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## Salisbury to be sentenced for child porn



Jack Latta  
Staff Writer

A Harold man indicted on multiple charges of child pornography in 2010 will be sentenced Friday in Floyd County Circuit Court.

Donald J. Salisbury, 44, will be sentenced Friday after pleading guilty in September to 12 counts of promoting sex

performance by a minor under 16 years of age. Salisbury was also charged with one count of possession of matter promoting sex performance by a minor and one count of first-degree child abuse.

"The one thing that made this case different than any other one that we've had, is that you had someone that not only was in possession of child

pornographic images, but he was making his own images," said Commonwealth's Attorney Arnold Brent Turner.

"Some of the pictures were of children who were living in the home."

According to Turner, Salisbury will get 16 years in prison, and be forced to serve at least 85 percent of that sentence, as a result of his

plea agreement. Turner said Salisbury will be monitored closely for five years after his release, and be forced to register as a sex offender.

"Up to this point, probably the worst child pornography case that we've prosecuted," said Turner.

Salisbury was arrested in

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PAINTSVILLE — The Kentucky Blood Center is hosting a blood drive on the Big Sandy Community and Technical College Mayo Campus on Nov. 22, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The event will take place in the Mayo Auditorium in Building C. Photo IDs are required and appointments are recommended, though are not necessary, in order to donate.

All donors will receive Wal-Mart gift cards.

For more information, contact (800) 775-2522 or visit kybloodcenter.org.

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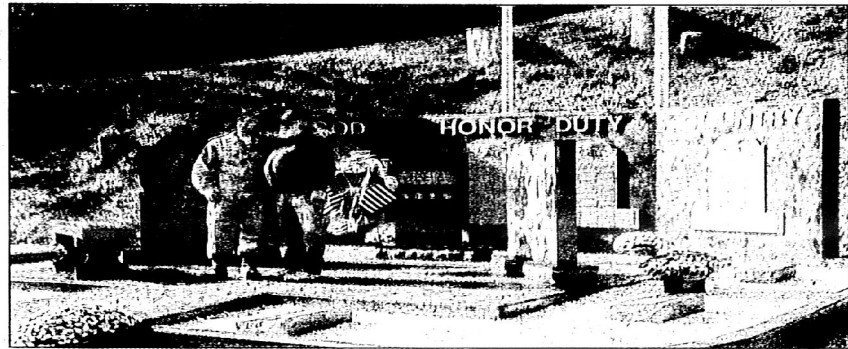
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**Friday**  
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High: 56 • Low: 32

**Saturday**  
Partly Cloudy  
High: 61 • Low: 45

For up-to-the-minute forecast see floydcountytimes.com

## Veterans Memorial



Veterans and local dignitaries turned out last Friday to unveil the new Veterans Memorial in Wheelwright. The new memorial recognizes the service and sacrifice by members of the Army, Navy, Air Force and Marines.

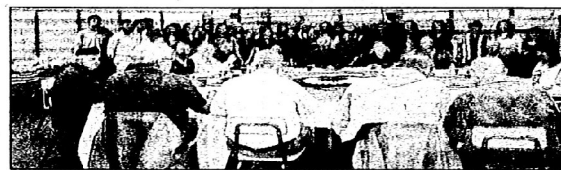
## ACHS pays tribute to veterans

One Floyd County high school took time out to honor America's veterans last week.

According to Pam Caudill, community education liaison for Floyd County Schools, Allen Central High School students took time out Friday to thank veterans for their service and sacrifice.

Courtney Hodge, ACHS junior, opened the ceremonies, and Rebecca Risner, ACHS sophomore, sang the National Anthem, as the ACHS JROTC presented the nation's colors. The JROTC also performed a skills routine during the ceremony.

Chase Goodman, who lost his brother to the war in Afghanistan in



Students found a variety of ways to thank and pay tribute to veterans last Friday.

2009, and Col. Larry Maynard shared stories of veterans who have sacrificed their lives and time spent with their families to protect us.

Concluding the ceremony was a slideshow containing family members

## Locals warned of government grant scam

Ralph Davis  
Managing Editor

The Better Business Bureau is warning residents of Eastern and Central Kentucky it has received reports of a local scam promising a "free grant" from the U.S. government, but which in reality only leaves victims' pocketbooks a little lighter.

The scam artists are calling Kentuckians, claiming to represent the federal government and telling potential victims they have been "selected" for the grant. However, BBB says there is no such program.

"With the tough economy, people may become more susceptible to falling for this scam," said Jack Frank, president and CEO of the BBB of Central & Eastern Kentucky. "People need to realize that the government is NOT contacting people to award any money, despite what the con artists are saying on the phone."

At least a couple of consumers have been tricked into giving their bank account numbers over the phone.

Some consumers report being told they were "selected" to receive grants because they paid their taxes on time, or never declared bankruptcy. Some were told to send money via MoneyGram in varying amounts to cover fees. Others were instructed to give their bank account numbers so the "funds can be transferred" into their accounts.

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## Forum addresses addiction-related issues

PRESTONSBURG — More than 125 professionals from across the region participated in an educational forum Saturday on addiction-related issues.

The "Kentucky Medical Communities UNITED" program, hosted by Operation UNITE's Medical Advisory Council at Allen Baptist Church, was the first of four state-wide forums to be offered through an Appalachian Regional Commission grant and in partnership with Pikeville Medical Center.

"Each of the forums is intended to offer a variety of viewpoints designed to get people thinking together about addiction and ways to approach treatment," said Mike Vance, a member of the Medical Advisory

Council and chair of the Floyd County UMITE Coalition. "We are not trying to promote one method over another."

Dates and locations for the next three forums have not yet been finalized.

"Addiction is a disease," noted Dr. William T. Fannin, a certified addiction medicine provider from Pikeville. "If we don't treat it as such, we're not going to make any progress."

"When I first started, we couldn't have gotten 25 to 30 people together to talk about this issue," Fannin added. "Your presence here today is encouraging."

"We have a lot of doctors who simply do not know this disease," commented Dr. Burns M. Brady, a board-certified family physician

## Testing their skills



Derek Coleman and Brittany McKinney of the Mud Creek Volunteer Fire Department gave students at John M. Stumbo Elementary School a chance to test their firefighting skills last week.

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# Obituaries

## Walter Raleigh Barnett Jr.

Walter Raleigh Barnett Jr., age 63, of Martin, passed away Thursday, Nov. 10, 2011, at his residence.

He was born Dec. 14, 1947, in Martin, the son of Daisy Wright Barnett and the late Walter Raleigh Barnett. He was a retired postal worker, member of the VFW and NRA, and a Kentucky Colonel.

In addition to his mother, Walter is survived by two sons, Justin (Angel) Graham Barnett, of Lawrenceburg, and Quince Barnett, of Lexington; three brothers, T.J. (Joyce) Barnett, of Taylor, Mich., Robert C. (Brenda) Barnett, of Lexington, and Billy Edward (Judy) Barnett, of Martin; and two grandchildren, Jesse and Jahn Barnett.

He was preceded in death by his father and one brother, Darby R. Barnett.

Funeral services for Walter Raleigh Barnett, Jr. were held Sunday, Nov. 13, in the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, with Don Crisp officiating. Burial followed in the Barnett Family Cemetery, in Martin, with Hall Funeral Home caring for those arrangements.

## Willard Hughes

Willard Hughes, 79, of Garrett, died Friday, Nov. 11, 2011, at McDowell ARH. He was born March 13, 1932, to the late Billy and Beulah Mae Pennington Hughes.

He was the husband of Eyvonne Robinson Hughes, was a disabled coal miner and was a lifetime member of the Garrett DAW 128.

He was preceded in death by two children, Willard Eugene Hughes and Destrly Hughes; brothers, Billy Jr. Hughes, Oliver Hughes, Douglas Hughes and Archie Hughes; and a sister, Marlene Robinson.

He is survived by children, Don (Debbie) Hughes, of Hueysville, and Mollie

Yvonne (Rodney) Watkins, of Prestonsburg; brothers and sisters, Arthur Hughes, Charlene Rudder, Molly Jean Prater and Rosalee Fritts; eight grandchildren; and seven great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Monday, Nov. 14, at the Martin Branch Freewill Baptist Church, in Estill, with Freewill Baptist Ministers officiating. Burial followed the service at the Martin Cemetery, in Wayland.

Nelson Frazier Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

## Jack (Douglas) Rice

Jack (Douglas) Rice, 56, of Monroe, Ga., passed away Nov. 12, 2011.

Mr. Rice was a member of The Masters Car Club, The Gold Wing Riders Association and the Providence Club Golf Association. He attended the Christ Church in Loganville, Ga.

He is survived by his wife, Sharon J. Rice of Monroe; children, Kyle Boe Rice, of Rochester Hills, Mich., Dolly and Matt McClendon and Jack's granddaughter, Maggie Mae McClendon, of Oxford, Miss., and Joshua Davis of Missoula, Mont.; parents, Louis and Norman eTourneau, of Linden, Mich.; brothers, Carl Rice, of Moultrie, Ga., and Keith Rice, of Linden, Mich.; sisters, Sherry Covayer, of St. Claire Shores, Mich., Patsy Sanders, of Linden, Mich., and Carol Slusher, of Goose Creek, S.C.

A memorial service will be held at 5 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 16, at the Christ Church, 3977 Atlanta Highway, Loganville, Ga., with Pastor Troy Shaw and Pastor Don Richards officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be made to the Logan House, Home of Abused Women and Children, 1209 Nathan Blvd., Loganville, Ga. 30052.

## Alta Bell Price

Alta Bell Price, 84, of

Prestonsburg, died Friday, Nov. 11, 2011, at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

She was born on April 4, 1928, to the late Carl and Ludietha Salmonds Stephenson. She was the wife of the late Taylor Price Jr., and a homemaker.

She was preceded in death by her brother and sisters, Leonard Stephenson, Mae Ousley, Mary Anna Harris and Dorsie Simmons.

She is survived by her son, Carl Edward (Deborah Jan) Price; daughter, Linda Carol Price (Phillip) Whitten; sister, Rose Campbell; grandchildren, Christopher Taylor Whitten, Bryan Keith Whitten and Lisa Nicole Price; eight great grandchildren; one great great grandchild; and a host of nephews, nieces, family and friends.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, Nov. 15, at Nelson Frazier Funeral Home, with Nathan Thomas officiating. Burial followed the service at Davidson Memorial Gardens in Ivel.

## Arthur "Art" John Mudge

Arthur "Art" John Mudge, 71, of McDowell, died Monday, Nov. 14, 2011, at Pikeville Medical Center.

He was born Jan. 26, 1940, to the late Arthur and Josephine Mohr Mudge. He was the husband of Suzanne Campbell Mudge and a maintenance worker for Fox Hill Country Club.

He was preceded in death by his brother, Billy Mudge.

He is survived by two sons, Michael Joseph Mudge, of Willis, Mich., and Jeffery Lee (Leah) Mudge, of McDowell; one daughter, Melissa Catherine (Jonathan) Borden, of Pikeville; one sister, Pat Astle of Detroit, Mich.; grandchildren, Lauri, Stacia, Jessica, Justin, Richard, Chase and Logan; and nine great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m., Wednesday Nov. 16, at Nelson Frazier Funeral

Home, with Randal Parsons officiating. Burial will follow at the Akers Family Cemetery in McDowell.

## James Martin Case

James Martin Case, 64, of Garrett, died Thursday, Nov. 10, 2011, at his residence.

He was born Feb. 20, 1947, to the late Johnnie and Anna Jewell Pritchard Case.

He was a factory worker of Ford Motor Company and a member of the Garrett First Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by one son, James Case; one brother, John David Case; and one sister, Joyce Ann Case Gore.

He is survived by two daughters, Robin Walker, of Taylor, Mich., and Jewel Haldy, of Wyndotte, Mich.; one brother, Jerry Case, of Garrett; and two grandchildren, Ray Walker II and Salina Haldy.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 17, at Garrett First Baptist Church, at Garrett, with Randy Osborne officiating. Burial to follow at the Lackey Cemetery.

Palbearers: James Oliver, Tony Owens, Brian Shipley, Ronald Darrell Lawson, Leroy Terry and Terry Scott.

Honorary Palbearers: Charles G. Patton, Johnny Thornsberry, Jay Pritchard, Danny Hicks, Jacob Hicks, Jeff Patton, Zach Patton, Jack Holthouse, Mac Walker, Brandon Spencer and Allen Lafferty.

Nelson Frazier Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

## Anna Jewell Pritchard Case

Anna Jewell Pritchard Case, 87, of Garrett, died Thursday Nov. 10, 2011, at her residence.

She was born Dec. 3, 1924, to the late Jim and Louvena Tarce Pritchard. She was married to the late Johnnie Case, was a homemaker, and a member of the First Baptist Church.

She is survived by her son and daughters-in-law, Jerry T. and Charolotte Case, of Garrett; Wanda Case; brothers and sister, Wesley Pritchard, of Port Ritchie, Fla., Robert Pritchard, of Reynoldsburg, Ohio, Roy Duane Pritchard, of Franklin, Ohio, John "Douglas" Pritchard, of Garrett, and Paula "Sue" Smith, of Arthur, Iowa; six grandchildren; and two great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two sons, James Martin Case and John David Case, and one daughter, Joyce Ann Case.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 17, at the Garrett First Baptist Church, with Randy Osborne officiating. Burial will follow the service at Lackey Cemetery. Palbearers: John V. Case, Shawn D. Case, Chris D. Case, Thomas W. Case and Leroy Terry.

Honorary Palbearers: Charles G. Patton, Johnny Thornsberry, Jay Pritchard, Danny Hicks, Jacob Hicks, Jeff Patton, Zach Patton, Jack Holthouse, Mac Walker, Brandon Spencer and Allen Lafferty.

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early 2010 after one of the alleged victims went to police upon finding a picture of her she said had been taken of her when she was between the ages of 8 and 12.

Police secured a warrant and executed a search of the house where they found more pictures of the victim, magazines of a child pornography, and several computers

# Scam

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"All this does is allow the scammer access to your bank account to clean it out," warned Frank.

Government grants are not available to the public to use for whatever they want, like trips, paying bills, or fixing up the house like the scammers are saying.

Caller ID on some consumers' phones are showing "private" for the calls, while others show phone numbers with 202 area codes, which is the area code for Washington D.C. The BBB believes that is in an effort to convince

# Forum

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and addictionologist from Louisville. "Little by little the fingers of recovery come together."

Those attending Saturday's forum included physicians, nurses, dentists, psychologists, nurse practitioners, pharmacists, social workers, family therapists and certified alcohol and drug counselors.

Fannin, whose discussion centered on opiate/opioid addiction, explained that addiction is a brain disease that is characterized by two states: drug abuse (a problem caused by making bad choices) and chemical dependence (which takes away the body's ability to be in control).

Improvements in neurobiology have greatly facilitated understanding about how addiction works, and thus the ability to provide appropriate treatments, Fannin said. But, "you can't separate the mind, body and spirit" in treating addiction.

He likened the process of having a well-stocked toolbox. "None (of these tools) is the end all, but they all have their purpose, so a comprehensive understanding of all options is essential. Regardless of the method of treatment, which needs to include counseling and belief in some higher power - recovery from substance abuse dependence is a "voluntarily maintained lifestyle," Fannin said.

Research during the past two decades, especially in human genetics, has unscrambled many of the mysteries, Brady said. "We now have an insight into this disease that we never had before.

Brady, who struggled through his own addictions with amphetamines and alcohol, said he has never seen a successful recovery

which also contained child pornography and Internet links to child pornography websites.

"It was on the computers that the vast majority of this stuff was found," said Turner.

The charge of sexual abuse arose from alleged sexual contact with the female dating back to 2000.

Salisbury has been held in the Floyd County Detention Center on a \$50,000 cash bond.

the victims that the call is legitimately from the government. Consumers describe the callers as having thick, foreign accents and stating they are calling from the U.S. Treasury or other federal government department.

Anyone who receives one of these calls should hang up immediately. If you have given any bank account information, contact your financial institution as soon as possible to see if they can block access, before it is too late. Consumers may contact the BBB with questions at (859) 259-1008 or 1-800-866-6668.

program that doesn't include spirituality. Since then he has made it "his mission" to learn about and to share information about addiction.

"This is a multifaceted disease and brain chemistry ... is only a small part of it," Brady said. "If (people) don't learn a different way to live, you can give them every medicine on God's green earth and it isn't going to ... minimize the risk."

While today's drug problems may have a resemblance to alcoholism of the past, it is a greatly different illness because "we are tormented with a whole lot more problems," Brady said. Unfortunately, "sometimes" the "dragon wins."

Helping put a face to the addiction problem were two individuals who have successfully completed treatment at WestCare's residential facility in Pikeville County. Each shared their story and reinforced the importance of having a strong support structure as they continue to stay clean.

Substance abuse disorders should be viewed as a lifestyle-related disease that is treatable, noted Vance, who presented an overview of the "PRIME For Life" program, which prepares addicts for the recovery process.

Rhonda Clark, a social worker/CADC with Van Ark Behavioral Management and Hope in the Mountains in Prestonsburg, encouraged those in attendance to involve themselves in efforts of UNITE's Medical Advisory Council.

The Council was formally organized in April 2011 to aid in the fight against drug abuse and diversion through a process of education, accountability, monitoring and continual re-evaluation of what medical professionals do together. Members meet every fourth Thursday of the month at 5:30 p.m. in the conference room of the Big Sandy Area Development District, 100 Resource Drive, Prestonsburg.

"If you keep on fighting something good will happen," Vance told the participants. "I encourage you to go out and do all that you can do."

To learn more about the UNITE Medical Advisory Council visit [www.operationunite.org/about/medical-advisory/](http://www.operationunite.org/about/medical-advisory/).

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## KET to air statewide broadcasts of The Center for Rural Development's 15th anniversary celebration in December

Those who might have missed The Center for Rural Development's 15th anniversary celebration on Sept. 30 in Somerset will have the opportunity to view the event in the comfort of their homes thanks to special statewide broadcast presentations set to air on Kentucky Educational Television (KET).

Starting Dec. 5, KET will broadcast five airings of a one-hour program filmed at the event before nearly 300 guests on its primary cable broadcast channel and its digital KETKY, The Kentucky Channel.

According to a schedule released by KET, The Kentucky Channel (KET3) will air The Center's anniversary broadcast on:

- Monday, Dec. 5, at 9:00 p.m. EST
- Tuesday, Dec. 6, at 2:00 p.m. EST
- Friday, Dec. 9, at 9:00 a.m. EST
- Saturday, Dec. 10, at noon EST

The main cable channel (KETD) will also broadcast the event on Friday, Dec. 9, at 2 a.m. EST.

"Through work in our four Focus Areas of leadership, technology, public safety, and arts and culture, The Center is changing people's lives and improving the quality of life within our 42-county primary service area in Southern and Eastern Kentucky and beyond," said Lonnie Lawson, president and CEO of The Center.

"Partnering with KET for these broadcasts gives us the ability to reach across Kentucky and tell the citizens we serve how we strive to continue

changing people's lives at the regional, state, and national levels," Lawson added.

During the anniversary celebration, The Center presented six regional leadership service awards to individuals whose work exemplifies the mission of the nonprofit organization.

Award recipients were Don Alwes of Wilmore, Public Safety Award; Peggy Sherry, Somerset, Arts and Culture Award; 2009 Rogers Scholars graduates Blake Adams and Victoria Rose, Monticello, Community Service/Leadership Award; Brent Graden, Prestonsburg, Technology Award; Eastern Kentucky University, Richmond, Strategic Partner Award; and Dr. Lee Todd Jr., Lexington, Public Service Award.

U.S. Congressman Harold "Hal" Rogers (KY-05), keynote speaker at the anniversary celebration, was presented The Center's "Visionary Award" for having the foresight to create The Center and all of its affiliate organizations.

Neil Middleton, news director and vice president of news at WYMT-TV in Hazard, served as the master of ceremonies.

The anniversary program was also broadcast across all of Eastern Kentucky on WYMT-TV (Channel 57) on Oct. 31 and Nov. 7 as part of its weekly Issues & Answers program.

For more information on channel listings for KET and KETKY, check your local cable or satellite provider or visit [www.ket.org](http://www.ket.org). For

more information on The Center and its programs, visit [www.centertech.com](http://www.centertech.com).

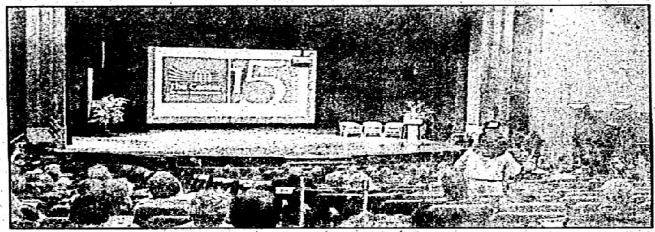
KETKY, The Kentucky Channel—now airing 24 hours a day, seven days a week—features programming by, for, and about Kentuckians. Digital broadcast is available statewide, with growing cable delivery.

KET's primary broadcast channel includes primetime PBS programs; KET-produced programs about Kentucky; trusted PBS Kids series; how-to programming; CED programs for adult learners; and programs produced by independent Kentucky filmmakers.

Established in 1996 through the vision of U.S. Congressman Harold "Hal" Rogers (KY-05), and other leaders, The Center for Rural Development is a nonprofit organization fueled by a mission to provide leadership that stimulates innovative and sustainable economic development solutions and a better way of life in Southern and Eastern Kentucky. In its 42-county primary service region,

The Center provides innovative programs in leadership, public safety, technology, and arts and culture.

The Center is committed to constantly expanding its capabilities in order to deliver a range of key services throughout Kentucky and the nation.



Starting Dec. 5, Kentucky Educational Television (KET) will broadcast five airings of a one-hour program on The Center for Rural Development's 15th anniversary celebration on its primary cable broadcast channel and the digital The Kentucky Channel. For more information on channel listings for KET and The Kentucky Channel, check your local cable or satellite provider or visit [www.ket.org](http://www.ket.org). For more information on The Center and its programs, visit [www.centertech.com](http://www.centertech.com).

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A liberal is a man who is right most of the time, but he's right too soon.

— Gregory Nunn

## Amendment I

Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people to peaceably assemble, and to petition the government for a redress of grievances.

## Guest View Trickle-down tax cuts: A broken record

Low Prince

I'm one of those "job creators" members of Congress probably admire so much. Thirty-two years ago, my partner and I started a small business with \$300 worth of old records and a booth at the local farmers market. We're now the biggest independent music store in St. Louis and employ 22 people. Our annual revenue is around \$2 million. We're a classic American success story.

Our incomes are typical for small business owners, which means we're not in the top tax brackets. We've always been at or below the 25 percent tax bracket. So we're trying to figure out how a new Congressional tax proposal is supposed to help small businesses like ours create jobs.

The proposal would cut top individual and corporate tax rates from 35 percent to 25 percent. In addition, it would reward U.S. multinational corporations that have gained the system with a 5.25 percent tax rate on U.S. profits they have disguised as "foreign" earnings. All this will be great for gigantic multinational corporations, Wall Street and the fat cats who attend those \$1,000-a-plate annual political fundraisers. It will be great for the corporate lobbyists gaming our political system every day.

It won't help small business, and it won't help America. This proposal would give massive new tax cuts to America's largest corporations and wealthiest families and comes as we learn from a Congressional Budget Office report that after-tax inflation-adjusted incomes for the richest 1 percent of Americans skyrocketed 275 percent between 1979 and 2007.

Tax-cut activists want us to believe that cutting the top rate to 25 percent benefits America's small business owners. Most small business owners wouldn't see a penny of tax cuts under this proposal.

And, anyone who thinks lowering the top tax rate would affect hiring knows diddly squat about running a business. I hire more workers if I think I'll do more business. The costs of finding, hiring and paying new employees are business expenses. They're deducted up-front from taxable income. Any business paying taxes on these expenses needs to fire their accountant.

The biggest challenge facing my business isn't the taxes we pay. It's the decline in customer demand and the continued hollowing

out of our middle class, our infrastructure and our economy. It breaks my heart when my customers sell record collections built over a lifetime, to pay their rent, heating bills or medical expenses.

We've tried trickle-down tax cuts to create jobs. How'd that work out? Tax-Cutter-in-Chief, George W. Bush, had the worst job creation record since 1939. What trickled down were economic meltdown, foreclosures, unemployment, budget cuts and business closures.

We've tried Congress proposing stimulating the economy with more tax cuts for those who are far ahead of the rest of us, they do nothing to help our customers or my business. When the wealthy get more tax cuts, it transfers the burden of paying for government services to businesses like mine and to my customers, already living paycheck to paycheck.

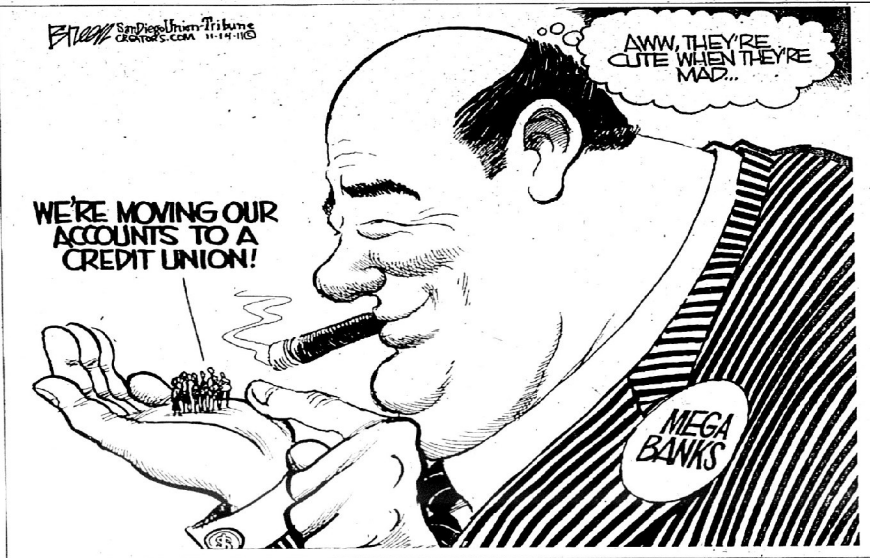
If members of Congress want to help small business, they should propose policies that actually create jobs. St. Louis, like many cities, laid off teachers, first responders and construction workers — the people who spend money locally and who we need for a healthy economy. The last thing we need is more cutbacks to pay for more tax cuts to the top.

Job creation today and a brighter future for our kids and grandkids lies with better education, 21st Century infrastructure, universal broadband and renewable energy. How do the advocates of more tax cuts for the rich expect to compete with emerging economic superpowers if we don't invest in our nation's future? Where do they expect money for that investment to come from, if not from those who have profited most from the investment our parents and grandparents made to build the nation they handed us?

Trickle-down economics has been a miserable failure. It delivered economic ruin for many and riches for a few. It hasn't brought shared prosperity, but driven us further apart. It increased the economic and political divide between Wall Street and Big Business over Main Street and small business.

Trickle-down economics is a broken record. It's time to let it go.

Prince is managing partner of Vintage Vinyl, an independent music store in St. Louis. He is also a member of Business for Shared Prosperity, a national network of forward-thinking business owners and executives. A version of this op-ed previously appeared in The Hill.



## A Legislative Perspective

Greg Stumbo  
Speaker of the House

Over the last few decades, Kentucky has gained a well-earned reputation for its groundbreaking work in science and technology.

We will forever be home to the world's first self-contained artificial heart and the nation's first hand transplant, for example, and two of our researchers were behind the world's first 100 percent effective cancer vaccine.

We've taken the lead on Alzheimer's disease research — the University of Kentucky is home to one of the country's 10 original centers dedicated to finding a cure — and helping paralyzed victims through the University of Louisville's Spinal Cord Injury Research Center, one of just 12 nationwide.

A key reason behind our success can be traced to the Bucks for Brains program that the General Assembly created about a dozen years ago. Since then, \$410 million have been awarded to our colleges and universities, which have provided a dollar-for-dollar match through private donations.

The state also offers money through several other programs designed to foster growth in high-tech jobs, and we set aside a portion of our annual tobacco settlement payments for lung cancer research. Earlier this year, we adopted legislation that uses tax

incentives to make college-owned business parks more attractive to companies.

Our two leading universities — UK and U of L — have set a high standard of excellence. In addition to the work already mentioned, UK can boast a College of Pharmacy that is ranked fifth best in the nation, and the university just hosted an international conference focused on the side effects cancer treatments can have on the brain.

U of L, meanwhile, was recognized this past summer for its significant gains in federal research funding in science and engineering — only three schools across the country saw funding rise faster over the last decade — and it is working with the Owensboro Cancer Research Program to genetically turn the tobacco plant into a factory to mass produce such things as cancer drugs and flu vaccines.

UK and U of L are working together as well. In one of the more prominent ways, they are seeing if they can affordably split hydrogen from water by mimicking the way nature does it rather than the energy-intensive methods now used. If they can pull this off, the world will have a virtually endless supply of clean energy.

Similar research is being done to further clean-coal initiatives, including the use of algae to capture carbon dioxide. A pilot project at a

Winchester power plant to test this approach is already moving forward.

Our regional universities are doing groundbreaking work, too. Morehead State University is a leader nationally in space science, and Eastern Kentucky University is known for its work on homeland security. Murray State University is helping to keep our watersheds clean, and Kentucky State University has an international reputation for its work in aquaculture.

Northern Kentucky University is making a name for itself in a new field known as informatics, which covers careers in computers and technology; and Western Kentucky University just announced it has the country's only university-based microscope that can zoom in on relatively large objects measuring up to 650 pounds. This will be a valuable tool for manufacturers and for the study of historical artifacts.

These examples are just a few now taking place on our college campuses. No one knows what these gains may lead to, but the potential is always there that a Kentuckian will be behind the next great cure or a startup company like Apple, which began in a garage, or Facebook, which was developed in a college dorm room. The key is to give our students and faculty alike the tools they need to succeed and then see what they can do.

## House Week in Review

Rep. Hubert Collins

Proposed changes to federal rules governing the disposal of coal ash — the material left after coal is burned for electricity — will cost Kentucky's electric utilities at least \$1.2 billion over 10 years, an LG&E/KU executive told a state legislative committee in early November.

John Voyles, who is vice president of transmission and generation services at LG&E/KU, told the Interim Joint Committee on Natural Resources and Environment that the cost to comply with the proposed coal ash regulatory changes, combined with other proposed or new federal Environmental Protection Agency rules, will cost the LG&E/KU alone approximately \$4 billion over 10 years.

Some estimate the total cost of current EPA regulatory changes to Kentucky's regulated utilities could run between \$6 billion to \$8 billion over the 10-year period, Committee co-chair Rep. Jim Gooch, D-Providence, said.

A draft rule governing disposal of the ash, or coal combustion residuals (CCR), is expected in late 2012 or

early 2013, with compliance expected within five years of final rule approval. Voyles said. Changes would likely require "dry," or landfill, storage of ash and closing of ash ponds where a percentage of "wet" coal ash is stored.

There are currently 43 coal ash ponds statewide, according to Kentucky Department for Environmental Protection Commissioner Bruce Scott.

Scott said although the federal EPA proposed regulating CCR as a hazardous waste initially, all 50 states want the ash to be regulated as a non-hazardous waste.

"A lot of folks, including ourselves, believe the material has a lot of value ... in re-use," said Scott. If CCR were labeled as hazardous waste, it could create problems in industries where the ash is reused, including the manufacture of materials like wallboard and concrete.

Sen. Brandon Smith, R-Hazard, who is a co-chair of the committee, said coal ash is also used for composting in Europe. "It's sought after and used over there because it cuts ... in half the bioconversion (time)," said Smith. Gooch commented on the many beneficial uses of coal ash, from

reducing landfill waste to actually helping to improve the environment.

"When we burn coal, we do emit carbon — we all recognize that — but when you (make) concrete, that is also a process that emits a lot of carbon. So, by using this process that's already gone through the carbon emission, you can actually save the carbon that would be emitted through the concrete process," said Gooch.

Coal ash is commonly used to replace cement in concrete production, according to testimony on coal ash management from Danny Gray of Charah, Inc. of Louisville. Gray said replacing cement with ash reduces carbon dioxide emissions.

Legislation is now pending in the U.S. Senate that would essentially require CCR to be treated as non-hazardous, municipal landfill waste, Scott explained. The proposed legislation has the support of Kentucky and other state governments, he said. Scott added that it is highly likely that state action will be required to comply with any new CCR rule.

I will have more on the issues facing our region, and the Commonwealth, to share with you next time. Until then, have a good week.

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**NOTICE TO PRESTONSBURG CITY'S UTILITIES  
NATURAL GAS CUSTOMERS**

**NATURAL GAS FACTS**

Natural gas is lighter than air, non-toxic and contains no poisonous ingredients. Breathing natural gas is not harmful as long as their is adequate air to breath along with it. Natural gas will not burn by itself. Combustion can occur only when there is a mixture of gas and air containing between 5 percent and 15 percent natural gas and between 95 percent and 85 percent air. Because of its unique qualities of being lighter than air with a narrow band of combustion, natural gas is one of the safest energy sources available. It is also one of the most economical sources. Understanding and following safety procedures will make natural gas an even safer choice.

**THE POTENTIAL HAZARDS OF NATURAL GAS**

gas accidents can be avoided if you understand the potential hazards.

**(1) FIRE**

Natural gas can be a fire hazard, if you let it. Don't let it. A very hot stove, open flame or pilot light can ignite any combustible materials that happen to be near. Keep paper, curtains, paints, solvents, etc., away from gas appliances.

**(2) EXPLOSION**

Natural gas can be ignited by open flames or sparks. That's why unburned natural gas should never be allowed to escape into a room. A spark, flame, lit match or cigarette, even the flick of a light switch may be enough to cause an explosion.

**(3) CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING**

Even though natural gas itself isn't poisonous, gas burners that aren't adjusted properly can produce deadly carbon monoxide. You can't see or smell carbon monoxide, but it's a killer. To avoid its dangers, always make sure that any natural gas appliances in your home are properly adjusted and vented to the outside... so they'll burn safely and efficiently.

**(4) SUFFOCATION**

Natural gas can cause suffocation if it replaces air containing oxygen. (Only air that has oxygen can sustain life.) This is another reason why natural gas should never be allowed to leak from appliances or build up in an enclosed area or room.

**FOLLOW THESE COMMON SENSE SAFETY RULES... IT'S UP TO YOU TO USE SAFE GAS APPLIANCES AND TO USE GAS APPLIANCES SAFELY!!!**

- (1) **KEEP COMBUSTIBLES** such as papers, fluids, paints, curtains and rags away from furnaces, water heaters, gas ranges and dryers.
- (2) **TEACH CHILDREN** never to light or play with the controls of a gas appliances.
- (3) **KEEP PILOT LIGHTS** of your gas range lit. If you put them out to save energy, a dangerous gas build up can occur is someone accidentally turns on the range.
- (4) **KEEP GAS RANGE CLEAN** ---make sure burner bowls are free of used matches, grease, paper, etc.
- (5) **AND, NEVER USE YOUR GAS RANGE** to heat your home or apartment, this practice creates a serious fire hazard and puts you and your family at risk from dangerous carbon monoxide fumes.
- (6) **MAKE SURE APPLIANCES ARE VENTED** ---Natural gas needs air containing oxygen to burn safely and efficiently. Without enough air dangerous carbon monoxide is produced. For this reason, always make sure that your gas furnace and water heater are heated to the outside of the building. If you're not sure your appliances are vented properly, have them checked by a qualified heating contractor or plumber.
- (7) **KEEP FLUES AND CHIMNEYS CLEAR** -- Have your fluepipe and chimney checked to make sure they're not blocked with debris such as nests, branches or ivy. (Your heating contractor can inspect and clean fluepipes for you.)
- (8) **SIGNS OF POOR FLUE VENTILATION** ---Indoor wetness (condensation); unusual smell in your home that doesn't go away; sick houseplants; yellow or wavering appliance flames; soot in your home; pilot light that keeps going out.

**CERTAIN OLDER GAS CONNECTORS MAY BE DANGEROUS!**

Gas connectors are corrugated metal tubes used to connect gas appliances in your home to fuel gas supply pipes. Some older brass connectors have come apart, causing fires and explosions, resulting in deaths and injuries.

These older brass connectors have a serious flaw in the process used to used to join their tubing to their end pieces. Over time, the end pieces can separate from the tubing, and cause a serious gas leak, explosion or fire. To our knowledge, these dangerous uncoated brass connectors have not been made for more than 20 years, but many of them are still in use. The older these connectors get, the greater the possibility of failure.

Although not all uncoated connectors have this flaw, it is very difficult to tell which ones do. Therefore, any uncoated brass connector should be replaced immediately with either a new plastic coated brass or a new stainless steel connector. Connectors can wear out from too much moving, bending or corrosion. Connectors should always be replaced whenever the appliance is replaced or moved from its location.

**WARNING: Only a qualified professional should check your connector and replace it if needed. Don't try to do this yourself!**

Moving the appliance, even slightly, whether to clean behind it or to inspect its gas connector, can cause the complete failure of one of these older weakened connectors, possibly resulting in deadly fire or explosion.

**DO NOT MOVE YOUR APPLIANCE TO CHECK THE CONNECTOR!!****HOW DO I KNOW IF A GAS HAZARD EXISTS??? ---YOUR SENSE OF SMELL SHOULD TELL YOU**

(1) **A GAS LEAK IS POTENTIALLY VERY DANGEROUS!!** ---Gas may leak from faulty appliances, broken pipes or broken mains. Make sure all members of your family know what to do if they smell gas.

**(A) IF THE ODOR IS STRONG:**

- 1) Do not light matches.
- 2) Do not turn lights on or off.
- 3) Do not operate any controls or pull plugs from outlets.
- 4) Do not use telephone.
- 5) Notify everyone in the building or house to leave immediately, and leave the door open.
- 6) If possible, ventilate the building by opening doors and windows, starting where the odor is strongest.
- Do not re-enter the building for this purpose.
- 7) Call the utility company or fire department from a nearby building or house.
- Do Not use the telephone in your house.
- 8) Do not re-enter your home until the utility company or fire department has released you to do so.
- 9) Never take chances! If your safety is threatened, get out quickly.

**PRESTONSBURG CITY'S UTILITIES COMMISSION**

Phone Number --606-886-6871 Day or Night  
Phone Number --606-886-2900 Day or Night

**HOW TO RECOGNIZE A GAS LEAK OUTSIDE HOUSE OR BUILDING-**

Gas leaks outside are uncommon, but it is a good idea to know how to recognize them. Common signs include:

- 1) A gas odor.
  - 2) A blowing or hissing sound.
  - 3) Dirt being blown or thrown through the air.
  - 4) Water bubbling or being blown into the air at a pond.
  - 5) Fire coming from the ground or burning above the ground.
  - 6) Brown patches in vegetation on or near gas pipeline.
- If you detect and signs of a gas leak ousted, call Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission immediately.

**NOTICE TO PRESTONSBURG CITY'S UTILITIES COMMISSION  
NATURAL GAS CUSTOMERS ABOUT CUSTOMER SERVICE LINES**

1. Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission does not maintain customers' service lines beyond the gas meter setting. Customers are responsible for properly maintaining and repairing their service lines.
2. If customers' buried piping is not maintained, it may be subject to potential hazards or corrosion and leakage.
3. Buried gas piping should be:
  - I. Periodically inspected for leakage.
  - II. Periodically inspected for corrosion if piping is metallic.
  - III. Repaired, if any unsafe conditions are discovered.
  - IV. Repaired, located, inspected and maintained by plumbers or heating contractors.

4. When excavating near buried gas piping, the piping should be located in advance, and the excavation done by hand.

Safety comes first with Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission. Below are some of the steps take by Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission to insure the safety of our employees and customers.

1. Continuous patrolling of gas system.
2. Monitoring pressures at various points in gas system.
3. Annual / semi-annual leak surveys.
4. Immediate response to any reported problem.
5. Proper operation and maintenance of system.
6. Continuing education of gas pipe line employees, including emergency response to gas emergencies/ accidents.

Together with the help of our customers, we can maintain a safe and reliable gas system.

**NOTICE TO ALL CONSTRUCTION AND EXCAVATION COMPANIES**

In accordance with federal and state regulations governing natural pipeline safety, Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission is pursuing a damage prevention program to minimize accidents and/or disruptions that could involve its underground pipeline facilities. If you observe any type of construction or excavation, or if you plan to do any work requiring digging near a company pipeline, please call the Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission so that we can send qualified personnel to locate and properly mark the exact location of the pipeline. Knowing the exact location of the underground pipeline will reduce the possibility of property and/or personal and financial loss to both parties.

**David M. Ellis, Superintendent  
Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission**

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croto post; thence running in an easterly direction 125 feet to a concrete post at Given Waddell's line, thence running in a southerly direction with Given Waddell's line 100 feet to the point of beginning. There is also conveyed herein to Grant-ees the right, title and interest of Grantors in and to that certain easement and right of way conveyed to Grantors by Erman Waddell, et al at Deed Book 225, Page 161, 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 a 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 security.

B. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay the taxes or assessments upon the property for the 2011 tax year and all subsequent years. All taxes or assessments prior to the sale 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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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Notices LPN seeking job to sit with elderly in surrounding area of prestonsburg. Also babysitter needed for small child in surrounding area. Call 606-207-1845.

Persons Looking for a live in companion for an elderly couple ages of 55-80 yrs. old Call 888-0145

ANIMALS

Horses

FOR SALE 2 HORSES FOR SALE. CALL AFTER 7 P.M. 886-9894

AUTOMOTIVE

Autos

HICKS AUTO SALES DAVID ROAD "Good Titles" 2002 Dodge Dakota 4x4

2006 grand prix 79,000 miles 2002 chevy tahoe z71 loaded 98 dodge ram 4x4 quad cab

2000 Buick Lesabre Limited 146,000 miles 1995 GMC Sierra 4wd extra cab

1999 Ford F-150 100,000 miles \$2,200 1999 Ford Explorer

1998 Chevy Tahoe 4wd 83,000 miles 2003 Wide Glide H.D. 12,000 miles \$9,000 2003 Chevy Monte Carlo \$5,000

2003 Toyota Rav 4 100,000 miles \$7,200 "Rebuilt Titles" 1999 Ford Taurus S 2,900 2003 ranger supercab 2002 Sunfire 1 door Auto \$3,300 2006 Chevy Silverado crew cab \$9,800 CALL 606-886-2842.

Commercial / Industrial

For rent Commercial property located on 134 front street. Over 1,200 sq. feet. Great location in town of Prestonsburg. Must see to appreciate. Call 886-0296.

REAL ESTATE SALES

Cemetery Plots FOR SALE 2 CEMETERY PLOTS FOR SALE AT DAVIDSON MEMORIAL GARDENS. \$1,600.00. CALL 859-756-3137.

For Sale By Owner

Home and Car for sale 2 1/2 acres with brick home on 4.00 acres. Prestonsburg, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, hardwood floors, basement, 3 car garage. Call 886-1500. 300-six cylinder, runs good, 100,000 miles. Call 886-1459 (home) or 791-4833. Serious inquiries only.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 C.A. NO. 10-CI-01029

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK PLAINTIFF VS. FREDDIE ALLEN MAYNARD; FLOYD COUNTY, KY; CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KY; KENTUCKY REVENUE CABINET; U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION; AND KY LIEN HOLDINGS, LLC DEFENDANTS

RE-NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of an Amended Default Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 8th day of July, 2011, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, in the principal amount of \$1,366,888.66 and as to Court II principal amount of \$15,849.95, with the balance on a credit for 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 1st day of December 2011, at 10:00 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property, the following described property: Address: 242 W. Court St., Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

Tract I: All of the two story brick building (69' 10" x 12" wide and 73' 10" deep) located on the north side of Court Street and described in a deed from J.C. Hopkins et al. to Will H. Layne and Elizabeth A. Layne, dated March 1, 1927, and recorded in Deed Book 74, Page 116 and 3.

The legal description is as follows:

That certain lot situated in the city of Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky, on the north side of Court Street and described as follows: Beginning at the line of E.P. Howard and Nora Howard in the north line of the sidewalk where their brick now stands and occupied by Corbett's Point Store, then north along the sidewalk to the line of the lot of Will H. Layne and Elizabeth A. Layne about 73 feet, 10 inches; thence north easterly with their line about 69 feet and 10 inches to the line of the property of H.C. Hopkins Estate; thence with said line northerly to Court Street at a stake and point in the north line of the sidewalk on court street a corner between the lot heretofore conveyed to the property of Grace Layne Burke; thence with line of said sidewalk a westerly course 69 feet and 10 inches to the place of beginning.

Tract II: A section of land (69' 10" x 12" wide and 73' 4" deep) and being part of lot number 111 on town plat said section lies directly behind the building owned by the Will H. Layne and Elizabeth A. Layne Estate and including the building (69' 10" x 12" wide and 73' 4" deep) erected thereon and joined with the said Layne Estate Building.

The legal description is as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner to lot owned by Layne Estate; thence north along the said Layne Estate property 69 feet 10 inches to the northwest corner of said lot; thence north 73 feet 4 inches to the I.C. Bourke line; thence north along said line 69 feet 10 inches; thence south 73 feet 4 inches to the beginning. This conveyance is intended to cover part of the property conveyed to Will H. Layne and Elizabeth A. Layne by deed from John C. Johns & Co., dated September 2, 1900, and recorded in Deed Book 12, Page 408. Floyd County Clerk's Office, and part of the property conveyed to Grace Layne Burke by inheritance from Will H. Layne and Elizabeth A. Layne, now deceased, Angeline Layne, Archer Chaloupka and Frank Layne conveyed their interest to Grace Layne Burke, now deceased, by Deed dated July 23, 1945, recorded in Deed Book 561, Page 561, Floyd County Clerk's Office.

Being the same property conveyed to Allen Maynard from May-Johnson Properties, LLC by deed dated the 29th day of December, 2008, and recorded in Deed Book 53, Page 300, records of the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

This conveyance is made subject to all reservations, easements, restrictions, defects, liens or encumbrances of record in the above-described property.

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 a 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 security.

B. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay the taxes or assessments upon the property for the 2011 tax year and all subsequent years. All taxes or assessments prior to the sale 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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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice to Bidders: The Paintsville Medical Office Building Condo Association a non-profit corporation who oversees the Management of Common Space located within the Paintsville Medical Office Building at 100 Broadway St., Paintsville, KY 41240 is now accepting bids and qualifications from qualified vendors for monthly and quarterly services including: monthly accounting services shall include pricing associated with providing monthly and annual accounting services including but not limited to the following: property tax invoices, monthly bank reconciliations, quarterly collections of Condo Association fees based on assessed values, quarterly collection of directors and annual tax preparation and filings. Bid information and requirements can be requested by emailing Neil Parsons at nparsons@hmc.org or by contacting him at 606-886-7747. Paintsville Medical Office Building Condo Association reserves the right to accept, reject and/or modify any and all bids, to waive irregularities therein, and to make the award in any manner deemed to be in the best interest of the Condo Association. Bids and qualifications can be sent to Paintsville Medical Office Building Condo Association at P.O. Box 787, Prestonsburg, KY 41653 to the attention of Neil Parsons or dropped off to Neil Parsons located at Highland Health Medical Center at 5000 KY Rt. 321, Prestonsburg KY. The deadline to have bids and qualifications submitted is November 19, 2011 at 4:00 PM.

PUBLIC NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 C.A. NO. 11-CI-0247

VANDERBILT MORTGAGE AND FINANCE, INC. PLAINTIFF VS. MICHAEL L. MALONEY (In rem); ANJELIE L. MALONEY; MIDLAND FUNDING NCC-2 CORP; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF DEBRA HALL (In rem); and COUNTY OF FLOYD, KENTUCKY DEFENDANTS

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Default Judgment, Judgment on the Pleadings and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 16th day of August, 2011, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, in the principal amount of \$154,041.46, 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 17th day of November 2011, at 9:00 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property to wit: Property Address: 1716 Little Mud Creek, Printer, Floyd County, KY

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

Beginning at an iron pin and cap (set) iron pin, being South 07°28'24" East, a distance of 150.00 feet to an iron pin and cap (set), being a corner of Tommy Hall property line and the 2011 foot proposed street, thence running with the Hall property line South 81°03'18" East, a distance of 374.18 feet to an iron pin and cap (set), thence continuing with the Hall property line North 07°36'35" East, a distance of 128.71 feet to an iron pin and cap (set), thence with the line of the property of 95.49 feet to an iron pin and cap (set), thence North 88°14'12" East, a distance of 251.37 feet to an iron pin and cap (set), being the point of beginning.

The above-described property contains 1.24 acres, or 53,829.06 square feet, as determined by survey. This description was written by Jody Stone, Engineering Technician, under the direct supervision of Gary Cousins, Kentucky Licensed Land Surveyor No. 2912, on November 20, 2008, and was developed from a field survey conducted on December 14, 2008, under his direct supervision. All monumentation shown as (set) is 1/2" diameter ferrous rebar, a minimum of 18" in length, capped with a plastic fluorescent cap embossed LLS 2912. The line bearings shown hereon were determined by alignment of the centerline of Little Mud Creek Road on date of survey.

Being the same property conveyed to Michael L. Maloney and Anjelle L. Maloney, his wife, from Tommy L. Hall and Melissa Hall, his wife, by Deed dated December 1, 2008, of record in Deed Book 553, Page 547, in the Office of the Floyd County Clerk.

Map #081-00-00-003 07

There is also attached to the above property a 2009 Clayton manufactured home, VIN: CWP019314TNAB.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 C.A. NO. 11-CI-00074

U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION PLAINTIFF vs/for FIRSTAR BANK, N.A. DEFENDANT

RODNEY HALL; THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF ANJELIE L. RODNEY HALL; COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY, Finance and Insurance Company of America, a subsidiary of ATLANTIC CREDIT & FINANCE, INC.; CAPITAL ONE BANK (USA), N.A.; CAPITAL ONE BANK; CAPITAL ONE BANK (USA), N.A.; I/VA CAPITAL ONE BANK; TAX EASE LIEN SERVICES, LLC DEFENDANTS

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

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B. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay the taxes or assessments upon the property for the 2011 tax year and all subsequent years. All taxes or assessments prior to the sale 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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PUBLIC NOTICE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 1 C.A. NO. 10-CI-1354

COMMUNITY TRUST BANK, INC. PLAINTIFF VS. JODI K. LANNING, UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF JODI K. LANNING, MICHAEL YOUNG, KENTUCKY PROPERTY TAX SERVICE, COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY, DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, FLOYD COUNTY, KENTUCKY, JAMOS FUND, INC. and DEFENDANTS

RE-NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

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And containing 0.49 of an acre, more or less. Parcel No. 4: Lying and being in Floyd County, Kentucky on the west side of the C and O Railroad at Emma Station. This small tract is rectangular in form. Beginning on a post in the line of the C and O right of way marked with 3 hacks; thence to a post in line of the line of Leslie and William Sherman; thence down the point to a post in the line of way; thence with the line of the north course to the marked post the beginning.

That was conveyed on March 30, 2007 by Penny Teller, single, to Jodi K. Lanning, single, by deed recorded in deed book 537, Page 638, 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 a 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 security.

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**Application procedure:** Send cover letter and resume via mail to Mr. William Hughes, Board Chairman, Floyd County Public Library, 18 North Arnold Avenue, Prestonsburg, KY, 41653-1269  
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**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD COUNTY COURT DIVISION NO. II C.A. NO. 11-CI-00295**  
 KENTUCKY HOUSING CORPORATION PLAINTIFF  
 VS.  
 DEWANA G. TACKETT DEFENDANT  
 RE-NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a In Rem Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 12th day of July, 2011, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, in the principal amount of \$36,899.41 with interest thereon, plus additional sums and costs; please be advised that 1st bid proceeds 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 1st day of December 2011, at 10:15 a.m., upon the terms set forth in following the description of the follow described property, to wit:

Property Address: 2246 Right Fork Bull Creek, Prestonsburg, Floyd County, Kentucky

Beginning at an iron pin on the west line of the road, said point being appert west of the left fork of the branch and bearing S 89 degrees 40' E 18.90 feet from the southeast corner of the corner of lands of Mrs. Henry Wallen; thence leaving said lands and with the west side of the road N 18-12w 92.82 feet to an iron pin 5 feet south of the right hand fork and approximately 35 feet west of the forks of the creek and at the forks at the back of the right fork of the branch 53' 5 W 139.50 feet to an iron pin 12 feet south of the branch, a corner to lands of John and the hill with the west side of the branch and up the hill with said lands S 02-46 W 71.89 feet to an iron pin on the hillside; thence around the hillside S 68-32 E 40.01 feet to an iron pin thence S 59-16 E 53.12 feet to an iron pin; thence down the hillside N 42-4 E 112.3 feet to the beginning, containing 0.41 acres, more or less.

Being the same property conveyed to Dewana Tackett by deed dated July 13, 2001 of record in Deed Book 461, Page 350 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 ninety (90) 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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## Reduction in agricultural development funds likely, lawmakers told

FRANKFORT—State and regional agricultural projects will likely have 36 percent less available for agricultural development funding this fiscal year because of the struggling economy, a state legislative committee was told last week.

Kentucky Governor's Office of Agricultural Policy Chief of Staff Joel Neaveill told the Interim Joint Committee on Agriculture that the likely reduction in available Agricultural Development Fund dollars for state and regional investment follows a revision of Kentucky's official revenue estimate for fiscal year 2012 by the Consensus Forecasting

Group, an independent panel that forecasts the state's revenue growth. The CFO revised the state's revenue estimate for the current fiscal year last month in Frankfort.

The anticipated reduction in available state and regional ADF dollars for fiscal year 2012 would exceed a 24.6 percent reduction in ADF dollars for state and regional investments that Neaveill said occurred in fiscal year 2011.

County agricultural development funds will not be affected by any projected reduction in ADF funds, Neaveill told the committee when asked

what investments would be affected by committee co-chair Sen. David Givens, R-Greensburg.

Funding for the ADF is provided by tobacco settlement dollars from a 1998 national tobacco settlement that included Kentucky and 45 other states' Attorneys General. State General Fund money is not used to fund ADF projects, explained Neaveill.

The projected reduction was one of several issues raised by GOAP staff for legislative consideration during the upcoming 2012 Regular Session of the Kentucky General Assembly.

Another issue, raised by GOAP Executive Director Roger Thomas, is the need for a permanent statutory change that would enable the Kentucky Agricultural Finance Corporation to provide an entity or individual with a low-interest loan greater than \$1 million and up to \$5 million. The change would do away with the current legislative practice of creating an exception during budget sessions, held every two years, to existing law that enables the KAF to offer the larger loans.

Thomas said the exception to current law—which allows existing law

to be "not withstood," in bill drafting terms—has been approved by the General Assembly over the last three budget cycles. KAF's assets have grown to almost \$40 million over the last four years, he explained.

Committee co-chair Rep. Wilson Stone, D-Scottsville, said he believes the requested change could be "a subject for discussion as the session unfolds."

"I think (other factors) along with the fact that it just takes larger projects to have the kind of impact that you want to have is certainly a logical reason to make that increase," Stone said.

Thomas also suggested that state lawmakers change the definition of "beginning farmer" in state law from the U.S. Department of Agriculture's definition to the state's so-called "working definition" that Thomas said is more flexible. He explained the change would allow loans to be made that are not possible under the USDA definition.

The GOAP would also like to continue Kentucky's federally-funded On-farm Energy Efficiency and Production Incentives Program which has served nearly 200 recipients with federal stimulus dollars alone, Thomas said.

## Beshear announces grants to clean up illegal dumps

FRANKFORT — Governor Steve Beshear announced Monday that approximately \$2.1 million in grant funding has been awarded by the Kentucky Pride Fund for cleanup of 171 illegal dumps in 29 counties across the Commonwealth.

"Illegal dumping is a major problem that raises significant concerns with regard to safety, property values and quality of life in our communities," Gov. Beshear said. "It is a major economic burden on local governments, which are typically responsible for cleaning up dump sites."

The following counties received grants: Adair, Bath, Breathitt, Breckinridge, Clark, Clay, Cumberland, Green, Hardin, Hart, Henderson, Laurel, Lee, Lincoln, Logan, Magoffin, Marshall, Mason, Meade, Montgomery, Morgan, Owsley, Rockcastle, Russell, Spencer, Warren, Wayne, Whitley and Wolfe.

As part of the grant funding, counties must agree to provide a 25 percent match when it costs less than \$50,000 to clean up an individual, illegal open dump.

The Energy and Environment Cabinet (EEC) may waive the 25 percent match on any individual illegal open dump costing more than \$50,000 to remediate.

The Division of Waste Management administers the Kentucky Pride Fund to clean up county dump sites. Funding for the program comes from a \$1.75 environmental remediation fee for each ton of garbage disposed of at Kentucky municipal solid waste disposal facilities.

This "tipping fee," authorized by the 2002 General Assembly under House Bill 174, is collected quarterly and placed in the Kentucky Pride Fund.

The Kentucky Pride Fund is the first legislated and ongoing source of state funding for dump cleanup. Previously, illegal open dump cleanup in Kentucky was primarily funded by county and federal money.

In 2006, Senate Bill 50 changed the reimbursement program to a grant program. The legislation also expanded the scope of the fund to address household hazardous waste collection and recycling infrastructure, in addition to illegal dump and old landfill projects.

Kentucky has made significant progress in addressing the illegal dump issue thanks to this funding, along with statewide cleanup and educational campaigns by local, state and federal agencies, Gov. Beshear said.

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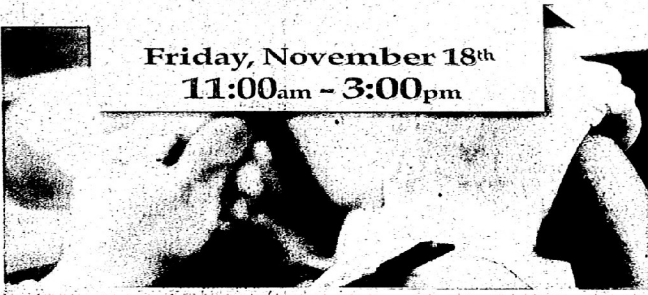
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## Hall of Fame inductee



Pete Greene, who graduated from Union College in 1991, is a 2011 inductee into the college's Athletics Hall of Fame. Greene played tight end on the football team all four years of his college career. He was named team captain and set records at Union, including most receptions and yardage. He and his wife, Susan, live in Prestonsburg with their two sons, Tate and Owen. The Hall of Fame is intended to honor Union College affiliates who have made outstanding contributions to their fields, been pioneers in their areas of expertise or provided leadership at state, regional or national levels.

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# Prestonsburg Health Care hosts Hall of Fame dinner



Prestonsburg Health Care Center had its annual Hall of Fame Cafe on Thursday. Every year, we honor and celebrate residents, one stakeholder and one community leader for their talents, abilities, passions, leadership and community involvement. This year, we were pleased to induct three residents, Clyde Burchett, Isom Poe and Eula Hall; our stakeholder, Charlene Arms; and community leader, Jerry Fannin.

## KYCOM partnership awarded federal funding for program development

PIKEVILLE — The University of Pikeville-Kentucky College of Osteopathic Medicine (KYCOM), in partnership with Mineral Community Hospital's FFMR program, was recently notified that they were awarded funding for their Frontier Family Medicine Residency (FFMR) Program from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) Residency Training in Primary Care Program.

The HRSA grant D58HP23226 will award \$185,548 in year one and \$187,356 in each of years two through five based on the success of the initiative and availability of federal funding. If fully funded through September 2016, the federal and non-federal funding for the grant will total \$1,042,972. The funds will be used for planning, development, and implementation of the one of the nation's first frontier family medicine resident training programs to be hosted at a Critical Access Hospital. The FFMR program is accredited by the American Osteopathic Association (AOA).

"The award of this grant helps give our program a solid footing for success. We will attract some of the finest new medical minds when we are ready to start accepting residents in 2013," said Mineral Community Hospital CEO Steve Carly and one of the founders of the FFMR.

The KYCOM has a 10-year track record of success in training and retaining primary care physicians in rural areas, especially the Appalachian Mountains in Kentucky, West Virginia, Tennessee, and Virginia. In partnership with the FFMR program and the Appalachian Osteopathic

Postgraduate Training Institute Consortium (A-OPTIC), a collaborative of four medical schools and 19 residency programs, KYCOM proposes to use grant funds to significantly accelerate the implementation of FFMR's innovative program which helps address Montana's critical need for additional medical providers. Once successful, this program can be replicated elsewhere in the country to help improve rural medicine.

"This is an historic collaboration for medical education. The FFMR builds on the success we have had training and retaining primary care physicians in the Appalachian Mountains and extends it nationwide," said John Rehmeier of A-OPTIC.

The established objectives for this grant include developing and implementing FFMR and enrolling three residents annually, reducing financial barriers to resident success, identifying and eliminating any encumbering or restrictive regulatory caps that could otherwise stifle the innovation needed to grow frontier training programs, evaluate the effectiveness of the program and disseminate the model.

The specific methodology is based on current AOA resident training and FFMR will produce professional, family physicians capable of providing competent, independent, and professional health care service in rural and frontier communities.

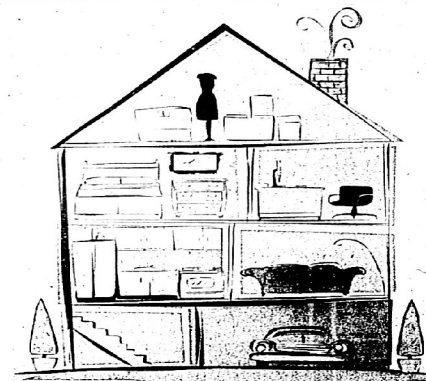
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**10 represent UPIKE at Washington Gala**

PIKEVILLE — Recognizing the impact that more than 50,000 alumni have made in their communities, The Washington Center celebrated the accomplishments of many during their annual gala in Washington, D.C., in October.

University of Pikeville faculty, administration, students and alumni were among those in attendance at The Washington Center gala, themed "A Bold Look Ahead."

Held at the renowned National Building Museum, NBC news correspondent Luke Russert served as master of ceremonies. Proceeds from the event provide support and scholarships for students participating in The Washington Center

programs. University of Pikeville students have participated in The Washington Center seminars for several years. Founded 35 years ago, The Washington Center is the largest independent, nonprofit academic internship and seminar program in the country.

The organization brings together exceptional and dedicated college students and civic, governmental and business leaders, hundreds of colleges and universities and scores of public and private host organizations.

Nancy Cade, professor of history and political science, has served as a faculty advisor and mentor for the organization since 2004, including two national political conventions and two presidential

inaugurations. Honored by The Washington Center in 2007 as a "Faculty Leader of the Year," she is the campus liaison for the program and a member of The Washington Center's national Liaison Advisory Board. Cade established the Fred W. Meyer Jr. Washington Center Scholars Scholarship Fund at the University of Pikeville in honor of her father.

During the gala, Kentucky Congressman Harold "Hal" Rogers received the 2011 Pillar Award for Leadership in recognition of his outstanding efforts in southern and Eastern Kentucky and in the U.S. Congress. Tiffany Thacker, a graduate of the University of Pikeville, had the honor of presenting Rogers with the award.

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## Hamilton passes for over 1,500 yards

STEVE LeMASTER  
SPORTS EDITOR

**BETSY LAYNE** – Sophomore Dylan Hamilton is settling in with the Betsy Layne High School boys' basketball team. Hamilton is fresh off of a stellar football season. In his first season as starting quarterback for the BLHS football team, Hamilton completed 94 of 157 passes for 1,508 yards and 11 touchdowns. In 11 games under center, Hamilton went interception free. The productive Hamilton also rushed for four touchdowns during his sophomore season.

As a team, Betsy Layne rushed for 2,589 yards.

Betsy Layne featured two rushers with more than 1,000 yards apiece. Austin Hall led Betsy Layne in rushing. Hall rushed 109 times for 1,202 yards and 12 touchdowns in only nine games. Hall averaged a team-high 134 yards per game for the Bobcats. In 10 games, Kory Jarrell rushed a team-high 125 times for 1,055 yards and nine touchdowns.

Jarrell ranked as Hamilton's go-to receiver, reeling in a team-high 25 receptions for 453 yards and one touchdown. Hall ranked second in receiving, claiming 15 receptions for 303 yards and two

touchdowns. Hamilton spread the football around as part of a successful Betsy Layne passing attack. Ryan Lawson reeled in 16 receptions for 255 yards and one touchdown.

Tony Dirico grabbed 16 receptions for 225 yards and a team-best four touchdowns. Blake Spencer, another consistent receiver, claimed 14 catches for 210 yards and a touchdown.

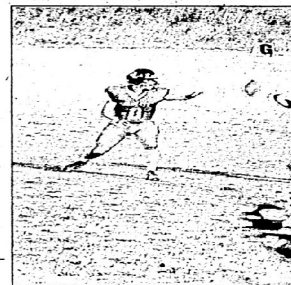
Betsy Layne ended the season 7-4 following a loss to Somerset in the opening round of the Class 2A State Playoffs. In 11 games, Betsy Layne outscored opponents 325-226.

Defensively, Betsy Layne registered one shutout and held five other opponents to 10 or fewer points during the regular season.

Dirico recorded three interceptions to aid the Betsy Layne defensive effort. Hall and Jarrell each had two interceptions.

Hall registered a team-high 96 tackles for the Bobcats.

Betsy Layne, under the direction of head coach Jon Parsons, notched wins over non-district foes Bracken County, South Floyd, Allen Central, Knott County Central, Paintsville, Hannan (W.Va.) and Jenkins during its latest campaign.



Betsy Layne sophomore quarterback Dylan Hamilton (pictured) making a pitch during a regular season game passed for over 1,500 yards during his sophomore season.

## Field goal at :00 lifts KCU over UPIKE

Times Staff Report

**PIKEVILLE** – Freshman Jared Cobb nailed a 20-yard field goal as time expired on Saturday to give Kentucky Christian College a 31-28 win over the University of Pikeville.

For Cobb, who entered the game 1-of-4 on the season, it was his third made field goal in as many tries on the day.

Pikeville (4-6, 1-4 in the Mid-South Conference East Division) entered the fourth quarter with a 28-17 lead. But the Knights scored three times in the final 7:25 to pull out the win.

Cobb hit from 32 yards out to make it an eight-point game. Then, with 1:28 to play, freshman quarterback Graham Johnston found senior Beau Dailey on a 16-yard pass, and when the two connected on the two-point conversion, the guests had tied the game.

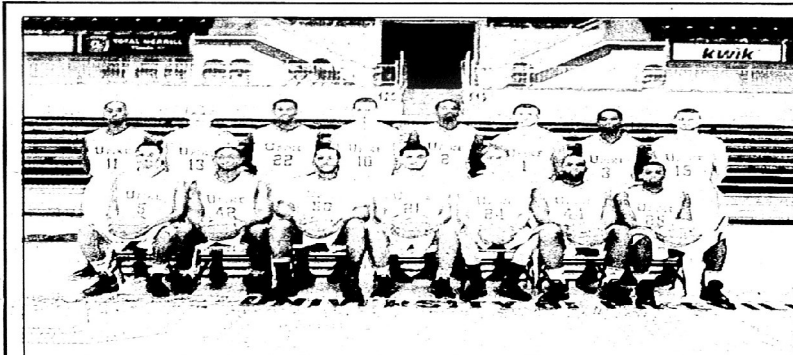
Johnston was phenomenal on the day. He ran for 236 yards and two scores and threw for 249 and another. Pikeville looked to be in great shape after the score, as freshman K'Wayne Hunter returned the ensuing kick 54 yards to the KCU 29. But on 2nd-and-10, freshman cornerback Greg Pollard intercepted a pass in the end zone to give the Knights the ball with 1:04 to play.

On the first play, Johnston's deep pass went through the hands of a UPIKE defender and was hauled in by Dailey, who was caught from behind at the two-yard line. After Johnston kept to center the ball, Cobb nailed



Jared Cobb

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The University of Pikeville men's basketball team moved to 5-0 over the weekend.

## Bears clip ThunderHawks in Appalachian Wireless Classic

Times Staff Report

**PIKEVILLE** – Top-ranked University of Pikeville held Miami-Middletown to 28 percent shooting and rolled to its fourth win in as many games by a score of 77-44 Friday night in the Appalachian Wireless Classic.

The Thunder Hawks followed 27.6 percent shooting in the first half by connecting on only 28.6 percent after recess. Meanwhile, the Bears were hitting 50 percent when they took a 40-17 lead to intermission and finished at 48.3 percent.

Miami-Middletown (2-1), which beat both Campbellsville

and Rio Grande from the Mid-South Conference in last weekend's Giovanni's Classic, turned the ball over 26 times but forced Pikeville into a season high 29 miscues. The teams combined for 37 steals.

Pikeville had a balanced scoring attack with six players scoring at least six points and three hitting double figures. Senior Jamar Board led the way with 13 points, with senior Shane Burrell followed with a dozen points by hitting all six field-goal attempts and all three free throws.

Senior Chris McHenry scored 11 points, handed out eight assists, picked up five steals and

grabbed four rebounds.

Miami-Middletown placed one player in double figures, getting 10 from sophomore Lamar Mallory.

Pikeville enjoyed a 49-33 rebound edge and was led by junior Kenny Rhymes with six. Three teammates – Burrell, juniors Trevor Setty and senior Andrew Young – added five.

Bluefield 82, UVA.-Wise 73; Bluefield (2-3) rallied from a one-point deficit to score 15 of the next 19 points over a 4:45 stretch in the second half for the win.

Wise (1-1) took a 62-61 lead

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## P'burg to face Phelps, KCC in preseason

STEVE LeMASTER  
SPORTS EDITOR

**PRESTONSBURG** – First-year head coach James DeRossett is set to guide the Prestonsburg High School boys' basketball program in the 2011-12 season. Prestonsburg is closing in on a pair of preseason games. The Blackcats will face Phelps and Knott County Central in separate preseason games next week.

Prestonsburg will face Phelps on Wednesday, Nov. 23 at J.E. Campbell Arena in Allen Central's annual panorama. Tip time for the Prestonsburg-Phelps game is set for 6 p.m. at the Allen Central gymnasium.

The Blackcats will visit Knott County Central on Saturday, Nov. 26 for their second and final preseason scrimmage. Prior to visiting Knott County Central, earlier in the day, Prestonsburg will conduct its annual media day. Junior varsity squads from Prestonsburg and Knott County Central will begin playing at 6 p.m.

DeRossett inherits a Prestonsburg team that finished last season 7-21. The Blackcats compete in the 58th District with reigning All-A Classic champion Betsy Layne (25-7), Allen Central (8-19) and South Floyd (15-11).

Phelps finished the 2010-11 season 3-23. The Hornets' three wins were recorded over opponents from neighboring West Virginia. Phelps competes in the 60th District along with Belfry and Pike County Central.

Knott County Central will afford Prestonsburg a tough preseason test. KCC finished just short of 20 wins one season ago.

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## Booth leads EKV with team-high 15 points in her college debut

Times Staff Report

**CINCINNATI**, Ohio – Eastern Kentucky had Xavier on the ropes, but couldn't land the knockout blow in a 66-61 season-opening loss on Saturday at the Cintas Center.

The Musketeers (1-0) are receiving votes in both preseason polls. Xavier is 31st in the ESPN/USA Today

Coaches Poll and is 36th the Associated Press Poll.

Freshman Carla Booth led the Lady Colonels (0-1) with 15 points. The Martin County native knocked down four second half three-pointers. Junior Brittany Cole contributed 13 points.

Tyasha Moss led Xavier with 22 points and a game-high 12 rebounds.

A free throw early in the

second half had the Lady Colonels down by only two, 30-28. The Musketeers pushed back out in front by six three times before a three-pointer by Ashley Wanninger at the 11:24 mark stretched the margin to nine, 43-34.

EKV did not allow Xavier to run away with it. Coles responded at the other end with a three-pointer and then a lay-up. Booth's first trey of

the game cut the deficit to one, 43-42, with 9:58 to play. Another Booth three-pointer tied it, 47-47, with 7:57 on the clock. After a Musketeer miss, Jalisa Bryant gave Eastern the lead with a lay-up.

A third three-pointer by Booth gave the Lady Colonels their final lead of

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Carla Booth



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# Lewis sets MSU record in heartbreaking loss to Davidson

DAVIDSON, N.C. - Junior Zach Lewis became the first quarterback in Morehead State University history to pass for 3,000 yards in a single season, but Davidson rallied for a 28-24 win on Saturday afternoon before a crowd of 3,507 at Richardson Stadium.

The Wildcats improved to 3-7 overall and 1-6 in the Pioneer Football League with their first Division I victory of the season. Morehead State slipped to 2-8 overall and 1-6 in the league following their fifth straight defeat. MSU still holds a 7-6 advantage in the all-time series.

The heartbreaking loss was Morehead State's fourth by less than five points this year. The Eagles will wrap up their 2011 season on Saturday when Butler visits Jayne Stadium for a 1 p.m. game. MSU will honor its seniors prior to the contest.

Lewis finished Saturday's affair 26-of-47 for 338 yards with three touchdowns and two interceptions. He is now 293-of-467 for 3,198 yards this season. The previous school record was held by David Caudill, who tallied 2,979 yards via the air attack in 2002.

Junior wide receiver Donnie Sawyer, who recorded seven receptions for 133 yards, also tied an MSU single-season standard with his 10th touchdown catch in the first quarter.

Senior linebacker Tony Bachman led the Eagle defense by posting a season-high 18 tackles. He continues to rank second in the PFL for stops per game.

Morehead State led by the odd football score of 7-5 at halftime. The Eagles opened up a 14-5 advantage when senior fullback Desmond Cox scored early in the third quarter, but

Davidson registered 23 of the contest's final 33 points to notch the come-from-behind Homecoming win.

DC sophomore quarterback Jonathan Carthuff finished 35-of-61 for 297 yards and three touchdowns, including the game winner - a 41-yard toss to freshman wide receiver Tim Hines - with 0:47 left in the fourth quarter.

Junior Lanny Funsten pulled in nine catches for 86 yards and two touchdowns to lead all Wildcat receivers. Sophomore Chris Gorman paced Davidson on the ground with 82 yards on 18 attempts.

The home team finished with advantages of 25-18 in first downs, 35:42 to 24:18 in time of possession and 375-367 in total yards. Morehead State turned the ball over four times, while Davidson did not cough up the football.

# Former Pikeville All-American Cooksey to play in NBA D-League

Times Staff Report

PIKEVILLE - He was the second-highest scorer in the nation last season, helping then-Pikeville College to the national championship. The next stop for Vance Cooksey will be the D-League.

On November 3, Cooksey inched one step closer to his dream. The 2011 First-Team All-Mid-South Conference and Second-Team All-American was selected in the fourth round of the 2011 NBA Development League Draft by the Texas Legends, an

affiliate of the defending NBA Champion Dallas Mavericks. A transfer from Youngstown State University, Cooksey helped guide the Bears to a school record 30 wins and their first ever NIAA Division I Men's Basketball National Championship in 2011. Cooksey averaged a team best 18.3 points, 3.6 assists, and 2.2 steals in his only season with the Bears.

In the five-game national tournament, Cooksey scored 89 points, handed out 35 assists and was credited with 14 steals as the Bears picked up wins

over five of the top nine seeds, including defending national champion Oklahoma Baptist in the tournament's opening game and No. 1 Robert Morris in the quarterfinals.

The Legends are a member of the NBADL's West Conference. They finished in sixth place in last year's regular season standings and made the opening round of the NBADL Playoffs.

The Legends are coached by Del Harris, who has coached the Houston Rockets, Milwaukee Bucks and Los Angeles Lakers in the NBA.

# Morehead State drops season-opener to NC State

Times Staff Report

RALEIGH, N.C. - Juniors Richard Howell, DeShawn Painter and Scott Wood combined for 62 points on 22-of-37 from the floor to help Atlantic Coast Conference member North Carolina State register a 91-61 victory over Morehead State before a crowd of 10,082 on Sunday evening at the RBC Center.

Howell knocked down 11-of-13 shots en route to a game-high 25 points. Painter added 19 points on 6-of-6 from the floor and 7-of-7 from the free-throw line, while Wood contributed 18 points on 5-of-8 from beyond the arc and 3-of-3 from the charity stripe.

"This is a disappointing loss, but tip your cap to North Carolina State," Morehead

State Coach Donnie Tyndall said. "The sweat is bigger, stronger, faster and better than us tonight. Mark Gottfried is an excellent coach and his team was well prepared."

NC State was able to shoot 61 percent (33-of-54) from the field and 77 percent (17-of-22) from the line. Morehead State was limited to 40 percent (19-of-47) overall and nailed just 63 percent (15-of-24) at the stripe.

The Wolfpack had a 34-23 rebounding edge and 40-14 advantage in point points. NCSU was also credited with 26 assists in the contest, while MSU handed out just nine.

(Richard) Howell and (DeShawn) Painter really got going when our starting post players got in foul trouble and we didn't locate (Scott) Wood very well in our zone," Tyndall

said.

Morehead State senior Terrance Hill scored 14 points on 5-of-9 from the field and 4-of-5 from long distance. Senior Ty Profit added nine points and four assists for the Eagles, while junior Milton Chavis chipped in with eight points.

NC State led from start-to-finish. The Wolfpack built a 21-10 cushion less than eight minutes into the game and never looked back. Their big lead of 36 points came at the 3:27 mark of the second half.

Morehead State will wrap up its two-game road trip on Tuesday when it visits the College of Charleston at 8 a.m. The contest is part of ESPN's College Hoops Tip-Off Marathon and will be televised by the worldwide leader.

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## Clip

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with 6:55 on a free throw by senior Norris Gaskins. But sophomore Byron Carpenter scored six points in the run, which ended on a three-point basket by junior Kearsten

Marion. Carpenter led all scorers with 29 points and rebounders with 10. Carpenter was joined by Marion in double figures with 18 points, adding five assists and four steals. Freshman Andrew Wilson scored 13

for the Rams. Wise had four players in double figures, paced by senior Josh Jordan's 22 and nine rebounds. Senior Travis Berry added 15. Jermaine Wright followed with 12 and sophomore Darius Smith with 11.

## Booth

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the game, 53-52, with 4:44 left to play. A three-pointer by Moss turned a one-point lead into a two-point deficit. Two free throws by Shatyrta Hawkes put the Musketeers on top by six, 61-55, with 37 seconds to go. Coles nailed a three-pointer at the other end with 22 ticks left to cut the XU lead in half but EKU couldn't come up with the steal on the defensive end and was forced to foul.

Eastern Kentucky turned the ball over 19 times, but only gave it away twice in the final 12 minutes of the game. The Musketeers turned it over 11 times and held a 16-6 advantage in points off turnovers.

EKU limited Xavier to a 2-for-11 start from the field

through the first eight and a half minutes of the game. A long three-pointer from the top of the key by Raechelle Gray capped the fast start and gave the Lady Colonels an 18-9 lead.

The Musketeers began to heat up with six straight to close the margin to three. A lay-up and free throw by Moss gave Xavier its first lead, 24-23, with 3:25 to play in the first half. Moss's three-pointer with 13 seconds on the clock set the halftime score, 30-27.

## Goal

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the kick at the horn. Johnston got the Knights on the scoreboard with 10:19 to play in the opening period with a one-yard plunge, ending an eight-play, 90-yard drive. Cobb's PAT made for a 35-yard score to make it 14-7 with 1:48 left.

on eight plays, ending with a one-yard score by junior quarterback Trevor Hoskins. Freshman Grayson Quick's PAT evened the count with 6:08 left. The Bears gained the lead before the period ended, as Hoskins hit freshman QB Pat Adams for a 35-yard score to make it 14-7 with 1:48 left.

For Hoskins, it was his 50th career touchdown pass. Cobb provided the only scoring of the second frame, hitting on a 26-yard field goal to cut the Bears' lead to 14-10 at intermission.

Johnston led the Knights down the field in the second half, needing only four plays to cover 65 yards and scoring on a 15-yard keeper to put his team in front 17-14.

By Pikeville responded. Hoskins again hit Johnston, this time from 29 yards out, to put the Bears in front 21-17. It was his 26th touchdown pass of the season, breaking his own school record from last year. He stretched it to 27 when he hit freshman Tanner Napier on a 33-yard pass with 43 seconds remaining, making it 28-17 and setting the stage for the improbable Knight comeback.

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## Schulte named all-conference, teammates HM; six honored academically

Times Staff Report

**PIKEVILLE** - Three University of Pikeville women's soccer players have been honored by the Mid-South Conference and six student-athletes have been recognized for their work in the classroom.

Goalkeeper Chelsea Schulte was named first-team all-league in a vote of the head coaches in the conference.

Schulte, a freshman from Burlington, was in net 17 times this season for the Bears, allowing 1,664 goals per game. She had 154 saves, giving her a save percentage of 84.2.

Schulte, a graduate of Conner High School, recorded three shutouts this season, and her average of 8.56 saves per game easily led the Mid-South Conference.

Teammates Kara Henning and Kayla Scott were named honorable-mention all-conference.



Chelsea Schulte

Henning is a junior from Amelia, Ohio. She had two goals and four assists on the season, putting nine of her 18 shots on goal.

Scott, a freshman from Florence, led the team with 10 goals and added an assist in her first season. She recorded 26 shots on goal and delivered one game-winning score for the Bears.

Two other members of the women's soccer team were named academic all-conference.

Ashley Crutcher, a senior who is also from Amelia, Ohio, was honored for the

second time in her career. Crutcher majors in biology. Sophomore Kourtney Winner from Pataskala, Ohio, was also named to the squad. Her major is criminal justice.

Senior Shelbi White was named academic all-conference twice. The native of Effingham, Ill., plays both volleyball and runs Cross Country and was honored by both sports.

She is majoring in pre-secondary education. Katelyn Minix was also honored from the Cross Country team. A junior from Pikeville, Minix majors in psychology.

Allie Ward was also named academic all-conference for volleyball. She is a sophomore from Chattanooga, Tenn., and majors in communication.

Honored from the men's Cross Country squad was Zach Harvey.

A sophomore from Salyersville, Harvey is majoring in mathematics.

## ALC hosts third annual Trunk or Treat for area children

Times Staff Report

**PIPPA PASSES** - Alice Lloyd College student-athletes, along with various campus organizations, brought an abundance of smiles to many area children this Halloween as they hosted the third annual Trunk or Treat Oct. 31.

ALC Dean of Students and head baseball coach, Scott Cornett, helped organize the festivities.

"Our goal in planning this was to get all of our student groups, clubs, organizations, and athletes involved in a community project," Cornett commented. "We also wanted to give our young men and women the opportunity to give a little something back to the region that has been so supportive of us."

In "Trunk or Treat" groups of college students brought their vehicles to various areas on campus with the trunks stuffed full of tasty treats that the little ghosts, goblins, superheroes and princesses would love. When the children came by, the college students

took time to talk with each of them and comment on the kids' costumes. Many of the ALC students themselves dressed the part, which helped add to the fun factor.

"I was extremely pleased with the response from our college students," ALC Director of Athletics Gary D. Stepp added. "It is encouraging to see how well our student-athletes embrace the 'Champions of Character' philosophy, and they went above and beyond what we expected. We plan on making this a mainstay on our campus, because the turnout is always excellent. Our students really love meeting the children, and our students receive much more than they give from participating."

Junior cross country runner Kimberly Schroeder was one of the many students to participate. "I think Trunk or Treat is a fantastic opportunity for kids to have fun trick or treat, but have a safe environment in which to do it," Schroeder said. "I know that when I was younger I

would have loved to have had an opportunity to go to a college campus, interact with different athletes and students, and get candy as well. I also know my family would have felt good, knowing it was a safe environment for me to be in."

Deborah Holbrook brought her daughter Riele and her best friend Elisabeth to the event. "Trunk or Treat on the ALC campus is a fun and safe event for the kids and gives them time to socialize with their friends outside of school," Holbrook said. "The ALC students, faculty, staff, and community members give out candy, dress up, and have just as much fun as the children. It reminds me of an old-fashioned Halloween. Children walk down the street safely, being greeted by friends enjoying Trunk or Treat, while parents visit with one another and enjoy a sense of community."

Alice Lloyd College is a member of the Kentucky Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (KIAC).

## Tennessee Tech outlasts EKU, 28-21

Times Staff Report

**RICHMOND** - In a battle for first place in the Ohio Valley Conference, visiting Tennessee Tech scored the game-winning touchdown with 6:35 remaining to earn a 28-21 win over the Eastern Kentucky University football team Saturday afternoon at Roy Kidd Stadium.

No. 20 Tennessee Tech (6-3, 5-2 OVC) is now in position to earn its first conference title since 1975. TTU wraps up its regular season next weekend with a home game against Austin Peay.

Eastern (6-4, 5-2), which had won five straight entering this game, could not sustain drives the entire game as the Colonels were held to 2-of-13 (15.4 percent) on third-down conversions. EKU recorded just 194 yards of total offense, its second lowest output of the season.

With the score tied at 14 coming out of halftime, the Golden Eagles made a pivotal play early in the third quarter. The Colonels were punting with a heavy wind at their backs, but TTU blocked the punt to take possession at the EKU 17-yard line. The Golden Eagles thenuffed the ball in the end zone on a fourth-and-one play to go ahead, 21-14.

Eastern Kentucky capitalizes on Tennessee Tech's third turnover to even the score again at the beginning of the fourth quarter. Junior Matt Denham got the Colonels rolling with a 38-yard rush to the TTU 12-yard line. Two plays later, junior quarterback T.J. Pryor lobbed a perfect pass to junior Tyrone Goard in the right corner of the end zone to make the score 21-21.

However, Tennessee Tech responded on the

ensuing drive with the game-winning score. The Golden Eagles moved the ball 58 yards on 11 plays while converting a pair of third downs, including a 3rd-and-11. Quarterback Tre Lamb finally scored on a four-yard rush.

The Colonels moved the ball back to midfield on their final possession, but were forced to punt following a sack on third-and-10. TTU then converted its 10th third down of the contest to help run out the clock.

Lamb led the Golden Eagles with 126 yards passing and 70 yards rushing. He threw for two touchdowns before using his legs for the final score. Meanwhile, running back Adam Urbano recorded 137 yards on the ground.

EKU's Denham reached 100 yards rushing for the sixth straight game as he finished with a game-high 151 rushing yards. Pryor finished just 8-of-17 passing for 65 yards, but had numerous passes dropped. Defensive tackle Emory Attig produced a career game with 12 tackles, one sack and two forced fumbles.

Tennessee Tech converted 10-of-19 (52.6 percent) third downs and held the ball for 35:11 in its first win at Eastern since 2000.

Eastern Kentucky still has a shot at the OVC title, but needs to win its regular-season finale Saturday, Nov. 19 against UT Martin. Kickoff at Roy Kidd Stadium is set for 1 p.m.

## THOMPSON TAKES BIG BUCK



John Thompson, a Floyd County resident, killed a 16-point buck (13 inches on main frame with three stickers) on Saturday (Nov. 12) as modern gun season opened.

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compiling a 19-10 record. Once again, Knott County Central is ranked among the 14th Region's Top 10 teams.

Freshman guard Cameron Justice, (20 ppg), a transfer from East Ridge, joined the Knott County Central boys' basketball program in the offseason. Knott County Central is favored to win the 53rd District.

The Patriots are picked to finish ahead of Letcher County Central (21-12), Cordia (7-16), Jenkins (7-18) and June Buchanan, a former powerhouse that played a junior varsity schedule last season.

Prestonsburg is scheduled to open the 2011-12 in the 14th Region at Letcher County Central on Dec. 3.

## Setty's second-half explosion leads Bears to 5-0

Times Staff Report

**PIKEVILLE** - Junior guard Trevor Setty scored 28 of his 30 points in the second half Saturday night to lead the No. 1 University of Pikeville to a 93-69 win over Bluefield College in the finale of the Appalachian Wireless Classic.

Setty, a 6-8 junior from Maysville, hit 10-of-14 from the floor and 4-of-7 from the arc after intermission to help break open a 34-30 game.

He had plenty of help leading the Bears to a 5-0 start. Senior forward Shane Burrell had 18 points and eight rebounds while classmate Andrew Young tossed in 18 with five boards.

Junior forward Chris Watson came off the bench for 10 points and five rebounds. The Daytona Beach, Fla., native added five steals and three assists.

The inside trio led the Bears to a 37-28 advantage on the glass. They also recorded 21 steals on 25 Bluefield turnovers on the night.

After struggling against

the aggressive Rams in the first half, UFKE nailed 72.7 percent of its second-half shots, including 5-of-11 from the arc. They also hit all but one of their seven free throw tries after going 8-of-13 in the first half.

A three-point basket by junior guard Keaston Marion with 19:20 left cut the Pikeville lead to 35-34. But a 34-16 stretch that lasted a little more than 10 minutes and ended with a slam by Chris Watson pushed the lead to 69-50 with 8:55 left.

In the interim, Setty had 16 of his 30 points to help stretch the lead that eventually got to 27 late in the game.

Bluefield (2-4) was led by sophomore Byron Carpenter with 23 points and led his club with seven rebounds, six of them off the offensive glass. Marion and freshman Andrew Wilson tossed in 13.

Miami-Middletown - 82, UVA-Wise 77; Five Thunder Hawks scored in double figures and they shot hit 62.5 percent from the field in the second

half to knock off UVA-Wise.

Middletown (8-1), which has played all of its games against Mid-South Conference competition, got 15 points and seven rebounds from sophomore Shawn Robinson. Sophomore Jalen Watts and freshman Akeem Freeman had a dozen each, with freshman Max Zakowitz coming off the bench for 11 and freshman Dexter Robinson adding 10.

Sophomore Lamar Mallory scored six points and pulled down nine rebounds before fouling out.

Wise (1-2) got 22 markers each from seniors Travis Berry and Josh Jordan. Jordan added 11 rebounds, while senior Norris Gaskins also had a double-double with 16 points and 10 boards.

The teams were even in most categories. They each had 40 rebounds and Middletown ad 15 turnovers compared to nine by Wise. But Middletown shot 50.8 percent from the floor while the Cavaliers sank only 40.6 percent.

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Mid-South Conference announces volleyball awards

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FRANKFORT — The Mid-South Conference handed out its regular season volleyball awards at its annual banquet at the Capital Plaza Ball Room earlier in the month. The banquet was held in conjunction with the MSC Volleyball Tournament at the Frankfort Convention Center.

Campbellsville University's Shannon Cahill was honored as the 2011 Mid-South Conference Player of the Year, as voted on by the conference's coaches.

Joining Cahill as award recipients were Georgetown College's Allyson Wilbourn and St. Catharine College's Charlotte Jewell who were named the MSC Freshmen of the Year.

St. Catharine coach Adam Stevenson was tabbed the MSC Coach of the Year as voted on by his peers and University of the Cumberlands' Kelsey Dew was selected the 2011 Mid-South Conference Champions of Character recipient.

Cahill ranked in the conference's top-10 in three difference statistical categories, including kills (328), kills per set (2.9) and attacking percentage

(248) during the season. The Louisville, Ky. senior outside hitter earned MSC Volleyball Player of the Week and MSC Hitter of the Week twice during the regular season.

Wilbourn and Jewell each provided outstanding play during their first collegiate season to earn top freshmen honors.

Wilbourn amassed a .304 attacking percentage with 293 kills during the season while Jewell averaged 7.3 assists per set and led the conference with 75 service aces during the season.

Dew earned the volleyball champions of character award for demonstrating civic and servant leadership within the campus and community. The conference's athletics directors vote on the award.

Stevenson led the patriots to 25 wins during the regular season after winning just six matches in 2010. St. Catharine enters the tournament with a 25-9 record.

Jewell and Wilbourn and 11 other volleyball student-athletes earned first-team all-conference honors as voted on by the conference coaches. Coaches were not allowed to vote for their own players.

Joining the trio on the all-conference team was Campbellsville's Genevieve Collette; University of the Cumberlands' Chelsea Hendrix; Georgetown's Elizabeth Goodin; Lindsey Wilson College's Sarah Anderson, Taylor Hayne, Kirsten King and Andrea Taylor; University of Rio Grande's Lauren Raines, Erin Sherman and Whitney Smith; and Shawnee State University's Kirsti Yates.

Fourteen student-athletes earned MSC Honorable Mention honors.

Campbellsville's Monica Chernichan, Laura DeGear, Samantha James and Audrey Sanders; Cumberlands' Mariah Gray and Stacey Sabald; Georgetown's Rachel Eubanks, Caraline Maher and Lindsey Wise; Lindsey Wilson's Kayla Koerber; Shawnee State's Hannah Gephart and Alex Pohl; St. Catharine's Allie Southard; and UVA-Wise's Mikaela Anders all earned honorable mention honors.

In addition to awarding its student-athletes for their play on the court this season, the MSC recognized its academic all-conference team. Honorees must be at least a sophomore and have a 3.25 and above grade point

average on a 4.0 scale.

Those who were honored were Campbellsville's Collette, James, Caitlin Dressing, and Lexis Lloyd; Cumberlands' Dew, Gray, Hendrix, Alana Abbott, Abigail Dundon, Kelsey Eastham, Cassandra Kälman and Megan Schulte; Georgetown's Goodin, Kelsey Luckett, Caitlyn Kogge and Rebekah Moore; Lindsey Wilson's Koberber, Taylor, Rachael Anderson, Alyssa Cuthbert, Emily Meeks and Angela Mlachnik; University of Pikeville's Shelbi White and Allisandra Ward; Rio Grande's Raines, Sherman, Nicole Ogg and Kelsey Martin; Shawnee State's Carly Mazza; Jessica Winkelman and Liz Miller; St. Catharine's Mandy Gray and Shauna Stone; UVA-Wise's Anders, Lindsey Burke, Courtney Coe, Robyn Dougherty and Megan Funk; and West Virginia University Tech's Kylie Whitney.

The final awards were dealt out to the MSC East and West Division team champions.

Lindsey Wilson captured the East with a 12-2 conference mark while the Rio Grande won the East with a 6-5 league record.

Cats scratch Marist in opener

LEXINGTON — Kentucky took a 45-36 lead over Marist into halftime Friday night at Rupp Arena. The Wildcats weren't their dominating selves — until the second half. Kentucky went on a 21-2 run in the second half, eventually pulling away for a 108-58 win.

Freshman Anthony Davis paced Kentucky with a double-double of 23 points and 10 rebounds. Davis joined teammate Terrence Jones (2010) and Sam Bowie (1979) as the only freshmen in Kentucky history to register 20-10 games in their debuts.

From the field, Davis was 10-of-13 with eight dunks. Davis also recorded a game-high five blocks.

Isaiah Morton led Marist with 13 points. Corvell Carter contributed 12 for the Red Foxes. Marquis Teague tossed in 16 points for the Wildcats. Michael Kidd-Gilchrist and Doron Lamb added 15 points apiece. Kyle Wiltjer also reached double figures, flipping in 14 points for the Wildcats.

Terrence Jones added eight points and nine rebounds for Kentucky in the season-opening victory.

Lamb dished off a game-high eight assists for the Wildcats.

Kentucky Coach John Calipari wasn't pleased with his team's overall performance in the first half. Calipari, however, witnessed his team perform much better in the second half.

"I didn't like how we started," Calipari said. "One of the things I had to explain to this team, we've got a lot of young guys, I was just disappointed that the older guys don't understand that anybody that comes in this building, this is a big deal for them to play here, and they play out of their minds, every team we play. So if you let them beat you to balls and you don't play harder than them, that's the kind of effort - that's what happens. In the second half I think they got a little wore down and weren't able to make the shots they made early, and then you spread the game out."

"Without Michael Kidd-Gilchrist and Anthony Davis, we are down at halftime. Those two were so good in the first half. That's the only reason we were up."

Kentucky will face No. 13 Kansas in New York City on Tuesday in the State Farm Champions Classic. Tip-off for the Kentucky-Kansas game is set for 9 p.m.

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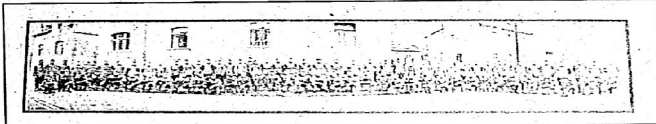
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Brad Boyd is one of the many young men of the United States Marine Corps' 43rd Company, 5th Regiment, pictured here at Segendorf, Germany, in 1919.

Memories of Pride, Memories of War

In honor of Veterans Day, Bernice Miller, of Prestonsburg, shared two treasured portraits of two men for whom she has much love and pride — her father and her husband. The vertical collection of photographs shows her husband, Lloyd Miller, during his service as a World War II gunner in Gen. George Patton's 3rd Armored Division. The horizontal photo shows her father, Brad Boyd, and his regiment during World War I.



Lloyd Miller served as a gunner during World War II. In one of the pictures, he is shown holding a German Tiger pistol, which he confiscated from an enemy soldier he captured in the basement of a house. He still has that weapon, today.

College honors veterans with 'Never Forget' artwork

Daphne Kirk Goble

PAINTSVILLE — The Big Sandy Community and Technical College carpentry and visual communications and design technology programs honored America's heroes with a colossal piece of hand-carved artwork, to commemorate Veterans Day on Friday.

The endeavor was spearheaded by Michael K. Froman, associate professor of carpentry, and Lori Lewis, associate professor of visual communications. The purpose of the artwork is to, "Pay homage to all Veterans and to honor former student, Gabe Takas — a Marine veteran that recently passed away," Froman said.

VCDT lab assistant Brittany Carpenter and student Cassandra Sullivan painted the artwork, after Professor Froman and the carpentry students compiled and pieced the artwork together — some from an old parade float.

The flag is composed of 31 pieces of individually-cut wood that is glued and fitted together to resemble a waving flag. It was not part of the original float design," said Froman. The artwork is displayed in front of Building D of the Mayo Campus.

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Strange though it seems, there are some pretty firm ideas about where, on this earth of ours, the Garden of Eden actually reposed. Some think it was at the headwaters of the Tigris and the Euphrates rivers, in ancient Mesopotamia (what we now know as Iraq); others argue for the Persian Gulf or somewhere in Africa.

Some archeologists, including the noted Richard Leakey, believe that Kenya is the "cradle of mankind," and it's known that hominids, the family of creatures that includes humans, lived in Kenya as long as 2.5 million years ago.

In fact, Leakey himself discovered, in 1984 at Lake Turkana—a lake in Kenya's Great Rift Valley—the skeleton of a Turkana boy from 1.6 million years ago. The boy was classified as either Homo erectus or Homo ergaster. Homo ergaster, although now extinct, is believed to be the direct ancestor of later versions of Homo, including Homo sapiens (that's us!).

I've never been to Kenya, but friends who have visited there tell me that they could easily imagine it as the Garden of Eden. But just as the original Garden of Eden had its troublemakers, so too are there natural threats in modern Kenya—for example, Rift Valley fever.

According to the World Health Organization, this virus was first identified in 1931 among sheep in Kenya's Rift Valley. The WHO notes that, to date, there haven't been any reports of human-to-human transmission of Rift Valley fever, but humans can get it from the bite of infected mosquitoes.

That's where the scientists of the Agricultural Research Service (ARS) come into the picture. Scientists with ARS' Center for Grain and Animal Health Research (CGAHR) in Manhattan, Kan., have been collaborating with African institutions to develop and

evaluate control strategies for this disease.

The ARS scientists are working with scientists from Kenya's International Livestock Research Institute (ILRI) to help determine how to control Rift Valley fever. They're studying mosquito populations for potential Rift Valley fever activity between outbreaks, and they're developing tools to conduct large Rift Valley fever vaccine trials and diagnostic evaluations.

Alarms were raised in September 2000 when Rift Valley fever cases were confirmed in Saudi Arabia and Yemen, in the first reported occurrences of the disease outside the African continent. Although experts say it's hard to estimate the likelihood of the disease reaching the United States, our U.S. mosquitoes reportedly could be suitable hosts.

Of course, mosquitoes aren't the only creatures that spread devastating disease; ticks are another prime culprit, and their goings-on are the basis for another important collaboration between the scientists of ARS and those at Kenya's ILRI. ARS

scientists from Pullman, Wash., have teamed with ILRI researchers to work on developing a vaccine to protect cattle against East Coast fever, a devastating disease in eastern and central Africa.

They're studying the tick Rhipicephalus appendiculatus, which transmits Theileria parva, the parasite responsible for East Coast fever. But the focus of the ARS scientists' work is Texas cattle fever, so what's the connection? It turns out that the parasites behind the two diseases, and the ticks that transmit those parasites, are so similar that proteins that are identified in one parasite-tick system can also be studied in the other.

Toward that end, the scientists have developed a test that detects parasite DNA in ticks. They used tick populations that were produced at ILRI to have different susceptibilities. Two different strains of ticks—the Muguga and the Kiambu—were compared. The Muguga ticks had a low level of parasitic infection, whereas the Kiambu ticks were highly susceptible.

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# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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**5K/10K run and 2-mile walk**  
 Appalachian Hospice "Heart and Sole" 5K/10K-run and two-mile walk will be held Saturday, Nov. 19, beginning at 9 a.m., at the Johnson County Health Department. Proceeds from the race will benefit the programs and services of Appalachian Hospice Care. Registration is being handled through [www.ariviv.com](http://www.ariviv.com). Sponsors of the race include Associates in Rehab, Highlands Regional Medical Center, Hi-Tech Signs, Hall & Clark Insurance, and McDonalds.

**Come hear the Wethington Story**  
 CADA (Communities Against Drug Addiction) invites everyone to come hear Charlotte Wethington's message about drugs and the disease of addiction. After the death of her son, Casey, from an overdose, she initiated The Matthew Casey Wethington Act for Substance Abuse Intervention, a law for involuntary treatment, which allows parents, relatives and friends to petition the courts for treatment on behalf of someone with a substance abuse disorder regardless of age and without criminal charges. The free event will take place Thursday, Nov. 17, with dinner at 5:30 p.m. and Wethington's message following at 6, at Allen Baptist

Church, US23 and Watergap Road.  
**Operation Christmas Child**  
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**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 788-1006 for more information.

**Democratic Woman's Club**  
 The Floyd County Democratic Woman's Club meets the third Monday of each month at 6 p.m., at Prestonsburg City Hall. 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.

**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.

**'Earn While You Learn'**  
 The Big Sandy Area C.A.P. office is taking applications for its "Senior Training Program." You must be 55 or older to apply. In Floyd, call 886-2929; Johnson, call 789-6515; Wagonin, call 349-2217; Pike, call 432-2775; and in Lawrence, call 638-4067.

**Senior employment program**  
 Are you a senior citizen on a monthly income struggling with soaring medical bills and living expenses? Could you use some extra spending money but don't know how to get back into the workforce?

If you are at least age 55, the Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP) may be able to help. Earn extra money, learn new skills, and help your community at the same time! To find out more, call: 886-

2929  
**Looking for a Support Group?**

Floyd County Alzheimer's Support Group meets regularly at Riverview Manor Healthcare Center. Call the center for meeting times.

**Domestic Violence Support Group** - The Big Sandy Family Abuse Center holds meetings each Tuesday from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. The meetings are free of charge. Call 886-6025 for more information.

**Overeater's Anonymous Meetings** held each Wednesday at 6:30 p.m., at the old Allen Baptist Church, located in Allen, just past red light. Call 889-9620 for more info.

**US TOO! Prostate Cancer Survivors Support Group** - For all men with prostate cancer and their families. Group meets the 3rd Thursday of each month, at 6 p.m., at the Ramada Inn, Paintsville.

**Community Weight Loss Support Group** - Meets Thursdays at 6:30 p.m., at the Martin Community Center. For more info., call 377-6658. Those who have had gastric bypass surgery most especially welcome to attend. Meetings being offered as support to anyone needing extra support in dealing with weight loss.

**Domestic Violence Hotline** - 24-hour Crisis Line manned by Certified Domestic Violence counselors. Call 886-6025, or 1-800-649-6605. Remember, "Love Doesn't Have to Hurt." Disabled? - You may be eligible for grant money to assist in your daily living. For an application or more information, call 886-4326.

**ASK (Adoption Support for Kentucky)** - Support group for all adoptive parents (public, private, international, and kinship care), foster parents and all others interested in adoption. To be held the first Monday of each month, at the Department for Community Based Services office, 1009 North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, from 6-8 p.m. Childcare will not be provided. For more information, contact Dedra Slone, adoptive parent liaison, at 432-4110 or 422-7327, email to: [doslone@eastky.net](mailto:doslone@eastky.net).

**PARENTS!** - Contact the Big Sandy Area Community Action Program, Inc. to find out about child care services in your area. The STARS for KIDS NOW licensing standards program, and how you can earn an income by staying home with your own children while caring for the children of others. Find out more by calling Cheryl Endicott at 886-1280, or 888-872-7227 (toll free).

**East Kentucky S.T.A.R.S. Homeschoolers** will hold monthly meetings at the Paintsville Recreation Center. For more information, call Trudy at 889-9333, or 297-5147. Everyone welcome.

**Narcotics Anonymous (NA)** - Each Wednesday, from 7-8 p.m., in the Atrium Conference Room, 2nd floor, May Tower, Pikeville Methodist Hospital. For more info., contact Chris Cook at 606-433-1119 or [christophercook@hotmail.com](mailto:christophercook@hotmail.com).

## ATTENTION: PATIENTS COVERED BY KENTUCKY MEDICAID

Appalachian Regional Healthcare (ARH) facilities, physicians and providers will only be accepting two of the new Kentucky Medicaid Managed Care plans:

- CoventryCares of Kentucky
- WellCare of Kentucky

**ARH will not be accepting the Kentucky Spirit Health Plan.**

If you have or were selected for the Kentucky Spirit Health Plan, you have the option to change your plan to CoventryCares of Kentucky or WellCare of Kentucky.

**After November 1st, you have 90 days to change your plan so you can continue to receive care at ARH facilities and by ARH physicians and providers.**

**ARH will continue to provide services consistent with the Emergency Medical Treatment and Active Labor Act (EMTALA).**

Call the Kentucky Medicaid Member Services Hotline at 1-855-446-1245 to change your plan to CoventryCares of Kentucky or WellCare of Kentucky — the only two plans that will be accepted at ARH.



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## Creatures

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It's a long way from Kema's Rift Valley to Texas' Rio Grande Valley. But the scientists say that understanding the genetic differences between these two tick populations — why one is so vulnerable, and the other one isn't — could lead to the identification of proteins that might be good targets for a vaccine to help control East Coast fever, and a similar approach can be applied to the ticks that transmit Texas cattle fever a lot closer to home.

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The Agricultural Research Service is the chief in-house scientific research agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. You can read more about ARS discoveries at <http://www.ars.usda.gov/news>.

# OUR YESTERDAYS

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

20 years ago  
(Nov. 13, 1991 - Nov. 15, 1991)

Verdicts in a robbery, and a drug case on appeal from Floyd County Circuit Court, have been upheld by the Kentucky Court of Appeals. Attorneys for Ronnie Hall, 32, of Galveston, filed an appeal in October on grounds that Judge Hollie Conley erred in not admonishing the jury to Hall's admission of a prior felony. The appeal said the jury should have been admonished that Hall's admission could only be considered as it might affect his credibility as a witness... Dr. Penny Sanders, head of the state's Office of Education Accountability, will be the guest speaker at the dedication ceremonies for Floyd County's Head Start outdoor learning environment center, Friday, November 15... Though insurance, Hazmat equipment quotes, and conservation fund applications were the scheduled topics on the agenda, a 40-minute executive session headed Monday night's two-hour city council meeting, culminating in the naming of Mark A. Wells as the new city administrator. Wells, currently serving as finance officer for the City of Prestonsburg, will now assume the duties of City Administrator, a position performed over the past few months by Mayor Ann Latta. The position of finance officer will be left vacant for now... The Floyd County Grand Jury will meet November 18-20, and is expected to hear evidence concerning a bingo game at Prestonsburg High School, and a fatal traffic accident involving a Kentucky State Police trooper. Commonwealth Attorney Jerry Patton said in September that information about a bingo game operated by the Prestonsburg Academic Athletic Association is expected to be brought before the grand jury by a KSP special investigator... Plans for a bicentennial train excursion through eastern Kentucky have been derailed, at least temporarily, members of a regional Chamber of Commerce learned Tuesday. Clyde Blevins, executive director for the Paintsville-Johnson County Chamber, told regional chamber members gathered in Prestonsburg, Tuesday, that the project had received a "flat no" from CSX Transportation, the rail company which operates the tracks used for the tourism project... Though the silvery voices of the Jenny Wiley Theatre cast are silent for the winter, symphony of whirs, bangs, and rattles is reverberating through the amphitheater while renovations are underway. Next summer's audience will be in for a pleasant surprise, said Tedi Vaughan, general manager of the theatre. The most noticeable change, Vaughan said, will be the theatre's new "sleek, contemporary look." Wires will be buried underground, and new lighting and sound systems, temporarily installed this past summer, will be permanently installed. This will give the theatre a "clean look," said Vaughan... A canvass of votes, Wednesday morning, in the Prestonsburg City Council race produced no changes in the vote totals. Floyd County Court Clerk Carla Boyd said Thursday that vote totals for all candidates remained the same and she would present her findings to a Floyd County Grand Jury next week... Good things may come in threes, but promoters of a mountaintop golf course in Floyd County think the magic number

is fore, no, four. That's as in nineteen ninety-four, the year targeted for the opening of a new, 18-hole golf course near Jenny Wiley State Park... State school officials declined, Thursday, to discuss specifics of an apparent probe into school construction projects in Floyd County. School board member Eddie Billips said at Tuesday's board of education meeting he had been questioned by the Office of Education Accountability (OEA) about the board's hiring practices concerning construction managers, architects and engineers for school construction projects... The issue came up when discussion at Tuesday's meeting turned to the new Prestonsburg High School project... A shortfall in state education funds will put a budget crunch on the Floyd County School System. Superintendent Ron Hager told board members Tuesday night that he was informed by state education department finance offices that projected revenue cuts will force local budget cuts... There died: Annie Bell "Totzie" Scott, 80, of Wheelwright, Sunday, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital; Thomas Conn, 76, of Martin, Friday, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Maggie Ethel Johnson, 57, of Hi Hat, Sunday, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; Thomas Ketty Ritchie, 75, of Mousie, Saturday, at his home; Elder John "Johnny" King, 98, of Harold, Monday, at the Mountain Manor Nursing Home, in Pikeville; Roger Lee Whitaker, 33, of David, Sunday, at the KTRK mining site in Martin County; John Combs, 87, of Fisty, Friday, at Hazard Appalachian Regional Medical Center; Ursell McKinney, 80, of Harold, Tuesday, at the Pikeville Methodist Hospital; Nancy L. Amburgey, 65, of Larkslane, Tuesday, at the Flemingsburg Hospital; Lillie Mae Newsome, 64, of Beaver, Saturday, at her residence; Lewis "Bob" Wright, 61, of Sidney, Indiana, Tuesday, at Wabash County Hospital; Mitchell Hitchcock, 76, of Meally, Tuesday, at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington; Frank Childers, 79, of Wheelwright, Sunday, at St. Joseph Hospital, in Lexington; Johnnie Dyer, 61, of Hindman, Saturday, at his home after an apparent heart attack; Jean Carol Hale, 59, of Hindman, Wednesday, at the U.K. Medical Center in Lexington; Ellis B. Kidd, 57, a former New London, Ohio, resident, Monday, at the Hillside Acres Nursing Home in Willard, Ohio; Andrew "Jack" Dolsen, 57, of Claypool, In., Wednesday, at his residence; Sherd Caudill, 45, of Virgie, Wednesday, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital; Bert Hunter, 71, of Garrett, Tuesday, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Frona Bays, 69,

of Staffordville, Monday, at the Scioto Memorial Hospital.

30 years ago  
(November 18, 1981)

Circuit Judge Hollie Conley denied a request by the City of Prestonsburg for a restraining order that would have prevented county authorities from reopening the juvenile detention center until fire code violations are corrected... Sam Martin III and Fred Hill announced their plan to spend up to \$15 million to convert small pockets of natural gas into a highly profitable production... Trial of Sandy Boyd of Duna on charges of selling marijuana to a high school student has been scheduled for November 23... Sterling Hamilton was convicted of obstructing justice and sentenced to 18 months in prison... Rev. W.D. Jagers was elected president of Kentucky Baptist Convention... District Judge Harold Stumbo agreed to dismiss 39 misdemeanor charges arising from a labor dispute at Highlands Hospital... There died: Miley Prater, 84, at his home, a David, Tuesday; George K. Symon, 70, former Martin resident at his home, Sunday; John M. Stone, 82, former David resident, Thursday, in Indiana; Jim Johnson, 37, Tuesday, at his home at Banner; Boyd Thornsbury, 64, of Melvin, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, November 9; Rosy W. Burchett, 85, of Auxier Road, Wednesday, at Highlands Regional Medical Center; William C. Pauley, 66, Pikeville civic leader, Wednesday, at the Methodist Hospital.

40 years ago  
(November 18, 1971)

The 45-day-old coal strike which has slowed down the walk in mining areas of the county was ended at midnight Sunday, with the signing of a three-year contract... Dr. George P. Archer, mayor of Prestonsburg, was re-elected chairman of the Big Sandy Area Development board of directors last Friday... The first of two giant coal mining operations is scheduled for opening in Martin County next February... Residents of Martin this week resumed the legal battle to prevent the closing of Martin High School, filing with the Court of Appeals a petition for rehearing of the case... Bob Branham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Branham, of Betsy Layne, has been elected president of the Student Congress at Prestonsburg Community College... Our Lady of the Way Hospital's Sister Angelo Award was presented this year to Sister Mary Theodore Nolan... The fourth annual Turkey Bowl game is scheduled here at 11 a.m., Thanksgiving Day... There died: Ambrose H. Mandt, 69, former Commissioner of the Kentucky Department of Mines and Minerals,

Sunday, in a Lexington hospital; William G. Africa, 81, of Frankfort, formerly of Prestonsburg, last Friday, in a Frankfort hospital; Nealy Jane Branham Conn, 95, Friday, at Endicott; Mary E. Thompson, 92, at her home at Louisa, Sunday; Lonnie Jarrell, 64, of Prestonsburg, last Monday in a Lexington hospital; Kenneth Hamilton, 35, at his home at Crayton, last Wednesday; Nola Horn Miller, 89, well-known West Prestonsburg woman, Saturday, victim of a sudden illness; James Henry Tufts, 81, of Pikeville, formerly of Prestonsburg, Saturday, in a nursing home there.

50 years ago  
(November 16, 1961)

The federal government has agreed to share the cost of building the freeways extending eastward from the Eastern Kentucky Turnpike. This includes the road from Prestonsburg to Salsverly... Miners from this section and adjoining states will meet at Atkins' Goose Creek mine at Eastern to view a newly designed one-man coal-cutting machine to be demonstrated December 1-3... Floyd County's 4-H Club state champion poultry judging team, whose members will compete in the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, Ill., are members of the Maytown 4-H Club. They are Randolph Hicks, Ossie Spencer, Burgess Lowe, and Freer Martin... Ninety-five patients from Floyd, Johnson, Martin, Magoffin, Pike and Knott counties were examined by doctors of the Crippled Children's Commission at the clinic held recently at the Floyd County Health Department... The first-known Kentucky case of

rabies in a bat was reported last month... A hymn poll has determined that "The Old Rugged Cross" is Floyd County's favorite hymn, as it is the nation's. "How Great Thou Art" was second, and "Amazing Grace" was third... Liquid coal slurry, burned directly in a furnace like oil or gas, may well be the electric power industry's fuel of the future, officials of four companies said... Enrolled at Union College are 11 Floyd County students. They are Carolyn Sue Akers and Charles Akers, both of Dwale, Patricia Ann Bailey, of Wheelwright, Arnita Clark, of Prestonsburg, Aaron Ricie DeRossett, of Dwale, Rodney William Keenon, of Prestonsburg; Joe David Martin, of Allen, Canton Livingston Napier, of Martin, Carolyn J. Osborne, of Martin, Kathryn E. Roberts and John David Wallen, both of Prestonsburg... There died: Elzie Y. Ford, 70, November 3, at home at Meta; Claude V. Pennington, 61, last Tuesday, at Garrett; Early E. Bentley, 36, last Wednesday, at Banner; Hester Tiller Ritchie, 29, formerly of Lacey, last Wednesday at Webster, W. Va.; Jeff Thornsbury, 39, of McDowell, last Wednesday, in a roof fall at the Jones Brothers Coal Company.

60 years ago  
(November 15, 1951)

The Prestonsburg Black Cats and their followers have just enjoyed one of their greatest weekends. Friday night, the Cats defeated their traditional rivals, the Paintsville Tigers, 21 to 6, and Sunday they received the Big Sandy Conference championship cup, at the same time placing three players on the all-conference

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