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Demand recognition of union from board :

Drivers, cooks, janitors walk out

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

Picket lines were expected at all Floyd County schools Friday morning after the system's classified employees called for a work stoppage.

The strike was called after Floyd County Board of Education chairman Ray "Shag" Campbell declined a request to poll board members Thursday evening on a request that the board recognize the employees as

members of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters.

Campbell said during the Thursday evening meeting of the board that members had been polled previously on the request for union recognition and that he didn't feel another survey was necessary. A previous poll failed to identify a majority of board members in favor of union recognition. None of the other board members objected Thursday when Campbell refused the request for a second survey.

Outside the meeting, employee spokesman Neal Clevenger said picket lines would form Friday morning at all county schools.

"We're sick and tired of the board treating (classified employees) like nobody," Clevenger said. "This is a strike for recognition."

A September 11 memo from superintendent Ronald Hager to bus drivers hinted, however, that a walkout could mean dismissal for striking employees.

In that memo Hager said he was

"reminding" employees of their responsibilities and obligations to the students and school district. "Any deviation from these responsibilities," Hager added, "could be reasonable reasons for suspension or termination of employment."

Transportation director Earl Ousley said Thursday that the system employs 74 full-time bus drivers and currently has 15 substitute drivers. Ousley said six more substitute drivers will be trained Saturday.

Board chairman Ray "Shag" Campbell said earlier Thursday that he would not recognize the union under any circumstances.

"School will go on," Campbell said. "It may take us some time, but if they do go out on strike, I'm sure we'll find somebody to replace them."

Board members James Duff said Thursday classified personnel did their jobs well, but he would not vote to recognize the union.

"I think we voted 'no' at the last meeting," Duff said. "I still feel the same way."

Four-year bus driver Glen Holbrook said Thursday that the issue boiled down to union representation.

"Money is not an issue with us," Holbrook said. "We want to be treated like human beings. We need some type of recognition. Part-time bus drivers, working their first year, get all the high paying field trip runs. Drivers who have been working six or seven years don't get any of them."

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Teachers overwhelmingly in favor :

Salary settlement okayed by board

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

An agreement reached Tuesday between teachers and school administrators was approved Thursday night by the Floyd County Board of Education, but not without some hesitation and alteration.

Following an extended closed-door session Thursday, board members voted 5-0 to accept an eleven-

point plan to resolve employee differences, adding a point of their own and deleting one supplementary recommendation.

The unanimous approval came with a stipulation that funds be allocated to pay for the employment of three assistant principals at three county high schools.

Those positions had been recommended for removal by the FCEA. Apparently at the urging of school

system administrators, the board also elected to eliminate a supplementary clause of the agreement which called for a study of the costs and needs of extended employment for administrators.

The FCEA had recommended that the school superintendent and board conduct a study of and make recommendations for reducing extended employment and extra-service pay for administrators for the 1992-93 school year. The results of that proposed study were to be presented to the board for consideration and adoption in either January or February of 1992.

Board members Tommy Boyd and Eddie Billips had questioned the initial agreement's failure to fund the assistant principalships, noting those positions were necessary.

There was no indication late Tuesday of whether the board changes would affect an earlier decision by members of the Floyd County Education Association to okay the proposal.

Teachers voted 362-18 Wednesday to accept the 11-point agreement, which will give all school employees an 11 percent pay increase. Eighty six percent of the teachers voted in Wednesday's election.

The proposal also:

- increases student spending per child, including teaching, library and instructional supplies;
- provides funding for math manipulatives and computer lab equipment;
- employs a technology coordinator and writing-across the curriculum coordinator;
- employs 15 Writing-to-Read aides and 10 ungraded primary aides;
- fund three additional computer labs; and
- provide counseling services at the Floyd County Technical High School.

Additional details from Thursday's meeting will be published in next Wednesday's edition of the Times.

Patton said information gathered as a result of the traffic fatality involving KSP trooper John Blanton July 14 at the Lancer four-way stop that killed Ruby Baisden Lafferty, 54, of Prestonsburg will be presented to the grand jury for deliberation.

Also, information from a KSP special investigation on a bingo operation conducted by the Prestonsburg Academic Athletic Association at the high school is expected to be put before the grand jury in November.

Fatality, bingo cases to be reviewed

Two investigations being closely watched in Floyd County are expected to be brought before a Floyd County Grand Jury during its November session.

Floyd Commonwealth Attorney Jerry Patton said Wednesday that a traffic fatality at Lancer in July and an investigation into an alleged illegal bingo operation at Prestonsburg High School will be brought before the grand jury.

Transferred teacher files federal lawsuit

The Floyd County Board of Education, its superintendent and the principal of Prestonsburg High School have been accused in a federal suit filed Monday of violating the civil rights of a former PHS teacher.

In her complaint, filed in U.S. District Court at Pikeville, former Prestonsburg High teacher Sharon Sammons accused the board, superintendent Ronald Hager and principal Robert May of violating her First Amendment rights of free speech, expression and association in connection with Sammons' reassignment to Betsy Layne Elementary School last July.

Sammons contends in her suit that her reassignment was related to her active role in the policies and pro-

grams of the Floyd County Education Association and particularly as a result of her involvement in "seeking site based management for Prestonsburg High School" and for "criticizing the various policies and procedures of the defendants..."

Sammons also accuses Prestonsburg principal Robert May of "indulging in a pattern practice of harassing" and May was alleged to have recommended Sammons' transfer. She seeks punitive damages of \$500,000, compensatory damages of \$250,000, a trial by jury and reinstatement to her job at Prestonsburg High School.

A civil suit complaint lists only the plaintiff's cause of action.



Classes canceled

Floyd County students took the day off Friday after classified employees staged a walkout after the board of education failed to recognize the group as members of the Teamsters Union. (photo by Susan Allen)

55 indicted :

Murders top list of true bills

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

Murder indictments were returned Wednesday by a Floyd County Grand Jury against three persons, including an Allen man who is the suspect in the Saturday night shooting death of a McDowell man.

Frank DeRossett, 50, of Allen was charged with murder for Saturday's shooting death of Clive Case, 34, of McDowell at the American Legion club at Martin. DeRossett was also charged with first degree assault for shooting Larry Spears, 34, of McDowell who was hit by a bullet during Saturday's incident.

DeRossett was arraigned Wednesday in Floyd District Court and placed under a \$1 million bond. DeRossett remained lodged in the Floyd County Jail Thursday.

The grand jury also returned a murder indictment against a Pike County coal truck driver who was involved in a traffic accident at Harold that killed Glenda Akers, 40, of Dana.

Michael Johnson, 33, of Virgie allegedly ran a red light at the intersection of U.S. 23 and KY 979 at Harold on July 2 and struck a pickup truck driven by Akers as she was pulling out into the intersection.

The third murder charge was returned against a 16-year-old Betsy Layne juvenile who is charged with shooting a 35-year-old Prestonsburg man in March.

Douglas Todd Keathley is charged with killing Larry Douglas Calhoun by shooting him with a .12 gauge shotgun on March 27. According to police reports at that time, Calhoun and the juvenile had argued at the juvenile's home at Betsy Layne and Calhoun was later shot once in the head.

Keathley will tried as an adult on the murder charge.

Others indicted: Johnny Adams, no age or address available, second degree assault for

(See **True bills**, page three)

Bank Jo shares to be sold to satisfy court settlement

In order to satisfy the debts of the estate of E.R. McGuire, who died in 1981, the Boyd County Circuit Court has ordered that certain stock of The Bank Josephine held by the McGuire family of Ashland be sold. The order was issued as part of a settlement action filed by Citizens Fidelity Bank & Trust company, administrator of the estate.

In an agreed order entered on August 10, the court appointed the Louisville investment firm of J.J.B. Hilliard, W.L. Lyons, Inc., to sell the shares owned by the estate of E.R. McGuire and his family members which represents 51.3 percent of the outstanding common stock of the bank. Hilliard will begin their process within the next 90 days.

E.E. McGuire, chairman of the

board of The Bank Josephine said, "I have agreed to work with Citizens Fidelity Bank to insure that my father's estate receives the best possible price for its shares. I hope that other shareholders who would like to sell can take advantage of this opportunity." He also stated, "The Bank Josephine is a strong, healthy bank. As of August 31, the Bank's total assets were \$109,332,248, the shareholder's equity and reserve for loan losses were \$9,916,500 and year-to-date net profit was \$1,044,356. I am proud to be associated with such a fine institution and the staff of capable employees. The Bank has been in operation for the past 100 years and I expect it to continue its tradition of serving its customers and community for the next century."

City approves CDBG application :

Arts Center plans progress

by Scott Perry
Times Editor

The curtain will go up soon on the first act of a local story about a small town which aspires to become the arts and entertainment center of the Kentucky hills.

With some success, the story could unfold well beyond those boundaries.

After months of discussion and debate, phase one of a project to develop the Kentucky Opry in downtown Prestonsburg is shifting gears, moving into high speed.

Monday evening, Prestonsburg's City Council adopted a resolution authorizing Mayor Ann Latta to apply for a state Community Development Block Grant, the funds from which

will help underwrite the development downtown of a Kentucky Opry Arts and Learning Center. Eventually, the project will grow to encompass all the talents and traditions of Appalachia with the ambitious goal of spinning those talents into gold.

First, the foundations must be laid. Phase one of the Opry project involves the development of an arts and learning center downtown in buildings formerly occupied by the Abigail Theatre, Catos and the old States Motel. The city acquired an option for those properties Tuesday. The center will include educational classrooms, an art gallery, art studios, music recording studios, limited performing space with seating capacity for approximately 200, community-use rooms and parking.

The price tag on phase one is about \$800,000, with a substantial portion of that hopefully coming through state grants.

Mayor Latta said she hoped phase one of the project would be complete in time for the start of classes in the fall of 1992.

Phase two of the plan calls for the construction of a 1,000 to 1,500 seat auditorium to serve as the center for performances and as an Appalachian museum. On Monday, Prestonsburg City Council members approved a contract with the Kentucky Center for the Arts for the compilation of a feasibility study to determine the needs, costs and possibilities for such an entertainment center.

(See **Progress**, page two)



Touring the future

Members of the Floyd County Industrial Development Authority and the Pikeville-Pike County Industrial Development and Economic Authority toured the site of an industrial site at Ivel. The group toured the site from the Ivel mountain tops south to the Stanville-Betsy Layne mountain tops where active surface mining is in process by Costain Coal Inc. Pictured from left are Roger Recktenwald, Bill Harvey Howard, Jackie Owens, Ernal Tackett, John M. Stumbo, Douglas Stratton, Dan Rowland and Jim Hammond. (Story on page two)



Footsteps of history

Members of the Fifth Kentucky unit, based at Paintsville, stepped to the beat of history at Sunday's Civil War Reenactment at Carnifex Ferry in West Virginia. The event commemorated the 130th anniversary of the battle. Members of the Confederate unit attending were Don Johnson, (pictured first at left), Paintsville's Mayor John David Preston (second from right), Allen Blanton (not pictured) and Cleve Shepherd (not pictured). The Civil War troop plans to hold reenactments of the Middle Creek Battle in the future. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

Bridge contract is approved :

Pike-Floyd project advances

A link to progress in Floyd County has been approved with the signing of a contract to begin work on a bridge at Ivel that will provide access to a 500-acre industrial site.

Floyd County Judge Executive John M. Stumbo made the announcement at a meeting of the Floyd County Industrial Development Authority and the Pikeville-Pike County Industrial Development and Economic Authority (Idea) on August 27 where details of the bridge were announced. The new bridge will be similar in design to the bridge at Tram, said Floyd County Attorney Jim Hammond, who chaired the meeting.

Eighty percent of the funding for the bridge will come from the federal government; Floyd County will pay twenty percent of the cost. Costain Coal Inc. has contributed \$175,000 to the project, and the Stratton heirs have made a commitment to donate right-of-way. Dedication of the bridge is tentatively set for the first week in November.

Though a bridge to the site will open the way for industry, a stumbling block still exists, according to Bill Harvey Howard. Howard reported that water to the site is available, but can only be extended to the area at great expense. A pump station, a reservoir and a minimum eight-inch water main will be needed, Howard said. The water can be provided if the money is made available, said Howard.

Also at the meeting, Jerry Vaughan, a professional economic developer and president of the Pike County IDEA board, made a presentation concerning the feasibility of establishing a regional industrial

development and commercial park. He said that an increase in the return of coal severance tax to the two counties would put them in a position to use these funds for economic diversification. Floyd and Pike counties lose the opportunity to see ninety percent of the industrial prospects that look at Kentucky because these counties have no improved industrial land to show, Vaughan said.

Vaughan also explained his marketing strategy for recruiting industry to the area. Industrial users of wood and natural gas are being targeted, and Vaughan has planned a recruiting trip to California in late September.

Another problem in attracting industry, said Ben Ross, executive director of East Kentucky Corporation, is that 20,000 economic development agencies are all competing for the same few prospects. Ross explained that the group's strategy is to use inexpensive resources to attract industry.

"The more we position ourselves to use the resources we share, the better position we're going to be in," Ross concluded.

The Floyd County Development Authority meets monthly at the Floyd County Courthouse Annex Building in Prestonsburg every third Wednesday of each month at 4 p.m.



40th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burchett of East Point celebrated their 40th Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, September 8. They were married in Paintsville by Mrs. Burchett's uncle, the Rev. Bub Wiley. They have three children, Tony Burchett, Pam Ratliff and John Burchett, all of Prestonsburg. They also have five grandchildren. Bob Burchett is the son of Myrtle Burchett and the late Lonnie Burchett of Prestonsburg. Carlene Burchett is the daughter of Mae Wiley and the late Carl Wiley of Paintsville.

Strike

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We just want to be treated right. "This is the land of freedom and we ought to be able to speak out without losing our jobs," Holbrook said. "They (the administration) may not like it, but we ought to be able to do it."

James Sherman, an eight-year driver, agreed with Holbrook. "We don't get hired for any of the good paying trips," Sherman said. "We at least ought to be offered the ones in our district. But, we don't even get that."

Classified personnel includes cooks, janitors, bus drivers and school clerks.

Progress—

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While the possibilities are explored, some aspects of the entertainment/educational project are already certainties...There is no lack of talent to provide a supporting cast.

For most the past year Kentucky Opry's troupe of homegrown entertainers has been dazzling audiences, including Governor Wallace Wilkinson, throughout the Commonwealth. Led by Floyd County music teacher Billie Jean Osborne, the Kentucky Opry has attracted the talents of numerous Eastern Kentucky performers and the attention of those who support the arts.

This week, the arts and entertainment project expanded its horizons through the initiation of a Main Street Arts Expo, a coalition of artists and craftspeople who, with support from The Floyd County Arts Association, the Prestonsburg Tourism Commission and the Prestonsburg Main Street program, hope to serve as the forerunner to a region-wide arts and crafts center.

The Arts Expo will involve demonstrations, displays and educational projects in the downtown area this year during November and December. Long-range goals include the development in Prestonsburg of a manufacturing, marketing and distribution hub for Eastern Kentucky arts and crafts.



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J.E. Bentley, 43, of Teaberry, receiving stolen property for allegedly having in his possession two Rolex watches valued at more than \$100 knowing them to have been stolen.

Joe Berger, 37, of Melvin, operating a motor vehicle while license revoked or suspended for driving under the influence for allegedly committing the same offense on two prior occasions.

Danny Blanton, of McDowell, theft by deception for allegedly issuing a check to Wright Lumber Company in the amount of \$198.12 knowing the check would not be honored.

Barbara Bradley, no age or address available, theft by unlawful taking for allegedly taking a 1979 Monte Carlo owned by Luther Johnson.

Lou Ethel Brookover, 72, of Prestonsburg, second degree arson for allegedly starting a fire in a trailer she owned with the intent to destroy the trailer in order to collect insurance.

James L. Burke, 33, of Hager Hill, for allegedly making false statements or misrepresentation to receive unemployment benefits.

James Butler of Wheelwright, theft by deception for allegedly issuing a check to Wright Lumber Company for \$155.92 knowing the check would not be honored.

Randall Caudill, 30, of Melvin, for allegedly operating a motor vehicle while his license was revoked or suspended for driving under the influence after committing the same offense on two prior occasions; driving a motor vehicle while under the influence of an intoxicating substance, fifth offense.

Gary Dean Collins, 19, of Tram and Ronnie Douglas Taylor, 25, of Stanville, third degree burglary for allegedly entering B & B Marine and taking \$8,000 worth of merchandise.

Larry Collins and Jeff Spears, no ages or addresses available, theft by unlawful taking for allegedly taking a Pekinese dog that belonged to Verna Elliott.

Sam Conn, no age or address available, second degree assault for allegedly hitting Michael Butler.

Steve Crum, 20, of Harold, theft by unlawful taking for allegedly taking a 1980 Dodge truck belonging to Paul Snead.

Steve Francis, 24, of Salyersville, theft by unlawful taking for allegedly taking a .38 caliber Colt revolver owned by Terry Hackworth.

Ruth Gunnels of Eastern, theft by deception for allegedly issuing a check to Raymond Hall for \$100 knowing the check would not be honored.

Jack Brooks, 27, of McRoberts and Henry Hall, no age or address available, receiving stolen property when they allegedly received coal truck tires, a C.B. radio, radar detector, battery cover and wheel spacers.

Jimmy Hall, 28, of Prestonsburg, second degree burglary for allegedly entering the home of Deborah Adkins with the intent to commit a crime.

Jimmy D. Hall of Prestonsburg, theft by unlawful taking for allegedly taking copper tubing belonging to Evanto Construction.

Phillip Randy Hall, 41, of Prestonsburg, trafficking in a Schedule III controlled substance for allegedly selling Tylenol 3 to an informant; trafficking in a Scheduled IV controlled substance for allegedly selling Valium to an informant.

Tim Hall of McDowell, 12 counts of theft by deception for allegedly issuing checks totaling \$5,345 to Bestway Market knowing the checks would not be honored.

Thomas Hall of Langley, first degree wanton endangerment for allegedly shooting at Yvonne Manuel and Randy Manuel.

Randy Neil Hamilton of McDowell, flagrant non-support for allegedly failing to pay court ordered child support.

Terry Dean Harrington, no age or address available, theft by unlawful taking for allegedly taking two racing go-carts belonging to Billy Joe Harrington.

Daniel Harris, no age or address available, first degree wanton endangerment for allegedly shooting a firearm at Sandra Hall.

Anzie Howell, no age or address available, second degree forgery for allegedly making, completing or altering a written instrument to represent the will of Ellis Tackett; second degree forgery for allegedly making completing or altering a written instrument to represent a commercial instrument with the intent to defraud.

Kevin Hutchinson and Billy Hutchinson, no ages or addresses available, theft by failure to make required disposition of property for allegedly selling and failing to account for a 1985 Plymouth Reliant owned by Beverly and Ned Meade.

Mike Johnson, no age or address available, first degree wanton endangerment for allegedly pointing a loaded gun at Charles McCauley.

Mary Jane Jones, no age or address available, theft by unlawful taking for allegedly taking old coins belonging to Homer Jones.

Floyd Kirby, 18, of Auxier and Jennifer Nosse, 18, of Warren, Ohio, receiving stolen property for allegedly having possession of a 1984 Dodge knowing it was stolen.

Norman A. Williams, 39, of Salyersville, for allegedly making false statements to receive unemployment benefits.

Wayne Wallen of West Prestonsburg, first degree wanton endangerment for allegedly shooting into a trailer occupied by William Douglas Nelson.

Teresa Tackett of Langley, theft by deception for allegedly issuing a check to C & H Rauch for \$107.59 knowing the check would not be honored.

Stevie Lowe, no age or address available, first degree assault for allegedly cutting Ronnie Branham with a knife.

David Lykins of Auxier, theft by deception for allegedly issuing a check to Don Howard for \$6,500 knowing the check would not be honored.

Frank Lafferty, no age or address available, second degree assault for allegedly hitting Betty Lou Lafferty; first degree criminal mischief for allegedly destroying property belonging to Betty Lou Lafferty valued at more than \$1,000; theft of services for allegedly obtaining services of Betty Lou Lafferty by deception to avoid payment valued at \$25,000.

Gary Mitchell, no age or address available, first degree assault for allegedly hitting Annie Tackett with a truck.

Rusty Mullins, 26, of Melvin, second degree assault for allegedly beating Mike Johnson.

Tommy Music, 20, of Prestonsburg, third degree burglary for allegedly taking merchandise from Archer Clinic Pharmacy and the Cobbler Shop.

Gerald Ray Maynard, 26, of Endicott and Rodney Blackburn, 32, of Endicott, theft by unlawful taking for allegedly taking a Stihl concrete saw, chain saw, Wayne pump and battery belonging to Cyrus Contracting.

Stephanie Newsome, Goble Roberts, second degree robbery for allegedly taking a purse belonging to Helen Hammonds by using physical force; fourth degree assault for allegedly causing physical injury to Helen Hammonds during the course of theft.

Palma Sue Porter, 40, of Dwale, uttering a forged prescription for allegedly presenting a forged prescription at Wal-Mart Pharmacy.

Bobby L. Preston, 29, of Inez, for allegedly making false statements to obtain unemployment benefits.

Lowell Robinson of East Point, theft by failure to make required disposition of property for allegedly obtaining property upon agreement and selling the property; first degree perjury for allegedly making a cross statement which he did not believe in an official proceeding under an oath required or authorized by law.

John Phillip Sammons of Prestonsburg, second degree wanton endangerment for allegedly hitting a school bus occupied by Rebecca Blevins and others with rocks.

Gregory Short, 22, of Garrett, second degree assault for allegedly beating Michelle Ramey.

John R. Slone, 48, of Mousie, first degree burglary for allegedly entering the home of Kathy Frasure while armed with a deadly weapon with the intent to commit a crime; first degree wanton endangerment for allegedly shooting in a home occupied by Peggy Faulkner; first degree criminal mischief for allegedly breaking out a window and shooting a hole through the wall of the home of Peggy Faulkner.

Melissa Tackett of Prestonsburg, theft by deception for allegedly issuing a check to D & E Market for \$126.85 knowing the check would not be honored.

John William Sparr, no age or address available, flagrant non-support for allegedly failing to provide court ordered child support.

James Yates of Shelbiana, theft by deception for allegedly issuing a check to C & H Rauch for \$433.53 knowing the check would not be honored.

Note: An indictment is not an indication of guilt, only that a grand

jury has determined that enough evidence exists for a trial to be conducted.

Editor's note: The Johnnie Adams listed in grand jury indictments is not the Johnnie Adams employed by the Floyd County Times.

The Frank DeRossett charged with murder is not Circuit Court Clerk Frank DeRossett or his son.

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Liberty of thought is the life of the soul—Voltaire

Other Voices

Children pay severe price for parents' drug, alcohol abuse

by **Walt Holbrook**
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Our Lady of Bellefonte Hospital
CareUnit

Growing numbers of children are suffering increasingly severe repercussions ranging from birth defects to neglect as a result of their parents' drug and alcohol abuse, according to recent reports.

An estimated 375,000 babies are born annually in the United States to women who took drugs while pregnant, according to a report in the publication *Education World*. Roughly 200,000 of them are "crack babies" whose mothers abused the highly potent form of cocaine during pregnancy.

Prenatal drug-exposure has been linked to a range of adverse side effects, including low birthweight, small head size, neurological damage and increased risk of sudden infant death syndrome, according to a report in *American Family Physician*.

Fetal alcohol syndrome (FAS), a condition caused by prenatal drinking, now is recognized as the leading cause of mental retardation in the United States. FAS also results in stunted growth, learning disabilities and maladaptive behaviors, reports the *Journal of the American Medical Association*.

Studies also indicate that a growing number of cases of child abuse and neglect are the result of a parent's drinking or drug use.

The National Committee for the Prevention of Child Abuse (NCPA) in a New York Times story reported that in the early 1980's, 30 to 40

percent of reported cases of child abuse and neglect involved substance abuse, usually parental drinking. By the early 1990's, more than 50 percent of those cases involved drugs or alcohol, frequently crack cocaine, the NCPA reported.

Child advocacy experts warn that the children of alcoholics and addicts are overwhelming the nationwide foster-care system which, in recent years, had been shrinking. A study released earlier this year followed 1,003 foster children in New York, Houston, Seattle, Detroit and Miami. It found that, overall, parental substance abuse was a factor in 36 percent of the placements. In New York City the figure was 52 percent. The study also indicated that children of addicted parents are more likely to remain in foster care.

In a follow-up study with the New York City children, after 4 1/2 years, 63 percent of those with drug-abusing mothers or fathers remained in the system compared to 47 percent of those with non-drug-abusing parents.

The suffering experienced by children whose parents are addicted to drugs or alcohol is perhaps the saddest consequence of substance abuse.

Not only do they experience abuse and neglect as adolescents, but they're also at risk for treating their own children the same since research indicated that the cycle of abuse often extends from generation to generation.

For more information regarding substance abuse call the CAREUNIT at Our Lady of Bellefonte Hospital (606) 836-3148.

Report to Kentucky

by **Senator Wendell Ford**

AUGUST RECESS PROVIDES EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY TO HEAR VIEWS OF CITIZENS ACROSS STATE

I always look forward to Congress' annual August recess as a time to leave the hectic life of Washington D.C. and be able to visit with friends across the Commonwealth.

The term "recess" may lead many people to believe that Congress is taking off for a month's vacation. It would be easy to let that term mislead you.

I took advantage of this August recess as a time to come to Kentucky and have the opportunity to discuss at length the concerns and problems facing our citizens all across the state.

I was aided in this effort by many special events in the state and the invitations of several Area Development Districts, Chambers of Commerce, Rotary Clubs and other groups who were kind enough to provide a forum for meetings that allowed for frank discussions on a variety of topics.

Meeting with the Northern Kentucky ADD in late August brought

me in touch with such counties as Boone, Campbell, Carroll, Gallatin, Grant, Kenton, Owen and Pendleton. In addition, we were able to hear the concerns of senior citizens in Newport and discuss issues of local concern at the Northern Kentucky Chamber of Commerce Congressional Forum in Ft. Mitchell.

The pressing issue of uranium enrichment was discussed with Rotary Club members in Paducah. As many of you know, one of our greatest challenges is to bring AVLIS technology to our uranium-enrichment industry — an industry that is vital to the security of this nation and to the economic well-being of Western Kentucky and its surrounding communities.

I was also fortunate enough to attend the unveiling of the National Distance Learning Center located at the Owensboro Community College.

This Center is designed to provide a unique data base of information for distance learning across the nation, including rural and small community schools, regardless of their financial status or size.

At the invitation of the Green River ADD, I was able to participate in a forum in Owensboro on the Social

Security "notch issue" which affects over 170,000 senior citizens in Kentucky. As an original cosponsor of a bill to correct the notch, we discussed ways seniors can help move this bill along.

Throughout this meeting and others, a dominant theme emerged — that Congress has an obligation to listen to the views of citizens at the state and local level and have their voices heard at the Federal level.

We all know that the federal government can never be all things to all people. But it can be part of an honest partnership involving all levels of government, the private sector and hardworking Kentuckians in every walk of life.

I will be taking that message back to Washington and I urge all Kentuckians to join in the effort to make sure that message is heard loud and clear in this and future Congresses.

Our Yesterdays

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

Ten Years Ago (September 16, 1981)

A jurisdiction dispute in the murder case of a kidnapped Emma youth, Michael Dwayne Cline, led to no indictment from the grand jury of Elisha Branham Jr., 23, of Prater Creek. However, the jury may be called in again to decide the case since jurisdiction has now been established...Some 782 of the 9983 Floyd Countians on various welfare programs will be taken off the rolls because of federal budget cut backs to take affect next month...In an unanticipated switch that has left some Prestonsburg officials angry, it was announced this week that Red, White and Blue Day is to be held this year in Martin...A father has filed a civil suit against Allen Central High School this week, claiming his daughter should be appointed to one of the two positions now vacant on the cheerleading squad. Elizabeth Anne Halbert was ranked 11th on the vote for a 10-member squad and is therefore an eligible alternate, Hubert Halbert claims...While other Kentucky counties are reportedly giving in to state pressure to join district health departments, Floyd will apparently remain intransigent...State and Federal investigators have begun the task of attempting to identify the person who placed an explosive device on the hood of Ron G. Nance's car, causing damage to the vehicle and nearby home. Nance, a Prestonsburg resident and manager of field operations for Hiller Fuels, Inc., was vacationing in Greensboro, North Carolina, at the time of the blast...There died: Willard "Goat" Burchett, 70, of Prestonsburg, Friday of an apparent heart attack; Alice Caudill, 79, of Auxier, Monday, August 31 at Riverview Manor Nursing Home; Earl Combs, 90, of Raven, Thursday at Pikeville Methodist Hospital; Goldie Wells Goble, 71, of Prestonsburg, last Thursday at King's Daughters' Hospital in Ashland; Phoebe Jane Tackett, 86, of Stanville, Sunday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital; Creed Prater, 57, of Rome City, Indiana, formerly of Hueysville, last Wednesday at his home.

Twenty Years Ago (September 18, 1971)

Except for Floyd County, deep mining for coal is taking a back seat to surface mining by strip and auger, a review of the coal industry in this part of Kentucky shows...The two-story building which was remodeled and renovated earlier this year at David by Boy Scouts and visiting students became a pilot child development center this week...Work was begun here Tuesday morning by contractors on the Kentucky Power Company office-garage building which has been planned here the last two years...Both the Wheelwright Trojans and the Prestonsburg Blackcats broke into the victory column for the first time this season last Friday night, with the Trojans upsetting the favored Pikeville Panthers at Pikeville, 24 to 18, and the Blackcats downing Elkhorn City, 36-20...There died: Lula J. Hamilton, 77, Thursday at her home at Beaver; Melissa Hackworth Yates, formerly of this county, September 8 at Warsaw, Ind.; John Henry Hatfield, 47, of Dwale, Saturday at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; John Printer Meade, 48, of Martin, September 6 at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin; Arthur Byron Ring, 63, of Garrett, Sunday at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; Willis H. "Burr" Rice, 52, Sunday at his home at East Point; Fletcher Medley Mayo, 69, of Prestonsburg, Saturday at Prestonsburg General Hospital; Blanche Sparks Moore, 58, of Wheelwright, Thursday at McDowell ARH; Jackie Hall Evans, 24, formerly of Bypro, Saturday at Detroit, Michigan.

Thirty Years Ago (September 14, 1961)

Two breaks at the county jail here within three days last weekend saw seven prisoners make successful dashes for freedom. Three of the fugitives have been either recaptured or have surrendered...James T. Newman, of Paintsville, director of Johnson County Civil Defense, stressed to the Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club Thursday evening of last week the urgency of fallout shelter construction to meet the exigencies of nuclear warfare...Fourteen Floyd Countians have been directed by the county's two Selective Service boards to report for induction to the armed forces this month, and 30 others have been called for pre-induction tests at Ashland...All three defendants given trial Tuesday on charges made by a special grand jury in its probe of the May primary election won acquittal at the hands of Floyd Circuit Court juries...Governor Bert T. Combs lashed out at his critics in a speech at Hazard last week when he defended the Eastern Kentucky toll road and his stand in the Newport gambling probe...There died: Revis Jon Hall, 28, and his four-year-old nephew, Reginald D. Hall, son and grandson, respectively of Mr. and Mrs. Revis V. Hall, formerly of Eastern, in separate tragedies in Indiana, recently; Robert J. Glenn, 35, former Red Cross representative here, August 27 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; M.M. Moore, former Martin and Pikeville lumber dealer, Saturday in Lexington; Chester A. (Mann) Preston, 75, former Martin businessman, Friday in Cincinnati, Ohio; Rennie Conley Rose, 68, of West Prestonsburg, Wednesday of last week in a hospital here; Dickie Hall, 28, Hindman contractor, Tuesday, in an accident near Hindman; Fred Woods, 49, Saturday at his home at East Point; Landon Setser, 57, last Wednesday in a Gallipolis, Ohio, hospital.

Forty Years Ago (September 13, 1951)

A Hunter man was jailed here Sunday after Deputy Sheriff Willie Johnson had captured an 85-gallon moonshine still which, they claimed, was his property...Body of Cpl. Thomas E. Bolling who last February 16 became the second son of Mrs. Frances O'Dell Bolling to die in his country's battles, arrived at the West Prestonsburg home of his mother today (Thursday) from Korea...National Kids' Day will be observed by two Floyd County Kiwanis Clubs in programs of wide interest to youngsters...Johnny Cook and David Allen of the Prestonsburg Junior Conservation Club, made a clean sweep of the bait-casting tournament at the State Fair, Louisville, today (Thursday), winning the championship of both the senior and junior divisions...There died: Thomas A. Osborne, 44, of Hite, Monday at the home of his mother; Kenneth Earl Hughes, 40, of Hall Hollow, near Wheelwright, Monday morning.

Fifty Years Ago (September 11, 1941)

Although practically every other county in Eastern Kentucky has a teacher shortage, it was said at the office of County Superintendent Town Hall here this week that Floyd county's supply of teachers is adequate to the Floyd system's needs, with a few to spare...W.A. Toney, Floyd County's WPA superintendent, said here Monday that four new road projects, cost of which will aggregate \$226,570 and construction of which will call for the employment of approximately 400 men, have already been started, or will be begun in the next three weeks...James Monroe Bowling, 33-year-old motor brakeman for the Inland Steel Corporation at Wheelwright, was killed Saturday afternoon when struck by a fall of slate...Although Prestonsburg high school's senior band has 15 members, only 10 instruments are available for their use, it was said this week...Coming to the Martin Theatre, September 21, in person—Ken Maynard and his Lone Star Rangers and his wonder horse, Tarzan...There died: Matilda Newsome, 43, of Melvin, Sunday; Calvin Jones, 100-year-old Confederate Army veteran, formerly of this county, recently in Boyd County.

Coffee Break



by **Scott Perry**

Today is Friday the 13th, but as far as we're concerned the real If-It-Weren't-For-Bad-Luck-We'd-Not-Be-Here-At-All day was Thursday, August 29.

That's the day our central air-conditioning unit shoved off for that great junkyard in the sky.

It was also the day that Mother Nature decided she would begin pre-heating her oven in Eastern Kentucky, bringing us 100 degree days and humidity filled nights.

Okay, the breakdown of an air conditioner may not rank up there with the world's greatest catastrophes but we'd be willing to bet it could cause one.

You'd be surprised at how closely a rise in temperature parallels a rise in tempers.

Our daughter, who controls our house's only window air conditioning unit, has become head of the household by default since we have been required to sign over all of our parental authority in exchange for rationed moments of climate control. If you think slavery ended with the Civil War, try giving an 11-year-old the power to rule.

Grovelers R Us, get the picture?

This is perhaps the first time we've ever been anxious for the onset of cold weather.

Rarely are we able to read through a report from a state bureaucrat without stifling an urge to yawn, but an article in the latest edition of the Kentucky School Boards Association *Journal* kept us wide awake.

The article, written by Mike Luscher, director of the division of Buildings and Grounds for the state Department of Education, was entitled "Some Practical Suggestions For School Capital Construction Projects."

The report won't make the best seller list to be sure, but it does make for interesting reading if you are familiar with the school construction issues and problems in

Floyd County.

In fact, Luscher's article is practically an outline of the Floyd County school building problems first outlined in a series of articles published right here in *The Floyd County Times*.

Hey Mike, if we can be of further assistance, let us know.

Isn't it amazing what a dose of open, honest conversation can cure?

From the looks of things, that appears to have been the prescription for lowering the fever in a dispute between school employees and their bosses in Floyd County.

After three days of exchanging information, the feud between teachers and the board of education appears to have been settled to the pleasure of both sides.

Three days of talks ended two years of bickering.

Boy, we sure wasted a lot of time, didn't we?

With the crime rate spiraling upward, Times staffers have convinced us (with a mix of arm-twisting and whining) that the office is in need of security.

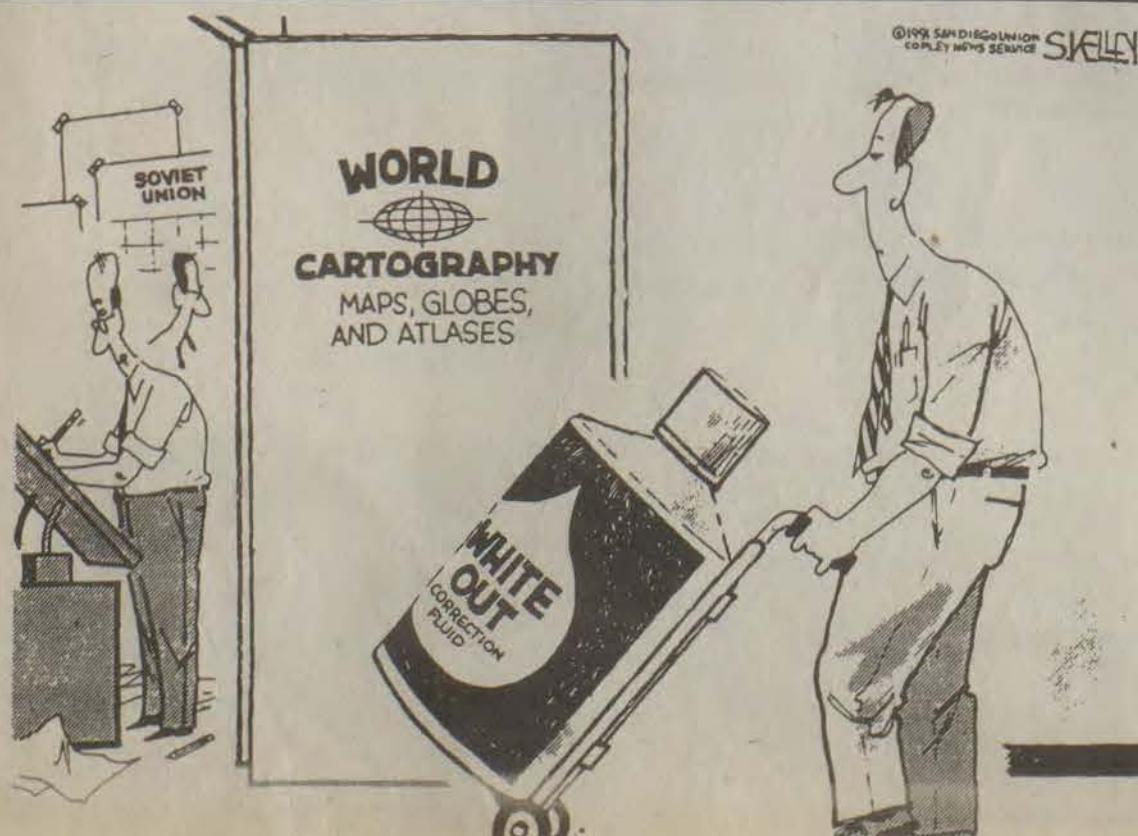
The result is an extremely vicious watch cat which needs little provocation to jump into your lap and purr menacingly.

Each morning, while making her rounds, our protector stops by our office for a chat and a piece of raisin-oatmeal cookie.

The snack is payment for not revealing to the rest of the staff just where we keep our cookie stash.

A small price to pay for the security of knowing our building is free of the threat of bandit mice, heavily armed crickets and the occasional low flying moth.

When this cat takes a bite out of crime, she takes a bite out of crime.



Courthouse News

Marriages (September 4-11)

Correction:
Kimberly Renee Bertram, 22, of Allen and Geoffrey Todd Crace, 25, of Allen.

Vanessa H. Adkins, 36, of Langley and Gene S. Bryan Jr., 24, of Sitka; Patricia Jean Caudill, 23, of Staffordsville and Rodney Slone, 24, of Blue River;

Ernestine Marell Horn, 20, of Prestonsburg and Donald Robin Whitaker, 29, of Goble Roberts; Shirley Mae Johnson, 14, of Wheelwright and Ricky Dean Johnson, 14, of Wheelwright;

Greta Gay Adkins, 25, of Langley and Billy Edwin Salisbury, 32, of Ivel; Della Shepherd, 31, of Auxier, and Michael Phillip Powers, 36, of Auxier;

Beverly Burchett Smith, 28, of Pikeville and Darrell Edward Hamil-

ton, 38, of Grethel; Kathleen Ann Rodeheaver, 15, of McDowell and Gary Lee Barbee, 18, of McDowell; Lea Belle Kidd, 30, of Harold and Garrett Adams, 44, of Pikeville; Orlie P. Blackburn, 29, of Honaker and Patrick W. Fannin, 19, of Honaker; Tammy Renea Jones, 20, of Martin and Christopher Neil Caudill, 21, of Salyersville;

Dina Hamilton, 52, of Prestonsburg and Leonard Ojay Panzone, 63, of Ashtabula, Ohio; Linda Carol Slone, 18, of Martin, and Kenney Wayne Scott, 24, Hueysville; Julie Agatha Bentley, 25, of Langley and Christopher David Bormes, 21, of Langley;

Charlene Gail Glaze, 17, of Prestonsburg and Michael Wayne Holdiness, 18, of Prestonsburg; Janie Yvonne McGuire, 28, of Price and Curtis Ray Salisbury, 41, of Drift.

Suits Filed (September 4-11)

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

Carolee and Jewel Hobson v. Dr. Melvin K. Stewart, compensation for alleged injuries received during orthodontic treatment;

Gladys Davis v. Ashland and Phyllis Davis, alleged injuries received when she fell at their home;

Broyhill Furniture Industries Inc. v. Don Moore d/b/a Moore Furniture Company, alleged debt of \$4,421.28 plus interest;

Amber Coal Company Inc. v. Cub Branch Development Company, alleged debt of \$400,000 and an injunction to halt transfer of permits/leases;

Commonwealth of Kentucky v. Frank Moore Jr., seeking his release from Floyd County Jail and an order preventing his extradition to Indiana; Barbara Burchett v. Mark Scott, compensation for injuries received in an automobile accident on October 28 at Betsy Layne;

Bill A. Hackworth v. East Kentucky Power Cooperative Inc., compensation for alleged damage to property;

David C. Cook et al v. Morningstar Aviation Services, compensa-

tion for injuries received on September 14, 1990 when the helicopter in which they were passengers crashed; McDowell Appalachian Regional Healthcare v. Ellery Herrington and Sherrie Herrington, alleged debt of \$4,676 plus interest.

Clarification

The Rita Endicott mentioned in Wednesday's Courthouse News, is not the Rita Endicott that lives on Cow Creek and is married to Donald Endicott.

STAY project underway in Floyd County and others

The Kentucky Youth Association-State YMCA has announced county-wide implementation of the S.T.A.Y. (Students Training Adolescent Youth) Project. S.T.A.Y., a teen mentoring program involving students in grades 6-12, focuses on community issues education and problem solving.

Twenty-five counties in eastern Kentucky have been targeted to participate in S.T.A.Y. High school students in each of those counties will be trained as volunteer mentors of students in grades 6-8. The students will form a community-based teen council or Y-Club to study and discuss issues important to the Appalachian Region. They will then propose solutions in the form of legislative resolutions and present them at the Kentucky Youth Assembly at the State Capitol in Frankfort.

Young people involved in S.T.A.Y. will gain an increased awareness of the problems facing their communities, region, and state. They will be encouraged to become actively involved in seeking resolutions to these problems through legislative action. Another aspect of the program is that young people will be encouraged to perform volunteer

community projects to further their education in community issues. The benefits derived from these activities will be felt by both the student and the community.

Implementation of the S.T.A.Y. program is made possible through funds provided by the Appalachian Regional Commission. Full and partial scholarship assistance will be available for up to twenty students from each participating county to attend the Junior or Senior Kentucky Youth Assembly.

While any ARC county may be eligible for S.T.A.Y. participation, primary funding is focused at this time on the counties of Adair, Bath, Bell, Carter, Clay, Cumberland, Elliott, Floyd, Garrard, Green, Harlan, Jackson, Johnson, Knox, Laurel, Lawrence, Lincoln, Madison, Magoffin, Martin, Monroe, Pike, Rockcastle, Rowan, and Russell. Interested students should contact their school administrator, guidance counselor, or teacher for nomination to the program. Adult sponsors for community teen councils are also needed.

For more information regarding the S.T.A.Y. program, contact Mike Haynes at the Kentucky Youth Association-State YMCA at (502) 227-7028.

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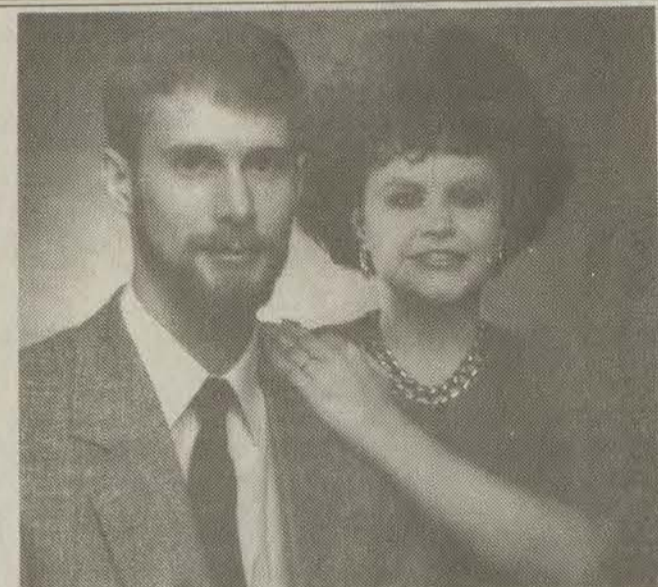
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Mr. Artis Akers of Dana announces the engagement of his daughter, Terry Leigh, to Phillip Johnson, son of Arnold B. and Phyllis Johnson of Virgie.

The bride-elect is a 1986 graduate of Betsy Layne High School and a 1990 graduate of Pikeville College. She is currently employed by The First Guaranty National Bank of Martin.

The groom-to-be is a 1987 graduate of Virgie High School and a 1991 graduate of Pikeville College. He is currently employed by Mountain Top Baking.

A November wedding is planned.

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Obituaries

Milton Dwane "Magoo" Little

Milton Dwane "Magoo" Little, 47, of Minnie, died Tuesday, September 10 at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital following a short illness.

Born May 1, 1944, at Minnie, he was the son of Milton Little of Fairborn, Ohio, and the late Anna Rose Martin Little. Mr. Little was a U.S. Army Vietnam War Veteran and attended Alice Lloyd College, Pikeville College and the University of Kentucky. He was a purchasing agent for The Kock-Victory Coal Company.

In addition to his father, he is survived by his step-mother, Alice Little of Fairborn, Ohio; his wife, Sharon Little of Minnie; two sons, Jeffrey Duane Little and Shaun Douglas Little, both at home; and one sister, Sharon Rose Blair of Fairfield, Ohio.

Funeral services will be Friday, September 13, at 11 a.m. at the Old Beaver Regular Baptist Church at Minnie with the Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Burial will follow in the Lucy Hall Cemetery at McDowell with the Hall Funeral Home, Martin, caring for arrange-

ments.

Serving as pallbearers were Larry Stewart, Dean Stewart, Benjie Stewart, Roger Hall, Truman Blair, Shane Blair, Paul Little, Mike Hall and Wendell Martin.

Myrtle Thornsby Wallen

Myrtle Thornsby Wallen, 76, of Ypsilanti, Michigan, formerly of Floyd County, died Wednesday, September 11 at the Heritage Hospital in Taylor, Michigan, following an extended illness.

Born April 7, 1915, in Kite, she was the daughter of the late Dock and Mindy Caudill Thornsby. She was preceded by her husband Ollie Wallen in 1963.

Survivors include two sons, Ralph Wallen of Romulus, Michigan, and John Wallen of Clinton, Michigan; two daughters, Elva Rupert and Billa Dane, both of Ypsilanti, Michigan; 18 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Saturday, September 14 at 11 a.m. at the Carter Funeral Home, Prestonsburg. Burial will follow in the Wallen Cemetery at West Prestonsburg.

Paul Tackett

Paul Tackett, 69, of Virgie, died Wednesday, September 11 at the Highland Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg.

Born January 11, 1922, at Hartley, he was the son of the late Johnnie and Virgie Tackett. He was a retired heavy equipment mechanic.

He is survived by his wife, Lesta Tackett of Long Fork, Virgie; four sons, Lowell Tackett, Ralph L. Tackett and Rodney Dean Tackett, all of Virgie, and Ronald Lee Tackett of Michigan; one sister, Jewell Collins of Virgie; and 12 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Saturday, September 14 at 11 a.m. at the R.S. Jones & Son Chapel, Virgie, with ministers Monroe Jones, Dewey Roberts, Wendell Hamilton, Kermit Wright and Jimmy Hall officiating. Burial will follow at the Tackett Family Cemetery at Long Fork, Virgie.

Viola Bates

Viola Bates, 77, of Bevinville, died Wednesday, September 11 at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital.

Born November 26, 1913, in Dry Creek, she was a mother and homemaker and the daughter of the late Nettie Hall. In 1931 she married Carl Bates who preceded her in death in 1980.

Survivors include four sons, Julius Bates of Brownsville, New Jersey, Harold Dean Bates of Chicago, Illinois, Charles Wayne Bates of Bevinville, and Kenneth Ray Bates of Wheelwright; two daughters, Justine Meade of Hi Hat and Jean Horn of Weeksbury; two foster brothers, Bill Hall of Topmost and Can Isaac of Prestonsburg; six foster sisters, Elsie Hall and Dallis Hall, both of Topmost, Othadell Downing of Cincinnati, Ohio, Eva Isaac of Virgie, Audrey Collins of Mt. Sterling and Elma Pence of Xenia, Ohio; nine grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, September 14 at 11 a.m. at the Joppa Old Regular Baptist at Melvin with ministers of the Old Regular Baptist Church officiating. Burial will follow in the Buckingham Cemetery at Buckingham under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

James W. Evans

James W. Evans, 68, of Auxier, died Wednesday, September 11 at St. Joseph's Hospital, Lexington.

Born April 16, 1923, in Auxier, he was a retired coal miner and the son of the late Oscar and Ester Keaton Evans.

Survivors include his wife, Nathenia Burton Evans; one daughter, Vicki Mynhier of Auxier; one brother, John David Evans of Prestonsburg; two sisters, Majorie Gunnells of Prestonsburg and Virginia Foss of Orlando, Florida; and two grandsons.

Funeral services will be Saturday, September 14 at 11 a.m. at the Jones Preston Funeral Home, Paintsville, with the minister Doug Burkett officiating. Burial will follow in the Richmond Cemetery at Prestonsburg.

Hillard Jones

Hillard Jones, 72, of Virgie, died Thursday, September 12 at the Pikeville Methodist Hospital.

Born June 25, 1919, in Pike County, he was the son of the late Kenis and Eliza Jane Little Jones. He was a retired UMWA coal miner.

He is survived by his wife Oma Ray Jones of Virgie; one daughter, Constance "Connie" Kay Johnson of Long Fork, Virgie; one brother, Bennie Jones of Dayton, Ohio; four sisters, Bessie Jones of Milton, Ohio, Bertha Kiser of Dayton, Ohio, Lilly Jones and Sally Jones both of Robinson Creek; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Sunday, September 15 at 11 a.m. at the R.S. Jones & Son Funeral Chapel, Virgie, with ministers Monroe Jones, Kermit Wright, Hiram Adkins, Dewey Roberts officiating. Burial will follow in the Allard Ray Cemetery at Virgie.

Stephanie Ann Morgan

Stephanie Ann Morgan, 21, of Hardin County, died Sunday, September 1 from injuries sustained in a car accident.

Born January 30, 1970, in Radcliff, she was the daughter of Johnny Jones of Melvin and Karen Brodie of Cecilia, who survive. Mrs. Morgan was a Hardin County native, a member of the New Salem Baptist Church and was employed at the Dix-E-Town Lanes.

In addition to her parents she is survived by her maternal grandmother, Annie Lay of Weeksbury; her husband, Steven Morgan of Rineyville; and one brother, Stephen Jones of Cecilia.

Funeral services were Wednesday, September 4 at 2 p.m. at the New Salem Baptist Church with the Rev. Gary Kasey officiating. Burial followed in the church cemetery at New Salem under the direction of the Dixon, Atwood and Adkins Funeral Home of Elizabethtown.

The American Academy of Pediatrics recommends that parents serve children under 2 years of age whole milk, since fat plays a vital role in brain development.

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Card of Thanks

The family of Alonzo Patrick would like to extend their appreciation to all those friendly neighbors and loved ones who helped comfort them during their time of sorrow. Thanks to all who sent flowers, prayers or spoke comforting words. A special thanks to the Rev. Clifford Austin for his comforting words. A special thanks to the Prestonsburg Fire Department for their assistance; also thanks to the Carter Funeral Home for their kind and professional service. A special thanks to the Highland Avenue Freewill Baptist Church choir.

The family of
ALONZO PATRICK

Former Floyd Countian lauded

A former Floyd Countian, Gary Branson, superintendent of Miamisburg City Schools (near Dayton, Ohio), will be presented with an Exemplary Leadership Award at the Buckeye Association of School Administrators' Fall Conference to be held October 1-2. Branson will receive this award at the BASA President's Dinner, 6:30 p.m., October 1 at the Marriott North in Columbus.

A committee in each of BASA's

10 regions met to screen nominations and to select one person from the region to receive the award. The selection committee from Region IX stated that Branson has presented stability in management style and applied successful leadership to the Miamisburg City Schools. The committee members said "Branson's personal success in the school system has translated into improved education programs for boys and girls, which is a worthy accomplishment for all of us."

"Through training, experience and risk-taking, Branson has created an environment in the school district that is open to improvement and change," the committee members stated. They said he has established financial stability in the district as well as planned and executed a maintenance, renovation and new facilities program.

Branson has served as Miamisburg superintendent for nine years, and at the same time, has participated in many community and Montgomery County leadership and service roles.

Branson is a 1956 graduate of McDowell High School. He earned his bachelors degree from Morehead State University in 1960, his masters in education from Kent State University in 1963 and his PhD from Ohio State in 1974. He is the son of Arthur and Ollie Branson of Auxier and the older brother of Danile Branson, principal at Allen Elementary School.

BASA is the professional membership association for Ohio's public school superintendents. Its headquarters are in Westerville, a suburb of Columbus.

Alzheimer's Disease support group meets

Alzheimer's Disease is a brain disease. Although memory loss occurs to some extent in much of the aging population, Alzheimer's Disease is a memory loss that gets progressively worse. Its effects are irreversible and cause permanent damage to the nerve cells of the brain. The disease eventually interferes with a patient's ability to perform daily routine tasks and causes a decline in intellectual functioning.

If you are trying to cope with the effects of Alzheimer's Disease on a loved one — or just wish to learn more about the disease — you can get help through the Alzheimer's Support Group at Highland's Regional Medical Center.

Getting together with others of similar circumstances, you'll learn more about the disease and what to expect as it progresses. Contact Glenda Hughes, Regional Coordinator of the Alzheimer's Association, if you are interested in learning more about Alzheimer's Disease. The phone number is (606) 886-1330.

The next support group meeting will be Thursday, September 19, at 7 p.m. in the Floyd Room, Highlands Regional Medical Center. "Meeting Daily

Challenges" will be the discussion topic and an informative videotape will be shown. There is no charge.

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PEOPLE, PLACES AND THINGS

by Beth Jones

SLEEP: A HOBBY

My favorite hobby is sleep. I know that sounds strange, but to a working college student, sleep is the most welcome relief in the world.

I've enjoyed by sleep for several years. However, I have decided that I probably didn't need it all. Last year, I enjoyed naps after days filled with school, majorette practices, softball and basketball games, and club meetings. I think I was probably just a little tired.

After going to college (six hours a day for three days), followed by working 24-33 hours a week and then writing and typing an article, I'm a little exhausted. I feel that I deserve my sleep. It is my only have, a shelter belonging only to me.

Sometimes think back to my childhood. I never wanted to go to bed when I was told, yet I was still sleepy when morning came. I shudder to think of all the hours of sleep that I passed up. Why is it little kids never want to go to bed when they are told?

Now that I'm grown, I take my sleep very seriously. My waterbed must be set at precisely 85 degrees. My pillow has to be positioned just so in order to support my neck and head. Most importantly, though, the room must be dark. Thanks to blinds in my room, a nap is possible at any hour of the day.

I also enjoy taking little naps in the car (not when I'm driving, of course). I can start on a trip with my family and be asleep in less than 15 minutes. What can I say, it's a gift. Besides, it helps to lower boredom on long trips.

I think people that rely on caffeine and Vivarin to keep themselves going aren't going to make it for the long haul. Studies show that sleep's essential to keep the mind and body in good working order (mine should be perfect). After all, it doesn't take all day. A 30-minute nap and eight hours at night is enough sleep for most anyone. I'm living proof that too much won't hurt you. Besides I work hard and deserve a nap.

I hope you have enjoyed a trip into my little world of sleep. All this typing is making me tired, though, I think I'll go take a nap. Until next week...sweet dreams.

Mountain Voices — by Willie Elliott

WHAT THEY STAY IS NOT WHAT THEY MEAN

If most women are like my wife (and I suppose they are), one has to do a little mind reading when responding to them. Linda will say to me, "Daddy, (we got in the habit of calling each other "Mommy" and "Daddy" when Ryan was born and still do it now. Everyone thinks it's too corny, but we think it is sweet) you are a good father and husband."

I will respond with, "Thank you. That is very nice of you to say that."

"Well," she will counter.

"Well what?"

"What about me?"

"You are a good wife, and I would say you are a super-duper mom. You do everything the child tells you to do."

"It doesn't count if I have to tell you what to say. Besides, you are just jealous because I don't wait on you

hand and foot.

So it will go a week or so and I will say, "You do the nicest things for us. Who else cooks a breakfast for her family once a month?"

"Willie, that is not funny. You're just saying that because I told you that you should give me compliments without my prompting, aren't you?"

"Well, in a way, yes."

"That is worse than ever. Just say what you mean, but you have to be sincere about it."

"Well, to put in a down-to-earth format, you're a pretty good old gal."

"Old gal, am I? There go your monthly breakfasts and any other meal that you had planned for me to cook."

"Now I am confused. I have no idea how to say nice things about you. How should I do it?"

"If I have to tell you, it is a hopeless case. I guess I was expecting a

knight on a white stallion and I got a clodhopper on a donkey."

"Flattery will get you no where."

I'm sure you men have gone through this little scenario. Linda came in one day and asked what kind of potatoes I wanted—baked, fried, or cooked. I told her it didn't matter to me. That set her off.

"No, for once I want you to make a decision. I have to plan the meals and when I ask you and Ryan for advice, all I get is, 'It don't matter.' You have to make a decision or, I won't fix any."

"OK, we will have cooked potatoes."

"But, I was thinking that baked potatoes would go better with the things I have prepared." She caught herself and realized what she had done. She claimed she was under much stress planning all those meals.

We had a good laugh out of that. It must have caused her to lose her memory because she can't remember that happening.

Sometimes I will take it on myself to clean the kitchen and sometimes that task would be equivalent to cleaning up the mess in Russia. Linda will come home and praise me to high heaven. You would think I would be ready for sainthood the next day. But, let her come home and the dishes still not washed. Her remarks would make it appear that I have just given away national secrets.

Linda said, "Willie, if it weren't for me, you wouldn't have anything to write about."

I answered, "Without you there would be many things I wouldn't have. Even if I do write 'terrible' things about her, I wouldn't trade her for a farm in Georgia (unless it was a big farm—just kidding).

"TO RUSSIA WITH LOVE:"

Bibles sent beyond the Iron Curtain

by Hondel Adams
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The news that came from the Middle East in recent months by newspaper reporters, TV, and radio commentators was generally "good"! It appeared that we learned our lessons from past military adventures and misadventures well. Our people did and are doing a "super" job!! Since this whole situation started, the world has been concerned about what Saddam Hussein has been up to in the Mideast. A far more important question is.... "WHAT IS GOD UP TO IN SAUDI ARABIA?"

Is God preparing to open the door to this anti-Christian, Islamic stronghold to the Gospel of Christ? According to "Operation World" a work by Patrick Johnstone, Saudi Arabia is an Islamic state committed to the preservation of traditional Islam. All other religions are prohibited. Expatriate Christians are not permitted to gather in worship or study services of any kind, at any time. There are no known Saudi Arabian Christians, no indigenous churches and no Christian missionaries permitted in the country. There are no Christian missionaries. They are not permitted to enter the land. No Christian is even allowed to set foot in Islam's holiest city - Mecca.

A tremendous amount of money is spent in spreading the Islamic faith

around the world; aid to countries considered sympathetic; construction of mosques; sending of missionaries; sending of literature and media ministries and more. However, the Saudi government denies to Christian people within its borders the liberty to share their faith, while they expect and demand such liberty for Muslims everywhere. HAS GOD BEGUN TO ANSWER OUR PRAYERS BY SENDING THOUSANDS OF AMERICAN CHRISTIANS—OUR SOLDIERS—INTO THE STRONGHOLD OF ISLAM, SAUDI ARABIA?

Now, allow me to review a bit of recent history in our relationship with Russia. Russia was able to shoot down American aircraft with immunity. A news article in the May 1961 Reader's Digest stated, "Russia had shot down more than 17 American planes since 1945". There were at least 330 American boys held in violation of the agreement signed with Communist China at Pamujong. Yet, we still had a few people in the United States that said we ought to recognize Red China. Ninety miles off the coast of Florida there is a Communist satellite nation.

Communism discovered that a man killed by a bullet is useless. He can dig no coal. They have discovered that a demolished city is useless. Its mills produce no steel or cloth. Their whole program for the take



Hondel Adams

over of this nation was not predicated upon the destruction of one city; upon the annihilation of any segment of the population prior to take over; not upon converting one of you to Communism. However, I would not want to minimize their efforts in this latter facet. Yes, we have been at war with Communist Russia. Ephesians 6:12 states (King James) "We wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high place."

GEOGRAPHICALLY

At the end of World War II, there was one Communist nation...the USSR. At that time we literally had them encircled. In fact Krushchev from 1945 kept screaming about our encirclement of Russia. Keep in mind our encirclement at the end of World War II had been brought about not because we looked upon Russia as an enemy, but as a result of World War II. We had bases all over the world.

One Communist nation in 1945. Since then, they moved into the Eastern European sector and took over Latvia, Lithuania, Estonia, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Poland, Albania, Rumania, Bulgaria, and Yugoslavia. They moved into the far east and took over China, North Korea and Viet Nam. They moved into Indonesia, South Viet Nam, Laos, Cuba, Tibet, Himalayan range and now, Latin America has been targeted in recent years.

In a period of approximately 40 years they reversed the geographical encirclement.

NUMERICALLY

Bolshevism as we know it today was founded in a meeting in London, England, in 1903, with but 17 supporters. In 1917, the party in London was in Iron Control of only 40,000. In 1945, the party of Lenin was in control of one million human souls. That is 12 times the number that Hitler had when he marched on Poland in 1939. Twelve times the number that was

living on the Island when Japan struck Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941. In 1962, Francis E. Walter Professor at the University of Illinois said, "We have an equivalent to 20 military divisions of Communists on American soil." Now, more than 10,000 separate civic organizations in America are dominated by Communists. In 1976, in the State of Ohio, 8,000 people voted the Communist ticket.

Several years ago I had the opportunity to attend the Kiamichi Men's Clinic in Southeast Oklahoma. More than 10,000 men were gathered there in Choctaw Indian country. A sign hung from the rafters of the huge steel tent. It read, "Four years hence, you and I, everyone of us will wish to God that we were dead UNLESS....." In other words we must turn the tide. Paul Harvey said, "It is not the loud Communist I'm afraid about, as I am the lazy American." The individual with indifference and/or apathy is giving the enemy the victory.

General Douglas McArthur stood on the hallowed floor of the U.S. Congress in Washington, D.C. His words thundered upon the theme: "THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE FOR VICTORY". Too long we've been weak, sick, insignificant nobodies. We are failing to make an impact upon this nation and the world. The greatest message...the message that can turn the course of the country, the message that is able to turn for eternity, is the message we have in our hands - THE BIBLE.

Matthew 27:51 reads: "And behold, the veil of the temple was rent in twain from top to the bottom; and the earth did quake, and the rocks rent." The great high priest of the Old Testament was allowed to enter into the Holy of Holies of the Tabernacle only once a year to make atonement for himself and his people. Symbolically, Jesus has now rent that veil in twain and giving to each of us access into the very presence of Almighty

(See Bibles, A 8)

Soapbox

Well, it seems that my cat, Monster Kat, has a following. The last column he wrote for me got rave reviews...So, back by popular demand—

Heecccere's
Monster Kat.



by Tess Whitmer

Yeah, yeah, right. Hold your applause. The real reason I'm taking this space this week is, Tess had me proof the column she wrote and it was terribly dry and boring. So I said, "look, human-pet, you've been on vacation and seem tired, why not let me take to the key board and whip something up?"

Granted, my typing is a little slower because I'm kind of a "hunt and peck" typist, only having two digits to work with and all. But I do believe I can do better than Tess did on the column she wrote.

Since the ol' "Lord and Master" of the household was gone last week, I have quite a few cats-tails to tell you.

(That's cat-tales, Monster.)
(Who's writing this anyway, go back and sit down. Better yet, why not unpack that luggage you've been procrastinating about. We both know who the real Lord and Master of this place is.)

Barring further interruptions, let me continue.

So, being the true party animal that I am, I invited a few fellow felines over to check out the crib. Admittedly, most of them were female, after all I am the neighborhood stud.

The party started off slow since Tess hadn't been considerate enough to leave the cap off the bottle of vodka. She thought putting the bottle on top the refrigerator would stop me from getting into it, but since I am a cat I have superb climbing abilities. The cap, however, was a little bit of a deterrent, but with the efforts of everyone involved we managed to wiggle the wicked, little thing off.

Now we had a party!
After a few naps, I decided to show the girls my favorite toy, the water bed. It's a big bed so we could all fit on comfortably. We bounced and sloshed around on it for hours (well, cat hours anyway, which is really about 15 minutes since we don't have much of a concept of time). I tried to warn the girls to be careful with their claws or all that nasty water would come right through. Thankfully we escaped disaster.

(Don't forget about the litter) (I'm getting to that. Are you finished unpacking?)

(Yes, your highness) (Then go put some Happy Cat in that bowl and do your laundry)

As with all truly good parties, there were a few uninvited guests who didn't know how to behave themselves. They decided it would be fun to tear open the bag of litter and see how far they could scatter it through the house. Actually it did look like fun, and since the damage was already done, why not join in?

That was a good 20 minutes of frolic. I was getting a little concerned that we were using up all the good stuff too soon and we still had a week left to kill. So we decided to nap on every available surface. I can't help it that some of the gang stretched too far and kicked over some of Tess's stuff, that's what cats do.

Well, after surveying the damage I decided it might be wise of me to take the party outside. The landlady was having a yard sale and there were all sorts of neat things to get into out there.

When Tess came home, I jumped through the window and yelled at her for a while about leaving me alone, ate some Happy Cat, and scooted back out the window before she saw the havoc those other cats had reeked. She still loves me, I'm too cute not to.

(So you had a party, did you?) (Don't be silly, I'm a just a cat. How could I have a party?)

Smile Awhile — by Sarah Hopson

ALMOST FORTY LOVE?

For the first time since he began appearing on the pro circuit, I found myself rooting for Jimmy Connors to win the U.S. Open Tennis Tournament. To me, the once bratty, egotistical racket monger had suddenly transformed into a self-assured, catgutsed individual who exhibited unusual character on the court.

There was no reason for my change of heart except for the fact that Connors, now 39 years old, had obviously matured. Even when he verbally attacked the line judge and grandstanded from the court, I couldn't help but applaud his tenacity and stamina.

Twenty years ago, watching Connors play tennis was symptomatic of the flu — nauseating and sickening. The foul language and hand gestures he used were rude and unprofessional behavior unbecoming an athlete of his supposed caliber. Alas, that was before John McEnroe came along and really gave tennis etiquette a black-eye.

From the moment he appeared on the court, the crowd attending the match, and millions of television viewers held their breath and crossed their fingers as the aged player served and returned each ball over the net. With perspiration soaking through his designer T-shirt, Connors volleyed, aced and lobbed his way through a maze of competitors before finally succumbing at the hands of 21-year-old Jim Courier.

It's amazing how one's perspec-

tive changes as one's mind and body collapses with age. In such a short span of time, I completely forgot Connors' "bad boy" image.

"Look at him," I said to my husband when Connors made his way onto the court. "He actually thinks he can win."

"Maybe he can," he said.

At that moment, a close-up camera shot revealed crows-feet and lines exactly in the same location as those on my face, and I suddenly felt a pang of empathy.

"He's gotten older, hasn't he?"

"Who hasn't," my husband intoned, dryly.

Connors then smiled and waved to the crowd.

"He seems a little friendlier, too. Doesn't he?"

"Yah," my husband yawned.

the television announcers then began talking about Connors' wife and children, and how at this age, he had managed to get in shape and fight his way back to the top.

"I don't know why they want to make such a big deal out of his age," I commented. "He's only 39."

"Thirty-nine is a little old for a tennis player."

"I know," I agreed. "But it's not ancient either."

"Go outside in the 90 degree heat and run around the house a couple of times. When you get back, tell me how old you feel when they put you on the stretcher," he laughed.

"Oh, I know it gets harder, but

Connors is used to it. Besides, he surely doesn't expect to win. Look! he's won the first set."

For the next four hours, my perception of Connors changed dramatically. "Ace him! What's wrong with you? That wasn't out! Get up to the net!" was all I could scream.

"Sara, could you tone it down a bit, the neighbors will think I'm beating you."

"I can't help it, I want him to win."

"I thought you didn't like Connors," Jimmie stated.

"I can't put my finger on it, but there something different about him."

"It's called pain."

"How do you know he's in pain?"

"Intuition."

"No, he's definitely mellowed. Being older has nothing to do with agility and stamina. You're only as old as you feel." I said as I uncrossed my legs and unsteadily hobbled to my feet to watch the final seconds of the match.

"What's the matter? Sit too long in one position?" Jimmie queried, knowingly.

"Of course not. My leg must have been placed at an angle," I lied as the feeling started to come back to my feet and calves. "Yeah! He won!"

If Connors is still playing 20 years from now, I hope I have enough energy left to watch him.

Bibles

(Continued from A 7)

God. TODAY, another veil has been rent in twain, that is, the IRON CURTAIN. Now we have access into Russia. Again, I wonder "WHAT IS GOD UP TO IN RUSSIA?" There is evidence that God's people have been praying. Wonderful things are happening. Its a great day to be alive!!!
RESTORATION MOVEMENT IN RUSSIA

About 1860, a sizeable group of Russian Orthodox from the area of Northern Russia broke with that Church and set out to restore the primitive New Testament Church. They called themselves "Evangelical Christians". The word "Evangelical" was imposed upon them by the government. For over 60 years they grew until they number over two million believers in Russia, Poland, and other Slavic nations.

In the year 1918, they chanced upon a copy of the Christian Standard, a magazine published even today in Cincinnati, Ohio. Surprised to find it advocating the same position as theirs, they subscribed to the publication for over a year. By that time, they were convinced that they were identical with the Christians meeting in America. Thus, in 1920, they sent a delegation to America and after a series of discussions were happy to join forces for a common goal.

Here then were more than two million New Testament Christians arriving at an identical position, though separated by thousands of miles from any one else believing the same things. How was this possible? They had one thing in common - a desire to restore the New Testament church using the Bible alone as their source of faith and practice.

Because of atheistic Communism, Christians fled underground. In the past, Soviet leaders have tried to present Christians as dumb and uneducated. They reduced pastoral training to a minimum. Evangelical Christian Churches and Baptist Churches have had no theological schools until only recently. Their preachers receive an insufficient education on an extension basis. Other churches, such as Pentecostals, Mennonites, Methodists, and Reformed, have absolutely no theological training available to them. The church has lost more than 90 percent of its facilities through Stalin's, Krushchev's, and Brezhnev's actions. Many churches were closed and transformed into storage houses, theaters, cultural centers, or even swimming pools. Sometimes they were simply destroyed. For years now Gene Dulin and other missionaries have been smuggling Bibles through the iron curtain into Russia. Christian worship was being held secretly. Those caught were imprisoned and punished. Karl Marx, Charles Darwin, and Sigmund Freud have plagued the free world for nearly 200 years. However, there was a day when the world's largest nation was called "HOLY RUSSIA".
FREEDOM COMES TO RUSSIA

The iron curtain has now been rent in twain. Muriel Bonsall, the reigning Mrs. Kansas America decided to make her trip to the competition an evangelistic outreach. She put together gift packets for the Mrs. Soviet Union contestant. It included a New Testament, a children's Bible, worship tape from Hosanna and several tracts! Even children in public schools are now being evangelized with government permission.

Two new Bible Seminaries have

been started in Leningrad and Terno-pal, Ukraine. The first Christian radio station in the Soviet Union, Radio Radonez, started recently. The evangelistic film, "Jesus" is being freely shown in public theaters. Now, the Kremlin says we can teach the children. The Soviet postal authorities declare: "LARGEST SINGLE MAIL RESPONSE IN HISTORY." AGAIN WE ASK, WHAT HAS GOD WROUGHT?

A DESPERATE NEED FOR BIBLES

As freedom comes to Russia, Christians go public with passionate pleas for Bibles. In one city three cases of Scriptures were distributed in fifteen minutes by the International Bible Society. An elderly gentleman, who came to the van pleaded with tears streaming down his face for a Bible. They didn't have one left to give him. The old man cried as he said, "But Sir, I've waited all my life for a Bible." At the International Book Fair in Moscow, the World Translation Center was rushed by some 27,000 Soviets requesting Bibles. By the end of the day, 7 policemen plus five three star generals were employed to help distribute Bibles. The following are a few of the many letters received from those who got their first copy of God's Word that day.

"...I got my hands on a New Testament and it took me one night to read it. I practically devoured it because it was so interesting..." - Maria Guseva, a 37-year old Leningrad Nurse. "...The love of the Lord to brothers and sisters, translators and printers of the priceless book. Having read it, I was surprised that it was so easy to read and memorize. In it is clearly and understandably written the testimony of the life, dealings and teachings of the Lord and Savior that it is not necessary to use any other kind of clarifier....."

RUSSIA IS WIDE OPEN TO THE GOSPEL

The people of today's Soviet Union are emerging from seven decades of atheism.

They want to meet the REAL Jesus...the Christ revealed in the New Testament.

God desires to feed this hunger with His Word and surely we who live in the wealthiest nation on Earth can meet the challenge. We dare not delay in taking them the Gospel.

CHRISTIAN AIRLIFT TO THE SOVIET UNION

Much of the information that I've used in this article I have gleaned from Joe R. Garmon, President of American Rehabilitation Ministries of Joplin, Missouri. I would like to use some excerpts from a letter that he recently sent. Here is a part of that letter.

"I wish I could speak to you face to face and share with you how much you are needed to join with us in getting Bibles to Russia. It is evident that God is behind and very much involved in this project. Who would have dreamed that a large corporation like Federal Express would say to us, 'You provide the Bibles and we will provide the transport.' This is such an important moment in the history of the world and a vital missionary project that I wanted to send you one of these Russian Bibles, one of the very ones we will personally hand to a Russian believer when we go to Russia in October. Everything God is directing the church to do in Russia can only be accomplished by prayer and the giving of people who

care! FIRST COMES THE BIBLE... THEN COMES THE HARVEST. PRAISE THE LORD." They call your Russian Bible 'The Little Blue Book,' but it is far more powerful than China's 'Little Red Book.' Christ's great commission is clear: We are to 'Go therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world.' (Matt. 28:19-20). The great commission of Jesus includes the Communist world." - Joe R. Garmon.

With permission of the elders and as minister of the First Christian Church in Prestonsburg, I'm asking you to do three things:

(1) PRAY. Pray that these Bibles will be directed by God to those in Russia who will read it, study it, and abide by its teachings.

(2) Be sure to send us your name and address. Be sure to type or print the information. Russians have a

difficult time reading cursive. We, here at First Christian will transfer your name and address on a label. The label will then be attached to the inside of the Bible. It will indicate the Bible is a gift from you. The recipient may then want to send you a letter of thanks. But, remember it is not easy to mail letters OUT of Russia. Do not become discouraged if you do not hear from them immediately. Continue to pray for the ones who receive your Russian Bibles.

(3) Much has been written about the need for Bibles in the Soviet Union. In the past, Christians who ask for a Bible had to wait for years or pay a very high price on the black market. Marvin Steffens tells of a man he met who made his living by traveling from village to village, allowing Christians to read his Bible for one Ruble per hour. The Samizdat Productions (secret self-printing by the underground church) cannot produce enough theological literature by itself.

The Russian Bible I now have on my desk costs only 60¢. Supported

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Already, the Soviet people are beginning to be flooded with many Western influences including materialism, pornography, heavy metal rock concerts and filthy mouthed comedy clubs. We dare not delay in taking the Gospel...NOW...to the people of the Soviet Union!

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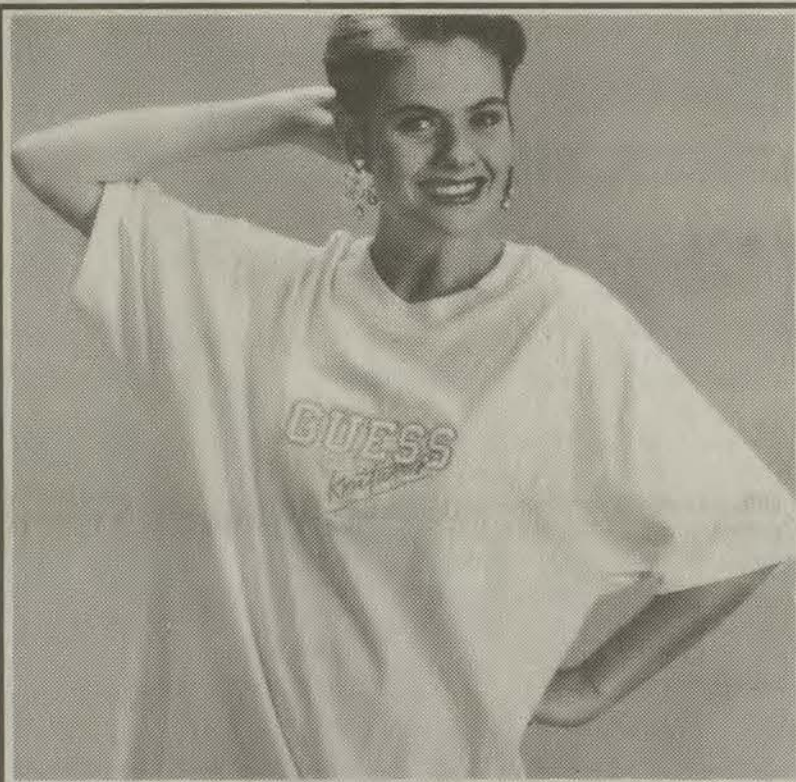
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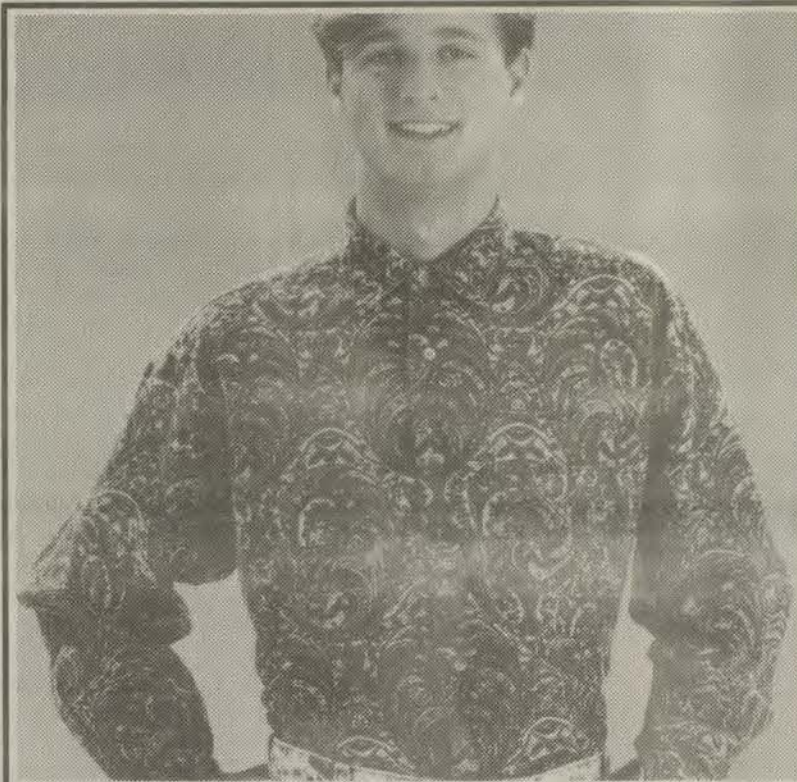


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Help for disabled and blind children

by Jim Kelly
Social Security Director
Big Sandy Area

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For children to get SSI, their disability must last, or be expected to last, for at least 12 months. More than half of the children currently receiving SSI have mental disorders. For example, they are mentally retarded, autistic, or have serious psychiatric problems. Another fourth has disabilities of the nervous system or sense organs, such as blindness, deafness, or epilepsy. Many children born with leukemia, cerebral palsy, Down's Syndrome, or HIV positive, or who have other severe birth defects, also get SSI.

Social Security recently adopted new rules for evaluating children's disabilities. Under the new procedures, we look at how the child's disability keeps him or her from doing things children of a similar age can

normally do. Under previous rules, only children who met specific medical criteria were found eligible for SSI. The new rules mean many more children will be eligible for SSI.

In addition to being disabled, a child must have limited income and resources to qualify for SSI. We also consider the parents' income and resources, but a family doesn't have to be destitute for the child to get SSI. Many resources — like the family's home, for example — aren't considered. And we make allowances for other children living in the home.

Parents or guardians who have a child they think could qualify for SSI should contact a Social Security office. Or if you know someone with a disabled child, tell them about SSI. It can really make a difference.

UK therapy program

The University of Kentucky College of Allied Health Professions has announced that application materials are being accepted until October 1 for selective admission to the University of Kentucky Physical Therapy Program opening in Hazard in January 1992. For more information, contact the Center for Rural Health in Hazard at 439-3557.

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A Look At Sports
by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

**A LOOK AT.....
CECIL FIELDER**

Continues to hammer the long ball having hit 40 home runs this season. Fielder with over 20 games remaining in the season. To reach 50 homers will be difficult for Fielder unless he has a hot streak.

ERIC DAVIS

Since coming off the disabled list (in his case the exhaustion list) Eric "The Dead Red" Davis reached opposing pitchers with one hit in 20 at bats. The free swinging Davis has struck out nine times since then.

MIKE TYSON

He gets charged with rape and is indicted to stand trial January 28 and still allowed to fight Evander Holyfield on November 8 for the heavyweight championship of the world. The IBC is still going to sanction the fight. Pete Rose cheats the government out of a few dollars and he serves a jail term. What a difference in the two sports.

**(AB)NORM(AL)
CHARLTON**

Confessed hitter of baseball batters, Norm Charlton, says that he did intentionally hit Dodger catcher Mike Scioscia and with no remorse in his heart vows to make it worse the next time. There is no room in baseball for such a pitcher and he should be sent to play in the Egyptian League somewhere in Cairo. But that's the kind of ballplayers the Cincinnati Reds want. The Nasty Boys have been really nasty this year. Dibble, Charlton and Randy Myers are not good examples for the youngsters today. But this seems to be the type of manager they have brought in from New York.

JASON KIDD

Not that interested in Kentucky after all it seems. Kidd has canceled his scheduled visit to the Big Blue Madness in October. Reports have it he headed for the University of California. Looks like Rick Pitino has lost another blue chipper. However, Pitino can take the average and make him above average. He is a tremendous coach who perhaps should go after the borderline blue chippers.

JOHN PELPHREY

The more I think of the contribution to the University of Kentucky basketball program he has made and how he has handled himself the more proud I am that he is from our area and we can say that he is one of us. John seems to just be a hard worker and has proven that hard work pays off. Players like Pelphrey and Deron Feldhaus have certainly helped bring the UK program back to respectability. KENNY RICE told me that he feels that UK will have a better team this year than next season simply because they will have Feldhaus, Pelphrey and Richie Farmer this year. Next year the Cats will be without the services of the trio and will suffer because of it.

TRANSFER STUDENTS

It shouldn't be allowed in Floyd County. Basketball, football or baseball players should stay put and not be jumping around so much. I was asked the other day "what high school can they claim was their high school after visiting so many?" Good question!

Our schools should set a standard of not allowing students to transfer to another county school for the purpose of playing for another school. If they do transfer they should not be allowed to participate in any sporting event.

Most players become dissatisfied because they feel they are not getting the attention they should or they think they are not getting a fair shake at a particular school. So, they transfer to another school. What happens when they find the same thing at the new school? Where do they go then? We only have five high schools.

All it teaches a student athlete is that if things don't go your way they can always transfer. It doesn't work that way in real life.

Until Wednesday, good sports everyone and be good sports!

Ratliff Leads Blackcats To Win Over Wildcats

The Prestonsburg Blackcats' junior varsity football team evened their season record at 1-1 with a solid

yards on just five carries. Shelby Valley marched 58-yards on the first possession of the game for

opening kick off in the second half and returned the football to the Prestonsburg 49-yard line to give the

were flagged for an off-sides call giving Shelby Valley the play over and a third-and-five situation. Newsome then picked up the needed 5-yards for a first down.

Shelby Valley was penalized 5-yards on an off-sides call bringing up a first and 15 play. Newsome tried to go to the air to bring his team out of the long yardage but all three attempts fell short and the Wildcats were forced to punt.

On the ensuing kick off, the Blackcats fumbled the football but recovered the pig hide. However, on first down, Cornette fumbled the ball and Shelby Valley recovered on the Prestonsburg 45, giving the Wildcats good field position once again.

On a third-and-eleven play, Newsome was hit very hard in the backfield by three Prestonsburg defenders and he fumbled the football with Prestonsburg recovering.

Shelby Valley had one other possession before the game ended but could not generate any offense.

Newsome had a rough evening at the signal calling position as he was sacked four times for a minus 47-

yards. Ratliff was sacked once for a 9-yard loss.

The Blackcats had a total yardage of 224 with 194-yards coming on the ground. Ratliff had four completions for 30-yards passing.

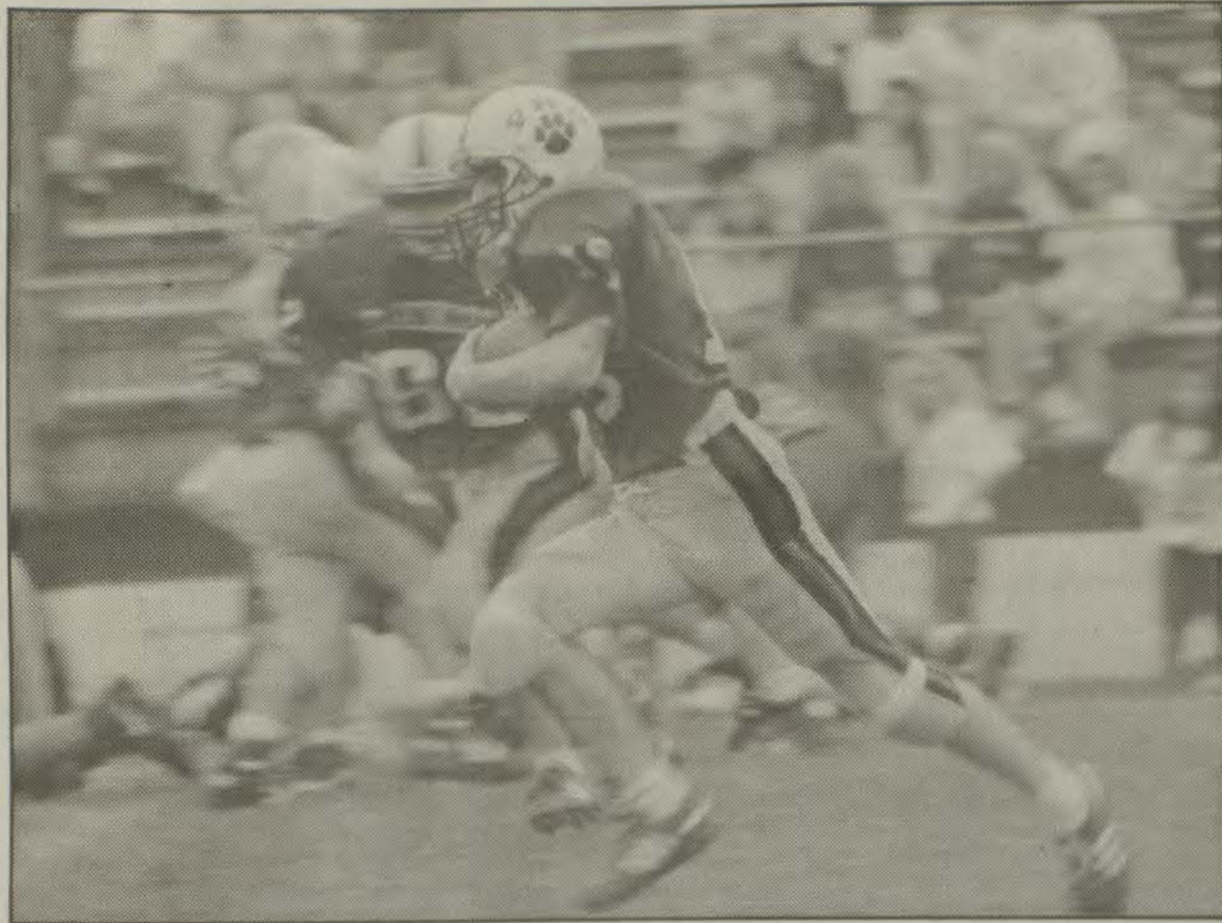
Shelby Valley had 113-yards total offense with most coming in the air. Newsome had five completions for 70-yards and the Wildcats picked up 43-yards on 23 carries.

Johnson led the Wildcats on the ground with a net 36-yards on 15 carries. With the four sacks Newsome was a minus 14-yards on five carries.

Shelby Valley was penalized 30-yards on five flags. Prestonsburg more than doubled that with 65-yards on six calls.

After the game a cheerful Blackcat coach, John Derossett had praise for the way his team performed. "You played hard and didn't quit," he said in the Blackcat dressing room. "We have 13 games remaining and we are going to win them all."

Prestonsburg will travel to Hazard Monday evening for a meeting with the junior Bulldogs. Game time is set for 6:30 p.m.



A speed of light!

Jody Cornette headed down field on this long run against Shelby Valley. Cornette carried the football 36 yards on this run for a touchdown for the junior varsity Monday evening. The Blackcats recorded a 24-16 win over the Wildcats. (photo by Ed Taylor)

showing against the Shelby Valley Wildcats Monday evening on the Prestonsburg Field.

A good crowd gathered for the game that saw freshman Thomas Ratliff score two touchdowns and two conversions to lead the young Blackcat club to a 24-16 win over the visiting team. Ratliff looked every bit as he has been billed as an upcoming Blackcat.

With the score tied 16-16 early in the third quarter the Blackcats scored on the first possession of the second half when, on a keeper from the 1-yard line, Ratliff plunged for the touchdown. Ratliff then hit Clint Shuts with a short pass for the two point conversion that gave the Blackcats a 24-16 lead, a lead they never relinquished.

Ratliff was four of 11 in the passing department with Jason Spurlock on the receiving end of two completions for 22-yards. Larry Morris had one reception for 5-yards and Shuts had the other.

Jody Cornette led the Prestonsburg ground game with 135-yards on 17 carries. Ratliff had 20-yards on 11 carries while Morris collected 39-

a touchdown as Wildcat quarterback Tony Newsome hit his receiver in the end zone from 17-yards out to give Shelby Valley an early 8-0 lead. Newsome passed for the conversion.

Early in the second quarter, with 8:53 on the clock, on a reverse play Cornette headed around left end and jaunted 36-yards for a touchdown and, on a keeper, Ratliff scored the conversion to tie the game at 8-8.

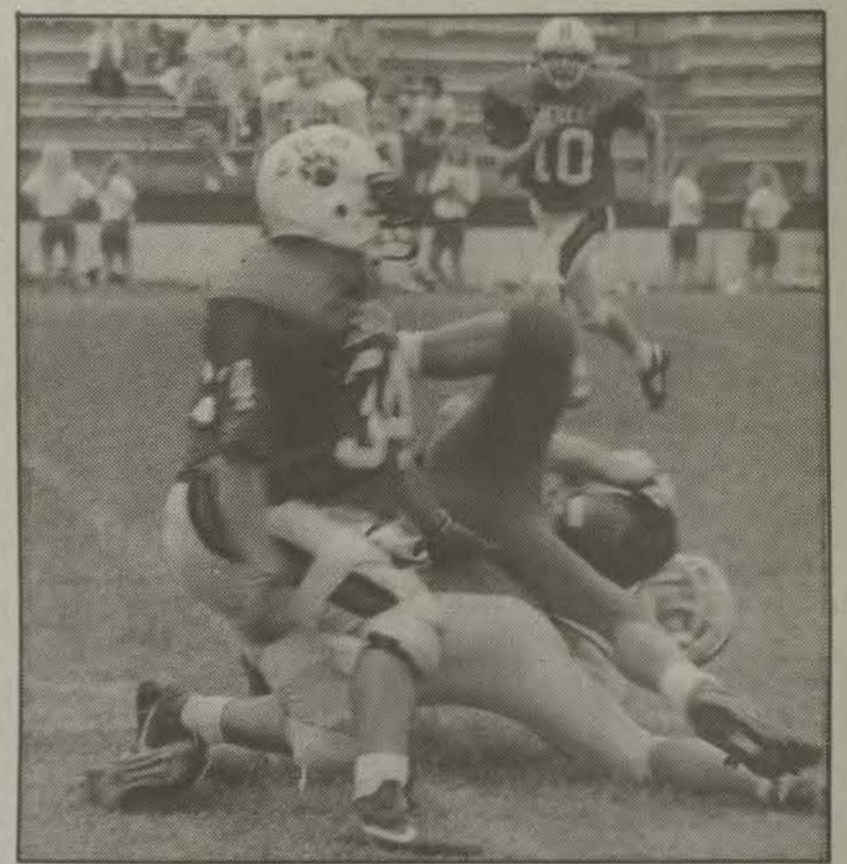
The Blackcats got a break and they took advantage of it when Shelby Valley coughed up the football on the ensuing kick off. Prestonsburg recovered the pigskin on the Wildcats' 44-yard line and marched the distance as Ratliff scored his second TD of the game on a 4-yard sweep. Ratliff scored the conversion to give the Blackcats a 16-8 advantage.

Shelby Valley was not ready to concede the game as they took the kick off on their own 34-yard line and marched 66-yards for a touchdown. Jeremy Johnson took the ball into the end zone from 3-yards out and then ran the conversion in to tie the game at 16-16.

Prestonsburg's winning touchdown came when Morris took the

Cats good field position. Cornette moved the football to the Shelby Valley 33-yard line on runs of 3, 4, 12 and 15 yards. Cornette had a total of 40-yards in the scoring drive on six carries. After moving the football to the Wildcats 11-yard line, Cornette picked up a Prestonsburg first down with a 5-yard gainer placing the football on the Wildcats' 4-yard line for a first and goal situation. A 1-yard gain by Cornette and 2-yards by Morris set up the winning score as Ratliff plunged over.

Prestonsburg found themselves again in good field position after taking over the football on downs following a sack of Newsome. However, even the Cats couldn't stand prosperity as they fumbled the ball back over to Shelby Valley on the first play of the series. The Wildcats threatened to score as they marched from their own 43-yard line to inside the Prestonsburg 43. But Wildcat quarterback Newsome found the Blackcats defense a little tougher than his line could stand as he was sacked for a 13-yard loss. However, the Wildcat quarterback was favored with a flag on the play as the Blackcats



Hit hard in backfield!

Prestonsburg junior varsity quarterback Thomas Ratliff was hit hard in the backfield for a loss against Shelby Valley Monday evening. Ratliff scored two touchdowns and ran two conversions as the Blackcats defeated the Wildcats 24-16. (photo by Ed Taylor)

If Betsy Layne is to win...

Bobcats Must Stop The Running, Passing Game Of Chris Gannon

Johns Creek may not be one of the top teams in the region this year but they certainly have one of the top quarterbacks to play this year. Chris Gannon is a four-year starter for the Bearcats at the signal calling position. Gannon is the kind of quarterback who seems to come through when the Bearcats are up against it — and they very well could be tonight as the Betsy Layne Bobcats come calling in a nondistrict match up.

Both teams are coming off their first wins of the 1991 season. Johns Creek traveled to Wheelwright and surprised the Trojans 26-6. Betsy Layne broke a 16 game losing streak with a 8-6 win over the Hornets of Magoffin County.

So, both teams will be looking to win their second game of the season as they meet at 8 p.m. tonight at Johns Creek.

For the Bobcats, stopping the running and passing game of Gannon will be a big job. Gannon has a good arm and throws with consistency. Against Wheelwright, Gannon had 11 completions for 149-yards. But he also carried the football four times for 63-yards rushing. That adds up to over 200-yards the senior quarterback was involved with.

Hamilton Harris is one of Gannon's favorite target. Harris had a reception of 24-yards against the Trojans but he also picked up 49-yards on two carries in the game. Another target for the throwing Gannon will be Jason K. Taylor.

In the backfield will be a host of Bearcats that could include almost anyone. The Bearcats are deep in the backfield but will include the likes of Nate Coleman and Robert Collins. Coleman scored two touchdowns against Wheelwright on two pass

plays from Gannon. Coleman, with good hands, had a 20-yard catch for a touchdown in the first quarter and scored again in the second.

Betsy Layne will counter with the strong throwing arm of junior Byran Combs. Combs has had trouble hitting his receivers. It isn't that he can't get the ball to them. The opposite is true. He overthrows them. Combs is one of the strongest quarterbacks in the region. Throwing the football isn't the problem; hitting the receivers is.

"If we ever get our passing game down with our running game, we will be a good offensive team," said Bobcat coach Gerald Newsome following the Magoffin County game. If, and it is a big if, the Bobcats do get a consistent hook up between Combs and people like Randy Woods, Jamie Kidd, Doug Hammonds or James Keathley the Bobcats could put some

(See Bobcats, A 12)



Bryan Combs

Overview....

Pikeville To Face Winless Rebels As Experience Versus Youth

What kind of team will the Pikeville Panthers (2-0) bring to the Don Daniels Athletic Complex tonight as they square off against the Allen Central Rebels (0-2) in a district match up? Many will say the Panthers are good enough to win their fourth state title in Single A football.

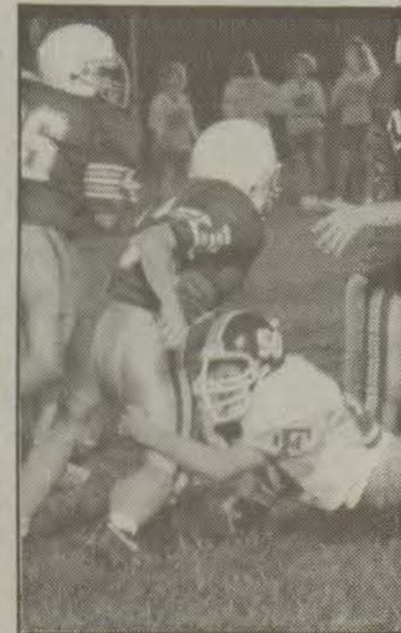
Tonight's game will pit experience against inexperience. Talent against youth. A team that has tradition as a football school versus a still fairly new program. To put it plainly — a mismatch for sure.

Allen Central has had their problems not only offensively but defensively as well. The Rebels have allowed 132 points in the two games they played thus far while scoring only eight. The Rebels have been outdistanced in total offense by their opponents in the two games. The Rebs have garnered 322 offensive yards while their two opponents had collected 954 offensive yards.

The Panthers are currently ranked number one in Single A rankings and have been very impressive in the previous two games despite being without two key players. Yet to play for Coach Bill Allara's team is DeAnthony Honaker (6-3, 310). Honaker has been out due to a shoulder injury before the season started and the Panthers were counting on his services this year on the offensive line. When, and if, Honaker returns, the return is unknown. The original diagnosis was that Honaker would be

out for two weeks. Being this is the third week of the season, it is doubtful that

Coach Allara would play his star lineman with Belfry coming up next week.



James Osborne

Also absent from the Panthers' line is starting center Mark May (6-2, 230, sophomore). May tore some ligaments in his knee and will be out six to eight weeks. Coach Allara's assessment is that it will be very close to the end of the season when May returns.

(See Pikeville, A 11)

Prestonsburg, Whitesburg In Search Of That Elusive Win As They Meet Tonight

Who would have thought that the Prestonsburg Blackcats and the Whitesburg Yellowjackets would be playing each other tonight and both teams looking for their first win of the 1991 season?

That's the way it stacks up as the Blackcats visit Whitesburg in a big, big district game for both ball clubs. Ever bigger for Whitesburg because they have already suffered one district setback at the hands of the Sheldon Clark Cardinals. The Yellowjackets will have their "stingers" ready as Prestonsburg rolls into town.

On the other side, the Blackcats are hoping for a repeat of the 1989 season — the last time they were there. The Cats came away with a 7-0 victory over a then-led Tom Searcy team. Searcy, since then, has moved on to take the post at Shelby Valley.

The Blackcats have had more problems than just winning. They have yet to put some points on the scoreboard as points have come hard for them in their first two games. A 21-2 (safety) loss at Estill County and last week's 30-0 shutout at home against a good Middlesboro team has to have an effect on this talented ball club. It isn't like there isn't any talent there — there is. But in the first two games it just hasn't jell as expected.

Aaron Tucker will quarterback the Blackcats against the second Yellowjacket team he has faced (Middlesboro) in two weeks. The stakes are higher in this game because of the district match up. The top four teams will advance to the playoffs. But, for Tucker, the stakes are even higher as team leader. The Blackcats need to score and score big. A win would certainly be a confidence booster for Coach Bill Letton's team. They cer-

tainly need a good game from Tucker. He is capable of a lot of things at quarterback and you just keep waiting for him to break loose.

Junior John Goble will return to the backfield of Prestonsburg after setting out the last game against Middlesboro following a one game suspension because of an unsportsmanlike call at Estill County. Goble will be a welcome sight back in the backfield for Prestonsburg. Not that sophomores Dwayne Garza and Seth



Hyden haven't done the job — they have. But Goble gives them that power runner they need. Garza and Hyden have been very pleasant surprises to the offense of Prestonsburg.

Receiving for Prestonsburg will be John Clark whom Tucker has just missed with key passes. Clark seems to be the favorite target of Tucker, but Jason Crisp is a very capable receiver also.

Mental mistakes seems to be the

Blackcats downfall in games one and two. The Cats have had no problem getting good field position in the first two games, but they seem to cough the ball up or have a pass intercepted on each scoring threat.

Look for Letton to start mixing things up more inside the opponents 10-yard line.

Whitesburg, who many thought would be the district favorite to win it all this year, has struggled also. Whitesburg fell to the Cardinals of Sheldon Clark, 14-7, in the opening game of the season. Then, last week, they visited strong Clay County and fell 28-0.

The only difference between tonight's two teams is that Whitesburg has scored a touchdown where Prestonsburg has not. The Yellowjackets will be up for this one as it will be at home and they want to win that first game plus the motivation that it is a district game.

Prestonsburg will have to establish some offensive prowess early and dictate the tempo of the game.

Kyle Fitzpatrick, James Derossett, Bill Bottoms, Glenn May and Ronnie Goodman will head up the Blackcats' defense.

The Blackcats definitely need a win here with Belfry on the horizon next week. A loss and they are 0-3. A win would mean facing Phillip Haywood's team at 1-2.

Look for a Blackcat win because the team realizes the seriousness of the match up with Whitesburg and they are going to be up for this one. Too much talent on this Prestonsburg team to stay down. Game time is 8 p.m. with WXXZ and WQHY carrying the game live.

Kidd To Lead Hornets Against Trojans At Wheelwright Tonight

Last Friday night at Brackett Field in Wheelwright it looked like a course in first aid as Wheelwright football players were being banged up against a hard hitting Johns Creek team. Sent to the hospital were Eddie Shelton and Charles Johnson. Chuck Hutton was out from the third quarter on. Steven Jackson had to be helped off of the field. It was a rough night for the Trojans.

However, although sore, the injured will return tonight as the Phelps Hornets invade Wheelwright for a district match up with Donnie Daniel's ball club.

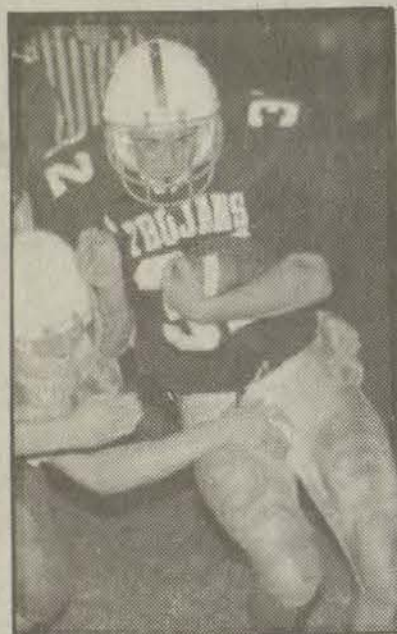
The Hornets are coming into Brackett Field with a somewhat disappointing 0-2 record. Coach Kerry Fannin had anticipated a much quicker start for this experienced Hornet team. Phelps fell to out-of-state opponent Matewan, W. Va., 28-0 and fell to a tough Cumberland team 20-6 last Friday night.

The two teams met in preseason play in the Trojan Panorama and played each other to a 0-0 tie. However, a lot has run under the bridge since that meeting and the game should be a good one.

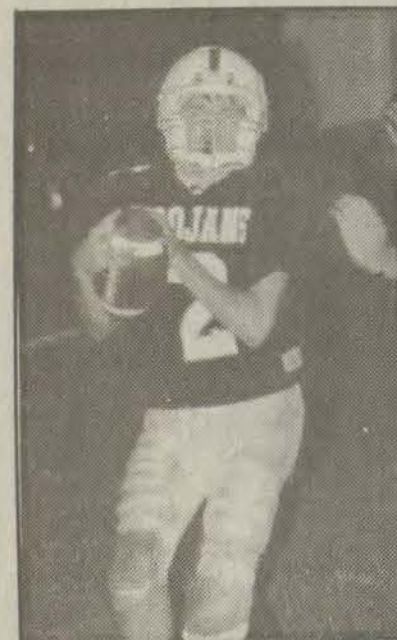
Danny Kidd quarterbacks the Hornets football team and will have Chris Rife at the tight end slot. Kidd comes into the season as the number one signal caller after taking over for Jukey Dotson last year after Dotson was hurt. Kidd threw two touchdown passes and won the game for Phelps. Kidd came into the season as the quarterback for the Hornets.

Phelps has had problems running the football in the first two games. In fact, Phelps did not generate too much offense in any form against Matewan and Cumberland. But that doesn't mean they can't. Kidd is a bonifide quarterback and tailback Kevin Hurley will be one player the Trojans will have to key on as far as rushing goes. Hurley is a strong kid who runs the football well.

"We had our chances to score against Cumberland last week," explained Hornet coach Kerry Fannin. "We got down inside their 10-yard line and lost the football. I believe Cumberland will be a playoff



Arnold Adams



Steven Shelton

team this year although they were down last year. They are a good football team.

"Matewan is an excellent team that hasn't been scored on this year," continued Fannin. "We're still a young ball club, mostly juniors, even though they do have a year's experience."

Against Cumberland last year,

Fannin said Kidd threw for over 100 yards on offense plus the fact they collected over 100 yards rushing.

"We've worked hard on offense this week in practice," said Fannin, "and we have particularly worked hard on our offense inside the 10-yard line. We want to try out some new schemes this week at Wheelwright. Our team is coming around for us and we are just excited to be playing in the district games now that we have faced two good teams in Matewan and Cumberland."

Fannin said that he was looking forward to tonight's game at Wheelwright because "we always have a good game and they always play us tough when we go there."

Fannin said that penalties against his ball club have hurt them in the previous two games.

Wheelwright will bring a 1-1 record into tonight's encounter and will be looking to counter the running, passing game of Phelps with their speed. The Trojans will be sore but the spirits will be high as they face Phelps in district play.

Steven "Roadrunner" Jackson will have to handle the ball more than he did against Johns Creek last week. Jackson carried the football six times for only 24 yards after having a great game against Betsy Layne two weeks ago.

Chuck Hutton was the leading gainer for the Trojans last week against the Bearcats with 64 yards on two carries. Hutton had 121 yards against Betsy Layne two weeks ago.

Arnold Adams has been the most consistent runner for Wheelwright in the first two games. Last Friday at Wheelwright, Adams carried nine times for 58 yards.

The Trojan defense has been hard to run and pass against, although Johns Creek had a big first half last week. But the Trojan defense dug in and held the Bearcats scoreless in the second half.

It will be a good one at Wheelwright. If Wheelwright can come back from all the injuries of last week, win number two will be theirs. Game time is 8 p.m. No radio.

Hunters Must Register For Waterfowl Blinds

Hunters wishing to construct permanent pits and blinds on Barkley, Barren, Green, Paintsville and Taylorsville lakes must participate in random drawings to determine who gets first choice of sites. "Permanent" blinds may remain in place for the entire waterfowl season.

To register, hunters must appear in person and show a valid Kentucky hunting license, federal duck stamp and Kentucky waterfowl stamp. Other requirements may be in force at specific locations, so hunters should call

the numbers listed below for full registration details.

Registration and drawing at Barkley Lake begins 8 a.m., September 16, at the U.S. Army Corps of Engineering maintenance complex building near the west end of dam on U.S. 62. Contacts: Vernon Anderson, (502) 753-6913; corps, (502) 362-4236.

Barren River Lake registration starts at 7 a.m., October 5, followed by the drawing at 9 a.m. at the corps office at the dam on KY 252. Contacts: Jimmy May, (502) 842-0056;

corps, (502) 646-2055.

At Green River Lake, registration begins at 8 a.m., September 28, with the drawing commencing at 10 a.m. at the corps office near the dam off KY 55. Contacts: Larry Dennis, (502) 465-5039; Corps, (502) 465-4463.

Taylorsville Lake registration begins 9 a.m., October 5, with the drawing at 10 a.m. at the corps' Visitors Center parking lot off KY 2239 near the dam. Contacts: Mark Cramer, (502) 564-4858; corps, (502) 477-8882.

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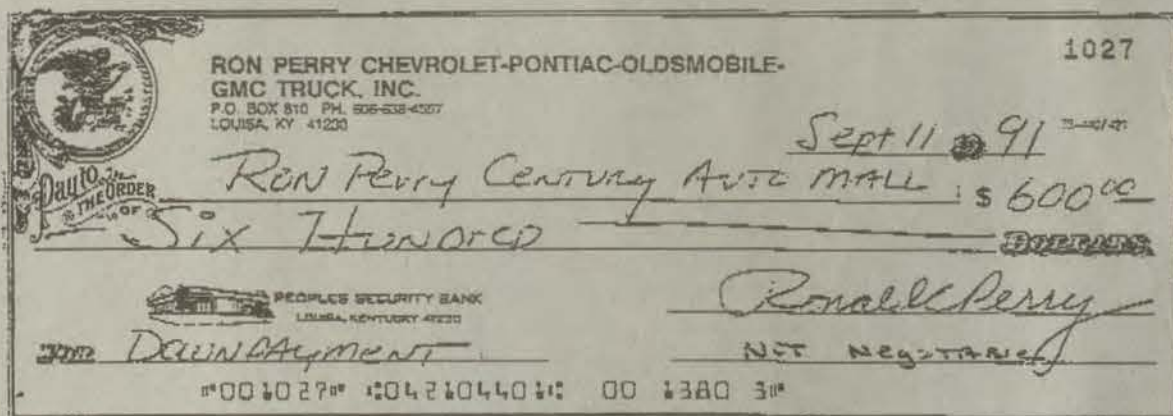


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Hauled down!

Larry Morris was stopped at the line of scrimmage on this run Monday evening at the Prestonsburg Field. Prestonsburg's junior varsity team defeated Shelby Valley 24-16. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Bank One Senior Golf Classic To Be Held Sept. 23-29 At Kearney Hill

Shirley Watts, tournament director of the BANK ONE Senior Golf Classic today announced details of the 1991 tournament to be held September 23-29 at Kearney Hill Links in Lexington.

"For the ninth year, we are as enthusiastic and excited about hosting the BANK ONE Senior Golf Classic as we were in the first year," said Watts. "We were very pleased that the tournament could be held last year at our new public course, Kearney Hill Links. The pros spoke highly of the course in its first year so we look forward to an even better tournament this year," Watts said.

Rives McBee will return to defend his two-time winning streak at the Classic. McBee won the tournament in 1989 and 1990. Last year he shot 66-67-68 to capture his third Senior PGA TOUR event of his career. This was the first time in the tournament's eight year history that a player has won two times.

The purse for this year's BANK ONE Senior Golf Classic will be \$300,000 with the winner receiving \$45,000. To date, 63 out of 78 available spots have been filled.

In addition to the 54-hole tournament, there will be three other events this year: the GTE Senior Shootout, the Vantage Classic competition and the Vantage Cup.

The GTE Senior Shootout will be played on September 24. Ten pros will play nine holes for a total purse of \$12,500. After each hole, the golfer with the highest score is eliminated. Each player receives a check when he is eliminated, with the amount appropriated for that hole.

The Vantage Classic competition will consist of 12 professionals who are 60 years of age or older. The

players will compete in a Pro-Am outing to be held at Spring Lake Country Club on Wednesday, September 25. The Vantage Classic players will also compete in the Thursday Pro-Am at Kearney Hill Links. Then, on Friday and Saturday, they will compete in a 36-hole competition among themselves within the BANK ONE Senior Golf Classic.

In the Vantage Cup competition, Senior Tour players earn points for charities of the tournaments they represent during the Senior PGA TOUR season. The players representing the BANK ONE Senior Golf Classic in this year's Vantage Cup are Tom Shaw, Larry Laoretti and Bob Reith. For every dollar a player earns, he also receives one Vantage Cup point for himself and the team he represents. Last year Lexington charities benefited by the team finishing in third place in the season-long competition and winning \$45,000 for the BANK ONE tournament.

Kentucky Cadillac Dealers will sponsor a hole in one competition on Kearney Hill hole 15 for pros and amateurs participating in the tournament. The winner will drive away a 1992 Cadillac Sedan DeVille.

In the past eight years, nearly \$300,000 has been contributed to the Senior Citizens Enhancement Foundation and the Sweet 16 Academic Showcase.

This year, BANK ONE has elected the local Crimestoppers program as an additional charity. The schedule for the week is: Monday, September 23, the qualifying round will be held beginning at approximately 10 a.m., as well as pro practice. The Youth Golf Clinic will take place on Tuesday, September 24, 5 - 7 p.m. The GTE Senior Shootout will also be

held on Tuesday from 1 - 4 p.m. The Pro-Am Tournament will be held on Wednesday and Thursday, September 25 and 26. The Pro Senior Golf Classic rounds will be held Friday, September 27, through Sunday, September 29. The award ceremony will be held immediately following completion of play on Sunday.

WKYT-TV, Channel 27, Lexington and WYMT-TV, Channel 57, Hazard will once again be covering portions of the 9th annual Senior Golf Classic on a delayed basis. The GTE Senior Shootout will be broadcast on Wednesday, September 25 from 9-10 p.m. Second round coverage will be broadcast on Saturday, September 28 from 8-10 p.m. The Championship round will be broadcast Sunday, September 29 from 9-11 p.m.

"On behalf of the city of Lexington, I invite everyone who enjoys golf to come out and participate in the activities associated with the tournament, as well as the tournament itself," Watts said.

Tickets for the BANK ONE Senior Golf Classic can be purchased at BANK ONE locations or by calling the tournament office 606-2591825.

A special sports weekend discount will be held Saturday, September 28, and Sunday, September 29. Big Blue football fans can show their football ticket or ticket stub at the BANK ONE Senior Classic admission gate on these two days and receive a 50 percent discount on their golf admission ticket.

Call in your scores to the **Floyd County Times** 886-8506

Joe McCauley fourth annual 5K Classic, Oct. 5

The fourth annual Joe McCauley memorial 5K Classic, sponsored by Addington, Inc., will be held Saturday, October 5, at Jenny Wiley State Park.

The course is a fast out and back scenic course surrounding Dewey Lake; splits are miles one through three. Registration will be held from 9-9:45 at the Jenny Wiley State Park Amphitheater parking lot. The race will begin at 10 a.m.

Twenty divisions, ranging from ages 14 and under through 55 and over, offers everyone a chance to win a cash prize. The first three over-all male and female winners of the race win the following prizes: first place finish, \$100; second place, \$75; third place, \$50. Cash awards for age group awards in the 20 divisions, excluding the top three finishers, include \$30 for first place, \$20 for second, and \$10 for third place.

Commemorative long-sleeve race shirts will be awarded to the first 100 entrants. Door prizes will be given away before the awards presentation.

Participants are encouraged to register early. Entry fee before October 1 is \$8; after that date the fee will be \$10. A registration form is available.

Proceeds from the McCauley Classic will benefit the American Cancer Society. For more information about the Classic, contact Jane Bond at the Floyd County Health Department or Rob Schissler at Kanawha Steele.

The foot race is named for Joe McCauley, who was executive director of the Big Sandy Area Development District for 17 years. A former mayor of Middlesboro, he was widely known as an accomplished distance runner. He was three-time Masters Division Kentucky State Champion in the 10,000 meter. In six years of competition he won division titles in

over 50 races. An avid competitor, he was also a former high school coach and college athlete. In 1959, he set a National Outboard Association

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McCauley died in 1985.

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Pikeville

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points on the scoreboard. Now, it isn't that he is missing his receivers

They come at you hard and have a lot of good experience. We'll just go out there and play the best that we can."

It has been the inability of the Rebels to establish any kind of offense in their first two games, although Jamie Kidd did rush for 107-yards against a very good Fleming-Neon defense. After Kidd, though, it drops off very quickly as neither John Parrott, Kevin Patton or James Osborne has been able to find any holes to run through.

Not only are the Panthers a solid offensive club but they play a hard nose defense as well. Pikeville's defense is led by Jason Blackburn (6-2, 220) who has been doing just what Coach Jamerson said of the Pikeville team — hitting the opponents hard. Blackburn had 16 tackles in the Panthers' first game and collected 11 against Elkhorn City.

Game time is 8 p.m. with WPKE in Pikeville carrying the game live on radio.

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9-4,6,11,13

PIGSKIN PICKS: WEEK THREE

This Week's Picks

Phelps at Wheelwright
Prestonsburg at Whitesburg
Pikeville at Allen Central
Betsy Layne at Johns Creek
Oregon at Texas Tech
UCLA at Tennessee
Louisville at Ohio State
Alabama at Florida
Cincinnati at Cleveland
Atlanta at San Diego
Miami at Detroit
N. Y. Giants at Chicago



Mike Burke
17-7, 700
Phelps
Whitesburg
Pikeville
Johns Creek
Oregon
Tennessee
Ohio State
Florida
Cincinnati
San Diego
Miami
N. Y. Giants



Susan Allen
16-8, 665
Wheelwright
Whitesburg
Pikeville
Betsy Layne
Oregon
UCLA
Louisville
Alabama
Cleveland
San Diego
Chicago



Scott Perry
15-9, 625
Phelps
Whitesburg
Pikeville
Johns Creek
Oregon
Tennessee
Ohio State
Florida
Cleveland
Atlanta
Detroit
N. Y. Giants



Karl Gayheart
15-9, 625
Phelps
Whitesburg
Pikeville
Johns Creek
Oregon
Tennessee
Ohio State
Alabama
Cleveland
Atlanta
Miami
Chicago



Deedra Gearheart
15-9, 625
Phelps
Whitesburg
Pikeville
Johns Creek
Texas Tech
Tennessee
Ohio State
Alabama
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San Diego
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Johnny Marcum
15-9, 625
Phelps
Whitesburg
Pikeville
Johns Creek
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Tennessee
Ohio State
Florida
Cleveland
Atlanta
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Ed Taylor
14-10, 585
Wheelwright
Prestonsburg
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Jenny Ousley
14-10, 585
Phelps
Whitesburg
Pikeville
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Oregon
Tennessee
Ohio State
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This Week's Consensus

Phelps
Whitesburg
Pikeville
Johns Creek
Oregon
Tennessee
Ohio State
Florida
Cincinnati
San Diego
Detroit
N. Y. Giants



Kim Frasure
14-10, 585
Wheelwright
Whitesburg
Pikeville
Johns Creek
Texas Tech
UCLA
Ohio State
Alabama
Cincinnati
Atlanta
Miami
Chicago



Tess Whitmer
12-12, 500
Phelps
Whitesburg
Pikeville
Johns Creek
Oregon
Tennessee
Ohio State
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Cleveland
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Jeff Samons
12-12, 500
Wheelwright
Whitesburg
Pikeville
Betsy Layne
Texas Tech
UCLA
Louisville
Florida
Cincinnati
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Shawn Hamilton
11-13, 4500
Wheelwright
Prestonsburg
Pikeville
Johns Creek
Oregon
UCLA
Ohio State
Alabama
Cincinnati
San Diego
Detroit
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Susie Music
10-14, 415
Phelps
Whitesburg
Pikeville
Johns Creek
Texas Tech
Tennessee
Ohio State
Alabama
Cincinnati
Atlanta
Detroit
Chicago



Janice Shepherd
8-16, 330
Phelps
Whitesburg
Pikeville
Betsy Layne
Oregon
Tennessee
Ohio State
Florida
Cleveland
San Diego
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Celeste Perry
7-17, 294
Wheelwright
Prestonsburg
Pikeville
Johns Creek
Texas Tech
Tennessee
Ohio State
Florida
Cleveland
Atlanta
Detroit
N. Y. Giants



Jodi Blackburn
7-17, 294
Wheelwright
Whitesburg
Pikeville
Johns Creek
Oregon
UCLA
Louisville
Alabama
Cleveland
Atlanta
Detroit
Chicago

Susan Allen made the biggest move in last weeks picks getting 10 of 12 correct. Who says she doesn't know football? Deedra Gearheart was another 10-2 pick as she makes a move toward the front. Mike Burke feels challenged now and thinks the pro picks could hurt him. Kentucky is off but look for Louisville to fall in college. Cincinnati gets the nod over Cleveland in the pros while neither of the high school teams are pick to win.

**SECOND DOWN - EIGHT TO GO
FLOYD COUNTY FOOTBALL STANDINGS
AND SCHEDULE**

BETSY LAYNE	1-1
WHEELWRIGHT	1-1
PRESTONSBURG	0-2
ALLEN CENTRAL	0-2

LAST WEEKS SCORES

Betsy Layne 8 Magoffin County 6
Middlesboro 30 Prestonsburg 0
Fleming-Neon 68 Allen Central 0
Johns Creek 26 Wheelwright 6

GAMES ON TAB

Pikeville at Allen Central, 8 p.m., WDHR
Phelps at Wheelwright, 8 p.m.
Prestonsburg at Whitesburg, 8 p.m., WXXZ, WQHY
Betsy Layne at Johns Creek, 8 p.m.

FLOYD COUNTY FOOTBALL SCORERS

PLAYER	TEAM	TD	FG/CONV	TP
Ryan Johnson	Wheelwright	1	0-1	8
Doug Hammonds	Betsy Layne	1	0-1	8
Chuck Hutton	Wheelwright	1	0-1	8
Steven Jackson	Wheelwright	1	0-0	6
Shane Stumbo	Allen Central	1	0-0	6
Arnold Adams	Wheelwright	1	0-0	6
Bryron Combs	Betsy Layne	1	0-0	6
Steve Shelton	Wheelwright	0	0-1	2
James Keathley	Betsy Layne	0	0-1	2

A LOOK AT THE DISTRICTS

District 2, Region 4, Single A
OVERALL DISTRICT

Fleming-Neon	2-0	1-0
Pikeville	2-0	1-0
Johns Creek	1-1	1-0
Wheelwright	1-1	0-1
Elkhorn City	1-1	0-1
Jenkins	1-1	0-0
Phelps	0-2	0-0
Allen Central	0-2	0-1

LAST WEEKS DISTRICT GAMES

Fleming-Neon 68 Allen Central 0
Pikeville 55 Elkhorn City 26
Johns Creek 26 Wheelwright 6
Everts 25 Jenkins 19
Cumberland 20 Phelps 6

DISTRICT MATCH UPS

Pikeville at Allen Central
Jenkins at Elkhorn City
Phelps at Wheelwright

District 2, Region 4, Double A
OVERALL DISTRICT

Sheldon Clark	2-0	1-0
M. C. Napier	1-0	0-0
Morgan County	1-1	1-0
Betsy Layne	1-1	1-0
Shelby Valley	1-1	1-1
Prestonsburg	0-2	0-0
Magoffin County	0-2	0-2
Whitesburg	0-2	0-1

LAST WEEKS DISTRICT RESULTS

Morgan County 20 Shelby Valley 7
Sheldon Clark 32 East Carter 6
Betsy Layne 8 Magoffin County 6
M. C. Napier 24 Harlan 7
Middlesboro 30 Prestonsburg 0
Clay County 28 Whitesburg 0

DISTRICT MATCH UPS

Prestonsburg at Whitesburg
Sheldon Clark at M. C. Napier

Colonels' Thoughts Turn To OVC And Southeast Missouri After Loss To Louisville

Eastern Kentucky University head coach Roy Kidd, his staff and players turn their attention now to the beginning of Ohio Valley Conference play with the CVC opener for the Colonels set for September 14 at Southeast Missouri following last Saturday's 24-14 opening game loss to the University of Louisville.

"I thought our kid's played their hearts out. We just came up a little bit short," said Kidd. "We're going to work hard the next week and a half with our young kids and try to get them ready to play. We'll be doing a lot of scrimmaging and working on our depth for the upcoming conference schedule."

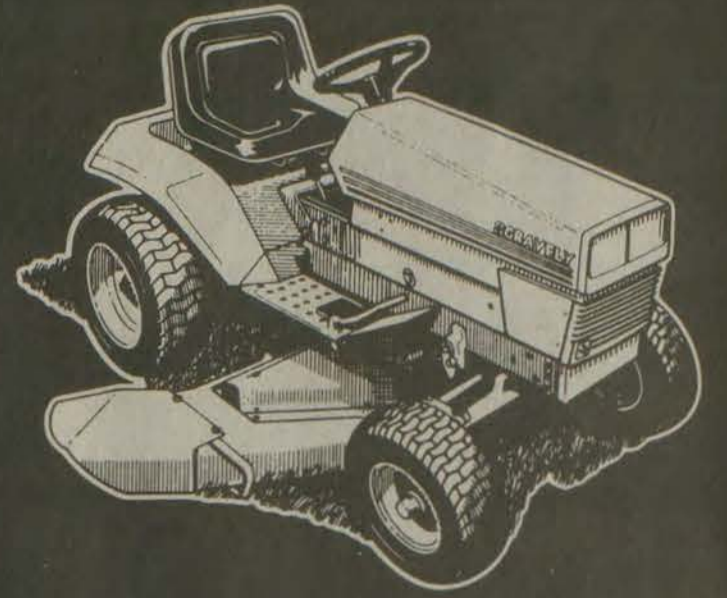
Southeast Missouri began its season last week by losing a hard-fought 28-27 decision to Southern Illinois, a game score that certainly caught the eye of Kidd.

"Southeast has excellent skill players, a very fine runningback and their quarterback is very capable. We had better not suffer any kind of let-down after the Louisville game or we'll be in trouble," Kidd warned.

Eastern played Louisville tough, trailing only 17-14 and in possession of the ball after a remarkable interception by Brad Ladd gave EKV the ball at the UL 40-yard line with 9:02 remaining.

"I thought we were going to win it when Ladd intercepted that pass. We had the momentum then, but you have to give Louisville credit. Their defense really came at us and pushed us back. Then we messed up the snap on the punt and they put together the 11-play TD drive that put it out of reach," Kidd added.

Two Colonels were honored for their play in the Louisville game. Junior linebacker Ara Jackson of Louisville was named OVC Defensive Player of the Week for his effort vs. Louisville, collecting 12 tackles, two assists and one tackle behind the line (-4 yards). Also, senior tall-back Tim Lester of Miami, Florida, was chosen OVC Co-Offensive Player of the Week as he rushed 20 times for 93 yards and scored two touchdowns on runs of three and four yards.



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Bobcats

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with freshman Brandon Combs, give Betsy Layne a talented backfield.

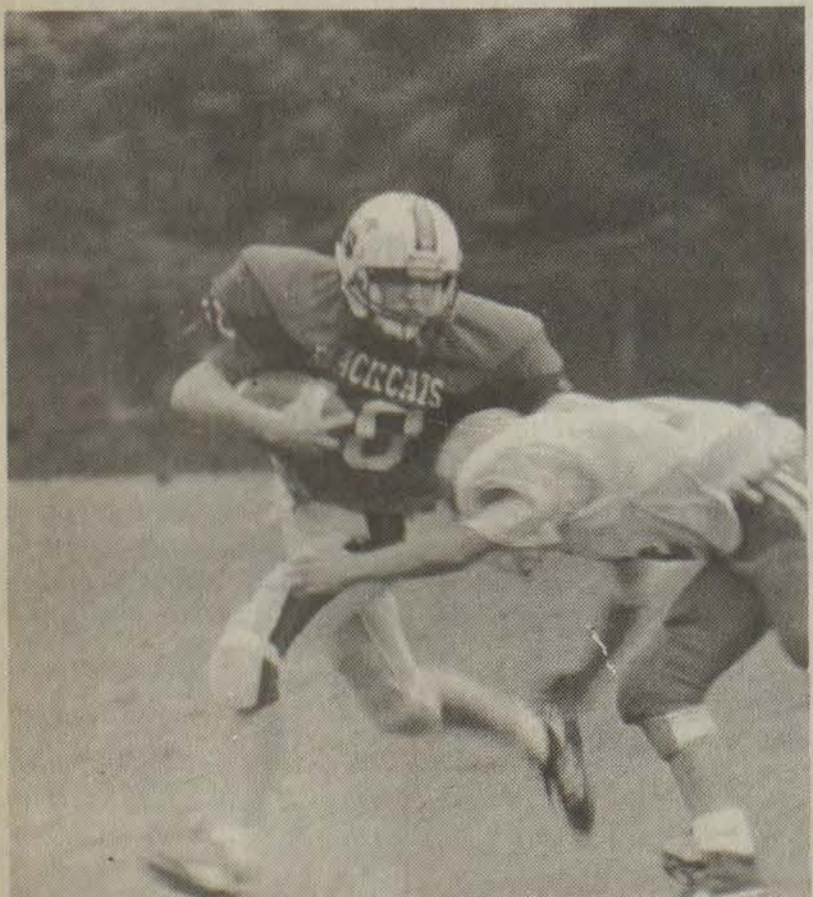
Defensively, the Bobcats have improved very much over last year. The reason for the improvement has been the play of junior Ashley Lykins and Woods, as well as Brandon Combs. Another freshman that the Bobcats look to defensively is Shannon Hall (5-10, 260). Sophomore Jamie Robinette plays a tough defense for Betsy Layne.

It will be a good one at Johns Creek between the two teams that are 1-1 and looking for win number two. Game time is 8 p.m. No radio.

by a large margin. The opposite is true. He is just missing them.

"Bryan is throwing with a lot more confidence that last year," said Newsome, "and that is a big difference in him this year." You can see the confidence in Combs as far as throwing the ball. There is not that hesitant or second thought he experienced last season as a young quarterback.

The backfield is playing behind a young and inexperienced offensive line and, hopefully, as the season goes on the line, will improve. Hammonds, Kidd and Keathley, along



Go, Jody, go!

Jody Cornette (10) of the Prestonsburg junior varsity fended off a defender as he swept around right end. Cornette rushed for 135 yards against Shelby Valley Monday to help lead the junior Blackcats to a 24-16 win over the Wildcats. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 898-0042 Am. #2

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Peter Fork Mining Company, P.O. Box 2666, Pikeville, Kentucky 41502, has filed an application for an amendment to a surface coal mining and reclamation operation. The proposed operation disturbs an additional 18.05 surface acres with an addition of 3.79 underground acres underground a deletion of 0.57 underground acres for an amended total of 297.19 acres. The operation is located 0.3 miles south of Osborn in Floyd County.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.4 miles south from KY 1426's junction with Cager Road and located 0.1 miles east of Toler Creek. The latitude is 37° 28' 05". The longitude is 82° 35' 08". The surface area is owned by Ned Bush, Henry Moore, Robert Billips, Dinah Rogers, Joe Keathley, Virgil Rogers, Charles and Gladys Wagner. Surface area overlying proposed additional underground mining is owned by Hatcher/Trimble Trust.

The proposed operation is located on the Pikeville U.S.G.S. 7-1/2 minute quadrangle map. The operation will use the contour/area method of mining.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional Office, 109 Mays Branch Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501. 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.

This is the final advertisement of this application; all comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be received within thirty (30) days of today's date.

NOTICE OF INTENT TO MINE

Permit No. 836-8019

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Bull Creek Processing, Inc., Box 1449, Rt. 3, Water Gap Road, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has filed an application for renewal of permit for a preparation plant operation of approximately 18.16 acres located 1/2 mile south of Lancer in Floyd County.

An existing refuse area is also included with this permit, located 0.25 miles up Sugarloaf Branch approximately 1.5 miles east of the tippie site.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.23 miles South from KY Rt. 3's junction with KY Rt. 1428 and located just east of Bull Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 39 minutes, 42 seconds and the longitude is 82 degrees 43 minutes and 55 seconds. The surface area is owned by Ark Land Company and Paul P. & Sharon C. Burchett.

The proposed operation is located on the Lancer USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The operation is a preparation plant and associated refuse area.

The operation will affect an area within 100 feet of a public road, Ky. Rt. 3. The operation will not involve relocation of the public road; and Sugarloaf Branch 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, 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, Frankfort, Ky. 40601.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-5138 Amendment No. 2

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Coal Mac, Inc., P.O. Box 3428, Pikeville, KY 41502, has filed an amendment to an application for a permit for an underground mining operation. This amendment proposes to add an additional 1.84 acres of surface disturbance and 1,510.57 acres of underground acreage, for a total permit acreage of 2,391.69 acres located 1.6 miles west of Teaberry in Floyd County.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.95 mile southwest from Dry Branch road's junction with KY 979 and located 0.1 mile west of Dry Branch. The latitude is 37° 25' 24". The longitude is 82° 39' 41".

The proposed operation is located on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Carmel and Marie Clark. The operation will underlie land owned by Timothy Reynolds, Noah Vance, Sterling Hamilton, Willie Tackett, Elk Horn Coal Corporation, Roger & Loretta Tackett, George Tackett, Cecil Daniels, Jerry Hamilton, Crit & Daisy Mitchell, Carmel & Marie Clark, Sam & Grace Hamilton, Levi Mitchell Heirs, Sie, Jr. & Betty Hall, Willie Mitchell, Doffie & Burliene Henderson, John B. & Francis Hall, Lilly Hamilton, Bob Mitchell, Pearl Gillispie, Blaine & Zella Stone, Walker Tackett, Cephus McKinney, Jay B. Evans, Mink Branch Coal Company, John B. Evans, Willard & Peggy Osborne, Ambrose & Liney Howell and Eugene Osborne, C.C. Mitchell Heirs, Charles Martin and John B. Hall.

The 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, 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 Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. This is the final advertisement of this application; all comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be received within thirty (30) days of today's date.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that, Mr. Ray Stone, P.O. Box 492, McDowell, Kentucky 41647, has filed an application with the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet to construct along a stream.

The proposed construction will consist of a fill area for additional parking and future expansion of the local area restaurant.

The property is located in Floyd County, approximately 1.1 miles north west of McDowell, Kentucky, immediately off State Route 122 and is further located at stream mile marker 9.95 of the Left Fork of Beaver Creek. Finally the property is located on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7.5 minute quadrangle map at latitude 37° 27' 48" and longitude 82° 45' 22".

Any comments or objections concerning this application shall be directed to: Floodplain Management Section, Division of Water, 18 Reilly Road, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, telephone: (502) 564-3410.

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NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350, notice is hereby given that Wheelwright Mining, Inc., HC 72, Box 195, Price, Kentucky 41636 intends to apply for a Phase I Bond Release on permit number 436-5186 increment number 1 which was last issued on 10-12-89. The application covers an area of approximately 184.00 acres located 7.20 miles Southwest of Wheelwright in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 7.60 miles Southwest from Hwy. 466's junction with Skull Road and located 0.25 miles West of Skull Fork. The latitude is 37° 17' 49". The longitude is 82° 43' 22".

Approximately sixty percent (60%) of the original surety bond amount of \$15,700.00 dollars is to be released.

Reclamation work thus far performed includes: Final grading, seeding and mulching as of the spring and fall of 1990 for Increment #1, per the provision of KRS 350 and 405 KAR and any permit conditions. Results achieved include establishment of vegetation, water quality meets standards and compliance with 405 KAR has been achieved.

A public hearing concerning this bond release has been scheduled for November 6th, 1991 at 11:00 a.m./p.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office located at 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1397. This public hearing shall be cancelled if the cabinet does not receive a request for the public hearing by the closing date for requests for a hearing.

Written comments, objections, requests for a hearing or Public Hearing must be filed with the Director of the Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by date 30 days from the last advertisement.

F-9/13,9/20,9/27,10/4

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350, notice is hereby given that Shurrok Coal Corporation, Inc., P.O. Box 288, McDowell, Kentucky 41647 intends to apply for a Phase I bond release on permit number 836-5143 Increment No. 1 which was last issued on August 23, 1990. The application covers approximately 13.0 acres located 1.2 miles southeast of Teaberry in Floyd County.

The permit is approximately 1.0 miles east from KY 979's junction with Tinker Fork Road and located 0.1 miles north of Andy Branch. The latitude is 37° 24' 55". The longitude is 82° 38' 06".

The total bond now effect is twenty-four thousand five hundred (\$24,500.00) of which approximately sixty percent (60%) is to be included in this application for release.

Reclamation work thus far performed includes: backfilling, final grading, seeding, and mulching completed in October 1989. Results thus far achieved include the initial growth of vegetation as per the re-vegetation plan.

A public hearing concerning this bond release has been scheduled for November 6, 1991 at 2:00 p.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office located at 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. This public hearing shall be cancelled if the cabinet does not receive a request for the public hearing by the closing date for requests for a hearing.

Written comments, objections, requests for a hearing or conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by date 30 days from the last advertisement.

F-9/13,9/20,9/27,10/4

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO RELEASE BOND

The Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement has made a decision to release bond on Beaver Branch Coal Company, P.O. Box 589, Martin, Kentucky 41649, permit number #836-6036. The reasons for the decision is as follows: Reclamation Phase III is complete.

Objections to this decision must be filed within 30 days of this notice in order to request a public hearing. Requests must be filed with the Director of the Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. F-9/13

NOTICE

Upon and on this date after publication of this notice, I will no longer be responsible for any debts incurred by anyone other than myself.

Samuel D. Campbell
Box 82
Mouise, Ky. 41839
F-9/6, 9/13, W-9/11

NOTICE OF BOND SALE

The County of Floyd, Kentucky, will until 11:00 a.m., E.D.T., on September 20, 1991, at the Courthouse in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, receive bids on \$620,000 (plus or minus up to \$60,000) of its Gas System Refunding Revenue Bonds, Series A, dated October 1, 1991, maturing on September 1, 1992 through 2012, inclusive. Minimum bid is \$607,600 (98%). Good faith check is \$12,400. The Bonds will be issued on a tax-exempt basis subject to certain covenants of the County as to compliance with the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. Bid Forms and Official Terms and Conditions may be obtained from the Fiscal Agent, Ross, Sinclair & Associates, Inc., 315 North Broadway, Lexington, Kentucky 40508. Legal Opinion by Rubin Hays & Foley, Municipal Bond Attorneys, Louisville, Kentucky. (Signed) Caria R. Boyd, County Clerk F-9/13

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO RELEASE BOND

The Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement has made a decision to release bond on Allen Processing, P.O. Box 27, Honaker, KY 41639; permit #836-6035. The reason for the decision is as follows: Reclamation Phase III is complete.

Objections to this decision must be filed within thirty days of this notice in order to request a public hearing. Requests must be filed with the Director of the Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. F-9/3

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