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briefs

Otter Creek inmate faces assault charge

by MARY MUSIC STAFF WRITER

WHEELWRIGHT — An Otter Creek Correctional Center inmate was charged with assault after she allegedly pushed a correction officer.

Investigator Dwight Crowell filed a complaint against Wanda Gooch, 44, this week, claiming that she pushed corrections officer Elyse Ogden "to get to" another inmate during an altercation on Jan. 19.

Gooch, charged with fourth-degree assault, is expected to be arraigned in district court in March.

Her charge came alongside the arraignments of two other Otter Creek inmates who allegedly attempted an escape.

Darla McCormick, 39, charged with third-degree escape, and Lisa A. May, 37, charged with second-degree escape, both entered not guilty pleas Wednesday in district court.

Crowell alleges that McCormick tried to help another prisoner escape on Oct. 16. May freed herself from restraints after she returned to the prison from a medical transport on Dec. 17, he claims.

District Judge Eric Hall scheduled a preliminary hearing on March 5 for McCormick and Feb. 13 for May.

All three women remain incarcerated at Otter Creek. Prison officials refused comment about the allegations surrounding the charges.

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Conflicting stories cause confusion in court

by TOM DOTY STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — A Wheelwright man saw one charge against him dropped and another "reluctantly" passed to the grand jury after a preliminary hearing in district court on Wednesday.

Barry Tackett, 36, was charged on Jan. 21 with driving under the influence, expired registration receipt and one count

of assault stemming from a bizarre incident that was reported to Kentucky State Police.

Trooper John Collins testified that he was called to the scene of an assault and found James Clarence Hall suffering from what appeared to be injuries sustained from getting struck by a vehicle. At the scene, Collins interviewed Hall's sister who claimed that Tackett was run over by Hall and then backed over for good mea-

sure. A statement from a neighbor differed somewhat from that account, with the neighbor reporting that Hall fell from the vehicle after it drove away while Hall was assaulting Tackett through the driver's side window. Collins tried to interview Hall at the scene but said that Hall was "extremely intoxicated" and would only keep repeating, "He ran over me."

Collins noted that he proceeded to Tackett's residence, where he found him

to be under the influence and charged him with driving in that condition as well as assault and having an expired registration receipt.

Collins was cross-examined by Tackett's attorney, Ned Pillersdorf, who began by establishing that Collins didn't personally witness the incident. He inquired about Hall's state when he

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WRECK SPILLS COAL



Employees with Connie Wrecker Service spent more than two hours Thursday morning trying to pull this coal truck back onto Route 550. Approximately 152,000 pounds of coal spilled into a nearby creek bed during the accident. Trae McGaffee, also pictured (wearing sunglasses), a representative of the truck owner, Fuel Transport, would not comment.

Second coal truck wrecks

by MARY MUSIC STAFF WRITER

KNOTT COUNTY — No serious injuries were reported after coal truck hauling 152,000 pounds of coal wrecked on Route 550 Thursday morning. Kentucky Vehicle

Enforcement officer Dennis Hutchinson said the accident occurred before 8 a.m. when the driver, Thomas Edwin Campbell, fell asleep at the wheel.

Hutchinson said Campbell reported that he had been driving for two days and that he ran off the roadway after he fell asleep

less than a mile from his destination. The entrance to Consol of Kentucky was located in the vicinity.

KVE Sgt. Kevin Henry said Campbell, 45, of Mousie, suffered with a minor cut on his arm.

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Judge, prosecutors look at old cases

by TOM DOTY STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — It may come as a surprise to some, but occasionally someone who is indicted by a grand jury opts to not show up for court. Though

this practice often leads to a new felony charge of bail jumping, many of these subjects can get around that charge by failing to attend their arraignment, where they would be compelled to sign a form in dictating that they will come to future court appearances.

It is a class D felony, punishable by up to five years in prison, to not attend hearings after signing the form.

Remaining at large after an indictment has been issued used

(See OLD CASES, page three)

ADD seeks to join Hatfield McCoy trail

by SHELDON COMPTON STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — The Big Sandy Area Development District this week added sitting members to a coalition formed to see West Virginia's Hatfield McCoy Trail extended into 10 counties in Eastern Kentucky.

The trail, which currently runs through various counties in West Virginia, is designed to accommodate all-terrain vehicles, says Big Sandy ADD Director Sandy Runyon. She said she and others at the agency hope to extend the trail to this region.

"West Virginia's has shown great results," Runyon said Monday. "Pike County has been leading on this project because they're right

there on the border with them."

The concept is simple, but could take time, according to Runyon. The idea would be to design an interconnected series of riding trails for ATVs that would allow riders to actually be able to travel across the 10 counties without interruption. Runyon says that certain places, referred to as trail heads, would bring the trail down into small communities and towns across region.

"It would join ATV trails in those 10 counties, and people would be able to get on an ATV in whatever county and ride to any other county," Runyon said. "There would be trail heads that would come down into com-

(See TRAIL, page two)

Plans call for horse ring to reopen in May

by SHELDON COMPTON STAFF WRITER

WHEELWRIGHT — Those passing by still occasionally glance over to see if anything has changed. Just off Route 122 near Melvin they'll pass by the gooseneck curve leading into the small gravel-covered dip and most of them will glance and still remember the Wheelwright football field.

But some remember a couple of horse shows a few years ago and the promise of a fully realized year-round

addition to the regional circuit that just suddenly stopped, leaving an abandoned ring and an overgrown field.

But, come this spring, those who have been wondering what happened with the best of intentions for the old field could finally be given an answer.

When Melvin resident Mark Tackett bought the old Wheelwright football field from the Floyd County Board of Education three years ago

(See RING, page two)

More charges filed against child abuse defendant

by TOM DOTY STAFF WRITER

A Prestonsburg man who was indicted on four counts of child abuse last April saw two more charges filed against him on Thursday after the grand jury reviewed new evidence in the case.

Mark A. Davis, 29, is accused of abusing an infant between the months of August and October 2004. Davis

had already been indicted, alongside Gwendalou Shepherd, of Gunlock, on four counts of criminal abuse of a child which allegedly resulted in multiple injuries for the victim, including fractured ribs, one arm and one leg broken and a skull fracture.

The superseding indictment lodged Thursday adds one count of first-degree abuse for allegedly fail-

(See CHARGES, page six)



John Campbell drew for his ballot placement for the upcoming May election Thursday afternoon. Campbell will be one of seven people campaigning for county surveyor. Candidates participate in a drawing to see in what order they will be listed on ballots. A full list of the ballot order will appear in Sunday's issue of The Floyd County Times.

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Floyd tops in Trust for Life, but recent numbers lower

by MARY MUSIC
STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — The Floyd County Circuit Clerk's office topped the state in 2005 for donations made to the Trust for Life Campaign. The number of donations for this fiscal year, however, doesn't look as promising.

Officials estimate that 77 Kentucky counties were "above average" in donation collections in 2005, but the numbers, in some parts of the state, are decreasing from donations obtained for the program last year.

In 2005, Floyd County collected \$1 donations from 75.1 percent of people who renewed their driver's licenses. During this fiscal year, which began in July, Clerk Douglas Hall reports that donations have been obtained from 65.7 percent of those renewing their licenses. The percentage, he says, is down about 10 percent from this time last year.

Since the department increased the price of licenses to \$20, Hall, the vice president for the Trust for Life foundation, says people aren't as willing to donate. Last year, he

said, Floyd County collected donations from 82.6 percent of customers who visited the county drivers licensing department through June, but in July, after the price increase took effect, donations dropped off to 64.5 percent, where they have virtually remained since that time.

"We need to encourage the public that even though we took a big increase in driver's licenses, we still need to take pride in what we accomplished these last two years and continue to donate money for Trust for Life," Hall said.

Hall says two out of every three customers who renew their license in Floyd County donate \$1 for the Trust for Life Campaign. Officials hope to see those numbers increase to four out of every five customers. People must realize, he said, that even with the driver's license fee increase, residents are only paying \$5 annually for a license, and if they donate to the Trust for Life Foundation, they're only donating 25 cents annually.

The Trust for Life, a non-profit foundation that promotes organ and tissue donation in the state, was formed in 1992

by the Kentucky Circuit Court Clerks Association. Since 1993, more than \$4 million has been donated to the foundation. The funds have been used to purchase advertising and to support public campaigns that have increased organ and tissue donations in the state by about 60 percent. Kentucky leads the nation in the number of donations offered annually.

The Trust for Life Foundation established the Judge Satterwhite Fund in 2000, a program designed to financially assist Kentucky organ transplant patients who aren't fully covered by insurance.

The foundation reports that an average of 17 Americans die each year while waiting for organ transplants. Currently 750 people in the state are waiting for donated organs in order to live. Others are waiting for life-enhancing organ donations like corneas, bone joints, skin, blood vessels and other tissue.

To donate to the Trust For Life, visit the driver's licensing department at the Floyd County Justice Center. More information can also be found at www.trustforlife.org.

More charges filed against fugitive

by TOM DOTY
STAFF WRITER

JACKSON — A Breathitt County man who allegedly tried to run over Operation UNITE detectives when they came to his home to serve an arrest warrant saw more charges lodged against him while he continues to remain at large.

Eddie Arnold Baker, 53, was allegedly in the middle of a drug sale when the agents pulled into his driveway on Jan. 19. Arnold escaped in his

Chevrolet pickup truck, at which the agents fired, and has remained on the run since.

But the investigation into Arnold's alleged drug sales continued to yield fruit this week, when Operation UNITE officers executed a search of Arnold's truck, which was found abandoned in a creek bed where it got stuck in the mud.

Agents recovered 200 assorted pills, including Oxycontin, hydrocodone and Valium, as well as a \$10,000 in cash hidden behind the vehi-

cle's radio. In an earlier search of the truck agents recovered more than 1,000 pills.

The UNITE detectives also searched Arnold's home after obtaining a warrant and recovered more evidence. They were able to recover 1,621 more Oxycontin pills with an estimated street value of \$132,000, three stolen all-terrain vehicles and about \$20,000 worth of building materials which had been stolen from the Buckhorn Children's Home.

Trail

munities so riders could buy necessities and other things they might need."

The 10 counties which would be included on the project include Floyd, Pike, Johnson, Martin, Morgan, Wolfe, Breathitt, Perry, Letcher and Harlan, which was recently added to the list. Big Sandy ADD representatives say that Knott County is expected to pass a resolution to accept membership into the coalition soon. Each county was provided with resolutions to adopt as part of the project.

The idea for design would be fashioned after West Virginia's model, but the cost associated with such efforts are hard to pinpoint. Each trail would require a design and also require certain measures of actual construction, except in places where "unofficial" trails are already in use, said Denis Thomas, community and economic development associate at Big Sandy ADD.

"The cost would vary depending on many things," Thomas said. "In some cases there are some trails out there that some people are already riding, but we don't have a good handle on it."

The committee is also keeping an eye on legislation that would help clear up some of the liability issues for property owners who would be asked to participate and allow use of sections of land. Part of the task will include locating potential land owners or those that might be leasing land and asking for permission, said Thomas, something that has been a sore spot in the past. In other instances, the land that will be used will be pre-mined land, according to Runyon.

"You're talking about using pre-mined or leased properties, so there are some issues with liability, but there is ongoing legislation and it's an issue that will need to be addressed," said Runyon.

Ring

for roughly \$30,000, there was a buzz about what was going in. It didn't take Tackett long to answer that question.

After pushing in another \$20,000 to build a concession stand and an announcer's booth, along with the actual ring itself, Tackett held the first of what would ultimately be only two horse shows. Following the second show, a number of issues combined that forced Tackett to set aside his goals, he says.

"I attempted to have two, but the rain was a problem," Tackett said. "And then the road leading off the state road was causing some issues when horse trailers were getting down there for the shows. They would drag and touch stuff."

But these practical road-blocks only contributed to his busted plans, according to Tackett, who said his work schedule was also a factor.

Now the Melvin resident, who says he plans to take off

from work alternating weekends, is looking to May as the month when he'll revisit bringing horse shows and many other attractions for the southern end of the county.

"I'm hoping to have a couple shows set for May, and then continue with one a month after that," said Tackett. "But I'll be doing other things, too."

Some of those plans include bluegrass festivals, go-cart races and car shows. Tackett says the transition to enable him to shift from these different types of events would be smooth and provide a wider range of entertainment.

But the key use for the ring would remain horse shows, with even more plans built around that idea.

"I'm going to built a 160-foot barn, hopefully this summer, and stable horses," Tackett said. "That way if people wanted to rent a stall, I'd provide that and feed and maintain the stall for \$150 a

month. And if they wanted me to do any training, then the charge would be \$250."

At this stage in his plans, Tackett said the key issue is waiting on word from county officials to correct the problems with the road leading off Route 122 to the ring, a sore spot for accessibility.

County leaders were in Frankfort earlier in the week and were not available to comment on a possible agreement to fix the road.

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Obituaries

Charles Martin

Charles Martin, 77, of Salyersville, died Tuesday, January 31, 2006, at the Salyersville Health Care Center.

Born October 4, 1928, in Floyd County, he was the son of the late Watt Martin and Sally Conley Martin. He was disabled.

Survivors include one brother, Jr. Martin of Estill; and one sister, Kathleen Currens of Shelbyville.

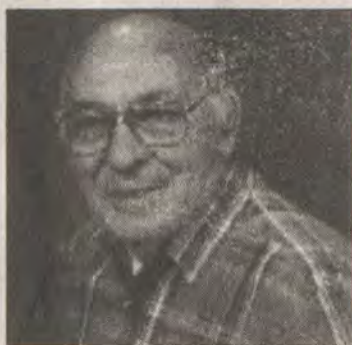
In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, Joe Martin.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, February 3, at noon, at the Magoffin Funeral Home Chapel, in Salyersville, with Simon Porter and Manuel Minix officiating.

Burial will be in the Martin Family Cemetery, in Estill, under the direction of Magoffin County Funeral Home.

Visitation is anytime Friday, prior to services. (Paid obituary)

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Bobby Ray O'Brien

Bobby Ray O'Brien age 75, of Stanville, husband of the late Lackie O'Brien, passed away Wednesday, February 1, 2006, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, in Prestonsburg.

He was born March 25, 1930, in Thacker, West Virginia, the son of the late John O'Brien and Jean Boyd O'Brien. He was a retired auto mechanic for Layne Brothers Ford, and a U.S. Marine, Korean War veteran.

Survivors include two sons: Johnny Ray O'Brien of Grethel, and Todd O'Brien of East Point; a daughter, Teresa O'Brien Conley of Harold; three sisters: Verneice Murphy of Durham, North Carolina, Peggy Sisson of Matewan, West Virginia, Susan Mankin, of Man, West Virginia; and six grandchildren.

Funeral services for Bobby Ray O'Brien will be conducted Saturday, February 4, at 11:00 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, in Martin, with Clergyman Arnold Turner Jr., officiating.

Burial will follow in the Davidson Memorial Gardens, in Ivel, under the professional care of the Hall Funeral Home.

Visitation is at the funeral home. (Paid obituary)

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James (Poppy-Pap) Potter

James (Poppy-Pap) Potter, age 84, of Langley, husband of the late Mae Boyd Potter, passed away Wednesday, February 1, 2006, at King's Daughters Hospital, in Ashland.

He was born April 8, 1921, in Hellier, the son of the late Cornelius Potter and Marie Hughes Potter. He was a Coal Miner for 30 years, formerly employed by National Mines. He was a member of Rockfork

Regular Baptist Church, and had been a Christian since 1964, a World War II Army veteran, and was at Pearl Harbor, December 7, 1941.

Survivors include two sons, James M. (Pearl) Potter of Sidney, Ohio, and John Wayne (Kim) Potter of Langley; three daughters: Gloria Jean (Freddy) Hall of Price, Anita (Sharon) Turner of Berlin Heights, Ohio, and Alice Faye Sparkman of North Charleston, South Carolina; 12 grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren.

In addition to his wife and parents, he was preceded in death by a great grandchild.

Funeral services for James Potter will be conducted Saturday, February 4, at 11:00 a.m., at the Rockfork Regular Baptist Church, in Garrett, with Elder Jerry Manns and Pastor Randy Osborne officiating.

Burial will follow in the Johnson Cemetery, in Hueysville, under the professional care of the Hall Funeral Home.

Visitation is at the Church, with nightly services at 7:00 p.m. (Paid obituary)

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Rudy Gene Robinette

Rudy Gene Robinette, age 60, of Banner, passed away Tuesday, January 31, 2006, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg.

He was born April 30, 1945, in Dana, the son of the late Arnold Robinette and Freedia Clark Robinette.

Survivors include a daughter, Courtney Austin Robinette and a sister, Loretta Robinette Conn, of Banner.

Preceding him in death were his parents, two brothers, Glenn

Dalton Robinette and Randy Robinette and a sister, Lynn Leon Williams.

Funeral services for Rudy Gene Robinette will be conducted Friday, February 3, at 1:00 p.m., at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, in Martin, with Clergymen Scott Tackett and Tim McClanahan officiating.

Burial will follow in the Akers Cemetery, Dana, Ky., under the professional care of the Hall Funeral Home.

Visitation is at the Funeral Home. (Paid obituary)

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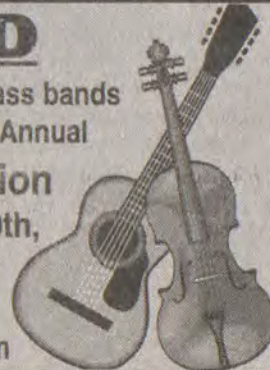
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The family of Ian Bryce Tackett, infant son of Brian and Jill Tackett of Teaberry, would like to thank everyone for their kindness and thoughtfulness, flowers and phone calls, cards, and the ones who helped at the grave site; to all family and friends who attended the service. Words cannot express how much everything you have done was appreciated.

THE FAMILY

Floyd County District Report Card Available

The Floyd County School District is making its District Report Card Available for the 2004-2005 year.

A copy of the District Report Card is available on the Internet at <http://www.floyd.k12.ky.us/Departments/Instruction/Instruction%20Docs/District%20Report%20Card%202004-2005.pdf>

A copy of the Report Card will be available at the Floyd County Public Library at 161 North Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

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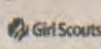
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Marriage Licenses

Ladonna Ruth Akers, 32, of Pikeville, to Thomas J. Gibson, 32, of Charlotte, N.C.
 Carol Rose Butte, 31, of Van Wert, Ohio, to Jason Lee Boyd, 24, of Prestonsburg.
 Dora Ruth Flannery, 39, of Martin, to Johnny Spears, 51, of Prestonsburg.
 Desirae Ellen Hall, 20, of Prestonsburg, to James Curtis Yates, 30, of Pikeville.
 Teresa Lynn Webb, 30, of Grundy, Va., to Chuck McKinney, 34, of Pikeville.
 Glema Jean Yates, 31, of Martin, to Robert Spradlin, 35, of Prestonsburg.

Civil Suits Filed

Green Tree Servicing LLC vs. Rosemary Tackett; complaint to foreclose security interest.
 Green Tree Servicing LLC vs. Robert Kidd, Tina Kidd; debt complaint.
 Alan Wright vs. William Burchett, Thelma Burchett, Equity One Inc.; property dispute complaint.
 Michael Fife vs. Professional Transportation Inc., Michael Coleman; wrongful termination complaint.
 Jessie Jones vs. Reba R. Jones; divorce.
 Kenneth Bradford vs. Rita Conn Bradford; divorce.
 Leslie Swiger v. Aaron Swiger; divorce.
 Leslie Equipment vs. Kevin Davis; debt complaint.
 Jeana M. Justice vs. Kisha L. Collins; auto accident complaint.
 Amanda Calhoun vs. James D. Samons; petition for health care insurance.
 Brandi Celcander vs. Adam Currey; petition for health care insurance.
 Vanderbuilt Mortgage vs. Orville Tackett; complaint to foreclose security interest.
 Select Portfolio Servicing Inc. vs. Roy Compton, Peggy Compton, Floyd County, Prestonsburg, unknown occupants; debt complaint.
 Yvonne Johnson vs. Brent Johnson; divorce.
 Rebecca Rose vs. Nicholas Cole; divorce.
 Lori Wireman vs. John Wireman; divorce.
 Jimmy Patrick vs. Catina Patrick; divorce transferred from Knott County.
 Elizabeth Hughes vs. Curine Hughes; divorce.
 Carol Butte vs. James Butte; divorce.
 Susan Marshall vs. Alan

Crum; petition for child support and health care insurance.
 Deanna Ousley vs. Kenneth Cole; petition for child support and health care insurance.
 State Farm Mutual Insurance Company vs. Ezra Robinson; debt complaint.
 Cabinet for Families and Children, Foster Care Services vs. Sandra Hall; petition for child support and health care insurance.
 Kentucky Farm Bureau Mutual vs. Phillip D. Ray; auto accident complaint.
 Joyce Perry, Ron Perry, Betty Goble, Victor Goble, Tammy Goble, Keith Goble, Claude George, Thelma George vs. Roger George, Peggy Sloan, David George, Donna George, Samantha George, Danny George; property dispute.
 Elizabeth Martin, Brenda Shelton vs. Thurman Caudill; auto accident complaint.
 Midland Funding vs. Eugene Prater; debt complaint.
 Worldwide Asset Purchasing vs. Estill Collett; debt complaint.
 Samantha Thompson vs. Clint Thompson; petition for health care insurance.
 Rhonda Watkins vs. Michael Watkins; petition for health care insurance.
 Kimberly Music vs. Brian Trudeau; petition for health care insurance.
 Green Tree Servicing vs. Gary Light, Dianne Light; debt complaint.

Charges Filed

Craig Prince, 22, Prestonsburg; third-degree burglary.
 Steven T. Goble, 31, Allen; flagrant nonsupport.
 Adam M. Jones, 23, Lackey; first-degree robbery.
 Kevin Woods, 20, Printer; first-degree criminal mischief.
 Barry K. Tackett, 35, Wheelwright; driving under the influence, second-degree assault, no or expired registration receipt.
 Andrea Gayheart, 21, Langley; driving under the influence, driving on a DUI-suspended license, failure to produce insurance card, first- and third-degree possession of controlled substances, controlled substance not in original container, no or expired registration receipt.
 Carlos Perry, 48, Littcar; felony theft by deception.
 Charles Scalf, 42, Prestonsburg; felony theft by deception.
 Shirlin Rose, 37, Martin; custodial interference.
 Greg Mullins, 20, Melvin; attempt to conduct felony theft by unlawful taking.
 Jeri J. Delons, 29, Van Lear; second- and third-degree drug trafficking.
 Adam Chaffins, 18, Ivel; first-degree robbery.
 Christopher Patton, 29, Ivel; giving officers a false name or address.
 Minnie Rogers, 45, Harold; disorderly conduct.
 James Elliot, 21, Prestonsburg; public intoxication.
 Ronnie Blackburn, 49, Martin; public intoxication, disorderly conduct, resisting arrest.
 Basel E. Moore, 22, McDowell; fourth-degree assault.
 Nathaniel Stanley, 21, McDowell; public intoxication.
 James Clayton Johnson, 24, Prestonsburg; public intoxication, disorderly conduct.
 Danny Waddles, 21, Prestonsburg; public intoxication.
 James Fields, 42, Allen; public intoxication.
 Brian Roberts, 21, Teaberry; illegal pursuit, taking of a deer, wild turkey or elk.

Small Claims Filings

Scott Slone vs. Clifford Adams; complaint regarding work agreement.
 Bennis Samons vs. Linda Hall; complaint regarding unpaid rent and utilities.
 Blue Grass Parts Warehouse and Service, doing business as NAPA of Martin and NAPA of Prestonsburg vs. H & R Construction; debt complaint.
 Blue Grass Parts Warehouse and Service, doing business as NAPA of Martin and NAPA of Prestonsburg vs. H & R Construction; debt complaint.
 Blue Grass Parts Warehouse and Service, doing business as NAPA of Martin and NAPA of Prestonsburg vs. David Barber; debt complaint.
 Blue Grass Parts Warehouse and Service, doing business as NAPA of Martin and NAPA of Prestonsburg vs. David Barber; debt complaint.
 Blue Grass Parts Warehouse and Service, doing business as NAPA of Martin and NAPA of Prestonsburg vs. David Barber; debt complaint.

Prestonsburg vs. Roger Marsillett; debt complaint.
 Blue Grass Parts Warehouse and Service, doing business as NAPA of Martin and NAPA of Prestonsburg vs. Tommy Briggs; debt complaint.

Charges Filed

Craig Johnson, 25, Teaberry; public intoxication.
 Palmer Hall, 60, Rush; open alcoholic beverage in a moving vehicle.
 Ted D. Amburgey, 29, Martin; fourth-degree assault.
 James Ash, 28, New Martinsville, W.Va.; public intoxication.
 Tony R. West, 35, Ivel; two counts of fourth-degree assault.
 Calvin W. Tackett, 30, Minnie; possession of a controlled substance.
 Jeremy P. Boyd, 22, Tram; harassing communications.
 William Johnson, 19, Prestonsburg; public intoxication.
 Johnaton Sheppard, 20, David; possession of marijuana, use or possession of drug paraphernalia.
 Kenneth Jones, 44, McDowell; harassing communications.
 Lisa Jarrell, 26, Martin; violation of an emergency protective order.
 Justin Endicott, 24, Allen; violation of an emergency protective order.
 Jennifer Cole, 26, Prestonsburg; fourth-degree assault.
 Mark Minix, 39, Salyersville; public intoxication.
 David N. Plummer, 29, Prestonsburg; fourth-degree assault.
 Alicia Crum, 47, Prestonsburg; public intoxication.
 James A. Branham, 25, Banner; public intoxication.
 Roger Meade, 52, Minnie; public intoxication.
 Timothy B. Maynard, 30, Warfield; public intoxication.
 Danny A. Castle, 36, Drift; fourth-degree assault.
 Aaron Ousley, 25, Martin; criminal trespassing.
 Wanda Gooch, 34, Wheelwright; fourth-degree assault.
 Dewey Moore, 39, Langley; criminal mischief.
 Frances Craig, 56, Prestonsburg; public intoxication.
 Jeffrey Kimmel, 23, Betsy Layne; fourth-degree assault.
 Randolph Jacobs, Jr., 40,

Raven; public intoxication.

Inspections

Meade's Stop and Go, Prestonsburg, regular inspection. Violations noted: Easy to spot thermometers not present in all cooler and freezer units, freezer door in disrepair, wiping cloth improperly stored, food contact surface in need of cleaning, no soap or towels at hand wash sink in food prep area, garbage container in food prep area improperly covered, clothing observed stored on food prep equipment, toxic items stored alongside food equipment. Score: Food 85, Retail 96. Follow up inspection required.
 Skeans Marathon, Allen, regular inspection. Violations noted: Thermometers not present in all freezer and cooler units, proper hair restraints not in use, walk-in freezer door in need of repair, no chemical test strips available at three-compartment sink, restroom doors not self-closing, clothing items improperly stored with food equipment. Score: Food 90, Retail 96.
 Appalachian Racing, Prestonsburg, regular inspection. Violations noted: Conspicuous thermometers not present in all cooler and freezer units, garbage container improperly covered, some floor tile in disrepair. Score: 94.
 Stonecrest Grill, Prestonsburg, regular inspection. Violations noted: Ice scoop improperly stored, wiping cloth improperly stored, single service articles stored in contact with floor, section of food prep storage floor carpeted. Score: 93.
 Rite-Aid, Martin, regular inspection. Violations noted: Easy to see thermometers not provided for all freezer and cooler units, snack items observed in contact with floor. Score: 97.
 Giovanni's, Prestonsburg, regular inspection. Violations noted: Cooler door in disrepair, no chemical test strips at three-compartment sink, walls and ceilings in disrepair, restrooms in need of cleaning, floor in disrepair. Score: 94.
 Family Dollar, Betsy Layne,

regular inspection. Violations noted: No violations. Score: 100.

Property Transfers

Bernice Branham to John E. Branham, property located at Prestonsburg.
 Richard, Tabitha, and Richard Brian Burchett to Lawson Burchett, property location undisclosed.
 Merleen Combs to CIT Group, property located at Martin.
 Beatrice Conn to Richard Conn, property location undisclosed.
 Estae of Gennetta Davidson to Linda McCoy, property location undisclosed.
 Rosemary Ewen to Cynthia Clark, Katherine Harper, and Mary Kidd, property located at Wilson Creek.
 Lorene Gibson, Rubin and Eula Frazier to Clinton and Irene Moore, property located at Left Beaver.
 Doris Hall to Eddie Newsome and Doris Ann Hall, property located at Hunter.
 Deborah Johnson to Clarence and Deborah Johnson, property location undisclosed.
 Phillip Mills to Susanne Ferguson, property located at East Point.
 David Mosley to Bill and Shirley Mosley, property located at Big Lick.
 Connie and Johnnie Patton to Jimmy Patton, property located at Weeksbury.
 Ronald Rohr to Susanne Ferguson, property located at East Point.
 Chris Salisbury to Hugh and Kathy Hall, property located at McDowell.
 Glenn Slone to Steven and Glenn Slone, property located at Right Beaver.
 Eula Spurlock to Greg and Kayla Stumbo, property location undisclosed.
 Richard Tackett to Angela and Jeremy Tackett, property location undisclosed.
 Corene and Nicky Turner to Clinton and iRene Moore, property located at Left Beaver.
 Leland and Lora Wells to Morris Dean Harless, property located at Auxier.

Old cases

to put the subjects on a "fugitive list," but the courts revised that policy and now only place subjects on such a list if they make their first court appearance.
 Wednesday's docket listed each case as a status conference but was actually an opportunity for Circuit Judge John D. Caudill to inquire as to the whereabouts of each subject under indictment. Rather than defense attorneys the courtroom was filled with police officers and detectives who reported on their progress.
 Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Wayne Taylor appeared for the prosecution and said that each subject was still of interest and that the commonwealth plans to prosecute them. He noted that each case would be reported to the National Criminal Information Center, which will send up a red flag if any of the subjects are stopped by police anywhere in the country.
 That practice paid off before the hearing when Carl Campbell, 27, of Langley, was arrested on Jan. 19 when a traffic violation led to officers discovering his indictment when he was entered into the database. Two more subjects picked up after the hearings were scheduled for court dates after being lodged at the Floyd County

Detention Center.
 Several subjects with cases going back into the 1990s are still at large and include:
 ■ Michael Ray Baker, 37, of Harold, who is wanted in connection with a 2001 warrant charging him with driving under the influence, driving on a DUI-suspended license and driving without insurance.
 ■ Francis Kidder, 62, of Debord, is sought for a 2002 indictment charging him with driving under the influence and operating a motor vehicle on a suspended license.
 ■ Lynn D. Porter, 43, of Harold, is being sought for a 2002 case accusing her of driving under the influence as well as one count of wanton endangerment for having a minor in the vehicle at the time of the incident.
 ■ Misty Justice, 48, of Prestonsburg, is wanted in connection with a 2004 case which accuses her of criminal possession of a forged instrument.
 ■ Eddie Dean Reed, 57, of Mouthcard, is being sought for

charges of driving under the influence and operating a vehicle with a DUI-suspended license.
 ■ Gary Preston, 50, of Van Lear, is likewise being sought on charges stemming from a DUI arrest in March 1997.
 ■ Sean Goble, 32, of Prestonsburg, is sought for six theft charges from 1997. He is accused of stealing chainsaws and lawn maintenance equipment from a hardware store in Martin in June of 1997.
 Anyone with information concerning the whereabouts of any of these subjects can contact the Commonwealth's Attorney's Office at (606) 889-1682.

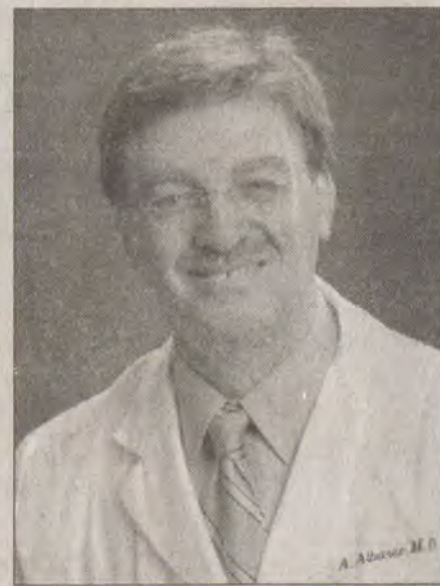
Correction

In an article concerning election filings Wednesday, a candidate in the District 3 race for constable was incorrectly listed. The actual name of the candidate is Carolyn "Bryant" McCray, of Melvin.

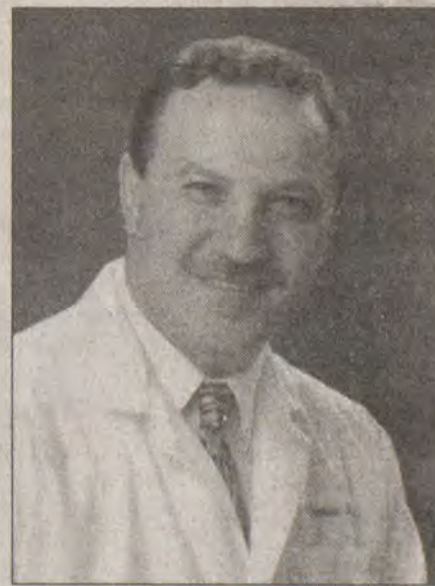


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Viewpoint

Worth Repeating ...

"Before God we are all equally wise — and equally foolish."

— Albert Einstein

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Guest View

Editorial roundup

Evansville (Ind.) Courier & Press, on Palestine and Hamas:

The problem with free and fair elections is that there's always a chance the wrong people will win. And from the standpoint of the United States and Israel, the wrong people did win in Palestinian elections.

Hamas took 76 seats in the 132-seat parliament, ousting the inefficient Fatah government with a platform of honest government, improved public services and law and order. Politics the way it's supposed to be.

Unfortunately, Hamas is committed to the destruction of Israel and has tried to bring that about through terrorist attacks, including suicide bombings on Israelis. The United States and Europe classify Hamas as a terrorist organization, and Hamas has never claimed that it isn't.

President Bush hopes to see his moribund road map to Mideast peace revived. But that would entail dealing with Hamas, and Bush's position is simply, "Not until you renounce your desire to destroy Israel will we deal with you."

Hamas is not just a terrorist organization. Its popularity at the polls was due in part to the network of hospitals, schools and charities it runs. And history is full of examples of violent outsiders being domesticated by the responsibilities of having to govern. Bush probably did not have Hamas in mind when he talked about bringing democracy to the Mideast, but there it was: A peaceful transfer of power through free and fair elections in an Arab land. Maybe it's a start.

Orlando (Fla.) Sentinel, on State of the Union speech:

With his fifth State of the Union speech, President George W. Bush could have revitalized his presidency. He could have laid out bold plans with bipartisan appeal to tackle some of the country's most stubborn problems.

Unfortunately, Mr. Bush's agenda was too timid. Too often Tuesday night, he pulled out old pages from his political playbook.

Mr. Bush's clarion calls from last year's speech for Congress to revamp Social Security and immigration laws were muted this year. Yet the need for reform in both has grown more acute.

Instead, the president spotlighted other pressing concerns, including high health-care and energy costs and the budget deficit. But for the most part, he offered familiar and flawed solutions.

On health care, economists differ on whether Mr. Bush's well-worn proposals for expanded tax-free health-savings accounts and more tax deductions for medical expenses would even bring down costs. And most Americans without health insurance — their ranks have risen by more than a million during Mr. Bush's presidency — don't earn enough to set aside much money for health care.

It's too bad that Mr. Bush didn't propose policies that would directly address the availability of health insurance. Those could include, for example, offering Americans the same private insurance options as federal employees.

On energy, Mr. Bush's calls for new nuclear power plants and efforts to promote efficiency and alternative fuels are welcome. They are, however, long-term solutions to high costs and what the president aptly described as America's oil addiction.

Mr. Bush could accelerate the move away from oil and ease prices by setting ambitious targets for cutting imports and embracing higher fuel-economy standards for cars and trucks, which account for half of U.S. oil consumption.

On the budget deficit, Mr. Bush repeated his call for Congress to restrain federal spending. But the president has never used his authority to veto a single spending bill. And he undercut his message of fiscal responsibility by again urging Congress to make permanent his 2001 and 2003 tax cuts. Doing so would add \$2.3 trillion to deficits over the next decade, according to the Congressional Budget Office.

The president's address was not bereft of good ideas. His program for improving math, science and engineering education, for example, looks promising.

And Mr. Bush was both eloquent and convincing in arguing that America's security is enhanced by the spread of freedom abroad. Many of his goals earned applause from both parties.

But overall, Mr. Bush's speech was a disappointment, with its partial and politically challenged solutions. It fell short of what's needed in what the president rightly called a "decisive year."



Guest Column

Government perpetuates the underclass

by SHELDON RICHMAN

Sunday's New York Times ran a depressing story about a new study showing that day laborers, most of whom are "illegal aliens," are often stiffed by employers. Of course, they're already working in dangerous low-paid construction jobs.

The Times reported, "Forty-nine percent of those interviewed said that in the previous two months an employer had not paid them for one or more days' work." About 20 percent said they had been injured, many of those missing work as a result.

The 2,226 workers interviewed in 20 states and Washington, D.C., "earned a median of \$10 an hour and \$700 month," said the Times. "The study said that only a small number earned more than \$15,000 a year." Three-fourths were in the country illegally, from Mexico and Central America.

I can't vouch for the findings or the method used by the professors who conducted the study. But the story it tells is hardly startling. According to the authors, "Day laborers continue to endure unsafe working conditions, mainly because they fear that if they speak up, complain, or otherwise chal-

lenge these conditions, they will either be fired or not paid for their work." One of the authors, Abel Valenzuela Jr. of the University of California, Los Angeles, said, "This is a labor market that thrives on cheap wages and the fact that most of these workers are undocumented. They're in a situation where they're extremely vulnerable, and employers know that and take advantage of them."

Here is the key to the matter. People who fear the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) cannot press their claims if they are ripped off. They have no recourse against theft, fraud, or even physical abuse because they have no standing before the law. Their nonperson status shapes the market in which they attempt to earn a living. A labor environment in which workers are easily victimized, with little prospect for redress, is likely to attract victimizers as employers.

If those workers come to the United States and work as day laborers under those conditions, we can conclude that that, in their eyes, is their best option. But that is not the end of the matter. Their "best" option currently is determined by a constellation of adverse government controls and prohibitions that make them powerless and subject them to exploitation. When someone being mugged gives up his money rather than his life, he too is taking his "best" option. The essential question is why such a pitiful option is best.

Removing the INS as a threat to these workers would go a long way toward improving their situation. People coming here to make better lives should be

welcomed, not persecuted. But more can be done, such as removing all government barriers to competition, work, and self-employment, such as licensing, regulations, and taxes, which reduce people's options and help to perpetuate the underclass.

Finally, in the nineteenth and early twentieth centuries, many low-income workers, including immigrants, created a safety net of insurance services through fraternal societies, lodges. People paid dues when they were well, and drew benefits when they were too sick or injured to work. What's more, lodge members often contracted with doctors to provide affordable medical care for themselves and their families. This was so successful that organized medicine, backed by the government, cracked down on physicians engaged in "lodge practice" in order to keep incomes from falling. Later the fraternal societies' safety-net functions were squeezed out first by state governments and then by the federal government when politicians and bureaucrats saw career opportunities and power in the tax-financed welfare state.

Thus self-help based on voluntarism and fellow-feeling was replaced with impersonal bureaucracies subject to changing political winds. The reader can decide whether the change was for good or ill.

Sheldon Richman is senior fellow at The Future of Freedom Foundation, author of *Tethered Citizens: Time to Repeal the Welfare State*, and editor of *The Freeman* magazine.

Letters

Church expresses gratitude

We, the Christian Church of Jesus Christ of McDowell, wish to acknowledge our sincere thanks to everyone who helped us with our Christmas program on Dec. 17.

Through your generous donations, your assistance and efforts, you made it possible for the children of this community to have a better Christmas. Santa Claus (Bro. Ronnie Hopkins) and dedicated chairman assistants Bro. Leonard Dale and Sister Lorraine Hall, of the Christmas Program, were able to present several hundred children with presents, fruit and candy for this joyous occasion.

On behalf of Pastor Bill Hamilton, and Assistant Pastor and Director Gary Brown, and fellow directors Hershel Tackett, Floyd Skeans and Paul Brown,

the officers, members and friends of this church wish to express to this community and to every contributor, our sincere thanks for helping us to make this event a success for all the children.

With the help of the Lord we are here for the community, for our friends, for your families and ours, for your children and ours, and all those who may need the assistance of this church in the years to come. We are here to offer ourselves as servants of God, to help in your times of troubles, heartaches, with prayers, and worship services for everyone.

Again, please accept this note of thanks for all that each of you contributed to make it possible, and on behalf of the three hundred or more children that had a little brighter Christmas because of your generosity, they thank you and so do we. May God bless each and everyone of you, and may the coming year hold abundant blessings for your and your families.

Ronnie Hopkins

The Christian Church of Jesus Christ of McDowell

Promoters offer thanks

On Jan. 27, the choir of Northeast Christian Church in Lexington presented a concert of Christian music at the Mountain Arts Center in Prestonsburg. Attendance was great and response to the beautiful music wonderful.

We'd like to thank everyone who helped in any way to bring this group to our area. We especially thank members of the news media, churches, businesses and individuals who helped publicize the program that brought hope and inspiration to many.

Cathy Potter and the Planning Committee
Harold

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Entertainment Extra

You're not game to watch the Super Bowl? Punt it, with these TV alternatives

by FRAZIER MOORE
AP TELEVISION WRITER

NEW YORK — Every viewer knows: This Sunday is the biggest sports day of the year.

For one thing, there's Super Bowl XL. With ABC's pregame coverage starting at 2:30 p.m. followed by the main event at 6:25 p.m., it will test the mettle of the hardest couch potato.

But if you aren't game to watch the Seahawks and the Steelers go at it, don't worry. Other sports are available — like surfing, as you click from channel to channel in search of an alternative to hours of pigskin pageantry.

Don't get your hopes too high. A bruising extravaganza like the Super Bowl doesn't typically inspire rival networks to put their best shows on the field as counterprogramming.

All isn't lost, though. You do have other choices. Instead of football, you might start warming up for a marathon.

Hallmark Channel, for instance, will offer viewers a marathon of "Little House on the Prairie," the classic frontier family drama starring Michael Landon and Melissa Gilbert. It will air from noon Sunday through 3 a.m. Monday.

Tony Shalhoub shines as an obsessive-compulsive detective in "Monk," the hit comedy-drama regularly airing Fridays on USA. But Sunday from 4 through 11 p.m., USA presents a viewers' choice of seven

favorite episodes. They include "Mr. Monk Takes His Medicine," "Goes to Vegas" and "Bumps His Head." Please wash your hands thoroughly beforehand.

Down-home cooking queen Paula Deen is cooking up a "Supper" Bowl marathon on Food Network from 2 to 8 p.m. Along with episodes of her series "Paula's Home Cooking," the course includes encores of her specials "All-Star Kitchen Makeover" and "Paula Goes Hollywood," plus a special edition of "Behind the Bash" with its host, Giada De Laurentiis, covering Deen's movie-premiere party. (Last year, Deen added "film actress" to her resume, performing alongside Kirsten Dunst and Orlando Bloom in the feature "Elizabethtown").

From noon to 9 p.m., VH1 is airing nine episodes of the UPN hit, "America's Next Top Model," with supermodel Tyra Banks guiding the transformation of everyday young women into what might potentially be — well, the title says it.

Catch a marathon of personal makeovers as TLC airs five hours of "What Not to Wear" from 7 p.m. to midnight, with a style SWAT team that includes fashion experts Stacy London and Clinton Kelly, hair specialist Nick Arrojo and makeup artist Carmindy.

Starting at noon, Court TV airs eight hour-long editions of "The Investigators," its documentary series of true stories about law enforcement and the justice system. Then, from 8 p.m. through 4 a.m. Monday,

episodes of "Forensic Files" show how legal experts assemble pieces of a crime puzzle to nab the perpetrator.

In something more akin to a sprint, Fox News Channel will repeat three hours of "The O'Reilly Factor" from 8 to 11 p.m. From his fabled "No-Spin Zone," host Bill O'Reilly tackles topics including the Enron trial, the NSA wiretapping controversy and U.S. border patrol policies.

Host James Lipton huddles with Liza Minnelli for a two-hour exploration of the legendary singer-actress on Bravo's "Inside the Actors Studio," airing 9 to 11 p.m. A star whose career has spanned decades and delivered her awards including Oscars, Emmys and Grammys, Minnelli has most recently appeared as a series regular on the comedy series "Arrested Development."

And speaking of comedy, Fox is repeating three favorite episodes of "The Simpsons" (a "Treehouse of Horror" installment, a Christmas episode and a visit from villainous Sideshow Bob), followed by three episodes of "Family Guy" (Lois gets arrested; she becomes a model; Peter gets stranded on a desert isle). They air from 7 to 10 p.m.

In sum, if you don't happen to be Super Bowl material, you needn't be sidelined by TV on Sunday.

But if these suggestions don't score with you, and no Netflix discs await you in your mailbox, there's always one other option: Dash off to Blockbuster and rent a couple of movies. Chances are, you could use the exercise.

Rental Central

by TOM DOTY
STAFF WRITER

A dark comedy from director Tim Burton and a light one from the Nickelodeon channel were the best bets for home entertainment this week.

"The Corpse Bride" — Tim Burton teamed with director Mike Johnson to helm this stop-motion tale that centers on a groom in Victorian England who winds up in an alternate subterranean universe inhabited by the dead in this quirky comedy. As in "The Nightmare Before Christmas," Burton again displays a flair for mixing dark settings with spot-on humor. He corrals an excellent cast for this effort which includes regular Burton contributors Johnny Depp, Helena Bonham Carter and horror icon Christopher Lee. Danny Elfman (ex-Oingo Boingo front man) also rejoins Burton to deliver another deluxe score.

"Drake and Josh Go Hollywood: The Movie" — The stars of Teen Nick's popular comedy outing, Josh Peck and Drake Bell, are paired again in this feature-length film, which follows the adventures of brothers, brought together by their parent's marriage, who journey to Hollywood and get in to all manner of hijinks. This is light weight stuff but so well executed that the whole family should get a kick out of it. The film's saving grace is the inspired casting of Peck and Bell, who have a grasp of comic timing that is belied by their relatively young ages. The pair got their start on the abysmal "The Amanda Show" but have graduated with honors in this effort.

"In Her Shoes" — Director Curtis Hanson ("L.A. Confidential") seems a surprising choice to direct a distaff comedy based on a novel by Jennifer Weiner, but this one actually works. Cameron Diaz and Toni Collette are just fine here as a pair of sisters who must reevaluate their strained relationship when they meet the grandmother they never knew they had. The grandmother role turns out to be a perfect showcase for veteran actress Shirley Maclaine and the supporting male characters get more development than they did in the novel. Worth a look.

"Dune: The Extended Edition" — Cult film maker David Lynch disowned this 177-minute version of his 1984 adaptation of Frank Herbert's epic sci-fi series but it has a lot to offer fans of the novel. This long-awaited DVD version

includes a ton of extras such as fight scenes that have never been seen before as well as an alternate ending and several making-of documentaries. In the end, this was a divine flop but fans of the late Mr. Herbert will get a big kick out of it.

"The Virginia Hill Story" — Back in 1974, future "Batman Forever" and "Phantom of the Opera" director Joel Schumacher made this film about Bugsy

Siegel's moll for television and it's ripe for rediscovery (though releasing it in 1991 when "Bugsy" came out would have been better timing). The story unfolds in flashbacks as Hill testifies at a Senate subcommittee hearing on the mob and gambling in Las Vegas. This one benefits from a fine supporting cast which is headed by Harvey Keitel (who played Mickey Cohen in the 1991 version) as

Siegel. There are also turns by Robbie Benson, as Hill's younger brother, and John Vernon, who would become better known a few years later for playing the conniving Dean Wormer in "National Lampoon's Animal House."

Next week look for Kirsten Dunst and Orlando Bloom in "Elizabethtown" and The Rock in a film adaptation of the popular video game "Doom."

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WEEKEND TV PREVIEW

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20	TBS	(3:50) ** "The Wedding Planner" (2001)	*** "Legally Blonde" (2001, Comedy) Reese Witherspoon, Luke Wilson	*** "The American President" (1995, Comedy-Drama) Michael Douglas, Annette Bening	*** "Jurassic Park III" (2001, Adventure) Sam Neill	*** "The Silence of the Lambs" (1991, Suspense) Jodie Foster, Anthony Hopkins	*** "The Untouchables: Blood, Sweat & Tears" (1992, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talla Shire	*** "The Untouchables: Blood, Sweat & Tears" (1992, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talla Shire	*** "The Untouchables: Blood, Sweat & Tears" (1992, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talla Shire	*** "The Untouchables: Blood, Sweat & Tears" (1992, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talla Shire	*** "The Untouchables: Blood, Sweat & Tears" (1992, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talla Shire	*** "The Untouchables: Blood, Sweat & Tears" (1992, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talla Shire	*** "The Untouchables: Blood, Sweat & Tears" (1992, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talla Shire	*** "The Untouchables: Blood, Sweat & Tears" (1992, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talla Shire	*** "The Untouchables: Blood, Sweat & Tears" (1992, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talla Shire	*** "The Untouchables: Blood, Sweat & Tears" (1992, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talla Shire	*** "The Untouchables: Blood, Sweat & Tears" (1992, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talla Shire	*** "The Untouchables: Blood, Sweat & Tears" (1992, Action) Sylvester Stallone, Talla Shire

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BSCTC enters new agreement with Corps of Engineers



Nathan Carroll and assistant professor Charles Moore.

PRESTONSBURG — Most residents of Eastern Kentucky have experienced the pleasure that comes from a leisurely weekend at one of several lakes,

dams and reservoirs located around the region. How many actually have considered the number of workers, variety of jobs, and skills necessary to

keep everything in good working order there?

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FRANKFORT — The Kentucky State Building & Construction Trades Council announced Wednesday they will conduct a series of meetings across the Commonwealth beginning in Pikeville at the Landmark Inn on Saturday, Feb. 4, at 10 a.m. The United Steelworkers of America Local #14581 will host the meeting.

The tour, dubbed "Operation High Road," is in response to Gov. Ernie Fletcher's effort to

repeal Kentucky's prevailing wage law.

"Blue-collar working families already struggle enough as it is," said KSBCTC State Director Larry Roberts. "We will not allow Gov. Fletcher to drag our families down the low road to low wage jobs by repealing prevailing wage. 'Operation High Road' is the first step in our plan to provide our members, legislators and the general public with the truth about pre-

vailing wage, the consequences if repealed and Governor Fletcher's motivation for advocating its repeal."

KSBCTC will hold its first meeting in Pikeville to highlight Belfry High School, the Pike County School Governor Fletcher referred to in his State of the Budget Address on Jan. 17.

Fletcher and Pike County School Superintendent Frank Welch have publicly and repeat-

edly stated that prevailing wage was the primary reason for construction costs associated with Belfry exploding from \$14 million when initially designed to over \$21 million when completed.

After the morning meeting in Pikeville, KSBCTC leaders will travel to the Carter County Courthouse in Grayson where they will host a similar meeting at 3 p.m.

Operation High Road will culminate in a statewide rally at the Kentucky State Capitol on Tuesday, March 7.

Assault

arrived at the scene and Collins responded that Hall "had a severe laceration to his head and road rash on his back."

Pillersdorf then asked Collins if he was aware if Hall had a reputation for drinking. Collins said that he had only been on the job for a year but observed, "I haven't seen Blue [Hall's nickname] many times when he wasn't drunk, sir."

Pillersdorf finished his questioning and requested that Judge James Allen dismiss the driving under the influence charge "based on the testimony of the

trooper." Allen concurred and dismissed the charge.

Assistant County Attorney Jimmy Marcum said that he would have to oppose dropping the assault charge since there are four witness statements in evidence, with half supporting each version of the encounter. The other take on the incident, collected from witnesses, indicates that Hall approached Tackett's car and attacked him through the window and that Tackett was merely trying to get away from Hall, who neglected to let go of Tackett until the vehicle began

moving. Those accounts say that Hall only got hit once and that he made contact with the rear of the vehicle as it pulled away.

"It's really in doubt as to what happened here," Allen said.

The judge went on to waive the case to the grand jury, noting he was doing it "reluctantly." Marcum agreed with the judge and said that the witnesses would have to testify at the grand jury and relate their accounts of the incident in order to seek an indictment or no-true bill regarding the incident.

Wreck

Campbell, who remained at the scene, would not comment.

The truck disconnected a guy wire from a nearby electrical pole and turned over an embankment, sending 152,000 pounds of coal into a creek bed. Workers spent more than two hours trying to pull the truck back onto the roadway and several more hours cleaning up the coal.

Damon White, environmental response team member with the Division of Water, inspected environmental damage caused by the coal spill. White said that hydraulic fluid and diesel oil that leaked out of the truck did not appear damaging, because most of it would soak up into the coal.

"The coal is the main concern," White said. "It's considered a pollutant in water, and they'll have to remove it. They'll have to get it out of the creek."

Campbell's truck, which was badly damaged, was one of the

few five-axle coal trucks in Floyd County. The truck, owned by Fuel Transport in Allen (the only Floyd County company that owns trucks with extra axles) was recently refurbished to include two additional axles on its 38 foot bed.

Federal laws require trucks to haul no more than 80,000 pounds, but companies can get extended weight decals to haul up to 120,000 pounds of coal. The addition of the extra axles — allowed through an exemption in a 1986 law — increases the truck's weight limit by 20,000 pounds per axle.

On Jan. 30, the state Transportation Cabinet stopped issuing permits to allow coal trucks with extra axles to exceed weight limit regulations. Existing permits will expire in April, and they will not be reissued, they decided.

"Five axles couldn't help him hold it up," said coal truck driver Frankie Howard, who was

held up as workers cleared the road Thursday. "We need to keep five axles out from under coal trucks. Hauling 150,000 pounds of coal in a truck is like cocking a .357 Magnum and putting it to your head. You can't stop a truck at all with weight like that."

Howard, a Magoffin County native who has been driving coal trucks for more than 30 years, said his legal limit is more than 120,000 pounds.

"Say you're going down the road and a child steps out in front of you or something," Howard said. "You won't have time to stop. Either you'll kill that child, or the truck is going to kill you. Even at legal weight, it's still very hard to stop."

Hutchinson said the extra weight on the truck did not appear to be a factor in the accident.

Trae McGaffee, a representative of Fuel Transport who was at the scene, refused comment.

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Charges

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ing to seek medical treatment for the child. Davis was also charged with one count of being a persistent felony offender when the Commonwealth's Attorney's Office discovered an out-of-state case that saw him convicted of a felony within the last five years.

Davis is set for trial on March 6 and appeared in court last week with his attorney, public defender Jane Harlan, to request that his case be severed from Shepherd's. The motion was overruled by Judge John D. Caudill who heard arguments from Harlan and Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Wayne Taylor.

At the hearing Harlan noted

that it was obvious why she was seeking the motion, but she failed to include any case law supporting her argument, while Taylor submitted a brief outlining several cases where it was deemed appropriate to try more than one defendant for the same crime.

The persistent felony offender charge will have a significant impact on Davis' case. Davis was originally charged with four Class C felonies carrying a five- to 10-year penalty, but the persistent felony offender charge, if proven in court, will upgrade the charges to Class B offenses, which are punishable by up to 20 years in jail.

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Entertainment Extra

You're not game to watch the Super Bowl? Punt it, with these TV alternatives

by FRAZIER MOORE
AP TELEVISION WRITER

NEW YORK — Every viewer knows: This Sunday is the biggest sports day of the year.

For one thing, there's Super Bowl XL. With ABC's pregame coverage starting at 2:30 p.m. followed by the main event at 6:25 p.m., it will test the mettle of the hardest couch potato.

But if you aren't game to watch the Seahawks and the Steelers go at it, don't worry. Other sports are available — like surfing, as you click from channel to channel in search of an alternative to hours of pigskin pageantry.

Don't get your hopes too high. A bruising extravaganza like the Super Bowl doesn't typically inspire rival networks to put their best shows on the field as counterprogramming.

All isn't lost, though. You do have other choices. Instead of football, you might start warming up for a marathon.

Hallmark Channel, for instance, will offer viewers a marathon of "Little House on the Prairie," the classic frontier family drama starring Michael Landon and Melissa Gilbert. It will air from noon Sunday through 3 a.m. Monday.

Tony Shalhoub shines as an obsessive-compulsive detective in "Monk," the hit comedy-drama regularly airing Fridays on USA. But Sunday from 4 through 11 p.m., USA presents a viewers' choice of seven

favorite episodes. They include "Mr. Monk Takes his Medicine," "Goes to Vegas" and "Bumps His Head." Please wash your hands thoroughly beforehand.

Down-home cooking queen Paula Deen is cooking up a "Supper" Bowl marathon on Food Network from 2 to 8 p.m. Along with episodes of her series "Paula's Home Cooking," the course includes encores of her specials "All-Star Kitchen Makeover" and "Paula Goes Hollywood," plus a special edition of "Behind the Bash" with its host, Giada De Laurentiis, covering Deen's movie-premiere party. (Last year, Deen added "film actress" to her resume, performing alongside Kirsten Dunst and Orlando Bloom in the feature "Elizabethtown").

From noon to 9 p.m., VH1 is airing nine episodes of the UPN hit, "America's Next Top Model," with supermodel Tyra Banks guiding the transformation of everyday young women into what might potentially be — well, the title says it.

Catch a marathon of personal makeovers as TLC airs five hours of "What Not to Wear" from 7 p.m. to midnight, with a style SWAT team that includes fashion experts Stacy London and Clinton Kelly, hair specialist Nick Arrojo and makeup artist Carmindy.

Starting at noon, Court TV airs eight hour-long editions of "The Investigators," its documentary series of true stories about law enforcement and the justice system. Then, from 8 p.m. through 4 a.m. Monday,

episodes of "Forensic Files" show how legal experts assemble pieces of a crime puzzle to nab the perpetrator.

In something more akin to a sprint, Fox News Channel will repeat three hours of "The O'Reilly Factor" from 8 to 11 p.m. From his fabled "No-Spin Zone," host Bill O'Reilly tackles topics including the Enron trial, the NSA wiretapping controversy and U.S. border patrol policies.

Host James Lipton huddles with Liza Minnelli for a two-hour exploration of the legendary singer-actress on Bravo's "Inside the Actors Studio," airing 9 to 11 p.m. A star whose career has spanned decades and delivered her awards including Oscars, Emmys and Grammys, Minnelli has most recently appeared as a series regular on the comedy series "Arrested Development."

And speaking of comedy, Fox is repeating three favorite episodes of "The Simpsons" (a "Treehouse of Horror" installment, a Christmas episode and a visit from villainous Sideshow Bob), followed by three episodes of "Family Guy" (Lois gets arrested; she becomes a model; Peter gets stranded on a desert isle). They air from 7 to 10 p.m.

In sum, if you don't happen to be Super Bowl material, you needn't be sidelined by TV on Sunday.

But if these suggestions don't score with you, and no Netflix discs await you in your mailbox, there's always one other option: Dash off to Blockbuster and rent a couple of movies. Chances are, you could use the exercise.

Rental Central

by TOM DOTY
STAFF WRITER

A dark comedy from director Tim Burton and a light one from the Nickelodeon channel were the best bets for home entertainment this week.

"The Corpse Bride" — Tim Burton teamed with director Mike Johnson to helm this stop-motion tale that centers on a groom in Victorian England who winds up in an alternate subterranean universe inhabited by the dead in this quirky comedy. As in "The Nightmare Before Christmas," Burton again displays a flair for mixing dark settings with spot-on humor. He corrals an excellent cast for this effort which includes regular Burton contributors Johnny Depp, Helena Bonham Carter and horror icon Christopher Lee. Danny Elfman (ex-Oingo Boingo front man) also rejoins Burton to deliver another deluxe score.

"Drake and Josh Go Hollywood: The Movie" — The stars of Teen Nick's popular comedy outing, Josh Peck and Drake Bell, are paired again in this feature-length film, which follows the adventures of brothers, brought together by their parent's marriage, who journey to Hollywood and get in to all manner of hijinks. This is light weight stuff but so well executed that the whole family should get a kick out of it. The film's saving grace is the inspired casting of Peck and Bell, who have a grasp of comic timing that is belied by their relatively young ages. The pair got their start on the abysmal "The Amanda Show" but have graduated with honors in this effort.

"In Her Shoes" — Director Curtis Hanson ("L.A. Confidential") seems a surprising choice to direct a distaff comedy based on a novel by Jennifer Weiner, but this one actually works. Cameron Diaz and Toni Collette are just fine here as a pair of sisters who must reevaluate their strained relationship when they meet the grandmother they never knew they had. The grandmother role turns out to be a perfect showcase for veteran actress Shirley Maclaine and the supporting male characters get more development than they did in the novel. Worth a look.

"Dune: The Extended Edition" — Cult film maker David Lynch disowned this 177-minute version of his 1984 adaptation of Frank Herbert's epic sci-fi series but it has a lot to offer fans of the novel. This long-awaited DVD version

includes a ton of extras such as fight scenes that have never been seen before as well as an alternate ending and several making-of documentaries. In the end, this was a divine flop but fans of the late Mr. Herbert will get a big kick out of it.

"The Virginia Hill Story" — Back in 1974, future "Batman Forever" and "Phantom of the Opera" director Joel Schumacher made this film about Bugsy

Siegel's moll for television and it's ripe for rediscovery (though releasing it in 1991 when "Bugsy" came out would have been better timing). The story unfolds in flashbacks as Hill testifies at a Senate subcommittee hearing on the mob and gambling in Las Vegas. This one benefits from a fine supporting cast which is headed by Harvey Keitel (who played Mickey Cohen in the 1991 version) as

Siegel. There are also turns by Robbie Benson, as Hill's younger brother, and John Vernon, who would become better known a few years later for playing the conniving Dean Wormer in "National Lampoon's Animal House."

Next week look for Kirsten Dunst and Orlando Bloom in "Elizabethtown" and The Rock in a film adaptation of the popular video game "Doom."

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WEEKEND TV PREVIEW

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31	PBS Connections With Renee [Talk Show]	32	PBS Bookclub at KET [Talk Show]	33	PBS The Lawrence Welk Show "Transportation" [Musical]	34	PBS Find! (In Stereo) [Game Show]	35	PBS The Red Green Show [Comedy]	36	PBS Kentucky Life [Documentary]	37	PBS Kentucky Affair [Drama]	38	PBS Nature "Underdogs" (N) (In Stereo) [Documentary]	39	PBS Pioneers of Primitve [Documentary]	40	PBS Austin City Limits "Gretchen Wilson, Miranda Lambert" [Music]	41	PBS Independent Lens (In Stereo) [Documentary]	42	PBS News [News]	43	PBS 24 "Day 1: 6:00PM - 7:00PM" (In Stereo) [Drama]	44	PBS Da Vinci's Inquest [Drama]																																
45	WGN Farscape "A Bug's Life" (In Stereo) [Sci-Fi]	46	WGN Ultimate Arena Paintball [Sports]	47	CBS News [News]	48	CBS ABC World News Tonight [News]	49	CBS The Insider (In Stereo) [Drama]	50	CBS America's Funniest Home Videos (In Stereo) [Comedy]	51	CBS Raising the Roof [Documentary]	52	CBS NBA Basketball: Chicago Bulls at Phoenix Suns (In Stereo Live) [Sports]	53	CBS WGN News at 5 [News]	54	CBS Home Improvement [Comedy]	55	CBS Becker (In Stereo) [Comedy]	56	CBS News [News]	57	CBS Sports Spectrum [Sports]	58	CBS Stargate SG-1 "It's Good to Be King" (In Stereo) [Sci-Fi]	59	CBS Mad TV (N) (In Stereo) [Comedy]	60	CBS Alias "The Solution" (In Stereo) [Drama]																												
61	FOX Will & Grace [Comedy]	62	FOX The King of Queens [Comedy]	63	FOX Friends (In Stereo) [Comedy]	64	FOX Everybody-Royland [Comedy]	65	FOX Super Bowl's Greatest Commercials [Comedy]	66	FOX CSI: NY "What You See Is What You Get" (In Stereo) [Drama]	67	FOX 48 Hours Mystery "Home Alone" (N) (In Stereo) [Drama]	68	FOX News [News]	69	FOX Mad TV (N) (In Stereo) [Comedy]	70	FOX Alias "The Solution" (In Stereo) [Drama]	71	FOX News [News]	72	FOX CSI: Crime Scene Investigator [Drama]	73	FOX Just Shoot [Comedy]	74	ESPN Football [Sports]	75	ESPN Images [Sports]	76	ESPN NFL Primetime (Live) [Sports]	77	ESPN Super Bowl [Sports]	78	ESPN GameDay [Sports]	79	ESPN Fastbreak [Sports]	80	ESPN Tiger Shark Attack [Sports]	81	ESPN 10 Deadliest Sharks [Documentary]	82	ESPN "Jurassic Park III" (2001, Adventure) Sam Neill, [Drama]	83	ESPN Cold Case Files [Drama]	84	ESPN American Justice [Drama]	85	ESPN American Justice [Drama]	86	ESPN Cold Case Files [Drama]	87	ESPN TNA Impact! (In Stereo) [Wrestling]	88	ESPN VideoGames [Game Show]	89	ESPN Roseanne [Comedy]	90	ESPN Game Head [Comedy]
91	TNT The 6th Day [Action]	92	TNT "The Fifth Element" (1997, Science Fiction) Bruce Willis, [Action]	93	TNT RollerGirls "The C Word" [Documentary]	94	TNT The First 48 [Documentary]	95	TNT "The Outdoorsmen: Blood, Sweat & Bears" [Documentary]	96	TNT "Rocky V" (1990, Action) Sylvester Stallone, [Action]	97	TNT Jurassic Park III (2001, Adventure) Sam Neill, [Drama]	98	TNT Cold Case Files [Drama]	99	TNT American Justice [Drama]	100	TNT American Justice [Drama]	101	TNT Cold Case Files [Drama]	102	TNT TNA Impact! (In Stereo) [Wrestling]	103	TNT VideoGames [Game Show]	104	TNT Roseanne [Comedy]	105	TNT Game Head [Comedy]	106	TNT Nicktoons TV [Nicktoons TV]	107	Nicktoons TV SpongeBob [Comedy]	108	Nicktoons TV Ned's School [Comedy]	109	Nicktoons TV Drake & Josh [Comedy]	110	Nicktoons TV All That [Comedy]	111	Nicktoons TV Amanda [Comedy]	112	Nicktoons TV Full House [Comedy]	113	Nicktoons TV Fresh Prince [Comedy]	114	Nicktoons TV Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Secrets" [Drama]	115	Nicktoons TV Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Secrets" [Drama]	116	Nicktoons TV Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Secrets" [Drama]	117	Nicktoons TV Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Secrets" [Drama]	118	Nicktoons TV Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Secrets" [Drama]	119	Nicktoons TV Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Secrets" [Drama]	120	Nicktoons TV Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Secrets" [Drama]
121	USA (4:30) "Submerged" (2005, Action) Steven Seagal, [Action]	122	USA (4:30) "My Girl 2" (1993, [Comedy])	123	USA "Look Who's Talking Too" (1990) John Travolta, [Comedy]	124	USA "Abandoned and Deceived" (1995, Drama) Lori Loughlin, [Drama]	125	USA "Stolen From the Heart" (2000, Drama) Tracey Gold, [Drama]	126	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	127	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	128	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	129	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	130	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	131	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	132	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	133	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	134	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	135	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	136	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	137	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	138	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	139	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	140	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	141	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	142	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	143	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	144	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	145	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	146	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	147	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	148	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	149	USA Super Bowl [Sports]	150	USA Super Bowl [Sports]

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Carroll is just one example of the many co-op positions filled by students from BSCTC. Many of the program areas have co-op opportunities that allow the students to get real life experience while still learning.

Elkhorn City's Steelworkers Local #14581 to host meeting to discuss prevailing wage

FRANKFORT — The Kentucky State Building & Construction Trades Council announced Wednesday they will conduct a series of meetings across the Commonwealth beginning in Pikeville at the Landmark Inn on Saturday, Feb. 4, at 10 a.m. The United Steelworkers of America Local #14581 will host the meeting.

The tour, dubbed "Operation High Road," is in response to Gov. Ernie Fletcher's effort to

repeal Kentucky's prevailing wage law.

"Blue-collar working families already struggle enough as it is," said KSBCTC State Director Larry Roberts. "We will not allow Gov. Fletcher to drag our families down the low road to low wage jobs by repealing prevailing wage. 'Operation High Road' is the first step in our plan to provide our members, legislators and the general public with the truth about pre-

vailing wage, the consequences if repealed and Governor Fletcher's motivation for advocating its repeal."

KSBCTC will hold its first meeting in Pikeville to highlight Belfry High School, the Pike County School Governor Fletcher referred to in his State of the Budget Address on Jan. 17.

Fletcher and Pike County School Superintendent Frank Welch have publicly and repeat-

edly stated that prevailing wage was the primary reason for construction costs associated with Belfry exploding from \$14 million when initially designed to over \$21 million when completed.

After the morning meeting in Pikeville, KSBCTC leaders will travel to the Carter County Courthouse in Grayson where they will host a similar meeting at 3 p.m.

Operation High Road will culminate in a statewide rally at the Kentucky State Capitol on Tuesday, March 7.

Assault

arrived at the scene and Collins responded that Hall "had a severe laceration to his head and road rash on his back."

Pillersdorf then asked Collins if he was aware if Hall had a reputation for drinking. Collins said that he had only been on the job for a year but observed, "I haven't seen Blue [Hall's nickname] many times when he wasn't drunk, sir."

Pillersdorf finished his questioning and requested that Judge James Allen dismiss the driving under the influence charge "based on the testimony of the

trooper." Allen concurred and dismissed the charge.

Assistant County Attorney Jimmy Marcum said that he would have to oppose dropping the assault charge since there are four witness statements in evidence, with half supporting each version of the encounter. The other take on the incident, collected from witnesses, indicates that Hall approached Tackett's car and attacked him though the window and that Tackett was merely trying to get away from Hall, who neglected to let go of Tackett until the vehicle began

moving. Those accounts say that Hall only got hit once and that he made contact with the rear of the vehicle as it pulled away.

"It's really in doubt as to what happened here," Allen said.

The judge went on to waive the case to the grand jury, noting he was doing it "reluctantly." Marcum agreed with the judge and said that the witnesses would have to testify at the grand jury and relate their accounts of the incident in order to seek an indictment or no-true bill regarding the incident.

Wreck

Campbell, who remained at the scene, would not comment.

The truck disconnected a guy wire from a nearby electrical pole and turned over an embankment, sending 152,000 pounds of coal into a creek bed. Workers spent more than two hours trying to pull the truck back onto the roadway and several more hours cleaning up the coal.

Damon White, environmental response team member with the Division of Water, inspected environmental damage caused by the coal spill. White said that hydraulic fluid and diesel oil that leaked out of the truck did not appear damaging, because most of it would soak up into the coal.

"The coal is the main concern," White said. "It's considered a pollutant in water, and they'll have to remove it. They'll have to get it out of the creek."

Campbell's truck, which was badly damaged, was one of the

few five-axle coal trucks in Floyd County. The truck, owned by Fuel Transport in Allen (the only Floyd County company that owns trucks with extra axles) was recently refurbished to include two additional axles on its 38 foot bed.

Federal laws require trucks to haul no more than 80,000 pounds, but companies can get extended weight decals to haul up to 120,000 pounds of coal. The addition of the extra axles — allowed through an exemption in a 1986 law — increases the truck's weight limit by 20,000 pounds per axle.

On Jan. 30, the state Transportation Cabinet stopped issuing permits to allow coal trucks with extra axles to exceed weight limit regulations. Existing permits will expire in April, and they will not be reissued, they decided.

"Five axles couldn't help him hold it up," said coal truck driver Frankie Howard, who was

held up as workers cleared the road Thursday. "We need to keep five axles out from under coal trucks. Hauling 150,000 pounds of coal in a truck is like cocking a .357 Magnum and putting it to your head. You can't stop a truck at all with weight like that."

Howard, a Magoffin County native who has been driving coal trucks for more than 30 years, said his legal limit is more than 120,000 pounds.

"Say you're going down the road and a child steps out in front of you or something," Howard said. "You won't have time to stop. Either you'll kill that child, or the truck is going to kill you. Even at legal weight, it's still very hard to stop."

Hutchinson said the extra weight on the truck did not appear to be a factor in the accident.

Trae McGaffee, a representative of Fuel Transport who was at the scene, refused comment.

Charges

ing to seek medical treatment for the child. Davis was also charged with one count of being a persistent felony offender when the Commonwealth's Attorney's Office discovered an out-of-state case that saw him convicted of a felony within the last five years.

Davis is set for trial on March 6 and appeared in court last week with his attorney, public defender Jane Harlan, to request that his case be severed from Shepherd's. The motion was overruled by Judge John D. Caudill who heard arguments from Harlan and Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Wayne Taylor.

At the hearing Harlan noted

that it was obvious why she was seeking the motion, but she failed to include any case law supporting her argument, while Taylor submitted a brief outlining several cases where it was deemed appropriate to try more than one defendant for the same crime.

The persistent felony offender charge will have a significant impact on Davis' case. Davis was originally charged with four Class C felonies carrying a five- to 10-year penalty, but the persistent felony offender charge, if proven in court, will upgrade the charges to Class B offenses, which are punishable by up to 20 years in jail.

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Floyd NWTF banquet slated for Saturday

The Floyd County Chapter of the National Wild Turkey Federation will hold its annual Hunting Heritage Banquet on Saturday at 6 p.m. at the Wilkinson-Stumbo Convention Center. For more information, contact any of the following individuals: Paul Hagans, 285-0176; Paul Robinson, 874-2701; Shawn or Joanie Davis, 358-0053; Mark Wallace, 358-4908; Gerald Jones, 886-8656.

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Kentucky-Florida women's game sold out

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LEXINGTON —The Kentucky-Florida women's basketball game scheduled for Sunday in Memorial Coliseum has been sold out, it was announced Thursday. The No. 21/23 Wildcats, who are ranked 18th nationally in average attendance, have sold each of their 5,600 seats for the Southeastern Conference contest. The game will be televised on Fox Sports Net South and aired live on the Big Blue Sports Network (radio) with

Neil Price. Game time is set for noon EST. Students, faculty and staff will still be admitted to the game free of charge with valid identification as long as seats are available. Fans which have already purchased reserved tickets will be able to pick them up at the will-call window on Euclid Ave.

UK Hoops gameday parking is available free of charge in the Wildcat Lodge parking lot, Coliseum parking lot, Student Center parking lot and on the streets surrounding Memorial Coliseum. Additional parking

also is available free of charge at the Parking Structure 5 located near Kennedy's Bookstore on Limestone Avenue. It will be open from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m. EST. A shuttle will not be available for Sunday's game.

The Wildcats are facing the Gators for the second time this season. The Cats defeated then-ranked No. 24 Florida, 80-65, on Jan. 12 in Gainesville.

Sunday is Alumni Day and several for-

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photo by Jamie Howell
The Prestonsburg Lady Blackcats dropped their second straight game Monday night, falling at home to Sheldon Clark. Visiting Sheldon Clark pulled out a 47-40 win over the Lady Blackcats. Prestonsburg junior Meaghan Stone is pictured.

Super Bowl — What's your prediction?

by RICK BENTLEY
TIMES COLUMNIST

One of my favorite things to do when I was sports editor and had unlimited access to the Associated Press wire was wait for a big event like the Super Bowl or the NCAA finals and read the big list of predictions from all the national media types.

Now that I'm not sports editor and have no access to AP, I finally decided to do my own.

So this week I took an informal poll, which consisted of an email to my friends asking them to write my column for me, and it worked. As of the deadline I had replies from 17 people. This was more than enough to fill up my space, so to them I say thanks for the free week.

The results of the poll were interesting in only one aspect — it came out 12 for the Steelers, five for the Seahawks, by the way — nearly everybody who picked Seattle has some tie to East Kentucky Broadcasting.

This tells me that there's either something in the water atop Peach Orchard or Walter May loves Starbucks' coffee.

Seriously, of the people who replied, the following picked Seattle:

■ Jason Branham, former sports director who now attends Eastern Kentucky University: Seattle 27-14. "Seattle finds a way to keep Big Ben from going off while shutting down the Steelers running game. The Seahawks are not getting any respect and they will earn that while Alexander hoists the MVP trophy."

■ Andrew Joyce, current sports director: Seattle 24-21. "I'll take the Seahawks in a close game that could be decided by coaching due to the fact

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Mayfield sinks South Floyd



photos by Steve LeMaster
Above: South Floyd Coach Barry Hall looked to get his team headed in the right direction during a third quarter timeout. Right: Senior Mason Hall connected on three-of-eight three-pointers for the Raiders.

Raiders struggle throughout second half

by STEVE LEMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

RICHMOND — Mayfield broke open a tie game in a big way Thursday in the first round of the Touchstone Energy All "A" Classic. The Cardinals, champs out of the First Region, went into half-time deadlocked at 28-28 with 15th Region champion South Floyd. But it didn't take Mayfield long to put some distance between

itself and the back-to-back 15th Region champion. The Cardinals started the third quarter on a 9-0 run and went on to never trail in the second half. Mayfield hit the boards hard, outrebounding South Floyd 42-21. The Cardinals shot their best from the field, connecting on 26-of-49 shots en route to a convincing 71-52 win.

Whatever Mayfield head coach Chris Guhy and his coaching staff

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Lady Tigers tame Lyon, advance

by STEVE LEMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

RICHMOND — The Paintsville Lady Tigers went ahead early on Wednesday evening and held on late, beating Lyon County 46-43 in the opening round of the Touchstone Energy All "A" Classic at Eastern Kentucky University's McBrayer Arena. Paintsville built a 14-6 lead in the opening period and made the advantage hold up — bending but not breaking.

Senior Chelsea Jarrell paced Paintsville with a double-double of 18 points and 13 rebounds. The Lady Tigers earned the trip to their first-ever Touchstone Energy All "A" Classic after defeating Shelby Valley in the 15th Region championship game.

Lyon County played its best basketball in the second and third quarters, but didn't have enough late when a rejuvenated Paintsville team put up 16 fourth-quarter points, matching the Lady Lyons.

Jarrell helped Paintsville to the win late when she connected on three foul shots in the final period. Kendra Carroll also helped seal the win when she connected on a single charity shot with 58 seconds remaining.

Carroll followed Jarrell in the scoring department with 15 points.

"I am proud of these girls," Paintsville Coach Robert Baldwin commented, following the tournament win.

Allison Mussato led Lyon County in the loss with 10 points. Mussato was the only Lady Lyon to reach double figures.

Other opening-round winners in the girls' portion of the All "A" Classic included Lexington Christian, St. Mary, Rose Hill Christian, Middlesboro, Paintsville, Moore, Monroe County and Trimble County. Rose Hill Christian, the champion out of the 16th Region, defeated Holy Cross 91-42.

Paintsville will take on Moore

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Bentley

Mike Holmgren is a Bill Walsh disciple while Pittsburgh boss Bill Cowher was mentored by Marty Schottenheimer. Shaun Alexander shows why he is the reigning NFL MVP."

■ Eugene Newsome, long-time local broadcaster and coach: "I will take Seattle by 5. I choose Seattle because the odds of Pittsburgh running the table from a six seed are against them. Also I like Seattle because they have more offensive weapons than the other teams the Steelers have beaten with the exception of Cincinnati. Without the injury to Palmer I don't think they win their first game."

Note to those of us who know and love Eugene: Not only did he not give a score, he also missed on the spelling of both cities represented. Just something for you to mention to my buddy when you see him next.

■ Bryan Crager, former sports director and current coolest mail guy in the business: Seattle 27-21. "The Seahawks

are being overlooked in all the hype surrounding the Steelers, just like USC/Texas. Plus, it's hard to pick against Kentucky boy Alexander, the best player in the NFL!"

As a note, his point on the comparison to the BSC championship is a great one. Nobody gave Texas the time of day then, just as nearly nobody outside EKB thinks the Hawks have a shot.

Finally, the other nod toward the great northwest comes from my friend David Paul Estes, another radio guy who will be in town tomorrow to broadcast the Pikeville College game with the University of the Cumberlands back to the folks in Williamsburg.

He sees it Seattle 31-28. "With two weeks to prepare, the Super Bowl is affected more by coaching than any other game during the NFL season. And Seahawk Coach Mike Holmgren is a great big-game coach."

So if you're a Seahawk guy, that's the list.

Everybody else has been

loaded onto The Bus.

They include Dave Scott, who was my so-called competition when I was sports editor. He says Pittsburgh 31-17. "Although Seattle has a strong defense, the Steelers have way too many weapons on offense. Cowher can go smash mouth or finesse on offense."

Imagine that. A Belfry native going smash mouth on us.

Speaking of Pond Creek folks, Roy Varney now lives in Richmond and works at the Register and concurs, Steelers 24-20. "Let me stress, I have done no research on this and have followed neither team closely this season. Seeing that I lost my mind years ago during my sports writer days, there is no intelligence involved in this decision. It is strictly a gut instinct ... and having seen me recently, you know I don't have nearly as much to work with there as in years gone by."

And then, Ramblin' Roy fesses up: "I'm pretty much basing this selection on a theory a former co-worker used ... I just like the uniforms!"

Hey, I remember her.

The guy who got me started in this business is Terry Spears, and we work together again now at the college. He'll take Pittsburgh 27-21. Why? "The Steelers have huge hearts and an intense desire to win. They are a team of destiny. This close to the championship, they will not accept defeat."

The guy who brought me back to the Pikeville paper was Rob Herbst, and I was proud that while he did take a stab at my old stomping grounds, he didn't pick his beloved Chicago Bears to win. Pittsburgh 27-20. "After having to play a season in Pittsburgh, the Steelers will feel right at home in the beautiful city of Detroit. I guess having the better overall talent helps too."

My old friend Jason Falls is still off his rocker, but at least he went with the majority this time, Steelers 31-17. "The Seahawks can't stop the Pittsburgh passing game and haven't faced a defense as good as the 'Burgh's. Jerome Bettis will go out in style in an emotional touchdown in his home town, but Roethlisberger will be MVP because Pittsburgh will throw more than they run."

Our first volleyball coach at Pikeville College was Missy Gragg, and while she still hopes

the Colts win because of former Vol Peyton Manning (my favorite commercial pitchman, by the way), she says Pittsburgh wins 28-17. "If Pittsburgh plays their game, it's O-V-E-R for Seattle. And besides, who even knew Seattle had a football team?"

Ouch. Speaking of Pikeville College volleyball, current coach Robert Staggs went all Sleepless on us and evoked the memory of one of our favorite actresses. "I want to go with Seattle because of the Meg Ryan thing, but I'm going with Pittsburgh and the dude with the hair and that Bus guy."

And Bill Watson, who always has something to say, was surprisingly quiet here. His reply was simple: Pittsburgh 20, Seattle 16.

Brad Marcum could possibly be the funniest person I know, which is quite a statement because I know a lot of funny people and think I'm fairly entertaining myself. He says Steelers 24-17 and thinks it's just a matter of time before "Hasselbeck has his Pete Carroll and the Jakes (Plummer and Delhomme) moment and wakes up from his dream shouting, 'Oh dear lord! I'm Matt Hasselbeck!'" and then proceeds to honor the Steelers by doing his Neil O'Donnell impression and hit one of the Steeler cornerbacks in the flat for a touchdown.

Anything else, Brad? "Plus, I heard this rumor that this Bettis guy might be from the Detroit area."

He's been watching too much SportsCenter.

Finally, I included two of my cousins, Brian and Kenny. I'd love to tell you everything Kenny said, because he works at this week's "world's busiest airport," Detroit Metro. However, I remember him telling me he had to sign a confidentiality contract with the NFL agreeing not to reveal stuff.

So let's just say from his up-close-and-personal vantage point, the Steelers are just as blue-collar as you've heard and the Seahawks are as white-collar as their owner, and being a Michigan guy, that means Steelmen, 37-20.

And as for Cousin Brian? It's Pittsburgh 27-17. "Bettis is getting all the pre game attention, but Big Ben and the Steeler D (Polamalu) will be getting all the post game press."

Enjoy the game, everybody.

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Rebs

Senior Nick Music led Allen Central with a career-high 26 points. Music was one of four players to reach double figures for the Rebels. Alex Hammond added 14 points for Allen Central while Ryan Collins totaled 13. Tyler Slone pushed in 10 points for the Rebels.

East Ridge controlled the game in the first half, leading at the end of each of the first two quarters. The Warriors went into halftime with a 39-32 lead before the Rebels caught fire in the second half, more specifically the third quarter. Allen Central owned the third period, outscoring East Ridge 25-8.

Music, Hammonds and Slone all had six points in Allen Central's successful third quarter.

Mark Bartley led East Ridge with 21 points. Jordan Mullins followed with 17 points for the host team. Curtis Williams and Anthony Coleman each had 11 points for the

Warriors. David Ratliff was a fifth player in double figures for East Ridge, scoring 10 points.

Robbie Cole and Josh Prater added six points apiece for Allen Central while Josh Martin scored four. Justin Jacobs added three points for the Rebels.

Allen Central is scheduled to return to the hardwood for regular-season competition Tuesday on the road at Prestonsburg. Tip-off for the 58th District contest is set for 7:30 p.m.

ALLEN CENTRAL 82, EAST RIDGE 78

ALLEN CENTRAL (4-15) - Martin 4, Collins 13, Slone 10, Hammonds 14, Cole 6, Music 26, Jacobs 3, Prater 6.

EAST RIDGE (10-8) - McCoy 2, Williams 11, Fletcher 2, Mullins 17, Bartley 21, Rowe 3, Coleman 11, Ratliff 10.

Allen Central.....14 18 25 25-82
East Ridge.....20 19 8 31-78

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Storms

home to 4-3 on the season with two of those loses coming in close fashion at the hands of Prestonsburg and Paintsville.

Both Betsy Layne and Magoffin County came out of the gate well on Tuesday. The teams exchanged point for point throughout the first quarter as the score was even at 20-20 after the first 8:00 of play. Brandon Thacker carried the Bobcats in the first quarter, tossing in nine points and pulling down three rebounds. Wesley Helton led Magoffin County in the first quarter as the Hornet senior contributed eight points and pulled down five rebounds.

After putting 20 points each on the board in the opening quarter, both teams seemed to go cold from the field in the second quarter. Pat Stapleton led Betsy Layne in scoring in the quarter with only four points while Eric Arnett was the leading Magoffin County scorer in the quarter with four points.

Magoffin County outscored Betsy Layne 12-10 in the second quarter to take a 32-30 lead at the half.

Betsy Layne seemed to be taking control of the game early in the third quarter as the Bobcats opened the half with a 9-0 run to take a 39-32 lead with 4:52 remaining in the quarter, but the lead would hold up late in the game. Senior forward Brandon Kidd was held to only two points in the first half, but

came through with a big second half performance. Kidd poured in eight points in the third quarter alone to help the Bobcats take a 47-38 lead after three quarters.

Magoffin County had success in the first half when pounding the ball inside to Wes Helton and Devin Rice, but the Hornets abandoned the inside game in the third quarter and in the process fell behind by as many as 13 points early in the fourth and final quarter. Betsy Layne was able to build the big lead with Helton out of the game with a cut over his eye but once the center returned to the floor at the 5:30 mark of the fourth quarter, the game quickly changed hands. Devin Rice hit key basket after basket down the stretch and

Betsy Layne turned the ball over eight times in the final 4:00 as the Hornets rallied from an 11 point deficit to post the win. Brandon Thacker led the Bobcats with 16 points on the night. Pat Stapleton finished with 14 points and Brandon Kidd added 12 as the Bobcats fell to 4-12 on the season.

Devin Rice led all scorers with a game high 22 points. Wes Helton added 16 for the winners. Brandon Shepherd tossed in seven points and Eric Arnett added 6 as Magoffin County improved to 6-21 on the season with a 60-57 come from behind win. Betsy Layne will host South Floyd at home in a key 58th District matchup on Tuesday with tip-off slated for 7:30.

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Kentucky

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mer Wildcats will be introduced at halftime.

UK's next home game is Thursday, Feb. 16 versus Ole Miss at 7 p.m. EST in Memorial Coliseum. Single-game tickets are available in the ticket office in Memorial Coliseum for \$5 adults/\$2 senior citizens and children ages 18 and under. For ticket information, log on to ukathletics.com or call the UK ticket office at 859/257-1818 or 1-800-928-CATS (2287).

Raiders

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relayed to the Cardinals during the intermission period paid huge dividends.

Three Mayfield players ended the game in double figures scoring. Mayfield's Tony Hockett was 11-of-16 shooting from the floor and led all scorers with a game-high 26 points. Demetrek Moss added 16 points for the Cardinals and Fred Brown scored 10.

"We got a real good second-half effort," said Guhy. "Our kids played more relaxed after the half."

South Floyd got within a couple of possessions of Mayfield in the second half. The Raiders, however failed to get over the hump. The Cardinals entered the fourth quarter with a 52-41 lead.

South Floyd, fresh off of an emotional 82-81 win over rival Paintsville in the 15th Region All "A" Classic finals, couldn't put together a similar effort versus Mayfield. The Raiders had just seven all-important offensive rebounds.

Junior Ethan Johnson paced South Floyd with 13 points. Ryan Johnson and Ryan Little added 11 points apiece for the

Tigers

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today in the Touchstone Energy All "A" Classic second round. Tip-off for the Paintsville-Moore game is set for noon.

PAINTSVILLE 46, LYON COUNTY 43

LYON COUNTY (15-5) - McGregor 5, Akridge 4, Carter 2, Parrent 6, A Mussato 10, E. Mussato 8, McLeod 8.

PAINTSVILLE (14-5) -

Adams 6, Russell 4, L. Carroll 3, Jarrell 18, K. Carroll 15.
Lyon County.....6 10 11 16-43
Paintsville.....14 9 7 16-46

TOUCHSTONE ENERGY ALL "A" CLASSIC AT EKU'S MCBRAYER ARENA

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Moore -Paintsville, Noon
Trimble County-Monroe County, 1:30 p.m.

MAYFIELD 71, SOUTH FLOYD 52

MAYFIELD (13-6) - England 1, Moss 16, Rodgers 10, Kelly 1, Shelton 3, Hockett 26, Brown 10, Elliott 4.

SOUTH FLOYD (12-11) - M. Hall 9, E. Johnson 13, T. J. Hall 4, R. Johnson 11, R. Little 11, Kyle Brown 2, Slone 2.

Each team shot 50-percent or less from the free-throw line.
Mayfield.....16 12 24 19-77
South Floyd.....16 12 13 11-52

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Kentucky 81, Mississippi St. 66

by JOEDY McCREARY
ASSOCIATED PRESS

STARKVILLE, Miss. — Patrick Sparks came off a screen or down the court, found himself open for a 3-pointer and helped Kentucky thwart a Mississippi State comeback. It was anything but an isolated incident: Seemingly every time the Bulldogs threatened a rally, Sparks connected from 3. He tied a season-high with 25 points and made five of the Wildcats' season-best 13 3-pointers in their 81-66 victory



Patrick Sparks

over Mississippi State on Wednesday night. "Our kids seem to feed off of Patrick when he's making the outside shot like that," coach Tubby Smith said. "It does get everybody fired up." Kentucky (15-6, 5-2 Southeastern Conference) shot a season-high 52 percent from 3-point range and never trailed in extending its winning streak to a season-long five games after starting the season 10-6 and beginning conference play 0-2. "We try not to get too high on ourselves," guard Joe Crawford

said. Crawford added 14 points for Kentucky, which was 13-for-25 in surpassing its previous season best of 12 3s — set in November against West Virginia and tied last month against South Carolina. The Wildcats' previous best 3-point shooting percentage of 50 percent (12-for-24) also came against the Gamecocks. Sparks, who equaled his 25-point performance three months ago against the Mountaineers, was 5-of-10 from 3-point range this time and consistently connected from long range to deflate State's comeback attempts. "I hit some shots tonight, but a lot of that just had to do with, I had the ball in the right spots,"

Sparks said. "My teammates set some good screens, and ... I just tried to take good shots, and they just happened to be at good times." Perhaps Sparks' most important 3-pointer came early in the second half. Kentucky led by 13 on Crawford's layup in the opening moments of the half before the Bulldogs scored 10 straight points, closing to 42-39 on Charles Rhodes' dunk with 16:39 to play. That's when Sparks got open in the left corner, took a pass from Rajon Rondo and swished a 3-pointer to extend the lead to six. Crawford hit a 3 from the same spot on Kentucky's next trip downcourt, making it 48-39

with 15 1/2 minutes remaining. "Whenever I was open, I was taking the shot," Crawford said. "Pat felt like he was hot. He was confident, and I was confident. When we run like that, there's not too many teams that can beat us." Mississippi State (11-10, 1-7) didn't get closer than five the rest of the way in losing its seventh straight for the first time since the Richard Williams-led Bulldogs lost nine straight in the 1986-87 season. "We're playing hard out there, and that is the thing you have to do when things aren't going your way," Mississippi State coach Rick Stansbury said. "There are just some things that we have a deficiency

in, and all we can do is keep plugging away and getting better in those areas." Rhodes led the Bulldogs with 21 points. Jamall Edmondson and Jamont Gordon had 15 apiece for Mississippi State, with 12 of Gordon's points coming in the first half. Kentucky scored the first eight points of the game, and led by as many as nine in the first half. The Wildcats protected their lead with a tough defense which allowed State few open looks, overcame a 7-minute stretch in which it made one basket — a Sparks 3 — and led 38-29 at halftime. The Bulldogs made just three baskets in the final 11 minutes of the half.

No. 4 Villanova 79, Louisville 73

by DAN GELSTON
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PHILADELPHIA — Allan Ray had rarely seen a 3-point shootout like this, certainly not since he's been at Villanova. "Maybe AAU, I don't think anybody plays defense in AAU," Ray said. "Definitely not in college. This is one of those crazy games." The No. 4 Wildcats finished with two more 3-pointers than Louisville in a game in which the long ball ruled and those six points turned out to be the difference in Villanova's 79-73 victory Monday night.

Ray matched his season high with 26 points and hit five 3s. Mike Nardi celebrated his 21st birthday with 20 points and five 3s, and Randy Foye had 19 points and four 3s as the three guards accounted for all the 3-pointers — and all but 14 points. "We hit a lot of shots early and once you hit shots early, you get a lot of confidence as a team," Ray said as Villanova ran off to a 7-1 start in the Big East for the first time since 1982-83.

In the only other game involving a ranked team, No. 20 Ohio St. routed Florida A&M 95-53. The Wildcats (16-2) twice seemed to have control of the game with a double-digit lead, but the Cardinals (14-7, 2-6) pulled close twice before losing for the fifth time in six games.

Taquan Dean had 23 points and seven assists for Louisville, which continues to struggle in its first season in the Big East. The Cardinals, who were ranked seventh in the preseason poll and reached as high as No. 4 during the season, fell out of the Top 25 on Monday.

"That's as well as we've played. It was a great tempo," Louisville coach Rick Pitino said. "That's what we're trying to do more than anything else." The tempo was set early by quite a 3-point exhibition. Both teams put on a stunning 3-point show during one nearly 6-minute span in the first half that

sent the crowd into a frenzy after every basket and entertained the players just as much. Villanova made seven 3s, the Cardinals had five and nine of the shots accounted for a lead change. "That's our style and that's the way we play," Nardi said. The last of the 3s was by Ray with 7:06 left in the first half and it gave Villanova a 34-20 lead. It was the Wildcats' 10th 3 of the half, matching the most Louisville gave up in a game this season.

"We're pretty defensive-minded and when you look at Louisville's defensive percentage and the 3s they hit, you just feel terrible about how you played," Villanova coach Jay Wright said. "Then you look and we hit 14 3s and that's unbelievable. That was just an incredible college basketball game with two outstanding offensive teams drilling big shot after big shot." Villanova finished 14-for-26 from 3-point range, while Louisville was 12-of-23.

Villanova had an 11-point lead in the first half that Louisville cut to five at the half. The Wildcats again used the 3-pointer, they finished with 14, to pull away to a 63-48 lead, but the Cardinals chipped away by going inside and they got within 70-69 with 3:40 to play on a basket by David Padgett. Ray made two free throws and scored on a layup before Foye scored on a putback with 1:45 left that made it 76-68 before the Wildcats held on and won their fifth straight game.

Nardi scored 14 of his points in the second half, hitting two 3-pointers — and three free throws when he was fouled in the act — in a 13-0 run that made it 63-48. "I was just letting it fly," Nardi said. "Every shot felt good and it was the right shot, so it made it feel even more comfortable." Dean was 5-for-7 from beyond the arc and the Cardinals shot 55.8 percent overall (29-for-52), a huge improve-

ment over their season-low 33.9 percent in Saturday's loss at Rutgers. They ended a run in which they shot less than 40 percent in five straight games. "When Taquan is playing, we're a pretty good team," Pitino said. "We're young and we have a great future, but I have to instill that the future is now and not next year. If we play like we did tonight, we'll be all right."

Matchups announced for Bracket Buster games

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

BRISTOL, Conn. — No. 25 Northern Iowa will host Bucknell in one of ESPN's Bracket-Buster games to be played next month between prominent teams from mid-major conferences. The cable sports network on Monday announced its 13 feature games that will be played either Friday, Feb. 17 or Saturday, Feb. 18. The games include nine teams that played in the NCAA tournament last season.

Game times will be announced Feb. 7 along with the channel they will appear on — ESPN, ESPN2, ESPNU or ESPN-360. Northern Iowa (19-3) has been in the NCAA tournament the last two seasons and is ranked in The Associated Press' Top 25 for the first time this week. Bucknell (16-3) is 7-0 in the Patriot League for the first time since 1994-95 and beat Kansas in the first round of the NCAA tournament last season.

The other matchups include: George Mason at Wichita State; Missouri State at Wisconsin-Milwaukee; Louisiana Tech at Southern Illinois; Buffalo at Iona; Fresno State at Creighton; Akron at Nevada; Butler at Kent State; Marist at Old Dominion; Northwestern State at Utah State; Samford at Ohio; Albany at Virginia Commonwealth; and Northern Arizona at Western Kentucky.

Tennessee Tech coach recovering from Guillain-Barre Syndrome

by TERESA M. WALKER
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COOKEVILLE, Tenn. — For most of his life, Tennessee Tech basketball coach Mike Sutton has counted wins and losses. Now he measures success in smaller increments. Raising an arm one week, both the next. Breathing without a ventilator, then having his tracheotomy tube removed a day later. Lying on his stomach for the first time in eight months — even if someone has to roll him over.

Sutton recently returned to coaching, but he still uses a motorized wheelchair in the slow recovery from Guillain-Barre Syndrome, a mysterious disorder in which the immune system attacks the peripheral nerves and weakens the legs and arms. It can be life-threatening and leave the victim paralyzed. Actor Andy Griffith couldn't walk for seven months after a bout with Guillain-Barre in 1983, and "Catch-22" author Joseph Heller wrote "No Laughing Matter" about his fight with the disease.

"I had never heard of it," the 49-year-old Sutton said. A 29-year coaching veteran, Sutton was 58-13 in his three seasons at Tennessee Tech after being an assistant to Tubby Smith at five different schools, including Kentucky. He was coming off his best season yet, one in which Golden Eagles won the Ohio Valley Conference regular-season title.

But one weekend in April, Sutton had a cough, and pain in his feet and hands. He was struggling to dial his cell phone or open a bottle of water. He thought it was the flu, so he decided against joining his wife in Tampa, Fla., to see his new granddaughter. Then he collapsed in the parking garage of a Virginia hotel. Sutton immediately sought help from a friend who's also a plastic surgeon, a decision that may have saved his life. Instead of flying home to Tennessee, his friend told Sutton's brother to drive the coach to Bon Secours DePaul Medical Center in Norfolk, Va.

Sutton doesn't remember much after that. He gave his assistant coaches a to-do list over the telephone, and his friend, Dr. Richard Rosenblum, directed his care. "He kind of took the bull by the horns: 'This is what you're going to do and who you're going to see,'" Sutton's wife, Karen, said. Still, Sutton deteriorated rapidly and was put on a ventilator, medicated for the pain and needed a tracheotomy on April 13. He remembers seeing his mother and sisters two days later before being flown to Vanderbilt University Medical Center in Nashville, but can't recall his daughter's visit in Tennessee.

His only form of communication was blinking his eyes to spell out words. "You just had to do what you could do," Karen Sutton said. "They had charts you could point to, but he couldn't point." His team didn't know how bad he was until after he had been moved to a rehabilitation hospital in Nashville to wean him off the ventilator. They had hoped he would be back within days, then weeks and then learned the prognosis was months. "It was really scary," associate head coach Steve Payne said. By June, Sutton was finally able to speak briefly and move his legs. He was taken off the ventilator July 18 and later that week moved to a hospital in Cookeville, about 70 miles east of Nashville. Therapy increased to three hours a day, five days a week. His spirits lifted when practice started in October, and he

reviewed video in his room. Finally, he went home Nov. 18 for the first time since he had left for the Final Four last March. He was courtside when Tennessee Tech raised the banner for their conference title Nov. 20, and the Golden Eagles responded by routing Oregon State 90-62. He made his first road trip Dec. 17 to Cincinnati where officials built a ramp for his wheelchair to the raised floor, then unbolted it and gave it to the team in case Sutton needs it again.

Sutton hasn't missed a game since, sitting beside the scorer's table in his wheelchair, his wife beside him to help with his reading glasses, water and deflect loose balls. His voice isn't strong enough to bark out orders, so his assistant coach works the sideline. "There's nothing sick about him," Karen Sutton said. "His muscles aren't strong enough to support him just yet, but that's pretty much it." His Golden Eagles are 15-7 going into Thursday night's game at Tennessee-Martin and third in the OVC.

"He's never complained or felt sorry for himself," Payne said. "That's been the hard part for me, having to watch him go through this. It's been an inspiration for our guys and our program to see how he's handled everything as far as being unselfish and how tough he's been." With Guillain-Barre Syndrome, there are no timetables for recovery. Letters that Sutton receives from other victims offer hope that he will recover fully, but he has to be patient. "One of the things I was constantly warned about is you had to be careful. If you overdo it, it can set you back. That's difficult because as an athlete and a coach, your mind-set is to work the muscles to fatigue and try to go past it," he said.

"Sometimes your mind and your body, it takes a while to get them on the same page."

Tenn.-Martin 90, Eastern Ky. 83

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

MARTIN, Tenn. — Jeremy Kelly scored 29 points and Tennessee-Martin shot 63 percent in a 90-83 victory Monday night over Eastern Kentucky. Kelly shot 10-of-12 from the floor for the Skyhawks (8-12, 5-9 Ohio Valley Conference).

Eastern Kentucky (10-10, 7-5 OVC) controlled the boards 27-19. Jared Newson scored 21 for Tennessee-Martin. Zerek Knight had 17 and Will Lewis 11. Knight had a team-high five rebounds. The Colonels shot 52 percent for the game, with Matt Witt

leading the way with 28 points. Jason McLeish had 21, Alonzo Hird 12 and Mike Rose 10. Tennessee-Martin led 39-35 at the half, then shot 69.6 percent in the second half to protect the lead. Eastern Kentucky shot 20-of-25 from the line, compared with Tennessee-Martin's 26-of-32.

Tenn. Tech 69, Morehead State 66

TIMES STAFF REPORT

MOREHEAD — Tennessee Tech hit it last seven free throws and held off Morehead State, 69-66, in an Ohio Valley Conference game Monday evening at Johnson Arena in Morehead.

Tech, now 15-7 overall and 10-4 in the OVC, was led by Anthony Fisher who scored 17 points. Belton Rivers had 12 points, and Amadi McKenzie had 11 points and a team-high seven rebounds. Morehead State, now 2-17 overall and 1-12 in the league, got a game-high 24 points and a game-high eight rebounds from Shaun Williams. Quentin Pryor had 11 points, and Clinton Reisz added 10 points.

Tech led by four points, 35-31, at halftime. The Golden Eagles built the lead to 10 points at 62-52 with 5:12 left in

could never completely catch up. After Fisher hit two free throws to push the Tech lead out to 65-62 with 1:34 left, Williams hit two free throws to cut the lead back to one, 65-64, at the 33-second mark. Belton Rivers and Derek Stribling hit two free throws each to spread the margin to five points, 69-64, with less than 10 seconds remaining. MSU's Deron Brown hit a lay up with less than a second left to account for the final margin.

MSU outscored Tech from the field, 44-to-42, but the Golden Eagles hit 27-of-42 free throws. MSU connected on 22 of its 29 charity tosses. Morehead State will take seven days off, then return to action at Eastern Kentucky on Feb. 6.

TENNESSEE TECH 69

TENNESSEE TECH (15-7) — Rivers 3-11 4-4 12, Fisher 3-10 6-8 17, Stribling 2-3 4-4 8,

Clark 3-6 3-6 9, Kabore 2-4 5-13 9, Smiley 0-0 0-0 0, Taylor 1-2 0-1 3, McKenzie 3-7 5-6 11, Mills 0-0 0-0 0, Boyd 0-2 0-0 0, Koger 0-0 0-0 0, Bryant 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 18-47 27-42 69.

MOREHEAD ST. (2-17) — Pryor 4-7 3-4 11, Williams 9-13 6-7 24, Ballard 0-3 1-2 1, Allen 3-5 1-2 7, Smith 0-1 2-2 2, Brown 1-2 2-4 4, Cockerham 2-7 2-2 6, Januska 0-0 0-0 0, Rogers 0-3 1-2 1, Reisz 3-6 4-4 10. Totals 22-47 22-29 66.

Halftime—Tennessee Tech 35-31. 3-Point Goals—Tennessee Tech 6-21 (Fisher 3-8, Rivers 2-7, Taylor 1-2, Stribling 0-1, Clark 0-1, Boyd 0-2), Morehead St. 0-6 (Smith 0-1, Ballard 0-1, Rogers 0-1, Cockerham 0-3). Fouled Out—Ballard, Pryor, Reisz. Rebounds—Tennessee Tech 33 (McKenzie 7), Morehead St. 36 (Williams 8). Assist Tech. Tennessee Tech 11 (Clark, Taylor

Wildcats, Cardinals go big on Signing Day

by WILL GRAVES
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LOUISVILLE — The answer became clear to Louisville coach Bobby Petrino after watching the Cardinals struggle at times against the Big East's elite last fall. Even after going 9-3 in their first season in the Big East and finishing 19th in the final Top 25 poll, Petrino felt the Cardinals had to get better. And to do that, they had to get bigger. Kentucky coach Rick Brooks after watching the Wildcats struggle to stop opponents from

running up and down the field during a disappointing 3-8 season last fall. Brooks knew the Wildcats had to get better in his fourth year at the helm, and to do that, he knew they had to get faster on the defensive side of the ball. Both coaches hope they took the first steps toward addressing their teams' needs on Wednesday during National Signing Day. Six of the 24 players the Cardinals signed will come to

bruising world of the Big East. "This might be the biggest class I've associated with," Petrino said. "The thing that I like most about it is they all can move. You look at what we're playing, and maybe the difference in Conference USA and the Big East Conference is the physicalness of the offensive lines, the defensive lines, the amount of run that you see. ... We really felt like we had to go out and continue to get bigger and more physical." Linebacker Jeremy Reisz, who played at Riviera Beach, Fla., in high school, is one of the newcomers. (See WILDCATS, page 4)

Prestonsburg Junior Basketball • Week No. Seven Results

TIMES STAFF REPORT

Pee Wee League - Black 24, Red 4: The Black team remained perfect on the season with a convincing 24-4 victory over the Red team. Bailey Slone scorched the nets for a game-high 14 points in the win. Allison Hall tossed in six points for the winners. The Red team trailed 10-2 after one quarter and 16-4 at the half. Nathaniel Rankin led the Red team with four points.

Green 11, Gray 7: Chandler Nelson and Nicholas Caudill each finished with four points as the Green team knocked off the Gray team. The score was even at 7-7 after three quarters but the green team would put four points on the board in the final quarter to come away with the win. Candice Campbell led the Gray team with

four points. Megan Thompson added two points for the Gray and Michael Taulbee rounded out the scoring with one point.

Gold 12, Blue 7: A strong second half defensive effort lifted the Gold team to a 12-7 win over the Blue team. After leading 10-7 at the half, the Gold would hold the blue team scoreless in the second half to come away with the 12-7 win. Christopher Little led the winners with six points. Jordan Pennington tossed in four points as the Gold team improved to 6-1 on the season. Camryn Slone led the Blue team with four points, while Casey Wright added two in the loss.

Boys Training League - Gray 18, Green 4: Nathan Blackburn and Hunter Brown combined for 11 points as the

Gray team defeated the Green team 18-4. Leading 4-2 at the half, the Gray team would outscore the Green team 8-2 in the third quarter to take 12-4 lead into the final quarter. Blackburn finished with six points in the win while Brown added five. Cody Hackworth tossed in three points for the winners. Scott Stapleton and Keagan Dove both finished with two points. Eric Collins and Thomas Spears pitched in two points each for the Green team in the loss.

Gray 16, Blue 14 (OT): The Gray team remained perfect on the season with a 16-14 win in overtime against a determined Blue team. Cody Hackworth came up big with a game high 8 points. Nathan Blackburn added four points for the Gray in the

win. Scott Stapleton and Keagan Dove finished with two points each for the Gray. B.J. Holliday led the Blue with seven points in the loss. Grant Martin, Quentin Click and Austin Bailey each added two points for the Blue.

Red 12 Gold 10: Tyler Bays led the Red team to a 12-10 win over the Gold team with his game high six point effort. Bays tossed in all six of his points in the first quarter as the Red team built an 8-6 lead after one quarter. Robert Campbell pitched in four points for the winners and Byron Marshall rounded out the scoring with two points. Chris Fitch led the Gold with four points. Garrett Hammonds, Dylan Slone and Brad Ousley each finished with two points for the Gold team.

Girls Training League - Gray 10, Gold 8: Jenna Little came through with a game-high 8 points as the Gray team defeated the Gold team 10-8. Rachel

Layne rounded out the Gray scoring with two points. The Gray led 6-0 after one quarter and 6-2 at the half. Jessica Hall led the Gold team with four points. Caroline Frye and Taylor Blevins pitched in two points each for the Gold team.

Red 19 Blue 16: The Red team remained unbeaten on the season with a 19-16 come from behind win. A balanced scoring attack helped the Red pick up the win. Allyson DeRossett led the Red team with seven points and Kate Rose added six for the winners. Trailing 16-15 with :30 remaining, Haley Howell would score four straight points to carry the Red team to the win (Howell finished with six points) Kaylee Collins led all scorers with 10 points for the Blue team. Cathryn Calhoun, Kelli Marsillet and Cathryn Calhoun each added two points for the Blue team.

Junior Varsity League - Gold

27, Blue 15: John Gullett and Andria Hansford combined for 14 points as the Gold beat the Blue team. Trey Stapleton tossed in six points for the winners and Adam Castle added four as the Gold team improved to 6-1 on the season. Austin Slone rounded out the scoring with three points for the winners. Charlie Joseph led the Blue team with six points. Chad Ousley tossed in four points in the loss and Derrick Newsome added three. Bethany Scarberry finished the Blue scoring with two points.

Gray 16, Red 4: Jarin Hall's eight points carried the Gray team to their sixth win of the season by a final of 16-4 over the Red team. Madison Wright and Wesley Robinson pitched in four points each for the winners. T.J. Shepherd and Brett Blankenship finished with two points each for the Red team. Blankenship scorched the nets the prior week for 19 points.

Marsh, Joplin lead seven Bears honored by Hansen

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIKEVILLE - Two weeks after being named a first-team All-American for the second time by the NAIA, Antwan Marsh has received another honor by a national magazine service.

Don Hansen's National Weekly Football Gazette has named him to the second-team of the 2005 NAIA East Region Team. He was joined on the second team by teammate Calvin Joplin and led the way as seven Pikeville College Bears were honored by Hansen.

In addition to being a two-time NAIA All-American, the 6-4 Marsh is the two-time Mid-South Conference Defensive Player of the Year and was named all-conference for the third straight season. Also, as a junior the Polkton, N.C., product was the first-team kick-return specialist.

As a senior, he finished with 112 tackles, including 74 solos. He had four interceptions, forced two fumbles, recorded eight tackles for loss and broke up five passes. In addition, he caught 18 passes for a team-high 438 yards (24.3 yards per catch) and four touchdowns

and averaged 20.0 yards per kick return. He also had four carries for 17 yards and a touchdown.

Joplin, the MSC East Division Offensive Player of the Year, is a native of Matewan, W.Va. He set school records for rushing yards (1,274), rushing touchdowns (14), total touchdowns (15) and rushing yards per game (127.4).

The 5-9 senior had five of the top nine carries in a game in school history, and five of the top nine rushing games of all-time. In addition, he had eight 100-plus yard games, with a top day of 241 yards on the ground against NCAA Div. II North Greenville College.

Teammates Elbert Shumake, Jesse Peck and Kyle Briscoe were honored as third-team selections.

Shumake is a 6-2, 275-pound junior who was honored as a first-team all-conference defensive lineman last season. He recorded 76 tackles, 50 of which were solos. The Gautier, Miss., product had a team-high 17 tackles for loss, four sacks, broke up two passes and forced a fumble.

Peck is a 6-4, 280-pound senior from Auxier. He was

named first-team all-conference last year and was a second-team all-league pick as a junior.

Briscoe, a 5-11 junior, set school records by making 33 PAT kicks and attempting 38. The San Antonio, Fla., native was second on the team with 57 points and had a season-long 43 yards field goal in the Bears' win over Kentucky Wesleyan.

Two more Bears were named to the honorable mention list.

Senior kick returner E.J. Underwood, the MSC East first-team return man, was honored for averaging 27.9 yards per kickoff return and 14.6 yards on punt returns this season. He scored a touchdown on a punt return and also scored a special-teams touchdown when he picked up a blocked field goal and ran in for the score.

Junior defensive back Lamont Sturdivant was second on the team with 84 tackles, 52 of which were solos. The first-team All-MS-C pick had two interceptions, five tackles for loss and four pass breakups. Additionally, he caught five passes for 62 yards and a touchdown on offense, returned two punts for 22 yards and two kickoffs for 36 yards.

Wildcats

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biggest of the big, coming in at 6-foot-5 and 358 pounds. He'll be joined by Jeffrey Adams (6-8, 320), L.T. Walker (6-4, 320), Conrad Thomas (6-6, 330), Kareem Crowell (6-4, 310) and Josh Hawkins (6-7, 330).

Almost all of the big men can play on either side of the line, though Petrino will start most of them out on defense as he tries to replace graduating senior defensive linemen Elvis Dumervil and Montavious Stanley.

"One of the biggest areas we felt we needed to address in our recruiting was the defensive line," Petrino said. "We not only lost the players but the production we had."

Ironically, perhaps Louisville's biggest coup came by signing a guy nicknamed "Peanut." The Cardinals swayed defensive end Deantwan Whitehead of Birmingham, Ala., away from in-state power Auburn, and Petrino says Whitehead's size (6-6, 245) opens up plenty of possibilities down the road. He could stay on the line and play end or move to outside linebacker.

"I think he's got an opportunity to come in here and contribute right away," Petrino said. "That's one of the reasons he chose (Louisville) is so he could play right away, immediately and hopefully have some impact."

After allowing opponents to score an average of 34 points per game, Brooks concentrated on getting better athletes on that side of the ball. In addition to signing linebacker Micah Johnson from Fort Campbell - who won Kentucky's Mr. Football Award given to the state's top player - the Wildcats also nabbed defensive tackle Corey Peters from Central High in Louisville and defensive end Josh Minton from Southwestern High in Somerset.

Brooks credits Johnson with convincing Peters and Minton to come to Lexington instead of going out of state.

"You have to be excited about a guy like Micah Johnson," Brooks said. "Not only his physical abilities, but his leadership and his dedication in the recruiting process to help us by

staying in touch and contacting other recruits. Two guys he spoke to long before he committed to us and he kind of wanted to see if they would join him at Kentucky were Josh Minton and Corey Peters, and darned if they're not all here."

Petrino continued to use his Florida ties - he spent three years with the NFL's Jacksonville Jaguars from 1999 to 2001 - by signing 10 players from the Sunshine State.

"(Football) is a way of life down there," Petrino said.

In terms of numbers, the Wildcats grabbed more in-state players (10) than the Cardinals (four). Keeping the state's best players from going elsewhere has become a point of emphasis for Brooks.

"Certainly, we stemmed the tide of the leakage of some of the better prospects going out of state that has happened, particularly last year," Brooks said. "The fact that we were able to keep them in the state and get them to come to Kentucky is very encouraging."

Tigers slip past Valley

TIMES STAFF REPORT

ROBINSON CREEK - For a second straight game, a final shot decided the fate of the Paintsville High School boys' basketball team. This time, however, the shot went in favor of the Tigers.

Paintsville, taking on host Shelby Valley Tuesday night, played from out in front and behind before closing the deal on a win over the defending 15th Region champion. Paintsville, after leading at the end of every quarter, edged the Wildcats 73-71 when J.D. VanHoose made good on a putback off of a miss right before the

final buzzer.

Landon Slone led Paintsville with 24 points. VanHoose finished with 22 points and junior point guard Daniel Pugh dialed in for 12.

The Tigers took a slim 37-36 lead into halftime and led by a single point at the end of the third quarter.

Cade Riddle exploded for Shelby Valley, leading the Wildcats with a game-high 31 points. Jacob Bryant added 21 points and Mitch Riddle pushed in 11 for the home team.

Senior center Kevin Williams added seven points for Paintsville. Shane Grimm

and Jeremy Pack rounded out the Paintsville scoring with five and three points respectively.

East Ridge is scheduled to host Paintsville on Tuesday. Tip-off for the Paintsville-East Ridge game is set for 7:30 p.m.

PAINTSVILLE 73,	SHELBY VALLEY 71
SHELBY VALLEY (9-10) - M. Riddle 11, C. Riddle 31, Jackson 2, J. Bryant 20, L. Bryant 1, Johnson 2, Justice 4.	PAINTSVILLE (15-7) - Williams 7, Pugh 12, Grimm 5, VanHoose 22, Slone 24, Pack 3. Shelby Valley.....18 18 12 23-71 Paintsville.....21 16 12 24-71

School board again tells KHSAA to work out its own spat

by JEFFREY McMURRAY
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FRANKFORT - It's back to the drawing board - again - in a search for an elusive compromise over whether to change the rules for high school sports tournaments in Kentucky.

For the second time in less than two months, the Kentucky Board of Education on Wednesday told the state's governing body for high school athletics that its schools need to resolve the spat on their own.

"We can't let this fester forever," board member David Tachau said.

But this time, the board set a deadline of its April meeting, which will be held in Lexington, where the Kentucky High School Athletic Association is based.

The sensitive sports debate began anew in October when public schools, the vast majority of KHSAA's membership, voted to force private schools into their own tournaments.

They were concerned about recent domination of some larger private schools that draw from a wider area to lure top athletes.

KHSAA leaders opposed the vote and brought the issue to the Board of Education at its December meeting. Much like Wednesday, the board expressed no desire to tinker with sports rules for the schools.

On Wednesday, KHSAA reported some progress. The board reviewed a report from a KHSAA task force that seems to be leaning toward recommending some restrictions on the ability of private schools to enroll out-of-area athletes.

The board asked the task force to meet again and resort to mediation if that is required. Former Supreme Court Justice James Keller was hired to facilitate the talks last month, but he didn't make any decisions.

KHSAA Commissioner Brigid DeVries said there now

seems to be agreement among private and public schools alike that total separation of tournaments isn't in anyone's best interests.

One proposed rules change being considered would ban athletics participation for any out-of-area student who receives financial aid other than need-based.

Another would create a system of "feeder" middle schools for certain private high schools. Students would have to sit out a year or two of sports participation if they transfer to a high school outside their assigned feeder system.

Board member Dorie Combs expressed concern that proposal could limit choices for parents whose children want to play athletics for recreation but who are making decisions on high schools for other reasons.

"I'm afraid we might be getting into a 'We're not seeing the forest through the trees,'" Combs said. "It's not about winning tournaments. It's about playing."

STATE ALL "A"



photo by Steve LeMaster
Justin Slone (left) and Matt Little prepared to check into the game Thursday when South Floyd faced Mayfield in the opening round of the Touchstone Energy All "A" Classic.



photo by Jamie Howell
Betsy Layne senior Brandon Kidd and his teammates will look to get things turned around Saturday night on the road at 58th District rival Allen Central. Tip-off for the 58th District game is set for 7:30 p.m.

Floyd County Devotional Page

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In Victory Assembly of God, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00; Worship Service, 11:00 & 6:30; Wednesday Evening, 6:30; Gary Stanley, Pastor.

New Bethel Assembly of God, Burning Fork Rd., Salyersville; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m. Arthur (Sam) Smith, Minister.

Praise Assembly, 1 mile S. of Prestonsburg, intersection of Rt. 80 and U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.; J.M. Sloce, Minister.

BAPTIST

Allen First Baptist, Allen; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Arnold Turner, Minister.

Auxier Freewill Baptist, Auxier; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Thursday, 7 p.m.; Bobby Spencer, Pastor.

Benedict Baptist, Slick Rock Branch, Cow Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Gordon Fitch, Minister.

Betsy Layne Free Will Baptist, Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Tracy Patton, Minister.

Big Sandy Community and Technical College Baptist Student Union, J 102; Wednesday, 11:30 a.m.; Vera Joiner, 886-3863, ext. 67267.

Bonanza Freewill Baptist, Abbott Creek Road, Bonanza; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Jimmy D. Brown, Minister.

Brandy Keg Freewill Baptist, Corn Fork; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Roger Music, Minister.

Calvary Southern Baptist, Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Doug Lewis, Minister.

Community Freewill Baptist, Goble Roberts Addition; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Paul D. Coleman, Minister.

Cow Creek Freewill Baptist, Cow Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Nathan Lafferty, Minister.

Daniels Creek Baptist Fellowship Church of God, Banner; Services: Saturday night, 7 p.m.; Sunday morning, 11 a.m.; Sunday night, 7 p.m.; Henry Lewis, Minister.

Drift Freewill Baptist, Drift; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 6:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6:30 p.m. Jim Fields, Minister.

Endicott Freewill Baptist, Buffalo; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Hobert Meek, Pastor.

Faith Bible Church, an independent Baptist Church, located on 1428, between Allen & Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Stuart E. Swanberg.

Faith Freewill Baptist, 1/4 mile above Worldwide Eglpt. on Rt. 1428; Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m. Buddy Jones, Minister.

First Baptist, Garrett; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Randy Osborne, Minister.

First Baptist, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Greydon Howard, Minister.

First Baptist, 54 S. Front St. (Irene Cole Memorial); Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wed., 7 p.m.; Dr. Floyd Price, minister.

Fitzpatrick First Baptist, 1063 Big Branch, P.O. Box 410, Prestonsburg, KY 41653; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor Tommy Reed.

Free United Baptist, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.

Free United Baptist, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.

Free United Baptist, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.

Grethel Baptist, State Rt. 3379, (Branham's Creek Rd.); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.

Highland Avenue Freewill Baptist; Sunday School, 9:50 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; David Garrett, Minister.

Jacks Creek Baptist, Bevinville; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor Roger Truist.

Katy Friend Freewill Baptist, 2 miles up Abbott; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Jim Price, Minister.

Lackey Freewill Baptist, Lackey; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Johnny J. Collins, Minister.

Lancer Baptist Church, 71 Cooley St., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m., Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor Bobby Carpenter

Liberty Baptist, Denver; Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Merle Little, Minister.

Ligon Community Freewill Baptist, Ligon; Sunday School, 11:00 a.m. Thursday, 7 p.m.

Martin Branch Freewill Baptist, Estill; Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:15 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; James (Red) Morris, Minister.

Martin Freewill Baptist, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; John L. Blair, Minister.

Maytown First Baptist, Main St., Maytown; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Bob Varnay, Minister.

McDowell First Baptist, McDowell; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Gene Bracken, Minister.

Middle Creek Baptist, Blue River; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Eugene Cook, Minister.

Lighthouse Baptist, 2194 KY Rt. 1428, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Donald Crisp, Minister.

home phone 285-3385
Pleasant Home Baptist, Water Gap Road, Lancer; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Mark Tackett, Pastor.

Pleasant Valley Old Regular Baptist Church, Tinker Fork; Meeting time 1st Saturday & Sunday of each month, 3rd Sunday Evening at 6:00 p.m.; Moderator, Gary Compton; Assist. Moderator, Jimmy Conley.

Prater Creek Baptist, Banner; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; J.B. Hall, Pastor. Phone: (606) 874-3222.

Rock Fork Freewill Baptist, Garrett; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Wendell Crager, Minister.

Rock Fork Regular Baptist, Garrett; Worship Service, 9:30 a.m.; Jerry Manns, Pastor; Willie Craze Jr., Assistant Pastor.

Salt Lick United Baptist, Salt Lick, Hueysville; Worship Service, 2nd & 4th Sunday, 10:30 a.m.; Pastor, Allen Chaffins, phone 946-2123.

Sammy Clark Branch Freewill Baptist, Dana; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.; Pastor, Robert Shane Powers.

Stephens Branch Missionary Baptist, Stephens Branch; Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.

The Third Avenue Freewill Baptist; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.

Tom's Creek Freewill Baptist, U.S. 23 (north of Layne Brothers); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Chuck Ferguson, Minister.

Tom Moore Memorial Freewill Baptist; Cliff Road; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Youth Service, 5:00 p.m.; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; No Service the 1st Sunday of each month; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Jody Spencer, Minister.

Trimble Chapel Freewill Baptist; Intersection of U.S. 23 and KY 80, Water Gap; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship Service, 11 a.m. and Evening Worship Service 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m., Youth Services 7 p.m.; Everyone Welcome.

United Community Baptist, Hwy. 7, Hueysville; Worship Service, 2 p.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; Carlos Beverly, Minister.

Wheelwright Freewill Baptist, Wheelwright Junction; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Louis Ferrari, Minister.

CATHOLIC

St. Martha, Water Gap; Mass: Sunday, 11:15 a.m.; Saturday, 5 p.m.; Sunday; Father Robert Damron, pastor.

CHRISTIAN

First Christian, 560 North Arnold Avenue; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Jim Sherman, Minister.

Garrett Community Christian, Route 550, Garrett; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.; Donnie Hackworth, Minister.

Victory Christian Ministries, 1428 E.; Sunday School, 11:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Sherm Williams, Minister.

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Betsy Layne Church of Christ, Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Tommy J. Spears, Minister.

Prestonsburg Church of Christ, 88 Hwy. 1428; Worship Service, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Richard Kelly and Nelson Kidder, Ministers.

Harold Church of Christ, Harold; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; James H. Harmon, Minister.

Highland Church of Christ, Rt. 23, Hager Hill; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.

Hueysville Church of Christ; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Chester Varney, Minister.



The Lord shall increase you more and more, you and your children. Ye are blessed of the Lord which made heaven and earth.
Psalm 115: 14,15



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Mare Creek Church of Christ, Stanville; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.

Martin Church of Christ, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m. Gary Mitchell, Minister.

Maytown Church of Christ, 66 Turkey Creek Rd., Langley; Sunday Bible Study 10:00 a.m., Sunday morning worship 11:00 a.m., Evening Worship 6:00 p.m., Wednesday Bible Study 6:00 p.m.

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

Weeksbury Church of Christ; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. Mike Hall, Minister.

CHURCH OF GOD

Betsy Layne Church of God, Old U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Judith Caudill, Minister.

Community Church of God, Arkansas Creek, Martin; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; Bud Crum, Minister.

First Church of God; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Steven V. Williams, Pastor.

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

Landmark Church of God, Goble Roberts Addition; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:10 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Kenneth E. Prater, Jr., Minister.

Little Paint First Church of God, 671 Little Paint Road, East Point; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Charles Heater Jr., Minister.

The Ligon Church of God of Prophecy, Saturday Services, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Ralph Hall, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL

St. James Episcopal; Sunday Service, 9:45 a.m.; Holy Eucharist 11:00 a.m. Wednesday Study Group 6:00p.m., Holy Eucharist & Healing 7:30 p.m. Father Johnnie E. Ross, Rector.

LUTHERAN

Our Savior Lutheran, Sipp Bays Room Carriage House Motel, Paintsville; Sunday Service, 11 a.m.; WKLW (600 am) 12:05 p.m.; Roland Bentrup, Minister.

METHODIST

Auxier United Methodist, Auxier; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Garfield Potter, Minister.

Betsy Layne United Methodist, next to B.L. Gymnasium; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Randy Blackburn, Minister.

Allen Christ United Methodist, Allen; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Kenneth Lemaster, Minister.

Community United Methodist, 141 Burke Avenue (off University Drive and Neeley St.); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Steve Pescosolido, Minister.

Elliott's Chapel Free Methodist, Rt. 979, Beaver; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Philip T. Smith, Minister.

Emma United Methodist, Emma; Sunday School 10 a.m., Sunday Worship Service 11 a.m.; Pastor David Proffitt.

First United Methodist, 256 South Arnold Avenue; 9 a.m. Contemporary Service; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:55 a.m. and 5 p.m. UMYS Service; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Mark D. Walz, Pastor.

Horn Chapel Methodist, Auxier Road, Auxier; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Mid-week Service, 7 p.m.; Sunday Evening Service held on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month at 6 p.m.; Larry J. Panix, Minister.

Graceway United Methodist, Rt. 80, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7 p.m.; Roy Harlow, Minister.

Salisbury United Methodist, Printer; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Bobby G. Lawson, Minister.

Wayland United Methodist, Rt. 7, Wayland; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Brad Tackett, Minister.

Wheelwright United Methodist, Wheelwright; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Bobby Isaac, Minister.

Vogle Day United Methodist Church, Harold; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wed. Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Dennis C. Love, Pastor.

Drift Pentecostal, Drift; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, Saturday/Sunday, 7 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Ted Shannon, Minister.

Free Pentecostal Church of God, Rt. 1428, East Point; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Thurs., 6:30 p.m.; Buster Hayton, Minister.

Free Pentecostal Church of God, Weeksbury; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday/Saturday, 7 p.m.; John "Jay" Patton, Minister.

Free Pentecostal Deliverance, Ext. 46 off Mt. Parkway at Campton; Worship Service, Saturday and Sunday, 7 p.m.; Patricia Crider, Minister.

Free Pentecostal Holiness, Rt. 122, Upper Burton; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Worship Service, 6 p.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; Louis Sanlan, Minister; David Pike, Associate Minister.

Goodloe Pentecostal, Rt. 850, David; Worship Service, 6 p.m.; Malcom Slone, Minister.

Parkway First Calvary Pentecostal, Floyd and Magoffin County Line; Worship Service, 6:30 p.m.; Mike D. Caldwell, Minister. 297-6262.

Trinity Chapel Pentecostal Holiness, Main St., Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 7 p.m.; 2nd Sat., 7 p.m.; Thurs., 7 p.m.; Ellis J. Stevens, Minister.

Free Pentecostal Church, Dwale; Services Saturday, 6 p.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Services, 11 a.m.; No Sunday Night Service.

PRESBYTERIAN

Drift Presbyterian, Route 1101, Drift; Worship Service, 11 a.m. First Presbyterian, North Lake Drive; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. Rev. Mike Chamberlin, interim pastor.

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Drift Independent, Drift; Sunday, 11 a.m.; Thursday, 6:30 p.m.

Grace Fellowship Prestonsburg, (next to old flea market), Sunday School, 10 a.m. Worship, 11 a.m. Bill Stukenberg, Pastor 889-0905.

Faith Deliverance Tabernacle, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Thursday, 7 p.m.; Don Shepherd, Minister.

Faith Revelation Ministry, 1/4 mile above Worldwide Equipment; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Randy Hagans, Minister.

Faith Worship Center, US 460, Paintsville; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Thursday, 6 p.m.; Buddy and Maude Frye, Minister.

Full Gospel Community, (formerly of Martin) moved to Old Allen; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday evening, 6:30 p.m.; Wed., 6:30 pm.; Laverne Lafferty, Minister.

Lighthouse Temple, Main St. and Hall St.; Worship Service, 12 p.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday/Friday, 7 p.m.; Roy Cosby, Minister.

Living Water Ministries Full Gospel Church, Rt. 3, just before Thunder Ridge; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m., Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m. Pastor: Curt Howard.

Martin House of Worship, Old Post Office St.; Worship Service, 7 p.m., Saturday/Sunday.

Old Time Holiness, 2 miles up Arkansas Creek, Martin; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.; John W. Patton, Minister.

Spurlock Bible (Baptist), 6227 Spurlock Creek Rd., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Jim Stephens, Minister. 886-1003.

Town Branch Church; Sunday School 10 a.m. except for first Sunday in each month.; Worship Service, Sun. morning 10:00 a.m.; Evening 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.; No Sunday night services on first Sunday of each month. Tom Nelson, Minister.

The Father House, Big Branch, Abbott Creek; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 6 p.m.; J.J. Wright, Minister.

The Tabernacle, Rt. 321 (Old Plantation Motel), Christian Educator, 10:00; Sunday Morning, 11:00; Sunday Evening, 7:00; Wednesday, 7:00; Pastors, Paul and Ramona Alken.

Youth Fellowship Center, Wheelwright; Monday-Tuesday, 6 p.m.; Thursday, 7 p.m.

Zion Deliverance, Wayland; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. Prayer Line: 358-2001; Darlene W. Arnette, Pastor

Taylor Chapel Community Church, formerly the old Price Food Service building, located 1 quarter mile above Worldwide Equipment, Rt. 1428. Sun. Bible Study, 10 a.m.; Sun. Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Sun. Evening, 6:30 p.m. Kenny Vanderpool, Pastor.

International Pentecostal Holiness Church, 10974 N. Main St., Martin; Rev. Ellis J. Stevens, Senior Pastor.

Rising Sun Ministries, 78 Court Street, Allen, Ky.; Sunday, 10:30 a.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. Pastor: D.P. Curry.

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A guitar is generally played with the fingers of the left hand, while the right hand plucks or strums the strings with either the fingers or a guitar pick. Guitars may be acoustic, electric or both. The body acts as a resonator, and can be hollow or solid. The neck and headstock extend from the body. Guitars are made and repaired by luthiers. Guitars are used in a variety of musical styles but are most widely known as the primary instrument in blues or rock music. Sound is produced by the vibrating strings, which then resonates in the body and neck.

Origins of the guitar

Instruments similar to the guitar have existed for centuries. It was first mentioned in writing during the 14th century. The classical guitar is a descendant of the lute. The earliest guitars had three double courses, or pairs of strings, plus a single string. They probably originated in Spain, and by the 16th century, were common along with the vihuela, a similar instrument with six double courses.

The guitar became popular elsewhere in Europe during the 16th and 17th centuries. By the late 17th century, five courses of strings were added.

Modern forms developed in the middle of the 18th century, when double courses were made single and a sixth string was added above the lower five. It evolved into its modern appearance in Spain in the early 1800s. The design was made by a carpenter named Antonio de Torres Jurado (1817-1892). He increased the size of the body and introduced larger soundboards.

Craftsmen in the 19th century widened the body, and increased the curve of the guitar's waist. They thinned the belly, making adjustments to the wooden bracing inside. Wooden tuning pegs were replaced by a modern machine head.

Popular instrument

The guitar was once regarded as a "tavern" instrument played only by peasants. Although the guitar was popular, it was thought it could never meet the demands of classical music. In the early 19th century, Fernando Sor, a prolific composer and advocate for the guitar, began to try and raise the guitar to a higher musical level as a "concert" instrument. This paved the way for Andres Segovia, (1893-1987) who is considered to be the father of the modern classical guitar movement, to elevate the guitar to the popularity and respect it enjoys today.



Antonio de Torres Jurado



Fernando Sor



Andres Segovia

Modern guitars

Classical or Spanish guitars can range from contrabass to treble. Various numbers of strings are played in Spain and Latin America.



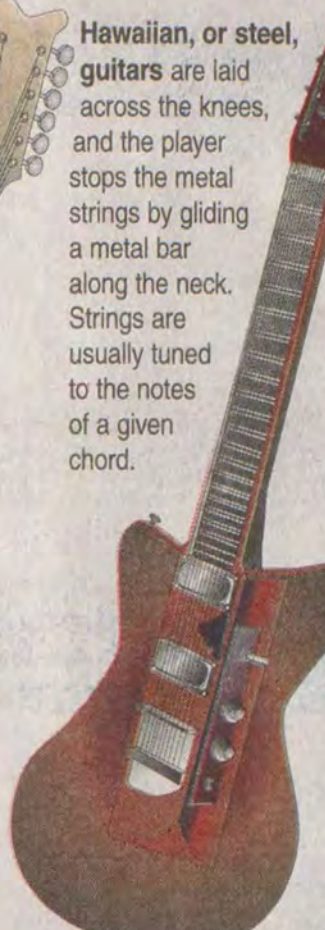
Acoustic or folk guitars are a modern form descending from the Classical guitar. They are usually strung with steel strings for a brighter, louder sound.



Twelve-string guitars have six double courses in standard tuning. They can be acoustic or electric.



Hawaiian, or steel, guitars are laid across the knees, and the player stops the metal strings by gliding a metal bar along the neck. Strings are usually tuned to the notes of a given chord.



Electric guitars were developed for popular music in the 1930s. They usually have solid, nonresonant bodies. The sound is manipulated by the player and amplified electronically.



The electric bass guitar has four strings.

Guitar

Popular guitarists

Stevie Ray Vaughn

Jimi Hendrix

Jimmy Page

Anatomy of a guitar



Playing the guitar

Tuning for acoustic guitars is from low to high strings. The notes for a standard tuning are:

E A D G B E

Some musicians or styles of music use alternate tunings like:

Open G

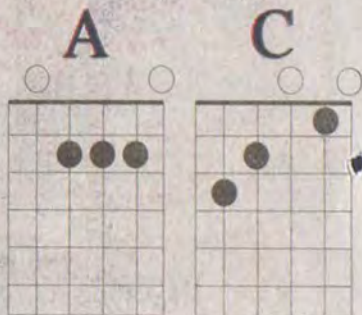
D G D G B D

Open D

D A D F# A D

Chords

Chords may be built on any note, and are combinations of three or more notes sounded at the same time. Here is how guitar chords are diagrammed:



Proper positioning

Sor's guitar method book, written in 1832, suggested these positions for the hands:



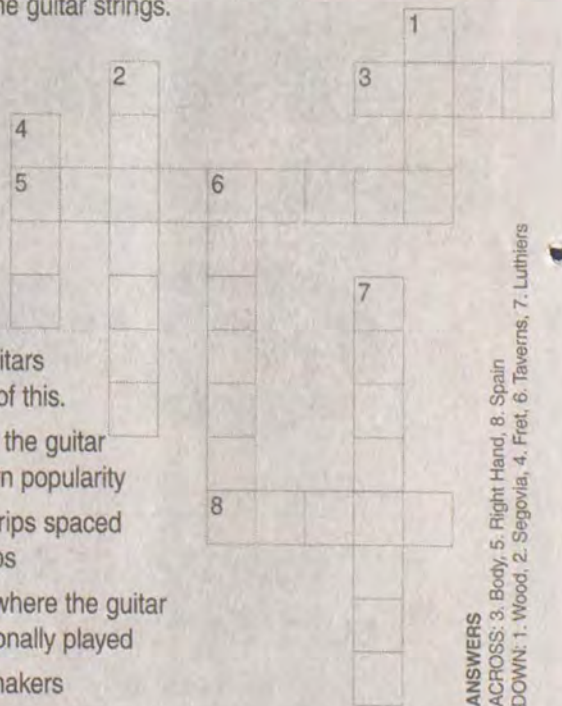
The puzzle corner

ACROSS

- 3. On acoustic guitars, it determines the sound.
- 5. Used to pluck or strum the strings
- 8. Country of guitar's origin

DOWN

- 1. Most guitars are made of this.
- 2. Brought the guitar into modern popularity
- 4. Metal strips spaced at half-steps
- 6. Places where the guitar was traditionally played
- 7. Guitar makers



ANSWERS
ACROSS: 3. Body, 5. Right Hand, 8. Spain
DOWN: 1. Wood, 2. Segovia, 4. Fret, 6. Taverns, 7. Luthiers

SOURCES: <http://www.guitarsite.com/history.htm>;
<http://www.classicalguitar.net/artists/segovia/>; <http://www.laguitara.net/>;
World Book Encyclopedia; *Electric Guitars: The Illustrated Encyclopedia* (Thunder Bay Press, 2000)

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THROUGH MY EYES

Needing one another

Even though it feels a bit like cheating, every now and again I receive some friendly email that I just can't help but share. This week, reader Gailanne Upton has again forwarded along some mail that got me to thinking, and reassessing. My guess is that it will do the very same for you:



Kathy Prater
Lifestyles editor

Twenty truths to help guide us through

1. Faith is the ability to not panic.
2. If you worry, you didn't pray. If you prayed, don't worry.
3. As a child of God, prayer is kind of like calling home every day.
4. Blessed are the flexible, for they shall not be bent out of shape.
5. When you get tangled up in your problems, be still. God wants us to be still so He can untangle the knot.
6. Do the math - Count your blessings.
7. God wants spiritual fruit, not

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Super Bowl party recipes

by Kathy J. Prater
FEATURES EDITOR

POSTSCRIPT

Who's the boss?

I was all set to write about my outrage over an article I read in the New York Times that reports on a government audit of money spent on rebuilding an Iraqi city. But I think my outrage will last easily until next week.



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A friend sent me a kind of parable that seemed even more appropriate, and I'd like to share it with you.

(Truthfully, it actually fuels my ongoing outrage about the way things are going these days.)

A Japanese company and an American company decided to have a canoe race on (let's make this closer to home) the Big Sandy River. Both teams practiced long and hard to reach their peak performance before the race. On the big day, the Japanese won by a

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It's Steelers vs. Seahawks and it's happening this Sunday - are you ready for Super Bowl XL? We suggest disposable plates, cups and utensils, coolers full of icy cold beverages, a table full of hot, spicy, and favored party recipes, lots of elbow room, and moving the coffee table along with any nearby breakable collectibles!

The grocery shopping and party planning are up to you, but we can help with the recipes. Here are a few of our favorites:

Nachos Grande

(What's a Super Bowl party without this favored feature? Pass the paper towels and napkins!)

- Ingredients:**
- 1 can (10 and 3/4 oz.) condensed cheddar cheese soup
 - 1/2 cup chunky salsa
 - 1 lb. ground beef
 - 1 small onion, chopped
 - 5 cups tortilla chips
 - 1 medium tomato, chopped
 - 1 jalapeno pepper, sliced (optional)
 - 1/2 cup black olives, sliced (optional)

Method:

Mix soup and salsa in saucepan. Brown beef and onion in skillet. Drain fat. Add 1/2 cup soup mixture and heat through. Heat remaining soup mixture. Place chips on serving platter and top with beef mixture. Spoon soup mixture over beef. Top with tomato, pepper, and olives. Serves 8.

Quesadillas

- Ingredients:**
- 1/2 lb. assorted deli cheeses, thinly sliced (choose your favorites)
 - 8 flour tortillas
 - Salsa
 - Sour cream

Method:

Place cheese slices in between two tortillas to form 4 quesadillas (you will cut the two tortillas into four triangles after heating). Spray skillet with cooking spray (a nonstick skillet will work best). Heat skillet. Place filled tortillas on skillet for 2-3 minutes, each side, until tortillas are crisp and cheese is melted. Cut into wedges and serve with salsa and sour cream for dipping.

Optional: In addition to cheeses, tortillas may also be filled with refried beans, taco filling, or chicken strips basted in fajita seasoning.

Tex-Mex Snack Mix

- Ingredients:**
- 3 cups popped popcorn
 - 3 cups mini pretzel twists
 - 2 cups mini garlic bagel chips
 - 2 cups corn chips
 - 6 Tbsp. butter, melted
 - 1 tsp. smoked paprika
 - 1 Tbsp. chili powder
 - 1/2 tsp. cumin
 - 1/4 tsp. onion powder
 - 1/4 tsp. garlic powder
 - 1/4 tsp. cayenne pepper

Method:

Preheat oven to 300 degrees. In large bowl, combine popcorn, pretzels, bagel chips, and corn chips. Combine melted butter and remaining ingredients in small bowl and mix well. Pour over popcorn mixture and toss to coat. Heat in oven until browned and crispy.

Crockpot Chili con Queso

- Ingredients:**
- 1 lb. pkg. Mexican or plain pasteurized process cheese spread (block)
 - 1-1/3 cups chunky salsa
 - 4 oz. can chopped green chilies, drained
 - 1/4 tsp. pepper

Method:

Combine all ingredients in 3-4 quart crockpot. Cover and cook on low for 2 to 2-1/2 hours or until cheese is melted, stirring twice during cooking. Remove lid and cook on high for 1 hour longer, until mixture is hot. Serve with tortilla chips for dipping.

Fresh Tomato Salsa

- (A nice change from store-bought!)
- Ingredients:**
- 2 cups chopped tomatoes (firm Romas work nicely)
 - 1/2 cup finely diced red onion
 - 2 serrano or jalapeno chilies, finely minced
 - 1/2 cup chopped fresh cilantro
 - 1 tsp. salt
 - 1/8 tsp. white pepper
 - 2 Tbsp. lime juice

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DINNER DIVA

Feeding your family with a perpetual pantry

by Leanne Ely

Feeding your family is a bit of a part-time job, especially if you want to make sure they are getting healthy, nutritious food.

One of the most important principles in feeding that family is having what I call a "perpetual pantry." A perpetual pantry helps you always have something on hand so you're able to make dinner at the drop of a hat.

When you're stocking your own perpetual pantry, you are going to want to stock what you use. Keep on hand the things that make up the ingredients for

the foods you cook, snack on and need for packing lunches.

Want to see what I have in mine? Here's a list - but remember, these items are all foods that I use for cooking. Just copying my list won't work unless this is how you cook, too. Check out my website for sample menus that will go with this pantry.

•Canned items: All manner of tomato products - diced tomatoes, whole tomatoes, spaghetti sauces, tomato paste, etc. I keep a variety of sizes available, too. Canned beans: black beans, pinto beans, kidney beans, whatever bean you can find

that you and your family will eat. It's less expensive to use dried beans, but canned ones are still cheap and will work in a pinch. Canned fish: tuna and salmon. Canned fruit and vegetables: stock the ones you like and will use. Canned soups and broths: stock the ones you use. I use a lot of chicken broth (low-sodium has more flavor). Canned milk: sweetened condensed, evaporated (both work great in baking, if you need them).

•Condiments: Ketchup, mustards (yellow, Dijon, whole grain), pickles (dill and sweet), relish, mayonnaise, A-1 steak sauce, Worcestershire sauce, Tabasco,

salsa, stir-fry sauces, soy sauce (low-sodium, if you can find it). Once opened, store in fridge (except for soy sauce).

•Oils and vinegars: Vegetable oil of choice (I like cold pressed safflower oil by Hollywood), olive oil, sesame oil (for stir-fry). All oil will go rancid staying out. After it is opened, put it in the fridge. Olive oil will solidify, so put it in a wide-mouth jar and spoon out to use. White and red wine vinegar, apple cider vinegar, and balsamic vinegars.

•Peanut butter and jelly: Peanut butter

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(crunchy or creamy - or both), jelly, jam and fruit spread or conserve, honey. My peanut butter needs to be refrigerated after opening.

•Herbs and spices: To keep the price down on these spices, got to a dollar store or Wal-Mart to stock up as much as possible. Basil, thyme, marjoram, rosemary, dill, garlic powder, onion powder, cumin, chili powder, paprika, oregano, ginger, dried mustard, cinnamon, peppercorns for the peppermill, nutmeg, and curry powder are all in my spice cabinet because I USE all of them. Only buy what you use.

•Baking center: Sugar (white, brown, powdered), flour (white, whole wheat, other), pancake mix (I hope you made mine!), baking powder (should be kept in fridge after opening), baking soda, salt, baking chocolate, cocoa, vanilla, chocolate chips, nuts, baking mixes (cake, brownie, etc.).

•Pasta and rice and grains: An assortment of pastas that you will use: lasagna noodles, spaghetti noodles, ziti, rotini, fusilli, fettucine, linguine. Rice - I much prefer brown. Oats, split peas, dried beans (white beans, navy beans,

black beans, pinto beans), lentils, barley.

•Breads and cereals: Whatever you use. Bread should go in the freezer if it doesn't get used up right away. Tortillas should be stored in the fridge.

•Potatoes and onions: Russets, Red Rose potatoes, sweet potatoes, butternut squash (or other whole squash in season, except summer squashes, which need refrigeration), brown onions, red onions. Keep potatoes away from light, or they turn green (and those green parts are poisonous and must be cut off before eating). Also, don't store potatoes next to apples. Apples give off ethylene gas that causes potatoes to sprout.

I hope this list helps you get started. It's only a start, and you need to customize it, but having your pantry well-stocked means a meal is just minutes away.

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Eyes

religious nuts.

8. Dear God: I have a problem. It's me.
9. Silence is often misinterpreted, but never misquoted.
10. Laugh every day, it's like inner jogging.
11. The most important things in your home are the people.
12. Growing old is inevitable, growing up is optional.
13. There is no key to happiness. The door is always open.
14. A grudge is a heavy thing to carry.
15. He who dies with the most toys, is NONE THE LESS "still dead."
16. We do not remember days, but

moments. Life moves too fast, so enjoy your precious moments.

17. Nothing is real to you until you, yourself, experience it - otherwise, it's just hearsay.
18. It's all right to sit on your "pity pot" every now and again. Just be sure to flush when you're done.
19. Surviving and living your life successfully requires courage. The goals and dreams you seek require courage and risk-taking. Learn from the turtle, it only makes progress when it sticks out its neck.
20. Be more concerned with your character than your reputation. Your character is

who you really are, while your reputation is merely what others think you are.

Thanks, Gailanne! And, a special note to readers (and friends!) Marlene Webb, Ruth Goble, Wanda Blankenship, Deloris Knausz, and Rita Brock - thank you so much for the beautiful cards and lovely flowers. I really can't express how very good it feels to realize that so many of you care enough to continue to go out of your way to help ease my pain during this time of loss. Just goes to show how very special our readers truly are!

See you all next week.

Birthdays



Look who's 1!

Ciara McKinley Musick celebrated her first birthday on February 2, 2006 with friends and family. Ciara is the daughter of George and Amanda Musick, of Cow Creek. She is the granddaughter of Dennis and Tammy Clay, and George and Kim Musick, all also of Cow Creek.



Jonna is 5!

Jonna Rynne Allen celebrated her fifth birthday on January 9, 2006, with a "Princess" theme party that was attended by many family members and friends. Jonna is the daughter of Jon and Regina Allen, of Langley.

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mile. The Americans, very discouraged and depressed, decided to investigate the reason for the crushing defeat.

A management team made up of senior management was formed to investigate and recommend appropriate action. Their conclusion was the Japanese had eight people rowing and one person steering, while the American team had eight people steering and one person rowing.

So, American management hired a consulting company and paid them a large amount of money for a second opinion. The consultants advised that too many people were steering the boat, while not enough people were rowing.

To prevent another loss to the Japanese, the rowing team's management structure was totally reorganized to four steering supervisors, three area steering superintendents and

one assistant superintendent steering manager.

They also implemented a new performance system that would give the one person rowing the boat greater incentive to work harder. It was called the "Rowing Team Quality First Program," with meetings, dinners and free pens for the rower.

There was discussion of getting new paddles, canoes and other equipment, extra vacation days for practices and bonuses.

The next year the Japanese won by two miles. Humiliated, the American management laid off the rower for poor performance, halted development of a new canoe, sold the paddles, and canceled all capital investments for new equipment.

The money saved was distributed to the senior executives as bonuses and the next year's racing team was outsourced to India.

School Happenings

Adams Middle School Youth Services Center

Adams Middle School Youth Services Center is open each weekday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The center offers services to all families regardless of income. For more information about any of the activities or services of the center, please contact the center at 886-1297. The center is now located in the 7th grade wing of the school. Center Coordinator - Michelle Keathley.

Allen Central Middle School

Turn in your Food City receipts to your homeroom teacher!
The ACMS Youth Service Center is open each day from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., or later by appointment. For more information about the center, call LaDonna Patton, coordinator, at 358-0134.

Allen Elementary and Family Resource Youth Service Center

Call Allen Elementary Youth Service Center at 874-0621 to schedule your child's Hepatitis B vaccination, immunizations, and WIC appointments.

Betsy Layne Elementary

The Betsy Layne Elementary Family Resource Youth Service Center is located in the 500 building of the campus. The goal of the FRYSC is to meet the needs of all children and their families who reside in the community or neighborhood by the school in which the center is located. For further information, please contact the center at 478-5550 or 478-9751, ext. 310.

Brian H. Akers, Center Coordinator; Charlotte Rogers, Program Assistant II; Debra Hayes, School Nurse.

Clark Elementary

A nurse from the Floyd County Health Dept. is in the center weekly and sees WIC patients, does well-child exams (birth-18 years), and gives immunizations.

The Clark Elementary Family Resource Center provides services for

all families regardless of income. We are located in the Adams Middle School building.

Duff Elementary

**School is collecting Food City receipts! Receipts must be dated Sept. 11, 2005 to March 11, 2006. Top three school winners will receive a gift. In anyone in the community would like to donate their receipts, they may mail them to: Duff Elementary, P.O. Box 129, Eastern, KY 41622; may also drop receipts off in school front office.

Floyd County Health Dept. is on site three days per month. Services include 6th grade school entry physical; kindergarten, Head Start and well-child physicals (age birth to 18 years); T.B. skin test; T.D. boosters; and WIC services. Please call 358-9878 for appointment if you are in need of any of these services.

The J.A. Duff Elementary Family Resource Center provides services for all families regardless of income. We are located in the tan metal building at the rear of the school. Contact persons are Judy Handshoe, coordinator, and Ruby Bailey, assistant.

May Valley Elementary

Parent Lending Library is available to parents for video check-outs. A variety of topics are available.

Floyd County Health Dept. nurse at school every Wednesday. Services include Head Start physicals, kindergarten physicals, 6th grade physicals, well-child physicals, immunizations, TB skin test, WIC program, blood pressure checks, and more. Must call the FRC at 285-0321 for an appointment.

McDowell Elementary and Family Resource Center

Floyd County Health Department Nurse Joy Moore, is at the center each Monday to administer immunizations, T.B. skin tests, well-child exams, WIC, prenatal and post-partum services, and school physicals. Call 377-2678 for an appointment.

Mountain Christian Academy
Mountain Christian Academy is a non-denominational Christian school.

Now accepting applications for enrollment for Kindergarten for the 2005-06 school year. Call 285-5141 for more information.

Prestonsburg Elementary and Family Resource Center

Feb. 7 - SBDM Council meeting, 6 p.m., in school auditorium.

The Family Resource Center is open weekdays 8 a.m.-4 p.m., and later by appointment. Office provides services for all families, regardless of income.

After School Child Care, 3-6 p.m., school days.

Call 886-7088 for additional information regarding the Prestonsburg Elementary Family Resource Center or its programs.

Prestonsburg High School

Feb. 7 - April Graham, KHEAA Outreach Coordinator, will be in the PHS Media Center, at 6 p.m., to conduct a workshop on the topic of financial aid (FAFSA completion) and accessing KEES funds. Other relevant topics will be discussed as well. Refreshments provided. Call Ms. DeRossett, PHS Guidance Counselor, for more info.

Feb. 18 - PHS Varsity Basketball Cheer Clinic, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Registration at 10:30 a.m. For students preschool thru fifth grade. Location: PHS gymnasium. Learn basic cheer skills, receive free t-shirt and free admission to PHS vs. Magoffin game on Feb. 22. "Drop-ins" welcome, but must register and pay by Feb. 10 to ensure child receiving t-shirt. More info., call Leslie Ousley at 874-0317; Janice Hamilton at 478-2139; or Cindy Porter at 886-1642 or 226-3447.

South Floyd Youth Services Center

Feb. 8 - OPEN HOUSE, 5-7 p.m. FREE dinner; teacher/parent visitations. Date subject to change - watch

school marquee.

Floyd County Substance Abuse Counselor will be on the South Floyd campus each Tuesday. If you need to contact the counselor, please call the Youth Service Center.

Parent volunteer training will be conducted throughout the school year. Watch for dates to be announced. If you need training, call to set up an appointment.

School will be participating in the Food City "Apples for Students" program, please save your receipts.

Committee sign-ups may be done through the Youth Services Center office.

Walking track open to public (track closed during special events).

The center has a one-stop career station satellite that is available to the community as well as students.

Anyone interested in Adult Ed may contact the center for information.

All new students and visitors, stop by the Center, located on the South Floyd campus, Room 232, and see Mable Hall. Open 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Mon. thru Fri.

For more information call 452-9600 or 9607 and ask for Mable Hall, ext. 243, or Keith Smallwood, ext. 242.

Stumbo Elementary/Mud Creek Family Resource Center

FRC monthly Advisory Council meetings will be held the first Wednesday of each month, at 4 p.m. Call for more info.

Lost & Found located in Family Resource Center.

Resource Center hours are 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Parents and community members are welcome to visit. For questions, call 587-2233 - ask for Tristram Parsons, Center Coordinator, or Anita Tackett, Assistant.

The Piarist School

School is participating in Food City's "Apples for Students" program this year. This school/community partnership awards educational equipment

to schools that accumulate store register tapes. In past years, this program has awarded more than \$250 million in needed classroom learning tools FREE to participating schools. The Piarist School urges all parents and community members to support this invaluable program by sending their Food City register tapes to the school with their children, or by dropping them off at the school office. Register tapes will be collected until March 11, 2006. For more information, contact Audrey Collins at 285-3950.

W.D. Osborne "Rainbow Junction" Family Resource Center

Monday's, 6 p.m. - School and resource center will host a Family Literacy program. We will read and study about different cultures/themes and then work on a related craft/activity. Refreshments will be served. Call the resource center to sign up.

Wednesday's and Thursday's, 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., GED classes, in the Weeksbury Community Center. Classes are FREE.

Lost & Found: Located in the FRC. Items not claimed within two weeks become the property of the resource center.

If you would like more information on the programs and services offered by the FRC, please call or come by for a visit. Center is located in the main building at W.D. Osborne Elementary. Center hours are: Mon. thru Fri., 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Telephone: 452-4553; ask to speak with Cissy Williams (coordinator) or Karen Williams (clerk). You may also leave a message and we will return your call.

Wesley Christian School

Wesley Christian School and Infant/Toddler Care accepts infants and toddlers up to 2 years and Preschool age 2-4. Daycare hours: 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday thru Friday.

For additional information, call 874-8328. Summer office hours: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.



Family Medicine



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Acute labyrinthitis - common disorder with uncommon name

Question: A few weeks ago my wife woke up very dizzy. When she tried to get out of bed, she was so dizzy she almost fell down. She went to the doctor and was told she had an inner ear infection. He gave her some medicine and told her to stay quiet until she felt better. She is better but still dizzy. How long will this last? What caused this? Are there other things she can do to make the dizziness go away?

Answer: It sounds like your wife had what doctors call acute labyrinthitis. This disorder gets its name from a part of the inner ear called the vestibular

labyrinth. A brief description of a healthy vestibular labyrinth and how it works will help you better understand what can cause the type of dizziness you describe.

The vestibular labyrinth — located behind the eardrum — contains three interconnected semicircular canals or tubes. The three canals are hollow and contain a fluid that moves in response to head movement. On the inside surface of these canals are special hair-like nerve fibers and tiny calcium stones. When you move your head or stand up, the hair cells are bent by the weight of the stones or the movement of the fluid. This movement

of the hair cells transmits a signal to the brain that it can interpret as the movement and position of the head. With this information your brain is able to maintain proper balance.

In acute labyrinthitis something goes temporarily wrong with this complex system. The exact cause is not understood, but it is a relatively common medical problem. This disorder usually follows an upper respiratory infection, such as a cold, and is significantly more common in women. While it can occur at any age, the incidence increases in the 40s and beyond.

Generally this illness has a sudden onset, such as you describe with your wife. You wake up one morning and the normal movement of getting out of bed causes severe dizziness. Acute labyrinthitis is usually self-limiting, but many people continue to suffer through periods of dizziness for weeks to months after the acute

episode has subsided. In some people, the acute illness may have nausea and vomiting associated with the dizziness.

Diagnosis is usually made by a thorough physical exam. This may include some head moving maneuvers to see what positions or types of movement bring on the dizziness. Many times the doctor will order a head CT scan or MRI, especially if there has been recent head trauma, if there are extreme symptoms, or the illness is prolonged.

If everything points to acute labyrinthitis, then medications to calm the dizziness and help with the nausea are usually prescribed. A few days of bedrest will help the dizziness to resolve. Avoiding alcohol and smoking are usually advised as well. Some people need to be hospitalized if the vomiting is severe.

In the event that the dizziness lasts for several weeks following the acute phase, or if the dizziness is severe, your

doctor may recommend vestibular therapy. This consists of home exercises to strengthen the vestibular system and thus lessen the dizziness. Most people make a full recovery from acute labyrinthitis. The most common complication of this illness is bone fracture from falls due to the dizziness.

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Super Bowl

Method:

Combine all ingredients and toss gently to mix. Cover and let stand for about 1 hour to blend flavors. Serve with chips or use as a topping on quesadillas, burritos, or refried beans.

Layered Taco Dip

Ingredients:

- 16 oz. can refried beans
- 1 cup salsa
- 2 cups sour cream
- 2 avocados
- 2 Tbsp. lime or lemon juice
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 2 Tbsp. sour cream
- 1 cup salsa
- 2 cups shredded lettuce
- 2 tomatoes, chopped
- 2 cups shredded Pepper Jack cheese
- Tortilla chips

Method:

In medium bowl, mix beans and 1 cup salsa and spread evenly on 12-inch round platter. Top with 2 cups sour cream. Mash avocados with lime juice, garlic and 2 Tbsp. sour cream. Spread over sour cream on platter. Top with remaining 1 cup salsa. Sprinkle with lettuce, then tomatoes and cheese. Refrigerate 2 hours to blend flavors, then serve with tortilla chips and vegetables. Serves 10-12.

(Hint: When spreading the different dips on the platter, make each new layer slightly smaller than the one before, so all the different colors and

textures show!)

Crockpot Beer Cheese Dip

Ingredients:

- 1/2 cup beer
- 1/4 tsp. Tabasco sauce
- 1 lb. process cheese spread loaf, cut into cubes

Method:

Mix all ingredients in 1-2 quart slow cooker. Cover and cook on high for 40 minutes or until cheese melts. Stir until mixture is smooth. Scrape down cooker sides.

Turn heat to low. Dip will hold for 4 hours if stirred occasionally. Serve with tortilla chips, pretzels, breadsticks or crackers.

Layered BLT Dip

Ingredients:

- 8 oz. pkg. cream cheese, softened
- 1/2 cup mayonnaise
- 1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese
- 1 cup torn lettuce
- 8 slices bacon, cooked crisp and crumbled
- 4 plum tomatoes, chopped
- 4 green onions, chopped
- 1-1/2 cups shredded cheddar cheese

Method:

Combine cream cheese, mayonnaise, and Parmesan cheese in small bowl. Spread onto serving plate. Top with lettuce, cooked bacon, plum tomatoes, green onions, and cheddar cheese.

Chill until serving. Great served with crisp breadsticks for dipping or hot, toasted slices of garlic bread.

Layered Pizza Dip

Ingredients:

- 8 oz. container soft cream cheese with garlic
- 1/2 cup pizza sauce
- 1 green bell pepper, chopped
- 1/2 cup chopped pepperoni
- 1 cup shredded mozzarella cheese
- 1 cup shredded cheddar cheese
- 1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese

Method:

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Layer ingredients in order given in ovenproof pie plate. Bake at 350 degrees for 10-15 minutes or until dip is hot and bubbling and cheese is melted. Serve with toasted garlic breadsticks or hot, crusty garlic bread slices.

Spicy Crockpot Chicken Drumsticks

Ingredients:

- 2 lb. chicken drumsticks, thawed if frozen
- 1/2 cup chili sauce
- 3 Tbsp. honey
- 1 Tbsp. Worcestershire sauce
- 1/4 tsp. cayenne pepper
- 3 drops hot pepper sauce
- 3 cloves garlic, minced
- 1 jalapeno pepper, seeded and minced

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around each of the bread rolls. Secure the rolls with oven-proof toothpicks and arrange on prepared baking sheet.

Bake at 375 degrees until bacon is crisp, 8-11 minutes. Makes 25 appetizers.

(Hint: To freeze ahead, prepare rolls, then freeze in single layer on cookie sheet without baking them. Bake at 375 degrees for 11-16 minutes until hot and browned.)

Chocolate Football Treats

Ingredients:

- 4 tablespoons unsalted butter
- 10 oz. miniature marshmallows
- 6 cups crispy rice cereal
- Cooking spray
- White decorator icing or gel

Method:

Melt butter in medium sauce pan over low heat. Add marshmallows and stir until melted. Add cereal to pan and continue stirring until evenly coated with marshmallow mixture. Remove from heat. Lightly spray hands with cooking spray. Test for comfortable temperature before handling cereal mixture. Form 1/4 cup portions of mixture into football shapes with both hands and place on platter. Use frosting to create laces on top. Makes approximately 2 dozen footballs.

(Hint: Use cocoa flavored cereal krispies for color.)

Recipes courtesy of About.com/buzzcooks

BSCTC Dean's List

Prestonsburg - Big Sandy Community and Technical College (BSCTC) would like to announce the Dean's List for Floyd County students for Fall 2005. To earn a place on the Full Time Student's Dean's List a student must successfully complete 12 KCTCS semester credits or more for a semester, earn at least a 3.5 grade point average (GPA) and successfully complete 12 hours or more of course work numbered 100 or above for the academic term.

BSCTC Dean's List Fall 2005

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Get "In the Mood" for Valentine's Day

Enjoy the music of Glenn Miller, Tommy Dorsey, Artie Shaw, Benny Goodman, Harry James, Erskin Hawkins, The Andrews Sisters, Frank Sinatra, and more during "In the Mood." The Greater Hazard Area Performing Arts Series announces a re-scheduled date for the 1940s musical revue "In The Mood." The new date will be Friday, Feb. 10, at 7:30 p.m. at The Forum in the Hal Rogers Center.

More than a concert, In The Mood is a Big Band Theatrical Swing Revue. In The Mood began as a celebration of an unusual era in American music, the 1940s—the Swing Era. On radio, in theaters and ballrooms, the Big Bands were drawing record crowds. Vocal groups and soloists sang a repertoire of great songs, and for the last time in this century, the entire country shared a common popular

music. This body of song did much to sustain national morale during World War II, the pivotal event of the '40s. The National Archives brought In The Mood to their audiences as part of their commemoration of the 50th Anniversary of WWII, and the response was extraordinary, with crowds lining up for hours before curtain time. The engagement was twice

extended to extra performances. The Performing Arts Series is excited to be a part of this live tour to present for a Valentine's Day performance!

The event sponsors of In The Mood are Super 8 Motel, Community Trust Bank, and Pine Branch Coal and the series underwriters are City of Hazard, Mayor Bill Gorman, Hazard Clinic, Peoples Bank & Trust Co. & Perry Distributors, Inc.

The Kentucky Arts Council, a state agency in the Commerce Cabinet, provides operational support funding for the Greater Hazard Area Performing Arts Series with state tax credits and federal funding from the National Endowment for the Arts.

For information about group rates for these performances, contact Tammy Duff, performing arts series director, at 866-9067 or 800-246-7521, ext. 73007.

Local attends Frankfort meeting

Ms. Mary Trimble, left, of Prestonsburg, was pleased to meet U.S. Sen. Elizabeth Tori, right, at a meeting of the Special Advisory Commission of Senior Citizens, held November 3-4, in Frankfort. Sen. Tori addressed participants during an evening dinner meeting at which time she took the opportunity to speak of the threat of bio-terrorism and natural disasters. The focus of the special commission meeting was to encourage legislators to increase funding for senior citizens.



enable seniors to remain in their homes rather than be admitted to nursing care facilities.

Paintsville Lake visitor assistance information

The U. S. Army Corps of Engineers is listing the following telephone numbers and web sites important to visitors in obtaining information on or about activities at Paintsville Lake.

U. S. Army Corps of Engineers Resource Manager's Office/Visitor Center
Address: 1000 N. Dixie Hwy., Paintsville, TN 37860
Phone: 606-338-3333
Fax: 606-338-3334
Internet Address: <http://www.lrlh.usace.army.mil>

297-6323, Fax: 606-297-6305
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FIRST STEPS (Kentucky's Early Intervention System) in the Big Sandy area is seeking qualified therapists in PT, OT, and Speech to provide services for children birth to three years old. All positions are available by contract only. For further information you may contact Annette Lane Bartley a.lanebartle@moreheadstate.edu or phone 606-725-4180.

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 R.E. Michel, Company INC, a leading wholesale distributor of heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration equipment & parts with over 180 branch locations in 22 eastern states, has a career opportunity in our Allen, KY branch for a FULL TIME inside sales person. We are looking for an

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FOR SALE 2 Lots for sale (joining) sold as one. Stone Crest Golf Course, 889-6543.

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FOR SALE 2001 Clayton 14x70 MH w/ 2BR & 2BA total electric w/land and septic system. Lot 100ftx119ft located at Langley KY. 2 decks and is landscaped. Asking \$27,500. Call 606-434-0045 after 3pm or call 606-285-9510.

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FOR RENT Nice townhouse apt, 2BR 1.5BA, stove, refrigerator, DW, W/D hook-up, city limits at 23 & 80. \$550/mo plus utilities. \$275 dep. No pets. 1 year lease. Call 606-237-4758.

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FOR RENT 2 BR 1.5 BA CH/A on US 23 1 mile n. of P-burg. Dep required. No pets. 886-9007 or 889-9747.

640- Land/Lots

Trailer lot for rent on old U.S. 23 between Prestonsburg and Paintsville call 606-886-9007 or 889 9747

Trailer Lot For Rent, Large Yard. Call 886-8366

For Rent : newly constructed Mobile Home Lots in new Allen, reference required call 606-874-2212

650- Mobile Homes

FOR RENT 2BR MH at RT 80 Garrett. Call 385-9351.

FOR RENT 2 BR MH partially furn. w/ stove, refrigerator, gas & water pd. no

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FOR RENT LRG 3 BR 2 BA trailer. Good cond. Close to P-burg. \$375/mo. plus utilities. Dep/ renters ins. required. Serious inquiries only. 874-9691.

FOR RENT 2BR MH Right Fork Bull Creek \$350/ mo. \$250/ dep. Call 889-0036.

FOR RENT electric heat. 3 BR 874-9757.

FOR RENT: MH 14 x 80 3 BR 2 BA 886-8366.

SERVICES

713-Elderly Care

MOUNTAIN MANOR nursing home of Paintsville Kentucky, a long term care facility, will accept residents and render services without distinction due to race, color, national origin, handicapping condition or age. Patient referrals can be made at the facility at 1025 Euclid Avenue, Paintsville, Kentucky or by phone 606-789-5808.

745- Misc.

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770-Repair/Services

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LEGALS

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE PURSUANT TO APPLICATION NO. 836-0308 AMENDMENT NO. 1

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Motts Branch Coal, Inc., P.O. Box 2765, 436 Daniels Creek Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41502, has applied for an amendment to an existing surface coal mining and reclamation operation, located 4.5 miles northwest of Hueysville, in Floyd County. The amendment will add an additional 22.7 acres of surface disturbance, and will add an additional 12.1 underground acres, making the total area within the permit boundary, 485.0 acres.

The amendment area is approximately 1.8 mile northwest from Route 2029's junction with KY Route 7, and located in Plummer Branch and Raccoon Branch of Saltlick Creek.

The proposed amendment is located on the David and Handshoe U.S.G.S. 7-1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The amendment will use the contour strip and highwall/auger methods of mining. The surface area is owned by Sylvia Warrix and Knott Floyd Land Company, Inc. The operation will affect an area within 100 feet of public road KY 7. The operation will not involve relocation of the public road.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for

Natural Resources, Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, No. 2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

This is the final advertisement of this application, all comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be received within 30 days of this date.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE PURSUANT TO APPLICATION NO. 836-0303, AMENDMENT NO. 2

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Frasure Creek Mining, LLC, 1051 Main Street, Suite 100, Milton, West Virginia 25541, has applied for an amendment to an existing surface and auger coal mining and reclamation operation, located near Craynor of Floyd County. The amendment will add 112.54 acres of surface disturbance, and will underlie an additional 322.30 acres, of which 223.62 acres underlie surface and/or auger in another seam, making a total area of 795.68 acres within the amended permit boundary.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.5 mile south from KY Route 979's junction with Dry Branch Road, and is located within Dry Branch of Mud Creek, Mink Branch of Mud Creek, and at the head of Gap Fork of Neds Fork of Frasure Creek.

The proposed amendment is located on the McDowell USGS 7-1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The surface area to be disturbed by the amendment is owned by F. W. Newsom Heirs, Walker Tackett, et al., Hershel and Kathryn Tackett, Roger and Shirley Paige, Maggie Hamilton, Carmel and Marie Clark, Anthony and LuAnn Tackett, Daniel and Kathleen Newsome, Purvis and Ruby Hamilton, Levi and Melonie Blankenship, Bobby and Sharon Paige, Richard Hamilton, et al., and Arnold Turner Jr., et al. The amendment will underlie land owned by F. W. Newsome Heirs, Hershel and Kathryn Tackett, Roger and Shirley Paige, Daniel and Kathleen Newsome, Maggie Hamilton, Carmel and Marie Clark, Bobby and Sharon Paige, Richard Hamilton, et al., and Arnold Turner Jr., et al.

The operation will use the area, contour, and extended depth auger method of surface mining. The amendment

application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources' Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Mine Permits, No. 2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

This is the final advertisement of the application. All comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be received within 30 days of today's date.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE PURSUANT TO APPLICATION NO. 898-4138 AMENDMENT NO. 3

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Landmark Mining Company Inc., P.O. Box 460, Shelbiana, Kentucky 41562, has applied for an amendment to an existing underground coal mining and reclamation operation, located 4.0 miles west of Robinson Creek, and is situated in both Pike and Floyd County. The amendment will add 0 acres of surface disturbance area and 163.57 acres of underground acreage, making a total area of 2,208.01 acres within the amended permit boundary.

The proposed amendment area is approximately 2.0 miles west from Bear Fork Road's junction with KY 610, and located 0.4 mile north of Sam Hall Branch.

The proposed amendment is located on the Pikeville/McDowell USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. No surface area will be disturbed by the amendment. The operation will underlie land owned by Appalachian Land Company, Vernon K. and Ray Slone, Alma Land Company, Casey and Dakota Newsome Heirs, Eliza Jane Rogers Estate, Louise Spears, Ansel Hall, Elmer Hall, Edward Hall, Verniece H. Akers, Walter and Oma Keathley, and Ray and Kelly Slone.

The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional Office, 121 Mays Branch Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of Mine Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

This is the final advertisement of the application. All com-

ments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be received within 30 days of today's date.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE PURSUANT TO APPLICATION NO. 836-5423 OPERATOR CHANGE

In accordance with the provisions of 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Frasure Creek Mining, LLC, 1051 Main Street, Suite 100, Milton, West Virginia 25541, intends to revise Permit No. 836-5423, to add an operator. The operator presently approved in the permit is Double C Enterprises, Inc., 1720 Wolfpit Branch Road, Elkhorn City, Kentucky 41522. This operator revision will add Foggy Mountain Coal Co., Inc., 14551 Elkhorn Creek Road, Shelby Gap, Kentucky 41563, as an operator on the site.

The operation is located 3.6 miles southeast of McDowell in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 1.50 mile southeast from KY Route 1929's junction with Ned Fork County Road, and located along Poplarlick Fork of Frasure Creek. The operation is located on the McDowell USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map at latitude 37°24'20" and longitude 82°41'35".

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources' Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, No. 2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's date.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE PURSUANT TO APPLICATION NO. 836-5437 OPERATOR CHANGE

In accordance with the provisions of 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Frasure Creek Mining, LLC, 1051 Main Street, Suite 100, Milton, West Virginia 25541, intends to revise Permit No. 836-5437, to add an operator. The operator presently approved in the permit is Frasure Creek Mining LLC, 1051 Main Street, Suite 100, Milton, West Virginia 25541. The new operator will be Gem Stone Mining, LLC, P.O. Box 900, Belfry, Kentucky 41514.

The operation is located 2.50 miles northwest of Minnie, in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 1.74 mile

southeast from KY State Route 80's junction with KY State Route 680, and is located along Gosling Branch. The operation is located on the Wayland USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map, at latitude 37°29'08" and longitude 82°47'37".

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources' Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Permits, No. 2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's date.

ORDINANCE NO. 1-2006

An Ordinance Enacting and Adopting a Supplement to the Code of Ordinances of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

WHEREAS, American Legal Publishing Corporation of Cincinnati, Ohio, has completed the 2005 supplement to the Code of Ordinances of the City of Prestonsburg, which supplement contains all ordinances of a general nature enacted since the prior supplement to the Code of Ordinances of this municipality; and, WHEREAS, American Legal Publishing Corporation has recommended the revision or addition of certain sections of the Code of Ordinances which are based on or make references to sections of the Kentucky Revised Statutes, and, WHEREAS, it is the intent of Council to accept these updated sections in accordance with the changes of the law of the Commonwealth of Kentucky; and,

Now, Therefore, Be It Ordained by the City of Prestonsburg: Section 1. That the 2005 supplement to the Code of Ordinances of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, as submitted by American Legal Publishing Corporation of Cincinnati, is hereby adopted.

Section 2. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force and after its date of passage, approval and publication as required by law.

Passed this 23rd day of January, 2006.

Jerry Fannin, Mayor
Sharon Schoolcraft, City Clerk

NOTICE TO UNKNOWN HEIRS OF DELLA RENE DAVIDSON WARNING ORDER

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned attorney has been appointed to notify the Unknown and Unnamed Heirs of Della Rene Davidson and Defendant, Herman Jones, that a civil action has been filed against him in Floyd Circuit Court, Division I, as C.A. No.: 05-CI-00257. Said Defendants must immediately file an Answer in this matter, otherwise, judgment may be entered against them. Said Defendants should contact the undersigned attorney immediately.

Anthony Craig Davis
Davis Law Office
104 Hays Complex
P.O. Box 220
Betsy Layne, KY
41605
Office (606) 478-1002

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Section 2. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption and publication, as required by law.

Section 3. All Ordinances or any parts in conflict with the provisions herein, are expressly repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Adopted this 23rd day of January, 2006.

Jerry Fannin, Mayor
Attest:
Sharon Schoolcraft, City Clerk

ORDINANCE NO. 3-2006
An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky, establishing a Regular Meeting Time of the City Council to be the Second and Fourth Monday of Each Month, at 6:00 p.m.

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REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The Big Sandy Area Development District is receiving bid proposals for providing Adult Day Care/Alzheimer's Respite Services to the elderly in the Big Sandy Area Development District for fiscal year 2007 through 2008, covering the period July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2008.

Proposals are being solicited and accepted for FY07 contracts. Contracts will be awarded for one-year duration. The awarding of contracts for FY07 will be based upon the merit of the proposals submitted, previous program performance and/or experience, and the availability of funds. The awarding of contracts for FY07 and FY08 will be based upon the merit of the application proposals submitted, previous program performance, and the availability of funds.

Bid Proposal Packets may be picked up at Big Sandy Area Development District, 100 Resource Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. All bid proposals (Original and a digital copy) must be received at the Big Sandy Area Development District office by 4:00 p.m. EST, Friday, February 17, 2006.

Please direct all questions and correspondence as well as the original and a digital copy of the proposal to: Liz Hamilton, Big Sandy Area Development District, 110 Resource Court, Prestonsburg, KY 41653, Phone: 886-2374 or 1-800-737-2723.

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Attest:
Sharon Schoolcraft, City Clerk

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Sandy Valley Transportation Services, Inc. (SVTS), will host a Public Hearing at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, February 16, 2006, at the Jenny Wiley State Park, May Lodge, Prestonsburg, Kentucky. The Public Hearing is for the consideration of grant applications for federal funds for capital and operating assistance for the period of July 1, 2006, to June 30, 2007, for rural community transportation services in the Big Sandy valley area, including Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Pike counties.

There is no significant environmental impact. Regulations regarding the disabled and the elderly shall be complied with accordingly. Comments may be made in person or through written submission. The grant applications will be available at the SVTS office, 81 Resource Court, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, on April 1, 2006.

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ORDINANCE NO. 2-2006

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, BY WHICH THE CITY ANNEXES INTO THE CITY CORPORATE LIMITS CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY LOCATED ON STEPHENS BRANCH.

WHEREAS, property owners within that certain tract and boundary of unincorporated territory as more specifically described herein below, and as reflected by the Annexation Map hereto attached as Exhibit "A", have given prior consent in writing and petitioned the City for annexation and incorporation into the city limits of Prestonsburg said property; and,

WHEREAS, the area as hereinbelow more particularly described, and reflected in Exhibit "A" hereto (Proposed Annexation Map) lies adjacent to or is contiguous to the City of Prestonsburg's current boundaries; and,

WHEREAS, the Prestonsburg City Council having considered the matter and determined after due discussion and deliberation that it is in the best interest of the City and best interest of the property owners whose property is contained within the area proposed to be annexed; and

WHEREAS, the City Council, through passage of this ordinance set forth herein below, declares it desirable to annex into the corporate limits of the City of Prestonsburg that certain area more fully described below;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED AND IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY, AS FOLLOWS:

Section I. The City of Prestonsburg does hereby annex into the municipal corporate limits the property described as follows:

DEED DESCRIPTION

Stephens Branch Annexation Revised January 30, 2006

A certain tract(s) or parcel(s) of land lying along Stephen's Branch Road of Stephen's Branch of the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River near Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the center of Stephens Branch, said point being a corner common with John McDowell property, (Deed Book 412, Page 148) and Melissa Crider Home and Christina Lee Crider (Deed Book 468, Page 497) and in the property line of Jefferson and Dreama Buchanan (Deed Book 442, Page 531); thence leaving Stephens Branch and the Buchanan line, and with the Home/Crider line and running up the hill, S 04° 18' 22" E, 555.92' to a point in the center of the point, said point being a corner to the Mike and Judy Calhoun property, (Deed Book 370, Page 179, Deed Book 324, Page 622 and Deed Book 296, Page 322); thence with the Home/Crider property and the

Mike and Judy Calhoun line, down the hill, N 31° 16' 15" E, 556.38' to a point in the center of Stephens Branch; thence leaving the Home/Crider property and following the Meanders of the Center of Stephens Branch, in a Southeasterly Direction for approximately 697' to a point in the center of Stephens Branch, said point being a corner to the Mike and Judy Calhoun property and Ruth S. Hall, (Deed Book 244, Page 145); thence leaving Stephen Branch and running up the hill with the Ruth S. Hall line, S 59° 40' 59" W, 749.35' to a point in the center of a small point; thence S 80° 12' 59" W, 220.38' to a point in the center of the ridge, said point being on the line of said John McDowell property; thence leaving Mike and Judy Calhoun's line, with the John McDowell and Ruth S. Hall line, S 13° 08' 20" W, 191.69' to a point on the center of the ridge, said point being a corner common with David and Shirley DeRossett (Deed Book 478, Page 359); thence leaving the Ruth S. Hall property, with the John McDowell and David and Shirley DeRossett's line and following the center of the ridge, S 42° 53' 58" W, 370.81' to a point, said point being a corner to David and Shirley DeRossett (Deed Book 414, Page 314); thence S 42° 53' 58" 84.82' to a point; thence S 64° 11' 10" W, 100.05' to a point, said point being a corner to the Nancy Cooley property (Deed Book 503, Page 701 and Deed Book 220, Page 266); thence leaving the DeRossett property, and with the Cooley line and the center of the ridge, S 64° 11' 10" W, 247.13' a corner of the Existing City of Prestonsburg Corporation Limits (City Ordinance 3-77); thence leaving the Cooley line, and with the Corporation Line and center of the ridge, S 83° 59' 49" W, 251.41' to a point in the center of a low gap, said point being a corner with the Kelly and Priscilla Sue Moore property. (Deed Book 209, Page 555 (portion of) and Deed Book 257, Page 284); thence leaving the John McDowell property and with the City of Prestonsburg Corporation line, Kelly Moore's line and the Center of the ridge, N 81° 25' 23"

W, 128.26' to a point; thence N 70° 01' 23" W, 358.26' to a point on a small knob, said point being a common corner between said Kelly and Priscilla Sue Moore, the City of Prestonsburg Corporation and Edmond and Maggie Blackburn, (Deed Book 366, Page 224); thence leaving the City of Prestonsburg Corporation line and small knob and down the center of a point with the Blackburn and Moore line N 10° 23' 32" E, 153.97' to a point; thence N 31° 55' 01" W, 230.44' to a point; thence down the point N 03° 53' 55" W, 828.94' to a point, said point being on the southern edge of Stephens Branch Road; thence leaving the Blackburn property and with the edge of Stephens Branch Road, N 75° 16' 23" E, 143.39' to a point, said point being a corner to the Martha Ellis property (Deed Book 495, Page 212); thence with the Martha Ellis and Kelly Moore line, S 62° 21' 07" E, 78.16' to a point; thence S 16° 22' 18" E, 89.81' to a point; thence N 56° 04' 31" E, 96.09' to a point; thence N 73° 15' 56" E, 49.27' to a point; thence N 63° 57' 50" E, 63.38' to a point; thence S 63° 25' 31" E, 179.70' to a point, said point being a corner to Wayne and Connie Young's property (Deed Book 347, Page 557); thence leaving the Martha Ellis line and with the Wayne and Connie Young line, S 20° 10' 57" E, 110.00' to a point, said point being a corner to the Mark and Hazel Boatwright property (Deed Book 484, Page 426); thence leaving Wayne and Connie Young's line and with the Kelly Moore and Mark and Hazel Boatwright lines, S 10° 18' 00" E, 400.00' to a point; thence N 63° 20' 03" E, 100.00' to a point in the ditch; thence with the meanders, of said ditch in a Northerly Direction for approximately 383' to an Iron Pin/Cap marked "Abbott Engineering, PLS #2878", (set by previous survey), said iron pin being a corner common with Kelly and Priscilla Sue Moore (Deed Book 209, Page 555 (portion of); thence S 69° 49' 03" W, 19.97' to an Iron Pin/Cap marked "Abbott Engineering, PLS #2878", (set by previous survey) said iron pin being 3' from the edge of pavement and being the

right of way line of Kelly Court Road; thence leaving the Mark and Hazel Boatwright property and with the Kelly Court Road right of way line and Kelly Moore's line, N 25° 23' 04" W, 82.75' to an Iron Pin/Cap marked "Abbott Engineering, PLS #2878", (set by previous survey), thence N 16° 27' 55" W, 41.07' to a P.K. Nail (set by previous survey) in a paved driveway; thence N 11° 42' 28" W, 30.09' to a point; thence N 04° 38' 36" W, 57.38' to an iron pin/Cap, marked "Abbott Engineering, PLS #2878", (set by previous survey) and being near the southwest corner of the Moore Family Cemetery (Deed Book 209, Page 555); thence N 01° 26' 11" W, 59.09' to a Wooden Fence Post, said fence post being the northwest corner of said Moore Family Cemetery and being a corner to William and Della Hitchcock property (Deed Book 303, Page 245); thence with the Hitchcock line and fence of the Moore Family Cemetery, S 88° 01' 59" W, 94.02' to the corner of the fence, said corner being a corner of said William and Della Hitchcock property and on the lines of said Jefferson and Dreama Buchanan and John McDowell; thence leaving the Kelly Moore line and with the Hitchcock and John McDowell line, N 30° 15' 22" E, 49.61' to a point; thence N 44° 36' 29" E, 92.59' to a point in the center of Stephens Branch and being on the line of said Jefferson and Dreama Buchanan, thence leaving the Hitchcock line and following the Buchanan line with the meanders of the center of Stephens Branch in an Easterly Direction for approximately 912'+/- to the point of beginning, containing 52.00 acres more or less.

Annexation Map attached hereto as Exhibit "A" reflects the descriptions as hereinabove stated and is incorporated herein by reference as a part hereof.

Section III. Upon enactment of this ordinance the territory shall become a part of the City of Prestonsburg in accordance with KRS 81A.412.

SO RESOLVED, ORDAINED, AND ADOPTED, THIS 23rd DAY OF JANUARY 2006.

Jerry Fannin,
Mayor
Attest:
Sharon Schoolcraft,
City Clerk

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