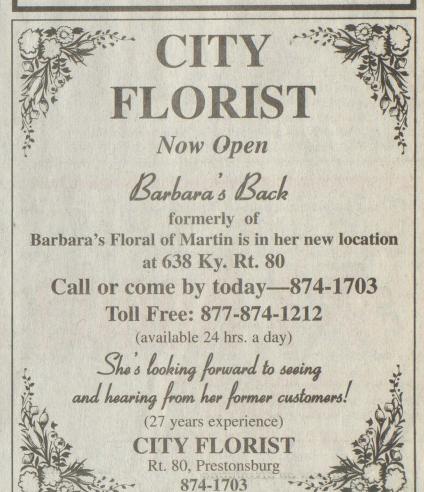
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ooperation leads to child aid organization

by Janice Shepherd Managing Editor

Sometimes, Big Brothers and Sisters come in handy, especially for fishing trips, a game of football, a shopping expedition, or a talk ses-

They're someone to lean on, someone to shoulder a burden, and they'll soon be available to children in the Big Sandy area.

Although in the initial stages of

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filling the basic requirements of the national agency, according to Dr. Dave Bliss.

With support from Mountain Comprehensive Care, Bliss is making inroads into completing the 11 steps outlined in Big Brothers and Big Sisters guidelines to get the chapter up and running.

Those guidelines include forming a steering committee, doing a feasibility study, developing organizing, the local chapter of the bylaws, selecting a site for an Big Brothers and Big Sisters of office, hiring an executive director

commitment"

Community Connections for Children, a state program, for \$20,000 and \$10,000 from another source

Bliss is working with Eileen Recktenwald and Patsy Lester to get the program organized. A steering committee has been formed consisting of people from the six counties the agency serves — Floyd, Johnson, Martin, Magoffin, rience for some children. Someone Pike, and Knott — Bliss said.

The Big Brothers, Big Sisters of America provide an array of services to children and their families, according to Bliss. The program is based on the concept of a friendship between a caring adult volunteer and a child at risk, according to a development plan at the agency.

Big Brothers and Big Sisters service is the matching of a caring adult with a child who needs stability and companionship," the plan

"Kids get a relationship with a with his son, if there's no sign of a

Bliss said the local agency has a role model, they get to go out and from explore some activities they have never experienced before, and they get to learn some new skills," Bliss

> "Big Brothers and Big Sisters may play baseball or football with them. Yeah, an ice cream cone is great, but it's the attention that

> "Even helping their Big Brother or Big Sister wash a car is an expewho seems to just enjoy being with you can be a totally new experience for some of these kids," he said.

> School-age children can participate in the program and can be referred through counseling services, a physician, or parents. The majority of the children who use the program will come from single parent families, where it's difficult for one parent to provide the attention of two parents, according to Bliss.

> "If mom and dad divorce, and dad moves to Florida and can't visit

could think her son needs a really good male role model. In that case, Big Brothers could be wonderful," he said.

The Big Brother, Big Sister agency is a prevention program, Bliss said.

'Normally, you hear about a child's needs after problems have started, but this program takes care start," he said.

Statistics compiled Public/Private Ventures, a national research organization based in Philadelphia, indicate that children who have participated in the Big Brothers, Big Sisters program get along better with their families and are less likely to be referred to juvenile justice.

The children are more confident of their performance in schoolwork, 46 percent less likely to begin using illegal drugs, 27 percent less likely to begin using alcohol and one-third less likely to hit someone.

Big Brothers, Big Sisters volunteers will receive special training from psychologists and social services workers before they can par-

America is on the fast track to ful- and support staff, and raising funds. caring, responsible adult, they get a male family member around, mom ticipate in the program, Bliss said. Volunteers will also receive professional support from staff at the

agency. "I can't imagine any other Big Brother chapter tied to so many pro-

fessionals," Bliss said. Businesses and organizations in the area can also participate in the program through donations, such as movie theater tickets or meal disof those needs before problems counts at local restaurants, Bliss

> "Big Brothers, Big Sisters aren't paid. Typically, their expenses are paid out of their own pockets," he added.

> Although Mountain Comp Care is helping to sponsor the local chapter, the goal of the local Big Brothers, Big Sisters is to become an independent organization, Bliss

"It will truly be a communityowned and supported organization," he added.

For more information, or to become a Big Brother or Big Sister, call Bliss or Recktenwald at Mountain Comprehensive Care at 886-8572.



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Jim Goodman presents award to Judy Goble. (photo by Willie Elliott)

Park employee honored

On Monday, Judy Goble, group park system's Rewards, Awards, State Resort Park, was awarded a Certificate of Merit from the Kentucky Department of Parks.

Goble was recognized for her outstanding dedication and commitment to the park and guests.

"She exemplifies a positive attitude toward her work and reflects a high standard of excellence," said Jim Goodman, Director of Resort Parks.

He also said her professional presence projects a positive image for the Department of Parks and provides a role model for others. The presentation was part of the

sales coordinator at Jenny Wiley and Recognition for Employees (RARE). The program was developed in 1994 to honor the accomplishments of exceptional department employees. Park Manager Mark McLemore

> most people recognized and dealt when coming to the lodge. When Goodman mentioned that Goble had been with the

said Goble was the person who

Department of Parks for "20-some" years, Goble replied, "Yes, but I started when I was 13."

After the presentation, staff members and guests were treated to refreshments.

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Libraries recently launched its new state-of-the-art catalog, TOPCAT 2000. Users of the new web-based catalog can "point and click" to search the Libraries' holdings; print, e-mail or download results; and seamlessly link to cited Internet sources.

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Users may also go to WKU Libraries' Home Page at www.wku.edu/Library and click on TOPCAT 2000. Once connected to TOPCAT 2000, you will find extensive online help.

In addition, a series of one-hour TOPCAT 2000 workshops for faculty, staff and students are being held to provide more in-depth instruction on how to use the new catalog.

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BELFRY AT PRESTONSBURG

Prestonsburg looking for third straight win

by Karen Joseph Sports Writer

The Prestonsburg Blackcats will host the Pirates of

Belfry tonight in a big, big district game. They have each won two games in the district. They both started off rather slow, but both have been playing very good play in the last three weeks. These teams are pretty much equal. This sets the stage for a very good

The Blackcats are coming off a big district win over the Betsy Layne Bobcats. Jeremy Caudill scored four touchdowns in this game and also had a very good defensive game.

Belfry is coming off a big district game against Pike Central and is ready to take on the Blackcats.

Belfry's coach, Phillip Haywood said this will be an exciting game to watch.

"The two teams have not played in the last couple years because of different districts, but we are looking forward to playing them. They have a very good backfield with Jeremy Caudill and Hank Mullins. They are sort of like us, as we both started off slow but have been playing good ball lately. They (Prestonsburg) are a very physical team, and we are expecting them to be physical against us. It should be a very good game," Haywood said.

Both teams lost games in the beginning of the season that didn't really matter. What really matters is district. Prestonsburg's head coach, John Derossett, had this

to say about the game. "Belfry has moved down from AAA to AA and everyone has picked them to win the district. This game is kind of like a do-or-die situation. Belfry is the team we have to beat. I think we are ready to play. We had stayed focused this week by watching several tapes and practicing hard.'

Prestonsburg lost their first four games, but Coach Derossett has changed his offense a little.

"I think we have improved since we changed Seth Crisp to the running back position. We sort of had him handcuffed in the quarterback position. Everyone could lock in on him and come and get him in the quarterback

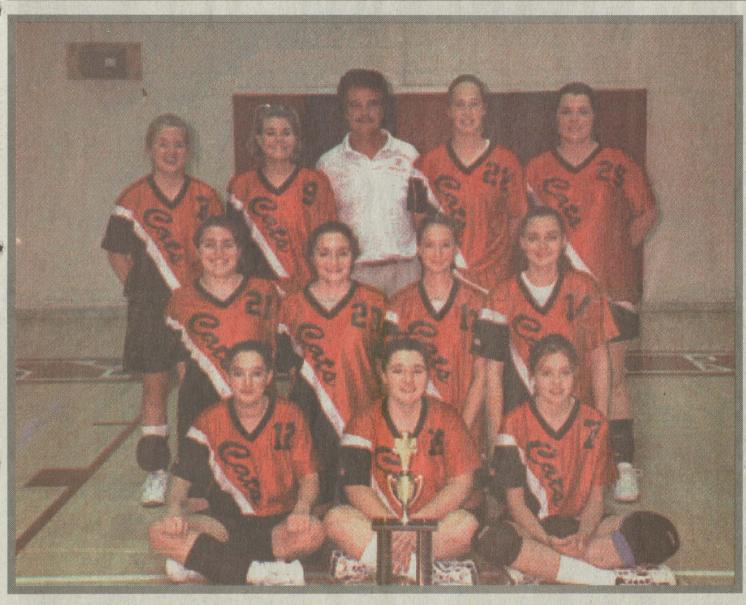
"Now we are moving around and throwing the ball and sweeping the ball to Seth. He is still throwing the ball some himself. Our offense is playing much better. We have improved in the last three games.

"Jeremy Caudill has stepped up on the offense. He played a very good game against Whitesburg and Betsy Layne. He scored four touchdowns against Betsy Layne and rushes for 135 yards.

"Hank Mullins is really starting to come around for us. He had a big run toward the end of the Betsy Layne game to have it called back on a penalty. Hank's efforts in breaking tackles has improved greatly. You know he only weighs 155 pounds, but he gives up every thing he has on the football field.

"All the opposing coaches always has a comment for Hank at the end of the game. The coaching staff at Mt. View was really impressed with Hank," said the veteran Prestonsburg coach.

The game between Prestonsburg and Belfry will kick off at 7:30 tonight.



Prestonsburg High School Volleyball Team

Prestonsburg Lady cats Win Powell County Invitation

Amelia Conley scores a total of 26 points in tournament

by Karen Joseph Sport Writer

Russell Shepherd and his Lady Cats of Prestonsburg participated in the Powell County Invitation Volleyball Tournament last weekend at Powell County.

Prestonsburg went into the tournament with a 10-3 record, and they were hoping to improve their record before going into the district tournament next Saturday.

The Blackcats did improve their record by going undefeated and bringing home the trophy. The Blackcats would have to play three games to win the title. They defeated Allen Central, Hazard and the host, Powell County team.

Prestonsburg's first opponent in the tournament was hometown rival Allen Central. Action between the two competitors made for a very good volleyball game. It took the Blackcats two extra points to finally defeat the Rebels of Allen

Stephanie Adams served for the Blackcats to get the game started. She scored one point for her team, and then Shanna Howell scored for the Rebels.

The lead went back and forth between the teams on the first rotation with Allen Central having the lead at the end of the first rotation.

On the second rotation, Stephanie Adams scored two more points for the Blackcats, returning the lead to the Blackcats. Then, on Shanna Howell's serve, the

Rebels scored six points, giving them the lead back. The Rebels held the lead until Amelia Conley scored three points for the

(See Prestonsburg, page two)

• From the Side Lines

by Karen Joseph Sports Writer

Boy, do we have a lot of sport activities going on in Floyd County this weekend!

First, the district volleyball tournament gets under way at Paintsville Saturday morning. All four county teams will participate.

Then, there is the Jenny Wiley Grade School football tournament that is being played at Prestonsburg High School. This will begin at 10

There has been a couples bowling tournament going on all week at Pin-Zone. The roll-off will begin at 6 on Saturday evening.

The Jenny Wiley 3K run will

begin at 8 a.m. on Saturday morning here in Prestonsburg.

A soccer tournament will be going on at Prestonsburg Community College on Saturday

The Jenny Wiley Pioneer Levisa Cup Race/Triathlon will begin at 8 a.m. on Saturday.

With only four weeks (including tonight) remaining in the regular football season, the district hopes are either fading or materializing. Prestonsburg will face Belfry in a big district match tonight. South Floyd will travel to Hazard to face the Bulldogs. South Floyd is 2-1 in district play and Hazard is 1-1. This is a very important district game for both

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Blackcats, making the score 14-13 in favor of the Blackcats. Becky Smith served for the Rebels, and they scored two points, giving them 15 points. But, in volleyball, you must win by two points and Prestonsburg had 14.

Lauren Majakey served for the Blackcats and tied the score. Allen Central's Shannon Sizemore served. but the Rebels failed to score and the Blackcats then scored two points on the serve by Chrissy Nelson.

This was a hard-played match by both teams and a heart-breaker for the Rebels to lose, but the Blackcats came away with the win.

played another hard match, but the Blackcats came out on top again with a score of 15-11 and winning the second match gave them the

Shanna Howell had a total of seven points in the game, while Shannon Sizemore had a total of six

The next opponent for the Hazard. It was another hard-played game, and it took the Blackcats three matches to put the Bulldogs

In the first, Hazard took the lead early in the game by scoring on the

In the second match, the Rebels first three serves. The Blackcats did not score until their fourth serve when Amelia Conley put the points on the board for her team.

> The Bulldogs had a 13-4 lead at the end of the first rotation. Again, the Blackcats served three times in the second rotation and failed to score. The Bulldogs scored another point, giving them 14 points.

On the serve by Amelia Conley, Blackcats was the Bulldogs from the Blackcats rallied back to score seven points, making the score 14-13. The Bulldogs put the game away on their next serve by scoring the 15-point and giving them the match, 15-13

In the second match, a yellow

card was called on the coach of Prestonsburg. To those of you, including myself, who are not up on this volleyball lingo, a yellow card is like a technical foul in basketball, and if you get two yellow cards, this results in a red card and the opponents will be awarded a point.

Prestonsburg went out to a 9-6 lead after the first rotation. Then on the second rotation serve by Brooke Coleman, the Blackcats pretty much put the game out of reach. The Bulldogs would score three more points before Angela Howell scored the final point for the Blackcats giving them the match, 15-9

In the third and deciding match,

the Blackcats again jumped out to a six point lead. And at the end of the first rotation it was Prestonsburg 11 and Hazard 6. The Bulldogs would score three more points, but it was not enough as the Blackcats won the third and deciding match, 15-9.

Amelia Conley scored a total of 11 points against the Bulldogs, while Brooke Coleman had eight.

Prestonsburg's final opponent was the host team, Powell County. The first match was an easy match for the Blackcats, and it was a good thing because they were really worn

It took them only four serves to capture the win. Brooke Coleman did most of the scoring for the Blackcats by scoring seven points in this game. The Powell County team scored only one point in the match. The Blackcats won the match, 15-1.

In the second match the Blackcats had a harder time with Powell County. Powell County took the lead after the first serve and kept the lead until the fourth Blackcat

At the end of the first rotation, it was the Blackcats with the 10-8 lead. Powell County would score two points in the second rotation, but it was not enough as the Blackcats won the match and the game, 15-10.

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teams. Betsy Layne will have this title this year. week off, and Allen Central will travel to Bethlehem on Saturday. Allen Central is not competing for a district

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Basketball season is underway in the middle school for the girls. Betsy Layne and Adams middle schools have both been competing in these schedules.

Jessica Bentley, who plays for the Bobcats, remains in Lexington in the hospital. Please keep her in your prayers.

High school basketball is just little over a month away with practicing beginning the 15th of this month. This could be a very interesting year for Floyd County this year in boys' basketball. I don't see any team being a power house. It should be evenly matched.

Two schools have new coaches. Betsy Layne has Brent Rose and Prestonsburg has Jackie Crisp as new head coaches for the boys' basketball. We will just have to wait and see how these two programs do.

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South Floyd has Henry Webb back as coach and Allen Central has veteran Johnny Martin back as their coach.

On the college level, what about those Wildcats? GO CATS, keep up the good work at South Carolina this weekend.

It will be homecoming at Morehead State University this Saturday. The Eagles will take on Valparaiso University. Kick-off time will be at 1:30 with crowning of the homecoming queen taking place at halftime. Football players for the 1949 football team will be recognized during the game. There will be a host of reunions throughout the day. The classes of 1974 and 1949 will celebrate 25th and 50th reunions, respectively. Members of the 1974 class will meet at the Academic-Athletic Center before the game while the class of 1949 will meet at 11 a.m. in the Commonwealth Room, ADUC.



Allen Central pulled the, "Old Statue of Liberty" play and scored a touchdown as Shane Crum carried the ball. (photo by Karen Joseph)









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Dale Earnhardt Jr., 3,828 Greg Biffle, 3,412 Matt Kenseth, 3,715 Jack Sprague, 3,282 Jeff Green, 3,614 Dennis Setzer, 3,251 Todd Bodine, 3,346 Stacy Compton, 3,197 Elton Sawyer, 3,257 Mike Wallace, 3,060 Jeff Purvis, 3,197 Jay Sauter, 3,044 Ron Hornaday, 3,034 Jason Keller, 3,110 Andy Houston, 2,981 Randy LaJoie, 2,972 Mike Bliss, 2,914 Dave Blaney, 2,963 Mike McLaughlin, 2,829 Jimmy Hensley, 2,842

TOP TEN

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

(1) Dale Jarrett 2. (6) Jeff Gordon

3. (5) Bobby Labonte Dale Earnhardt 4. (8)

(2) Tony Stewart 5. 6. (3) Mark Martin (4) Jeff Burton

Rusty Wallace 8. (7) 9. (9) Ward Burton

10. Mike Skinner Dodged another bullet Ray who? Bad luck at the end Oh, those caution flags Bad times at Martinsville

Dropped to third in points Salvaged top 10 Made best of tough day Can't wait for Rockingham

Led the most laps

FROM LAST WEEK

WINSTON CUP SERIES

Who knew that once Jeff Gordon managed to rid himself of that pesky Evernham character, he'd resume his domination of the Winston Cup Series? Just kidding, Ray.

One gorgeous fall afternoon does not a season make, but Gordon's victory over Dale Earnhardt in the NAPA 500 at Martinsville should quiet all the tantalizing doubt as to how Gordon will fare now that his Svengali has moved along.

As fifth-place finisher Kenny Wallace noted, "He (Gordon)

wanted to prove to us that he didn't need Ray (Evernham), and he did that."

Adding authority to the statement, Gordon vanquished Earnhardt at just the type of bruising, sheet-metal-trading game that Earnhardt prefers. It was Gordon's third victory at Martinsville Speedway. Earnhardt, 20 years older, has six.

The new crew chief, Brian Whitesell, took the reins without a hitch, and the latest Gordon conquest did not look markedly different from any other.

1999 WINSTON CUP SCHEDULE

Oct. 10 **Charlotte Motor Speedway** Oct. 17 Talladega Superspeedway Oct. 24 **North Carolina Speedway Phoenix International Raceway** Miami-Dade Homestead Motorsports Complex Nov. 14 Nov. 21 **Atlanta Motor Speedway**

Concord, N.C. Talladega, Ala. Rockingham, N.C. Avondale, Ariz. Homestead, Fla. Hampton, Ga.

FEUD OF THE WEEK

Tony Stewart vs. Kenny Irwin

FROM THE ARCHIVES

Michigan Speedway

held its first Winston Cup

race on June 15, 1969.

Lee Roy Yarbrough and

Cale Yarborough swapped

race's final 30 laps. On the

final lap, Yarbrough (note

the different spelling of the

last name) hit the first-turn

wall after his Ford bumped

against Yarborough's

Mercury.

the lead five times in the

These two one-time sprint-car stars have never fully dropped the old rivalry from the dirt tracks, and at Martinsville it blossomed into a destructive demolition derby. Stewart bumped Irwin twice, spinning him out, and Irwin retaliated with a knockout punch that was almost surely intentional. "I raced him the way he raced me," said Irwin.

NASCAR This Week's Monte Dutton gives his opinion: "It's easy to say that cooler heads should have prevailed, but cooler heads are rarely found in the cockpits of stock cars engaged in the heat of battle. On the other hand, the day's activities will probably serve only to add to the growing Stewart legend. Could it be that the next Dale Earnhardt could actually not be Dale Jr.?"

THE SCHEDULE

WINSTON CUP SERIES

Coming up: UAW-GM Quality 500 Where: Lowe's Motor Speedway (1.5-mile track), Concord, N.C., 334 laps/501 miles

When: Sunday, Oct. 10 Defending champion: Mark

Event qualifying record: Ward Burton, Chevrolet, 185.759 mph, Oct. 5, 1994

Race record: Ernie Irvan, Ford, 154.537 mph, Oct. 10, 1993

CRAFTSMAN TRUCKS

Coming up: All Pro Bumper-to-Bumper 300

Where: Lowe's Motor Speedway (1.5-mile track) Concord, N.C., 200 laps/ 300 miles

When: Saturday, Oct. 9

Johnny Benson has yet to win in 122 Winston Cup starts.

For those who predicted great things for

Johnny Benson in the Winston Cup Series, the

Benson, a former Busch Grand National

rookie of the year and champion and a former

Having obtained a release from his obliga-

Pontiacs owned by Chuck Rider. Before that, he

was American Speed Association rookie of the

the 1998 Daytona 500, but then recovered by

finishing in the top 10 in seven of the next 10

races. He has two top-10 finishes this year.

HOMETOWN: Born and raised in Grand

driver? Benson says it's "being yourself."

At Roush Racing, Benson failed to qualify for

The secret to becoming a great Winston Cup

Cup rookie of the year, has had two tough

tions at Roush Racing, Benson has not yet

announced new plans for the 2000 season.

Benson drove his first two seasons in

year in 1990 and ASA champion in 1993.

last few years have been a mystery.

years driving the No. 26 Ford.

PROFIL

Defending champion: Mike McLaughlin

Event qualifying record: Dave Blaney, Pontiac, 177.247 mph, Oct. 2, 1998

Race record: Mark Martin, Ford, 155.996 mph, May 25,

CRAFTSMAN TRUCKS

John Clark/NASCAR This Week

Rapids, Mich., resides in Cornelius, N.C.

CHILDREN: Katelyn Rae (3), Mikayla Jay (will

CAR: No. 26 Cheerios Ford Taurus, owned by

RECORD: 122 starts, 2 poles, 0 wins, 4 top-

five finishes, 26 top-10s, nearly \$5 million in

FIRSTS: Start (Feb. 18, 1996, at Daytona),

pole (March 10, 1996, at Atlanta), win (none)

BEEN TWO RECENT FIRST-TIME WINNERS

Loudon (N.H.) would have worked out. We ran

everything I could, but Joe (Nemechek) won it."

WHAT WOULD IT TAKE TO WIN? "I think

it's just a matter of having a really good race car

coming off the truck and then being able to fine-

tune it the whole weekend. ... You've got to

could shape up. I think that's the best

qualify in the top 10. I think if you're in the top

10 and you've got a good race car, then things

DOES THE FACT THAT THERE HAVE

ENCOURAGE YOU? "Yeah, I was hoping

good and ended up seventh. I was doing

WIFE: Debbie

be 2 on Nov. 21)

Roush Racing

career earnings

Coming up: Kroger 225

Where: Louisville (Ky.) Motor Speedway (.438-mile track), 225 laps/98.44 miles

When: Friday, Oct. 8 Defending champion: Tony Raines

Event qualifying record: Terry Cook, Chevrolet, 103.921 mph Race record: Ron Hornaday, Chevrolet, 68.358 mph, July 12,

Your Turn

Letters From Our Readers

Dear NASCAR This Week,

I know Ned Jarrett has every right to be proud of Dale Jarrett, but he gets paid to be a broadcaster, not a father.

When he is broadcasting, he is concerned with only one driver. He watches (Dale) Jarrett's car constantly. He should be in the stands or up on the tower spotting instead of being paid to watch him.

Oh well, just wanted to get (this) off my chest.

Shirley Wilson Burlington, N.C.

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Dear NASCAR This Week, Mark Martin, Darlington winner, Busch race. Can they put a (Winston Cup) motor in a Busch car, change the number and run the next day? Do they do this?

Fred Baker Minonk, Ill.

Winston Cup cars have a wheelbase 5 inches longer than Busch Grand National cars. In short, no, they don't do this.

X

Dear NASCAR This Week,

As a die-hard Ernie Irvan fan, I was saddened when his retirement was announced. Ernie decided there was something more important than victory: his life. Many drivers would practically give their (lives) to have a career like Irvan's.

Enjoy retirement, Ernie. You will be missed.

Terry Strosnider Strasburg, Va.

Dear NASCAR This Week,

The media and other opinionated critics have had a field day with the clash between Dale Jarrett and Jeff Gordon (at New Hampshire in July). Because Jeff was involved, it became a front-page item.

Jeff Gordon is one of the nicest drivers in the field and does not deserve the treatment he receives from some sources.

Elizabeth Stewart Gatlinburg, Tenn.

Who's Hot ... Who's Not

By Monte Dutton

NASCAR This Week

■ HOT: Six victories in an off year? No one's won as many as Jeff Gordon.

■ NOT: Michael Waltrip has finished 12th or worse in 12 straight races.

Trackside Trivia

1. What is Dale Jarrett's middle name?

opportunity."

2. What does a red flag with a yellow stripe mean to a

3. Who was the first president of the Professional Drivers Association?

> 3. Richard Petty 1. Arnold; 2. Pit road is closed; ANSWERS

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AROUND THE GARAGE

Whitesell just trying to represent team signed a contract for the 2000-2001 season, when Dale Jarrett won the By Monte Dutton

NASCAR This Week

MARTINSVILLE, Va. — Brian Whitesell discussed his role as Ray Evernham's replacement.

"It's not my job to try to make people forget Ray Evernham," said Gordon's new crew chief. "It's my job to try to represent the team and make sure it is prepared to win races. Is it unfair? No. It comes with the territory."

Whitesell went on to earn a victory in his first official race at the post vacated by Evernham. For a similar achievement, one has to go

Daytona 500, the first race in which he was paired with crew chief Todd Parrott.

BACK WITH HUT: Car owner

Scott Barbour will announce a sponsor for 2000 this week and will retain Hut Stricklin as driver of his No. 58 Ford, according to several garage-area sources. The sponsor could be Federated

on the car in selected recent races. ON THE DOTTED LINE:

Surprising no one, Joe Nemechek

Auto Parts, whose colors have been

seasons to drive the No. 33 Chevrolet owned by Andy Petree. Nemechek will replace Ken Schrader as Kenny Wallace's teammate, with Schrader moving to the No. 36 Pontiac.

HE'LL STAY PUT: Ricky Craven officially announced on Sept. 30 that he will remain with the Midwest Transit Racing team of Hal Hicks and Mike Witters next year.

When Craven was hired to drive the fledgling team's No. 50 Chevrolet, the car had failed in numerous attempts to make starting fields dating back to October 1998, when Dan Pardus made the starting field at Daytona. Since getting in the car, Craven has successfully qualified for all eight of the races in which the team was entered. In the NAPA AutoCare 500, he started 34th and finished 24th.

PONTIACS FOR A.J.: It has been widely reported that A.J. Foyt will field a Pontiac Grand Prix when he joins the Winston Cup Series as a regular car owner next year. Foyt's Conseco-sponsored No. 14 team has not yet announced a driver for the fledgling effort.

CREW OF THE WEEK

Obviously, if you have

to replace the sport's most successful crew chief, Ray Evernham in the middle of the season ... and if the new crew chief, Brian Whitesell, has never been one in the past ... and if you promptly win your first race with a strategy call that had to make Evernham smile in appreciation, you're going to be the crew of the week.

back to the first race of the 1996

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TRAILER FOR RENT: month. 874-2289.

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Rental Properties

2 BR TOWNHOUSE with garage in Allen. Central heat & air. Also, 285-0900 or 874-9976.

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WANT TO BUY/RENT

Want To Buy

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TRAILER: All utilities paid. \$300 + deposit.

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Appliances, fireplace, garage, private lot. On Arkansas Cr. Rd. Real nice. \$350/month + utilities. Available Oct.

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New Allen. \$300 per

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YARD SALE: Sat.,

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SALE: Thurs. 7th, Fri. 8th & Sat. 9th. 1/4 mile up Big Branch Of Abbott. From 9 am-4 pm. Look for signs.

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128 Rt. Turner Br., Eastern, KY 29 5th St. Goble Roberts, P-burg, 75 Spicewood Lane, Ivel, KY 41642

Suzanne Stumbo County Judge Executive Paul Hunt Thompson

Prestonsburg, KY on October 15, 1999 between the hours of 8AM and 4PM

Donald Hicks

Dorothy Harris

Kermit Howard

Randy Hatfield

Arnold Lowe

County Extension District Board

Chairman Floyd

Name

Courthouse Prestonsburg, KY 41653 (Address) Connie Estep -

SUMMARY FINANCIAL STATEMENT

FOR FISCAL PERIOD 07/01/98 TO 06/30/99

www.arh.org

In accordance with Chapter 65 and 424 of the Kentucky Revised Statutes the following information and supporting data

LEGAL NOTICE

Receipts Property Taxes \$ 117,497.00 User Fees\$ Miscellaneous \$ 6,116.00 Total Receipts \$ 319,470.00

Expenditures Other..... \$ 11,637.00

Ending Balance, (date) \$205,911.00 I, the undersigned, Treasurer of Floyd County District Cooperative Extension Education Fund, hereby certify that the above is a true and correct record of the accounts of the Floyd County District Cooperative

Extension Education Fund, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, as of 09/30/99 County District Cooperative Extension Education Fund

_, this 30 day of Subscribed and sworn to before me by the foregoing Affiant Kermit Howard (Treasurer) September , 19 99. My commission expires: 12/14/2001

Notary Public, State of Kentucky at large.

Rev. 04/97

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Included in this report are

details of where your water

comes from, what it contains,

dards set by regulatory agen-

District consistently strives to District is committed to pro-

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mary of the quality of water necessary to maintain the

provided to our customers highest drinking water stan-

and how it compares to stan- 2. Working to ensure Y2K

Representation of The Treatment Process

For questions about quality of our drinking water, or re-

Wednesday of each month. Customer views are welcome.

(9/17/98) 3 ppb

(9/17/98) 1 ppb

(9/17/98) 6 ppb

(6/23/98) 4 ppb

(6/23/98) 0.10 ppm

(1/29/98) 0.59 ppm

1.25 ppm

1 ppb avg.

Board meetings are scheduled at 4:15 p.m. on the second 800-426-4791.

(Range of Detect)

Elkhorn Water District at 285-9048.

Detected

Antimony

Chromium

Selenium

Nitrate

Fluoride

Turbidity

Lead

Copper

Bromoform

Bromodichloromethane

Substance (Sample Date)

Dichloromethane (9/17/98) 1 ppb

(7/07/98)

(4/18/98)

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Chimney

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BEAVER ELKHORN WATER DISTRICT

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1999 WATER QUALITY REPORT

INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

The Beaver Elkhorn Water

viding you with information

about your water, because

customers who are well in-

formed are our best allies in

Plans for 1999

compliance with new

1. Working to maintain

EPA regulations.

compliance.

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Dozer, Backhoe Hauling, Gravel, Top Soil, Fill Dirt, Footers, Ditches, Concrete. 889-1404,886-1718. 886-9465.

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DOG GROOMING: All breeds. Fancy Professional Cuts. Groomer. Call Betsy at "Tails a Waggin" 297-3647

Where Your Water Comes From

Source of Beaver Elkhorn's Drinking Water

a surface water source. The raw water intake is located at

Allen, KY. As water travels over the land's surface or

through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring miner-

als and radioactive material, and can be polluted by animals

or human activity. Contaminants that might be expected in

untreated water include: biological contaminants, such as

viruses and bacteria; inorganic contaminants, such as salts

and metals; pesticides and herbicides; organic chemicals

"Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasona-

from industrial or petroleum use; and radioactive materials.

bly be expected to contain at least small amounts of some

contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not nec-

essarily indicate that water poses a health risk." Normally,

your tap water has been more thoroughly analyzed than bot-

mental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at

More information about contaminants and potential

(EPA's MCLG') | Sources of Contaminants

Ceramics, Electronics

Erosion of natural deposits

Erosion of natural deposits

Discharge from dry cleaners

Wildlife & livestock wastes

Natural geology/sediment

Natural river sediment

Consumer plumbing and

service connection

Components

of

tled water and is always fresher in taste.

Ideal Goals

6 ppb

100 ppb

50 ppb

10 ppm

4 ppm

1.3 ppm

Not Regulated

Not Regulated

0 ppb

Our source water is the Big Sandy River. It is considered

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Legals

PUBLIC NOTICE ORDINANCE **NUMBER 99-006**

AMENDMENT #2 Second reading of a proposed ordinance amending the Floyd County Budget for Fiscal Year 1999-2000, to include unanticipated receipts from Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet, Division of Abandoned Lands, and increasing expenditures in the area of

Miscellaneous Groundwater Study will be held October 15, 1999, at 10:00 in the Courtroom of the Floyd County Courthouse. A copy of the proposed ordinance with full text is available for public inspection at the Office of the County/Judge/Executi

ve during normal busi-

ness hours.

PUBLIC NOTICE ORDINANCE NUMBER 99-007

Second reading of a proposed ordinance to include Creating the Floyd County Office of Emergency Management will be held October 15, 1999, at 10:00 A.M., in the Courtroom of the Floyd County Courthouse. A copy of the proposed ordinance with full text is available for public inspection at the Office of the County Judge/Executive during normal business

> **INVITATION TO** BID

The Floyd County Board of Education is requesting bids on a mechanic truck.

Bid Specifications One 2000 model Chevrolet or equal to include: one (1) with V8

gasoline or diesel engine four (4) wheel

regular cab and chassis

131.5" WB one (1) ton dual rear wheels power steering power brakes air-conditioned AM-FM radio color white with gray interior

vinyl bench seat floor mats 5-speed manual transmission

tommy lift front mounted ten (10) ton winch rear axle ration 410 with a locking dif-

a tool bed with a

ferential 12,000 lbs. GVW eight (8) foot snow blade with attachment with inside controls.

Bids will be accepted at the Floyd County Board of Education, Attention: Finance Dept., 183 North Arnold 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 Wednesday, October 20, 1999. All sealed bids received will be opened at 2:00

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Floyd County Board of Education is requesting sealed bids on the following property:

Bays Branch (Dickey Town) - 1/2 acre Located near Highlands Regional

Hospital Prestonsburg, KY 41653 Bids must be clearly

marked on the outside of the envelope "Sealed Bid for Bays Branch." Bids may be mailed or hand-delivered to Gregory Adams, Director of Maintenance, Floyd Schools County Maintenance Department, located at 23 Martin Street, Allen KY 41601.

Big opening will be at the above address on October 21st, 1999, at 10:00 a.m. The Floyd County Board of Education has the right to reject any and all bids.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS Project No. 6340.001 Mountain Comprehensive Care Children's Crisis

Sealed bids for the renovation of a former Day Care Center for a new Children's Crisis Center for Mountain

Center

Comprehensive Care will be received by Summit Architectural Services at the office Mountain Comprehensive Care Center, 150 South Front Street. Prestonsburg, Kentucky, until 11:00 o'clock a.m. E.S.T., Thursday, October 28, 1999, at then at said office publicly opened

and read aloud. The project consists of various improvements including new masonry walls, new floor and wall finishes. new roof, and new HVAC and electrical work.

The Information for Bidders Form of Contract, Plans, Specifications, and Forms of Bid Bond Performance and Payment Bond and other contract documents may be examined at the following: Summit Engineering 101 Summit Drive Pikeville, KY 41501

Mountain Comprehensive Care Center 150 South Front Street Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653

Copies may be obtained at the office Summit Engineering, located 101 at Summit Dr., Pikeville, KY 41501, upon payment of \$25.00 for each set. There shall be no refund issued for any unsuccessful or non-bidder.

The owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all bids.

Each bidder must deposit with his bid, security in amount, form and subject to the conditions provided in the Information Bidders.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within 45 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

October 1, 1999

NOTICE OF **BOND RELEASE** In accordance with

the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Buck Coal, Inc., 544 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, 41653 (606-886-2330), intends to apply for Phase I bond release for Increment No. 2 on Permit No. 436-5181 which was last issued on December 15, 1998. The permit covers a surface area of approximately 7.27 acres. There is no underground area involved on the increment. The operation is located approximately 1.4 miles northeast of Garrett in Floyd County.

The permit area is 0.8 miles south of KY 80's junction with the Goose Creek Road. The latitude is 37° 29' 30" and the longitude is 82° 48' 40", and is located on the Wayland 7 1/2 minute USGS __quadrangle The performance bond (Surety) current-

ly in effect for the operation \$22,600.00. Approximately 60% of this bond amount is included in this request for release.

Reclamation work thus far performed includes: backfilling and grading, sampling and testing, liming, fertilizing, seeding and mulching, and was completed in spring 1999. Results thus far achieved include: initial establishment of vegetation in accordance with the approved post mining land use plan. Written comments, objections,

and

request for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Complex. Hollow Frankfort, KY 40601. by Nov. 22, 1999.

A hearing date for this bond release request has been set for Nov. 23, 1999, at 9:00 AM, at the Department Surface Mining and Enforcement's Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by November 22, 1999.

NOTICE OF

BOND RELEASE In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Reynolds Branch Coal Co., Inc., P.O. Box 51, Langley, Kentucky 41645, has applied for Phase I Bond Release on Permit Number 836-5139 which was last issued on February 14, 1999. The application covers an area approximately 1282.70 acres located 1.42 miles northeast

County, Kentucky. The permit area is approximately 1.42 miles northeast of the junction of KY 979 with KY 122 and 0.47 miles north of Clear Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 23 minutes, 17 seconds. The longitude degrees, 42 minutes, 21 seconds.

of Hi Hat, Floyd

The bonds now in effect for Permit Number 836-5139 are certificates of deposit and a letter of credit totaling \$31,600.00. Approximately 60 percent of the original bond amount of \$31,600.00 is included in the application

for release. Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding and mulching completed in the spring of 1999. All disturbed areas have been seeded as to provide adequate growth for plant species and provide appropriate conditions

wildlife. Written comments, objections, requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by November 29, 1999.

A public hearing on

for the surrounding

the application has been scheduled for November 30, 1999, at 9:00 a.m., at the Prestonsburg Regional Office of the Department Mining Surface Reclamation and Enforcement, 2705 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1455. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by November 29, 1999.

(11-27) Not Regulated 13 ppb avg Chlorodibromomethane Not Regulated Total 9 ppb avg (3-20) Not Regulated Chloroform (5-24)Trihalomethanes 16 ppb avg Not Regulated Not Regulated LISTED ABOVE are 13 contaminants detected in Beaver Elkhorn's drinking water during 1998. All were below allowed limits. Samples for total coliform are monitored on a monthly basis. There were no total coliform positive samples in 1998. NOT LISTED are the non-detected values of other contaminants monitored for in 1998. The results of all monitoring performed are available at the water office.

Highest Level Detected | Highest Level Allowed

(0.7-1) 5 ppb

1.00 NTU* (<0.5 96.2%) Treatment Technique

6 ppb

100 ppb

50 ppb

10 ppm

4 ppm

(ND - 6) | 15 ppb (Action Level*) (ND - 0.10) | 1.3 ppm (Action Level*)

(ND - 2) Not Regulated

(NA)

(NA)

(NA)

(NA)

*DEFINITIONS: Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL)

the best available treatment technology. Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG) "The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected health risk. MCLG's allow for a margin

"The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking

water. MCL's are set as close to the MCLG's as feasible using

Treatment Technique— A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water. <0.5 96.2% indicates that 96.2% of the time, the turbidity at the

finished plant tap was less than 0.5 NTU

garding this report, contact Bob Hackworth at the Beaver health risks can be obtained by calling the U.S. Environ-

Treated Water Quality Summary

(EPA's MCL')

Regulated at the Treatment Plant

Regulated at the Customers' Tap

Unregulated Contaminants

Action Level-The concentration of contaminant that triggers treatment or other requirement that a water system must follow. EPA—Environmental Protection Agency NTU-Standard turbidity unit ppm-One part per million Turbidity—How clear the water is. Turbidity is measured to monitor the effectiveness of the

treatment process ND-not detected NA-Only 1 test was performed in 1998 so a range does not apply.

A Special Note: The Beaver Elkhorn Water District was not notified until November 1998 that some of the organic parameters monitored in 1994 and 1995 had been rejected by the Federal EPA. This resulted in a monitoring violation. Once the water district received this notification, we contacted our laboratory to arrange for increased sampling and monitoring. Currently, all regulated results have indicated non-detected values. Monitoring for the full list of contaminants will continue through the end of 1999.

Special Info Available: "Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immunocompromised persons—such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune systems disorders, some elderly persons and infants—can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their healthcare providers. Environmental Protection Agency and Centers for Disease Control guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the EPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791)." Drinking water is not the only source of these contaminants. They occur naturally in the environment.

Please call our office if you have questions. We at the Beaver Elkhorn Water District work around the clock to provide top quality water to every tap. We ask all our customers help protect our water sources, which are the heart of our community, and our children's future.

Irvin & Johnny Harris,

The major revision

application has been

filed for public inspec-

tion at the Department

for Surface Mining

Enforcement's

Prestonsburg

Regional Office, 3140

South Lake Drive,

Prestonsburg

Written comments,

requests for a permit

conference must be

filed with the Director,

Division of Permits,

#2 Hudson Hollow,

Frankfort, Kentucky

127

and

41653.

South,

Reclamation

Kentucky

objections,

U.S.

40601

and Clyde Burchett.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to **Application Number** 836-5306 Major

Revision No. 8 In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Matt/Co. Inc., 432 Branch, Meadows Prestonsburg Kentucky 41653, has applied for a major revision to an existing underground mining and reclamation operation located 0.5 miles north of Emma in Floyd County. The major revision will add 0.00 acres of surface disturbance and will underlie an additional 111.24 acres making a total area of 1,830.19 acres within the revised permit boundary.

The proposed major

The proposed major revision is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The major revision will not add any surface disturbance acreage to the permit area. The major revision will underlie land owned by Ed Leslie Estate.

Creek

The major revision proposes the addition of 111.24 acres of underground mining in the Elkhorn No. 3 coal seam.

revision area is

approximately 0.25

miles north from KY

Route 1428's junction

with KY Route 194

and located 0.50

miles north of Cow

The major revision application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's

Prestonsburg. Kentucky 41653 Written comments, objections, requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits. #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky This is the final advertisement of this application; all com-

Prestonsburg

Regional Office, 3140

South Lake Drive,

ments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be received within 30 days of this date. NOTICE OF

INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to **Application Number** 836-5333 Major Revision No. 2

In accordance with

350.070, notice is hereby given that Matt/Co. Inc., 432 Meadows Branch, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has applied for a major revision to an existing mining and reclamation operation located 0.5 miles north of Emma in Floyd County. The major revision will add 0.00 acres of surface disturbance and will underlie an additional 189.90 acres making a total area of 363.20 acres within the revised permit bound-

the provisions of KRS

The proposed amendment area is approximately 1.0 mile east from KY Route 1428's junction with Sugarloaf Branch Road and located in Dial Branch.

The proposed major This is the final

revision is located on advertisement of this the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 application; all comments, objections or 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The major requests for a permit conference must be revision will underlie land owned by Ed and received within 30 Bertha Cline, William days of this date. Jarrell, Joe Burchett,

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to

Application Number 836-5348, **Operator Change** In accordance with 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Lodestar Energy, 251 Tollage Pikeville, Creek 41501, Kentucky

intends to revise per-

mit number 898-0324

to change the operator. The operator presently approved in the permit is Earl J. Lawson, dba L&L Coal Company, P.O. Box 2917, 3823 N. Mayo Trail, Pikeville, Kentucky 41502. The new operator will be Big I Mining, Inc., P.O. Box 1446, Martin,

Kentucky 41649. The operation is approximately 2.7 miles southwest of KY Route 2030's junction with Little Mud Creek Road and is located on Stonecoal Fork of Little Mud. The operation is located on the Pikeville U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadran-

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department Mining Surface Reclamation Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg Kentucky 41653. Written comments or objections must be filed with the Director of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must

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MAMA'S BOYZ by JERRY CRAFT







R.F.D. by MIKE MARLAND





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narrower, 6. Shirt has long sleeves. 3. Bushes are missing, 4. Pile of leaves is larger, 5. House is Differences: 1. Window is cracked, 2. Boy's hair is different. Answers to Crossword Puzzle and Magic Maze

can be found on page A5

Find at least six differences in details between panels.

OUT ON A LIMB by GARY KOPERVAS

Unlike other dogs that could sense sudden disturbances in nature like hurricanes and Tornadoes, Buster could sense sudden disturbances in the Stock Market...



















51 UFO pilot

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73 Spartan

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84 Fit to feast

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McDormand 124 Merrill

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13 Palindromic

14 Jamie Lee's

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