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App. Wireless warns of scam

By JARRID DEATON
FEATURES WRITER

LEVEL — Appalachian Wireless is alerting its customers to the possibility of a scam related to phone calls requesting personal account information after telling the customer that they have won money.

"This is an absolute scam designed to obtain critical information from customers and is not affiliated, authorized, nor in any way associated with Appalachian Wireless," said Gerald Robiette, general manager and CEO of Appalachian Wireless. "Customers are being contacted and informed they have won a sum of money. The caller then asks to verify account information and therefore obtains vital information. A customer's information is considered sacred information by Appalachian Wireless. We have always taken every precaution to protecting this information and want to alert our valued customers of this obvious scam."

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For more information on Appalachian Wireless, visit <http://www.appalachianwireless.com>.

Shop being examined for competence

SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — Dwayne Earl Bishop, who was granted a new trial in March of last year, has been transferred from Floyd County to the Kentucky Correctional Psychiatric Center

until a competency hearing can be held.

The transfer comes after an order filed in Floyd Circuit Court that his new trial date be pushed back until it can be determined whether or not Bishop is competent enough to act as co-counsel along with his defense attorney.

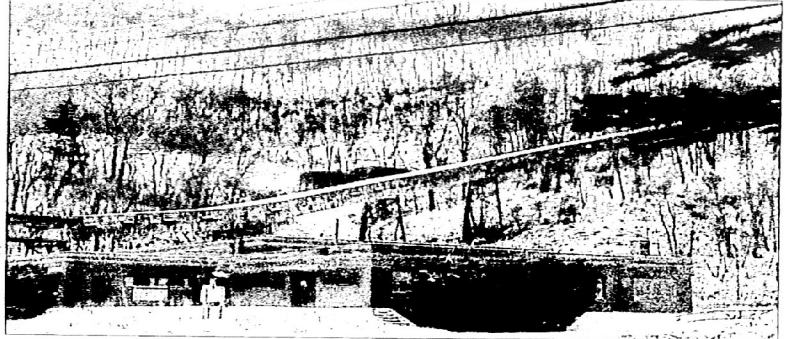
A request to act as his either his own counsel or as co-counsel that was rejected during his first trial is what Bishop's appeal for a new trial hinged upon.

In 2005, Bishop was convicted and sentenced to life in prison for the 2000 murder of his wife, Carolyn Bishop, but was granted a

new trial after the Supreme Court of Kentucky issued a decision in March 2009, based on the denial of a motion allowing Bishop to act as co-counsel in the case.

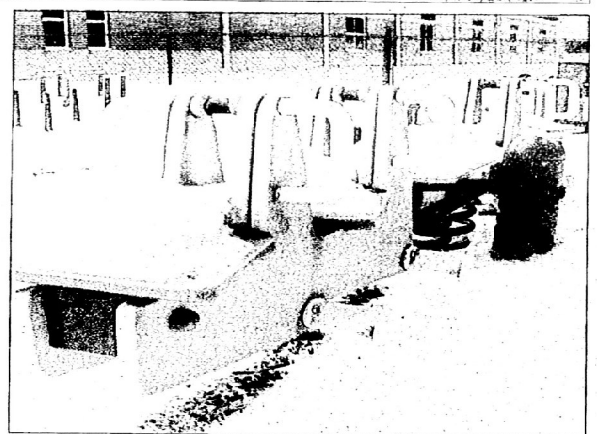
Bishop was originally represented by attorneys Vicki

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photos by Ralph B. Davis and Sheldon Compton

Floyd County was blanketed by up to 10 inches of snow over the weekend, creating picturesque scenes, such as at the Price Tipple along Route 122. Playgrounds were idled, the storm closed schools. Jack Frost is apparently not finished, either, as more snow and potentially crippling freezing rain are predicted for this evening.



Ice storm coming, state warns

Residents warned to prepare for possible power outages

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

Kentucky Outreach and Information Network sent out a statewide warning yesterday, saying that recent forecasts at that time were predicting a significant winter storm to begin at some point today.

Freezing temperatures ushered in sleet and eventually snow this past Sunday, blanketing the county and region in nearly 10 inches of total snowfall over the course of three days.

As of yesterday afternoon, the snow had stopped, but freezing weather kept roads slick with black ice and the remaining banks of muddy snow along both major and secondary roads.

According to the reports from the Jackson Weather Service, the pattern will continue throughout the week, mixed also with freezing rain.

A winter weather advisory is in effect for today and tomorrow for Floyd County and most other Eastern Kentucky counties, as well as neighboring states.

It is expected that between a quarter inch or an inch of ice will accumulate during this time, while the weather service cautions any residents living in areas where freezing rain remains persistent to

(See STORM, page 9)

2 DAY FORECAST

Today
Chance of snow
High: 29 • Low: 27

Tomorrow
Freezing rain
High: 34 • Low: 29

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Prestonsburg readying for 'Shop with a Cop'

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

PRESTONSBURG — Started 12 years ago, Prestonsburg will continue its annual Shop with a Cop program, which, according to organizers, strives to "keep the Christmas spirit alive."

"Every year we work with the school system to seek out those students and their siblings who could use a little cheer during the holidays,"

Donations sought

said Prestonsburg Det. Steve Little, the director of this year's program. "We make sure that they also have the basics during the cold weather months, too."

More than 50 students will be selected to receive a surprise this year.

"We really want to make a difference in the lives of children in our area," added Little. "We have been doing this for 12 years now. Even today, I have young adults back from the first day saying that this program really affected their lives."

With the program coming to a close soon, donations can still be accepted. If you wish to learn more about the program or to donate, please call Little at (606) 886-2335.

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Obituaries

Artiss Ellen Alsept

Artiss Ellen Alsept, 57, of Pikeville, died Wednesday, December 8, 2010, at Highlands Regional Medical Center. Born October 31, 1953, in Norwalk, Ohio, she was the daughter of the late Arnold and JoAnn Williamson Leedy. She was the stepdaughter of Freda Leedy. She was a homemaker and a member of the Church of God of Prophecy, in Willard, Ohio. She is survived by her husband, Corbett Alsept.

In addition to her husband, survivors include one son, James A. (Angie) Hunter of Shelbiana; four daughters: Sheila L. (Larry) Cool of Weston, West Virginia, Justina D. (Eddie) Adams of David, Freda E. (Jeremy) Edwards of Mansfield, Ohio and JoAnne V. (Mike) May of Shelbiana; one brother, Arnold Leedy Jr. of Sandusky, Ohio; three sisters: Thelma Cletcher-McDivitt of Sheffildlake, Ohio and Debbie Hutchinson of Circle City; 16 grandchildren: Jordan, James Jr., Jesse, Sierra, Lorrissa, Jimmy, James, Savannah, Kayla Brittny and Ivy; three grandchildren: Kayden, Austin and Kaitlyne and close friends: James Floyd and LaDonna Hunter and numerous others who called her mom and mamaw and who loved her dearly.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by one sister, Karen J and one grandchild.

Funeral services were held Saturday, December 11, at 11 a.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Keith Collins officiating. Burial was in Gethsemane Gardens, in Prestonsburg.

Visitation was after 6 p.m., Thursday, December 9, at the funeral home.

Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, was in charge of arrangements. (Paid obituary)

Ralph Leonard "Pete" Anderson

Ralph Leonard "Pete" Anderson, 58, of Ypsilanti, Michigan, died Friday, December 3, 2010, in Ypsilanti, Michigan, he was the son of Thelma Conn Anderson of Banner and the late Ralph Anderson. He was a construction laborer and Vietnam War Army veteran.

He is survived by his wife, Kimberly Zechman Anderson.

Other survivors include his sons: Michael Samons

of Ypsilanti, Michigan; Phillip, wife, Danya Anderson of Melvin; his daughters: Amy, Owens of Eastern, Jennifer, (Greg) Morgan of Ypsilanti, Michigan, Ashley (Tony Lee) Anderson of Novi, Michigan and Kelly (Vernon) Clifton of Ypsilanti, Michigan; a brother, Ronnie Anderson of Banner and 12 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, December 7, at 1 p.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Steve Richardson officiating.

Burial was in the Anderson-Conn Cemetery, in Banner.

Visitation was after 5 p.m., Monday, at the funeral home.

Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, was in charge of arrangements. (Paid obituary)

Benjamin D. Ferguson

Benjamin D. Ferguson, 81, of Prestonsburg, died Tuesday, December 7, 2010, at his residence.

Born March 23, 1929, in Prestonsburg, he was the son of the late Benjamin D. and Lillian Stephens Ferguson. He was a retired maintenance worker for Kentucky Hydrocarbon; a member of the Irene Cole Memorial Baptist Church; a Charter Founder of the Floyd County Rescue Squad. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity; and a member of the D.A.V.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Sally Galewood Clark Ferguson.

Survivors include three sons: Benjamin D. Ferguson of Prestonsburg, John R. Ferguson of Haines Falls, New York and Charles Yancey Ferguson of Prestonsburg; a grandson, Benjamin D. Ferguson; seven great-grandchildren and a brother-in-law: Yancey L. Clark of Danville.

In addition to his parents and wife, he was preceded in death by a brother, Charles D. Ferguson.

Funeral services were held Friday, December 10, at noon, at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Omery Chuck Hall officiating.

Burial was in the May Cemetery, in Prestonsburg.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Floyd County Rescue Squad.

Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, was in charge of arrangements. (Paid obituary)

Charles Ray Howard

Charles Ray Howard, 68, of Hueysville, died Monday, December 13, 2010, at St. Joseph-Martin.

Born May 14, 1942, in Gunlock, he was the son of the late Kelly and Lura Whitaker Howard. He was a disabled prep plant operator and a member of the Garrett United Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons: David Howard of Hueysville and Stanley Howard of Allen; two daughters: Charlene Reffitt of Langley and Debora Branham of Prestonsburg; two brothers: Kelly Howard of Salyersville and Carl D. Howard of Brushy; one sister, Helen Martin of Garrett and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Friday, December 17, at 1 p.m., at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Larry Patton, Bethel Bolen and Nathan Hackworth officiating.

Burial will be in the Charles Howard Cemetery, in Hueysville.

Visitation is after 12 p.m., Wednesday, December 15, at the funeral home with nightly services at 6 p.m. Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, is in charge of arrangements. (Paid obituary)

Kathryn Ann "Kathy" Kinney

Kathryn Ann "Kathy" Kinney, age 51, of McDowell, passed away on Monday, December 13, 2010, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital.

She was born April 7, 1959, at Martin, the daughter of Opal Newsome Kinney of McDowell; two brothers: Archie Clayton Kinney of Plymouth, Michigan and Gregory Blake Kinney of Westland, Michigan; four sisters: Tammy Lou of Romulus, Michigan, Vickie Kilburn of Augusta Township, Michigan, Connie Sue Hinkle of McDowell and Sandra Thornsberry of Willard, Ohio.

She was a member of the Eastern Star at Wayland and a former bank employee.

Survivors include: the mother, Opal Newsome Kinney of McDowell; two brothers: Archie Clayton Kinney of Plymouth, Michigan and Gregory Blake Kinney of Westland, Michigan; four sisters: Tammy Lou of Romulus, Michigan, Vickie Kilburn of Augusta Township, Michigan, Connie Sue Hinkle of McDowell and Sandra Thornsberry of Willard, Ohio.

Funeral services will be held Friday, December 17,

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Burial will be in the Lucy Hall Cemetery at McDowell, under the professional care of Hall Funeral Home of Martin.

Friends can call at the funeral home after 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, and after 1:00 p.m., Thursday, at the church. (Paid obituary)



George A. Mays

1944 - 2010

MOREHEAD - George Alpha Mays, age 66, of Clearfield, formerly of Wheelwright, passed away Sunday, December 12, 2010, at his residence.

Born March 29, 1944, in Harlan, he was the son of the late Virgil and Anna Tye Mays.

George is survived by two brothers: Curtis Mays of Wheelwright, and Tommy Mays of Durham, North Carolina; three sisters: Omega Rodgers of Harlan, Elizabeth Justice of Davison, Michigan, and Mary Mays of Wheelwright; other family members and friends to mourn his passing.

George graduated from

Wheelwright High School and received both the bachelor's and master's degrees from Morehead State University. He was a faculty member in the English department at Morehead State University for 36 years. He was a member of the Catholic Church.

Funeral services will be conducted 11 a.m. Saturday, December 18, at Northcutt & Son Home for Funerals Memorial Chapel with Rev. Paul Prabell officiating.

Burial will follow in Lee Cemetery. Visitation is after 5 p.m., Friday, December 17, at Northcutt & Son Home for Funerals, in Morehead. View or sign guestbook at: www.northcuttandson.com (Paid obituary)

Geneva J. Moore

Geneva J. Moore, 66, of West Salem, Ohio, died Saturday, December 4, 2010, at the Pikeville Medical Center.

Born September 24, 1944, in Pikeville, she was the daughter of the late Cleveland and Mary Hall

Johnson. She was a homemaker.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Winfield Moore, Jr.

Survivors include one daughter, Patricia (Allen) Stanley of Hi Hat; three sisters: Audrey, Faye Newsome of West Liberty, Nellie Bates of Topmost, and Sally Newsome of Legion; four grandchildren: Dustin, Christen (Eric), Joshua and Veronica and two great-grandchildren: Breann and Leland.

In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by one brother, Halley Johnson.

Funeral services were held Thursday, December 9, at 1 p.m., at the Wheelwright Freewill Baptist Church, in Wheelwright, with Louis Ferrari officiating.

Burial was in the Newman Cemetery, in Hi Hat.

Visitation is after noon, Tuesday, December 7, at the church.

Nelson-Frazier Funeral

(See OBITUARIES, page 8)

Gary K Mullins

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Obituaries

Home, in Martin, was in charge of arrangements. (Paid obituary)

Isabelle Miller Stephens

Isabelle Miller Stephens, age 81, of Christiansburg, Virginia, died Saturday, December 11, 2010.

She was born in Floyd County, on November 21, 1929, to the late Albert Carl and Thelma Warrix Miller. She was also preceded in death by her husband, Clyde Bryan Stephens.

She is survived by her children: Sandra Hale of Durango, Colorado, Catherine Stephens of Christiansburg, Virginia, Ben Stephens, of Winchester, Paul Stephens of Lancaster, Pennsylvania, Bonnie Blanton of Van Lear, and Andrea Beard of Harrisonburg, Virginia; a sister, Sue Wright of Oxford, Ohio; a brother, Albert Dale Miller of Concord, Virginia; five grandchildren: James Hale Jr., Kevin Stephens, Chris Blanton, Casey Beard and Lee Beard; four great-grandchildren: Traci, Lainie, Mason, and Henry Stephens.

A memorial service will be conducted in Floyd

County, at a date to be announced.

Following the service, burial will take place in the Stephens Family Cemetery, in Prestonsburg.

Memorial services will be conducted Wednesday, December 15, at 1 p.m., in the McCoy Funeral Home Chapel, with Dr. Tommy McDearis and Dr. Don McKinney officiating.

The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m., Tuesday, and from 12 to 1 p.m., on Wednesday, at McCoy Funeral Home, 150 Country Club Drive, SW, Blacksburg. (Paid obituary)

James "Bud" Stumbo

James "Bud" Stumbo, 91, of Hi Hat, died Sunday, December 5, 2010, at his residence.

Born September 1, 1919, in Gearheart, he was the son of the late John Morgan and Rosa Moore Stumbo.

He was twice married, first to Violet Tuttle Stumbo who preceded him in death and later to Carol Loteler Stumbo, who survives. He was a retired coal miner and a member of the Pilgrims Rest Old Regular Baptist Church, in Price.

Other survivors include three sons: Herman C.

Stumbo of Fairborn, Ohio, Vernon "Pete" Stumbo of Vincennes, Indiana and James Neal Stumbo of Hi Hat; one daughter, Zannie Ellen Crager of Shiloh, Ohio; 11 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren.

In addition to his first wife and parents, he was preceded in death by one daughter, Maxine Dye; six brothers: Amos Stumbo, Richard Stumbo, General Stumbo, Granville Stumbo, Ray Stumbo and Melvin Stumbo; five sisters: Ada

Moore, Rebecca Stumbo Moore, Julia Stumbo Moore, Elva Stumbo Gearheart and Maxie Stumbo Moore and one great-great-grandchild. Funeral services were held Thursday, December 9, at 10 a.m., at the Nelson-

Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, with Clinton Deanor Moore and Jimmy Hall officiating.

Burial was in the Stumbo Cemetery, in Price.

Visitation was after 6 p.m., Tuesday, December 7, at the funeral home. (Paid obituary)

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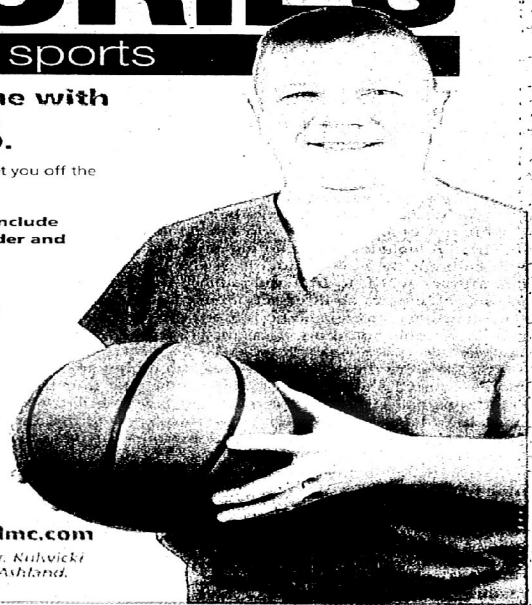
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Our View

New school lunch law important to community's health

The Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010, signed into law this week, should prove to be overwhelmingly positive for Floyd County, in more ways than one.

The bill includes financial incentives for school districts that embrace the new standards. It also expands and streamlines access to free and reduced-price lunch programs and creates an after-school meal program. For all of these reasons, we can see no reason why the Floyd County school system should not immediately embrace the new law.

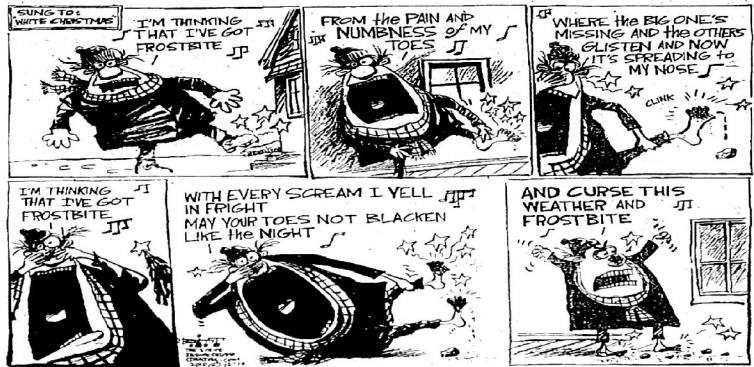
But far more important than the extra money and increased access to food programs are the new nutritional standards that will result from the new law. While the new guidelines have yet to be unveiled, it is expected that they will provide a much-needed update to standards that are woefully out of date.

The nutritional standards that govern school meal planning have changed little over the past half-century, even while nutritional needs have changed immensely. When the standards were created, hunger was the most important nutritional issue facing America, leading to standards that set nutritional minimums, but no maximums.

Now, however, obesity is our most significant challenge, leading to billions of dollars of additional health costs borne by the public and countless years of lost life. Clearly, it is time to set some maximums, particularly in terms of calories, fat and sodium.

Floyd County and the rest of Eastern Kentucky are at or near the bottom nationally in rates of obesity, diabetes and heart disease, and childhood obesity plays a significant role. At the same time, local schools have some of the highest rates of children receiving free or reduced-price meals. An update of nutritional standards in our local schools, therefore, could make a world of improvement in terms of the health of our community in years to come.

— The Floyd County Times



Guest Column

A legislative perspective

by REP. GREG STUMBO
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE

When Kentucky officially broke away from Virginia in 1792, becoming the 15th state to join the Union, the first order of business was to do what the country itself had done just several years earlier: Write a Constitution.

It was Danville, not Frankfort, where the state's leaders gathered to write that first foundation of our state government. It only guided those early settlers for seven years, however, before the decision was made to replace it. Kentuckians would make that leap not once but twice more over the next 90 years.

Our fourth Constitution, however, has truly stood the test of time. Next year, it celebrates its 120th anniversary. It took more than 220 days to finalize that document. The 100 delegates who wrote it were some of the state's leading citizens when they gathered in what is now known as the Old State Capitol, among them the governor, a predecessor and one who would later hold the office.

Though the state was still predominately rural, there were signs that technology was set to bring about major change. A handful of businesses already had telephone service, for example, and only a few years had passed since Thomas Edison chose Louisville to publicly unveil what would become his most famous invention: the light bulb.

The political climate of the era was poised for change as well. There were worries that corporations had become too powerful, and that the law had become far too narrow. Consider that, during the 1890

legislative session, only six percent of the new laws applied to more than one county.

While the fourth Constitution carried forward many of the ideas from the third, there were some notable changes. To begin with, we went from being a state to a commonwealth, a status we now share with only a few other states and territories.

Future governors were given the opportunity to line-item budget legislation, and they were also required to give regular State of the Commonwealth addresses to the General Assembly. Two new elected offices were created as well: the Secretary of State and what is now called the Commissioner of Agriculture.

The Constitution's framers wisely put more emphasis on education — their language would later be crucial in implementing 1990's Kentucky Education Reform Act — and they locked in a court system that could only be changed by a statewide vote.

After they finalized their work in April 1891, the delegates spent the next four months promoting it to the public. There was uncertainty at first, with many upset at the length of the constitutional convention and some worried about various provisions, but when the vote was taken in August, Kentuckians approved it by a three-to-one margin.

The framers weren't done, though. They returned to Frankfort with the goal of clearing up what they considered inconsistencies, and it took a court ruling to verify these changes could stand without final approval by voters. To this day, no one knows what happened to that original

Constitution, which disappeared shortly after it was signed by most of the delegates. All we have is a typewritten copy. We don't have the original third Constitution, either, but we do have the first two after they were secretly returned to the governor in 1948.

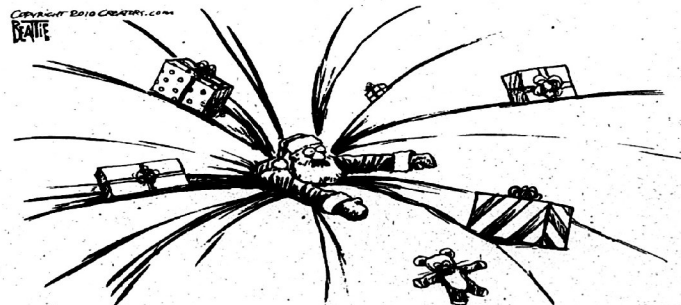
There have been several attempts over the last 120 years to call another constitutional convention, but none have been successful. The last attempt, in 1977, was overwhelmingly defeated by voters.

While they are happy with the Constitution overall, voters have been much more open to amending it. There have been 40 changes approved over the years, and they range from creating the lottery and charitable gaming to allowing governors and sheriffs to serve more than one term.

During the upcoming legislative session, my fellow legislators and I will work to add another to that list. If passed, voters in 2012 would have the opportunity to better protect hunting rights, something voters in three states, including Tennessee, did during November's election.

While we may not give much thought each day to a document that guides our state government more than any other, it is instructive to remember the words of one of the delegates, who reminded us that "a Constitution is not an ornament. ... It is something we must use every moment; it is far less like a portrait than it is like a suit of clothes or a house."

As we ready for next month's legislative session, which voters made possible in 2000, I encourage you to contact me if you have any thoughts or concerns that may need to be reviewed. You can also leave a message for me or for any legislator at 800-372-7181. For the deaf or hard of hearing, the number is 800-896-0305.



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Compliance with law prohibiting sales remains high

Kentucky tobacco prevention, cessation and enforcement efforts continue to make headway in restricting the availability of tobacco products to underage youth, according to a recently released survey from the Cabinet for Health and Family Services (CHFS).

The 2010 Annual Synar Buying Survey of Kentucky's retail tobacco outlets showed that 94.6 percent of retailers surveyed upheld Kentucky's

law banning the sale of tobacco products to youth under the age of 18. The Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control conducted the survey throughout the state during the summer to measure the rate of illegal sales of tobacco to Kentucky youth. The survey was conducted in cooperation with the Substance Abuse Prevention Branch of the Division of Behavioral Health in the Department for Behavioral Health, Developmental and

Intellectual Disabilities. "If access to tobacco products is restricted, fewer young people will use tobacco, reducing the number who become addicted," said Department for Public Health Commissioner William Hacker, M.D. "The results of this survey indicate we're moving in the right direction. Fewer people are dependent on tobacco products because of the work of our substance abuse program, the Alcoholic Beverage

Commission, the Department of Agriculture and the Office of Drug Control Policy." All states and territories must conduct the Annual Synar Buying Survey using a scientific random sample study protocol approved by the federal Center for Substance Abuse Prevention, and must demonstrate that its tobacco vendor compliance meets or exceeds the federal minimum compliance rate of 80 percent. Kentucky's rate of 94.6 percent ranks well above the 2009 national average of 89.1 percent (the national average rate for 2010 is not yet available). Kentucky's Synar rate has remained around 94 percent since 2003.

Tony Dehner, commissioner for the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control, emphasized the importance of cooperation in the effort to effectively combat youth access to tobacco products in Kentucky. "Our investigators do an excellent job in continuing to present a realistic expectation to the retailer that if a sale is made, it could be to a person acting on behalf of the agency," Dehner said. "In addition to conducting the Synar Survey, we check approximately 300 retail locations each month for sales to underage people using investigative aides. One cannot help but think that the compliance rate is greatly influenced by these efforts."

Kentucky consistently has a low rate of non-compliance, which is an important component of reducing youth access to tobacco," said Van Ingram, executive director of the Office of Drug Control Policy (ODCP). "We applaud the efforts of the Regional Prevention Centers, the Division of Behavioral Health, ABC, and our Kentucky retailers. The health of young Kentuckians is being improved by reducing the illegal use of tobacco products."

The Synar Amendment, named after its creator Mike Synar, congressman from Oklahoma, requires states to enact and enforce laws prohibiting the sale or distribution of tobacco products to individuals younger than 18 years old. States that fall below the 80 percent minimum compliance rate are subject to a penalty of 40 percent of their Federal Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment (SAPT) Block Grant funding.

The SAPT Block Grant, administered by CHFS, is the single largest funding stream in Kentucky sup-

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Front row, from left, Pikeville College Professor Robert Arts, PC alumnae Tiffany Thacker and Miranda Dotson and Wilson Paine, a Washington Center alumni. Back row, from left, Pikeville College President Paul E. Patton, Cade, Vice President and Dean Tom Hess and Libby Shockey.

PC sends reps to Washington Center Gala

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Pikeville College faculty, staff, students and alumni recently attended The Washington Center's 2010 Gala in Washington, D.C., at the renowned National Building Museum.

Proceeds from the gala provide support and scholarships for students participating in The Washington

Center's programs. The Washington Center's Gala 2010: "Transforming Potential into Achievement" marked the organization's 35th anniversary.

Honors were also given to special individuals who have devoted their lives to the service of their fellow citizens.

Pikeville College students have participated in The Washington Center seminars for several years. Nancy Cade, Ph.D., a professor of history and political science at the college, has served as a faculty advisor and mentor for the organization since 2004.

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In Memory of Jerome Kinzer

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For I am spending Christmas with Jesus Christ this year.
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But the sounds of music can't compare with the Christmas choir up here.

I have no words to tell you, the joy their voices bring,
For it is beyond description, to hear the angels sing.
I know how much you miss me, you know I hold you dear,
And be glad I'm spending Christmas with Jesus Christ this year.
I sent you each a special gift, from my heavenly home above,
I sent you each a memory of my undying love.

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Fines begin Jan. 1 for those texting while driving

FRANKFORT — A reminder to all Kentucky drivers: Fines begin Jan. 1, 2011, for anyone caught texting while driving and for those under 18 who use a cell phone while driving. Violators will be liable for fines of \$25 on a first offense and \$50 on each subsequent offense, plus court costs.

"Safety is a top priority of this administration," said Gov. Steve Beshear. "I am convinced that this new law, which many people worked with us to pass, will reduce crashes and fatalities on Kentucky roadways."

In Kentucky last year, there were more than 57,000 crashes — and more than 200 fatalities — attributed to driver distraction, inattention and cell phone use.

Gov. Beshear signed

House Bill 415 into law on April 15, 2010. The law bans texting for drivers of all ages while the vehicle is in motion. For drivers over 18, it allows the use of global positioning devices and reading, selecting or entering a telephone number or name for the purpose of making a phone call. Texting is allowed only to report illegal activity or to request medical or emergency aid.

For drivers under 18, no use of personal communication devices such as cell phones and pagers is allowed while the vehicle is in motion. The use of a global positioning system is allowed, but manually entering information must be completed while the vehicle is stopped.

Emergency and public

safety vehicles are exempt when the use of a personal communication device is essential to the operator's official duties.

"We believe the law will encourage drivers to stay

focused on the task at hand," said Transportation Secretary Mike Hancock. "And with tighter provisions for those under 18, our new drivers will automatically be educated on this

important safe driving practice."

According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, driver distraction and inattention contributes to 25 per-

cent of police-responded traffic crashes nationwide. Inexperienced drivers under 20 years old have the highest proportion of distraction-related fatal crashes.

Kentucky was the 22nd state to ban texting while driving. Currently, 30 states and the District of Columbia ban text messaging for all drivers. Twelve of these laws were enacted in 2010 alone.

Information on distracted driving is at <http://distracted.gov> and <http://highwaysafety.ky.gov/>.



Marsha Austin Hawkins

Hawkins receives National Board Certification

Marsha Hawkins, a former Prestonburg High School graduate and teacher at Paint Lick Elementary School in Garrard County, recently earned her certification from the National Board for Professional Standards, joining an elite club whose membership includes only one other teacher in Garrard County School District.

Hawkins earned an M.A.Ed. with an endorsement in Reading and Writing from Eastern Kentucky University in 2008.

Earning a National Board Certification is a rigorous task, according to education professionals. Like board-certified medical doctors, National Board Certified Teachers have met high standards through intensive study, submitting work portfolios, taking a battery of tests and creating filmed video critiques.

In the most rigorous and comprehensive study to date about National Board Certification, the non-partisan National Research Council found that students taught by NBPTS make higher gains on achievement tests than students taught by other teachers. Hawkins currently teaches fourth- and fifth-grade

mathematics classes and a language arts class. Prior to this school year, she taught four years in second grade.

Paint Lick Elementary Principal Larry E. Sparks said, "Mrs. Hawkins is a strong, dedicated and caring teacher. She implements new ideas when she sees them as effective ways of improving student achievement."

It is an intimidating process, Hawkins said. However, overcoming the intimidation of learning new concepts is what Hawkins helps kids do every day.

Hawkins is the daughter of long-time Floyd County residents Rev. and Mrs. Clifford H. Austin of Middle Creek.

For more information about NBPTS, visit the NBPTS Web Site at www.nbpts.org.



Lowell Parker, a state employee from Floyd County, recently met with Gov. Steve Beshear, as the governor signed agreements with the state employee union AFSCME. AFSCME represents employees across Kentucky, including those who work in Corrections, the Department of Juvenile Justice and the Department of Community Based Services.

Gala

including two national political conventions and two presidential inaugurations. Honored by The Washington Center as a "Faculty Leader of the Year" in 2007, she currently serves as campus liaison for the program and as a member of The Washington Center's national liaison advisory board.

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Cade established the Fred W. Meyer Jr. Washington Center Scholars Scholarship Fund at Pikeville College in honor of her father. The scholarships allow students to participate in the center's "Top Secret" seminars in January and the "Top Secret" seminar on national security in May.

On Sept. 30, during the Kiwanis Club of Pikeville annual installation of officers banquet, Patricia Compton received the Kiwanian of the Year award for her outstanding service to the Kiwanis Club of Pikeville. Compton has been a member of Kiwanis of Pikeville since 2000. She has also served as a board member for several years. Additionally, she participates in most service projects including the annual Easter egg hunt, fall festival, bi-annual road clean-up, and thanksgiving baskets. Patricia Compton lives in Pikeville, Kentucky, and she has two children, Alison Stacy and Dave Compton. She also has been blessed with two grandchildren, Brianna Corum and Will Compton. She stays very busy with her own business endeavors as the owner of Valley Agency Real Estate.

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Peppermint Ribbon Cookies

Makes about 6 dozen cookies

- 3 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 1 cup (2 sticks) butter, softened
- 1 1/3 cups granulated sugar
- 2 eggs
- 2 teaspoons Pure Vanilla Extract
- 2 to 4 drops Peppermint Candy Flavoring
- Christmas Red Icing Color, as desired
- 1 package (14 ounces) Candy Cane Colorburst Candy Melts, melted

In medium bowl, combine flour, salt and baking powder in large bowl, beat butter and sugar with electric mixer until light and creamy. Add eggs, vanilla and peppermint candy flavoring; mix well. Add flour mixture, one cup at a time, mixing well after each addition.

Remove 1/3 of dough, reserve. To remaining 2/3 dough in mixer bowl, beat in red icing color. Roll and shape dough between parchment paper into two 6 x 8-inch disks. Roll and shape uncolored dough between parchment paper to a 6 x 8-inch disk. Chill all dough rectangles at least 1 hour. Line cookie sheet with parchment paper. Peel parchment from dough pieces. Stack dough rectangles with uncolored dough rectangle between the two red pieces, lining them up as evenly as possible, gently press pieces together. Gently roll with rolling pin to seal layers, trim uneven edges with sharp knife. Cut dough lengthwise into three 2-inch-wide slices; cut each column crosswise into 1/4 inch-thick pieces. Arrange 2 inches apart on parchment-lined cookie pans. Chill 1/2 hour.

Preheat oven to 350°F. Bake 12 to 14 minutes or until bottoms are light golden brown. Remove cookies to cooling grids, cool completely.

Dip cooled cookies into melted Candy Melts, set on parchment-lined cookie pans. Chill until candy is set. Store in airtight container.

Candy Cane Cookies

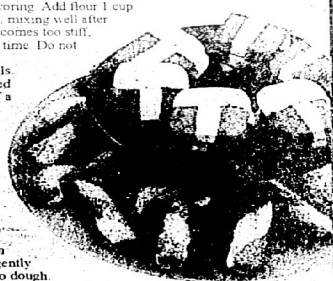
Makes about 2 dozen cookies

- 1 cup (2 sticks) butter, softened
- 1 cup granulated sugar
- 1 egg
- 1 1/2 teaspoons Pure Vanilla Extract
- 1/4 teaspoon Peppermint Candy Flavoring or 1/2 teaspoon Imitation Almond Extract
- 3 cups all-purpose flour
- No-Taste Red Icing Color
- White Sparkling Sugar

Preheat oven to 375°F. In large bowl, cream butter with sugar with mixer until light and fluffy. Beat in egg, vanilla and peppermint candy flavoring. Add flour 1 cup at a time to butter mixture, mixing well after each addition. If dough becomes too stiff, add water, a teaspoon at a time. Do not chill dough.

Divide dough into 2 balls. Color one ball of dough red with icing color. Punch off a 1-inch ball of each color dough. On flat surface, roll ball into 3-inch-long strips. Place red and white strips side-by-side, roll them together until the two colors have wrapped around one another and are twisted together. Curve the strip at the top to the shape of a candy cane and place on ungreased cookie sheet, gently press Sparkling Sugar into dough.

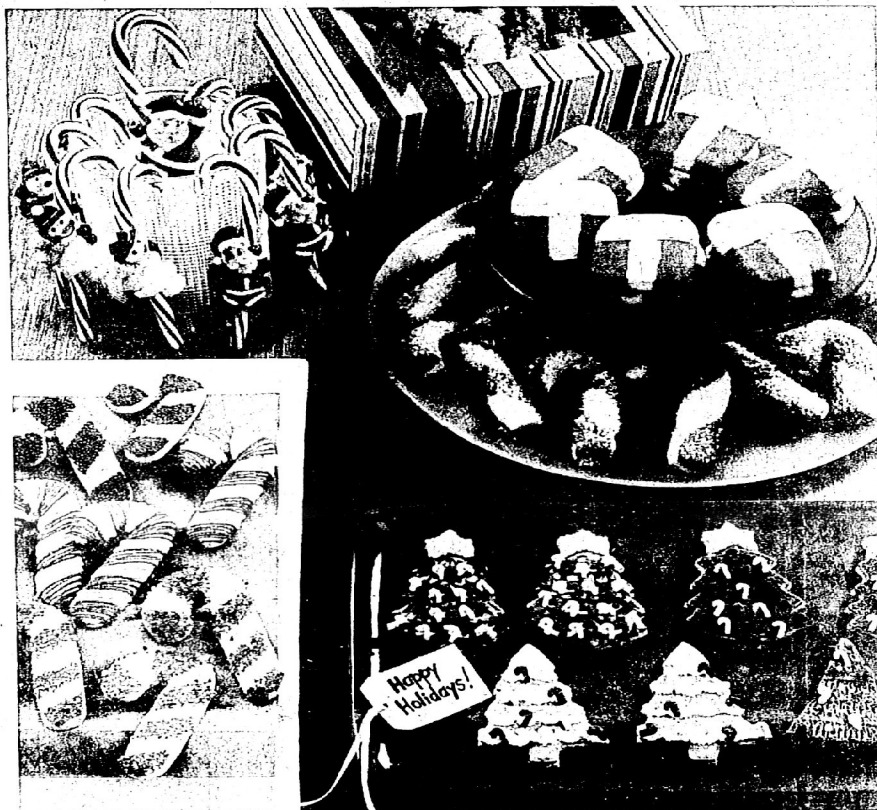
Bake 8 to 10 minutes or until cookies are lightly browned. Cool on pan 2 minutes, remove to cooling grid and cool completely.



Peppermint Ribbon Cookies and Candy Cane Cookies



Evergreen Treats



Candy Canes, Peppermint Ribbons and Evergreen Treats offer a minty mix of holiday cookies while Santa Claus and Frosty Friends Candy Cane Molds dress up everyone's favorite yuletide treats. Candy Cane Candy Molds instructions are available on package or on www.wilton.com.

Roll-Out Cookie Recipe

- 1 cup (2 sticks) unsalted butter, softened
- 1 1/2 cups granulated sugar
- 1 egg
- 1 1/2 teaspoons Pure Vanilla Extract
- 1/2 teaspoon Imitation Almond Extract
- 2 3/4 cups all-purpose flour
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1 teaspoon salt

Preheat oven to 400°F. In mixing bowl, cream butter with sugar until light and fluffy. Beat in egg and extracts. In a separate bowl mix flour, baking powder and salt, add to butter mixture 1 cup at a time, mixing after each addition. Do not chill dough.

Evergreen Treats

Makes about 3 dozen cookies

- Roll-Out Cookie Recipe
- 2 to 3 drops Peppermint Candy Flavoring or 1/2 teaspoon peppermint extract
- 3 piece Trees Cutter Set
- Cookie Sheet
- Cooling Grid
- Royal Icing*
- Buttercream Icing*
- Leaf Green Icing Color
- Round Decorating Tip 3
- Candy Cane Sprinkles
- Yellow Colored Sugars
- Jumbo Nonpareils

Prepare Roll-Out Cookie Recipe following instructions, adding peppermint candy flavoring**. Roll out dough 1/8 inch thick; cut tree shapes and arrange on cookie sheet. Bake 7 to 8 minutes or until cookies are lightly browned. Cool on cookie sheet 1 minute, remove to cooling grid and cool completely. Prepare icings. Tint portions of each icing green, reserving some white.

With royal icing, with tip 3, outline tree with green, fill in with thinned icing. Let dry. For trees with stars, fill in star with white icing; add yellow colored sugars and let dry. Add white icing garland using tip 3 outline, swirl or zigzag; arrange candy cane sprinkles.

With green buttercream icing, spatula ice cookies smooth or cover cookies with tip 3 zigzag "tree boughs." For trees with stars, ice star with white icing; add yellow sugars, pressing lightly into the icing. If desired, add white icing garlands to trees. Arrange candy cane sprinkles and jumbo nonpareils.

**Variation: tint cookie dough green with Leaf Green Icing Color. Cut cookies as above. Decorate as desired with white icing, sprinkles and sugars.

Candy Cane Chain

Makes about 2 dozen cookies

- Roll-Out Cookie Recipe
- 2 to 3 drops Peppermint Candy Flavoring or 1/2 teaspoon peppermint extract
- Candy Cane Comfort-Grip Cutter
- Cookie Sheet
- Cooling Grid
- Red and White Cookie Icing
- Red and White Candy Melts, melted
- Ruby and White Pearlized Sugar
- Red and White Nonpareils
- Buttercream Icing*

Prepare Roll-Out Cookie Recipe following instructions, adding peppermint candy flavoring. Roll out dough 1/8 inch thick; cut candy cane shapes and arrange on cookie sheet. Bake 9 to 11 minutes or until cookies are lightly browned. Cool on cookie sheet 1 minute; remove to cooling grid and cool completely.

To decorate with Cookie Icing or melted Candy Melts, drizzle in zigzag pattern or completely fill in stripes.

To decorate with Sugars and Nonpareils, spatula ice cookies smooth. Arrange sugars or nonpareils in stripe pattern**, lightly press into icing.

**To make it easier to place sugars and nonpareils, pour into Disposable Decorating Bag. Cut small hole in tip of bag and move the bag over the area to be covered and sugars.



Candy Cane Chain

*Note: Visit www.wilton.com for icing recipes.

First Lady speaks at dropout prevention summit

SOMERSET — Leading regional efforts to tackle the state's growing number of high school dropouts, Forward in the Fifth and The Center for Rural Development partnered with Kentucky's First Lady Jane Beshear to host a regional dropout prevention summit on Dec. 9 at The Center aimed at raising public awareness about how to engage and keep more students in school and on the pathway to success.

Beshear joined community leaders, school officials, and around 250 students from four high schools in Pulaski County at a one-day conference, "STAARS Summit: A Community Approach," continuing her push to challenge today's youth to take a proactive approach to their education and make plans for the future.

STAARS—which stands for Students Taking Action to Achieve Real Success—is the last of seven regional meetings held across the state in partnership with Graduate Kentucky, a statewide dropout-reduction initiative which emphasizes working at the local level to keep students in school.

"As we conclude the Graduate Kentucky Regional Summits, I would like to thank all of those who have taken a vested interest in turning the tide on our dropout problem and in strengthening our state, one community at a time," Mrs. Beshear said. "The work we have undertaken does not end. The conversations we have started must now be turned into community-based actions and a statewide effort to empower

every child in Kentucky with a high school education."

After delivering the opening remarks, Mrs. Beshear met with student representatives on the STAARS Planning Committee and pre-selected group of students representing Pulaski County, Somerset, and Southwestern high schools and Somerset Christian School for more than an hour in a "fireside chat" to get their input on what steps could be taken to reduce the dropout rate and keep more students interested and engaged in continuing their education.

Heather Boatman, a member of the STAARS planning committee, and senior at Pulaski County High School, said she supported legislation that would increase the dropout age to 18 as a way to deter high school students from dropping out.

The current dropout age in Kentucky is 16, which was adopted back in 1920 when children would routinely leave school to work on farms or in coal mines.

"I think (raising the dropout age) will help a lot because by the time you are 18 years old you are pretty much a senior and you have already made it most of the way through high school," Boatman said after attending the student panel discussion with Mrs. Beshear.

"Why quit when you are about ready to graduate?" Forward in the Fifth, a non-profit organization formed in 1986 by U.S. Congressman Harold "Hal" Rogers (KY-05) and a group of business and community leaders to reverse

low educational attainment levels in the Fifth Congressional District, is working with Mrs. Beshear and Graduate Kentucky to tackle the high school dropout problem on a regional level in Southern and Eastern Kentucky by partnering to host the STAARS Summit.

"The engagement of educators, students, and community leaders to solve key education issues is central to the original vision of Forward in the Fifth when created more than 20 years ago," executive director Jim Tackett said. "Identifying relevant solutions by those who live and work in a given community is the true answer."

"That is what is so exciting about this Summit," he added. "Everyone is working together to decrease stu-

dent dropout and elevate the value of education in this county."

During the first half of the program, students participated in a series of high-energy, informational break-out sessions—including College Reality and fun-filled game based on the popular television show "Jeopardy"—to get them thinking about their future. These sessions addressed topics such as high school prep, college admission transcripts, and financial aid.

After lunch and an inspirational message by keynote speaker Hasan Davis, students attended short "Buzz Sessions" presented by career professionals working in the areas of professional sports, medical, engineering and math, human services, laws, per-

forming arts, business and entrepreneurship, and military service.

"The sky is the limit for our young people, communities, and region when we realize the potential and opportunity education can provide," Tackett said. "We must encourage, model, and challenge one another to be lifelong learners and explore the possibilities. Education is a key ingredient in transforming Southern and Eastern Kentucky."

Information shared at the Summit will be used by members of a local College Access Planning Committee to make recommendations about ways to create more opportunities to get and keep high school students excited about education and the possibilities it can hold for them.

"STAARS Summit: A Community Approach," a name chosen by local students on a multigenerational committee that helped organize the event, was sponsored in part by the Governor's Office, Forward in the Fifth, The Center for Rural Development, Somerset Community College, Graduate Kentucky, Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority, GEAR-Up Kentucky, Kentucky College Access Network, and America's Promise Alliance.

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Experience at Perkins center puts Guest back on the right track

David Guest, 22, of Lakeland, Fla., had started on the right track after completing high school. He had a great paying job at a local hospital, his own apartment and family support. Everything was going good for the then-18-year-old.

But making some poor choices — staying out late with friends, partying, showing up late for work and other employability issues — cost him dearly. He lost his job, which in turn caused him to lose his apartment forcing him to return to his parents' home and back to a minimum wage job.

His stepmother had heard about Job Corps through a friend at work and expressed to David that it might be something he should consider. Within weeks, he met an admissions counselor and enrolled in Carl D. Perkins Job Corps this past June.

Guest feels that with his certification in Hotel Lodging and with his improved employability skills he has developed since enrollment, he is now ready to return to the work force and be more professional and career minded.

During Guest's enrollment he has:

- Completed Hotel Lodging
- Been a team member for the Regional Champion Academic Olympics Team
- Currently is working with the City of Prestonsburg as his Work Base Learning assignment.
- President of his dorm wing
- Completed Leadership Training
- Has recorded a commercial for the City of Prestonsburg that is running on Q95.
- Intends to enlist in the Armed Forces or enroll in



David Guest

college upon completion of the program.

"Job Corps took me out of my comfort zone," Guest said. "It helped me to grow as a leader and to develop more self motivation to succeed."

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Knott native wins Powerball jackpot

by JARRID DEATON
FEATURES WRITER

LOUISVILLE — A Knott County native is now a multi-millionaire after winning the Kentucky Lottery's Powerball jackpot.

Muncie Meade, a resident of Louisville who was born and raised in Knott County, presented the

\$19.12 million-winning Powerball ticket at a Kentucky Lottery headquarters on Monday.

Meade, 24, said he couldn't believe it when he saw that the winning numbers matched his ticket.

"I got up Sunday morning, and while I was still in bed I opened up my laptop and checked the lottery's website to see the winning

numbers," Meade said. "I kept looking at the screen and at my ticket, and I couldn't believe what I saw."

Allyson McCormick, Meade's fiancée, also had a hard time believing that millions of dollars would soon be heading their way.

"I thought he was joking," McCormick said. "I kept looking at the date and

at the winning numbers. People talk about how your chances of winning are like getting hit by lightning, and I couldn't believe what was happening."

Meade said that he comes from humble beginnings in Knott County, mentioning his three brothers and the fact that his mother died from injuries sustained in a coal mining

accident when he was 16 years old.

"We've all four been on our own ever since then," Meade said. "I have to believe mom was looking out for us on Saturday night."

Along with plans to invest in New Leaf Lawn Care, his business, Meade also said he plans to buy each of his three brothers

their own home, and that the remainder will be invested as he and Allyson start to plan their wedding.

Meade chose to take the cash option for his winnings, meaning his jackpot was \$9.56 million. After 25 percent federal and 6 percent state taxes are withheld, \$6.6 million will be wired to Meade's checking account within the next two weeks.

Pike business owners win award

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

DORTON — Two Pike County business owners were the most recent recipients of the state's

Excellence in Entrepreneurship Award (EIEA). Shanon and Kendall Wright, owners of Wright Concrete and Construction Company in Dorton, were

give the award for 2010 as their company continued over the past year to expand, as it has done in the years before.

The Wright brothers were honored with the award, given in the for-profit business category, on Dec. 10 at Landmark Inn in Pikeville.

"The Excellence in Entrepreneurship Awards (EIEA) program was established in 2001 to recognize and honor excellence in entrepreneurs who demonstrate exceptional achievements in Southern and Eastern Kentucky," pro-

gram emcee Lonnie Lawson, president and CEO of The Center for Rural Development, said.

"Shanon and Kendall Wright and Wright Concrete and Construction illustrate that the entrepreneurial spirit is alive and well and provide perfect examples of how small businesses remain the backbone of our region—and the state's—economy."

The business was started in 1998 first by Shanon Wright and, later on, Shanon was joined by his brother.

"We bounce a lot of

ideas off each other," said Kendall Wright. "That's how we came up with some of the niche, or specialty work, that we do for our customers."

The company has grown over the past 12 years to include drilling, concrete construction and pumping, as well as concrete mixing work for underground mining operations.

"To be successful, you have to dream big," Shanon Wright said. "You have to be able to have no limitations on what you feel you can accomplish."

Columbia Gas warns of phishing scam

by JARRID DEATON
FEATURES WRITER

Columbia Gas, a Lexington-based company with thousands of customers in Eastern Kentucky, has issued a consumer alert to warn customers about a possible scam that has been recently reported.

According to information provided by Columbia Gas, the company has received reports of someone misrepresenting themselves as an employee of Columbia Gas or another energy company and trying to obtain personal financial or account information.

"People have reported that the caller indicates that they have a past due account and asks for a credit card number," said Lisa Smith, communications manager for Columbia Gas. "In some cases, these calls have been received by Columbia Gas of Kentucky business customers. In other cases, those receiving the calls are not Columbia Gas customers. Before you disclose any information over the phone, call Columbia Gas of Kentucky to verify the status of your account."

To contact Columbia Gas, call (800) 432-9345.

Floyd man featured artist at Expo Center

by SHELDON COMPTON
STAFF WRITER

PIKEVILLE — A Floyd County man is currently the featured artist at the East Kentucky Expo Center Artist Gallery in Pikeville.

Brett Bentley, a native of Floyd County, focuses his artist efforts both as a photographer and with wood-working methods he uses in frame making.

But Bentley said there just seemed to be something missing at the end of the day.

"Although, I enjoyed all those outdoor activities, I wanted to bring something back, not just my memories, but something tangible."

The next logical step, Bentley says, was to dig out his dad's neglected 35mm Minolta camera from the closet and taking it along with him on his outings.

"Now I travel frequently to destinations in Appalachia with my camera to document these old hills as well as other places across the country."

Photography moved into woodworking as Bentley, who said he was inspired by local frame maker and pho-

tographer Kenny Mitchell to do the same.

"I started crafting my own frames from various hardwoods," said Bentley. "Using wood for framing affords me full creative control when it comes to style and accentuation of my images."

The gallery will be open throughout the rest of this month during normal business hours which are Monday through Friday opening at 9 a.m. and closing at 5 p.m.

For more information about Bentley's photographs, frames or prints, call (606) 226-0716.

Pedestrian killed

by JARRID DEATON
FEATURES WRITER

COAL RUN — An Idaho man was killed on Thursday as he attempted to cross the road at Coal Run in Pike County.

According to police, Lance Wortley, 54, of Kuna, Idaho, was attempting to cross U.S. 23 on foot at 10:27 p.m. when he was struck by a vehicle operated by Danny Simpson, 53, of Pikeville. After Simpson's

vehicle struck Wortley, he was struck again by a vehicle operated by Matthew Adkins, 22, of Pikeville. Wortley was pronounced dead at the scene by Pike County Coroner Russell Roberts. Simpson and Adkins were not injured in the accident and no criminal charges are expected to be filed.

The accident is currently under investigation by KSP Det. Eddie Crum.

Storm

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be aware of possible power outages.

The advisory says a low pressure system will track along the Tennessee Valley, with warming air overriding the cold as the low pressure moves to the south. This, says meteorologists, will set the stage for the wintry mix of precipitation.

Days before the snowfall began Sunday, road crews were out in force along the

major routes of travel in Floyd County, salting sections of U.S. 23 and Route 80, as well as some secondary roads.

And those same crews are now preparing for today and tomorrow, as the weather service predicts rain beginning late today that will turn to a mixture of snow, sleet and freezing rain.

Bishop

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Ridgeway and Harolyn Howard, who were appointed to serve as his defense counsel. Bishop filed a motion in December 2000 to disqualify Howard from the case because she was expected to be called as a material witness. One month later, Bishop filed a motion to proceed as his own co-counsel in the case.

According to court documents, a hearing was held on the motion for Bishop to proceed as co-counsel, and Circuit Judge John David Caudill asked the court-appointed counsel and the Commonwealth their positions on the motion. Caudill then issued a ruling denying the motion.

The Supreme Court also

ruled in February 2009 on various items that are expected to be reintroduced in the new trial, including physical evidence and what is listed as Bishop's previous "bad acts."

According to the Supreme Court's ruling, the items of evidence were properly introduced except for the testimony of Kentucky State Police Trooper Eddie Crum regarding Carolyn Bishop's frequent black eyes, ruling that Caudill abused his discretion in allowing the testimony without further evidence linking Bishop to the injuries.

Though continued, no new date has yet been set for Bishop's trial.

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58th District Boys' Basketball Showdown: Bobcats hold off South Floyd

Seniors Martin, Turner lead respective teams in competitive conference contest

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

BETSY LAYNE - Betsy Layne stayed a couple of baskets ahead of South Floyd when it mattered the

most Friday night, defeating the visiting Raiders 55-45 in a Floyd County Conference/58th District boys' basketball game at the Dome.

Senior guard/forward Nathan Martin scored a team-high 23 points to lead the Bobcats. Junior guard Andrew Roberts netted 11 points and senior guard Derek Tackett tossed in 10 for Betsy Layne, which

improved to 3-0 after defeating South Floyd in its first game in exactly one week following an impressive 83-64 win over Allen Central. South Floyd dropped to 1-2 following the loss.

Betsy Layne outscored South Floyd 12-7 in the opening quarter. The Bobcats, however, couldn't pull away from the rival Raiders until the final quarter.

Betsy Layne clung to a 25-22 lead at intermission and led South Floyd 36-33 through three quarters.

Senior forward/center Casey Adkins posted seven points while senior guard Dylan Maldonado tossed in three and freshman forward Dylan Hamilton scored on a free throw for the undefeated Bobcats.

Betsy Layne, the 15th Region runner-up last sea-

son, converted free throw attempts late in the contest to secure the conference/district win.

Senior forward/center Shannon Turner netted a game-high 24 points for the Raiders. Dakota Hall, a senior guard, added 12 points for the Raiders.

South Floyd suffered its second straight loss.

Betsy Layne 55, South Floyd 45
South Floyd (1-2): Hall 12, Turner 24, Marson 2, Rhea 2, Daniels 5

Betsy Layne (3-0): Adkins 7, Roberts 11, Martin 23, Maldonado 3, Tackett 10, Hamilton 1.

SF.....7 15 11 12-45
BL.....12 13 11 19-55

Pikeville runs past outmanned Mansfield in doubleheader

TIMES STAFF REPORT

PIKEVILLE - In the midst of finals, Pikeville College had an easy day of it with a sweep of Ohio State-Mansfield on Saturday. The games were played early, beginning at 11 a.m., to clear the East Kentucky Expo Center for the annual Farm Bureau Classic.

The women's team opened action with a 98-36 win over the Mavericks, while the men closed it out with a 145-52 decision.

The teams return to action on Thursday night when they return to Mid-South Conference play with a doubleheader at Georgetown College. The women play at 6 p.m., while the men follow at 8 o'clock.

The men are home again on Dec. 29 when they play host to Temple Baptist College in a 4 p.m. tip at the Pikeville College Gym. The women are home again on Jan. 3, entertaining Virginia Intermont College at 5:30 at the Pikeville College Gym.

WOMEN: The top five scorers came off the bench for Bill Watson's club in a 98-36 win.

Freshman Kayla Stamper led the Bears with 13 points. Sophomore Sally Roberts followed with 12 while sophomore Katelyn Minix tossed in 11.

Senior Natiera Hinton tossed in six points and added eight rebounds. In the 10th game of the season, it was the first time all year she didn't lead Pikeville in scoring.

Pikeville (8-2) put everybody on the team in the scoring column with the exception of junior point guard, who started but played only nine minutes of action.

Mansfield (2-6) was led by sophomore Olivia Porter's 13 points. She had a double-double, grabbing 11 rebounds.

MEN: Pikeville shot 66 percent from the floor and cruised to an easy 145-52 win over the Mavericks.

The Bears dominated the glass to the tune of 64-15, getting double-doubles from three players. They handed

(See **PIKEVILLE**, page two)

P'burg drops road game to Sheldon Clark

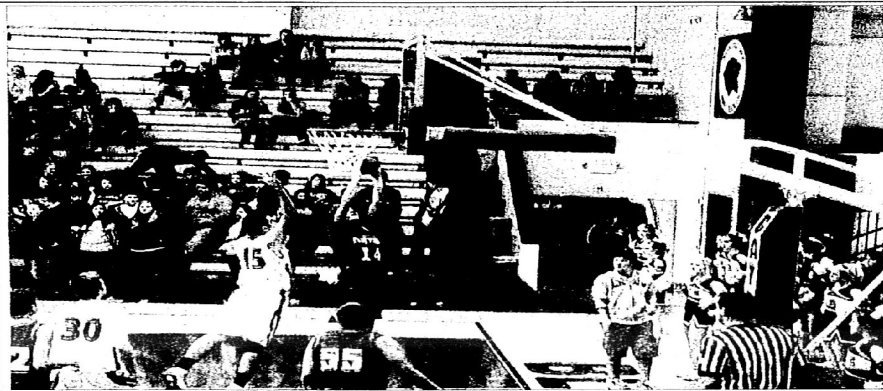
by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

INEZ - Floyd County native Kevin Spurluck guided his Sheldon Clark Cardinals past a familiar rival over the weekend. Sheldon Clark, behind a game-high 26 points from senior guard Tyler Lafferty, defeated visiting Prestonsburg 74-44.

Senior guard B.J. Moore scored 13 points and freshman guard Justin Johnson added 12 for the victorious Cardinals.

Sheldon Clark moved to 3-1 after registering the win.

(See **P'BURG**, page two)



Prestonsburg opened conference/district competition with a 79-73 win over visiting Allen Central. Above: Allen Central's Jon Gibson delivered a layup against heavy Prestonsburg defensive pressure.

Blackcats claw past Allen Central for key conference/district victory at Fieldhouse

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

PRESTONSBURG - After opening the season with back-to-back losses to Pikeville (50-60) and Letcher County Central (41-58), Prestonsburg landed in the win column on Friday night, defeating longtime Floyd County Conference/58th District foe Allen Central 79-73 at the Fieldhouse.

Senior center/forward Corey Bentley scored 22 points and sophomore guard Bryson Williams netted 18 to help push Prestonsburg past Allen Central for the conference/district win.

Prestonsburg, under the guidance of veteran head coach Jack Pack, owned slim leads at the end of each quarter. The Blackcats edged Allen Central 17-16 in the opening period and entered halftime out in front 35-32.

Prestonsburg added to its lead in the third quarter, outscoring Allen Central 21-16.

The Rebels, prior to falling short in the end, outscored Prestonsburg 25-22 in the fourth quarter.

Eight different Prestonsburg players broke into the scoring column. Senior forward Alex Griffith added 11 points for the Blackcats. Warren

Blackburn, Caleb Petry and Wesley Robinson chipped in seven points apiece for Prestonsburg in the key victories.

Seth Carter scored four points and Corey Carter contributed three for the Blackcats.

Braxton Tackett scored a game-high 28 points to lead the Rebels. Seth Jarrell netted 21 points for Allen Central in the setback.

Micah Harlow joined Tackett and Jarrell in double figures, scoring 11 points in the loss.

Junior Handshoe had seven points while Austin Woods, Jon Gibson and Donovan Salyer chipped in two points apiece for the Rebels.

Allen Central dropped its second straight game after opening the season with a convincing 91-47 win over Jackson City.

In a girls' game, Prestonsburg defeated Allen Central 38-31.

Prestonsburg 79
Allen Central 73
Allen Central (1-2): Woods 2, Jarrell 21, Gibson 2, Tackett 28, Handshoe 7, Harlow 11, Salyer 2.

Prestonsburg (1-2): Blackburn 7, C. Carter 3, Griffith 11, Petry 7, C. Bentley 22, Williams 18, S. Carter 4, Robinson 7.

AC.....16 16 16 25-73
P'burg 17 19 21 22-79



Host Prestonsburg held off Allen Central in a close Floyd County Conference/58th District matchup. Below: Prestonsburg senior center/forward Seth Carter blocked an Allen Central field goal attempt from guard Seth Jarrell.



Betsy Layne edges UH in KFB Classic

Adkins, Martin, Roberts deliver for Bobcats in tough matchup

by STEVE LeMASTER
SPORTS EDITOR

PIKEVILLE Betsy Layne edged longtime state powerhouse University Heights 55-54 on Saturday in the 2010 Kentucky Farm Bureau Classic at the East Kentucky Expo Center.

The Bobcats, remaining undefeated in the 2010-11 season, improved to 4-0.

Balanced scoring was prevalent for the Bobcats as Casey Adkins registered a game-high 18 points, Nathan Martin netted 14 and Andrew Roberts dumped in 11.

Fifteenth Region championship contender Betsy Layne thrived early and late in the challenging early-season contest. The Bobcats outscored University Heights 15-10 in the opening quarter. Betsy Layne, no stranger to the Expo Center hardwood, carried a 26-21 lead into halftime.

University Heights took a slim lead in the second half, outscoring Betsy Layne 21-12 in the third quarter. Finishing strong, experienced Betsy Layne outscored University Heights 17-12 in the fourth period.

Derek Tackett scored seven points and Dylan Maldonado added five for the Bobcats in the neutral court victory.

University Heights, a contender for the 2nd Region title, slipped into the loss column for the first time since the 2010-11 season.

Other results from the Kentucky Farm Bureau Classic were: Shelby Valley 65, Doss 64; Moore 45, Perry County Central 34; Central 61, Pikeville 46.

Betsy Layne 55, University Heights 54
University Heights (4-1): McGowan 14, Smith 4, Jeffer 16, Ladd 1, Vance 9, McNeese 7, Byrum 3.

Betsy Layne (4-0): Adkins 18, Roberts 11, Martin 14, Maldonado 5, Tackett 7.

UHA.....10 11 21 12-54
BL.....15 11 12 17-55

Bowl bound: UK football team returns to practice

Senior QB Hartline suspended for upcoming bowl game

TIMES STAFF REPORT

LEXINGTON - After a week of coaches recruiting and players preparing for next week's final examina-

tions, the University of Kentucky football team returned to practice Saturday morning with a two-hour workout in the Nutter Field House.

After practice, Coach Joker Phillips announced that senior quarterback Mike Hartline has received a disciplinary suspension for UK's game against

Pittsburgh in the BBVA Compass Bowl on January 8.

"Mike has had a good record here conduct-wise and I regret that this has happened but it did," Phillips said. "(He has) helped this program accomplish a fifth-straight bowl. He has done a great job at that. But, we have clear

expectations of how we want our players to act, how we want them to behave. Therefore, we are going to suspend him for this game.

"It is tough on me because of how I feel about Mike and what he has done for this program but that is something that you have to do as a head coach. You have to make a decision and

our expectations are clear cut. We have to stick with them."

Hartline completed 66.2 percent of his passes for 3,178 yards and 23 touchdowns this season. Highlights of the season included becoming the first quarterback to win three:

(See **FOOTBALL**, page two)

Kentucky bear season opens Saturday in Pike, Letcher, Harlan counties

FRANKFORT — When black bear hunting comes up in conversation, the inevitable trivia question will be: "In what year did a hunter take a black bear during Kentucky's first hunts of the modern era?"

The answer could be 2010, if a hunter bags a bear the weekend of Dec. 18-19. Last year, an early season snowstorm limited the opportunity to bag a bruin for the 372 hunters who bought permits for Kentucky's first bear hunt in more than a century.

Another interesting fact is in three Kentucky counties a hunter, with all the necessary permits, could conceivably take a bear, elk and deer all on the same day.

Harlan, Letcher and Pike counties offer these opportunities. These three Kentucky counties are open to bear hunting Dec. 18-19 and are part of Kentucky's 16-county elk zone, where a seven-day cow elk quota hunt begins on Dec. 18. The third weekend in December is also the last weekend of Kentucky's nine-day late muzzleloader season for deer, and hunters in these three counties can take deer of either sex Dec. 17-19.

"We wanted our first bear hunts to be late in the season to gauge hunter participation and success, while limiting the harvest of females," said Steven Dobby, bear program coordinator for the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. "Females den earlier than males, and we wanted to concentrate the harvest on male bears."

The return of a hunting season for black bears in Kentucky is a wildlife management milestone. In the early 20th century, most big game animals had disappeared or were at historically low population levels. Today, all the state's native big game species, except for bison, have increased to huntable population levels.

The American black bear (*Ursus americanus*), once abundant throughout much of Kentucky, was nearly absent from the state by the early 1900s.

Black bears hung on in the remote forests of southern Appalachia and made a comeback throughout the region. Today, they are the most abundant and widespread of all eight bear species in the world.

In Kentucky, it took about 25 years for natural range expansion to establish a bear population, not by a planned restocking effort. Male bears arrived first, followed by sows that eventually produced cubs. Bears re-colonized eastern Kentucky's mountain region from the neighboring states of West Virginia, Virginia and Tennessee, where bear populations remained viable.

Dobby said Kentucky appears to have two distinct populations of bears — the Pine Mountain population and a second population in the Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area.

"The bears in Harlan, Letcher and Pike counties are genetically similar to bears in West Virginia and Virginia, and the McCreary County population is more genetically similar to bears that were transplanted into Tennessee from the Great Smoky Mountains," Dobby explained.

Bears now have access to large chunks of quality forest habitat in Kentucky since timber stands have reached maturity after being cut about a century ago.

As a result, Kentucky has a resident bear population that is only going to get bigger and more visible with time. In the late 1990s, Kentucky Fish and Wildlife would typically receive about 20 to 30 reports a year of bear sightings. The numbers swelled to hundreds a year a decade later.

"The population has shown phenomenal growth from only a decade ago. We've been monitoring this population and have been involved in research with the University of Kentucky for almost 10 years. Based on our research efforts, it's clear that Kentucky's bear population can support a sustainable harvest," he said.

Natural reproduction by bears in Kentucky has been documented since the early 2000s. "The other driving force in establishing a bear season was public interest and support from sporting organizations in Kentucky," Dobby said.

The harvest quota for the 2010 season is 10 bears total — or five female bears — whichever limit hunters reach first.

Dobby said most female bears were already in their dens for the winter, with some denning as early as October, based upon information from radio-collared bears.

The bag limit is one bear per hunter. The hunt is open to any Kentucky resident who has a valid bear hunting permit and hunting license.

Successful hunters must take their bear to one of the check-in stations set up in each of the open counties.

Biologists will weigh the bears, take body measurements and biological samples for research, and attach a carcass tag to each harvested animal. Hunters must also Telecheck their bear before leaving the check station.

Hunters may not take female bears with cubs or bears weighing less than 75 pounds. A 75-pound bear is about the same size as an adult Labrador retriever. Baiting is prohibited, including garbage used as bait. For example, hunters may not shoot a bear feeding at a garbage can or dumpster.

P'burg

The surging Martin County Cardinals notched their third straight win.

Prestonsburg slipped to 1-2 following the loss.

Sheldon Clark made the most of a stellar start versus the Blackcats.

Host Sheldon Clark outscored Prestonsburg 21-13 in the first quarter and after holding the Blackcats to single digits in the second period, packed a 40-21 lead into halftime.

The Cardinals led 60-30 when the third quarter ended.

Senior guard Kelley Hayes scored seven points and sophomore guard Chase Kirk and senior center Channing Smith chipped in six apiece for the Cardinals.

Sophomore guard Bryson Williams led Prestonsburg with 14 points. Seth Carter, Warren Blackburn and Cory Bentley flipped in five points each for the Blackcats.

Prestonsburg dipped back into the loss column one night after notching an important conference/district victory over Allen

Central.

Sheldon Clark 74, Prestonsburg 44.

Prestonsburg (1-2): Griffith 5, C. Carter 2, Bentley 2, Williams 14, S. Carter 5, Stapleton 4, Cor. Bentley 5, Arnett 2.

Sheldon Clark (3-1): B. Moore 13, Lafferty 26, Kirk 6, Johnson 12, Smith 6, Hayes 7, M. Moore 2, Nichols 2.

P'burg...13 8 9 14-44

SC.....21 19 20 14-74

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Football

straight Governor's Cup games over Louisville and leading the Wildcats to the biggest comeback in win school history, a 31-28 thriller over South Carolina after UK trailed 28-10 at halftime.

"We have 120 guys on our football team and the vast majority of the team our guys are doing what they are supposed to do," Phillips continued.

"However, when something like this happens we have to hold them accountable. Our team understands that the expecta-

tion from here on is that somebody has to step up. It is an opportunity for someone else to step up and help us win this year."

Phillips also announced that sophomore Morgan Newton will start the bowl game. Newton has played in only four games this season, completing 4-of-7 passes for 54 yards. Newton started the last eight games of the 2009 season when Hartline was injured, completing 55.6 percent of his passes for 706 yards and six touchdowns.

"Morgan will be the guy."

Phillips said. "He is the guy that has been the second for a long time this season but Moss (redshirt...freshman Ryan Mossakowski) will have a chance as we practice to plead his case also and have a chance to play."

The team practiced again Sunday and will go through final examinations this week.

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Pikeville

out an amazing 40 assists while turning it over only nine times.

Pikeville (10-2) put eight players in double figures, led by junior Kane Belcher's 23 points and 12 rebounds off the bench. He was followed by junior Chris Puckett's 16, thanks to 5-of-10 shooting

from the arc.

Senior Andre Thornton finished with 14 points, hitting all six of his field-goal attempts. Senior Vance Cooksey tossed in 13 and handed out six assists while committing no turnovers. Seniors Quincy Hawkins-Cole and Carlos Woodard

flipped in 12 apiece.

A pair of freshmen had the first double-doubles of their career. Tyler Newsome had 11 points and 11 rebounds, while Josh Whitaker added 11 points and 10 assists.

Martini was led by junior Curtis Remy, who had a game-high 27 points.

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Masonry program paving the way for students

by DAPHNE KIRK
GOBLE

PAINTSVILLE — Ever heard the song "One Day at a Time"? Well, the Masonry Program at Big Sandy Community and Technical College (BSCTC) is paving the way for students' a brick and a stone at a time.

Masonry is a craft and profession in the construction industry that requires considerable skill and expertise. Be it a chimney, a fireplace or a decorative driveway, you can bet that masonry is involved in the construction of just about everything.

The Masonry Program at Big Sandy CTC includes all aspects of construction. Students learn the skills necessary to be competitive in the workplace by focusing on the application of brick, block, stone and tile, etc.

The Masonry Program at BSCTC incorporates artistic and structural design. Students gain work experience through construction projects by collaborating with Carpentry, HVAC, and the Electricity Programs. Students of the Program practice and perfect skills in live, revolving field environments (i.e., Habitat for Humanity Homes) and workshops that expand, refine and polish dexterity and expertise in the masonry trade. Additionally, students make valuable contacts in the masonry field through participation in active advisory committees made up of professionals from business and industry.

Associate Professor, Randall Haney leads the Masonry Program on the



Big Sandy Community and Technical College masonry students Joby Potter and Sam Fletcher put their skills to work.

BSCTC Hager Hill Campus, Haney, explains, "Our goal is to provide students with the skills, knowledge and insight to make them expert craftsmen. The Masonry Program at Big Sandy is up-to-date with industry standards and teaches groundbreaking advances in technology, design and technique." Haney concludes, "Graduates of the Program leave with all of the necessary skills and expertise to meet the demands of today's job market."

Big Sandy CTC graduates find employment in a variety of construction fields such as, bricklayers, block masons, stone masons, laborers, sub-con-

tractors, tile installers and concrete finishers.

Prospective students must submit the following to be considered for the Program:

- Application for admission
- ACT scores or equivalent
- Copy of high school transcript or GED certificate
- Verification of completion of prerequisite courses
- Official transcripts of all post-secondary course work or a copy of midterm grades

For information about the BSCTC Masonry Program on the Hager Hill Campus contact Associate Professor, Randall Haney at

(606) 788-2939 or e-mail randell.haney@kctcs.edu.

Big Sandy Community and Technical College offers academic and educational programs that provide valuable opportunities

to the communities of Eastern, KY. BSCTC advances excellence and innovation in teaching, learning and community service. Additional information about the many ac-

ademic and technical programs offered at BSCTC is available by visiting <http://www.bigsandy.kctcs.edu/> or by calling (606) 886-3863.

As the season begins to turn cold Big Sandy RECC wants to remind you to start preparing your home for winter. They'll provide you with some energy saving tips to save you money and they can perform a free energy audit to help you discover any potential energy problems and energy savings. Should you suffer a power outage please use the following number to report it.

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Community Calendar

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Editor's note: To announce your community event, you may hand-deliver your item to The Floyd County Times office, located at 263 S. Central Avenue, Prestonsburg; or mail to: The Floyd County Times, P.O. Box 390, Prestonsburg, KY 41653; or fax to 606-886-3603; or email to: features@floyd-countytimes.com. Information will not be taken over the telephone. All items will be placed on a first-come, first-serve basis as space permits.

First Presbyterian Church

to celebrate Christmas season
Please join the First Presbyterian Church in celebrating the wonderful Christmas Season. We have the following special events planned: Christmas Play and Dinner—Sunday, December 19, at 5 p.m.

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service—Friday, Dec. 24, at 8 p.m.
All are welcome to these services.

Please join us in celebration of Jesus Christ's birth. For more information, please call 886-2214.

The Church is located beside Jerry's restaurant in Prestonsburg.

Foster parents needed

Do something rewarding, change a child's life by becoming a foster parent. Singles & couples welcome. Foster families are financially compensated monthly and will receive other financial reimbursements. Call for more information at 606-886-0163 or visit our website at: www.benchmarkfamily-services.org

Annual Christmas Project

Middle Creek Vol. Fire Dept. and Ladies Auxiliary
December 15 from 9 a.m. till 5 p.m.; 16 from 12:01 p.m. till 8 p.m.; 17 from 12:01 p.m. till 8 p.m. We will be giving out clothes for all ages, household items, toys, and etc., for anyone in need.

"Santa will be joining us all the way from North Pole on Saturday, December 18, from 12 noon until 3 p.m. He will have lots of goodies for boys and girls. So be sure and join us for another opportunity to tell Santa your Christmas wishes.

All activities will be at Middle Creek Vol. Fire Dept., Station No. 1 on Christmas Grove, off Rt. 114.
For more information, call: (606) 886-9097 during time of give away.

Call Deal Faye Holbrook (606) 886-8481 or cell (606) 226-3525 or (889) 889-0216. Faye Click.

Ladies Aux. also take donation any time through the year.

Merry Christmas to all—May God bless.

"Live Drive through

Science

psyllids from different countries in Asia. That information could yield great clues as to where we need to go hunting for those useful natural enemies of the psyllid; it's not a one-size fits all situation.

Meanwhile, another ARS scientist is whipping up essential oils called petit-grain oils, typically used as perfume bases, to see which ones do the best job of imitating the scent of those flushing citrus roots that attract the psyllids. If the scientist can identify a scent that fools the psyllids into

Nativity"

December 11 and 12, from 6 till 9 p.m., Christ United Methodist Church, 102 Methodist Lane, Allen, Kentucky on Church Parking Lot.
"Come, go back to the night when Jesus was born in Bethlehem. Experience the wonder of the Special night from the comfort of your own car.

Also, come join us December 19, 11 a.m., Christ United Methodist Chancel Choir under direction of Debbie Evans, will present their Christmas Cantata "God With Us, Emmanuel."
December 15, Wesley Christian School, will present their Christmas musical, in Wesley Gym at 12:30 p.m.
December 24, at 8 p.m., Christmas Eve Candlelight Service.

First Presbyterian Church Operation Christmas Shoebox

The First Presbyterian Church is Prestonsburg, KY is once again collecting shoeboxes for the Operation Christmas Shoebox organization. Since 1993, this Samaritan's Purse project has shared the Good News of God's love with hurting children through the simplest of gifts—shoeboxes filled with school supplies, toys, and personal items. These shoeboxes help introduce children to Jesus Christ. Local believers follow up with evangelistic programs, and many precocious boys and girls later receive Jesus as their Savior. We invite your family, church or group to take part in this unique mission. For more information, about this mission you may call the church office at 886-2214. Collection dates are Nov. 15-21. The church is located beside Jerry's Restaurant in Prestonsburg.

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Non-profit in need of foster parents in your area. Singles/couples welcome. Benefits: potential compensation up to \$5,000 monthly (rates vary w/circumstances); \$500 startup bonus (n/a for transfer families); mileage reimbursement; free/flexible trainings; 24/7 emergency support; and an opportunity to change a child's life. All foster children receive free school lunches, medical cards, clothing vouchers, etc. Contact us: 606-886-0163 or www.benchmarkfamily-services.org

Free Parenting Classes: To determine eligibility, call John 791-9887.

FCHD offers Body Recall exercise classes
The Floyd County Health Department offers Body Recall gentle exercise classes every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, at 9:30 a.m. at May Day, just off 1428, and at 10:30 at the First Presbyterian Church in Prestonsburg. Classes are free and open to the public. Call 886-2788 for more information.

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Autism Awareness & Support Group

2nd Monday of each month. Calvarys Call Church, Lancer, Ky. (6-7 p.m.). Contact: Billie Chain, saskyautismawareness@gmail.com

Autistic Children Support Group plans monthly meeting

Support group for Guardians of Autistic Children will meet the first Thursday of every month at the Haven of Rest, 1601 Airport Road, Inez. Call 606-298-0520 for information.

Non-profit agency needs foster parents

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Auxiliary Learning Center offers home repair aid

Need help with home repairs? The Auxiliary Lifetime Learning Center can help. We are now taking applications for home repairs if you or someone you know are low income and need help with repairs on your home, please call 606-886-0709 for your application, or stop by the office at 21 South River Street, Auxier. Office hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00-4:00. Must provide proof of income and ownership.

Free Tax preparation available in Big Sandy

Big Sandy Area Community Action Program is once again offering FREE help for eligible tax filers in preparing and electronically filing tax returns. The service, made possible through funding from Community Action Kentucky and the Kentucky Domestic Violence Association, is available in Johnson, Magoffin, Martin, Floyd and Pike Counties.

Benchmark Family Services family care support

Benchmark Family Services is a private, non-profit therapeutic foster care agency seeking caring and compassionate foster parents in eastern Ky. Free flexible training schedules, 24-7 support monthly financial compensation, financial bonuses, and mileage reimbursement. available. Call: 606-886-0163. www.benchmarkfamily-services.org

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Become a Volunteer with Victim Services Program

You are more likely to be hurt by someone whom

you know rather than be assaulted on Kentucky's streets by a total stranger. Learn to assist victims of sexual assault, child abuse and domestic violence by becoming a Volunteer with Victim Services Program. Call today to receive an application for our free training program.

Call the Volunteer Coordinator at (606) 886-4323 for further information or to request an application. (The Victim Services Program is a program of Mountain Comprehensive Care Center.)

OutPatient Drug Treatment Program and Education

Narconon warns parents that abuse of addictive pharmaceutical drugs with youth is on the rise with deadly consequences. Learn the signs of drug abuse. Call Narconon for a free brochure on the signs of addiction for all drugs. 877-379-0208. www.drugsnocoin.com

Higher education begins here

The Kentucky Adult Education Learning for Life program offers GED, Adult Learning, Tutoring and College Preparation classes. These classes are managed by Big Sandy Community & Technical College. All classes are free to anyone 16 years old or older.

Along with GED preparation, we offer adult learning, tutoring and college preparation for people who have high school diplomas or GED equivalent who want to continue their education. The (GED) classes are offered at various locations throughout Floyd

County five days a week, from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Evening classes are also available from 5-8 p.m. at some locations. There are no registration fees; all classes and materials are free.

For more information about the times and locations of these classes, call 606-886-7397, between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Information about home study for your GED is also available. Please call today, our instructors are waiting to assist you!

Reunion/Memorial to be held in 2010

Old House Hollow, "Bristle Buck", East McDowell, to be held in 2010. For information, Send a post card to 47 Frasure Creek Road, McDowell, KY 41647, or e-mail: patricia.466@hotmail.com; also Post Card, P.O. Box 431, McDowell, KY 41647.

Auxier Community Center

Free GED classes, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, from 10 a.m.-12.

Free Bible Lessons

Write to: Bible Way Outreach Ministry, P.O. Box 3371, Kingsport, TN 37664. Lessons completely free of charge to all interested.

Have an "Out of this World" birthday party!

The East Kentucky Science Center is now offering a fun and distinctive party venue for kids of all ages. The Birthday Party package includes rental of a classroom and admission to exhibits and planetarium programs.

Must be booked two weeks in advance; limit 40 guests. Call 889-8260 for more information.

Need Help With Home Repairs?

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Democratic Woman's Club meets at May Lodge

The Floyd County Democratic Woman's Club meets the second Monday of each month at 6:00 p.m., at the May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park.

Need help with addiction?

Lifeline of Floyd County "Conquer Chemical Dependency" is a Christ-centered 12-step program offering support to those who are coping with addiction and learning to live drug-free lives. The support group meets on the following schedule:
Mondays, at Minnie (beside pharmacy), from 7-8 p.m.
Mondays, at Little Mud, Spruce Pine School, from 7-8 p.m.
Tuesdays, in Prestonsburg, in the Van Ark Building, from 2-3 p.m.
Tuesdays, at David, The David School, from 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Wednesdays, at Allen Baptist Church, from 7-8 p.m.

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ANTIQUE STORE FIXTURES!

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OUR YESTERDAYS

(Items taken from The Floyd County Times, 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70 years ago.)

Ten Years Ago

(Dec. 10, 13 and 15, 2000)

Neither man nor machine were hurt when a county dump truck broke through a bridge at Granny Fitz Branch along Middle Creek, Friday morning. The incident left 15 homes, cut off from the outside world, but county workers were busy, Friday, constructing a low-water bridge to bring temporary relief to the situation.

The drought of 1999 continues to have an impact locally as Floyd County has been placed on a list of 88 Kentucky counties currently facing a water shortage. Floyd County was one of 55 counties issued a water shortage watch by the state Division of Water, meaning the county is in danger of experiencing a water shortage. Thirty-three other counties were issued water shortage warnings, meaning they are currently experiencing shortages.

A man who broke the terms of an agreement to keep him out of jail by allegedly showing up drunk to meet his probation officer is scheduled to go to trial this week. Don Jack Combs II, the 19-year-old son of former Supreme Court Justice Dan Jack Combs, is scheduled to face a jury, Monday, on charges stemming from a high speed chase in which allegedly evaded Kentucky State Troopers successfully on October 15, 1999.

Expectations are low collaboration among teachers is rare, communication is spotty, evaluation is uneven, and the building is inadequately maintained. Those are among the findings of a team of educators who performed a scholastic audit of John M. Stumbo Elementary School in October.

Nearly two months after it began a bitter battle of wills between union workers and the management of Kentucky West-Virginia Gas Company has ended in what one union representative labeled a "stalemate." Members of the Paper, Allied-Industrial Chemical and Energy (PAICE) Workers' International Union Local 5-13 voted Sunday to end their 56-day walkout and accept a three-year contract with Kentucky-West.

A fire broke out within the city limits of Martin on Friday evening. According to Martin Fire Chief William Petty the blaze began around 9:30 p.m. The fire originated in the Martin Pawn Shop and spread into a neighboring building that once housed June's Dress Shop, but had been used the past several years for storage purposes.

The Prestonsburg City Council began laying the groundwork for what it does and does not want residential areas of its mountaintop development project to become. The council considered an outline of restrictions and covenants for subdivisions in the Prestonsburg Recreational Complex, located at the top of Maggie Mountain Road, more commonly referred to as "the mountaintop project." The subdivisions that will be constructed on the complex will be individually referred to as "Crestwood" and "Ridgewood."

In spite of the cold temperatures that were exhibited early Tuesday morning, a mock drill was held by the Floyd County Disaster and Emergency Services Department. The drill took place at the Prestonsburg Water Treatment Plant on South Lake Drive and was conducted under the supervision of Lou May, director of emergency services. The drill began when Assistant Fire Chief Gary Dotson set off several smoke bombs near the chemical building, a building on the water plant site that contains the chlorine used by the water treatment facility.

Donald Ray Bailey, 50, appeared in U.S. District Court in Pikeville on Monday. During the hearing, Bailey entered a guilty plea a charge of conspiracy to traffic in marijuana. According to the indictment against Bailey the charge was related to his sale of two pounds of marijuana to an undercover informant. Bailey also allegedly conspired with the informant to find a grower to support marijuana.

Kevin Hall, 29, of Wayland, who was a guest at the Landmark Inn, allegedly became extremely intoxicated during his stay there. Management at the Landmark had asked him to leave the hotel premises on Sunday and Hall had refused.

Ethel Branham Hamilton, 91, of Grethel, who had recently been suffering from an impaired memory disorder and bouts of disorientation was found dead from exposure to the elements on December 10. Her body was discovered around 11:30 p.m., Sunday evening, in a creek bed about 175 yards away from her home.

There died: Buford Laferty, 62, of Sturgis, Michigan, Thursday, December 17, at his home; Mary Lou Ritchie Houser, 62, of Dogwood, Indiana, formerly of Wayland, Friday, December 8, at her residence; Ruthie Hall, 75, of Wayland, Thursday, December 7, at the McDowell ARH; Dave Sizemore, 92, of Prestonsburg,

Tuesday, December 5, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, in Martin; Bertha Bartley Tackett, 83, of Lancaster, Ohio, formerly of Shelbiana, Thursday, November 7, at her residence; Orton "Peggy" Calhoun, 78, of Leburn, Sunday, December 10, at Hazard Appalachian Regional Hospital; Betty Jane Patton, 73, of Auxier, Friday, December 8, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Ethel Branham Hamilton, 91, of Grethel, Monday, December 13; Clouie Lewis, 88, of Prestonsburg, formerly of Banner, Monday, December 11, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Ethel Branham Hamilton, 91, of Grethel, Monday, December 13; Fred Sweeney, 65, of Prestonsburg, Friday, December 8, at Riverview Manor Nursing Home; Prestonsburg; Karen Sue Reynolds, 41, of Printer, Friday, December 8, at Wolfe County Care Center, Campton; Clifford Reynolds, 85, of Stanville, Saturday, December 9, at the Mountain Manor Nursing Home, in Pikeville; Homer Sparkman, 78, of Plymouth, Ohio, Monday, November 27, at St. Vincent Hospital in Toledo; Birchie Case, 81, of New London, Ohio, Tuesday, December 12; Mary M. Goble, 93, of Findlay, Ohio, Monday, December 11, at Fox Run Manor.

Twenty Years Ago

(Dec. 12 and 14, 1990)

Advertisement for bids for site preparation and excavation at the new Prestonsburg High School site on Middle Creek are premature, state education officials said this week.

Prestonsburg Police Chief Greg Hall said that Friday night's 13-Day operation was a successful one, netting seven DUI arrests and seven alcoholic intoxication arrests.

Medisin's medical waste incinerator located at Highlands Regional Medical Center will come under closer scrutiny and may be placed under state regulation in January's special session of the legislature, which is expected to deal with the issue of solid waste.

A 38-year-old Prestonsburg man was arrested, Thursday, and charged with first-degree sexual abuse in an incident allegedly involving a four-year-old girl.

A bill designed to return a greater percentage of coal severance tax dollars to the coal producing counties seems likely to be placed on Governor Wallace Wilkinson's agenda for January's special legislative session.

The City of Wheelwright remains without local law enforcement this week as city council members failed to attend a meeting to appoint a new police chief.

The "Queen of Country Music," Loretta Lynn, will be at the Johnson Central Field house in Paintsville, Saturday, December 22, where she will be the guest of honor in a ceremony to officially rename a section of Route 23 the "Loretta Lynn Highway."

There died: Bill Francis Jr., 68, of Garrett, Tuesday, December 11, at St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington; Elder George Vanderpool, 73, of Garrett, Thursday, at his residence; Olga Roberts Conn, 87, of Frankfort, formerly of Floyd County, Wednesday, at Bradford/Square Nursing Home; Jake Setser, 88, of East Point, Tuesday, at the Knott County Nursing Home; Ruth Mauer Reed, 982, of Lexington, formerly of Drift, Thursday; Elsie Morgan Branham, 92, of Lexington, formerly of Drift, Thursday; Elsie Morgan Branham, 92, of Martin, Monday, at Parkview Nursing Home; William Vance Porter Jr., 88, of Wayne, Michigan, formerly of Allen, Tuesday, December 4, at Garden City Osteopathic Hospital; Nellie Hicks Chaffins, 83, of Rock Fork, Garrett, Sunday, at her residence at Garrett; Naomi Hamilton Hubbard, 46, of Fairbanks, Arkansas, formerly of Teaberry, Thursday, at Fairbanks Memorial Hospital; Revis A. (Dan) McGrew, 69, of Greenville, Texas, formerly of Prestonsburg, November 25, at his home; Lillie (Peggy) Potts Harless, 56, of Water Gap, Prestonsburg, Friday, at her residence; Charles Truman Robinson, 63, of Martin, Thursday, at his residence; Elmer Webb, 94, of Paintsville, Monday, at Paul B. Hall Medical Center; Elsie Morgan Branham, 92, of Martin, Monday, at the Parkview Nursing Home; Effie Jane Robinette, 91, of Pikeville, Sunday, at the Mountain Manor Nursing Home.

Thirty Years Ago

(December 17, 1980)

The Floyd County Fiscal Court passed a motion to reduce the road weight limit at Dirwood in Martin to ten tons.

Martin Mayor Larry Hall vetoed a motion which would have enacted a new city utility commission in Martin.

Relatives of Delmer Banks were expected to file suit against the Veterans

Administration Hospital in Lexington for wrongful death. Banks died November 25, 1980, after receiving the wrong blood type following liver surgery.

The Floyd County Times raised Floyd County subscription prices to \$8 per year. The Kentucky Power static volt amp reactive control system at Price was visited and viewed by engineers from around the world.

Minimum wage was raised to \$3.35 per hour.

There died: Mrs. Polly Bolen, 87, of Harold; German Hamilton, 77, of Teaberry; Mrs. Mary Bradford, 84, of Silver Lake Indiana, formerly of Floyd County; Ervin Little, 68, of Bypro; T.A. Johnson, 88, of Welch; Gertrude Van Horn, 85, formerly of Floyd County; Thelma Mullins, 35, of Grethel; Frank Johnson, 76, of Weeksbury; Webster Hamilton, 64, of Allen; Thelma Smith, 37, of McDowell; Newton Samons, 90, of Arkansas Creek.

Forty Years Ago

(December 17, 1970)

Action taken by the board of directors of the multi-million dollar Floyd County Comprehensive Health Services Program to relocate its central office could develop into a court battle, County Judge Henry Stumbo said here last Friday.

Drawdown of Dewey Lake by five feet for the season has left shorelines bare. The unpleasant possibility exists that subscribers here and elsewhere in Kentucky of the South Central Bell Telephone Company may face with the beginning of the new year a rate increase averaging 15 per cent.

The Prestonsburg Community College debate team, in its second debate tournament this year placed well by defeating teams from three Ohio colleges.

Jail sentences up to six months and fines up to \$500 are authorized in a bill approved by the U.S. Senate Public Works Committee, for littering lakes or other

reservoirs administered by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Announcement is being made of the marriage of Miss Judith Carol Woods, daughter of Mrs. Carl Woods, of Lexington, and the late Prof. Woods, to Capt. James Andrew Wright, on September 17.

There died: Abe L. Parsons, 74, of Martin, last Wednesday; Diane Yates, 14; of Printer, last Monday, at a Martin hospital; Mrs. Peggy Long, 58, formerly of Martin, last Wednesday, at her home in Roseville, Mich.; T.N. Newsome, 73, last Monday, in a Pikeville hospital.

Fifty Years Ago

(December 15, 1960)

Low-rent public housing moved a step farther here last week with the receipt of the annual contributions contract to be made between the Prestonsburg Municipal Housing Commission and the Public Housing Administration.

Prestonsburg's Community Development Council will meet with Governor Combs, Friday evening as it continues its planning and development of action to solve the most urgent of Prestonsburg's problems.

The Floyd fiscal court went on record last week as opposing the granting of new contracts to the Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company which would give the gas company a raise of 6 cents per 1,000 cubic feet of gas supplied the towns of Allen, New Martin and Dwayne.

W. E. Burchett, former Floyd man, has been named to the superintendency of the West Virginia Department of Safety by Governor-elect W. W. Barron.

Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Greene, a daughter, Brenda Gail, Dec. 11, at the Paintsville hospital.

There died: Albert B. Parsons, 59,

(See YESTERDAYS, page 8)

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"Rebuilt" 1999 Ford Taurus \$ 2,000

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-0311 Renewal

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Noble Coal, LLC, PO Box 489, Allen, Kentucky 41601 has applied for a permit for a renewal of a permit for a surface and underground/auger coal mining and reclamation operation affecting 96.82 acres located 2.00 miles southeast of Blue River in Floyd County. The proposed operation is approximately 1.5 miles south-east from KY Route 404's junction with KY Route 1210 and located 0.20 miles east of Caney Creek. The proposed operation is located on the Martin U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The operation will use the contour and auger method of surface mining. The surface area is owned by James Allen and Glenn David May. The operation will underlie land owned by James Allen and Glenn David May. The operation will affect an area within 100' of public road KY Route 1210. The operation will not involve relocation or closure of the public road. The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources, Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive. Written comments for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Permits, # 2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, KY 40601. This is the final advertisement of this application; all comments, objections or requests for permit conference must be received within 30 days of this date.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. II C.A. No. 10-CI-00826 Citimortgage, Inc. Plaintiff

Freddie Bryan Osborne Pebble Osborne U.S. Bank, N.A. Capital One Bank Defendants

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE
 By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 25th day of October, 2010, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, for the sum of \$53,656.78 with interest thereon, plus additional sums and costs, please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Justice Center, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23rd day of December, 2010, at 9:15 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property:
 Property Address: 668 Calf Branch, Prestonsburg, KY 41653
 A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Calf Creek at Emma, and being more particularly described as follows:
 Beginning at the fence post on Sharon Burchett's line and running down the creek 107 feet to Carl David Collins and Launa Collins line on the corner; thence across the bottom 21 feet running with Collins line; thence running 125 feet to the backside of the bottom to the fence post; thence running 56 feet along with Collins line to Burchett line a corner; thence running 100 feet along the Burchett line to the beginning.
 Parties of the First Part also grant unto the Parties of the Second Part, their successors and assigns, a perpetual right-of-way to the above described property as follows:
 Beginning at the corner of the above described property and the Collins property line being right-of-way 12 feet in width running with the property line of Collins to the county road.
 Being the same property conveyed to Freddie Bryan Osborne and Pebble Osborne, his wife from Ronnie Garrett and Jo Ann Garrett, his wife, by Deed dated September 4, 1987, and filed for record on September 4, 1987 in Deed Book 313, Page 46 of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.
 A. The successful bidder shall either pay cash or make a deposit of \$5,000.00 of the purchase price with the balance on a credit for thirty (30) days, in which event the successful bidder shall be required to execute bond with good surety thereon. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid. Said bond shall have the force and effect of a Judgment for which execution may issue, and a lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety.
 B. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes or assessments upon the property for the current tax year and subsequent years. All taxes or assessments upon the property for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds if properly claimed in writing and filed of record by the purchaser prior to the payment of the purchase price.
 C. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, defects, liens or encumbrances of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such rights of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof.
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 Hon. William S. Kendrick, Master Commissioner

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. II C.A. No. 06-CI-1120 Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. Plaintiff

Randall Calhoun Amy Calhoun Wanda Calhoun Louanna Rhea Calhoun, A Minor, By Amy Calhoun, U.S. Bank, National Association, N.D., County of Floyd Defendants

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE
 By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 15th day of November, 2010, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, for the sum of \$72,279.98 with interest thereon, plus additional sums and costs, please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23rd day of December, 2010, at 9:45 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property, to-wit:
 Property Address: 139 Station Bridge Road, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653
 A tract of land lying and being in Floyd County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:
 Beginning at a stake which is at the intersection of the creek and the McCoy Property line; thence from said stake following the McCoy Property line a distance of 83 ft. to a stake; thence from said stake in a straight line following the Garden Road, a distance of 150 ft. to a stake from said stake in a straight line a distance of 102 ft. to the creek to a stake; thence from said stake following creek a distance of 155 ft. back to the point of beginning.
 There is hereby granted personal easement during the pendency of the Grantors lifetime a 12 ft. easement adjacent to a garden, said easement to be for the personal use of the Grantors for access to such garden.
 This being the same property conveyed to Randall Calhoun and Amy Calhoun, his wife by Deed from Arlene Calhoun and Wanda Calhoun, his wife, dated the 14th day of April, 1999, and recorded in Deed Book 432, Page 518, in the Office of the Clerk of Floyd County.
 A. The successful bidder shall either pay cash or make a deposit of \$5,000.00 of the purchase price with the balance on a credit for thirty (30) days, in which event the successful bidder shall be required to execute bond with good surety thereon. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid. Said bond shall have the force and effect of a Judgment for which execution may issue, and a lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety.
 B. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes or assessments upon the property for the current tax year and subsequent years. All taxes or assessments upon the property for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds if properly claimed in writing and filed of record by the purchaser prior to the payment of the purchase price.
 C. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, defects, liens or encumbrances of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such rights of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof.
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 Hon. William S. Kendrick, Master Commissioner

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. II C.A. No. 09-CI-01239 TAX EASE LIEN INVESTMENTS 1, LLC PLAINTIFF

BILL L. CRIDER, II; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF BILL L. CRIDER, II, WHITAKER BANK CORPORATION OF KENTUCKY, A/K/A WHITAKER BANK, N.A.; JOYCE GAINES CRIDER; MICHAEL L. JUDY, P.S.C. and COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF FLOYD, BY AND ON RELATION OF JOHN FARRIS SECRETARY OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION CABINET

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE
 By virtue of a Default Judgment, Summary Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 30th day of August, 2010, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, for the sum of \$1,714.84 (tax year 2005, Bill#5522 is \$653.07 as of date of purchase on or about December 28, 2007; tax year 2006, Bill#5545 is \$599.79 as of date of purchase on or about December 28, 2007; and tax year 2007, Bill #5272, is \$461.98 as of date of purchase on or about June 11, 2008) with interest thereon, plus additional sums and costs; please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 18th day of December, 2010, at 9:45 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property, to-wit:
 Property Address: 8102 Ky Route 114, Floyd County, KY. Being Lot #2 of Parkway Subdivision, as shown on Plat thereof prepared by Richard E. Morton, Civil Engineer, dated August 29, 1975, recorded in as Plat #521, in the records of the Clerk of the County Court of Floyd County, Kentucky, to which Plat reference is hereby made for a more particular description of the Plat herein made.
 Being the same property conveyed to Bill L. Crider, II from Betty J. Blackburn by deed dated June 5, 2000, and recorded in Deed Book 518, Page 618, records of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.
 A. The successful bidder shall either pay cash or make a deposit of \$4,000.00 of the purchase price with the balance on a credit of thirty (30) days, in which event the successful bidder shall be required to execute bond with good surety thereon. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid. Said bond shall have the force and effect of a Judgment for which execution may issue, and a lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety.
 B. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes or assessments upon the property for the current tax year and subsequent years. All taxes or assessments upon the property for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds if properly claimed in writing and filed of record by the purchaser prior to the payment of the purchase price.
 C. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, defects, liens or encumbrances of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such rights of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof.
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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 C.A. No. 09-CI-00552
21st Mortgage Corporation, as Attorney in Fact For Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance, Inc. Plaintiff

**James Harris
 Kristy Harris**

**Commonwealth of Kentucky,
 County of Floyd
 Defendants
 RE-NOTICE OF
 COMMISSIONER'S SALE**

By virtue of a Amended Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 29th day of July, 2010, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, for other sum of \$62,363.00 with interest thereon, plus additional sums and costs; please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23rd day of December, 2010, at 10:00 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property, to-wit:

Property Address: 81 Clay Road, Beaver, KY 41604, including a 2000 Southern 28'x58' mobile home, Serial No. DSDAL 30729AB.

Beginning at a stake stake near of the draining turning right with a straight line to another stake stake thence turning left up the hill to a stake stake at the gas line thence turning left straight around the hill near to the drain to the stake stake thence turning left down the hill with the drain to the stake stake at the beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to Alexander Hall or Brenda Hall, by Warranty Deed dated August 22, 1984, of record in Deed Book 286, Page 725, in the Office of the Clerk of the County Court of Floyd County, Kentucky.

A. The successful bidder shall either pay cash or make a deposit of 10% of the purchase price with the balance on a credit for sixty (60) days, in which event the successful bidder shall be required to execute bond with good surety thereon. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid. Said bond shall have the force and effect of a Judgment for which execution may issue, and a lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety.

B. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes or assessments upon the property for the current tax year and subsequent years. All taxes or assessments upon the property for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds if properly claimed in writing and filed of record by the purchaser prior to the payment of the purchase price.

C. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, defects, liens or encumbrances of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such rights of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-0380, Renewal 01

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 250.055, notice is hereby given that Laurel Mountain Resources, LLC, 1801 Watergap Road, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, 41653 has filed for renewal for a surface coal mining and reclamation operation located 2.22 miles southwest of Grethel in Floyd County. The proposed operation will disturb 771.49 surface acres and will underlie 275 acres and the total area within the permit boundary will be 839.85 acres. The operation is located approximately 7.5 miles southwest from Frasure Branch County Road 3 junction with State Route 979 and is located along Little Mud Creek. The operation is located on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The operation will use the contour, area, auger and remaining methods of surface mining. The surface area is owned by The Elkhorn Coal Corporation, Walker and Ella Hall, Johnny and Annetta Hamilton, Iva Howell, Donald Ray and Vivian Newsome, William Hall Hairs, and Estaline Rathburn. The operation will underlie land owned by The Elkhorn Coal Corporation, Walker and Ella Hall, Johnny and Annetta Hamilton, Iva Howell, Donald Ray and Vivian Newsome, William Hall Hairs, and Estaline Rathburn. The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources, Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, US 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. This is the final advertisement in this application, all comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be received within 30 days of this date.

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Large 1 br apartment for rent. Appliances and utilities furnished. Located between Prestonsburg and Paintsville. \$550 per month plus \$250 deposit. NO pets. 6 months lease. Call 791-6016.	1 br apartment for rent. Located in Prestonsburg. \$500 per month. Includes utilities. Call 794-0249.	2 br apartment for rent. \$450 per month plus \$450 deposit. firm. Utilities not included. Located at Martin. Call 285-9003.	New mobile home for rent. 2 br, 2 ba. \$475 month plus \$200 deposit. NO PETS. NO HUD. Call 886-8072.
1, 2 or 3 br apartments for rent. Furnished or unfurnished. Some utilities included. Call 886-8366.	Very nice 2 br, 1 bath apartment for rent. Located near college in Prestonsburg. \$550 per month plus security deposit. NO PETS. Call 886-3565 or 886-0099.	1 Br brick apartment for rent. Located at Harold. \$700 month plus deposit. Utilities paid. Call 478-3333 or 478-2423. 2 Br, 1 bath Apt for rent. No pets and No hud. Located at Harold. Washer/Dryer hookup. Fridge and stove. Call 886-9158.	2 br mobile home for rent. Just off the Min Parkway on old 114. NO pets. Call 886-8724. Nice 2 br mobile home for rent. Located in Prestonsburg. Call 874-0875.

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 C.A. No. 09-CI-01214

Plaintiff
 U.S. Bank, NA
 Vs.
 Karl Danielle Brown
 aka Karl Danielle Reed
 and James Arnold Reed.
Defendants

RE-NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Summary Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 8th day of February, 2010, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, for the sum of \$20,488.13, with interest thereon, plus additional sums and costs; please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 16th day of December 2010, at 9:00 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property, to-wit:

Property Address: 7152 Stone Coal Road, Garrett, Floyd County, Kentucky

Parcel Number 029-20-03-012-00

A certain tract or parcel of land lying on Stone Coal Creek, a tributary of Right Beaver Creek in Floyd County, Kentucky, and described as the Sam Hicks and John Lawson property.

Beginning at a corner of Taylor Gibson's driveway at edge of state highway of Stone Coal Creek; thence running north with Taylor Gibson's drive way to the center of creek; thence down creek to Hawley Scotts line at foot bridge; thence running south with the Hawley Scotts line to edge of state highway; thence running with edge of highway East back to the beginning with Taylor Gibson's driveway.

Source of Title: Deed of Conveyance from Priscilla Poling, Executrix of the Estate of Mary Hicks Daniels to Karl Danielle Brown, dated November 12, 2004 of record in Deed Book 505, Page 321, Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

A. The successful bidder shall either pay cash or make a deposit of 10% of the purchase price with the balance on a credit for thirty (30) days, in which event the successful bidder shall be required to execute bond with good surety thereon. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid. Said bond shall have the force and effect of a Judgment for which execution may issue, and a lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety.

B. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes or assessments upon the property for the current tax year and subsequent years. All taxes or assessments upon the property for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds if properly claimed in writing and filed of record by the purchaser prior to the payment of the purchase price.

C. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, defects, liens or encumbrances of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such rights of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof.
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Houses For Sale	Sales	Commercial
For sale: 3 Br, 2 bath mobile home (16x70). Complete with underpinning. Must be moved. Call 377-7710.	Attn: Landowners. Turn key home buying available with land improvement package! Your land or family land. Call 868-597-2083.	Office space for lease in Prestonsburg two blocks from the courthouse. Call 226-3776.
For sale: 4 br, 2 bath Duplex with 2 acres. (Ralph Moore Florida estate), 2 Building lots included. Quiet country home. Call 352-787-1356.	Land (Acreage) Property for sale located on Creek. Call 974-9715.	Miscellaneous Brent Johnson Prints for sale. Baptisms, hog kill & all. Call 859-299-8905.



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Tax Lien Investments, LLC vs. Josephine Scarberry, et al Floyd Circuit Court Division I

CA No.: 10-CI-01242
BE IT KNOWN, that J. Gregory Allen, a practicing attorney in the Floyd Circuit Court, has been appointed by the Floyd Circuit Court Division I to act as a Warning Order Attorney to notify the unknown heirs of Marsha L. Scarberry as a civil action has been filed in Floyd Circuit Court Civil Action 10-CI-01242 Division I by Tax Ease Lien Investments One, LLC. The civil action concerns enforcement of tax bills for the years 1999 through 2005 on a certain piece or parcel of land located in Langley, Kentucky and being the same property conveyed to: Josephine Scarberry, Emogene Scarberry, Imogene Scarberry, Gary H. Scarberry, Linda G. Scarberry, Ricky Scarberry, Jr., Malcolm R. Scarberry, Marsha Scarberry, Dellamy Scarberry and Lowell D. Scarberry by deed dated October 31, 1970 of record, a deed book 203, page 504 in the Floyd County Clerk's office. Any heirs of Marsha L. Scarberry should take that the purpose of the lawsuit is to enforce delinquent tax liens that have been purchased by Tax Ease Lien Investments One, LLC for the purposes of obtaining possession of the property described above. Any unknown heirs of Marsha L. Scarberry should take note they have 50 days from and after November 23, 2010 in which to file an answer or other response in the Floyd Circuit Court. Failure to do so may result in the relief requested in the complaint of Tax Ease Lien Investments One, LLC. Further inquiries should be directed to the above Warning Order Attorney at Riley and Allen, P.O. Box 1350, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

Commonwealth of Kentucky Floyd Circuit Court Division No. II C.A. No. 10-CI-00779 Citifinancial Inc. Plaintiff

Robert Comstock et al Defendants NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 25th day of October, 2010, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, for the sum of \$163,293.38 with interest thereon, plus additional sums and costs; please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23rd day of December, 2010, at 9:00 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property, to-wit:

Property Address: 1186 KY Route 122, Martin, Kentucky 41649
A certain tract of parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Left Beaver Creek, containing 3 lots, more or less, described as follows:
Lying and being in the Keathley Spradlin Subdivision, Hite, Floyd County, Kentucky, and being Lots Nos. 24, 25, and 26 in Block A, as shown by plat of said subdivision on record in File No. 308, Floyd County Clerk's Office, to which reference is hereby made for a more particular description of said lots.

Being the same property conveyed to Robert Comstock and Jerry Diane Comstock, his wife, who acquired title, with rights of survivorship, by virtue of a deed from Bobby Comstock and Louise Comstock, his wife, dated January 17, 1975, filed January 29, 1975, recorded in Deed Book 220, Page 326, County Clerk's Office, Floyd County, Kentucky.

Subject to all restrictions, conditions and covenants and to all legal highways and easements.
A. The successful bidder shall either pay cash or make a deposit of 10% of the purchase price with the balance on a credit for thirty (30) days, in which event the successful bidder shall be required to execute bond with good surety thereon. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid. Said bond shall have the force and effect of a Judgment for which execution may issue, and a lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety.

B. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes or assessments upon the property for the current tax year and subsequent years. All taxes or assessments upon the property for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds if properly claimed in writing and filed of record by the purchaser prior to the payment of the purchase price.

C. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, defects, liens or encumbrances of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such rights of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof.

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Hon. William S. Kendrick, Master Commissioner

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. II C.A. NO. 09-CI-146

KENTUCKY HOUSING CORPORATION PLAINTIFF

MICHAEL S. CLARK, ET AL DEFENDANTS NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 24th day of September, 2010, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, for the sum of \$38,327.86 with interest thereon, plus additional sums and costs; please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 16th day of December, 2010, at 9:30 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Right Beaver Creek near Glo R.R. Station and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a stake on the west right-of-way of the C & O Railroad and a corner to lot deeded to First Christian Church, out of the same tract; thence with the C & O Railroad east 125 feet to a stake; thence S 66° 15' W 120 feet, more or less, to a stake in the center of Beaver Creek; thence N 48° 52' W to a stake; thence N 44° 56' W 125 feet to a stake, a corner to the Christian Church line; thence with the said Church line N 66° 15' E 120 feet to the beginning containing 7 acre, more or less.

Being the same property conveyed to Michael S. Clark by deed dated May 14, 2003, and recorded in Deed Book 486, Page 301, in the Office of the Clerk of Floyd County, Kentucky.

A. The successful bidder shall either pay cash or make a deposit of 10% of the purchase price with the balance on a credit for thirty (30) days, in which event the successful bidder shall be required to execute bond with good surety thereon. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid. Said bond shall have the force and effect of a Judgment for which execution may issue, and a lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety.

B. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all taxes or assessments upon the property for the current tax year and subsequent years. All taxes or assessments upon the property for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds if properly claimed in writing and filed of record by the purchaser prior to the payment of the purchase price.

C. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, defects, liens or encumbrances of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such rights of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof.

Any announcements made on date of sale takes precedence over printed matter contained herein.
Hon. William S. Kendrick, Master Commissioner

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. II C.A. No. 10-CI-00094 Community Trust Bank, Inc. Plaintiff Vs. Michelle Tackett, Unknown Spouse of Michelle Tackett, and Barry Tackett Defendants

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 25th day of October, 2010, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, for the sum of \$146,172.92 (Count I) and \$3,951.17 (Count II) with interest thereon, plus additional sums and costs, please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Courthouse Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 23rd day of December 2010, at 9:30 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Floyd County, Kentucky, on the waters of Big Mud Creek and being more particularly described as follows:

Being lot Number Thirteen (13) in Marvin Heights, on Rt. 979, a subdivision of Thoroughbred Development, Inc. said subdivision plat being on record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office in Map File Number 1141 to which map reference is made for a more accurate description and which is incorporated herein by reference.

Being a portion of that parcel of land conveyed to Thoroughbred Development, Inc., from Unsign Corporation, Inc., and recorded 02/07/2001 in Deed Book 456, Page 27, of the Floyd County, KY Public Registry.

Being the same property that was conveyed on 12/21/07 by and between Barry Tackett, unmarried to Michelle Tackett, unmarried, by Deed recorded in Deed Book 542, Page 441, in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

A. The successful bidder shall either pay cash or make a deposit of 10% of the purchase price with the balance on a credit for thirty (30) days, in which event the successful bidder shall be required to execute bond with good surety thereon. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid. Said bond shall have the force and effect of a Judgment for which execution may issue, and a lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety.

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Transit drivers needed. Sandy Valley Transportation Services Inc (SVTS) is seeking qualified applicants for the position of a Transit Driver in the Floyd County. Must pass drug screen, DOT physical exam, and driving and conviction records. Health, dental, retirement, holidays, sick and vacation days available.
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE
The following item will be offered at public auction on December 24, 2010, at First Guaranty Bank 39 Triangle Street, Martin, KY 41649, at 11:00 a.m.
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Public Notice
Notice is hereby given that Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission, of Prestonsburg, KY 41653, has filed an application with the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet to excavate with the floodplain at Trimble Branch, Floyd County, Kentucky at the intersection of KY 114 and North Arnold Avenue, at latitude 37°40'12.82"N and longitude 82°46'38.12"W. Any comments or objections concerning this application shall be directed to: Kentucky Division of Water, Water Resources Branch, 200 Fair Oaks Lane, Fourth Floor, Frankfort, KY 40601. Phone: (502) 564-3410.

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NOTICE TO UNKNOWN DEFENDANTS, HEIRS, DEVISEES and/or LEGATEES OF JUNE CASEBOLT WARNING ORDER
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned attorney has been appointed to notify the Defendant, UNKNOWN DEFENDANTS, HEIRS, DEVISEES and/or LEGATEES OF JUNE CASEBOLT, and their spouses, that a civil action has been filed against her in Floyd Circuit Court, Division I, as C.A. No.: 10-CI-1247. Said Defendant must immediately file an Answer in this matter, otherwise, judgment may be entered against him. Said Defendant should contact the undersigned attorney immediately.
Anthony Craig Davis
Davis Law Office
104 Hays Complex
P.O. Box 228
Betsy Layne, Kentucky 41605
Office: (606) 478-1002

*****JOB ANNOUNCEMENT*****
Youth Trainer
Big Sandy Area Community Action Program is seeking a creative, enthusiastic, and motivated individual to help make a difference in the lives of Eastern Kentucky youth. The successful candidate will be responsible for recruiting, marketing and maintaining a caseload of youth along with developing and providing innovative methods to increase leadership and employability skills.
The successful candidate will possess a Bachelor's degree, along with excellent communication and proficient computer skills.
Must have a valid driver's license and access to an automobile, as the position will require travel throughout the five-county service area. This is a full-time position with an excellent benefit package, including paid health, life and dental insurance. Salary will be based on experience and education.
Qualified applicants may submit a résumé and letter of application to:
Big Sandy Area Community Action Program
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Closing date for applications is Friday, December 17, 2010, at 4:30 p.m.
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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE PURSUANT TO APPLICATION NUMBER 836-5532 OPERATOR CHANGE
In accordance with the provisions of 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that HWP, LLC, 2532 Abbeywood Place, Lexington, Kentucky 40515, intends to revise Permit No. 836-5537 to change the operator. The operator presently approved in the permit is Coal Diggers, Inc., 710 Punchedon Lane, Kite, Kentucky 41828. The operator will be Blackhawk Mining, LLC, P.O. Box 1200, Robinson Creek, Kentucky 41560.
The operation is located 0.4 miles southwest of Tram in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 0.6 miles southwest from US 23 and KY Route 460's junction with Mares Creek Road and is located approximately 0.01 miles east of Powell Branch. The operation is located on the Harold USGS 7-1/2 minute quadrangle map at latitude 37°34'02" and longitude 82°39'07".
The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Natural Resources, Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Safety, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's date.

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 C.A. NO. 10-CI-242 Tax Ease Lien Investments, I, LLC Plaintiffs Vs. Unknown Spouse of Emogene Scarberry, et al, Defendants

**NOTICE OF PENDING ACTION BE IT KNOWN, that Mitchell D. Kinner, a practicing attorney in the Floyd Circuit Court, has been appointed by the Floyd Circuit Court, Division I, to act as a Warning Order Attorney to notify the Unknown Spouse of Emogene Scarberry, as a civil action has been filed in Floyd Circuit Court, Civil Action 10-CI-01242, Division I, by Tax Ease Lien Investments I, LLC, the civil action concerns enforcement of tax bills for the years 1999 through 2005 on a certain piece or parcel of land located in Langley, Kentucky and being the same property conveyed to Josephine H. Scarberry, Linda G. Scarberry, Ricky Scarberry, Jr., Malcolm R. Scarberry, Marsha Scarberry, Dellaroy Scarberry, and Lowell D. Scarberry, by Deed dated October 31, 1970, of record in Deed Book 203, Page 504, in the Floyd County Clerk's Office. Any unknown spouse of Emogene Scarberry should take note that the purpose of the lawsuit is to enforce delinquent tax liens that have been purchased by Tax Ease Lien Investment I, LLC for the purpose of obtaining possession of the property described above. Any unknown spouse of Emogene Scarberry should take note that he has (60) days from and after November 23, 2010 in which to file an answer or other responsive pleading in the Floyd Circuit Court. Failure to do so may result in the relief requested in the Complaint of Tax Ease Lien Investments I, LLC. Further inquiries should be directed to the above Warning Order Attorney at Kinner & Patton, 239 College Street, Paintsville, Kentucky 41240.
Signed Mitchell D. Kinner
Warning Order Attorney
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Calendar

Thursdays, at Allen Baptist Church, from 7-8 p.m.

For more information, call Shirley Combs at (606) 434-8400, or Tom Nelson at (606) 478-2836.

Hope in the Mountains

Hope in the Mountains will host public meetings on Mondays, at 9 a.m., at the junction of U.S. 23 and Rt. 80, on Water Gap Rd., behind the Trimble Chapel Church.

Meetings focus will be to offer information in regard to community resources available to women seeking freedom from drug abuse. Family members are also welcome to attend. The Hope initiative proposes to help women break free from addictive lifestyles to become self-respecting contributing members of society.

Call 874-2008 or 788-1066 for more information.

Prestonsburg Rotary Club
Prestonsburg Rotary Club meets, 12 noon to 1 p.m., at

Made From Country at Heart. For additional information, contact Chris Daniel, 886-7354.

UNITE

The UNITE coalition of Floyd County will meet on the fourth Thursday of each month, at 5:30 p.m., at the New Allen Baptist Church. All interested persons welcome to join UNITE's fight against drugs.

"Living Free" - A support group sponsored by the Floyd County UNITE Coalition. Group will meet weekly at the old Allen Baptist Church, on US 23 N., between Allen and Banner, on Tuesdays, at 1:15 p.m.

Living Free is a faith-based 12-step support group open to all who are searching for recovery. There is no fee to attend. For more info., contact Shirley Combs at 874-3388 or 434-8400.

"Earn While You Learn" The Big Sandy Area C.A.P. office is taking applications for its "Senior

Continued from p1 Training Program." You must be 55 or older to apply. In Floyd, call 886-2929; Johnson, call 886-6515; Magoffin, call 349-2217; Pike, call 432-2775; and in Lawrence, call 638-4067.



Nicholas Blake Bartrum turns 1 today, Dec. 15. He is the son of Brittany Collins and Cody Bartrum, of Wayland.

Yesterdays

Tuesday, at his home at Harold, Henry Hawk Sizemore, 83, of Louisa, formerly of this county, Tuesday, at the Louisa Hospital; Willie Case, 57, of Harold, Tuesday; James Bertley Layne, 72, of Betsy Layne, Dec. 4, at Pikeville; Mrs. Cathleen Newman, 83, of Grethel, last Thursday, at home; Mrs. Elizabeth H. Jones, 80, of Garrett, Sunday.

Sixty Years Ago
(Dec. 14, 1950)

Threat of court action attacking the validity of the higher tax assessment made here has resulted in all previous taxation work this year being discarded and in a decision to start anew in order to avoid legal flaws which later may be found to nullify the work. Mayor Curtis Clark said this week.

With a nine-army, million-man force, Red China this week had swept UN forces south of the 38th Parallel in Korea and had inflicted such losses on outnumbered Americans forces that some units were being evacuated by sea.

A Left Beaver man was arrested last Thursday on Jack's Creek while he and a boy were cutting wood to set a nearby moonshine still "cooking up something".

Draft calls were increased Tuesday, with 160,000 asked for during January and February.

The Floyd County Choral Society will present Handel's "The Messiah," for the second consecutive year, Sunday evening, at the grade school auditorium here.

Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Solomon W. McGhee, Jr., a son, Dec. 4, at the Paintsville Hospital.

There died: Earl Tackett,

Continued from p5 25, Saturday, of tuberculosis at the home of his father, George Tackett, of Beaver; Mrs. Adeline Hughes, 77, of the Auxier road, Tuesday night; Ralph B. Fitzpatrick, 72, formerly of Prestonsburg, Saturday, at Arcadia, Florida.

Seventy Years Ago
(Dec. 12, 1940)

West Prestonsburg this week took on the aspects of a boom town with the Middle Creek railroad on its way.

Approval of construction of 150 miles of rural electric lines in Floyd and Johnson counties under authority of the Rural Electrification Administration has been made, it was announced this week by Lawrence Hubbard, REA co-ordinator here.

On stage this coming Monday, at the Broadway Theatre in Prestonsburg will be Bill Monroe and his Blue Grass Boys. This will undoubtedly conflict with the Martin Theatre's scheduled movie for that night, "The Great Plane Robbery," with Jack Holt and Vicki Lester.

Wall paper was advertised at 10 cents a roll this week at the Morrell Supply Co. here.

There died: Mrs. Green Kidd, 38, Monday, at her home at Dana; Mrs. Molly Goodman, 74, of Garrett, last Wednesday, at Stumbo week at hospital, Lacey; Mrs. Rosie Collins, 50, of Wheelwright, Sunday, at the Beaver Valley Hospital, Martin, of an accidental gunshot wound; Mrs. Evan Frasure, 26, of Amba, Wednesday, at the Beaver Valley Hospital.

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2010 Buick Enclave DEMO! MUST GO!	2006 Jeep Liberty JUST ARRIVED!
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