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briefs

Seum mulls run for governor

FRANKFORT — A Louisville Republican who helped shift the balance in the state Senate when he left the Democratic Party in 1999 is considering a run for governor next year, he said Wednesday.

Sen. Dan Seum, R-Louisville, said a "considerable amount of people" have contacted him about possibly challenging Gov. Ernie Fletcher in next year's governor's race. And, he's in the "very early stages" of consideration, Seum said.

"There are people in the commonwealth that are looking for a true Republican conservative that understands that government should be about helping the working men and women of the commonwealth," Seum said in a telephone interview with The Associated Press.

A spokeswoman for Fletcher's campaign did not immediately return a call seeking comment.

With his election in 2003, Fletcher became the state's first GOP governor in more than 30 years. However, Fletcher was politically weakened in the aftermath of a 15-month investigation into allegations his administration steered protected state jobs to political supporters.

Duncan picked for No. 2 national GOP post

by ALEX SMITH
STAFF WRITER

WASHINGTON, D.C. — The Republican National Committee will vote in January to decide whether to accept President George W. Bush's selections to head the committee, which would include promoting Inez native and current general counsel Robert "Mike" Duncan to chairman.

Duncan has held the position as general counsel of the RNC since July 2002. If confirmed, Duncan would run the daily operations and work in the second highest position in the RNC behind Florida Sen. Mel Martinez, who Bush has tabbed the next general chairman and the voice of the Republican Party. "Duncan has been involved with

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Mike Duncan, of Inez, second from left, met with President Bush Tuesday after Bush picked him to serve as chairman of the national Republican Party.

COSTLY CRASH



A truck driver for Schneider National fell asleep at the wheel Wednesday and crashed into a recreation vehicle lot on southbound U.S. 23 in Lawrence County. The back tires of the 18-wheeler were ripped off as the semi slid over 100 yards in a ditch on the side of the highway, stopped only by crashing into and destroying seven RVs.

photo by Alex Smith

Police warn locals of lotto scam

by JESSICA HALE
STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — The Prestonsburg Department of Public Safety has issued a message for members of the community which urges them to beware of any mysterious prize winning letters they may receive in their mail.

Prestonsburg City Police have been receiving numerous complaints from residents regarding a phony

prize winning letter they have received in their mail from Consolidated Gaming Management and Payment Center. Police are urging people to take caution if they should receive anything from this likely illegitimate company.

The letter contains a check and leads the resident to believe they have won a cash prize. It lists a contact number which, when

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David VFD receives forest fire grant

by JESSICA HALE
STAFF WRITER

DAVID — The David Volunteer Fire Department recently received a grant from the Kentucky Division of Forestry for assistance with purchasing equipment needed to fight fires in that area.

Gov. Ernie Fletcher announced on Monday that the David Fire Department

would be receiving a Volunteer Fire Assistance Grant totaling \$737. The grant, which is funded by the U.S. Department of Agriculture Forest Service through the Kentucky Division of Forestry, is provided to fire departments in communities of 10,000 or fewer people for the purchase of wildland fire sup-

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Local woman's gospel single finding success

by JESSICA HALE
STAFF WRITER

NASHVILLE — Faith in a higher power and a love for gospel music have proven to make one young woman's dream of having her voice heard around the country come true.

Crystal Collins, of Betsy Layne, along with the Eddie Crook Company, released a southern gospel single in May which has done very well and has been given airplay nationwide. A substantial amount of radio stations have added the song "He Picked Me Up" at medium play, which means the song is being played every two hours.

A representative with Patterson Music Promotions, the company promoting the single said, "It is highly



Crystal Collins

unusual for a brand new artist with her very first single to have this much airplay."

Collins says she's not really worried about breaking into the business, but only wants to touch hearts and feels that the Lord is helping her do that.

Collins signed a recording contract with the Eddie Crook Company in late July and her music will be on a label called "Cedar Hill." Also, her self-penned song "Heavenly Connection" will be on the album. The song is now being published with Leemike Music BMI in Nashville and will go out as her new single in January.

Recently, Collins appeared on

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Amy Tufts Jervis was sworn into office as an assistant county attorney for Floyd County Wednesday morning by Judge James R. Allen. She graduated in May from Appalachian School of Law in Grundy, Va.

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Panel says Fletcher signed off on plan to violate hiring laws

by JOE BIESK
ASSOCIATED PRESS

FRANKFORT — Gov. Ernie Fletcher's rivals may have been handed a cache of political ammunition Wednesday that could be used in an attempt to derail the Republican governor's bid for a second term.

A local circuit judge on Wednesday released a final report by the Franklin County special grand jury that spent more than a year investigating Fletcher on allegations protected state jobs improperly went to his political supporters. The document summarizes the panel's work since it was established in June 2005.

And, it contained "fairly damaging things" as far as Fletcher's concerned, said Michael Baranowski, a political scientist at Northern Kentucky University. No matter who challenges Fletcher next year some, if not all, of the probe is likely to become an issue in the 2007 governor's race, Baranowski said.

"You can almost create a dozen or so ad campaigns out of that," Baranowski said of the 10-page report.

Among its findings, the grand jury's report determined Fletcher's administration engaged in a "widespread political patronage" scheme that was intended to skirt the state's Merit System.

Kentucky's Merit System was created in 1960, designed to insulate state civil service employees from politics. State law says personnel decisions within the system are supposed to be based on job candidates' qualifications, not politics.

Fletcher, in Japan on an economic development mission, released a statement shortly after the grand jury report became public, saying it contained "the same old stuff."

Spokeswoman Jodi Whitaker said Fletcher had not seen the report but had discussed it with his lawyers. Whitaker read a prepared statement on Fletcher's behalf.

"Given that the prosecutors have dropped all charges, the document reads more like a savvy litany of political sound bites rather than a legal document of purported evidence," Fletcher said in a statement. "Under normal circumstances, I would vigorously object. However, it is best for the commonwealth that this chapter is concluded."

The grand jury returned 29 indictments during its investigation and charged Fletcher with criminal conspiracy, official misconduct and political discrimination. Fletcher's charges were later dropped after an agreement with prosecutors. Fletcher issued a blanket pardon for everyone in his administration, other than himself, who could have faced charges stemming from the investigation.

Attorney General Greg Stumbo, whose office assisted the grand jury with the probe, has said prosecutors agreed to the dismissal of Fletcher's charges because they did not believe he would ever stand trial. A court order had declared Fletcher could not be tried while in office.

"He has the power to pardon himself and we felt like that he would do so before he left office," Stumbo said at the time.

Stumbo was unavailable for comment Wednesday, his spokeswoman said.

Fletcher has maintained the investigation was politically motivated and has blamed the investigation on Stumbo, one of his potential Democratic gubernatorial challengers. Stumbo has said he expects to make a decision by December on whether he will run for governor.

The grand jury disputed the notion its work was motivated by politics.

"We heard several times that this investigation was 'political,'" the grand jury said. "It was only political to the extent that Governor Fletcher took something that should remain nonpolitical (the merit system) and created his own political patron-

age machine." The grand jury said candidates seeking new jobs or promotions were hurt by the scheme.

"People were wrongfully fired and demoted. Others were transferred to distant locations to pressure them to retire or resign. People less qualified were hired simply because they supported Governor Fletcher financially or politically," the report said.

But, certain administration officials were told to ensure Fletcher's political supporters were hired for such jobs, according to the report. That would ensure that if Fletcher was not re-elected "there wouldn't be as many Democrats in state government," the report said.

Many times, Fletcher's supporters were put in jobs and paid more than what was normal, the grand jury found.

"In some cases, the administration had to raise the pay of other state workers because of salaries given to political supporters," the report said. "We view this as waste, fraud and abuse of the highest order."

State Democratic Party chairman Jerry Lundergan said the report reaffirmed what had already been reported on the administration's personnel activities. And there was "no doubt" the investigation would resurface, Lundergan said.

"I don't think Democrats or Republicans want to see anybody who is in the governor's chair misuse the Merit System, and I think Mr. Fletcher will have to answer that question," Lundergan said. "He's going to have to. I think it's a serious problem for him."

Still, Baranowski said Fletcher could be helped by the timing report's release.

"It's definitely damaging and probably the only good thing for Governor Fletcher from his point of view is that it's out now as opposed to several months from now when it could hurt even worse," Baranowski said.

Obituaries

Wiley (Jack) Sparkman

Wiley (Jack) Sparkman, 79, of Melvin, died Thursday, November 2, 2006, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Healthcare.

Born January 20, 1927, in Knott County, he was the son of the late John and Laura Belle Slone Sparkman. He was a retired coal miner.

He is survived by his wife, Rita Johnson Sparkman.

Other survivors include two brothers: Willie Sparkman and Albert Sparkman, both of Pippa Passes; a sister, Alberta Huff; and several nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers: Arie Sparkman and Adam Sparkman; and four sisters: Mae Slone, June Sparkman, and two infants.

Funeral services were held Monday, November 6, at 1 p.m., at the Joppa Old Regular Baptist Church, in Melvin, with Old Regular Baptist ministers officiating.

Burial was in the Tilton Johnson Family Cemetery, in Melvin, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin.

Visitation was Friday, November 3, at 6 p.m., at the church, with nightly services at 6:30 p.m. (Paid obituary)

Braskan Hall Yonts

Braskan Hall Yonts, age 92, of Deane, widow of Lonzo Yonts, passed away Tuesday, November 14, 2006, at her residence.

She was born July 12, 1914 in Kite, the daughter of the late H. C. Hall and Margaret Hall. She was a homemaker, and a member of the Little Rock Old Regular Baptist Church, in Bevinville.

Survivors include four sons: Charles E. (Jean) Yonts of Columbia Station, Ohio, Dannel (Sonia) Yonts of Spencer, Ohio, Thomas L. (Yvonne) Yonts of Bevinville, and Larry (Teresa) Yonts of Deane; four daughters: Carine (Paul) Blaskay of Mulberry, Florida, Essalene (Paul) Monette of Jacksonville, Florida, Mabelline Yonts of Kodak, Tennessee, and Ester Mae Darovitz of Phoenix, Arizona, 23 grandchildren, 44 great-grandchildren, and 3 great-great-grandchildren.

In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by a son, Allen Virgil Yonts; a daughter, Charlene Yonts; a son-in-law, Louie Darovitz; two brothers: John Ballard Hall, and Ervin Hall; and a sister, Connie Stacy.

Funeral services for Braskan Hall Yonts will be conducted Saturday, November 18, 2006, at 11:00 a.m., at the Little Rock Regular Baptist Church, in Bevinville, with Old Regular Baptist ministers officiating.

Burial will follow in the Henry Meade Cemetery, in Deane, under the professional care of the Hall Funeral Home, in Martin.

Visitation is at the church. (Paid obituary)

Card of Thanks

The family of William Hershel Hughes would like to express heartfelt thanks to family and friends, who helped comfort us during this time of sorrow. Thank-you to all who sent food, flowers, cards and prayers. Thanks for all the comforting words. Just your presence meant a lot. Special thanks to all the Old Regular Baptist Churches; I can't remember them all by name. Thanks to all the singers for their special singing; and special thanks to Doug Bailey for his beautiful sermon; Hall Brothers Funeral Home for their kind and efficient services; and the Floyd County Sheriff's Department.

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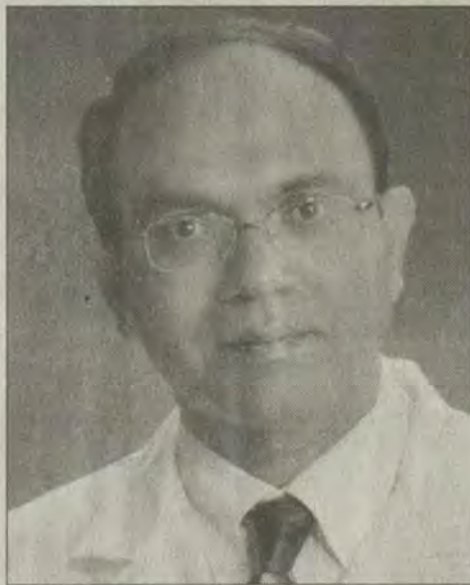
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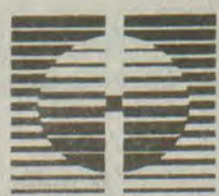
Dr. Faruque Ahmed, General Surgeon, has joined the Medical Staff at Highlands Regional Medical Center and opened an office practice in Suite 2 of the Riverview Complex near the Medical Center. Dr. Ahmed is a graduate of the New York College of Osteopathic Medicine and served his Internship and Residency in General Surgery at St. John's Episcopal Hospital in Far Rockway, New York. As a General Surgeon, Dr. Ahmed will perform minor surgical procedures, laparoscopic procedures, and more complicated abdominal procedures.

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Marriage Licenses

Adali Ramos Martinez, 23, of Nashville, Tenn., to Johnny Curtis Kidd, 27, of Nashville, Tennessee.

Nyra Lynn Dingus, 37, of Eastern, to Glen Jr. Ramey, 30, of Eastern.

Jamie Marie Johnson, 27, of Melvin, to Jimmy Skeens, 35, of Melvin.

Courtney Lesha Collins, 22, of Prestonsburg, to Thomas Clifford Hatfield, 22, of Prestonsburg.

Tina Marie Cordial, 37, of Garrett, to David Cordial, 37, of Garrett.

Sherry Lynn Chaffins, 24, of Bevinville, to Franklin O'Neil Matthews, 24, of Bevinville.

Maggie Malinda McCoy, 22, of Prestonsburg, to Angello D. Risner, 21, of Prestonsburg.

Beatrice Joyce Holland, 49, of David, to Jimmy Moore, 46, of David.

Tasha Leeann Prater, 19, of Prestonsburg, to Stephen Bryant Burchett, 20, of Pikeville.

Civil Suits Filed

Pioneer Credit Company vs. Sabrenia Martin; to collect debt

Capital One Bank vs. Angela D. Corbett; to collect debt

Capital One Bank vs. Joseph L. Hamilton; to collect debt

Pioneer Credit Company vs. Jimmy Little; to collect debt

Pioneer Credit Company vs. James Baldrige; to collect debt

Prestonsburg Housing vs. Jacqueline Mullins; to collect debt

James Roberts vs. Krestine Myers; to collect debt

Fannie Cornwell vs. Barbara Litton; appointment of warning order

Worldwide Asset Purchasing, LLC vs. Patty J. Shepherd; to collect debt

Household Finance Service vs. Norris A. Caudill; to collect debt

Bethel Yates vs. Brian Yates; petition for health care insurance

Betty Hall vs. Larry Pinson; petition for child support and health care insurance

Tiffani Handshoe vs. Kenneth Handshoe; petition for child support and health care insurance

Kathy Mahan vs. Timmy Mahan; petition for child support and health care insurance

Bill Slone vs. Teresa Hagans; petition for child support and health care insurance

Richard Pickens vs. Ercella Pickens; dissolution of marriage

The Wells Group, LLC vs. Eastern Pools, Inc.; to collect debt

Community Trust Bank vs. Marc Tarver; to collect debt

Miranda Martin vs. Marcus E. Varney; petition for child support and health care insurance

Stephanie Spriggs vs. Brandon Hall; petition for health care insurance

Arlie Jackson vs. Jennifer Baker; petition for custody

Rhonda Thacker vs. Leta J. Griffith; petition for health care insurance

Kim Harris vs. Daniel R. Harris; petition for child support and health care insurance

The Wells Group, LLC vs. Jeremy Wheeler; to collect debt

Jeri Marshall vs. Elbert Marshall; dissolution of marriage

Henry Clifton vs. Karen Clifton; dissolution of marriage

Donna Sue Thomas vs. George Thomas; dissolution of marriage

Foster Care vs. Suzanne Lowe; petition for child support and health care insurance

Small Claims Filings

Steve Ousley vs. Green Wakeland; to collect debt

Left Beaver Communications vs. Roger D. Bates; to collect debt

Charges Filed

Brandon Marshall, 22; theft by failure to make required disposition, theft by deception including cold checks

Amanda Sue Porter, 24; theft by deception including cold checks

Johnny P. Mills, 24; public intoxication controlled substance, four counts controlled substance prescription not in original container, four counts third-degree possession controlled substance prescription, two counts second-degree disorderly conduct

Kayla Russell, 24; operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol/drugs, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, no or expired registration plates, no or expired Kentucky registration receipt, first-degree wanton endangerment, endangering the welfare of a minor

Stacy Lynn Elharrab, 33; first-degree terroristic threatening

Brandon Marshall, 22; two counts theft by unlawful taking over \$300

Jordan Arnett, 20; theft by unlawful taking

Julie Mae Caudill, 40; first-degree wanton endangerment

Bobby L. Conley, 22; second-degree assault

Charles Stacy Hall, 36; no or expired registration plates, no or expired Kentucky registration receipt, failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, driving a motor vehicle while license suspended for a DUI

Nadine Gayheart, 39; cultivation of marijuana five or more plants, possession of marijuana

Eddie Dean Lawson, 43; theft of service

Brandon Marshall, 22; theft by failure to make required disposition, theft by deception including cold checks

Brenda Johnson Newman, 57; first-degree criminal mischief

Health Inspections

Bypro Pizza and Dairy Bar, Bypro, regular inspection. Violations noted: Lack of accurate thermometers in all refrigeration and freezer units storing potentially hazardous foods, garbage and refuse containers not covered as required.

Score: 97
Cardinal Mart. Wheelwright, regular inspection. Violations noted: Where

chemical sanitization methods are employed operators not providing and using chemical test kits, improper storage of single service articles, sanitary towel or hand drying device not provided at lavatory or hand washing sink, floors not in good repair, light fixtures not shielded as required, cleaning and maintenance equipment not properly stored.

Score: Food-94, Retail-94
Country Kitchen, Grethel, regular inspection. Violations noted: Lack of accurate thermometers in all refrigeration and freezer units storing potentially hazardous foods, lack of effective hair restraints, non food contact surfaces not properly maintained, where chemical sanitization methods are

employed, operators not providing and using chemical test kits, improper storage of single service articles, sanitary towel or hand drying device not provided at lavatory or hand washing sink, floors not in good repair, light fixtures not shielded as required, cleaning and maintenance equipment not properly stored.

Score: Food-94, Retail-94
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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

The Gazette, Colorado Springs, Colo., on Rumsfeld resignation: President Bush's first response to the Democrats conquering Capitol Hill was an interesting one - he dumped his right-hand warrior, Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld, who will be replaced by Robert Gates, a former CIA director and career intelligence and national security official. We can't see how this, of itself, will turn around the president's political fortunes or a war that has become an albatross around his neck.

Although he made plenty of mistakes and had an abrasive style that sometimes rubbed people the wrong way, Rumsfeld shouldn't be made a scapegoat for the foreign policy misadventures of the Bush administration.

... And unless the president and his advisers come up with a war strategy more creative and decisive than "staying the course," little will change, even under Gates.

... In Gates, the president again made a cautious Cabinet choice. ... Gates has experience working with a Democratic Congress and seems adept at Washington politics, and that will certainly come in handy working for a lame-duck president. But that may not be enough to overcome the formidable challenges he faces.

The Detroit Free Press, on the new Martin Luther King Jr. memorial:

Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. will break yet another racial barrier today when ground is broken for a monument in his honor on the National Mall in Washington, D.C. King will be the first African American to have a place in the mall, which includes the Lincoln, Jefferson and Roosevelt memorials and the Washington Monument.

This is a fitting exclamation point for the King legacy. And the location could not be more perfect - about a half-mile from the Lincoln Memorial, where King delivered his legendary "I Have Dream" speech in August 1963. ...

The hallmark feature of the memorial will be a sculpture of a giant, divided rock, meant to symbolize America's racial division. But the very creation of the memorial in many ways demonstrates how far America has moved away from its racially polarized past.

Blacks, whites and many others were willing to invest their time and money to make the monument possible. Dr. King would surely take note of the mosaic of faces working to keep his legacy alive. He might even go as far as to deem it a richer reward than the designation of his birthday as a national holiday. ...

The Decatur (Ala.) Daily, on cooperation on Iraq:

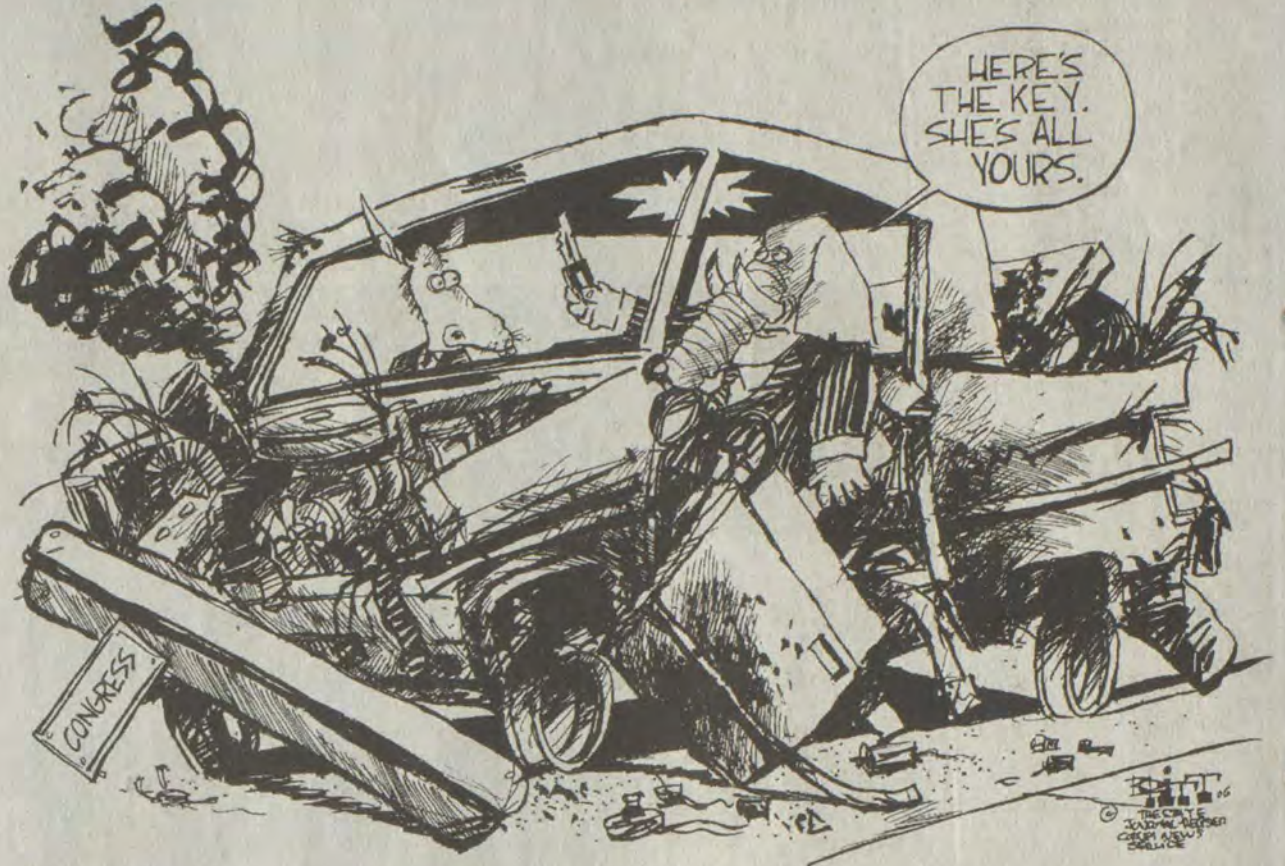
The idea that there is a dramatic split along party lines on the long-term goal for Iraq, espoused by leaders in both parties, is a gross oversimplification. It also promises to make progress in the Iraq war even less likely than it is now.

The Democrats, say many Republicans, want to "cut and run," to immediately withdraw troops. The Republicans, say many Democrats, are warmongers determined to stay in Iraq for the duration.

The truth is, both sides want out of Iraq. Both sides want to leave Iraq as a stable nation capable of suppressing terrorism within its borders.

... Painting political opponents as extremists does nothing to expedite a responsible withdrawal from Iraq. We need ideas. We need politicians who can work together to find a solution to a common problem. What party the best idea comes from - what planet it comes from, for that matter - should not be a concern.

American voters want to exit Iraq in a way that leaves the nation stable and self-sufficient. We need our leaders to quit the partisan cheap shots and get to work on how to accomplish that bipartisan goal.



— Guest Column —

Off to the races in outer space

by JACK SHANAHAN
MINUTEMAN MEDIA

The Bush administration has come out with a new policy on putting weapons in outer space. What a relief, you might say to yourself if you've studied this arcane topic, because the old policy didn't make sense. That policy, which was developed during the Cold War, allowed the United States to use space as just another battlefield, as the Earth's air, land, and seas are today.

The goal of our military is to be able to launch attacks — as well as defend American interests — on any part of the globe. And the old U.S. space policy treated outer space the same way. We reserved the right to place high-tech weapons in outer space and use them to attack other nations — or defend our country from attacks.

Under our old policy, we rejected the idea of putting diplomacy and international cooperation first. We rejected the goal of working with other nations to prevent space from filling with weapons, as our oceans and skies already are.

So what did we assert in America's New Space Policy, released recently by the president? Exactly the same approach. Our new space policy is virtually identical to our old one.

Urged on by the U.S. Air Force, which has been sidelined in the occupation of Iraq and the worldwide war on terrorists, the Bush administration's New Space Policy reaffirms the Pentagon's option "to respond to interferences and deny, if necessary, adversaries the use of space capabilities hostile to U.S. national interests." Translation: America is in charge of outer space, and we will place weapons there if we feel the unilateral need, regardless of what the rest of the world thinks.

Sound familiar? Our new space policy reflects the Bush administration's earth-bound reliance on "pre-emptive," unilateral military action that led to our current disaster in Iraq. It's our Iraq policy applied to the heavens. Our country is saying to the world, "We don't want to work together on making space a military-free zone. Forget it." This is a rejection of the diplomatic approach favored by most of our allies, and it lays the groundwork for an arms race in space.

In Omaha, the U.S. Strategic Command isn't wasting any time implementing President George W. Bush's new space policy. It's already launching the "Space Control Plan," which calls for new sensors in orbit and eventually offensive weapons as part of the ballistic missile defense program, also known as Star Wars.

The troubled Star Wars system is intended to shoot down enemy missiles by intercepting them with missiles launched from ground-based silos. But despite \$100 billion

already spent on missile defense and \$10 billion allocated for this year (five times what we spend on renewable energy), Star Wars is widely seen as a failure.

Missile defense experts believe America wants to place infrared sensors and weapons in outer space as part of this pricy program. Even then, however, most experts agree Star Wars won't work as a defensive shield, but — please pay attention to this — it could be an effective tool to attack other nations.

That's the crux of the matter. Instead of banning weapons in space through international diplomacy, America wants to reserve the right to use space for offensive, not defensive, purposes, and the Bush administration's new space policy paves the way for this.

And guess what? China, Russia and other nations will not sit on their hands and allow the United States to achieve, "maximum freedom of action" in space. They'd feel threatened, and, more likely than not, they would develop their own space weapons.

I don't know about you, but that sounds like another arms race to me, and with all the problems we still have here on Earth, it's a race we simply can't afford.

Vice Admiral Jack Shanahan (USN, ret) formerly commanded the U.S. Second Fleet and heads the Military Advisory Committee of Business Leaders for Sensible Priorities.



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'Casino Royale' holds a winning hand in Daniel Craig's debut as James Bond

by DAVID GERMAIN
AP MOVIE WRITER

It would have been enough just inserting a fresh face, Daniel Craig, as 007 in "Casino Royale" to give a whole new look and feel to the James Bond franchise.

Yet taking the world's greatest spy back to his roots as a raw, impressionable brute whose cockiness at times fails him and who can lose his heart to a woman was a keen stroke of intelligence.

"Casino Royale" may weigh in a bit lighter than many of the 20 preceding Bond flicks on explosions, gunplay, fisticuffs and other action.

What it does have in those regards is riveting, clever and well-choreographed, yet the appeal this time lays much heavier on Bond as a person, on his development as one of cinema's deadliest killers and most heartless womanizers.

Craig plays Bond at a crossroads, which could lead him deeper down the loner's path of international intrigue or into a more conventional, happier, companionable life.

He stacks up well against his five Bond predecessors. Craig's no Sean Connery (who is?) but he delivers one of the finest performances ever in a 007 flick, rich with a range of feeling we generally don't see in the emotionally stunted Bond.

Directed by Martin Campbell — who also made "GoldenEye," Pierce Brosnan's first time out as Bond — "Casino Royale" is based on the first of Ian Fleming's novels about the British agent.

The 1950s story is updated



"Casino Royale," released by Sony's Columbia Pictures unit, is rated PG-13 for intense sequences of violent action, a scene of torture, sexual content and nudity. Running time: 144 minutes.

Three and a half stars out of four.

from the Cold War era to modern times by veteran Bond screenwriters Neal Purvis and Robert Wade ("Die Another Day," "The World Is Not Enough") and Paul Haggis, who no doubt contributed much of the foreboding drama to the action (Haggis co-wrote and directed the 2005 best-picture Academy Award winner "Crash" and wrote the screenplay for 2004 Oscar champ "Million Dollar Baby").

Freshly bumped up to "Double-Oh," license-to-kill status, young Bond already is his own man, alternately impressing and infuriating spymaster M (Judi Dench, making a welcome return from the Brosnan era and bringing her usual wondrous imperiousness to the role).

Bond is assigned to play in a high-stakes poker match in Italy orchestrated by Le Chiffre (Mads Mikkelsen), a financier of global terrorism who needs to win the \$100-million-plus stake to pay back clients' money he squandered on an investment.

That Bond was the reason his investment went sour makes it all the more poetic, as the card game and its ramifications will have such a huge impact on Bond's destiny.

A Treasury official — beautiful, of course — is assigned to keep tabs on

Bond's gambling stake and make sure he's playing prudently with the Crown's chips. Eva Green's Vesper Lynd is everything most Bond girls are not — smart, sarcastic, willful and fiercely independent enough not to give in to Bond's charms.

And she's no sex kitten. Green looks glorious in her various gowns, but she doesn't prance around in a bikini or topple into bed with Bond by way of saying hello.

Vesper is James' equal in so many ways — not a fighter but a thinker, able to do a magnificently witty dissection of 007's character and accept with grace his own playfully insightful critique of her.

There's almost a "Thin Man" quality to their banter. You can imagine William Powell and Myrna Loy's Nick and Nora Charles started out cutely bickering this way before they became such suave lovebirds.

Unlike past Bond films, where our hero's most important relationship is with the villain he's trying to take down, it's the love story that really matters here. "Casino Royale" plays out like a grand, doomed romantic epic in which James' callous nature is cemented in place by the outcome of his attachment to Vesper.

The groundwork for so many of the Bond trappings is deftly laid here. This James Bond doesn't care whether his martinis are shaken or stirred. He's surprised at what a difference a finely tailored tux makes when he looks in the mirror. By chance, a classic Aston-Martin comes his way, and it's easy to see why it becomes Bond's automobile of choice.

We also see his first encounter with his CIA cousin, Felix Leiter, played by the always sly Jeffrey Wright, who's underutilized here but hopefully will return in an expanded role in future Bond adventures.

Giancarlo Giannini adds fine continental charm as an Italian operative who's Bond's local contact.

When Craig was cast, much was made of his look — the first blond Bond. The weight and grandeur Craig brings to the role shows that superficial looks do not a Bond make. Craig has the spirit of the character, rascally yet dark, blithe yet brutish, amorous yet lethal.

In a climactic showdown with Le Chiffre, Craig's Bond is arguably more vulnerable both physically and emotionally than we've ever seen 007 (though the tragic end of "On Her Majesty's Secret Service," George Lazenby's sole, unpropitious turn as Bond, comes close).

And at this moment, when he could be broken for good and left a wispy shadow who never would have become a golden boy of British intelligence, Bond's cheeky humor and unbendable pigheadedness assert themselves, a terrific foundation for the adventures to come.

It's a formative moment in a movie full of formative moments that spell an ominous but productive future for Bond, and a brilliant and even more productive future for Craig as Bond.

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Rental Central

by TOM DOTY
TIMES COLUMNIST

The big release this week was the film version of Dan Brown's bestselling novel "The Da Vinci Code." That said, there were also several smaller films on the shelves this week and for once you couldn't go wrong with any of them.

"The Da Vinci Code" — Director Ron Howard delivers a faithful adaptation of the best-selling story that focuses on a search for revelations about the life of Christ that are hidden in the works of Leonardo Da Vinci. Tom Hanks stars as a mythology expert who teams with a French policewoman (with an involved past) to solve the riddle of Da Vinci's code after a murder at the Louvre puts Hanks in dutch with a determined cop (played by Jean Reno). The film should please fans of the book and includes

great turns by Paul Bettany as a monk/assassin and Sir Ian McKellan as an Englishman who aids Hanks. Relatively engaging, but it goes on a bit too long.

"49 Up" — Director Michael Apted returns to the 14 subjects he has been filming since they were 7 years old in this documentary series. No one needs to see the other installments (made every seven years) to appreciate this gem, which includes footage of the subjects from previous outings as the movie charts what they are doing now. Excellent material here that predates "reality television" and treats its subjects with dignity.

"The Groomsmen" — Director/actor Edward Burns delivers a thoughtful treatise on middle-aged angst with this film which marks a return to the style he employed in his breakthrough project, "The Brothers McMullen." The

story charts the reunion of a rock band when one member decides to marry his pregnant girlfriend. Burns stars and surrounds himself with an excellent cast that includes Jay Mohr, John Leguizamo and Matthew Lillard. It's basically a talking heads movie but the dialog sings and it's worth a rental if you're tired of action fare.

"Strangers with Candy" — Comedy Central's series about an ex-junkie/prostitute who goes back to high school at 46 makes the leap to the big screen here. There are plenty of laughs in this edgy comedy if you can suspend some disbelief about the premise and enjoy the ride. The script was co-written by Stephen Colbert, of "The Colbert Report," and includes plenty of off kilter jokes and just a little heart.

Next week look for Owen Wilson in the comedy "You, Me and Dupree."

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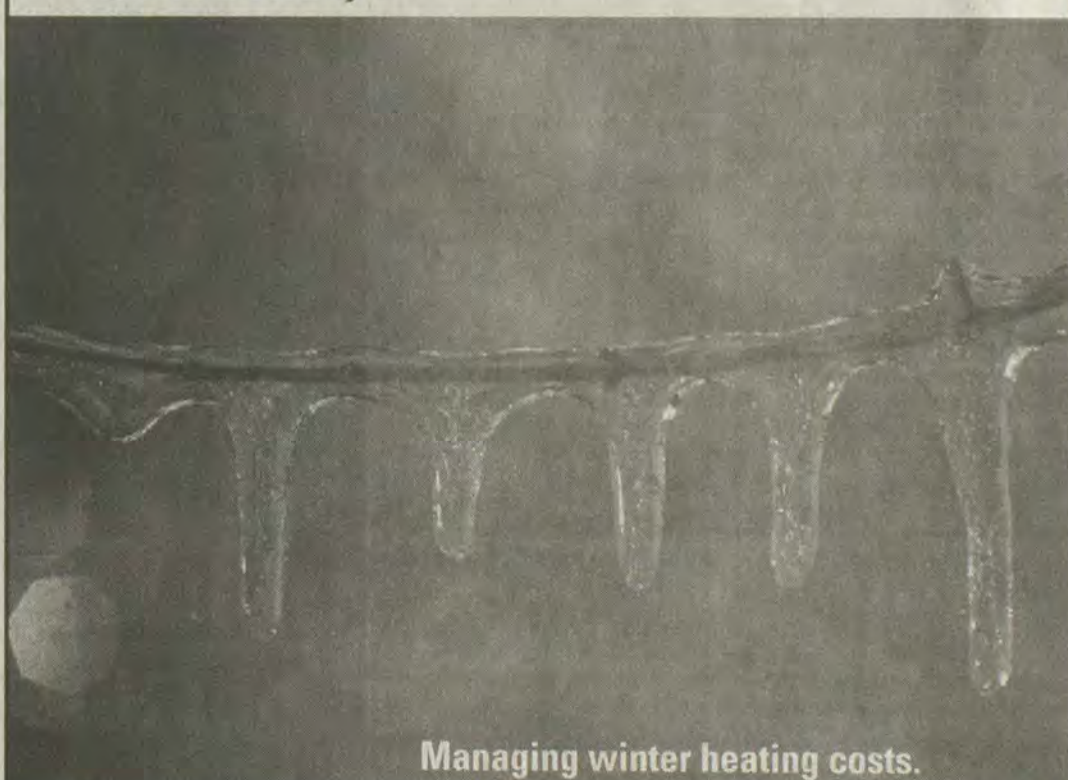
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CSX to replace track in Floyd, Letcher counties

Starting Monday, crews from CSX will start replacing railroad track from Martin in Floyd County to Walters Branch at Isom in Letcher County.

Brett Conn, CSX roadmaster, said the work will take three to four weeks.

"We will work Monday through Wednesday the first week, and take off for Thanksgiving," Conn said. "The other weeks we will work Monday through Thursday from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m."

Conn said that asphalt at each crossing will be torn out and that the crossing work should take no longer than one day for each. "We have rock available for emergencies," he said, "but each crossing will be closed for an entire day. We don't know which day. We will start at the Martin end and work our way toward Isom. There are 16 crossings involved. Half of them are private roads and half are either county or state roads."

The public roads affected include

Twin Branch Road at Martin, Mill Creek Road at Wayland, Razor Blade Road at Deane, Jewell Road at Roxana, Route 2036 at Roxana (two crossings), Red Bud Lane at Isom, and Walters Branch at Isom.

Conn said that rain will not affect the work. "We can lay track in the rain." But he pointed out that some of the crossings will not be blacktopped until spring. "Some will get rock only for right now," he explained. "The blacktop plants are getting ready to

close for the winter. We have plenty of rock, but we may not be able to blacktop each crossing before spring."

Conn said that CSX is working with the Floyd and Letcher County Boards of Education to make sure that there is as little inconvenience as possible for school children and school bus drivers during this construction project.

"If there is any change in school bus times or routes, parents should

get that information from their child's school bus driver," Conn said. "We know there will be a few instances of temporary inconvenience and we apologize in advance. But the end result will be a safer rail transportation system through Floyd and Letcher counties, with safer railroad crossings, too. And we think most people understand that sometimes a little inconvenience is necessary to make long-term improvements for the safety of everyone."

AG announces indictment against Hazard doctor and pain clinic

FRANKFORT — Attorney General Greg Stumbo announced today that the Franklin County Grand Jury returned a 22-count indictment against Michael Vories, M.D., and his pain management clinic.

Simon & True Medical Consultants (now known as Kentucky Palliative Care) which was operating in Hazard.

The indictment alleges that Vories, age 44, committed

fraud by submitting false and/or fraudulent claims to the Kentucky Medical Assistance Program. The indictment was sought by the Medicaid Fraud & Abuse Control Division of Stumbo's office.

In the 22 counts of the indictment, Dr. Vories and his clinic are faced with Class D felony charges which carry a punishment of up to five years in prison for each count. Dr. Vories is currently residing in

South Carolina and will be arraigned on these charges as soon as he is returned to the state.

"The Medicaid program is in place to help Kentuckians who require assistance to meet their medical needs," Stumbo said. "Submitting false or fraudulent claims robs the very program so many people depend upon, and in turn, steals directly from individuals in need."

The case is being handled by Assistant Attorney General Letricea Jefferson-Webb and Kentucky Bureau of Investigation Agent Keith Howard both assigned to the Medicaid Fraud and Abuse Control Unit.

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Dr. Michael Vories

reported to this unit by calling the Attorney General's tip line at 1-877-ABUSE TIP (1-877-228-7384).

Stumbo said he 'would have loved' to prosecute

by JOE BIESK
ASSOCIATED PRESS

FRANKFORT — Attorney General Greg Stumbo "would have loved" to put Gov. Ernie Fletcher on trial for his alleged role in the state personnel scandal, but feared the Republican governor would have pardoned himself first.

Prosecutors were left with few options after a judge ruled Fletcher could not be tried while in office, Stumbo said Wednesday, a day after a grand jury's report on the investigation was released to the public.

After that ruling, prosecutors felt their best move was to work out a deal that offered protections to state employees.

"I would have loved for the governor to have stood trial," Stumbo told reporters at the Capitol.

The grand jury's report found Fletcher OK'd a "widespread and coordinated plan" designed to maneuver around state hiring

laws. In some cases, existing state employees were either fired or reassigned so Fletcher's supporters, some with fewer qualifications, could be installed — at times with higher salaries, the report found.

A Fletcher spokeswoman said she had no comment about Stumbo's remarks. Fletcher was expected to return from a Japan trip this weekend, she said.

On Wednesday, Fletcher released a statement saying the grand jury's report contained "the same old stuff."

"Given that the prosecutors have dropped all charges, the document reads more like a savvy litany of political sound bites rather than a legal document of purported evidence," Fletcher said in the statement. "Under normal circumstances, I would vigorously object. However, it is best for the commonwealth that this chapter is concluded."

Kentucky's Merit System was created in 1960 and designed to insulate state civil service employees from politics. State law

says personnel decisions within the system are supposed to be based on job candidates' qualifications, not politics.

The grand jury returned 29 indictments during its investigation and charged Fletcher with criminal conspiracy, official misconduct and political discrimination. Fletcher's charges were dropped after an agreement with prosecutors. Fletcher issued a blanket pardon for everyone in his administration, other than himself, who could have faced charges stemming from the investigation.

Had the prosecutor moved ahead with the case, Stumbo said Special Judge David Melcher's ruling that Fletcher couldn't be prosecuted while in office could have become case law, effectively barring criminal action against any incumbent, no matter the office.

Stumbo said the prosecutor recognized that pursuing the case could "essentially stop all public corruption cases in Kentucky, and we felt like that wasn't worth the risk."

McConnell reaches top Republican leadership post in U.S. Senate

by BRUCE SCHREINER
ASSOCIATED PRESS

LOUISVILLE — Kentucky Sen. Mitch McConnell sounded conciliatory after his election Wednesday as the top Senate Republican leader, offering a "hand of friendship" to majority Democrats and suggesting a chance for accomplishments on such weighty issues as immigration and Social Security.

McConnell, ever the tough partisan fighter, added a warning to Democrats — if they are unwilling to cooperate, Republicans will have a "robust" minority to block Democratic initiatives.

McConnell completed his rise to power within Senate Republican ranks when his GOP colleagues unanimously selected him as their minority leader in the next Congress. He was relegated to the job after last week's election gave Democrats a slim majority. McConnell has been No. 2 Republican leader in the GOP-led Senate.

Having barely missed out on becoming majority leader and the chance to set the Senate's agenda, McConnell insisted he would remain influential in matters affecting the country and Kentucky.

"I'll have just as much influence certainly as I've ever had, if not more, on those issues that are directly related to Kentucky," he said in a conference call with reporters.

McConnell met later with Sen. Harry Reid, soon to become Democratic majority leader.

"Our hand of friendship is out to them," McConnell said of his Democratic colleagues. "We look forward to cooperating with them where possible."

With Democrats soon to lead Congress and Republicans still in control of the White House, McConnell noted that "sometimes good things will come out of divided government."

McConnell mentioned immigration legislation as one issue "ripe for bipartisan accomplishment."

Another issue that

Congress should tackle is the looming insolvency in Social Security, he said.

He cited a precedent for such action during a time of divided government, noting changes to Social Security that were orchestrated by President Reagan, a Republican, and Democratic House Speaker Tip O'Neill.

"This would be a good time with divided government to see if we couldn't grapple with some of the serious, large issues confronting the next generation, and I would put Social Security right at the top of the list," McConnell said.

Kentucky's other GOP senator, Jim Bunning, hailed McConnell's selection as minority leader.

"Mitch is the right man for the job and I look forward to working closely with him and all the members of our new leadership team," Bunning said.

David Adkisson, president/CEO of the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce, said McConnell's new status "clearly puts Kentucky in an enviable position" in the

Senate.

"I don't doubt that Sen. McConnell will utilize his leadership position for maximum benefit to Kentucky," he said.

Michael Baranowski, a political scientist at Northern Kentucky University, said that McConnell's new role is good for Kentucky. But Baranowski said Republicans' loss of Congress could affect the flow of federal money to Kentucky, which has strongly leaned

toward Republicans in recent federal elections.

Baranowski said McConnell will be a "strong proponent" of the GOP agenda in the Senate. But after a stint as a majority party powerbroker, serving in the minority will require "a different skill set," he said.

"We're going to find out ... how skilled Sen. McConnell is at playing not from a position of strength but from the minority spot," Baranowski said.

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Odds & Ends

■ **NEW YORK** — Perhaps attempting to escape a Thanksgiving Day fate, a small wild turkey made a dash for the big city.

The 10-pound female bird wandered onto a busy bridge's toll plaza Tuesday afternoon, halting traffic for about 15 minutes as workers chased the fowl.

No one knew how the turkey got onto the Triborough Bridge, which connects the boroughs of Manhattan, Queens and the Bronx. City officials received a call that there was a loose bird just before the start of the evening rush hour, and six officers chased it around the Manhattan toll plaza.

"Watching it unfold on our cameras, it seemed the only thing missing was someone playing 'Turkey in the Straw,'" said Triborough Bridge General Operations Manager Ray Bush.

The frightened turkey skittered back and forth across the plaza, evading capture for 15 minutes. Bridge officers finally cornered it, and a construction worker snatched it.

The turkey was released into a wooded area on nearby Wards Island, which has acres of open land inhabited by pheasants, rabbits, squirrels and chipmunks.

■ **HONG KONG** — A large Italian white truffle apparently reigns as the world's most expensive fungus.

A Hong Kong property tycoon and his wife have reportedly paid \$160,406 for the truffle, which auctioneers say could be the most expensive ever purchased.

Gordon Wu and his wife outbid connoisseurs from France and Italy to win the 3.3-pound Alba white truffle in an international auction, a spokeswoman for the Ritz-Carlton hotel, which hosted the Hong Kong part of the auction, said Tuesday.

"They're very unique. They're found all together and they've got a beautiful shape," said hotel cook Umberto Bombana of this year's prize truffle, made of three palm-sized portions.

Bombana will prepare the giant truffle for a five-course banquet hosted by Wu.

It was the second time Hong Kong bidders won a pricey fungus at the annual auction, held in Grizane, Italy, with satellite links to Paris and Hong Kong.

Proceeds from the auction — which also featured five smaller truffles — will go to a Hong Kong charity that cares for pregnant girls and organizes adoptions.

■ **OAK RIDGE, Tenn.** — A man being questioned in connection with the theft of more than \$5,000 in jewelry managed to slip police — but not his handcuffs.

Terry S. Davis, 34, who authorities say has an extensive criminal record, escaped

on Nov. 3 from the Oak Ridge Police Department's interrogation room.

He was nabbed nine days later, still wearing the handcuffs.

Davis was able to sever the chain joining the handcuffs but told police the remaining restraints were raising welts on his wrists, according to Capt. Rick Stone.

After his getaway, he eluded officers in two separate foot chases before being arrested at his home Sunday night.

■ **SUPERIOR, Wis.** — An attempt to get a court to stop the bulldozing of historic Palace Theater had a fatal flaw: the wrecking ball had already done its work.

"You cannot save a building if it doesn't exist," U.S. District Judge John Shabaz said in a teleconference Tuesday while hearing a

motion for an injunction to block the demolition. "The entire motion appears to be moot."

The building, a historic vaudeville and movie house that opened in 1917, came down nearly two weeks ago, and crews were still hauling away rubble Tuesday.

Shabaz granted an opportunity for the Friends of Superior to amend their complaint and proceed to a trial, which he scheduled March 29.

Kris Fisher, president of the group, said that by demolishing the building, the city disregarded the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, the Advisory Council for Historic Preservation and the federal court.

"They need to understand the rule of law prevails," she said.

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Duncan

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grassroots politics for a long period of time," Bush said. "He comes from a Democratic state that is now a Republican state because he understands that you win votes by organizing and turning out the vote."

Duncan has been working in politics since his 1974 graduation from the University of Kentucky College of Law. Duncan and his wife Joanne reside in Inez and are principal owners of two branches of the Inez Deposit Bank.

For the past 30 years Duncan has campaigned for Republican candidates on the local, state and national level. He worked in the first Bush White House as assistant director of public liaison and worked in the campaigns of Presidents Richard Nixon,

Gerald Ford, Ronald Reagan and both Bush presidents. He worked as the chairman for the 2000 Bush-Cheney campaign in Kentucky, West Virginia, Indiana, Ohio and Michigan before moving into his current position as General Counsel of the RNC.

Outgoing RNC Chairman Ken Mehlman approves of President Bush's choice of Duncan and offered high praise of his experience and what he has accomplished in his years with the party.

"With Mike Duncan, the RNC will get a chairman who has served his party at every level and has unparalleled experience with the day-to-day workings within the Republican National Committee," Mehlman said.

Scam

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called, the person on the other line will confirm the check is good and tells the caller they have actually won a lotto prize. Also, the resident is asked to cash the check and send money back to Consolidated Gaming

Management for fees and surcharges. After this money is received, the letter says the remainder of the prize will be sent. The letter also states a final notification will give a deadline for the prize.

Det. Sgt. Steve Little is investigating these complaints and the Department of Public Safety advises anyone who may get one of these letters to destroy it immediately and refrain from responding to the notification. Officials are concerned that these scammers may be attempting to steal the identities of residents who respond and even depositing the check could result in identity theft.

Grant

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pression equipment. The equipment may include personal protective gear, pump hoses, tanks, fire shelters or rakes.

Since 1994, the Division of Forestry has purchased nearly \$250,000 worth of fire equipment and distributed it to over 500 fire departments.

"The volunteer fire departments across Kentucky assist

the division with many wild-land fires and we are pleased to be able to provide funding for the purchase of suppression equipment," said KDF Director Leah MacSwords.

The David Volunteer Fire Department will be required to provide a 50 percent cash or in-kind match in order to receive the grant.

Singer

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stage at the National Quartet Convention in Louisville where the Eddie Crook Talent Showcase performs annually. Gospel music talent at the convention is highly appreciated. Soon, she will travel to Gatlinburg, Tenn., where she will be performing for the Eddie Crook Christmas Concert at the Mills Auditorium on Dec. 2.

Collins recalls saying early

on in her career that if God would open a door for her, with faith she would walk right through it. Her music will soon be available at the Bible Book Store in Louisa and Paintsville and also at the Light House Book Store in Pikeville. She plans to begin booking performances in January and hopes to be able to touch lives along the way.

Letters to Santa



The Floyd County Times
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Floyd County Devotional Page

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ASSEMBLY OF GOD

First Assembly of God, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Lorie Vannucci, Minister.

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.; Nathon 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; Sun. School, 10 a.m.; Church every Sun. Morning 11:15 a.m.; Wed. evening Bible Study & Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Third Sun. evening Service, 6 p.m.; First Sat. evening Service, 7 p.m. Hobert Meek, Pastor, welcomes everyone.

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 Ept. 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.

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.

Garrett Regular Baptist, Route 550, Garrett; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.; Willie Crace, pastor, Assist. Larry Patton. Phone 358-4275.

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, Bevinsville; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor Roger Truisty.

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.; Marie Little, Minister.

Ligon Community Freewill Baptist, Ligon Worship Service, Sunday, 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 Varney, 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 Service, 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 Crace 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.

Stevens Branch Missionary Baptist, Stevens 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. Phillip Ramey, Pastor.

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.

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

CHURCH OF CHRIST

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.

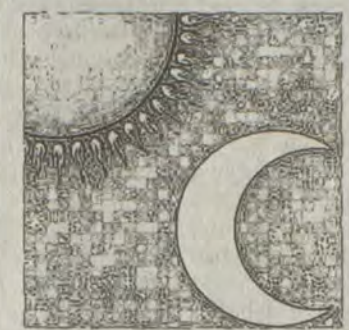
Prestonsburg Church of Christ, 88 Hwy. 1428; Worship Service, 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Richard Kelly and Nelson Kidder, Ministers.

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.

Return to your Bible



The day is yours, and yours also the night; You established the sun and moon.

Psalms 74:16

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

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 6:00 p.m., Holy Eucharist & Healing 7:30 p.m. Father Johnnie E. Ross, Rector.

LUTHERAN

Our Savior Lutheran, Sipp Bayes Room Carriage House Motel, Paintsville; Sunday Service, 11:00 a.m.; WKLW (600 am) 12:05 p.m.; Rolland 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. Penix, 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 6 p.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 6 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.; Jack Howard, Pastor.

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.; Malcolm 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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OTHER

Pastor Atha Johnson welcomes everyone to attend services at the **CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY TRAM KENTUCKY.** Sunday school 10 a.m., Worship service 11 a.m.

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 p.m.; Lavonne 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. 896-1003.

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 Aiken.

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. Amette, 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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- 12:30 p.m. Allen Central vs. June Buchanan
- 2 p.m. Boyle County vs. Shelby Valley
- 3:30 p.m. Cumberland vs. TBA
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- 6:30 p.m. Prestonsburg vs. Morgan County

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Right Beaver Classic tips off at ACMS

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

EASTERN – The boys' basketball version of the annual Right Beaver Classic Tournament got underway Wednesday evening at Allen Central Middle School. In the C-team tournament, McDowell rolled past Allen. In A-team games, Betsy Layne prevailed over Knott County team Emmalena and South Floyd topped John M. Stumbo. More on Wednesday's games follows.

McDowell 29, Emmalena 8: In a C-

team tournament opener, McDowell outscored Allen 18-2 in the first quarter and didn't have any trouble getting past the Eagles.

Starting center Corey Thornsberry scored a game-high 12 points for McDowell. Blake Dean added seven points and Michael Gayheart scored six for the Daredevils.

Kyle Hall netted six points while Zacky Hall and Seth Hall scored on a free throw apiece for the winning team.

Four different players scored two points apiece for Allen.

Betsy Layne 55, Emmalena 31: In one of two A-team games, Betsy Layne turned away its Knott County opposition. Betsy Layne blanked Emmalena 19-0 in the first quarter and never had to play from behind.

Four Bobcats reached double figures scoring. Casey Adkins paced Betsy Layne with a game-high 14 points. Nathan Martin scored 11 and Dylan Maldonado and Derek Tackett pushed in 10 apiece.

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McDowell guard Blake Dean worked the Daredevil offense Wednesday against Allen in a Right Beaver Classic opening round game.

UK's proves a win is a win

by RICK BENTLEY
TIMES COLUMNIST

All right. It's the final column before Thanksgiving, so what is it we sports fans have to be thankful for?

Well, for starters, Kentucky won its opener on Wednesday night, knocking off that noted basketball power Miami-Ohio. My duties with Pikeville College precluded me from actually seeing the game – and, not surprisingly, both of the preseason outings; it sometimes seems as if we consult the Big Blue schedule before setting dates – but when I heard on the post-game show the final score was 57-46, I knew it wasn't exactly a glowing performance.



Rick Bentley

My first thought was this: *Self, that's barely more than 100 total points. With the shot clock. With the three-pointer. I wonder what it could have been 25 years ago?*

(Note to our youth: Surprisingly enough, they used to play basketball without the shot clock or the three-point shot. And yes, I'm old enough to remember that well. That's pretty depressing, though, so let's just move on.)

But then I thought the need to be positive, so I positively thought, *Instead of focusing on only scoring 57, let's think about holding an opponent to barely more than a point a minute.*

That didn't last all evening, but it helped get me home.

Kentucky just doesn't play that run-and-gun style these days. The Cats win (well, they do pretty well until March. It'd be nice to have a postseason run this year though.) enough, but it isn't flashy.

I still haven't seen the freshmen play, and still don't have much of an interest in seeing most of the returnees in action.

The jury's still out, but it's always better to be 1-0 than 0-1.

We're down to one football

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EXHIBITION BASKETBALL



The Piarist School boys' basketball team returned to the hardwood Wednesday. The David School provided the opposing for the host Knights. Above: Piarist's Chris Baker is pictured going up for a shot. Below: David's Joe Tiller guarded Piarist's Josh Ousley.

Piarist defeats David 51-36 in scrimmage

TIMES STAFF REPORT

MARTIN – The basketball rivalry between the Piarist School Knights and David School Falcons continued Wednesday at the Mountain Christian Academy Gym. In the latest meeting, Piarist defeated David 51-36 in the first preseason scrimmage for both teams.

Each team had a player, or two, step up and lead the way. For Piarist, Chris Baker led the scoring effort with a team-high 14 points. Caleb Hoskins followed Baker in the Piarist scoring column, adding 12 points.

The David School was paced by Blake Stumbo, last season's high scorer. Stumbo resumed his high-scoring ways, tossing in a game-high 15 points. Newcomer Kasey

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Bears fall to Virginia-Wise in OT

TIMES STAFF REPORT

WISE, Va. – In a game which saw nine lead changes and near perfection from the free-throw line, the Pikeville College men's basketball team took the Highland Cavaliers of the University of Virginia's College at Wise to the limit and beyond. But the Bears came up short, losing in overtime at Greer Gymnasium Wednesday night. Virginia-Wise prevailed 70-65.

The Highland Cavaliers controlled the tempo of the game for much of the first half. Scoring on a jumper after the tip, the Cavs appeared to be in the driver's seat from that point on. Virginia-Wise doubled up on the Bears at 18-9 with 9:38 to go in the half. Still, the Bears caught fire and leapt back into the game. Pikeville used a 13-1 run over the course of the next four minutes, capped

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College hoops teams to invade Expo Center

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIKEVILLE – The Pikeville College men's and women's basketball teams will play a select number of their home games this season at the Eastern Kentucky Expo Center.

First-year head coach Kelly Wells and his Bears will play host to Covenant College (Ga.), Bluefield College (Va.), and Georgetown College on Nov. 21-22 in the PC Thanksgiving Classic. Pikeville will open the tournament on Tuesday, Nov. 21 against Covenant at 7 p.m. Georgetown will then take on Covenant at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, while the Bears return to action that evening to battle Bluefield at 8 p.m.

The Expo Center will also play host to a couple of men's/women's basketball dou-

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Three games slated for AC panorama

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

EASTERN – Allen Central High School boys' basketball coach Johnny Martin has released the schedule for his program's annual panorama. This year's Allen Central boys' basketball panorama – as in previous years – will be held the night before Thanksgiving. The latest Runnin' Rebel panorama is set for Wednesday, Nov. 22.

Three Floyd County prep basketball teams – Allen Central, South Floyd and Prestonsburg – are a part of this year's panorama.

Prestonsburg is pitted against 14th Region member Cordia in the panorama opener at 5:45 p.m. The panorama's second game at 7 p.m. has defending 15th Region All "A" Classic champion South

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Allen Central Coach Johnny Martin has released the schedule for this year's Runnin' Rebel Panorama. The Allen Central panorama will feature three boys' basketball games.

Floyd products lead Lady Eagles past Montreat

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

PIPPA PASSES – Allen Central High School graduate Becky Thomas and Betsy Layne High School graduate Whitney Lykens combined for 40 points Wednesday evening to lead the Alice Lloyd College women's basketball team to a 91-63 win over visiting Montreat College. Thomas, who hit 13 of 15 field goals, posted a double-double for Alice Lloyd, hauling down 13 rebounds to go along with a game-high 28 points. Lykens knocked down three of five three-point field goals, finishing with 22 points.

Kaylan Richardson also worked her way into double figures

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Bentley

team in our neck of the woods, as Belfry took care of Prestonsburg in Double-A last week and Hazard stunned Pikeville in Single-A.

I'm going to guess the folks in Prestonsburg will grudgingly take getting beaten in the second round. Last year was simply a fiasco, meaning they are thrilled in comparison to that. I know John DeRossett well enough to know he's never happy with a loss, but judging by the combined scores in the two meetings (77-20), Belfry was just the better team this year.

Belfry, no doubt, is thrilled.

Tonight they could be tested by an 11-1 Middlesboro team that has only lost in their season opener to Knoxville's Central High School. Since then, the only team to play within 10 points of the Yellowjackets was Leslie County, who they beat 21-13 last week. In their regular-season meeting, Middlesboro won 21-6.

Coach Ken Roark's defense has been spotty at best. The Jackets have given up 42 points three times but have held their opponent to single figures on five other occasions.

It basically comes down to this: The team with fewer turnovers and that plays solid on special teams will probably win. This is football, right here.

That leaves Pikeville, and surprisingly, I haven't heard a lot about its 15-14 loss to Hazard last week. That's probably because most people are still in shock. After all, the Panthers whipped the Bulldogs 42-6 only three weeks earlier.

But what I have heard is that many believe the Panthers were looking past the Bulldogs toward their pending matchup

with Somerset. This makes sense, considering the margin of victory in the regular-season meeting, the fact that last year the Briar Jumpers ripped Pikeville 35-7 in the second round and, most importantly, that these are still high school kids.

As such, we'll refrain from being critical. No high school student should be called on the carpet in print for a loss in a football game. They could be like many of their classmates and come no closer to a football than playing Madden 07 on their game unit.

Considering what they

overcame, I'd say it was a fairly productive season for the Panthers.

One thing certain is it's hard to be thankful for the Bengals these days. How in the world does this team expect Bart Williams and Drew Cecil to survive when they can't win scoring 41 points? Seriously, that's embarrassing.

Sunday's visit to New Orleans figures to be only moderately better. The play-offs seem to be a long, long way away for the Bengals.

And finally, a personal note. I'm not thankful football

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season is over at Pikeville College. I enjoy this more than any other sport we play and was pretty proud of Mac Bryan's club going 4-6. Yes, there were a couple of early-season losses that we'd like to have back, but there were also two road wins over ranked opponents.

Toss in four first-team and two second-team all-conference players, and it's a pretty good start for Mac and company.

And that makes me pretty thankful.

Bears

off by a three from freshman Brad Lowe (Pikeville), to take the lead at 19-18. The lead would change hands five more times before a three-point bucket from freshman Brandon May (Inez) put the Bears on top at 34-33 with less

than a minute left in the half.

As the Cavs did in the first half, the Bears controlled the second half for roughly the first 14 minutes. The Bears never led by more than six points, but key free throws and strong defense were able to

keep the Cavs' attack at bay. However, foul trouble enabled Wise to get into the bonus with 6:17 to go, and the Cavs took full advantage.

Two free throws from Jarred Soles put the Cavs up at 53-52 with 6:00 to go.

Still, the Bears clawed back into the lead, as senior Donnell Dobbins followed a key steal by hitting a layup to put the Bears back on top at 54-53 with 4:46 to play.

Again, however, the Cavs used timely free throws to regain the lead at 55-54. The Bears battled back, trailing 58-57, when Dobbins drove to the basket and was called for an offensive foul with only seven seconds remaining in regulation. Wise went to the line and, for the first time during the game, missed a free throw.

The Bears still had life.

With under seven seconds to go, and trailing 59-57, the Bears drove down the floor. Senior Donald Thomas split two defenders and, as time expired, fired an off-balanced jumper off his left foot. The ball kissed the glass then fell through the hoop to send the game into an overtime session.

One could hear a pin drop in Greer Gymnasium as regulation ended. The Bears held the momentum, yet, even though they played some of their best ball of the season, they reverted back to old, bad habits during overtime. The Cavs jumped out to a five-point lead with a three from Soles, leading 64-59 with 2:00 to go. The Bears finally ended their drought with a pair of free throws from Thomas, which cut the lead to 64-61 with 1:24 remaining. But the Bears would get no closer, as

Wise held on for the 70-65 win.

"We had a lot of positives tonight," said PC Coach Kelly Wells. "I thought Donnell (Dobbins), (Robbie) Spears, (Brandon) May, and Brad Lowe were all positives for us tonight. I liked the effort those guys put forth; they gave us a chance to win. We've proven we can go down to the wire with teams, but now we have to learn how to finish."

Still, it wasn't the bitter taste of an overtime loss that bothered Wells.

"We went right back to playing the way we have been," Wells added. "We shot 100 percent from the free-throw line in the first half, and then 75 percent in the second half. But we went right back to shooting our usual 50 percent during overtime."

Missed free throws were

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not the only problem down the stretch for the Bears. Three missed layups, along with only one field goal, wound up being the Bear's undoing during overtime.

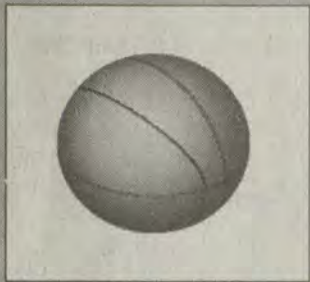
Pikeville did, however, receive impressive performances from Lowe, who had a team-high 19 points, and freshman Robert Walker, who provided a team-leading 11 rebounds. Thomas with 14 and Dobbins with 11 also scored in double digits in the loss for the Bears.

Wise, which shot a lowly 34 percent from the field in the game but was 85 percent from the free-throw line, got a double-double out of sophomore Zydrunnas Rackauskas, who tossed in 23 points and pulled down 12 rebounds.

Soles also provided 15 points in the Cavs' victory.

The Bears dropped to 0-5. Pikeville College will be back on the court Saturday Tip-off is set for 7:30 p.m.

ATHLETES OF THE WEEK



T.J. Tackett, John M. Stumbo Basketball



Casey Adkins, Betsy Layne Basketball

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bleheaders in 2007. On Tuesday, Jan. 30, head coach Bill Watson's Lady Bears will take on the Lady Eagles of Alice Lloyd College at 5:30 p.m. The men's teams will then do battle at 7:30 p.m.

Two days later, on Thursday, Feb. 1, Pikeville will host Lindsey Wilson College in another doubleheader. The Lady Bears and Lady Raiders will duke it out 6 p.m., with the men's teams battling at 8 p.m.

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Floyd taking on Portsmouth Clay, a team out of Ohio. In the nightcap, Allen Central will take on longtime rival Knott County Central. Tip-off for the Allen Central-Knott County Central game is set for 8:15 p.m.

All three Floyd County squads will be the home teams.

Games will consist of four seven-minute quarters. There will be a 10 minute warmup period before each game.

Halftime for each game will be five minutes.

Each player will be allotted six fouls. The two shot bonus will occur after the 10th foul of each half and there will be no one and one bonus. Each team will be allowed three 30 second time outs.

In case of a tie, there will be an immediate jump ball at center court, with the first team scoring a point being declared the winner.

Admission for the panorama is set at \$4 for adults and \$3 for students.

ALLEN CENTRAL PANORAMA, WEDNESDAY, NOV. 22 5:45 P.M. - PRESTONSBURG VS. CORDIA 7 P.M. - SOUTH FLOYD VS. PORTSMOUTH CLAY 8:15 P.M. - ALLEN CENTRAL VS. KNOTT CO. CENTRAL

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for Alice Lloyd, tossing in 11 points.

The Lady Eagles (3-2) hit 36 of 70 field goals from the floor.

Alice Lloyd controlled the boards, outrebounding Montreat 55-29. The Lady Eagles pulled down 42 defen-

sive caroms.

For Montreat (0-6), Whitney Boone, Shennell Feather and Jonkia Stuart-Butler each had 12 points.

Alice Lloyd led Montreat 43-28 at halftime. The Lady Eagles won, despite committing 28 turnovers.

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In other scoring for Alice Lloyd, Chasity Fox tossed in eight points and Elisha Hall added seven. Sierra Wynn and Taran Cody each had five points for the Lady Eagles.

Scrimmage

Ousley (6-5) added 12 points for the Falcons. In other David scoring, Joe Tiler chopped in five points and freshman Josh Dingus canned a three-pointer for the first points of his high school hoops career.

Jake Moak added nine points and Josh Ousley netted seven for the Knights. Piarist had to battle late to secure the

win. The Knights went on a 10-0 run after the Falcons had cut the host team's advantage down to a 31-27 lead.

Ousley, who led David in rebounding, blocked the game's first shot. Despite Ousley's stout inside presence, Piarist dominated the boards as Hoskins, Baker and Matt Doyle each had eight rebounds.

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The David School was due back in preseason action Thursday on the road at Menifee County.

Both Piarist and David will be back in action the week of Nov. 20 in the Three Rivers Conference Tournament at MCA. During the 2006-07 season, Piarist and David will square off in the first round of the 15th Region All "A" Classic.

Classic

Nick Conn and Jason Case each had four points for the Bobcats.

Betsy Layne cruised into halftime ahead 36-8.

For Emmalena, Matt Stacy netted a team-high 10 points. Lucas Gayheart scored nine points, Eric Shepard tossed in eight and Blake Shrum scored four.

Andrew Watkins and Kory Jarrell each connected on a free throw for victorious Betsy Layne.

South Floyd 60, John M. Stumbo 23: In an all-Floyd

County A-team matchup, South Floyd defeated John M. Stumbo in convincing fashion.

Eight different South Floyd players produced points in the tournament game. Shannon Turner knocked down three three-pointers in the first quarter and led the Raiders with a game-high 15 points. Brandon Marson scored 13 points and Dakota Hall flipped in 10 for the Raiders.

South Floyd outscored Stumbo 25-2 in the first quar-

ter. The Raiders wound up holding Stumbo to nine or fewer points in each quarter.

Cody Adkins took game-high scoring figures for John M. Stumbo, finishing with nine points. Landon Tackett added six points and Terry Hinkle netted four as the Mustangs fell in the opening round game.

The Right Beaver Classic boys' basketball tournament continued play Thursday evening.

PLAYERS OF THE YEAR



HONORED: Betsy Layne's Taylor Hott, South Floyd's Kiana Hall and John M. Stumbo's T.J. Tackett earned Floyd County Conference grade school girls' basketball player of the year honors. Hott (A-team) Hall (B-team) and Tackett (C-team) each have bright basketball futures.

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Four Bears named first-team All-MSC

PIKEVILLE — Six Pikeville College football players have been honored with all-conference labels after the Mid-South Conference announced its representatives this evening.

Four Bears were named first-team All-East Division while two others were named to the second-team two days after Pikeville ended its first season under Mac Bryan with a record of 4-6, 2-3 in the East Division.

Not surprisingly, four of the honorees were from the offensive side. Offensive lineman Jermaine Hampton, running back De'von Joseph and kicker Kyle Chilton were first-team selections, while receiver Justin Lamb got a second-team nod.

On defense, lineman Ryan Brown was named first-team and linebacker Sean McKinley garnered a second-team pick.

Hampton, the only senior honored for Pikeville College, is a 6-4, 300-pound tackle from Naples, Fla. For the season, he had 58 pancake blocks while not allowing a sack. Hampton was in only his second season on the offensive side after beginning his career as a defensive lineman.

Joseph is a 5-7, 187-pound true freshman from Ladson, S.C., who had five 100-yard games this season, including two of the five best rushing



Ryan Brown

games in school history. His total of 1,063 yards is the third most in a season and he became the first freshman to gain 1,000 yards in a season. He also scored nine touchdowns.

Joseph's honor is the fourth straight year a Bear tailback has been named All-MSC and gained 1,000 yards.

Freshman kicker Kyle Chilton has been the most celebrated Bear this season, having twice been named the NAIA's National Special Teams Player of the Week. On Oct. 14 the 5-11, 167-pounder from Clearwater, Fla., established a new record with a 50-yard

field goal to send the Homecoming game into overtime (a game he won in the second extra-frame with a 31-yard boot), but that mark didn't make it to the end of the season after he nailed a remarkable kick from 61 yards out at the end of the first half Saturday against West Virginia Tech.

Chilton holds three other school records: Field goal attempts in a game (5), field goals attempted in a season (23) and made in a season (14).

Brown, a 6-3, 270-pound junior from Paintsville, transferred from James Madison University and had an immediate impact on the Bears. He finished the season with 37 tackles, 5.5 of which were for loss and two were sacks. He had an interception, a

rarity for a lineman, forced a fumble and recovered another.

Lamb, a 5-11, 169-pound sophomore from Jackson, re-wrote the school's record books in the receiving columns this season. He finished with a school record 51 catches for 546 yards and six touchdowns. He is also the school's all-time pass catcher with 65, and will enter next season needing only 19 yards to become the leader in that category as well.

McKinley, a 5-10, 206-pound junior from Wilsonville, Ala., led the Bears with 85 tackles this season, including a school record 59 solos. He also had a sack, a fumble recovery and forced a fumble.

— Times Staff Report

Chilton takes second National Player of the Week honor

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIKEVILLE — Since starting varsity football in 2001, Pikeville College had managed one national player of the week. Freshman kicker Kyle Chilton has now pulled off the honor twice in four weeks.

Only hours after being voted Special Teams Player of the Week by Mid-South Conference sports information directors, Chilton was selected by the NAIA office as the winner of the national honor.

Chilton, a 5-11, 167-pound native of Clearwater, Fla., took the honor for

the second time this season after Saturday's 19-8 win over West Virginia Tech, helping the Bears to a 4-6 mark on the season, 2-3 in the East Division of the Mid-South Conference.

Chilton took the honor after scoring 13 of Pikeville's points, nailing his only PAT and hitting all four field goal tries. He provided all nine second-half points on field goals of 26, 31 and 36 yards, but won the award on the strength of a whopping 61-yard boot that sent the game to the half with the Bears on top 10-8.

"Most players don't ever dream of

winning something like this once in their careers," said Kyle Chilton isn't most players," said Pikeville College Coach Mac Bryan. "He's a special young man who is very deserving of this honor. It was an impressive way to end the season."

Impressive as it was, Chilton's boot fell well shy of the national mark. In 1976, Ove Johansson of Abilene Christian (Texas) made a kick from 69 yards out against East Texas State, which stands as the record for all of college football. Johansson played in the NFL for Houston, Dallas and Philadelphia.

It marks the second time this season Chilton has been named the top special teamer by the Mid-South Conference. His first win came after setting the school record he broke Saturday — this one from a more modest 50 yards — and then hitting another in overtime to win the Cumberland University game on Oct. 14.

The record-breaking kick scooted off the crossbar and onto an embankment behind the field while Chilton and his teammates celebrated coming off the field.

"With nothing really riding on the game, I thought, 'what the heck, let's

give him a shot'" Bryan said. "It was the last play of the half, and with Chip's shoulder bothering him, there's no way we could ask him to throw it to the end zone."

"And Kyle is deserving of the opportunity. He's been great for us all season and it was a nice chance for him. To be honest with you, it was a big deal for all of us, me included."

In addition, Chilton set two more marks and tied another on Saturday. He now holds the milestone for field goals made (14) and attempted (23), and matched the record for made field goals in a game with four.

PC volleyball ends season; trio honored at banquet

TIMES STAFF REPORT

JEFFERSONTOWN — The latest season wasn't so bad for the Pikeville College volleyball team.

However, the Pikeville could not muster a strong showing at the Mid-South Conference Tournament on Friday, Nov. 10. In the opening round of the tournament, Pikeville fell to number four-seeded Lindsey Wilson in consecutive games. The Lady Raiders made quick work of the Lady Bears, winning 30-17, 30-18, and 30-19.

The three-game sweep served as a microcosm of the whole season for Coach Robert Staggs' crew. In that stretch, the team showed promise, but in the end, simply was not able

to compete. Each game saw the Lady Bears play well early on, but Lindsey Wilson pulled away each time. As the match progressed, the Lady Bears grew more tired and more anxious. And the Lady Raiders took full advantage.

"It was a lot like our season," said Staggs. "There were times when it looked like we were going to break away from them, but they eventually wore us out and took control."

Though defeated, the Lady Bears did see strong showings from freshman middle hitter Ellen Hogue, who had a team-high 14 kills. Sophomore defensive specialist Hillary Mussman, who was coming off an injury sustained in practice, once again led the squad with 12 digs,

while junior setter Sarah Meyer provided a team-leading four blocks.

The three-game sweep did not particularly surprise Staggs. "We've had a tough few weeks going back to the Lindsey loss (on Oct. 25). We just haven't been able to get back on track, in games or in practice."

The loss to Lindsey Wilson Oct. 25 marked the beginning of a six-game losing streak, which ended the Lady Bears' season. The last time the Lady Bears picked up a victory was on Oct. 23 against Johnson Bible College.

Not only did the sweep end the season for the Lady Bears, it completed a season-sweep for the Lady Raiders, who beat Pikeville in both of their previous meetings this sea-

son. Furthermore, the sweep marked the 15th time that the Lady Bears have been swept this season; in fact, each of the team's final three losses game via the sweep.

However, there were still many bright spots from this season. The Lady Bears put together an impressive four-game winning streak earlier in the season, and even had a game in which they limited Kentucky Christian to only one point-on-serve.

During the Mid-South Conference postseason awards banquet, held Thursday, Nov. 9, two players were named Second Team All-Conference. Mussman and junior Vicki Hall were honored, while junior Heather Robbins was

also honored with an Academic All-Conference selection.

Hall was second in the league with an average of 1.97 blocks per game and eighth in the conference in kills per game, averaging 2.82. She also averaged 1.13 digs per game. Mussman was second in the conference with 5.86 digs per game.

The Lady Bears wrapped up their season with a 14-22 record (2-9 in the MSC), but Staggs already sees much promise for next season.

"We have no seniors on this year's squad, so it will be good to return everyone. We'll be older and more experienced and should be a lot stronger next season."

Number 4 Mountain State turns back Pikeville

TIMES STAFF REPORT

BECKLEY, W.Va. — They say losing is contagious, and once it starts it is impossible to stop. That seems to be the way the Pikeville College men's basketball team is feeling lately.

After a heart-breaking loss to open the home part of their schedule last Tuesday, the Bears traveled to No. 4 Mountain State and were greeted

rudely by the Cougars who overtook the Bears for an 85-47 win.

The Bears looked solid as the game began, hanging with the Cougars and staying with them as they ran the floor. The Bears shot an impressive 77 percent from the free-throw line during the first half, their best of any half this season, and only trailed by 10 going into halftime.

Like most of the first half, the

Bears hung with the Cougars, cutting the lead down to six at one point. However, the Cougars soon broke away, outscoring the Bears by 28 points in the second half.

Just like in their loss to King, the Bears struggled at the free-throw line during the second half, shooting a mere 46 percent. Yet the stat that hurt the most was 16 percent, which was what the Bears managed to shoot from

the field during the second half. All this, plus a Cougar offense that pushed the ball up and down the floor and wore out the Bears' defense, culminated in an 85-47 loss for Pikeville.

"I thought we played well for 26 minutes," said Coach Kelly Wells. "We hung with them, but then they just ran away. There really isn't much more you can say."

For visiting Pikeville, senior

Donald Thomas and Donnell Dobbins provided 21 and 10 points, respectively. Freshman Robert Walker contributed nine rebounds in the loss for the Bears.

Mountain State moved to 4-0, thanks in no small part to two double-doubles, which were provided by Adron Marshall (21 points and 13 rebounds) and Yusaf Baker (11 points and 10 rebounds).

Pikeville women still ranked first in nation

TIMES STAFF REPORT

BEAVERCREEK, Ohio — Odds are pretty good the Pikeville College women's bowling program will hold on to its ranking as the No. 1 team in the country.

In an unquestionably a terrific weekend for Pikeville women's bowling program, their three teams finished first, second and third in the Raider Classic Collegiate

Tournament.

The Pikeville Lady Bear bowlers had their way with Morehead State University, Bellarmine University, Ball State University, The Ohio State University, Wright State University, Virginia Tech, Oberlin College and Martin Methodist College.

It was also a big weekend for individual bowlers as 11 Lady Bears dominated the top 25 individual performances. Leading the pack was junior All-American Kayla Bandy, who won a tournament championship for the second time this season. Bandy was the only bowler in the field to average over 200 (203.4) on a very cranky sport shot and led the all-tournament team.

She was joined on the all-tournament team by senior Michelle McKay, who averaged 187.6 for the weekend.

On the men's side, Pikeville placed two teams in the four-team playoffs, finishing second and third to Morehead State. Pikeville Kodak knocked off Ohio State and Pikeville Polar by 2-0 scores before falling to MSU 0-2 in the finals.

Pikeville Black missed the playoffs by finishing sixth.

Freshman Kyle Barnes made the five-player all-tournament team, averaging 199.6. Sophomore Dakota Jordan finished seventh among individuals with an average of 198.6.

RIGHT BEAVER CLASSIC



DAREDEVILS ADVANCE: Corey Thomsberry (left) and Blake Dean (above) were two key players in McDowell's win over Allen Wednesday in the Right Beaver Classic's opening round.

Eagles beat Boyce

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIPPA PASSES — The Alice Lloyd College men's basketball team fell to Boyce College on Saturday in a game played in Louisville. Alice Lloyd led 49-41 at the half on its way to winning 97-86.

Allen Central High School graduate Shawn Newsome paced Alice Lloyd with 20 points. Clay County native Rodney Mitchell pushed in 17 points and pulled down four rebounds for the Eagles.

Corey Hairston scored 13 points, William Dillard netted 10 points and dished off seven assists and Eric

Mullins finished with 10 tallies and nine rebounds for the ALC team.

The Eagles will be back in action Saturday, playing at home in Grady Nutt Athletic Center against Mid-Continent University.

ALC JV falls in shootout: The Alice Lloyd College junior varsity men's basketball team lost a barn-burner Tuesday, Nov. 7. In a high-scoring JV game, Union College defeated the Eagles 108-105.

Tyson Gross led the Eagles with 25 points, seven rebounds and six assists. Gross was followed by Derrick Miller with 15 points. Dennis Farler (13 points) Jordan Fugate (12 points) and Brent Newsome (11 points) were other potent offensive players for the Eagles.

Jason Arnett and Justin Triplett each chipped in nine points for the ALC JV.



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Cats win: Kentucky 57, Miami (Ohio) 46

by JEFFREY McMURRAY
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LEXINGTON — Freshman forward Perry Stevenson blocked seven shots and No. 22 Kentucky scored the final 10 points of the game to pull away from Miami of Ohio 57-46 Wednesday night in its season opener.

The Wildcats led by 10 in the second half before two free throws by Nathan Peavy cut the edge to 47-46 with four minutes left.

Ramel Bradley hit a jumper in traffic and Randolph Morris made two free throws, then scored from the post to stretch it back to a seven-point deficit.

Joe Crawford led the Wildcats with 18 points.

Kentucky got off to a sluggish start, making only two of its first 11 shots while Miami hit six of its first 11, including four from 3-point range.

An open 3 by center Monty St. Clair midway through the half

capped a 13-3 run for the RedHawks, who took their biggest lead at 16-6. Peavy led the RedHawks with 17.

Kentucky didn't reach double-digits on the scoreboard for 13 minutes, until Crawford hit a jumper to cut the lead to 18-10. The junior guard connected on five of 12 shots — including three from long-range.

The Wildcats got back into the game with a 16-3 run in the final three minutes of the first half.

Freshman guard Jodie Meeke tied it at 27 by grabbing Bradley's miss

and scoring on the putback. Crawford made a 3-pointer and added a free throw on the next possession to give Kentucky a 31-27 halftime lead.

A layup by Morris early in the second half gave Kentucky its 10-point lead, but fouls and turnovers kept the RedHawks in it. Morris picked up his fourth foul, making him a non-factor for much of the second half.

Kentucky played the game without two key players. Senior forward

Sheray Thomas was suspended for an undisclosed rules violation and sophomore center Jared Carter is out with a dislocated right shoulder.

Carter hurt himself in practice and could miss about a month. His injury was part of the reason Kentucky coach Tubby Smith opted to start Stevenson.

The team's two healthy centers, Morris and Lukasz Obrzut, have been prone to foul trouble, and Smith didn't want to risk a quick exit for either.

With two games left, Wildcats hoping to climb bowl ladder

by JEFFREY McMURRAY
ASSOCIATED PRESS

LEXINGTON — Grinning from ear to ear, offensive guard Michael Aitcheson declared that bowl-bound Kentucky faces its biggest game of the year Saturday against Louisiana-Monroe.

Of course, Aitcheson says that every Monday. But, with a six-win season and an almost certain bowl appearance in the bag, he insisted his position hasn't changed.

The Warhawks may not present the kind of pressure the Wildcats faced in winning their last three Southeastern Conference games against Mississippi State, Georgia and Vanderbilt, but the senior says they should.

"We're bowl eligible, but nothing is etched in stone yet," Aitcheson said. "We have to take care of business each week. A couple of fans have got their eyes set on Tennessee already, but we've got our eyes set on Louisiana-Monroe."

With two games left, Kentucky (6-4 overall, 4-3 SEC) has already

met its biggest goal for the season by gaining bowl eligibility for the first time since 1999. That presents coach Rich Brooks with a problem any coach would love to have — finding even bigger goals to replace it.

For that, he's turning back to history.

Win Saturday (and the Wildcats will be heavy favorites) and Kentucky would match the Commonwealth Stadium record of six home wins set in 1976.

Finish with two straight wins, including the season-finale next week at Tennessee, and achieve Kentucky's best record since 1984.

"I've tried to use the history lesson quite a bit this year," Brooks said. "The history has been pretty bleak for us. Now they can put a stamp, if you will, on some historical marks that haven't been achieved around here."

A season that began with Brooks on the hot seat is ending with questions not about whether Kentucky is going to a bowl but which one? The Wildcats are in second place in the SEC East, and several different pos-

sibilities remain open.

"It's exciting," said linebacker Wesley Woodyard. "We've got some things we can do that haven't been done in a while."

On Monday, for the second time this season, quarterback Andr Woodson was honored as the SEC's offensive player of the week. He threw for 450 yards and four touchdowns against Vanderbilt.

Brooks says he has seen few players in his coaching career mature more from one year to the next as Woodson has.

"I can't say enough good things about him," Brooks said. "He's just had a remarkable year. I hope these recognitions will get him some post-season honors because I think he deserves it."

A strong finish could conceivably put Woodson in contention for the SEC's Offensive Player of the Year, and Brooks is likely a leading candidate for Coach of the Year.

Although Woodson and the offense rank among the national leaders, Kentucky will look to improve its defense before it heads

bowling. It ranks among the nation's worst in yards allowed and gave up 621 to the Commodores.

"We dug ourselves a big hole at the beginning of the season," defensive back Marcus McClinton said. "Big plays are killing us right now."

Brooks is stressing better tackling from his defense, but the unit continues to improve in another area. It has generated 26 turnovers this year, at least one in every game, and now ranks fourth nationally in turnover margin.

"We're getting guys just flying around the football," Woodyard said. "One person gets there, the next guy is trying to knock it out."

Aitcheson, who is one of 16 Wildcats who will be honored at Senior Day festivities Saturday, says his classmates should get satisfaction out of what they have accomplished.

"We wanted to see the program in a better shape leaving than it was while we were here," he said. "That was one of our big goals, and that's a good feeling. That means we've accomplished something great."

STATE HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL PLAYOFFS TONIGHT'S GAMES

CLASS A
Danville-Bethlehem, 7:30 p.m.
Metcalfe County-Mayfield, 7:30 p.m.
Raceland-Newport Cent. Cath., 7 p.m.
Somerset-Hazard, 7 p.m.

CLASS 2A
Belfry-Middlesboro, 7:30 p.m.
Mercer Co.-LaRue Co., 7:30 p.m.
Russell-Corbin, 7:30 p.m.
Owensboro Cath.-Trigg Co., 7:30 p.m.

CLASS 3A
Bowling Green-Hopkinsville, 7 p.m.
Johnson Cent.-Rockcastle Co., 7:30 p.m.
Lexington Cath.-Cov. Cath., 7:30 p.m.
Southwestern-Central, 7:30 p.m.

CLASS 4A
Clark Co.-Henry Clay, 7:30 p.m.
Male-Trinity (Louisville), 7:30 p.m.
Warren Cent.-Henderson Co., 7:30 p.m.
Ryle-Meade County, 7:30 p.m.

Two teams, one individual repeat at state cross country meet

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LEXINGTON — St. Henry (Boys' Class A), Owensboro Catholic (Boys' Class AA) and Paul Dunbar's Laura Steinmetz (Girls' Class AAA) were repeat champions at the 2006 KHSAA State Cross Country Championships held last Saturday at the Kentucky Horse Park in Lexington.

State Championship race results are posted online at www.khsaa.org/cross_country.

Following is a listing of Sportsmanship and Leadership honorees from last Saturday's State

Cross Country Meet:

First Corbin Financial Corporation Sportsmanship Award, Class A Girls — Rebecca Shelton, Model. Class A Boys — Andy Stump, Bishop Brossart. Class AA Girls — Rachel Blank, Bell County. Class AA Boys — Zack Shuffett, Warren East. Class AAA Girls — Colleen Campbell, DuPont Manual. Class AAA Boys — Chris Rice, Woodford County.

Kentucky Army National Guard "Going the Distance" Leadership Award, Class A Girls — Emily Fette, St. Henry. Class A Boys — Eric Dwyer, St. Henry. Class AA Girls —

Suzanne Holt, Muhlenberg South. Class AA Boys — Nathan Liversedge, West Jessamine. Class AAA Girls — Laura Steinmetz, Paul Dunbar. Class AAA Boys — Ethan Short, Trinity (Louisville).

State Football on the air: The Planet (101.5 FM) in Lexington will carry all four games of the 2006 KHSAA State Football Finals as part of the Rawlings Radio Network. Gary Ball, Bill Ransdall, Randy Wilson and Mike Harmon will have all of the action live from Papa John's Cardinal Stadium. In addition, the games will be streamed on the internet at www.khsaa.net in partnership

with ezstream.

Insight Communications Louisville will produce and air on a tape-delayed basis all four games of the 2006 KHSAA State Football Finals. In addition, the game will air on the Insight Network throughout the state (Northern Kentucky, Bowling Green, Lexington, Louisville) and Comcast in Indiana.

Insight Louisville will air the games using the following schedule:
CLASS 4A - SATURDAY, DEC. 2 AT 7:30 p.m.
CLASS 3A - SATURDAY, DEC. 2

AT 11 p.m.
CLASS 1A - SATURDAY, DEC. 9 AT 7:30 p.m.

CLASS 2A - SATURDAY, DEC. 9 AT 11 p.m.

Comcast/Charter Sports Southeast will also air the games on a delayed basis throughout the South. An air date schedule will be announced once finalized.

UPCOMING KHSAA EVENTS
Nov. 30 State Football Final (Class 4A)
Dec. 1 State Football Final (Class 2A, 1A, 3A)

Lady Eagle Panorama set for Saturday

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

PAINTSVILLE — The tradition-rich Johnson Central High School girls' basketball program will host its annual Lady Eagle Panorama Saturday. This year's JCHS girls' basketball panorama will feature a pair of matchups. Teams from both the 15th and 16th regions make up the field for this year's Lady Eagle Panorama.

In the first game of the panorama

at 5 p.m., Belfry, a 15th Region Tournament semifinalist last season, will take on 16th Region member Greenup County.

In the second and final game of the panorama, host Johnson Central will play Elliott County. Tip-off for the Johnson Central-Elliott County game is set for 6:30 p.m.

Johnson Central, one of the teams expected to contend for a 15th Region championship, returns the majority of players from last season's team. Veteran head coach Phillip Wireman guides the Lady Eagles.

Lady Eagle Panorama at Johnson Central High School, Saturday, Nov. 18
Belfry vs. Greenup Co., 5 p.m.
Johnson Central vs. Elliott Co., 6:30 p.m.



HEADED INTO OFF-SEASON WORKOUTS: The Prestonsburg High School football program will begin offseason workouts in the coming weeks.

photo by Jamie Howell

Results from GFC 10

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PRESTONSBURG — Gladiator Fighting Championship 10 was held Saturday, Nov. 10 at the Stumbo-Wilkinson Convention Center. Results from the event follow.

Donny Greathouse def. Brad Bound, Rd. 1 Chokeout; Russell Gibson def. Brandon McGraw, Rd. 3 TKO ref. stoppage; Delmar Rose def. Greg Swartz, Rd. 1 sub. via RNC; Ryan Bryant def. Corey Click, Rd. 3 TKO Ref Stoppage; Brent Newsome def. Daniel Wallace, Rd. 2 SUB via RNC; Thomas McDavid def. Chris Walker, Rd. 3 not able to continue; Ryan Robinette def. Shannon Emory, Rd. 1 TKO Ref Stoppage; Nathan Moore def. Jonathan Endicott, Rd. 1 sub. via guillotine; Sean

Beller def. Trenton Edwards, Rd. 1 sub. via triangle; Jack Nicholas def. John Back, Rd. 1 TKO ref stoppage; Brandy Shell def. Bobby Jo Hall, Rd. 3 judge's dec.; Willard Hackworth def. Larry Rogers, Rd. 1 TKO tap to strikes; James Gregg def. Raymon Webb, Rd. 1 sub. via Triangle; Forrest Newsome def. David Slone, Rd. 1 sub. via RNC; Brandon Howard def. Jeff Mullins, Rd. 1 TKO tap to strikes; Elza Webb def. Billy Smith, Rd. 1 not able to continue; Steven Thompson def. Shane McManahan, Rd. 1 sub. via RNC; Mark Maynard def. Kenny Kretzer RD 1 TKO tap to strikes; Brandon Hall def. Ricky Conley Rd. 1 sub. via Guillotine; Johnathan Jackson def. Riley Cook, Rd. 1 sub. via RNC; Les Stapleton def. Greg Maynard, Rd. 2 TKO verbal sub., won heavy-weight title. GNP Fighter of the Night: Ryan Bryant.



The University of the Cumberlands women's flag football team won the 10th annual University of Virginia at Wise Flag Football Scramble, taking its second straight title. Johnson Central High School graduate Maggie Callis and Belfry High product Heather Rutherford competed for the University of the Cumberlands.

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THROUGH MY EYES

Taking stock

It's that time again. I can hardly believe that the holidays are upon us so soon again. Time, truly, does fly - and quickly. Though all around us tragedies and disappointments seemingly prevail and it sometimes seems like a hard task, indeed, to find reasons to be thankful, I am, nonetheless, never at a loss to be able to do so.

Sometimes I wish my home were more beautiful, that I was more beautiful, that worries never had reason to fill my head or to disturb my sleep; that my paycheck were bigger, my job easier and future success a sure thing. There are always reasons to complain, but when we really take the time to stop and assess our situation, we find that there are really many more reasons to be thankful than there are to be attempting to host our own private "pity party."

My eldest daughter was involved in a minor car accident earlier this week and, in light of



Kathy Prater
Lifestyles editor

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Marena Nelson, right, explains the finer details of cross-stitching to holiday fair visitors Sherri Kinzer and Rose Smith.



Homemakers member Gypsy Jones, seated, shares some information about the process of quilting with visitors to the event.



Prestonsburg residents Cleo DeRossett, left, and Maxine Bierman, right, admire a handcrafted, appliqué quilt on display during the open house event.



Ray Tackett, agriculture extension agent, demonstrated how to make wreaths from fresh greenery while others tied fanciful bows with which to adorn them.

DINNER DIVA

Five points to ponder before Thanksgiving

by Leanne Ely



Leanne Ely

It's hard to believe but the "Feast of Feasts" — Thanksgiving, is just days away!

My question to you is: Are you ready?

Here's a handy five-point checklist to get you ready in no time at all.

- 1) Guest List. Have you confirmed who will and won't be there? Make those calls today.
- 2) The Menu. Do you know what you're having besides turkey? Make your menu and appropriate grocery list and get it done as soon as possible. You don't want to wait till next week!
- 3) The Turkey. Speaking of turkeys, remember if yours is frozen solid, it needs to thaw. You're going to want to give your turkey at least a few days to completely thaw. For more information on thawing the bird (and for a tried and true Thanksgiving Menu, complete with recipes, shopping list and timeline, go to www.sav-

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Floyd County Extension Homemakers display talents at holiday fair

by Kathy J. Prater
FEATURES EDITOR

If it had to do with the holidays, it was on display at the Holiday Open House, held Wednesday at the Floyd County Extension Office and sponsored by the Floyd County Extension Homemakers. "The holiday open house is just our way of saying, 'Come join us, come see what we're doing,'" said Theresa Scott, Floyd County Extension Agent for Family and Consumer Sciences.

On display at the open house were hand-crafted quilts, Christmas ornaments, hand-painted gourds, ragged edge quilts, handmade scarves, a variety of holiday home decorations and more. Ray Tackett, Floyd County Extension Agent for Agriculture and Natural Resources, was on hand to demonstrate how to make your own holiday wreath from fresh green cuttings. The wreaths, and many of the crafted items, were offered for sale.

"The extension homemakers program is a wonderful organization," Scott said. "It brings people together, men and women, to help strengthen our communities, build leadership qualities and educate

on a grassroots level."

Extension homemakers are involved in a variety of programs, from helping fund cancer research and local screenings to working toward eliminating illiteracy. "One dollar out of every six that is paid a member for a year's membership dues goes directly to the UK ovarian cancer screening program which, in turn, comes back to individual counties, including Floyd, to provide free ovarian cancer screenings for local women," said Scott. "Up to this point in time, somewhere between \$700,000 to \$800,000 has been contributed to the program through the extension homemakers organization."

In addition, extension homemakers work to raise funds to purchase books for area children and to help support programs that combat illiteracy, on both the child and adult levels.

"The extension homemakers organization is all about volunteerism," said Scott. "Our volunteers log many service hours, helping to educate our communities, participating in leadership workshops and bringing that training back home. The extension homemakers program is a multi-faceted program that provides many opportunities on many different levels. We invite everyone to join us as we strive to serve the entire community, meet needs and empower the individuals that we serve."



Even the treats were cute at the annual holiday event. These Christmas mice are made by hand-dipping long-stemmed cherries to create the plump little bodies and then adding a chocolate kiss to create a winsome little face.

This coming Monday, November 20, the Homemakers will meet at 10 a.m., in the May Lodge lobby to decorate the Lodge Christmas tree with the many beautifully handcrafted ornaments the individual clubs have been working on throughout the past year. All who are interested in helping are cordially invited to join them.

Extension Homemakers meet monthly in Prestonsburg, Martin, Maytown, Left Beaver Creek, and at the Dixie and Cliffside apartment complexes. For meeting days and times, see the Community Calendar printed each Wednesday in this paper, or call Theresa Scott at (606) 886-2668.

FLY LADY

Pass it on; a legacy of love

by Marla Cilley

We each have the same number of hours in a day - how are you using yours? Do you whine that you don't have time? Are you constantly rushing around trying to make more time? When are we ever going to just stop and be?

just how short life really is. I will never forget the first time I saw the haunting blue eyes of an eighteen-month-old precious baby girl. Her sweet mother was my home economics teacher in high school - a woman who helped me become who I am today. I was sixteen years old when I knocked on her door to see little Miss Amber toddling across the floor. Amber died last week after fighting breast cancer for five years. She was only thirty-five years young and left behind a precious six-year-old son.

Amber was misdiagnosed just a few months after giving birth to her son. The doctors thought her problem was just a stopped-up milk gland.

Looking back, we can speculate and try to place blame for a mistake on the heads of those doctors but Amber didn't do that. She lived each day to her fullest doing what she could for others and touching lives with her daily walk of hope and encouragement.

I am reminded of a song we sang at camp when I was young, "Pass It On! It only takes a spark to get a fire going; And soon all those around can warm up in its glowing." Amber was a spark to the many lives she touched. Her warmth was passed on to her family and the school children she taught, as well as the people she met while she was taking her chemotherapy. She had a talent for inspiring others and

leaving a legacy of hope to all those basking in her glowing embers of love.

What legacy will you leave? Do the lives you touch feel your warmth? Do you pass your smile on to others as you walk through your daily routines? Life is so short. It is time for us to take care of those little things that keep us on that perpetual treadmill of "Go, Go, Go" and slow down to enjoy each step we take instead of rushing to the next one. All we ever seem to say is "I don't have time!"

I have realized one thing since I



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Family Medicine

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Question: I have had irritable bowel syndrome (IBS) for two years. It seems to have started after I had a case of the stomach flu. I had a colonoscopy done and the doctor found only a few benign polyps, which he removed. I was told I didn't have to have another colonoscopy for five years. Still I'm worried that my IBS will eventually turn into cancer. Do you have any suggestions for diet or medications that might help my IBS?

Answer: About 20 percent of the population has irritable bowel syndrome (IBS). It can occur at any age and is more

common in women than men. IBS affects the colon, or large intestine, which is the last five feet of the intestinal tract. That's the region where water is absorbed from the waste products of digestion and the stool is made firm.

IBS is what doctors call a "functional disorder." This means that there's nothing wrong with the actual health of the body part; it's just not operating, or functioning, correctly. These functional problems are distinguished from organic disorders, where a body part or organ is actually diseased. For example, cancer and many types of heart disease

Irritable bowel syndrome not risk factor for colon cancer

are organic disorders.

The primary symptoms of IBS are cramping and diarrhea after eating. And while these cramps — often accompanied by gas — can be very painful, IBS does not damage the colon or lead to other diseases. Many things can trigger IBS symptoms. Certain foods are frequent culprits. These include chocolate, milk and dairy products, caffeine, beans, carbonated beverages, alcohol and high-fat foods. In many people stress can also lead to intestinal symptoms.

The diagnosis of IBS is one of exclusion. First, your doctor made a tentative diagnosis based on the signs and symptoms that you have. Then he excluded all the possible organic causes of your disease before concluding you have IBS. The colonoscopy you had was part of this exclusion process. Also, it's a wonderful preventive measure. That's because polyps you had removed during that colonoscopy

may have prevented a future colon cancer.

At this point, I'd stop worrying. IBS does not cause long-term harm to the intestines and does not lead to other diseases such as colon cancer, or Crohn's disease. Just make sure that you have that next colonoscopy in five years.

In the meantime, treatment for your IBS should be individualized to correct the primary problems that you are having. Avoiding offending foods is a place to start. I'd recommend trying an elimination diet. That means selectively eliminating certain foods from your diet and then seeing how your IBS reacts. A good place to start would be to eliminate dairy products. You mentioned in another part of your letter than "beans and cabbage" tear you up. It sounds like those are triggers that should be avoided.

Using laxatives if you are constipated or anti-diarrheal medications if

you have diarrhea can make you feel better. Some people with IBS benefit from taking antidepressants.

I'd recommend that you work closely with your doctor to help find what works to minimize your symptoms. There are some newer prescription medications on the market for IBS, but they work best when you first eliminate as many IBS triggers as possible.

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School Happenings

Adams Middle School Youth Services Center

****Canned food drive now going on. The homeroom that brings in the most canned food will win a party from the YSC. Food items will be donated to local food banks to help with the upcoming holiday season.**

****AMS is collecting Food City receipts! Receipts may be given to any AMS student or dropped off at the school office.**

■ Nov. 20 - UK Trauma Team will give presentation for students and staff.

■ Nov. 27 thru Dec. 1 - Book Fair. Volunteers needed.

■ Nov. 28 - Magic Me, weather permitting. 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.

■ **Book Club will meet on Thursdays, after school until 5 p.m. New members can still sign up in the YSC office.**

■ **Sponsors needed for the YSC Secret Santa program. Call 886-1297.**

■ The Youth Services Center is open each weekday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Coordinator is Michelle Keathley. Center telephone is 886-1297. Please call for information on center programs and services.

Allen Central High School

■ Nov. 22, 23, 24 - No School - Thanksgiving break.

■ Center hours: 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Mon. thru Fri. Sharon Collins, coordinator. Telephone 358-3048. Center provides services for all families regardless of income.

Allen Central Middle School

****Collect Food City receipts and turn them in to homeroom teachers!****

■ **Can Food Drive going on now at school.***

■ Nov. 20 - SBDM meeting, 5 p.m.

■ Nov. 27 - Floyd County Board of Education meeting, 6:30 p.m., ACMS.

■ Nov. 27 - Teen Dating Violence program, 7th & 8th grades.

■ Nov. 28 - Picture retakes.

■ Nov. 30 - Bullying program, 7th & 8th grades.

■ Career Decisions and Job Development videos available in YSC lending library.

■ The ACMS Youth Service Center offers services to all families, regardless of income. For more

information, call Marilyn Bailey, center 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

■ Lost and Found items will be located in the center. Items not claimed within two weeks will become FRYSC property.

■ Center hours are 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., Mon. thru Fri. Center offers services to all families, regardless of income.

■ The Betsy Layne Elementary Family Resource Youth Service Center is located in the 7th and 8th grade wing. 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.

■ Brian H. Akers, Center Coordinator.

Clark Elementary

■ F.I.T. Club meets each Tuesday and Wednesday after school, 3:15-4:15 p.m. (Fitness activities for 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students.)

****Fridays are "School Spirit" days! (All year long!) Wear Clark colors (green and gold) or Clark t-shirts. Students, staff, parents - show your support for CES!!**

■ FCHD nurses on site Nov. 2, Nov. 16. Medical exams, shots, and WIC services all available to community. Telephone the center at 886-0815 for an appointment.

■ 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 again this year! Please drop off your receipts at the school, or mail them to: Duff Elementary School, P.O. Box 129, Eastern, KY 41622.**

■ Nov. 22, 23, 24 - No School.

■ Nov. 28 - Picture retakes.

■ Yearbooks on sale - \$22.

■ Christmas is fast approaching

and needs are great while funds are few. Please call the FRC at 358-9878 if you would like to sponsor a child.

■ FRC is also in need of clothing, sizes 3T thru adult, for emergency clothing use and burnouts. If you have clothing to donate, please call the FRC.

■ 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.

May Valley Elementary

■ Parent Lending Library is available to parents for video checkouts. 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

■ Call 285-5141, Mon. thru Fri., from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

■ MCA is an accredited non-denominational Christian school.

Prestonsburg Elementary and Family Resource Center

■ The Family Resource Center is open weekdays 8 a.m.-4 p.m., and later by appointment. Office pro-

vides services for all families, regardless of income.

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

South Floyd Youth Services Center

■ Nov. 28 - Open House. Free meal served at 6 p.m.; parent/teacher visits, 6-8 p.m. Date subject to change.

■ SFHS and SFMS will be participating in the Apples for Students program. Please save and turn in your Food City receipts.

■ 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.

■ Call center for: list of visiting speakers and presentations to be held throughout year; to make appointments to attend Parent Volunteer Training sessions; or for information in regard to Adult Education programs.

■ 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.

■ 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 452-9607, ext. 243 or 153.

Stumbo Elementary/Mud Creek Family Resource & Youth Service Center

■ Lost & Found located in Family Resource Center.

■ The Mud Creek FRYSC is located on the right, by the school gymnasium. Services are offered to all families, regardless of income. For more information, call Anita Tackett, center coordinator at 587-2233.

The Piarist School

■ Nov. 18 - Huge indoor yard sale, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., in Piarist School/MCA gymnasium. Event will include a "Bag Sale," all the clothing you can stuff into one bag for \$3 or two bags for \$5! More information, call 285-3950.

Fly Lady

turned fifty years old last January - being in a hurry never got me anywhere faster. It was only when I slowed down and enjoyed the ride that the time passed before I knew it. Where is your joy? Have you thrown it away with all of your forgotten dreams because you don't have time? As I talked with my dear friend, Jeannie, tonight about the death of her precious daughter I realized that each of us can touch another life; even if it is only in passing. We have a choice to be in a hurry or to slow down and enjoy the ride. What have you been putting off? Does your home keep your life in CHAOS and prevent you from passing on your spark to warm the world? I realize that shining your sink may seem foolish right now but in the big scheme of

things it is the spark that opened up my life to helping others. From that one shiny sink, homes are being blessed and you find the time you never thought was possible to rekindle those forgotten dreams and use your talents to change the world.

One small spark will pass on the heartbeat of love that connects us all! My sweet teacher helped me to become who I am today. Her gentle hands pushed me into the world and taught me how to cook, clean and sew. The best gift she gave me was the courage to stand up and speak to a crowd and pass on what I have learned. She gave her own daughter this same precious gift of learning how to touch others. I am honored to have known Amber. In Amber's memory, please call your girlfriend,

sister, aunt and mother to remind them to do their monthly breast exam. Don't put it off by saying, "I don't have time!" Take the time right now and pass it on! Ask each person to also make that call or send that email! We can save lives with early detection! Pass it on!

Here is a link to allow you to be touched by the spark in her blue eyes. www.dilday.com Click on Amber Pierce.

For more help getting rid of your CHAOS; check out Marla's website and join her free mentoring group at www.FlyLady.net or her book, *Sink Reflections*, published by Bantam and her new book, *Body Clutter*. Copyright 2006; Marla Cilley. Used by permission in this publication.

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Birthdays



90th birthday celebration

Cam Garrett, formerly of Prestonsburg, was honored by his family on his 90th birthday at a celebration held at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Resort Park. More than 125 family members and friends attended, including his only living sibling (of twelve), Freda Helen Wells, and a sister-in-law, Lucille Garrett. Family members from six states traveled to Floyd County to honor Mr. Garrett and wish him well. In addition, 25 good friends and neighbors traveled from Huntington, West Virginia, where Mr. Garrett now resides, to attend the event. Mr. Garrett retired 25 years ago from the Columbia Gas Company. Many of his former co-workers also attended the celebratory event. Mr. Garrett was married for 53 years to Ruby Conn Garrett, now deceased. The couple were both members of the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church. Mr. Garrett was thrilled to see everyone and greatly enjoyed the birthday celebration. He and his family thank everyone who shared this special day with them and all those who gave gifts and cards and who shared pictures and stories. The family also wishes to thank the staff at May Lodge for a wonderful dinner, delicious birthday cake and excellent service. Mr. Garrett invites everyone to stop and visit him when in the Huntington area.

Births



Beautiful baby boy!

Donnie Tyler Stephens was born on October 19, 2006, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, to proud parents Donnie and Jamie Stephens, of Blue River. He weighed 6 lbs., 13 oz. and was 19 and one-half inches long. Tyler is the grandson of Raymond and Barbara Carroll, of Blue River, Frank and Agatha Slone, of Martin, and Monroe and Sandra Stephens, of Bull Creek. He is the great-grandson of Charlie and Ruth Nelson, of David; Ernest Ray Slone, of Prestonsburg, and the late Pauline Slone; Adam and Marie Arnett, of Roann, Indiana; and the late Green and Delila Stephens, formerly of Bull Creek.



Happy Birthday, Daniele!

Daniele Lusha Barnett will turn 12 years old on December 9, 2006. Daniele is the daughter of Michele Isaac Barnett, of Wheelwright, and the step-daughter of Porky Mullins, of Weeksbury. She is the granddaughter of Anna and Mark Harvey, of Knott County, and Hazel Harvey, of Wheelwright.



Prestonsburg Health Care hosts fall festival

The Prestonsburg Health Care Center hosted their annual fall festival on Friday, October 27. Residents, their families, visitors and area children were treated to an evening of games, food, treats and prizes. The director and staff of the center wish to express their thanks to all who attended and helped make the event a special one for all. Special thanks go to Mayor Jerry Fannin for visiting and participating in the cake walk and winning the first cake of the night. All proceeds from the event went toward the resident Christmas fund. The center thanks the Prestonsburg community for all the support they show, year round.

Feb. 1 is deadline for HCTC's Kudzu

Kudzu, an annual literary publication of Hazard Community and Technical College, is now soliciting submissions from the general public as well as students and HCTC employees for its 2007 issue. A Feb. 1, 2007 deadline has been set for submissions of poems, pen and ink art work, short stories, and personal essays. The short stories and personal essays should not exceed 4,000 words. With the submissions, please include a few biographical facts, town or county of residence, occupation and/or interests. Please provide a return address, telephone number, and email address (if available). Those wanting their work returned should send a self-addressed stamped envelope to Donna S. Sparkman, Hazard Community and Technical College, Knott County Branch, One Community College Drive, Hazard, KY 41701. The work and biographical information should be submitted to Donna S. Sparkman at the above address anytime before Feb. 1, 2007. In addition to general submissions, Kudzu is having a fiction and poetry contest. Anyone interested in these contests or simply submitting work for consideration, please contact Donna S. Sparkman at (606) 785-4114, ext. 73411 or email HZ-HCTC-KUDZU.

Wedding



Bain-Johnson

Mrs. Phyllis Vanover, of Corbin, is pleased to announce the engagement of her daughter, Melanie Mae Bain, to Ron Johnson. Ms. Bain is the step-daughter of the late Ronald James Vanover. She is employed by JC Penney of Corbin. Mr. Johnson is the son of the late Hatler and Edna Stanley-Johnson, of Melvin. He is employed as a teacher at Big Sandy Community and Technical College, in Prestonsburg. The wedding date will be announced at a later time.

Diva

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ingdinner.com and click on the link for your own PDF version of the Thanksgiving Menu-Mailer)

4) Serving Pieces. Do you have everything you need? Platters, serving utensils, extra plates, napkins, etc.? Buy or borrow now. You don't want to be making panicked phone calls on the big day!

5) Linen Check. Pull out your tablecloth and napkins. Are they clean, are they pressed? If not, do them now then hang them up on hangers and put them in your hall closet (or wherever you can hang them). Doing them the night before or the day of will exhaust you! There's way too much to do on those two days.

If you can check these five things off today, you will be in great shape for the holiday. Remember that holidays are for everyone, INCLUDING the cook! Don't forget to ask for help, allow others to bring some of their favorite dishes and on cooking day, make time to stop, put your feet up and be very thankful for the faces that will be sitting around your Thanksgiving table.

Here's my recipe for my favorite cranberry sauce—enjoy!

Orange Cranberry Sauce
Serves 12 (with leftovers)

- 4 cups fresh or frozen cranberries (1 pound bag)
- 1 cup water
- 1 1/2 cups sugar
- 1 cup orange juice

Rinse the cranberries (even if they are frozen) in a strainer with cool water, and remove any stems and bad or blemished berries.

In a large saucepan, over medium heat, heat the water, juice and sugar to boiling, stirring occasionally. Continue boiling 5 minutes longer to assure sugar is completely melted, continue stirring occasionally.

Add the cranberries. Heat back to boiling over medium heat, stirring occasionally. Put a lid on the saucepan and continue boiling about 5 minutes longer, still stirring occasionally, until you hear the cranberries begin to pop. Remove the saucepan from the heat, give it a good stir and allow to cool for about 20 minutes. Pour the cranberry sauce into a bowl or container and allow to completely cool before refrigerating.

For more help putting dinner on your table check out Leanne's website. www.SavingDinner.com or her Saving Dinner Book series published by Ballantine and her new book Body Clutter. Copyright 2006; Leanne Ely. Used by permission in this publication.

Eyes

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how suddenly those we love can be taken from us, I was more than a little thankful that she and her friends suffered no physical injuries. I am thankful, each and every day, that God answers my prayers, protects my family and provides for our needs. This Thanksgiving, I'm going to say an extra prayer or two of thankfulness, I believe.

Someone sent me the following via email a few weeks back and I've been saving it to share with you this holiday season. Hope it makes it to a couple of refrigerator doors!

I AM THANKFUL:

- For the wife who says it's hot dogs tonight, because she is home with me and not out with someone else;
- For the husband who is on the sofa being a couch potato, because he is home with me and not out at the bars;
- For the teenager who is complaining about doing dishes, because it means she is at home with her family and not out on the streets;
- For the taxes I pay, because it means I am employed;
- For the mess I have to clean after a party, because it means I have been surrounded by friends;
- For the clothes that fit a little too snug, because it means I have enough to eat;
- For my shadow that watches me work, because it means I am out in the sunshine;
- For the lawn that needs mowing, the windows that need cleaning, and the gutters that need fixing, because it means I have a home;
- For all the complaining I hear about the government, because it means I live in a country that recognizes freedom of speech;
- For the parking spot I find at the far end of the parking lot, because it means I have been blessed with the ability to walk as well as with transportation;
- For my huge heating bill, because it means I am warm;
- For the lady behind me in church who sings off key, because it means I can hear;
- For the pile of laundry and ironing, because it means I have clothes to wear;
- For weariness and aching muscles, because, at the end of the day, it means I have been capable of working hard;
- For the alarm that goes off in the early morning hours, because it means that I am alive!

Have a wonderful holiday this coming week. I'll be back after we're all stuffed and ready for a nap!

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FLOYD COUNTY Around Our Schools



Sidney Meadows as "Snow White."



Allie Little as "Fancy Lady."



Katelyn Goble as "Geisha Girl."

AES kids treated to Halloween fun

Allen Elementary School students enjoyed a festive Halloween celebration at their school, sponsored by the AES cafeteria. The children were treated to a "Fear Factor" breakfast of delectable creepy, crawly "things," as well as participating in a "Best Costume" contest. Rose Slone, cafeteria manager, hosted the costume contest. Sidney Meadows, a.k.a. "Snow White," a kindergarten student, was named the winner in the Best Costume contest. "With such a great turnout, one runner-up just couldn't be chosen, so we ended up with three," Slone said. "The kids all looked great. We had everything from a jail bird to a UK fan. We got to see it all!"

Runners-up in the costume contest were Allie Little, first grade, and Katelyn Goble, kindergarten.



Pictured, from left to right, are AES third graders, Danna Slone, Tiffany Meadows, and Emily Sparks, along with second grader, Jasmine Horn, having a great time at the "Fear Factor" breakfast Halloween event.



AES cafeteria staff, from left to right: Rose Slone, Sherri Horn, Sharon Potter, Lou Pitts, and Ernestine Horn.



ACHS 'Proficient' students recognized

Congratulations, we appreciate you, and "thank you" from Allen Central High School principal, teachers and staff to the 113 students who scored "Proficient" on the CATS or CTBS for the 2005-2006 school years.

9th grade: Kimberly Blevins, Ryan Burns, Steven Caudill, Brittany Clark, Jeffery Collins, Erika Crager, Joshua Davis, Jordan Duff, Marty Dye, Natalie Glime, Brittany Halbert, Kayla Hancock, Brittany Hodge, Lauren Moore, Samantha Pack, Alex Reed, Brittany Smith, and Keith Williams

10th grade: Steffany Bailey, Stephanie Calhoun, Toni Carroll, Emma Case, Brittany Collins, Jessica Collins, Nick Collins, Nathan Conley, Whitney Conley, Justin Cooley, Jennifer Crum, Deanna Davis, Jeremy Davis, Elizabeth Dingus, Ashton Frasure, Tess Gibson, Zachary Griffith, Zachary Hamilton, Corey Hayes, Brittany Henson, Melanie Hicks, Laura Hughes, Brittany Hunt, Michael Hunter, Amber Jacobs, Heather Johnson, Sara Johnson, Jonathan Jones, Scott Little, Jessica Martin, Nathan Meade, Karyn Mills, Zachary Mitchell, Adam Osborne, Justin Owens, Madeline Patton, Jarrod Parsley, Lamikka Pratt, Kayla Redrick, Cindi Samons, Kayla Stephens, Melissa Stumbo, Kortney Ward, Corey webb, Nathan Wilson, and Richard Wright

11th grade: Matt Amburgey, Jonathan Barnett, John Bryant, Savannah Burchett, Michael Case, Tasha Chaffins, Ryan Collins, Ethan Conley, Kayla Dotson, Keith Duncan, Candice Halbert, Nicholas Halbert, Jordan Hale, Sarah Hall, Amanda Hicks, Mary Lee, Chelsie Madden, Tyra Mckinney, Luke Moore, Zachary Patton, Terri Porter, Latosha Scott, Jonathan Sizemore, Jarrod Slone, Amanda Thacker, and Richard Vanderpool

12th grade: Madonna Amburgey, Mara Biliter, Natasha Blanton, Belinda Boyd, Alanna Cline, Nathan Crum, Michael Duff, Kara Greer, Sabrina Howard, Angela Hunt, Justin Jacobs, Elbert Lawson, Ashley Madden, Joshua McKinney, Brandi Meade, Amanda Mills, Samantha Nelson, Wendy Ousley, Brittney Ritchie, Jessica Samons, Kayla Sheppard, and Ryann Thornsby.



BLES Academic Team

The Betsy Layne Elementary Academic Team is comprised of 4th and 5th graders that are coached by BLES teacher, Mrs. Katrina Davis. The students are pictured with their coach.



Learning consultant visits ACHS

Teachers, students, and administration from Allen Central High School had the pleasure to learn and receive professional development from David Shepard, a consultant on differentiation strategies within the classroom. Mr. Shepard modeled/taught two social studies lessons as teachers and administrators learned alongside the students. This was an excellent example of how learning can be life long for all those participating. Teachers and students alike observed differentiated/activity-centered instruction and participated in fun, hands-on learning with variety as well as a little move, mix, mess included. Mr. Shepard demonstrated how it is possible to allow student choice, vary activities, make it fun and exciting for students and still get the content taught with an increased participation rate by "all" students.



ACHS geometry class 'Scavenger Hunt'

On October 20, Allen Central High School geometry students from Amy Bell's class participated in a scavenger hunt as part of their class work. The students were given a list of 3 triangles, described only by their classifications: (1) acute scalene, (2) right isosceles, and (3) equilateral. Armed only with an angle ruler, they set out in pairs to locate these types of triangles in their school building. The students had to find at least one example of each triangle, sketch a diagram, with measurements, that proved the triangle fit the proper criteria, and, finally, record a verbal description of the triangle's location. In doing this, the students had to look for triangles in inconspicuous places and assess the various types found.

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210-JOB LISTINGS

HELP WANTED
Front Desk Clerk Please apply in person at Hotel Best Western (formerly Prestonsburg Inn)

WANT TO HELP PEOPLE? TRANSIT DRIVERS NEEDED
Sandy Valley Transportation Services, Inc. (SVTS) is seeking qualified applicants for the position of a Transit Driver. Must be at least 21 years old, pass a drug test, D.O.T physical

examination, driving history and conviction record and other qualifications listed with Application for Employment. Benefits for eligible employees include: Heath, Dental, Life, Vision, Retirement plan, Credit Union, Holiday, Sick and Vacation days. Phone 1800-444-RIDE / 7433, or write to SVTS at 81 Resource Court, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-7850 for an application for Employment and more information. SVTS is an Employment opportunity employer M/F/D/V.

JOB OPENING
The Lexington Herald Leader has a morning newspaper route available. Route takes about 3 hours daily, with an approximate profit potential of \$1,500 monthly. Dependable transportation and ability to be bonded required. Call 1-800-999-8111.

HELP WANTED
Immediate openings available for EXPERIENCED TECHNICIANS. Will provide uniforms, paid holidays, paid vacation, and health insurance after trial period. Salary based on experience. Please come by and pick up an application or fax resume to 606-886-8449. ABCO Security Systems, Inc. 1006 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653 606-886-6586.

JOB OPENING
Hamilton Industries, LLC is now taking applications for part/full time secretary with computer skills. Duties include bookkeeping, payroll, sales, and ect. 377-6042 10/6 1 wk

JOB OPENING
Acosta Sales has opening in Eastern KY calling on Food City stores and also doing resets. Mail resume to Acosta Sales 6332 Baum Dr Knoxville, TN 37919 Phone 865-546-2011

JOB OPENING
GM Tech wanted! ASE certified. All benefits including Holidays and Vacation. Above average pay. Call and check us out. Norm Hunter. 437-4005.

JOB OPENING
Sandy Valley Transportation Services, Inc. (SVTS) is seeking qualified applicants for the positions of Order Taking. The Position is for Twenty (20) hours per week. Must be at least 21 years old. (Senior Citizens) are welcome. Phone 1-800-444-

RIDE/7433, OR Write to SVTS at 81 Resource Court, Prestonsburg, Ky 41653 for an application for employment and more information. SVTS is an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer M/F/D/V

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Big Sandy Area Development District is seeking a Computer Systems Manager. This person must have: Complete working knowledge of Server 2003 Active Directory and MS Exchange Mail Server. Must have the ability to troubleshoot and repair all server and desktop hardware. Must have working knowledge of (LAN). Must be able to install and operate a variety of network related software programs, including MS Access and in tractive communications via the web, and other Microsoft Office Applications. Must be able to work with a variety of people including the ability to establish and maintain effective personal and consultative relationships with staff members as well as private business, federal, state, and local governmental agencies. This person is central point of contact for all computer related issues. Helpful to have. Sequel Server, internet information server, DNS Server, and DHCP Server experience. Asp/Java experience. Router and switch experience. Nortel phone experience. A Bachelor's degree and two years related experience required. May take an additional years experience in lieu of degree. Salary commensurate with experience. If you fit this description and want to work for a great organization with excellent benefits, send resume to Ms. Terry Trimble, 110 Resource Drive, Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653 by December 1. BSADD is an EOE.

JOB OPENING
Welding position available. Excellent pay. Drug screen required. Call Monday-Friday 8A-5P. 606-285-9358

JOB OPENING
Mine Permit Technician or Engineer-Lexington Coal Company is seeking a Mine Permit Technicians or Engineer. Responsibilities include preparing surface coal mine permits, revisions, renewals, as but certifications and bond releases; planning & cost analysis of reclamation and contact

JOB OPENING
Renos Roadhouse in Prestonsburg is now hiring for all positions. Shifts- Day and Night. Apply in person only.

JOB OPENING
Merchandise

JOB OPENING
200 ceramic molds \$125. Call 422-4940.

JOB OPENING
480-Misc.

mining projects in WV & KY. Must be proficient AutoCad, SurvCad, Excel, Word, and Access. Minimum five years experience. Licensed Professional Engineer in KY and WV a plus. Position based in Lexington or Prestonsburg, KY. Competitive salary and benefits package. Applications deadline December, 4 2006. Send resumes to: Lexington Coal Co. 200 W. Vine St; Ste. 300, Lexington, KY 40507 Attn: Human Resources, Fax 859-246-1748 or email resume to dmcguady@lexingtoncoa.com

HELP WANTED
Heavy equipment steam cleaning company needs employees. Must have valid drivers license and up to date surface mining papers. Mine emergency tech. Is a plus. Call Mon thru Friday 9:00am to 5:00pm 606-886-1759.

JOB OPENING
Renos Roadhouse in Prestonsburg is now hiring for all positions. Shifts- Day and Night. Apply in person only.

290-Services

HOUSE CLEANING
Mon-Thur. 8am-4:30pm. Call 886-3381 for Sandy or 349-2096 for Bonnie. References if needed. 11/3 3wk

FOR SALE
Old Floyd County Annuals. Call 889-8979. Call after 1.

FOR SALE
Used furniture 3 piece BRS \$450. 19" TV and cabinet \$75.00. Electric range \$250. Cloths Dryer \$125. 2 wall mirrors \$125 each. Computer + table 3 pc. LRS \$375. Console stereo \$75. 2 whatnot shelves \$50. Bookshelf \$60. New grill, bench, lawn chairs, table all for \$125. Approx. 200 ceramic molds \$125. Call 422-4940.

450-Yard Sale

YARD SALE
Rain or shine Name brand and all sizes! Mens, women's, Kids clothes! Toys, home interior, and much, much more. November 18 @ Allen Convention Center. Stumbo Park. Watch for balloons and signs.

480-Misc.

FOR SALE
Windows for sale. Five 36x62 Double Pane insulated windows. Never been used. Windows open from the inside for easy cleaning. Call 606-226-0913 Leave message.

FOR SALE
One Cemetery plot. At Richmond Cemetery. Call 886-2249.

REAL ESTATE**570-Sale or Lease**

FOR SALE
2 BR Mobile home for sale. 285-3385.

FOR SALE
95 Fleetwood Mobile home. 2 bedroom, large outside building, large back deck, new front porch. Excellent condition. \$16,000. Located at 89 Wyoming Street, Prestonsburg, Ky. Call 740-867-2664.

FOR SALE
Trailer lot for sale. Older 14x70 2 BR 1 bath trailer, on about 1/2 acre lot with chain length fence. Located at Red Ison Hollow 1/2 mile from Martin on old Rt. 80. Nice, friendly neighborhood. Serious inquires only. \$20,000. Call 285-3605.

FOR SALE
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RENTALS**610-APARTMENT**

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2 BR 1 bath apt for rent. Unfurnished. Quiet neighborhood. Must have references and deposit. 358-9123. Leave message if no answer.

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2 BR accommodate only 1 or 2 people. 612 N. Arnold Ave, Prestonsburg. \$600 per month plus utilities. Appliances furnished including W/D. Lease and deposit required. No pets! No smoking! 886-6460.

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APT FOR RENT
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FOR RENT
30X60 Metal Building on Route 80. Large lot. Call 886-8366.

FOR RENT
Barber shop/Beauty Shop at Mcdowell. 377-6346.

630-Houses

HOUSE FOR RENT
3 BR 2 bath, no pets, no smoking. Suitable for couple. \$800. call 606-226-1500 or 606-886-6101. Located on Arnold Ave.

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3 BR 2 Bath Log Home in Oaklawn, Hager Hill, Central H/A low utility bills. Large covered-deck, Large storage barn. Acres of privacy. Open Oct 31. \$1090.00 month or best offer. 850-222-2226. Leave message. See pics at www.washington-publishers.com/ForRent/inex.htm

650-Mobile Homes

FOR RENT
2 BR Mobile Home at Harold. 478-4597.

FOR RENT
2 BR MH for rent, partially furnished. 1-2 people preferred. Located at Martin. Call 874-2000.

FOR RENT
One Mobile Home lots for rent 1/2 mile on right from Prestonsburg on Town Branch Road. Lots have city water, gas, sewage, and AEP electric. Call Karen 874-7155.

FOR RENT
2 BR trailer. Suitable for 2 working people. Furnished, clean, private. Near Jenny Wiley Lodge. 886-3941.

FOR RENT
2 BR 1 bath mobile home at Ligon. Deposit and references required. Call 377-0068 or 794-4360.

LEGALS

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-8065

Renewal
In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Martin Coal Processing Corporation, P.O. Box 77, Ivel, KY 41642, has applied for a renewal of a permit for a coal processing facility affecting 12.0 acres located 0.15 miles east of Hite in Floyd County. The proposed facility is approximately 0.67 miles Southeast from KY 122's junction with KY 80 and is located adjacent to the Left Fork of Beaver Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees 33 minutes 19 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees

44 minutes 58 seconds. The facility is located on the Harold and Martin USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The surface area is owned by Martin Coal Processing Corporation and CSX / Chessie System. The application has been filed for public inspection at the Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite #6, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Written comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be received within thirty (30) days of today's date.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application No. 836-0330 Amend. No. 2

1) In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Wolverine Resources, Inc., P.O. Box 77, Ivel, KY 41642, (606) 889-8440, has

ATTENTION!
The Prestonsburg Park Commission is now accepting applications for the full time position of Park Manager. The position offers attractive salary and benefits. Applicants should send confidential resume to Prestonsburg Park Commission, P.O. Box 911, Prestonsburg, Ky 41653. Applicants should have experience managing people and have a knowledge of facilities management. College degree is a plus, but not requirement. We are an EOE.

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4) The application has been filed for public inspection at the Division of Mine Permits, Department for Surface Mining, Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, phone (606) 889-1746. Written comments or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, KY 40601.

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, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

gitude is 82°40'14". The proposed amendment is located on the Harold U.S.G.S. quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Appalachian Land Company. The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resource's 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, Division of Mine Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application No. 836-0326

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Frasure Creek Mining, LLC, 1051 Main Street, Suite 100, Milton, West Virginia 25541 has applied for a permit for a surface and auger mining and reclamation operation located approximately 2.5 miles northwest of Minnie in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 75.41 acres of surface disturbance and will underlie an additional 53.27 auger acres making a total of 128.68 acres within the total permit boundary.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-9024

Amendment 1
In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Prater Creek Coal Corporation, 750 Town Mountain Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501, has applied for an amendment to an existing permit for a coal refuse disposal operation, located 1 mile south of Ivel, in Floyd County. The amendment will add 29.85 acres of surface disturbance making a total of 41.05 acres within the amended permit boundary.

The proposed amendment area is approximately 1 mile South from Ivy Creek Road's junction with US 23 and located .75 mile south of the Levisa Fork. The latitude is 37°35'21". The lon-

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The proposed operation is located 1.70 miles southeast of State Route 80's junction with State Route 680 and located 0.50 miles west of Turkey Creek.

The proposed operation is located on the Wayland U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by The Elk Horn Coal Company, LLC and Eugene Mullins. The permit area will underlie land owned by The Elk Horn Coal Company, LLC and Eugene Mullins. The operation will use the contour and extended depth auger method of surface mining. The operation will affect an area within 100 ft of a public road, State Route 680. The operation will not involve relocation or closure of the public road.



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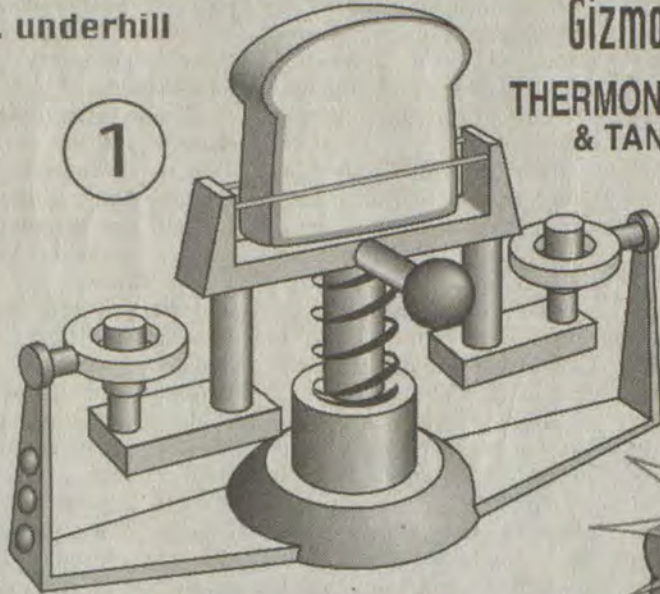
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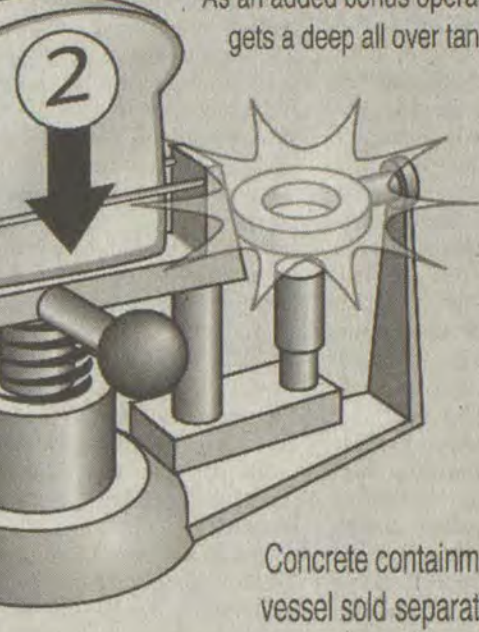
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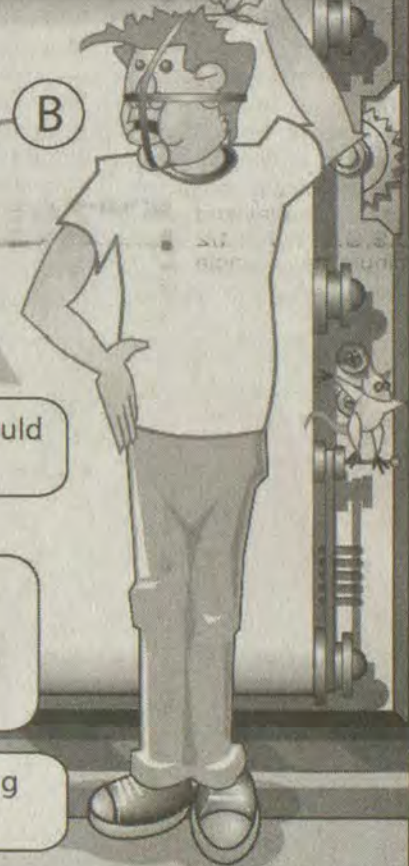
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And if I were to wrap another piece, vertically it would be like a line of longitude. (B) These lines will allow us to see a cartoon face more three dimensionally and thus be able to draw it from any angle.

The lines I've shown are called ellipses and understanding them is one of the best kept secrets of cartooning.

If the handle is pulled in the direction shown will the sign pivot up (A) or down (B)?

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DECODER MOUSE EACH SYMBOL STANDS FOR A LETTER

Record

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not in good repair. Score: 96
 McDowell IGA, regular inspection. Violations noted: Lack of accurate thermometers in all refrigeration and freezer units storing potentially hazardous foods, food not protected during storage, where chemical sanitization methods are employed, operators not providing and using chemical test kits, cloths used for wiping spills on food contact surfaces being used for other purposes, improper storage of single service articles, sanitary towel or hand drying device not provided at lavatory or hand washing sink, garbage and refuse containers not covered as required, employee personal items not stored properly. Score: Food-92, Retail-96
 Johnson's Grocery, Teaberry, regular inspection. Violations noted: Lack of accurate thermometers in all refrigeration and freezer units storing potentially hazardous foods, food not protected during storage, improper storage of single service articles. Score: 96
 Betsy Layne Elementary, Betsy Layne, regular school inspection. Violations noted: Girl's restroom waste receptacle located in individual common mode stalls should be covered, student desks in several classrooms in disrepair. Score: 96
 Pleasant Living Mobile Home Park, Prestonsburg, regular inspection. Violations noted: Lots not systematically numbered, drive ways in need of some repair, mobile home lot size not in compliance, some lots have a moderate amount of scattered debris, park lacks proper lighting. Score: 90
 Double Kwik, Minnie, regular inspection. Violations noted: proper hair restraints not in use, easily seen thermometers not present in all refrigeration and freezer units, wiping cloths not properly stored after use, inside door of ice machine in need of cleaning and sanitizing, single service items observed stored in contact with the floor, men's restroom soap dispenser not properly attached to wall, no

towels observed at hand wash sink in food prep area, some floor tiles in disrepair in food prep area and men's restroom, ceiling tile in disrepair in food storage area, walk in refrigerator and freezer units without required lighting, cleaning utensils not properly stored in back storage area, facility does not have chemical test strips. Score: Food-91, Retail-94
 Osborne's Restaurant and Pizza, McDowell, regular inspection. Violations noted: Thermometers not provided in all refrigeration and freezer units, proper hair restraints not in use, facility lacks chemical test strips, no towels or soap provided at hand wash sink, wiping cloths not properly stored after use. Score: 95
 Cardinal Mart, Stanville, regular inspection. Violations noted: Easily seen thermometers not provided for all refrigeration and freezer units, gasket on ice machine in disrepair, wiping cloths not properly stored after use, single service items stored on the floor, garbage containers in women's restroom without proper covers, light in walk in freezer not operable or properly shielded. Score: Food-95, Retail-95
 Tackett's Grocery, Rt. 3379, regular inspection. Violations noted: Thermometers not present in all refrigeration and freezer units, pet food bag stored on the floor. Score: Food-99, Retail-99
 Prestonsburg Elementary, Prestonsburg, follow up inspection. Violations noted: This inspection was conducted due to a reoccurring problem with floor drains in food prep area and employee restroom. Once again, problem was solved by removal of debris from the sewer drain line. Manager was instructed to clean up, remove water build up and disinfect entire floor area and lower sections of equipment. Employee's shoes should also be disinfected. Operations may resume after disinfecting procedure.
 Boyd's Grocery, Banner, regular inspection. Violation noted: Thermometers not pre-

sent in all refrigeration and freezer units, restroom doors not self closing, proper hair restraints not in use, food prep area not adequately lighted. Score: Food-95, Retail-97
 Betsy Layne Elementary Cafeteria, Betsy Layne, regular inspection. Violations noted: Containers in food prep area containing unknown white powder substance, garbage bag being used as a garbage receptacle in food prep area. Score: 97
Property Transfers
 Kenneth Akers to Julie Hall, property location undisclosed.
 Estate of Zellie Akers to Julie Hall, property location undisclosed.
 Gaynell C. Begley to James Chenault Begley, property location undisclosed.
 Karen Duff Bentley to Dewey L. and Karen Duff Bentley, property located at Reed Branch.
 Abby Bradley to Abby, Adam, Adrian, Charles, James and Ronald Bradley, Sallie Kessie and Johanna Silveus, property location undisclosed.
 Abby Bradley to Craig Ousley, property location undisclosed.
 Adam Bradley to Abby, Adam, Adrian, Charles, James and Ronald Bradley, Sallie Kessie and Johanna Silveus, property location undisclosed.
 Adrian Bradley to Craig Ousley, property location undisclosed.
 Amy Bradley to Abby, Adam, Adrian, Charles, James and Ronald Bradley, Sallie Kessie and Johanna Silveus, property location undisclosed.
 Amy Bradley to Craig Ousley, property location undisclosed.
 Charles E. Bradley to Abby, Adam, Adrian, Charles, James and Ronald Bradley, Sallie Kessie and Johanna Silveus, property location undisclosed.
 Charles E. Bradley to Craig Ousley, property location undisclosed.
 Jackie Bradley to Abby, Adam, Adrian, Charles, James and Ronald Bradley, Sallie Kessie and Johanna Silveus, property location undisclosed.

Jackie Bradley to Craig Bradley, property location undisclosed.
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 James A. Bradley to Abby, Adam, Adrian, Charles, James and Ronald Bradley, Sallie Kessie and Johanna Silveus, property location undisclosed.
 Ronald Bradley to Abby, Adam, Adrian, Charles, James and Ronald Bradley, Sallie Kessie and Johanna Silveus, property location undisclosed.
 Ronald Bradley to Craig Ousley, property location undisclosed.
 Rose Marie Bradley to Abby, Adam, Adrian, Charles, James and Ronald Bradley, Sallie Kessie and Johanna Silveus, property location undisclosed.
 Rose Marie Bradley to Craig Ousley, property location undisclosed.
 Bernice Branham to Bernice Branham, property located in Prestonsburg.
 Family Bank FSP to Claudean Carol Ratliff, property location undisclosed.
 Lucille Francis to Tina Marie Cordial, property located at Garrett.
 Winchester Francis to Tina Marie Cordial, property located at Garrett.
 G&S Contracting Inc. to J&R Leasing LLC, property located at Auxier.
 Hall and Hylton Development Co. Inc. to Brandy W. Cline and Aaron Jr. Daniels, property located at Bear Hollow.
 Gilford Charles Hall to Lois and Stony Newsome, property location undisclosed.
 Deborah Ann Martin Henderson to Deborah Ann Martin Henderson and Roger Dale Henderson, property location undisclosed.
 Ina Hensley to Trena Hensley, property located at Wilson Creek.
 Karen Johnson to Gregory A. Johnson, property location undisclosed.
 Sally R. Kessie to Abby, Adam, Adrian, Charles, James and Ronald Bradley, Sallie Kessie and Johanna Silveus, property location undisclosed.

Sally R. Kessie to Craig Ousley, property location undisclosed.
 Gracie Leslie to Kenneth L. and Wilma Leslie, property located at Sam Leslie Subdivision.
 Betty Litsey to Abby, Adam, Adrian, Charles, James and Ronald Bradley, Sallie Kessie and Johanna Silveus, property location undisclosed.
 Betty Litsey to Craig Ousley, property location undisclosed.
 Charles Litsey to Abby, Adam, Adrian, Charles, James and Ronald Bradley, Sallie Kessie and Johanna Silveus, property location undisclosed.
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 Claude Little to Alexandria Brooke Little, Brandon Robert Maurice Little, Brittany Dawn Little, Claude Little II and Whitney Brooke Mosley, property located at Beaver Creek.
 Jewel Little to Alexandria Brooke Little, Brandon Robert Maurice Little, Brittany Dawn Little, Claude Little II and Whitney Brooke Mosley, property located at Beaver Creek.
 Fred Lyons to Freddy Eugene Lyons, property location undisclosed.
 Brenda Martin to Lois and Stony Newsome, property location undisclosed.
 David Moore to Sandra Jean Griffith, property located at Flannery Branch.
 Shonna Moore to Sandra Jean Griffith, property located at Flannery Branch.
 Jimmy L. Nelson to Gwen and Harry Earl Arnett, property located at Middle Creek.
 Tawana C. Nelson to Gwen and Harry Earl Arnett, property located at Middle Creek.
 Freddie Bryan Osborne to Freddie Bryan Osborne, property located at Calf Creek.
 Pebble Osborne to Freddie Bryan Osborne, property located at Calf Creek.
 Brenda Ousley to Abby, Adam, Adrian, Charles, James and Ronald Bradley, Sallie Kessie and Johanna Silveus, property location undisclosed.
 Brenda Ousley to Craig

Ousley, property location undisclosed.
 Donald Ousley to Abby, Adam, Adrian, Charles, James and Ronald Bradley, Sallie Kessie and Johanna Silveus, property location undisclosed.
 Donald Ousley to Craig Ousley, property location undisclosed.
 Gordon Ousley to Abby, Adam, Adrian, Charles, James and Ronald Bradley, Sallie Kessie and Johanna Silveus, property location undisclosed.
 Gordon Ousley to Craig Ousley, property location undisclosed.
 Elva Prater to Elva and Haskel Prater, property location undisclosed.
 Haskel Prater to Elva and Haskel Prater, property location undisclosed.
 Darwin Quesenberry to Elva and Haskel Prater, property location undisclosed.
 Sally Quesenberry to Elva and Haskel Prater, property location undisclosed.
 Barbara Scarberry to Charles Ray Patton, property located at Langley.
 Randall Scarberry to Charles Ray Patton, property located at Langley.
 Ashley Shepherd to Sue Ann Shepherd, property located at Middle Creek.
 Gorman Shepherd to Calvin and Thelma Howell, property location undisclosed.
 Janet Shepherd to Calvin and Thelma Howell, property location undisclosed.
 Michael Raymond Shepherd to Sue Ann Shepherd, property located at Middle Creek.
 Johanna L. Silveus to Abby, Adam, Adrian, Charles, James and Ronald Bradley, Sallie Kessie and Johanna Silveus, property location undisclosed.
 Johanna L. Silveus to Craig Ousley, property location undisclosed.
 Kenneth Silveus to Abby, Adam, Adrian, Charles, James and Ronald Bradley, Sallie Kessie and Johanna Silveus, property location undisclosed.
 Johnnie B. Stephens to Black Diamond Mining Company LLC, property located at Left Beaver Creek.

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