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3rd Annual
Festival of
Family
Arts
Culture
Education
Spring
Schedule of Events

featuring
The Kentucky Opry
Saturday, May 18
Prestonsburg High School
at 7 p.m.

SATURDAY, MAY 11
8:30 a.m. -- **Golf**
Tournament
Jenny Wiley Golf
Course
Rob Herrick
886-1095

THURSDAY, MAY 16
7:00 p.m. -- **Opening**
Ceremony
Prestonsburg High
School
All-County Band and
Chorus
Art Contest Winners
Display

FRIDAY, MAY 17
9:00 a.m. -- **Floyd County**
History Museum
Kathy Fitzpatrick
886-1341

Academic
Competition
PCC
Mr. Horn & Ms.
Newsome 886-2354

Computer Fair
Municipal Parking Lot
Ron Frasure 886-8447

Elementary
History Workshop
Court Street Center
Elementary School
History Teachers

11:00 a.m. -- **Arts & Crafts**
Linda Ritchie
Municipal Parking Lot
call 886-1341

Food Booths
Municipal Parking Lot
Jim Sparks 886-1341

1:00 p.m. -- **High School**
History Workshop
Court Street Center
886-1341
High School
History Teachers

6:00 p.m. -- **Alumni**
Basketball
PHS Gym
Pete Grigsby 886-2354

8:00 p.m. -- **Teen Bands**
Municipal Parking Lot
Bill Paul Fairchild
789-5961

SATURDAY, MAY 18
9:00 a.m. -- **5-K Race**
Prestonsburg
Rick Roberts 789-3747

Well-FEST
Municipal Parking Lot
Kevin Shannon
874-8064

History Museum
Arts & Crafts
Food Booths
Antique/Classic

Car Show
Old Dollar Store
Parking Lot
Billie Castle 886-3861

10:00 a.m. -- **Computer Fair**
(continued)

Noon -- **Parade**
Grand Marshal
Dr. Henry Campbell
Music Carter Hughes
to PHS
Patti Williams
886-6709
prizes totaling \$1500

2:00 p.m. -- **Mountain**
Dance Expo
Municipal Parking Lot
Bottom of the Barrel
Sandy's Ramblers
Jim Sparks 886-1341

SUNDAY, MAY 19
2:00 p.m. -- **Civil War**
Encampment and
Battlefield Tour
Hwy 114 at David
turnoff
Frank Fitzpatrick
886-1312

On The Road

A "day" in the life of Sheriff
Paul Hunt Thompson



All in a "day's" work

Floyd County Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson inspected the damage at the office of dentist Brent Clark of Betsy Layne after a vehicle crashed through the doors early Saturday morning. (photo by Susan Allen)

All's quiet for the first of the month :

Making the rounds . . .

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

The third day of the month, commonly called "check day", is usually a time most look forward to. Everybody usually has a little money and they want to have a little fun.

The third of the month, especially when it falls on a weekend, is a busy day for the Floyd County Sheriff's Department. Deputies and the sheriff prepare themselves for a long night when the fun gets out of hand and too much drinking can cause a lot of traffic accidents.

Being on patrol with Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson Friday night proved to be quiet, but informative. Beginning at 7 p.m., the first stop is to check out a report of someone growing a patch of marijuana in a remote area of the county.

The long drive to the location and a quick, short hike into the hills, which the sheriff makes with ease, yields no plants.

"They probably moved them already," the sheriff said. "I'll come back and search again later. Believe it or not, I look forward to this time of year. I love getting out and searching the hills for pot plants. Plus, it helps trim me down."

The sheriff is stopped after the search several times by passing motorists who ask him for advice about how to handle personal situations. He obliges them, offering advice and promises to look into the situation.

Regular patrols begin in the Left

Beaver area, going through Wheelwright and Weeksbury, the sheriff's hometown.

"I want the people to know I'm out here," Sheriff Thompson said. "It makes them feel better to know I'm out here and it also calms down the rowdy ones if they know the sheriff's

in the area."
Thompson goes up a one-lane road in city of Wheelwright until he reaches a turning spot that doubles as a local hangout. He explains that an elderly widow lives about a half a mile above

(See Sheriff, page three)

State, county won't get storm disaster funding

by Janice Shepherd
Staff Writer

Kentucky apparently will not receive emergency federal assistance for damage wrought by a storm which swept through Eastern Kentucky on April 9.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency, Monday, denied a request from Governor Wallace Wilkinson to provide emergency funding to 24 Kentucky counties, including Floyd. Storm damage to the area was estimated at \$20,805,399, said Mark McDaniel, a spokesperson for the Disaster and Emergency Services office in Frankfort.

"Our careful review of your request in this assessment leads us to the conclusion that a major disaster declaration is not warranted as the severity and magnitude of the situation are not considered to be beyond the combined capabilities of the state

and local governments as required by law," Wallace E. Stickney, director of FEMA, stated in a letter to Gov. Wilkinson.

FEMA's Individual Assistance branch chief, Mike Polny, said the agency did not have a bottom-line damage figure to determine if funding could be issued.

"The decision was made because it was within the capability of the state, the local counties, and volunteer agencies, coupled with the insurance factor to take care of the damage," Polny said.

Gov. Wilkinson appealed the decision Tuesday, requesting that maximum federal assistance be made available as soon as possible.

"Any request we make is serious. The governor does not make a request that is not warranted," said Doug Alexander, with Gov. Wilkinson's press office. "We do not know why this one was not approved."

Tennessee couple injured :

Pike teen killed in mishap

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

A 16-year old Pike County girl was killed Monday after the car she was driving struck a vehicle driven by a Tennessee couple on U.S. 23 at Ivel.

Wendy Hazelett, a sophomore at Pikeville High School, was pronounced dead at the scene by deputy coroner Glenn Frazier.

Hazelett reportedly was attempting to cross two-lanes of traffic after pulling out of the BP station at Ivel when a 1989 Astro Van, driven by William Maness of Adamsville, Tennessee, struck her 1991 Chrysler LaBaron. The accident occurred at 4:15 p.m.

Mr. Maness, 50, was treated and released from Our Lady Of The Way Hospital in Martin and his wife, Betty, 47, was admitted for observation.

Members of the Floyd County

Emergency Rescue Squad used the Jaws of Life to extract Hazelett from the car. The Floyd County Sheriff's Department and the Allen Volunteer Fire Department also responded to the scene.

Rescue workers said a brown shaggy dog believed to belong to the Manesses also survived the accident and was transported to the hospital.

Police find accident observer is wanted on 1990 warrant

A man who stopped at the scene of an accident Monday that claimed the life of a 16-year old Pike County girl received an unwelcome surprise when he was arrested.

Garrell Compton, 38, of Harold was arrested by Kentucky State Police trooper Eddie Crum after Floyd County sheriff's deputies alerted the trooper that Compton was wanted on

a first degree sexual abuse warrant. The warrant, dated October 22, 1990, alleged that Compton was wanted for an incident involving a 10-year old. KSP trooper Mike Thorpe obtained the arrest warrant.

Compton was taken to the Floyd County Jail and was released Tuesday on a \$5,000 unsecured bond. His court date has been set for June 4.

With one exception :

Report gets 'thumbs-up'

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

State and local reaction to a report released last week by State Auditor Bob Babbage on school construction projects is generally in agreement with the auditor's recommendations.

Babbage made 16 recommendations last week to the legislative Subcommittee for Education Accountability. Officials responding and their comments are as follows:

Dr. Penney Sanders, director Office of Education Accountability:

"We are very pleased the audit is completed. The implications of the report not only relate to Pike and Floyd counties, but to the entire process.

"New policies and procedures recommended in the report are very sound and point to an operational change in the process.

"We have just received the report and are processing it and we're anxious to translate it into new policies and procedures. If legislation needs to be changed, we'll present it to the legislature. But, I think the changes that need to be made can be made through administrative review to change policies and procedures.

"The State Board of Education will receive the report at their May meeting."

Ray "Shag" Campbell, Floyd County board chairman:

"The biggest recommendation to us is for site development and selection," Campbell said. "We need to have more input from the public and more time to locate a site. I agree with most everything he recommended.

"I've always said everything we do should be open and on top of the board," he said. "Everybody should get a fair chance and the whole public should know what we're doing and nothing should be hid.

"Mr. Babbage gave us some good advice on how he thinks things should be done. If we do what he recommends, it will only help us."

Eddie Billips, board member:
"I think, based on Mr. Babbage's report, that we should take a look at some of the projects we have and that we've stepped too far ahead of ourselves. We need to take a projects one at a time.

"I also agree with the recommendation that we bid out construction manager and architect contracts for fees and design. It will add competitiveness and provide cost savings to this board.

"We also need to give prospective bidders an adequate time to prepare bids for construction projects. This, in part, proves what we tried to do in December with the injunction. There was not adequate time for people to prepare bids on site preparation at Middle Creek. It proves it is not fea-

sible to attempt to rush into these projects.

"I think this audit didn't go very deep and didn't get into a great deal of specifics in Pike and Floyd counties. I think Pike and Floyd County were used as an example to develop guidelines to be used across the state in relation to school construction projects."

James Arville Duff, board member:

"I haven't really had a chance to digest it, but I agree with a lot of the suggestions Mr. Babbage made. I've felt, for a long time, that it would

(See Report, page two)

Floyd pair nabbed in bank heist

A Bristol, Virginia jail official confirmed reports late Tuesday that a Floyd County man and woman were being held in Bristol in connection with a Tuesday morning bank robbery in Pike County.

The jail official, who asked not to be identified, said Kenneth B. Warth, 35, and Daisy Warth, 44, of Endicott, were being held in the Bristol jail at the request of the FBI after the pair was arrested in Buchanan County, Virginia, Tuesday.

The Warth's are reportedly being held for questioning in relation to the armed robbery Tuesday morning of the First National Bank of Pikeville's Ferrells Creek branch office, near the intersection of U.S. 460 and Ky. 80 at Belcher.

Three armed individuals entered the bank at approximately 10:50 a.m. Tuesday, according to Kentucky State Police. An undisclosed amount of money was taken.

The robbers fled the scene by car, travelling east on U.S. 460 in the direction of the Kentucky-Virginia border. A short time later, a second vehicle believed to have been involved in the heist was observed heading west on U.S. 460 by Pike County deputy Millard Skeens. Skeens followed the vehicle and stopped it near Harmon, Virginia, detaining Kenneth and Daisy Warth for questioning.

The search for two other suspects continued Tuesday night. They are thought to be armed and dangerous.

Floyd County law enforcement officials remained on alert Tuesday night after reports that suspects in the Pike County robbery could be heading back to the area. Police are looking for a red and silver 1990 Chevy Silverado pickup reported stolen from Conway, Virginia Tuesday.



Pike teen killed

Wendy Hazelett, 16, of Pike County was killed in this two-vehicle accident Monday at Ivel. Hazelett was a sophomore at Pikeville High School. Deputy Coroner Glenn Frazier assisted in the investigation. (photo by Susan Allen)



Bag full of goodies

Shari Pesce, Kathy DiSalvo and Rose Price (l-r) go through bags of clothing donated to the Christian Appalachian Project looking for children's clothing to go to the Attic in Garrett. Over 2000 bags were gathered by Telephone Pioneers of America and brought to the Floyd County organization by Tri-Maintenance Saturday. (photo by Tess Whitmer)

Reaching out to touch someone

by Tess A. Whitmer
Assistant Editor

Most have heard AT&T's slogan "Reach out and touch someone," but many may not know that employees at AT&T reach out farther than just providing phone service.

A group called Telephone Pioneers of America has been in operation since 1911. This group does countless projects across the country to help the poor and provide services for communities in need.

This past Saturday, May 4, seven tractor-trailers arrived at the Christian Appalachian Project loaded down with furniture and donated clothing. According to Fred Hampton, support services director for AT&T, the furniture comes from the phone companies' offices after remodeling or relocating. "The pieces are very serviceable, but sometimes, after remodeling there will be odd pieces that don't fit so we donate them to organizations such as CAP," Hampton said.

Hampton said the caravan of trucks left New Jersey at 8:30 a.m. on Friday and arrived in Prestonsburg at 8

a.m. Saturday. With the help of workers from Tri-maintenance, a subcontractor for AT&T, prisoners from the Floyd County Jail and CAP volunteers, the trucks were unloaded within three hours.

Robert Duncan, CAP warehouse director, said that since January of 1989 they have received 58 truckloads of donated items from AT&T.

According to Rose Price, CAP worker, the donated clothing will partly go to the Attic in Garrett where it is sold for garage sale prices. "Anyone can shop at the Attic, but with the quality of this clothing it will go fast," noted Price. The rest of the clothing will go for emergency assistance programs, the Spouse Abuse Center, and other community organizations which operate charitable centers.

While in Prestonsburg, Hampton also presented the Prestonsburg City Police with hand made "Hug-a-Bears" on behalf of Telephone Pioneers of America. Captain Darrell Conley accepted the bears for the police department.

"These bears are used by police officers and fire departments to give to traumatized children," Hampton said. "It is amazing how this little bear can change a child's whole outlook. It is used as a distraction, giving them something gentle and loving to focus on instead of whatever bad situation they are in."

Last year the Pioneers made 100,000 of these Hug-a-Bears which have been distributed throughout the country, according to Hampton. He also noted that the organization donated over 17 million hours of service work last year.

School board meets Thursday

A special meeting of the Floyd County Board of Education has been called for Thursday, May 9 at 6 p.m. at the board room of the administration office.

The purpose of the meeting is to consider amending board order number 7612, which is the agreement signed between the board of education and the Floyd County Education Association to end the 10-day teachers' strike last August. The meeting is open to the public.

Attention

That time again for
Henry & Nannie Moore Reunion

All friends and relatives are invited.

Place: Stumbo Park
Allen, Ky.
Time: May 25th & 26th

Correction

In a story entitled "Floyd woman is killed in mishap" in last Wednesday's paper the woman's residence was incorrectly listed as Hunter, it was actually Huntington, W.Va. Also the driver of the truck that was hit was listed incorrectly as Jay Hinkle, it was actually Paul Evans.

FACES advertisement is state's best

An advertisement for Floyd County's festival of F.A.C.E.S. has been chosen the best in the state by the Interstate Traveller, a travel magazine in Belmond, Iowa.

Floyd County's tourism director Fred James submitted the ad in February and was notified Tuesday his had been chosen best in the state.

"I think this concept of U.S. 23 and country music stars reveals our regional approach to tourism," James said. "When I was notified about the contest in February, I told them we had a winner and they might as well get the judges ready."

The ad read: "The City of Prestonsburg and Floyd County, Kentucky will be promoting U.S. 23 from Ashland to Pikeville, Kentucky as America's Hometown 'Highway of Country Music Stars'. This 120 miles of U.S. 23 extends through the hometown areas of The Judds, Ricky Skaggs, Tom T. Hall, Loretta Lynn, Crystal Gayle, Dwight Yoakam, Patti Loveless and the late Keith Whitley.

Report

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important for the state to come up with standard plans for grade schools, middle schools and high schools. I think they should present local boards with two or three sets of plans and let them choose among those, rather than hire an architect to design schools.

"I think the state department should look at the construction manager and general contractor concept and tell the local board which way is better. That would take some of the pressure off the local board.

"Mr. Babbage sent out a questionnaire when he first took office that asked many of these same questions. I believe if he would look those up, he would find that many school board members across the state made some of these same recommendations."

Phil Damron, attorney for James Ellis, architect for several projects reviewed:

"In our opinion, the Babbage babbings are incompetent and/or a politically motivated abuse of his office. There have been no advance

payments for architectural services on the Pike County Central High School (as noted in the report).

"Babbage should take his own advice and refrain from giving incompetent opinions relating to school building construction and contract interpretations. He, and his team, are in dire need of professional expertise in these matters."

Robert Rowe Jr., attorney for Martin Engineering, construction manager for several projects reviewed:

"(We) basically think the report accurately identifies some areas that need to be worked on to make things work smoother.

"In looking at the report as a whole, (we) think it addressed what we had been talking about for some time.

"All anyone had to do to resolve some of these issues was to make a trip to Frankfort for a meeting with the appropriate people and address these different interpretations of the various contracts.

"(We) see nothing that couldn't have been worked on early on, before these problems got blown way out of proportion.

"(We) spent a lot of time with the auditors. They were very thorough and very objective. They made it clear from the very beginning their audit was not to point fingers or blame at anyone, but was to make recommendations to everyone concerned to make this process work better and get the schools built."

Babbage's report came after a week-long review in February and March of school construction projects in Pike and Floyd counties.

The report is published in its entirety on pages 10 and 11, Section B.



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Sheriff

the party spot.

The hangout is empty. "We've just about cleared them out," Thompson said. "The lady that lives up there gets scared sometimes when she hears or sees people down here."

The next stop is a bar near Hi Hat located directly across the road from an Old Regular Baptist Church.

"It's not near the church, it's smack-dab directly across the road," the sheriff said. "But, you know what? I asked the owners if they would close the bar when there was funeral at the church. Last week, they closed Friday and Saturday night because there was a death. They've always been real good about that."

The sheriff strolls in and talks to most of the customers. He knows them and they know him. He greets the bartender and asks to check his roadhouse and beer license. Everything's in order.

"That's part of our job, checking everyone's license," the sheriff said. "We've got to make sure their license is up to date."

McDowell is the next stop with a trip to Sam's Bar on Ned's Fork. The hollow follows a narrow dirt road that seems an unlikely spot for a bar.

"I heard it's open again and I'm going to go check it out," Thompson said. "It's had several owners; sometimes they've had some trouble up there. I'm just going to drop in and see what's going on."

Sam's Place features an unique country interior and a live bluegrass band. The sheriff is greeted by most of the patrons. Sam has the place open again and tells the sheriff he's going to run it. Sam thanks the sheriff for the visit, saying he appreciates the patrol. The crowd is small and it looks like it's going to be a quiet night at Sam's.

Heading out of Ned's Fork at about 10 p.m., a call comes over the radio that a fight has broken out in the parking lot at Curt Tackett's Bar on Frasure's Creek. We're about two minutes from the location and the sheriff radios he's on his way.

"I just want to get there before someone gets hurt," Thompson said, as he picks up speed and hits the blue lights.

When we arrive about two minutes later, two sheriff's deputies have arrived just ahead of the sheriff and are talking to three suspects in the parking lot. Two of the men have open beers in the parking lot and tell the deputies they were on their way out. The sheriff goes in to talk to the owner while the deputies talk to the three men. The men suddenly become unruly and are placed under arrest. The sheriff said later the owner said one of the men claimed to have a pistol but it was not found.

After that, things were unusually quiet for a Friday night on "check day."

During patrols over Sizemore Mountain, through Wayland, Garrett, Hueysville and Salt Lick, the opportunity presented itself to hear how the sheriff felt about being the sheriff. The common denominators to all aspects of his answers were children.

"What I like most about being sheriff is being able to teach kids to stay away from drugs and alcohol," Thompson said. "That's where it all begins: with education. If we can teach this generation about the effects of drugs, then I think we're making a step in the right direction to give these kids a better chance. Education is the key to solving a lot of our problems."

Thompson feels the D.A.R.E. (Drug Awareness Resistance Education) program his office is conducting in the county schools has proven to be a major education tool for children.

"We get to these kids early and tell them what drugs can do and it usually makes an impact on them," Thompson said. "I've got one deputy, Ricky Thomsberry, who conducts D.A.R.E. programs every day, that's all he does. And, those kids listen to Ricky."

At the other end of the spectrum, Thompson will be sending a deputy to Richmond for training in the field of drug investigations. He explained that with proper training in investiga-

tion of drug cases, his office will be better equipped to work toward stopping the flow of drugs in Floyd County.

The addition of more up-to-date equipment and the proper training of deputies is the avenue the sheriff's department must take to be considered a more "professional" arm of law enforcement.

"If we had a million dollar budget, we'd still be 10 years behind the times," Thompson said. "I want to see our department seen as a more professional law enforcement division. And to do that, we need to update our equipment and get the deputies formal training. And that takes money."

"The fiscal court has been good to me," Thompson said. "But, our budget is only about \$350,000. I have nine full-time deputies and eight have had their training. Plus, I have one deputy that does nothing but D.A.R.E. programs in the schools. That is one of the most important programs we have and I'm very proud of that."

Although Thompson does not project the image of a rough and tough, gung-ho sheriff, he is greeted with respect while making the routine rounds.

"I guess my reputation has a lot to do with that," Thompson said. "When I was younger I used to be pretty rowdy. I still can be tough when I need to and the people know that. I guess that's why I've not had too much trouble so far. I never raise my voice and I know that sometimes you have to be diplomatic when facing some situations. If I have to go pick up someone who's drunk and I know he's going to present a problem, I'll just wait a while and go back later if I know he's not going to be hurting anyone. But, if I feel like he could be a danger to himself for anyone else, I'll go get him. It just depends on the situation."

Neither he nor any of his deputies has been involved in a shooting incident since he took office in 1990.

"We really don't have a lot of that around here," Thompson said. "It's usually along the line of domestic violence cases and someone who's had too much to drink and starts fighting."

What is the strangest case the sheriff has ever handled?

After a lot of thought, the sheriff says it was a case that wasn't so much strange, as the outcome just didn't feel right.

"I really can't say what it's about because I'm thinking about looking into it again," the sheriff said. "It just didn't sit right with me and I still don't feel good about it. It's one case that's really bothered me."

"My instincts tell me it wasn't right (the outcome) and my instincts are usually right," Thompson said.

After going through the drive-through at a fast food restaurant at about 12:30 a.m., its up to the Martin dispatcher's office to eat and catch up on messages.

The bulletin board at the Martin office has cards and letters from students in the county to deputy Thornsberry thanking him for his work in the D.A.R.E. program. Several say, "Just Say No To Drugs" and "I'm drug free, thanks deputy Thornsberry."

The sheriff returns calls and checks in with the dispatchers and deputy Linzie Hunt. All's quiet. All agree it's unusual.

At 1:15 a.m. a call comes in about windows being broken at Hayes Complex in Betsy Layne, a possible breaking and entering.

Upon arrival, it's discovered that the glass windows of Brent Clark's dentist office have been destroyed. It looks as though a car had just driven through the front. State Police trooper David Maynard arrives about the same time as the sheriff.

Broken glass covers the lobby of the office and the sidewalk out front. Sheriff Thompson said he has Clark's phone number and calls the dentist to tell him what has happened.

While waiting for Clark, the trooper gathers evidence at the scene and the sheriff knocks down shards of glass still hanging in the windows.

When Clark arrives at the scene, he tells the sheriff he noticed a red car with a broken headlight pull in behind a car stopped on the road shoulder about a fourth of a mile from the scene. The sheriff checks out Clark's tip and finds a couple in a car that has run out of gas. No leads.

Trooper Maynard decides to check out the car, too. He returns to the scene shortly with a prisoner.

"The car was gone, but I picked up a drunk," Maynard said.

Sheriff Thompson leaves the scene at about 2:30 a.m. and calls it a night. A slight rain begins to fall and the sheriff says the rain will slow things down even more.

"I'm going to head home and try to get a few hours sleep and spend some time with my son tomorrow (Saturday)," Thompson says. "That's the only thing I don't like about this job: I don't get to spend a lot of time with my children."

How does the sheriff like to relax and get away from it all?

"I love to go camping and be outside," Thompson said. "Sometimes, if it's real late, instead of driving home to Wheelwright, I'll just take my camper over to the campgrounds and spend the night. But, I still have my radio with me and if anything comes up, I'm there. It's hard to re-

ally get away from it all. You can't."

What does he hope to accomplish as sheriff of Floyd County?

"People work all their lives to have a home and to be able to enjoy it," Thompson said. "That's all I want to do: let people live and enjoy their homes in peace. That's the way it should be."

While heading back to the Prestonsburg sheriff's office, we come upon a sheriff's deputy and Trooper Maynard who have pulled over a car near Allen.

The sheriff pulls along side the deputy and asks what is the situation. The deputy said a possible DUI.

"I believe, if you check that car out you might come up with something," Thompson tells the deputy. "I know one of those people and you might find something else in that car."

It was a slow "check day" Friday in Floyd County much to the delight of the sheriff's department, who welcomed the change of pace and a chance to catch up on some much needed rest.

(Note: An arrest was made Saturday by trooper Maynard in connection with the incident at Hayes Complex in Betsy Layne. Details were not available at presstime.)

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Motorists traveling through Prestonsburg this past Wednesday morning were welcomed to "Oru" City. However, the error was only up for a few hours. Just long enough for a quick Times' reporter to get a shot of it.



Academic winner

Teresa Newsome has been recognized for academic achievement as a United States National Honor Roll Award winner. Newsome who attends The Career Center of Ashland, Ohio, will appear in the United States Achievement Academy official yearbook, published nationally. Ms. Newsome was also listed in Who's Who in American High School Students. She has been employed at Phar-Mor in Mansfield, Ohio for two years as a cashier. She will graduate this spring as a cosmetologist and be attending Ohio State Barber school in Columbus, Ohio where she has won a scholarship in management. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Newsome, formerly of Floyd County, and has one brother Brian. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fremont Hamilton of Greenwich, Ohio.

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ALLAN S. PERRY III—Publisher-Editor

Liberty of thought is the life of the soul—Voltaire



Have you hugged a teacher today?

This week is Teacher Appreciation Week, a time set aside to acknowledge the efforts of educators nationwide.

For our money, Teacher Appreciation Week should be every week.

No single group of professionals has more of an impact on our lives than teachers.

Think about that for a minute.

During the most formative years of our lives—two decades in many cases—we are molded by teachers. They teach us to read, to spell, to add and subtract and, most importantly, to think.

For this they are underpaid, overworked and, too often, unnoticed.

If they'll pardon the colloquialism, that ain't the way it oughta be.

Take some time this week to thank a teacher. Better yet, take some time each and every day.

Millions of Americans almost realized their worst nightmares this week but, thankfully, President Bush's heart ailment was fixed in time.

There is no humor in heart disease, particularly when it's the president's heart and extra particularly when the Vice President is Dan Quayle.

Quayle has suffered a lot from those of us who worry about his qualifications to lead this country, and those questions resurfaced this week as President Bush was hospitalized for treatment of an irregular heartbeat.

Bush went back to work Tuesday and we hope he takes it easy so the rest of us may rest easier.

Spent half a day Saturday in the Prestonsburg Elementary School cafeteria as a judge for the county's Young Authors program and, despite the aching back that resulted from a combination of age and unforgiving cafeteria table

benches, the opportunity was a treat.

There's talent in them thar hills, and we thank the program sponsors for inviting us to see so and say so.

From our viewpoint, all the entries in the competition were winners and Floyd County has a right to boast.

There are authors, poets, illustrators and, we imagine, a few future newspaper reporters and editors out there who, from what we saw, have great futures ahead of them.

We encourage them all to pursue their talents and their dreams.

If justice isn't blind, it's sure as Hell nearsighted.

Take the case of Fred Rainey, who pleaded guilty to sexually abusing boys and girls in Hardin County for three decades.

Rainey was granted shock probation after serving just eight months in prison.

Eight months. Rainey's victims, we're sure, will suffer much longer...have suffered much longer...than the victimizer. This is justice?

If a state review of school construction projects (printed in its entirety in this edition of the Times) suggests anything, it suggests that local boards of education should pay more attention to how taxpayer dollars are spent for building schools.

Of all the weaknesses detailed in the report, and there are many, the most critical appear to be a lack of control and inadequate supervision by the groups who are ultimately responsible for the building projects.

When millions of tax dollars are being spent for school building projects, taxpayers have a right to see those dollars spent wisely. Local boards have a duty to do more than stand by and watch.

Letters To The Editor

Letters to the Editor are welcomed by the Floyd County Times.

In accordance with our editorial page policy, all letters must include the signature, address and telephone number of the author.

Letters must be received no later than 10 a.m. Tuesday for publication in Wednesday's issue and 10 a.m. Thursday for Friday's issue.

Letters may be sent to Editor, The Floyd County Times, P.O. Box 391, Prestonsburg, KY 41653.

Letters may be edited for clarity and length.

Editor:

I have been trying to complete my family tree for three years. But, it has been a hard task. My great-grandfather, Jessie Mead who was born 1803 ca. in Floyd County, was married to an Elizabeth McKinster, November 20, 1828. Issue: 1.) Ambrose born 1830; 2.) Robert H. born Dec. 26, 1832; 3.) John H. born 1835. Records indicate he married the second time November 16, 1838, to Nancy Spencer, who was born 1813. Issue: 4.) Mary born 1839; 5.) Martha born 1840; 6.) Nelly born 1843; 7.) Charles born 1846; 8.) Elizabeth born 1849; 9.) Jeremiah born 1853, died 1853; 10.) Peres/Randall born 1854 ca. d after 1880; 11.) Catherine born 1858.

Everything I have found so far leads me to believe that he (Jessie) was the son of Susanna Preston (daughter of Moses Preston Sr. and Frances Arthur Preston) and Abraham Mead, 2nd. In the Lawrence County census 1825 to 1857 Susanna and Jessie Mead are always listed with other Meads. But, I have not been able to document that Abraham Mead and Susanna Preston are his parents. Also, who were the parents of Abraham Mead? I have visited with descendants of Moses Preston Sr. and they seem to concur with my belief.

Anything you or your readers can help me with will be deeply appreciated.

Paul R. Mead
Verona, Pa.

Editor,

I have been trying to figure out for the last month or two where the honest working class of people stand with our State and Federal Government. I have always tried to be honest and tell the truth. I'm 76-years-old and have worked hard since I was eight-years-old. I got run out of Johns Creek when they built the Dewey Dam. I had a saw mill and was in the lumber business in 1949. I moved to the Block House Bottom and it was taken for the Combs Airport. I was ruined financially every time I had to move.

I bought a little farm on Cow Creek in 1971, thinking I could see a little peace, and I built a house on the side of the hill thinking I would be safe there. My son, Paul, decided he wanted to go into the lumber business. We had to put our saw mill under the high water mark until we could fix a place on the hill. We had to shoot the rock and fill a bottom to make room to put the mill above the high water. There happened to be a little coal seam in our way. We decided we would let the coal help pay some of the expenses as we had to borrow \$100,000 to make this move. All the time we were being watched by the State and Federal Government, even though I had the Corp of Engineers and the Department of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement look at the site before we started working. When we got down to the coal, we had some visitors, two nice dressed men from the Federal Government with guns and handcuffs on their belts...you could see yourself in their shoes. One of them said, "I'm in the coal business." My son told them we were in the saw mill business. The officer said we couldn't move the coal but we could give it to charity, the State or put it in the landfill. The second time they came I asked them what dictators made that law...they said it was our law makers. I call them dictators.

It looks like our country is gone if we don't get men in office that will make laws that everyone can live by. We have too many now on State and Government payroll riding the taxpayers. People should refuse to pay taxes if they don't have any say on their own land. At this point we have been damaged \$50,000 or more, and our saw mill is still down below the high water mark until the coal is moved.

— W.T. Foley
Prestonsburg

Editor:

The family and friends of James Lee Boyd II would like to thank all those who made our No-Tap Tournament, May 4, a great success. Our

special thanks to all those who gave and participated:

Druthers of Martin; McDonald's, Sears, Lawson's, Hock Shop, Music-Carter-Hughes, Wal-Mart, Book-Worm, Coleman Oil, WQHY, Floyd county Times, Hairloft II, Classic Lanes, Little Caesars Pizza, Rebel Lanes, State Wide Press, Dions, Arrowoods, Radio Shack, Lloyd's Hardware, Jan's Florist, and Mike's B & W.

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donations for door prizes: cordless phone, Jonni Ann Huffman; dual cassette recorder, Heilig Meyers; and diamond ring, C & H Rauch.

May God bless all of you who came and showed your concern and support for this child. His parents, James Boyd and Randi Gail Boyd, deeply appreciate all who donated and helped.

Thanks!

Johnny and Patty Huffman
Prestonsburg, Kentucky

Editor:

The office of Attorney General

has been passed back and forth between Lexington and Louisville in the eight of the last nine elections. The last several holders of the job have used their bases in Jefferson and Fayette counties to immediately commence campaigning for something else.

In my judgment, the ambition of recent Attorneys General has resulted in an avoidance of public defense of matters involving rate-making of insurers, utilities and cable TV companies, and the protection of our environment. There has been a real fear of offending interests that might finance a future campaign.

It was frustration at this pattern of easy accommodation of groups that the Attorney General should be regulating that impelled me into this race—and which resulted in my decision to limit campaign contributions to \$100. I was the first candidate to limit contributions.

The contrast between those individuals who are financing my campaign, and the powerful interests financing my opponent, is something I want voters to consider long and seriously.

John F. Lackey
Richmond, Kentucky

Editor:

All orders for Coal Camp Kids: Coming Up Hard and Making It! by Barbara Ford Ritch have been shipped

and the response from our customers has been great!

This 352 page hardcover book encompasses the life and times of the coal miner's kids growing up in the coal mining camps and how their lifestyle tempered them to succeed at any cost after they matured and left the camps.

The book is heavily illustrated with 365 photographs detailing the daily struggles of life in a company-dominated coal mining camp where families existed on a coal miner's wage, shopped at company stores, where company scrip was changed for daily necessities, lived in company houses with outhouse bathrooms, and endured camp life with company doctors. The book details recreation, religion, and education in the coal camps, periodic floods, company lawmen, family feuds, good times, bad times and all the emotions of how these kids grew up in a company-dominated camp and made it to proud adulthood.

The companion book by Mrs. Ritch, Down Memory Lane is a softcover pictorial history of Wayland and surrounding Floyd County areas, containing 150 photographic memorabilia of life in a coal camp.

For information on how to obtain a copy of these books, call 1-800-741-0907.

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Report to Kentucky

Senator Wendell Ford

A time of pride and celebration for all Kentuckians

I was recently honored to join with my colleague, Representative William Natcher, to introduce a resolution in Congress that will designate June 1, 1992 as "Kentucky Bicentennial Day."

June 1, 1992 will mark the date two hundred years ago when President George Washington signed the proclamation admitting Kentucky as the fifteenth state of the Union, thus separating our state from the Commonwealth of Virginia. However, the road to establishing statehood was long and paved with many obstacles to overcome.

When frontiersmen such as Daniel Boone and George Rogers led expeditions through the Cumberland Gap in the late 1700's, they discovered a land of unmatched beauty and potential. The land attracted the interest of explorers and settlers alike, and many chose to stay and call it home. But that was far from an easy task.

The territory we now know as Kentucky was cherished by Virginians as well. However, the population was increasing at a rapid rate and the

people's attitude toward Virginia was changed by neglect and their own concerns of freedom and safety from possible attack. The daughter of Virginia was growing up and the struggle for statehood began.

The early Kentuckians were headstrong in their pursuit of statehood and liberty. The majority of the delegates from western Virginia—which would soon become Kentucky—opposed the Federal Constitution at the Virginia Convention in 1787.

This original Constitution did not guarantee the individual liberties sought by patriots in the struggle for independence. Nevertheless, this objection was historically significant in that it contributed to the adoption of our constitutional liberties, the Bill of Rights, in 1791. The protest led to statehood for Kentucky and promoted a free new spirit to meet future conflict.

Kentucky was first to take a stand for its citizens right. The Kentucky Legislature responded to the people's demands in "The Kentucky Resolutions," which were authored by Thomas Jefferson.

This document reaffirmed a system of checks and balances established in the Constitution for the

protection of individual liberties and called for the repeal of the Alien and Sedition Acts.

To me, this dedication to freedom and independence characterizes the passionate nature of our predecessors in their quest toward statehood and provides the foundation of the rich tradition and proud 200-year heritage we are all fortunate to share in today.

The Kentucky Bicentennial Commission, located in Frankfort, has planned a year-long celebration to commemorate Kentucky's 200th anniversary of statehood. This celebration, which will kick off near the end of this year, promises to be a wonderful opportunity for our citizens to reflect on Kentucky's past, its present and its future.

Over the years I've learned one thing about our citizens—they are proud of our state, proud to be called Kentuckians and never miss a chance to demonstrate our Kentucky pride and heritage to others. I believe the upcoming Kentucky Bicentennial Celebration will give us all a great opportunity to do just that.



Courthouse Notes

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Barbara Gail Hamilton to Scottie Hamilton, property located on Clear Creek; H.H.H. Heavy Hauling and Wrecker and Todd Hamilton to Scottie Hamilton, property located on Clear Creek; Benchmark Realty, Inc. to Otis H. Cooley and Sarah Frances Cooley, property on Bull Creek; James F. Castle and Virginia Castle to Rex R. Music and Toby A. Music, property located on Right Beaver Creek; Nellie Charles to John Dallas Branham and Vina Sue Branham, property on Brandy Keg Creek.

Ted Nelson, Sr., Helena Nelson and Marshall Davidson to Family Federal Savings Bank, property located on Town Branch; Donnie Hall and Rosetta Hall to Frank McKinney and Iva Lee McKinney, property on Big Mud Creek; Virginia A. Ousley, Larry Lewis Ousley, Mary Sue Varney, Debra Lee Ousley, Pvt. Jimmy Paul Ousley to Floyd Skeans, property on Conley Fork of Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek; Sandra Reynolds and James C. Reynolds, Scotty Osborne and Diana Osborne, Rudolph Osborne and Loetta Osborne to John D. Osborne, property on Clear Creek; Melvin Stewart and Judy Stewart to Terry Childers and Vickie Childers, property in Allen; Troy Frasure and Verlie Frasure to Town Frasure and Willa Mae Frasure, property on Branham's Creek.

SUITS FILED

Suits filed are not indicative of guilt and present only claims of the person or institution filing the action.

First Commonwealth Bank vs Edgar L. Walters et al, alleged debt of \$409,150.55 plus interest;

Virginia Osborne vs Wal-Mart Stores, Inc., alleged injuries when she slipped and fell on spilled matter

in one of the aisles;

Wanda Ross et al vs Jimmy Crum Trucking Company et al, alleged injuries received in an automobile accident on June 25, 1990 near Minnie, when the vehicle in which she was a passenger was struck by a coal truck owned by Jimmy Crum Trucking;

Ralph Bryant et al vs Sterling Hamilton et al, seeking compensation for Hamilton's allegedly storing equipment on their property;

Big Sandy Electric Corp. vs Amber Coal company, alleged debt of \$36,001.82;

Bank One, Lexington, NA vs Ronald E. Collins, alleged debt of \$4,752.07 plus interest, and \$3,882.09 plus interest.

Floyd native exhibits work in Covington

"Crossed Paths," an unusual collaborative exhibition of photographs and paintings that opens May 3 at the Carnegie Arts Center in Covington, is a shared vision of life in the mountains of Appalachia.

The exhibition will consist of 12 large-scale black and white oil paintings by Larry May, who grew up in Floyd County and is now a teacher at Walton-Verona High School. May, 44, was born and raised on Toler's Creek. Malcolm J. Wilson, a native of Harlan County who now lives in Northern Kentucky, will also exhibit approximately eighty photographs.

"Crossed Paths" is the product of Wilson and May's ten-year collaboration, and of their shared affection

for the Appalachian region. The exhibition, which consists largely of portraits, is a document of Appalachians as a proud, hard-working, and self-sufficient people living in a rugged landscape.

The exhibition runs May 3-25 at the Carnegie Arts Center, 1028 Scott Boulevard, Covington. It is sponsored in part by the Appalachian Community Development Association and the Northern Kentucky Arts Council. The May 3 opening at Carnegie kicked off the event for this year's Appalachian Festival, which runs the following weekend (May 10-12) at Coney Island in Cincinnati.



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Returns to Germany

Pvt. James M. Layne son of Jimmy and Betty Layne of Pierceton, Ind., formerly of Prestonsburg, returned to Bad Kitzingen, Germany from Saudia Arabia, where he was a M-1, A-1 Tank Crewman with the 7th Armor Division during the war. Layne is a 1990 graduate of Prestonsburg High School. He entered the Army August 1990. He is the grandson of Judy Layne of Prestonsburg and the late Jim Layne, and Dorcas Fannin of Prestonsburg and the late Ernest A. Fannin.



Mathematics winner

Carolee Hobson has been named a United States National Award winner in mathematics. Ms. Hobson, who attends McDowell High School, was nominated for this award by Lindsey Blackburn, a Trigonometry teacher at the school. She will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published nationally. She is the daughter of Bobby and Jewel Hobson and granddaughter of Ruby and Leonard Hobson of McDowell, and Mose Frasure of McDowell, and the late Ruth Frasure.



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Pen pals

Charles (Chuck) Meade made a surprise visit to his pen pals in Kitty Frazier's fourth grade class at McDowell Elementary. The students had been writing him since Christmas. Meade, who has just returned from duty in the Persian Gulf spent an hour answering questions. Students pictured with him are Jonathan Lawson, Jo-Jo Pack, Landon Frazier, Darrin Newsome, Jeff Hamilton, Chad Tuttle, Jamie Tackett, Stephanie Tackett, Brandi Hall, Chandra Short and Kyle Caudill. Also pictured is Meades' sister, Jessica, who is a third grade student. The students will always remember Chuck Meade as their special friend.

DAV elects new officers

The Big Sandy Chapter 18 of the Disabled American Veterans at Auxier Ky. held their annual election of officers for 91-92 on May 3. The following officers were either elected or appointed to their representative offices:

Commander, James (Dee) Caudill; senior-vice, Harlie Sturgill; 1st junior vice, Arlen Shepherd, Sr.; 2nd junior vice, Chester Webb; 3rd junior vice, Charles Burke; 4th junior vice, James Paul Connors; 5th junior vice: Hassel Hampton; chaplain, Lloyd Williams; assistant chaplain, Chadwick Spears and Charles Burke; treasurer, Lloyd Williams; adjutant, Blake R. Meadows, Sr.; service officer, Millard Hughes, Jr.; Sargent of arms, James D. Grinstead; assistant sargent of arms, Harlie Sturgill; program director, Wade Moore; judge advocate, Charles Hackworth, Jr.; Office of the Day, Marvin Lavender; assistant service officer, Steve Martin; legislative chairman, Blake R. Meadows, Sr.

Job Opportunities

The following job openings are posted by the Department of Employment Services in Prestonsburg, Paintsville, Pikeville, Salyersville, and Inez. Each position is followed by the amount of experience and education required to qualify.

Floyd County: Auto body repairer, one year, 8; assistant manager, finance, one year, 12; barber, licensed, 12; bus driver, part-time, one year, 12; building maintenance repairer, one year, 12; blacktop paver operator, two years, 8; cake decorator, six months, 10; counselor, two years, 17; cook, full service, six months, 10; cook, helper, part-time, none, age 55 or older, 8; cocktail waitress, six months, (age 21 or older), 10; family service worker/coordinator, three years, 14; manager trainee, restaurant, one year, 12; medical lab technician, licensed, 14; salesperson, advertising, two years, 12; salesperson, mobile homes, none, 12; stock clerk (part-time), none, 12; truck driver, heavy, part-time, one year, 12; waiter/waitress, six months, 10.

Johnson County: Clerk typist—70-75 WPM, one year, 12; interpreter coordinator, one year, 16; nurse, RN, one year-licensed, 14; tractor-trailer driver, 18 wheeler, two years (age 25 or older), 10.

Johnson-Magoffin County: Secretary, one year, 12.

Johnson-Martin County: Automobile mechanic, six months-two years, 12.

Pike County: Computer operator/bookkeeper, six months, 12; dining room attendant, none, 8.

Martin-Pike County: Electrician, underground, five-ten years, 12.

Martin County: Security guard, three years, (any type work), 10.

Magoffin County: Community health educator, eighteen months, 14; lifeguards, part-time, certified, 10; manager, pool, none, 12.

Area: Caseworker, two-three years, 16; insurance sales, none, 12; instructor, mentally retarded program, two years, 12; nurse, LPN, part-time, & full time, licensed, 12; nurse, RN,

one year, 14; salesperson, vacuum cleaners, none, 10; tractor-trailer driver, 18 wheeler, one year (age 25 or older), 8.

TRAINING AND WORK PROGRAMS funded through the Jobs Training Partnership Act (JTPA): Applicants may complete applications at locations and times indicated for any of the above job openings or complete a JTPA application. Please contact one of our offices in person.

Office hours: Prestonsburg, North Lake Drive, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Paintsville, Room 223, courthouse, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Inez, trailer office in back of courthouse, Thursdays only, 9 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.; Salyersville, 1st floor, courthouse, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Offices closed for lunch from noon to 1 p.m. Applications are being accepted for Domino's Pizza, Prestonsburg. Business will open in about 10 days. See receptionist at front desk.

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Amelia Salyers, R.N. Director of Nursing Services
Donna Thomas, R.N., Director of Home Health Services.

Community Calendar

Editor's Note: As a service to the many clubs and committees that meet in our community, the Floyd County Times' Community Calendar will host meeting and public service announcements.

Senior games

The Big Sandy Seniors' games will be held Friday, May 17, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the downstream recreation area at Dewey Dam (next to Jenny Wiley State Park).

Registration is now underway at all Senior Citizens centers. Please contact the local center for registration forms and for further details.

Archer senior citizens scheduled to meet

Patsy Evans, director of Archer Senior Citizens has announced the next luncheon of this group at the Holiday Inn here, will be Wednesday, May 8, at 11 p.m. The scene will be Mexican. She suggests that those attending wear Mexican attire. As usual Tim Collins will be the D. J. A program will be presented following.

Jaycees change meeting days

The Prestonsburg Jaycees have changed their meeting dates to the second and fourth Wednesday of every month at 7:30 p.m. Meetings will still be held at the Floyd County Library and new members are always welcome. For information on club activities or membership call chapter president Tess Whitmer at 886-8506.

Sale

Saturday, May 11, 9 a.m.-2 p.m., the First United Methodist Church will have a rummage sale, bake sale, and hot dogs for lunch. Sale will be located inside the Family Life Center.

Baseball card show

A Baseball Card Show will be held at the Jenkins High School on May 19 from 10-4. Free admission to the public. Dealers from Floyd and throughout the Eastern Kentucky area will be present. For further information call 832-2550.

Riverview Manor to hold open house

Riverview Manor Nursing will be observing Home National Nursing Home Week "leadership and quality care" May 18. There will be an open house on May 12, Mother's Day, with Clea and the Colemans, presenting gospel singing. There will be special activities all week and everyone is welcome. Refreshments will be served.

DAV officer to assist veterans

Eugene Akers, a State Service Officer for the Department of Kentucky, Disabled American Veterans, will be in Prestonsburg at the courthouse from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. on Saturday, May 11, to assist veterans and their dependents with claims due as a result of military service.

Mended Hearts, Inc. to meet at HRMC

Chapter 220 of Mended Hearts, Inc., will meet at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, May 14, in the cafeteria at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Newly-elected President Freddie Goble urges all members to be present. Visitors are welcome.

MSU BSN-RN track faculty

BSN-RN Track faculty from Morehead State University will be at Methodist Medical Center in Pikeville, on May 8 from 9 a.m. until noon, then from 1:30 until 4 p.m. at Highlands Regional Medical Center in Prestonsburg.

Any students needing advising services are encouraged to attend.

Allen Elem. PTO election

Allen Elementary PTO will be electing parents to the school-based council on May 13. Parents that are interested must submit their nomination to principal's office May 6-10 to be eligible. Only PTO members are eligible.

Hunting course scheduled

Hunter education course sponsored by the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife, May 9, 10, 11 at the David School, beginning at 6 p.m. The class is free and is open to anyone. Contact Thomas Borme or call Doug Blackburn at 886-3837.

Grief support group to meet May 14

A support group for those grieving the death of a loved one will meet Tuesday, May 14, at 7 p.m., in Our Lady of the Way Hospital's Seton Complex on Main Street in Martin.

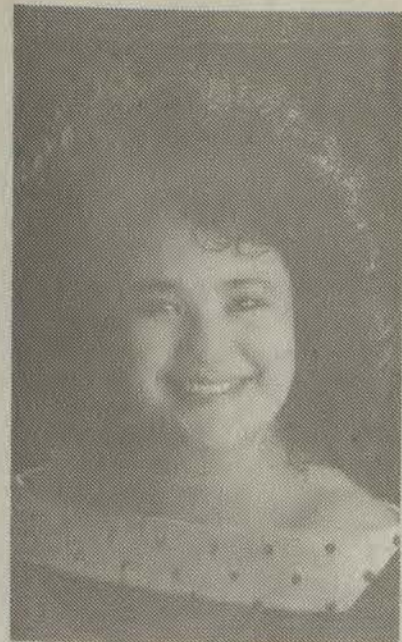
Group moderators are Sister Margaret Jacobs of the Hospice of Big Sandy and Sister Charlene Young of Our Lady of the Way Hospital.

The grief support group meets the second Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. in the Seton Complex. The meetings are open to the public and new members are welcome.

For more information, contact Sister Charlene Young at 285-5181, Ext. 353.

Getting It All Together

Getting It All Together, a workshop for the single parent and homemaker, will be held May 8 at the Jenny Wiley Convention Center in Prestonsburg. The workshop is designed to assist single parents to deal with life's emergencies from broken finger nails to busted water pipes. T-shirts, lunch and tool box will be provided to all participants. For more information, call PCC's Single Parent Office, 886-3863.



Park wins NATs competition

Eastern Kentucky University student Melanie Star Park was among Kentucky and Tennessee University students who competed on April 21-22 for the "NATs" National State Vocalist competition held at the University of Kentucky.

The competition consisted of three preliminary rounds, semifinals and finals. Participants advanced only with a rating of 90 or better.

Miss Parks sang her way to first place at "NATs" State Vocalist competition by performing several songs from Broadway, waltz's and arias in German, Italian, French and Old English.

Miss Parks will be a junior next term at Eastern Kentucky University and is a music performance major with a major in drama.

This summer she will appear on the acting roster for the 1991 Steven Foster story at the Steven Foster summer theater at Bardstown. She recently finished playing in two Broadway shows performed at E.K.U.: "Chicago," in which she played Mary Sunshine, a newspaper woman and opera singer who saw the world through rose-colored glasses; and Florence in the Odd-Couple (female version) by Neil Simon.

She is the daughter of Dr. Don and Gloria Park of Hager Hill.

Mother, daughters, and friends will meet



Sarah Mason

The 14th annual Mother, Daughter and Friends Banquet will be held May 18, Saturday at 5:30 p.m. at the new Convention Center at Jenny Wiley State Park.

The theme this year will be "Altogether Lovely." The banquet will feature Sarah Mason of Russel as speaker. Mason is a teacher of good things and believes that the Christian

woman should be "Altogether Lovely" in body, soul and spirit. She is first and foremost a teacher of the Bible to women in every denomination.

She served as women's coordinator for Mississippi for "Washington for Jesus" in 1986. She is a graduate of Rhema Bible Training Center. She

has a background in interior design, is a graduate of Greenbrier Cooking School. She is truly a "Proverbial Woman," having owned several businesses. She is married to Bill Mason and they have six daughters and six grandchildren.

Music for the evening will be furnished by Leah and Dick Bowers of Sasafra, Kentucky, master musicians of voice, instruments and musical glasses.

A highlight of the evening will be the revealing of the Mother of the Year for 1991.

Reservations must be made in advance by calling 358-4380. This banquet is open to all women eight years through adult. It is sponsored by the Floyd County Independent Christian Women's Fellowship.

Hueysville's Handshoe gets hands-on Navy training



David Handshoe

High School where he participated in basketball, Handshoe is now learning about the various duties involved in life aboard the destroyer USS Goldsborough (DDG-20).

Handshoe's job includes being a look-out, participating in the ship's replenishment process at sea, and running the small boats.

"What I like most about my job is steering the ship and the small boats and the refueling at sea," Handshoe said.

In his spare time, Handshoe likes to read and work out.

Since reporting aboard the Goldsborough, Handshoe has been to Africa, Hong Kong, Thailand and Republic of the Philippines.

"I liked Thailand the best," Handshoe said. "The people were friendly, the country was beautiful and it reminded me a lot of home."

The 24-year-old husband and father has made plans for either a Navy career or a civilian career.

"If I stay in the Navy, I would like to make chief and go into recruiting. Otherwise, I'd like to own a business and get a pilot's license," Handshoe said.

As for his most important goal, Handshoe said, "I want to be with my wife forever."

by J02 Roger Dutcher, USN
David Handshoe, son of Hershel and Margert Handshoe of Hueysville, joined the Navy to travel, receive training and earn money to continue his education. The Navy has provided him opportunities for all three. A 1984 graduate of Allen Central

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National Nursing Home Week

Prestonsburg Mayor Ann Latta visited Mountain Manor Nursing Home on Monday to sign a proclamation in observance of National Nursing Home Week, May 12-18. Pictured with Mayor Latta are (front) Alma Collins and Douglas Perry, patients, (back) Delores Hall and Linda McNeal, activities coordinators. (photo by Tess Whitmer)

Nursing Home Week celebrated at Mt. Manor

Mountain Manor Nursing Home of Prestonsburg is celebrating National Nursing Home Week May 12-18. Special festivities are planned each day.

On May 12 they will have an Open House with different gospel groups singing. On Monday, May 13 there will be a quilt show at 2 p.m.. All area quilters are invited to enter a quilt. There will be judging in different categories.

Tuesday, May 14, a Cake Walk will be the feature of the day. Wednesday, May 15 will be a 50s-60s day

with Boots Adams' School of Baton performing at 10:30 a.m.

Thursday, May 16 is "Good Old Fashion Day" with Clifford Branham's Band entertaining at 12:30 p.m.. Also, that evening, Judy Hansley's Cloggers will perform at 7 p.m.

Friday, May 17 will be Family Day and on Saturday, May 18 the Kentucky Dazzlettes will perform at 1:30 p.m.

The community is invited to take some time and join in the celebration. For further information call Linda McNeal, activity director, at 886-2378.

REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

The City of Prestonsburg is requesting STATEMENTS OF QUALIFICATION from firms capable of providing planning, design, and related professional services necessary and appropriate for the development of a multi-level complex to be known as the Kentucky Opry Center For The Performing Arts.

Parties interested in submitting a statement must contact the City Clerk for guidelines regarding required format.

Completed statements must be received in the office of the City Clerk not later than 4:00 P.M., May 30, 1991.

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Appalshop artists

Betsy Layne High School students Ronnie Mullins, Patrick Tackett, Jena Hall and Scott Jones have applied for admission to Appalshop to participate in the Appalshop Media Institute this summer.

Betsy Layne High students nominated for Appalshop

Four Betsy Layne High School students who excel in the Arts have applied to take part in the Appalshop Media Institute in Whitesburg this summer. Applying for admission to Appalshop were Ronnie Mullins, Patrick Tackett, Jena Hall and Scott Jones.

The program is designed to cultivate students and community interest in various media forms. The goal of the five-week workshop is to encourage students to value education and to provide them with the skills to

produce media projects. Appalshop also encourages students to speak out about individual concerns about their community. In short, it is a program about Appalachia's value to its people and how its people can foster and nurture its growth.

Students who are accepted to the seminar will be paid \$160 per week for their participation. They will participate in field trips and lecture/demonstrations conducted by resource persons from the Appalachian region.

Abuse center holds open house

The Big Sandy Family Abuse Center sponsored an Open House for state senators, state representatives, district and circuit judges, trial commissioners and law enforcement officials in the five county area it serves — Floyd Martin, Johnson, Pike and Magoffin.

Those in attendance were State Representative Greg Stumbo; Honorable District Judge John A. Gardner; Pike County Trial Commissioner John Greer; Kentucky State Police Captain Gary Rose; KSP Representative Ghomer Prater; KSP Dispatcher Estaline Akers; KSP Representative Mary Epling; Mayor Raymond Grif-

fith; Dennis Love, counselor with Love & Associates; Mike Sanders and Rose Price with Christian Appalachian Project.

The staff at the shelter and those who have sought solace there expressed their appreciation to all those who attended for their support of the shelter in their effort to prevent domestic violence.

Senior Citizens plan fishing trip

Prestonsburg Senior Citizens have planned a whirlwind of activity this week.

The group will fling into a Mexican Fiesta Wednesday at the Holiday Inn, cast their lines into Paintsville Lake Thursday, and celebrate Mother's Day Friday. They also plan a shopping day and a day at the beauty shop.

Floyd County to sponsor youth at Forestry camp

The Floyd County Conservation District will again sponsor youth interested in attending the 1991 Forestry Camp, said Jim Carter, district chairman.

The camp will be held July 22-26 at Feltner 4-H camp in London. The cost, \$75 per participant, will be funded by the district.

To be eligible, students must be entering junior or senior high school, interested in natural resources, have a grade average of C or above, and not be a previous attendee.

For more information on how to apply, contact the Conservation District at 886-3128, or the Kentucky Division of Forestry at 1-800-866-0048. A recommendation letter from the student's high school principal or guidance counselor must accompany the application.



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State unemployment rates drop, Floyd remains unchanged

Unemployment rates slipped in 63 Kentucky counties from February to March as warm, spring weather hirings in nearly every employment sector balanced a growing labor force swelled by new job applicants. Rates remained the same in Floyd County, according to the Cabinet for Human Resources monthly labor trends report.

In a major portion of the Big Sandy region, the unemployment rate dropped from a revised 9.4 percent in February to a preliminary 9.1 percent in March. Local rates ranged from 7.6 percent in Martin County to 17.2 percent in Magoffin County, the only double-digit rate in the Area Development District.

The monthly sample of claimants of unemployment insurance benefits

showed 31.5 percent had worked in mining, 24.8 percent in construction and 19.2 percent in trade.

Kentucky's revised February rate and March's preliminary rate were both 7.5 percent, well above the March 1990 rate of 6.3 percent. Nationally the rate edged downward from February's 7.2 percent to 7.1 percent in March.

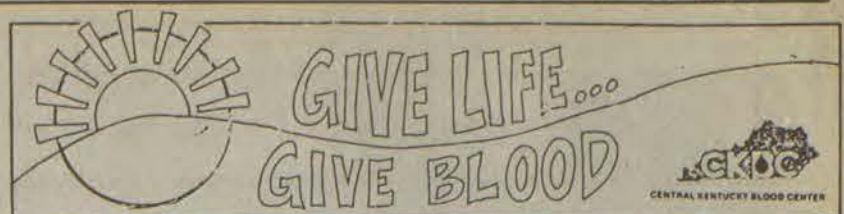
The U.S. Department of Labor's estimate of Kentuckians working in March, based on census surveys, was 1,629,900, compared to the February figure of 1,616,500 and 8,800 lower than the March 1990 report of 1,638,700.

The federal estimate of unemployed Kentuckians was 132,400 in March, up 2,100 from February's 130,300 and 21,600 above the March 1990 figure of 110,800.



Mug shots

"A day of thanks for a lifetime of caring" was the theme of Methodist Hospital's recent Doctor's Day celebration. Methodist's physicians were served breakfast and presented with 'Doctor's Day' coffee mug. Methodist Hospital volunteer Anne Poulter presents a coffee mug to Dr. Mary Wiss, who retired from her general surgical practice last year.



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Floyd student graduates from business school

A Floyd County student has completed her course requirements during winter quarter for her diploma from Kentucky College of Business in Pikeville. Melinda G. Parsons, Honaker, obtained an executive secretarial degree and graduated with highest honors.

Students earning highest honors achieved a GPA of 3.75 or higher.

Also receiving degrees were Dorothy M. Corder of Pikeville, accounting; Lana J. Lovett of Ashcamp, medical administrative assisting; Linda Mullins of Pikeville, accounting.

The College will hold its commencement ceremony on July 12.

Kentucky College, a Junior College of Business, is located at Pikeville. The college's next term begins June 24.

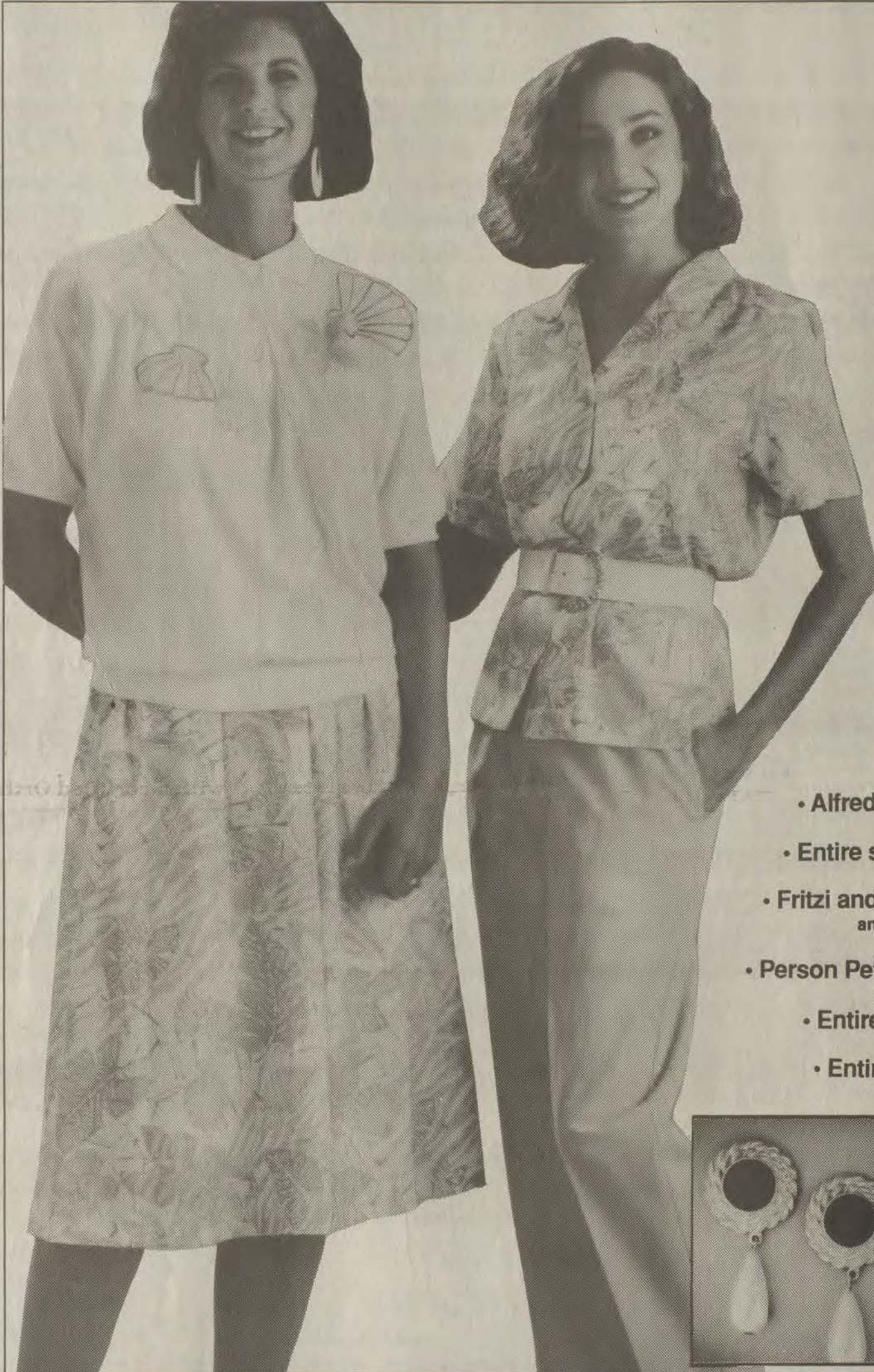
Census Bureau to collect employment data here

Employees of the U.S. Bureau will visit a sample of area residents May 19-25 to collect labor force data for the Current Population Survey, according to William F. Hill, director of the bureau's Charlotte regional office.

The local data will contribute to May's national employment and unemployment picture to be released June 7 by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. The Census Bureau collects monthly labor force data for BLS from a national sample of 71,000 households.

Information supplied by individuals is kept confidential by law. Only statistical totals are published.

The percent of women who hold more than one job has risen sharply since 1970 according to a survey.



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Obituaries

Betty Lois Miller

Betty Lois Miller, 55, of Drift, died Monday, May 6, at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital in McDowell following a long illness. Born December 28, 1935 at Betsy Layne, she was the daughter of the late Alvin and Liza Hall. Her husband, Everett Paul Kidd, also preceded her in death.

Survivors include three sons, Paul Jeffrey Kidd of Hunter, David Brian Kidd of Huesville, Steven Craig Kidd of Drift; one daughter, Paula Lynette Burke of Drift; two brothers, Arnold Hall of Ten Mile, Tennessee, Donald Hall of Shiloh, Ohio; one sister, Sylvia Hamilton of Genoa, Ohio; and one grandson.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, May 8, at 1 p.m. at the Drift Pentecostal Church at Drift with the Rev. Ted Shannon officiating. Burial was made in the Lucy Hall Cemetery at McDowell with the Hall Funeral Home caring for those arrangements.

Bertha E. Salyer

Bertha E. Salyer, 92, of the Middle Creek Road, died Friday, May 3, at Highlands Regional Medical Center following an extended illness.

Born March 18, 1899 at Brainard, she was the daughter of the late John Wesley and Lydia Prater Spradlin. She was also preceded in death by her husband Earn Salyer, April 5, 1979.

She was a retired postmaster and merchant. A member of the Church of God, Mrs. Salyer delivered sermons at area churches and also on her WDOC radio program, the Sunshine Program, which she broadcast for 19 years.

Survivors include one son, Callie Salyer of Prestonsburg; one daughter, Thelma Watson of Hybern, Idaho; five grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, May 6, at 2 p.m. at the Floyd Funeral Home with the Rev. Richard Shepherd and the Rev. Ellis Shepherd officiating. Burial was made in the Salyer Cemetery at Middle Creek under the direction of the Floyd Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers were Robert Willis, Ronnie Allen, Ellis Ousley, Mark Wells, Glenn Vaughan, Ed Stephens, Randy Conn, and Billy Tussey Jr.

Victoria Spradlin

Victoria Murrill Spradlin, 87, of Prestonsburg, died Thursday, May 2, at Highlands Regional Medical Center following an extended illness.

Born April 14, 1904, in Highland County, Virginia, she was a daughter of the late Rev. Howard A. Murrill and Elizabeth George Murrill. She was preceded in death by her husband, Alex H. Spradlin, in 1969.

She was a retired teacher, having taught at Prestonsburg Elementary and Prestonsburg High School for 40 years. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church, Adah Chapter Order of Eastern Star, and the Floyd County Retired Teachers' Association.

She is survived by one sister, Virginia Jeffries of Prestonsburg.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, May 5, at 2 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Wayne Sparks and the Rev. Phillip Robinson officiating. Burial was made in the Porter Cemetery at Prestonsburg under the direction of the Carter Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers were Joe Mayo Spradlin, Samuel D. Hatcher, Charles Hale, Jack Carter Wells, Burl Wells Spurlock, Oliver Webb Jr., David Hereford, William James May, David and Robert Allen, Donnie Howard, and Bill Frazier.

Hollie B. Hall

Former Floyd County School Superintendent Hollie B. Osborne Hall, 86, of Sarasota, Florida, died Wednesday, May 1, at the Sarasota Memorial Hospital in Sarasota following a short illness.

Mrs. Hall served as school superintendent for two years when her husband, Town Hall, was called to serve in the Navy during World War II. She was in charge of more than 10 high schools and 35 or 40 one-room schoolhouses.

She was a retired teacher and administrator of the Floyd County School system. She was a graduate of the University of Kentucky, where she received a B.S. Degree. She also served as a secretary to the Floyd County school superintendent.

Born June 13, 1905 at Northern, Kentucky, she was a daughter of the late Salem B. and Rhoda Stephens Osborne. She was preceded in death by her husband, Town Hall, who was superintendent of Floyd County schools for approximately 20 years.

Survivors include one son, Town Hall Jr. of Sarasota, Florida; one sister, Bernie Gayheart of Eastern; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday, May 8, at 11 a.m. at the Hall Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Dan Heintzelman officiating. Burial will be made in the Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel with the Hall Funeral Home caring for those arrangements.

Lester Lee Coburn

Lester Lee Coburn, 83, of Eastern, died Monday, May 6, at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

Born March 23, 1908, at Eastern, she was a daughter of the late George and Catherine Gayheart. She was a member of the United Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by her husband, Andrew J. Coburn, on October 31, 1974.

Survivors include one son, Cyril Coburn of Huesville; one daughter, Janet Adams of Jackson; one brother, LaFayette Gayheart of Eastern; five sisters, Norma Martin of Garrett, Opal Shield of Huntsville, Ala., Clova Collins of Lexington, Goldie Osborne of Lexington, and Tokie Hendricks of Lexington; seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday, May 8, at 11 a.m. at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home with ministers of the United Baptist Church officiating. Burial will be made in the Martin Cemetery at Eastern under direction of the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Rhodes W. Lynch

Rhodes W. (Crowdad) Lynch, 80, of Betsy Layne, died Sunday, May 5, at his residence.

He was a son of the late Ben and Ivy Amburgey Lynch, and was born December 5, 1910, in Pike County.

He was a retired employee for Wyandotte Chemical Company in Wyandotte, Michigan. A veteran of World War II, he was a member of the DAV Chapter 169 at Betsy Layne. He was also a member of the Calvary Baptist Church at Betsy Layne.

Surviving him are his wife, Virgie Walker Lynch; two daughters, Linda Lou Molina of Schurtz, Texas and Alva Jean Hall of Betsy Layne; one sister, Alva Marie Fannin of Betsy Layne; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday, May 8, at 1 p.m. at the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home with the Rev. Cohen Campbell and the Rev. Lewis Walters officiating. Burial will be made in the Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel under direction of the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

James Combs

James Shelby Combs, 72, of Nicholasville, died Monday, May 6, at Central Baptist Hospital after an extended illness.

He was a native of Knott County, and was the son of the late Silas and Eva Martin Combs.

A graduate of Alice Lloyd College, he also attended Western Kentucky University and the University of Kentucky. In 1941-42, he was a high school teacher and basketball coach in Vicco, Kentucky.

He was an Army veteran of World War II. In 1947, he opened Martins Department Store in Nicholasville, which he operated until his retirement in 1981. He was a member of the board of directors for Martins Department Stores, Inc.

He was also a member of the Nicholasville Presbyterian Church, where he had served as trustee and elder, a member of the board of directors of the First National Bank and Trust Company, a member of the Jessamine County Chamber of Commerce, and a member of the Hart Lodge F. & A.M. No. 61.

He served as Nicholasville City Councilman from 1966 until 1969, and was elected Mayor of Nicholasville in 1970. He served in this capacity until January 1981. He was instrumental in the development and growth of Nicholasville, having been one of the original founders of the Jessamine County Industrial Foundation, serving as chairman of the board.

In 1983, the Shelby Combs Recreational Facility was dedicated at Nicholasville's Lake Mingo. He was also one of the founders of the Bluegrass Area Development District in 1971 where he had served on the board of directors since October 1971, during which time he served two terms as board treasurer.

In 1982, he established the Bluegrass Industrial Development Foundation, where he served as chairman. He also served as chairman of the Area Development District Administrative Review and Finance Committee. He was a board member of the Bluegrass Regional Private Industry Council.

He is survived by his wife; a daughter, Jayne Martin Combs; a son (Rad) Shelby Combs; a brother, Earl H. Combs of Vicco; two sisters, Goldie Combs Bell of Vicco and Ogie Combs Brashear of Georgia; and a granddaughter.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday at the Nicholasville Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Dan Clark officiating. Burial will be made in the Maple Grove Cemetery.

Feney Hamilton Story

Feney Hamilton Story, 90, of Teaberry, died Friday, May 3, at her residence.

Born July 18, 1900, in Floyd County, she was a daughter of the late Tandy and Rose Akers Hamilton.

She was a member of the Old Regular Baptist Church in Pikeville. She was preceded in death by her husband, Bob Story.

Survivors include three sons, Estel R. Story of Teaberry, Joe Story of Johnson City, Tennessee, and Ted Story of Fairview, Michigan; three daughters, Maudie Keathley of Osborne, Febie Blankenship and Martha Hamilton, both of Teaberry; 29 grandchildren, 79 great-grandchildren, and 16 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, May 6, at 10 a.m. at the Samaria Old Regular Baptist Church at Teaberry with ministers of the Old Regular Baptist Church officiating. Burial was made in the Blankenship Cemetery at Teaberry under direction of the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Bobby Bryant

Bobby Dawson Bryant, 79, of Hi Hat, died Monday, May 6, at her residence at Hi Hat following a long illness.

She was born April 6, 1912, at Bybee, Tennessee, and was the daughter of the late William Lewis and Lou Dawson. She received a business degree from a business college in Nashville, Tennessee, and a nursing certificate from the Red Cross Chapter in Nashville. She was a member of the Old Regular Baptist Church for 41 years and attended the Little Nancy Regular Baptist Church at Hi Hat.

Survivors include her husband, A.B. Bryant; one daughter, Peggy Hall of Hi Hat; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, May 9, at 11 a.m. at the Little Nancy Regular Baptist Church at Hi Hat with Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Burial will be made in the Boyd Cemetery at Hi Hat with the Hall Funeral Home caring for those arrangements.

Robert Sturgill

Robert H. Buster Sturgill, 73, of Hindman, died Friday, May 3, at the Highlands Regional Medical Center in Prestonsburg after a long illness.

Born September 20, 1917, in Knott County, he was the son of John Sturgill and Mallie Newland Sturgill.

He was the retired owner of Hindman Supply Company. He was a member of the Hindman United Methodist Church, Hindman Lions Club, Hindman Masonic Lodge No. 689, and Rose of Sharon Chapter of the Eastern Star.

He is survived by his wife, Ethel Powers Sturgill, and one sister, Marion Hope Gross of Hazard.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, May 5, at 2 p.m. at the Hindman United Methodist Church with the Rev. John Savage officiating. Burial was made in the Sturgill Family Cemetery at Hindman under direction of the Hindman Funeral Services, Inc.

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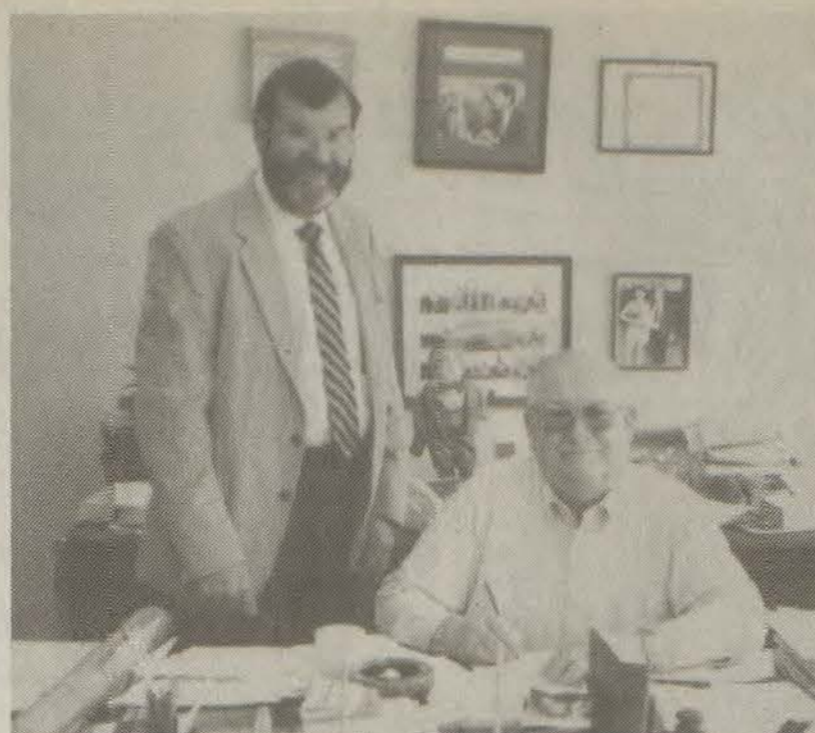
Carter renews membership in earth program

Carter Funeral Home of Prestonsburg has renewed its affiliation with Lofty Oaks Association, a New Hampshire organization dedicated to reforestation and conservation efforts in Kentucky. The support of the Carter Funeral Home has contributed to the planting of over 388 trees on Kentucky's public lands.

The firm arranges to have a tree planted for each service that they perform to provide a living memorial in honor of the deceased and to renew the forest life of Kentucky.

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After each service, close family members and friends are informed that the memorial tree has been arranged for by James J. Carter, II of the Carter Funeral Home. When the Old Kentucky Home Boy Scouts have planted the tree, the designated people will receive a certificate of planting suitable for framing and keeping in the family's history.



Soil stewardship week

As part of the Floyd County Conservation Districts' Observance of Soil Stewardship Week, Chairman Jim Carter II looks on as Floyd County Judge-Executive John M. Stumbo signs the proclamation to usher in the observance. The theme for this year's observance is "as you sow, so shall you reap". The Conservation District provided material for many of the churches, and an activity booklet entitled "Show You Care With Buddy Bear" was provided to every kindergarten through second grade student in the county.

Lottery benefits God's Pantry

On June 1, the Kentucky Lottery Corporation initiated a program to benefit the hungry of Kentucky. Retail outlets collected losing tickets from the Fun and Games promotion and the corporation donated 5 cents for each ticket to the Second Harvest Food Banks of Kentucky. Through January 30 more than \$13,000 was generated by this program.

Food products were purchased by the food banks and donated to food pantries throughout all counties of Kentucky including God's Pantry. Through this partnership, hundreds of Kentuckians in need have been helped.

Words of rhyme flow for peace

The International Society of Poets (ISP) is accepting poems for its "World's Largest Poem for Peace." Anyone may contribute to this worldwide effort. Responses have already been received from President Bush and nearly every governor.

The World's Largest Poem for Peace, a document expected to be longer than several football fields, will be presented to the Secretary General of the United Nations following the Society's August 16-18 National Poetry Symposium in Washington, D.C.

In addition to this literary donation, ISP will donate ten cents to the United Nation's International Children's Education Fund (UNICEF) on behalf of everyone who shows support for world peace by submitting a poem.

To be a part of this monumental effort, send one original poem (20 lines or less) to: World's Largest Poem for Peace, P.O. Box 627, Owings Mills, Maryland 21117.

High blood pressure a major factor in Kentucky's top killer

Heart disease and strokes killed two of every five Kentuckians who died in 1989, claiming 14,646 lives.

With high blood pressure as a major factor in heart disease and strokes (Kentucky's first and third causes of death), public health officials are stressing during National High Blood Pressure Month that controlling hypertension can help

make a healthy heart. Health Service Commissioner Carlos Hernandez, M.D., said that efforts to prevent heart disease should not concentrate on cholesterol levels alone.

"We know that the three most important controllable risk factors for developing heart disease are smoking, high cholesterol and high blood pressure," said Hernandez.

For many years, the importance of controlling high blood pressure has been emphasized, Hernandez said. "But, as more people become concerned about quitting smoking and lowering their cholesterol intake, hypertension should not be overlooked as a major factor in heart disease."

According to a National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute survey in 1989, 19 percent of Kentucky men and 24 percent of the state's women have been told by a physician that they have hypertension. An estimated 30 percent of all adults are hypertensive, and 38 percent of blacks have high blood pressure.

As the first step to controlling high blood pressure is to detect if any problem exists, health officials recommend that all adults have their blood pressure checked, said Carol Forbes, state cardiovascular program manager.

Forbes said that people with previously normal readings should be

rechecked every two years. People with an initial high reading should be checked again promptly, and those who have consistently high pressures should be evaluated by a doctor.

"Once high blood pressure is discovered, controlling it is usually a combination of medicine and lifestyle changes," she said. "To help people with what is many times major changes in their lives, we offer services across the state through local health departments."

"EE-TAOW!" lecture at area church

Sunday evening, May 12, at Community United Methodist Church, the pastor will share a message titled "EE-TAOW!" (It is truth!) and he will share parts of a challenge for witness by new Christians as well.

The short video, "EE-TAOW!" was viewed by over 3,000 pastors and lay persons recently at a Bill Gothard 1991 Seminar in Dayton, Ohio. Missionaries reached a Moak tribe in Papua New Guinea with the Bible stories of the gospel. The film shows how a village of 310 people heard about the Bible and how they responded.

The message will be delivered at 7 p.m. at the church, which is located on Burke Avenue at Neeley street, one block off University Drive.

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In Loving Memory of Janet Little Scheiderich
 Who Went Home to God, May 10, 1990
 It has been a very long and lonely year since you left us. We miss your love, and your warmth and your light. The good times are not as good and the bad times are much worse - nothing has ever prepared us to be without you. A day does not go by that we do not hurt for you but we know that you sleep in peace with God. You are still a part of our every day and we love you and miss you terribly.

Card Of Thanks
 The family Paul J. Snyder wishes to thank all those friends, neighbors, and family who helped them in any way upon the passing of their loved one. Thanks to those who sent food, prayers, and words of comfort expressed. A special thanks to Clergymen Robert Owens, Walter Akers, Francis Akers for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.
THE FAMILY OF PAUL J. SNYDER

CARD OF THANKS
 The family of Enoch Combs would like to extend their appreciation and gratitude to the relatives, friends, neighbors, and loved ones that gave us comfort in our time of sorrow. It may have been a prayer, flowers, food, or a kind word or gesture. Thank you.
 A special thanks to Pastor John Savage of Hindman Methodist Church, for his comforting words.
 We would like to extend thanks to Dr. Allan Halbert and Dr. John Stewart both of Lexington, Kentucky.
 We are especially appreciative of McDowell ARH Home health for their professional services which were provided with kindness and loving care.
 The special guidance and assistance was provided by Hall Funeral Home and its employees - A special thanks goes their way.
 The thoughtfulness and kindness of each and every person meant more to us than words could ever express.
 The Family of Enoch Combs

Card Of Thanks
 The family of Effie Maggard would like to extend their gratitude to the many friends and neighbors who were so comforting and kind, and to those who sent cards, flowers and prepared food, at the time of our loved one's passing.
 We would like to say a special thanks to the Riverview Manor Nursing Home Staff for their tender care, also to Dr. James D. Adams, attending physician, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service. Also, very special thanks to The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints' members; including Robert Randolph Flannery, who eulogized his aunt; Elders Pete Grigsby, Jr., and William R. Hughes for their comforting words and to the choir and the pianist who accompanied them.
 Thanks to all those who loved our mother and expressed it in thought and deed.
THE MAGGARD FAMILY

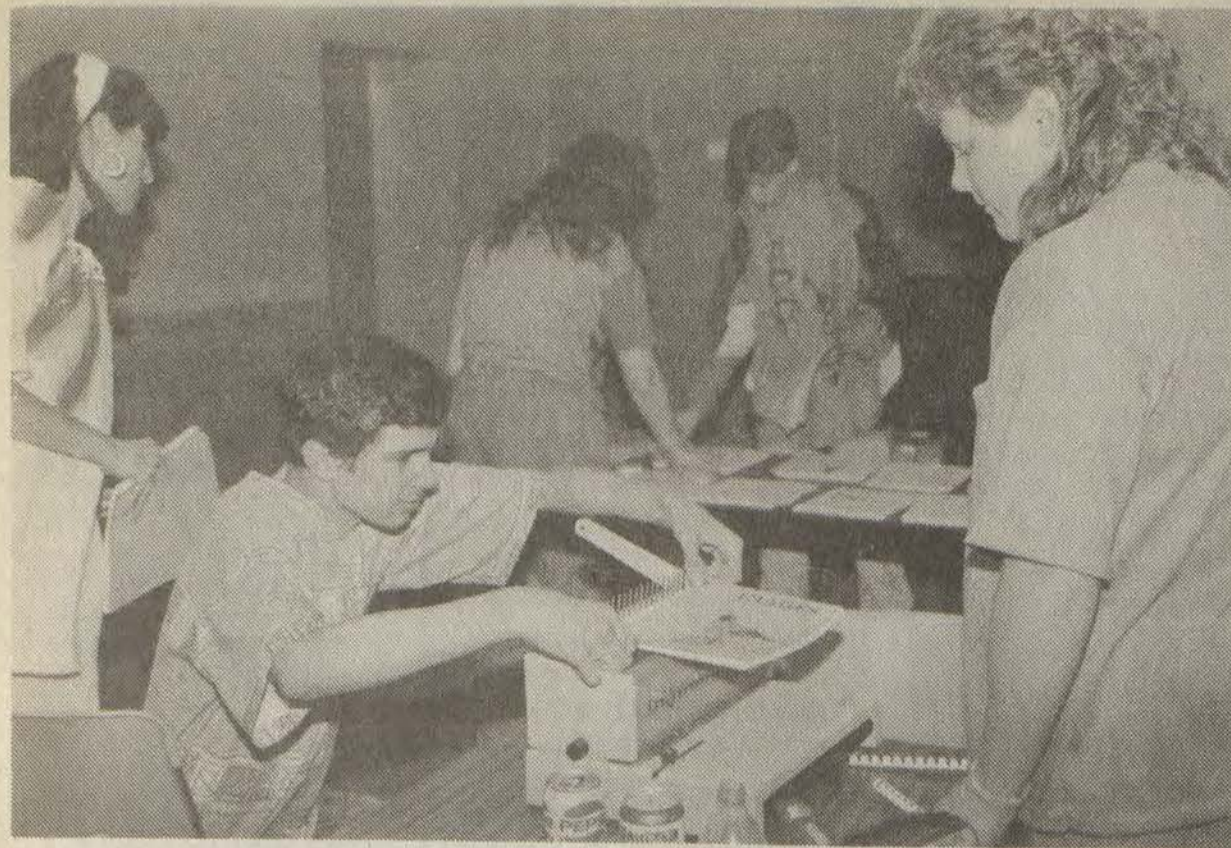
Card Of Thanks
 TO ALL OUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY.
 We wish to thank you for the love, support and prayers during the death of my husband; our father, son, brother and son-in-law, Willard Jeffery Bailey (known as Tiny). The many lovely flowers and those who sent food and cards, and those who came and spoke words of comfort—these things will long be remembered. To our church families (Martin United Methodist Church, Martin Church of Christ and Wheelwright United Church), may God always bless you. To the pastors: Garfield Potter, Jack Perry and Roy A. Harlow for their comforting words. To Steve Stout for his reading of the eulogy and his words of comfort. To the Martin Church of Christ and Brother Dan Fredrick for the beautiful message in songs and music. A special thanks to all of the boys who served as pallbearers. To the staff of Hall Funeral Home for their kind, caring and efficient service. To the Masons from John W. Hall Lodge #950 and all other Masons for the beautiful Masonic Rites, and to the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control. We have the comfort in knowing that Tiny was loved by all, and our loss is Heaven's gain. To his many friends who were there to support us in our time of need, we will always be grateful. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts.
MARILYN BAILY, Wife; RYAN JEFFREY BAILEY, Son; GENEVA and ARNOLD BAILEY and FAMILY; GLORIA and ROY F. HARLOW and FAMILY

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Card Of Thanks
 The family of Curtis Newman would like to extend their appreciation to all those friends, neighbors and loved ones who helped comfort them during their time of sorrow. Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, prayers or spoke comforting words. A special thanks to clergymen David Reed, Glenn Hayes and Don Fraley for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.
THE FAMILY OF CURTIS NEWMAN

CARD OF THANKS
 The family of Glenn E. Woods would like to thank all those friends, neighbors and family who were so kind and considerate during our time of sorrow. We want to thank those who sent flowers, food, prayers and words of comfort expressed. We especially want to thank the Evangelist Bennie Blankenship and Randolph Crisp for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and The Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.
 The Family of Glenn E. Woods

Bonanza Freewill Baptist
Old Fashion Communion and Footwashing Service
 Sunday, May 12, 1991
 Service begins at: 11:00 a.m.
 Brother Bill Campbell preaching
Special Singing
 Brother Mike Campbell Brother Kent Dickerson
 Dinner in Annex after service.
Everyone Welcome



Finishing the project

Several seventh graders from the county gathered Wednesday to complete a project worked on during the school year. The "Images" magazine which contains contributions from every school in the county has been printed and bound and is now being distributed to those who helped make it possible. Here 7th graders Doug Caudill, Melvin, and Tiffany Compton, Osborne, operated the binding machine while others consolidated the pages. (photo by Tess Whitmer)

Record winning year at state for Mayo VICA

The VICA Club of Kentucky Tech/ Mayo Campus recently sponsored 38 post-secondary and 12 high school students to compete in the 1991 VICA State Spring Conference. The conference was held April 17-20 at The Drawbridge Inn in Ft. Mitchell.

Local students competing and their categories of competition were as follows: Virginia Carpenter of Prestonsburg, Cosmetology; Clyde Lee of Wayland, Auto Body Repair; Jerry McBrayer of Prestonsburg, Job Interview/Post Secondary Division.

Competing in the Chapter Business Procedure Team category were Wesley Brian Boyd of Dana; Steve Fenchel of Prestonsburg; Dwayne Moore of Prestonsburg; Gary Martin of Prestonsburg.

Post-Secondary Opening/Closing Ceremony Team contestants included Shawn McKenzie of Wheelwright.

High school opening closing team members included Jimmie Freeman of East Point.

Also attending was Eric Prater of Eastern, Industrial Electricity.

Members who had a dual role of

competition and also ran for state office were Brett Sturgill, for president; Shawn McKenzie, for reporter; Brian Boyd, for chaplain; Richard Anderson for parliamentarian; Andy Brock for treasurer, and Dwayne Moore for national voting delegate.

All officer candidates had to complete an oral examination pertaining to Parliamentary Procedure and the VICA Creed, purposes, and motto. By doing so, all of the Mayo candidates were awarded the VICA Statesman Award during the Friday evening banquet.

Those students from Floyd County who placed first and will compete in National Competition in Louisville June 24-29 were: Chapter Business Procedure team—Fenchel, Moore, Boyd, and Martin; Opening Closing Ceremony team—McKenzie.

Those who were installed as state officers for the 1991-92 year were: president, Brett Sturgill of Virgie; secretary, Mary Tackett; chaplain, Brian Boyd and national voting delegate, Dwayne Moore.

Eric Prater received second place

in Industrial Electricity.

Mayo Advisors for the trip were Barry Pelphrey, Brad May, Wayne Jenkins, Deborah Parsons Castle, Carla Reynolds, Laura Kidd, James Conley and Ralfred Hall. School Director Gary Coleman attended the Saturday morning awards ceremony.

Pageant slated at Holiday Inn

The Miss & Mr. Kentucky Pageant 1991 will be held Sunday, June 2, at the Holiday Inn, Prestonsburg, from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m.

Trophies, crowns, banners, travel and cash will be awarded.

Workshops will include modeling, pageantry and talent presentations. Competition includes beauty, fashion modeling, photography modeling and solo talent.

For more information contact Pam Ward, Kentucky director, at 606-886-8201 or call the National office toll free, 1-800-321-NAYF.

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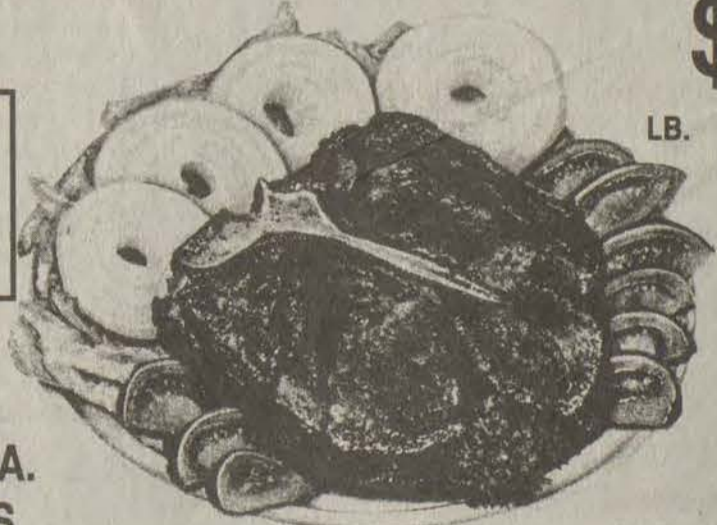
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A Look At Sports
by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

JOE BACK TO HEAD FOR CARTER COUNTY

Another defection. That's right. Joe Back is heading for Carter County where he has taken a position with another funeral parlor. The "Flash" has opted for higher ground and new surroundings. "I like the challenge of new surroundings," said Back. "I will miss all the friends that I have made here."

Back was known for his work on WPRG-TV and WQHY radio during the football and basketball seasons. I consider Joe Back a close friend and wish him the best in his new endeavor.

UK HAS ADMITTED TO MAKING A MISTAKE

With the recruiting of Clifford Rozier, the Wildcats of Kentucky may have lost out on the services of the 6-10 giant. Seems that he and Sean Woods went partying in Louisville in his brief stay in Wildcat country. Woods should have known better than take him to Louisville anyway. All he got there at the party was encouragement from former Louisville players to transfer to Louisville.

Kentucky coach Rick Pitino has confessed the incident did happen and it may very well hamper any inside track the Cats might have had with landing the much-needed player. Will we ever learn?

WHO WILL REPLACE JONES AT WHEELWRIGHT?

That's a question that I have been asked many, many times. The answer, I don't know. However, I can think of one person in the county that I would like offered the job if he hasn't been already. Jimmy Hopkins. I know that Coach Hopkins has told me he is not interested in a high school coaching job any longer. At one time he was, but now he is content in helping out at McDowell.

Well, I still would like to see him take the job even if it is for a brief time. Hopkins has stated he will not coach at Martin next year, giving up one of the most successful grade school programs in the area. Hopkins wants to help Coach Johnny Ray Turner at the Devil's Den. I personally think that Jimmy Hopkins would make an excellent high school coach. He has proven his ability to coach the game of basketball. Again, he still may not want it but he should have the first chance to turn it down.

terday (Monday) is really a good one and I will keep it to myself for the time being. Sorry!

BLUE GRASS GAMES GETTING CLOSER

With the Kentucky Blue Grass Games not far off, I hope we will double the number of participants we had from Floyd County last year and we had a good representation. We hope to have more information for you later this month.

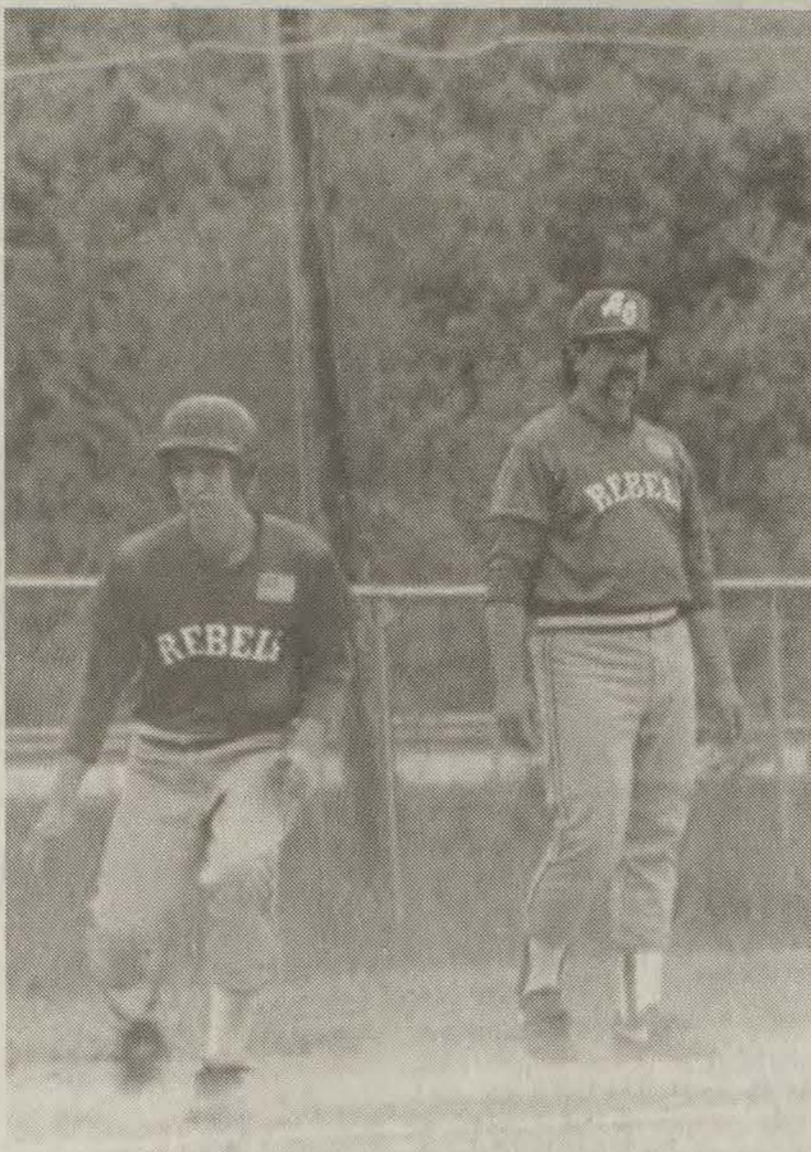
FESTIVAL OF FACES ALUMNI GAMES

Pete Grigsby Jr. called me today (Tuesday) and a meeting has been called for organization of the Alumni Games (part of the Festival of Faces) and some new ideas will be discussed. I really enjoyed last year's games and I know of a lot of people who have expressed the same. I hope we can persuade the "King" to return for a showing. I'm speaking of Kelly Coleman. It would be great for some of the younger folks, who have only heard of the legend, to see him personally. There are other Floyd County greats we could get to come back. The games are near and I am looking forward to them. We will be rerunning some of the group photos from last year in the coming issues of the Times.

WELL, DISTRICT TOURNAMENT TIME

Monday begins baseball's district tournament here in Floyd County. I believe we have some teams that can be regional champions this year. It should be a great tournament. The event takes place at the Allen Park at 5:30 p.m. each day next week. See you there!

Until Friday, the best of sports to you and your family.



Gets lead off third

Phillip Ritchie is cautioned by coach Anthony Moore not to go too far off base in baseball action at the Don Daniels Athletic Complex at Allen Central. The Rebels fell to the Paintsville Tigers 14-5. (Photo by Ed Taylor)

Scott, Hall homer...

Shaky Fielding Opens Gate In 14-5 Paintsville Win

When the ball is misplayed by a fielder it is called an error. And the errors the Allen Central Rebels made spelled a 14-5 win for the visiting Paintsville Tigers Friday evening at Allen Central's Don Daniels Athletic Complex.

The Rebels made six errors and avoided a "mercy rule" game by scoring a single run in the bottom of the sixth inning.

Paintsville scored seven times in their half of the fourth frame, as they sent 11 batters to the plate. The Tigers collected four hits in the inning off of Rebel starter Stevie Robinson.

John Holbrook's lead off single to centerfield got the rally underway for the Tigers. Holbrook's drive was mishandled by Phillip Ritchie in center and Holbrook went to second on the miscue. Matt Williams scored Robinson on strikes, but Holbrook got his second hit of the inning driving in two more runs before Williams ended the threat by grounding to short.

Paintsville held a 12-2 lead going

into the bottom of the fifth inning, and the Rebels escaped, being mercied when catcher Brad Scott led off the inning with a home run over the leftfield fence. The home run was Scott's second of the year.

The Tigers ran out to a 3-0 lead when three runs crossed the plate in the first inning. With one out and Williams on first base via the base on balls route, Blankenship doubled and later scored on an error off the bat of Brad Tiller. Tiller scored on Billy Phelps double to right center.

Allen Central scored twice in the third inning when Jason Martin singled sharply to right field and scored on Ritchie's RBI double to left field. The Rebels missed a chance for a big inning when they loaded the bases on Tigers starting pitcher Brent Hamilton and no one out. Stewart, Hall and Scott walked to load the bases for Central. Stevie Robinson struck out and B.J. Aldrich forced home the second run of the inning on a bases loaded walk. Hamilton fanned Robbie Sexton and got Joey Brown to pop to short to end the threat.

The Rebels scored their final two runs in the sixth inning on a lead off double by Jason Martin, his second hit of the game. Hall then reached Hamilton for a two-run homer over the left centerfield fence — his first of the season.

Paintsville pushed across single runs in the sixth and seventh innings for the final 14-5 win.

Starter Stevie Robinson suffered the loss for Allen Central, working three and one-thirds of an inning. Robinson allowed 11 runs on nine hits, striking out one while walking five batters. Robinson didn't have

TIGERS 14 REBELS 5

| Paintsville | ab | r | h | rbi | Allen Central | ab | r | h | rbi |
|----------------|----|---|---|-----|---------------|----|---|---|-----|
| Williams ss | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | Hall ss | 3 | 1 | 2 | |
| Porter dh | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Scott c | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Hamilton p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Robinson p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Blankenship lf | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | Aldrich 3b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dickerson lf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Sexton 2b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Collins 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | Brown rf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| S. Williams 1b | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Martin lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tiller 3b | 5 | 2 | 2 | 0 | Martin 1b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Hinkle 3b | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Ritchie cf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Eldridge cf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | |
| Montgomery | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | | | | | |
| Phelps rf | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | | | | | |
| Reynolds pr | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |
| Cyrus c | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | | | | | |
| Holbrook | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | | | | | |
| Preston pr | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | |

At Allen Central R H E

PAINTSVILLE.....3 17 0 1 1-14 13 2

ALLEN CENTRAL.....0 0 2 0 1 2 0-5 6 6

E - Scott, Sexton, Ritchie (2), Hall, Aldrich, Tiller LOB - Paintsville 10 Allen Central 9 DP - Paintsville 1, Allen Central 0 2B - M. Williams, Blankenship, Phelps, Ritchie, Jason Martin HR - Eldridge (Paintsville), Collins (Paintsville), Scott (Allen Central), Hall (Allen Central) SB - M. Williams (2), Porter, Collins, Tiller WP - Hamilton LP - Robinson

(See Paintsville, B 4)

Won 7 of last 8 meets...

Wallen Continues To Dominate Area Discus; Wins At Pikeville

The Allen Central track and field team continues to rack up new school records in several different events as Coach Dewey Jamerson sees his squad steadily improving in each event.

Senior Brian Wallen continues to dominate the discus events at the area's meets. Wallen captured his seventh first place in eight meets this year with a toss of 133-feet and four-half inches. However, Coach Jamerson thinks it will take a better throw to win this year's regional at Boyd County Friday and Saturday afternoon.

"Brian will have to throw at least 150 feet to win the regional," Jamerson said in an earlier interview. "He is capable of throwing 150 feet, and I think he will before the regional." Wallen has always been considered as one of the top discus throwers in the state and is working hard to claim the state title this year which has eluded him in past state meets.

Tim Slone finished second in the

Pikeville meet at Bob Amos Park on Thursday with a throw of 120-feet and seven-inches. Slone could very well advance beyond the regional meet too. The senior thrower has come on strong this year and has made a name for himself in the discus circle.

Robert Jervis is another Rebel harrier that just keeps improving with each meet. Jervis ran a 53:78.00 in the 400 meter run and claimed first place in the meet. Randy Conn placed fifth with a time of 57:26.00 and Joey Williamson was clocked at 1:05.65.

Kenny Crum could very well be a state contender in shot put. Crum placed first in the event at Pikeville with a toss of 42-feet and nine-inches. The throw established a new school record. Tim Slone placed fifth in the event with a toss of 38-feet and two-inches. Shawn Bailey came away with a toss of 30-feet and nine-inches.

Jamie Slone set a new school record and placed third overall in the

men's mile run (1600 meters). Slone posted a time of 5:13.45. Todd Howard recorded a 6:16.74 and Josh Flannery came in at 6:35.00 in the 1600 meter run. Eric Moore ran a 7:59.36 and James Osborne posted a 7:42.52.

Jason Sammons keeps setting new school records with a 12:54.00 in the 100 meter run. Mike Cox posted a time of 14:12.00 and Shawn Robinson came in at 14:95.00.

In the 200 meters, Robinson recorded a 31:72.00 and Rondell Stewart ran in at 29:05.00. Kenny Brown posted a time of 14:12.00.

Results of the men's 800 meters: Kenny Bradley, 2:53.00; Josh Flannery, 2:59.00; Ray Lyon, 3:04.00; Todd Howard, 2:54.00.

Todd Howard set a new school record in the men's 3200 meter run. Howard came in at 13:12.23, good for sixth place, and Ray Lyon finished at 15:30.37.

Shane Stumbo placed fifth and set a new school record with a time of 19:22.00 in the 110 high hurdles run. Mike Cox leaped to a time of 21:92.00 and Gary Webb finished with a 24:56.00.

In the 300 hurdles, Shane Stumbo placed fifth and again set a new school record with a time of 46:58.00. Randy Conn came in right behind Stumbo for sixth place with a recorded time of 48:60.00. Gary Webb finished at 54:49.00.

The relay team of Jervis, Sammons, Jamie Slone and Tim Slone ran a 49:98.00 in the men's 400 meter relays.

In the men's 1600 meter relays, the team of Mike Cox, Jason Sammons, Randy Conn and Robert Jervis placed fifth at 4:08.13.

(See Wallen, B 2)

Local Drivers Fare Well At Isom Speedway Over Weekend

Two Martin drivers have been making a mark in the field of speed car racing at the Mountain Motor Speedway at Isom. The two drivers, Paul Harris and Shannon Thornsberry, made a good showing this past weekend at the speedway.

Thornsberry won the feature race, heat race, trophy dash and was the top qualifier in the I.M.C.A. competition Saturday night. Harris won the feature race in the Street Stop event.

The two local Floyd County drivers race each Saturday night at the Isom Motor Speedway.



First place throw!

Brian Wallen, Allen Central, displays his winning form as he hurls his discus 133 feet plus to capture first place in the discus event at Pikeville Thursday afternoon. Wallen has placed first in seven of his eight meets this year. (Photo by Ed Taylor)

Jackson Places Second In 100 Meters For Trojans

Steven Jackson placed second in the 100 meter run at Pikeville's Bob Amos Park Thursday for the Wheelwright Trojans' track and field team. Jackson had a time of 11:9 that was good for the runner-up spot. Steve Shelton recorded a 12:8 in the race, and Chuck Hutton came in at 13:2.

In the field events, Jody Johnson had a throw of 32 feet and three inches in shot put. Clayton Hamilton tossed the ball 30 feet and nine inches. Allen Tackett posted a toss of 27 feet and eight inches.

Muntu Oden was the lone Trojan

participant in the long jump with a jump of 16 feet and five inches. Shane McCoy posted a jump of 36 feet and five inches in the meets' triple jump.

In low hurdles, Oden ran a 20:5 and McCoy finished with a 21:7

The Trojans relay team of Steve Shelton, Chuck Hutton, Eddie Shelton and Steve Jackson placed third overall with a time of 49:93. Carey Shiffer ran a 5:39 in the 1600 meters.

The Wheelwright track and field team is coached by Donnie Daniels. The Trojans took part in the EKMC Conference meet at Jenkins Tuesday (yesterday).



Up and Over!

Shane McCoy, Wheelwright, runs the 110 hurdles at Pikeville's Bob Amos Park Thursday in track and field events. It was the first appearance for the Trojans at the weekly meets. (Photo by Ed Taylor)



No, its not the twist!

Tim Slone is not doing the Twist. He has just completed his throw in discus competition at the Bob Amos Park in Pikeville Thursday afternoon. Slone placed second in the meet with a toss of over 120 feet. (Photo by Ed Taylor)

Wallen (Continued from B 1)

In other field events, Jervis took second place in the long jump event. Jervis landed at 18-feet and 10-inches. Gary Webb had a jump of 15-feet even. Webb competed in the triple jump, something new for the Rebels field teams. Webb had a jump of 28-feet.

In the high jump, Delbert Goins recorded a jump of 5-feet and four-inches. Jamie Slone had a leap of 5-feet and two-inches.

In the girls events, Jessica Wade placed second in the women's 3200 meters with a 13:57.75. Wade ran a 6:23.44 in the mile run good for third place.

In the women's 100 meter race, Evelyn Howard set a new school record with a time of 16:39.00. Missy Goble posted a 16:83.00.

Glema Yates ran a 1:16.72 in the women's 400 meters and April Newsome posted a time of 1:21.55. Yates placed fifth overall in the women's shot put although a distance was not recorded by the Allen Central coaching staff. Anita Marcum also competed in the shot put event.

The relay team of April Newsome, Glema Yates, Evelyn Howard and Missy Goble placed fourth in the women's 800 meter relay with a time of 2:13.20.

Overall the Allen Central women's team placed sixth out of nine teams. Knott County Central placed first with total points of 113. Fleming-Neon was second with 94 points. Whitesburg came in third with 64 points and Jenkins was fourth with a total of 62 points. Pikeville finished fifth with 46 points and Allen Central took fifth with 26 points. Elkhorn City followed as did Betsy Layne and Cordia.

Scoring for the men's events showed Allen Central placing fourth out of 11 teams. Pikeville placed first with a total of 113 points. Whitesburg and Jenkins took the second and third spots with 76 and 71 points respectively. Allen Central scored a total of 64 points for fourth place. Knott County Central had 57 and Belfry 52 for fifth and sixth places. Elkhorn City totaled 25 points, good for seventh place. Fleming-Neon, Betsy Layne, Wheelwright and Mullins rounded out the eleven teams.

Friday and Saturday the Allen Central track and field squad will head to Boyd County High School for the upcoming regional track and field events. Several Rebels have an excellent chance to advance to sectional competition and even on to the state.

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Hall's Sac-Fly Drives In Winning Run For Rebels

The Allen Central Rebels continued to have their problems in the field as they narrowly escaped a young Magoffin County Hornet team Thursday evening at the Don Daniels Athletic Complex at Allen Central High School.

Shortstop Stewart Hall lifted a fly ball to right field to score Phillip Ritchie with the winning run in the bottom of the fifth inning to give Allen Central a 9-8 win over the visiting Hornets.

With one out in the seventh and trailing 8-7, Jason Martin and Phillip Ritchie walked with both runners moving up on a passed ball. Martin came in to score on a wild pitch,

moving Ritchie to third base. Hall then lofted a fly ball to right center-field where Gilliam made the catch and Ritchie trotted home with the winning run.

Magoffin County took a 3-0 lead in the first inning of the Rebels with some questionable fielding for Allen Central. Anthony Moore's ball club committed three errors in the first and had a total of eight miscues for the game. Holbrook and Reed reached on back-to-back errors in right field for Allen Central. Holbrook scored on a one-out error at shortstop off the bat of Combs. Reed and Combs scored on David Guillet's two-run double. All three runs were unearned against starter Jason Martin.

Allen Central tied the game at 3-3 on an RBI double by Stevie Robinson and a two-out base hit by Robbie Sexton.

Jason Litteral's lead off double and Holbrook's base hit gave the Hornets the lead back at 4-3. After Magoffin County went out in order in the third inning, Allen Central took the lead, 5-4, with two runs in the bottom of the inning.

Robinson drew a lead off walk and B.J. Aldrich singled, moving Robinson to third. Aldrich stole second and Robinson came in to score on a wild pitch. Aldrich later scored the same way. Conley fanned the side in the third.

The Hornets tied the game at 5-5 with a single run in the fourth after two were out. David Gibson reached on an error at third base and Hall's error at shortstop allowed Gibson to score.

Four straight hits by the Rebels gave them a 7-5 lead as Hall, Brad Scott, Stevie Robinson all singled. Aldrich then doubled in two runs.

Again, shaky fielding by Allen Central allowed the Hornets to tie the game at 7-7 with two unearned runs on three errors and no hits in the fifth. Reed went out to centerfield for the first out and then the bottom fell out of the Rebels' defense. Three straight errors — third, short and centerfield — opened the door for Magoffin County.

Magoffin County took their 8-7 lead in the sixth inning after Allen Central went out in order in the fifth. Litteral and Gibson got one-out hits and Litteral came around to score on an error at first base for Allen Central.

Allen Central loaded the bases in the bottom of the sixth, but could do no damage against Conley, setting the winning run in the seventh inning after Magoffin County failed to score in their half of the seventh.

Jason Martin got the win for Allen Central in going the distance. Martin fanned four Hornet batters while walking none. He yielded all eight runs on five hits.

Conley struck out 11 Rebel players. He experienced some wildness and walked eight. Conley gave up all

nine Allen Central runs while allowing the Rebels 10 hits.

Hall, Robinson and Aldrich had two hits each for Allen Central as they won for the seventh time against the same number of losses. Robinson and Aldrich had the only extra base hits for the Rebels.

Rebels 9 Hornets 8

| Magoffin Co. | ab | r | h | rfi | Central | ab | r | h | rfi |
|--------------|----|---|---|-----|-------------|----|---|---|-----|
| Holbrook 2b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | Hall ss | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Reed lf | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Scott c | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Gilliam rf | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Robinson 2b | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| Combs c | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Aldrich 3b | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Conley 3b | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Martin lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Guillet cf | 5 | 0 | 1 | 2 | Sexton 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Conley p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Martin lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Litteral 1b | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | Martin p | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Gibson ss | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | Ritchie cf | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 |

At Allen Central R H E
MAGOFFIN CO.....3101210-8 5 1
ALLEN CENTRAL...3022002-9 10 8
E - J. Martin (2), Hall (3), Sexton, Aldrich (3), Ritchie LOB
- Magoffin County 4 Allen Central 8 DP - None 2B - Litteral, Robinson, Aldrich WP - Jason Martin LP - Conley

University Of Kentucky Cheerleaders To Conduct Cheerleading Camps

The University of Kentucky Wildcat cheerleaders will conduct 1991 summer cheerleading, drill team and dance camps June 30 through July 21 on the Lexington campus.

Senior high, junior high and middle school cheerleaders are invited to attend one of the three 4-day instructional sessions. The sessions will be June 30 through July 3, July 5-8 and July 9-12. Drill teams and dance squads are invited to attend sessions on July 14-17 and July 18-21.

For the June 30 through July 3 and the July 9-12 camps, instructional staff is from Universal Cheerleaders Association. The National Cheerleaders Association provides instructional staff for the July 5-8 camp. Present and former UK cheerleaders serve on the staff of UCA and NCA and will be instructors at all three camps.

Students will take classes in conditioning, gymnastics, safety technique, cheers and chants, leadership seminars and pom pom routines.

Other activities include a daily awards program, appearances by the UK Wildcat mascot and perhaps opportunities to meet UK basketball and football players.

A "super star" drill team of instructors from the National Cheerleaders Association will conduct a

drill team camp July 18-21 at UK.

Classes for dance-drill and pom pom will include entrances and exits, captain's corner, marching routines for parades, basketball court and contest routines, plus beginner, intermediate and advanced level routines. Tall flags classes include learning flag fundamentals, marching maneuvers, charting of music and field shows.

Instructors from the universal Dance Association will conduct a dance camp from July 14-17. The camp is open to high school, junior high school and middle school pom pom squads, drill teams and dance teams. Participants will receive instruction in jazz routines, pom pom routines, high kick and novelty routines and will participate in private coaching sessions each day.

Special seminars for sponsors also are planned for the camps. One seminar, taught by UK athletic team physicians, will be devoted to sports medicine.

For more information and registration forms, contact T. Lynn Williamson, 303 Administration Building, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY 40506-0032 or telephone 606-257-8927.

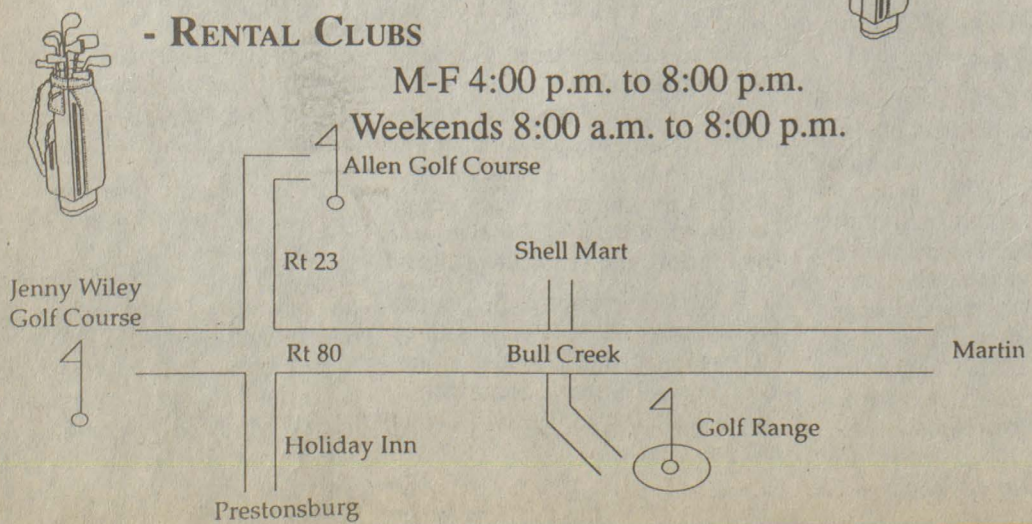
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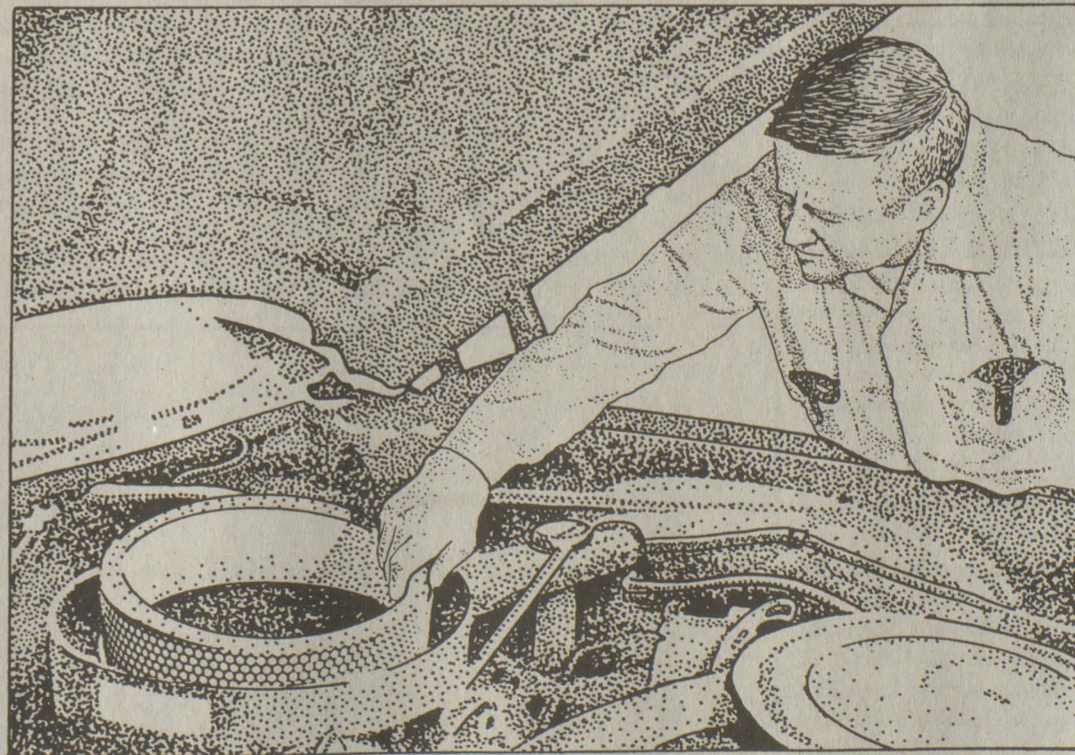


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Millard Sweeps McDowell In Twin Bill, 14-2 and 7-6

With the 59th District tournament beginning next week, the Millard Mustangs may be serving notice that they are to be taken seriously as a contender for the district title. The Mustangs hosted the McDowell Daredevils over the weekend and weren't too kind to them on the field. Millard swept a pair of games from Greg Johnson's ball club, which is also a threat for the 58th District title.

Millard won game one 14-2 over McDowell as they pushed across 12 runs in the first inning. McDowell's starting pitcher, Matt Rose, could not get anyone out in the initial frame. Rose allowed the first six runs of the game. Bud Kidd came on in relief of Rose and finished the game.

David Little started on the mound for Millard and allowed just four hits — singles by Matt Rose and Britt Stumbo; a double to Barry Hall and Scott Ousley's triple — in posting the easy win. Little fanned six and walked five in his complete game effort.

Millard scored their 12 first-inning runs. Steve Coleman tripled for Millard, Ronald Adkins, Kevin Justice and Reed Adkins followed with run scoring singles to give Millard an unsurmountable 3-0 lead. The Mustangs scored nine more first-inning

runs and plated two in the third to take a commanding 14-0 lead. McDowell avoided a shut out when they pushed across two runs in the fifth inning. However, the two runs were not enough to avert a mercy rule game. Scott Ousley tripled to lead off the fifth for McDowell and came around to score on an error. Toby Vance reached on an error and scored on Barry Hall's double.

In game two, a bases loaded walk gave the Mustangs a 7-6 second game victory and a sweep of the Daredevils. The score was tied at 6-6 in the fourth inning. Steve Coleman walked and Ronald Adkins singled Coleman to second base. Kevin Justice's fly ball to the outfield dropped untouched. However, Adkins, thinking the ball would be caught, did not run and was forced out at second base. Reed Adkins was given an intentional walk to load the bases for Millard, as the Daredevils elected to set up a forced out at any base in hopes of a double play ball. However, David Little walked, to force home the winning run.

McDowell had tied the score at 6-6 with a fourth-inning run when Shawn Howell walked and stole second. Brown walked as Howell moved to second base and went to third on a

wild pitch. Brown was picked off at first and Howell scored the tying run.

Millard scored five times in the first inning to erase a 2-0 McDowell lead. The Daredevils came back with three of their own in the third inning to tie the game at 5-5. With two out, Toby Vance was hit by a pitch and he stole second base. Barry Hall then hit a long triple scoring Vance. After a two out walk, Earl Cook doubled home both runners to tie the game.

Millard took a 6-5 lead on an unearned run in the bottom of the fourth inning. Kevin Justice walked and stole second and came around to score on a McDowell error.

David Little was the winning pitcher in the first game while Jamie Damron got the win in game two. Damron allowed the Daredevils just three hits in the game. He gave up a double to Earl Cook, a triple to Hall and gave Bud Kidd his seventh home run of the season. Damron struck out three McDowell batters and walked three.

Barry Hall was the tough luck loser in the night cap game. Hall pitched well enough to win, but the big righthander's team committed three errors that proved costly. Hall walked five batters while getting no strike outs. He allowed only one

earned run.



McDowell will close out their regular season play this week as they visit Magoffin County tonight and finish up with a home game against Wheelwright tomorrow evening (Thursday).

At Millard
First Game
MCDOWELL.....00002 — 2 4 6
MILLARD.....12020X — 14 9 2
3B - Steve Coleman, Scott Ousley
2B - Barry Hall WP - David Little LP - Matt Rose.

Second Game
MCDOWELL.....2031 — 6 3 3
MILLARD.....5011 — 7 4 1
HR - Bud Kidd, Chris Bailey 3B - Barry Hall 2B - Earl Cook WP - Jamie Damron LP - Barry Hall

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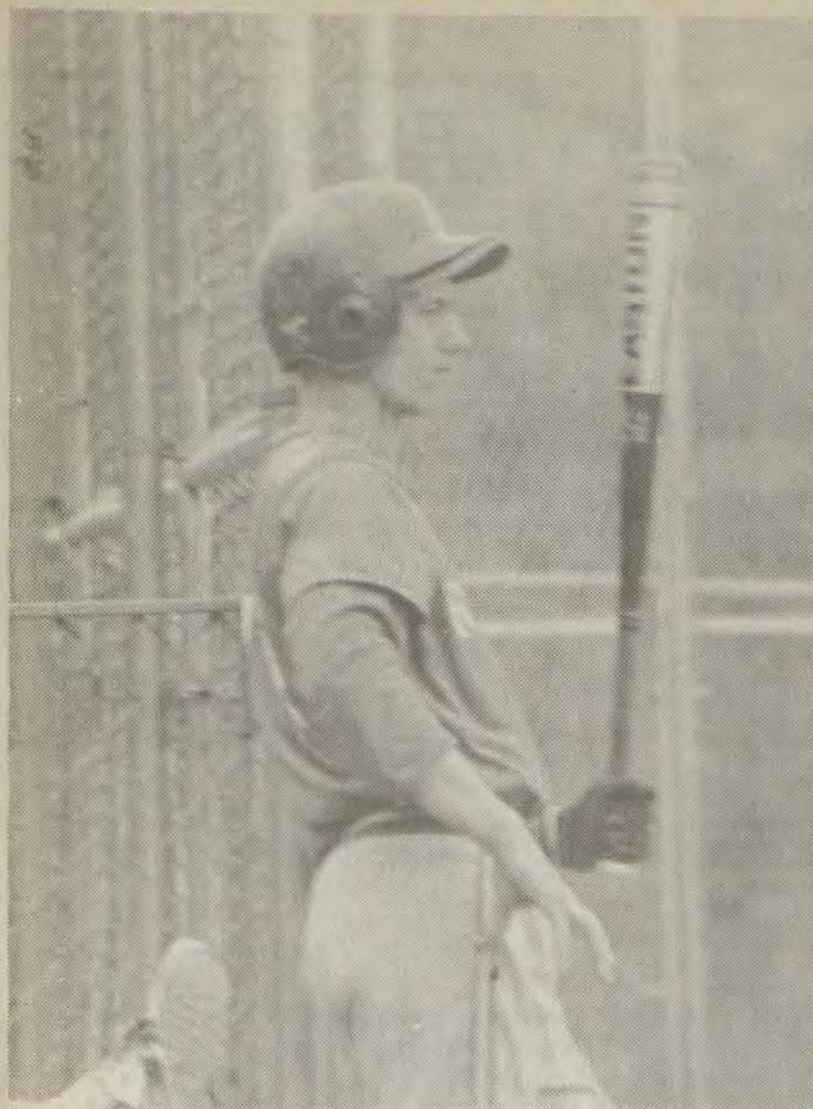


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Awaiting his turn!

Brad Scott looks toward the pitcher as he awaits his turn at bat against Paintsville. Scott homered at this turn at bat for the Rebels. However, his team dropped a 14-5 regional game to Paintsville. (Photo by Ed Taylor)

EKMC Tournament...

Martin Scatters Three Hits As Rebels Post 13-1 Win

Allen Central's John Martin scattered three Wheelwright hits en route to a 13-1 complete game win over the Trojans Monday evening in the first game of the Eastern Kentucky Mountain Conference tournament at Elkhorn City.

Martin, in giving up just the three hits, fanned eight Trojan batters and walked three. Jimmy Helton took the loss for Wheelwright going the full seven innings and allowing all 13 runs. Helton fanned seven batters while issuing two walks.

Allen Central scored five runs in each the second and fifth innings to put the game away.

Jason Martin opened the Rebel fifth with a base hit, and Frank Martin followed suit. After both runners moved up, John Martin helped his own cause with a two-run double that scored both runners on base. Stewart Hall then singled home Martin with the third run of the inning. Brad Scott lined a base hit to centerfield and Stevie Robinson collected the sixth consecutive hit for the Rebels scoring Hall. Scott was cut down at the plate when he attempted to score on a passed ball. With two out, Phillip Ritchie collected his third hit of the game — a double — that scored Robinson with the Rebels fifth run of the inning.

Wheelwright took a 1-0 lead with a run in the top of the first inning. Layne Bailey walked and stole second and moved to third on a wild pitch. Chad Allen's grounder was played at home to try and nail Bailey, but the throw was late at the plate. Allen tried to steal second and was shot down by Scott at second base.

Allen Central claimed the lead with three in their half of the first inning. Hall singled to start the Rebel first, and Scott followed with a walk. Stevie Robinson picked up an RBI with a base hit off Helton, scoring Hall. After Aldrich fanned, Ritchie singled off Helton to score both Scott and Robinson.

It was 8-1 after the Rebels batted in the second inning. A base hit by John Martin and back to back errors at third base loaded the bases for Allen Central. Helton walked Robinson, forcing home Martin. Helton got

Aldrich on a called third strike and prompted Ritchie to fly out to right-field, scoring Hall from third base. Robbie Sexton reached Helton for a two-out single, driving in Robinson and Scott. Sexton stole second and came around to score on Jason Martin's base hit.

Allen Central played errorless baseball, which is a switch from the past three games when they committed 18 errors. The Rebels left five men on base and collected 14 hits.

Wheelwright had three errors behind Helton. Only eight of the 13 runs scored by the Rebels were earned runs. Wheelwright had three hits in the game and left four men stranded on base.

Hall, Robinson, Jason Martin and John Martin each had two hits for Allen Central. Ritchie had three hits with four RBIs.


Allen Central will advance in the EKMC tournament to face Fleming-Neon, who they defeated 10-1 earlier in the year, this afternoon at 4:30 p.m. at Elkhorn City.

Wheelwright will host Letcher County tonight at Brackett Field and will face the Daredevils of McDowell at Allen Thursday.

Rebels 13 Trojans 1

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| Bailey cf | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Hall ss | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| M. Johnson c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Scott c | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Allen 1b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | Robinson 2b | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| Helton p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Aldrich 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| J. Johnson if | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Ritchie cf | 4 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| K. Johnson 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Sexton if | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| K. Johnson ss | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | J. Martin 1b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Justice 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | F. Martin if | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| M. Johnson if | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | J. Martin p | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 |

WHEELWRIGHT.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 — 1 3 3
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Paintsville

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the support in the field as five of the 11 runs were unearned. The Rebels committed four errors in the second inning.

John Martin came on in relief of Robinson in the fourth with one out. Martin went the rest of the way pitching three and two-thirds innings. In relief, Martin gave up three runs on five hits and he struck out three while issuing five base on balls. Martin hit one batter — Collins in the fourth.

Hamilton went the distance for Paintsville and got the victory. Hamilton walked seven Rebel batters and struck out 11. He yielded six Allen Central hits and gave up five runs — all earned.

Paintsville made one error in the game while leaving 10 men on base.

Allen Central stranded nine base runners.

Scott had a good game defensively behind the plate for Allen Central, throwing out two would-be base stealers. Scott threw out Phelps and Cyrus back to back in the third inning.

Allen Central fell to 7-8 on the season and will be playing in the EKMC tournament this week at Jenkins. The Rebels will face Belfry on Saturday at home in a tentatively scheduled game, depending how the Rebels do in the EKMC. The regular season will end this week for Allen Central as they will be waiting in the wing to face the winner of the Betsy Layne/Wheelwright game in district tournament play starting Monday at the Allen Park.

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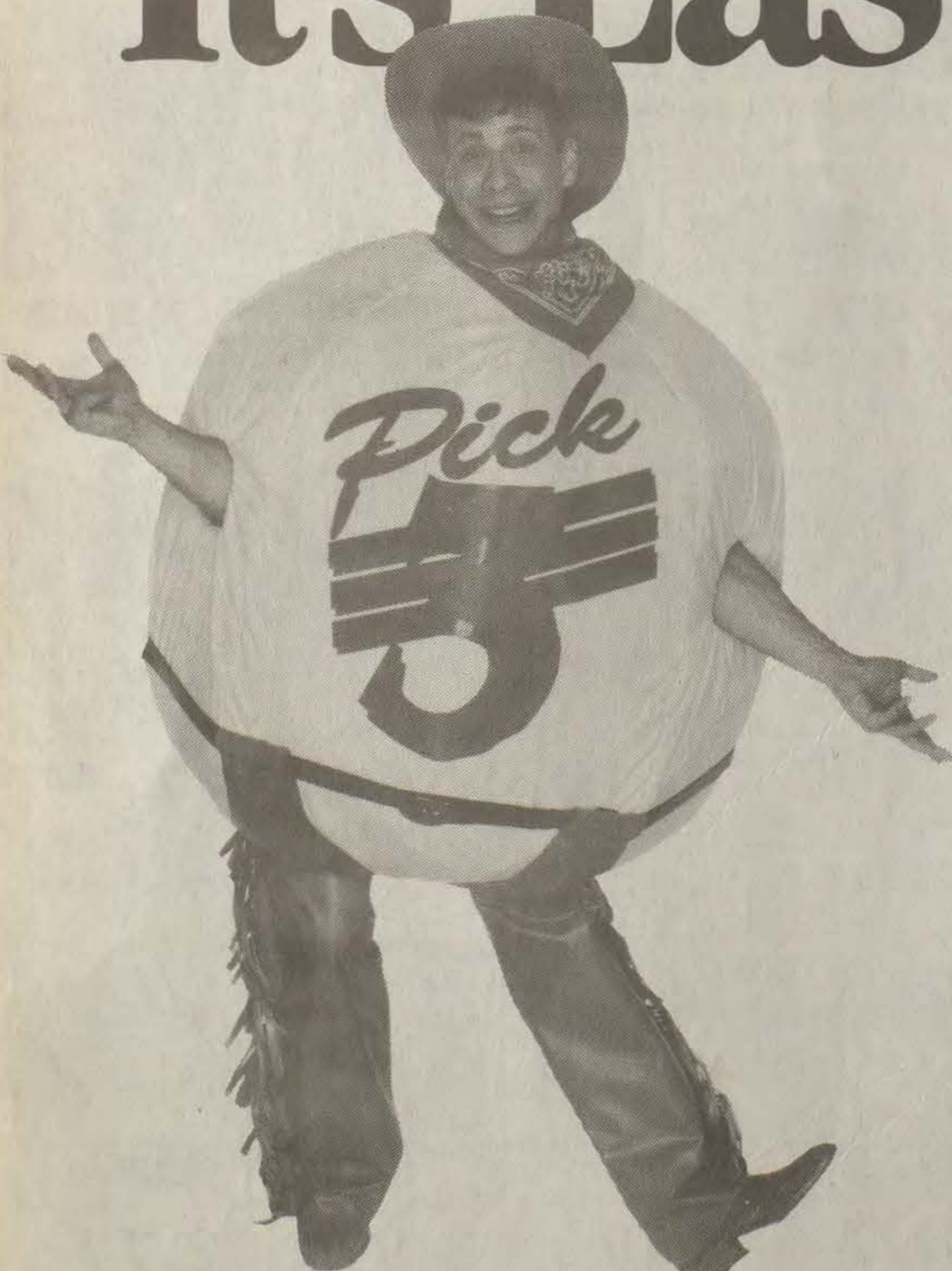
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Rebels Edge Prestonsburg On Sac-Fly in Fifth Inning

The Allen Central Rebels got a run in the bottom of the fifth inning and Robbie Sexton survived a 10-hit attack by the Prestonsburg Blackcats as the Rebels won for the first time this season over Prestonsburg 6-5.

Allen Central has won five of their last six outings to run their record to 8-6 on the season. Sexton picked up the win for Allen Central striking out six Blackcat batters while giving up just three walks. Sexton has been consistent for the Rebels this season and the mainstay on the hill. Sexton gave up 10 hits in the game, but only five runs.

Chris Cavins, who has had a good season for Prestonsburg on the mound as well as at the plate, suffered the loss. Cavins fanned five batters and walked five while hitting one. He was responsible for the six Rebel runs while giving up seven hits.

Allen Central scored the winning run in the bottom of the fifth with one out, Jason Martin reached on a walk and stole second and went to third on an error at second base. John Martin then lifted a fly ball to left field that scored Martin from third base with what proved to be the winning run.

The Rebels took a 3-0 lead with three runs in the first inning. A one-out base hit by Brad Scott, a Prestonsburg error and a walk loaded the bases for Allen Central. Phillip Ritchie singled home two runs and B. J. Aldrich scored the third run of the inning on a base hit by Jason Martin.

Prestonsburg came back with two of their own in the top of the second to make it a 3-2 game. Cavins led off the inning with a single and Scott Stephens followed with a base hit to left. Both runners stole third and second base. Aaron Tucker bounced back to the pitcher for the first out and Sexton experienced some wildness as he walked Worth McGuire and Jason Crisp to force two runs home.

Ritchie drove in Hall and Scott in the second inning to give Allen Cen-

tral a 5-2 lead. Hall was plunked with a pitch from Cavins and Scott got his second hit of the game to send Hall to third base. Scott stole second and with one out, Aldrich drew a walk to load the bases setting up Ritchie's hit.

Prestonsburg wasn't ready to throw in the towel as they came back in the top half of the third to cut the lead to 5-4. John Clark got one of his three hits leading off the third and Sean Damron followed with his first hit. Clark moved to second on a wild pitch then a balk moved him to third and Damron to second. With two outs, Stephens' grounder was miss handled by Robinson at second base and both runners crossed home plate.

Prestonsburg tied the game in the top of the fourth at 5-5. McGuire singled, stole second and then was caught in a 1-5-6 run down off of a grounder back to the pitcher by Jason Crisp. Jason Storey's grounder forced Crisp for the second out. Storey stole second and scored on Clark's second hit of the game.

Allen Central collected seven hits in scoring six times. The Rebels left six runners stranded on base and committed two errors.

Prestonsburg had only one error in the game but left eight men on base while getting 10 hits. Key hits seemed to elude the Blackcats as they men in scoring position in each inning. The Blackcats had runners on in the first and hit into a double play. They left two men on in the second and sixth innings and one man in each of the third, fourth, fifth and seventh.

Prestonsburg will travel to Paintsville to face the Tigers of Charlie Adkins today at 5 p.m. The Blackcats will host Mullins Thursday afternoon at Archer Park.

At Allen Central
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WP - Sexton LP - Cavins



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A public hearing will be held by Floyd County at the courthouse annex building on May 17, 1991, at 9:00 a.m. at Prestonsburg, KY. for the purpose of obtaining written and oral comments of citizens regarding possible uses of Local Government Economic Assistance (LGEA) funds. All interested persons and organizations in Floyd County are invited to the public hearing to submit oral or written comments on possible uses of the County LGEA funds. Any person(s) who cannot submit written comments or attend the public hearing but wish to submit comments, should call the office of the county judge/executive by May 16, 1991, so that the county may make arrangements to secure their comments.

FLOYD COUNTY FISCAL COURT
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Jenny Wiley Park To Host Sutherland Hike-A-Thon

Donna Newsome, chairperson for the Floyd County Chapter of the National Kidney Foundation, announces that the third annual Dr. J.W. Sutherland Memorial Hike-A-Thon will take place at the Jenny Wiley State Park on Saturday, May 11 at 2 p.m. Registration for the hike-a-thon will take place at 1:30 p.m. at the May Lodge breezeway.

The course will be on the Jenny Wiley State Park Lake Shore Trail. Each participant will need a pledge sheet so they can obtain sponsors to pledge money for each mile they hike. Pledge sheets can be obtained from the Highlands Dialysis Facility or phone 886-3894.

The Hike-A-Thon is held in memory of Dr. Sutherland and is a way to honor a special man who pioneered kidney dialysis in Eastern Kentucky. By raising money to benefit the National Kidney Foundation and Eastern Kentucky Patient Care Services, it is a way to continue the work he started. Dr. Sutherland laid the foundation to help the people of Eastern Kentucky who suffer from kidney disorders by establishing the first kidney dialysis center of the area in Prestonsburg in April of 1976.

It all began in 1975 when one of

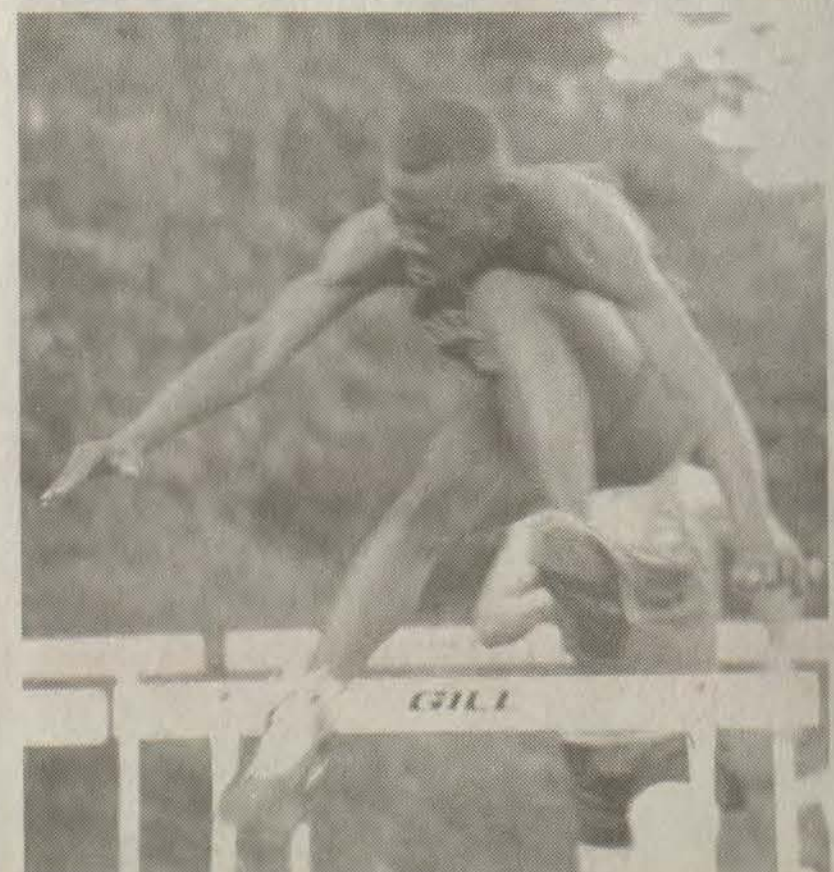
Dr. Sutherland's patients was told he needed to go to Lexington for kidney dialysis and he refused to go because he wanted to remain close to his home in Eastern Kentucky.

At that time there happened to be two nephrologists in the area, Dr. Sutherland and Dr. Cox, so they decided together to perform kidney dialysis at the local hospital. They began with four kidney dialysis machines at Highland Regional Medical Center (HRMC) and within three years, Dr. Sutherland, realizing the need was so great for this service, decided to open the first free-standing kidney dialysis facility in 1979, known now as the Highlands Dialysis Facility in Prestonsburg.

Community involvement through participation will help to carry on Dr. Sutherland's dreams of helping the patients of Eastern Kentucky who suffer from kidney disorders.

The money raised from pledges and gifts will be used to benefit the needs of those patients in Eastern Kentucky so they can get the medical care they need without going far from home.

Anyone wishing to make a pledge for a hiker or wishing to make a donation, may do so by calling 886-3894 or 886-3893.



Good leap!

Muntu Oden, Wheelwright, runs the hurdles at the Pikeville track and field meet Thursday afternoon at Bob Amos Park. Oden posted a time of 20.5 in the hurdles race. (Photo by Ed Taylor)



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"Run, Jamie, Run"

Jamie Ratcliff, Betsy Layne, takes part in the women's 1600 meter run at the Bob Amos Park in Pikeville last Thursday. The women's regional meets will begin this Friday at the Boyd County High School. (Photo by Ed Taylor)



Out of the gate!

This Allen Central runner gets out of the gate fast in women's competition at Pikeville Thursday. The Allen Central women finished sixth out of nine teams. (Photo by Ed Taylor)



Places first in shot put!

Kenny Crum took first place in the shot put event at the Bob Amos Park in Pikeville last Thursday. Crum had a toss of 42 feet and nine inches to place first. (Photo by Ed Taylor)



And They're Off!

Two Allen Central runners break out of the starting gate in the men's 400 meter run at Pikeville last Thursday. Allen Central placed fourth overall in the meet. (Photo by Ed Taylor)

Floyd County Prep League

Overthrow At Third Costly As McDowell Downs Betsy Layne 14-13 In Prep League

Terrance Mullins scored from third for the McDowell Prep team on an overthrow at third base to help McDowell edge the Betsy Layne Prep team 14-13 in a high scoring affair at the Allen Park Sunday afternoon.

McDowell had scored four runs the inning prior, to tie the game at 13-13. Betsy Layne went out without a run in the top of the eighth inning. Mullins drew a lead off walk in the bottom of the eighth for the home team. Mullins then stole second and third. In trying to nail Mullins at third base, the ball eluded the third baseman and Mullins headed home. The throw to home plate was in time to get Mullins, however the Betsy Layne catcher dropped the ball giving McDowell the 14-13 victory.

Pat Bryant picked up the win for

McDowell. Bryant struck out seven batters and walked four. Rocky Newsome, who deserved better fate, suffered the setback while fanning four and walking two.

Mike Stephens clubbed a solo home run for McDowell in the second inning. Stephens had two hits in six at bats for McDowell driving in two runs. T.T. Pack was the big RBI man for McDowell with four. Pack was perfect at the plate with three for three. Pack was at the plate when Mullins came in to score. Marcus Hamilton tripled for the Betsy Layne club and drove in four runs in the loss. Brian Pugh had a second inning double for Betsy Layne and Jonathan Scarberry doubled in the fourth.

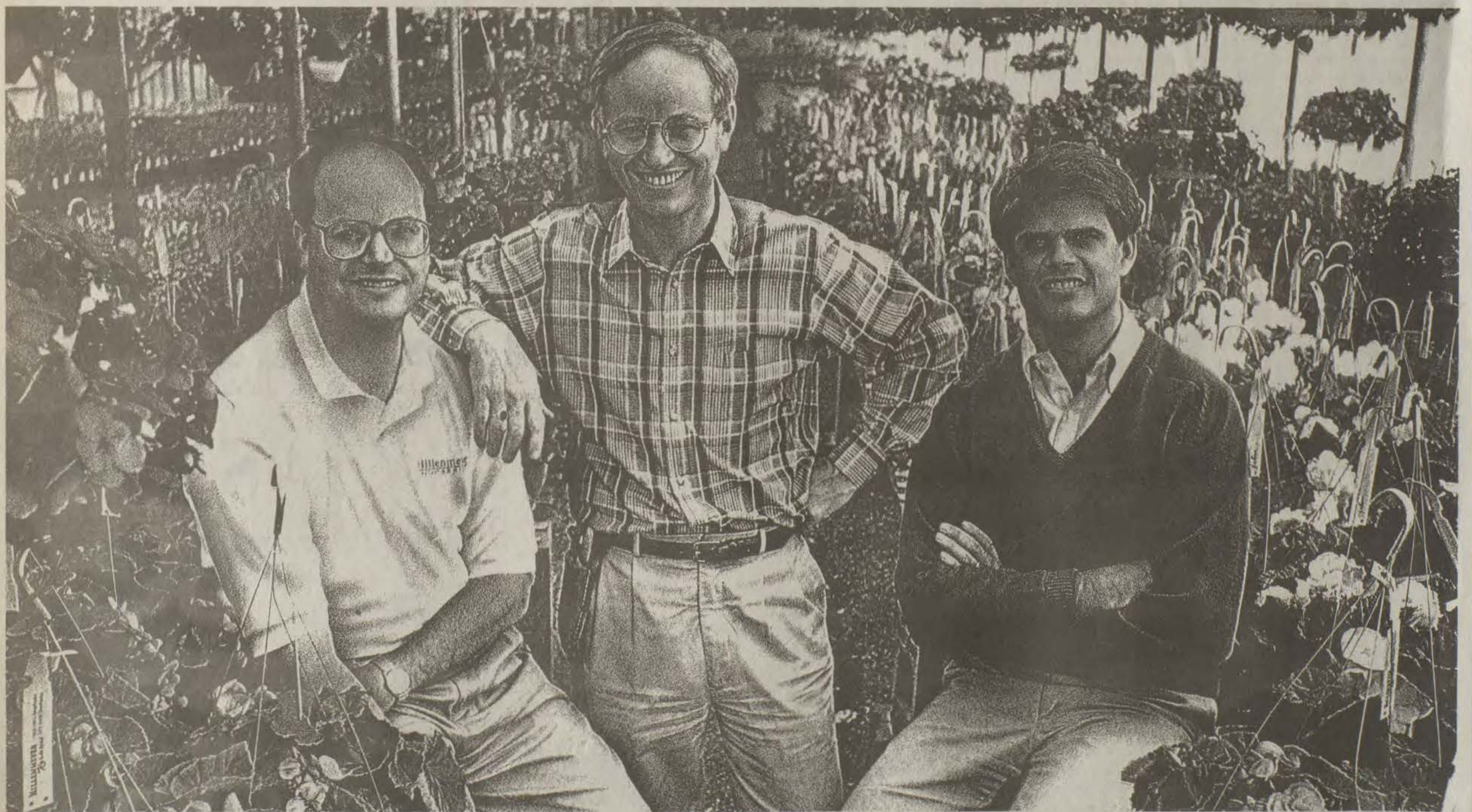
Each team had problems in the field as there were plenty of errors.

McDowell committed eight miscues and Betsy Layne was guilty of making seven errors.

McDowell leads the Floyd County Prep League with a perfect 3-0 mark. Betsy Layne is 1-1 on the young season and Maytown stands at 0-3 for the year.

McDowell will face Betsy Layne again next Sunday in the second game of the doubleheader at 3:30 p.m. Betsy Layne will take on Maytown in the first game scheduled for 1 p.m.

At Allen Park R H E
Betsy Layne...3 1 2 4 2 1 0 0-13 8 7
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HR - Mike Stephens 3B - Marcus Hamilton 2B - Jonathan Scarberry, Brian Pugh WP - Pat Bryant LP - Rocky Newsome



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GRACIOUS SNAKES ALIVE!

Springtime in Kentucky and the arrival of warm, sunny days bring lots of people into closer and more frequent contact with water.

Fishing, hiking and simply enjoying being outdoors around the water increases the opportunity to encounter much maligned water snakes for as people emerge from their own "winter hibernation" so do reptiles.

Several species of snakes are almost always found in or near water, whether a creek, river, pond or lake. Most are harmless, but it's a good idea to keep your distance and avoid confrontation, unless you're absolutely, positively sure what species you're dealing with.

Though the name is frequently and mistakenly applied to any snake found in or near the water, there is only one, genuine water moccasin: The Western Cottonmouth — the "Big Daddy" of water snakes.

Actually, the cottonmouth is relatively rare in Kentucky, found mainly in the swamps and sloughs of far Western Kentucky.

The cottonmouth is a pit viper. That means it has eyes with vertical pupils (harmless snakes have round pupils) and an obvious "pit" or depression just below the midway point between the eye and nostril. Like all pit vipers, a cottonmouth has a triangular or "spade shaped" head with a narrow neck.

An adult cottonmouth's body is dusky brown to dark olive in color, sometimes so dark as to appear almost black, and is usually marked by a series of broad, dark edged crossbands down the back. An average adult cottonmouth will reach 20 to 36 inches long, though they've been found as long as 54 inches. The longest Kentucky specimen on record measured 42 1/2 inches.

A young (juvenile) cottonmouth is similarly marked; however, its body is much lighter in color, somewhat resembling a copperhead — dirty yellow to dull orangish — and has a distinguishing bright yellow tail.

One characteristic which readily distinguishes the cottonmouth from other water snakes is that it swims

with its head several inches out of the water. Harmless water snakes swim with their heads right on the surface.

Cottonmouths are often perceived as vicious creatures, but they're actually quite docile and somewhat reluctant to bite. A cottonmouth will sometimes let a human approach within a couple of feet before displaying any aggressive, defense behavior. The "vicious" perception likely stems from their tendency to coil and spread their mouths wide open when alarmed, exhibiting the characteristic (and intimidating) cotton-white color inside.

Make no mistake, if provoked, a cottonmouth can and will bite, in or out of the water, and can cause serious tissue damage or even death to a human.

Throughout Central Kentucky and parts of Eastern Kentucky, the Common Water Snake and the Queen Water Snake are most likely to be encountered.

The Common Water Snake is usually the larger of the two. While lengths of two to four feet are most common, it can grow as long as six feet. Its color varies from light gray to dark brown, with even darker, almost black "blotches" or bands — a pattern which causes it to easily be confused with the venomous cottonmouth. Older adults have been known to lose their color pattern completely and become uniformly dark. The Common Water Snake can be found near any body of water throughout Kentucky, although it prefers flowing streams or rivers.

The slender Queen Water Snake is a medium brown to gray color, with a yellowish stripe down each side. Its coloration causes it to sometimes be confused with the garter snake. Lengths of 16 to 30 inches are most common, three feet being about the maximum. Like the Common Water Snake, the Queen Water Snake can be found near any body of water, though it prefers rocky streams in open pastures.

Along with the Common Water Snake and the Queen Water Snake, the Diamond-backed Water Snake and the Copperbelly are common in Western Kentucky.

The Diamond-backed Water Snake is a large, heavy bodied reptile, light brown to dirty yellow in color, with distinctive dark brown (nearly black) rectangular blotches. Though it's been known to reach over six feet long, lengths of three to four feet are most common. The Diamond-backed Water Snake prefers streams, sloughs and swamps. Herpetologists have described it as "evil-tempered" and it will bite viciously when intimidated.

The Copperbelly (or Red-bellied) Water Snake is quite plain in color compared to many other water snakes. Its body is deep green to dark gray, occasionally marked by faint, dark crossbars on the back. Its name is derived from its yellow to reddish underside. Normally three to four feet long, five feet is about the maximum. The Copperbelly prefers habitat similar to that of the Diamond-backed — swamps and river bottoms. And, they're known to congre-

gate around spillways at impoundments to feed on fish washed over the dams.

Several other less common water snake species including the Green Water Snake, the Eastern Ribbon Snake and Kirtland's Water Snake also are found in Kentucky.

Keep in mind that there are exceptions to every rule, especially when dealing with wildlife. Color patterns can vary greatly within species making rapid, positive identification difficult, even for experts. Range and habitat can vary within species; it's not unusual to occasionally find a wild critter (or even a snake) in a county where it's not supposed to be!

The best rule to remember when dealing with snakes or any other wild creature is "better be safe than sorry." If you're not absolutely sure what you're confronted with, beyond any doubt whatsoever, back off.

Remember too, most snake bite victims are people who were needlessly attempting to capture or kill a snake. The old adage "leave 'em alone and they'll leave you alone" generally holds true.

CREEL LIMITS UNDER STUDY

The Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources wants to know whether or not current creel limits for black bass, white bass and crappie are appropriate. A creel limit is the number of fish that anglers can keep.

Questionnaires have been mailed to around a thousand Kentuckians. In addition department creel clerks are asking fishermen at 16 public lakes across the state whether or not they think present creel limits are too high, too low, or acceptable as they are. Others interested in this topic may also comment by letter to the KDFWR.

At this time, no changes in current creel limits have been proposed. However, department officials feel that if creel limits were reduced to more closely reflect the number of fish the average angler expects to catch during a typical trip, more fishermen may actually experience the thrill catching their limit. Sometimes, catching a limit helps anglers feel more successful and satisfied with their fishing efforts.

The information gathered through the opinion survey will serve as a basis for any recommendations the KDFWR might make to the Fish and Wildlife Commission during June 10-11 meetings in Frankfort. Commission meetings are open to the public.

Current creel limits are: 10 daily for black bass (any combinations of largemouth, smallmouth and Kentucky bass); 60 for white bass; and 60 for crappie. Possession limits, which apply after two or more days of fishing, are 20 for black bass; 60 for white bass; and 60 for crappie. Statistics show that very few anglers ever catch as many fish as these limits allow, so reducing creel limits should have little effect on fish populations.

The fish and wildlife department is urging those who receive a questionnaire in the mail to fill it out and return it no later than May 15, so that results can be tallied prior to the June

commission meeting. Anyone who would like to comment on this issue should write: KDFWR Fisheries Division, #1 Game Farm Road, Frankfort, KY 40601 by May 15.

FISH CONSUMPTION ADVISORY CONTINUES

The Ohio River Fish consumption advisory continues in effect, according to Pete Pfeiffer, director of fisheries for the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources.

The advisory, issued jointly by the Kentucky Department of Health Services Environmental Protection and Fish and Wildlife Resources, names channel catfish, carp, white bass and paddlefish (including paddlefish eggs) caught from the Ohio River as species which should not be eaten because of the potential health risk from PCBs (polychlorinated biphenyls) and/or chlordane. The advisory includes all sections of the Ohio River which border Kentucky. In February 1990, health officials first issued an advisory warning of possible health risks associated with eating Ohio River channel catfish, carp and white bass. Paddlefish and paddlefish eggs were added to the warning list in January of 1991.

White crappie and sauger taken from the Ohio River have been found to have levels of PCBs and chlordane well below U.S. Food and Drug Administration limits; however, frequent consumption of even low levels of these toxins may increase the risk of long term health problems.

This action is not a ban on eating fish, but serves to strongly caution the public about potentially serious health risks.

Women of childbearing age and preschool age children should totally avoid eating the listed fish species.

Those who intend to continue eating the contaminated fish can minimize the levels of PCBs and chlordane by properly cleaning, skinning and cooking the fish. Only skinless, boneless filets should be eaten.

Roasting or baking have been found to reduce levels of these toxin, more so than other cooking methods such as frying or microwaving. While proper cooking does not destroy PCBs or chlordane, it does melt some of the fat in the fish—removing some pollutants from the most highly affected

portion.

None of the juices or fats which cook out of the fish should be consumed or reused for cooking other foods.

Health officials are continuing to monitor the situation, and the advisory remains in effect until further notice.

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Lady Bears To Sponsor Basketball Camp

The Pikeville College Lady Bears will sponsor a basketball camp for players ages eight through 18. The camp is scheduled for June 24-28 at the Pikeville College gym. Participants will work on the fundamentals of the game such as dribbling, passing, shooting and rebounding. The camp will also stress the fundamentals of good defense. The camp will be instructed by Lady Bears coach Roy Cutright, his assistants and members of this past season Lady Bears. Cost per camper is \$75. For more information call Coach Cutright at 432-9326.

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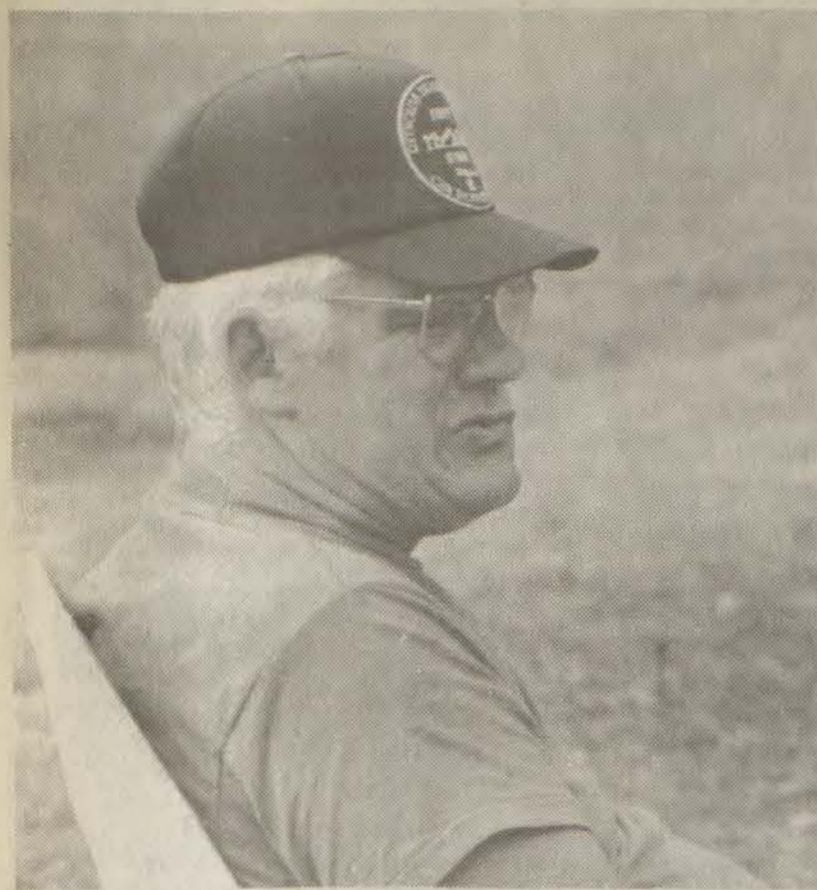
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Floyd County Prep League

McDowell Posts 20-9 Mercy Win Over Maytown Behind Mullins

The McDowell Prep (13-year-olds) League baseball team scored 10 times in the first inning and never looked back as they posted a 20-9 "mercy" rule win over Maytown Sunday afternoon at the Allen Park.

Terrance Mullins was on the hill for McDowell in going the full five innings. Mullins struck out four batters and issued eight walks in the game. Charles Twiss took the loss for Maytown, fanning five while issuing six base on balls.

Adam Coleman and Nick Little each had triples in the fourth inning when McDowell scored seven runs. Coleman drove in two runs with his three-bagger. Little was two-for-four at the plate for McDowell and he had three runs batted in.

James Osborne had the only extra base hit for Maytown with a double in the third inning. Osborne had two

hits in three plate appearances and he picked up one RBI.

Maytown only collected two hits off Mullins, and Osborne had both of those. It certainly was not an error free game as the two teams combined for 19 errors. McDowell committed 10, while Maytown had nine.

The Prep League is designed to take kids from past Little League teams and prepare them for the Babe Ruth Parent League. Mistakes are common in such leagues. After all, it is a learning level for new players.

At Allen Park R H E
MAYTOWN.....2 0 0 4 3 — 9 2 9
McDOWELL.....10 2 1 7 X — 20 9 10

At Hindman R H
WAYLAND.....6 6 4 1 — 17 16
DILCE COMBS.....1 0 0 2 — 3 6
HR - Byron Patton, Rodney Bentley
2B - Corbett Howell, Brandon Merrill

Cubs Keep Rolling With 17-3 Win Over Dilce Combs

The Wayland Cubs have gone through the first part of their 1991 schedule and have faced the other five teams that make up the American Amateur League at Hindman at least once. Having played each team once, the Cubs remain the only undefeated team in the league at 5-0. The Cubs won their fifth game with a convincing 17-3 win over the Chargers of Dilce Combs Monday afternoon.

Byron Patton led the Cubs' hit parade with a 3-hit night that included his first home run of the season. Patton picked up three RBIs for the Cubs with his performance at the plate. Rodney Bentley also had a round tripper for the Cubs. Bryan Crawford also collected three hits for the undefeated Cubs team and had two runs batted in.

Corbett Howell had a double and two singles while driving in two runs in the lopsided victory for Wayland. Brandon Merrill went 2-for-3 at the plate that included an RBI double. Eric Casebolt had two hits in the contest which included a run batted in. Nick Sammons, Mike Morgan and Nicholas King each had one hit.

Wayland scored six times in the first two innings and plated four runs in the third to mercy the Chargers.

The win was the 38th straight for the third year Cubs in regular season games. The team went 18-0 the first season they played and were 15-0 last season. Plans are being made to form an All-Star team out of the present Hindman league and play other American Amateur All-Star teams.

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WAYLAND.....6 6 4 1 — 17 16
DILCE COMBS.....1 0 0 2 — 3 6
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Kentucky Fishing Report

Fishing activity over the May 4-5 weekend was moderate to heavy on most of the major lakes. Water temperatures ranged from 68-72 degrees. Crappie and largemouth bass were the most consistently active species. The lake-by-lake report:

DEWEY LAKE
Crappie were hitting minnows and jigs 5-10 feet deep over submerged trees and brush piles; largemouth bass were taking crankbaits, spinnerbaits and buzzbaits from the surface to five feet deep over shoreline cover; clear, stable, one foot below summer pool and 68 degrees.

PAINTSVILLE LAKE
Largemouth bass were hitting crankbaits and buzzbaits from the surface to five feet deep along the shoreline; bluegill were active on wax worms and red worms 5-10 feet deep around brush piles; clear, stable, five feet above summer pool and 68 degrees.

FISH TRAP DAM
Crappie were hitting minnows and jigs 5-10 feet deep over submerged trees and brush piles; largemouth bass were active on crankbaits and spinnerbaits 5-10 feet deep over drop offs; clear, stable, 20 feet below summer pool and 68 degrees.

GRAYSON
Largemouth bass were hitting crankbaits and spinnerbaits 1-10 feet deep over shoreline cover; crappie were hitting minnows and jigs 5-10 feet deep over shoreline cover; clear, stable, one foot below summer pool and 68 degrees.

DALE HOLLOW
Largemouth and Kentucky bass were hitting nightcrawlers and plastic worms 5-10 feet deep over submerged trees and brush piles; crappie were active on minnows, and bluegill were hitting red worms and crickets 5-10 feet deep over submerged trees and brush piles; clear, stable, one foot below summer pool and 66 degrees.

CAVE RUN
Crappie were hitting minnows 5-10 feet deep over submerged trees;

largemouth bass were active on crankbaits and plastic worms 5-10 feet deep over stump rows and off rocky points; clear to murky, stable, two feet below summer pool and 66 degrees.

BUCKHORN
Crappie were active on minnows and jigs 5-10 feet deep over submerged trees and brush piles; bluegill were hitting red worms and wax-worms 5-10 feet deep over submerged trees and brush piles; clear, falling, one foot above summer pool and 68 degrees.

LAUREL
Largemouth and smallmouth bass were active on plastic worms and topwater lures over submerged trees and brush piles; white bass were taking minnows and jigs 10-15 feet deep along creek channels; clear, stable, five feet above summer pool and 69 degrees.

UPPER CUMBERLAND
Crappie were taking minnows and jigs 5-10 feet deep over submerged trees and brush piles; largemouth and smallmouth bass were hitting crankbaits and spinnerbaits 5-10 feet deep over shoreline cover, clear, falling, at summer pool and 67 degrees.

LOWER CUMBERLAND (above dam)
Striped bass were hitting shad and nightcrawlers 10-30 feet deep in open water; largemouth and smallmouth bass were hitting crankbaits 5-10 feet deep over shoreline cover; clear, falling, at summer pool and 66 degrees.

GREEN RIVER
Crappie were hitting minnows and jigs 10-15 feet deep over submerged trees and brush piles; largemouth bass were hitting buzzbaits from the surface to five feet deep over shoreline cover; clear, stable at summer pool and 68 degrees.

KENTUCKY LAKE
Crappie were active on minnows and jigs 5-10 feet deep over stump rows and brush piles; largemouth bass were hitting spinnerbaits and plastic worms 1-5 feet deep over grass beds

half foot below summer pool and 68 degrees.

BARKLEY
Crappie were taking minnows, jigs and grubs 5-10 feet deep over heavy shoreline cover; largemouth bass were active on spinnerbaits and plastic worms 5-10 feet deep over submerged trees, brush piles and off rocky points; clear, rising, one half foot below summer pool and 69 degrees.

BARREN
Largemouth bass were hitting crankbaits, spinnerbaits and topwater lures from the surface to five feet deep over stump rows and off rocky points; bluegill were hitting red worms and crickets 5-10 feet deep over shoreline cover; clear, stable at summer pool and 66 degrees.

NOLIN
Largemouth bass were taking crankbaits and spinnerbaits 5-10 feet deep over shoreline cover and off rocky points; crappie were hitting minnows and jigs 5-10 feet deep over submerged trees and brush piles; clear, stable at summer pool and 68 degrees.

ROUGH RIVER
Largemouth bass were taking plastic worms and buzzbaits from the surface to five feet deep over brush piles and stump rows; crappie were active on minnows and jigs 5-10 feet deep over submerged trees and brush piles; clear, rising, one half foot below summer pool and 71 degrees.

TAYLORSVILLE
Crappie were active on minnows and jigs 5-15 feet deep over submerged trees and brush piles; largemouth bass were hitting spinnerbaits and jig and pig combinations 1-10 feet deep over heavy shoreline cover; clear to murky, stable at summer pool and 66 degrees.

HERRINGTON
Largemouth bass were hitting crankbaits and plastic worms 5-10 feet deep over shoreline cover; crappie were taking minnows and jigs 5-10 feet deep over submerged trees and brush piles; clear, falling, seven feet below summer pool and 72 degrees.

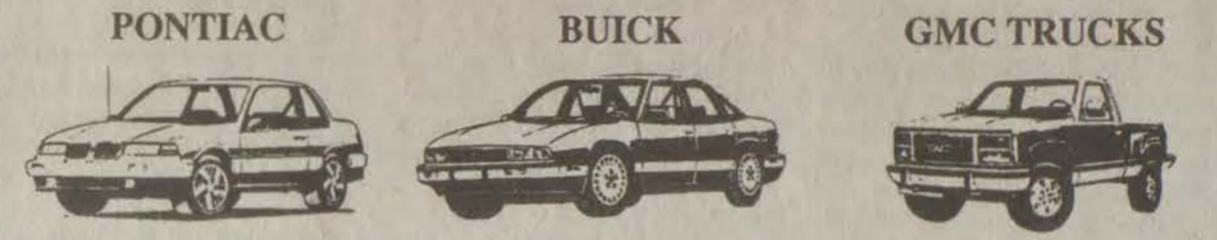
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CLASSIC WIN STILL VIVID AFTER TEN YEARS

Ten years ago, Georgia angler Stanley Mitchell won bass fishing's biggest prize, the Bass Masters Classic, and today, a decade later, the memory remains as vivid as ever.

Perhaps that's because Mitchell was fishing in just his fifth professional tournament when he won. Perhaps it's because he was just 12 years old — the youngest Classic winner ever — and was simply more impressionable.

Or perhaps it's because fate truly smiled on him that day, for he came within one cast of losing the championship.

"I had led from the beginning," remembers Mitchell, now a respected member of the Evinrude Outboards Pro Staff, "but by late the last afternoon my lead was less than three

pounds and I knew I needed a big fish to win.

"The area I'd been fishing had produced several small bass earlier, but then even they stopped biting. I moved a short distance down the river and made a long cast with a crankbait up into extremely shallow water less than two feet."

Mitchell says he doesn't know why he made the cast, because it was hot and a bass probably would not be that shallow, but as soon as the lure touched the water a big bass hit it.

"I didn't think the fish was very large until I saw it on the surface, and then I started getting nervous," the Evinrude pro recalls. "It was the fish that could win the Classic for me, but I could see I had barely hooked it with just the rear treble hook.

"I'd made a long cast and it seemed like it took me an hour to land the bass, but I'm sure it was only minutes. Once Mitchell had the bass safely on board, he and his press observer laughed and yelled and sang for five minutes before fishing resumed,

because the bass weighed just over five pounds and would ensure Mitchell's victory.

On the very next cast, the young angler learned just how much fate had smiled on him, for when he reeled in the crankbait, the rear treble hook had fallen out.

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Fast becoming a popular sport!

Soccer is fast becoming the most popular sport in the country. Here is one of the many young players who play every week at the Bob Amos Park in Pikeville. Soccer is the largest sport attraction in the Kentucky Blue Grass Games. (Photo by Ed Taylor)

OUTDOOR NOTEBOOK™

The Danger Of Overpowering Your Boat

By Mark E. Thomas

Times have changed since a 40-horsepower outboard was considered to be the ultimate performance option.

Now outboards are available that exceed 200-horsepower. Fortunately, we also have modern boat designs that perform safely at the speeds these mammoth motors generate. Yet too many boaters have a tendency to throw caution to the wind and team these big motors with boats that just can't handle the overwhelming power.

Here's what the boating experts at the ProCraft Boats have to say about overpowering a boat.

A smart boater abides by Coast Guard ratings. Yet I've seen some who are not so smart who place a lower horsepower sticker on a much higher rated motor.

Such shenanigans might fool law enforcement authorities. Yet they also place you in grave danger. Running 80 miles an hour in a boat designed

to run at 60 miles an hour can result in extreme steering difficulties, especially during turns.

There's every likelihood that an overpowered boat will result in a high speed accident. If that happens, count on waking up in the hospital ... if you're lucky.

Bring common sense into play and there's no reason you can't have all the speed you need. Today's high performance boats and Mercury motors can easily and safely obtain speeds in excess of those allowed on our highways.

The key is keeping your head. Good drivers don't ram their cars at top speed through rush hour traffic. Skilled boaters are obligated to act in a responsible manner. Besides, it's the law.

For safety's sake, achieve those high rpms in marked channels or in water that's free of submerged obstacles. And always cut back on the throttle in bad weather like fog, storms or high winds.

The folks at the Brunswick Marine Group remind you that one careless boater can ruin everybody's fun. So keep your speed on the safe side. And please, don't litter.

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The American Lung Association of Kentucky kicks off the eighth season of its Kentucky Golf Tour Card with the best golfing value ever offered by the health agency.

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"The Lung Association's Kentucky Golf Tour Card, valued at over \$400, is clearly the best golfing deal I know of," said Buddy Demling, the project's honorary chairman. Demling, a Kentucky professional golfer and trickshot artist, has helped promote the Gold Tour Card in his travels around the state for the past five years.

According to Demling, the card's popularity has grown tremendously during that time—generating \$17,000 in 1986 and an impressive \$45,000 last year. "You can't beat it," said Demling. "If you only play four of the card's 60 courses, you've gotten your money's worth."

This year's Kentucky Golf Tour Card is being sponsored by Citizens Fidelity Bank. The card may be purchased by calling the American Lung Association of Kentucky at (502) 363-2652 (Louisville), (606) 233-3401 (Lexington) or 1-800-366-LUNG. Golfers may order a card by sending a check for \$30 (\$25 for senior citizens 65 or older) made payable to the American Lung Association of Kentucky to the following address: American Lung Association of Kentucky, P.O. Box 9067, Louisville KY 40209.

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Text of State Auditor Bob Babbage's report on school construction

(Editors Note: The following is State Auditor Bob Babbage's report to the sub-committee of the Office of Education Accountability on school construction projects in Floyd and Pike counties.)

Introduction

Pike and Floyd County boards of education have participated in funding from the Finance and Administration Cabinet's (FAC) Kentucky School Facilities Construction Commission (KSFCC) since 1986.

Utilizing this funding process, Pike and Floyd counties have completed or started various school construction and renovation projects according to their respective facility plans. However, several site preparation costs have increased and construction delays have occurred. As a result, public debate concerning these projects ripe with allegation, controversy and innuendo, has occurred.

The Auditor of Public Accounts (APA) performed a review of management practices of these selected construction projects in Pike and Floyd counties to determine the progress of the projects, investigate the major allegations and controversies, determine that applicable laws and regulations were being followed, and recommend areas for improvement.

The scope of our review was limited to school board minutes concerning construction projects, interviews with interested parties, analyzing project manuals, and review of laws and regulations. Detailed interviews were conducted with individuals specifically named in the allegations.

Within the limits of our statutory authority and administrative subpoena powers, we conducted a review of the allegations and controversies that had been reported to the APA.

Our review indicated the majority of these allegations and controversies were unfounded. Because the subpoena authority of the APA is limited to the examination of state funds, the APA is unable to express an opinion to the validity of a number of allegations. To appropriately ascertain the validity of these allegations would require additional investigation possibly into private individual and company transactions, including bank records.

Involuntary examination of these records exceeds the statutory authority of the APA. We are referring these matters and supporting data to the appropriate investigative entities for additional review when warranted.

A review is substantially less in scope than an audit, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion on the management practices of the boards of education in Pike and Floyd counties as they relate to selected construction projects. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion.

Based upon the application of procedures as defined above, we were able to ascertain facts measured against existing criteria. After considering the causes and effects, we offer the following recommendations which we believe will be useful to the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education (State Board), the Pike and Floyd County boards of education and other local school boards in utilizing public construction dollars in the wisest and most rational manner.

Methodology

Preliminary research was done with the Department of Education's (DOE) Division of Buildings and Grounds and KSFCC. Through interviews, information pertaining to decisions to build, site selections, funding processes, contracts and approval of payments were obtained. Related Kentucky Revised Statutes and Administrative Regulations were researched extensively by APA staff.

After gaining an overview of school construction projects by local school boards, we visited the Pike and Floyd County boards of education offices to review the processes at Pike County Central High School, Left Beaver High School (Floyd County), and Duff Elementary (Floyd County).

We conducted interviews with the Pike and Floyd County superintendents to review the construction projects in their respective counties. Minutes of board of education meetings for the past four years were reviewed.

Contracts with architects, construction managers, and other primary contractors were examined. The bidding process and awarding of contracts to primary contractors were examined. Also, school construction billing documents and land acquisition procedures were examined.

While in Pike and Floyd counties, interviews were conducted with a sample of successful bidders, unsuccessful bidders, nonbidders, architects, and construction managers of

respective projects. The local newspaper editors were interviewed to compile data relating to local school construction issues.

In Frankfort, all data were compiled and analyzed. The actual architect and construction manager contracts were analyzed and compared to American Institute of Architects Standard Contract forms. Additional interviews were held with DOE's Division of Buildings and Grounds and KSFCC to ascertain some of the data collected. From the fieldwork and research, a review report of selected school construction projects in Pike and Floyd counties was drafted with constructive recommendations.

An exit conference was then held with affected parties. Each party was provided the opportunity to respond verbally or in writing. Appendices II-VI include data formally requested to be included in the report.

Comments and Recommendations

(1) Hire architects and engineers to advise boards of education about school construction and explore developing model plans.

According to DOE's Division of Buildings and Grounds personnel, staffing in the 1978-79 biennium was 20 (13 professionals and seven secretarial); it is now 10 (seven professional and three secretarial and clerical).

They also stated bonding requirements for school construction projects during the 1978-79 biennium was approximately \$54,000,000.

The projected bonding requirements for school construction projects during the present fiscal year are approximately \$210,000,000. Although there is an inflation factor involved in comparing the two periods, DOE reports a substantial increase in the volume of school construction projects.

Local school board members are not required to have professional expertise relating to school building construction. Although an individual school board member might bring such skills to their board, in our opinion, most board members do not have professional expertise in construction matters.

A need for boards of education to have construction expertise available to them is apparent if the local school boards are going to oversee school construction projects.

DOE staff believes, and we concur, that reduced staff size may limit the Division of Buildings and Grounds' ability to provide adequate and deserved services.

A staff of 10 individuals cannot be expected to provide proper management advice for more than 1,000 construction projects simultaneously.

Such expertise can best be provided by professionals who work exclusively on school construction matters.

Our discussions with several professionals who have building construction responsibilities indicated having various architect plans for entire school buildings or component modules available should be explored. If adequate staff were made available to DOE, it is our belief that financial and time savings could be realized to all local school boards.

Recommendation

We recommend additional professional staff be funded and provided the Division of Buildings and Grounds, to include at least a licensed architect with related engineering expertise. In addition to professional oversight of school construction processes, a resident DOE architect could possibly develop school design plans which would have multiple applications in a number of local districts.

Such "off-the-shelf" plans, or component modules, may have potential design savings which could keep local districts from needing to pay for repetitive rethinking of basic needs common to all elementary, middle and high schools.

(2) Site selection procedures should be enhanced

Based on our review of school board minutes, interviews with school board personnel and personnel of DOE, we found no standardized methodology developed for the site selection process. The State Board through DOE has the mandate to oversee the use of both state and local funds used for the purchase of school building sites to ensure that money funded is spent in the wisest and most rational manner.

Kentucky Administrative Regulations 702 KAR 4:050, which governs the site selection process, while requiring approval by the State Board, does not require a standardized selection process.

However, it should be noted that, subsequent to the selection of these sites, the State Board has adopted a new policy that calls for an estimate of site development costs by archi-

tect/engineers. This policy also requires an estimate of land acquisition cost before approval to purchase will be given by DOE.

In Pike County, evidence indicates that only one site was considered for the new Pike County Central High School. Additionally, there was no survey to determine site development costs (by architect/engineers) or projected land acquisition cost conducted before the site was approved for purchase.

Failure to analyze potential sites before preliminary selection by the local school boards and tentative approval by DOE could result in additional cost. The potential for poor site selection is enhanced when sites are not appraised or analyzed. Therefore, the potential for unwise use of school building funds is greatly increased.

Appendix I further details delays and cost escalations at the Pike County Central site which have resulted from inadequate consideration of objective site analyses by the Pike County School Board.

The minutes of the Floyd County Board of Education meetings indicated that the board entered into executive sessions to discuss site selection for various school construction projects. The Floyd County Superintendent contended that discussion of possible sites in open meetings would drive up the cost of land acquisition. We question that increases in "asking price" represent actual increases in value even though KRS 61.810(2) permits executive session to discuss acquisition of a tract of land but only when publicity would be likely to affect the value of a specific piece of property to be acquired. This argument is easily negated by the local board's power to condemn property as provided in KRS 162.030 and KRS 416.540 to 416.670.

Recommendation

We recommend the state board promulgate regulations enacting its new policy of requiring a survey of site development costs by architect/engineers who will be independent from the projects' design and construction. This site survey should also include the projected land acquisition cost. In addition, we recommend the state board require a scientific and logical analysis, conducted by a qualified professional, of all potential building sites. A report on the analyses should be provided to both the local school board and DOE's Division of Buildings and Grounds.

By rating all sites as to their perceived advantages and disadvantages and by documenting the rating system, better sites can be acquired. Criteria should be based on quantitative factors such as cost and qualitative factors which consider the best interests for the students.

Criteria used in this study should be developed by DOE and standardized to ensure that all analyses are based upon the same criteria. This report should be the basis for selection of a preliminary site and should be made a public document, open to discussion at appropriate local school board meetings. Allowing public comment on site selection issues improves public confidence in the integrity of the board's site selection process.

It also provides valuable input to the board regarding the site selected, appropriateness of price, and other related criteria. Failure to approve the best site based on the report and discussions from open board meetings should require an explanation to the State Board. The State Board would then have responsibility to approve or disapprove the selected site depending on circumstances.

(3) State Board should revise standard contract forms for required use by local school boards and monitoring should be enhanced

Based on our review, DOE's standard agreement between an owner (local board) and an architect appears to be designed only for general contractor situations, and thus neglects construction manager situations. Because DOE uses an architect/general contractor agreement for construction manager situations, potential conflicts and duplication of responsibilities exists between the architect and construction manager.

We review the Pike County Central High School project contract between the owner (Pike County School Board) and the architect, and we reviewed the contract between the owner and the construction manager on the same project. Instructions to contractors, obtaining bids or negotiated proposals, and preparation of change orders were a few examples of conflicting responsibilities noted in our review of these contracts.

We noted several inconsistencies among executed contracts approved

by DOE. The retainage percentage in the standard and approved executed owner/architect contract was five percent instead of 10 percent as set forth in DOE's regulation. Furthermore, in another contract, the retainage clause was omitted entirely.

In some approved construction manager contracts, a clause was added that allowed payment to the construction manager in excess of the lump-sum amount, contrary to DOE policy. We further noted an addendum to a contract for which we could not verify DOE's required approval. Where DOE did approve contracts, the approval was by separate letter from DOE personnel and not from legal counsel.

We also found billing procedures were not standardized nor adequately addressed in the terms and conditions of the contract. Based on our review of the architect's billings on the Pike County Central High School project, we found little evidence that those billings were being adequately monitored by the local school board of KSFCC.

Although the architect believed all his billings were correct at the time they were submitted we do not concur.

Recommendation

We recommend the State Board prepare revised standard contract forms with internally and externally compatible responsibilities delineated for required use by local school boards for the following standard forms of agreement:

1. General contractor situation—(a) between owner and architect and/or engineer; (b) between owner and general contractor.

2. Construction manager situation—(a) between owner and architect and/or engineer; (b) between owner and construction manager.

General counsel approval should appear on each standard form of agreement and also be required on all addenda thereto. Billing procedures for compensation should be specifically addressed as a part of the terms and conditions of each of the revised standard contract forms. The local school boards and the KSFCC should both be required to monitor all billings and payments to ensure conformity with the billing procedures and limitations set forth in these standard forms of agreement.

(4) Boards of education should eliminate possible conflicts of interest by construction managers.

School construction projects in Pike and Floyd counties, using the construction manager concept, have the construction manager preparing and upon request delivering bid proposal packages to prospective bidders on each bid division.

This practice may permit the construction manager to prepare bid division packages favorable to himself or companies in which he may have a financial interest and also to know how many prospective bidders have expressed interest in each bid division. With such access to inside information, the construction manager may have an advantage in obtaining contracts.

Although the Pike County Board of Education adopted a policy at its November 1989 meeting prohibiting the construction manager from bidding on contracts for the Pike County Central High School, the board subsequently received and accepted a bid from the construction manager for bid package 028 (hoisting equipment services) on this project.

Recommendation

We recommend the State Board promulgate regulations prohibiting the construction manager or any company in which he has a financial interest from submitting bid proposals for individual bid divisions on any project he manages.

(5) Bidders on school construction projects should identify ownership

Our review of bid proposals for the Pike County Central High School and Floyd County Left Beaver High School construction projects disclosed neither the Pike County nor Floyd County boards of education evaluated potential conflicts of interest. Potential contractors' bid proposals disclosed only the name of the authorized representative for each contractor's company. Our review of board minutes in both school boards' offices revealed no discussion among board members and superintendents as to possible conflicts of interest with bidders.

According to the bid proposal's general instructions, Article No. 16 describes it as a breach of ethical standards under KRS 45A.455 for employees with procurement authority to participate in procurements in which he or his immediate family has a financial interest. This provision is further expanded under the General Conditions Article No. 42 of the bid

package which also cites KRS 45A.455(1) as state below:

"It shall be a breach of ethical standards for any employee with procurement authority to participate directly in any proceeding or application; request for ruling or other determination; claim or controversy; or other particular matter pertaining to any contract, or subcontract, and any solicitation or proposal therefore, in which to his knowledge:

(a) He, or any member of his immediate family has a financial interest therein; or

(b) A business or organization in which he or any member of his immediate family has a financial interest as an officer, director, trustee, partner or employee, is a party; or

(c) Any other person, business, or organization with whom he or any member of his immediate family is negotiating or has an arrangement concerning prospective employment is a party. Direct or indirect participation shall include but not be limited to involvement through decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, preparation of any part of a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or purchase standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity."

In addition, KRS 160.180(2)(3) prohibits local school board members from having financial interest in contracts with the board. Specifically, this statute states that:

No person shall be eligible to membership on a board of education—"Who, at the time of his election, is directly or indirectly interested in the sale to the board of books, stationary, or any other property, materials, supplies, equipment, or services for which school funds are expended. . . If, after the election of any member of the board, he becomes interested in any contract with or claims against the board. . . he shall be subject to removal from office pursuant to KRS 415.050 and 415.060."

The Pike County and Floyd County school boards could not have adequately identified potential conflicts of interest under bidding procedures used. Bid proposal forms required only the signature of an authorized representative of each contractor to be included in the Pike County Central High School and Floyd County Left Beaver High School projects.

Recommendation

We recommend the State Board require bidders to provide written certification disclosing ownership as a prerequisite to bidding on any school construction project and any other certifications which the State Board deems necessary that will allow reasonable assurance of compliance with the preceding conflict of interest statutes.

(6) Local school boards should require more competition for construction projects.

A significant number of contracts on the Pike County Central High School project and Floyd County Left Beaver High School project were awarded to single bidders.

For example, the Pike County Board of Education awarded contracts from single bids 12 out of 33 (36 percent) times. For the Floyd County Left Beaver High School project, 19 out of 33 (58 percent) contracts were awarded to single bidders.

Due to the number of bids received in relation to the number of bid divisions, a high number of single bids were inevitable. In our opinion, single bids are a symptom of limited competition. Of additional interest, for Pike County, 10 single bids received were not rebid.

The construction manager for both projects primarily controlled the bidding procedures. Some contractors, who in the construction manager's opinion were qualified to work on these school projects, were notified by telephone of the proposed jobs. The construction manager is responsible for encouraging and soliciting bid proposals.

According to our interviews with the construction manager of the foregoing projects, potential bidders were contacted when a limited number of bids were received or no bids were submitted on a given bid division. Disclosure to potential bidders of the number of bids received on construction contracts, in our opinion, may inhibit school boards from receiving competitive prices.

The construction manager placed notifications for accepting construction bids in the Appalachian News-Express for the Pike County Central High School and in The Floyd County Times for the Floyd County Left Beaver High School.

Readers were notified that plans and specifications could be exam-

ined from various locations such as the project architect's office in Pikeville, various engineering firms in Lexington, F.W. Dodge Corporation offices in Lexington, Louisville and Charleston, West Virginia. It is apparent the construction manager took steps to make specifications available to potential bidders outside of the Pike—Floyd County areas, but did not advertise in a newspaper with statewide distribution.

The construction manager and ultimately the local school boards only advertised for bids locally. In addition, the local school boards did not require distribution of a minimum number of bid packages for each contract. The Finance and Administration Cabinet maintains lists of known, interested potential bidders and is required to notify at least 10 known potential bidders or all known potential bidders when less than 10 known potential bidders have expressed interest.

Recommendation

We recommend the State Board require local school boards not only advertise construction projects in local newspapers but also in newspapers with statewide distribution and in trade journals. The local school boards should be required to notify a minimum number of potential bidders similar to FAC policy.

When a construction manager is utilized, he should aggressively recruit or solicit potential bidders; however, he should never disclose the number of bids or bidders' names during the construction project bidding process. Additionally, single bids for bid divisions should be scrutinized by local school boards and always considered for rebid. Single bids potentially could indicate the lack of a competitive atmosphere which may result in inflated prices.

(7) Bid procedures should be properly reviewed and approved.

During our review of the Pike County Central High School and the Floyd County Left Beaver High School construction projects, we found bids on both projects were required to be submitted in the construction manager's envelopes. Some of the bids were submitted directly to the construction manager. Bid envelopes received by the construction manager were then taken to the Pike County and Floyd County boards of education bid opening sites by construction manager's personnel on bid opening dates.

Although most bids are personally submitted by bidders at the bid opening, we believe controls should be established to assure local school boards that potential tampering of bids is avoided. Under existing procedures, the construction manager has theoretical ability to preview proposals prior to bid openings.

Recommendation

We recommend that local school boards review and approve the bidding procedures utilized by construction managers. Bids should be enclosed in bidder-provided envelopes appropriately marked and sealed identifying the bidder and the bid division involved. The bid packages should not be opened until the stated public opening. Sealed bids should be mailed to someone independent, such as the local school board's attorney.

Potential bidders for the Pike County Central and Floyd County Left Beaver High School projects were given 14 days to respond to advertisements for bids. The Pike County Central High School project's original funding was approved for \$6.3 million and the Floyd County Left Beaver High School project's original funding was approved for \$4.4 million.

According to a FAC official, state projects with similar size and complexity would be advertised for 6-8 weeks, even though KRS 45A.080 requires a minimum of seven days public notice for contracts awarded by FAC. Bidding for the Pike County Central and Floyd County Left Beaver High Schools complied with KRS 45A.080 because potential bidders were given more than seven days to respond to their respective public notices.

In order for local school boards to receive the best, responsive bids, we believe potential bidders should be given adequate time to study a project's requirements, boards of education may not receive the best, responsive prices for school construction.

Recommendation

We recommend the State Board evaluate adopting a schedule of appropriate bid response times which increase appropriately in proportion to increases in size and complexity of school construction projects.

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(9) Local school boards should select construction manager contracts utilizing request for proposal.

We found no evidence that competitive negotiations occurred between the Pike and Floyd County boards of education and the construction managers. Each board of education signed a contract with a construction manager without reviewing proposals from other construction managers or negotiating for a better fee than was submitted. By not entering competitive negotiations for a construction manager, the local school boards may not have obtained the most desirable and economical contract.

Recommendation

We recommend the State Board adopt a standard "Request for Proposal" form to be used by local school boards to invite prospective construction managers to submit proposals.

This would enable local school boards to receive competitive proposals allowing them to evaluate construction manager proposals and negotiate the most desirable and economical contract.

This "Request for Proposal" should include the construction manager's company size, staff qualifications, recent financial statements, and other relevant information. Failure of a prospective construction manager to meet the State Board criteria would prevent his proposal from being considered.

(10) Construction manager's fee should be limited and paid on percentage of completion basis.

Our review of local school board payments to construction managers indicate payments have been made in advance of services rendered and in at least two cases in excess of the original lump-sum amount. KRS 156.160 requires the State Board's right to approve contracts and its mandate to oversee the use of state and local funds utilized in construction of state schools, the State Board has responsibility to ensure that funds used are spent wisely.

Our review of the construction manager contracts, interviews with Pike and Floyd counties' superintendents and DOE personnel, and research of statutes and regulations governing construction manager contracts, revealed there was no standard contract prescribed by DOE.

Of the contracts examined, there was no cap or fee schedule limiting payments. These contracts specified equal monthly payments based upon the projected total fee during the estimated construction phase of the contract. There was, however, a provision in the original contracts which allowed the continuation of payments (even after the original lump-sum amount was paid) for as long as construction continued, so long as the owner held the construction manager blameless for delay(s). We noted in two Floyd County projects the contracted lump-sum amount the construction manager received was \$300,000 on a contract totaling \$205,000 and \$307,888 on a contract totaling \$172,709. In Pike County, the construction manager received \$240,767 on a contract totaling \$294,483 even though no building construction has begun as of March 1, 1991, except for site excavation.

While it is true that the State Board through DOE had adopted a policy calling for only lump-sum contracts to construction managers, it failed to detect the open-ended contracts mentioned. This can partly be attributed to the lack of a standard contract with a clause to prevent open-ended contracts. Furthermore, state regulations do not address a fee structure with maximum limits on the amounts payable to construction managers.

Recommendation

We recommend the State Board develop and enact into regulation a fee schedule for construction manager services. We further recommend a standard contract be developed for construction managers with language to prevent open-ended contracts and requiring payments on a percentage of completion basis.

(11) Sales tax should be removed from school construction materials.

Our review of statutes and regulations disclosed general contractors are required to pay a six percent sales tax for supplies and materials purchased for school construction. When a construction manager is utilized, no sales tax is applicable. The Kentucky Constitution Sections 180 and 184 provide that school funds should not be diverted from school purposes.

KRS 139.495(1), as interpreted by the Revenue Cabinet pertaining to the application of taxes to educational institutions, requires purchases to be made directly by an exempt institution to qualify for a sales tax exemption. The construction manager qualifies for such exemptions because supplies or materials are paid

for by the local school board.

A general contractor is considered a private vendor and is not permitted such exemption from sales tax. This gives the construction manager a competitive advantage and also decrease competition for school construction projects. Decreased competition can potentially increase the total cost of a school construction project.

If sales tax were effectively removed from all school construction projects, more spirited competition between the two school construction approaches could potentially reduce the total cost of school construction projects.

Recommendation

We recommend the statutes be changed to allow refunds of sales tax paid on purchases of school construction materials when the general contractor approach is used. This would be similar to provisions permitted the motion picture production companies in KRS 139.5382 through 139.5386.

(12) Architectural services should be obtained through competitive negotiations.

Our review of local school board minutes and interviews with local school board personnel revealed contracting for architectural services occurred without documented competitive negotiations or formal evaluation of other architect options.

We realize KRS 424.260, which requires advertising for bids on most expenditures made by local school board, does not apply to selection of professional services from an architect. We also realize that KRS Chapter 45A, the Kentucky Model Procurement Code, is not mandatory for local school boards. However, prudent business practices would suggest that competitive negotiations for professional services would afford opportunity to obtain better quality services at more reasonable prices.

State regulation 702 KAR 4:030(1) requires local school boards to negotiate for architect services but does not require competitive negotiations. KSFCC has established a fee schedule for architects that sets upper limits to basic fees on cost of construction if the commission participates in the funding (750 KAR 1:010(6)).

These upper limits on fees were the basis for the architect contracts we examined. While architect contracts were agreed to by local school boards, we found no evidence of a documented negotiation process or formal evaluations of other architect options.

This selection system for architect services could result in the hiring of professionals lacking the experience, personnel, or capability to handle the project in a timely manner. Our review of 14 architect contracts reflected basic services were at the upper limits set in state regulations.

Further, additional costs could result from inexperienced or incapable professionals causing redesigns and change orders which can be costly in time and funds.

Recommendation

We recommend the State Board enact regulations which include pre-qualification criteria. We suggest this be achieved by using a request for proposal format. A "Request for Proposal" should be announced in a newspaper of general circulation in the state to assure wide dissemination of local school board needs. The following information could be included:

- (a) Name of the local school board and to whom the proposal should be submitted.
- (b) Time frame for the proposal process.
- (c) Introductory information concerning the project size and projected completion date.
- (d) Qualifications required.
- (e) Evaluation guidelines for proposals.
- (f) Offer of assistance by phone and a mailing address.
- (g) Other.

When proposals are received, the best respondents should be selected based on predetermined criteria. These criteria should at least include experience, size, structure, past performance, and staff qualifications. The best qualified respondents would then be scheduled for an oral presentation to the local school board.

Competitive negotiations would begin with the most qualified respondent selected by the board. If negotiations are unsuccessful with the first respondent, then the second most qualified respondent selected by the board would be negotiated with and the third if necessary to acquire needed services. We acknowledge that variations can be made to our suggested "Request for Proposal" process and still accomplish competitive negotiations.

(13) DOE should develop historical data to be utilized in determining school construction cost in local districts.

We have no evidence any party intentionally or unintentionally misrepresented the projected costs of building the Pike County Central High School. The dramatic increase in expected construction costs is discussed as follows.

According to DOE, this school was designed for a 1,350 student capacity. Based upon a state funding formula of \$56 per square foot, potential KSFCC funding for this project could total \$7,484,400. This potential funding was not meant to fund the entire project, but only the amount of state participation. Based upon the ratio of the available state funding at that time to Pike County's equivalent percentage of total unmet need statewide, the offer of assistance from KSFCC for Pike County was only \$6,301,000 for the 1986-88 biennium.

Since there were no additional local funds available to fund the project in that biennium, the local school board accepted the offer of assistance and submitted the required application listing the estimated cost at \$6,301,000; the amount of available state funds.

At the time funds were accepted, it was apparent the local school board had no preliminary budget for the total construction cost of the project. The DOE did not have historical data available to advise the local school board of the estimated cost of building a 1,350 student capacity high school in that area. The state funding formula was changed in September 1989 by Kentucky Administrative Regulation 702 KAR 4:120 which allowed state funding up to \$65 per square foot and also allowed square footage to increase by over eight percent.

In the new regulation, there was also a provision for the recalculation of previously approved state funding from the old rate of \$56 per square foot to \$65 per square foot (the new rate) if there were excess site costs.

According to DOE, this was the case in the Pike County Central High School project where site excavation expenses were \$1,797,615 more than originally expected. At that time, a request was approved to increase funding using the new rate. This brought state funding of the project to \$9,184,400.

Due to the architect's estimated cost of construction of the building, cost overruns in site excavation, land acquisition, and additional architect services cause by site problems requiring redesign of the plans, it became apparent that approximately half of the building could be constructed from available funds of \$9,184,400. Additional funding phases will be required to complete the project.

Funding approval has been given for an additional \$8,969,870 for phase II and phase III. (\$3,635,000 is state funding and \$5,334,870 is local funding.) Total cost for the project is now estimated at \$18,154,270.

Local funds of \$5,334,879 have been committed to permit additional construction not funded by the state. This includes a \$5,425,000 gym which the state would only pay \$1,530,000. These added estimated costs, according to DOE, are at the discretion and within the authority of the local school board.

Recommendation

We recommend a preliminary estimate of construction costs be completed prior to a local school board accepting state funding. We recognize there may still be unexpected cost increases on a given construction project. Such estimated costs should be part of the funding approval process and developed by DOE from historical construction cost in different areas.

Our review of Pike County School Board payments to the architect indicate actual basic service fee payments have been made in advance of services rendered. We do not believe the architect has been overpaid for the project as a whole.

Pike County Board of Education contracted with the architect for basic services at the rate of five percent of the construction cost as allowed by regulation. The compensation of the architect/engineer and consultants, the cost of the land or rights-of-way, and reimbursable expenses are not included as construction cost for the architect's fee calculation. Construction cost estimates were determined from the architect's billings.

The following is our analysis of the architect's basic service fee payments and earnings through February 15, 1991:

- Architect's construction costs estimates—\$16,288,084;
- Basic service fee rate per contract and regulation—.05;
- Estimated basic service fees—\$814,404;

- Percent of completion—.73;
- Estimated basic fees earned per contract as of February 15, 1991—\$594,515;
- Actual basic service fee payments by Pike County Board to architect as of February 15, 1991—\$702,793;
- Estimated advance basic service fee payments—(\$108,278).

The above payments to the architect do not include additional service compensation (\$92,530); architect's fee on consultants' work (\$5,925); consultants' payments (\$71,115); and reimbursables (\$15,707).

An overall 73 percent of completion was used for each phase. Our estimate of the architect's total basic service fees for the project is \$814,404; however, subsequent change orders and other unforeseen problems can impact this estimate. Actual current basic service fee payments from the architect's bills total \$702,793; this exceeds our calculation of earned fees by \$108,278. Subsequently, the architect received \$46,838 in basic service fees on the April 1, 1991, billing which is not included in our presentation. When the \$46,838 is included with amounts previously paid, our calculations show the architect has received 92 percent of the estimated basic service fee earnings for the complete project. If actual construction costs do not increase, this exceeds state regulation 702 KAR 4:030(3) which requires the last 10 percent to be withheld until the project certification of completion is approved.

The architect contests our calculations of his basic fees and claims that he has performed services for which he has deferred billing the local school board. Because our review was limited to the services billed and paid by the local school board, we do not express an opinion on the validity of these items.

Although the architect asserts the \$139,636 referred to in the September 25, 1989, letter was additional services for phase I and II but billed as basic services, our conclusion is that the actual agreement specified that prior approval must be given by official action of the Pike County Board of Education before an additional work can be performed. The architect was unable to provide us with specific documentation supporting the \$139,636 of additional claimed.

The architect maintains the calculation of earned fees should be adjusted for abandoned designs. We have reviewed documents furnished by the architect. The documents presented do not:

- (1) Give a detailed accounting of what was specifically termed abandoned;
- (2) Specify the dollar amount involved; and
- (3) Provide written evidence of negotiated agreement between the local school board and the architect as prescribed in article 7.4 of the architect's contract.

Without such documentation, we cannot determine the validity of the claimed amount. We realize actual construction cost will not be known until all work is completed; therefore, the architect's basic fee cannot be precisely determined. However, based on our analysis, we believe \$108,278 has been paid the architect in advance as of February 15, 1991.

Recommendation

We recommend the Pike County School Board monitor all future basic service fee payments to the architect until completion of the project. We remind the local school board that state regulations require the final 10 percent of the architect's fees be retained until the project certificate of completion is approved. Based upon our calculations, the architect will not be due any basic service fee remittances until the \$108,278 of advance payments have been earned and the completed project is approved by the owner. In addition, we recommend all local school boards monitor more carefully contract provisions to prevent advance payments.

(15) KSFCC should consider adopting an architect fee structure dissociated from construction costs.

Current architect contracts and fee schedules for school construction projects are based on a percentage of the cost of construction. Increased construction costs may create additional fees to the architect without a corresponding increase in work performed. An example is the cost of materials specified by an architect to be used in the building construction. The architect earns \$25 on each \$500 door and \$50 on each \$1,000 door. This example illustrates the potential for the architect to receive fees based upon increased material costs, with-

out performing any additional services.

Recommendation

We recommend KSFCC consider an architect fee structure dissociated from construction costs. After careful analysis, a fee schedule based upon hourly rates and size of the needed school could dissociate architect fees from construction costs.

This would eliminate the potential problem of a school district paying for services when little or no work has been performed. It would also eliminate the possible appearance of conflict of interest by an architect when he recommends additions or more expensive construction designs or materials.

(16) State regulations and architect contracts used by Department of Education should not conflict.

We compared DOE's standard architect contract with regulations governing architect fees. We also compared the standard architect contract to actual executed contracts which had been approved by DOE. We found:

(1) Regulation 750 KAR 1:010, Section 6(2) states, "The fees of architects and engineers shall be limited to the following fee schedule if the School Facility Construction Commission participates in the payment of such fees:

- Cost of Construction— Up to \$25,000, basic fee 12 percent;
- \$25,000-\$50,000, basic fee 10.4 percent;
- \$50,000 to \$75,000, basic fee 9.4 percent;
- \$75,000 to \$100,000, basic fee 8.7 percent;
- \$100,000 and under \$200,000, basic fee 8 percent;
- \$200,000 and under \$300,000, basic fee 7.4 percent;
- \$300,000 and under \$400,000, basic fee 7.1 percent;
- \$400,000 and under \$500,000, basic fee 6.8 percent;
- \$500,000 and under \$600,000, basic fee 6.5 percent;
- \$600,000 and under \$700,000, basic fee 6.3 percent;
- \$700,000 and under \$800,000, basic fee 6.2 percent;
- \$800,000 and under \$900,000, basic fee 6.1 percent;
- \$900,000 and under \$1,000,000, basic fee 5.9 percent;
- \$1,000,000 and under \$1,250,000, basic fee 5.8 percent;
- \$1,250,000 and under \$1,500,000, basic fee 5.7 percent;
- \$1,500,000 and under \$1,750,000, basic fee 5.6 percent;
- \$1,750,000 and under \$2,000,000, basic fee 5.5 percent;
- \$2,000,000 and under \$2,250,000, basic fee 5.4 percent;
- \$2,250,000 and under \$2,500,000, basic fee 5.3 percent;
- \$2,500,000 and under \$2,750,000, basic fee 5.2 percent;
- \$2,750,000 and under \$3,000,000, basic fee 5.1 percent;

\$3,000,000 and over, basic fee 5 percent;

Repetitive design project, 75 percent of basic fee; and
Renovation project, 125 percent of basic fee.

The DOE standard architect contracts reviewed agreed with the regulation fee schedule for basic services, but also allowed charged for additional services and reimbursable expenses.

The regulation does not address fees for additional services or reimbursable expenses. A strict interpretation of the regulation may not allow compensation above the applicable basic fee.

(2) Regulation 702 KAR 4:030(3) states, "The local board of education shall not disburse the final ten (10) percent of the architectural or engineering fee until the certification statement of completion of the project, as required by section 2 of this regulation, and accompanied by as-built drawings, is filed with and receipt acknowledged by the Superintendent of Public Instruction in accord with architect/engineer contract."

DOE's standard architect contract only calls for a 5 percent retainage in apparent violation of the regulation.

(3) We reviewed several approved architect contracts and found use of the standard contract was inconsistently enforced. We found changes in some parts of the contracts we examined, including elimination of the retainage clause for phase II of the Pike County Central High School project.

We recognize there may be valid reasons for altering a given contract, but such change(s) should always be in compliance with state laws and regulations.

Recommendation

We recommend DOE ensure its standard architect contract and/or any contract(s) which are altered for unusual situations, are in compliance with state laws and regulations before approval.

If DOE does not believe a given regulation is proper, they should seek to have it altered or repealed. As long as a regulation is in effect, it must be followed. Failure to do so is violation of that regulation.

We believe the regulation governing fees for an architect (750 KAR 1:010(6)) should be reviewed for legislative intent regarding additional fees not mentioned by the regulation. If the intent were to restrict compensation to a maximum total fee of 5 percent, then DOE should revise its standard contract to be in compliance with the regulation.

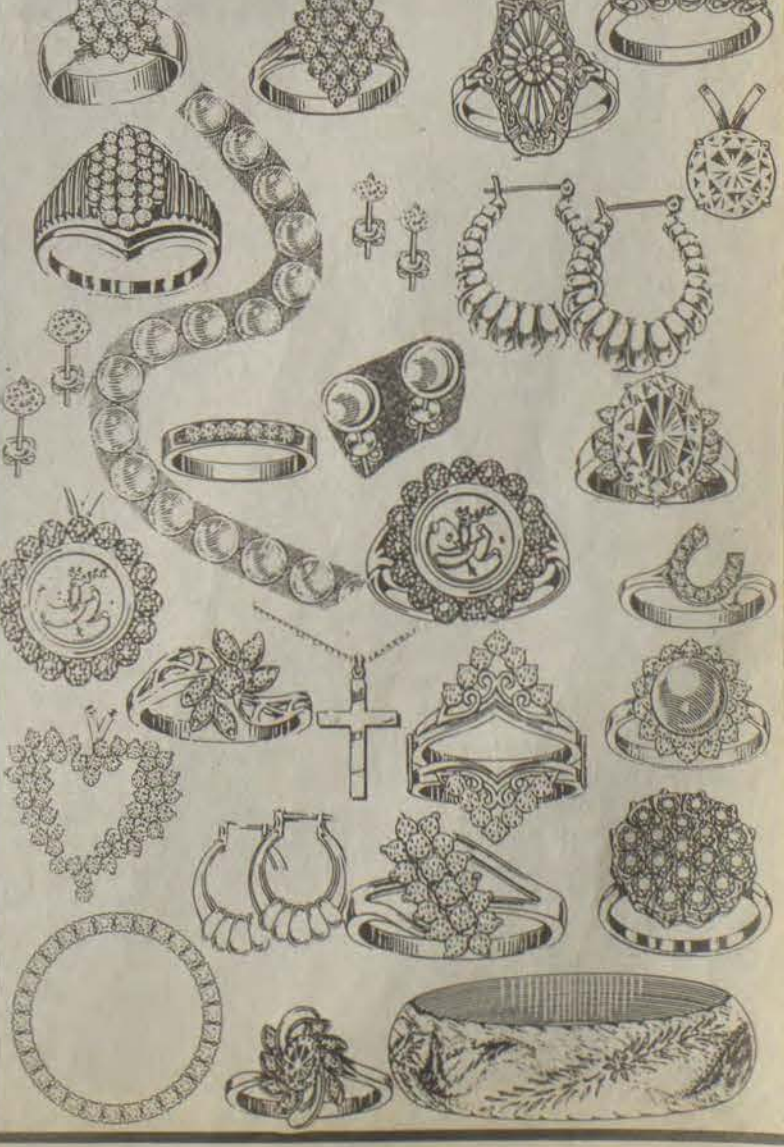
If this was intended to permit additional services and other fees associated with the industry's standard basic fee structure, then KSFCC should seek to have the regulations changed to address these fees.

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Wade Takes Second In Women's 3200 meters!
Jessica Wade, Allen Central, placed second in the women's 3200 meter run at Pikeville's Bob Amos Park Thursday afternoon. Wade had a time of 13:57.75. The Allen Central runner also took third place in the women's 1600 meter run. (Photo by Ed Taylor)

Cumberland Lake To Be The Waters Of Captain Davy Jones

Cumberland Lake will be the main attraction starting May 18. A 50-day tagged fishing event will be taking place for those brave anglers trying their luck to catch the ringleader of a nasty bunch of buccaneers.

The name? Captain Davy Jones. A fish worth \$50,000 to the right hook and bait! This is a sneaky fish, a conniving and smart fish. Come out to Cumberland Lake and try your luck at catching this swarthy one if you dare.

Along with Captain Davy Jones are Swashbuckling Sue (Captain Davy's wife) worth \$2,000; Billy Bones (the castaway) worth \$2,000; Cookie (the ship's cook) worth \$2,000; and 12 other Fishathon Pirates waiting to be hooked! These "Pirates", tagged bluegill, crappie, walleye and catfish, are worth anywhere from \$25,00 to \$50,000 to fishermen of all ages.

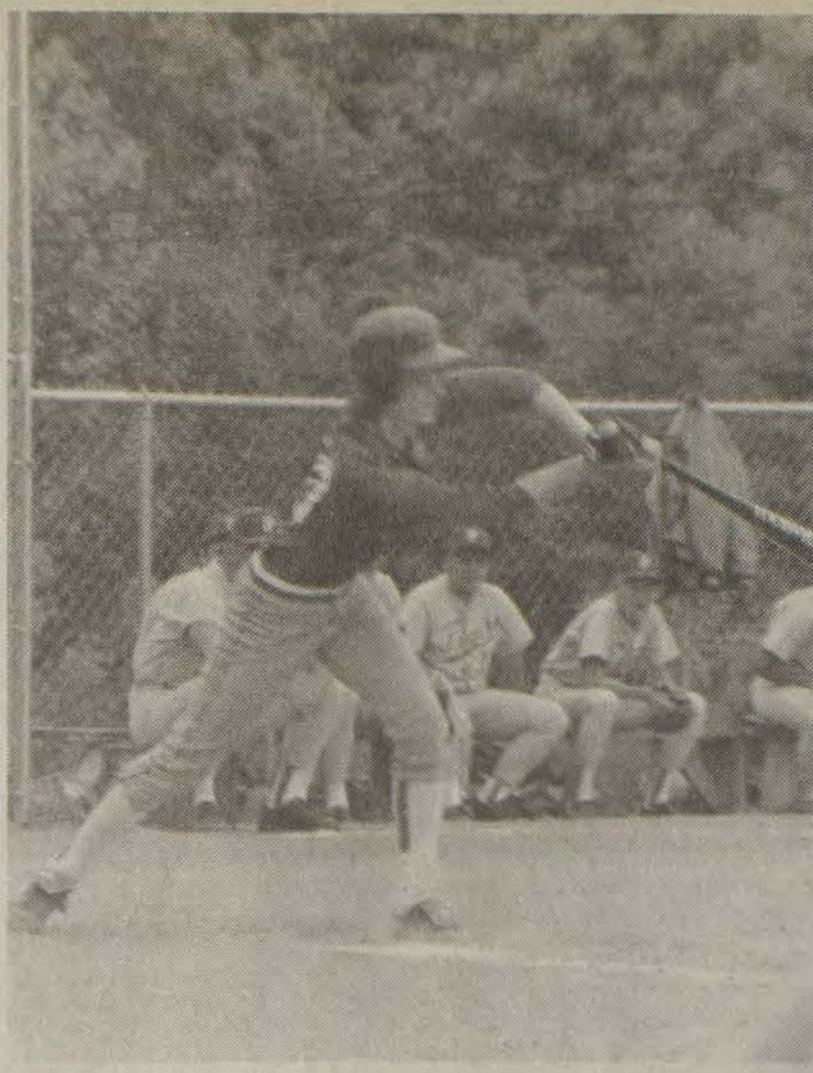
Also swimming in Cumberland Lake is "Angling Amerigo", the ship's navigator. Turning over

"Angling Amerigo" to any one of the check-in stations will yield up to \$20,000 for the lucky angler. "Angling Amerigo" is worth \$1,000 to just any angling buccaneer, but worth an additional \$19,000 bonus for subscribing to Angling America magazine prior to the catch.

Don't forget to purchase your Captain Davy Jones Treasure Map for \$5 showing you were these swarthy pirates are let loose. By having this Treasure Map in your hands at the time of the catch of Captain Davy Jones, you have just pocketed the Captain's pirate treasure of \$50,000!

Come on out to Cumberland Lake and enjoy what you like doing best—fishing and winning money. Hundreds of thousands of dollars in cash and merchandise are waiting for you.

For more details, contact your local Easter Seal Society, or phone Fishathon, Inc. at (812) 273-1613 for more information on the 50-day tagged fishing event at Cumberland Lake.



Check Swing!

Allen Central's Stewart Hall tried to check his swing on this pitch against Paintsville Friday evening at Allen Central. Hall had a home run in the sixth inning against the Tigers. Paintsville won 14-5. (Photo by Ed Taylor)

Boy Scouts Need a Few Good...Horses!

The Cherokee Area Council of the Boy Scouts of America are looking for horses. The Chattanooga based Boy Scout council is starting a horseback riding program at its Skymont Scout Reservation for the summer camp program in 1991. Skymont Scout Reservation, a 2,500 acre camp, is located on the Cumberland Plateau in Southeast Tennessee near Altamont.

This is the first year horses will be a part of the summer program, and heading it up will be Mignonne Pearson.

"We are looking for 20-30 horses that our Scouts will be able to ride," said Pearson. "We would like to have them donated to the council or loaned

to the council for the summer. We'll pick them up, return them and work with people any way we can — we just need horses."

The horses will be used from early June through July. Several weekends have been spent restoring a barn on the reservation. By June, stalls will be built and fencing put up.

Skymont Scout Reservation has long enjoyed an excellent reputation for outstanding programs and the addition of horses will be a major new program. Anyone interested in helping the Scouts should contact Mignonne Pearson at (615) 821-8768 or the Cherokee Area Council, BSA (615) 892-8323, and ask for Bill Lesschaff.

LMU To Conduct Two Summer Camps June 17-21, July 1-3

Two basketball summer camps have been scheduled at Lincoln Memorial University according to coach Marc Comstock (former coach at Pikeville College). The first camp will be a boys "Skill Builders" camp and the second will be a boys and girls "Swish" Camp.

Coach Comstock said, "The Skill Builders Camp will concentrate on teaching the fundamentals of offense and defense. A great deal of time and effort will be spent on individual on team concepts. At the conclusion of the camp, all campers should have a greater mastery of the skills needed to be successful in offense and defense and possess a better understanding of the game."

The "Swish" Camp is a unique mini-camp where emphasis is given to shooting the basketball and teaching offensive moves. Said Comstock, "The techniques developed at this camp will help participants improve the offensive skills they need to become better offensive players."

Camp objectives are simple ac-

ording to Coach Comstock. They are to help each player be as good as possible, teach the basic fundamentals, work hard and have fun.

The basketball camp staff will consist of Head Coach Marc Comstock and his assistants, plus outstanding high school and college coaches. Counselors will be members of the basketball team. The best supervision possible will be given during each session.

The "Skill Builders" Camp will be held June 17-21 and the "Swish" Camp will be conducted July 1-3. Ages eight through 17 are invited to participate in the camps. Enrollment will be limited to the first 75 campers. Applications will be taken on a first come, first served basis. For additional information write Marc Comstock, Basketball Camps Office, Lincoln Memorial University, Harrogate, Tennessee 37752 or call (615) 869-6240.

Said Coach Comstock, "Basketball is played in the winter, but basketball players are made in the summer."

Osborne, Castle Combine For One-Hitter As Cubs Defeat Braves

Starting pitcher Jeremy Osborne and Grant Castle combined for a one-hit shutout of the Prestonsburg Braves in Little League action at the Archer Park Little League diamonds this past weekend.

Osborne went the first three innings for the Cubs as they recorded their second win of the young season. Osborne fanned nine batters while giving up one hit. He walked two. Castle came on in the fourth inning allowing no runs and no hits. Castle struck out two of the three batters he faced in the fourth. The game was mercy game and went four innings.

Zeth Shepherd had the Braves only hit, a ground ball up the middle in the third inning.

Adam Baldrige had a triple for the Cubs in the second inning in going perfect at the plate. Baldrige had the

hot bat for the Cubs in driving in five runs. Osborne doubled in the second also when the Cubs scored eight times.

Mike Hall was the losing pitcher for the Braves as he ran into some control problems walking 10 batters while getting two strike outs.

The Cubs collected seven hits in the game and played errorless baseball. The Braves committed one error.

The Braves battle the Rangers on Friday at Archer Park in a 5:30 start. In the second game, the Cubs will face the Giants.

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Small World

by Aileen Hall



Winners and losers
It's almost time for another primary election and there is no shortage of candidates to be considered. There's only one thing sure about this next election day—there will be more losers than winners.

Many of us are prone to deride the political process and forget that it represents one of the great freedoms we have, one not shared by all citizens of the world.

President John F. Kennedy was quoted as saying, "Politics is people." It's also the avenue whereby we choose our leaders—local, state and

national. But it's not an area for the faint hearted or overly sensitive.

By running for public office, candidates become fair game, either for praise or criticism. They also try our powers of discernment. We don't always make the wisest choice, but we have a responsibility to at least try.

It takes a special breed to be willing to lay his or her own merits on the line to be either accepted or rejected by the voting public.

Abilities and qualifications are, of course, major factors, but no trait could be more important than a genu-

ine sense of humor. Being able to laugh at ourselves and our efforts—whether in politics or any endeavor—is no less than a saving grace. It's one a public servant can hardly do without.

Way back in 1896, William Jennings Bryan was the Democratic nominee for President of the United States. He was defeated by William McKinley.

He ran again in 1900—and in 1908—only to be defeated each time. He made a realistic analysis saying, "I am reminded of the drunk who, when he had been thrown down the

stairs of a club for the third time, gathered himself up and declared, "I'm onto these people. They don't want me in there."

Even his daughter, Ruth Bryan, also had this rare quality of good humor. She had to dash for the school bus one morning and made it only by desperate effort.

As she sat down she commented, "I'm glad someone in this family can run for something and get it."

Not very well
Most of us condition ourselves to

being optimistic and cheerful. When someone asks, "How are you today?" we'd like to be able to answer, "I'm fine."

That usually sets the tone for the reply we get when we make the same inquiry. I learned this anew one day when I ran into my old friend Tom Keathley.

"How are you today?" he asked. "Well," I told him, "this is one time I feel a little under the weather. How about you?"

He said, "Honey, I'll tell you the truth. I feel so bad today I can't decide which leg to limp on."

Kim's Korner

Noticeably scanty

When I get dressed to go out for a night on the town, I am always very conscious about what I choose to wear. I try on one thing after another, tossing clothes for this or that reason. "No, I'm too bloated to wear those jeans."

"That skirt is too short and I don't have a good enough tan yet."

"I wore this blouse last week."

"The comfortable dancing shoes I want to wear don't match this outfit."

etc. etc.



by Kim Frasure

When I finally choose the appropriate attire, my bedroom usually looks like a cyclone hit it, but finally I manage to dress and be on my way.

I believe most women, and many men too, pay a lot of attention to the image they present when in public. One reason for a person spending so much time getting ready is so people will notice them.

True to form, when I go out I notice what other people are wearing. I am an avid people watcher. Sometimes my most enjoyable times at the mall are sitting on a bench, sipping a Coke, watching the people go by.

This brings me to my subject this week — what kind of image are some of these people trying to present?

When I was out dancing Friday night, I saw more skin than you'd see at the public pool. Here my friends and I were in long slacks and conservative blouses surrounded by women in skirts up to their under-alls with what looked like fish netting for shirts. It was difficult to tell if they were over-dressed or they were under-dressed.

The closest one of my party came to being revealing was a female in the group wearing a tank top. And with that we were told she had to have on a jacket to come into the establishment.

Of course, I was curious how some of the other women got in. Then I realized it must have been some sort of figure skater's convention and these people had just come back from rehearsal. I guess everyone has different tastes in clothing and different opinions as to what is acceptable attire. If you look around these days, it is hard to put your finger on just what the style is. It seems to be "to each his/her own."

I think this is great because now I can wear what I want and what I feel comfortable in without worrying about being "behind the times."

This still doesn't stop me from gaping at those who wear less-than respectable clothing. Maybe that's the reaction these people are looking for. They sure got noticed and seemed to be having a good time without looking a bit self-conscious.

I guess it's all what you're used to. A male friend of mine once said that he liked to go to bars with good-looking female friends because other women noticed him more. What is that they say about the company you keep?

I agree that women are notorious for noticing what other women are wearing. I've been in places where my friends have spent the whole evening talking about other females' clothing and never once mentioning the men there.

Our clothes truly do represent our personalities and the style you choose says a lot about how you want others to perceive you. So, until next week — dress smart because somebody is watching you.

A quick flashback before my farewell to Floyd County

(Editor's note: The following article was written by Joe Back, a funeral director for Hall's Funeral Home in Martin. He wanted a chance to say thank you and goodbye to the many friends he's met during his past five years in Floyd County. Joe has accepted a position at another funeral home in Carter County and will be leaving this week.)



Joe Back

To begin with, Solomon and Maggie Hale Caudill and their family gave me the biggest gift that I have ever gotten — their home! For four years, day and night, that is where I would stay. Not many would open their home to someone in such a manner as they did for me. Their's is a unique and loving home and I sincerely thank them for being so kind in sharing it with me.

During my life I have had a genuine interest for politics. This brings to mind more fond memories of Floyd County. My interest in politics has gained me five of the best friends I've ever had.

First, the late Henry C. Hale. In 1984 I lost my mother to a sudden heart attack. That was my first experience with the loss of a loved one. Next to my mother's death, Henry's passing rocked me emotionally more than any I've dealt with in my profession. He was my friend, and I his. He had a great love for life and I can hardly say more about him.

This past winter, while covering high school basketball games in Floyd County, Tommy Boyd gave me about as much fun as I have ever had. We both have a strong love for basketball and his knowledge of the game made it uniquely enjoyable.

The hours I've spent at Shag and Ellen Campbell's home contain memories I will not soon forget. The Campbell family has become a close part of my life, and Ellen's kitchen table has been the sight of many a colorful conversation and good food.

While working for Johnny Hall, I have had the opportunity to be around many good people. I have discovered that no elected official attends funerals more regularly than Judge Harold J. Stumbo. He genuinely cares about so many in Floyd County. Those of you who know him as I do already know that and, I'm sure, appreciate his concern during the passing of a loved one.

When you care about an area and its people as much as I do Floyd County, saying goodbye is not an easy chore. There are so many people who have touched my life that it is impossible to innumerate them all. I would be remiss if I did not at least try to share my feelings and memories with those who have meant so much to me before I leave.

There is another Stumbo from Floyd County that has an extremely promising future in politics. He is a young man whom Floyd County should be proud to have produced. I am proud to have developed a friendship with Greg Stumbo and I will miss the many fun times I've had with his young son, Brooks, and other children from the county. Being around children has always been a special time for me.

Another special experience I've had since I've been in Floyd County is the opportunity to work with the media. I've spent many hours down at the Floyd County Times' office. They have always been extremely helpful in working with the obituaries and advertisements and I've greatly enjoyed the many conversations I've had with Ed Taylor about sports. The times I've spent working with Paul Gearheart and "Doctor" Don Bevins of WPRG-TV have been more enjoyable than I can say.

Other people who come to mind as I close out these final recollections of my stay here in Floyd County are: Maurice and Wanda Allen, Dallas Freeman, the colorful Jack Stumbo, Gorman and Eva Collins, Lundy Sammons, Derwin Merjon, Steve Newsome, David Spencer, Kay and Penny Hale, "Sissy" Jones and my good friend Ed Ousley. I'm sure I've left someone out, but there have been so many that have meant so much.

As I say goodbye this week I would like to take one last moment to thank the family who made all my happy times possible during the past five years. The people who gave me the chance to come to Floyd County and experience the great many wonders here — Johnny and Kathryn Hall and their sons Tommy and John Jr. Floyd County is lucky to have a family such as theirs.

Johnny, this one's for you, my friend. I only hope that I can take with me all the valuable lessons that you have personally taught me and put them to good use on my next endeavor. If I could look the world over five times, I could never find a man that would come close to what you stand for so strongly — HONESTY and SINCERITY!

I've loved it all!
Your good friend,
Joe Back

and was even about to have their way with the wife, when the husband — being the brave-type after which all we men attempt to model ourselves — said something like, "Here now, boys!" You can't do that!"

Then up and started our good wife, and she skipped across the floor. Good man, you've spoken the foremost word. Get up and bar the door."

Of course, our plight with the phone doesn't go to such an extreme. Nor, would I risk the dangers involved in a pact that would require a woman to be silent for any extended period of time.

Hopefully, nowadays, though, they do have a sense of humor. If not, you just might be reading my last column.



AARP discussion

Members of the Jenny Wiley Chapter No. 3528 listened as Dianna Blevins and David Davis discuss the changes implemented in Medicare coverage.

Medicare changes among topics discussed at AARP

On March 15, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, a free program was presented to the Jenny Wiley Chapter No. 3528 of American Association of Retired Persons (A.A.R.P.) concerning Home Medical Equipment (HME) and Medicare coverage. The presentation was given by Dianna Blevins, branch manager and David Davis, R.R.T., president of Advanced Home Care, Inc. of Eastern, Kentucky.

The program consisted of a slide presentation dealing with various types of medical equipment designed for the home, including oxygen, hospital beds, and wheelchairs. Davis explained the Medicare coverage guidelines for each type of equipment and the recent changes in the Medicare program. For example, the beneficiaries' responsibility for increasing deductibles and premium payments. He also covered the payment cuts from Medicare to home medical equipment companies and the possibility these cuts will cause companies to reduce their service areas, leaving some beneficiaries without service, or possibly slowing down their discharge from the hospital.

The A.A.R.P. members present were encouraged to voice their con-

cerns to their elected officials in Washington about these changes and other Medicare issues. The group expressed their appreciation for this informative program.

Shriners' hospital day celebrates 69th year

International Shrine Hospital Day will be observed Sunday, May 19, at the Shriner's new Lexington Hospital for Crippled Children.

The program, celebrating 69 years of helping needy crippled children, starts at 1:30 p.m. The public can attend the open house celebration at the Shriner's Lexington Hospital, 1900 Richmond Road, from 1:30-4:30 p.m. Conducted tours of the hospital facility will be available until 4:30 p.m.

The Shriner's Hospital for Crippled Children at Lexington offers quality orthopaedic care and burn treatment to children up to their 18th birthday free of charge. Shriner's hospitals are open to all children regardless of their race, religion or relationship to a shriner.

Poison Oak

by Clyde Pack

Get up and bar the door, and while you're at it, answer the phone!

Apparently, wives have always been this way.

There's an old English ballad called "Get Up and Bar the Door," that was allegedly recited for the first time (no doubt by a married man) about 500 years ago. It was passed down by word of mouth from generation to generation before finally being put into writing. Now, it's used in literature books as a prime example of medieval poetry.

In my opinion, it should also appear in psychology books...as a perfect example of female stubbornness.

Although centuries old, the basic situation that this old rhyme addresses

is still occurring in the 1990s — at least it is at my house.

The gist of the poem revolves around a pact made between a man and his wife about whose time it is to get up and bar the door before they go to bed. After a brief argument, they agree that the next one to speak has to do it.

The only difference in this situation and the one at our house, is instead of who's going to bar the door, our problem is, who's going to answer the phone.

Now, don't get me wrong. I thing Alexander Graham Bell was an absolute genius, and the phone is a wonderful invention.

Furthermore, there's no one I know who enjoys talking on the phone with family, friends and neighbors more

than I.

As a matter of fact, we have phones all over the house — as well as one that's portable that we can take outside. The idea, of course, is that no matter where a person is when the phone rings, it's close at hand and convenient. Right?

Wrong!

The way it really works is that when it rings, I'm nearly always where it's not. As if this weren't bad enough, we don't have a teenager any more, and no matter what the time of day, my wife Wilma yells, "Get that, it's not for me."

It really makes me wonder. Does she have psychic powers, or what? I mean, I don't know how she can be so positive that it's not for her. To me it sounds the same, even if it's a wrong

number.

"Where's the portable?" I yell back. (After all, Bill Pack didn't raise any fools. I'm not getting out of this recliner if I don't have to.)

"Oh, I don't know," she answers. "Maybe I left it in the bathroom."

"Oh, yeah," I think to myself. "That's where she was talking the last time it wasn't for her."

Anyway, back to the old ballad, the man and his good wife went to bed in silence — without either barring the door. (Obstinate women were invented long before the telephone.)

The story goes that around midnight some bad guys wandered up to the house, and finding the door unbarred, entered. They began giving the reticent couple a pretty hard time

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Seniors to swing at Mexican fling

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Mrs. Hale returns home

Mrs. Vivian Hale has returned to her home following a two-week visit to Houston, Texas, where she was the houseguest of her sister, Mr. Verle Parrish, and her nephew, Howard Spalding and family.

She was accompanied there by her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Letton of Dayton, Ohio. They spent three days in San Antonio, where they visited the Alamo, and other historical places.

En route home, she spent several days with her daughter, and son-in-law and family in Dayton.

Spring fling

During the recent spring break, Mesdames Judge Howard Carter, Marty May Hicks and Judy Stamper Marshall of Prestonsburg joined Mesdames Penny Beth Whitten Amos and Cora Ruth Wright Hughes of Lexington and Judy Clifton Rinehart of Clearwater, Florida, for a get-together in Newport Richey, Florida.

En route home, the Prestonsburg and Lexington groups stopped in Atlanta, for a visit with Mrs. Hicks' daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Warrick.

Members of this get-together (other than Mrs. Marshall) had been classmates from the time they were first grade students in the Prestonsburg Elementary School. Mesdames Carter, Hicks and Rinehart were pupils of the late Mrs. Shirley Hughes and her husband, Attorney Henry Hughes, and also Mrs. Docia B. Woods. They had kept in touch with one another over the years.

Derby Breakfast

Among those from Prestonsburg who attended the Derby Breakfast at the Governor's Mansion last Saturday morning were Miss Burieta Gearhart, Mrs. Maxine Bierman, Mrs. Roberta Sloan and Mrs. Joyce Allen.

In Lexington, Friday, prior to the breakfast, they were joined by Mrs. Honey May, who formerly resided in Floyd County, and her daughter, Mrs. Jennifer Harrison, both of whom now reside near Atlanta.

Besides attending the Derby Breakfast, the group also viewed the display of Kentucky crafts there.

Spring cleaning, bring items to church

Rev. Wayne Sparks, pastor of the First United Methodist Church asks that persons who have items for a spring cleaning, bake sale, which will be held by the Friendship Circle of the church, to bring those items to the church before May 11. Pickup of the items is also available by calling Charlotte McFall.

Because hot dogs, potato chips, soft drinks and desserts will also be sold, Rev. Sparks asks that baked goods be contributed. He said monetary donations would also be appreciated.

Carter celebrates birthday

Jim Carter III was honored with a family cookout given by his mother, Mrs. Judge Carter, at their home in Prestonsburg Thursday, April 22, in commemoration of his 22nd birthday.

Enjoying this event with him were his mother, his sisters, Becky and Susan Raye Carter, and family and friends, Jamie Spurlock and Mrs. Marty Hicks.

ALC alumni banquet

Mrs. Robin Fox Moler, director of Alumni Affairs at Alice Lloyd College, and Greg Johnson, president of the Alice Lloyd College Floyd County Alumni Association, invites all alumni members of this institution to attend the annual banquet-meeting at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park on Friday, May 17.

Registration will begin at 6:30 p.m. A special viewing of "War Song," an art exhibit by Robert Moler, will be on display during that time.

Officers and committee chairpersons of this organization are Greg Johnson, president; Arthur Haywood, vice president; Clare Johnson, past president; Anna Sue Stumbo, secretary; Willis Hall, treasurer, and Docia B. Woods, publicity chairman.

Ms. Gearhart hosts luncheon

Miss Burieta Gearhart was hostess to a luncheon on Wednesday, May 1, at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park honoring Mrs. Jerri Fommi of Louisville, worthy grand matron, Order of the Eastern Star, who was here for the purpose of visiting OES chapters in District 5.

Additional guests included District 5 Deputy Mrs. Luana Rutherford of Huddy, Kentucky; Mrs. Maxine Bierman of Prestonsburg, Grand Chapter committee member, Wonderful World of Youth; Mrs. Lois Ann May of Prestonsburg, Grand Chapter committee member for Ostaral; Mrs. Belle Conn of Allen; Mesdames Joyce Allen and Roberta Sloan of Prestonsburg, and Mrs. Barbara Gullett of Wheelwright, past grand matron, OES

Lamplighters to visit Clear Creek School

The Lamplighters of the First Baptist Church (Irene Cole Memorial) held their semi-monthly meeting Tuesday, April 30, at 4 p.m. at the church.

Thomas Foy, director of the music program at the church, led the group in practicing for the senior adult choir to be presented during services at this church on the following Sunday.

During the business session, it was announced that this group would soon visit the Clear Creek Ministerial School. The Rev. Michael Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist Church, is a graduate of this school.

Present were Myrtle Allen, Burieta Gearhart, Ruby Lamping, Vivian Fraley, ORa Bussey, Lisa Carter, Judy Hooker, and Thomas Foy.

Prestonsburg club installs officers

The annual installation dinner of the GFWC/KFWC Prestonsburg Woman's Club was held at the club's Arts and Crafts House at Archer Park on Thursday evening, May 4, at 6:30.

The speaker's table and small tables throughout the room were covered with pastel cloths. The speaker's table also held a bouquet of purple Iris and white Wygelia intertwined with greenery, arranged by Mrs. Garnett Fairchild. Centerpieces of begonias were used on the smaller tables.

Devotionals were brought by Mrs. Fannie Runnels, who read passages from the Bible, and a poem entitled "Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me."

Following the dinner, Mrs. Linda McGuire, president, spoke briefly.

She announced that Mrs. Eve May, a member of this club, had donated to the club paintings by her husband, the late Russell May, a local Kentucky Heritage Artist. These paintings include The Garfield Place, the West Prestonsburg Railroad Depot, the Floyd County Courthouse, and the old bridge that once spanned the Big Sandy River between Prestonsburg and West Prestonsburg.

The president thanked Mrs. May for these contributions and also thanked Mrs. Garnett Fairchild for her donation of a handmade quilt to be put in the basket donated recently by Mrs. Mabel Brown to be used in the Arts and Crafts House. She extended her gratitude to Mesdames Mabel Brown and Eileen Burchett for the purchase of material for tablecloths there, and to Mrs. Mabel Donahoe for the making of these

clothes.

She also thanked Mrs. Maxine Bierman for helping to organize an art class, taught by Mrs. Duna Combs of Maytown to club members recently. Appreciation was also expressed to the officers and club members for their cooperation during her tenure as president.

Then she presented gifts to these officers and committee chairmen: Kathy Lowe, Sandy Burchett, Earlene Nelson, Sue Martin, Elizabeth Ramey, Dorothy Harris (in absentia), Garnett Fairchild, Betty Rowland, Maxine Bierman, Joyce Allen, Nancy Martin, Betty Porter, Judy Burchett, Lillian Baldrige, Eileen Burchett, Dorothy Stover, Jane Wallace, Mabel Donahoe, Lida Howard, Burieta Gearhart, Mabel Brown, Nan Arnett (in absentia), Docia Woods, Phyllis Herrick, Boots Adams, Turp Combs and Roberta Sloan.

Following the presentations, Mrs. McGuire presented Mrs. Alice Kendrick, governor of the Seventh District, who told the group that the Prestonsburg Woman's Club officers for 1990-91 were the first officers she had installed after becoming governor, and therefore, this club "held a special place in her heart."

Mrs. Kendrick installed the following officers for the year 1991-91: Mrs. Garnett Fairchild, president; Mrs. Judy Burchett, 1st vice president (Mrs. Sandy Burchett will substitute in her absence); Mrs. Earlene Nelson, 2nd vice president; Mrs. Elizabeth Ramey, 3rd vice president; Mrs. Sue Martin, recording secretary; Mrs. Diane Clatworthy, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Helen Wells, treasurer.

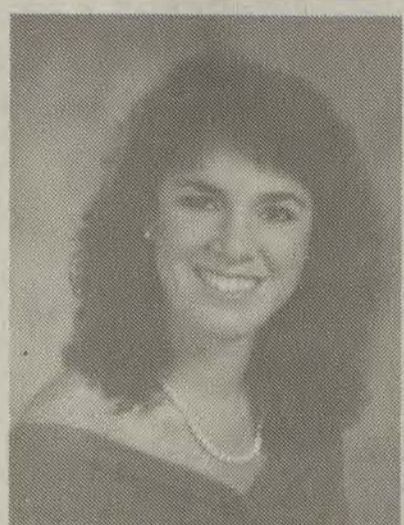
The new president, Mrs. Fairchild, spoke briefly to the group.

District Governor Kendrick announced that the Fall District meeting would be at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park on October 26.

Hostesses for this event were Mesdames Betty Porter, Lillian Baldrige, Phyllis Stanley, Lida Howard, Burieta Gearhart, Martha Johnson and Garnett Fairchild.

Mrs. Mabel Donahoe presided at the guest register. Present were Alice Kendrick of Pikeville, a guest; and members: Linda McGuire, Kathy Lowe, Sandy Burchett, Earlene Nelson, Sue Martin, Elizabeth Ramey,

Diane Clatworthy, Helen Wells, Mabel Donahoe, Jane Wallace, Phyllis Herrick, Docia Woods, Maman Leslie, Alice Harris, Fannie Runnels, Ruth Worland, Myrtle Allen, Nancy Martin, Joyce Allen, Boots Adams, Turp Combs, Ruby Lamping, Lucille Nunnery, Roberta Sloan, Lois George, Eve May, Eileen Burchett,



Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. William Martin of Martin announce the engagement of their granddaughter, Ann Deirdre Yabroff, to Andrew Keith Hayden of Indianapolis, Indiana. Ms. Yabroff is the daughter of Ronald and Dotty Gay Yabroff of Wilmington, Delaware, and her paternal grandparents are Dr. and Mrs. David L. Yabroff of Modesto, California. Ms. Yabroff graduated from Miami University of Ohio with a B.S. in education and is presently teaching in the Rosemary Hill School, Silver Spring, Maryland. The prospective groom is a graduate of Hanover College and is employed by Advanced Data Product Inc. The wedding is planned for late May at Aldersgate Methodist Church in Wilmington.

Mabel Brown, Maxine Bierman, Sarah Goble, and the hostesses.

The next regular meeting of this club will be held in September.

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DIAMOND BRACELETS



Justin is six

Justin Hall, son of Kathleen and Rodney Hall of Wheelwright, celebrated his sixth birthday March 28 with a Ninja Turtle birthday party at the Weeksbury Park. Present at his party were his mom, dad, sister, Papaw Virgil Triplett, Melissa and Ronnie Branham, Chris and Craig Triplett, Beverly, John and Bryan Meade, Granny Doris Bates, Kathleen, Edgar, Ruthann Tackett, Janet and Christopher Newsome, Michael Tackett, Sharon and Jequetta Parker, Jenia and Stacy Hall, Don, Caria, and Kristy Hall, Johnny, Shantel, Kyle, and Ray. Among the many gifts he received were a bicycle, a Ninja Turtle bean bag, and Ninja Turtles. His family expressed their appreciation to all his friends for attending his party.

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Society Events

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First Baptist gains in membership

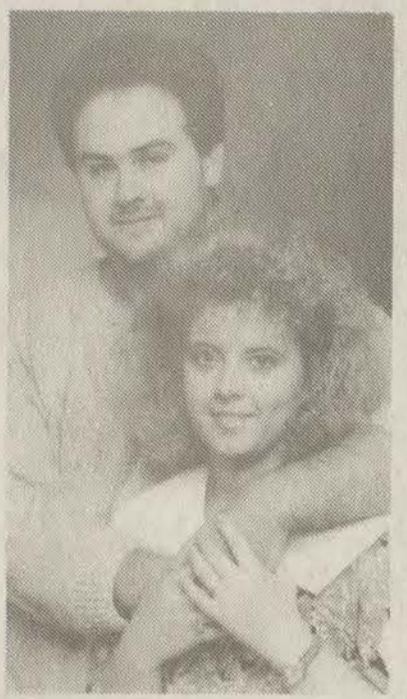
Welcomed into the fellowship of the First Baptist Church (Irene Cole Memorial) in Prestonsburg recently have been Thomas Lafferty and Jennifer Miller by baptism, and Don, Lisa, and Becky Millhouse, and Michael and Michelle Taylor by letter.

The Rev. Michael Taylor is the church's pastor.

Miss Mayo returns home

Miss Maurine Mayo is being welcomed home after spending the greater part of the past year with her niece, Mrs. Marion Hall, in Nashville, Tennessee.

During that time, she and Mrs. Hall spent a few weeks visiting with another niece, Mrs. Charlotte Thompson and family in Durham, North Carolina. She also visited with Mrs. Hall's sister-in-law in Arizona. En route home, Miss Mayo stopped in Lexington where she spent some time



Tackett, Herald to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tackett of Grayson announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Dana Dale, to Timothy Alan Herald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Herald of Prestonsburg. The bride-elect is a graduate of East Carter High School and Lexington Community College. She is employed by Humana Hospital of Louisa. The prospective groom is a graduate of Prestonsburg High School and Lexington Community College. He is employed by Highlands Regional Medical Center of Prestonsburg. The gracious custom of open church ceremony will be held at 4 p.m. June 1 at the Lindsey Methodist Church in Grayson.



CHARLES WARNER TRENTON BRADLEY

Charles Warner Trenton Bradley, son of Polly and Randy Bradley of Abbott Creek celebrated his sixth birthday on Saturday, April 6, at the Holiday Inn at Prestonsburg in the Wayland and Wheelwright banquet rooms. He and his friends were entertained by a clown who handed out helium balloons and party bags.

Attending the party were his younger brother, Chance and Case Bradley; younger sister, Whitney Austin Bradley; and friends, Rebecca Spurlock, Charlie Beatty, Jordan Slusher, Dara Ousley, Paul David Francis, Randy O'Neal, Jason Ousley, Jarred McGuire, Gordon Bradley, Amanda McDonald, Sarah Lovett and Jessie Kidd.

Fruit punch, ice cream, cake chips, fresh vegetables and dip were served.

His maternal grandparents are Warner Willis, Jr. of Auxier Road and Mary L. Noakes. His step-grandfather is John Noakes of Prestonsburg. His paternal grandparents are Lula Bell Bradley of Prestonsburg and Charles E. Bradley and his step-grandmother is Della Della M. Bradley of Prestonsburg.

with her sister, Mrs. Anna Allen and family, her nephew, Dr. Porter Mayo and family, and other relatives.

Adah Chapter, OES discusses district meet

Adah Chapter No. 24, Order of the Eastern Star, held a stated meeting at the Lodge Hall Monday, April 22, at 7 p.m. with Mrs. Billie Murdock, worthy matron presiding.

Plans for the District 5 meeting, scheduled to be held at Stone, Kentucky, Saturday, April 27, at 11:30 a.m. were discussed.

Present were Billie Murdock, Shelby Willis, Donald Willis, Roberta Sloan, Belle Conn, Mabel Jean LeMaster, Burieta Gearhart, Jewell Bays, Maman Leslie, Patsy Evans, Paulene Owens, Thelma Hebner and Ronald Hebner.

The next meeting will be held at the same location on May 13 at 8 p.m. Worthy Matron Murdock urges all members to attend.

Church prepares for Bible School

The Rev. Mike Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist Church, has announced that Vacation Bible School will be held July 7-12, from 6:30-8:30 p.m.

The first organizational meeting will be held Tuesday, May 14, at 7 p.m. Rev. Taylor asks that any individuals who can help with this endeavor, contact the church office or Cara Hall.

Spradlins entertain family houseguests

Mr. and Mrs. Jody Spradlin have had with them recently their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mayo Spradlin and their daughter Katie, of Clintonville, Kentucky.

Their present houseguest is Mrs. Spradlin's sister, Mrs. Mary Katherine

Household shower held for Ms. Adkins

A household shower was held for Miss Tonya Adkins, bride-elect of Brian Bailey, at the home of her mother, Lois Adkins of Mare Creek, on April 13. She is the bride-elect of Brian Bailey.

The home was beautiful decorated in colors of purple and lavender, pink and purple. Focal points on the serving table were the shower cake of lavender and teal, which was presented by Madge Bailey, and a pink and white parasol, presented by Linda Tackett.

The oldest member who attended was Ida Hernon, 85, who is the grandmother of the groom. Games were also played during the shower.

Hostesses were Linda Tackett, Many Adkins, Lori Justice and Madge Bailey. Refreshments were made by her friends and family. The serving table was covered lovely by her mother in colors of pink and white lace.

Another reason not to smoke around the kids

Exposure to tobacco—from chewing it, smoking it or living with parents who smoke it—may lower children's HDL cholesterol, increasing their risk of coronary heart disease.

Having one or both parents who smoke daily in the home was associated with HDL-cholesterol levels that were seven percent lower in girls and four percent lower in boys, compared to children of the same sex with non-smoking parents. Paul Pomrehn, M.D., reported on the study at the American Heart Association's 30th annual conference on cardiovascular disease epidemiology.

"This is another reason for parents who smoke to think seriously about the toxic effect their habit has on their children. Maybe those parents who don't quit smoking will at least be more careful about where and when they smoke," said Pomrehn, associate professor of preventive medicine and environmental health at the University of Iowa.

HDL-cholesterol was about eight percent lower in the boys who chewed tobacco once a week or more, compared to boys who did not use tobacco. Chewing tobacco and cigarette smoking had about the same effect on HDL-cholesterol levels, Pomrehn said.

Researchers studied 441 school children in the sixth and seventh grades in 1985. Two years later, they surveyed 255 sixth, seventh and eighth graders. Almost half of the children lived with at least one parent who smoked.

ine Damron of Kingston, Ohio, who is also spending some time visiting with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Vada Damron.

On Sunday, their guests were their relatives, Mrs. Joe Wilson of Nashville and Mrs. Barbara McPherson of Paintsville.

Evans, Price entertain guests

Mr. and Mrs. John Evans and Mrs. Lillia Mae Price have had members of their family as houseguests.

Visiting have been Mrs. Price's daughter, Mrs. Helen Coburn of San Lorenzo, California; her son, Phillip Price of Washington, D.C.; the Evans' granddaughters, Misses Bethany and Emily Evans of Lexington. Their uncle, P.J. Meade of Thelma was a dinner guest on Tuesday.

Gearhart, Sergant attend shower

Miss Burieta Gearhart of Prestonsburg was joined by Jamie Sergant of Paintsville on Sunday, April 28, to attend a miscellaneous shower for Mrs. Lisa Shepherd at Grethel.

Flowers honor Russell May

Flowers on the altar of the First United Methodist Church during services there this past Sunday morning were in memory of Russell May from members of his family.

Day Homemakers to host salad luncheon

Mrs. Frances Pitts, home economist, and Mrs. Dorothy Stover, president of the Prestonsburg Day Homemakers remind members of this group that the salad luncheon will be held Tuesday, May 14, at noon. They urge all members to attend.

Local resident dies

Relatives and friends of Mrs. Victoria Spradlin were saddened to learn of her death this past week. Mrs. Spradlin, who taught for several years in the Prestonsburg schools, touched the lives of many students during that time. She will be missed by them and by all of her friends.

Whitmer welcomed to community

Being welcomed into the Prestonsburg community is Miss Tess Whitmer, who is now residing on First Avenue. Miss Whitmer, who spent several months as a member of the U.S. Armed Forces in the Persian Gulf, is the assistant editor of the Floyd County Times.

Mrs. Rinehart is recuperating

Friends and relatives of Mrs. Venelia Rinehart, who has been seriously ill, will be glad to know that her condition shows some improvement.

Textbook drive is underway

Mrs. Clare Hicks Johnson, former president of the Floyd County Alice Lloyd College Alumni Association is heading a drive for funds to establish a textbook scholarship for needy Floyd County students who attend school at ALC.

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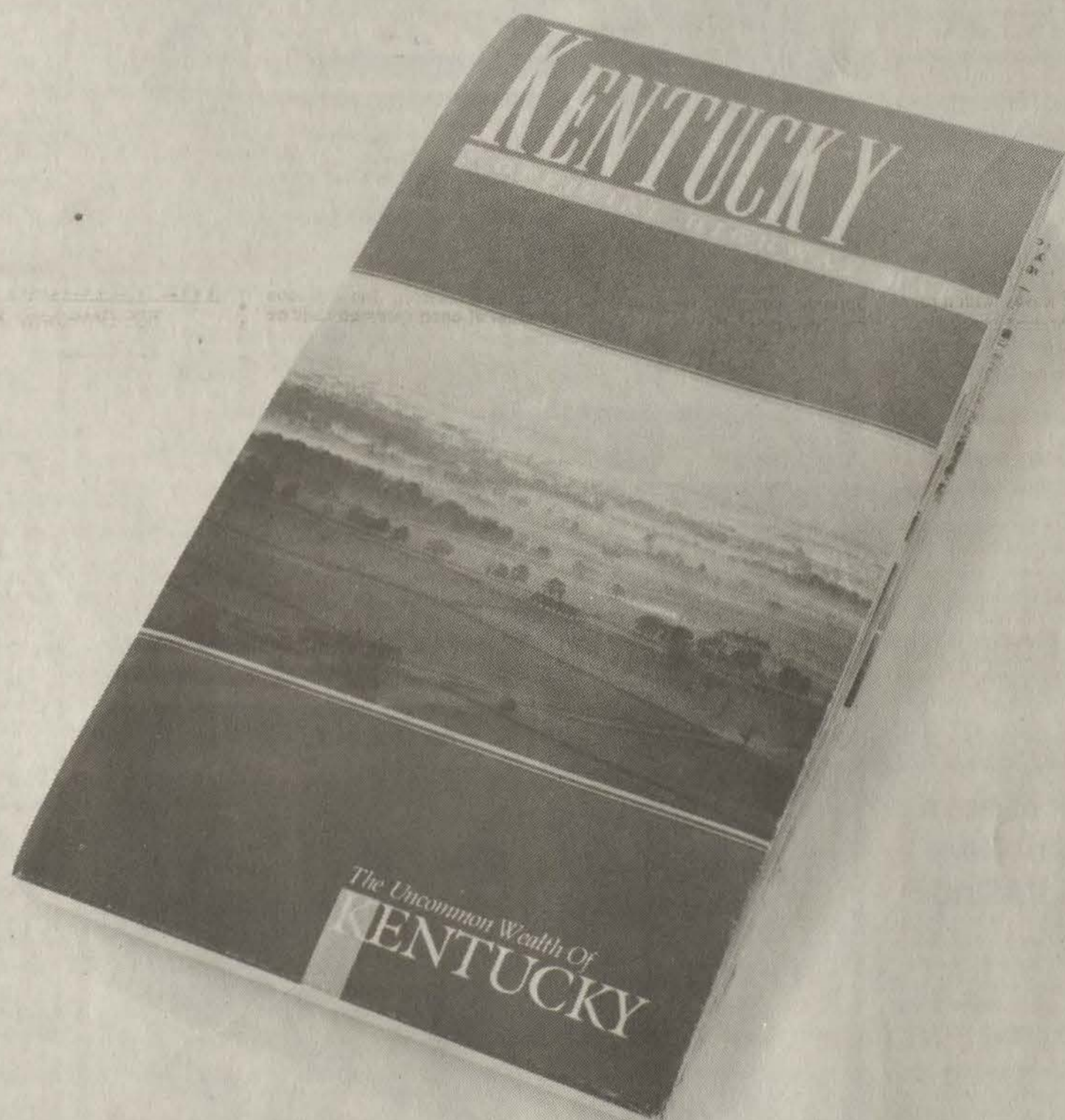
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 Friday: Topmost, Dry Creek, Raven, Dema, locals
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 Tuesday: Knott County, Rock Fork (shopping)

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 Friday: 8 a.m., Martin; 8:30, McDowell.
 Monday: 8 a.m., Martin; 8:30, Allen.
 Tuesday: 8 a.m., Martin; 8:30, Maytown, Stephens Branch, Bucks Branch.

PIKEVILLE METHODIST HOSPITAL

April 18: A daughter, Natasha Danielle, to Dawn Michelle and Clarence Douglas Ward of Kimper.

April 19: A daughter, Kayla Patricia, to Janet Renea and Daniel Shane Estep of Dorton; a daughter, Chansee Rae, to Denise Diane and Earl Dean Gibson of Pikeville; a daughter, Kayla Molette, to Stephanie Ann Moore of Pikeville; and a son, Leonard Charles Eddie, to Pamela Kaye and Leonard Slone of Shelbyana.

April 20: A son, Micheal Marvin, to Pamela Lynn and George Micheal Dotson of Freeburn.

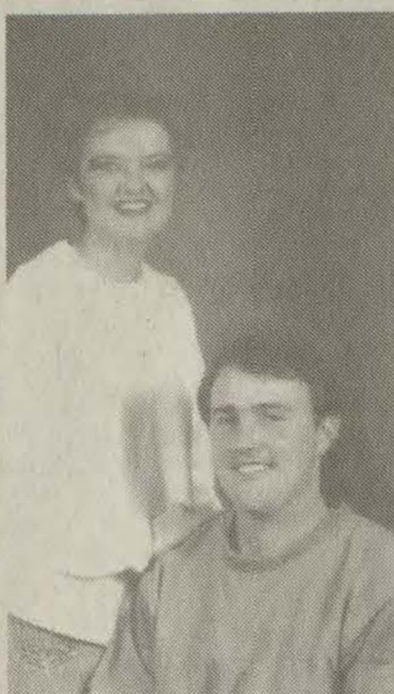
April 21: A son, Jonathan Mackenzie, to Sandra Lynn and Dennis Irvin Salyer of Ashcamp.

April 22: A son, Austin Coty, to Vanessa Renea and Garland Deon Compton of Elkhorn City; a daughter, Terra Brooke, to Jeana Renea Slone of Pikeville; a daughter, Keisha Ann, to Denise and Keith Shawn Hamilton of Dana; a daughter, Re-

becca Lynn, to Pamela Kay and Jerry Vanover of Beecher; a son, Joshua Ray, to Wilma Lee and Douglas Hardin of Stopover.

April 24: A daughter, Bethany Hope, to Diana Chaffins of Mouthcard; a daughter, K'Tina La'Shae McCown, to Billie Lorraine McCown of Pikeville; a son, Brian Kinzer, to Sheril Kaye and Ronnie Kinzer Blankenship of Freeburn; and a son, Keith William, to Bertha May and Dewey Lee Hall of Honaker.

April 25: A daughter, Ayla Dawn Walas, to Rebecca Sue Reynolds of Pikeville; and daughter, Kaci Nicole Giberson, to Barbara Jean Johnson of South Williamson.



Howard, Hutchinson

Ronnie and Kathy Howard of Salyersville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Theresa Marie, to David M. Hutchinson of Martin, son of Eugene and LouAnn Hutchison of Martin. The bride-elect is a graduate of Magoffin County High School and is employed by Dr. Roger May of Salyersville. Her fiancée is a graduate of Allen Central High School and completed six years in the Army Reserve. He is employed by Charles Clearing Co. of Martin County. The couple plan to be married May 25, at 2 p.m. at State Road Fork United Baptist Church at Falcon. The gracious custom of open ceremony will be observed.



Morris-Drew

The marriage of Sherry Lynne Morris and David Keith Drew will be solemnized June 22 at the Theological Seminary in Louisville. Parents of the couple are Rollin and Betty Morris of Louisville and Charles and Ann Drew of Rockford. The bride-to-be graduated from Western High and Western Kentucky University. She is employed as a teacher at Betsy Layne Grade School. Her fiancée graduated from Benton Consolidated High School. He is employed by Woodward Governor Company, Rockton.

Cabbage Patch

By Marie Harmon

Maybe I should have written this for the "County Kettle" column, but as herbs are a garden product, I will use it in this. These tips and uses have been gathered over the years and I can not say they are mine. I have found the most simple, everyday cookery becomes exciting and tastier when a subtle flavoring of herbs is added. A palette of herbs adds variety, color and flavoring to almost any type of food.

The Orientals have used saffron for centuries — to add color and flavor to chicken and rice dishes. Our own garden marigold dried and crushed add the same delicate yellow coloring and an enjoyable, delicate flavor.

One of the most delicious ways to cook peas is in a watertight nest of outside lettuce leaves, with a pat of butter and a few mint leaves added.

Certainly a leg of lamb rubbed with a cut garlic clove and sprinkled with finely chopped rosemary is a culinary treat, and so simple to do.

If herb cookery is new to you, go slowly and use them sparingly, but do try them. In a later issue I will give

growing instructions.

Angelica, a most pleasant and aromatic tasting herb has been used for years. Try the fresh leaves in tossed salads, fruit cups and as an addition to jelly and jam. Or, the candied roots and stems in cookie and cake baking.

Basil, has a clove-like, mildly peppery taste that adds zest to tomato dishes, egg dishes, fish, poultry, game, meat and fish casseroles, soups, stew and salads, or try sprinkling over cooked vegetables.

Dill, a pungent, aromatic herb, has a pleasing taste and flavor. Use fresh leaves and stems chopped fine in salads, meat dishes, stew, soup, or ragout. The seeds are used for pickles and in making herb vinegars. Sprinkle, chopped, on almost all cooked vegetables.

Mint, comes in so many different varieties and flavors. The basic flavor is familiar to everyone. Crushed leaves enlivens fruit drinks, herb or mint tea, iced tea, fruit cups and ice cream, or to flavor icings and candy. It may be used in cooking lamb or mutton, in sauces, jelly or syrup. The spice lends itself to use in salad, cooked with vegetables and in garnishes.

Sage, a wonderful, aromatic and fragrant herb for pork and sausage. Use to flavor cheese, in poultry dressing. Its wonderful in meatloaf, sauces, and sparingly with cooked vegetables.

Onions, the most widely used herb in the world. Chopped fine, add to all appetizers, caviar, seafood, meats, omelettes, souffles, stew or soup, any cooked or raw vegetable, or they can be eaten by themselves raw, boiled, creamed, baked, braised and as a garnish.

Parsley, is widely-known and much used, as a garnish, in salads, cooked meat and vegetable dishes.

Caraway has a very different spicy taste. It is used in soups, salads, cooked vegetables, mashed potatoes. The roots boiled and used as a vegetable, with a taste resembling parsnips. Add fresh chopped leaves to cream cheese and the dried seeds to Christmas cookies.



Garden wedding planned

The marriage of Ms. Mary Grace Bowling of West Prestonsburg and Floyd Anthony Skeans of Prestonsburg will be solemnized in a garden wedding ceremony on Friday, May 10, at 6 p.m. at the home of Ms. Bowling's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Tackett at West Prestonsburg. The gracious custom of an open wedding will be observed. A reception will be held immediately following the ceremony.



Beauty winner

Patricia Kidd, daughter of George and Kay Kidd of Harold and an eighth grade student at Mullins Elementary, attended Miss East Ky. Beauty pageant Sunday, held at the Holiday Inn in Prestonsburg. She won the categories of beauty, all-around beauty, photogenic, high point trophy, Miss Personality, and Miss Eastern Ky. She advances to the state pageant to be held at the Holiday Inn in June.



Engagement announced

Rev. and Mrs. Ronald J. Masters of Prestonsburg, announce the engagement of their daughter Candace to Terrence Wayne Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron A. Smith of Lexington. A July wedding is planned. Miss Masters is a graduate of Morehead State University and is now a teacher and speech coach at Anderson County High School in Lawrenceburg. Mr. Smith is a graduate of both the University of Kentucky and Xavier University. He is currently associated with Aaron Smith Funeral Home in Lexington.

Births

April 26: A son, Johnny Philip Meade, III, to Detrice Denease and Johnny Philip Meade, Jr. of Pikeville.

April 27: A son, Teddy Dean, to Tina Lynn and Teddy Dean Poe of West Prestonsburg.

OUR LADY OF THE WAY HOSPITAL

April 8: A daughter, Alisha Mae, to Patricia Lynn Moore of Lackey.

April 9: A son, Richard Brent, to Michelle and Richard Lee Hall of Kite.

April 11: A son, William Riley, to Brenda Sue Johnson of Weeksbury; and a son, Thomas Adam, to Bobbie Sue and Tommy Collins of Litt Carr.

April 12: A daughter, Sarah Joelle, to Geraldine and Henry Lowell Webb of Prestonsburg.

April 13: A son, Zakary Seth, to Rachel and Walter Ray Redener of Estill.

April 14: A daughter, Hillary Elizabeth, to Elizabeth Ann Ousley of Prestonsburg.

April 15: A son, Clinton James, to Cynthia Jean and Joseph Alan Stepp

of Pippa Passes.
 April 16: A daughter, Kayla Nickoral, to Nickie Renee and Randall Spurlock of Harold; and a daughter, Alisha Danielle, to Paula Jean and Hank Caudill of Kite.

April 18: A son, Justin Lee, to Linda Sue and Jeffery Scott Johnson of Weeksbury.

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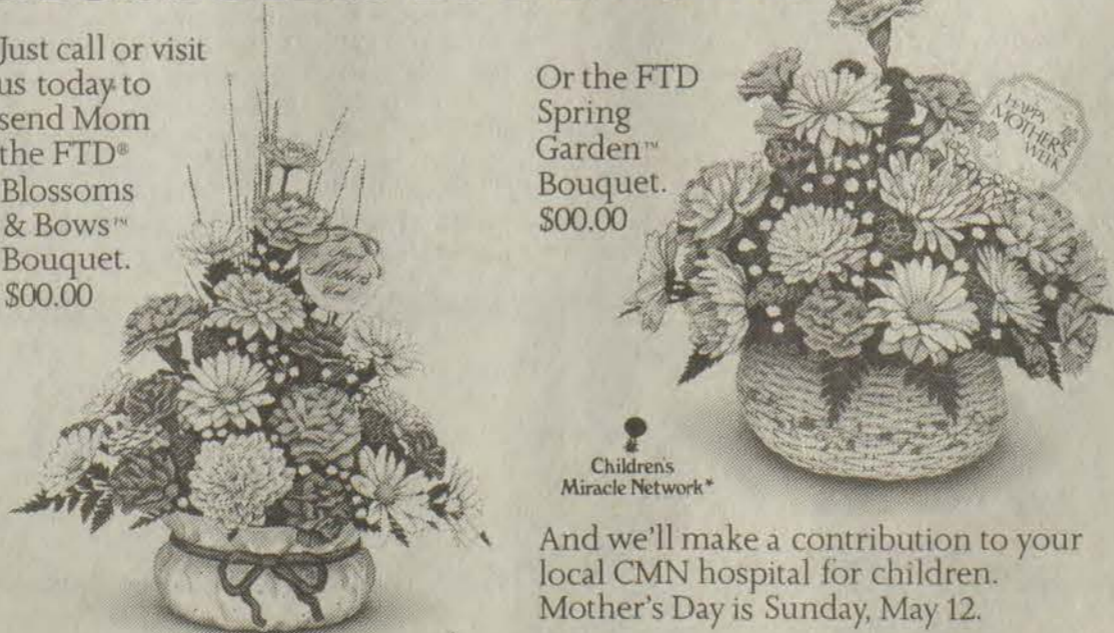
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County Kettle

By Marie Harmon

With tongue in cheek, I write this column featuring some great microwave recipes I ran across. I had the impression that the microwave was only for fast, humdrum cooking. I am learning.

Vegetables cooked in the microwave are more tasty, as the natural flavor, valuable nutrients and freshness are not lost by over cooking and evaporation like in conventional cooking. With the use of little or no water in cooking, your vegetables will retain their color and texture better as well.

NUTTY GREEN BEANS

1 pound green beans
1/2 c. water
3 tbsp. margarine
1/3 c. coarsely chopped pecans
2 tsp. chopped onions
1 clove garlic, crushed
1/4 tsp. salt

Wash beans, remove strings. Cut beans into 1 inch lengths. Place in a 1 1/2 quart casserole, add water. Cover and microwave at HIGH 16 to 17 minutes, or until crisp-tender. Drain and keep warm. Place margarine in a pieplate, microwave at HIGH 50 seconds or until melted. Add remaining ingredients; microwave 2 to 3 minutes or until onion is tender, stirring after each minute. Pour mixture over beans. Stir and toss well to coat. Yield 4 servings.

OKRA MEDLEY

5 slices bacon cut in 1/4 inch pieces
2 c. sliced okra
2 medium tomatoes, chopped
1 c. fresh corn cut from cob
1/2 c. chopped onion
1/4 c. chopped celery
1/4 tsp. salt
5 drops hot sauce

Place bacon pieces in a 2 quart casserole, cover with wax paper; microwave at HIGH for 5 minutes or until crisp. Remove bacon, and discard drippings. Crumble bacon and return to casserole. Stir in remaining ingredients. Cover and microwave at HIGH 10 minutes, stirring after 5 minutes. Yields 6 to 8 servings.

VEGETABLE PLATTER

1 lb. fresh broccoli, cut in 1/2 inch pieces
1/2 head cauliflower, cut into florets
1 med. zucchini cut in 1/4 in. slices
2 tbsp. water
1/4 c. margarine
1/2 tsp. garlic salt

2 med. tomatoes cut in wedges
1/2 c. freshly grated Parmesan cheese

Arrange broccoli and cauliflower around edge of a 12 inch round pizza plate. Place zucchini in center of plate and sprinkle with water. Cover tightly with heavy duty plastic wrap. Roll back a small edge of wrap to allow steam to escape. Microwave at HIGH for 5 to 7 minutes, or until vegetables are crisp-tender, rotating plate once. Let stand covered 2 minutes.

Combine margarine and garlic salt in a glass measure (1 cup). Microwave at HIGH 55 seconds; mix well. Lift plastic wrap from one side of plate and drain. Remove plastic wrap. Arrange tomato wedges around edge of plate. Drizzle margarine mixture over vegetables. Sprinkle with cheese and microwave at HIGH 1 to 2 minutes.

PARMESAN CORN ON THE COB

4 ears fresh corn
1/4 c. softened margarine
1/4 c. grated Parmesan cheese
1 1/2 tsp. chopped fresh parsley
1/4 tsp. dried whole salad herbs

Remove husks and silks from corn just before cooking. Combine margarine and other ingredients, stirring well. Spread mixture on corn and place each ear on a piece of heavy-duty plastic wrap. Roll wrap lengthwise around each ear and twist wrap at ends. Arrange corn spoke-fashion on a microwave-safe glass plate. Microwave at HIGH 10 to 13 minutes, rearranging corn occasionally.

BASIL SNOW PEAS AND TOMATOES

1 lb. fresh snow peas

2 tbsp. margarine
1/4 c. chopped onion
1 tsp. soy sauce
1 1/2 tsp. minced fresh or dried basil
1/2 tsp. salt
2 medium, chopped tomatoes

Wash peas pods and trim ends. Remove any tough strings. Set aside. Place margarine in a shallow 2 1/2 quart casserole, microwave at HIGH 45 seconds, or until melted. Add snow peas, chopped onion, soy sauce, basil and salt. Toss gently. Cover and microwave at HIGH 4-5 minutes. Yield 8 servings.

HALIBUT STEAKS ITALIANO

3/4 c. chopped tomatoes
1 1/2 c. sliced fresh mushrooms
1/4 c. chopped onions
1/4 c. chopped green peppers
2 tbsp. minced fresh parsley
1 clove garlic, minced
1/2 tsp. dried whole oregano
1 tsp. lemon juice
4 halibut steaks with skin
1/4 tsp. pepper
fresh parsley sprigs (optional)
lemon slices (optional)

Combine first 8 ingredients in a 12x8x2 inch baking dish; stir well and distribute vegetables evenly in dish. Cover with heavy duty plastic wrap, fold back a small edge to allow steam to escape, and microwave at HIGH for 4 minutes, giving dish a 1/2 turn after 2 minutes. Spoon vegetables to one side of dish. Arrange fish with thickest side to the outside of dish. Sprinkle with pepper, and spoon vegetables over fish. Cover with plastic and microwave at HIGH 4 minutes, giving dish a half turn after 2 minutes. Cook until fish turns opaque. Let stand covered 3 to 5 minutes. Fish is done if it flakes easily when tested with a fork. If desired garnish with parsley and lemon slices.

APPLE-CARROT STUFFED FILLETS

1/2 c. peeled, shredded apples
1/2 c. shredded carrots
1/4 c. diced onions
2 tbsp. minced parsley
1 tsp. lemon juice
1 tsp. oil
1/4 tsp. dried whole thyme
1/8 tsp. ginger
1/8 tsp. salt
1/8 tsp. white pepper
4 (4 ounce skinned grouper fillets, or other lean white fish
1/4 c. dry white wine
carrot curls (optional)
parsley sprigs (optional)

Combine first 10 ingredients in a 12x8x2 inch baking dish. Cover with plastic wrap and microwave at HIGH 5 to 6 minutes, until vegetables are crisp-tender. Tuck fillet ends under to make a thicker portion of fish. On top side, make a diagonal slit from lower left to upper right, cutting almost through fillet. Stuff each fillet with 1/4 cup vegetable mixture. Arrange fillets with filling side up in a 8 inch square baking dish, add wine and cover with wax paper. Microwave at HIGH 6 minutes, giving dish a half turn after 3 min. Cook until fish turns opaque. Let stand 3 to 5 minutes, covered. Fish is done when flaky. Transfer to serving dish and garnish with carrot curls and parsley, if desired.

HOT VEGETABLE PEPPER CUP

4 medium sweet peppers
4 slices bacon
1 1/2 c. sliced okra
1 1/2 c. fresh corn cut from cob
1 jalapeno (HOT) pepper chopped
3 tsp. water 1/4 tsp. salt
1/8 tsp. pepper

Cut off tops of peppers and remove all seeds. Wash peppers and place, cut side down in a 8-inch square baking dish. Cover and microwave at HIGH 4 to 5 minutes, giving dish a half turn at 2 minute intervals until peppers are crisp-tender.

Place bacon on a rack in a 12x8x2 inch baking dish, and cover. Microwave at HIGH 4 minutes, until crisp. Remove bacon, reserving 1 tbsp. drippings. Crumble bacon and set aside.

Add okra, corn, jalapenos and water

to bacon drippings. Cover and microwave at HIGH 8 to 9 minutes, until tender. Stir in salt pepper and half of crumbled bacon. Fill pepper cups with corn mixture. Set filled peppers on a microwave safe serving platter. Cover and microwave at HIGH 1 minute until peppers are heated thoroughly. Sprinkle cups with remaining crumbled bacon.

To test any older dish to see if it is microwave safe is simple. Place 1/2 cup water in the dish and microwave at HIGH for one minute. If the water is hot and the dish is cool, it is safe. If the dish is even warm do not use it in your microwave. Be very careful about using plastic that is not marked microwave safe, as they can melt.

MACARONI AND CHEESE

1 (8 oz.) pkg. elbow macaroni
3 c. water
1/4 tsp. salt
1/4 c. butter or margarine
1/4 c. plus 2 tsp. all purpose flour
1/4 tsp. salt
2 c. milk
2 c. shredded cheese (8 oz.)
1 (2 oz.) jar diced pimento, drained
1 tsp. butter or margarine
1/3 c. fine dry bread crumbs
1/2 tsp. parsley flakes

Combine macaroni, water and 1/4 teaspoon salt in a deep 2-quart casserole. Cover tightly with heavy duty plastic wrap, fold back a small edge to allow steam to escape. Microwave at HIGH 10 to 12 min. until macaroni is tender, stirring after 5 minutes. Drain well and set aside.

Place 1/4 cup butter or margarine in a 4-cup glass measure; microwave uncovered at HIGH 55 seconds, until melted. Blend in flour and 1/4 teaspoon salt, stirring until smooth. Gradually stir in milk; microwave at HIGH uncovered 5 to 6 minutes until thickened, stir after every minute. Add cheese, stirring until melted, stir in pimento. Add cheese sauce to macaroni mixture, stirring well. Place mixture in a 1 1/2 quart casserole. Cover tightly with plastic wrap, fold back a small edge to allow steam to escape. Microwave at MED HIGH 7 to 8 minutes, stirring after 4 minutes. Place 1 tablespoon butter in a 1 quart glass measure, microwave at HIGH 35 seconds until melted. Stir in bread crumbs and parsley flakes. Sprinkle over macaroni let stand one minute. Serve immediately. Yield 6 servings.

ICE CREAM CAKE

1 pkg. chocolate cake mix with pan (microwave)
1 pt. coffee ice cream
1 c. whipping cream
2 tsp. coffee-flavored liqueur
1/4 c. chopped pecans
1/2 c. commercial chocolate sauce (optional)

Prepare cake according to package directions. Cool completely. Split the cake, making two layers. Soften ice cream by microwaving at MEDIUM LOW 30 to 45 seconds. Place one layer of cake on cake plate, spread with softened ice cream. Freeze Top with second layer. Cover and freeze 8 hours.

Beat whipping cream until foamy, add coffee flavored liqueur beating until stiff peaks form. Frost top and sides of cake with 1 cup whipped cream. Pipe the remaining whipped cream around top and base of cake. Place pecans in a pieplate, microwave at HIGH 3 minutes, stirring once. Cool. Sprinkle pecans over cake top. Serve immediately with chocolate sauce, if desired, or freeze, then thaw 15 minutes before serving.

QUICK AND EASY FUDGE

1 (16 oz.) pkg. powdered sugar
1/2 c. cocoa
1/4 c. milk
1 tsp. vanilla
1/4 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. cinnamon
1/2 c. butter or margarine
1 c. chopped pecans

Line bottom of a 8-inch square baking dish with wax paper, set aside. Combine first 6 ingredients in a 2 quart casserole, stirring gently. Add butter, microwave uncovered at HIGH 2 to 3 minutes or until thoroughly heated. Stir until smooth. Stir

in pecans. Pour mixture into prepared pan. Refrigerate until firm, cut into squares. Yield 16 squares.

ORANGE ROUGHY WITH SPINACH PESTO

1 pkg. frozen chopped spinach (10 oz.)
1 c. shredded part-skim mozzarella cheese, divided
1/4 c. Parmesan cheese (grated)
1 small clove garlic, minced
2 tbsp. chopped onion
1 tbsp. pine nuts
2 tbsp. dried whole basil leaves
1/4 tsp. dried whole marjoram leaves
1/8 tsp. white pepper
3 tbsp. dry white wine
1/3 c. low-fat yogurt
6 skinned orange roughy fillets (or any other lean white fish)

Remove wrapper from spinach, place in a flat baking dish and pierce with a fork. Microwave at HIGH 4 minutes until thawed. Drain-press between layers of paper towels. Combine with 1/2 cup mozzarella cheese and next 9 ingredients in a blender container. Process at medium speed until mixture is smooth.

Arrange fish in a single layer in a 12x8x2 inch baking dish. Spread spinach mixture evenly over fish. Cover with wax paper and microwave at HIGH 3 minutes. Give dish a half turn and sprinkle fish with remaining 1/2 cup mozzarella cheese. Microwave at HIGH 3 to 4 minutes, or until fish turns opaque; let stand, covered 5 min. Fish is done when flakes easily when tested with a fork.

HADDOCK FILLETS WITH ZUCCHINI STUFFING

1 c. soft breadcrumbs
1/2 c. unpeeled shredded zucchini
1/2 c. diced onions
1/4 c. diced celery
1 tsp. minced fresh parsley
1/4 tsp. dried whole tarragon
1/4 tsp. pepper
1/4 tsp. dried whole rosemary
1 tsp. oil
4 skinned haddock fillets
4 (1/4 inch thick) tomato slices
fresh parsley sprigs (optional)

Combine first 9 ingredients in bowl, toss gently. Cover with wax paper and microwave at HIGH 4 minutes. Pull up short ends of each fish fillet, forming a cylinder, and secure with wooden picks. Arrange fish with open area upward in a 8 inch square dish. Fill centers of cylinders with stuffing mixture. Cover with wax paper. Microwave at HIGH for 4 minutes, giving dish a 1/2 turn after 2 min. Cook until fish turns opaque. Let stand covered 5 minutes. Fish is done when it flakes easily when tested with a fork. Place tomato slices on a serving platter; microwave at HIGH, 2 minutes, or until heated. Place fish rolls on top of tomato slices; garnish with parsley, if desired.

CHOCOLATE LOAF BREAD

1/2 c. milk
1/4 c. butter or margarine
1/4 c. sugar
1/4 tsp. salt
1 1/2 squares unsweetened chocolate
1 pkg. dry yeast
1/4 c. warm water
2 eggs, beaten
3 to 3 1/2 c. all purpose flour
Vegetable cooking spray
Glaze (recipe follows)

Combine milk, butter, sugar and salt in a small glass bowl; Microwave at HIGH 1 1/2 to 2 minutes, until butter melts. Cool. Place chocolate in a med. custard cup. Microwave at MEDIUM 2 to 2 1/2 minutes until chocolate melts, stir well, let cool.

Dissolve yeast in warm water in a large mixing bowl. Stir in milk mixture, chocolate, eggs and 2 cups flour. Beat at medium speed until smooth. Stir in enough remaining flour to make a soft dough. Turn the dough onto a floured surface and knead until smooth and elastic. Place in a well greased bowl, turning to grease top. Set in a larger, shallow dish; pour hot water in bottom dish 1 inch. Cover dough loosely with wax paper. Microwave at MEDIUM LOW 2 minutes, let stand in microwave 5 minutes. Repeat microwaving and standing 3

times until dough is double in bulk, giving the dish a quarter turn after each microwaving. Carefully turn dough over in bowl if surface appears to be drying out. Punch dough down. Turn dough out on floured surface, and roll to a 18x9 inch rectangle. Roll up dough, jellyroll fashion starting at short end. Place, seam side down in a greased 9x5x3 inch loaf dish. Return loaf dish to hot water dish. Repeat microwaving-standing 2 to 3 times until double in bulk. Place dish on an inverted saucer in the microwave oven. Microwave at MEDIUM 7 to 8 minutes, until top springs back when touched lightly, giving the dish a quarter turn every 3 minutes. Invert bread onto a serving platter and let stand 10 minutes. Drizzle glaze over warm loaf and serve.

GLAZE

1 c. sifted powdered sugar
1 1/2 tsp. milk
1/2 tsp. vanilla

Combine all ingredients, stirring well. Yield about 1/3 cup enough for one loaf.

CREAMY LEMON DRESSING

2 tbsp. lemon juice
2 tbsp. red wine vinegar
1 tbsp. brown mustard
1/4 tsp. garlic powder
1 egg yolk
1/2 c. oil

Combine first 4 ingredients in a bowl of a food processor fitted with a steel blade. Process 15 seconds, add egg yolk and process 15 seconds. With processor running gradually add oil in a slow, steady stream, mixing until just well blended.

SPECIAL CHICKEN SALAD

4 chicken breasts halves, skinned
2 tbsp. chopped onions
1/4 c. water
1 lemon
1/4 c. mayonnaise
1 tsp. dry mustard
1/2 tsp. curry powder
1 (2 oz.) pkg. slivered almonds
1 (11 oz.) can mandarin oranges, drained
1 c. seedless grapes, halved
bibb lettuce leaves

Arrange chicken in a 2 quart shallow casserole, placing thickest portions to outside of dish; sprinkle with onion. Add water, cover with heavy-duty plastic wrap. Microwave at HIGH 5 minutes. Give dish a half turn and microwave at HIGH 5 minutes, until chicken is done; drain. Let cool. Remove chicken from bone. Chop. Microwave lemon at HIGH 30 seconds. Cut lemon in half, juice and discard seeds. Combine lemon juice and next 3 ingredients, stir well.

Spread almonds on a glass plate. Microwave at HIGH 3 minutes, stirring once. Set aside 2 tablespoons almonds. Combine chicken, oranges, grapes, and remaining almonds. Add mayonnaise mixture and toss. Arrange on lettuce leaves, sprinkle with remaining almonds.

GERMAN-STYLE POTATO SALAD

5 new potatoes, unpeeled and sliced
1/4 c. water
6 slices bacon
2 tbsp. all-purpose flour
1 tsp. plus 1 tsp. sugar
3/4 tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. celery seed
1/2 tsp. pepper
3/4 c. water
1/4 c. vinegar

Place potatoes in a 2-quart casserole, and add 1/4 cup water. Cover with heavy-duty plastic wrap and microwave at HIGH 5 to 7 minutes, stirring once. Let stand covered for 5 minutes. Drain.

Place bacon on a rack in a 12x8x2 inch baking dish. Cover with paper towels. Microwave at HIGH 5 to 7 minutes, until bacon is crisp. Drain bacon, reserving drippings in dish; crumble bacon and set aside. Add onions to bacon drippings; microwave at HIGH 1 to 2 minutes, until onions are transparent. Stir in flour and next 4 ingredients. Microwave at HIGH 1 1/2 minutes, and stir until smooth. Add 3/4 cup water and vinegar to onion mixture, mix well. Microwave at HIGH 3 to 4 minutes, stirring

after 2 minutes. Add potatoes and half crumbled bacon, mixing well. Garnish with remaining bacon. Serve warm.

SOUR CREAM COFFEECAKE

1 c. margarine, softened
1 1/2 c. sugar
3 eggs
1 tsp. vanilla
3 c. sifted all purpose flour
2 1/2 tsp. baking powder
1 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. baking soda
1 c. sour cream
1/2 c. milk
1/4 c. brown sugar, firmly packed
1 tsp. cinnamon
1/2 c. chopped pecans

Preheat oven to 350° F. Grease and flour a 12-cup bundt pan or a 10-inch tube pan. Cream margarine and sugar together until light and fluffy. Add eggs one at a time, beating well after each addition. Blend in vanilla. Sift flour, baking powder, salt and soda together. Add to creamed mixture alternately with sour cream and milk, beginning and ending with flour mixture. Mix well after each addition. Spoon half of the batter into prepared pan. Combine brown sugar, cinnamon and pecans. Sprinkle mixture evenly over first half of batter in pan. Spoon remaining batter over filling. Bake 55 to 60 minutes or until toothpick inserted one inch from edge comes out clean. Cool in pan 10 minutes, turn out onto wire rack and cool completely. Makes 12 to 15 servings.

PANFRIED CHICKEN

1 fryer, cut up
milk
3/4 c. flour
1 tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. pepper
oil
cream gravy

Place chicken in single layer in an 8-inch square baking dish. Add milk to cover. Let stand one hour, turning once. Mix flour, salt and pepper on a waxed paper or in a bag. Remove chicken from milk; coat with seasoned flour. In a large skillet heat 1/2 inch oil to 375°. Put dark meat in pan first; add white meat 5 minutes later. Fry, turning often with tongs, 20 to 30 minutes until chicken is fork tender. Drain and keep warm while making gravy.

CREAM GRAVY

pan drippings
3 tbsp. flour
1 1/2 c. half and half
1/2 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. pepper

Pour off all but 3 tablespoons drippings, stir in flour. Cook over low heat until lightly browned. Gradually add half and half, stirring until smooth. Simmer until thickened. Salt and pepper.

BRAISED VEAL CHOPS

2 tbsp. butter
2 tbsp. oil
6 veal chops 3/4 in. thick
1 1/2 tsp. salt
pepper to taste
3/4 c. heavy cream

Heat butter in a large skillet, with oil. Brown chops 2 to 3 minutes on each side. Season with salt and pepper. Add cream, cover and simmer 20 to 40 minutes until fork tender. Serve with pan juice.

SAUTEED CHICKEN LIVERS

2 tbsp. butter
2 tbsp. oil
1 pound chicken livers
1/4 c. Madeira
salt and pepper to taste

In heavy skillet, heat butter and oil; add livers and cook very quickly, moving them about in the pan until dark brown and crisp. Remove to warm platter. Turn heat up very high and add Madeira. Let come to boil as you scrape up pan drippings. Pour over liver. Add salt and pepper.

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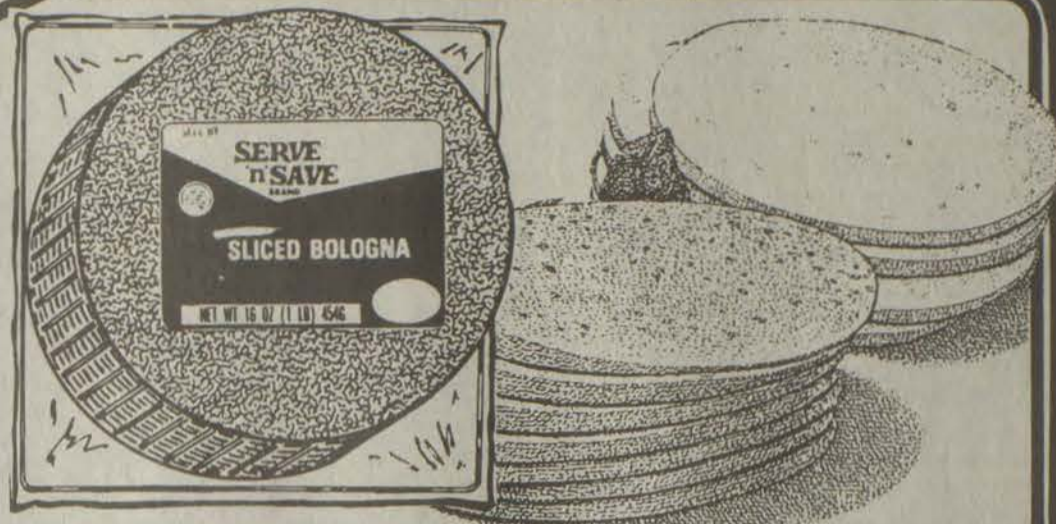
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Loafer's Glory:

Stories heard while remembering honky tonks

By Barbara Martin

Last winter, while sitting in a Martin restaurant, I began to observe the differences in today's public eating facilities and those in the days when I grew up. Back then if you were away from home and wanted fast food, you risked your reputation and even your life by entering a honky tonk to eat. Beer and hard liquor could be purchased over the counter, and stools waited for those who wanted to sit with their feet on the rail and feel miserable while they downed their drinks. Several small tables with four chairs were also available for customer comfort while they ate.

It was a place to escape from life's worries and a place to buy some nourishment but at a great risk. People who went there were tough and fights broke out many times. Shots were fired as the mountain communities grew. Most people shunned such places because much mischief was woven there.

The music could be heard a long way down the street, coming from a jukebox, which required a few coins to cause it to burst forth in song and music. Mountain people, musical in nature, found it hard to resist. Many, who may or may not have been liquored up, would start swaying to the music as soon as they entered the door. This was called going honky tonking.

My mother would not allow me to go into such a place. If we made a day-long trip to Prestonsburg, as many people often did, we ate ice cream from the drug store fountain or the 5¢ & 10¢ stores, who sold dipped cones. If there was a great need for food, my dad went into a restaurant, purchased

food, and carried it out to the car to us. To save money, he often brought makings for sandwiches and pop at Krogers. We assembled our own.

So honky tonk restaurants were a great mystery to me. When I was old enough to be allowed to go to a movie with a group of teenagers, I disobeyed and entered one at Martin after a movie. I was assured that the place was clean and there was no danger involved. The place offered both booths and small tables where you could sit with your friends and talk while you waited for your order to be prepared and carried to you. Two teenagers, Mary Ann Wilson (McCombs) and L. C. McCloud danced to the music of a juke box. Whiskey and beer sales were absent. This type of restaurant caught on. Maybe hungry movie goers demanded a change on Sunday as appetites had to be satisfied. Supper time was several hours away.

Today's restaurants have eliminated the high risk factors, improved on the food and the time required to supply orders, and kept music in a more modified way, to calm the nerves. Quality is the same everyday of the week. Many Senior Citizens prefer to eat out as opposed to carrying food home to be prepared. Day laborers choose to grab a quick bite at lunchtime without having to pack one in advance at home. All this you know, but have you noticed the splendid companionship and interesting conversations, which can be found in these places?

While I was making these observations of restaurant change, in sauntered a man of ole time character. Most customers wore jeans and sweat shirts, or regular work suits, but this

modern day customer had hung onto some of the old ways of dress.

He wore a hat and boots of western extraction. On his left hand was a ring with a crest shaped like an American Eagle. His right hand, index finger, sported an attractive silver ring, which was decorated with turquoise. Each wrist was snugly held by leather wristbands worked in silver. You could tell that he was a man of distinction by his appearance. But what was his story?

As he passed my table, the gentleman who was seated with me asked him how the bull riding business was coming these days. He made a remark of some sort and walked on back to the corner booth where he sat down. Since I was seated facing him I could not help but observe him. He crossed his legs, set his coffee down onto the table, and sat in the typical smoker's pose—arm bent, elbow on the table, while the hand extended upward with a lighted cigarette between two fingers. I guessed his age to be about 55 years. He was greying slightly in the temples, and his complexion was beginning to mellow.

Soon I began to think that I had seen him somewhere. My companion had called him Mr. Gibson. This name did not go along with my recollections. As he was leaving, my friend asked him to stop and talk awhile. He told us his name was Chester Thomas, who lives on Rock Fork Coal Creek, near Garrett.

John and the bull
Many years ago Ike Slater bought a bull over in Quick Sand. He loaded

it into his truck and started home. The bull was so fierce that it tore up his truck bed and escaped into the woods somewhere near the head of Rock Fork. Mr. Slater immediately offered a \$25 reward to anyone who could bring the bull to his home on Stone Coal Creek, near Garrett.

The mysterious customer, Chester Thomas, who lives on Rock Fork recalled how he, his brothers, Karu, Noah, and John Gibson, and some friends tracked the bull for days through the mountains. With the use of dogs they were able to find it, wear it down, and trap it in a brush pile. They knew that the bull was so strong that it scooted a 2 ton truck 3 feet with each blow of its head. They threw on strong ropes, like you would to tame a wild horse and kept it busy. When it became subdued enough, one of them climbed onto its back and rode it like a horse.

The Slaters had not expected to see it again. About a week and a half after the bull had escaped, they heard a strange commotion outside. When they went to investigate there was John Gibson sitting on the bull. By changing places, they were able to keep it conquered. They had rode it home, not thru the mountains, but down the highway! They collected the money from the owner, which was quite a lot of cool cash at that time.

The bull was pretty well defeated and responded to directions like a humble cow. The boys took it to the

barn and shut it up in a stall, as directed by Mr. Slater. Now that it was again in their possession, they did not mean to let it escape. Before he could get his vim and vigor back, plans were set into motion to prepare him or the family food supply.

(Permission to tell this story was also given by a member of the Slater family.)

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Homemaker's News

By Francis Pitts, extension agent

Housing showcase

On May 11, Housing Showcase for the 90's will be held at the Carriage House in Paintsville, from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m.

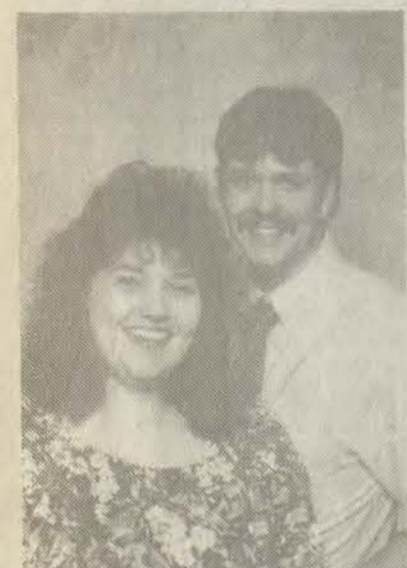
Topics will include Kitchen Planning, Energy Saving Tactics, Building and Remodeling, Lighting, Drapes and Window Treatment and Picture Framing.

Presenters will be Dr. William Murphey, Dr. Larry Piercy and Dr. Linda Reese from the University of Kentucky, Jean Adams, area kitchen planner, Tammy Moore, owner of Hall of Frames, and Kay Holbrook and Martha Young, U.K. extension agents.

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McCoy, Thompson to wed May 24



Mr. and Mrs. Tracy McCoy of McCombs announce the engagement of their daughter, Tracy Renee, to Anthony Grant Thompson, son of Mrs. Betty Reed of Boise, Idaho, and Bob Thompson of McCombs.

The bride-elect is a 1988 graduate of Johns Creek High School and attended Prestonsburg Community College. She is employed by Highlands Regional Medical Center. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vanzant of Corbin and Oscar McCoy of McCombs and the late Nannie McCoy.

Thompson is a 1982 graduate of Caldwell High School and attended Boise State University. He is employed by Tug Valley Hardwoods. He is the grandson of Mabel Thompson of Pikeville and the late Nicholas Thompson, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Subia.

The candlelight ceremony will be held at 6:30 p.m. Friday, May 24, at the Mayflower Unity Baptist church on Cowpen Road, Pikeville. The custom of an open ceremony will be observed.

gram is free and there will be door prizes.

Extension activities

Allen Homemakers will meet May 9 at 1 p.m. at the Allen Baptist Church.

Wheelwright Night Homemakers will meet on May 9 at 7 p.m. at Wheelwright.

Martin Homemakers will meet on May 13 at 7 p.m. with a salad supper.

Day Prestonsburg Homemakers will meet on May 14 at noon with a salad luncheon.

The state homemakers will meet in Lexington May 15 through 17.

The area homemakers' camp will be May 20 through 31 at the area 4-H camp.

The Swedish Weaving Workshop will be June 4 at 6:30 p.m. at Auxier. Register by June 3.

The Quilt Workshop will be June 5 at the Courthouse Annex at 10 a.m. Register by June 3 and learn a quick, new way to do the Dresden Plate Quilt Pattern.

Extension Service News

Wasps, hornets active

by Ellen Brightwell

Increased wasp and hornet activity is underway as fertilized queens, who spent the winter in protected sites, are beginning to establish nests.

"While wasps and hornets can be beneficial insects, eating large numbers of caterpillars and other pests, their nests around homes can be a dangerous nuisance," said Bessin, who is also an extension specialist.

"Wasp and hornet control now can prevent the establishment of large nests that can be a problem to live with and a threat later in the summer," Bessin added. "Pyrethrin or Resmethrin sprays are effective controls when applied directly to nests. Treat at night and wear protective clothing."

Bald-faced hornets, which tend to nest in trees and buildings, are about 3/4 of an inch long and have black and white markings. Giant hornets nest in trees, wall voids or the ground. They are brown and yellow, generally about 1 1/8 inch long. Both types have spindle-shaped abdomens tipped with a strong stinger.

Yellow jackets are another growing problem this time of year, Bessin added. They build flat paper nests, enclosed in a paper envelope, usually in the ground or other hidden locations. They are 1/2 inch long and are bright yellow and black.



Lewis, Crum to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Lewis of Lookout, announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Kristina Beth, to Edward Ray Crum, son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Crum of Ashcamp. Crum is the grandson of Ms. Thelma Crum of Ashcamp, the late Ed Crum and the late Mr. and Mrs. Ray Phipps. The future groom is a graduate of Elkhorn City High School and Mayo State Vocational School. He is employed as a trooper for the Kentucky State Police. The bride-elect is a graduate of Millard High School and is employed by Dr. William R. Anderson. She is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Lewis and the late Mr. and Mrs. John B. Mays. The ceremony will take place on Saturday, June 1, at 2:30 in the afternoon at the Hylton Freewill Baptist Church on Elkhorn Creek with Homer Lee Mullins officiating. The custom of open church wedding will be observed.

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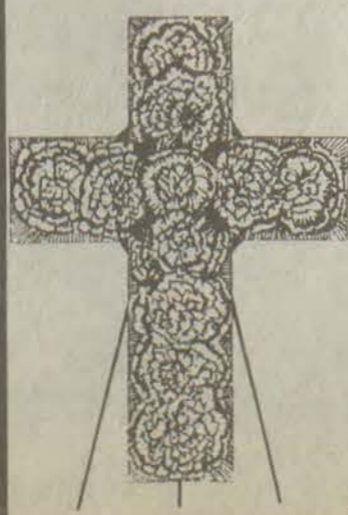
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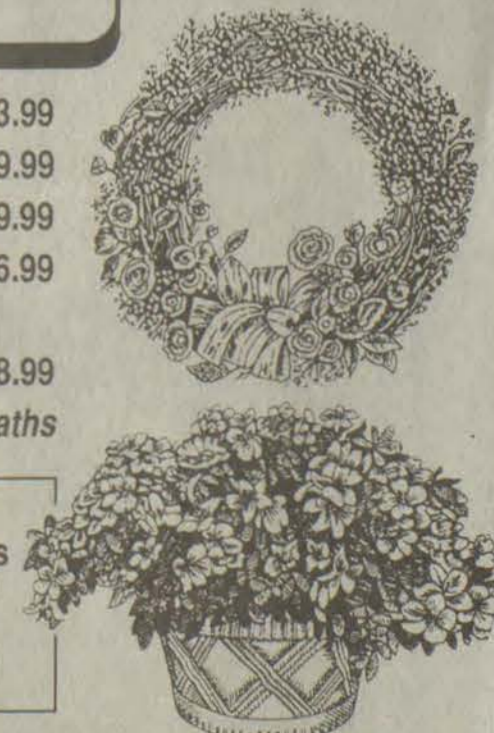
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FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
RONALD L. HAGER, SUPERINTENDENT
ARNOLD AVENUE
PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY 41653

EMPLOYEE PROMOTIONAL PROGRAM VACANCY POSTING NOTICE

April 11, 1991 May 22, 1991
DATE OPEN DATE CLOSED
OFFICIAL TITLE OF POSITION:
Family Service Worker/Coordinator
JOB LOCATION: Floyd County Head
Start Central Office, Prestonsburg, Ky.
SALARY RANGE: \$8,575 - 13,383 (10
months position)
CONTACT PERSON: Pete Grigsby,
Jr., Assistant Superintendent
BRIEF JOB DESCRIPTION: Will keep
open lines of communication between
the classroom and the home through
social services, making parents aware
of community services, encouraging
parents to take an active part in the
Policy Committee, visiting the class-
room as much as possible, taking an
active role in the activities of the
program, and seeing that parents have
an opportunity to attend meetings.
MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS: Ideally,
have a Family Service Associate
or a degree in Family Service Studies
with three years of experience or train-
ing in welfare or community service
work. Ability to establish working
relationships with staff members of a
wide variety of agencies and institu-
tions. Have a valid Ky. automobile
driver's license and access to a car.
ADDITIONAL JOB REQUIRE-
MENTS: Must pass a criminal re-
cords check.

Applicant must submit an up-dated,
signed application to the Superintendent
of the Floyd County Board of
Education no later than May 22, 1991
to be considered for an interview.

*Applicant will be notified for an
interview as soon as arrangements
have been completed.

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tion does not discriminate on the
basis of race, color, national origin,
age, religion, marital status, sex or
handicap in employment, educa-
tional programs, or activities as set
forth in Title IX & VI & in Section
504. W-4/17, 4/24, 5/1, 5/8, 5/15

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 836-9002

In accordance with the provisions
of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given
that BeBe Coal Corporation, P.O. Box
3428, Pikeville, Kentucky 41502, has
filed an application for renewal for a
refuse disposal coal processing facility
affecting 22.4 acres located 0.5
miles west of Harold in Floyd County.

The proposed operation is approxi-
mately 0.4 miles from KY. Rt. 1426's
junction with KY. Rt. 979 and located
at the junction of Mud Creek and
Little Mud Creek. The latitude is 37°
32' 06". The longitude is 82° 38' 38".
The surface area is owned by E. Conn.

The proposed operation is located
on the Harold U.S.G.S. 7-1/2 minute
quadrangle map. The operation will
affect an area within 100 feet of public
road KY Rt. 1426. The operation will
not involve relocation of the public
road.

The application has been filed for
public inspection at the Department
for Surface Mining Reclamation and
Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional
Office, 503 South Lake Drive, Prestons-
burg, Kentucky 41653. Written
comments, objections, or requests for
a permit conference must be filed
with the Director of the Division of
Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127
South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.
W-4/24, 5/1, 5/8, 5/15

LEGAL NOTICE: Civil Action No.
91-83, U.S. v. Dewey Wallen, et al.,
has been filed in U.S. District Court in
the Eastern District of Kentucky to
foreclose a mortgage on certain real
estate in Floyd County, Kentucky. A
copy of the Complaint has been
lodged with the U.S. District Court
Clerk, Federal Building, Pikeville,
Kentucky for all the heirs of Lizzie
Wallen, known and unknown, includ-
ing Dewey Wallen and Alta Mae
Wallen, William Wallen and Linda
Wallen, Wayne Wallen and Zella
Wallen, Teresa Wallen, Alex Wallen,
Irene Wallen, and any other person
or entity claiming an interest in the
property described in the complaint.
Any heir, known or unknown, per-
son or entity claiming an interest in
the property must file an answer or
other pleading in said Court on or
before May 20, 1991. If no pleading is
filed, a default judgment will be en-
tered against all defendants, known
and unknown. Sherman Hansford,
United States Marshal, Eastern Dis-
trict of Kentucky.

W-4/3, 4/10, 4/17, 4/24, 5/1, 5/8

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application Number 636-8007 Major Revision #1

(1) In accordance with the provisions
of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given
that Middle States Coal Com-
pany, Inc., P.O. Box 1490, Indiantown,
FL 34956 has filed an application for
a major revision to an existing coal
processing and refuse disposal facility.
This major revision proposes to
add an additional 0.76 acres of sur-
face disturbance for a total proposed
permit acreage of 41.59 acres located
0.05 miles East of David in Floyd
County.

(2) The proposed major revision
area is approximately 0.15 miles West
from Rough & Tough Creek Road's
junction with Ky. Rt. 404 and is lo-
cated on either side of Lick Fork of
Middle Creek. The latitude is 37 deg.
36 min. 57 sec. The longitude is 82
deg. 53 min. 6.2 sec.

(3) The proposed major revision is
located on the David U.S.G.S. 7 1/2
minute quadrangle map. The surface
area to be disturbed by this major
revision is owned by the Lick Fork
Processing, Inc. The operation will
affect an area with 100 feet of public
road KY 404. The operation will not
involve relocation of the public road.

(4) This major revision proposes
the addition of two (2) constructed
Excavated Silt Structures (located
immediately adjacent KY Route 404)
and associated Road Corridor &
Diversion.

(5) The major revision application
has been filed for public inspection at
the Department for Surface Mining
Reclamation and Enforcement's
Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1346
South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg,
Kentucky 41653. Written comments,
objections, or requests for a permit
conference must be filed with the
Director of the Division of Permits,
#2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S.
127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.
W-4/24, 5/1, 5/8, 5/15

NOTICE OF INTENT TO MINE Pursuant to Application No. 836-5244 Amendment #1

1. In accordance with the provisions
of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby
given that Wheelwright Mining, Inc.,
HC72, Box 195, Price, Kentucky 41636,
has filed an application for an amend-
ment to an existing underground coal
mining and reclamation operation.
This amendment proposed to add
4.17 additional acres of surface dis-
turbance and will underlie an addi-
tional 367.00 acres for a total pro-
posed permit acreage of 506.90 acres
located 1.99 miles Southeast of
McDowell in Floyd County.

2. The proposed amendment area
is approximately 2.27 miles South-
east from Ky. 122's junction with Ky.
1929 and located 0.50 miles West of
Frasure's Creek. The latitude is 37°
25' 28". The longitude is 82° 42' 34".

3. The proposed amendment is
located on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7.5
minute quadrangle map. The surface
area to be disturbed by this amend-
ment is owned by Edgar Jones. The
proposed amendment will underlie
land owned by Jerry P. Howell, Edgar
Jones, Homer Hamilton, Noah Tack-
ett, Carl B. Mosley, Dee Howell, Bert
Dye Est., Ivan Moore, Day Gayheart,
Estill Caudill, Issac Spears Jr., Wil-
lard Moore Est., Gerald Howell and
Mitchell Short, Teddie Frasure,
Prophet Moore and Richard Stumbo.
The operation will use the under-
ground method.

4. The amendment application has
been filed for public inspection at the
Department for Surface Mining Re-
clamation and Enforcement's, Prestons-
burg Regional Office, 503 South Lake
Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.
Written comments, objections, or
requests for a permit conference must
be filed with the Director of the Divi-
sion of Permit, #2 Hudson Hollow
Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort,
Kentucky 40601. W-T.F.N.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE May 10, 1991 at 11:00 a.m. a 1988 Ford Escort, serial number 1FAPP9096J1181964 will be sold to the highest bidder for CASH "as is where is" at The First Guaranty Na- tional Bank, Martin, Ky. to satisfy the unpaid balance of an Installment Contract signed on March 31, 1989. The vehicle may be inspected prior to the sale. The undersigned reserves the right to bid. The buyer will pay all taxes and transfer fees.

THE FIRST GUARANTY
NATIONAL BANK
COLLECTION DEPARTMENT
Martin, Ky. 41649
W-4/24, 5/1, 5/8

Commissioners of
Beaver Elkhorn Water Dist.
P.O. Box 309
Wayland, Ky. 41666
F-5/3, 5/10, 5/17 & W-5/8, 5/15

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application 836-0212 Revision No. 1

In accordance with the provisions
of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given
that Richardson Fuel, Inc., General
Delivery, Richardson, KY 41253, has
filed an application for a major re-
vision to an existing surface coal min-
ing and reclamation operation. This
major revision proposes to add an
additional 12.59 acres of surface dis-
turbance for a total proposed permit
acreage of 139.35 acres located 0.8
miles West of Northern in Floyd
County.

The proposed major revision area
is approximately 0.7 miles Southeast
from SR 550 junction with SR 850 and
located 0.10 miles Right Fork of Bea-
ver Creek. The latitude is 37° 30' 30".
The longitude is 82° 49' 50".

The proposed major revision is
located on the Martin U.S.G.S. 7 1/2
minute quadrangle map. The surface
area affected by this major revision is
owned by James Allen and Elk Horn
Coal Corporation.

This major revision proposes the
relocation of the spoil storage area, a
wildlife pond, an additional 8.94 acres
of slide areas, an additional 3.65 acres
of haul and access road, and the fol-
lowing surface owners James Allen,
Elk Horn Coal Corporation, Elis
Gearheart, Herman Harmon, James
Duff, Orville Adkins, and Mavis
Spriggs will have a change from pre-
vious approved post mining land use
of Forestry to propose land use of
Fish and Wildlife Habitat.

The application has been filed for
public inspection at the Department
for Surface Mining Reclamation and
Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional
Office, 503 South Lake Drive,
Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Written
comments, objections, or requests for
a permit conference must be filed
with the Director of the Division of
Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Com-
plex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, KY
40601.

This is the final advertisement of
this application; all comments, objec-
tions, or requests for a permit confer-
ence must be received within thirty
(30) days of today's date. W-TFN.

FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
RONALD L. HAGER, SUPERINTENDENT
ARNOLD AVENUE
PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY 41653

EMPLOYEE PROMOTIONAL PROGRAM VACANCY POSTING NOTICE

April 24, 1991 May 31, 1991
DATE OPEN DATE CLOSED
OFFICIAL TITLE OF POSITION:
Cook and Substitute Cooks for 1991-
92 School Year

JOB LOCATION: Floyd County
Schools

SALARY RANGE: \$4.46

CONTACT PERSON: Sharon
Newsome

BRIEF JOB DESCRIPTION: Cooks
perform such activities as: Preparing,
cooking, and serving food, cashier-
ing, washing and sanitizing food
service utensils and assisting with
other food service activities required
for the school cafeteria program op-
eration.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS: Must
have high school diploma, or GED
ADDITIONAL JOB REQUIRE-
MENTS: Prefer 2-3 years experience
in Food Service Capacity or Post se-
condary Vocational training in food
service.

Applicant must submit an up-dated,
signed application to the Superinten-
dent of the Floyd County Board of
Education no later than May 31, 1991
to be considered for an interview.

*Applicant will be notified for an
interview as soon as arrangements
have been completed.

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tion does not discriminate on the
basis of race, color, national origin,
age, religion, marital status, sex or
handicap in employment, educa-
tional programs, or activities as set
forth in Title IX & VI & in Section
504. W-4/24, 5/1, 5/8, 5/15, 5/22, 5/29

NOTICE

The Beaver Elkhorn Water District
will be accepting bids on a 1991 Ser-
vice truck. Specs: Mid size pick-up, 6
cylinder, automatic, short wheel base
with A/C. Bids will be taken until
Wednesday, May 22, 1991, at the
Water Office. Closing time on bids is
6:30 p.m.

Commissioners of
Beaver Elkhorn Water Dist.
P.O. Box 309
Wayland, Ky. 41666
F-5/3, 5/10, 5/17 & W-5/8, 5/15

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to KRS 231.040, an appli-
cation for a permit to operate a place
of entertainment to be located on Rt.
3051 at Auxier, Floyd County, Ken-
tucky with the mailing address of
P.O. Box 1088, Paintsville, Kentucky,
41240, has been made by Lena F.
Baldwin, of P.O. Box 1088, Paintsville,
Kentucky, 41240. The name of the
proposed business of entertainment is
Mountain Rose Lounge. The nature
of the business will be musical
entertainment and beer and wine
coolers by the drink.

Pursuant to KRS 231.070, the Floyd
County Attorney shall investigate
whether the applicant lacks good
moral character, or whether the ap-
plicant will obey the laws of the
Commonwealth in the operating of
the business, or whether the ap-
plicant, within the last two (2) years
prior to the date of filing the applica-
tion, has been convicted in Kentucky
of maintaining a public nuisance. Any
interested citizen having information
relative to whether said applicant
lacks of good moral character or will-
ingness to obey the laws of the state in
the carrying on of the business is
requested to file the same in writing
with the County Attorney's Office.
Said written information shall be
signed, dated and reflect the current
address of said citizen providing the
information and must be delivered to
the County Attorney's Office no later
than the 13th day of May, 1991.

Pursuant to KRS 231.080, a hearing
has been scheduled on May 16, 1991,
at 1:30 p.m. or as soon thereafter as
same can be heard before the Floyd
County Judge/Executive at the Floyd
County Courthouse Annex in
Prestonsburg, Kentucky. The Floyd
County Judge/Executive shall hear
evidence in support of or in opposi-
tion to the granting of the permit.
Any person desiring to oppose the
permit shall have filed in writing no
later than May 13, 1991, with the Floyd
County Clerk allegations that show
causes to why the application should
not be granted. All such filings shall
be signed, dated and reflect the cur-
rent address of said citizen.

JIMMY MARTIN HAMMOND
Floyd County Attorney
W-5/1, 5/8

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant to Application No. 836-5242 A #1

In accordance with the provisions
of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given
that Tram Coal Coal Co. Inc., Hwy.
23, P.O. Box 370, Harold, Kentucky
41635, has filed an application for a
amendment to an existing under-
ground coal mining and reclamation
operation. This amendment proposes
to add 1.66 additional acres of surface
disturbance and will underlie an
additional 0.00 acres for a total pro-
posed permit acreage of 322.31 acres
located 0.5 miles South of Pay in Floyd
County.

The proposed operation is approxi-
mately 3.00 miles South from KY
2030's junction with KY 1426 and
located along Little Mud Creek. The
latitude of 37° 28' 07". The longitude is
83° 40' 59".

The proposed operation is located
on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7.5 minute
quadrangle map. The surface area
proposed for disturbance is owned
by the Elkhorn Coal Corporation. This
operation will use the underground
method of mining.

The application has been filed for
public inspection at the Department
for Surface Mining Reclamation and
Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional
Office, 503 South Lake Drive,
Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Writ-
ten comments, objections, or requests
for a permit conference must be filed
with the Director of the Division of
Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Com-
plex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Ken-
tucky 40601. W-5/8, 5/15, 5/22, 5/29

NOTICE OF SALE

The following item will be offered
for sale at Public Auction on May 17,
1991 at 10 a.m. at The Bank Josephine
Harold Branch located on U.S. 23,
Harold, Ky.

1984 Ford Bronco II S/N 1FMCU-
14S8EUC56529

All items are sold "as is-where is".
Seller reserves the right to bid and to
reject any or all bids. Items are to be
paid following the sale, or satisfac-
tory arrangements are made with
seller. Announcement at sale takes
priority over ad. Purchaser to pay all
taxes and transfer fees.

THE BANK JOSEPHINE
Ron Redden
Assistant Vice-President
Collection Department
W-5/8, 5/15 & F-5/10

FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
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PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY 41653

EMPLOYEE PROMOTIONAL PROGRAM VACANCY POSTING NOTICE

April 22, 1991 June 19, 1991
DATE OPEN DATE CLOSED
OFFICIAL TITLE OF POSITION:
School Bus Driver

JOB LOCATION: All areas of county

SALARY RANGE: \$6.70 per hour

CONTACT PERSON: Earl D. Ousley,
Transportation Director

BRIEF JOB DESCRIPTION: To trans-
port students to and from designated
areas.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS: Cer-
tification as required by Kentucky
Department of Education.

ADDITIONAL JOB REQUIRE-
MENTS: none

Applicant must submit an up-dated,
signed application to the Superinten-
dent of the Floyd County Board of
Education no later than June 3, 1991
to be considered for an interview.

*Applicant will be notified for an
interview as soon as arrangements
have been completed.

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tion does not discriminate on the
basis of race, color, national origin,
age, religion, marital status, sex or
handicap in employment, educa-
tional programs, or activities as set
forth in Title IX & VI & in Section
504. W-4/24, 5/1, 5/8

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

May 17, 1991 at 11:00 a.m. a 1987
Dodge Ramcharger, serial number
3B4GW1217HM/37227 will be sold to
the highest bidder for CASH "as is
where is" at the First Guaranty Na-
tional Bank, Martin, Ky. to satisfy the
unpaid balance of an Installment
Contract signed on October 29, 1990.
The vehicle may be inspected prior to
the sale. The undersigned reserves
the right to bid. The buyer will pay all
taxes and transfer fees.

FIRST GUARANTY
NATIONAL BANK
Collection Department
Martin, Ky. 41649
W-5/1, 5/8, 5/15

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

May 10, 1991 at 11:15 a.m. a 1985
Jeep Wagoneer, serial number
1JCNJ15NXFT114784 will be sold to
the highest bidder for CASH "as is
where is" at The First Guaranty Na-
tional Bank, Martin, Ky. to satisfy the
unpaid balance of an Installment
Contract signed July 7, 1990. The
vehicle may be inspected prior to the
sale. The undersigned reserves the
right to bid. The buyer will pay all
taxes and transfer fees.

THE FIRST GUARANTY
NATIONAL BANK
COLLECTION DEPARTMENT
Martin, Ky. 41649
W-4/24, 5/1, 5/8

COMMONWEALTH OF KEN-
TUCKY, TRANSPORTATION
CABINET, DEPARTMENT OF
HIGHWAYS, NOTICE TO CON-
TRACTORS. Sealed bids will be
received by the Department of High-
ways in the Division of Contract
Procurement and/or the Auditorium
located on the 1st Floor of the State
Office Building, Frankfort, Kentucky,
until 10:00 A.M., EASTERN DAY-
LIGHT TIME on the 17 day of MAY,
1991, at which time bids will be pub-
licly opened and read for the im-
provement of: FLOYD COUNTY, RR
27-1, SSP 036 0023 015-020: The
Prestonsburg-Pointsville Road (US
23) from 0.200 mile south of KY 114
extending northerly a distance of 1.070
miles. Grade, Drain and Bituminous
surface. FLOYD COUNTY, SSP 036
0550 000-002: The Garrett-Eastern
Road (KY 550) from 1.161 miles south
of KY 850 (MP 0.919) extending north-
erly to 0.683 mile south of KY 850 (MP
1.397), a distance of 0.478 mile. Guard-
rail. Bid proposals for all projects will
be available until 9:00 A.M., EAST-
ERN DAYLIGHT TIME, FRIDAY,
MAY 17, 1991, at the Division of
Contract Procurement. Bid propos-
als for all projects will be available at
a cost of \$8 each and remittance pay-
able to the State Treasurer of Ken-
tucky must accompany request for
proposals (NON-REFUNDABLE). BID
PROPOSALS ARE ISSUED
ONLY TO PREQUALIFIED CON-
TRACTORS. Specimen proposals for
all projects will be available to all
interested parties at a cost of \$8 each
(NON-REFUNDABLE). Specimen
proposals cannot be used for bid-
ding. W-5/8

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

May 10, 1991, at 11:30 a.m. a 1988
Renault Medallion, serial number
VF1FF4506J2712231, will be sold to
the highest bidder of CASH "as is
where is" to satisfy the unpaid bal-
ance of an Installment Contract signed
July 7, 1990. The vehicle may be in-
spected prior to the sale. The under-
signed reserves the right to bid. The
buyer will pay all taxes and transfer
fees.

THE FIRST GUARANTY
NATIONAL BANK
COLLECTION DEPARTMENT
Martin, Ky. 41649
W-4/24, 5/1, 5/8

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT 90-CI-034

The First Guaranty National
Bank.....Plaintiff
VS: NOTICE OF SALE

Floyd Dean Davis and Patty Davis,
his wife; United States Internal
Revenue Service; and Kentucky
Revenue Cabinet.....Defendants
By virtue of a Judgment and Order
of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court
rendered at the April 23 term, 1991, in
the above styled cause, I shall pro-
ceed to offer for sale at the Court-
house door in Prestonsburg, Ken-
tucky, to the highest and best bidder,
at public auction, on the 24 day of
May, 1991, at 10:30 o'clock a.m., same
being a day of the regular term of the
Floyd Circuit Court, for cash or upon
a credit of three (3) months, the fol-
lowing described property, to-wit:

That certain tract or parcel of land,
lying and being on the waters of the
Right Fork of Beaver Creek in Floyd
County, Kentucky, and being the
same property conveyed Floyd Dean
Davis and Patty Davis, his wife, by
deed from Jerry Martin and Dorothy
Gail Martin, dated August 30, 1985,
recorded in Deed Book 295, page 346,
Floyd County Clerk's Office, and
being more particularly described as
follows:

Beginning at the stake in the center
of Brush Creek and a corner of Reu-
ben Reed and Mertice Reed; thence in
a southwestern direction and up the
hill with the line of Reuben and
Mertice Reed 440 feet to the top of
point; thence with said line and cen-
ter of point 1210 feet to the corner of
Reuben and Mertice Reed and Sally
Shepherd land; thence up the point
with Sally Shepherd's line to the line
of Alka Hicks; thence with the line of
Alka Hicks to the ridge between Brush
Creek and Shepherd Fork at the line
of Alonzo Vanderpool; thence with
the line of Alonzo Vanderpool in a
southern direction and center or ridge
1015 feet to a corner of Lonzo Vander-
pool and Grover Ousley land and
center of knob; thence with the line of
Grover Ousley in an eastern direction
and center of ridge 1000 feet to the
corner of Grover Ousley and the heirs
of John Staley; thence down center of
point and with John Staley's line in a
northeastern direction to a stake and
center of Brush Creek; thence up
center of Brush Creek and with its
meanders 1015 feet to the beginning,
containing 53 acres, more or less.

This sale is subject to redemption
by the Internal Revenue Service
within 120 days following the sale,
epr 28 U.S.C. Sec. 2410(c).

The amount of money to be raised
by this sale shall be in the principal
sum of \$35,937.00, accrued interest of
\$5,355.19, with interest thereon at 12%
annually from April 23, 1991 until
satisfied; and the additional sum of
\$1,962.33, accrued interest of \$77.35
and with interest thereon at 12%
annually from April 23, 1991 until
satisfied, and the costs of this action,
including costs of advertising of this
sale and the fees and commissions for
conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the pur-
chaser must execute bond with ap-
proved surety or sureties, bearing
legal interest from the day of sale
until paid and having the force and
effect of a judgment with a lien re-
tained upon said property as a fur-
ther security. Bidders will be pre-
pared to comply with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 6 day of
May, 1991.

MARSHALL DAVIDSON,
MASTER COMMISSIONER
FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT
W-5/8, 5/15, 5/22

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

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where is" to satisfy the unpaid bal-
ance of an Installment Contract signed
July 7, 1990. The vehicle may be in-
spected prior to the sale. The under-
signed reserves the right to bid. The
buyer will pay all taxes and transfer
fees.

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Martin, Ky. 41649
W-4/24, 5/1, 5/8

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Floyd County
Times
Ph: 886-8506**

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant To Application Number 836-0198, Amendment 2 In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Prater Creek Processing, Incorporated, Box 170, Tollage Creek Road, Pikeville, KY 41601, has filed an application for an amendment to an existing surface coal mining and reclamation operation. This amendment proposes to add an additional 28.0 acres of surface disturbance for a total proposed permit acreage of 456.2 acres located 1.0 mile east of Dana in Floyd County.

The proposed amendment area is approximately 1.1 miles southeast from Hunts Fork County Road's junction with KY 1426 and located 0.3 miles north of Prater Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees 33 minutes 18 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees 39 minutes 10 seconds.

The proposed amendment is located on the Harold U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed by this amendment is owned by Simon Akers, Mrs. A.A. Boyd & Juan Boyd, and W.B. Conn. The operation will use the mountaintop, contour, and auger method of mining. The operation will affect an area within 100 feet of the Hunts Fork County Road. The operation will not involve relocation of the public road.

The amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 503 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653-1397. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 1217 South, Frankfort, KY 40601.

5/8, 5/15, 5/22, 5/29

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT 91-CI-172

Orville Hamilton and Gladys Hamilton...Plaintiffs VS: NOTICE OF SALE

Millard Adkins and Beulah Adkins; Radford Lee Adkins and Aretta Adkins; Lillard Adkins and Martha Adkins; Eulavene Ray and Jackie Ray; and Arlie Gene Adkins...Defendants

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the March 29 term, 1991, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 24 day of May, 1991, at 11:00 o'clock a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, for cash or upon a credit of three (3) months, the following described property, to-wit:

That certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being on the waters of the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River at Betsy Layne, Floyd County, Kentucky, being the same property conveyed Floyd Adkins and Rebecca Adkins by deed from Gary Thomas Daniels and Maggie L. Daniels, dated July 17, 1973, recorded in Deed Book 214, page 111, Floyd County Clerk's Office, and being more particularly described as follows:

Lots 12 and 13 of the Hill Addition to Betsy Layne, Kentucky.

This property is being sold to settle the estate of the late Floyd Adkins.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include the costs of this action, including costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 6 day of May, 1991.

MARSHALL DAVIDSON, MASTER COMMISSIONER FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT W-5/8, 5/15, 5/22

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant To Application Number 836-5258 In accordance with the provision of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Maple Ridge Mining Corporation, P.O. Box 27, Honaker, Kentucky, 41639, has filed an application for a permit for an underground coal mining and reclamation operation. This proposed operation will affect a surface disturbance of 4.30 acres and will underlie an additional 145.00 acres located 0.60 miles northwest of Teaberry in Floyd County, Kentucky.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.50 miles south from Dry Branch Road's junction with KY Route 979 and located on Dry Branch of Mud Creek. The latitude is 37° 25' 52". The longitude is 82° 39' 08".

The proposed operation is located on the McDowell USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Newsome Heirs and Carmel Clark. The operation will underlie land owned by Walker Tackett, Fred Newsome, Newsome Heirs, and Carmel Clark.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 503 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must have attached a copy of the newspaper clipping and must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, No. 2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 1217, Frankfort, Kentucky, 40601.

This is the final advertisement of the application. All comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be received within 30 days of today's date. W-5/8

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT 90-CI-955

First Commonwealth Bank of Prestonsburg, Kentucky...Plaintiff VS: NOTICE OF SALE

Odis Bach, Marilyn S. Bach & Floyd County, Kentucky...Defendants By virtue of a Judgment and Order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court, rendered at the April 19 term, 1991, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 24 day of May, 1991, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, for cash or upon a credit of three (3) months, the following described property, to-wit:

Being the same property conveyed Odis Bach and Marilyn S. Bach by deed dated the 15th day of March, 1982, from Benchmark Realty, Inc., which is duly recorded in Deed Book 264, page 231, in the office of the Floyd County Clerk, and is more particularly described as follows: Lot No. 30 of Woodland Hills Addition, No. 3, as shown by Map of record in the Office of the Floyd County Clerk, in Map File No. 1-1-73, containing 7/10 acres, more or less.

This property is being sold, subject to property taxes due Floyd County, Kentucky.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall be in the principal sum of \$81,658.78 accrued interest of \$9,114.46, with interest thereon at 12% annually from the 19 day of April, 1991, until satisfied and the costs of this action, including costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

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- 1. Homecare Case Manager: college degree and/or related experience required. Please contact Greg Hamlin at (606) 886-2375 for further information.
2. Resource Directory Coordinator: Responsible for developing computerized data base of human service programs throughout the five county region.
3. Projects Assistant: Seeking individual with desk top computer experience to assist with specific projects as well as general office/clerical duties.

To apply for any of these positions, please submit a resume' (with minimum of three references) to:

Big Sandy Area Development District 503 South Lake Drive/Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653

Indicate clearly at the top of your resume' which position you are applying for. Resume's will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. Friday, May 17, 1991.

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UNBELIEVABLE!! Deluxe sectional three bedroom, two bath mobile home by Fleetwood starting at only \$19,995. Many more values you will not believe!! The Affordable Housing Mart, 537 New Circle Road, Lexington. Phone: 293-1609 or 800-755-5359.

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BEAUTIFUL BATH COUNTY FARM for sale near Ziplo Beach, Cave Run Lake. New home, large barn, three ponds. Priced to sell. 606-683-5071 or 606-683-2403.

BY OWNER: Three bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, tri-level with garage on 10 acres. Very private. Twenty minutes from Prestonsburg or Pikeville. Call 478-2662 from 6-10 p.m.

FOR SALE: 20 acres including house and barn. Priced in the 40's. Phone: 874-9459.

FOR SALE: Beautiful 166 acre farm. Three barns, four bedroom home. City water, many extras. Must see to appreciate. 12 miles south of Mt. Sterling. 768-6460.

FOR SALE: Approximately three acres of land on Abbott Creek. Gas, water and electricity available. Call 886-0079 after 4 p.m.

FOR SALE: House, workshop and approximately 7 acres land, one mile from Prestonsburg, reasonable priced. Phone: 886-6093 after 5 p.m.

FOR SALE: Four bedroom house and lot near Allen Central High School at Eastern. Save thousands. Phone: 432-7284.

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HOUSE FOR SALE BY OWNER. Phone: 285-9863.

HOUSE FOR SALE: Older home in need of repair. Possible good rental or resale for profit. Excellent location in Prestonsburg. \$13,000 or best first offer. Call soon. 886-2541 before 2 p.m.; or 297-4223 after 5 p.m.

HOUSE FOR SALE: Six rooms and bath upstairs, four rooms and bath downstairs. On three lots in Maytown. Phone: 285-9196.

HOUSE FOR SALE: \$37,500. Located at entrance to Wheelwright Ball Park. Estill Newman property. Phone: (606)-293-2752.

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LAND FOR SALE: 16.78 acres with well and natural gas. Big Branch of Bull Creek, near Prestonsburg. Ready for mobile home or building. \$22,000. Phone: 285-5087.

LAND FOR SALE: At junction of Rt. 80 and U.S. 23. Five acres. Call: (606)-528-4043.

LAND FOR SALE: Knott County. Three acres bottom land. Above water, close to school, churches, 15 miles above Wayland. 606-447-2482.

LOTS AND CABINS at Cave Run for sale: Phone: 432-0787.

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1975 BUICK: 6 cylinder, cheap on gas. In great condition. Sharp car. Phone: 886-3856.

1975 FORD TRUCK. New engine, tires, camper top, bed liner, great body. Retired—don't need it. \$2,000. Call collect, 638-1256, Louisa.

1976 XJ12 JAGUAR for sale: Phone: 478-5402.

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FOR SALE: 1978 VW Dasher for parts. Phone: 886-9078 after 5 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1980 Toyota Corolla. Five speed, air conditioning, nice work car. \$650. Phone: 886-6093.

FOR SALE: 1977 Olds Cutlass, runs good, needs body work, \$750. Also, 1978 Scottsdale 4WD, \$1,000. Interested persons only. Phone: 452-4375 after 6 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1972 VW Beetle. As is. \$600. Phone: (606)-447-2482.

FOR SALE: 1984 Mercury Cougar. P.S., P.B., P.W., dark blue with tan interior. Asking \$3,000. Call 452-4217 after 5 p.m.

Autos For Sale

FOR SALE: 1972 Datsun 240Z, customized, 4-speed, new tires, new paint, good interior, very dependable, very sharp car. Also, 1982 Chevy S-10 pickup, LWB, 4-speed, V-6 engine, looks good and runs good, \$1,500. Also, 1978 Dodge Van, slant 6-cylinder, standard shift, utility bed, good flea market van, \$600. Phone: 886-1015 or 886-3517.

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Professional Carpet System the worlds leading Carpet, Dyeing & Cleaning Company, has a franchise for sale in Eastern Ky.

Business has been open for only a month, and average weekly sales are \$3000. Present owner has agreed with the company to open a new location in Cincinnati, Ohio.

We are looking for someone who is willing to work hard for a better future. Must be able to attend a two weeks training class in Atlanta, Ga. Requires a 22,000 investment and owners will finance \$5,000 to the right person.

For more information call Cliff at Professional Carpet System
Wednesday-Saturday only between 8:00 a.m. - 10 p.m.
(606) 297-3054

IMMEDIATE OPENINGS

Olan Mills has several immediate openings for telephone sales people. No experience necessary. Morning & evening shifts available. Also need a messenger for light delivery work. Knowledge of area helpful.

Apply to: Linda Crane - Super 8 Motel - Prestonsburg, Ky. starting Monday, May 6 - 5-9 p.m. & Tues. thru Fri. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. & 5- 9 p.m.

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JOB OPPORTUNITY

Jerry's Restaurant in Prestonsburg is now taking applications for the fall/winter season. Waitress and cooks.

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No phone calls please
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**PUBLIC NOTICE
BUDGET HEARING**

A public hearing will be held by the City of Prestonsburg at City Hall on Wednesday, May 15, at 4:00 p.m. for the purpose of obtaining written and oral comments of citizens regarding the proposed annual budget, the use of Municipal Road Aid and Local Government Economic Assistance funds as contained in the budget, as summarized below:

| | GENERAL FUND | FUND | LGEA FUND | MRAP FUND |
|--|--------------|------|-----------|-----------|
| RESOURCES AVAILABLE: | | | | |
| FUND BALANCE CARRIED FORWARD | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$10,000 |
| ESTIMATED REVENUES: | | | | |
| Property taxes | 262,000 | | | |
| Licenses and permits | 1,444,000 | | | |
| Intergovernmental revenues | 586,500 | | \$100,000 | \$90,000 |
| Charges for services | 301,000 | | | |
| Other revenues | 27,500 | | | |
| Total estimated revenues | | | | |
| TOTAL RESOURCES AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION | \$2,621,000 | \$ | \$100,000 | \$100,000 |
| APPROPRIATIONS: | | | | |
| General government | \$1,202,190 | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| Public safety | 353,460 | | | |
| Police | 353,460 | | | |
| Fire | 413,750 | | | |
| Public works | | | | |
| Streets | 133,200 | | \$100,000 | \$100,000 |
| Sanitation | 138,400 | | | |
| Other | | | | |
| Public Utilities | | | | |
| Parks & recreation | 380,000 | | | |
| Other (Specify) | | | | |
| TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS | \$2,621,000 | \$ | \$100,000 | \$100,000 |
| EXCESS RESOURCES OVER (UNDER) APPROPRIATIONS | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| OTHER SOURCES OR (USES) | | | | |
| Interfund transfers | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Other (Specify) | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| ESTIMATED FUND BALANCE END OF YEAR | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |

PUBLIC INSPECTION: The City's proposed budget for FY '92 and a statement of the proposed uses of Municipal Road Aid and Local Government Economic Assistance funds are available for public inspection at City Hall during normal business hours.

Interested persons and organizations in Prestonsburg are invited to the public hearing to submit written or oral comments on the proposed uses of Municipal Road Aid and Local Government Economic Assistance funds as they relate to the City's entire budget.

Any person(s) (especially senior citizens) who cannot submit written comments or attend the public meeting, but wish to submit comments should call City Hall at 886-2335, so that the City can make arrangements to secure their comments.

PRESTONSBURG COMMUNITY COLLEGE

SPECIAL SERVICES FACILITATOR: Provide and expand services to a target population of handicapped and socially, economically and/or academically disadvantaged students. Grant funded.

QUALIFICATIONS: Master's Degree in Counseling, Social Work, Rehabilitation, Psychology, Sociology, Education or a closely related field. Ability to demonstrate sensitivity and commitment to the needs of the target population. Related work experience is preferred. Master's Degree in another area with significant related experience will be given consideration.

SALARY RANGE (12 MONTH POSITION): \$24,625-\$26,351 (Level 0800).

STARTING DATE: July 1, 1991.

SPECIAL INFORMATION: Community College; Enrollment 2,600; 75 Faculty Members; Located in rural Eastern Kentucky, approximately 120 miles due east of Lexington, Kentucky.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: June 1, 1991 (or until position filled).

PROCEDURE: Send letter of application; current vita with list of references; graduate and undergraduate transcripts; and three (3) letters of recommendation mailed directly from professional references to:

Dean Robert R. Allen (606) 886-3863

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Autos For Sale

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For Rent

FOR SALE: 1984 Cadillac. \$5,000 firm. 69,000 miles. Phone: (606)-447-2482.

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Guns; knives; two rally wheels for Chevy truck with studded tires 15" five lug; tackle box full of baits. Phone: 886-3759.

FOR RENT: at McDowell. Doctors clinic, dentist office, general building for merchandise, restaurant, or office. Phone: 377-6074.

FURNISHED APARTMENT FOR RENT in Martin. \$200 per month. Security deposit required. Phone: 285-3140.

FOR SALE: 1990 Geo Metro LSI. 12,000 miles. 44-52 mpg. A/C, rear defrost. Must sell. \$6,800 or best offer. Phone: 886-3899.

APARTMENT FOR RENT: One bedroom fully furnished, including all utilities. Located in Prestonsburg. Phone: 886-6900.

FOR RENT: Office Space. 2400 sq. ft. with parking. Burl W. Spurlock, 886-2321.

HOUSE FOR RENT: Located on hill behind Our Lady of the Way Hospital in Martin. Call: 285-9977.

FOR SALE: 1972 Ford Flat bed truck. P.S., P.B., automatic. Asking \$1,000. Call 358-4291 after 5 p.m.

CABIN FOR RENT: Cave Run Lake. Special rates May, June. Sunday through Thursday, \$15/night. Friday, Saturday, \$25/night. Phone: 768-6347.

FOR RENT: Two bedroom house on Abbott Road, 1/4 mile from Cliff Bridge. Couples only. No pets. Phone: 886-2535.

SEVEN ROOM HOUSE FOR RENT in Martin, KY. \$275/month. Security deposit required. Phone: 285-3140.

Employment Available

FOR RENT: Furnished two bedroom mobile home. Carpet, air, city water, security light. Convenient location. No pets, couple or single. Near parkway, David road. 886-3902, evenings.

FOR RENT: Trailer lot at Stanville. For more information call 478-5288.

FOR RENT: One bedroom apartment. Appliances furnished. Located on Abbott Road. \$250 plus deposit. Call 886-6662 after 5 p.m.

FOR RENT: Two bedroom furnished or unfurnished trailer. Two miles up Mare Creek. \$200/month, you pay electric. Couples preferred, maybe one child. 478-1410 or 478-9661.

FOR RENT: One bedroom unfurnished apartment in Prestonsburg. Phone: 886-8991.

FOR RENT: Trailer lot located on Cow Creek. \$70 per month. Phone: 874-2802.

FOR RENT: Commercial properties located in the Prestonsburg area. Warehouse—3250 sq. ft. building (dock level, 50 inches above ground level). All fenced in; office space; heated throughout. Lease required. \$1400/month. Phone 886-9681 from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Ask for Dave or Ron. Or after 5; call (304) 733-1921.

FOR RENT: Two bedroom mobile home close to Highlands Regional. Also, three bedroom trailer close to airport. Phone: 874-0202.

\$40,000/YR! READ BOOKS and TV scripts. Fill out simple "like/don't like" form. EASY! Fun, relaxing at home, beach, vacations. Guaranteed paycheck. FREE 24 hour recording, 801-379-2925. Copyright #KE271B.

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HELP WANTED: Full and part time positions available. \$800-1600 per month guaranteed. Must have car, and willingness to work. Call Personnel Manager between 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. at 789-7667.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES IN AUSTRALIA: Openings available in several areas, will train. For info, call: 708-742-8620, ext. 466.

JOBS IN ALASKA Hiring. Up to \$600 weekly or more. Summer/year round. Fishing, canneries, construction, logging. Call now! Phone: 1-206-736-7000, ext. 5160B7..

NEEDED: Lead singer for country and southern rock band. Phone: 874-2754 or 874-8052.

SANDY VALLEY TRANSPORTATION SERVICES is seeking a part-time (1 day a week and substitute) van driver. Applicants must have a H.S. diploma or GED, and work well with the public. Applications may be obtained by contacting the office at 503 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, 41653, (606) 886-1936. Sandy Valley Transportation is an Equal Opportunity Employer. M/F/H.

TAKING APPLICATIONS for live DJ position. Phone: 886-2385.

TIRED OF ASKING YOUR HUSBAND FOR MONEY? Sell Avon and make your own. Call Jancy, 886-2082.

WANTED TO DO: Tree trimming and cutting of any kind, also light hauling. Thirty years experience. Phone: 886-8266 or 874-9947.

Great Roadside Attractions



Rain or Shine

RUMMAGE SALE

First United Methodist Church

Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg
In the Family Life Center
Saturday, May 11, 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Hot Dogs!

Come By & Have Lunch!

Bake Sale!

CARPORT SALE:

Two miles from Martin on Bucks Branch.

Thursday, May 9, only. 8:30-6.

Lots of clothing, household items.

Bill Hughes.

BIG YARD SALE

In Eastern, Ky. across from gas station over highway 80.

May 9, 10 and 11, 9 a.m.

All kinds clothing, all sizes quilts, pillows
purses and tools.

Look for signs.

RELIEF

RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGISTS

\$125 per day

Williamson Appalachian Regional Hospital in South Williamson, Kentucky has opportunities for relief Radiologic Technologists with experience in Nuclear Medicine. Travel expenses, room and board will be provided along with pay rate of \$125/8 hour day, plus call. Interested persons should contact:

Martha Harvel
Williamson ARH

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OFFICE ASSISTANT II (Grade 0006)—Continuing Education/Community Services

Hourly Rate \$5.80

Qualifications: 1) Associate Degree or equivalent education and experience, 2) successful completion of typing (60 wpm) and transcription test; bookkeeping and computer experience preferred.

Apply by Noon, Tuesday, May 14, 1991.

Testing Wednesday, May 15, 8:30 a.m., Room 202, Pike Technology Building.

**Contact Toni Arms, Room 111,
Johnson Administration Building,
Prestonsburg Community College, Prestonsburg, KY 41653**

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HOUSE FOR SALE

Prestonsburg — Great residential area; 3 B/R, 2 full baths, central heat & air, combination garage/basement and much more!

Call 886-6175 after 6:00 p.m.

Serious inquiries only!

Employment Wanted

WILL BABYSIT IN MY HOME, downtown Prestonsburg. Many years experience with Baptist Church children, also in my home. I have excellent references. Phone: 886-9918.

WILL SUPPLY ELDERLY OR HANDICAPPED CARE: Experienced male, reliable and honest. References. Salary negotiable. Call 478-2662 from 6 to 10 p.m.

Pets And Supplies

FOR SALE: Yorkshire Terrier, AKC registered. One year and four months old. Good with children. \$150. Phone: 874-9643.

Rummage Or Yard Sales

GARAGE SALE: Saturday, May 11, 8-1. Two miles up Abbott Creek. High chair, 30 gallon aquarium, paperbacks, clothes, kitchen items, items not seen before.

THREE FAMILY CARPORT SALE: Wednesday through Friday, 1133 Cardinal Drive behind Gordie's Gulf Station. Lots of everything. Look for signs.

Rummage Or Yard Sales

LARGE CARPORT SALE
Baby bed; high chair; lots of windows and doors; large boat complete; 65 model car, new tires, good car; sofas, loveseats, \$50 up; tables, chairs; stoves, refrigerators; washers, dryers, guaranteed, \$100 up; cabinets, 8 in. to 8 ft.; sinks, wall cabinets, metal or wood; commodes; tubs; gliders; swings; beds; complete; chests; dressers; bedroom suit; living room suit; table and four chairs, \$35; lots more. Turn under caution light beside Our Lady of the Way Hospital in Martin. 285-3004.

YARD SALE: Friday and Saturday, May 10-11. Scott Court and Central Avenue, Prestonsburg, behind SuperAmerica.

YARD SALE: May 8, 9, 10. Rain or shine. Refrigerator, flower pots, dishes, afghans, etc. Rt. 80, Right Fork of Bull Creek, fourth house on left. 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

Services

BLANTON HEATING AND COOLING: Mobile home central air, add-ons, new installations. Check our prices. Free estimates. Phone: 874-2308.

Services

CARPENTRY WORK, ALL TYPES: New homes from ground up, remodeling or additions, all finish work, drywall; painting, interior and exterior and trim work; all types concrete work, driveways, sidewalks, foundations, etc.; any size pole buildings or storage buildings, garages or decks. Over 20 years experience. Will furnish references. Call Robie Johnson Jr. anytime at 886-8896.

FOR COMPLETE REMODELING: Concrete drives, sidewalks, painting, inside, and outside, will build new homes from ground up. Phone: 874-2711.

FOR INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR PAINTING, carpentry work and roofing call 874-9939. References furnished.

GUITAR LESSONS: Basic, lead, or electric bass. For appointment call 886-2827.

KAYANN'S CLEANING SERVICES: Offering cleaning services for home and office. Need spring cleaning done? Call us! Honest work. Reasonable priced. 874-2308.

Services

LAWN MOWERS AND TILLERS repaired. Phone: 886-8771.

RAISE OR LEVEL HOUSES AND MOBILE HOMES. Also, lay blocks and pour concrete porches and steps. Phone: 447-2240.

ROOFING, PAINTING AND CONCRETE WORK. Call collect, 606-633-1524.

SHARPENING: Hand saws, circle saws, steel or carbide, planer knives. Call 874-9774.

SMALL ENGINE REPAIR: Lawn mowers, weed eaters, plows, chainsaws. Also, used lawn mower for sale. Phone: 377-6067.

WILL CUT GRASS AND WEEDS: No job too big or too small. Phone: 285-9112.

WILL DO HILLSIDE CLEANING, yard work, light hauling, and other odd jobs. Phone: 285-9484.

WILL DO PAINTING, hillside cleaning and hauling. Phone: 285-3612 or 874-9353.

Services

HEY LOOK! Scott's Furniture and Carpet. Midnight Movers. You call—we haul. Lots of new and used furniture, appliances and antiques. Located on Rt. 122, 2 1/2 miles above Martin. Phone: 285-3705.

Miscellaneous

\$2,500 CREDIT CARD! Guaranteed same day approval! Also qualify for NO deposit VISA/MC and cash advances. 1-800-279-2000, ext. G3273.

ALLEN FURNITURE ALLEN, KY

Living room suits, bedroom suits, bunk beds, odd beds, mattresses and springs, dinette sets, hutch, gun cabinets, recliners, odd tables and chairs, chests and used appliances. Phone: 874-9790.

MEDICAL INSURANCE, DISABILITY INCOME, cancer plan, guaranteed issue life. Call Lynda Spurlock at 285-9650, days or evenings.

MEDICARE SUPPLEMENTS are not all alike. For information about benefits and rates call Spurlock and Associates, 285-9650, days or evenings.

Miscellaneous

ROSE'S USED FURNITURE
Manual treadmill; refrigerators; gas and electric stoves; air conditioners; living room suits, new and used; guitar; antique clarinet; CBs; color TVs; dressers; day bed; desk; washers and dryers, gas and electric; wringer washers; oak porch set and swing; counter top; stove top and hood; fans; TV stands; bike; cash register; sewing machines; pop cooler; waterbed; twin, full and queen size mattress and springs; iron beds, twin and full, also wood; telephones; prom dresses, pink size 7-8 and 11-12. Come on by and browse around at the Laundromat Building at Goble Roberts, open 9-5, Monday-Saturday. 886-8085, call for directions.

TANNING SESSIONS: New bulbs and tanning lotions. 10 session for \$20. Ava's Beauty Shop. Phone: 886-3915.

WANTING TO BUY: Property to build on, acres or lots. 1982 KZ1000 LTD trade to 4x4 ATV. Contact Rodney Robinson, 358-9927.

WHEELWRIGHT HIGH CLASS REUNION: May 25, 7 p.m. Shoney's Inn, Richmond Road, Lexington, KY. Phone: 606-293-2752 or 606-293-0916.

Real Estate

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Sales Assoc. 789-3918
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Sales Assoc. 886-0021

WOODLAND HILLS SUBDIVISION—This 3-bedroom, 2 1/2-bath brick home featuring living room, large kitchen/dining combination, family room with fireplace, basement, above ground pool, one car garage, and situated in one of Prestonsburg's most sought-after locations. Don't wait for tomorrow on this one, call today!! Priced \$79,500.

NEW LISTING - BETSY CLARK BRANCH—Old Route 80 Horse Lovers - Take notice, this twenty acre ±, with a five stall barn, all fenced except the residence with features a six room home, three bedrooms, bath, living rm, dining rm, kitchen, combination. Priced to sell at \$48,000. Call Mike at 886-0021.

NEW LISTING - BIG MUD CREEK—Are you looking for a nice three bedroom home, in a friendly neighborhood? We have what you are looking for. Call today for your own private showing.

MIDDLECREEK—This brand new three bedroom, 1 1/2 bath with living room, kitchen/dining combination and utility room. Situated on a nice level lot out of flood. \$49,900.

ABBOTT—New 4-bedroom brick home with 2 baths, living room, formal dining room, kitchen with appliances, family room with fireplace and one-car garage. Nice subdivision, close to town. \$82,000.

US 23 WATER GAP-OWNER RELOCATING. WANTING TO SELL NOW!—Approx. 3,500 sq. ft. three bedroom home, featuring cherry hard wood floors, custom made cherry cabinets, stone fireplace, cathedral ceiling in living room and much more! You must see to appreciate the quality of this home. Situated on 15 acres ±. Priced to sell \$149,900.

RATLIFF & LENOX REAL ESTATE

CONVENIENCE
Great brick ranch close to Prestonsburg. Nicely decorated with front porch, picture windows, oversize kitchen, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, garage & lovely lawn with super patio area. Reduced to \$62,500. See this today.

PRESTONSBURG
A quiet residential neighborhood is the location for this 2-story home with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, extra kitchen, central heat and air. Has been used as one or two family. Large frontage, city gas & water. "In-town" location. Call for appointment.

COZY CAPE COD
Great floor plan with foyer, living room, den with fireplace and sliders to covered porch, huge open kitchen with two eat-in areas, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, approx. 1/2-acre lot. See this for a great buy.

SPACIOUS
Bi-level in a great neighborhood, with acreage, privacy, and extra garage (3-car) space. Fireplace with insert, living-dining area, three bedrooms, two and one-half baths, chain link fenced pool, good parking. Call for details.

NICE LOCATION
Right on the main road between Allen and Martin. Good space, working fireplace, three bedrooms, full dining room, kitchen, utility room and workshop. Storage underneath. Gas, city water.

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Craftsmanship and individuality describes this home to a T. Cypress tile water red log home with state of the art geothermal heating system. Hard wood floors in all rooms, wood ceilings & walls, ceramic counter tops, Jenn-air appliances and Jacuzzi in master bath. All this and a strawberry patch too! Call for details.

NEW LISTING - Residential lot in Timberline Estates. City water and sewage available. \$13,500.
NEW LISTING - COSBY, TENNESSEE. Want to vacation in the beautiful Smokey Mountains at a very affordable price? Call today about your own time share estate.

***** SPECIAL BUYS *****
NEAR EMMA - 4 bedroom, 2 bath home with 2 car garage, low utilities. Owner transferred, REDUCED - \$76,500.
NEAR DEWEY LAKE - Rustic contemporary close to Dewey Lake, above ground pool. \$53,000/
BANNER - 2 bedroom mobile home, new deck, well landscaped with 12X24 carport.
STEVENS BRANCH - Beautiful 3 year old home with approx. 2,700 sq. ft. Large den with cathedral ceilings, fireplace.
EAST POINT - 3 bedroom, with hardwood floors, built in kitchen, 2 car carport and more.
DEWEY LAKE - Special home in the woods, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, round home with wrap around decks, hot tub, free standing stove with large family room. Owners will consider all reasonable offers.
DICKEY TOWN - 2 bedroom home on 3 acres ±, hard wood floors and fireplace. Good garden spot. \$45,000.

***** ACREAGE AND LOTS *****
BULL CREEK - 100 acres ± 1-16 acres is level. Ideal sub-division or industrial site. .09 miles from highway 80.
ARKANSAS CK. - 2 acres ±, level with at least 3 good home sites.
ABBOTT CK. - Six 100X125 lots, city water, phone, T.V.
ABBOTT CK. - 2.25 acres, very private in the woods.
WEST LIBERTY - Eighty acres close to Licking River.
ABBOTT CK. - Large building lot on Howell Subdivision. Priced right at \$9,500.

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The Best Sellers

NEW LISTING GRETHER
Perfect home for the first time home buyer. 3 bedrooms, nice yard, garage and Seller willing to help with downpayment. Affordable \$45,000.

NEW LISTING IVY CREEK
COUNTRY ESTATE - Newly remodeled 4 bedroom home is designed for family living. Room to breathe. Call for your private tour.

AUXIER
Very nice brick ranch home that features 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, livingroom with fireplace, large eat-in kitchen with beautiful oak cabinets. HEAT PUMP.

PRESTONSBURG City living for under \$20,000! All this 2 bedroom home needs is your tender care.
BETSY LAYNE - This property offers enough room for the kids to roam or another homesite. Remodeled with features such as skylights to add a spacious feeling. Family neighborhood. Priced in upper \$50's.

BILL GIBSON - BROKER/AUCTIONEER
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Wayne Johnson Sales Associate 478-5143

Absolute Auctions
Tuesday, May 14, 1991
4:00 p.m. West Van Lear
Commercial brick building with approximately 5,000 sq. ft. 2 large rooms plus garage. Could be converted into grocery store, warehouse, etc. Personal property includes: metal desk, drapery hardware and accessories, old sewing machines, sample display racks, hanger racks, etc.
DIRECTIONS: From U.S. 23 at Hager Hill, take Hwy. 1428 go approximately 1 1/2 miles to Hwy. 302, go approximately 1/2 mile. Watch for signs!

6:00 p.m. Johns Creek, Johnson County

If you have been looking far and wide for a beautiful home to call your own at a price you can afford - then look no further!! This 1990 28' x 68' sectional home has everything you need. Features include a den, family room with fireplace, large master bedroom and bathroom with garden tub and cherry cabinets in the kitchen. Property included 3 acres m/l with approximately 210 ft. road frontage.
DIRECTIONS: From U.S. 23 take Rt. 3 go approximately 3 miles, turn onto Hwy. 302 and go approximately 1 mile. Watch for signs!
TERMS: 10% down day of auction, balance due within 30 days. Announcements made day of sale take precedence over previous written material or statements made.

Bill Gibson
Auctioneer - Broker

The Best Sellers
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Prestonsburg, 886-2048 Morris Hylton, Jr.-Broker Ivel, 874-9033 or 478-9590

***** Special of the Week *****

LISTEN! WE'RE ADDRESSING YOU and it's near Allen Central High School at Eastern. This beautiful home has 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath, a bar in the kitchen, and a bow window in the family room. This home is priced right at \$69,900.00. Call today for more details. Reduced to \$65,000.00.

LOOKING FOR THAT SPECIAL HOME THAT NEVER SEEMS TO TURN UP! We have it at Spurlock. 5 acres of land with a 1,500 sq. ft. brick home which includes 3 bedrooms and baths. Call now, you won't want to find out that you've missed out on your dream home!

YOUR FAMILY DESERVES THE BEST, so why not give it to them with this beautiful home located on Copper's Lick, Abbott Creek. This home has 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, fireplace, sunken living room, and many more extras, far too many to mention. Call Hansel & Frances today. 886-2048.

HIDDEN TREASURE! That's what you'll find in this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home located on a 85X90 lot in Estill. Call today for an appointment to see. 886-2048.

HAROLD, U.S. 23 - 2-3 acre mobile home park with apartments. Income potential of \$1,500.00 month. \$99,900.00.

ARE YOU WILLING TO CLEAN AND PAINT TO SAVE A FEW THOUSAND? Then we've got just what your looking for. This house is a real fixer upper with 4-bedrooms, eat-in kitchen, and 1-bath. House is out of the flood plain, located in McDowell, Frasure's Creek on a 50X116 lot. All for just \$19,500.00 (Lot is worth that) Call for more details.

ARE TWO BEDROOMS ENOUGH FOR YOU? Then this is home is what you're looking for. Perfect for a small family with 2 bedrooms, and 1 bath. Located in Allen on a 50X100 lot. Call today. 886-2048.

CONGRATULATIONS NURSES.

YOUR PACE IS OUTSTANDING!

This week, the nurses of Highlands officially launch their PACE Program – Professional Advancement for Clinical Excellence.

PACE recognizes Registered Nurses for clinical expertise. It encourages nursing excellence, leadership and involvement while maximizing the opportunities for professional development. It provides RNs with a greater sense of accomplishment, professional pride and a fresh new set of goals for further career enrichment by advancing through four levels of clinical expertise.

The employees, staff and administration of Highlands Regional Medical Center salute their nurses on the launching of this outstanding program and extend best wishes for success to every one.



U.S. 23 North between Prestonsburg and Paintsville