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Floyd man is suspect in search for missing youth

Articles belonging to Swiss traveler found at Garth, police quiet on possible link to Job Corps murder

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

Floyd County Sheriff's deputies and Georgia authorities are searching for a Floyd County man who is wanted for questioning in connection with the disappearance of a 21-year-old Swiss man who was last seen in Atlanta on April 28, 1992.

Harry Eugene Hale, 46, who maintains a residence at Garth Hollow in Floyd County, is also wanted for questioning in reports of sexual assaults against young men in Florida, West Virginia and Kentucky.

Hale was arrested for driving un-

der the influence by Kentucky State Police last June. He failed to appear in Floyd County District Court on January 19 to answer the charges. A summons was issued on January 19 for Hale to appear in court on February 9 to explain why he missed his January court date.

Hale gave a false birthdate and Social Security number to the officer at the time of his arrest in June.

A search of Hale's residence Tuesday evening turned up two cameras, a camera bag and an Amish quilt which are believed to have belonged to Christoph R. Zahn from Bolligen, Switzerland. Zahn was reported miss-

ing by a friend, Melanie Dolich of Deltona, Florida on May 21, 1992.

After the cameras and quilt were taken by police from the Floyd County home, a Cobb County Georgia magistrate issued an arrest warrant for Hale on first degree forgery charges for allegedly using Zahn's credit card after he was reported missing.

Floyd County Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson, deputies Homer Neeley and Johnny Layne, Cobb County investigator Ken Jones, special investigator Lanny Cox from the Georgia Bureau of Investigation and two private detectives from Select Inc. in St. Simons Islands, Georgia executed a

search warrant at Hale's Floyd County home Tuesday evening.

Sheriff Thompson found the camera bag containing the cameras in a closet in the home and found the quilt under a bedspread on what is believed to be Hale's bed.

There were black marks, which appeared to have been made with a marker, on the inside top flap of the camera bag and the word Switzerland written below the marks.

At the sheriff's office after the search, deputy Linzie Hunt shined a flashlight behind the black marks and officers could see where the name Zahn had been marked through with



Missing: Chris Zahn



Suspect: Harry Hale

a marker. Sheriff Thompson and deputy Neeley said the Cobb County Sheriff's Department contacted the Floyd County Sheriff's Department for assistance about a month ago.

Sheriff Thompson assigned the case to deputies Neeley and Johnny Layne. Deputy Layne located Hale's residence and reported that Hale had been seen in Floyd County in January. Layne said that Hale had worked for the Kentucky Lottery Corporation.

Based on the sheriff's department investigation, the police agencies coordinated a date to search the home.

A second search of Hale's Garth home was apparently conducted Thursday by Prestonsburg police and FBI agents.

City police declined to say if their search was intended to establish a link between the suspect and the September 1992 murder of a Carl D. Perkins Job Corps student.

The body of Walter Cropper, 21, was found October 3, 1992, in a wooded field off I-75 in Adairsville, Georgia. The victim, reported missing from the Prestonsburg center on September 20, had been shot to death.

(See Suspect, page two)

One more is added to list for primary

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

Another name was added last week to the list of candidates for the office of District Three Magistrate.

Cimis Hall of McDowell filed for that office last week as an independent candidate. Hall's name will not appear on the May Primary ballot, but his name will be listed for November's general election.

Floyd County Court Clerk Carla Boyd said Wednesday that in order for a candidate to be eligible for office on the independent ticket, the candidate must have been registered to vote as an independent prior to the November 1992 general election.

Boyd added that candidates filing as an independent have until August 3 to file for office.

Grand Jury to meet February 15-17

The Floyd County Grand Jury will meet February 15-17 at the Floyd County Courthouse.

Walk-ins may appear before the grand jury on February 15 from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. Persons seeking an appointment may call the commonwealth attorney's office at 886-1604.

Special session set

The Floyd County Board of Education will have a special meeting Tuesday, February 9 at 6:30 p.m. at Allen Elementary.

One topic to be discussed is a long-term facility plan developed by the district's Long Term Planning Committee.

Public Service Commission will have final say :

Gas company seeks increase

by Geoff Belcher
Staff Writer

Representatives from Equitable Gas Company met Wednesday in a public hearing in Frankfort with the Kentucky Public Service Commission in an effort to enact a proposed natural gas price hike, which could affect nearly 2,000 Floyd County residents.

The proposed hike would affect nearly 5,000 Equitable Gas Company customers in Floyd, Johnson, Pike, Martin, Magoffin, Letcher, Knott, Perry, Leslie and Lawrence Counties, a company spokesman said Thursday.

Equitable Gas Company, a division of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania-based Equitable Resources, incorpo-

rated, works in conjunction with the Kentucky-West Virginia Gas Company to provide natural gas to an estimated 1,600 Floyd County customers, Equitable Resources Communications Director Brian Plant said Thursday. He added that Kentucky-West Virginia Gas customers should not be affected by the price hike, if it is allowed.

According to Kentucky Press Association reports released Thursday, the Equitable Gas Company asked Public Service Commissioners for permission to increase its monthly service charge from \$4 per month to \$6.50 per month, in addition to increasing the cost per 1,000 cubic feet of natural gas used. That increase would represent a 10.5 percent rate of return on the company's investment.

Plant said that the company has requested the statewide rate hikes in an effort to recoup annual losses. Last year, Plant said, Equitable's Kentucky division lost more than \$84,000. With the increase, the company would earn an extra \$224,876 in operating revenue per year, enabling the company to earn a statewide profit of around \$56,000, Plant said.

Kentucky-West Virginia Gas Vice President of Administration Tom Daniel said Thursday that although the rate hike has been requested, it must first be approved by the Public Service Commission.

"It may be approved in part, maybe as a whole, or it may be not at all," Daniel said.

(See Rate Hike, page two)



A sign of the times

Two men replaced the banner proclaiming simply "Why?" at the deadly intersection where Jimmy Howard Brewer, 34, and 15-month-old Katherine Baker were killed in separate accidents. The banner was thrown from Brewer's vehicle when it exploded stills on the rock wall's embankment, more than 20 feet above the site of the crash. (photo by Geoff Belcher)

One man's fight :

A crusade for safety . . .

by Geoff Belcher
Staff Writer

The signs may have been taken down repeatedly, but the message remains the same—why? Why have the accidents at the new U.S. 23 and Route 1428 continued, killing two people and critically injuring four others.

Even more importantly, one Floyd County man asks, why hasn't the state taken the necessary measures to stop what he terms the "senseless slaughter."

The man, who prefers to be known only as "Anonymous," continues to place the signs proclaiming "Why?" on the rock cliff that provided an untimely end for Jimmy Howard Brewer, 34, of Seagrave, North Carolina, and 15-month-old Katherine Baker, of Clintwood, Virginia.

Brewer was killed at the intersection on December 30, when he drove his tractor-trailer through the intersection without stopping and struck the rock wall.

Baker was killed on impact on the night of January 30 when the vehicle

driven by her mother, Kimberly Sue Baker, 31, failed to stop at the intersection and again, struck the rock wall. Kimberly Baker was badly injured and remains in the surgical intensive care unit at Saint Mary's Hospital in Huntington, West Virginia.

A second passenger in the Baker vehicle, Teresa Cottrill, 30, is still listed in critical condition in the intensive care ward at the University of Kentucky Medical Center.

Less than a week prior to the accident in which Katherine was killed, 19-year-old Matthew Mullins, of Jenkins, and Sam Bentley, 24, of Virgie, were seriously injured under almost exactly the same circumstances. Bentley remains in critical condition at Saint Mary's Hospital.

"The sign specifically says 'Why?'," the man said Thursday, "because that one word sums up every possible question. 'Why is the intersection designed like that?' 'Why isn't the state doing anything about it?' 'Why did a 15-month-old child have to die like that?' And most importantly, 'Why was there a third accident?'"

Although Kentucky Transportation Cabinet Chief District Engineer Denton Billiter said Tuesday that the state continues to place far more than the necessary safety, sign and alert devices at the site, the anonymous sign-maker disagrees.

"All they really need is some sort of illumination on the rock wall," the man said, "so that drivers can actually see it before they run into it. People are going to run stop signs."

(See Deaths, page two)

In Wheelwright incident :

Prozac may get the blame

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

A Wheelwright man who threatened to kill acting Wheelwright Police Chief Bob Moore during a Wheelwright city commission meeting last month did so because he was under the influence of a drug called Prozac, his attorney said Wednesday.

Prestonsburg attorney Ned Pillersdorf appeared in Floyd County District Court Wednesday for a preliminary hearing on behalf of his client, Rodney Thornsberry. Pillersdorf waived the hearing and District Judge Danny Caudill sent the matter to circuit court where a grand jury is expected to hear evidence in the case later this month.

Pillersdorf said if Thornsberry is indicted for wanton endangerment and first degree assault on a police officer with a weapon and the case goes to court, he will blame his client's actions on his taking the drug Prozac, a drug commonly prescribed to treat depression.

"I will defend his case by presenting evidence that the drug Prozac prevented my client from having a criminal state of mind (at the time of the incident)," Pillersdorf said.

Pillersdorf said he did not know how long Thornsberry has been taking the drug.

Thornsberry pointed a loaded gun to the head of Moore and threatened to "blow his...brains out" at a January 23 special meeting of the Wheelwright City Commission.

Moore and Thornsberry engaged

in a struggle over the weapon and the two men fell to the floor. When the two hit the floor, about half of the 13 people attending the meeting fled outside the meeting hall.

Thornsberry left city hall and fled the scene in a vehicle. He surrendered himself to Floyd County Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson later that same night. Thornsberry was taken to McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital for treatment for a leg injury, apparently suffered during the struggle. Thornsberry was admitted to the hospital the night of January 23.

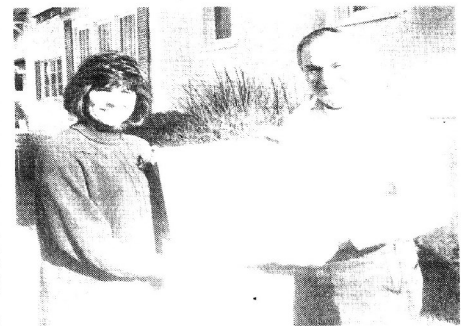
Moore went to the hospital on Monday to take Thornsberry into custody after he was discharged from the hospital. Moore did not have the proper paperwork and while the police chief went to obtain the necessary paperwork, Thornsberry left the hospital and went to the sheriff's office where he was later arrested.

Fire at legal firm still under investigation

by Geoff Belcher
Staff Writer

A fire that broke out in a Martin County legal firm is still the subject of an arson investigation by the Pikeville Post of the Kentucky State Police. Trooper Gomer Prater said Thursday.

(See Fire, page two)



Excellent coverage

Floyd County Times Sports Editor Ed Taylor received a gold medal award Tuesday from Marianne Blodgett with the Kentucky Bluegrass State Games. Taylor received the award, his second, for coverage of the 1992 Bluegrass Games last summer.



Dress rehearsal

Over 100 boy scouts and leaders converged on Alice Lloyd College this last weekend to earn merit badges, in rappelling, swimming, and sports...

Suspect

John Bankhead, with the Georgia Bureau of Investigation Public Affairs office, said Thursday he could neither confirm nor deny that the investigation of Cropper's death had been linked to Hale...

Court records show that Hale was convicted of first degree sexual abuse in Franklin County Circuit Court in 1981 for exposing himself and having sexual contact with a seven-year-old boy...

Select Inc. was hired by Zahn's mother, Margri Zahn, to investigate her son's disappearance. Investigator's records show that Zahn had arrived in the United States on January 9, 1991...

Zahn's Euro credit card was used 31 times from April 30 through May 11, 1992 in areas surrounding Atlanta for motels, a gold chain, motorcycle tires, auto parts, liquor, men's clothing and camera.

A surveillance camera at Mink's Liquor Store in Marietta, Georgia showed a man matching Hale's description purchase liquor on May 7, 1992 using Zahn's credit card.

On May 6, 1992, private investigators found where a person using the name Chris Zahn made three phone calls from the Comfort Inn in Villa Rica, Georgia. Two calls were made to Willie Smith of Carrollton, Georgia and one call was made to the CSX Corporation in Jacksonville, Florida.

Investigators and police detectives interviewed Musik, 19, and Oscar Turner, 19, on October 13 and the two claimed they had been approached by a man at Radio Shack in the Cumberland Mall in Atlanta.

The two said the man introduced himself as Christoph from Switzerland and added that the man used a "phony" foreign accent. The two boys said the man offered to help them get

into the school in Switzerland and took Musik's phone number.

The report said that Hale had been fired from the CSX Corporation in Florida in June of 1991 for making obscene and threatening phone calls to a young man using his CSX business phone.

On May 22, 1992, the investigator's report said that John McCallum, a homicide detective with the Jacksonville Sheriff's Department, said that Hale had been twice charged with making obscene phone calls to young men in 1990 and 1991.

The report said Hale was sentenced to pre-trial intervention and received treatment at Oaks Treatment Center in Jacksonville.

McCallum interrogated Hale concerning the calls, the report said, and Hale admitted his sexual preference was males between the ages of 15 and 25.

Jacksonville police say Hale was a suspect in a case involving a male hitchhiker who claims he was picked up by a man using the name Larry, the report said. The victim said he was given a pill by the man and the next thing he remembered was waking up in a ditch.

The investigation was discontinued when the victim left town, the report said.

In Morgantown, West Virginia, a young male reported that he had hitched a ride with a man in a red Ford Probe who gave him a pill purported to be some kind of narcotic. The victim reported that he had seen CSX documents in his assailant's vehicle. After taking the pill, the victim reported that he remembered nothing until he woke up in a ditch along side Interstate Highway I-79. He reported that he had been sodomized. The investigation ended when the victim left the area.

Investigators recommended that a search be made of Hale's premises and vehicle to look for evidence of forgery, credit card fraud, and sexual assault/abduction/murder of Chris Zahn.

Jacksonville police were searching for Hale Thursday and as of press time he had not been arrested. Information submitted by Cobb

County investigator Ken Janes to the Regional Organized Crime Information Center in Nashville, Tennessee, said that Hale is a known pedophile, which is defined as an adult who has sexual desires for children.

Janes' report also said that Hale left his residence in Louisville abruptly in April 1992 and was known to have been in Atlanta, Georgia at the time of Zahn's disappearance. Hale is described as being 6'1, 183 pounds with green eyes and grey balding hair. Hale is college educated, very intelligent and has worked as a developer of training films and he is an electronics expert.

Anyone with information about Hale's whereabouts is asked to call the Floyd County Sheriff's Department at (606) 886-6711 or toll-free 1-800-834-5430; the Cobb County Sheriff's Office at (404) 499-4668; the Georgia Bureau of Investigation at (404) 647-8151; or the Jacksonville Police Department at (904) 630-5747.

Note: Some of the information contained in this story was provided by Times Staff Writer Geoff Belcher.

Childhood immunizations :

What you need to know & common misconceptions

by Dr. Sunil Abhyankar, Pediatrician, and Pediatric Hem/oncologist, Childhood immunizations

Immunizations against infectious disease has been highly effective in decreasing the incidence of diphtheria, measles, mumps, rubella, pertussis (whooping cough), polio and tetanus. In the past five years the introduction of vaccines against Hemophilus influenza type b (HIB) has also substantially reduced the incidence of this common childhood infectious agent.

Schedule for routine immunizations of healthy children: (From American Academy of Pediatrics)

Table with columns for age (At birth, 2 months, 4 months, 6 months, 6-18 months, 15 months, 15-18 months, OPV, 4-6 years, 11-12 years, 14-16 years) and rows for various vaccines (HBV, DTP, OPV, HBCV, MMR, HBCV, DTP, DTAP, MMR, Hib, DTP, MMR, Hib, DTP, Hib, MMR, Hib, DTP, Hib, MMR, Hib, DTP, Hib).

The major reasons for lack of complete immunizations in young children are: -Failure to administer vaccines at health care visits because the health care providers are misinformed about contraindications or are unwilling to give 2 or more vaccines at the same visit.

-Inadequate health care delivery

Rate hike

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Public Service Commission Public Information Officer Matt Rhody said Thursday that the decision, to be announced March 5, would probably be based only on information gathered at Wednesday's hearing.

Equitable advertised the proposed hike and subsequent hearing, which was attended by nine Equitable representatives and a lone company customer, though it had been advertised in every newspaper in every area that might be affected by it, Rhody said.

systems—esp. in rural areas.

-Lack of public awareness & education.

The following are some common misconceptions for not immunizing children:

- Mild acute illness, such as ear infection with low grade fever, or mild diarrhea in an otherwise well child.
-Prematurity.
-Current antibiotic therapy.
-Recent exposure to infectious disease.
-Family history of sudden infant death syndrome for children needing DTP vaccine.

-Family history of convulsions in children who require DTP or MMR vaccine.

- A previous reaction to DTP vaccine with only soreness, redness, or swelling or fever of less than 105 F.
-Pregnancy in mother.
-History of nonspecific allergies.

The only established reasons to withhold active immunization are concurrent moderate or severe illness (eg. that needing hospital admission); previous severe allergic reaction to a specific vaccine; severe allergy to egg protein or antibiotic, or live virus vaccines (eg. oral polio) are also not to be given during pregnancy or suppressed immunity (eg. patients on chemotherapy for cancer).

H influenza type b conjugate vaccine (HBCV) is now routinely given starting at 12 months of age with completion by 12-15 months. This bacterium commonly causes ear and throat infections in children and until now the vaccine would be only given after 2 years of age. With the new vaccine the incidence of these common infectious has dramatically reduced.

Diphtheria, tetanus and acellular pertussis (DTAP) vaccine is a newer vaccine in which the pertussis component of the DTP is made from purified protein components of the pertussis bacterium (unlike DTP which is made from the whole cell). DTAP has the advantage of lower reactions and it is preferred for children with history of seizure disorders not associated with DTP vaccination. This vaccine is not yet freely available.

Hepatitis B vaccine is a safe and effective vaccine associated with very few side effects. Although most cases of hepatitis B occur in adolescence or adulthood through household contact, sexual contact, IV drug use or occupational contact, no risk factor can be identified in one third or more patients with hepatitis B. Universal immunization against Hepatitis B in infancy will be most effective because it is preferred for children and the immunity will last into adolescence and adulthood. The medical costs of caring and treating acute and chronic hepatitis B are very high, making vaccination against this disease a cost effective alternative to disease control.

Deaths

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That's a fact of life. That doesn't mean they should have to die.

"I feel that some person or persons... in state government fears that if the state lights or paints the rock wall, they will be admitting some sort of wrong-doing... and maybe hurt themselves in the (impending) lawsuits."

James H. Jenkins, attorney of record for the family of Jimmy Howard Brewer, said Tuesday that he and his firm were "intensely pursuing all legal liability aspects" regarding Brewer's fatal accident.

"I intend to continue placing the signs at the intersection," the man said. "I don't care how many times they take them down, and I don't care if I end up going to jail over this.... I've worked in the medical profession for eleven years and I've seen accidents like this before, but one of this severity is very rare... and it doesn't need to continue.

"People have to know. Something has to be done."

Fire

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According to a report filed Thursday by Kentucky State Police Detective McKenzie, Officer Mitchell Williamson of the Inez Police Department discovered the blaze at around 1:10 a.m. Wednesday in the McCoy, Marcum and Triplett Law Office at Inez.

McKenzie said that the building received heavy burn damage to the entire top floor and water and smoke damage to the bottom floor, which also housed the Martin County Pharmacy, owned by Michael S. Going. The pharmacy was completely destroyed.

The fire appeared to originate in the upper right rear area of the building. No injuries were reported.

The cause of the fire has not yet been determined, McKenzie said, but no sign of foul play has been found. The incident is still under investigation.

Valentines Dance

Maytown Family Resource Center will be sponsoring a Valentines Dance on February 12, at the Maytown luncheon, from 7-10 p.m. for grade school students only. Admission is \$2.

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Courthouse News

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Editor's Note: Suits filed are not indicative of guilt but represent only the claims of those filing the action.

City of Prestonsburg vs. Homer Fugate et al., alleged failure to make ordered repairs to structure;

Betty Lou Slone vs. Estill Hall, compensation for alleged injuries due to automobile accident on September 25, 1992;

Appalachian Regional Healthcare Inc. vs. Tilton Johnson et al., alleged failure to pay debt for medical services rendered;

Parts Inc. vs. Roger Hicks d/b/a Beaver Auto, alleged debt; **Gary Stanley vs. Randall McGuire**, compensation for alleged injuries in an automobile accident on November 25, 1992;

Thelma Allen McAskill vs. Arthur Hughes et al., allegedly attempting to lay claim to property by destroying boundary lines, trespassing and constructing structures on plaintiff's land

MARRIAGES

Christina Kaye Allen, 21, of David, and **Brian David Hall**, 23, of Hi Hat; **Evelyn D. Walters**, 21, of McDowell, and **Brian Wright**, 20, of Emma;

Bridget Hoover, 19, of Prestonsburg, and **William J. Sloan**, 20, of Allen; **Melissa Hall**, 22, of Wayland, and **Omer Lovely Jr.**, 22, of Wayland; **Irene H. Hurley**, 39, of Dana, and **Paul David Hurley**, 32, of Jamboree; **Kimberly R. Meade**, 24, of Printer, and **Keith Darrell Jones**, 22, of Martin.



Taxidermed

Left to right: Dr. Roger Goodwill, Dr. John Shiber, Gary Hylton, Dr. Deborah Floyd and Robert Elam.

PCC receives donation of taxidermed black bear

When the grandchildren of F. S. VanHoose were wondering what to do with their grandfather's mounted black bear, they received a suggestion from Safari Club member and Prestonsburg Community College graduate Robert Elam. Elam and Gary Hylton, president of the Safari Club, encouraged Mike Craft, Scott Craft and Joe Howard VanHoose to consider donating the black bear

(*Ursus americanus*) to the PCC Big Sandy Natural Science Center in honor of their grandfather, F. S. VanHoose. They decided their grandfather would approve.

Now K-12 students who visit the science center-museum can see what a real example of local wildlife was like by examining this wonderfully mounted exhibit.

KET gives viewers a taxbreak

For everyone who made New Year's resolutions to get their taxes done a little earlier this year, KET offers Taxbreak '93: Testing Your Tax I.Q., a one-hour special featuring answers to the most common tax questions and tips for making the process as painless as possible. It airs on KET at 3 p.m., Sunday, February 7.

Hosted by CBS News correspondent Robert Krulwich, Taxbreak '93 features a panel of experts discussing such topics as what's new in the federal tax code, how to get your refund as quickly as possible, and where and how to get the free taxpayer assistance available from the Internal Revenue Service.

Krulwich and his guests will keep the proceedings lively by quizzing

their studio audience about tax laws, inviting home viewers to play along.

During the program, a special toll-free hotline to the IRS will be available for viewers who have additional questions.

Lindstrom named U of A scholar

A Floyd County resident has been named to the Scholar and Honor Scholar list for the 1992 fall term at the University of Alabama in Huntsville.

Chrys Lindstrom of Stanville was recognized for outstanding academic achievement by attaining the scholar listing.

Pike County resident endorses KET GED on TV program

"There were a lot of times when I thought about giving up, but your letters and phone calls made me believe that I could accomplish my goal. Thanks for all the help your staff gave me."

That is what Pike County resident Nikki Mitchell had to say in a letter to the KET GED ON TV staff after passing the GED exam. Mitchell is one of over 15,000 Kentuckians who have earned their GEDs after preparing with The KET/GED Series and the KET GED ON TV Program. Enrollment is currently under way for the next GED ON TV session which begins March 2.

The KET GED ON TV program is convenient for adults without a high school diploma who, because of lack of child care, transportation difficulties, conflicting work schedules, or other difficulties, need to prepare for the GED exam at home. KET began the program in 1975 to give Kentucky adults another chance to improve their education.

Each student enrolled in the KET GED ON TV program receives three workbooks which follow The KET/GED Series, a practice test prior to the actual GED test, and a certificate which pays the GED testing fee. Throughout each GED ON TV study session, students may call tutors at a toll-free telephone number.

The KET/GED Series, which is used nationwide, includes lessons for each area of the GED exam—math, writing, reading, science, and social studies. The series also includes programs which give test-taking tips and strategies.

Most of the KET GED ON TV graduates say they worked for their GED to find a better job, continue

their education, or for simple self-satisfaction. If you are interested in KET's GED ON TV program or know someone who may be, please call 1-800-538-4433.

UK Mining Engineering student group wins top national honor

The University of Kentucky chapter of the Society for Mining, Metallurgy and Exploration has been named the nation's top SME student chapter for 1992.

Ten students from Floyd County are members of SME: Todd Justice, Kevin Adams, Kevin Houston, Thomas Nairn, Paul Horn, Chris Slone, Jason Storey, Allen James, Jody Wallen and Carter Hamilton.

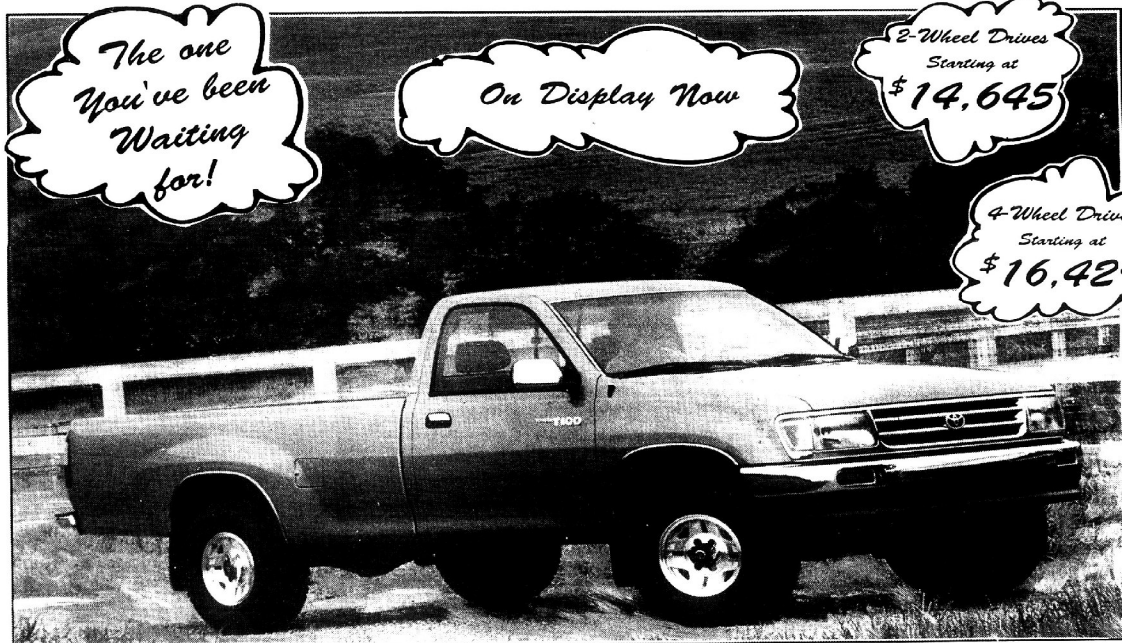
The officers of the UK chapter will accept the award at the annual meeting of SME February 15-18 in Reno, Nevada, where they also will have the opportunity to tour a gold mine.

The chapter's activities last year included arranging technical meetings with speakers from industry and field trips to mines. Chapter members also worked as tutors to students in local eighth grade math classes.

Scholarships to UK's mining engineering program are available. For more information, contact Danny Belcher at 606-639-6275 after 5 p.m., or Richard Sweigard at UK at 606-257-2953.

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Liberty of thought is the life of the soul—Voltaire

Editorial :

Social insecurity

by Scott Perry

Nothing is likely to incite more debate, or fear, among Americans than a good, sharp stab in the pocketbook.

The current debate over Social Security is a good example. Federal entitlement payments, of which Social Security represents a sizable chunk, are the largest expenses our deficit-spending government rings up each year.

If the deficit is to be controlled, it's logical to assume that entitlement payments must bear some of the burden.

But logic and Social Security seem to mix like oil and water.

One of the most consistently offered and routinely impugned proposals for deficit control involves caps on the growth of entitlement programs.

While that makes perfect economic sense, and is probably the only answer to eliminating

this country's financial dilemma, it just ain't going to happen.

When prominent politicians like Senator Patrick Moynihan call efforts to cap Social Security a political "death wish," it's unlikely any meaningful action will be forthcoming.

The public, meanwhile, appears unable to distinguish between capping entitlement growth and what it perceives to be "reductions" in Social Security.

Entitlement caps aren't cuts, no one gets less, they are limits on how fast and how much those payments will increase.

Our aging population has every right to demand security, but our future is facing a deficit-fueled economic crisis that will be indiscriminate of age.

No pain, no gain, they say. If we don't act quickly and responsibly to resolve our budget crisis and cancerous deficit, all we will gain is pain.



—Letters to the editor—

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Dead end road is becoming dead end

Editor:
In regards to the story "Baffles" in the Wednesday, February 3, issue of the Times, it doesn't take a card carrying genius to figure out why the fatal accidents are occurring at the intersection of new U.S. 23 and Route 1428.

Illuminate the intersection. Make the intersection so visible that a driver can see the cliff. In many areas of our state and country, there are intersections such as this, but they have lights to go along with the other visible regulatory signs.

I am not faulting anyone, and yes, it can be called human error. But something must be done to correct whatever errors are occurring. Don't put a dollar value on human life. Do whatever is necessary to stop the slaughter of life regardless of who is at fault.

It is time to stop hoping that motorists will realize that the road ahead is nothing more than a dead end, because that's exactly what it is, a dead end.

William Crothers Sr.
Hager Hill

And that's no Barney!

Editor:
On several occasions across Kentucky, the Barney character and theme has appeared at both profit and non-profit organizations. While we at KET have no vested interest in the character other than providing the program on KET's schedule, please be advised that any appearance by a character identified as Barney either by name, description, or likeness is in violation of rights exclusive to The Lyons Group and Connecticut Public Television.

The real Barney is currently producing 20 new Barney & Friends episodes for PBS, which will begin airing in September. He is not making public appearances at present. Public television stations will be the first to know what his future schedule will be. Producing quality programs for PBS is his first priority.

Where false Barneys have appeared, parents and children have been soundly disappointed. Children know Barney's appearance and voice well enough to recognize fakes, and disappointing children in this manner is as reprehensible as is intention

to profit from it.
The Lyons Group, creators of Barney and holders of his copyright, are taking legal action in response to any and all false appearances. Further comment can be obtained by calling Beth Ryan, publicist at The Lyons Groups, at 214-248-6800 or Patrice Pascual, national publicist for Connecticut Public Television (coproducers of the series), at 301-927-1578.

Thank you for publishing this letter. Our intent is to keep our viewers informed and aware of any imitation Barney characters. The real Barney & Friends, by the way, airs daily on KET at 12:30 p.m. and Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

Virginia G. Fox
KET Executive Director

Got something to say?

Write a letter to the editor.

What others are saying

The following articles are excerpts of editorials taken from Kentucky newspapers

Rein in the reprobates

If there was ever a story that explained how Eastern Kentucky works, it is staff writer John Voskuhl's report on the ownership of Benco Mining.

The crux of the matter is this: When the government determines that folks are behaving like reprobates, it bans them from mining coal. But people like that often find a way to stay in the business.

Mountain banker and bigwig-for-all-seasons L.D. Gorman, as well as Perry County Judge/Executive Sherman Nease, has been barred from mining as a result of past environmental violations. But Mr. Gorman has found a way to stay in the game.

If academics and reformers want to study how things get done in Eastern Kentucky, they should study this one. It illustrates how the Appalachian coalfields have been ruled, to these many generations, by powerful interests.

What you want, if you intend to run a coal operation unimpeded, is to remain out of sight when the government permits are granted, hidden from public responsibility. Later, you can buy into the business formally. And you want to have the local political/judicial system in hand, so that inconvenient things like enforcement of over-weight coal hauling rules can be brushed aside. So, you bring in somebody like the county judge.

out front, you use a person with a fine public reputation.

Clearly we need a new state law to insure that public records on ownership of mines are updated when control changes.

We need to change the state law that requires only ownership "of record" to be on file. Coal firms should file records of "beneficial ownership," not just the names of those who can sit in the board room and vote.

And if the coal operators oppose this, their hypocrisy is as raw as an unreclaimed highwall.

They say the industry has changed. They say they want the rogues out of the business of mining coal. If so, they ought to support these changes. — *The Courier-Journal*

Watch, then phone

If you want some real, if unsettling, entertainment for the next few nights, watch Kentucky Educational Television's coverage of the special session on legislative ethics.

The performance of the members of the Senate State Government Committee on the nightly telecasts has said more about the need for ethics reform than any editorial or news story could convey.

After you watch democracy in action on KET, you might want to let your lawmakers know your opinion about ethics in government. It's easy to do, and it won't cost you a cent.

Just call the legislature's offices at (800) 372-7181 and leave messages for your senator and representative. The line is open from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. — *Lexington Herald-Leader*

Lawmakers, here's your chance

This week begins a process in which the makers of Kentucky's laws will be put to the ultimate test. And you can be their constituents will be keeping a close eye on them.

The occasion is a special session to consider laws that govern state legislators and local officials. It is the most important bill since the Kentucky Education Reform Act.

The ethics reform package contains a lot of proposals. While some need fine-tuning, most should become law.

How effective it will be will be determined by how serious our lawmakers are in cleaning up their image.

If the new law isn't worth the paper it's written on, they will have collectively spit in the faces of those who gave them their jobs. — *The Paintsville Herald*

Don't dismiss the truth about domestic violence

Let's hope that America's beaten women weren't the losers along with the Buffalo Bills on Super Bowl Sunday.

Last weekend, some women's rights activists found themselves on the defensive. They had to explain how they arrived at statistics that showed women were at greater risk of being attacked by abusive men on Super Bowl Sunday than on any other day of the year. They had no luck.

By Monday, they were saying their information was inaccurate and incomplete. It was an embarrassing revelation. Worse than that, it could under-

mine more than two decades of efforts to educate people about a crime that is an everyday tragedy.

The error indeed was unfortunate. It no doubt will cause future claims by advocates to be scrutinized carefully.

But the error should not obscure the facts. Wife-beating is epidemic in this country. On average, a woman is beaten every 15 seconds every day of the year. The FBI estimates that 6 million American women are beaten each year by their husbands or boyfriends; 4,000 of them are killed.

There is no evidence that football fans beat their wives or girlfriends more often than other men do. In fact, there is no stereotypical wife-beater. They are not all drunks, drug addicts or social misfits. They are all criminals, however, who beat their wives or girlfriends because they want to control them and they can get away with the violence.

This is the message that was at the heart of what domestic violence advocates wanted to communicate on Super Bowl Sunday: Domestic violence is a problem we need to combat every day. It has been with us since long before anyone dreamed up the game of football and, unfortunately, will be with us long after football season ends. — *Lexington Herald-Leader*

Opinions expressed in this column are those of the writer and do not necessarily reflect the opinions of the *Floyd County Times*.

Our Yesterdays

(Items taken from the Floyd County Times 10, 20, 30, 40, 50 and 60 years ago.)

10 Years Ago

(February 2, 1983)

Price Hall, 39, of McDowell, convicted last month of first-degree manslaughter in the shooting death of Ed "Punchline" Moore and the assault of Moore's two sons, was sentenced to 10 years in prison for manslaughter and one year each for the assault counts. Ronald Gullett, 46, of Wheelwright, who suffered extensive burns when he touched a power line at a mine last February, has sued the mine owners and the power company for more than \$10 million. The state alcoholic beverage control board is largely to blame for the problems facing Floyd officials in regulating establishments that serve beer. County Attorney Arnold Turner Jr. charged last week. There died: John L. Poe, 83, of Abbott Creek, January 25 at Paintsville Hospital; Mary Craft George of Lake Road, Sunday at her home, Minnie Stumbo, 90, of McDowell, Friday in Michigan; Marie M. Stanfield, 80, of Betsy Layne, January 21 at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Roma I. Tackett, 84, January 24, at her home at Price; John Homer Harrington, 77, of Hunter, Friday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital; Elzie Collins, 54, of Prestonsburg, last Friday at Highlands Regional Medical Center; and Preston Henry Singleton, 80, of Melvin, Sunday at McDowell Appalachian Regional Medical Center.

Twenty Years Ago

(February 7, 1973)

Work already under way or to be initiated in this county this year by South Central Bell in a program designed to afford better telephone service will involve expenditure of almost \$2 million, telephone company manager, Phil G. Scott, said last week. The Mud Creek Health Project, a "bootstrap" operation undertaken by residents of that section of the county without federal funding, will open next Tuesday. Glenn S. Anderson, Sr., ended almost 29 years of work with the Kentucky Employment Service last Wednesday when he retired. Chuck Roast cost just 69¢ per pound and five 32-oz. bottles of Coke cost just \$1.10. Two former Floyd county residents were among those graduated from the Kentucky State Police Academy in Frankfort, last Friday. They are Larry Prater and James Stephens. There died: Leo Salisbury, 83, formerly of Hunter, in a car crash last Wednesday at Plant City, Fla.; Mrs. Annie Collins Belcher, 23, formerly of Garrett, in a car accident, Sunday, in Kendallville, Ind.; Preston Fields, 52, brother of Tom Fields of Prestonsburg, in a car accident in Florida, Feb. 2; Mrs. Betty S. Stone, 85, of Akron, Ind., formerly of this county, Jan. 26 in a Warsaw, Ind. hospital; Mrs. Vina E. Leslie, 80, of Staunville, Jan. 12 in a Pikeville nursing home; William Bailey, 71, of Melvin, Thursday at a Martin hospital; Sherman J. Centers, 79, of Auxier, Jan. 30 at a hospital here; Mrs. Fanny M. Russell, 87, of Pikeville, formerly of Prestonsburg, Jan. 28 in Pikeville; Carl C. Conley, 76, of Loveland, O., native of Bonanza, Jan. 26 in a Cincinnati hospital; Mrs. Judy M. Erick, 65, Jan. 22 at her home at Betsy Layne; Mrs. Mattie E. Hall, 71, of a Paintsville hospital; Mrs. Renda C. Stumbo, 68, of Flat River, Mo., formerly of this county, Jan. 12 at Bonne Terre (Mo.) Hospital; Sammie Bays, Jr., 56, of Warsaw, Ind., formerly of Prestonsburg, Jan. 17, near his home in Warsaw; Mrs. Georgie W. Horn, 72, of Prestonsburg, died Sunday at a nursing home here; H. B. Spaulbeck, Jr., 51, of Springfield, O., formerly of Prestonsburg, Saturday in Springfield.

Thirty Years Ago

(February 7, 1963)

State Labor Commissioner Carl Cabe said Tuesday "very good progress has been made in talks aimed at a settlement of labor troubles in the Eastern Kentucky coalfields. A 46-year-old Earl Campbell, of Hippo was found dead and two others unconscious in a room of the Mountain View Motel at tragedy-ridden Knottley Hollow, near Lancer, Monday afternoon. The number of persons receiving the Type III oral polio vaccine at clinics held over the county last Sunday afternoon was slightly above 5,000. Russell L. Hall, county health director, said Wednesday. The Hubbard C. Francis Scholarship Award, established this week by the Francis Stores of Prestonsburg, is the first such grant to be made available annually to deserving students at the Prestonsburg Community College. There died: Mrs. Virginia Newsom, 65, of Prestonsburg, teacher, Monday at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Henry B. Clay, 64, of Emma, Saturday at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Miss Virginia Ann Allen, 20, of Prestonsburg, last Wednesday at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Mrs. Melvina Thornbury, 77, of Pyramid, Saturday at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Wayne Martin, 50, Monday at his home at McDowell; Mrs. Linda Greig, 47, formerly of Floyd County, January 4 at Kenton, O.; Mrs. Siller Lucas, 23, last Wednesday at her home at Estill; Mrs. Rebecca Newsom, 77, Saturday at her home at Beaver.

Forty Years Ago

(February 5, 1953)

Floyd county's teacher shortage was described by County Superintendent Virgil O. Turner this week as "desperate" with nine schools either closed or reopening after having been closed for lack of instructors. The Floyd County Board of Education asked at its Tuesday meeting the Floyd fiscal court to act as its financial agent and to advertise for bids on the construction here of the long-delayed high school building; and, at the same meeting, the board approved preliminary plans on school buildings at Bosco and Ligon. A strike of the Inland Steel Company's plant at Indiana Harbor, Indiana, resulted in idling approximately 1,200 miners there. The Foreman's Club at Wheelwright is working to give the community top standing in blood-giving for 1953 by meeting the full 125-pint quota. When the Red Cross bloodmobile visits there next Tuesday... There died: Samuel L. Isbell, 47, of Prestonsburg, former Floyd county agricultural agent widely known veterinarian, Wednesday, at Staffordsville; Johnson county, Mrs. Alma Branhann Elliott, 29, formerly of Martin, at home in Wilmington, Illinois, January 27; Mrs. Satch King, 66, at home on Mare Creek, Tuesday; Mrs. Ella S. Richardson, 80, Thursday, at home on Middle Creek; Mrs. Prater, 74, of Bonanza, former Floyd county magistrate, at home, Wednesday; Cynthia Rose Riddle, 70, of Lick's Branch, February 1, at the Beaver Valley Hospital, Martin; Henry Bowe, 84, at home at Auxier, Saturday; Cary N. Martin, 60, at home at Allen, Monday; Mrs. Bessie Arnett, 61, of Howard Branch, near David, Tuesday, at the Prestonsburg General Hospital.

Fifty Years Ago

(February 4, 1943)

Tuesday, this week, the last payment on the \$46,000 firefighting equipment purchased by the city of Prestonsburg was made. Mayor E. P. Arnold announced... To qualify Floyd county for its share of approximately \$24,000 of the state \$2,000,000 rural highway fund, the fiscal court last week filed the 30 projects covering approximately 125 miles of rural road in this county on which the fund may be expended... The Navy Department recently awarded a letter of commendation to 18-year-old James Paul Connors, formerly of Auxier, citing the young seaman for "devotion to duty and courage" during the sinking of an enemy submarine by a merchant vessel on which Connors was a member of a gun crew. Selective Service headquarters here this week estimated that between 2,700 and 2,900 Floyd county men are now in the armed forces. Floyd chapter, American Red Cross, will begin on March 1 a drive to raise a War Fund quota of \$3,500... the greatest Red Cross quota ever assigned the county in a single year. Mrs. Edith Fitzpatrick James, well-known Prestonsburg singer, will sing Thursday night with the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra in the performance of pieces by Debussy... Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Peters, two daughters. Floyd Marie was born at Martin on February 8 at the Prestonsburg General Hospital. There died: Cephus Bates, 19, of Buckingham, Friday; Mrs. Rebecca McKinney, 85 years old, Friday at the home of her daughter at Wasland; Mrs. Emily Sizemore Begley, 89, Friday at the home of her son, near Maytown.

Sixty Years Ago

(February 3, 1933)

County school superintendents will continue to be appointed by county school boards under a decision of the court of appeals Friday, holding unconstitutional a 1932 act attempting to provide for popular election of Floyd county school boards for the past year was \$89,000. W. M. Green, side proprietor of the Greenwade Service Station here, sustained the loss of a Whippet sedan, which was destroyed by fire, and approximately \$45 worth of cigarettes, cigars and candy taken from the service station by burglars Tuesday night. The Sandy Valley Coal Company, incorporation of which are J. R. Hunt, Charles Alley and L. W. Rorner, will operate the mines of Prestonsburg Coal Company, from which it has leased property on Bull Creek. A county-wide poll among schools to determine the site of this year's district basketball tournament resulted in a tie between Martin and Maytown and the decision to move up to the state high school athletic association. Although the Beaver Valley golf club has voted to abandon the golf course near Allen, the course there will remain open this year. Martin high school will initiate basketball play in its new gymnasium, Friday night when the Buckeyes take on Virgie. There died: Bill Osborne, 30, of Prestonsburg.

-Other Voices- America needs your numbers!

There is a disturbing sound coming from some business offices around the country. It is the sound of the 1992 Economic Census from slipping to the bottom of the pile.

The 1992 Economic Census forms arrived in December, amid year-end closings and tax filings. Some accountants, controllers, even Chief Financial Officers may feel that a response from their company is not a high priority.

Don't believe it. Economic Census results are too important to be delayed. These are numbers we all need — on the job, for our communities, for public policy, even in our own finances. And every response is needed for an accurate total.

Current economic indicators from the federal government, including gross domestic product, retail sales and others that you may follow every month — some even in the pages of this publication — would not be there without the Economic Census.

Census facts and figures are the basic information needed for local planning and development.

Profiles assembled from census data guide communities as they work to maintain their economic base and attract new investment.

Businesses need Economic Census data to gauge current performance and plan for the future. The data helps firms develop business plans, compute market share, and locate business markets.

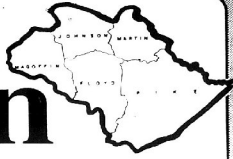
So, if you still have not completed the 1992 Economic Census form for your company, go ahead. Fill it out. Send it in.

Remember, it's required by law. Putting it off does not change the fact that you have to do it.

And if you are the boss, let your people know that you place a high priority on completing the Economic Census accurately and on time — by the February 15 deadline.

The Economic Census — not only does it show how America works, The Economic Census is working for America. — *Troublesome Creek Times*

Around the Region



The Numbers Game: Kentucky Lottery Results

Wednesday's Results
February 4
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LOTTO KENTUCKY 01-20-25-31-39-40

Next Estimated Jackpot \$2.5 million

POWERBALL 11-29-40-41-43-05

Next Estimated Jackpot \$10 million



WEATHER WATCH

Friday (today)
Sunny and mild. High 55-60.

Friday night
Clearing early with late night clouds. Low near 30.

Saturday
Partly cloudy. Breezy and cold with flurries. High 35-40.

Saturday night
Cold. Lows in the 20s.

Sunday-Tuesday
Dry and cold through the period. Sunday, highs in the mid 30s. Monday and Tuesday, highs near 40. Lows in the 20s through the period.

Information provided by the Jackson Weather Service.

Board to officially begin work on WMS

The Martin County Board of Education had officially rolled up its sleeves to begin work on the multi-million dollar Warfield Middle School as they hired architect Jack Clotfelter and Martin Engineering to see the project through.

The board will pay \$260,000 to Martin Engineering and Construction firm from Martin, who will oversee construction of the project. The actual school will be constructed by Jack Clotfelter, who will receive \$36,000 in preconstruction costs (preconstruction costs usually run around \$50,000) and five percent of the total cost of the school. Both contracts were tentatively accepted by the board, pending final approval.

The board also set aside \$225,000 from the general fund in anticipation of assuming control of the Middle School property. — *The Mountain Citizen*

Amendment to policy concerning weapons in school pushed through

School districts across the state are reacting to the tragedy that occurred two weeks ago at East Carter High School in which a high school student shot and killed a teacher and janitor. At Monday night's meeting of the Martin County Board of Education, Chairman Garry Lafferty voiced the board's concern and pushed through an amendment to the board's policy concerning weapons in school.

Current policy states that students are prohibited from bringing to school firearms, fire weapons, illegal knives (with blades over six inches long), or anything else that might be used as a weapon. Any student caught with such contraband is subject to suspension from school.

Lafferty and the board changed the policy to add "look alike," in reaction to an incident at a larger school in which a student pointed a plastic pistol at a teacher's head. — *The Mountain Citizen*

Defendant sentenced for threatening sheriff

Columbus Martin of Salisbury Branch in Knott County pled guilty in Breathitt County District Court on January 25, on three counts of terroristic threatening, according to Dawn Watts, an assistant county attorney in Breathitt County.

He was fined \$350 plus court costs, sentenced to 120 days in jail, and put on probation for one year.

Martin also pled guilty in Knott District Court on November 16 to criminal mischief in the third degree for damaging a police cruiser, that Knott County Sheriff Jim Amburgey was transporting Martin to Eastern State Hospital in on June 20, 1992. The Knott and Breathitt sentences involve the same incidents on June 20.

Martin was evaluated at Kentucky Correctional Psychiatric Center at LaGrange, and was found competent to stand trial. — *Troublesome Creek Times*

Regional News Briefs

Kentucky towns ranked among best

Four Kentucky communities made an impression on an author who compiled a list of his top 100 small towns in the country.

Author Norman Crampton listed Danville at No. 40, Bardonia at No. 79, Pikeville at 85 and Somerset at 89 in his book "The 100 Best Small Towns in America," which was released Tuesday, Kentucky, New Hampshire, North Carolina, Indiana, and Minnesota had the most towns mentioned in the book with four each.

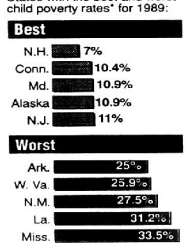
Crampton, a former journalist who is director of the Indiana Institute of Recycling in Terre Haute, defined small as a population of 5,000 to 15,000. In his book, published by Prentice Hall, he considered crime rates, natural beauty, institutions of higher learning, new spas and medical care. — *The Courier-Journal*

Returning to the scene

Representatives of Patchett-Kaufman Entertainment were in Pike County yesterday to do research for a film on the now infamous slaying of Susan Daniels Smith by FBI Agent Mark Putnam. Commonwealth's Attorney John Paul Runyon and Det. Richard Ray showed the researchers where Smith's body was found. Runyon said the Los Angeles crew plans to make a film based on an upcoming book by writer Joe Sharkey. The filmmakers are Wendell Rawls, April Smith, and Dick Lavery. — *Appalachian News Express*

Best, worst child poverty rates

States with the best and worst child poverty rates* for 1989.



*Doesn't include foster children, homeless children, children living alone or teen parents. SOURCE: Children's Defense Fund

Most boring things to do

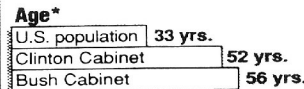
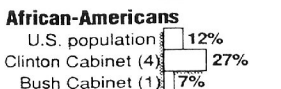
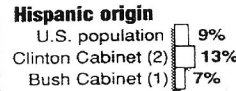
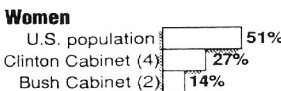
The Boring Institute, a one-man organization based in Maplewood, N.J., has issued this list of the world's deadliest duties:

1. Standing in line
2. Laundry
3. Computing
4. Meetings
5. Drets
6. Exercise
7. Weeding lawn or garden
8. Housework
9. Political debates
10. Opening junk mail

SOURCE: Alan Corbett, The Boring Institute. Research by GUMOR, LIA JAFFE, NY.

The faces of Clinton's Cabinet

President-elect Bill Clinton promised to pick a Cabinet that reflected the face of America. This comparison of Clinton's Cabinet to Bush's current Cabinet and the U.S. population shows how close he came:



* U.S. figure is median age. Cabinet figures are average age. SOURCE: World Almanac, Census Bureau, news reports; Research by PAT CARR

KET program features Appalachian writers

During the week of the Appalachian Writers' Workshop, held each summer at the Hindman Settlement School in Knott County, writers and other participants share the images they've created of Appalachia. These varied images blend into at the small mountain school at the forks of Troublesome Creek.

At the Forks of Troublesome, premiering on KET at 8:00:00 p.m. Monday, February 15, features writers Lee Smith, James Still, George Ella Lyon, Gurney Norman, Jim Wayne Miller, and Ed McClanahan at the 15th annual workshop, held in August 1992. In readings and interviews, the authors share their common belief in place—especially the place known as Appalachia—as a source of inspiration.

The program also features a brief history of the Hindman Settlement School, which has become a center for Appalachian literature.

The school was founded in 1902 "to provide an educational opportunity for the youth of the mountains and keep them mindful of their heritage." Since its earliest days, it has served thousands of students who otherwise would have been unable to attend any school at all.

Today, the Settlement School serves the region in other ways. A program designed for children with dyslexic characteristics which began with four students now serves 900.

And the Appalachian Writers' Workshop has "become a kind of mecca for people interested in the writing of this region," according to the school's director, Mike Mullins.

"Our literary tradition goes all the way back to Lucy Furman, a writer who taught here for many years," Mullins says. "At Stewart, who started the writers' workshop, came here as a 5-year-old child and was one of Miss Lucy's little boys. James Still came here in 1932 as the librarian and 'two-legged bookmobile,' and, for the most part, he's been here ever since."

In At the Forks of Troublesome, Still reads excerpts from his novel River of Earth and is accompanied in music and song by Randy Wilson.

"Appalachia is that somewhat mythical region with no known boundaries," says Still. "It exists in an area exists in terms of geography, such a domain which has shaped the lives of men and women from pioneer days to the present and given them an independence and an outlook and a vision that is attributed to them. I trust to be understood for imagining the heart of it to be in the hills of Eastern Kentucky, where I have lived and feel at home, and

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Workshop participant Leatha Kendrick describes her workshop experience:

"There's something mythic about crossing bridges, and when you come into the Settlement School and you go to the Forks of the Hill, you cross Troublesome Creek on the little wooden bridge. And you literally enter a place. It's not a place that exists all the time; it's more like, Brigadoon—it sort of appears once a year and is there, and is real while it's there, but is not there the rest of the time."

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"Appalachia is that somewhat mythical region with no known boundaries," says Still. "It exists in an area exists in terms of geography, such a domain which has shaped the lives of men and women from pioneer days to the present and given them an independence and an outlook and a vision that is attributed to them. I trust to be understood for imagining the heart of it to be in the hills of Eastern Kentucky, where I have lived and feel at home, and

where I have exercised as much freedom and peace as the world allows." Gurney Norman (Kinfolks, Divine Right's Trip) likens what has occurred artistically in the Appalachian region in the last 20 years to the Harlem Renaissance of the 1920s.

"The difference, he says, is that the Harlem Renaissance was 'confined to a section of a big city. We spread out over six states and many mountain ranges. So if we're going to have a movement and a renaissance, we're going to have to have a home, and Hindman Settlement School is that home."

"The mark of this artistic flourishing," says Jim Wayne Miller (His First, Best Country; Brier, His Book), is that Appalachia and the people who live here "used to be defined by others; now we define ourselves."

For a long time, the rest of the world's definition of Appalachia was not always flattering. Harlan native George Ella Lyon (Come A Tide, Who Walked This Road) considers the influence outsiders' opinions of Appalachia have had on her.

"While she was growing up, during the 'War on Poverty' of the '60s, Lyon says, "the image of Appalachia was a place which had no culture. And the images were very negative."

"I had a sense that if I were going to be a writer, I'd have to go some place else and start there," she continues. "It just took me a long time to find that the writing which spoke to me most was writing with a strong sense of place, and indeed, I had what I called 'my place.' I had all the material I could want."

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Local students at EKU are student teaching during spring semester

Six Kentucky University students at Eastern Kentucky University are among 292 teacher-education students doing student teaching this spring semester.

EKU's College of Education places its student teaching in classrooms to gain practical classroom experience, said Dr. David Rusch, director of EKU's professional laboratory experiences office. The student-teaching experience, which is required before a college graduate may be certified, follows a campus instruction in teaching fundamentals, methods and subject-matter areas.

"We believe our students are well-prepared to be outstanding teachers," Rusch said.

EKU students preparing for teaching careers also have the unique advantage of gaining practical classroom experience at Model Laboratory School, the only university-operated laboratory school in Kentucky. It is designed to provide educational experiences for future teachers that might otherwise be unavailable.

The student teachers are working at the secondary, elementary and middle school level, as well as in areas of special education.

Local student teachers, their address, and school assigned are:

Raina Dawn Phillips, Betsy Layne, Cold Hill, London, Dwayne Johnson, Teaberry, Clark Middle School, Winchester, Cassidy Elementary, Lexington; Kristina Bevins, Printer; Madison Central High School, Richmond; April Brown, Armiel Avenue, Prestonsburg; Brockridge Elementary, Lexington; Tates Creek Middle School, Lexington; Brian Tackett, Brockton, Richmond; Model Lab, Richmond; Ted George, North Locust Hill, Lexington; Madison Southern, Berea.

Major Rose becomes captain, assigned commander at Hazard

Major Gary Rose, Operations Division, reverts to the permanent rank of captain and is assigned as commander of the Hazard Post. Rose is a resident of Floyd County and former Pikeville commander.

Capt. John B. Lile, commander of the Frankfort Post, has been promoted to major and assigned to the Professional Standards Branch as commander. Lile, 39, has been with the state police since 1974. He worked at the Pikeville Post and the KSP Academy in 1981.

1st. Kenneth Hardin, Elizabethtown, Post, has been promoted to captain and assigned to the Mayfield Post as commander. In 1975, Hardin joined the state police and during his career has worked at the Pikeville and Elizabethtown Posts.



Major Gary Rose

Obituaries

Mabel R. Mosley

Mabel R. Mosley, 62, of Shelby, Ohio, died Monday, February 1, at her home following a lingering illness.

Born February 14, 1930 at Drift, she was the daughter of the late Robert and Mary Gool Goines. She had been a resident of Shelby and Willard, Ohio, for 42 years. She was a member of the First Free Will Baptist Church of Shelby, Order of the Eastern Star Rizpah Chapter No. 153, VFW Post No. 291 Auxiliary, FOE Aerie No. 763 Auxiliary, and had been employed at Midwest Industries in Willard, Ohio, for 20 years.

Survivors include her husband, James O. Mosley; one daughter, Linda Shorter of Shelby, Ohio; one son, James D. Mosley of Willard, Ohio; two brothers, Ben F. Goines of Plymouth, Ohio, and James C. Goines of Printer, five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Thursday, February 4, at 1:30 p.m., at the Barkhill Funeral Home with the Rev. Herman Copley officiating.

Burial was in Greenlawn Cemetery in Plymouth, under the direction of Barkhill Funeral Home.

Information courtesy of Hall Funeral Home.

Melvin Click Jr.

Melvin Click Jr., 55, of Prestonsburg, died Tuesday, February 2, at Highlands Regional Medical Center following a short illness.

Born April 11, 1937 at Mantion, he was the son of the late Melvin and Sadie Walters Click. He was a mechanic, formerly employed by the Riverway South Coal Company, at Caledsburg.

Survivors include his wife, Greta Wells Click; three sons, Randy Steven Click of Prestonsburg, James Franklin Click of Ivel, and Tommy Joe Click of Lexington; one daughter, Patricia Click Derossett of Auxier; two step-daughters, Lisa Davis of Paintsville and Twila Brannan of Somerset; seven brothers, Burl Click of Louisa, Samuel Monroe Click of Emma; Bill Hatfield of Detroit, Michigan, Henry Hatfield and Jack Hatfield, both of Sara Ann, West Virginia; Loyd Click of Risner, and John Click of Lima, Ohio; two sisters, Helen Roberts of Lima, Ohio, and Ida Roberts of Lexington; two grandchildren, and two step-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Thursday, February 4, at 1 p.m., at the Hall Family Home chapel with the Rev. Kevin Collins officiating.

Burial was in the Davison Memorial Gardens at Ivel under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers were Paul Combs, Roger Combs, Dickie Combs, John Click, Randy Chaffins, and Junior Setser.

Aggie Hall Burke

Aggie Hall Burke, 86, of Weeksburg, died Monday, January 25, at Weeksburg following an extended illness.

Born November 28, 1906 in Knott County, she was the daughter of the late Henderson and Liz Hall. She was a member of the Church of Christ at Melvin. She was preceded in death by her husband, Grant Burke in 1990.

Survivors include two sons, Orville Burke of Melvin and Clyde Burke of Weeksburg; five daughters, Ora, Pearl, and Mary, all of Weeksburg; Beatrice Hall of Mansville, Ohio, and Evelyn Johnson, Jewel Dean Burke, and Geraldine Burke, all of Weeksburg; eight grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Thursday, January 28, at 1 p.m., at the residence with Ralph Kilgore officiating.

Burial was in the Burke Family Cemetery at Weeksburg, under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

(This obituary is being reprinted due to wrong information provided to the funeral home.)

Shriners stress burn awareness and safety during National Burn Awareness Week, February 7-13

Burns are a leading cause of accidental death in children under 14 years of age, with the highest single risk group being children under two. But kids are not the only ones at risk. More than 2 million people are burned annually—children and adults.

Shriners are particularly interested in saving children from burn injuries. That's why each year, Shriners join the Shriners Burns Institutes and the United States Congress in observing National Burn Awareness Week. This year, Burn Awareness Week will be recognized February 7-13.

In recognition of the urgent need to educate the public about burn prevention and fire safety, the Shriners Burns Institutes and the Shrine of North America offer these tips to help you and your family stay healthy and safe from burns.

- Purchase and use only paper matches and child-resistant lighters. Babies as young as 16 months old can manipulate cigarette lighters well enough to start a fire, and children under three years old can start a fire with a kitchen match (a "strike-anywhere" match). Many burn injuries to young children result from children using matches and lighters as toys.
- Teach your children that a match is not a toy, for adults, and should be used only for its intended purpose. Teach older children safe and proper method for lighting matches.
- Boiling water to the kitchen is the single most common cause of scald burns occurring in the home. Always keep children away from the stove when cooking, and make sure they are not in your path or nearby when carrying boiling water to the sink or counter. Using a full-mouthed "spoon" type of teapot to boil water will minimize the risk of a scald burn from boiling water.
- Tap water can cause a serious scald burn in only five seconds if your water heater is set at 140 degrees F. Keep your water heater set no higher than 130 degrees F. And always check the temperature of the water before placing your child in the bathtub.
- More than 1,000 children were hurt last year due to hot foods and liquids heated in a microwave oven. Cooking eggs in a microwave can result in serious burns unless very specific precautions are taken. Check your microwave oven manual for specific instructions for cooking eggs.
- Install smoke detectors. Most home fires occur at night when people are sleeping, so it is vital to have at least one smoke detector near the bedroom area to wake you in case of fire. Change the batteries at least once a year. Choose a specific date to help you remember to change your batteries; the annual switch to standard time in the fall is a natural. Remember: Change your clocks, change your batteries.
- Develop a home fire escape plan, and have the entire family practice getting out of the house through various exits.
- The three Shriners Burns Institutes, the 11 orthopedic Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children provide orthopedic and burn care absolutely free of charge to children up to their 18th birthday. The Shriners Burns Institutes are located in Boston, Chicago, and Galveston, Texas. The hospitals were founded by the Shrine of North America, an international fraternal organization with approximately 720,000 members.

Helen M. Holbrook

Helen M. Holbrook, 69, of Continental, Ohio, formerly of Floyd County, died Monday, January 25, at St. Rita's Medical Center, Lima, Ohio.

Born September 2, 1923 at Greasy Creek in Floyd County, she was the daughter of the late John and Willa Snavely Rice. In 1946, she married James Perry, who died in 1982. She was married R.C. Holbrook, who survives. She was retired from Phillips DCC, Ottawa, and was a member of Faith Tabernacle Pentecostal Church of God, DeFiance, Continental American Legion Auxiliary and Continental Senior Citizens.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two sons, John Perry of New Bavaria, Ohio, and James Perry of Continental, Ohio; two daughters, Pat Rigel of Lima, Ohio, and Reta, Ely Holbrook of Hamilton, Alabama; four stepdaughters, Robin Capelle of Belleville, Michigan, Elaine Holbrook of Ypsilanti, Michigan, and Carrie God and Janice Culbertson, both of Jackson, Missouri; four brothers, Luther Rice of Allegan, Michigan, John Rice Jr. of Osage, Michigan, and Curtis Rice and Don Rice, both of Warren, Michigan; one sister, Betty Blankenship of Dayton, Ohio; and 14 grandchildren, 11 step-grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, and five step-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were January 28, at 1 p.m., at the Snyder Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Isaac Shelton officiating.

Burial was in the Monroe Cemetery in Continental, Ohio.

Ona Blackburn Harris

Ona Blackburn Harris, 73, of Prestonsburg, died Wednesday, February 3, at Highlands Regional Medical Center following a short illness.

Born November 1, 1919 in Waver, she was the daughter of the late Thomas and America Burchett Blackburn. She was preceded in death by her husband, Floyd Harris.

Survivors include two sons, Rudy Wayne Harris and John Linville Harris, both of Prestonsburg; two daughters, Martha Johnson and Leah Franklin, both of Prestonsburg; two sisters, Elizabeth Cesco of Prestonsburg and Lucy Burchett of Bowling Green; and ten grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Saturday, February 6, at 10 a.m., at Floyd Funeral Home chapel with burial in the Harris Cemetery at Corn Fork.

Funeral services will be after noon today (Friday) at the funeral home.

Bernice Crawford

Bernice Crawford, 66, of Dearborn Heights, Michigan, died December 14, at her home following a short illness.

Born April 26, 1926 in Floyd County, she was the daughter of the late Bill and Goldie Waugh.

Survivors include her husband, Charles Crawford; one daughter, Phyllis DeVaizer of Michigan; one son, Keith Crawford, of Michigan; four sisters, Helen Waugh of Michigan, and Pat, Carol, and Martha Ann, all of Indiana; three brothers, George of Pikeville, and Donzi and Millard Waugh, both of Ohio; and five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Friday, December 18, at 11 a.m., at the Howe-Peterson Funeral Home in Taylor, Michigan with the Rev. David A. Riggs officiating. Burial was in Michigan Memorial Park.

Information courtesy of Hall Funeral Home.

Hattie Mae Burke

Hattie Mae Burke, 69, of Bevsinsville, died Monday, February 1, at the Hazard Appalachian Regional Hospital following a long illness.

Born June 15, 1923 at Halo, she was the daughter of the late Eligha and Delhia Johnson. She was a self-employed merchant and a member of the Long Fork Regular Baptist Church for 52 years. She was preceded in death by her husband, John Burke.

Survivors include one sister, Magnolia Hall of Bevsinsville.

Funeral services were Thursday, February 4, at 10 a.m., at the residence with the Regular Baptist Church ministers officiating.

Burial was in the John M. and Hattie Mae Burke Cemetery at Bevsinsville under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

Reprinted from Wednesday, February 4.

Gearline Case Stewart

Gearline Case Stewart, 53, of New London, Ohio, died Wednesday, February 3, at Fisher-Titus Medical Center, Norwalk, Ohio, after an apparent heart attack.

Born April 13, 1939 in Floyd County, she was the daughter of Josh and Berchie Kidd Case of New London, Ohio. She moved to New London in 1952. She is a member of the Fitchville Church of Christ.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by her husband, Russell Stewart; one son, Jesse Stewart at home; one sister, Gwen Anderson of New London, Ohio; and one brother, Orbie Case of New London, Ohio.

Funeral services will be Saturday, February 6, at 2 p.m., at the Fitchville Church of Christ with the pastor Frank Kidd Jr. officiating.

Burial will be in the Fitchville Cemetery under the direction of Eastman Funeral Home.

A Memorial Service

will be held in honor of Paul David Wells at St. Martha's Church, Watergap Road at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 9. Service should be from 7:00 p.m. until 7:40 p.m. All friends and loved ones of Paul David are encouraged to attend.

Paul David died February 1 last year.

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Card Of Thanks

The family of Arvil Crum would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for the kindness extended to them during the loss of their loved one. Thanks to those who sent food, flowers, prayers, omelets and kind words of comfort. Special thanks to all the fine singers and to Brother Bobby Dean Crum and Brother Donnie Hall who officiated over the services. Thanks also to the Sheriff's Department for assisting with traffic control and to all of the staff at the Hall Funeral Home for their kind, considerate and professional services.

THE FAMILY OF ARVIL CRUM

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And we live on with the sorrow of ever having to part.
I find comfort in knowing she is now free and safe from harm,
For she is being securely embraced in God's loving arms.
It warms my heart to know that we will one day meet again,
In one beautiful world, free from sorrow and sin.

By Brady Scott & Jessica Stone

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Where the bison roam
Mrs. Parson's fourth grade class at the second annual Celebration of the Bison at Jenny Wiley. Included are Chef Stinnett and Earl Ray a Pima Indian from Salt River, Arizona.

Class attends Bison Celebration at Jenny Wiley Resort Park

Mrs. Parson's class attended the second annual Celebration of the Bison at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park. The highlights of the evening included a film on bison, a delicious variety of mouth-watering bison delicacies, local craft, people displaying rare handmade items, followed by songs from a Pima Indian and square dancing.

Ray Vanover, recreation supervisor at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park entertained Mrs. Parson's fourth grade class with the help of the talented staff and local craftspeople. The children enjoyed live demon-

strations of how local people make their wares. The next event, was a film on the life of the bison and how the Plains Indian used it for their basic needs in life.

The third event was a sumptuous spread of bison dishes prepared by the Senior Chef Jim Stinnett. With an array of bison crown roast, barbecued bison, bison chili and bison meat loaf, Mrs. Parson's class was soon smacking their lips and inviting the Chef Stinnett to their class. The chef will explain how the bison is hand selected, USDA inspected and supervised from hoof to plate.

Allen Central High School students vie for state honors

Half of the students who will compete in the state finals of the 1993 Sweet 16 Academic Showcase have been determined with the completion of the second regional competition held recently at Morehead State University. Two Floyd County students have earned a chance to compete in the finals.

Heather Watson and Charles Compton, both students at Allen Central High School, brought home second place honors at the regional competition. Watson was awarded second place in the Journalism/Feature Writing Category and Compton received second place in the Art: 2-Dimensional category.

A total of 454 Kentucky high school students from 49 schools in 25 counties registered to participate in last week's competition.

Students competing to win this competition are from regions 9, 10, 15 and 16. Counties in this area are: Bath, Boone, Bourbon, Boyd, Bracken, Campbell, Carter, Clark, Elliott, Estill, Fleming, Floyd, Greenup, Harrison, Johnson, Kenton, Lawrence, Lewis, Magoffin, Martin, Mason, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan, Nicholas, Pendleton, Pike, Robertson, and Rowan.

The top four regional winners in each of the 11 academic categories will go to Lexington March 17-20 for the state finals at Transylvania University.

A total of 1,523 students from 190 high schools in 100 Kentucky counties have registered statewide to compete in the 1993 Sweet 16 Academic Showcase.



Heather Watson
Second Place
Journalism/Feature Writing



Charles Compton
Second Place
Art: 2-Dimensional

The first regional competition was held at Eastern Kentucky University on January 23. The other two regionals will be held at Murray State University, February 13, and Georgetown College, February 20.

The students are competing for a total of \$68,000 in scholarships that may be used at any Kentucky college, university, or post-secondary educational institution.

The Academic Showcase has competitions in: Art, 2-D and 3-D; Music, vocal and instrumental; Journalism, feature writing; English, essay and creative writing; Speech; Computer; Mathematics; and Chess. All competitions are individual except for math and computer, which are team events. Competitions are judged by university faculty and professionals.

First through fourth-place winners on the regional level receive plaques and an opportunity to vie for the state finals to vie for college scholarships. Individual students who win first place on the state level will receive \$2,000 scholarships; second place, \$1,200; third, \$850; and fourth, \$600. Team members who are state winners each receive \$1,350 for first place; \$900 for second; \$650 for third; and \$400 for fourth.

Trophies are also awarded to state winners. In addition, the high school of each state winner will receive \$11,000 to be used for the school's academic programs.

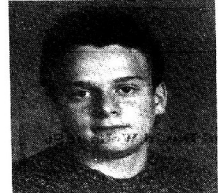
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Culminating the National Young Leaders Conference is The Mock Congress on Gun Control during which scholars assume the roles of United States Representatives by debating, lobbying, and voting on proposed handgun legislation.

Founded in 1985, the Congressional Youth Leadership Council is a non-profit, non-partisan educational organization. The Council is committed to recognizing outstanding youth and providing them with a "hands-on" civic learning experience in the nation's capital. Over 250 Members of the United States Congress join in the commitment to educational excellence by serving as members of the Council's Honorary Congressional Board of Advisors.

Sponsors sought for summer food program

The Department of Education is taking applications for sponsors to operate the 1993 Summer Food Service Program in Kentucky.

The program provides meals to children during extended school vacation periods. In most areas, the program operates from May until September in schools, playgrounds and parks.

Public or private nonprofit schools, units of local, municipal, county or state government and public or private nonprofit agencies may qualify as sponsors in areas where at least 50 percent of the children are eligible for free or reduced price school lunches. Residential summer camps whose enrollment includes needy children may also act as sponsors. Qualified sponsors are reimbursed for operating and administrative expenses at current rates.

To be eligible, sponsors must:
* provide continuing service to the community
* serve meals on a regular schedule to children or provide meals as part of an organized program for enrolled children at camps
* show financial and administrative capability.
Details are available from Paul McLean, Director of Services at

School and Community Nutrition, Capital Plaza Tower, 500 Mero St., Frankfort KY 40601, phone (502) 564-4390.

Child nutrition programs do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, age, disability or national origin. Any complaints concerning discrimination should be directed to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250.



Named to Dean's List
David Lee Pigman, a freshman at Morehead, attained the Dean's List for the fall semester at MSU. He is majoring in psychology and is the son of Audrey Pigman of Water Gap and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pigman of Water Gap.

New sound at Dewey Lake spillway

In the interests of public safety the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has installed a spillway discharge warning device. The purpose of this device is to warn fishermen and visitors in the Corps downstream recreation area of changes in water discharge rate and volume.

The warning device is a siren and sounds similar to those sirens used on emergency vehicles such as ambulances and law enforcement patrol vehicles. If you hear short siren blasts while visiting the Dewey Lake downstream recreation area, move a safe distance away from the water's edge

and ensure that all children are away from the water. A rapid increase in spillway water discharge can be very dangerous for those persons near the water. The force of released water can wash you off the spillway bank before you realize it. This can especially happen to small children.

Spillway water release is a function of flood and reservoir control which must occur. Please be attentive and respond to water release warnings by getting away from the water and ensuring others do the same. Your safety and the safety of your loved ones are at stake.

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Community Calendar

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

Organizational meeting

The first organizational meeting of the class of 1973 will be held Tuesday, February 9, at the McDowell Grade School. All interested classmates need to attend to make plans for the 20-year reunion.

Site-based council meeting

There will be a site-based council meeting at Betsy Layne High School, Tuesday, February 9, at 4:30 p.m.

Allen Family Resource Center upcoming events

•G.E.D. day classes, Tuesdays, 9 a.m.-2 p.m.; and night classes, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6-9 p.m.
•Free computer classes, February 9, 11, 16, 18, and 23, with the instructor Dr. Margaret Lewis, Morehead State University.
For more information, call the Allen Family Resource Center at 874-2165.

Reveal

There will be a revival at Faith Christian Assembly of God, Prestonsburg, on February 5, 6, and 7. Evangelists Bill and Sue Little will be ministering. There will also be special singing.

Services will be Friday and Saturday, beginning at 7 p.m. and Sunday at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.

McDowell Family Resource Youth Services Center

The McDowell Family Resource/Youth Services Center will be sponsoring an Arts and Crafts Class February 10, from 6-7:30 p.m. with Frances Pitts.

The class will meet at the Family Resource/Youth Service Center. Everyone is welcome. For more information, call 377-2678.

Duff PTA to meet

The James A. Duff Elementary School PTA will meet on Wednesday, February 10, at 7 p.m., in the library.

Chicken-n-Dumpling dinner

The Betsy Layne Senior Citizens will have a chicken-n-dumpling dinner from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m., February 5 at the Betsy Layne Senior Citizens Center. A \$3 donation for each dinner is requested.

They will also have craft items that the public may purchase.

McDowell site-based council to meet

The McDowell Elementary School site-based council meeting will be Monday, February 8, at 6:30 p.m., in the library of the Jr. high building. Everyone is invited to attend.

"Writer's Reading"

"Writer's Reading" with host Ernestine Collins will air on WPRG-TV 5 on Monday, February 8, and Tuesday, February 9, at 11 a.m., with guest Ken Kinder, reading from a book by his mother, Alice Kinder.

Advisory council meeting

The McDowell Family Resource/Youth Service Center will be having an Advisory Council meeting at 6 p.m., on February 4, at the center. The meeting is open to the public.

GED classes

Maytown Family Resource Center is sponsoring GED classes every Thursday, starting at 9 a.m., upstairs over the Maytown Fire Department. It is open to the public.

Betsy Layne PTA meeting

There will be a PTA meeting at the Betsy Layne High School library on Monday, February 8, at 7 p.m.

Floyd County Grand Jury to meet

The Floyd County Grand Jury will meet February 15, 16, and 17. Walk-ins may appear on February 15 from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. and must sign up on the day of the meeting. The grand jury room and will be called in the order in which their names appear.

For those desiring an appointment to appear and in order to avoid waiting in line please call (606) 886-1604 to be scheduled for a specific time on February 16 and 17.

Martin site-based meeting

The regular meeting for the Martin Elementary Site-Based Council will be held at 7 p.m., on Thursday, February 11.

Betsy Layne Family Resource Center activities

•February 10: GED classes, 9 a.m. until 2 p.m.; and free blood pressure check, 10 a.m. until 1 p.m.
•February 15: Quilting classes, 6-8 p.m.

•February 10 Appeal Support Group, 6-8 p.m.
•February 17 GED classes, 9 a.m. until 2 p.m.

•February 18: Arts and Crafts meeting, 6-9 p.m.
•February 22: Quilting classes, 6-8 p.m.

•February 23: Appeal Support Group, 6-8 p.m.
•February 24: GED classes, 9 a.m. until 2 p.m.

•February 25: Workshop with Darlene McCoy of Mountain Comprehensive Care, 6 p.m.

Valentine's Dance

Maytown Family Resource Center will be sponsoring a Valentine's Dance on February 12, at the Maytown lunchroom, from 7-10 p.m. for grade school students only. Admission is \$2.

Special called meeting

A special called meeting of the Betsy Layne Family Resource Center will be held on Friday, February 12, at the center. The public is invited to attend. Various items will be discussed including the welcoming of the new director, Michael Rodriguez.

State service officer to be here

Eugene Akers, a state service officer for the Department of Kentucky: Disabled American Veterans, will be upstairs at the Prestonsburg Court-house from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m., Saturday, February 6, to assist veterans and their dependents with claims due as a result of military service.

Homemakers schedule

The Floyd County Homemakers Clubs will resume club activities beginning with the February meetings. Club members should check with club presidents concerning hostesses and meeting location. Meetings are as follows:

•Martin: Monday, February 8, at 7 p.m. Phyllis Centers and Altonette Bentley, hostesses.
•Prestonsburg Day: Tuesday, February 9, at 1 p.m. Beverly Hackworth, Lucy Regan and Phyllis Herrick, hostesses.

Other meetings will be announced later. All homemaker clubs will follow the school schedule.

Classic Home Cooking

"Classic Home Cooking" with Chef Mark Sohn will air on Tuesday, February 9, at 11 a.m.; Thursday, February 11, at 7 p.m.; and Sunday, February 14, at 7 p.m., at Channel 5, WPRG, of Tel-Com, Inc.

Guests Agnie Vamey of Acquire magazine, Cheryl Newcomb of Johnson's Group Health and producer Donald "Dr. Don" Bevins will join Sohn as he prepares a romantic dinner for two.

Maytown Grade School meeting

Maytown Grade School has scheduled their regular monthly meetings for Monday, February 8. Family Resource Center, 5 p.m.; site-based meeting, 6 p.m.; P.T.A., 7 p.m.; and Booster's Club, 8 p.m.

McDowell PTA meeting

A PTA meeting will be held at McDowell Grade School, Tuesday, February 9, at 6:30 p.m. in the library.

Tenth Annual Tri-State Railroad Show, and Railroad Collectors Sale and Swap

Don Maxwell, Executive Director of the Collis P. Huntington Railroad Historical Society, Inc. and Paul Verespy, Recreation Director of Greenbo Lake State Resort Park, are announcing the tenth annual Tri-State Railroad Show and Railroad Collectors Sale and Swap weekend at the Park Lodge and restaurant March 20th and 21st.

There will be many new displays and exhibits, including large N, O, and LGB layouts from Ohio, WV, and KY by some of the area's finest model railroaders, including those of the Huntington based Appalachian Model Railroad Club, art and photographic displays, steam and diesel locomotive excursion videos, slide shows, working model steam locomotive display, sales of railroadiana, games, operating old time railroad hand car, and a Saturday evening concert by "E.J. Hollaway" professional country and western singer and a member of the "Lining Bar Gang".

A special attraction appearing for the very first time in our area will be the "Lining Bar Gang". The Lining Bar Gang, is a group of retired railroad workers from Buckingham County Virginia who remembers the way things used to be done before heavy machinery took over the endless duty of keeping the long steel rails aligned. Back then, before the mid-1950's, crews of sixteen men would align the tracks using heavy steel "lining bars" and sheer strength, and Song was crucial in coordinating their efforts. They will perform outside the lodge Saturday afternoon at 1, 2:30, and 4 p.m., and on Sunday at the same times.

Greenbo Lake State Resort Park is located in Greenup County, Kentucky off Route 1, which is also the Grayson exit of Interstate 64, and is approximately 20 miles west of Ashland.

Greenbo is also near W. Hellow, home of famed writer Jesse Stuart. The lodge has 36 rooms, a full service restaurant serving three meals a day, large display areas, and many other attractions. Free parking is available with regular shuttle bus service from overflow parking areas.

The Railroad Historical Society and Greenbo Park invite individuals with rail related crafts, model railroad exhibits, artists, photographers, railroadiana dealers, travel agents, and others to take part in the show. Although the main theme of the show is railroading, the Society is also interested in having owners of operating old time gasoline and steam engines display their equipment outside.

Last year several thousand people attended the show which made the show a huge success.

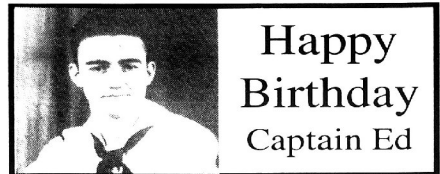
There is no entry fee or admission charge, however there is a table rental charge of \$10 per table for dealers.

The Park is fully handicap accessible, and has an elevator between all levels.

For more information, call (304) 453-1641, or the park (606) 473-7324, or write to Railroad Show, 1429 Chestnut Street, Kenova, West Va. 25530.

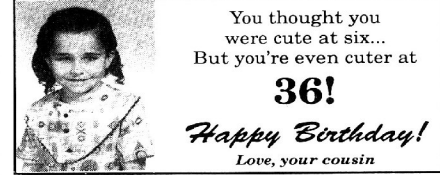
Special rates may be available at the Park Lodge for show participants, or rooms are available at the Econo Lodge at the I-64 Grayson exit, or on US Rt. 23 in Greenup, KY at Wright's Motel.

According to the just published 1991 Vital Statistics Report, Kentucky's 53,703 births was a slight decrease from 1990's 54,041. The 1991 birth rate was 14.6 per 1,000 Kentuckians, compared to the national rate of 16.2.



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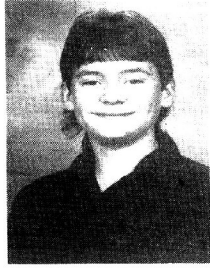
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Academics

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Nathan Murriel



Thomas Conley

Duff students place first

Thomas Conley and Nathan Murriel, eighth-graders at Duff Elementary, won first place in the Mountain Heritage, "Christmas in the Mountains" essay and art contest in the grades 4-8 category.

Conley, winner of the essay con-

test, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Conley, of Wayland.

Murriel, winner of the art contest, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murriel, of Garrett.

Both students attended the awards ceremony and received prizes. They are in Sheila Ratliff's homeroom.

Duff Elementary announces honor roll

The following students in grades 4-8 have been named to the honor roll for the second six weeks:

Karen D. Hall's 4th grade: Lisa Bailey, Kevin Bellamy, Tracey Cooley, Carey Fitzpatrick, Travis Francis, Kristopher Fultz, Heather Handshoe, Tabatha Hughes, Anna Moore, Kevin O'Quinn, Kari Osborne, Kyra Osborne, Crystal

Gayheart initiated into Gamma Phi Beta at MSU
Mika Lynn Gayheart, Martin freshman, was among the 14 students recently initiated into the Epsilon Sigma chapter of Gamma Phi Beta social sorority at Morehead State University.

Gayheart is an education major. She is the daughter of Jackie and April Gayheart.

To be eligible for membership in Gamma Phi Beta, students must be enrolled at MSU on a full time basis and attain at least a 2.2 grade point average.

Owens, Stephen Prater, Thomas Robinson, Justin Scott, Ashley Sexton, John Stone, Aaron Thorpe, Tommy Wallace and Victoria Wells.

Charletta Martin's 4th grade: Jessica Poston, Casey Patrick, Mark Poff, Johnny Younce, Tabitha Bays, Deborah Meade, Christy Brown, Billy Thacker, Angie Green, Lloyd Stacy, Holly Hunter, Brandon Click and April Martin. 5th grade: Amy Hall, Charles Bentley, Ronda Owens and George Banks.

Charlotte Patton's 4th grade: Stephanie Baker, Michelle Bentley, Dustin Brown, Tracey Chaffins, Laura Chaney, Angela Collett, Rachel Collins, Eric Conley, Tomma Martin and Jessica Younce.

Helen Martin's 5th grade: Virginia Shepherd, Kevin Shepherd, April Sexton, Heath Scent, Shena Ratliff, Natasha Ramey, Nikki Patton, Johnny Page, Dusty Owens, Sarah Nichols, Jonathan Martin, Matthew Howard, Nikole Hall, Natalie Cooley, Rebecca Chaffins, Lisa Bryant and Chad Shepherd.

Gandy Pack's 5th grade: Christy Tackett, Jessica Sparkman, Jessica Goble, Elizabeth Hall, Samantha Bradley, Shena Skeens, Becky Griffith, Ashley Handshoe, Luther Stone, Erica Hall, Lisa Anderson and Brandy Terry.

Wava Turner's 6th grade: Christopher Case, Penny Moore, Kelly Conley, Shannon Bailey and Timothy Moore.

Gary Branham's (Mixed grade): 6th: Stefani Myers, Elizabeth Foster and Crintia Bays. 5th: Linda Gabbard. 7th: Kevin Stone.

Faye Robinson's 6th grade: Jessica Branham, Nickolas Martin, Christine Prater, Barbie Samons, Nick Samons, Stephanie Sexton, Heather Shepherd, Jamie Shepherd, Sara Stone, Chanda Stephens, Leann Turner and Ryan Owens.

Mary Murphy's 7th grade: Vylinda Turner, Shawn Case, Byron Patton, Brian Crawford, John Case, Karen Wallen, Chrystal Howard, Chasity Gunnell, Letisha Yates,

Michelle Prater, Keli Combs, Vanessa Shepherd, Misty Stephens, Lori Nichols, Karri Moore, Wesley Howard and Nickie Stone.

Wanda McCowan's 7th grade: Amber Ashley, Eric Casbolt, Lola Collins, Margaret Collins, Dayane Foster, Braxton Howard, Brian Manns, Jessica Shepherd and Israel Shepherd.

Sheilah Ratliff's 8th grade: Caroline Bradley, Rachel Clark, Thomas Conley, Heather Hunter, Kim Hunter, Kelly Martin, Crystal Mix, Nathan Murriel, Dawn Oliver, James Thornberry, Denise Thornberry, Matt Varney and Paul Varney.

Greg Nichol's 8th grade: Allison Conley, Tara Shepherd, Jason Bentley, Alan Hicks, Mike Sexton, Mark Varney, Jamie Banks, Jessica Stone, Hannah Halbert, Emily Combs, Brad Gilliam, Katie Fultz, Justin Stone, Jamie Scott, Daniel Bentley, Derek Conley, Brady Scott, Chris Bailey, Randall Adkins, Kyle Turner, Jason Sexton, Nathan Sexton and LeAnn Dudleson.

Young Authors



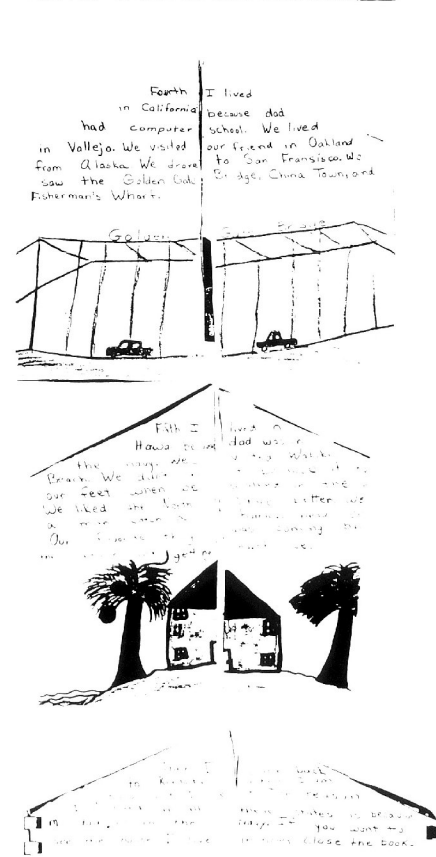
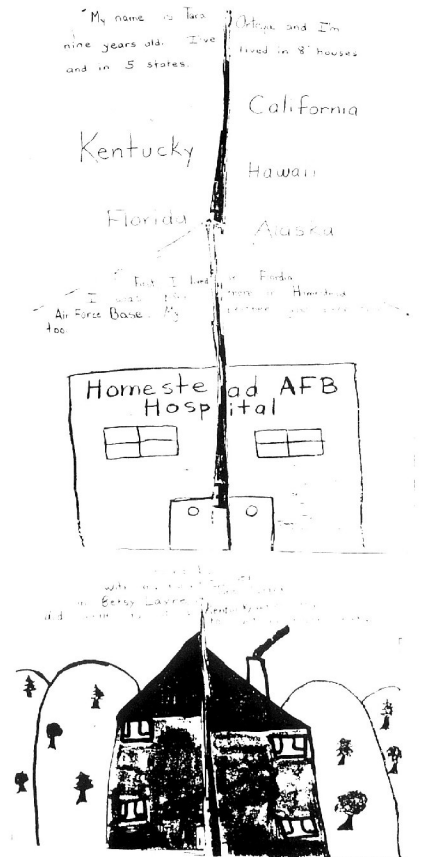
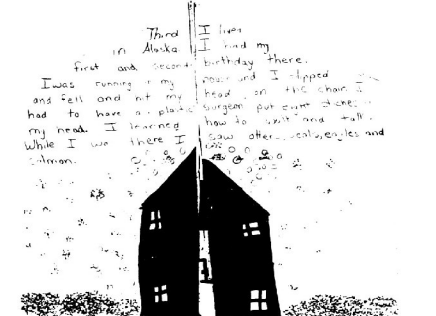
Tara Ortega

The Floyd County Times and the Department of Instruction of Floyd County Schools jointly wish to fea-

ture the student work of Tara Ortega, a third grade Young Authors' winner from Mrs. Patricia Adkins' class at Betsy Layne Elementary. She is the daughter of Sheila Ortega of Prentissburg and John Ortega of Ft. Meade, Maryland. Her book, Houses, Houses, and More Houses, was the winner in the third grade "Illustrated books" competition. Her work is printed with permission.

She was a room winner, a school winner, and a county-wide winner for the 1991-92 school year for her book. She received a \$50 U.S. Savings Bond at a spring awards ceremony. Over 5,000 elementary and middle school students participated in competition throughout the county.

Her book and the other county-wide winners are on display at First Guaranty National Bank at Martin until February 10, 1993.



That's show biz

The students in the all-star chorus from Maytown, Allen and Martin Elementary Schools got a taste of the bright lights of show "biz" when CBS filmed at Maytown for an upcoming documentary about Billie Jean Osborne. They performed a section of the musical "Santa's Frothy Follies." Everyone was nervous but came away with a feeling of accomplishment for a job well-done. Maytown's chorus is currently getting ready to go into rehearsal for their current musical "Standing Room Only."



Floyd County student involved in media project

Seth Mullins, a senior at Floyd County Technical High School, has been involved in a media project centered on a documentary film involving the history and purpose of Floyd Tech.

The Appalshop in Whitesburg accepted Seth for membership in the 1992-93 Appalachian Media Institute through which he completed a summer internship program last June. The program was designed to 1) cultivate student and community interest in various media forms, 2) provide the participants with the basic skills necessary to produce media projects, 3) encourage students to realize the value of education, 4) promote leadership skills and opportuni-

ties, and 5) provide the students with a vehicle through which they may speak about their individual and community concerns.

During the summer five-week program, Mullins, along with other students chosen for the media institute, became familiar with the elements of media production, including radio, video, film and sound recording. The students gained basic production skills through practical hands-on work with professionals.

During the course of the program, Mullins completed one documentary film based on an individual from Whitesburg, Belinda Mason, who had contracted the AIDS virus through a blood transfusion. The documentary included information concerning contributions made by Mason to the National AIDS Committee.

In the completion of his documentary work concerning Floyd Tech, Mullins is being sponsored by Floyd Tech instructor James Staggs who also attended the summer workshop at the Appalshop Center.

The Appalshop program itself is designed to encourage an interest in media production by sending students back to their schools after the summer workshop so that they can continue projects and enlist the assistance of fellow students. By continuing education dealing with the student body of which he is apart, Mullins will be influential in sparking the interests of other students in becoming involved in the Appalshop media program.

Honor Roll at Maytown

for the 3rd 6 weeks

Ruby Miller's 4th grade, 3.0-3.9: Sarah Adkins, Joshua Bailey, Kelli Campbell, Chris Childers, Kathy Conley, Timothy Burke, Nathan Duff, Brandy Everett, William Goodson, Jeremy Wayne Lacey, Radie Ramey, Megan Robinson, Amanda Tackett, and David Watkins.

Patty Maynard's 7th grade, 4.0: Liz Hoover, 3.0—Shawn Amburgey, Jennifer Brown, B J Canfield, John Goble, Kevin Goodman, Matthew Hagans, Tim Hagans, Todd Howard, Crystal Martin, Janet Miller, Jason Stone, Jerry Stanley, Curtis Webb and Cindy Stone.

Church Directory

Following The Teachings Of Christ

AUXIER

Auxier Freewill Baptist Church, Auxier, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Youth Meeting, 5:00 p.m.; Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Thursday Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Bobby Joe Spencer; Assistant, Southie Famin, Jr.

Horn Chapel Methodist, Auxier Rd., Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Pastor, Larry Radliff.

ALLEN

Allen First Baptist Church, Allen, Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship at 6 p.m.; Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. French Harmon.

Christ United Methodist, Allen, Ky.; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Kenneth Lennaster.

BETSY LAYNE

Calvary Southern Baptist Church, Betsy Layne, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship & Youth Meeting, 11 a.m.; Wednesday Prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Lewis M. Walter.

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

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

BLUE RIVER

Middle Creek Baptist Church, Blue River, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Service, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Vernon Stone.

CORN FORK

Brandy Keg Freewill Baptist, Corn Fork, Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Night, 6 p.m.; Prayer Meeting and Youth, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Darrell Howell.

COW CREEK

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

DANA

Sammy Clark Branch Freewill Baptist Church, Dana, Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Church, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Youth Meeting Sunday, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Mike Hammond.

DAVID

Goodloe Pentecostal Church, Rt. 850, David, Ky., Sunday Night, 7 p.m.; Young Peoples, 6:00 p.m.; Fourth Saturday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Ellis Stevens.

DRIFT

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

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

DAVID

Goodloe Pentecostal Church, Rt. 850, David, Ky.; Worship Days and Times, Sunday Night, 7 p.m.; Young Peoples, 6:00 p.m.; Fourth Saturday Night, 7:00 p.m.

EAST POINT

Free Pentecostal Church of God, East Point, Rt. 1428; Sunday School, 10:00; 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Buster Hayton.

ESTILL

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

GARRETT

Rock Fork Regular Baptist Church, Garrett, 4th Saturday and Sunday of each month at 9:30 a.m.; 4th Saturday evening at 5:30 p.m.; Moderator, Elder Earl Stone; Assistant Moderator, Elder Jerry Manns; Rock Fork Freewill Baptist, Garrett, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Elder Brodey Amburgey.

First Baptist Church, Garrett; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday; Pastor, Randy Osborne.

DRIFT

Drift Presbyterian Church, Route 1101, Drift; Sunday Services, 11:00 a.m.; Part time minister, Mary Alice Murray.

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

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

GRETHEL

Grethel Baptist Church, State Route 3379, (Branch's Creek Road), telephone 587-2043; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Youth Meeting, 5:30 p.m.; Evening Services, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, David L. Givens.

H HAT

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

I V E L

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

L A N C E R

Lancer Baptist Church, Lancer, welcomes you to the services. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Jennings West. Trumble Chapel Free Will Baptist, Water Gap-Lancer; Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Nightly Service, 7:00; 4 Saturdays each month; Pastor Joe Coleman.

L A N G L E Y

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

M A R T I N

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

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Rt. 80, Martin; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Relief Society/Priesthood, 10:15 a.m.; Sacrament Service, 11:20 a.m.

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

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

Martin Freewill Baptist Church, Martin; Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Bible Study, Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Youth League, Tuesday, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Elder Bobby Baldrige.

Church of Jesus Christ, Tandy Street, Allen; Thursday, 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7 p.m.; Tuesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Elder Gary Tuttle.

First Baptist Church, Martin, Ky.; Bible Study, 10:00; Worship, 11:00; Evening Worship, 6:00; Mid-Week, 7:00; Pastor, Russ Taylor.

Jesus Christ Church of God, Arkansas Creek, Martin; Friday, 7 p.m.; Sunday Morning, 11 a.m.; Deacon, Orville Crum.

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

M A Y T O W N

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

M I D D L E C R E E K

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

P R A T E R C R E E K

Prater Creek Baptist Church, Prater Creek; Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Morning, 11:00; Sunday Evening, 7:00; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00; Pastor, David Thacker.

P R E S T O N S B U R G

Seventh-Day Adventist, 5 miles West on Mountain Parkway; Sabbath School, 9:15; Church Service, 10:30; Pastor, Mike Foraker, 886-3459.

Faith Christian Assembly, 431 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Danny P. Curry.

St. Martha Church, Water Gap, Masses, Saturday, 7 p.m.; Sunday, 11 a.m.; Religious Education Classes, Sunday, 9:45-10:45 a.m.; Adult Class, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; Pastor, Faher Joseph Muench.

Community United Methodist Church, 710 Burke Ave., Prestonsburg; Morning Fellowship Service, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Worship, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Raymond E. Snider Jr.

Morning Star Ministries Full Gospel Church, Rt. 1428 (Old Rt. 23), between Allen and Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Thursday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Hamilton.

The Third Avenue Freewill Baptist Church, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11:00; Evening Worship, 6:00; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7:00; Pastor, Manfred Fennin.

First Christian Church, 429 North Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg; Sunday Bible Study, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday: Midweek Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Evangelist, Hondel Adams.

Highland Avenue Freewill Baptist Church; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Clifford H. Austin.

First Baptist Church, (Irene Cole Memorial), 27 S. First Avenue, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:50 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Bible Study & Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Michael M. Taylor.

Praise Assembly, 1 mile North of Prestonsburg, U.S. 23; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Praise & Worship, 11 a.m.; Wednesday Services, Prayer & Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Philip Robinson.

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

First Presbyterian, U.S. 23 North, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Pastor, Timothy Jensen.

First United Methodist Church, 60 S. Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7:00; Wednesday Prayer Service, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Ed Taylor.

Victory Christian Ministries Church, 12 West Court Street; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 11:30 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7 p.m.; Pastor, S. Williams.

Parkway Baptist, Mt. Parkway; Sun. School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Ed Taylor.

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

St. James Episcopal, University Drive, Prestonsburg, Ky.; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; luncheons immediately following services.

Prestonsburg Community College Baptist Student Union; meets every Wednesday, 11:30-12:30 in J102. Lunch, discussion, travel available to all students, faculty and staff. French B. Harmon, Director; Ella C. Goble, president. For more information, call: 874-9468 or 478-2978.

P A I N T S V I L L E

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

P R I N T E R

Salsbury United Methodist Church, Printer; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00; Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Services, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Bobby G. Lawson.

S A L Y E R S V I L L E

Bethel Assembly of God, behind the Salyersville courthouse; nursery provided; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Thursday Evening, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Arthur (Sam) Smith.

W E E K S B U R Y

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

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

W H E E L W R I G H T

Wheelwright United Methodist Church, Wheelwright; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 services; Pastor, Roy A. Harlow.

Wheelwright Church of God; Sunday School Services, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Services, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Services, 7:00 p.m.; Thursday Night Services, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Donald R. Cox.

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

Free Pentecostal Holiness Church, Rt. 122, Upper Burton; Wednesday Worship, 7 p.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:30 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Lewis Sandlin.

W E S T P R E S T O N S B U R G

Fitzpatrick First Baptist Church, P.O. Box 184, West Prestonsburg, (across from Clark Elementary School); Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Stephen Whitaker.

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

First Assembly of God, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday night, Bible Study and Youth Power Hour; nursery provided; Pastor, Gary Arnold.

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

W A Y L A N D

Zion Deliverance Church, Wayland; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Evening Prayer Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Worship, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Ada Mosley.

Wayland United Methodist Church, Wayland; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Bible Study, Wednesday, 10:00 a.m.; Youth Meetings, Sunday, 4:00 p.m., (ages 11 & up); Wednesday, 6:00 p.m., (ages 10 & under); Pastor, Troy Poff.

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THE TIMES' WEEKEND

Park wins regional meet; will compete in nationals



Star performer

Melanie Star Park is making a name for herself on the stage. Her vocal talents have earned the respect of those who have been lucky enough to hear her perform. She will compete in national competition in Washington, D.C. in March.

The vocal talents of an Eastern Kentuckian have put her in the spotlight of national competition.

Melanie Star Park, a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Don Park of Hager, will compete in the Kentucky Drama Theatre Arts (K.D.T.A.A.) national finals in Washington, D.C. in March. Park won the regional competition held at Western Kentucky University. University students throughout Kentucky competed in the regional meet.

A senior in vocal music and drama theatre at Eastern Kentucky University, she recently performed in two operas, "The Impresario," by

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart and "The Old Maid and the Thief," by Gian Carlo Menotti, in which she played the leading roles. The operas were held at Eastern Kentucky University.

She also recently performed in Rogers and Hammerstein's "The King and I" as Tupton at the Leeds Theatre Performing Arts Center in Winchester. In April she will perform in "Agnus of God" at the Leeds Theatre.

After graduation from Eastern, she plans to continue her education and obtain a masters degree in vocal music and drama at Cincinnati School of Music.

Riley to perform in MSU theatre

Donetta Riley, a senior from Harold, will participate in "Volpone," an Elizabethan classic full of greed and trickery, which will be presented by Morehead State University Theatre students Wednesday through Sunday, February 17-21, on the MSU Campus.

Riley, daughter of Don and Naomi Riley, is a public relations and theatre

major. She is a member of MSU Players and Theta Alpha Phi national honor theatre fraternity.

Tickets are \$6 for adults, \$2 for students and senior citizens, and free to MSU students with valid I.D. cards. Because of limited seating, reservations are required for the production and may be made by calling the theatre box office at (606) 783-2170.

ALL MY CHILDREN: When Brian came by to visit Dixie, an overjoyed Adam, Jr. jumped into his arms and refused to let him leave. On her way to the hospital, Dixie had an emotional breakdown and spent the night locked in her car. Nola died believing that "Ted" was her son, that he was adopted by Ruth and Joe after his abduction, and later married Dixie, and that he won't live alone after her death. After proposing to Gloria, Adam warned her that his lawyer will make her look like a tramp if she testifies against him in the custody hearing. Erica was released from Oak Haven, and continued to use Charlie's help in her plan to get revenge against Dimiri. **Wait To See:** New flashbacks create confusion for "Ted."

ANOTHER WORLD: Carl begged Grant, Ryan and Spencer to believe he had no part in the threats, and insisted that whoever the culprit is, he's an insider. Christy reluctantly admitted to Douglas that she'd met someone else. Amanda visited Sam and Alli on the road, but felt left out of everything. Jake sidestepped Sloan's advances. Carl warned Vicky she was marrying the wrong man. Ryan noticed something strange on the tape of the New Year's Eve Ball when Grant was the target of an assassin. Cass and Rachel discussed getting professional help for Felicia. **Wait To See:** Ryan becomes a reluctant potential bearer of bad news.

AS THE WORLD TURNS: The jury in Nevins' trial announced their verdict. After telling Rosanna he was falling in love with her, Evan was thrown for a loop by Edwina's news. Lucinda fretted when John turned down her dinner bid to spend time with Iva and their baby son. After sharing romantic time with Cynthia, Royce reconciled with Emily. Later, he told her he had to go out of town that night—while at the same time, Neal asked for the next day off to handle a personal matter. Dawn's son, Jerry, was devastated when she told him she was HIV positive. **Wait To See:** Evan finds more than he expected in his quest for the truth about Rosanna. Holden finds himself strangely saddened by Lily's news.

BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL: Sheila overheard Brooke tell Ridge that the more she calculates when she could have become pregnant, the more she realizes Eric probably fathered her baby. Later, in Tracy's office, Sheila charmed Mike, the guard, whom she saw as her key into the genetics laboratory. This prospect caused her to delay sending Lauren the second piece of the photographic jigsaw puzzle. **Bill told Karen**

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Truth, Justice and the American Way — by Geoff Belcher, staff writer

Editor's note: "Truth, Justice and the American Way" is not a newspaper in today's "Weekend Extra" because, frankly, Geoff complained that he was brain dead. In place of Geoff's column, we will be test-running a new feature: "Ask Dr. Bubba," an advice column. Dr. Bubba is not a licensed practicing therapist, but attended the prestigious Redneck Holler University, where he received his Ph.D. in both analytical psychology and professional wrestling. "Ask Dr. Bubba" is a reverent, thoughtful, thought-provoking column, offering serious advice for serious problems.

Howdy, I'm Dr. Bubba. We ain't got much space, so let's get right to the frutloops... uh, I mean the readers' questions.

Q: Dear Dr. Bubba, I have a problem of a very sensitive nature, and I hope you can help me with it. You see, my son is 35 years old, has never had a job, never been married, and still lives at home. My husband and I have tried talking to him about it, but he always becomes sullen and defensive and locks himself in his room, keeping us up all night playing his Nintendo game at high volume. What should we do? Fed Up in Fed's Creek.

A: Dear Fed, I can see that this is a very serious problem, but cheer up. You ain't alone. You wouldn't believe how many people write to me

every week, complaining about almost exactly the same thing. My advice to you, as it is to them, is **THROW HIS LAZY BUTT OUTTA THE HOUSE!!!** Maybe a few nights of "sleepin' out in the freezin' cold is exactly the kick in the pants he needs to go out and GET A JOB. And to be quite honest, I can't believe you moans put up with him this long (and by the way, if he's 35-years old and still ain't had a date, ya might consider fixin' him up with somebody, 'cause sumpin's wrong somewhere).

Q: Dear Dr. Bubba, I'm a single 46-year-old male, and I have an extensive collection of women's clothing. When people come over to my house and see my collection, they suddenly start looking at me funny and then run away. Is there anything wrong with me? All Dressed Up With No Place To Go, Prestonsburg.

A: Dear Dressed, you asked me if there's anything wrong with you. **WELL, PEOPLE SURE AIN'T RUNNIN' FROM A SCREAMIN' BECAUSE YA GOT BAD BREATH.** Then again, this is the 90s, so hey, every body needs a hobby. Just promise me you'll watch more football, make sure yer colors match and try to get out of the house more.

Q: Dear Dr. Bubba, I have a just awful problem and I don't know what to do. My husband is a pathological

liar. I can deal with the lies myself, but now he's running for public office and I hate to think of all those poor voters he's fooling. But I'm also afraid that if I say anything, he'll slip me around some more. What should I do? Frightened in Floyd County (address withheld upon request).

A: Dear Frightened, you'd be amazed how many letters I get every day exactly like yours. As far as his running for office goes, well, lying seems to be a prerequisite for the job, so don't worry. I'm concerned, however, that he slips you around. My advice is that **YOU STOP YER WHININ' AND WAIT 'TIL HE GOES TO SLEEP AND THEN SWORP HIM UP SIDE THE HEAD WITH A LOUISVILLE SLUGGER.** Then leave that bum, take a dollar and buy yourself some self-respect.

Q: Dear Dr. Bubba, I've recently become convinced that my dog, Skippy, is talking to me, relaying messages from Elvis, sent from his spaceship orbiting Venus. My problem is that, when Skippy speaks to me, he has a bad lip, and I can't hardly listen to him without laughing and I'm afraid I might hurt his feelings. What should I do? Confused at Cow Creek.

A: Dear Confused, yer a space cadet, son. Get over it.

Q: Dear Dr. Bubba, I just don't know what to do. I'm 24-years-old, have a college degree and have spent the last two years trying to find a job. My problem is that my degree is in English. I want to work, but, since I was an English major, I have no actual skills, so no one will hire me. What should I do? Unemployed at Auxier.

A: Dear Unemployed, my advice is that ya apply at yer local paper. I worked for that Belcher boy, and ya know what a loser he is, so it might work for you too.

Q: Dear Dr. Bubba, my life is a mess. I lie frequently, I've smoked dope. I cheated on my wife for about 12 years and everybody knows about it. I demonstrated against the Vietnam War and even went to Russia at the height of Communism. I'm an absolute loser. Please help me. The Louisville Loser.

A: Dear Loser, cheer up, son. Ya might become President someday.

Q: Dear Dr. Bubba, I'm thirty-years-old and a chronic bed-wetter. When I was living on my own, it wasn't so much of a problem. Unfortunately though, now that I'm married, it's causing some serious marital difficulties, and my wife finally figured out that the water bed doesn't spring a leak every night. What should

I do? Soaked in Salyersville.

A: Dear Soaked, you have a fairly common problem, and it's nothing to be ashamed of. On the other hand, I've spoken to several experts on your situation, and they all say ya should've gotten over it in yer teens. My advice is that ya either refrain from drinking liquids at least six hours before bed time or wear Depends. If that don't work, try sleepin' under an electric blanket. That should break yer habit purty quick.

Well, folks, that's just about all the space we have today. Remember, now, if ya liked reading "Ask Dr. Bubba," either so ya could get some advice on a problem that ya might be experiencing in yer own life, or so ya could feel superior to all the poor dopes that write in, be sure ta tell yer local publisher that ya wanna see it every week.

If ya have any problems, any at all, that ya need thoughtful, sensitive, caring advice about, feel free ta write ta me, Dr. Bubba, care of this newspaper. I offer good, common sense solutions to just about every kinda stupid mess ya could get yerself into. I'm open-minded, non-judgemental, and truly interested in helpin' my fellow human being.

If ya didn't like "Ask Dr. Bubba," well, **YOU MUST BE SOME KINDA FREAK,** so here's a quarter, call someone who cares.

People
by Russell Parry

Life presents two unavoidable certainties: death and Elvis sightings.

If you thought I was going to say "taxes," you've obviously never heard of Leona Helmsly.

Life at home provides a few guarantees of its own, too. It's even money, for example, that at any given time between 7 a.m. and 10 p.m. daily my daughter will have a telephone stuck to the side of her head. We've asked our insurance carrier if telephone removal surgery is a qualified procedure, but he said it was too risky and, besides, it would probably grow back.

Ever since word came out that telephones cause cancer, we've been attempting to educate our children on the need for Safe Telephoning.

For instance, we've told our daughter that using the telephone before 10 a.m. on weekends is extremely dangerous and we expect the Surgeon General any day now to require that warnings be printed on all handsets sold for home use.

"Warning: the Surgeon General has determined that if this thing rings before 10 a.m. on Saturday morning, your dad could become extremely agitated and strangle you and your friends."

Telephones are not our friends.

Young people are extremely susceptible to the lures of telephones, particularly when they are abetted by television.

My five-year-old son is a case in point.

The other day he suggested, when I asked where he might have misplaced his shoes, that I ought to call the Psychic Hotline, average call 15 minutes, \$1.99 for the first minute, if I was so interested in their whereabouts.

I responded that he might want to phone for an ambulance and that I didn't need ESP to see where his future was heading.

Telephone technology is heading into dangerous territory, too.

Soon, we'll all be able to see as well as hear who we're talking to.

While that development may come in handy when determining who needs a good strangling on Saturday mornings, we don't cherish the thought of total strangers peering into our homes uninvited and before we've had the chance to cram the pizza boxes under the couch.

You can do all your shopping by phone now, too, and they've even got television networks designed specifically for that purpose. You can buy clothes, jewelry, household appliances and knives that will cut through a concrete slab all at the touch of a telephone button.

What kind of people, we wonder, would want to cut through a concrete slab with a knife, anyhow?

Go figure.

Okay, okay. Telephones are important.

You need them to call the fire department, the police, the time and temperature and your mother ship if you happen to have been left behind when your alien pals took off in a hurry.

You'd be in a hurry, too, if you'd landed on a planet full of crazed people carrying long concrete-cutting knives and looking for someone to strangle.

Soap update

(Continued from B 1)

that despite her feelings that Thorne still loved Macy, she meant more to Thorne than she's willing to acknowledge. Sly, meanwhile, sounded Thorne out on his feelings for Macy, and was happy to hear Thorne tell him he had other commitments. Wait To See: Sheila makes her move.

DAYS OF OUR LIVES: Believing he was doing what Lawrence wanted him to do, Ivan poisoned Zeus, but managed to pass Bo's lie detector test and avoided being blamed for the animal's death. Carly, unaware that Nikki was picking up pieces of her conversation, finally told Jennifer about Nikki's role in Lisanne's death. Later, a menacing figure stalked Kimberly. Roman rushed into his house with his gun drawn to confront the intruder, only to find it's his daughter, Samantha, who didn't say why she left her school in Colorado. Later, Abe was shot and narrowly pulled through surgery. Jack was tempted by the ad Billie placed to spot the big spender who probably had her missing cache of cash. Wait To See: Kimberly is forced into a frightening situation.

GENERAL HOSPITAL: During a romantic outing with Scotty, Dominique told him of her diagnosis. Felicia was afraid that the institution to which she'd been sent might really drive her crazy, and she begged Mac to find a way to free her. Karen told Jason that Jagger's departure upset her. Brenda, however, had a lead to where Jagger had gone. After Tiffany dropped the bombshell about Bobbie's past as a hooker on the social worker, Bobbie reluctantly hired Marco to find unsavory tidbits about Tiffany. Jenny faced the consequences of Ned's threats to Senator Kensington. Wait To See: Bill decides to risk telling Holly what he's kept from her.

GUIDING LIGHT: Mindy begged Nick to forgive her for how she behaved, and to take her back. She was shocked to hear him say it was too late; he was committed to Eve. Blake was upset that Ross supported Spaulding and opposed Roger in Jenna's lawsuit. Nadine tried to reassure Bridget who was beginning to think she should tell Maureen the truth about the baby. Later, Hadley was puzzled by Nadine's insistence she stop trying to learn what happened to her father, Frank, Sr. Nick decided to side with Spaulding after learning how Roger ruined his plans to marry Mindy. Mindy, meanwhile, learned about Roger's manipulations, and vowed to stay in town to rebuild

her relationship with her father, Billy. Wait To See: The search for Alexandra takes a curious turn.

LOVING: Milos, the actor Clay hired to portray Jack, agreed to help Jeremy and Stacey with their plan to trap Clay. Believing "Jack" knew everything about his gashlighting of Stacey, Clay tried to shoot him, but couldn't. Instead, he confessed to everything. After learning of her daughter's pregnancy, Ally's mother asked her to come home. Meanwhile, Ally considered Casey's proposal, and also asked Shana to advise her on her legal rights concerning Cooper. Trucker and Trisha had problems keeping their romantic plans from being continually interrupted. Wait To See: Stephanie has a curious concept about friendship; Hannah reacts to news of Cooper's proposal.

ONE LIFE TO LIVE: Lee Ann was devastated when Kevin called off a custody hearing after learning Jason had been arrested on drug charges. Jason insisted that Kevin's friends set him up. Asa paid Sonny to say she saw Max and Blair make love. The judge ruled for Asa, denying Blair a financial settlement. Asa was furious with Bo when he learned he bought the radio station. Blair took money from Doran's safe and left town. Clint moved into the guest room and confronted Yiki with a book of poetry Sloan gave her. A mysterious caller tried to reach Tina. Wait To See: Blair leaves some ghosts behind.

YOUNG & THE RESTLESS: During a meeting with Brandon, Victoria learned Victor was at the courthouse. They rushed over in time to hear Victor tell the judge the annulment should be granted. A furious Victoria warned her father if he didn't withdraw the petition she'd leave town with Ryan and never return. To Dra's surprise, Olivia admitted she still had deep feelings for Neil, but was committed to her husband and their child. Later, Dra was upset when Neil told her this was not the time to consider if he would ever feel about her as he had about Olivia. Rebecca told Michael it was time to pay up for what she did to discredit Danny in Cricket's eyes. Wait To See: Michael acts to keep his secret "safe."



Dear Abby



Doctor's skill is not enough to save wife from cocaine

DEAR ABBY: Three years ago, unknown to me, and at the urging of some "friends," my wife tried cocaine. Within months, in a night mare words cannot describe, she was severely addicted, and thousands of dollars had been spent to support her addiction.

A once gentle and loving wife and mother lied, stole and even prostituted herself for cocaine. In a terrifying incident while under the influence of cocaine, she held me at bay with a loaded pistol, threatening to kill me and the children!

A year later, I was forced to divorce someone I had truly loved, in a failed effort to save my family from financial ruin. Eventually, I lost my home and a medical practice that had taken me years to build, as I helplessly watched a once wonderful person lose her struggle to overcome the addictive power of cocaine.

As a physician, I have seen a lot of human suffering, but nothing can compare to the living death of cocaine addiction.

Abby, please tell your readers that someone who has been there has said, "Don't even try it!" I am signing my real name, but if you use this letter, please sign me ...

FLORIDA PHYSICIAN

DEAR PHYSICIAN: You are to be commended for coming forward with your sad story in an effort to save others from the tragic fate your wife experienced.

DEAR ABBY: I have never seen my problem addressed in your column, or anyone else's.

As you can see by my business card, which I've enclosed, I saw for

the public. I am an excellent seamstress, and while I do not enjoy doing alterations, it's good, honest money, and I'll take it.

Abby, what can I do about otherwise nice people (and acquaintances) who bring me garments to work on that are just plain filthy? I have worked on some garments that are so filthy, I've stopped to wash my hands after handling them.

Please do not use my name or town. It would be interesting to know how many other seamstresses have this disgusting problem, and how they cope with it.

REPULSED

DEAR REPULSED: People who expect you to handle filthy garments should be called and told, "Your garment is in need of being dry-cleaned—would you mind if I had it cleaned before working on it?"

DEAR ABBY: When someone gives a book as a gift, it would be very thoughtful if he or she would refrain from inscribing it—unless the giver is certain that the receiver does not already have the book, has not already read the book, and really wants the book.

If a book is not inscribed, it can be exchanged for another, or given to someone who might enjoy it.

GEORGIA BOOK LOVER

DEAR BOOK LOVER: That's an excellent suggestion for people who give books. Of course, this doesn't apply to a book personally inscribed by the author.

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Back Home IN KENTUCKY

Military installations of importance in state

While early military installations were built to protect settlers from Indian attacks, modern facilities in the Commonwealth serve as home to the nation's fighting forces.

In frontier times, fortified communities like Boonesborough were necessary to protect settlers from Indian attacks. Established in April, 1775 in present-day Madison County, Kentucky's first such settlement withstood numerous assaults, including 1778's Great Siege of Boonesborough. Historians have called the episode a major military victory, and credit the Boonesborough pioneers with saving the Kentucky frontier.

An early Army post, the Newport Barracks were built in 1804 at the juncture of the Licking and Ohio rivers in northwest Kentucky. Kentucky troops assembled at the Barracks in 1813 before heading to Canada to defeat the French and Indians at the Battle of Thames on October 5, 1813, thus ending fighting in the old northwest. Newport Barracks was also used as a military prison during the War of 1812, a training center for Mexican War volunteers, and a Union Army recruiting depot in the Civil War.

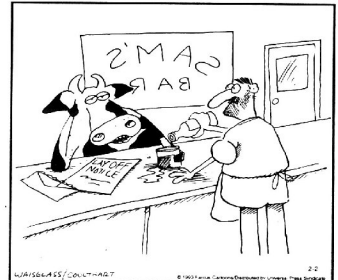
In 1942 Camp Breckinridge opened as an infantry training center in Union County, but served as a prisoner of war camp for 3,000 German soldiers from 1943-46. The camp resumed its training mission during the Korean War, 1950-1954, but was closed by the Army in 1963.

Fort Knox, first used for Army maneuvers in 1902, is best known as the site of the U.S. gold bullion depository. Located just north of Elizabethtown, Fort Knox became a permanent installation in 1916. Today the base is headquarters for the U.S. Army Armor School and the 197th Armored Brigade, a special tank brigade, and houses the Patton Museum of Cavalry and Armor, in honor of colorful General George S. Patton Jr.

Sprawling on the Kentucky-Tennessee border, Fort Campbell is home of the 101st Airborne Division, or "Screaming Eagles." The 101st was one of the first units deployed to the Persian Gulf in the Desert Storm Operation, where its members performed heroically. Elements of the 18th Airborne Division are also based at Fort Campbell, as well as the Army's Air Assault School.

Farcus

by David Waiglass Gordon Coulthart




"I know, I know ... when you get the hoof, you have to grab the bull by the horns."

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"I will do what's right. I will do the best I can."

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CHUCK SHEPHERD

NEWS OF THE WEIRD

In December, Archie Johnson, 18, became the youngest person ever to head a Ku Klux Klan group when he took over as the ceremonial wizard of the Independent Knights of the KKK in Orlando, Fla. He says his dad "is totally against it," but that his mom "trusses" him to do a good job.

THE CONTINUING CRISIS
-- In November, a St. Louis judge accepted a guilty plea from rock star Axl Rose to settle assault and property damage charges, permitting Rose an unusual privilege for a convicted criminal: He would not be totally forbidden from associating with ex-felons. That provision was important to Rose because two of the members of his Guns N' Roses band are ex-felons.

-- In July, three trained dolphins escaped from their performing pen at an exclusive resort in Key Largo, Fla., and swam away. They were found several days later in a lagoon by a golf course on Key Biscayne, Fla., where, on their own, they showed up at 10 a.m., 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. (the same times as the Key Largo shows), and performed tricks, apparently hoping to be fed.

-- Police in Portland, Maine, told the Associated Press in December that they have been unable to catch the person who has defaced about 2,000 cars in the city over the last 10 years by spraying them with acid. A city crime analyst, noting that most vandals escalate their attacks rather than stick with the same method, wondered, "How could anyone do this for a decade and not get bored?"

-- The Akron (Ohio) Beacon Journal reported in November that Michele Straka was released from a local alcohol treatment center, thus becoming what is believed to be the nation's youngest such graduate. Michele, 11, told a reporter, "I was into some pretty heavy stuff."

-- In October, Switzerland apologized to Liechtenstein for its army's invasion of the country a few days earlier. Swiss army recruits on maneuvers asked a resident near the town of Triesenberg if they could set up an observation post in her garage, but later discovered that Triesenberg is just outside Swiss territory. The woman alerted local police, who asked the soldiers to move on.

-- Recently, parents of a Colorado teen-ager announced they would sue the local school system for failing to alert them that their son's creative writing papers revealed his emotional

problems. In one example cited by the Denver Post, the boy wrote a story about a man's vicious torture of a woman, concluding that now the man "was in control" and "had the power." However, the teacher merely marked the paper "C minus," commenting, "No focus! ... (You're missing the point of this.)" Shortly after he submitted the paper, the boy sexually assaulted two stepbrothers.

-- Mr. M.K.O. Abiola, chief of Nigeria's Yoruba tribe, answering a divorce lawsuit in a New York City courtroom in June, denied a woman's claim that she was one of his 26 wives. He contended that he had only four wives but said she was one of his 18 concubines. The woman is represented by palimony lawyer Marvin Mitchelson.

-- The Legal Aid Society of Santa Clara County, Calif., charged in October that the man who has portrayed Koo-Koo the Clown ("Kiddies' Favorite Entertainer") at birthday parties in the area for nearly 30 years routinely violates state law at the apartment complex he owns by not renting to tenants with children.

THE WEIRDO-AMERICAN COMMUNITY

University of California at Berkeley "environmental psychologist" Clare Cooper Marcus recently started a counseling service for people having difficult relationships with their houses. For \$100, she will spend an hour conducting role-playing sessions between the client and his or her house. Dr. Marcus says that having the client voice anxieties to the house, and having the house respond, usually begins relieving the client's stress within the first hour.

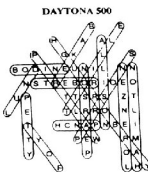
LEAST COMPETENT PEOPLE

In December near Mineral Wells, Texas, three men who were attempting to steal copper wire off live electrical lines for resale were electrocuted. Copper wiring is a valuable scrap metal in Texas, but is usually stolen from electric cables that are not being used.

INEXPLICABLE

At least 18 people were arrested around Manila, Philippines on Dec. 27 for deflating automobiles tires for religious reasons. Followers of "The Reserved Manpower of the Good Wisdom for All Nations" reli-

gion said it was "God's order" to let out air. Said one, "Air is from God. This is the solution to the crisis in our country."
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TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You need to feel financially secure in order to feel okay, and you are most definitely on a mission presently to feel so right now. Talks are vital, and you view life differently by the end of the week. Get into the mellow and loving moments this weekend.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Understanding allows you to take action on what has been moving in your life, and your charisma, which peaks this week, gives you an added push. You really can't lose if you don't panic this weekend, when the full moon SEEMS to explode the best laid plans.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Don't think this week ends the way it begins. (Thank goodness!) Things only get better, though it's best not to take finances too much for granted. Your personality makes it all fall into place right before the critical moment.

LEO (July 23-August 22) If you weren't sure what being on life's roller coaster ride means, you are definitely destined to find out this week. You peak—or at least your natural energies are on high—this weekend. How you use them is your call.

VIRGO (August 23-September 22) Take responsibility early on in the week before it gets shoved (yes, shoved) down your throat. Success falls on you by the weekend either way, but how you weather the full moon depends. A LOT on how good or how bad you have been.

LIBRA (September 23-October 22) Experimenting is right up your alley this week. Research just how far you can go and exactly how much expense you need. Others bow to your power, and you feel you've got it made. You'll know for sure this full moon weekend.

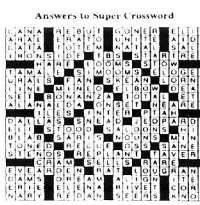
SCORPIO (October 23-November 21) You crow all week long, you are so happy. Do check out a rumor around work. For once, the ball is out don't mind. For once, the ball is out don't mind. Others need to convince you, lure you, and make you take action, and you love the game. Go along with a change of plans this weekend.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22-December 21) Partners are very dominant this week, but you really don't mind. For once, the ball is out don't mind. Others need to convince you, lure you, and make you take action, and you love the game. Go along with a change of plans this weekend.

CAPRICORN (December 22-January 19) Play the busy heaven this week, and get your work done whenever you have a quiet moment or two. It seems you are always in demand. Another wants and needs you. Do play it straight, though, or else expect explosions this weekend.

AQUARIUS (January 20-February 18) It seems you see more reasons to play than to work this week. At some point, it dawns on you that you've been putting off your responsibilities, and you charge into your work in a mad flurry of activity. You have in this weekend, if you stay flexible.

PISCES (February 19-March 20) Security is a high priority this week, but you do manage to squeeze in some fun and flirtation. You either have a release of a past case of spring fever, or you're off contracting a new strain of the malady. All play and no work doesn't cut it.



Answers to Super Crossword

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WEDDINGTON PLAZA

Second quarter sends Lady Rebels home

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Allen Central's appearance in the Kentucky All "A" Classic in Richmond Friday afternoon didn't last long. They faced Brent on talent, but long-on-desire Berea Lady Pirates basketball team in the first round of the classic.

Berea ran a patient offense and spread the court on the Lady Rebels to allow Trinia Goodrich to work inside and out to lead the Lady Pirates to a 42-37 win over a shaky Allen Central team.

Goodrich scored 28 of her team's points and all came from the paint area. In fact, all of Berea's points came from the inside. Goodrich used her quickness to slash her way through the Allen Central defense.

The low-scoring affair was the result of Allen Central getting only one field goal, a three-pointer by Jenny Wiley, in the second period. Her field goal resulted in the only points the team scored in that period. Another misdemeanor was the inability of the Lady Rebels in rebounding on the defensive boards. Berea controlled both ends of the boards, getting second and third shots.

How bad was the Lady Rebels rebounding? Allen Central was out rebounded by the Lady Pirates 46-28. Berea had 17 offensive rebounds to the Lady Rebels' seven.

What is normally a solid shooting ball club, Allen Central shot a cool 27 percent for the game, hitting only 18 percent the first half. Berea hit on 41 percent of their shots.

Berea entered the fourth quarter with an eight point, 25-17 lead. Angela Bailey scored on a short jumper to start the fourth for Allen Central, who showed more life in the final stanza by outscoring Berea 20-17.

After a basket by Goodrich it made it an eight point game again, Bailey hit a long jumper. Marsha Brown followed with a basket on which she was fouled, to make it a 27-23 ball game. Brown missed the free throw.

Amy Burnell grabbed an offensive rebound on Berea's next possession and stuck it back in. But Stacy Moore, who struggled offensively in the game, buried a three-pointer to

cut the margin to three, 29-26, with 4:08 left in the game. But again it was Goodrich scoring on a short jumper off the baseline over Bailey.

After Brown was called for a walking violation, Veronica McKinney, who failed to score in the game, was whisked for her fifth personal foul. Joslyn Olinger connected on two free throws for a seven point, 33-26 lead.

Brown kept her team close with a long three out of the right corner, but Berea kept the ball in Goodrich's hands. The Lady Pirates took their biggest lead at 35-26 and looked to really open things up.

Kentucky All "A" Classic

Brown hit a three-pointer and then, with 2:24 left in the game, Brown completed a three-point play to make it a 35-32 game as the Lady Rebels dug in.

After Lisa Stumbo missed a wide-open shot underneath the basket, Goodrich scored four unanswered points to pull her team back out by nine, 41-32.

With 38 seconds left, Moore

missed the front-end of a bonus shot, but Wiley later drilled a three-pointer. After Burnell missed the bonus shot, Wiley scored on a layup to make it 40-37. Goodrich hit a free throw with three seconds left for the final margin.

Both teams had a hard time getting things together in the early going.

The first point of the game came

on a technical foul assessed against Berea coach Greg Todd, with 5:31 left on the clock, for protesting an out-of-bounds call. Moore hit one of the two free throws for a 1-0 Allen Central lead. Goodrich hit a baseline jumper before Moore hit her first three-pointer to give Allen Central a 4-2 lead. Allison Patton tied the game with a layup. But Allen Central took an 8-4 lead, their last, on a Moore jumper and a baseline jumper by Bailey.

Burnell scored on a layup and was fouled to make it 8-6. Burnell missed the free throw, but Goodrich grabbed

the rebound and scored to tie the game at 8-8 at the end of the first period.

Burnell's jumper to begin the second period gave Berea the lead for good at 10-8. Berea pulled the ball out and ran the clock, being very patient on offense. Goodrich's rebound basket made it 13-8 until Wiley hit her three-pointer for a two point 13-11 score. Goodrich hit a layup and scored in the paint on a short jumper to give Berea a 17-11 lead at the half.

The lead changed hands only three times and the game was tied twice. Goodrich led all scorers with her 28 points. Burnell had six.

Allen Central was led by Marsha Brown's 13 points. Brown had one three-pointer in the game and pulled down three rebounds.

Moore tossed in 12 points with three treys. She had three boards also in the game. Wiley finished with eight points and Bailey had four. Bailey had four rebounds in the contest. Wiley led the Lady Rebels with eight rebounds, pulling off six on the defensive side and two off the offensive boards.

Allen Central falls to 14-6 on the season and will continue their quest for a fourth district title.

The Lady Rebels will entertain Wheelwright Tuesday night.

ALLEN CENTRAL (37)

| players | fg | 3pt | fta | tp |
|----------|----|-----|-----|----|
| Bailey | 2 | 0 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Moore | 1 | 3 | 3-4 | 12 |
| Brown | 3 | 1 | 5-4 | 13 |
| Wiley | 1 | 2 | 0-0 | 8 |
| McKinney | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Mullins | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| Stumbo | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |

BEREA (42)

| players | fg | 3pt | fta | tp |
|----------|----|-----|-----|----|
| Goodrich | 13 | 0 | 6-2 | 28 |
| Patton | 1 | 0 | 2-0 | 2 |
| Newman | 1 | 0 | 1-0 | 2 |
| Olinger | 1 | 0 | 2-2 | 4 |
| Burnell | 3 | 0 | 6-0 | 6 |

CENTRAL 8 3 6 20 - 37
BEREA 8 9 8 17 - 42



State tournament scene!

Berea's Tina Goodrich (15) fires up a jumper over Allen Central's Veronica McKinney as a host of other Lady Rebels look on. Allen Central fell to the Lady Pirates, 42-37, in a low scoring affair. Marsha Brown (on the bench at the time) scored 13 points to lead Allen Central. Staci Moore (20) had 12 points. Angela Bailey (10) scored four and Jenny Wiley (34) added eight. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Adams stuns Stumbo, 56-45

Chuck Rowe
Sports Writer

David Turner was on fire as he scored 18 points and pulled down 16 rebounds as the Adams Middle School Blackcats outlasted the John M. Stumbo Mustangs 56-45 in overtime. Westley Samons scored 16 points and dished out two assists. Gavin Hale scored 11 points and grabbed 11 rebounds in their team's overtime victory. Rocky Newsome led the Mustangs in scoring with 15 points.

After Turner's basket put Adams up 2-0 early, the Mustangs took their first lead, 5-2, on a three-pointer by Keith Vance and on a two-pointer by Newsome with 5:36 on the clock. Back-to-back baskets by Hale and Samons put the Blackcats back in the lead at 6-5 with 4:50 left in the first quarter. After a basket by Stumbo's Newsome, which gave them the lead back at 7-6, Adams scored on back-to-back baskets by Turner and John Ortega. They took a 10-7 lead with 2:40 left in the quarter. Back-to-back baskets by Stumbo's Newsome and Jason Tackett ended the scoring of the quarter and gave the Mustangs the 11-10 lead going into the second quarter.

After a basket by Adams' Turner gave the Blackcats the 12-10 lead, Stumbo's Newsome hit a three-pointer that gave the Mustangs the two-point lead, 14-12, with 4:00 on the clock. Adams' Samons tied the game at 14 on two free throws due to a technical foul that was called on Newsome. He picked up his fourth foul with 2:39 left in the first half. An exchange of baskets kept the game tied at 16 with 1:37 left in the half. A free throw by Stumbo's Brent Tackett ended the scoring of the half with the Mustangs clinging to a 17-16 halftime lead.

Following a basket by Adams (See Adams, B 6)



One of the county's best!

John M. Stumbo's Rocky Newsome scores on this jumper against Adams Middle School in the first round of the county grade school tournament going on at Adams. Adams won in overtime 56-45. Newsome scored 15 points. (photo by Chuck Rowe)

Prestonsburg ties for conference lead with win over Allen Central

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

The Allen Central Rebels turned a ho-hum ballgame into a frenzy when they got a wake-up call against the Prestonsburg Blackcats.

However, they woke-up a quarter too late as the Blackcats staved off a Rebel charge. They held on for a 69-66 lead and captured a share of first-place in the Floyd County Conference.

Both Allen Central and Prestonsburg are currently 5-1 in conference play with two conference games remaining for both clubs.

The last time the two teams met at Allen Central, the Rebels blasted Prestonsburg by a 76-48 score.

Prestonsburg was trying to return the favor and entered the final quarter holding what seemed like a commanding 59-37 lead.

What ended the Prestonsburg fans' breathless as they witnessed one of the great comebacks in Floyd County high school basketball.

Allen Central held Prestonsburg without a field goal the remainder of the game. But the Blackcats had what it took to win at the free throw line which is where Allen Central lost it. The Blackcats connected on 10 of 19 free throw attempts in scoring 10 points in the final period.

The defensive play of the game came with just five seconds remaining in the game when 6-8 center Chris Burke blocked Ronnie Samons' shot under the basket.

Jeremy Hall had just missed a baseline jumper with his team trailing by one, 68-66. Samons grabbed the errant shot and was set to pull the Rebels even as he found himself open for the lay-in. But Burke said no, blocked the shot and the ball landed in Jason Crisp's hands. Crisp

fouled with just three seconds remaining. He hit the first to make it 69-66.

Thomas Ratliff went to the charity stripe with less than a minute to play where he hit two free throws for a 67-64 game. However, before he stepped to the line, he was whistled for a technical foul for taunting. After Ratliff hit his tosses, Jason Martin cancelled the two with two of his own to bring the Rebels to within one again, 67-66. Allen Central had possession.

Coach Johnny Martin's ball club turned the ball over and Burke was fouled. He made one of two to make the score 68-66.

Twenty-three seconds showed on the scoreboard as Hall stepped to the line for Allen Central and had a chance to tie the game for the first time. But Hall missed the front-end of the bonus. Crisp was fouled and he, too, missed at the charity stripe with Allen Central controlling the rebound. It was on this possession that Hall missed from the corner and Samons rebounded the ball.

Prestonsburg opened quickly in the game as they took a 12-2 lead to the disbelief of Coach Martin. It was 14-4 before Allen Central scored six unanswered points to close to within three, 14-11. Rebounding hurt the Rebels in the first quarter as Prestonsburg controlled both ends.

The Blackcats led 16-11 at the first stop and took a 14-point, 40-26 lead to the locker room at halftime.

Cory Reitz was aflame in the first half, tossing in 16 points as he split the Rebels' defense for some in-the-lane jumpers. He hit two three-pointers in the first half.

But in the second half, Reitz was the missing man in the Blackcats' offense. He failed to score in the last part of the game.

Prestonsburg scored the first eight points of the second period to right a 24-11 lead with Coach Martin searching for the right combination.

David Moore entered the game and promptly hit a six-foot jumper that seemed to ignite the Rebels. They went on a nine-to-three run to narrow the margin to seven points, 27-20. In the quarter, Coach Martin was whistled for a technical foul after protesting a double-foul call by the officials.

Crisp and Joe Whit hit back-to-back three-pointers to start the third quarter and the lead bulged to 20 points, 46-26. The biggest lead came at the end of the third period, 59-37.

Three players scored in double figures for Prestonsburg, led by Crisp's 17 points. Crisp hit three three-pointers in the game. Reitz finished (See Prestonsburg, B16)

ALLEN CENTRAL (66)

| players | fg | 3pt | fta | tp |
|---------|----|-----|------|----|
| Watkins | 0 | 0 | 2-0 | 0 |
| Hall | 4 | 1 | 10-6 | 17 |
| Martin | 8 | 0 | 5-5 | 21 |
| Patton | 5 | 0 | 7-4 | 14 |
| Dingus | 0 | 0 | 2-1 | 1 |
| Samons | 5 | 0 | 1-1 | 11 |
| Moore | 1 | 0 | 0-0 | 2 |

PRESTONSBURG (69)

| players | fg | 3pt | fta | tp |
|---------|----|-----|-----|----|
| Reitz | 5 | 2 | 2-0 | 16 |
| Burke | 4 | 0 | 6-2 | 10 |
| Ratliff | 1 | 1 | 4-3 | 8 |
| Crisp | 3 | 3 | 6-2 | 17 |
| Tucker | 1 | 0 | 7-5 | 7 |
| Duncan | 0 | 1 | 0-0 | 3 |
| Whitt | 1 | 2 | 0-0 | 8 |

CENTRAL 11 15 11 29 - 69
PRESBURG 16 24 19 10 - 66

Webb honored as number 12 retired by McDowell

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

For four years at McDowell High School Henry Webb wore number 12 on his basketball jersey. Year before last, Stacy Moore wore the same number and last year Dougie Hopkins put on number 12.

But after this basketball season no one will wear number 12 again. Head basketball coach Johnny Ray Turner and the McDowell High School retired the number in honor of one of the greatest players to come off the Left Beaver school.

In attendance for the ceremonies was former school principal and present assistant superintendent Gary Frazier, who said he could remember when Webb first came to McDowell. "The first time I saw Henry was when he came from Allen Central as a scrawny looking player. I said 'who is this student coming in here from Allen Central.' I attended one of his practices and found out that he could play basketball and I wanted to tell Coach (Johnny) Martin if he had anyone like Henry to send them up."

Frazier said that Webb was the type of point guard that made the other players look good and that Webb had the privilege of playing for one of the area's outstanding coaches, Coach Turner.

"Henry had gone on to prominence at Alice Lloyd College and I'm proud of the kind of young man he has turned out to be."

Coach Turner welcomed those fans who turned out for the occasion and expressed his pleasure at being able to honor Webb on a special night.

"He's special, as all my players are," said an appreciative coach. "It's a pleasure to do this for him. All my players are special in my heart."

"We will retire Henry's number, number 12, at the end of this basketball season. Henry was a player and a leader here at McDowell. He came at a time to help restore the basketball tradition at the school. In the three years that he played for me, he played with dignity and class and I am proud of him tonight."

Coach Turner read off some of the stats and achievements that was accomplished while at McDowell.

"During those years at McDowell, Henry helped McDowell to win a Floyd County preseason tournament, two district tournaments, two conference championships and one regional runner-up. While at McDowell he

led the team to a 42-17 record in two years."

Webb scored over 1,300 points at McDowell while dishing out over 400 assists and pulling in over 400 rebounds.

He was named to the All-District and All-Conference teams two years straight and was named Co-Player of the Year in 1988 and Player of the Year in 1989.

The former McDowell guard was named Honorable Mention All-Stater in 1989.

"Henry has continued to bring recognition and pride to McDowell by taking his basketball skills to a higher level at Alice Lloyd College," said Coach Turner.

At Alice Lloyd College in 1992, Webb set a new individual record at the Pippa Passes school. He scored the most points in one season, 758; he had the highest scoring average, 26.2, which was good for fifth in the nation; he was named to the All-District and All-Conference team; he led his team to the number 11 ranking in the

nation; he led Alice Lloyd College to a 78-31 record in the four years he has been at the school.

In 1993 the records continue to grow. He set the single game scoring record with 51 points; he set the all-time scoring record for Alice Lloyd in January with 1,750 points and now has over 1,900 points for his career.

Webb is currently third in the nation in scoring, averaging 28.9 points per game and is the leading candidate for Player of the Year in the NAIA.

"To my knowledge, he is the only player from McDowell to make college All-American," said Turner. "At the end of the season his uniform, number 12, will be retired, never to be worn again."

Turner said that Webb's uniform, along with the other four previously retired, will be framed and placed on the wall above the state tournament teams.

Webb's present coach, Jim Stepp, made some comments to the crowd concerning Webb as an individual.

"Henry was the first player that I

recruited as a coach," said the Alice Lloyd mentor. "He was my top choice that year. He is the only person that I know that has had the guts and courage to stick it out. I shared with Henry that he needed to bring his game to a higher level and he did. He has been a good scorer and an individual."

Bobbi In Moore presented Webb with a framed collage painting of McDowell High School and then hugged the former McDowell great.

"The last time I stood before a crowd here at McDowell I was playing basketball," said the All-American. "I love my years here at McDowell and it was the players that I played with that made me look good."

"I loved playing for Coach Turner and he helped me to improve my game. I loved playing in front of the McDowell crowds."

Webb said that he has enjoyed his four years at Alice Lloyd and the opportunity it presented him as a basketball player to get an education as well as allowing him to play in some great tournaments.

"I want to thank Coach Stepp as well as Coach Turner. I want to thank my parents, who I don't get to see that much. But I love them and care for them. Thanks to all the McDowell fans. I have great memories of you."

Before the ceremonies were concluded, Webb had to make some remarks about his grade school coach Jimmy Hopkins, who now is the head girls' coach at McDowell.

"He was the best grade school coach in Floyd County," said Webb. "He was great because he taught the fundamentals of the game. When you left Martin, you knew the fundamentals of the game. He is the one that got me started in all of this."

Coach Hopkins presented Webb with a video tape of a game against Osborne when Webb was in the eighth grade as well as the scoreboard from his eighth grade year.

Henry Webb has done Floyd County proud in the way he has represented his home county. Greater things are awaiting Webb beyond college. He has a desire to enter the coaching ranks and share all the knowledge of the game of basketball that he has gotten from Coach Hopkins, Coach Turner and Coach Stepp with some younger ball players who would also like to become an All-American someday.



Webb honored!
McDowell coach Johnny Ray Turner stands alongside former McDowell standout Henry Webb after Webb had his jersey retired by the McDowell High School. Coach Turner stated that at the end of the season, "number 12 will never be worn again." (photo by Ed Taylor)

Richie Farmer to help celebrate Oral Health Week in Floyd County

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Former University of Kentucky basketball standout Richie Farmer will be the featured speaker at three Floyd County schools on Thursday, February 11, as part of a oral health project sponsored by the Prestonsburg Jaycees in conjunction with the New Horizon Youth Service Center at Betsy Layne High School.

Floyd County Judge-Executive John M. Stumbo signed a proclamation Monday proclaiming February 7 through February 13 as Oral Health Week in the county.

Farmer, through the sponsorship of Delta Dental, has been speaking to students across the state on the importance of oral health. The three schools selected for the project are Betsy Layne Elementary, Betsy Layne High School and Allen Elementary.

Because Kentucky's standard of oral health is significantly below the national average, the Kentucky Jaycees have accepted oral health as a major project. Delta Dental Plan of Kentucky is working closely with the Kentucky Jaycees to schedule events with Farmer across the state with the assistance of local chapters.

During Farmer's school visits, he will be challenging local basketball stars in free throw contests, as well as speaking to different groups.

Improving oral health in Kentucky is an exciting opportunity for the Prestonsburg Jaycees and the New Horizon Youth Service Center.

According to a recent survey, 38 percent of Kentuckians have no regular dentist, 70 percent have bleeding gums and 68 percent have tartar buildup on their teeth. About 25 percent of the population 45-64 years of

age and 50 percent over 65 have no natural teeth.

The oral health program is a 45-minute program in which Farmer will be talking to students, as well as challenge some students to a free throw contest. The winner will receive a basketball for his or her efforts.

Signed photos will be available for students, but no autograph session will be held.

For more information about these events and how you and/or your business can get involved, contact Lisa Roberts, Jaycee president at 478-2025.



Proclaims Oral Health Week
Floyd County Judge-Executive John M. Stumbo signs a proclamation, in the presence of Prestonsburg Jaycees president Lisa Roberts, proclaiming February 7th through the 13th as Oral Health Week in Floyd County. The Jaycees along with the New Horizon Youth Service Center at Betsy Layne High School requested the special week and plans to celebrate the event by having former University of Kentucky standout Richie Farmer speak at three area schools on February 11. (photo by Ed Taylor)





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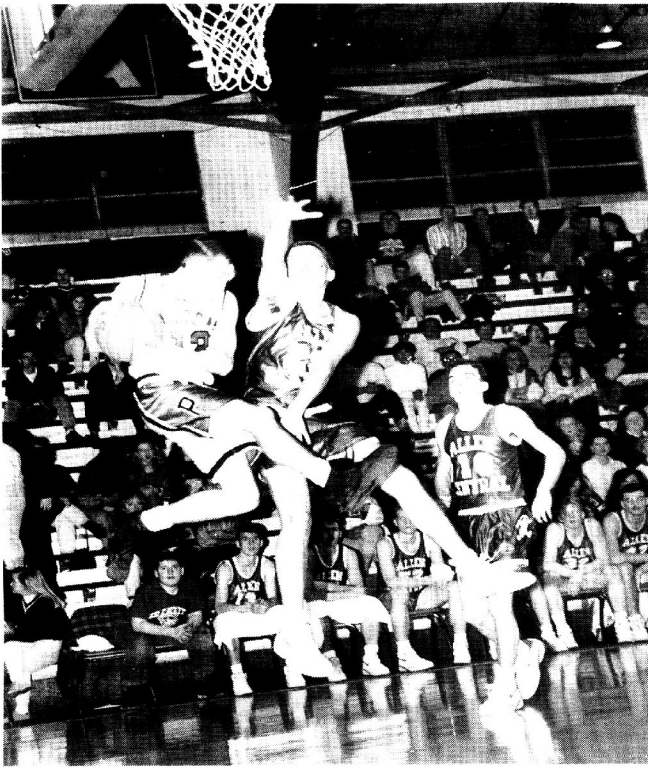
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Prestonsburg's Jason Crisp may be the shortest player on the floor but he is shown here pulling in this rebound over Allen Central's Jason Martin (25) as Bobby Dingus (10) looks on. Allen Central fell to the Blackcats 69-66 for their first conference loss. Crisp led Prestonsburg with 18 points. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Prestonsburg

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with 16 points and Chris Burke, in a good offensive and defensive outing, scored 10 points. Burke pulled down 11 rebounds in the game and had five blocked shots. Whit had eight points as did Thomas Raliff. Prestonsburg hit nine three-pointers in the game. Tucker tossed in seven points and

Sean Damron scored three on a try. Allen Central placed four players in double figures. Jason Martin led all scorers with his 21 points. Jeremy Hall tossed in 17 and Phillip Patton added 14. Samons, off the bench, had 11 points. Prestonsburg (9-6) shot 44 per-

cent for the game but only 17 percent in the second half. The Blackcats will host the Mullins Tigers this Friday night at the Prestonsburg Fieldhouse. Allen Central (8-8) will entertain Randy McCoy's Elkhorn City Cougars Friday night.

Bowling News

Woody's Carryout leads the Girls' Night Out League for the week ending January 25. High scratch games goes to Gail Campbell with a 191 and the Handicap game goes to Marlene Elliott with a 219.

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| Jenny Wiley Video | 917 |
| Lee's Famous | 906 |

HIGH HANDICAP SERIES, TEAM

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| Henry's Honey's | 2694 |
| Woody's Carryout | 2672 |
| Lee's Famous Rec. | 2642 |

HIGH SCRATCH GAME

| | |
|----------------|-----|
| Gail Campbell | 191 |
| Kathy Clark | 189 |
| Rudell Preston | 188 |

HIGH SCRATCH SERIES

| | |
|----------------|-----|
| Martha Coleman | 502 |
| Rudell Preston | 491 |
| Gail Campbell | 483 |

HIGH HANDICAP GAME

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|-----------------|-----|
| Marlene Elliott | 219 |
| Alice Sexton | 216 |
| Brenda Hurd | 215 |

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| | |
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| Alice Sexton | 592 |
| Brenda Hurd | 583 |
| Billie O'Quinn | 569 |

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 Belfry at McDowell
 Mullins at Prestonsburg, 8 p.m. WKKZ-FM, 105.5
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Sat. Feb. 6
 Harrison County at Prestonsburg, 8 p.m. Homecoming WKKZ-FM, 105
 Pikeville at Allen Central, 8 p.m. WMDJ-FM, 100.1
 Betsy Layne at Sheldon Clark (Delay) WSP-FM, 98.9

Adams

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Turner to start the second half, Stumbo recorded back-to-back baskets by Tackett. He gave the Mustangs a 21-18 lead with 4:35 left in the quarter. An exchange of baskets left the Mustang lead at three points, 23-20, with 3:50 on the clock. Adams went on an eight-point run, taking the lead back at 28-23 with 1:17 left in the third quarter. After a basket by Stumbo's Newsome with :55 on the clock, Adams scored on back-to-back baskets by Turner and Samons to extend their lead out to 32-25 heading into the final quarter.

Adams outscored the Mustangs 3-1 opening the fourth quarter and their lead was extended out to 35-26 with 4:55 on the clock. An exchange of points kept the Adams' lead at nine, 37-28, with 4:27 left in the game. Stumbo went on a 6-1 run behind a three-pointer by Newsome and a three-pointer by Vance as they cut the lead down to 38-34 with 3:25 left on the clock. After Adams' Hale hit the front-end of the bonus, Stumbo recorded a basket by Craig Johnson and back-to-back baskets by Vance as they took the lead, 40-39, with 1:15 remaining in the game.

After a basket by Adams' Hale put the Blackcats back out by one, Stumbo's Johnson hit a three-pointer to give the Mustangs the 43-41 lead with :45 left in the game. Adams' Turner and Samons hit four of four from the free throw line giving the

Blackcats the 45-43 lead with :18 left in the game. Stumbo's Tackett tied the game at 45 with :10 to end the game as they headed into overtime.

In overtime, it was the Adams Middle School Blackcats show as they went on a tear and held the Mustangs scoreless through the extra 3:00 period. It was Samons scoring five points and Turner scoring four points that led them in the 11-0 overtime run to win the game 56-45.

Adams advances and will face the winner of the McDowell Daredevils/ Maytown Wildcats game on February 9 at 7:30.

| Adams (56) | | | | |
|---------------|-----------|----------|--------------|-----------|
| Name | fg | 3pt. | ft-a-m | tp |
| Turner | 6 | 0 | 8-6 | 18 |
| Hale | 5 | 0 | 3-1 | 11 |
| Samons | 3 | 0 | 12-10 | 16 |
| Morris | 0 | 0 | 5-2 | 2 |
| Ortega | 1 | 0 | 4-1 | 3 |
| Blackburn | 1 | 0 | 2-2 | 4 |
| Ja. Osborne | 1 | 0 | 0-0 | 2 |
| totals | 17 | 0 | 34-22 | 56 |

| Stumbo (45) | | | | |
|---------------|-----------|----------|------------|-----------|
| Name | fg | 3pt. | ft-a-m | tp |
| Vance | 4 | 2 | 0-0 | 14 |
| Newsome | 4 | 2 | 2-1 | 15 |
| J. Tackett | 4 | 0 | 2-0 | 8 |
| B. Tackett | 0 | 0 | 2-1 | 1 |
| Johnson | 1 | 1 | 0-0 | 5 |
| Rogers | 1 | 0 | 0-0 | 2 |
| totals | 14 | 5 | 6-2 | 45 |

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Greg Johnson scores 24..

Trojans defeat Betsy Layne 62-48

Chuck Rowe
Sports Writer

The Wheelwright Trojans seem to be playing some of their best basketball of the season after gaining confidence from their impressive showing in the Class A Regional Tournament even though they lost to Pikeville in the finals of the tournament.

Greg Johnson scored a game's high 24 points leading his Trojans to the 62-48 victory over the Bobcats. Barry Clark was Betsy Layne's leading scorer as he tossed in 15 points.

After a three-pointer by Greg Johnson to start the game, Betsy Layne recorded a three-pointer by Chris Potter and a two-pointer by Clark as they took the early 5-3 lead with 5:40 left on the clock. Following three free throws by Greg Johnson to give the Trojans the lead, Betsy Layne went on a 7-2 run as they took a 12-8 lead with 2:55 on the clock.

Greg Johnson cut the lead to one point on a three-pointer with 2:25 left in the first quarter. Betsy Layne went on an 8-0 run to extend their lead out to 20-11 with :10 on the clock. Two free throws by Wheelwright's Brian Johnson ended the first half as the Bobcats held a 20-13 lead.

The Trojans cut the lead to three points, 22-19, early in the second quarter as they went on a 6-2 run with 6:00 left in the second quarter. After a basket by Betsy Layne's Potter, the Trojans cut the lead down to one

point, 24-23, on a John Hall three-pointer and on a Chad Slone free throw with 4:25 left before halftime. Three free throws by the Trojans extended their lead out to four points, 27-23, with 3:33 on the clock. A free throw by Wheelwright's Jason Rogers and a three-pointer by Greg Johnson tied the game at 27 with 2:40 left before halftime. Betsy Layne went on a five run to take a 32-27 lead with 1:50 on the clock. Wheelwright tied the game at 32 on a three-pointer by Steven Shelton and on a two-pointer by Charles Johnson to end the half.

Wheelwright went on an 8-1 run, all by Greg Johnson, to start the second half, taking a 40-33 lead with 5:30 left in the third quarter. After an exchange of baskets, Wheelwright's Slone hit a three-pointer that put the

Trojan lead into double figures, 43-33, with 2:50 remaining in the quarter. With the score 45-38 and 1:36 on the clock, the Trojans went on a 6-2 run as they took a 51-40 lead into the final quarter.

Betsy Layne opened the fourth quarter with a 4-0 run as they cut the lead to seven points, 51-44, with 5:49 left in the fourth quarter. Wheelwright went on a 11-0 run, four points by Brian Johnson and three points by Slone, extending their lead out to 62-44 with 1:30 remaining in the game. Back-to-back baskets by Betsy Layne's Clark ended the game with the Trojans claiming the 62-48 victory.

Wheelwright improved to 8-12 overall and to 3-3 in district play.

Betsy Layne fell to 9-10 overall and to 1-5 in the district.



Howdy folks!

On hand to broadcast the girls' state tournament game between Allen Central and Berea back to the fans in Floyd County, were WGHY's own Jim Allen and Joe Back. The twosome have worked many other boys' state tournament games together and are expected to be in Rupp Arena in March to broadcast all the action. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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Prestonsburg Jr. Pro

The Prestonsburg Junior Pro Training League held their league tournament on January 23 and the following are the results of that event.

HORNETS VS BULLETS
A slow start for the Hornets resulted in a 25-18 loss to the Bullets as Shawn Newsome tossed in 11 points for the Bullets.

The Hornets could only manage two points in the first quarter and four in the second as they trailed at halftime 17-6.

Matters only got worse for the Hornets in the third period when they failed to score. A 12-6 run by the Hornets in the final period did make the score a little more respectable.

Michael Stephens had eight points for the Bullets with James Elliott scoring six.

Matt Tackett led the Hornets with 10 points scoring eight in the fourth quarter. Matt Seiser tossed in four with Brittany Hites and Brandon Gibson scoring two each.

LAKERS VS PISTONS
Ryan Martin went to the free-throw line four times for eight free throws and connected on six of them to help staff off a Piston rally in his team's 18-14 victory in tournament play. Martin also had a field goal in the closing quarter.

Martin led all scorers with 12 points in the Lakers' win. Greg Arnett had the other six points for the Lakers.

Josh Justice led the Pistons with

his six points. Richard Neeley and John Hunt had four points apiece.

BULLS VS HAWKS
The Hawks held a 13-6 lead at halftime over the Bulls but they never could score in the second half as they watched the Bulls outscore them 11-0 in the last two quarters and posted a 17-13 win.

Matt Turner had eight points for the winners with Josh Slone and Angela Howell scoring four each. Ramanda Gussie had one point.

Jonathan Gillispie tossed in five to lead the Hawks. Bo Sturgill and Brandon Branham had four apiece.

SONICS VS SIXERS
J.T. Asher scored 11 points as the Sonics advanced in tournament play with an 18-10 win over the Sixers. Mikeal Fannin added five points in the victory and Wesly Jenkins scored two.

Chris Jewell had four points for the Sixers with Phillip Allen and Daniel Bell adding three each.

The Sonics led 3-2 after the first quarter and went to the locker room with a 7-5 lead at halftime.

LAKERS VS BULLETS
In the semifinals of the junior pro tournament, Ryan Martin scored 26 of his team's 30 points as the Lakers edged a good Bullets' team, 30-26. Wesley Hyden and Greg Arnett scored two points apiece. Michael Stephens had 14 points

for the Bullets. Shawn Newsome scored seven and James Elliott tossed in four.

The Lakers took an 11-10 first quarter lead but trailed at halftime, 15-14. Martin scored 17 of his game high 26 points in the second half to give the win to the Lakers and the right to advance to the championship game.

BULLS VS SONICS
In the other semifinal game, the Sonics edged past the Bulls 24-15 behind J.T. Asher's 16 points. Mikeal Fannin had the other eight points for the winners.

Matt Turner scored five points to lead the Bulls and Josh Slone tossed in four. Josh Shepherd, Angela Howell and Jacob Shepherd had two points each for the Bulls.

The Bulls led 3-2 after the first quarter but trailed by one point, 6-5 at the half. It was in the third period that Asher turned on his game scoring 12 points to assure the victory.

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME SONICS VS LAKERS
It all came down to the Sonics and Lakers as to who would be crowned the tournament champions. And it was more a battle of nerves as both teams played tight on offense.

But it was the Sonics coming away with a 15-10 victory over the Lakers and the right to claim tournament supremacy.

J.T. Asher took control and led his team with 12 points. Mikeal Fannin added the other three points. Ryan Martin scored eight points for the Lakers and Kyle Calhoun added two points.

The Sonics owned a 6-2 first quarter lead and held a four points 8-4 lead at the half.

| Betsy Layne (48) | | | | |
|------------------|----|-----|-------|----|
| Name | fg | 3pt | fta-m | tp |
| Potter | 1 | 1 | 3-2 | 7 |
| Clark | 6 | 1 | 0-0 | 15 |
| Hunter | 0 | 0 | 14-12 | 12 |
| Newsome | 3 | 0 | 0-0 | 6 |
| Ousley | 2 | 0 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Tackett | 0 | 0 | 5-3 | 3 |
| Arnold | 0 | 0 | 2-1 | 1 |
| totals | 12 | 2 | 24-18 | 48 |

| Wheelwright (62) | | | | |
|------------------|----|-----|-------|----|
| Name | fg | 3pt | fta-m | tp |
| G. Johnson | 6 | 3 | 3-3 | 24 |
| B. Johnson | 2 | 0 | 4-4 | 8 |
| Oden | 1 | 0 | 0-0 | 2 |
| Hall | 0 | 1 | 0-0 | 3 |
| Slone | 2 | 2 | 2-1 | 11 |
| Rogers | 0 | 0 | 2-1 | 1 |
| Shelton | 2 | 1 | 0-0 | 7 |
| C. Johnson | 3 | 0 | 0-0 | 6 |
| totals | 16 | 7 | 11-9 | 62 |

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|-------------|----|----|----|-------|
| B. Layne... | 20 | 12 | 8 | 8-48 |
| Wright... | 13 | 19 | 19 | 11-62 |

Six to compete for Homecoming Queen at Prestonsburg Saturday



Raquel Cain



Catherine Weathers



Jessica Walters



Cheryl Miller



Melissa Justice



Rachael Childers

The Prestonsburg Blackcats will host Mike Reitz and his Harrison County Thorobreds tomorrow night (Saturday) in the school's annual homecoming festivities.

Six young ladies will vie for the title "Miss Homecoming 1993" between games. Last year's queen will crown the new Miss Homecoming.

Those six seniors competing for the honors include: Catherine Weathers, 18-year-old daughter of Eugene and Linda Weathers of Prestonsburg. The second from the evening will be Chris Burke, Jessica Leigh Walters,

17-year-old daughter of Wayne and Carolyn Walters of Emma. Walters will be escorted by Joe Whitt.

Cheryl Leigh Miller, 17-year-old daughter of Travis and Drama Miller of Prestonsburg. She will be escorted by Eric Fitzer, Melissa Dawn Justice, 17-year-old daughter of David and Brenda Justice of Prestonsburg. Melissa will be escorted by Sean Pamron.

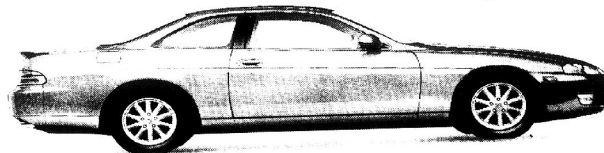
Rachael Leigh Childers, 18-year-old daughter of Tony and Judy Childers of Allen. She will be escorted by Jason Day Crisp; Raquel Renee Cain, 17-year-old daughter of Larry Cain and Brenda Fish of Prestonsburg. She will be escorted

by Aaron Tucker.

Rhiamnon Burke, 16-year-old daughter of John and Debra Burke of Prestonsburg will represent the junior class. Melissa Dawn Slone, 15-year-old daughter of Gold and Betty Slone of Prestonsburg will represent the sophomore class. Moriah Hyden, 14-year-old daughter of Joe and Laura Hyden of Martin, will represent the freshman class.

The junior varsity game will be held at 6:30 p.m. and the homecoming events will take place immediately afterwards.

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| ALLEN CENTRAL | 5-0 | 14-6 |
| BETSY LAYNE | 5-1 | 11-8 |
| PRESTONSBURG | 2-3 | 5-10 |
| MCDOWELL | 1-4 | 5-10 |
| WHEELWRIGHT | 0-5 | 0-11 |

| MEN | | |
|---------------|------------|---------|
| TEAM | CONFERENCE | OVERALL |
| ALLEN CENTRAL | 5-1 | 8-8 |
| PRESTONSBURG | 5-1 | 9-6 |
| WHEELWRIGHT | 3-3 | 8-12 |
| BETSY LAYNE | 1-5 | 9-10 |
| MCDOWELL | 1-5 | 6-14 |

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Betsy Layne 53 Wheelwright 31

Boys
Prestonsburg 69 Allen Central 66
Wheelwright 62 Betsy Layne 48

Martin scores 18 points:

Betsy Layne Lady Cats win over Wheelwright Lady Trojans, 53-31

Chuck Rowe Sports Writer

Dee Dee Martin found her range Tuesday night as she scored a game's high 18 points in leading her Betsy Layne Lady Cats past the Wheelwright Lady Trojans 53-31. Krystal Isaac scored 15 points in leading her team in scoring.

After a basket by Wheelwright's Isaac to start the game, Betsy Layne recorded back-to-back baskets by Martin and Jessica Hamilton as the Lady Cats took their first lead of the game. Wheelwright's Tiffany Compton tied the game at four on a basket with 5:15 left on the clock. Back-to-back baskets by Betsy Layne's Misty Johnson and a free throw by Hamilton put the Lady Cats out on top ending the first quarter with a 9-4 lead.

Wheelwright cut the lead to two points, 9-7, on a basket and a free throw with 5:58 left on the clock. After an exchange of baskets kept the Bobcat lead at two points, Betsy Layne scored back-to-back baskets by Misty Clark to up their lead to six points, 15-9, with 3:40 left in the half. Wheelwright cut the lead down to three points, 15-12, on a free throw by Deana Woods and on a basket by Isaac with 3:05 remaining before halftime. The Lady Cats went on a 3-2 run to end the first half and take an 18-14 lead into the locker room.

Betsy Layne opened up the second half with back-to-back baskets by Clark, taking their lead out to eight points, 22-14, with 7:15 on the clock. Following a basket by Wheelwright's Compton, Betsy Layne recorded back-to-back baskets pushing them

out to a 10-point lead, 26-16, with 5:40 on the clock. After a basket by Wheelwright's Jenny Meade, the Lady Cats went on a 6-1 run, four by Martin, as they took a 34-19 lead heading into the final quarter.

Betsy Layne opened the fourth quarter on a 10-3 run, eight points by Martin, as the Lady Cats took a 44-22 lead with 3:45 left in the game. Wheelwright went on a 6-0 run, four points by Isaac, as they cut the lead to 44-28 with 2:50 left in the game. The Lady Cats took a 49-28 lead on a five-point run with 1:31 left in the game. The Lady Cats outscored the Lady Trojans 4-3 in the last 1:00 as they recorded the 53-31 victory.

Betsy Layne (53)

| Name | fg | 3pt | fta-m | tp |
|------------|----|-----|-------|----|
| Hamilton | 3 | 0 | 9-3 | 9 |
| Martin | 9 | 0 | 1-0 | 18 |
| M. Johnson | 4 | 0 | 0-0 | 8 |
| Conn | 1 | 0 | 4-1 | 3 |
| Clark | 4 | 0 | 2-0 | 8 |
| C. Johnson | 1 | 0 | 2-2 | 4 |
| Stanley | 1 | 0 | 0-0 | 3 |
| totals | 23 | 0 | 20-7 | 53 |

Wheelwright (31)

| Name | fg | 3pt | fta-m | tp |
|------------|----|-----|-------|----|
| Isaac | 7 | 0 | 4-1 | 15 |
| Compton | 2 | 0 | 2-0 | 4 |
| Woods | 2 | 0 | 11-5 | 9 |
| Meade | 1 | 0 | 3-1 | 3 |
| Thornsbury | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| totals | 12 | 0 | 20-7 | 31 |

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|-------------|---|----|----|----|
| B'ayne.... | 9 | 9 | 16 | 19 |
| W'right.... | 4 | 10 | 5 | 12 |

Betsy Layne improved to 11-8 overall and 5-1 in district play. Wheelwright dropped to 0-11 overall and 0-5 in district play.

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"Will it ever come down?"

Allen Central's Veronica McKinney (40) posts up for a rebound over Tina Goodrich and Amy Burnell during state tournament play at Richmond Friday afternoon. Cold shooting and lack of rebounds led to the Lady Rebels' 42-37 loss. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Stumbo Lady Mustangs hold off Lady Eagles 38-27

Chuck Rowe Sports Writer

Penny Tackett scored a game's high 17 points as the John M. Stumbo Lady Mustangs held off a late Allen Lady Eagle comeback 38-27 to advance in the Floyd County Tournament. Stacie Stapleton and Shalena Lewis each scored 10 points in leading the Lady Eagle attack.

The Lady Mustangs started the game with a five-point run behind the four points by Penny Tackett as they advanced to an early 5-0 lead. Allen's Stapleton cut the lead to three points, 5-2, on a basket with 3:10 on the clock. Stumbo went on a 9-0 run with Penny Tackett tossing in five points as they extended their lead out to 14-2 with 7:05 remaining in the first quarter. Back-to-back baskets by Allen's Lewis cut the lead to eight points, 14-6, with 1:20 left in the quarter. A basket by Stumbo's Melanie Newman ended the scoring for the quarter with the Lady Mustangs leading 16-6.

The Lady Mustangs went on a five-point run to start the second quarter behind three points by Ashley Tackett as they took a 21-6 lead with 3:10 left in the first half. An exchange of baskets by Allen's Stapleton and Stumbo's Penny Tackett kept the Stumbo lead at 15 points, 23-8, with :50 left in the half. Following a basket by Allen's Lewis, Stumbo's Ashley Tackett ended the scoring of the first half on a basket to give the Lady Mustangs the 25-10 lead at halftime.

After a basket by Stumbo's Penny Tackett to start the third quarter, Allen scored back-to-back baskets by Lewis and Brandi Lawson as the Lady Eagles cut the lead down to 27-14 with 4:06 left in the third quarter. A basket by Ashley Tackett extended the Stumbo lead out to 15 points, 29-14, with 3:50 remaining in the quarter. Allen went on an eight-point run to end the quarter behind four points by Stapleton as they cut the Stumbo lead down to seven points, 29-22, going into the final quarter.

Stumbo went on a five-point run as they took the lead back out to a 12-point, 34-22, with 3:42 left in the game. A basket by Allen's Tiffany Warrick cut the lead back to 10 points, 34-24, with 3:26 left in the game. An exchange of baskets kept the Mus-

tang lead at 10 points, 36-26, with 2:35 left on the clock. Stumbo outscored the Lady Eagles 2-1 in the remaining 1:50 as they claimed the 38-27 victory.

Stumbo advances and will play the winner of the Osborne Lady Eagles/Maytown Lady Wildcats game on February 9 at 6:00.

Allen (27)

| Name | fg | 3pt | fta-m | tp |
|-----------|----|-----|-------|----|
| Stapleton | 5 | 0 | 0-0 | 10 |
| Lewis | 5 | 0 | 0-0 | 10 |
| Lawson | 2 | 0 | 0-0 | 4 |
| Warrick | 1 | 0 | 2-1 | 3 |
| Compton | 0 | 0 | 0-0 | 0 |
| totals | 13 | 0 | 2-1 | 27 |

Stumbo (38)

| Name | fg | 3pt | fta-m | tp |
|------------|----|-----|-------|----|
| A. Tackett | 3 | 0 | 8-5 | 11 |
| P. Tackett | 6 | 0 | 12-5 | 17 |
| Newman | 4 | 0 | 2-0 | 8 |
| M. Hall | 1 | 0 | 0-0 | 2 |
| G. Hall | 0 | 0 | 1-0 | 0 |
| totals | 14 | 0 | 23-10 | 38 |

Player of the Week

This week Carter-Hughes Toyota

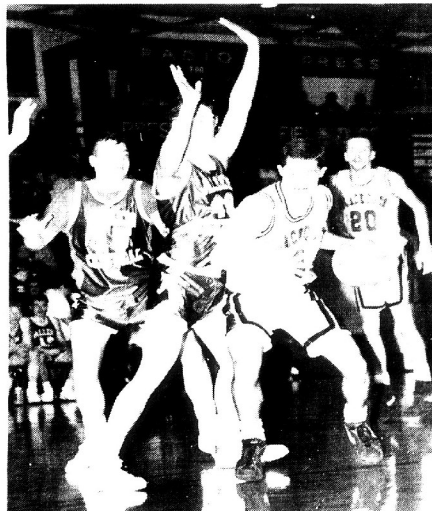
recognizes the player of the week in Floyd County High School Boys' Basketball

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Regional at Pikeville
To Lead Wheelwright
To Second Place



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Move over Carl!

Prestonsburg's Aaron Tucker (4) drives on Allen Central's Carl Watkins during conference basketball action Tuesday night at Prestonsburg. The Rebels fell 69-66 after almost making a miracle comeback. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Dairy Queen of Prestonsburg SPORTS FAN OF THE WEEK



If you are the sports fan circled here... it's your lucky day!

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For Rent

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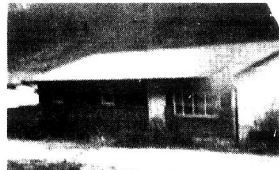
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11:00 a.m.

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Prestonsburg, KY
of
HOUSE and LOT
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This is a three-bedroom frame home on city water. It is well located in a quiet neighborhood. It consists of a living room, kitchen, three bedrooms, and one bath. This property is considered suitable for the FmHA Program. This would be an excellent buy for an investor interested in rental property or for resale after minor repairs.

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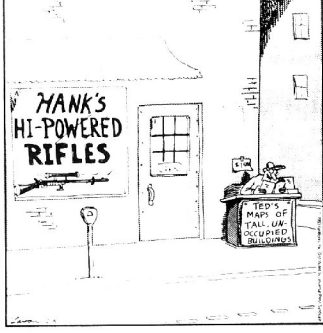
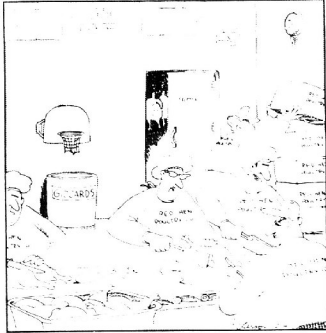
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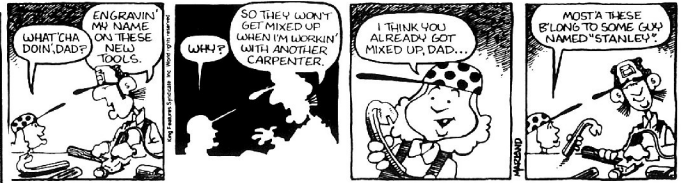
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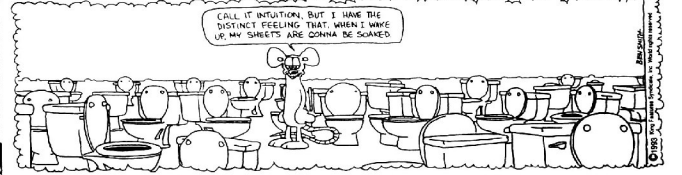
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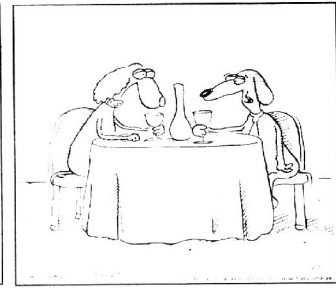
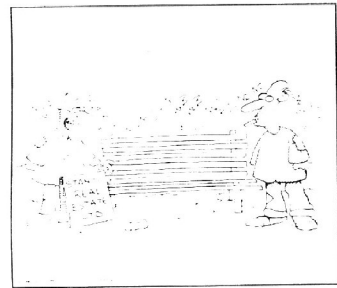


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- 1 Muscle town
 - 5 Refute formally
 - 10 One beyond help
 - 15 Ancient country, site of Olympia
 - 19 Inland sea
 - 20 One of the Muses
 - 21 Bring together
 - 22 Assistant
 - 23 Android on the new version of
 - 24 Clan symbol
 - 25 Seaport of Brazil
 - 26 White or line follower
 - 27 Raymond Burr TV series
 - 29 Recipe abbr.
 - 31 TV space epic
 - 33 Mearcholy animal in medieval cartoning on
 - 34 Weaving machines
 - 35 Pack away neatly
 - 37 Man can dish
 - 40 Hot sand laden desert winds
 - 42 Funeral orations
 - 46 River and mountains
 - 47 Enthusiastic
 - 48 Dagger or short sword
 - 50 Grains of sand
 - 51 From or waist
 - 52 Rebel Without a Cause actor
 - 54 Josie one's way
 - 56 — Again! (movie)
 - 57 Hardan
 - 58 Long running TV western
 - 60 Wreck completely
 - 62 Summer in Saint Tropez
 - 63 Star of M*A*S*H
 - 65 Beginning
 - 67 Closer
 - 69 They're soon to be
 - 70 Prelix for act or active
 - 71 Chief god of ancient Memphis
 - 72 TV drama centered on "that human"
 - 73 Star in the Series
 - 75 State "back to the future" TV quiz
 - 80 Samuel's animal in Memphis
 - 81 Endured
 - 83 "Selling" for Wild West
 - 85 Essence
 - 86 Spill the beans
 - 88 Hindu garments
 - 90 Parts of speech
 - 91 Tropical bird
 - 92 — down (became softened)
 - 94 Give another spin
 - 96 Forerunner of the CIA
 - 97 More rational
 - 98 Pool members
 - 100 Move the garden shrubs
 - 102 Rat
 - 103 Bone for exams
 - 105 Exchanges for money
 - 106 Like a day in June?
 - 107 Star of "Our Miss Brooks"
 - 111 Brother —
 - 112 Vehicle for Ed
 - 116 Female garment
 - 117 I — of
 - 119 Place in a row
 - 121 Road to Rome
 - 122 Italian's take
 - 123 Actress
 - 124 Vantage of Marco's
 - 125 Essence
 - 126 Not any
 - 127 M. Italy
 - 128 Prophecy
 - 129 Granny or sheepshank
 - 130 Modest magistrate
 - 132 Sandrac tree
 - 133 Treaty org.
 - 134 The Skipper on "Gilligan's Island"
 - 135 Put out a batter
 - 136 Wear away
 - 137 Tinner's solution
 - 138 Shoshone
 - 139 Drum
 - 140 Move the hands
 - 141 French states
 - 142 Connect or associate
 - 145 Rowdy "Yates of Ravinude"
 - 146 Pinocchio
 - 147 Worthless
 - 148 Parula
 - 150 25 Across and name
 - 151 Spited
 - 152 Bagel or dairy
 - 154 Fine stationery
 - 155 P. ace where metal is refined
 - 156 Oklahoma city
 - 158 Disney's Little Mermaid
 - 159 Horse blanket
 - 160 Capital of Yaman
 - 161 Wooden shoe
 - 162 Actress Jane Fonda
 - 163 Growing out
 - 164 Jewish home festival
 - 165 Discovers by chance
 - 166 "To Have and Have —"
 - 167 Drum
 - 168 Interferes with
 - 169 Sacrificial tablets
 - 170 Jeering remark
 - 171 Obson of Hollywood
 - 172 Unrestrained persons
 - 173 Pink ruby spine
 - 174 Square
 - 175 Vauts
 - 176 Nothing
 - 178 Family car
 - 179 So that's it?
 - 180 Panties or indicators
 - 181 Unskilled laborers
 - 182 Obligations
 - 183 Asses as one's share
 - 184 Tropical wine
 - 185 More painful
 - 186 Combat with
 - 187 North Sea leader
 - 188 Setting for
 - 189 TV's "Alice" city
 - 190 Be filled with longing
 - 191 Diving birds
 - 192 TV role for Vince Edwards
 - 193 Personal TV favorite
 - 194 Long running TV western
 - 195 Click beetle
 - 196 Logan or Fitzgerald
 - 197 Marionette maker Tony
 - 198 More melancholy
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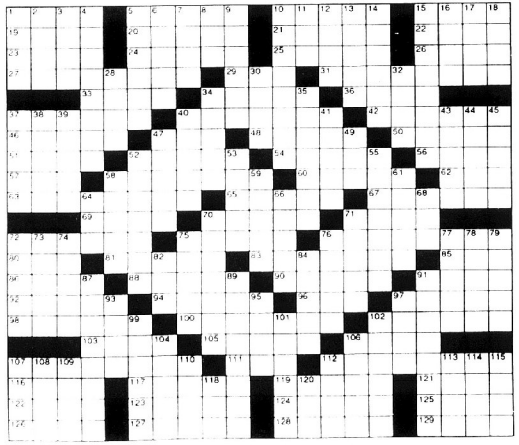
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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions: forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

- Alford
- Base
- Boat
- Day
- Hamilton
- Lawyer
- Fund
- Garth
- Peckinpah
- Reynolds
- Petty
- Roberts
- Wattis
- Yarbrough



(ANSWERS ON B 3)