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Fl Court issues judgement against Martin

Jack Latta
Staff Writer

The court will be a little lighter following a ruling by the Floyd County Circuit Court last week. Circuit Court Judge John David Caudill ruled against the city of Martin on Friday after Mayor

Thomasine Robinson failed to show up for a contempt of court hearing. That judgement forces the city of Martin to make good on unpaid garbage fees totalling \$11,529.00. County Attorney Keith Bartley says that may not be the end of it. "This doesn't preclude us from

getting a judgement for more if we find out that they actually owe us more than what they say," said Bartley, adding the numbers provided to the county may not be accurate based on what he called inconsistencies in the monthly recorded fees. "I don't understand how bills can change by more than 100

percent month to month," said Bartley. "There is no logical reason for that." Bartley says that the judgement stipulates that the city turn over documents related to the fees so that the numbers can be verified. "The judge made it clear today that if their numbers are wrong

then the judgement should be amended," he said. According to Bartley, the judge ordered in February for the city of Martin to provide documentation related to garbage collection fees and begin making payments. However, Bartley says that since then, the city has made only three payments.



Prestonsburg Fire department responds to a fire a Jenny Wiley Convention Center Saturday night.

Alarm system fails in convention center fire

Jack Latta
Staff Writer

Prestonsburg Fire department responded to a fire a Jenny Wiley Convention Center Saturday night despite troubling silence from the building's fire alarms. Dozens of guests had gathered to celebrate the 50th wedding anniversary of Floyd County Judge Executive R.D. "Doc" Marshall and his wife Lois. The Marshall's appeared in good spirits outside the convention center and laughed easily at jests from other partygoers about how their love still "burned bright" after all these years. Though levity was in no short

supply, there was cause for some concern. While no one was injured, and the fire was put out relatively quickly, many partygoers were troubled by the fact that the building's fire alarm or sprinkler system never activated. According to witnesses at the scene, while the guests were in one of the building's two ballrooms, a table out front which had been used to store gifts for the couple caught on fire. Guests say that the fire started from a candle sitting on the table. Prestonsburg Fire Chief Bobby Carpenter says that the State Fire Marshal has jurisdiction on all state owned property, and that's

who will be looking into it. "Smoke alarms did not go off, nor did anyone manually pull it," said Carpenter. "The system didn't work and the State Fire Marshal will investigate it." Carpenter added that the building is equipped with a sprinkler system, but that the fire never got large enough to activate it. "But there was plenty of smoke to trigger the automatic detection system," he said. According to Carpenter, the state fire marshal was contacted on Tuesday by the park to review the system, but he added he would also be making a call to the office.

No simple fix to election bugs

Jack Latta
Staff Writer

Another election cycle has passed but one Prestonsburg City Council candidate who withdrew his name still managed to garner more than 400 votes. There were no allegations of voter fraud in this year's city election, however, Brent Graden, who had withdrawn his name due to a recent debilitating back injury, was still on the ballot. Graden claimed more than 400 votes in the election, a total which if dispersed,

could have shifted the outcome. It's no easy fix says Floyd County Clerk Chris Waugh. According to Waugh, the voting machines and ballots are set in early October so absentee ballots can be sent out and the absentee machine can be used. "After a certain point, after a candidate withdraws, you can't change the ballot," says Waugh. Waugh says the county clerk can't just delete someone's name from the

4.3 earthquake rattles the mountains of Eastern Kentucky

Jack Latta
Staff Writer

Floyd County residents were given a good shake Saturday afternoon when a magnitude 4.3 earthquake rattled the mountains. United State Geological Survey that the earthquake measuring 4.3 on the Richter scale emanated from 8 miles west of Whitesburg, Ky., and was felt as far away as Indiana. Residents in Floyd County flooded social networking sites after the event occurred just after 12 noon on Saturday. Prestonsburg Fire Chief Bobby Carpenter said there was only one possible site of structural damage linked to the earthquake. He said that there was a significant crack in the garage and apartment linked to the old Arrowoods building on North Lake Drive. According to Carpenter the building has already been slated for demolition, and is in such a poor state of repair that it was impossible to determine if the crack was caused by the earthquake.

In Whitesburg there were reports of gas and water line breaks, though Carpenter says there were no reports of similar breaks in and around Prestonsburg. "Nothing like that locally, or least nothing reported," he said. Eastern Kentucky is for the most part in lowest of the seismic zones; Zone D. Zoning regulations that go into new buildings in this zone are very similar to those required for wood damage, says Carpenter. Eastern Kentucky is not known for high rise buildings, but Carpenter says that anything over four stories for our purposes is considered a high rise and goes through the state department of housing for building plans. The earthquake was reportedly felt in Virginia, Tennessee, West Virginia, Ohio, and Indiana, and brought back memories of an earthquake last year which struck in Northern Virginia. That earthquake set off alarms in Floyd County and caused damage to buildings in Pike County.

Prestonsburg looks at annexation... again

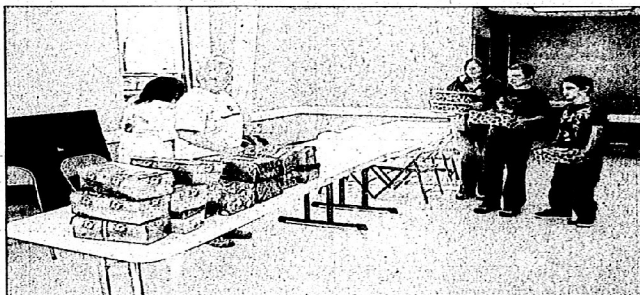
Jack Latta
Staff Writer

A familiar theme of annexation was on the lips of council members Monday during a regularly scheduled meeting of the Prestonsburg City Council. City Council agreed to look into annexing property from the Stonecrest entrance up to the Floyd/Johnson county line. The move would not cross the river to take in Auxler, but would take in Highlands Regional Medical Center. According to city officials, the city will put together plans and begin advertising for their ideas in December. The plan calls for the city to host a Town Hall meeting on January 28, 2013, for citizens to voice concerns or support for the proposed annexation. Officials say that they plan to have spokespeople to address property taxes, insurance, and city utilities during the town hall forum. The annexation looks to take in property along Route 321 that is not already within the city limits, as well as homes at Lakeview Village. "Those people have expressed some interest in coming into the city," said Sharon Schoolcraft. The City of Prestonsburg has been trying to annex the Highlands Regional Medical Center, with its significant employee tax base, for nearly two decades.

First Presbyterian collecting for Operation Christmas Child

Volunteers working to collect gifts for needy kids this Christmas
Joshua Byers
Publisher

PRESTONSBURG Churches, civic groups and families from across the region are participating in the world's largest Christmas project of its kind - Operation Christmas Child, an effort that has hand-delivered more than 90 million gifts to needy kids worldwide since 1993. This year's goal is to top the 100 million mark and local volunteers are doing everything they can to make that happen. First Presbyterian Church in Prestonsburg is serving as a "Relay Center" for the charity. The church, located at 1430 North Lake Drive, will be taking donations Wednesday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and on Sunday from 1 to 3 p.m. Presbyterian Member Linda Clark has been volunteering for the cause for more than 15 years. She said she's seen the number of boxes grow each year, from an estimated 100 to 200 the first year she participated. Last year 1,232 boxes were sent out from the church.



The Marshall family, at right, bring in their filled shoe boxes to the First Presbyterian Church in Prestonsburg in support of Operation Christmas Child. Beth Marshall is pictured with her two sons, Caleb and Daniel. The volunteers, at left, are Linda Clark and Donna Thomas.

The groups that I are too numerous to list but include Campton Free Pentecostal Church, Allen Baptist Church, First United Methodist, Wayland Methodist, Fitzpatrick Baptist Church, Irene Cole, First Baptist in McDowell and New Bethel Assembly of God in Magoffin County. Those folks and many others fill empty shoe boxes with school supplies, toys, hygiene items and notes of encouragement for needy kids overseas. Individual families also

participate, like the Marshall Family of Salyersville. Beth Marshall and her two sons were at First Presbyterian Tuesday dropping off their boxes. "We just like to help out and show God's love," she said. Donna Thomas, a volunteer at the church, said she's inspired every time she watches video of the needy children getting their box. "A lot of times these are the first gifts a child ever receives," she said.

"Watching the video just makes you want to cry," Clark agreed. "I think when you see the DW of the Children and how happy they are to receive a little shoe box filled with items it makes you feel so good to know you are bringing happiness into a child in a third world country," she said. This year-round project of Samaritan's Purse is coming to its peak, as local businesses, churches

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Obituaries



Lucy Ella Morrison McGuire Hunter

Lucy Ella Morrison McGuire Hunter, 89, of Prestonsburg, KY, died Saturday November 10, 2012 at Riverview Health Care. She was born October 23, 1923 in Lancer, KY to the late James and Rosie Setser Morrison. She was the wife of both the late John E. McGuire and the late Woodrow Hunter. Lucy was a Dairy Manager for Food City and Piggly Wiggly and member of Highland Avenue Free Will Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her Brothers & Sisters: Shirley Morrison, Jack Morrison, Woodrow Morrison, Ruben Morrison, Wilson Morrison, Amie Burke & Mary M. Rose.

She is survived by her step sons: Arley (Dolly) Hunter, Donald (Robin) Hunter & Gordon (Jean) Hunter; Step Daughters: Wanda (Bill) Conn, Helen (Larry) Samons, & Roberta (Elige) Thompson; Special Niece: Ruby Ousley; Step Grandchildren & Step Great Grandchildren & A Host Of Nieces and Nephews.

Funeral services were held Monday, November 12, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Nelson Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, KY, with David Garrett officiating. Burial followed the service at Richmond Cemetery in Prestonsburg.

Nelson Frazier Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Deborah Bentley Amburgey "Ann"
Deborah Bentley Amburgey "Ann", 61, of Printer, KY, died Thursday November 8, 2012 at Ohio State University. She was born February 14, 1950 to the late William Russell

Meade and Mary Margret Cooley Conn. Deborah was the retired case manager for Kentucky River Rehab Center and member of Drift Pentecostal Church. She was the wife of Terry Bentley, and her second husband, James Amburgey. She was preceded in death by one brother: Delbert Meade.

She is survived by her daughters: Terri Bentley (Mike) LeBrun, Tamara Bentley (Mike) Maynard, Tarina Bentley (Patrick) Wills & Brenda Bentley (Greg) Hall; Daughter at Heart: Anna Bowman; Grandchildren: Colton Wills, Shealynn Hall, Brennan Sombers, Rhonda Wills, McKayla Maynard, Cameron Hall, Mika Maynard, Jordyn Hall & Gregory Hall; Sisters: Charlotte Keithley, Vella Jo Levy & Cathy Kidd; Brothers: Brian Conn.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, November 14, 2012 at 1 p.m. at Nelson Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, KY, with Ted Shannon officiating. Burial will follow the service at Osborne Family Cemetery in Eastern.

Nelson Frazier Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.



William McKinney

William McKinney, 53, of Wayland, KY, died Monday November 12, 2012 at Greg & Norrine Hospice Center in Hazard. He was born February 11, 1959 in Pike Co. KY to the late Henry Melvin and Elizabeth Jones McKinney. He is the husband of Mary Jones McKinney.

William was a disabled Self Employed Contractor and a member of the Wayland Methodist Church.

He was preceded in death by one brother: Roger Bentley; three sisters:

Christine Hall, Judy Collins and Lydia Dingsus.

He is survived by one son: Billy Poston of Wayland, KY; three daughters: Dorothy Vanderpool and Crystal Hall both of Wayland, KY and Jessica Radliff of Prestonsburg, KY; one brother: Randy McKinney of Wheelwright, KY; two sisters: Teresa Webster of Prestonsburg, KY and Dorothy DeLong of Sunbury, OH and 14 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, November 15, 2012 at 1:00 p.m. at Martin Br. Free Will Baptist Church, in Wayland with Carl Watkins and others officiating.

Burial will follow the service at Justice Cemetery in Harold.

Nelson Frazier Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.



Miranda Sue Newsome

Miranda Sue Newsome, 32, of Teaberry, KY died Wednesday November 7, 2012. She was born June 30, 1980 to Randy and Kacey Newsome of Teaberry, KY. She was a homemaker. She is survived by one son: Dalton Newsome of Teaberry, KY; one daughter: Kacey Newsome of Teaberry, KY; one sister: Kimberly Carroll of Teaberry, KY; companion: Anthony "June Bug" Newsome and a niece/nephew on the way.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, November 13, 2012 at 1 p.m. at Pilgrims Home Old Regular Baptist Church, in Teaberry, KY. Burial followed the service at Hamilton Cemetery in Teaberry.

Nelson Frazier Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Ralph Lee Crager
Ralph Lee Crager, 77, of Hueysville, KY, died

Thursday November 8, 2012 at Hazard ARH.

He was born February 25, 1935 to the late Kendall and Dovie Shepherd Crager. Ralph worked as a Meter Reader of KY. WV Gas Co., a member of the Martin Br. Free Will Baptist Church and a member of the Masonic Lodge #869, Wayland, KY.

He was preceded in death by his brothers & sisters: Haden Crager, Homer Crager, Hawley Crager, Luther Crager, Herman Crager, Sarah Hicks, Eliza Handshoe, Laura Allen, Alice Ousley, Sylvia Warrix, Pearl Compton & Ollie Mae Crager.

He is survived by two daughters: Regina Gearheart of Martin, KY and Michelle Whitaker of Hueysville, KY; one sister: Gracie Neely of IN; special niece: Gladys Bailey of Hueysville, KY and six grandchildren: Erika, Ashley, Dalton, Whitney, Taylor and Savannah.

Funeral services were held Sunday November 11, 2012, 1 p.m. at Nelson Frazier Funeral Home, in Martin, KY. Burial followed the service at Shepherd Cemetery in Hueysville.

Nelson Frazier Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.



William Kirk "Twinkie" Salisbury

William Kirk "Twinkie" Salisbury, age 32 of Langley, KY, passed away Thursday, November 8, 2012 at the Cabell-Huntington Hospital, in Lexington, KY, from injuries sustained in an auto accident. He was born July 27, 1980 in Prestonsburg, KY, to the late Bill and Linda Richmond Salisbury. He was a former commercial truck driver and member of the Fitzpatrick Baptist Church in Prestonsburg.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by two brothers, Curtis Leslie and Kaden Woods of Tram, KY, and paternal grandparents, Donnie and Anita Elkins.

Keilan is preceded in death by one brother, Seth, and one sister, Kayleann, and maternal grandparents, Barbara Wright and Curtis McCown.

Funeral services for William Kirk "Twinkie" Salisbury will be held Sunday, November 11, 2012 at 1:30 p.m. in the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, Martin, KY with Tommy Reed officiating. Burial will follow in the Johnson Cemetery, Hueysville, KY. Visitation will be held from 5:00 until 9:00 p.m. Saturday at the funeral home.

Funeral services for William Kirk "Twinkie" Salisbury will be held Sunday, November 11, 2012 at 1:30 p.m. in the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, Martin, KY with Tommy Reed officiating. Burial will follow in the Johnson Cemetery, Hueysville, KY. Visitation will be held from 5:00 until 9:00 p.m. Saturday at the funeral home.

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Keilan William Woods

Keilan William Woods, 3 1/2 months old of Tram, KY, passed away Sunday, November 11, 2012 at the Pikeville Medical Center, Pikeville, KY. He was born July 23, 2012 in Prestonsburg, KY, the son of Kyle Edwin and Crystal Gail McCown Woodard.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by two brothers, Curtis Leslie and Kaden Woods of Tram, KY, and paternal grandparents, Donnie and Anita Elkins.

Keilan is preceded in death by one brother, Seth, and one sister, Kayleann, and maternal grandparents, Barbara Wright and Curtis McCown.

Funeral services for Keilan William Woods will be held Thursday, November 15, 2012 at 1:00 p.m. in the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, Martin, KY with Tim McCoy officiating. Burial will follow in the Gethsemane Gardens, Prestonsburg, KY. Visitation will be held after 6:00 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

Funeral services for Keilan William Woods will be held Thursday, November 15, 2012 at 1:00 p.m. in the Hall Funeral Home Chapel, Martin, KY with Tim McCoy officiating. Burial will follow in the Gethsemane Gardens, Prestonsburg, KY. Visitation will be held after 6:00 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

Vella Sloan "Judy" Garrett

Vella Sloan "Judy" Garrett, 62, of Prestonsburg,

KY, died Thursday November 8, 2012 at Salyersville Nursing and Rehab Center. She was born March 25, 1950, in Floyd Co. Ky to the late James Miller and Mary Alice Collins Crace. She was a disabled beautyician.

She was preceded in death by two brothers: Jasper Albert Baker & John Darwin Baker, and one sister: Elizabeth Crace.

She is survived by her step-father: Red Bill Crace; one son: James Sloan, of Prestonsburg, KY; one daughter: Krista Garrett of Prestonsburg, KY; one sister: Margaret Prater of Prestonsburg, KY and three grandchildren: James Cameron Garrett, Destiny Nicole Taylor & Katelynn Marie Stanley.

Funeral services were held Monday, November 12, 2012, at noon at Nelson Frazier Funeral Home in Martin, KY, with Steven Williams officiating. Burial followed the service at Little Point Cemetery in East Point.

Nelson Frazier Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Clifford Hall

Clifford Hall, 50, of Melvin, KY, died Monday, November 11, 2012 in Melvin. He was born December 14, 1961 to the late Lewis and Anna Hall. He was the fiancé of Benita Tackett Hunter.

He was preceded in death by his brothers: Raymond Hall, Arnold Hall, and Garland Hall; and sisters: Ruth Skeens, and Mable Mitchell.

He is survived by his special children: Hazel Jones, Chester, Barb, Sandra, Hunter, and Jeffrey Hunter; brothers: Lewis Everett Hall, Elzie Hall and Keron Hall, all of Melvin; his sisters: Opal Younce and Ruby Moore, both of Price, and Verna Johnson of Bypro.

Funeral services will be held November 15, 2012 12:00 noon at the Joppa Old Regular Baptist Church with Chuck Hall officiating. Burial will follow the service at Painter Hall Family Cemetery in Melvin.

Funeral arrangements made by Roberts Funeral Home in Robinson Creek.

Election

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machines. Voting machines are programmed in Oklahoma and then transported back to Floyd County.

Another issue that people note is how in precincts that have voters who live both inside the city, and without, don't appear to have any controls for who votes in city races.

Waugh says that the signature register is coded next to an individuals name which tells poll workers whether or not a person lives in the city. "If they are not coded, then you ask them if they live in the city, if they pay city taxes, or garbage," says Waugh. "Then they sign an oath of voter card, and we let them vote."

In highly contested races, such as this year's Martin mayoral race, candidates will often have poll watchers in place to challenge any votes they may consider potentially fraudulent.

Waugh says that it's hard to know in the city races because the right side of the road may be in the city, and the left may not be.

"It's very difficult to manage city races because of that reason," he said. "You have to take people at their word."

Suddenlink customers will soon notice a change in their bills

PIKEVILLE — Suddenlink Director of Government Relation Michael Keleman sent a letter to Pike County Judge-Executive Wayne T. Rutherford on Nov. 1 notifying Rutherford that Suddenlink plans to increase customers' rates effective the Dec. 2 billing cycle.

The notice prompted Rutherford to write a strong letter to Suddenlink CEO Jerry Kent opposing the rate increase. "I am amazed at the fact the only time I receive any correspondence from Suddenlink is when a rate increase is going to be applied to subscribers' bills," Rutherford stated in the letter.

"What you charge for the services you provide is so out of kilter it isn't even funny, and now another rate increase is on the horizon."

In Keleman's letter, he stated the increase is geared toward "improvements" and cited an 8.5 percent yearly increase in the cost of basic cable networks and broadcast TV stations. "Suddenlink is absorbing a portion of these costs increases," Keleman wrote, "and passing along a portion to customers."

The following items are subject to the rate increase:

- expanded basic service will increase \$3.50 per month;
- HBO/Cinemax will increase \$1.50 per month;
- Showtime and Starz will each increase \$1 per month;
- monthly modern rental will increase to \$5;
- certain bundles without a guaranteed rate will increase by \$5;
- Internet prices in certain promotional packages will increase by \$3;
- monthly broadcast station surcharges will increase by \$2.33; and
- taxes, fees and other surcharges will be adjusted accordingly.

Rutherford stated in his letter that current buyout of Cogent Communications, which operates as Suddenlink, is the real reason for the increase.

"It is no secret that the recent buyout of Cogent Communications has created substantial debt," Rutherford wrote. "Creating debt relief by raising customers' rates should never be the case."

Suddenlink is the seventh-largest cable provider in the United States and pre-buyout investors Goldman Sachs, Quadrangle and Oaktree Capital stand to make a substantial profit as a result of the buyout.

"The money being paid to your investors should be paid out of your revenue,"

Rutherford stated. "It should not be paid by saddling your already unhappy customers - many of whom are on fixed incomes - with another unnecessary and unwarranted rate increase. The good, honest and hardworking people of Pike County can continue to be hit with rate increases for the sub-par cable services provided to them by Suddenlink."

According to official records, Suddenlink's revenue increased by 12.5 percent in 2011 and its customer base increased by 7.9 percent last year.

Rutherford reminded Keleman that the Pike County Government is set to consider a franchise agreement renewal in 2013 and that a public hearing in regard to the county's cable providers remains open.

"Suddenlink's Pike County customers have long been the stepchild of your franchise area and it looks as though it will continue to be," Rutherford wrote. "It may be time to consider selling your Kentucky operation and allow another cable provider the chance to offer customers quality service at an affordable price."

Operation

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and schools prepare to collect gift-filled shoe boxes

during National Collection Week, Nov. 12-19. Volunteers can drop off

their shoe box gifts at the church to help kids in more than 100 countries know they are loved and not forgotten.

All of the boxes collected at the church will then be sent to Whitesburg, KY, and then make their way to the Operation Christmas Child headquarters in Boone, N.C. The international Christian relief and evangelism organization Samaritan's Purse uses whatever means necessary to reach suffering children around the world with these gifts of hope, including sea containers,

trucks, trains, airplanes, boats, camels and dog sleds. Tracking technology also allows donors to "follow" their box to the destination country where it will be hand-delivered to a child in need. To register shoe box gifts and fund out the destination country, use the Follow Your Box donation form found at www.samaritanspurse.org/occ.

es with school supplies, toys, necessity items and a letter of encouragement. Step-by-step shoe box packing instructions are available at www.samaritanspurse.org/occ.

Process — Sign up to join Operation Christmas Child volunteers at collection sites in Prestonsburg as part of the effort to prepare millions of shoe box gifts for delivery to underprivileged kids on six continents.

For more information on how to participate in Operation Christmas Child, call (615) 778-0046 or visit www.samaritanspurse.org/occ. Shoe box gifts are collected all year at the Samaritan's Purse headquarters in Boone, N.C.

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Highlands Regional hosts career expo

Times Staff Report

A career expo was held last week at the Ramada Inn in Paintsville for those who may be looking to jobs in the medical field. Highlands Regional Medical Center in conjunction with the Southeast Kentucky Area Health Education Center (AHEC) sponsored the career service event. The primary mission of Southeast Kentucky AHEC is to enhance accessibility to quality health care, particularly

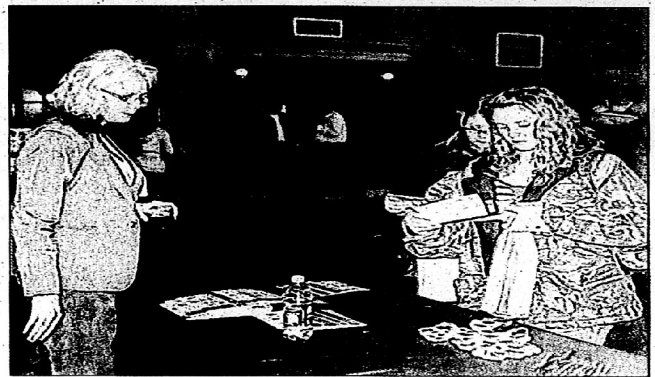
primary and preventive care. By fulfilling their mission, they hope to improve the supply and distribution of health care professionals through community partnerships.

Career Expos are particularly helpful to students who have yet to find a career path. The expo offered a chance to talk to an individual already in a specific field - allowing the students to gain insight and information on a number of careers, and current available positions.

Highlands not only co-sponsored the event but also participated - offering informative career information and passing out Highlands promotional items.

Approximately 50 vendors joined Highlands by participating in the event, providing information to more than 500 middle school and high school students from the surrounding areas.

To learn more about Highlands, you can visit www.hrhc.org.



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Two found dead in Floyd County

Jack Latta
Staff Writer

Two men were found dead in Floyd County over the weekend after disappearing the night before.

According to Floyd County Coroner, Greg Nelson, Mathew Wayne Wright, 38, of Honaker, went missing Saturday. His body was found under a train trestle near McDowell Sunday afternoon. Nelson says that the body has been transported to Frankfort to undergo autopsy, and that the death is still under investigation by Kentucky State Police.

Another man, Clifford Hall, 50, of Melvin, was found dead after his Toyota Camry left the roadway on Route 122 at Abner Mountain and crashed down the hill. According

to Nelson, Hall was not wearing his seat belt, and alcohol may have been a contributing factor.

According to KSP, Pikeville Post 9 received a call of a single vehicle accident on Ky 122 in the Melvin community of Floyd County. Information obtained at the scene indicates that Hall was traveling West on Ky 122 when the vehicle he was operating exited the roadway and overturned into a creek. Clifford Hall was pronounced deceased at the scene by Floyd County Coroner Greg Nelson.

This accident remains under investigation by KSP Trooper John Dixon. Trooper Dixon was assisted on scene by KSP Sgt. Ira Napier, Left Beaver Fire and EMS and Coroner Greg Nelson.

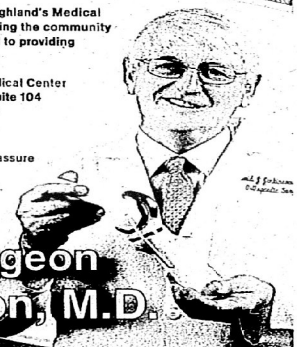
Prestonsburg Office Closing

As of December 1, 2012 I will be closing my office at Highland's Medical Center in Prestonsburg. I have had the privilege of serving the community from this location for the last 16 years and look forward to providing continued Orthopaedic care at my two other locations.

King's Daughters Medical Center
613 23rd st. Suite 310
Ashland, KY 41101
606-325-1765

Three Rivers Medical Center
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Louisa, KY 41230
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I regret any inconvenience this may cause but wish to assure you that my staff and I will be available to provide continuing Orthopaedic care at the two other locations.



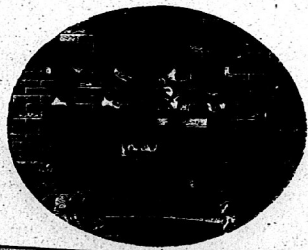
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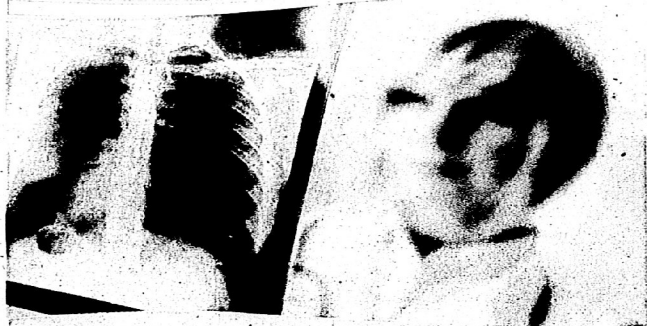
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You must have them in by December 5th at 4:00 pm. Your letter will be published in the Floyd County Times December 19th. Just in time for Santa to read them before Christmas.



Lung Cancer Awareness Lunch & Learn



Date: Wednesday, November 14th

Time: 12:00pm - 1:00pm

Location: Highlands Medical Office Building, Meeting Rooms A & B

RSVP: Melissa Vance at 886-7468 or m Vance@hrhc.org



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Viewpoint

Worth Repeating ...

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 laws 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.

Our View

Remember and honor our veterans

Veterans Day was Sunday and while we don't publish a Sunday newspaper anymore we would be remiss not to recognize all they have done. It is a day set aside for everyone in our country to come together and pay tribute to those who give some and some who gave all to guarantee the freedoms we enjoy every day.

It is also time to honor and thank the families of those who serve as they stay behind and keep the home fires burning, praying for their loved ones to come home safely, supporting them as they come back injured and grieving when they come back to be laid to rest.

America has always been a world leader and someone everyone looks to for assistance to gain personal liberties and freedom or protection from oppression. How very different our world would be if America's brave men and women did not answer the call to fight the battles that preserve freedom and promote democracy in our world.

Watching events that happen around the world as people struggle to escape the cruelty of dictatorships and being aware of those who die in foreign lands as they serve their country, like the four Americans who died in the recent embassy attack in Benghazi, serves as a painful reminder that freedom is not free.

So, while Veterans Day only comes once a year, we urge you to always remember the brave men and women who fought or served in any time of conflict like the World Wars, the Korean and Vietnam Conflicts, Desert Storm, Operation Iraqi Freedom and the many brave young men and women on active duty service all over the world today, especially in Iraq and Afghanistan.

Because of their service and sacrifice, and that of their families, the world is a much better place for us all.



Many West Virginians fear "lame duck" congress.

Today West Virginians from all walks of life came together to publicly express their shared fear of the harmful impact proposed federal benefit cuts could have, if passed by the current "lame duck" congress, on themselves and thousands of West Virginians like them.

The diverse group came together at an afternoon press conference held by the West Virginia AFL-CIO at Covenant House in Charleston. "These are the real faces and lives behind the statistics and sound bites," said Kenny Perdue, WV AFL-CIO President. "When you hear proposals about slashing Social Security or cutting Medicare it isn't an abstract concept to these hardworking West Virginians, and thousands just like them, who will suffer."

When congress meets for a post-general election session, all the members of congress who did not get re-elected or didn't run, are known as "lame ducks." There are fears of drastic legislation being passed during lame duck sessions of congress because the lame duck congressmen do not fear repercussions from their actions from voters.

Currently pushing have been discussing a so-called "Grand Bargain" which could involve benefit cuts to federal programs such as Social Security, Medicare and Medicaid. According to conference participants any proposals involving cuts to vital

benefits is no bargain for West Virginia.

"Lives literally depend on these benefits," said Hattie Johnson, a Union Carbide retiree from Charleston who currently works part-time as an in-home health care aid. "My patients depend on Medicare, which they paid into their entire working lives, to ensure they have the care and help they require to live independently and not in a nursing home."

At the other end of the age spectrum Jacqueline Jones, from Dunbar is an early childhood specialist with the Appalachian Head Start Program. She spoke to the positive, life-changing, difference the federally funded head start program make in the lives of West Virginia children.

"The early childhood years are absolutely critical to future success in school and in life. The head start program ensures every child gets the chance they deserve to excel, and every dollar of funding is critical to the program and the children it serves," said Dunbar.

Others were concerned about the effects cuts could have on veterans. "Politicians claim to be very patriotic and supportive of our troops, but that means more than just wearing a flag pin on your lapel," said Jack Tinsler, a USAF retiree from Crab Orchard who worked at the Beckley Veterans' Administration Hospital. "True patriotism means taking

care of our veterans, especially when they come home from the battlefield wounded and in need of aid. Cutting benefit funding to veterans breaks a sacred promise our country made to the men and women who serve it, and that's why I'm speaking here today."

The fear of retirement age being raised motivated Beaver resident Wayne Rebach, of the Affiliated Construction Trades, to speak out. "I've worked in the construction trades my entire life," said Rebach. "I'm worried about the social security retirement age being raised, because people whose jobs involve hard labor can't work into their late 50's, it's not physically possible."

All the men and women speaking hoped sharing their personal experiences would demonstrate the necessity and enormous positive impact federal programs have in the state.

Federal benefit programs are a significant part of many West Virginia's economic survival. A recent report from the West Virginia Center on Budget and Policy found that 20.5 percent of state residents depend on federal benefits for personal income. In comparison the coal industry only accounts for less than ten percent of personal income in West Virginia.

The effects of cuts to federal programs would be felt in hundreds of thousands of households across the state.

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TECO layoffs affect 90 in E. Kentucky

Bailey Richards
Staff Reporter

HAZARD — Officials with TECO Coal Corporation on Friday announced the layoffs of around 90 people from several different mines across the region. Perry County Coal, a subsidiary of TECO, will be losing around six employees from support and administrative staff, but no coal miners.

Back at the first of the year TECO announced the company would layoff 13 percent of their workforce at Perry County Coal due to the economic downturn in the coal industry. This translated to around 85 people, most of whom were coal miners.

Paul Matney, personnel director for TECO, said that while around two-thirds of the 90 people affected in the current round of layoffs work in the area of coal production, most of those will be coming from the Clintwood Elkhorn Mining Company in Pike County.

Matney said the company is remaining hopeful that the future of coal could mean these jobs will be coming back. They have very closely watched the markets and adjusted their production, and thus their workforce, so they could avoid having

one major layoff or shutting down a mine.

"We are very hopeful that the market would recover sometime in 2013," said Matney. "Therefore, those facilities would not be permanently closed and they would be there. There wouldn't be a rush to be back online and to call people back."

All of the company's mines will remain open at this time, though Matney noted with a smaller workforce and lower production numbers.

Like many others in the coal industry, Matney said they see a bright future in shipping coal overseas to newly industrialized nations looking to quickly and affordably supply an emerging power grid. Matney said that while most of their current production does stay in the United States, they do have a large amount being shipped for foreign clients.

"For several years we have had international customers," said Matney. "Most of our thermal coal has been sold within the United States, but we also sell a lot of specialty and metallurgical coal. A portion of that is sold domestically, but a portion of that is sold overseas already."

While this could mean better news for the coal



TECO, the parent company of Perry County Coal, announced last week the layoffs of around 90 people in Eastern Kentucky. Officials say six people were affected in Perry County. The above photo shows the conveyor lines at the Perry County Coal job at Boone Ledge.

Chris Ritchie | Herald file photo

production across the Appalachian region in the long run, it could be some time before the gains are seen. In the meantime, coal com-

panies continue to cut production to meet market needs, which in turn means cutting employees, something Matney said it is never easy.

"When you work with employees they become a part of your family," he said. "You can't work with someone for several years and not be both-

ered when you have to reduce a position." Those affected by the current round of layoffs were notified on Thursday and Friday morning.

Chamber hires new Executive Director

Jack Latta
Staff Writer

The Floyd County Chamber announced this week that Kathy King Allen has accepted the position of Executive Director. Kathy has worked extensively in the past in management, public relations, and sales.

Allen earned a Bachelors degree in Business Administration from

the University of Louisville.

"The Floyd County Chamber of Commerce has a long history of service to our county and I am very excited to be working with local businesses to promote commerce in the community."

Allen will continue working a part-time sales position with Hi-Tech Signs and Graphix in Prestonsburg, where she is a promotion-

al specialist, in addition to being executive director. The position of executive director is a part time position.

The part-time sales job mentioned in the release is with Hi-Tech Signs & Graphix (in Prestonsburg). Her title is Promotions Specialist and she takes care of the promotional sales at that business. The Executive Director job at the

Floyd County Chamber is also part-time.

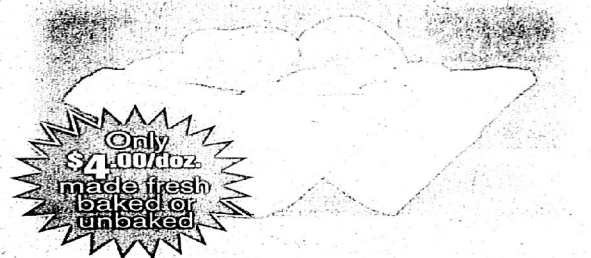
Kathy and her husband Robert, along with their two sons, live in Prestonsburg.

The Floyd County Chamber of Commerce office is currently located in the old Floyd County Courthouse annex building.

For more information on the chamber, call (606) 886-0364.



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Community Calendar

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

'Fall Into Good Book'

The Floyd County Community Early Childhood Council is hosting a free family literacy event at the Floyd County Library (Prestonsburg location) on Saturday, Nov. 10, at 11 a.m. The "Fall Into A Good Book" event offers families with young children time to visit with some storybook characters (Clifford and the Cat in the Hat), have story time, have a snack with the "Very Hungry Caterpillar" and receive some some great door prizes and free children's books. For more information contact the Floyd County Library at 886-2981.

PHS majorettes alumni meetings

The Prestonsburg High School Majorettes alumni will meet November 10 and December 8 at 1 p.m. At First Presbyterian Church, in Prestonsburg.

Grand opening open house

Beaver Creek Veterinary Hospital, located at 77 Turkey Creek Road, at Langley, will hold an open house from 1 to 5 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 10, to celebrate its grand opening. Bring your pets (on a leash). Entertainment will be provided by Shirley Slaven-Conley, Martin House of Worship, Brian Tussey and the South Bran-

goffin Boys, Ronnie Boyd, Revelation 22 Drama Team and Just Passing By. There will be free pony rides, pet adoptions by Dumas Rescue, reptile petting and demonstrations by Captain Fred's Animal Emporium, free food and door prizes, free pet physical exams by Dr. Tussey and a contest pet contest sponsored by SNOOP. In the event of bad weather, the event will be held on the second floor of the clinic.

DAV open house

DAV Chapter 128 of Disabled American Veterans is having an open house, starting at 2 p.m., Nov. 17, and ending whenever. The event is in appreciation of our community and all who wish to attend. Our building is located between Minnie and McDowell, on Route 122, Left Beaver Creek.

Extension board meeting
 A special-called meeting of the Floyd County District Board will be held Thursday, Nov. 8, at the Extension Office. This meeting has been called for the purpose of updates and actions related to the building construction, lease agreement and related items.

Board meeting set
 A regular scheduled board meeting of the Floyd County Senior Citizens will be held on Thursday, Nov. 15, at 4 p.m. in the courtroom of the Fiscal Court, in the old courthouse building.

National Caregiver Appreciation Month

November is National Caregiver Appreciation Month. In honor of caregivers in the region, Big Sandy Area Development District's Area Agency on Aging and the Family Caregiver Support Program are hosting a Caregiver Appreciation Day Luncheon, at the ADD office, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Nov. 16.

The Luncheon will include a guest speaker on caregiver topics, a door prize and a free lunch. The luncheon is open to anyone who provides any type of physical and/or emotional care for an ill or disabled loved one at home. The Big Sandy ADD office is located at 190 Resource Drive, in Prestonsburg. For more information or to RSVP, contact Ginger Ferguson at (800) 737-2723.

Flu shot walk-through

Floyd County Health Department will host a free flu shot walk-through at the health department, Nov. 15, from 4 to 6 p.m. Shots will be available to the first 150 Floyd County residents.

Prophecy revival

The Prophetic Lights Prophecy Revival will be held at 7 p.m., Nov. 9, 10 and 11, at the National Guard Armory, in Prestonsburg. Admission is free. There will be different subject discussed each night, including "Coming of the Dragon and the Lamb," "First Beast of Revelation 13," "War Between the Dragon and the Lamb," "USA in Bible Prophecy," "The Dragon's Greatest Lie" and "Victory of the Lamb."

Revival's Creek Baptist Church

Revival's Creek Baptist Church hold a revival Nov. 5-8, at 7 p.m. each night. Bro. Steve Stinson will be the evangelist.

Benchmark open house

Benchmark Family Services is expanding into a new office. We would like to invite the public to an open house, Nov. 10, at 6:30 p.m., to learn about becoming a foster parent. There will be food, fun and games. The new office is located in downtown Prestonsburg, across from the Municipal Building. Call (606) 886-0163 for directions.

Floyd County Job Club

The Floyd County Job Club meets every Thursday, from 11 a.m. until noon, at the Kentucky Career Center Office of Employment and Training, in Prestonsburg. This free job club is sponsored by Eastern Kentucky Concentrated Employment Program, Big Sandy Area Community Action Program and the Office of Employment and Training. At the club, you will get job leads, job search advice and networking opportunities that will help you get hired. All are welcome and first-time visitors are encouraged to come one hour early for a new member orientation. Call (606) 886-2948, for more information.

Quit smoking

Are you ready to kick the tobacco habit for good? The Cooper/Clayton Method to Stop Smoking can help! Classes are ongoing at Saint Joseph - Martin on Mondays, at 10:30

a.m., in the Seton Complex Level Conference Room

For more information, call 285-6692.
 The Cooper/Clayton Method to Stop Smoking Program is made available to Kentuckians through the Kentucky Cancer Program and its partners

Communities Against Drug Addiction

Floyd County Communities Against Drug Addition meets at noon the third Tuesday of each month, in the third floor conference room of the Floyd County Health Department. Lunch is provided.

For more information, contact Mike Vance at (606) 226-2075, Leslie Howell at (606) 263-4370 or (606) 339-7358, or Carol to May at (606) 226-2565.

Allen VFD membership drive

Allen Volunteer Fire Department is now holding a membership drive. Meetings are held every Monday night, at 6:30 p.m., at the station. Please stop and help your volunteer fire department or call Asst. Chief Bill Jarvis at (606) 791-6601.

Volunteer mentors wanted

Mentoring for a Second Chance is a jail-based service program designed to help reduce recidivism and promote positive growth, by linking nonviolent offenders with a mentor from the local community. M2C is looking for local men who are motivated to make a difference in the life of an individual while having a positive impact on the community.

If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a mentor, contact mentor coordinator Joshua Kinzer, (606) 886-4439, (606) 339-8878, or Jkinzer@M2C.com.org.

Veterans service officer

VFW Post 5839 in Lancer will have a service officer available every Wednesday, from noon until 4 p.m. Some services offered will be initial claim filing, upgrades, appeals, permanent and total claims and others.
 Contact (606) 886-9428 or (606) 297-1973 for more information.

Autism Awareness & Support Group

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

Autistic Children Support Group meeting

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

Non-profit agency needs foster parents

Non-profit agency in need of foster parents in your area. Financial compensation, bonuses, free foster parent trainings, mileage reimbursement, and 24-7 support are available. All foster children get a medical card, free school lunches, and clothing vouchers/other reimbursements. Call for more information, at 606-886-0163 or visit our website at www.benchmarkfamilyservices.org/

Auxier Learning Center offers home repair aid

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

FCHD offers Body Recall exercise classes

The Floyd County Health Department offers Body Recall gentle exercise classes every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, at 9:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m., at the First Presbyterian Church in Prestonsburg.

Classes are free and open to the public. Call 886-2788 for more information.

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

OutPatient Drug Treatment Program and Education

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

Free GED classes, Mon-

day, Tuesday and Wednesday, from 10 a.m.-12.

Free Bible Lessons

Write to: Bible Way Outreach Ministry, P.O. Box 3371, Kingsport, TN 37661. Lessons completely free of charge to all interested.

Need help with addiction?

Lifetime of Floyd County "Conquer Chemical Dependency" is a Christ-centered 12-step program offering support to those who are coping with addiction and learning to live drug-free lives. The support group meets on the following schedule:

Mondays, at Minnie (beside pharmacy), from 7-8 p.m.
 Mondays, at Little Mud, Spruce Pine School, from 7-8 p.m.
 Mondays, family support group, for families that have been hit by addiction, McDowell First Baptist Church, 7 p.m.
 Tuesdays, in Prestonsburg, in the Van Ark Building, from 2-3 p.m.
 Tuesdays, at David, The David School, from 3:30-4:30 p.m.
 Wednesdays, at Allen Baptist Church, from 7-8 p.m.
 Thursdays, at Allen Baptist Church, from 7-8 p.m.
 Sundays, "Stepping into Freedom" from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at Newell First Baptist Church, 7 p.m.

For more information, call Libbi Hall at (606) 377-2930.

Need Help With Home Repairs?

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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.

Floyd County Seniors

A regular scheduled Board meeting of the Floyd County Senior Citizens, Inc. will be held on Thursday, November 15 at 4:00 p.m. in the Courtroom of the Fiscal Court, in the old courthouse building.

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!

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Prestonsburg Rotary Club

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To enroll in classes, call or visit the Floyd County Adult Education classroom. We are located in the Magoffin Building, Rm. 216 at the Big Sandy Community Technical College Campus in Prestonsburg. For more information, call 606-886-7397 or 606-886-7334.

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 Mon. & Wed.: 5:00 - 7:30 pm
 Tues. & Thur.: 5:00 - 7:30 pm

Martin Community Center: Tues. & Wed.: 6:00 - 8:00 pm
 Prestonsburg Library: Monday: 2:00 - 4:00 pm
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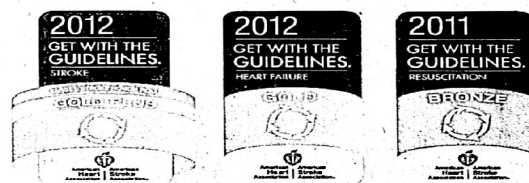
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BSCTC Biology Club goes wild



Biology Club members went wild this past weekend during a college sponsored field trip the Louisville Zoo. The Community Biology Club at Big Sandy Community and Technical College went to the Louisville Zoo this past Saturday. The group enjoyed the day and had beautiful weather. The club hopes that more will join in when they visit the Zoo again next semester. Pictured from left to right: John Shiber, Christy Hale, Leona Hale, Joe Nicholson, Brandon Kohler, Nancy Harris w/ Cheyenne Lawson, Robby Harris, Kayla Adams, Chris Moore, Elizabeth Stambaugh, Cassandra Stapleton, Jeannie Stapleton, James Rice, and Ethan Rice.

"Very Worst Thing" to screen in Paintsville, include new footage

New screening of "Very Worst Thing" to include never before seen home movies filmed during the 1958 School Bus disaster.

The Very Worst Thing, the documentary film about the worst school bus crash in U.S. history, will be screened at the historic Sipp Theatre in Paintsville, Kentucky, on Friday, December 21st, 2012 at 7:30pm.

The screening will feature an updated, special edition of the film, which includes recently discovered home movies from 1958 that were filmed during the search and rescue efforts while looking for the missing school bus. Also included in the film will be several never-before-seen photographs, bonus footage, and extended interviews with people in the film.

Tickets to this exclusive screening can be purchased by calling the City of Paintsville at (606) 789-2600.

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or Tommie Layne, 886-4585. Everyone welcome.

'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; Magoffin, call 349-2217; Pike, call 432-2775; and in Lawrence, call 638-4067.

Looking for a support group?

Floyd County Alzheimer's Support Group meets regularly at Riverview Manor Health-care 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.

Overeaters' Anonymous - Meetings held each Wednesday at 6:30 p.m., at the old Allen Bap-

tist Church, located in Allen, just past red lights. 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."

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Jenny Wiley Chapter (3528) - AARP will hold a pot luck dinner as its regular monthly meeting at 5:30, Tuesday, October 16, at First Presbyterian Church, in Prestonsburg. Bring a side dish to share if you are able. If you cannot bring a dish, just come with a big appetite! All members and friends are welcome.

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*When tomorrow starts without me. And I'm not there to see.
If the sun should rise and find your eyes filled with tears for me.*

*I wish so much you wouldn't cry the way you did today.
While thinking of the many things, we didn't get to say.*

*I know how much you love me, as much as I love you.
And each time that you think of me, I know you'll miss me, too.*

*But when tomorrow starts without me, please try to understand.
That an angel came and called my name, and took me by the hand.*

*And said my place was ready--In heaven far above.
And that I'd have to leave behind all those I dearly love.*

*But as I turned to walk away, a tear fell from my eye.
For all my life, I'd always thought, I didn't want to die.*

*I had so much to live for, so much left yet to do.
It seemed almost impossible that I was leaving you.*

*I thought of all the yesterdays, the good ones and the bad.
I thought of all the love we shared, and all the fun we had.*

*If I could relive yesterday, just even for a while:
I'd say good-bye and kiss you and maybe see you smile.*

*But then I fully realized that this could never be.
For emptiness and memories would take the place of me.*

*And when I thought of worldly things, I might miss come tomorrow.
I thought of you and when I did, my heart was filled with sorrow.*

*But when I walked through heaven's gates, I felt so much at home.
When God looked down and smiled at me, from His great golden throne.*

*He said, "This is eternity and all I've promised you. Today your life on earth is past.
But here life starts anew. I promise no tomorrow. But today will always last.
And since each day's the same way there's no longing for the past.*

*You have been so faithful, so trusting and so true.
Though there were times you did some things you knew you shouldn't do.*

*But you have been forgiven and now at last you're free.
So won't you come and take my hand and share my life with me?"*

*So when tomorrow starts without me, don't think we're far apart.
For every time you think of me, I'm right here in your heart.*



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Blackcats come up short in second round

Prestonsburg falls to Danville, ends season 8-4

Steve LeMaster
Sports Editor

PRESTONSBURG — The Prestonsburg Blackcats owned leads over the visiting Danville Admirals in the second and third quarters Friday night. Prestonsburg battled for the win from the opening kickoff until the final horn sounded. The Blackcats, however, fell short in the end. Be-

hind the rushing of senior running back Jadarious Brown, Danville edged District 8 champion Prestonsburg 16-14 Friday night in the second round of the Class 2A State Playoffs at Josh Francis Field/Blackcat Stadium. Danville fared very well on the ground, rushing 48 times for 246 yards. Brown carried the biggest rushing load for the Admirals as he took 16 car-

ries for 107 yards and two touchdowns. The Admirals won without gaining any yards throughout the air. Danville saved its best for last in the postseason matchup, outscoring Prestonsburg 13-7 during the second half. The Admirals used a touchdown in the third quarter to pull out in front of the Blackcats. The Admirals moved ahead and never trailed again. Neither team scored in the first quarter. Sophomore quarterback Jordan Jarrell hooked up with junior receiver Grant

Anderson on a 30-yard scoring pass for Prestonsburg's first touchdown. After kicker Jon Stidham tacked on a PAT, Prestonsburg led 7-0. After allowing Danville to connect on a field goal, Prestonsburg settled for a 7-3 lead at halftime. Danville used a touchdown to move out in front of the Blackcats in the third quarter. The Admirals moved ahead and never trailed again. Jarrell completed 17-of-28 passes for 335 yards with only one intercep-

tion for the Prestonsburg in the season-ending loss. Anderson led Prestonsburg in receiving, securing eight catches for 103 yards. Bryson Williams battled in four receptions for 92 yards in Prestonsburg's setback. Adam Griffith grabbed two catches for 74 yards for the Blackcats. Griffith scored Prestonsburg's other touchdown on a 47-yard reception. Limited on the ground, Prestonsburg rushed 18 times for only eight yards. Danville will visit District 7 champion Som-

erset for the Class 2A, Region 4 championship game on Friday, Nov. 16. Class 2A State Playoffs Danville 16, Prestonsburg 14. P-Grant Anderson 30 pass from Jarred Jarrell (Jon Stidham kick); D-Damir Karapandzic 38 field goal; D-Jadarious Brown 3 run (Karapandzic kick); D-Brown 13 run (kick failed); P-Adam Griffith 47 pass from Jarrell (Stidham kick).

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Union edges Pikeville, 60-59

Times Staff Report

BARBOURVILLE — An earthquake shook the mountains of Eastern Kentucky on Saturday. Nothing was likely as shaken up as the respective football record books for Union and Pikeville. In the end, the Union Bulldogs will get credit for the win, 60-59, over the University of Pikeville Bears on a gorgeous season-ending Saturday afternoon at Birch/Nau Field. But along the way, offensive record books took a beating on either side of the ball in one of the most exciting games in the history of either school.

The quarterbacks, seniors who will go down as the most prolific passers in the history of their respective programs, put on masterful performances. Mike Brinkley, a 6-0, 188-pound senior from Anthony, Fla., finished the game 20-of-42 for his first career 400-yard game at 401 and five touchdowns.

His counterpart, Trevor Hoskins, a 6-3, 205-pound senior from nearby Middlesboro, finished 20-of-34 for 382 yards and three touchdowns. For Hoskins, the holder of every game, season and career record in the book, it marked the seventh time in his career he had more than 300 yards but tied for only the sixth most in his career.

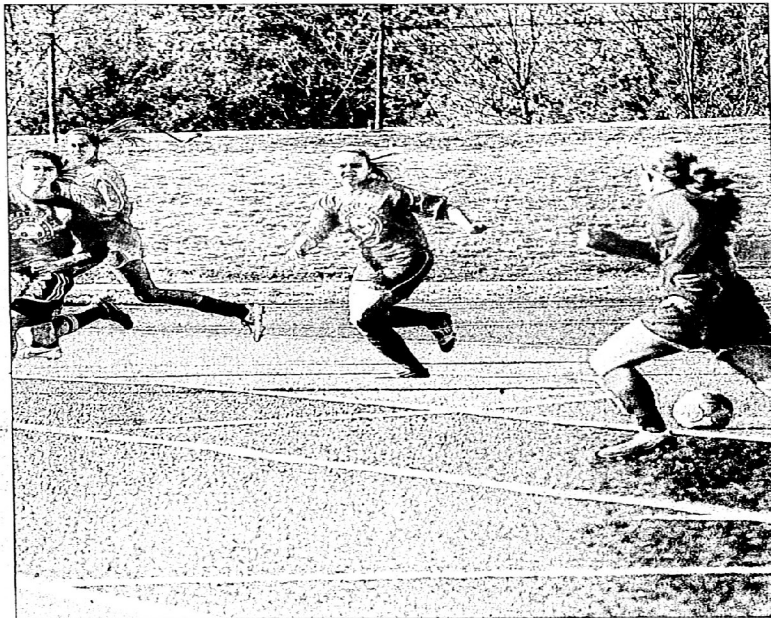
Union finished the season 4-7. Pikeville closed its latest campaign 3-8. Amazingly, neither team set scoring records. Pikeville's record is 63 in a game and combined 128. Union's records were set in the corresponding game last season, when it lost to Faulkner University 95-89.

Union jumped out to an early lead, taking the opening kick downfield for a 32-yard touchdown run by senior Rob Brown. It would turn out to be the senior's final score as an ankle injury moments later ended his career. Freshman kicker made it 7-0 with 12:28 left in the opening period.

Pikeville answered quickly, as Hoskins hit Tanner Nietzer for a 57-yard touchdown catch at 10:40 left in the period. A Seth Millar 19-yard run with 6:34 left and a pair of Grayson Quick PATs gave the Bears a 14-7 lead.

But before the period ended, senior quarterback Mike Brinkley had hit senior Jontrel Colbert from 27 yards out and junior Jared Smith for a 40-yard score, making it 21-14 Bulldogs by the end of the period.

The Bears got on the scoreboard with 12:29 left in the half when sophomore Octavian Crutcher blocked a punt through the end zone for a safety, cutting it to 21-16. Millar See UNION | B2



Prestonsburg Lady Blackcat Katie Porter participated in an All-State event on Saturday in Elizabethtown.

Girls' Soccer: Porter participates in All-State Showcase

Steve LeMaster
Sports Editor

ELIZABETHTOWN — Prestonsburg High School Lady Blackcat Katie Porter, a sophomore, participated in the 2012 Kentucky Girls' Soccer All-State Showcase, playing in the East vs. West Honorable

Mention game on Saturday in Elizabethtown. Porter was one of four 15th Region players selected to the Kentucky All-State teams. She led Prestonsburg in scoring throughout the 2012 season.

Pikeville's Micaela Bush and Lawrence County's Mollie

Workman also made the East Honorable Mention team and played in the game.

Shelby Hay of Lawrence County was named to the East Second Team. The East vs. West Honorable Mention game was extremely close. The West edged the East 3-2.

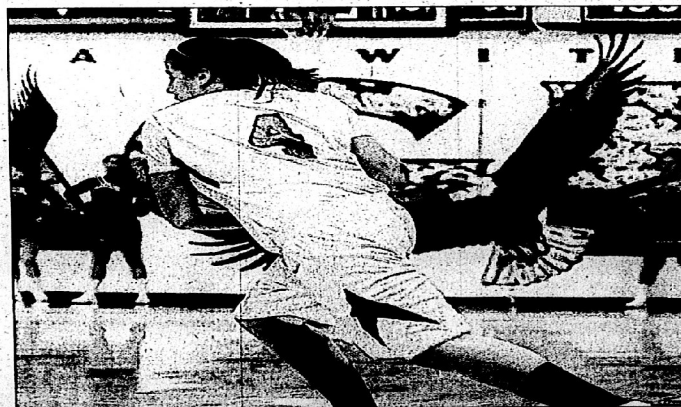
Nickell collects, ALC, KIAC weekly honors

Times Staff Report

PIPPA PASSES — This week's Alice Lloyd College Female Athlete of the Week is junior Ariel Nickell. The highly-talented forward has also been named the KIAC Women's Basketball Player of the Week.

During the week, Nickell averaged 26 points and 11.5 rebounds. She also scored career-high 38 points and pulled down 15 rebounds against Martin Methodist. In the Lady Eagles' last game versus Milligan College, Nickell once again led the way with 26 points and 14 rebounds.

With Nickell leading the way, ALC is off to a 2-2 start.



Ariel Nickell claimed honors from Alice Lloyd College and the KIAC earlier in the week.



Jamar Briscoe

Bears limit longtime rival Alice Lloyd

Times Staff Report

PIKEVILLE — The University of Pikeville men's basketball team put five players in double figures with one turning in a double-double in a 101-58 win over Alice Lloyd College on Saturday afternoon at the East Kentucky Expo Center.

The Bears turned the ball over only six times while forcing 19 by the Eagles to win their sixth game in as many decisions with a win over their regional rival.

Pikeville's latest start matched last season's 6-0 start as the best in the seven seasons under Coach Kelly Wells.

Senior guard Jamar Briscoe led the way with 19 points while pulling down seven rebounds. Senior guard Trevor Setty tossed in 18 while junior guard Josh Whitaker finished with 17 points and nine rebounds.

Freshman guard Cody Mallicoat tossed in 12 in 10 minutes off the bench, while senior guard Chris Johnson had 10 points and 12 assists.

Junior forward Brandon Greene came up just shy of his own double-double, scoring nine and pulling down nine rebounds. He also blocked three shots.

Junior guard Darnell Tubbs had four steals for the Bears, who also got three thefts from Johnson and Whitaker. The team had 15.

Alice Lloyd got 21 from Isaac Wilson while center Terry Muse added 14. Tyler Rogers finished with eight points and nine rebounds.

Pikeville shot 58.9 percent from the floor and 38.9 percent from the arc while making all eight free throw tries. The Bears won the rebounding battle 39-31.

The Eagles managed only 37.1 percent overall and 20 percent from the arc.

Wilson leads over Johnson

Steve LeMaster Sports Editor

PIPPA PASSES — Alice Lloyd jumped out to a 16-5 lead in the first five minutes of the game and went on to coast to an 86-64 win over Johnson University Monday night at Grady Nutt Athletic Center.

Junior Stuart Stamper and freshman Tyler Rogers combined to score 13 points as Alice Lloyd jumped out to an early lead. Alice Lloyd dominated en route to the win over the visiting team.

The Eagles controlled the first half, eventually carrying a 46-21 lead into halftime.

Johnson was unable to close the gap in the second half. Alice Lloyd's lead after intermission never dropped below 17 points.

With the win, Alice Lloyd evened its record to 3-3. Issac Wilson paced the Eagles with 17 points and eight assists. Wilson led the Eagles in both scoring and assists.

The Eagles also fared well inside against Johnson. Alice Lloyd dominated on the boards, outrebounding Johnson 50-22. Muse led the Eagles' rebounding effort with seven rebounds.

Rogers and Stamper followed Wilson, chipping in 15 points apiece for the Eagles.

Terry Muse joined Wilson, Rogers and Stamper in double figures, finishing with 11 points.

Ricky Johnson led winless Johnson University (0-4) with a game-high 21 points. Alice Lloyd will visit Morehead State University on Thursday. Tip-off for the Alice Lloyd-Morehead State men's basketball game is set for 7 p.m.

Muse named ALC Male Athlete of the Week

Times Staff Report

PIPPA PASSES — ALC's Male Athlete of the Week is Eagles big man Terry Muse. The strong, burly center opened the season in the UPKE Classic versus UC-Clermont, collecting a game-high 16 rebounds to go with eight points and four blocks. ALC took its first loss of the season versus Ohio Midwestern, but Muse was a standout in that game, as well, scoring a double-double with 18 rebounds and 16 points.

The Eagles suffered a home defeat by Kentucky Christian University, but Muse held his own. He scored seven points, grabbed 11 rebounds, and registered five blocks for the Eagles. The team couldn't turn things around versus Michigan College, even though Muse did everything he could to get them back in the game, scoring 22 points and bringing down eight rebounds.



Alice Lloyd College Male Athlete of the Week Terry Muse threw down a dunk earlier in the season.

Union

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put the Bears back on top with an 11-yard run with 10:03 to play, but the conversion pass failed to keep the lead 22-21.

Union regained the lead when sophomore Leonard Dixon went 54 yards for a score. The conversion pass failed but Union led 27-24 with 8:57 to play.

Each team closed the half with scoring passes. Hoskins hit junior Jeremy Hill from 23 yards out before the two-point conversion.

and Pikeville's by senior Zeke White from the four — sent the teams to the fourth with Pikeville leading 53-41.

Union scored the first 13 points of the fourth. Peebles hit two field goals, from 27 and 20 yards, respectively, around a touchdown that came when freshman Kenorrick Daniels fell on a fumble in the end zone. Brinkley had hit Dixon, who fumbled at about the six after gaining 28 yards on the play.

The second field goal

made it Union 54. Pikeville 53 with 5:08 to play.

Pikeville then had its longest drive of the game, needing eight plays to cover 70 yards and taking 3:51 off the clock. It ended with White's second scoring run, this time from a yard out, to make it 59-54 with 1:13 to play. The conversion pass failed.

That left the door open for the Bulldogs, who needed only 1:04 to run an amazing 11 plays and covering 76 yards, ending when Brinkley's last career pass found sophomore Deron Hicks for 20 yards. The conversion run failed, making

it 60-59 with 8.9 seconds remaining.

Pikeville returned the kick to 26 and had 0.5 seconds left. Hoskins' final career pass was caught by Tanner Napier, who flipped it to Jordan Amis, but his lateral was recovered by the Bulldogs to end the game.

Union carried the ball 38 times for 228 yards, while the Bears went 39 rushes for 225. The Bulldogs netted 629 yards on 83 plays, while Pikeville had 60 on 73 snaps.

White led the Bears with 83 yards on 19 carries and two scores, while Millar had 10 carries for 75 yards

and three touchdowns. Union got 157 yards and two scores from Dixon on 22 carries.

Amis tied a school record with 11 catches in the game and had 128 yards, while Hill caught five for 162 yards and two scores. Napier hauled in three for 84 yards and a score.

Hicks led Union receivers with four catches for 105 yards and a score.

Sophomore John Dudley Hilton led the Bears with eight tackles, five being solos. Union got 10 tackles, five and five, from Darrin Greene in his final performance.

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Eagles turn back KCU in home opener

Steve LeMaster
Sports Editor

PIPPA PASSES — The Alice Lloyd Eagles used a solid defensive effort to limit Kentucky Christian University to just 33 field goal shooting and defeat the Knights 81-58 Tuesday night (Nov. 6).

In the opening quarter, KCU jumped out to a quick 6-1 lead as the host team stalled early. Alice Lloyd, however, tightened up on the defensive end and limited the Knights to just 23 percent shooting from the field. By the time the buzzer rang to signal intermission, Alice Lloyd had closed the rest of the half on a 33-11 run to pull ahead 34-17.

In the second half, both teams increased their offensive output. KCU shot much better from the floor, but Alice Lloyd never allowed them to mount any sort of comeback. The host team managed to outscore the visiting squad 47-41 as it earned the big victory.

With the win, Alice Lloyd improved to 2-1. ALC junior guard Isaac Wilson led all scorers with 23 points. Wilson also added a team-high four assists and registered two steals. Junior guard Stuart Stamper also reached double figures, tossing in 10 points for the Eagles.

Freshman forward Tyler Rogers added nine points, nine rebounds and nine blocks for the winning team. Senior center Terry Muse contributed seven points, 11 rebounds and five blocks for the Eagles.

As a team, Alice Lloyd registered 15 total blocks. Kentucky Christian University's David Darden led all scorers with 20 points. The Knights dropped to 1-1 after suffering the setback.

Alice Lloyd drops hoops doubleheader to Milligan

Steve LeMaster
Sports Editor

PIPPA PASSES — Alice Lloyd College men's and women's basketball teams dropped a doubleheader to squads from Milligan College on Friday at Grady Nutt Athletic Center. More on each game follows.

Women's — Milligan 97, Alice Lloyd 80: Guards Tracy Hardman and Kayla Kelly scored 17 points apiece to lead Milligan to a convincing 97-80 victory over host Alice Lloyd on Friday night.

With the win, Milligan improved to 3-1. Struggling to take care of the basketball, Alice Lloyd committed 20 turnovers in the first 20 minutes.

Dominating in the non-conference matchup, Milligan carried a commanding 48-26 lead into halftime.

Junior Ariel Nickell, one of the state's top small-college women's basketball players, led Alice Lloyd with 26 points and 14 rebounds.

Alice Lloyd dropped to 2-2 after suffering the loss.

Men's — Milligan 83, Alice Lloyd 67: Cartree Pettis tossed in 15 points to lead a balanced Milligan men's basketball team past Alice Lloyd, 83-67 Friday night.

Bigman Terry Muse paced Alice Lloyd with a game-high 22 points and eight rebounds. Tyler Rogers tossed in 12 points and Stuart Stamper added 11 for the Eagles.

Visiting Milligan led 39-27 at halftime. Milligan shot 50 percent from the field and outrebounced Alice Lloyd 37-32 in the contest between former conference rivals.

Pikeville defeats Mansfield, still remains undefeated

Times Staff Report

PIKEVILLE — The University of Pikeville forced 25 turnovers and shot nearly 55 percent from the field in a 109-45 win over Ohio State-Mansfield Sunday afternoon.

No. 9 Pikeville rolled against the inferior Mavericks to improve to 7-0 on the season heading into Mid-South Conference competition on Thursday at Campbellsville. It is the best start in the seven-year tenure of Coach Kelly Wells.

The Bears ripped the nets for 65.7 percent in the first half. That, combined with 16.0 percent shooting by Mansfield, led to a 59-19 halftime lead. Pikeville was 45.5 percent from the arc while Mansfield was only 1-of-7.

Senior Trevor Setty and junior Darnell Tubbs had 20 points apiece. Setty was 4-of-6 from the arc while Tubbs missed only one of his nine shots from the floor.

Freshman Cody Mallicoat had the best game of his young career, needing only 17 minutes to score 14 and grab 16 rebounds



Kelly Wells

to lead the Bears to a 58-39 advantage in that category.

Senior Jamar Briscoe finished with 11. Mansfield was led by Delvonta Cheatham's 16 points, pacing three players in double figures. Ryan Carper came off the bench for 15, while Irvin Brown finished with a double-double, scoring 11 and pulling down 10 boards.

Senior Chris Johnson and junior Josh Whitaker had six assists each, while Tubbs had four and five steals. Whitaker also had six steals and four rebounds.

Pikeville's game at Campbellsville will tip off at 8 p.m. The women's teams will meet at 6

MSU announces weekend ticket prices

Times Staff Report

MOREHEAD — Morehead State University Athletics has announced ticket prices for this weekend's basketball games at Johnson Arena. The Eagle women host the consolation rounds of the Women's National Invitation Tournament on Saturday and Sunday, while the Eagle men host Lafayette (Pa.) Sunday as part of the Barclay's Center Classic.

The WNIT games are set for Saturday at 5:30 p.m. ET (MSU vs. Kenesaw State) and 7:30 p.m. (Davidson vs. Northern Il-

linois). The men battle Lafayette at 2 p.m. Sunday with the women to follow at 5 p.m. The final WNIT game is set for 7 p.m. Sunday.

All women's games will feature general admission seating for \$5 per day. Tickets for the men's game Sunday are the normal single-game prices: \$13 for reserved chairback, \$11 for general admission chairback and \$8 for general admission bleachers.

Those fans purchasing a men's ticket on Sunday are encouraged and welcome to stay for both women's games. Those fans wishing to only purchase tickets

to the women's games may still buy a general admission pass for \$5, and those will be on sale near the conclusion of the men's game. Fans may note that if they wish to enter the arena prior to the start of the women's-only ticket sales, they will need to purchase a full-price men's ticket.

The Morehead State men's regular season home opener is also this week when the Eagles entertain Alice Lloyd Thursday at 7 p.m.

For more information, contact the MSU athletic ticket office at 606-783-2386 or 606-783-2088.

Kinzer finishes seventh at 201 Speedway

Steve LeMaster
Sports Editor

SITKA — The Kinzer Motorsports team rolled into the newly-reopened 201 Speedway on Saturday night for the rain-postponed Halloween 50. The unsanctioned program at 201 Speedway boasted a \$3,000 winner's check. Allen native Brandon

Kinzer ran fifth in his stacked heat race, but later won the B-Main to transfer into the 50-lap main event. Kinzer then started 14th on the grid in the Halloween 50 and proceeded to pick off seven competitors to score a solid seventh place finish.

Veteran driver Jackie Boggs won the feature race, finishing in front of Eddie Carrier Jr., Josh McGuire, Vic-

tor Lee and Rod Conley in the top-five. Fellow Eastern Kentucky Late Model driver Chris Combs finished sixth, ending the race one spot ahead of Kinzer.

The Kinzer raceteam is scheduled to be back in competition Friday-Saturday at Duck River (Tenn.) Raceway Park in the Deep Fried 75, a \$10,000-to-win feature race.

Several bowl bids up for grabs in Big 12

John Raby
AP Sports Writer

CHARLESTON, W.Va. (AP) — The Big 12's attention is on Kansas State's national championship dreams, yet there is plenty left to be decided in the conference over the final weeks.

Six teams are bowl eligible, with Iowa State, West Virginia and Baylor still battling for chances to fill out the league's bowl slots.

Kansas State (10-0, 7-0 Big 12) can clinch at least a share of its first conference championship since 2003 with a win Saturday night at Baylor. The Wildcats moved into the top spot in the Bowl Championship Series rankings after Alabama lost to Texas A&M.

"We're just honored to be there," Kansas State coach Bill Snyder said Monday. "I'm just going to encourage our guys to not change the way we approach things and try to stay grounded."

With conferences limited to two teams in BCS bowls, four schools from the Southeastern Conference currently ranked in the top 10 will be left out, opening chances for teams like No. 13 Oklahoma and No. 18 Texas. If Kansas State gets the league's automatic berth, the Sooners and Longhorns would be eliminated from consideration for at-large berths with another loss.

"There's a lot of scenarios by

the end of the year for everybody," Oklahoma coach Bob Stoops said. "Everybody wants to define it already. Let's face it, everybody had Alabama already going undefeated and that didn't happen. So there's a lot that's going to happen in the next 2-3 weeks. There's a lot of scenarios. Let's just keep playing and doing our part."

The Sooners (7-2, 5-1) have won five straight conference games since losing the opener to Kansas State. Oklahoma has road games remaining at Big 12 newcomers West Virginia and TCU sandwiched around the Nov. 24 rivalry game at home with Oklahoma State.

To stay in BCS contention, the Longhorns (8-2, 5-2) would need a home win on Thanksgiving against a TCU team that's 3-1 on the road in conference play, then beat Kansas State in the regular-season finale on Dec. 1 in Manhattan, Kan.

Texas has won four straight since back-to-back losses to West Virginia and Oklahoma raised new speculation that Longhorns coach Mack Brown may consider retiring. Not only did Brown quickly dismiss the suggestions, his players have turned the season around.

"The guys have just understood that we didn't play well at times against West Virginia. We didn't play well at all against Oklahoma," Brown said. "I think they just circled the wagons. Young guys are growing up on de-

fense. The offense continues to build and grow.

"The biggest thing is they quit listening to any outside sources and went back to work. And they understood that the only thing that's important when it comes to football is the product that we put on the field. And for two weeks, the product wasn't very good and it needed to get better. Now we've got to finish strong."

Oklahoma State, Texas Tech and TCU are bowl eligible. Not counting the BCS, the Big 12 has tie-ins to seven bowls and would look for a possible open slot elsewhere if more Big 12 teams than bowls are available.

Iowa State (5-5, 2-5) plays at one-win Kansas on Saturday and finishes the regular season at home against West Virginia on Nov. 23. The Cyclones are looking for their second straight bowl appearance.

Over the summer, the Oklahoma-West Virginia game was envisioned as having tie implications.

Instead, West Virginia (5-4, 2-4) is fighting to keep a 10-year streak of going to bowls intact. The Mountaineers have lost four straight games, their longest losing streak in 11 years.

West Virginia coach Dana Holgorsen still envisions Oklahoma's first visit to Morgantown as exciting, especially for the fans.

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UPIke presents Alice in Wonderland



PIKEVILLE - The University of Pikeville School of Dance will present Alice in Wonderland on Friday, Nov. 16, at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 18, at 2:30 p.m. in Booth Auditorium. Tickets are \$5 at the door. The show is under the direction of Peggy Davis, founder of the UPIKE School of Dance, and features more than 50 dancers ages six through adult. Additional performances will be held for school groups. For more information, call the dance studio at (606) 218-5751.



Community Christmas Chorus

Big Sandy Singers' first ever Community Christmas Chorus invites community to participate

The Music Department of Big Sandy Community and Technical College along with The Big Sandy Singers wish to invite anyone in the eastern Kentucky area to participate in their first Community Christmas Chorus. Men, women, teens, and children, ages 8 to 100, are welcome to be a part of this fun, Christmas event where we will all gather to sing songs celebrating the Christmas season.

There are four rehearsals scheduled for the Chorus: three consecutive Mondays - Nov. 19, Nov. 26, and Dec. 3. Practice will be at 4:30 p.m. for children (ages 8-12) and 6:00 p.m. for teens & adults. Children are welcome to stay to be a part of the teen and adult chorus as well. There is one additional dress rehearsal scheduled for Thurs., Dec. 6 at 6:00 p.m., and the Community Christmas Chorus will present their show on Friday, Dec. 7, at Gearheart Auditorium in the Pike Building, on the BSCTC Prestonsburg Campus. Gearheart Auditorium is also the location of the rehearsals.

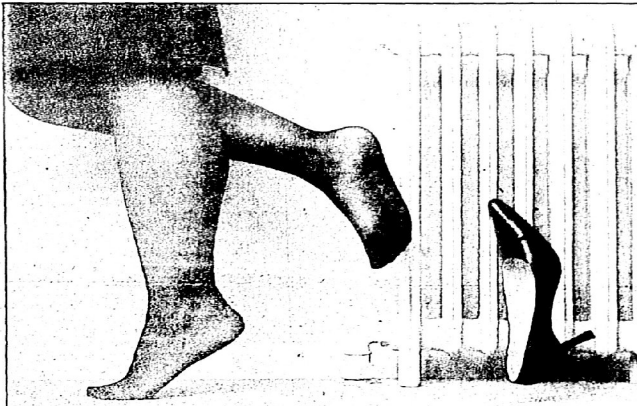
Children ages 8-12 can be a part of the chorus as members of the "Little Sandy Singers." Only 30 children can be a part of this group, so if you want to register your child, please register soon by emailing Director Laura Ford Hall, at laura.hall@kctcs.edu or laura.hall@kctcs.edu.

with your child's name, age, address, and phone number. Registration will be open for one week... until Nov. 16. There is a \$25 fee for children to join The Little Sandy Singers Christmas Program. This cost covers all instructional material, costuming, and vocal lessons and instruction.

"Adults also need to register so we can prepare the amount of music and material that is needed," said Ford-Hall. Adults have a minimal \$5 fee to cover music and instructional material. Adults should also register at laura.hall@kctcs.edu with your name, address, and phone numbers.

"I am so very excited about sharing in the Christmas season in song with others in our community," Ford-Hall added. "Everyone is welcome and there is no singing experience necessary... if people love to sing, then they are invited to be a part of our Christmas Chorus. I hope we have a big turn out and I look forward to directing this special program."

The BSCTC Music Program is sponsored by Premiere Sponsor Gearheart Communications of Harold and Gold Sponsor Jennifer Reynolds State Farm of Crossroads Plaza, Pikeville. If you have questions, please email Ford-Hall or call (606) 424-2498, and leave a message.



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Youtube video shows Pikeville, Ky. Walmart employees destroying iPads

Julia Roberts Goad
For the Floyd County Times

PIKEVILLE, Ky. — A video from Pikeville has had hundreds of thousands of hits, embarrassing the world's largest retailer, Walmart.

The profanity-laced video shows employees throwing iPads in the air and slamming them on the ground. And then they give a message to Walmart shoppers.

"I hope nobody buys that one," a Walmart employee said after one of the Apple tablet computers hits the floor.

The video turned up online via Facebook, Youtube, and consumer websites.

"We've seen the video of several nightshift associates destroying merchandise in the back of our store in August and, as anyone can imagine, it made us wince," a state-

ment from Walmart said. "We are also embarrassed. Since this unfortunate incident, we haven't received any returns of this merchandise. We stand behind our merchandise and our associates work very hard to take proper care and handling of the products we put on our shelves."

The retailer also says the associates seen on camera no longer work for Walmart.

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New hearing for judge denied; ordered to prison next month

Cris Ritchie
Heartland News Service

PIKEVILLE — A new hearing for Knott County Judge-Executive Randy Thompson and three others convicted of vote buying in the 2008 election was denied this week, and they have now been ordered to begin serving their respective sentences next month.

Thompson, along with John Mac Combs, Ronnie Adams, and Phillip Champion, were convicted during a jury trial in 2008 for using public funds to influence the general election in 2006. It was during that elec-

tion that Thompson won his first full term in office. He was originally appointed to the office by former Gov. Ernie Fletcher, and later won a second term during the 2010 election.

In 2009 Thompson was sentenced to serve 40 months in prison, though he and his codefendants have remained free while appealing their convictions. Combs, Adams, and Champion were each sentenced to 36 months, 32 months, and 18 months respectively.

In September a three-judge panel of the U.S. 6th Circuit Court of Appeals affirmed their convictions, and attorneys for each of the men filed

requests for a new hearing before the full court. Those requests were denied on Monday.

"The panel has further reviewed the petitions for rehearing and concludes that the issues raised in the petitions were fully covered by the original submission and decision of the cases," the Court's order reads. "Accordingly, the petitions are denied."

Thompson and his codefendants were originally ordered to surrender to authorities to begin their sentences on Nov. 6, but received an extension while their requests for an appeal were ongoing. After their latest ap-

peal was denied, U.S. District Judge Gregory Van Tatenhove ordered each of the men to voluntarily surrender to their assigned correctional facilities by 2 p.m. on Dec. 6, according to court records.

Thompson's attorney had also requested that in the event his request for a new hearing was denied, Thompson could remain free until the first of the new year so that he can transition his office to a new judge-executive. Tatenhove noted in his order, however, that Thompson has had sufficient time to ready any such transition.

"This Order applies to all defen-

dants in this case, including Ronnie Adams, who has now had the opportunity to provide his medical documents to the Bureau of Prisons, and Randall Thompson, who has had over four years to facilitate an adequate transition of the operations of the Knott County Judge-Executive's office," the order reads.

Thompson can still appeal his conviction to the United States Supreme Court, according to Kyle Edeken with the U.S. Attorney's Office. According to the Court's own statistics, however, the Supreme Court only hears roughly 1 percent of the cases presented to them for review.

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U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE,
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MERGER TO LASALLE BANK NATIONAL
ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR CERTIFICATEHOLDERS
OF BEAR STEARNS ASSET BACKED SECURITIES
ILLC, ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2007-FS1
PLAINTIFFS

VS.

JOHNATHAN TACKETT A/K/A JOHNATHAN D. TACKETT
WILLIA TACKETT
TAX EASE LIEN SERVING, LP
COUNTY OF FLOYD DEFENDANTS
NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Final Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 8th day of August, 2012, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, in the principal amount of \$81,336.31 with interest thereon; 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 15th day of November, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property, to wit: Property Address: 46 Frazier Lane, Hi Hat, Kentucky 41636

Beginning at a steel pipe stake at the corner of Fred Ratliff line and the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company line; thence 46 1/2 feet to a steel pipe stake near the creek; thence with the same degree across the creek to the line of Bill Gibson; thence with the line of Bill Gibson to the line of Hannah Moore; thence to a stake 25 feet from the corner of Hannah Moore; Bill Gibson line; thence in a E-to-S direction across the creek to a steel pipe stake on the East side of the creek; thence 77 feet through the center of a C & O R. Co. and J.F. Howell; thence with the C & O R. L. line 175 feet to the point of beginning, containing one-half acre, more or less.

Being the same property conveyed to Jonathan D. Tackett and Willia Tackett, husband and wife, from Melinda Osborne and Jessie F. Osborne, wife and husband, by Deed dated 08/23/2008, recorded 08/08/2008, Deed Book 527, page 515, Floyd County Clerk's Records, and being known as 46 Frazier Lane, Hi Hat, KY 41636.

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

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

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

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Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd County Master Commissioner



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PUBLIC NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT
DIVISION NO. 1
C.A. NO. 11-CI-1124

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A. PLAINTIFF
VS.
TIM YATES, SR.
HENRIETTE YATES DEFENDANTS
NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 30th day of July, 2012, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, in the principal amount of \$86,653.41 with interest thereon; 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 15th day of November, 2012 at 9:30 a.m. upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property, to wit: Property Address: 98 Post Office Street, Martin, Kentucky 41649

A certain tract or parcel of land in the community or Martin, Floyd County, Kentucky, more particularly described as follows:

Unless stated otherwise, any monument referred to herein as an "IPC" is a set, 5/8" diameter (#5) rebar, eighteen (18) inches in length with an aluminum cap stamped "QUENTIN C. SPRADLIN, PLS 3439". All bearings stated herein are referred to the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet Right of Way Plans for Kentucky Highway 80, State Project No. SP-36-61-2R4, Sheet No. 8.

Beginning at an IPC set in the eastern right of way of Post Office Street and in the northeastern right of way of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, Martin Connector to Kentucky Highway 80 (Deed Book 235, Page 266), said IPC being the southwestern corner of Tim Yates, Sr. (Deed Book 423, Page 172) and located forty-five (45) feet north or northeast of Martin Connector Station 58+37.29; THENCE leaving said IPC set and with said right of way S 49° 18' 23" E, at 178.20 f' 3/4" passing over an IPC reference monument set at the top of the creek bank, all of which distance of 229.01 feet to a point in the center of Beaver Creek, said point being located forty-five (45) feet north or northeast of Martin Connector Station 60+57.24; THENCE leaving said right of way and with said right of way S 65° 59' 34" E, a distance of 88.36 feet to a point in the center of said creek; THENCE continuing down the center of said creek N 48° 28' 19" E, a distance of 162.87 feet to a point in the line of William Russell Hughes (Will Book "C", Page 451); THENCE leaving the center of said Beaver Creek and with the line of said Hughes N 48° 35' 14" W, a distance of 44.07 f' 1/4" to an IPC set at the top of the creek bank; THENCE continuing with said Hughes N 48° 35' 14" W, a distance of 88.86 feet to an IPC set; THENCE continuing with said Hughes N 74° 07' 48" W, a distance of 264.84 feet to a two-inch (2") diameter steel fence post filled with concrete and found in the eastern right of way of Post Office Street; THENCE leaving Hugh and with the eastern right of way of said Post Office Street and the fence S 09° 10' 04" W, a distance of 152.95 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING and CONTAINING 3.44 ACRES, more or less, according to a survey by Quentin C. Spradlin, P.L.S. #3439, on February 17, 2007, and being the same property conveyed by Tim Yates, Jr. to Tim Yates, Sr. by deed dated August 17, 2007, which is of record in Deed Book 423 at Page 172 in the records of Floyd County, Kentucky.

Being the same property conveyed upon Tim Yates, Sr., a married person, by deed dated August 17, 1998 and recorded in Deed Book 423, Page 172, in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

A. The successful bidder shall either pay cash or make a deposit of \$5,000.00 of the purchase price with the balance on a credit for thirty (30) days, in which event the successful bidder shall be required to execute bond with good surety thereon. Said bond shall be for the unpaid purchase price and bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid. Said bond shall have the force and effect of a Judgment for which execution may issue, and a lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate as additional surety.

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

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Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd County Master Commissioner

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PUBLIC NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT
DIVISION NO. 1
C.A. NO. 11-CI-1255

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK PLAINTIFF
VS.
JOHN F. COLLINS
SANDRA COLLINS
HERITAGE PRODUCTS, LLC
AND CAPITAL ONE BANK (USA), N.A.
Ika CAPITAL ONE BANK DEFENDANTS
CONSOLIDATED WITH C.A. NO. 11-CI-1007, DIVISION NO. 11

JOHN COLLINS and SANDRA COLLINS PLAINTIFFS
VS.
MONTPELIER US INSURANCE COMPANY ET AL DEFENDANTS
NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Summary Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 17th day of July, 2012, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, in the principal amount of \$185,000.25 with interest thereon; 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 15th day of November, 2012 at 9:00 a.m. upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property, to wit: Property Address: 193 RAILWAY LANE, LACKEY, KY 41643.

PARCEL #1: A certain tract or parcel of land lying on the waters of the Right Fork of Beaver Creek at Lackey, Floyd County, Kentucky, and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning on an iron pin set on the corner to the C&O Railway right of way, M.M. Collins, Jonas and Mary Collins and being on the Elkhorn Coal Corporation Coordinate System with latitude 1225514.754 South and Dependent 190842.603 West; thence with the C&O right of way S 82° 50' 27" E, 79.086 feet to an iron spike set on corner to C&O right of way, M.M. Collins, Jonas and Mary Collins; thence with M.M. Collins, Jonas and Mary Collins line S 10° 28' 31" W, 88.899 feet to an iron pin set on corner to M.M. Collins, Jonas and Mary Collins; thence N 87° 37' 62" W, 106.219 feet to an iron rail set on property line between M.M. Collins and Jonas and Mary Collins, line N 11° 26' 01" E, 51.728 feet to an iron pin set on property line between M.M. Collins and Jonas and Mary Collins, line N 11° 26' 01" E, 51.728 feet to an iron pin set on property line between M.M. Collins and Jonas and Mary Collins; thence with the same property conveyed to John F. Collins from Georgia C. Stapleton and Bert R. Stapleton, her husband, Gordon Collins and Clova Collins, his wife, Gordon Collins and Eva Collins, his wife, James King and Patricia King, his wife, Phillip Johnson and Mary Jo Johnson, his wife, Thomas Henderson and Jane Henderson, his wife, Beulah Collins, a widow, Charles J. Collins and Robin Collins, his wife, Michael Castle and Rebecca C. Castle, his wife, John F. Collins and Sandra Collins, his wife, by deed dated December 2, 1988, Recorded in Deed Book 324, Page 223, Records of the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

Parcel #2: Beginning at a point on the southerly right of way line of the C&O Railway, said point being 30 feet distance from the center line of the railroad, and being on a line radial to the curvature of the railroad at this point; thence a distance measured along the arc of curvature to the tangent following, of 50 feet with said right of way to S point on said right of way and being a property line corner to John F. Collins; thence leaving said right of way and with the property line of John F. Collins to the center of the Right Fork of Beaver Creek; thence down the creek to the point in the center of the creek; thence leaving the creek on a line radial to the curvature of the railroad to the point of beginning. Being the same property conveyed to John F. Collins and Sandra Collins, husband and wife, from Brady Marshall Collins, single, Rose M. Collins, single, and Astor Collins, single, by deed dated August 22, 1968, Recorded in Deed Book 324, page 223, of the Floyd County Court of Clerk's Office.

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

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Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd County Master Commissioner

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836-5595 NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RECLAMATION DEFERMENT TO COAL MARKETING PROBLEMS

In accordance with 405 KAR 10:020, notice is hereby given that Laurel Mountain Resources LLC, 1374 Highway 192 East, London, Kentucky 40741 has applied for a coal marketing reclamation deferment for its surface coal mining and reclamation operation, permit number 836-5595...

The operation is approximately 0.04 miles east from KY 1923 in junction of Woods Fork Road and located in Woods Fork. The latitude is 37deg 28' 03" and the longi...

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ude is 82deg 42' 43" on the Mc Dowell U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map.

The deferment is sought due to a coal marketing problem and is being requested for an initial period of six months. The deferral may be renewed for additional periods up to a maximum of 30 months.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department of Natural Resources' London Regional Office, State Office Building, 3rd Floor, 85 State Police Road, London, Kentucky 40741.

PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-5422, Amendment No. 4

The proposed amendment is located on the Harold U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The amendment will underlie lands owned by Sidney Lee & Myrtle Boyd, John & Healy Boyd, Appalachian Land Co., Johann & Vaughn Hamilton, W. Watson, and Gail Betty Reynolds.

The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department of Natural Resources' Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

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In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Mattice, Inc., 989 Meadows Branch, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has applied for an amendment to an existing underground coal mine and reclamation operation located 1.0 mile north of Dana in Floyd County, Kentucky. The amendment will add 0.00 acres of surface to the mine and will underlie an additional 83.09 acres making a total area of 98.90 acres within the amended permit boundary.

The proposed amendment area is approximately 0.2 miles southeast from Johnson Fork Road's junction with Cranch Road and located within Johnson Fork.

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The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department of Natural Resources' Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Philip and Olga Jonathan Martin of 93 Phillip Martin Drive, has filed an application with the Kentucky Environmental Cabinet to Level Land to produce Hay, The property is located off Webb Street of area rt. 550 1 mile west of Parkport, Creek stream. Any comments or objections concerning the application should be directed to: Kentucky Division of Water, Surface Water Permit Branch, Flood Plain Management Section 200 Fairclark Lane, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

Notice of Public Meeting

City of Wayland November 27th, 2012 at 2:00p.m.

A public meeting will take place at 2:00 pm on Tuesday, November 27th, 2012, at the Wayland Historical Society, for the purpose of providing general information to the community regarding the purchase of a police cruiser. The public is invited to attend and give input on issues as economic and environmental impacts, vehicle use, alternatives to the project or any other pertinent information.

By: City of Wayland

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PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-8098, Amendment # 7

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that F.W. Co., P.O. Box 1200, Robinson Creek, Kentucky 41560 has applied for an amendment to a permit for a coal processing facility, refuse disposal, underground, and contour and auger mining operation located 1.8 miles Southeast of Primer in Floyd County. The amendment will add 1.81 surface acres making a total of 695.81 acres within the amended permit boundary.

The proposed amendment area is approximately 1.4 miles southeast from KY State Route 122's junction with KY State Route 2032 and located 0.004 miles northeast of Spurlock Creek.

The proposed amendment is located on the Harold U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The operation will use the contour, auger and area methods of mining. The surface strata will be disturbed by the amendment is owned by Black Diamond Land Company, LLC.

The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department of Natural Resources' Prestonsburg Regional Office, 3140 South Lake Drive, Suite 6, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

By: City of Wayland

Miscellaneous

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PUBLIC NOTICE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 11 C.A. NO. 10-CI-958 BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP IKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP PLAINTIFF VS. PATRICIA SUE MORRISON, MORTGAGE ELETRONIC SYSTEMS, INC. DEFENDANTS NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 30th day of July, 2012, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, in the principal amount of \$37,000.01 with interest thereon; please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Court-house Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 15th day of November, 2012 at 9:45 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property, to wit: Property Address: 202 North River Street, Auxier, KY 41602

BEING Lot No. 17 and 17A in the village of Auxier, Floyd County, Kentucky, as shown upon a map of said Village, which map is of record in Deed Book No. 125, Page 537, Floyd County Clerk's Office, to which map reference is hereby made for a more particular description of the property herein conveyed and also BEING Lot No. 19A, as shown by map or plat of the village of Auxier, Kentucky, and 55 foot x 30 feet of rear lot no. 19, as shown by said plat or map, and the said rear and the noted deed are referred to for a more perfect description of the property hereby conveyed.

Being the same property conveyed unto Patricia Sue Morrison, by deed dated 27th day of November, 1989, and recorded in Deed Book 332, Page 295, in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

A. The successful bidder shall either pay cash or make a deposit of \$5,000.00 of the purchase price with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days, in which event the successful bidder shall be required to execute bond with good surety thereon. Said bond shall have 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 deed, for which execution may issue, and a lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate. B. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay the taxes or assessments upon the property for the current year's property taxes and all subsequent years till such assessments upon the property for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds. C. The property described above is sold subject to any easements, restrictions, defects, liens or encumbrances of record in the Floyd County Clerk's Office and such rights of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof.

Any announcements made on date of sale takes precedence over printed matter contained hereon.

Hon. William S. Kendrick, Floyd County Master Commissioner

PUBLIC NOTICE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT DIVISION NO. 11 C.A. NO. 11-CI-00011 BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP IKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP PLAINTIFF VS. SHERMAN HOLLIDAY TAX EASE LIEN INVESTMENTS 1, LLC DEFENDANT NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 8th day of August, 2012, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, in the principal amount of \$141,850.93 with interest thereon; please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Court-house Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 15th day of November, 2012 at 10:15 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property, to wit: Property Address: 1949 Abbott Creek Road, Prestonsburg, KY 41653

A certain tract or parcel of land located in Floyd County, Kentucky, being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land lying and being on the waters of Abbott Creek, Floyd County, Kentucky, and thus described: Being Lot 8 of Meadow View Estates, as shown on Plat #446, recorded in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

Being the same property conveyed to Sherman Holliday, no name given, by Deed dated October 2, 2006, and recorded on November 17, 2005 in Deed Book 518, Page 394, of the Clerk's records in Floyd County, Kentucky.

A. The successful bidder shall either pay cash or make a deposit of \$5,000.00 of the purchase price with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days, in which event the successful bidder shall be required to execute bond with good surety thereon. Said bond shall have 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 deed, for which execution may issue, and a lien shall be retained upon the above described real estate. B. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay the taxes or assessments upon the property for the current year's property taxes and all subsequent years till such assessments upon the property for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds. 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. 11 C.A. NO. 10-CI-1051

UPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO CHASE BANK AND ANCE A/C PLAINTIFF VS. ALTA FIELDS Aka ALTA NERISSA FIELDS DEFENDANT NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court entered the 17th day of July, 2012, in the above cause, as their interest in the subject property, in the principal amount of \$112,259.41 with interest thereon; please be advised that I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Old Floyd County Court-house Door, South Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, (behind the new Floyd County Justice Center), to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 15th day of November, 2012 at 9:15 a.m., upon the terms set forth following the description, the following described property, to wit: Property Address: 2983 Abbott Creek Road, Prestonsburg, KY 41653

Lot No. 2, plus 10 ft. parallel to and a part of Lot No. 3 in the Homer D. Neely subdivision a plat of which is recorded in Map File No. 357 in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

See Deed to Taylor and Lois Calboun, Deed Book 224, Page 75, which reduces Lot 2 to its right-of-way and increases or enlarges Lot No. 2 presently being conveyed 110 ft. on Highway right-of-way.

Said property was conveyed to Alta Nerissa Fields, a single person, from Mary K. Willis, individually and as Guardian for Rodney Willis, husband and wife, on July 25, 2008, by a deed recorded on July 29, 2008, in Deed Book 549, Page 445, of the Clerk's Office in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

A. The successful bidder shall either pay cash or make a deposit of \$5,000.00 of the purchase price with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days, in which event the successful bidder shall be required to execute bond with good surety thereon. Said bond shall have 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.

B. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay the taxes or assessments upon the property for the current year's property taxes and all subsequent years, all and subsequent years. All taxes or assessments for prior years shall be paid from the sale proceeds.

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. 11 C.A. NO. 12-CI-01057

U.S. BANK TRUST, N.A., as Trustee for LSF60 FICO TRUST, PLAINTIFF VS. JACKIE ANN HIGHTOWER, ET. AL, DEFENDANTS. NOTICE OF PENDING ACTION

By virtue of the Order of the Floyd Circuit Court, dated October 16, 2012, the undersigned is seeking land to serve as Warning Order to notify the UNKNOWNSPOUSE OF JACKIE ANN HIGHTOWER of the pending action which involves the collection of a debt wherein certain real estate is being used as collateral for a mortgage. The property is located in Floyd County, Kentucky and is described as follows:

Parcel 1: Beginning at the corner of the lot, thence running up the creek to a metal stake 61 feet to the top of Eric D. Hall's line to the center of said line (a [sic] land stake at the base of the hill; thence running down the hill and the end stake up the hill with Earl E. Hall's line to the center of said line; thence running around the ridge Fifty (50) feet in & down the hill to the center of the line of Randy D. Stevens' line; thence running down the hill with a fence with said Randy D. Stevens' line to the base of the hill; thence running on across the hill with the fence and Randy and Betty Stevens' line to the point of beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to Eric D. Hightower from Earl E. Hall [sic] and Norma J. Hightower, by Deed dated March 31, 2006, by a deed recorded on July 30, 1990 in Deed Book 335, page 73, in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

Parcel 2: Beginning at a metal stake next to the creek; thence running up Toller's Creek Fifty-seven (57) feet to Lizzie McKinney's line; thence running with aid [sic] Lizzie McKinney's line across the base of the hill; thence running from the base of the hill to the hill to the top of the ridge; thence running around the ridge with a line fence for fifty (50) feet; thence running down the hill keeping a right-of-way to the top of the ridge with a metal stake at the base of the hill; thence running across the bottom to the metal stake at the creek the point of beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to Eric D. Hightower and Jackie Ann Hightower by deed dated February 21, 1991 in Deed Book 341, Page 191 in Deed Book 344, Page 754, in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

More commonly known as 3252 Toller Creek, Harold, KY, and the name of the UNKNOWNSPOUSE OF JACKIE ANN HIGHTOWER is directed to come forward and present any claim or defense to the Clerk's Office regarding the above-described real estate which claim or defense may claim or be forever barred.

SIGNED, A. David Blankenship, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Kinser & Patton 328 East Court Street, Prestonsburg, KY 41653 (606) 866-1343

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Wanted

Big Sandy Community & Technical College
 Applications are now being accepted for
Administrative Assistant (Workforce Solutions) (Prestonsburg Campus)

Please visit our website at www.bigsandy.kctcs.edu/job-seekers for additional information and application deadlines.

Big Sandy Community and Technical College is an equal opportunity employer and education institution. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

Applications Being Accepted For 1, 2, 3, 4 Bedroom Apartments

Located in Prestonsburg is Highland Heights Apartments in Goble Roberts addition and Cliffside Apartments on Cliff Road. Rent is based on gross monthly income. All utilities included at Highland Heights and a utility Allowance at Cliffside. Learning centers at both sites with computers available. For more information call Highland Heights at 606-886-0608 and Cliffside at 606-886-1819. TDD: 1-800-648-6056 or 711 or come by the offices for an application. Highland Heights and Cliffside Apartments do not discriminate in admission or employment in subsidized housing on account of race, color, religion, gender, national origin, disability or familial status.

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Community Hospice offers a competitive base salary and an excellent benefit package that includes 401K, health and life insurance, and a generous paid time off plan. Send resume to or apply at Community Hospice, 1480 Carter Avenue, Ashland, KY, 41101 or 866 US Hwy. 23N, Paintsville, KY, 41240. Employment at Community Hospice, as well as Hospice services, are available to all qualified individuals regardless of race, color, age, sex, religion, national origin, disability or genetics. EOE

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Applications will be accepted at the following offices: Kentucky Employment Services (OET)

Perry County Coal Corporation is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Miscellaneous

DWELLING UNITS FOR FLOYD COUNTY HOUSING AUTHORITY RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The Rental Assistance Program assists eligible families with rental payments to landlords on the private market. The assistance is paid to the property owners who have units that meet the Standards of the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Participation in this program will provide a regular income to landlords and provide a decent, safe and sanitary place for qualifying families to live.

If you are a property owner and would like more information about the Floyd County Housing Authority Housing Choice Voucher Program, please contact:

Judy Flanery, Section 8 Coordinator
 606-285-4483 or Fax 606-285-4484

We do business in accordance with the Federal Fair Housing Law.

Manufactured Housing

Rentals

MOBILE HOME FOR RENT 4 MILES FROM PRESTONSBURG. 1 OR 2 OCCUPANTS. 450.00 PER MONTH. 400.00 DEPOSIT. WATER, TRASH PICK UP & LAWN CARE INCLUDED. NO HUD NO PETS. 606-339-5979

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Applications will be taken, in person only at Central Office of the Authority at Warco Apartments, Highway 80, Weekdays from 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Wednesdays from 9:00 A.M. to NOON. No phone calls.

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Help Wanted - General

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Governors commission on Taxes cautions many against burdening elderly

LOUISVILLE — Today, AARP Kentucky issued a response cautioning the Governor's Tax Commission on behalf of the organization's 460,000 statewide members and all Kentuckians entering their retirement years. AARP believes a proposal that cuts retirement income by lowering income tax exemptions and increasing tax rates on Social Security income is ill-timed and will unfairly burden today's retirees, who have no time to pivot their retirement strategy.

AARP Kentucky State President Jim Kimbrough recognizes that many of the recommendations on the table are academic, but urges the Commission to proceed cautiously with proposals that increase taxes on retirees. According to Kimbrough, "Some 13 percent of Kentucky seniors are living in poverty today. Asking those on fixed incomes to bear more of the burden for balancing the state budget isn't a long-term solution. Too many retirees today live in or near the poverty line and are struggling to make ends meet, now."

In prior testimony before the Commission, AARP Kentucky recommended seeking a fair and balanced approach to improving the adequacy of the tax code. AARP urged the Commission to consider significant savings available to taxpayers from increasing in-home aging services and decreasing the Medicaid program's reliance on nursing home care.

AARP Kentucky State Director Ron Bridges urged the Commission to reconsider its proposals increasing retiree's tax burdens, noting that 36 other states offer pension exemptions. "We again ask the Commission reconsider our earlier recommendations to consider the revenue savings available in the state's Medicaid budget. It remains out of balance with 81 percent of its long term care dollars spent in expensive institutional nursing home care. We can do more for less for by increasing home and community based aging services today while saving taxpayers' dollars tomorrow," said Bridges.

Today, 13.3 percent of Kentucky's total population is over 65. Recent AARP research shows overwhelming that 89% of AARP Kentucky members want to continue living in their own homes rather than moving to an expensive nursing home. The average annual Social Security benefit in Kentucky is \$13,795.



The Pike Central High School JROTC executed a traditional flag tribute, explaining the meaning of the flag and the representation of the folds when a flag is folded for the armed services.

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Pike Co. salutes veterans

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PIKEVILLE — Pike County saluted those who have served in America's armed forces in a program held Thursday at the Pike County Courthouse.

Pike County Deputy Judge-Executive John Doug Hayes, an Air Force veteran, opened the ceremony.

"We often take for granted our basic freedoms," Hayes said. "But someone sacrificed for those freedoms, from the Revolutionary War to our present wars in Iraq and Afghanistan."

Judge-Executive Wayne T. Rutherford said he felt the same pride the late Sen. Robert Byrd did in the way people from the area answered the call to service.

"I often heard Sen. Byrd begin a speech by saying, 'I am a son of Central Appalachia. When the President declares war, more of us volunteer than any other part of the country.'"

Hayes asked for veterans to stand, starting with any World War I vets. There were none attending; only two World War II veterans were at the ceremony. However, several veterans, start-



The Pike Central High School JROTC created a memorial to Fallen Veterans consisting of a rifle, helmet, combat boots and dog tags. Veterans salute those who sacrificed all for the freedoms Americans enjoy.

ing with those from the Korea era to the current wars in Iraq and Afghanistan-

stan were present to be honored.

The keynote speaker for the event was Kentucky Supreme Court Justice, Pike County native and U.S. Army veteran, Will T. Scott.

Justice Scott, a decorated Vietnam veteran, was named by Chief Justice John D. Minton Jr. in 2010 to head the Veterans Task Force as part of the work of the Kentucky Access to Justice Commission.

The Veterans Task Force is working to improve the court system's ability to identify veterans in need; to connect those veterans with appropriate services, programs and treatment; and to create new programs to help veterans involved in the justice system, such as the first Veterans Treatment Court in Kentucky. The task force is composed of leaders from all levels of state government as well as other stakeholders involved with veterans' issues.

"I wrote home when I was in the Army," Scott said. "And received care packages. But it never entered my mind that my family went to bed every night worried about me."

He said that changed in 2003, when his son began serving in Baghdad, Iraq.

"I never had a day I wasn't scared," Scott said. "Now, when I think of veterans, I think of all the families that serve with them."

James Young, a Marine veteran who served 20 years, including Vietnam, had a request of those attending the ceremony. He said that when Vietnam era vets returned home, it was heartbreaking that they returned to a country that did not seem to appreciate their service.

"I am asking the public to do something that won't cost them a dime," Scott said. "If you see a man or a woman in uniform put your arm around them, welcome them home. Tell them 'thank you.' Show them that patriotic is not just a word in the dictionary."

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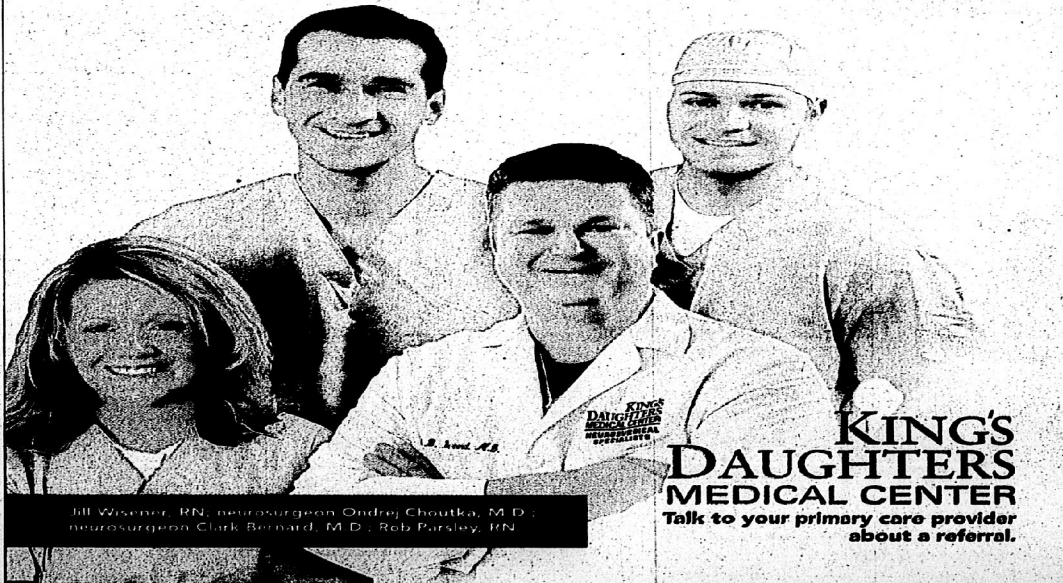
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