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## Legislative lunch order dies in committee

In a surprising move Tuesday, Kentucky's General Assembly approved a controversial measure setting limits on the terms of legislators.

The action arose out of a growing concern among state voters that lawmakers' first priority was ensuring their own political futures.

"This ought to settle them voters down," House Speaker Don "My Way or No Way" Blandford reportedly said.

The new law allows legislators to serve no more than two consecutive terms of 20 years each. The terms of incumbent legislators will be extended by 18 years. The next vote for state offices will be held in the year 2010.

In other action in Frankfort, the General Assembly:

- Debated extensively on a seat belt bill, with a final decision to "pay it if we owe it."

- Voted unanimously to have French fries with lunch, mandating that extra ketchup be provided.

- Split along party lines on the

number of cheeseburgers and hamburgers to be ordered.

- Sent to committee a hotly-debated question of whether Coke or Pepsi should be the official legislative lunch beverage.

- Approved a resolution setting April Fool's Day as a state holiday for the recognition of legislative leaders.

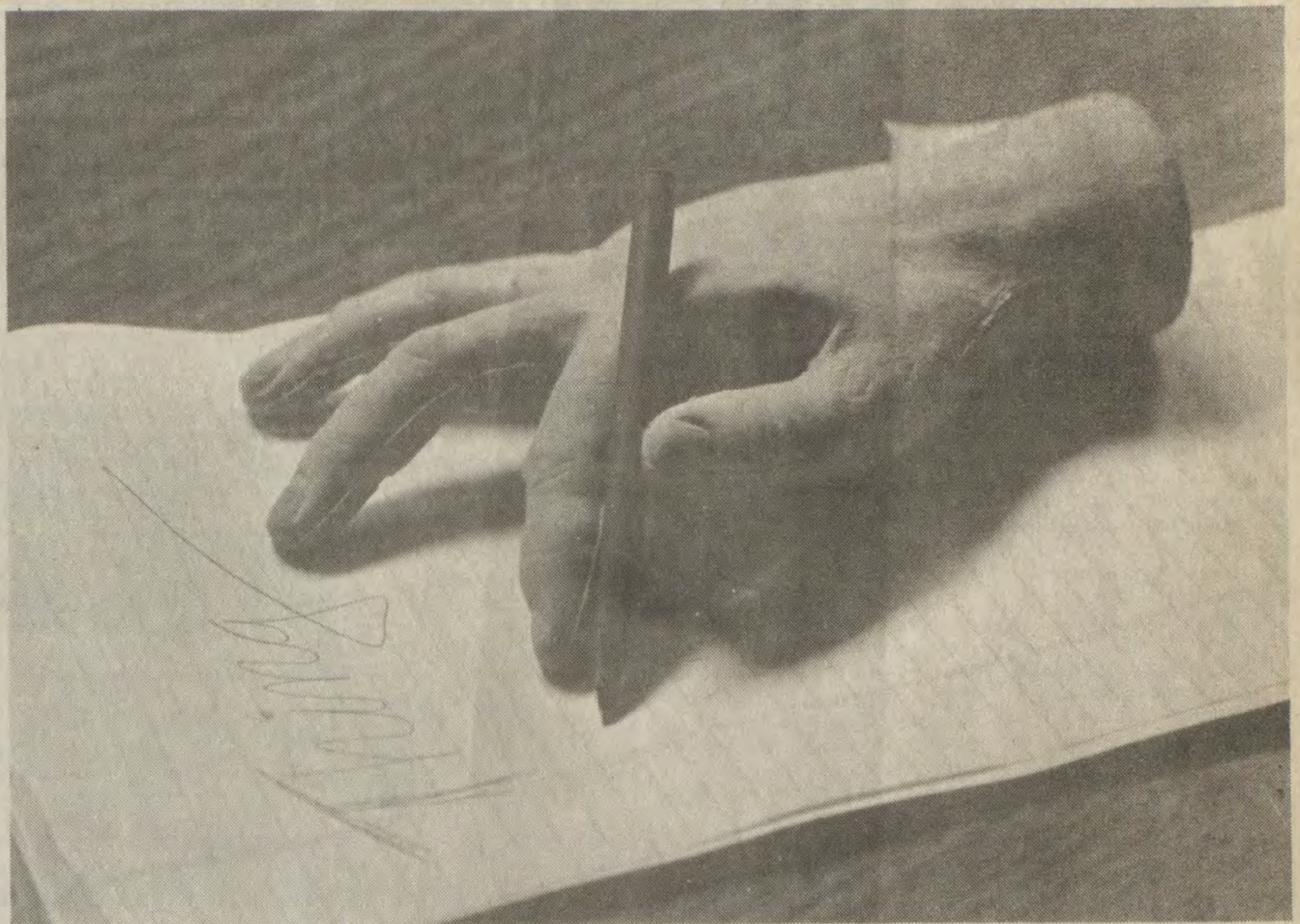
- Sent to the governor a bill to be signed into law that requires high school students to be able to read and write to qualify for a diploma, but only if they intend to use those abilities after graduation.

- Voted down a proposal requiring elected officials to be able to read and write.

- Adjourned for fifteen minutes to honor legislative lobbyists, who were scheduled to pick up the tab for lunch.

In one final action, legislators approved a measure to charge General Assembly spectators admission. The fee will remain in effect until the Louisville Zoo opens for the season.

## Let Your Fingers Do The Walking . . .



### The Right Thing...

The Addams Family star was in town this week, autographing its new biography, "A Hired Hand," which tells the story of a severed extremity and its hand-over-fist rise from obscurity to stardom.

## Crime drama based on dramatic crime

Entertainment mogul Ted Turner has announced plans to film a Made-For-TV movie in Prestonsburg, based on the real-life story of a young Knott County shoplifter.

Turner said through a spokesperson that he would film the movie in

black and white and then colorize it.

Reportedly, the film will star pop singer Madonna who will go on a shoplifting spree through downtown Prestonsburg after she learns that MTV is not available at the Prestonsburg Holiday Inn.

Madonna's crime spree comes to an abrupt end when Archer Park director Ralph Little arrests her for speeding through the park.

A mild-mannered reporter for the local newspaper, portrayed by Janice Shepherd as herself, picks up on the story, which catches the attention of talk show host Geraldo Rivera, who invites Shepherd and Madonna to help him unlock the secrets of a secret vault belonging to Al Capone, located in the offices of the Floyd County Board of Education.

The film will be directed by Jane Fonda, who will appear briefly in the picture as Raisa Gorbechev, a Russian emigrant who comes to Eastern Kentucky to set up a flea market after her husband loses his job.

Floyd County Times editor Scott Perry is portrayed by Tom Selleck.

### It's Gold!

An engineering company attempting to determine the value of coal reserves on the controversial Middle Creek school site hit a bonanza this week when core drilling samples indicated there were vast quantities of gold on the property.

A spokesman for the board said he hoped the windfall would end once and for all the controversy surrounding the site and other school construction projects in the county. He said the gold reserves would allow the board to build a new school for each of the district's students.

"We plan to have 7,000 new schools under construction by mid-summer," the spokesman said.

## Official's response stuns participants at meeting

Big Sandy Area Development District executive director Roger Recktenwald stunned members of the ADD's board of directors recently when he answered "yes" to a question.

Recktenwald, who owns the world record for the giving the longest answer to any question ever asked, caught even himself by surprise with the brief reply.

When asked what happened, Recktenwald said:

"In the context of the given parameters, not inclusive of atmospheric phenomenon, the basic yet complex pretext is an analogous manipulative of significant proportions which, when considering all liabilities and possible connotations suggests a viable psychological enunciation of Freudian similarities."

## Candidates asked to fit roundtable in square hole

A candidates forum sponsored by the Floyd County Chamber of Commerce is scheduled for April 31 at the Stumbo, Stumbo and Stumbo convention center at Stumbo Lake State Park (formerly Jenny Wiley State Park).

Candidates for Congress have been invited to attend, but only those who pass an entrance exam will be allowed to speak.

lowed to speak.

The test will require congressional hopefuls to demonstrate their ability to balance their checkbooks or, alternatively, balance a spinning basketball on their noses.

Successful candidates will be grilled by the media on important national issues, their sex lives and who is buried in Grant's tomb.

## Helmsley to head laundry at Wheelwright slammer

The Times has been unable to confirm reports that hotelier-tax evader Leona Helmsley will be the first inmate at a new prison to be built at Wheelwright.

Mrs. Helmsley will reportedly serve as foreman in the prison laundry where she will be responsible for seeing that towels aren't stolen by inmates.

"Her background in hotel work

makes her perfect for the job," a corrections department spokesman said, "and, if she keeps her nose clean, we may promote her to the book-keeping department."

Rumors that former heavyweight champ "Iron Mike" Tyson would also be assigned to the new prison as an inmate and chief of security could not be confirmed.

### Star of stage, screen knuckles down for new role :

## Nothing up his sleeve

The Addams Family's one-fisted star, Thing, who single-handedly stole the show in the recent big screen adaptation of the hit TV series, was in Prestonsburg Monday as part of a promotional tour for its new best-selling biography called "Hired Hand."

The dexterous performer, a hands-down favorite for this year's Oscars, signed autographs and pressed the flesh with hundreds of well-wishers during the book-signing session.

In an exclusive interview with the Times, the severed extremity detailed its hand-over-fist rise to stardom, signaling that the beginning of its career had its roots in the underhanded world of crime.

Once the right-hand of a Baghdad thief, the duo split company on an Iraqi chopping block and the rest is history. Thing attempted to survive the next few years hand-to-mouth,

Living hand-to-mouth isn't easy, especially when you don't have a mouth.

but found that without a mouth, that wasn't easy.

Signing on as a deck-hand for a oil rig, Thing worked its way to San Francisco where it took up finger-painting before joining a traveling

puppet show and discovering the world of acting.

A string of B-rate movies followed before Thing got its big break in the Steven Spielberg classic "The Empire Strikes Back." Thing played Luke Skywalker's right hand, which was

## NASA launches project to resolve airport controversy

A debate over the future of the Paintsville-Prestonsburg Airport came to a happy conclusion this week when a joint venture was announced for the site.

The cooperative project will involve NASA's relocation of its space

program to Combs Field where space shuttles will be used to deliver plumbing fixtures manufactured by American Standard's Paintsville plant.

Members of the new Combs Field Civil Air Patrol squadron will be recruited to pilot the ventures.

lopped off in a laser sabre duel with Luke's dad, Darth Vader.

Thing's solo starring performance (when it didn't play the part of someone's body) came in "The Creeping Hand" where it played the part of a vengeful murderer, strangling anyone that got in its way.

A bit calloused by the "bad guy" image it got in "The Creeping Hand," Thing retired briefly from the screen, spending several months as a hand-to-hand combat instructor for the U.S. Marines.

The glitter of Hollywood beckoned, though, and Thing waved good-bye to the service for a hand-some role in "The Addam's Family."

Thing is already working on its next picture, a sequel to the hit movie "Peter Pan." The new film, scheduled for release in June, is called "Hook and I: Reunited." Watch for it at a theater near you.



### Alli-Cat!

A rare, mutant Alli-Cat was discovered in Prestonsburg this week and is thought to have made the incredible journey from a toxic waste dump near New York City to the mountains in a trainload of out-of-state waste. The animal, a cross between an American tabby and an American alligator, reportedly lived in the sewers of New York before being run out of town by a group of over-sized, talking turtles. State officials are trying to decide this week if the animal should be classified as a hazardous waste.

## Annexation of Lexington ends worry over track

Concerns that a proposed racetrack would never actually be built in Prestonsburg were allayed during a special meeting this week of city council.

Vowing that Prestonsburg would have live racing, council gave first reading to an ordinance annexing Lexington into the Prestonsburg city limits.

The inclusion of Lexington brings with it Keeneland and The Red Mile, ensuring the public the opportunity to bet on horseracing.

The annexation proposal also incorporates the Mountain Parkway and a section of Interstate 64.

The Junior Williamson Rest Stop at Slade will be remodeled into a new city hall.





**What we want**

Floyd Countians met Monday at Allen Elementary to discuss what qualifications they wanted in a new superintendent of the Floyd County school system. (photo by Susan Allen)

**School essay winners announced :**

**Citizens offer input for school leader**

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

A communicator, a visionary leader, someone willing to embrace Kentucky's Education Reform Act and a challenger are some of the qualifications Floyd Countians want in their next school superintendent.

About 35 people attended the Floyd County Education Forum's annual meeting Monday at Allen Elementary to discuss what the county needs in a superintendent. Members of the screening committee appointed to review applicants for the county's top school administrator also attended and gave a report on the number of persons who have applied for the position.

Floyd superintendent Ron Hager's contract expires June 30.

The group split into four smaller groups for a 15-minute discussion on the qualifications and characteristics they would like Floyd County's next superintendent to possess.

After the discussion, one member from each group reported their findings to the audience.

The most popular responses:

- be open-minded and accessible to the public;
- be honest;
- be apolitical
- be willing to bring equality to all schools;
- conduct the school district's business openly and publicly;
- be willing to implement and support education reform; and
- provide strong leadership.

Carol Stumbo, one of the two teacher representatives on the committee, told the audience that 85 applicants from 29 states have responded to their advertisements for the superintendent's position. Stumbo

said it has "not been easy" reviewing applications and that some people were skeptical of the process.

"We're working against years of mistrust and there are some who think it's a done deal," Stumbo said. "But, we're committed to selecting the most qualified person. This is too important to the children of Floyd County."

"I haven't slept well since I've been on this committee," Stumbo added. "This will be the most important decision made in Floyd County in a long time. We won't let politics interfere (with our decision). Yes, it will work, we can't afford for it not to."

Bud Reynolds, also teacher representative, said that applicants were sent a list of questions that included: why they want to be superintendent of the Floyd County system, what are their major strengths and what they consider their major accomplishments in education.

"It's an exciting process," Reynolds said.

The screening committee will present their top five candidates to the board of education in May. Floyd County Chamber of Commerce president Dolores Smith said her organization would assist the group in holding a public luncheon for the five candidates.

The meeting began with the announcement of the winners of a high school essay contest entitled, "What I Would Look For in a Superintendent."

Allen Central student Heather Watson was first place winner, saying a superintendent should be fair, committed to the school system and dedicated to the advancement of education. She read her essay to the audience.

Other winners were: Allen Central- Greta Heintzelman and Kathy

Hall; McDowell- Douglas Alan Hopkins; Prestonsburg- Teresa Ousley; and Wheelwright- Anthony Little.

**Ratliff applies**

Nashville Auto-Diesel College is proud to announce that Charles Alan Ratliff Jr. has applied for acceptance into its Auto Diesel Technician program beginning September 9, 1992. Charles lives in Langley and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ratliff.

Nashville Auto-Diesel College, a degree granting institution, located in Nashville, Tennessee, was established in 1919. NADC offers both diploma and associate degree courses in Auto-Diesel and Auto Body Repair.

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**Prison, judge slated for Floyd County**

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

State legislators voted Monday on two issues that could bring jobs and a second circuit court judge to Floyd County.

The construction of a minimum security prison in Wheelwright has only one more hurdle to clear Wednesday (today), when the Senate will vote on the state's two-year budget.

Hopes were kept alive Monday for building the prison when the project remained in the state budget after negotiators ironed-out compromises.

House and Senate budget committee members concluded their bargaining session and left in the Corrections Cabinet appropriation a 300-bed private prison.

"After the Senate votes tomorrow, it's time to celebrate," said Floyd County Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson Tuesday. "It's 99.9 percent certain."

Thompson has spearheaded the effort to construct the privately owned prison in Wheelwright which will bring to the economically depressed area a \$25,000 per week payroll and a minimum of 100 jobs, Thompson said.

"We should thank State Representative Greg Stumbo and Senator Benny Ray Bailey for escorting it through the legislature," Thompson said. "We should also thank the governor for recognizing the need for it. This will certainly improve the quality of life for the people in Wheelwright."

Thompson said the "spin-off" businesses that would develop because of the prison would revive the area's economy and "breathe new life" into the community.

Wheelwright City Commissioners have endorsed the plan to locate

the facility in their town and appointed a citizen's advisory committee to develop an incentive package to offer companies wanting to build the prison.

Governor Brereton Jones said last month that he wants the prison located in Wheelwright.

"This is a part of the state that needs a lot of help, and I'm, willing to try to give it to them," Jones said in a press conference March 13.

The Senate also passed Senate Bill 172 which would add circuit judges in Lincoln and Floyd counties. The measure was passed for the final time by a 34-3 vote, after agreeing to House amendments.

The bill now goes to Governor Jones for his signature.

**Alcoholic beverages reminder at Paintsville Lake**

The Corps of Engineers reminds all park visitors that federal law prohibits the possession and consumption of alcoholic beverages on all federally owned land at Paintsville Lake. This law, which is strictly enforced, includes the possession of alcoholic beverages in all vehicles upon park property and all watercrafts on the lake.

The Corps also reminds that park visitors are responsible for knowing all the park regulations when visiting Paintsville Lake. These regulations are posted on outdoor bulletin boards located at the Paintsville Dam Overlook, Paintsville Lake Marina, Paintsville Lake downstream area and the Corps of Engineers Office.

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## Floyd native injured in PA

A former Floyd County woman was injured last week in an auto accident in Pennsylvania that occurred during a spring snowstorm.

Jennifer Kruzel, 24, of Wilkes-Barre, formerly of Prestonsburg, is recovering in the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital after her car was struck by a vehicle that went into a spin because of the hazardous road conditions, according to a report in the Times Leader, a Pennsylvania newspaper.

Kruzel had to be extracted from her 1987 Camaro by rescue workers after a car driven by Lorainne Shields, 22, of West Pittston struck her vehicle on the driver's side.

The snowstorm ripped through the northeastern part of Pennsylvania March 22, with accumulations predicted of four to six inches. The storm hit the area between 4 and 5 p.m. and caused a number of traffic accidents.

Kruzel is the daughter of Frank and Leva Vaughan of Prestonsburg.



Jennifer Kruzel

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## Prestonsburg firemen sue city

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

A federal lawsuit was filed against the City of Prestonsburg Monday by nine firefighters accusing the city of violating a provision of the Fair Labor Standards Act.

The suit alleges that the city does not compensate the firemen for "on-call time" and that being on-call restricts their personal time for which they should be paid. The suit claims the plaintiffs are on duty for 24-hours and are subject to mandatory call-in once they are paged. If the firefighters violate the policy, they can be fired from the job, the suit claims.

"Failure of the (city) to compensate them for this 'on-call time' vio-

lates the overtime provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act," the suit said.

The firemen are seeking a mandate to amend the policies of the City of Prestonsburg to compensate for their on-call time; compensatory damages for lost earnings by each firefighter for the past three years; and a trial by jury.

Prestonsburg attorney Ned Pillersdorf filed the lawsuit on behalf of William Callihan Jr., Ronnie Burke, Kevin Hedrick, Michael T. Mays, Tom Cooley, Mike Moore, James Hager, Kenneth Crisp and Parker DeRossett.

Note: A lawsuit does not indicate guilt, but represents only the claims of those filing the action.



### BLS students tour campus

Students from Betsy Layne High School visited Pikeville College on March 12 to talk with admissions counselors and tour the campus. They are, from left, front row, Della Frasure, Jamey Kidd, Tina Hall, Tonya Newsome, John Porter, Jennifer Tackett; second row, Derek Hale, Kim Carter, Tammy Hamilton, Joe Jacobs, counselor Arlan Isaac; and back row, Chuck Lafferty, Tanya Harris, John Kidd and Don Riley.

## Funny money found in clerk's office

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

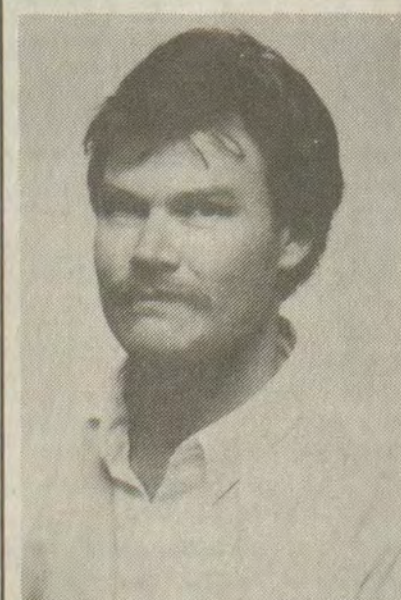
A counterfeit \$100 bill was passed to the Floyd County Circuit Court Clerk's office Friday by an unsuspecting customer.

Floyd County Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson said Tuesday that he was contacted by circuit clerk Frank DeRossett Friday after Ronald Wills of Prestonsburg passed the bill to his office.

Thompson said he questioned Wills and found that someone else had given the bill to Wills and he had unknowingly presented the money at the clerk's office.

No charges will be filed against Wills, Thompson said. The sheriff contacted the First Commonwealth Bank who forwarded the phony money to the U.S. Treasury Department.

The bank was contacted Tuesday by the Treasury Department which confirmed the bill was counterfeit. Thompson said efforts are underway to determine the origin of the bill.



### PCC professor receives fellowship

Dr. George D. Torok of PCC's department of history, stationed at the Pikeville Campus, has been selected to receive a \$2000 Summer Teaching Improvement Fellowship to photograph historic sites and other items of historical interest in Eastern Kentucky. He will also be allocated \$737 for supplies and film processing.

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# Viewpoint

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We have the power to do any damn fool thing we want to do, and we seem to do it about every ten minutes.

—Senator William Fulbright on Senate's right to change its mind

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Liberty of thought is the life of the soul—Voltaire

## Coffee Break



by Scott Perry

What can we say?  
Movie scripts have been written on lesser events.  
Heck, people have been given medals for achieving less.

The trip down the Yellow Brick Road is over, a bit short of the Emerald City, but so what?

Our heroes have completed their journey and they've proven to themselves and the world that they had what it took all along.  
Courage, brains and, oh, what hearts.

And in the end they clicked their heels and made their point.  
There's no place like home.  
Lions and tigers and bears?  
Oh no.  
Wildcats.  
Forever.

There's no fool like an April fool.  
A media critic warned recently that you can't believe everything you read.

This week he's absolutely right.  
The front page of Wednesday's Floyd County Times is as unbelievable as you can get because we made everything up.  
Or did we?  
April Fool.

Here's something we are not making up.  
Barbie has her own exercise video.

Yes, Barbie...that doll of an idol for pre-teen girls...is going to demonstrate how to exercise your way to health and happiness and win boyfriends who look like Ken.  
Well, let us tell little Miss Superstar one thing: if we step on just one more pair of her high heels at our house, she won't have to worry about making a sequel....

The fifth annual East Kentucky

Leadership Conference will be held later this month in Ashland with an interesting menu and an impressive list of participants.

One topic of discussion scheduled for Saturday is one we don't plan to miss.

"Is Democracy Working in Eastern Kentucky?"

Pardon our cynicism, but shouldn't the question be: "Does Democracy Exist in Eastern Kentucky?"

If it does, it's just like most everyone else.  
Looking for work.

Okay, there are some examples that government of, by and for the people hasn't perished from this part of the earth but, taken as a whole, we have certainly traveled a shameful distance from the basic principle of democracy, transplanting "we the people" with an attitude of "what's in it for me."

Elections are routinely decided by dollars, rather than sense; leaders are chosen by party registration rather than personal conviction; and government has broken the laws of physics by becoming a perpetual motion machine that runs non-stop for no one's sake but its own.

Who's fault is that?  
"The guilt of a government," wrote Thomas Paine two centuries ago, "is the crime of a whole country."

Sums it up pretty well.

At 2 a.m. this Sunday it will be 3 a.m. and everybody will lose an hour of sleep but gain an hour of daylight.

Daylight Savings Time begins April 5. Set your clocks ahead one hour.

Hip, hip, hooray.  
ZZZZZZZZZZ.

## Letters

Editor:

Voter registration books will be open until April 27. Between now and then each person who would like to vote in the May 26 primary election can register at their county clerk's office.

Also teens who will be 18 on or before November 3, the date of this year's general election, can register and vote in both the primary election and the general election, provided they meet the residency and other requirements.

Teens may also register at their county clerk's office or check with the principal of their high school for voter registration forms and assistance in registering.

Nearly 800,000 Kentuckians are eligible to vote, but are unregistered. In the last general election over a million registered Kentuckians didn't make the effort to vote.

Kentuckians have the right and privilege to vote. In many countries people fight and die for the right even today.

Freedom makes it possible. Voting makes it happen.

Each vote is important and each vote really makes a difference. Be sure to register so you can make your count.

Bob Babbage  
Secretary of State

Editor:

Again your paper served as a sharp edged sword to strike at innocent people. Your staff reporter Susan

Allen reports everything so negatively, and unfair of some individuals. I am speaking about Ron Hager our superintendent. I have read your paper for 1 1/2 years and her reporting clearly shows she is a biased and unfair reporter. For this period of time Ron and his family have wondered why she reported as she did. The March 27, 1992 edition of the Times is the latest ploy to sway the public opinion against my brother Ron.

We now understand what the game is. Remember Public, Ron Hager is an honest honorable man who has worked with your children and mine for 27 years. Their best interest was always foremost with Ron. Thank you public for your support of Ron with telephone calls and personal contact I've made. We appreciate your support and love.

Shirlee Hager Branham

Editor:

Set the record straight.

The U.S. House of Representatives post office is a contract station. The Congressional Post Office employees were not U.S.P.S. clerk and members of the A.P.W. Unions. This was a congressional contract station staffed by government appointees. The postal workers have been accused of lost increases when actual attached to the postal bill were salary raises for congressmen and senators.

Dallas D. Sammons  
A.P.W.U.

Editor:

In the past, I thought our car insurance was reasonable, but in the past few years it's becoming a joke. It's a shame what prices we have to pay to get insurance on a car or even to add a teenager. I look in the newspaper in the courthouse happenings and see the same person charged at least twice a month with drunk driving. The person pays only a \$57.50 fine and probably doesn't have to pay much for car insurance either.

When you go to the courthouse to license a car, you have to show proof of insurance and pay any back taxes on a vehicle you don't own anymore in order to get your own car tagged.

And then there's the land taxes! The government sends people out to look at your home to decide whether to raise your land taxes. I don't know about the rest of the people, but I paid enough taxes for a 10-acre farm and all I have is a house and a yard.

And speaking of bills—have you ever seen the Auxier water bill? It's outrageous. My sister lives down there and she said she never pays under \$65 a month. There's no reason for the utility bills to be so high. Like the electric bill, if your bill is \$125, you can't pay it all and you send in \$80, well here they come to collect what's left and add six dollars for coming to collect. I think as long as you pay on your bill they should leave you alone.

I thought Kentucky had a governor. What's the governor doing about the high cost of utility bills and insurance taxes? What's the use in getting a raise on your pay check or on social security if you can't spend it on yourself or your family? Please people if we don't get some help now and stop this increase in bills, etc, we might as well give up trying to make a future for our family, because we are working for nothing!

Eugene A. Crisp  
Garrett, Kentucky

## Report to Kentucky

by Sen. Wendell Ford

### Standing up to Washington on interest banks and S & Ls

As most Kentuckians know, we are fortunate to have a strong network of homegrown banks, thrifts and other financial institutions in large and small communities across our state.

Our good fortune is reflected in part by a recent report on our state-chartered institutions in Kentucky.

These institutions posted an improved financial performance in 1991 in spite of a continuing recession and the well known problems of large banks and S & Ls in many parts of our nation.

This only reinforces my view that cannot afford to allow officials in Washington to throw the door wide open to out-of-state financial operations in Kentucky.

Some of us have been fighting to keep the current Administration from running roughshod over states' rights with regard to banking across state lines.

I want Kentuckians to know that we are now being forced to fight for these same rights with regard to savings and loans.

I have joined with Senator Dale Bumpers of Arkansas in introducing legislation to block a misguided proposal to allow unrestricted interstate branching by federally chartered S & Ls.

The Office of Thrift Supervision is trying to railroad this proposal through the regulatory process without regard to the laws or financial needs of Kentucky and many other states.

I share the concern of many Kentuckians over the prospect of such institutions creating financial instability, diverting savings from small communities, costing us jobs by ignoring our local development efforts

or imposing lending practices ill suited to local needs.

Under our legislation, federally chartered S & Ls could open interstate branches only in states with laws permitting the same practice for state-chartered thrifts.

Kentucky is among the majority of states now permitting interstate activity only through the purchase of existing S & Ls. As a result, our legislation would prevent out-of-state S & Ls from opening branches in Kentucky without a change in state law.

Our legislation also requires thrifts that do have out-of-state branches to be adequately capitalized and conform to all state laws applying to those operations.

My goal is to keep the Administration from using the regulatory process to make sweeping "backdoor" changes in the thrift industry after failing to win legislative approval of similar changes in the banking industry.

I secured an amendment to ensure that our state's rights and those of our small communities and small banks would not be violated under interstate banking proposals supported by the Administration in the last session of Congress.

I believe that Kentuckians support efficiency and progress in all of our financial services industries.

But we also claim the right to make state-level decisions under our tried-and-true system of dual state and federal regulation of these vital institutions.

I will continue to stand with Kentuckians in the fight to see that we are not forced to surrender the legitimate rights and responsibilities of our state to the federal government.

## Other Voices

### EDUCATION REFORM AND THE 1992-94 SCHOOL BUDGET

by Robert F. Sexton  
Executive Director,  
Prichard Committee

I see now that I underestimated the importance of the recession for Kentucky education reform. I also underestimated how confusing school budget debates could be for the taxpayers. It's time for some accurate information and for remembering the big picture. It's also time to concentrate on improving schools as much as on increasing school funding.

As 1991 ended everybody knew we were in a recession. We also knew that state and local tax revenues were down. They had to be, since tax income simply reflects the economy—with sales down and unemployment up, sales and income taxes decline. We also know that Kentucky wasn't suffering as much as other states and as it turned out, revenue projections for 1992 at least stay even with 1991; other states suffered real decreases. Times are tough in Kentucky but revenue hasn't actually declined, it stayed about even.

We're now hearing all kinds of statements about the school budget from some school superintendents and others in the schools. "See, we told you the legislature wasn't serious." "Business as usual — they're not funding reform." "We're operating on a shoe string." "We can't implement reform, they're not funding it." When tough times are coming administrators usually prepare folks for the worst, but the overkill we're witnessing raises questions about motives.

My mistake came from thinking that the increases in school funding passed by the 1990 legislature for KERA, money available to schools next year just like this year, should count for something. Altogether, school funding increased \$817 million in 1990-91 and 1991-92, or 30%. That 30% increase will still be available next year, the year we hear the poor-mouthing about. In fact, despite real cuts in all other state programs, (universities minus \$13 million, for example) state spending for education will still go up by about \$21 million, absorbing almost all new state revenue. This is a clear demonstration that education is still Kentucky's top priority.

That \$817 million increase translates to some interesting figures. For

example, teacher salaries in the past two years increased by an average of \$4,587, or 17%. In some of Kentucky's poorest school districts per pupil funding through state and local revenue increased by over 60%. Even in the wealthiest districts state per-pupil funding increased by 15% in the two years after KERA was funded. (Let's keep in mind that Kentucky is operating under a supreme court order to provide equity and uniformity in spending between wealthy and poor districts.) School funding increased, but remember the central point of the Kentucky Education Reform Act: new monies are to be spent differently, they're not just "more."

A crisis atmosphere, on the other hand, does, as some may hope, make it harder to implement reform. Change is tough, and the changes required by KERA may be the toughest we've ever attempted, especially for people who work in Kentucky's schools and for parents. Consider the basics: education funding has increased for all children; this reform program is long-term and requires patience; Kentucky is starting to get a return on the school dollars it's investing. Or consider this perspective: the people of Kentucky accepted the biggest tax increase in their history, thinking better schools would result. If that's not the result, what will they do the next time they're asked?





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**Gift to library**

Professor Robert D. McAninch Jr. recently donated 70 volumes to the Prestonsburg Community College Library. Many of the books were Time-Life reference books, such as *The World of Goya* by Richard Schickel. Also included were books about the great museums of the world such as the National Gallery in Washington, the Louvre in Paris and the Prado in Madrid. In addition, he has donated an extensive collection of texts detailing the United States Army's involvement in World War II. Other areas covered in this donation were philosophy (*Beyond Freedom and Dignity* by B. F. Skinner) and mathematics, such as *The World of Mathematics* by James R. Newman.

**"Hug A Kid" day April 4**

April is Child Abuse Prevention month and Floyd County will kick-off the event Saturday at the Prestonsburg municipal parking lot.

The Eastern Kentucky Regional Office of the Kentucky Council on Child Abuse will celebrate "Hug A Kid Day" on Saturday, April 4 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the parking lot.

"Hug A Kid Day" is part of the annual awareness campaign for Child Abuse Prevention Month which is held in April. The event will offer performances by the Maytown and Allen Elementary schools at 11 a.m. and at 1 p.m.

Also scheduled for Saturday are demonstrations by the Prestonsburg Fire Department on the use of emergency first aid and the police department

will provide fingerprinting of children. The Floyd County Sheriff's Department will have their D.A.R.E. bear on hand to offer drug abuse prevention information.

The Christian Appalachian Project will present a puppet show and Our Lady of the Way Hospital will share health education information through "Scrubby Bear." The winners of the Floyd County Schools poster contest on child abuse will be announced and prizes awarded. Concessions will be provided by the Prestonsburg Rotary Club.

Any organizations wanting to participate in the event need to bring their own tables and chairs. For more information, contact Janie Beverley at 886-1260.

**Clients' security fund awards over \$16,000**

More than \$16,000 was recently awarded to three individuals claiming monetary losses due to dishonest conduct by their attorneys. The three Kentucky residents received their awards through the Kentucky Bar Association's Clients' Security Fund, a program providing a last-resort avenue for clients who are unable to get reimbursement for their losses from the responsible lawyer.

The following awards were approved by the Fund's Board of Trustees and the KBA Board of Governors:

An award of \$4,095 to Roy Lucas of Florence in a child support matter involving Duane Vincent, also of Florence. Vincent was disbarred by the Kentucky Supreme Court on October 14, 1991.

An award of \$10,000 to Lisa Schneider of Louisville in a fraudulent investment matter involving Charles F. Wood, also of Louisville.

Wood was disbarred by the Kentucky Supreme Court on October 14, 1991.

An award of \$2,000 to Elizabeth Elliott of Louisville in a civil appeal involving Mark Watson, of Elizabethtown. Watson was temporarily suspended on April 26, 1990 and permanently disbarred by the Kentucky Supreme Court on January 16, 1992.

**CAP grant supports outreach programs**

The Christian Appalachian Project (CAP) recently awarded grants to four Floyd County organizations.

Big Sandy Health Care, Inc., was awarded \$3,000.00 for administration. Big Sandy Area Development District was awarded \$2,000.00 for a demonstration project in Floyd and Magoffin counties. God's Food Pantry—Prestonsburg branch—was awarded \$3,500.00 for its work in Eastern Kentucky. Alternatives, Inc., was awarded a matching grant of \$2,000.00 for general support.

Big Sandy Health Care is a comprehensive primary care service program. It provides health services to the low-income population of Magoffin County and the Mud Creek area of Floyd County. It is uniting all area health departments and other agencies to make a concentrated effort to improve prenatal care.

Big Sandy Area Development District will consolidate and coordinate long term care provided or funded by the Cabinet for Human Resources.

It will serve functionally impaired persons of any age.

God's Pantry—Prestonsburg branch—serves 10 counties in Eastern Kentucky. Food is collected and distributed to non-profit feeding programs. More than 1.2 million pounds of food have been distributed from this warehouse. In the summer of 1992, a new warehouse in Prestonsburg will open.

Alternatives, Inc., exists to meet the need of any woman (and her family) who finds herself in a crisis pregnancy. Counseling, medical help, material aid and spiritual help are offered to follow the woman through her pregnancy and the birth of the child.

Each year the Christian Appalachian Project dedicates a portion of its budget to help non-profit organizations in Eastern Kentucky that are performing similar work.

Its Human Development Grants program assists organizations that help low-income people better their lives through educational opportunities, health care, improved housing, emergency assistance, counseling services and youth enrichment programs. The people being served range in age from pre-school children to the elderly.

For any organization interested in applying for a grant, please call Sheila Helton, program manager, at the CAP Lancaster office, 606-792-3051, extension 240.

**Leadership Kentucky's eighth class selected**

The Board of Directors of Leadership Kentucky have named three Floyd County residents to its eighth leadership class. Participating in the leadership sessions will be Janie Beverly, Theodora H. Vaughan and Dr. Deborah Floyd, Ed.D., Prestonsburg Community College, all of Prestonsburg.

Participants in Leadership Kentucky are selected from across the state — a cross-section of citizens representing a variety of backgrounds, who have demonstrated leadership ability, and who are dedicated to Kentucky's progress.

Leadership Kentucky brings together each year 50 of the state's most promising leaders for seven monthly programs that address critical issues facing the state. They meet and talk with Kentucky's current leaders, and explore through a systematic educational program the state's opportunities, needs and resources. At the end of the Leadership Kentucky experience, these leaders will bring a fresh, broadened perspective to local communities throughout Kentucky and will serve as important participants in the unified effort to shape Kentucky's future.

**Public hearing**

The Big Sandy Area Agency on Aging will hold a public hearing regarding the area plans for programs on aging under Title III of the Older Americans Act of 1965 as amended and the Homecare Program. The hearing will be held on Thursday, April 2, at 10 a.m., at the Jenny Wiley State Resort Park in Prestonsburg. The public is invited to attend.

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**PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE**  
To all interested citizens of Wheelwright, Kentucky. The Kentucky Department of Local Government is accepting applications under the 1992 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program. The following information concerning the CDBG program is available for public inspection:  
A. Amount of funds available and range of activities that may be undertaken.  
B. Estimated amount of funds proposed to be used for activities benefiting persons of low and moderate income.  
C. Plans for minimizing displacement of persons as a result of activities assisted with CDBG funds and plans for providing assistance to those persons to be actually displaced as a result of CDBG funded activities.  
D. Records regarding the past use of CDBG funds.  
E. A summary of other important program requirements.  
The above information is available at the Office of the Mayor, Wheelwright City Hall, from April 1, 1992 through April 9, 1992 during regular business hours.  
The City of Wheelwright will hold two (2) public hearings. The first public hearing will be held on Thursday, April 9, 1992, at 3:00 p.m., at the Wheelwright City Hall, Wheelwright, Kentucky. The main purpose of this hearing is to obtain views on housing and community development needs, review proposed activities, past use of funds, program performance and to inform citizens that technical assistance is available to help groups representing low and moderate income persons in developing proposals.  
The second public hearing will be held on Thursday, April 16, 1992 at 3:00 p.m., at the Wheelwright City Hall, Wheelwright, Kentucky. The purpose of this hearing is to review the proposed application and to solicit public comments.  
**COMMENTS ON APPLICATIONS**  
A copy of the CDBG application will be on file in the Mayor's office for citizen review and comment during business hours from April 16 thru May 1, 1992. Comments on the proposed application may be submitted to the attention of the Mayor until Friday, May 1, 1992.  
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# Courthouse News

## DISTRICT COURT

Freddie Bryan Osborne, 24, of Emma, DUI (BA .20), fined \$207.50 and two days public service;

James M. Case, 45, of Garrett, DUI (BA .15), first offense, drinking in public, carrying a concealed deadly weapon, fined \$417.50 and referred to ADE;

Jack Wallen, 48, of Martin, operating on a suspended license, operating motor vehicle under the influence of drugs (3rd or more), fined \$217.50 and 60 days public service, ADE referred;

Jackie P. Patton, 56, of Hueysville, DUI (BA refused), fined \$207.50, two days public service and ADE referred;

Donald Ray Tilley, 23, of Prestonsburg, third degree forgery, ordered to make restitution of \$326;

Bobby Hackworth Jr., 35, of Garrett, A.I. (third or more), disorderly conduct, change to AI, charges merged and pay court costs of \$57.50;

Gregory James Short, 23, of Garrett, operating on suspended license, pay \$50, ten days probation.

## PROPERTY TRANSFERS

First National Bank of Louisa to Brenda Collins, property location not listed; Mary Hicks to Franklin D. and Rebecca Hall, property at Martin;

Kenneth and Connie Moore to Sharon Moore, property on Turkey Creek;

Mountaineer Land Company to Carmel G. and Marie Clark, property on Dry Branch of Big Mud Creek;

Coal-Mac Inc. to Carmel G. and Marie Clark, property on Dry Branch of Big Mud Creek; Charles and Marie Parsley to Lloyd M. and Linda Salyer, property on Middle Creek;

Nora Martin to Berry Tackett, property on Hunters Branch; Billy R. and Thelma Pruitt to Prestonsburg City's Utilities Commission, property on Meade Branch;

Betty and John Bays Jr., to Michael Wayne Bays, property location not listed; Ruby T. Lewis, Bonnie and Joe Holsen, James H. Trimble, Dinah and Danny Stratton, June and Francis Burchett to Jerry Trimble, property on Ivy Creek;

Clipper Coal Corporation to East Kentucky Energy Corporation, prop-

erty on Loars Branch; Shell Coal and Terminal Company to East Kentucky Energy Corporation, property on Shop Branch of Mare Creek;

Shell Coal and Terminal Company to East Kentucky Energy Corporation, property on Cold Water Creek;

Sharon Artrip Jones and Douglas Jones to Tammy Caudill, property on Ferrel Branch; David and Paula Layne, Otis Hansel and Sarah Frances Cooley to Billy G. and Bonnie F. Goble, property on Big Branch;

The Bank Josephine to Scarlet King, two tracks of property on Big Mud Creek;

Eugene and Julinia Hamilton to Scarlet King, property on Big Mud Creek; Kathleen Sesar, Cleetis and William Setser to Kenneth Z. and Joyce Blackburn, property on Buffalo Creek;

Laura Jeanne Childers to Shirley Parsons, property on Right Beaver

Creek; Ellie Tackett to Levi and Inas Tackett, property on Big Mud Creek; Stephanie and James D. DeRossett to Frank DeRossett Jr., property on Left Fork of Bull Creek;

Ollie and Peggy S. Lafferty, Stephanie and Jamie DeRossett, Ollie and Peggy Lafferty to Robert and Virginia DeRossett, property on Left Fork of Bull Creek;

Jerry and Martha Trimble to Michael R. and Michael Scott Trimble and Kasey Marie Trimble, property on Ivy Creek Road;

William Kelly and Priscilla Sue Moore to Luis P. and Jackie Laferty, property on Stephens Branch; Buster and Marcella Hayton to Delmon Hayton Jr. and Velma Hayton, property on Left Hand Fork of Abbott Creek;

Eva and Gorman Collins Sr. to Mary K. and Rodney Wills, property on Abbott Creek.

## Coal counties to receive half of coal-severance

Half of all money raised through coal-severance taxes would be returned to coal-producing counties by 1996 under legislation adopted Tuesday by the Senate Appropriations and Revenue Committee.

Senate Bill 205, sponsored by state Sen. Benny Ray Bailey, D-Hindman, and Charles Berger, D-Harlan, closely follows recommendations made last year by the Coal Revenue Allocation Task Force.

Under the proposal, coal counties would receive 15 percent of severance-tax receipts this fiscal year. That amount would increase to 18 percent the following year, 25 percent the third year and 50 percent the fourth year.

Currently, coal counties receive 12 percent of the income derived from the severance levy, or about \$25 million. When fully implemented, SB 205 would increase that to about \$100 million. The additional revenue would be dedicated to economic development in the region.

Bailey and Berger said that coal counties need the extra funds to prepare for a time when coal is no longer plentiful.

"Coal is not a renewable, continuous industry which we can base our economy on indefinitely," Bailey said. "These extra dollars are critically needed to help coal areas prepare for the future when coal supplies are exhausted."

Berger added that since coal counties are producing the revenue, it's "only fair that we get our rightful share back. We need to find some way to provide jobs for people when they can't go back into the mines. Some day, the coal just isn't going to be there."

The bill now goes to the full Senate for action. The last day for the 1992 session of the General Assembly to pass new legislation is April 1.

Both Bailey and Berger serve on the Appropriations and Revenue panel.

## Friday blaze at Big Branch destroys home and contents

Betsy Layne firefighters battled a blaze on Right Fork of Big Branch Friday.

The home of John Paul and Marlene Carol was declared a total loss and Edward Clark, assistant fire chief, said the fire was accidental. The family lost everything in the fire, Clark said, "...the floor was all that was left."

Firefighters received the call around 3:30 p.m. and eleven firefighters responded. Firefighters saved a vehicle and a barn near the home.

In a separate fire near Hueysville, Garrett firefighters responded to a call on Sage Allen Branch where a garage owned by Mike and Wanda McCown was ablaze.

The garage, which was used to do repair work, was a total loss, according to Kenneth "Kimble" Howard, a member of the Garrett Volunteer Fire Department.

Firefighters also concentrated their efforts on a trailer near the garage. The heat from the garage fire was so

intense that a window of the trailer burst.

Firefighters received the call around 6:20 a.m. and were on the scene for about one and a half hours. Nine firefighters responded.

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### PCC librarian named to editorial board

Martha R. Perry, assistant librarian at Prestonsburg Community College, has been appointed to the Editorial Board of Kentucky Libraries, a magazine published quarterly by the Kentucky Library Association.

### The Martin Branch of the First Commonwealth Bank

will be CLOSED on Thursday, April 2nd, from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. so that the employees may attend the funeral of former branch manager Patricia Sallsbury.

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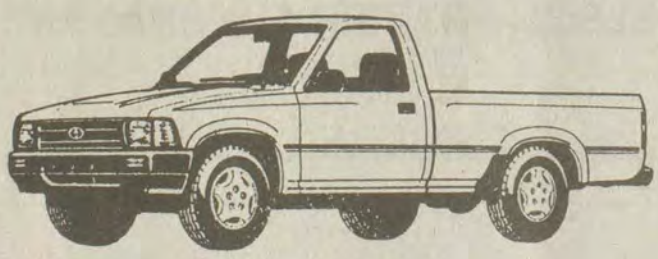
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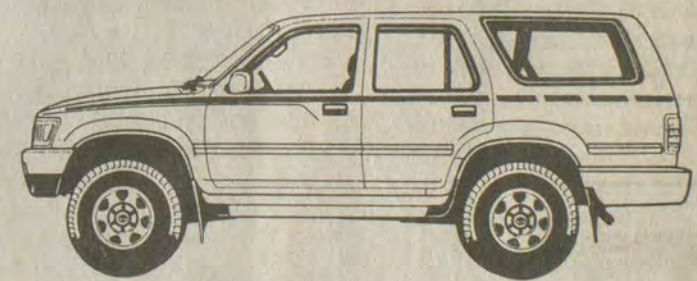
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# Obituaries

## Marvin Lee Boswell

Marvin Lee Boswell, 65, of Prestonsburg, died Monday, March 30, at his residence following an extended illness.

Born March 12, 1927 in Springfield, Missouri, he was the son of Hazel Leona Smith Boswell Hale of Springfield, Missouri, and the late Cecil William Boswell. He retired from Rockwell International after 30 years of service as an on site program manager. He had a college degree from California State University, Fullerton and Concord College in Princeton, West Virginia. He was a member of the honorable order of the Kentucky Colonels. He was a volunteer at Highlands Regional Medical Center and a member of the First United Methodist Church in Prestonsburg.

In addition to his mother he is survived by his wife, Lella Lee Hudspeth Boswell; two sons, Michael Lawrence Boswell of Altamonte Springs, Florida and Dr. John Garland Boswell of Staffordsville; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, April 1, at 2 p.m., at the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Wayne Sparks and Dr. Quentin Scholtz officiating.

Burial will be in Highland Memorial Park at Staffordsville under the direction of Carter Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the First United Methodist Church, the Family Life Center, or Hospice of Big Sandy.

Serving as active pallbearers will be Frank Fitzpatrick, Neil Turner, Chuck Hughes, Don Chaffins, Larry Daniels, and Charlie Sargent.

Honorary pallbearers will be Walter Snavelly, Paul Messer, H. D. Fitzpatrick Jr., John Thacker, Ron Hooker, Arthur Haywood, and Dr. Blake Burchett.

## Ricky Slone Jr.

Ricky Slone Jr., 26, of Lackey, died Monday, March 30, at Knott County Nursing Home following a long illness.

Survivors include his parents, Carol Dooley and Claude Slone Jr., both of Lackey; his grandmother, Daily Slone Robinson of Lackey; one brother, Dale Wayne Slone of Lackey; and one sister, Jamie Lou Combs of Lackey.

Funeral services will be Thursday, April 2, at the Lackey Freewill Baptist Church with the minister Johnny Collins and others officiating.

Burial will be in the Lackey Cemetery under the direction of Hindman Funeral Services.

## Lula F. Coburn

Lula F. Coburn, of Garrett, died Monday, March 30, at Hazard Appalachian Regional Hospital following a long illness.

Born in Langley, she was the daughter of the late Bill and Vicie Johnson Frasure. She was a member of the Garrett First Baptist Church for 45 years and a member of the Woman's Missionary Society Church at Garrett. She was also a member of the Eastern Star at Wayland and a member of the Garrett-Wayland Woman's Club. She was preceded in death by her husband Felix Coburn.

Survivors include two sons, Elsworth Coburn of Garrett and Gorman E. Coburn of Jacksonville Beach, Florida; two daughters, Marie C. Mullins and Marsella C. Bradley, both of Garrett; one brother, Willie Frasure of Langley; two sisters, Nancy Culherson of Arlington, Virginia and Edna Johnson of Sun City Center, Florida; eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, April 1, at 11 a.m., at the Garrett First Baptist Church with the Rev. Edmon E. Bolen officiating.

Burial will be in the Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

## Charles Russell West

Charles Russell West, 42, of Cow Creek, died Sunday, March 29, at Highlands Regional Medical Center following a sudden illness.

Born September 10, 1949 in Williamson, West Virginia, he was the son of Charlie and Alma May West. He was the owner/operator of West Trucking.

In addition to his parents he is survived by his wife, Gay Skeens West of Prestonsburg; one son, Christopher Neal West of Prestonsburg; one daughter, Melissa Renae West of Prestonsburg; two brothers, Thurman West of Ivel and Carl West of Pikeville; one sister, Joan Sorenson of Ocoee, Florida.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, April 1, at 2 p.m., at the Floyd Funeral Home chapel with the evangelist Bennie Blankenship officiating.

Burial will be in the Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel under the direction of Floyd Funeral Home.

Serving as active pallbearers will be Larry Watson, Joe Coleman, Terry Jarvis, James Hall, Mike Mays, Kenny Crisp, Bob Forsythe, and Jimmy Fudd Parsons.

Honorary pallbearers will be Jamie Sherman, Jeff Halcoom, Tyrone Martin, Mike Tackett, and Rick Riley.

## Mae Banks Hicks

Mae Banks Hicks, 91, of Wayland, died Friday, March 27, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital following a short illness.

Born September 14, 1900 at Prestonsburg, she was the daughter of the late James and Callie Derosssett Banks. She was a member of the Stone Coal Regular Baptist Church at Garrett for 40 years. She was preceded in death by her husband, Joe E. Hicks.

Survivors include three sons, James Hicks of Duluth, Georgia, Lowell T. Hicks of Columbus, Ohio and Joe Elswick of Wayland; six daughters, Avanelle Murray, Jonnie Marie Tufts and Betty Gray, all of Wayland, Billie Mullins of Columbus, Ohio, Sue Knight of Paintsville, and Mae Lynn Sparkman of Pippa Passes; one sister, Ruby Music of Reynoldsburg, Ohio; 16 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Sunday, March 29, at 11 a.m., at the Stone Coal Regular Baptist Church, Garrett, with the Regular Baptist ministers officiating.

Burial was in the Richmond Cemetery at Prestonsburg under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

## Patricia Hewlett Salisbury

Patricia Hewlett Salisbury, 55, of Martin, died Monday, March 30, at her residence following a long illness.

Born October 28, 1936 at Drift, she was the daughter of the late Horton Donahue and Margaret Jane Hill Hewlett. She was a retired assistant vice president and branch manager for the First Commonwealth Bank at Martin. She was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints at Martin and the Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include her husband, Franklin Delano "Sambo" Salisbury; two sons, Stephen Salisbury of Martin and Richard Douglas Salisbury of Hazard; two daughters, Frances Susan Eperon of Prestonsburg and Teresa Jane Delong of Martin; one brother, Don Hewlett of Augusta, Georgia; one sister, Virginia Ann Fridley of Gahanna, Ohio; and six grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Thursday, April 2, at 2:30 p.m., at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints with the Clergyman Ed Patton officiating.

Burial will be in the Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

## Jerry Sturgill

Jerry Sturgill, 52, of Martin, died Thursday, March 26, at the U.K. Medical Center following a sudden illness.

Born July 24, 1939 in Floyd County, he was the son of William (Bill) Sturgill of Canada, Kentucky and the late Carmen Manuel Sturgill. He was a retired coal miner. He was a member of the Church of Christ at Arkansas, John W. Hall Lodge #950 F&AM at Martin, and a 32nd degree Scottish Rite Mason. He was a member of the Oleika Shrine Temple, the Clown Unit at Oleika, an Ambassador for the Oleika Temple, a Clan 31 Hillbilly, a member of Trail 70 Unit for Oleika, a driver of the Shrine van, a member Hadassah 575 of Martin, a past president of Jenny Wiley Shrine Club, and an associate member of El Hasa Temple.

In addition to his father he is survived by his step-mother, Hazel Thornsby Sturgill of Canada, Kentucky; his wife, Brenda Samons Sturgill; three sons, Jerry Sturgill Jr., Howard Sturgill, and Stephen Sturgill, all of Martin; two brothers, Powell Vincent Sturgill of Canada, Kentucky, and Dennis Dickie Lumpkins of Allen; two step-brothers, Bobby Thornsby of Thacker, West Virginia and Joseph Thornsby of Canada, Kentucky; two sisters, Marianne Smith and Sharon Kay Lyons, both of Paintsville; three step-sisters, Loreta Vamey of Canada, Kentucky, Caretta Bogar of Belfry, and Jenny Booth of Williamson, West Virginia; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, March 30, at 1 p.m., at the Church of Christ at Arkansas with the Evangelist Bennie Blankenship and Ronnie Samons officiating. Masonic services were Sunday, March 29, at 5 p.m., at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home chapel.

Burial was in the Samons Cemetery at Arkansas under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Serving as active pallbearers were Gene Prater, Bob Isaac, Bryon Hughes, Larry Johnson, Steve Scalf, Greg Ratliff, Mason Holt, Danny Hall, and Bryon Ratliff.

Honorary pallbearers were the officers of the John W. Hall Lodge #950 at Martin and Jim Cole, Eddie Conn, Dennis Lyons, Cassie Samons, Bill Sturgill, Tom Utterback, and Hugh Fugate.

## Richard King

Richard King, 72, of Butler, Indiana, native of Floyd County died Wednesday, March 25, at the DeKalb Memorial Hospital in Auburn, Indiana.

Born in Breathitt County, he was the son of Cal King of Auxier and the late Fannie Hollon King. He was a World War II Army Veteran and retired from the Bond Aluminum Company in 1981.

In addition to his father he is survived by his wife, Judith Woods King; one son, Clinton King of Cincinnati, Ohio; five daughters, Joyce Sparkman of Farmers, JoAnn Betz of Palm City, Florida, Wendy Yoder, Roberta Dowdon, and Lisa Muzzillo, all of Butler, Indiana; one step-son, Michael Koble of Kentucky; one brother, Troy King of Pikeville; four sisters, Geneva Combs of Viper, Hazel Hunter and Marcelline Freeman, both of Auxier, and Jeanette Manns of Churubusco, Indiana; and 17 grandchildren.

Funeral services were Saturday, March 28, at the Johnson Funeral Home chapel in Butler, Indiana, with the Rev. Lee Combs officiating.

Burial was in the Butler Cemetery at Butler under the direction of Johnson Funeral Home.

This announcement courtesy of Floyd Funeral Home.

## William Glenn Scalf

William Glenn Scalf, 80, of Somerset, died Saturday, March 28, at Midtown Care Home following a two year illness.

Born May 15, 1911 in Pike County, he was the son of the late William M. and Gracie Blackburn Scalf. He was a contractor and member of the Altersgate United Methodist Church at Robinson Creek. He was preceded in death by his wife, Beulah J. Scalf in 1977.

Survivors include two daughters, Henrietta Nichols of Somerset and Marietta Howard of Brandenburg; four brothers, Tom Scalf of Atlanta, Georgia, Clell Scalf of Baltimore, Maryland, and Ronnie and Clyde Scalf, both of Pikeville; two sisters, Clara Mattox of Lexington and Carrie Rogers of Pikeville; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, March 30, at 9 a.m., at the Pulaski Funeral Home chapel with the Reverends Jackson Brewer and Thomas Adams officiating.

Graveside services and burial was Monday, at 2:30 p.m., in the Johnson Family Cemetery at Virgie under the direction of Pulaski Funeral Home.

## Robert Hamilton

Robert Hamilton, 81, of Teaberry, died Friday, March 27, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital following a long illness.

Born December 25, 1910 in Teaberry, he was the son of the late Oliver and Margaret Hamilton. He was a retired coal miner, formerly employed by the Hamilton Coal Company. He was preceded in death by his wife, Emma Bryant Hamilton.

Survivors include five sons, Clifford Hamilton of Elkton, Maine, Elmer Hamilton and Elder Johnny Hamilton, both of Teaberry, Elder Willis Hamilton of Virgie, and Delmar Hamilton of Grethel; four daughters, Thelma Mitchell of Hi Hat, Margaret McKinney, Pearlene Hamilton, and Palestene Howell, all of Teaberry; one brother, James Hamilton of Teaberry; one sister, Oma Stanley of Harold; 28 grandchildren, 26 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services were Monday, March 30, at 10 a.m., at the Samaria Regular Baptist Church at Teaberry with the Regular Baptist ministers officiating.

Burial was in the Hamilton Family Cemetery at Tinker Fork, Teaberry, under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

## John H. Flanery

John H. Flanery, 86, of Martin, died Friday, March 27, at the University of Kentucky Medical Center following a long illness.

Born April 3, 1905 in Martin, he was the son of the late Alexander Jackson and Poppy Bradley Flanery. He was a retired coal miner formerly employed by the Utilities Elkhorn Coal Company. He was a member of the U.M.W.A., Local Union No. 9845, District 30 at Martin.

Survivors include one son, Burnis Flanery of Warsaw, Indiana; four daughters, Imogene Smith of Inez, Elsie Flanery of Martin, Nola Vargo and Maggie Malinowski, both of Chesterland, Ohio; one-step daughter, Ella Halbert of Martin; two sisters, Anna Dingsus of Martin and Nola Hasto of Cleveland, Ohio; 16 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, March 30, at 11:30 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home chapel with the clergymen Don Crisp and Randolph Crisp officiating.

Burial was in the Martin Cemetery at Martin under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

## Patricia Ann Slone Himes

Patricia Ann Slone Himes, 48, of Bolivar, Ohio, died Saturday, March 21, following a short illness.

Born August 14, 1943 in Johnson County, she was the daughter of Ruby Fairchild Slone and the late Reginald Slone. She was a factory worker employed by Handy and Hasman, Dover Division. She was a member of the Paintsville Church of Christ.

In addition to her mother she is survived by one brother, Roger Slone of Winterville; and five sisters, Barbara Sue Daniel, Mary Lynn Minix, and Dorothy Slone, all of Paintsville, and Deloris Witten and Marilyn Brown, both of Van Lear.

Funeral services were Tuesday, March 24, at 1 p.m., at the Preston Funeral Home chapel with the ministers Chuck Slone and Mark Castle officiating.

Burial was in the Highland Memorial Park at Staffordsville under the direction of Preston Funeral Home.

## Monnie Clevenger Collins

Monnie Clevenger Collins, 78, of Calf Creek, Prestonsburg, formerly of Printer, died Monday, March 30, at her residence following an extended illness.

Born December 26, 1913 at Belcher, she was the daughter of the late Louis and Florence Ramey Clevenger. She attended the Church of Christ.

Survivors include her husband, Noah Collins of Prestonsburg; two sons, Carl David Collins of Prestonsburg and Earl Dennis Collins of Jefferstown; one daughter, Judith Lynn Collins at home; two brothers, Ernest Clevenger of Jeffersonville and Robert Clevenger of Grand Junction, Colorado; one sister, June Tackett of Jeffersonville; 16 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Thursday, April 2, at 2 p.m., at the Hall Funeral Home chapel with the Church of Christ ministers officiating.

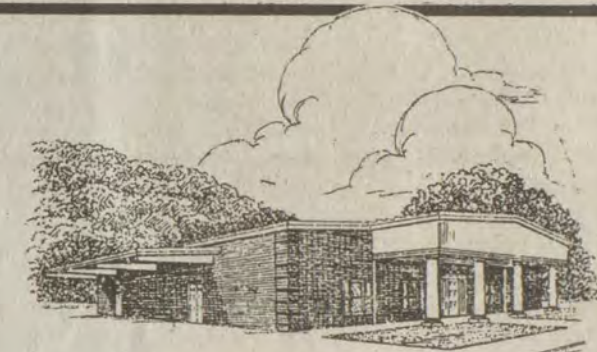
Burial will be in the Lucy Hall Cemetery at McDowell under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

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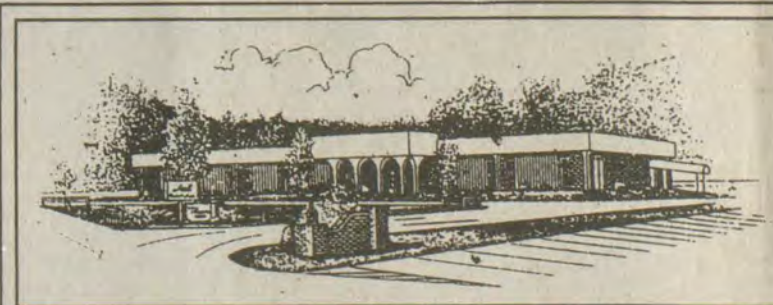
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# Community Calendar

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

## Clark PTA to elect site-based council

Members of the Clark PTA will meet Monday, April 6, at 7 p.m., in the Clark Elementary School Library to elect two parents to the school's first site-based decision-making council. Only persons who have joined the PTA by March 30, 1992 will be eligible to vote.

Nominations of parents to the council may be submitted through Monday, March 30, to Principal Wayne Combs by any interested person. Nominations should be made in writing and should include a paragraph written by the nominee stating why he or she wished to serve.

Nominees must be parents, step-parents, or legal guardians whose children will be enrolled at Clark during the 1992-93 school year. Parents who are employees of the school system or whose relatives work for the school system are not eligible.

Following the provisions of the 1990 Kentucky Education Reform Act (KERA), the school's faculty voted to go to site-based decision-making at an election held earlier this month. This means that as of July 1, 1992, Clark Elementary will be governed by a school council comprised of Principal Wayne Combs, two parents, and three teachers. The council will make policies and decisions which effect every aspect of the school's day-to-day operation. Par-

ent and teacher council members will serve one-year terms and be eligible for re-election.

Clark faculty members will elect three teachers to the council in a separate election to be held on Thursday, April 2.

For further information concerning the election, please feel free to contact Mr. Combs at 886-2487.

## Great American Read Aloud

The office of Continuing Education/Community Services will offer a Great American Read Aloud on Wednesday, April 8, from 8:45 a.m. - 3:15 p.m. Many of the faculty and staff at the college have signed up to participate. For more information about readers and their subjects, please contact the office of Continuing Education at 886-3863, ext. 242. Free. Everyone is welcome.

## Open house

Morehead State University will assist prospective student in some pre-college planning when the Office of Admissions hosts an "Open House" on Saturday, April 4.

The program will begin with registration at 9 a.m., on the third floor lobby of the Adron Doran University Center. Displays from the university's programs will be available for viewing. Addition information is available by calling MSU's Office of Admission toll-free at 1-800-262-7474 or (606) 783-2000.

## TOPS to start chapter

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) is interested in starting a local chapter in the Prestonsburg area. TOPS is a non-profit commercial organization. It is open to both male and female from ages 7 and older. For more information call 1-800-932-TOPS, or write to Brenda D. Hamm, 30 Becks Lane, Stanford, Kentucky 40484.

## Community College Round Table

The office of the Continuing Education/Community Services will host a Community College Round Table every other Tuesday in March and April in the Johnson Building Room 132. Topics will include changes in our world, global warming, and jobs and economic development. For more information, contact Eileen Lewandowski at 886-3863, ext. 404. Free. Everyone is welcome.

## Coal mining seminar

The Big Sandy Coal Mining Institute's 15th Annual Coal Mining Seminar will be held at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park, Prestonsburg, on April 9-10. The seminar will bring together notable individuals in the coal industry and will present timely topics relative to the industry.

## Community awareness program

Ashland Community College will be sponsoring a program on creating community awareness and organ/tissue donation and transplantation on Tuesday, April 7, 1992, from 10-11 a.m. and 7-8 p.m. in the auditorium.

Community experts will be: Jose Rodriguez, M.D.; Reverend Mark D. Walz Sr.; Margaret Webb, RN; Madonna Bryant, RN, CCRN; a local transplant recipient and a local donor family.

The program is open to the public at no charge. This informal gathering will allow audience members to ask questions regarding organ/tissue donation and transplantation, as well as to hear from those directly involved with the program.

For further information, contact Debbie Meehan, RN, MSN, at (606) 327-4494 or Helen Kendrick, RN, MSN, at (606) 833-3101.

## Public announcement

Eugene Akers, a state service officer for the Department of Kentucky, Disabled American Veterans, will be in Prestonsburg at the courthouse (upstairs), from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m., on Saturday, April 4, to assist veterans and their dependents with claims due as a result of military service.

## Holy Week Services

Holy Week Services sponsored by the Floyd County Ministerial Association will present "The Characteristics of Jesus" on Monday-Friday, April 13-17, at noon at the Irene Cole First Baptist Church. Easter Sunrise Services will be at 7 a.m., at the Jenny Wiley Amphitheater (in case of rain it will be held in the convention center). Lunch will be provided each day.

This year's speakers will be Rev. Joe Muench, Rev. Wayne Sparks, Rev. Tim Jessen, Rev. French Harmon, Rev. Wayne Burch, and Rev. Raymond Snider.

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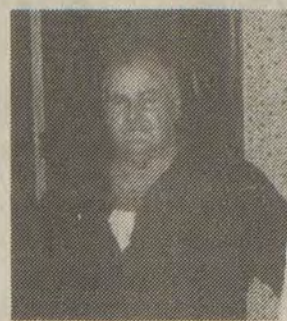
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## Card Of Thanks

The family of Verdie M. Cole wishes to express their deepest appreciation to all who donated their time and energy to help the family during their time of sorrow. For those who sent flowers and donated and prepared food; to the many helping hands at Samaria Regular Baptist Church. Your kindness will always be remembered.

THE FAMILY OF  
VERDIE M. COLE

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The family of Con and Roxie Burchwell would like to extend their appreciation to all those friends, neighbors and loved ones who helped comfort them during their time of sorrow. Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, prayers or spoke comforting words. A special thanks to the ministers for their comforting words, the singers for the beautiful songs, the doctors and nursing staff at the McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital, the McDowell Home Health nurses, to the ladies who cared for them at home, the sheriff's department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

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The family of Winston B. "Mike" McCown would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their help in the loss of our loved one: those who sent food and flowers, or just spoke comforting words. We deeply appreciate you all. A special thanks to Rev. John Adams for his comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

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May God bless every one of you.

THE FAMILY OF  
ESTELL (BUTCH) REED

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The family of Lacy Bailey wishes to thank all those friends, neighbors and family who helped them during their time of sorrow. Thanks to those who sent food, flowers, prayers and words of comfort expressed. A special thanks to the Regular Baptist ministers for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

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The family of Warden Burchett wishes to thank everyone who participated in the passing of our beloved brother. We thank the nursing homes, Mt. Manor and Riverview, for all their kindness and good service. We thank everyone who dropped by, for the kind words and prayers, flowers and food, Brother Vanderpool and Brother Virgil Hunt and Brother John K. Burchett for the beautiful singing. We thank the Sheriff's Department for traffic control and a special thanks to Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home for being so nice to us all.

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**Career awareness**

Participants in a Single Parent/Homemaker Career Awareness workshop gained hands-on experience in job opportunities during a tour at the Carl D. Perkins Comprehensive Rehabilitation Center at Thelma.

**PCC holds Career Awareness Workshop**

Knowing your career choices is the first step in career development. Participants in a Single Parent/Homemaker Career Awareness Workshop recently traveled to the Carl D. Perkins Comprehensive Rehabilitation Center at Thelma to get "hands-on" exposure to staff job opportunities. Pictured here in uniform is Cilista Pelphrey, director of security at the

facility. She entered the work force after her children were grown, and she currently directs a staff of ten.

Hands-on experience was provided in the building maintenance department. Everyone had the opportunity to troubleshoot and repair a household lamp. Other opportunities to get first hand information on job requirements included physical ther-

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A tour of Kentucky Vocation Technical School, Mayo campus, with its variety of training opportunities concluded the workshop.

**Blevins applies**

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**Send in the clowns**

A member of the Prestonsburg Community College faculty performs during the college's annual Faculty Follies.

**PCC faculty follies held**

On February 28, Prestonsburg Community College's Alpa Nu Zeta chapter of Phi Theta Kappa scholastic honorary hosted the PCC Faculty Follies. Linda Smith, president, and Jackie DeRossett, vice-president, served as emcees for the event.

First on the hill were Dr. Alice Adams and Dr. Doug Herman, accompanied by Dr. Robert Perry, in a performance of "A Wasted Evening with Tom Lehrer." A hilarious social commentary couched in a collection of recitations and songs.

Next came psychologist Dr. Bill Loftus in a skit called "Reverse Psychology." In a reverse of a striptease, Dr. Loftus put on clothes to a seductive bump and grind music score.

In a more serious vein, Dr. Robert Perry impressed and entertained the audience with a masterful performance in a jazz piano solo.

To return to comedy, Jay Thomas Whitaker performed his own musical creation called "Sharing of Self." One song detailed events in his life to the refrain of "You were always right and I was always wrong."

Joanne Kendall, from the PCC mathematics department, performed classical music in a piano solo.

"Great psychotics in History," a humorous historical skit, starred historians Dr. Tom Carroll and his wife Kathleen, and psychology instructor, Laurie Ann Drogin.

A highlight of the follies was mathematician Don Brasher's blues piano solo. Dressed in full honky-tonk gear, including a derby hat,

vest, and arm garter, he made the piano cry the blues.

The follies concluded with the Division of Biological Sciences and Related Technology's skit entitled "System rappers." Dressed as various systems in the body, members of the division sang the glories of their particular system to a rap beat.

Though the audience was not as large as usual, all present enjoyed the evening immensely.

**Registration for Preschool program**

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Registration for the 1992-93 program will be, Friday, April 17, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Allen, Betsy Layne, Clark, Prestonsburg, Osborne, and Stumbo Preschools.

For additional information, please contact Mrs. Vivian McGarey, Preschool Coordinator, Floyd County Board of Education, at 886-2354 or the school principal.

**Surprise party**

A surprise birthday party was given for Stella Smith, March 21, on her 82nd birthday.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stumbo, Mary Ellen and Suzanne of Harold; Mr. and Mrs. Keith Stumbo, of Harold; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Smith of West Milton Ohio; Buddy Smith of Martin; Elane Adkins of Pikeville; Kathy Starkey of Hindman; Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Smith and Johnny of Urbana, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Rederich and Kayla of Martin; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Smith of Thealka; Jeff and Becky; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stephens of Martin; Marla Hall of Martin.

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## Predictions precipitate concern about ozone protection



Smithsonian News Service Photo by Jeff Tinsley  
Increased levels of ultraviolet radiation from the sun are the threat posed by destruction of the ozone layer. Dr. David Correll, director of the Smithsonian's Environmental Research Center in Edgewater, Md., is shown on the roof of the center with an instrument that monitors levels of ultraviolet radiation reaching the Earth.

By William G. Schulz  
Smithsonian News Service

Concern about the ozone layer and atmospheric pollution reached an all-time high with the recent prediction by NASA scientists that an ozone hole could appear above North America this spring or summer.

Other scientists at the National Aeronautics and Space Administration and the Smithsonian Institution, however, now say evidence to date does not support this prediction. They urge more research to monitor levels of ultraviolet radiation on Earth and to determine the status of the ozone layer—a thin band of atmosphere that protects Earth from harmful levels of the sun's ultraviolet radiation.

"In fact, ozone is probably not changing that much at most latitudes," says Dr. David L. Correll, a chemist and director of the Smithsonian Environmental Research Center in Edgewater, Md.

"It is legitimate to be concerned about our future," he adds, commenting on the ozone layer and the buildup there of ozone-destroying pollutants. "We are altering the chemistry of the atmosphere."

The concern about a disappearing ozone layer centers on the biological effects from increased ultraviolet radiation. For people, those effects include sunburn, cataracts, skin cancer and perhaps immune system suppression. For agricultural crops, this radiation might interfere with photosynthesis, resulting in lower

crop yields. Phytoplankton, a mainstay of the ocean food chain, can be destroyed by U.V. light, scientists say. At higher elevations, increased levels of U.V. light might be the reason for disappearing populations of frogs and other amphibians.

While Correll and others dismiss apocalyptic scenarios, including the North American ozone hole prediction, they say, the ozone layer—which absorbs incoming U.V. radiation—is being threatened by chemical pollutants in the upper atmosphere. In addition, highly significant changes in ultraviolet radiation have been recorded at ground level. But more accurate assessments are needed, Correll says, including more studies of the ozone layer itself and the U.V. radiation that reaches Earth.

The recent ozone hole prediction, he says, is based in part on data from the Nimbus 7 satellite, operated by NASA since 1978. It is one of four long-term data bases—including a Smithsonian data base—used to assess the Earth's ozone layer.

Each data base takes different measurements and provides different assessments concerning changes in the ozone layer. No single, clear picture of what might be happening to the ozone layer has yet emerged.

Of the data sets used to assess the ozone layer, Correll says, "We're not talking about highly precise measurements, but they're not ballpark figures either." The data sets either measure ozone directly, or make in-

ferences about the ozone layer from readings of ultraviolet light. He cautions against extreme reactions based on any of the results. "They do not warrant doomsday warnings," he says, "nor do they argue for inaction regarding the ozone layer."

Two of Correll's colleagues, William H. Klein and Bernard Goldberg, now retired, initiated the program to monitor U.V. radiation at the Smithsonian Environmental Research Center. "Three solar radiation technicians, Carl O. Clark, Vernon R. Goodrich and Douglass R. Hayes Jr., are responsible for collecting the most spectral U.V. radiation data ever recorded at the Earth's surface," he says.

The instrument they use is called a filter-wheel radiometer, a plain-looking piece of equipment installed on the roof of the center. It measures U.V. light in a range of wavelengths, which is important, Correll explains, because the shortest wavelength radiation is responsible for the greatest biological effects.

The same kind of radiometer, Correll adds, has been used to gather data for the Smithsonian Environmental Research Center at other locations, such as Mauna Loa in Hawaii, the South Pole in Antarctica, the Republic of Panama and Point Barrow, Alaska. Correll and his team are now analyzing data from those locations.

The 15-year data set compiled from the SERC instrument, Correll says, does show highly significant

changes in U.V. radiation reaching that location. Among the results, for example, were significantly higher readings for total daily radiation for the period 1983 to 1989. Other readings for this period also show significant increases in ultraviolet radiation. The changes were largest for short-wavelength radiation, but significant at all wavelengths.

Importantly, Correll says, the changes seen in the highly complex data set include increases as well as decreases in solar radiation. And, the data are relevant only to the center's particular location on Earth. To accurately assess the amounts of U.V. radiation reaching Earth, Correll says, investigators need long-term readings from many more locations and from different elevations. Higher elevations, for example, typically receive more U.V. light.

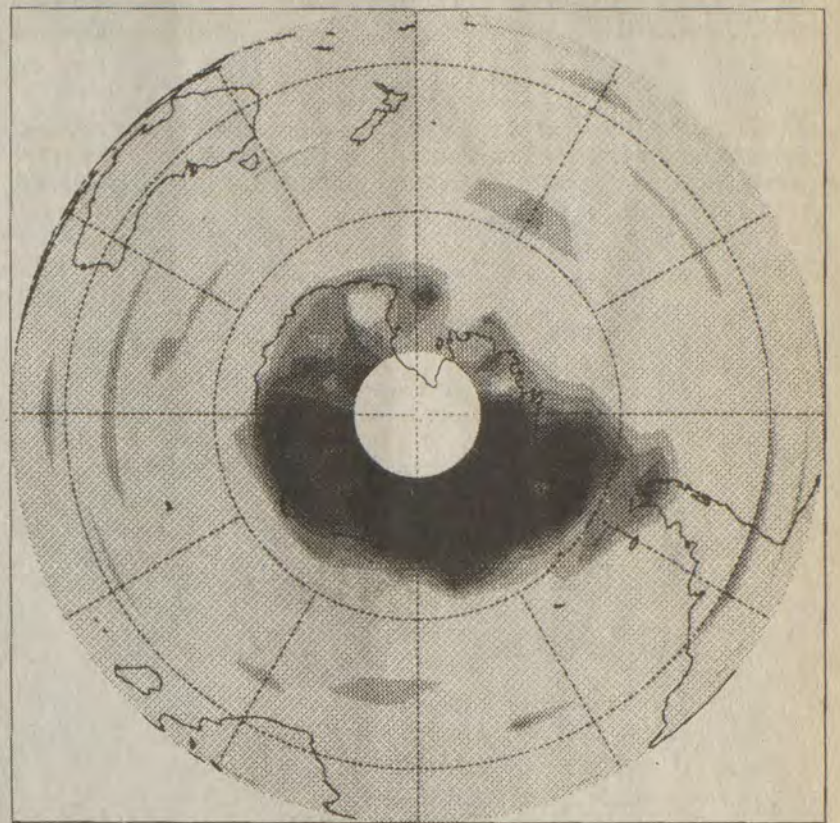
Other data sets used to assess the ozone layer and its effects paint contradictory pictures, Correll says. One shows a very gradual and much smaller decline in the ozone layer over time; another shows a steady decrease in ultraviolet radiation reaching the Earth's surface.

One scientist who has analyzed the satellite data agrees with Correll. An ozone hole over North America, "is extremely unlikely," says Dr. Richard Stolarski, a research scientist at NASA's Goddard Space Flight Center in Greenbelt, Md. Concern is warranted, he says, but recent predictions were not placed in the proper context.

Along with the satellite data, he explains, evidence gathered by a high-altitude research plane showed upper-atmosphere conditions similar to those above Antarctica where an ozone hole does exist. Air samples collected on the high-altitude flights above the Arctic contained unprecedented levels of chlorine monoxide—an atmospheric pollutant and chief destroyer of ozone. The NASA scientists also found the chemical at a latitude roughly equivalent with the border of the United States and Canada.

However, for chlorine to destroy ozone in the Arctic region, Stolarski and others say, the winter air mass must stay relatively intact until sunlight returns in the spring. In addition, temperatures must be cold enough for ice clouds to form in the stratosphere and concentrate the chlorine. When sunlight returns in the spring, the concentrated chlorine would become a catalyst for massive destruction of ozone molecules. This is what happens each year above Antarctica.

No one has a crystal ball, but Correll and others say that it is unlikely for the polar air mass to remain



Smithsonian News Service Illustration courtesy of the national Aeronautics and Space Administration  
A hole in the ozone layer above Antarctica has called attention to the threat of ozone depletion. In the illustration of the atmosphere above Antarctica, concentrations of chlorine monoxide—the chemical culprit in the destruction of ozone—are revealed by the shaded dark areas.

intact until sunlight returns to the Arctic each spring. Moreover, Correll and others question whether temperatures in the Arctic actually plunge low enough to form significant numbers of ice clouds in the stratosphere.

Thanks to news coverage of the predicted ozone hole above North America, concerns about atmospheric pollution have also reached high places. The White House, for example, announced an immediate policy change regarding the United States' industrial use of chlorofluorocarbons. Those chemicals, widely used as refrigerants, give rise to ozone-destroying chlorine in the upper atmosphere. Banned outright in many nations, their use in this country will be phased out by the end of 1995.

Still, "I am not optimistic that ozone depletion will be turned around," says Dr. Sherwood Rowland, a professor of chemistry at the University of California in Irvine. Rowland discovered the ozone-destroying properties of CFCs in the 1970s.

"I think we can put a lid on it by 1995," he continues, "but CFCs will reach their maximum concentration

by the year 2000 and the [Antarctic] ozone hole will probably last over the 21st century."

The Antarctic ozone hole fuels many of the recent concerns over what can happen if pollution with ozone-depleting chemicals continues. A team of scientists reported a 6 to 12 percent decline in phytoplankton in Antarctic waters, for example. The decline was directly linked to springtime thinning of the ozone layer and increases in the amount of U.V. radiation penetrating the ocean's surface.

To gain better understanding, new research projects on ultraviolet radiation and the ozone layer are planned or underway. Correll and his team, for instance, have designed a new radiometer for long-term monitoring at several locations on Earth. A new satellite, the Upper Atmospheric Research Satellite, was launched by NASA last autumn and, Stolarski says, high-altitude flights with revamped spy planes will continue to monitor the chemistry of the upper atmosphere.

As with all research on the Earth's upper atmosphere, the Smithsonian's Correll says, "there are still a lot of riddles—a lot of unknowns."

## No real progress if we destroy our state's environment

Must we be willing to sacrifice environmental protection if we want our economy to grow? Are business and industry the enemies of clean air and water? Can we, in the United States and in Kentucky, build a way of life that will preserve and not diminish the carrying capacity of our planet?

These and related questions formed the subject of a panel discussion at the November 1991 Roundtable on environmental issues. The Roundtable is an educational activity of Shakertown at Pleasant Hill. Wilson Wyatt, the Louisville attorney and former lieutenant governor, chaired the conference. Participants included some 80 leaders in business, government, and education and Kentucky citizens who are advocates for the environment. W.T. Young, Lexington business leader and philanthropist, is chairman of the Shakertown Board of Trustees.

Describing Kentucky as a place of intimate and fragile beauty, panel moderator David Hawpe, editor of The Courier-Journal, observed that this fragility is threatened at times by the industries that sustain us economically, such as coal. In addition, he said, development threatens Kentucky's lakes, landfills "leach trouble into the waters that lie below them," and places lacking landfills suffer from trash and garbage spilled down slopes.

The state's problems aren't all rural, Hawpe said. The air above Louisville's

new suburban downtown is choked with the fumes of cars not planned for, and the pressures of development are pounding away at the edges of cities and small towns across the state.

The question of environmental protection vs. development was further explored by Charles Kupchella, dean of the Ogden College of Science, Technology and Health at Western Kentucky University. The important fact, said Kupchella, is that there cannot be any real progress if the environment is destroyed or compromised in the process.

Kupchella raised several questions: How can we reform both Kentucky's and the national governments so that they serve the long-term (versus the present short-term) well-being of their people? How can we teach all Kentuckians that the environment is something other than a place to throw things away? How can we build this concern for the environment into our educational system?

Specifically, said Kupchella, environmental issues have to do with air, water, land use and energy, and with the role of government in relation to the use of our resources. In agreement that environmental education must be stepped up, state Rep. Mark S. Brown pointed to a significant 1991 achievement of state government—the adoption of Senate Bill 2, a comprehensive package of solid-waste management that calls for a reduction

by 1997 of 25 percent of solid waste going into Kentucky landfills.

In implementing some of the provisions, Brown said, some local offi-

cially unfortunately seem to be discouraging public participation. This calls for a new look by the Legislature. And since the national Clean Air



### SHAKERTOWN ROUNDTABLE



#### Destruction is not progress

In a panel discussion moderated by David Hawpe, editor of The Courier-Journal (second from left), were Ken Oilschlager, president of the Kentucky Chamber of Commerce, Mike Musulin, president of the Kentucky Coal Association and Dr. Charles Kupchella of Western Kentucky University.

Act of 1990 is going to affect nearly every business in Kentucky, the lawmakers will have to concern themselves with making the necessary technical assistance available to business and industry.

Describing the activists-vs.-industry situation as an overriding issue, Brown declared that the Legislature wants to move toward a "cooperative effort" in which the groups sit down together and solve problems instead of assuming adversarial positions. Kentucky Chamber of Commerce President Ken Oilschlager endorsed the idea, but, he said, some businesses in the state feel that the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet is hostile to them. The members of the Chamber of Commerce are committed to protecting our environmental resources but they also wish to preserve jobs and the standard of living. Regulations should be "fair and positive," he said.

Speaking as president of the Kentucky Coal Association, Mike Musulin emphasized the importance of his industry to the state's economy. If, as had been threatened, TVA had decided to switch from Kentucky to Wyoming coal, the move would have been devastating. As it is, no one knows just how the provisions of the national Clean Air Act of 1990 will affect Kentucky. But already our competitive position is slipping, Musulin said, with a consequent loss

in revenue for the state's general fund. Overall, in the environmental realm, Musulin asserted, perception becomes reality. Thus the so-called threat of global warming and the misconceptions concerning acid rain threaten balanced, rational decision making.

Since the Kentucky Resources Council keeps a close eye on the implementation of environmental programs in the state, its director, Thomas FitzGerald, surprised nobody by attacking the minimalist view that too much environmental quality, too clean water and air, is bad for business.

An emerging contrary view, said FitzGerald, a Frankfort attorney, is that we will have to rethink the way we consume, manage and certainly the way we dispose of natural resources. Which view will win? That depends on whether the broad public discontent with government leads only to cynicism and resignation or to a renewed demand for reform in areas such as campaign finance, which are inextricably linked to environmental policy making, and whether we can create a new model for decision making that does a better job of balancing short and long-term needs.

In addition, FitzGerald said, environmental protection is far too important to be left to the experts—especially those far from the local communities that must live with the results of their decisions.





**90th birthday**

Chloe Caudill Howell of Marysville, Ohio, formerly of Frasure's Creek, Floyd County, celebrated her 90th birthday Saturday, March 21, with her family. In attendance were her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and friends.

**Doctors Day observed at HRMC**

The 150th anniversary of Doctors Day was celebrated on March 30. Historically, this day was chosen to mark the first use of anesthesia for surgery by Crawford W. Long, M.D., in Jefferson, Georgia on March 30, 1842.

In the mid 1800's little surgery was done because of the unpredictable effects of Opium and wine preparations used for pain control. However, Dr. Long believed surgery could be performed without pain. He experimented with a sulfuric ether mixture and successfully anesthetized a patient to remove a neck tumor. The patient would later state that he felt nothing and did not realize that the operation had been completed until he awoke.

Dr. Long's ability to take away the pain of surgery made him notorious in his rural home county, where the uneducated populace felt that the natural order of things included the inevitability of pain during surgery and that anyone who could take pain away was behaving unnaturally. Fear of losing patients probably kept Dr. Long from doing more operations. Over the next two years, Dr. Long performed only six operations using ether. However, when a notable physician in Boston discovered the same use for ether, great recognition and applause was given to him although Dr. Long had discovered the same use for ether several years prior. With Boston being a busy port city, news of the use of ether for anesthesia reached Europe in six weeks and spread throughout the world within a year.

Back in rural Georgia, Dr. Long continued to receive little recogni-

tion for his discovery, in comparison to the publicity given to the Boston event.

However, the Auxiliary of the Vale County, Georgia, Medical Society lead an effort to establish Doctors Day and bring visible recognition to Dr. Long for his achievements. In 1935 the Southern Medical Association first celebrated Doctors Day in Dr. Long's memory. In 1958, Doctors Day became a recognized national observance when the U.S. Congress passed a resolution establishing Doctors Day on March 30th.

At Highlands Regional Medical Center, Doctors Day is celebrated each year to recognize the contributions of the dedicated efforts of Highlands Medical staff to provide quality care to the patients they serve. Physicians work to diagnose illnesses, relieve pain and provide long term care for their patients. Highlands Medical staff includes numerous highly qualified family practitioners, surgeons, and specialists who treat defined areas of medical need. Physicians spend countless hours in the hospital assessing their hospitalized patients, and in their offices delivering outpatient care. Their education is unending with all physicians being required to complete a certain number of hours of continuing medical education each year, learning new procedures or just keeping abreast of the latest techniques of medical care.

Highlands salutes these dedicated men and women for their commitment to medical excellence, to alleviating human suffering and to improving the quality of life by providing the best in high quality health

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Although many advancements have evolved since Dr. Long's historic operation, none have replaced the physician as the dedicated individual who cares for the patient.

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**On The Home Front** Susan Baker

**My New Recipe Calls for an Ounce of Prevention**

I do not perform well in emergencies. It's not that I don't anticipate the worst. I do. But hard as I try to be prepared, I never seem to know what to do at the last minute.

Not long ago, my mother was visiting me. We decided to bake a cake. When I turned on the oven to pre-heat it, a tiny spark ignited on the coil and began to travel its length. We watched open-mouthed.

"What should we do?" I asked as the small flame made its way along the coil. "Get the fire extinguisher!" cried Mother.

This was one emergency I wasn't prepared for. We did not own a fire extinguisher.

"Then call the fire department!"

I hesitated. After all, it was just a tiny flame. The thought of fire trucks screaming through our quiet neighborhood, screeching to a halt in front of our house, gave me pause.



On the other hand, I wondered what the tiny flame would do when it got to the end of the coil. Would it go out? Explode? Set the whole kitchen ablaze?

I picked up the telephone and dialed 911. "I think we might have a little tiny fire here," I told the voice at the other end. The flame proceeded around the coil. I gave the man my address and tried to explain the situation.

"Do you think it will just go out?" I asked him.

He let out a small sigh. "Do you want us to send someone or not?"

"Well, if you could just hang on a minute, I could tell you what happens," I suggested.

"We're sending a truck," he said. My heart raced at the urgency in his voice. And then the tiny flame reached the end of the coil and disappeared.

"It's gone!" said Mother.

"It's gone!" I told the 911 man.

The next day I purchased a fire extinguisher. I got to try it out a few days later.

The neighbors were over for dinner. We were sitting around the patio table, watching the kids play and enjoying some unseasonably warm weather.

Suddenly, an awful clanging noise jolted us. I rushed to the back door, wondering what was causing the racket. It was the smoke alarm.

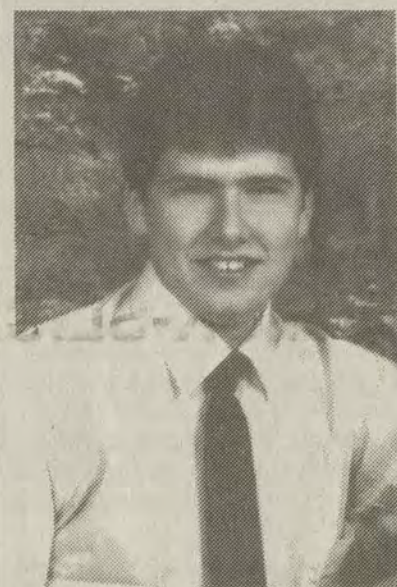
Smoke was pouring from the oven. Fully prepared, I grabbed the fire extinguisher, aimed and fired. When the smoke cleared, I found charred garlic bread, covered with the white gunk from the fire extinguisher.

"You could have just taken it out of the oven," remarked my husband. "It wasn't on fire."

Okay, so I overreacted. But since garlic bread was all I lost for my newly found fire precautions, I'm counting my blessings. And I'm cooking with a lot more confidence. ■

Susan Baker is a writer who lives in Kentucky with her husband and daughters.  
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**Working toward Master's Degree**



**TOMMY CRAFT**

Tommy Craft of Lackey and Verda Craft of Garrett, announce that their son, Tommy Ray Craft, graduated from Eastern Kentucky University on December 14 with a Bachelor of Arts degree.

He completed his requirements with a double major in German and English with the option of secondary teaching. He also was a member of Sigma Tau Delta and served as the treasurer of the German Club for two years.

Currently, he is enrolled in the ECU Graduate School where he is working on a Master of Arts degree in English. He hopes to receive a teaching position for the coming school year.

**Beauty pageant**  
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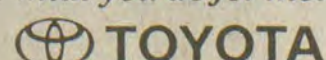
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## Record number attends elder abuse workshop

Big Sandy Area Development and Our Lady of the Way Hospital hosted an Elder Abuse Workshop, Wednesday, March 18, at Jenny Wiley State Park in Prestonsburg.

There were a record 72 people in attendance at this free workshop which focused on the identification and solutions to abuse of the elderly.

The speakers at the workshop were Gary Hammonds, BS, BSW, State LTC Ombudsman who spoke on the state's role in abuse and Mary Fox, MD at Pike County Health Depart-

ment who spoke on the different types of abuse of the elderly, also Fonetta Elam, BSW, Mountain Comprehensive Care Center, addressed the Mental Health of the Elderly and Phyllis Culp, RN, BSW, Unit Manager for Geriatric Psychiatry, St. Joseph's Hospital, Lexington, spoke on Dealing with Combative Behavior of the Elderly.

The workshop was made possible in part by federal funds available through the Older Americans Act specified for elder abuse awareness and prevention.



**Workshop**

An Elder Abuse Workshop was held Wednesday, March 18, at Jenny Wiley State Park.

### Educating new judges:

## Decision making and domestic violence are at top of list!

District Judge Danny P. Caudill, representing the 31st judicial district, which includes Floyd County, was one of 22 judges in attendance during the orientation program held at Barren River State Park, March 22-26, 1992.

Topics addressed during the session included: judicial decision making process, judicial fairness, small claims and forcible detainers, domestic violence, criminal law, mental health, juvenile matters, paternity, guardianship, sentencing and driving under the influence.

San Bernadino, California, Superior Court Justice John W. Kennedy, Jr. joined numerous Kentucky district judges as faculty and group facilitators.

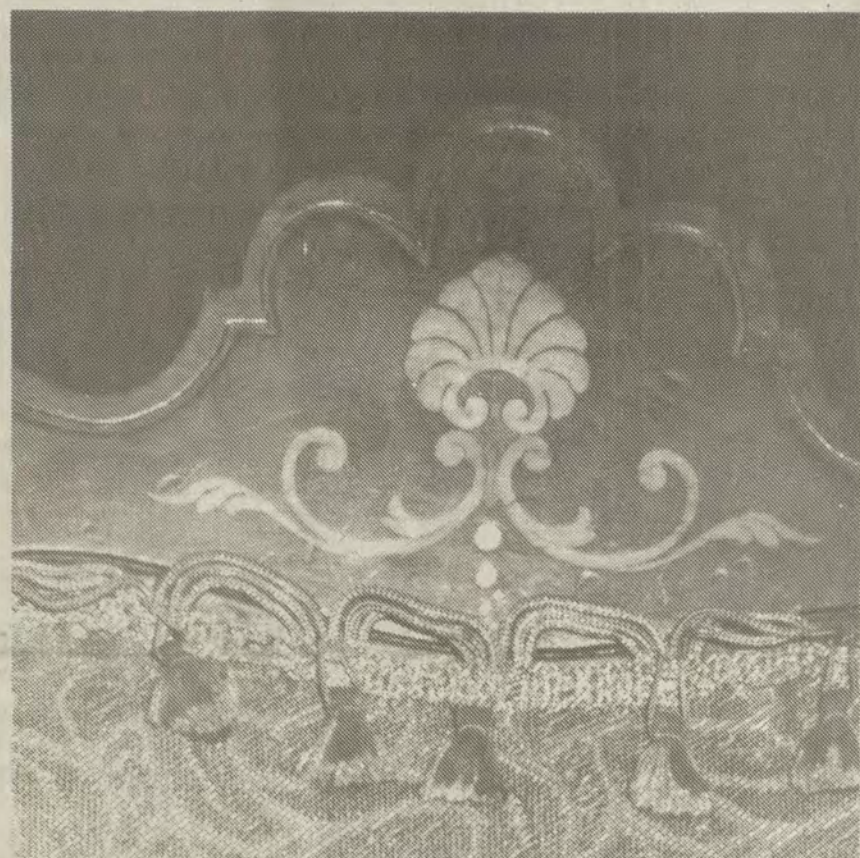
The orientation, which is one of several programs judges may attend to fulfill their continuing education requirements, was sponsored by the Kentucky Court of Justice and conducted by the Administrative Office of the Courts' Education Services, with program curriculum designed by the District Judges' Association Education Committee.

Look for the winner and correct answers in next Wednesday's paper.

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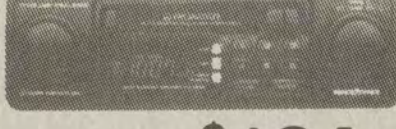
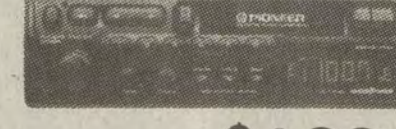
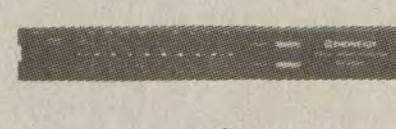
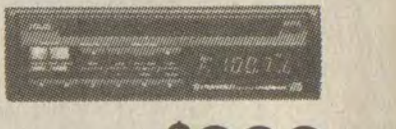
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**New officers**

Pictured in the front row, from left, Heather Sturgill and Terry Whitten. Second row, from left, Jerry Williams and Robert Barker.

The Eastern Kentucky Council of Teachers of Mathematics will hold its fourth annual Spring Conference Thursday, April 16, at the Wilkinson-Stumbo Conference Center at Jenny Wiley State Resort.

Sessions for the conference should be excellent based on the backgrounds and abilities of the speakers. Session speakers are Ms. Jo Ann Mosier, Ms. Linda Mahanna, Dr. Alan Zollman, Dr. Don Ryoti and Ms. Ann Booth.

Mosier, mathematics consultant with the Office of Assessment and Accountability for the Kentucky Department of Education, will be the after dinner speaker and will also be the speaker for sessions 9-12. Ms. Mosier has had extensive teaching experience and has been involved in several innovative curriculum development and teaching strategies projects. She has also been involved in teacher training programs geared to more effectively address the needs of "at risk" math students and to increase the mathematical power of all students.

K-4 sessions speaker will be Ms. Linda Mahanna, who teaches in a k-4 primary setting at Hager Elementary of the Ashland Independent School system. This is a pilot program for the state and Ms. Mahanna

is involved in the math specialists program through the University of Kentucky which is funded by the National Science Foundation. She is currently serving on the state Curriculum and Development Committee and last year was on the Social Studies Task Force for School Performance Standards.

Speaking at the 5-8 sessions will be Dr. Alan Zollman, an assistant professor of Curriculum and Instruction in the College of Education at the University of Kentucky. Zollman teaches undergraduate and graduate mathematics methodology courses for the primary, middle and secondary education programs. He has numerous publications to his credit and has presented in excess of 100 papers, inservices and keynote addresses.

College sessions speakers will be Dr. Don Ryoti and Ms. Ann Booth. Dr. Ryoti is a college mathematics teacher at Eastern Kentucky University with current interest in the courses for prospective middle school mathematics teachers. Ms. Booth is a high school mathematics teacher who is on leave from Lincoln County High School to teach precalculus on KET Star Channel.

Fee for the conference will be as follows: \$10 for teachers (\$2 of this amount will be for 1992-93 membership dues); \$8 for full time students; fees for administrators have been waived. The executive committee is strongly encouraging administrators to attend this conference.

Cost for dinner is included in the registration fee. Registration should be completed by Friday, April 3. Registration forms can be obtained from EKCTM members or by contacting Professor John D. Sammons at Prestonsburg Community College at (606) 886-3863.

Conference check-in will begin at 3:30 p.m. in the conference center foyer and the first session will start at 4 p.m. Dinner will be served at the conference center.

## Community college forms student nurse association

A new organization was formed at PCC last semester: the PCC Association of Nursing Students which is a local chapter of the Kentucky Association of Nursing Students (KANS). During the first semester, the organization elected officers. They are as follows: Terry Whitten, president; Heather Sturgill, vice-president; Jerry Williams, secretary; and Robert

Barker, treasurer. The faculty advisors are Connie Wright, Karen Martin, Melody Trimble, Lynn Weddle, and the nursing program co-ordinators, Jenny Bottoriss and Clara Garrett.

This organization enhances and promotes the development of professional activities and allows input from nursing students across the state to influence the future direction of nursing.

Benefits of joining KANS are abundant: scholarships, reduced rates on state board reviews, magazines, and much more. Membership is open to all pre-nursing and nursing students.

During the past year the PCC ANS has had several fund raising activities, participated in two local health fairs and attended conventions at the student and professional level.

### Development club

The Middle Creek Community Development Club will meet Monday, April 6, at 7 p.m., at the Middle Creek Fire Department building. The president urges all residents on Mountain Parkway to attend. There have been some new developments in the Parkway Water Project. If you are interested in getting water, you need to be at this meeting. For more information, call 886-1381.

## Space flight speaker at PCC

Laura Weddle, coordinator of Faculty/Staff Development at PCC, recently announced two programs which may be of interest to students and faculty of area schools. They will be presented at 3:30 on Monday, April 13, and Tuesday, April 28.

On Monday, April 13, Tim Kelley, Senior Project Engineer, Marshall Space Flight Center, Huntsville, Alabama, will present "an overview of a Space Shuttle mission". Mr.

Kelley has been directly involved in the design of the Space Shuttle and Space Shuttle flights. This presentation will take place in J 132.

On Tuesday, April 21, 1992, Carolyn Keiffer, Ph.D. candidate at Ohio University, will present "The Tropical Biodiversity of Costa Rica". This presentation will include slides from Ms. Keiffer's work at the organization of Tropical Studies and will be held in P102, the Pike auditorium.

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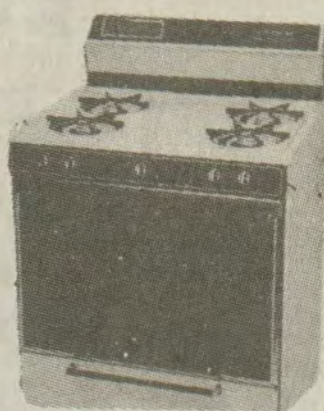
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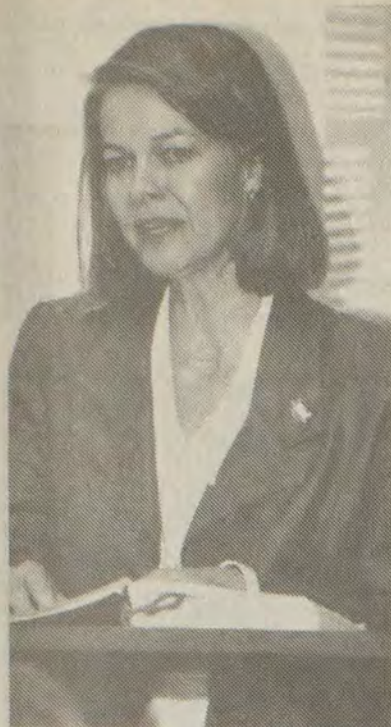


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# Child Find program initiated

The local school districts will initiate a "Child Find" effort during the month of April for the purpose of identifying and locating any child with disabilities, from birth through 21, who are not attending school. This includes children who may be mentally handicapped, hard of hearing, deaf, speech impaired, visually impaired, seriously emotionally disturbed, physically handicapped, deaf/blind, multi-handicapped, learning disabled, autistic or traumatic brain injured and needing special education and/or related services.

Identification data and screening information will be collected on the children referred. This would include the name and age of the child, the location of the child and/or parents and the possible handicap. This in-

formation will be collected by phone and/or referrals from individuals in public and private agencies as well as the general public. All information collected will be used to determine if a child is in need of special education services and/or for the purpose of planning an individualized educational program.

All personally identifiable information collected and maintained in this "Child Find" activity will be confidential and subject to the district's policies of procedures concerning the review, amendment, hearings, disclosures and destruction of educational records which were developed in accordance with the Family Rights and Privacy Act and the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act. Referrals may be made to the following contact per-

sons: Carol Sturgill, Johnson County Schools, at 789-2530, Debbie Preston, Paintsville Independent Schools, at 789-2651, Vivian McGary, Floyd County Schools, at 886-2354, Valerie Patrick, Magoffin County Schools, at 349-5190, Ruth Bevins, Pike County Schools, at 432-3111, Janice Childers, Pikeville Independent Schools, at 432-4196, and Verna Cole, Big Sandy Head Start, at 789-1600.

Parents shall have the right to inspect and review any personally identifiable information collected or maintained on their child. Requests to view these records should be addressed to the respective superintendent.

Lois Weinberg was the keynote commencement speaker at the David School's winter graduation ceremonies. Mrs. Weinberg has been recognized as an outstanding educational leader in the state of Kentucky. Currently she chairs the Prichard Committee and is Director of the Hindman School, a school for students with dyslexic characteristics. Mrs. Weinberg's speech was well received by the "standing room only" crowd. Fifteen students were honored with their degrees.



AMY CARTER

The United States Achievement Academy announced recently that Amy Carter has been named a United States National Award winner in Science. Carter, who attends McDowell High School was nominated for this award by Joan Caldwell, Science, Biology teacher at the school. She will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published nationally and is the daughter of Fred and Cheryl Carter. Her grandparents are Sterilon and Shirley Gayheart of McDowell, and the late Curt Carter and Jenny Carter.

# Big Sandy to receive weatherization funding

Counties in the Big Sandy area will receive their share of almost \$8.9 million in state and federal funds to weatherproof residences of low-income citizens.

Under the 1992-93 Weatherization Program, the Kentucky Department for Social Insurance will provide a Weatherization grant of \$593,949 to the Big Sandy Area Community Action Agency in Paintsville. Counties benefiting from the grant include Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Pike counties.

Priority is given to families who use the greatest percentage of their income to pay heating and cooling bills, said Mike Robinson, Social Insurance commissioner.

"The long-term savings in heating and cooling expenses mean low-income families will have more money for other necessities such as food and clothing," said Robinson.

Examples of work performed on homes include weatherstripping around doors and windows, reglazing windows, adding insulation and caulking.

"The condition of each home de-

termines what work and how much work will be done. We will spend an average of \$1,600 on each residence, so about 5,464 homes will be weatherproofed this year," Robinson estimated.

Funding for this year's program includes \$3,221,500 from the United States Department of Energy; \$2,356,775 from the Home Energy Assistance Program and \$3,292,600 from the Energy Assistance Trust Fund, created when the state received court-ordered rebates from the petroleum industry.

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# Pike College Phonathon off to great start

Volunteers from the local and regional media and the Pikeville Rotary Club raised \$20,000 for Pikeville College during the first two nights of the Pikeville College Phonathon, Monday and Tuesday.

"The Phonathon is off to a great start," said Phonathon chairperson Gerri Kinder. "People realize how important Pikeville College is to this community, and they are showing their appreciation through donations to the Phonathon."

The volunteers called 435 potential donors on Monday and 381 on Tuesday.

The Phonathon will continue through Thursday, April 2, Kinder said. "We are expecting a good response throughout the two-week campaign," she said.

If you are not called, but would like to contribute to Pikeville College, contact the Office of External Affairs, Pikeville College, Pikeville, Ky. 41501, or call (606) 432-9326.

### Garden Club

Those who are interested in organizing a garden club for Prestonsburg should attend a meeting Saturday, April 4, around noon at the Prestonsburg Tourism building. For more information, call Ann McGuire at 886-0008.



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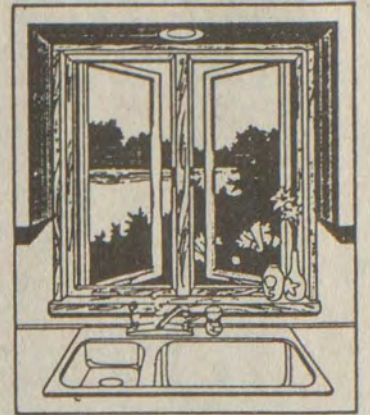
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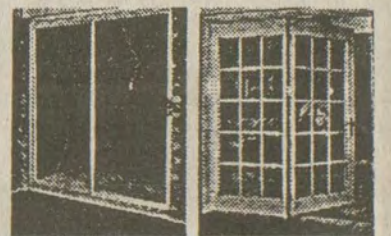


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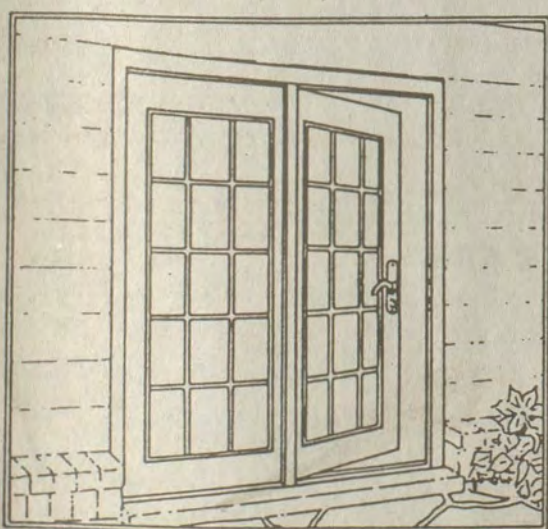
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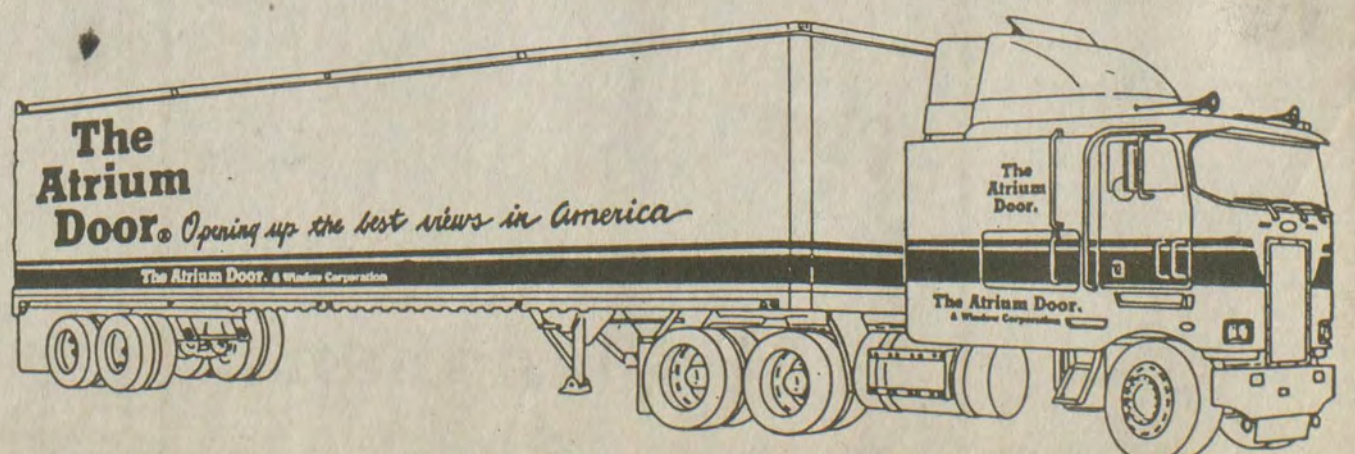
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**A Look At Sports**  
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**WHY WASN'T LAETTNER EJECTED?**

I suppose that UK fans will play over and over again the finals of the East Regional NCAA basketball tournament. Many have their views as coaches as to how they would have played the last 2.1 seconds. Had UK won, then no one would have worried about the outcome.

During the timeout, with UK on top 103-102, I told Nancy as we sat watching the game that UK would find some way to lose the game even with just 2.1 seconds remaining. But all the time to myself I knew that coach Rick Pitino, during the timeout, had set up a game winning defensive play. Surely someone will front Laettner and not let him have the final shot. "Gee, I sure hope no one would foul him," I thought. When the final play unfolded, I didn't see anyone guarding the in-bounds pass. Then I followed the flight of the basketball on a straight path into the hands of a waiting Laettner. My prediction came back to my mind. Then I saw the Duke All-American turn, jump, shoot and the ball going through the net as time expired and I expired with it. I just couldn't believe that the season was over.

In assessing the game I couldn't help but go back to the technical foul called on Laettner for intentionally "stomping" his foot into a downed Timberlake. I was at the Tennessee/Kentucky game when Sean Woods was ejected for a lot less than what Laettner did. Again, in the SEC tournament, Shaquille O'Neil was ejected for just swinging an elbow in defense of himself, yet he was ejected and suspended.

Laettner deserved no less of a penalty. But being an all American has its advantages and I am sure that the officials were very careful not to entertain such an idea.

But the game is history, Cawood is through, and life goes on even after Kentucky basketball. I can handle it. I can go on with my life. Boy, I wish they had went on to the final four. Now, what will I do? No more Kentucky basketball this year. WHAT NOW!

When will it stop raining so we can play some baseball?

**SPEAKING OF BASEBALL**

Had a chance to catch the Reds on the tube Sunday night and again Monday night. They certainly looked like a different team. Called to order tickets and you might as well forget about getting any blue seats.

The Reds are being picked to finish first in their division by several polls. I certainly like what I have seen thus far. Good pitching, Sunday night Tim Belcher looked very impressive as did Greg Swindell on Monday night. Should be a great year for the Reds.

**JUNIOR PRO — BACKBONE TO COUNTY BASKETBALL**

The junior basketball program in the county is no doubt one of the programs that has helped us build good grade school and high school basketball teams. They have contributed so much to our high school teams.

But, at the same time, I see the programs becoming weaker than what they have been in the past. I certainly would like to see the programs kept alive and healthy because of its importance to athletics in the county.

Every parent, basketball coach and anyone else interested in the program should do everything possible to keep the programs in the county intact.

Another program making a big move in the area is AAU basketball. Some say the AAU program is better than junior pro in that it affords teams more of an opportunity to play in other towns.

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**Bevins injured...**

**Floyd County All-Stars capture East Regional over Madison County, 58-52**

Madison County played a tight pressure defense against the Floyd County Varsity All-Stars that gave them problems and the local squad struggled at the free throw line in the finals of the boy's East Regional Junior Pro Varsity basketball tournament at Richmond Sunday afternoon.

Thomas Jenkins came on in the fourth quarter to lead a Floyd County rally that netted a 58-52 win over Madison County and the championship of the East Regional. Jenkins led Floyd County with 12 points but scored seven in the final period.

It was the second meeting between

the two teams in the double elimination tournament. Floyd County also won the first meeting.

Floyd seemed to have things going much their own way until the third period when Madison County scored the last four points to pull within one point of the coach Bill Gearheart's team. Chad Eades hit two free throws and following a turnover, Chris Minter nailed a jumper from the corner ahead of the buzzer to make it a 43-42 game.

Floyd County led 39-31 earlier in the quarter only to see Madison County score the next five points to make it a 39-36 game.

After Kevin Robinson missed the front of a one-and-one shot, Jenkins grabbed the rebound for a basket and a three-point lead for the local all-stars. Raymont Walker kept the margin at one point, 45-44, with a jumper in the lane. Jenkins hit one of two from the charity stripe and Walker's jumper from the left side tied the game at 46-46.

Corey Patton's one-of-two free throws gave Floyd County the lead back at 47-46, but Madison County's press caused Floyd County all kinds of problems and the Tigers took their first lead at 48-47 on a basket underneath by Jerrod Rigney. It was the only lead Madison County would hold as the score was tied at 49-49 and then Jenkins' jumper from the side gave Floyd County the lead for good at 51-49. Patton's three-point play extended the lead to five, 54-49, before Robinson's driving layup made it a seven point game.

Walker broke the drought for Madison County with a free throw but Patton's basket underneath with 34 seconds left gave Floyd a 58-50 lead. Robinson went to the free throw line twice and missed both times leaving him only two for ten from the charity stripe which is uncharacteristic of him.

Regan Taylor hit a jumper to close out the scoring.

Floyd County looked sharp in the opening minutes of the game as they raced out to a 8-2 lead, handling the press of Madison County rather well. Beau Tackett gave the local team a 2-0 lead until Rigney tied it 2-2. Back-to-back baskets by Jason Bevins made it a 6-2 game and Patton's rebound bucket made it 8-2.

Bevins went down hard in the first quarter and had to leave the game with a badly sprained left ankle. He did not return and it is not known if he will be able to compete in the state tournament this weekend.

Madison County pulled to within one point, 11-10, on six unanswered points. Field goals by Patton and Tackett made it 15-10 before Walker's basket at the horn. Floyd County led 15-12 at the first stop.

Adam Coleman was the spark that Floyd needed in the second period. Coleman scored five points in the

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**East Regional Championship  
FLOYD COUNTY (58)**

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Tackett	2	2-0	4
Bevins	2	0-0	4
Patton	4	3-2	10
Merion	1	2-1	3
Robinson	4	10-2	10
Coleman	3	4-3	9
Jenkins	5	5-2	12
Dingus	1	2-2	4
Jarrell	1	0-0	2

**MADISON COUNTY (52)**

players	fg	fta-m	tp
Rigney	4	0-0	8
Davis	3	2-0	6
Walker	7	5-2	16
Minter	1	3-1	3
Eades	2	6-5	9
Harris	0	2-2	2
Taylor	1	0-0	2

FLOYD.....15 17 11 15 - 58  
MADISON.....12 11 19 10 - 52

(See Floyd County, B 3)



**Bevins lays in two!**

Jason Bevins (33) of the Floyd County All-Stars lays in two points over Madison County's Brian Davis in the championship game of the varsity Eastern Regionals Sunday afternoon in Richmond. Bevins had to leave the game with a sprained ankle in the second quarter. (photo by Ed Taylor)

**East Regional no problem :**

**Prestonsburg Junior Varsity wins 60-28 over Middlesboro**

"We could have won by more if we had wanted to," said Dickie Jarvis assistant coach on the Prestonsburg Black junior varsity squad. Jarvis made the remark after coach Wilburn Samons' Prestonsburg Black team met Middlesboro in the championship game of the East Regional Junior Varsity Open tournament in Richmond. Jarvis had the right to say what he did because the Black team posted a convincing 60-28 win over Middlesboro to win the championship game.

The black team had won earlier over Middlesboro by 32 points in the double elimination tournament.

Prestonsburg used a tight man-to-man defense that caused Middlesboro all kinds of problems in handling the basketball. Junior pro rules prohibit a team from pressing full court.

Good sharp passes and some good team play was the main ingredient on this team that is very unselfish. Hitting the open man is how the Prestonsburg team has been coached. That is indicated by looking at the scoring column for Prestonsburg where everyone who played scored. Wes Samons led all scorers with 12 points but he was closely followed by Shawn Ousley with 11. Ousley played

one of his best games for Prestonsburg as he had several rebounds as well as six blocked shots. Neil Hamilton

played a strong game for the winners and finished with eight points. John Ortega and Andy Jarvis each netted

six points while Billy Mitchell added five. Brian Fitzpatrick scored four for the winners while Kyle Conley,

Joe Stephens and Joe Campbell each scored two points.

This is a balanced junior pro basketball team. When a new five play-

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**MIDDLESBORO (28)**

players	fg	fta-m	tp
Barton	1	2-1	3
Bingham	1	0-0	2
Bruner	2	0-0	4
Byrne	3	0-0	6
Cook	2	0-0	4
Phipps	3	1-1	7
Wilson	1	0-0	2

**PRESTONSBURG (60)**

players	fg	fta-m	tp
Samons	6	0-0	12
Mitchell	2	2-1	5
Conley	1	0-0	2
Ousley	5	2-1	11
Ortega	3	0-0	6
Campbell	1	0-0	2
Jarvis	3	0-0	6
Hamilton	3	2-2	8
Stephens	1	0-0	2
Fitzpatrick	2	2-0	4

M'BORO.....5 2 9 12 - 28  
PBURG.....16 20 13 9 - 60

(See Prestonsburg, B 4)



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**Overview..**

**Floyd County, Prestonsburg, Martin All-Stars to make trip to state**

The Kentucky State Boys Junior Varsity and Varsity basketball tournament will get underway this Friday night in Bowling Green with ten varsity and ten junior varsity teams gathering at two different sites to determine the winners of this year's junior pro tournament.

Floyd County will have three teams in the annual classic. In the varsity division, the Floyd County

All-Stars will play at the Bowling Green Junior High main gym. Floyd County teams were winners of the Eastern Regionals held this past weekend at Richmond. Coach Bill Gearheart's ballclub will play the winner of the Middlesboro/Madisonville game. Floyd defeated the Middlesboro team in the semifinals of the Eastern Regional tournament. Middlesboro comes into the tournament

as a number three seed while Madisonville is seeded fourth out of the west.

Absent from the varsity tournament will be the Mary Todd varsity squad that has dominated the tournament in past years.

The varsity tournament continues all day Saturday and the winner will be crowned Sunday at approximately 3:30 p.m. The championship game of

the varsity tournament will be held at the E.A. Diddle Arena on the campus of Western Kentucky University.

In the Junior Varsity division, the Prestonsburg Black squad of Wilburn Samons will try and keep their winning ways going as they face the winner of the Martin/Madisonville winner at 10 p.m. Friday night. Martin placed third in the recent regional tournament at Richmond and will

open the tournament Friday at 5 p.m. Madisonville is the West's number four team.

Prestonsburg, winners of the recent Eastern Regionals, will be in the same bracket with Mary Todd, one of the traditional powerhouses in the tournament. This year, however, Mary Todd finished second in their region and is seeded in the same

(See Commentary, B 7)

**April 11 sign up day for Prestonsburg Little League**

The Prestonsburg Little League has set April 11 as the date for all players to sign up that plan on playing in Little League, Senior League, T-ball League or Farm League this year. The sign-up time will be held from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at Archer Park. All players must sign up on this date.

**MCA remains undefeated with win over Johns Creek**

The undefeated Mountain Christian Academy AAU basketball team kept their record unblemished with a 37-24 win over Johns Creek in the first round of the Pike County League AAU tournament being held at Phelps this week. The win ran the MCA record to 12-0 and they remain the only undefeated team in the league.

Coach Johnny Mayo credits much of the team's success to his assistant coach James Eddie Hall. Hall has been instrumental in helping the team achieve the success they have.

"We are a good ballclub, an unselfish bunch of players," said Mayo of his team. "James has been a big part of this team's success."

Justin Paige scored nine points to lead the MCA team to their twelfth win of the season. Darrin Newsome added seven and Jonathan Lawson scored six. Matthew Mayo had the only three-pointer in the game and that came in the first period. Mayo finished with five points.

Other scorers for MCA were Michael Gross with four points; Anthony Tackett, two points and Adam Tackett also with two points. Ryan Hall and Brent Mitchell had one point apiece.

The top two winners advance on to state play on April 17-18 at Berea.



# Duff blows big lead in falling to Middlesboro 65-54

Basketball is a game of spurts. You can be on top one minute and fighting off the other team the next. Momentum has a way of changing during the course of a basketball game. That is why it is the great game that it is.

Duff had experienced such a game Saturday afternoon in Richmond in the first round of the Eastern Regionals of the junior pro basketball tournament.

Middlesboro ran out to a 6-0 lead in the first quarter as it seemed they could do no wrong. A quick basket by Kevin Parke followed by Jonthan Griffin's jumper was capped off with a lay-in by Parke off a turnover.

Duff finally got on the scoreboard with 5:51 left in the first quarter on a basket by Jason Baker. But the Baker basket was only the first of 18 consecutive points that Duff would score. Kyle Turner followed with a jumper and Baker scored underneath to tie the game at 6-6. Matt Crawford hit a jumper in the lane to give Duff the lead with 4:30 remaining in the first quarter. Turner scored underneath and Crawford returned with two free throws to give Duff a 12-6 lead. Baker made it 14-6 when Crawford and Brady Scott scored on back-to-back field goals to complete the run with 2:11 remaining.

Parke and Brian Good scored baskets to break the Middlesboro drought as the quarter ended in favor of Duff, 18-10.

Just like that the momentum switched. Middlesboro scored the first seven points of the second quarter to narrow the margin to one point, 18-17. Jay Mujumdar led the Madison County charge with five points. Brad Allen hit a free throw to break the run for Madison County and gave Duff a two point, 19-17 lead. Following a basket by Scott Benson that tied the game at 19-19, Allen and Jeremy Osborne scored back-to-back baskets and Todd Bingham added a free throw to give Duff a 24-19 lead.

But the momentum wasn't favoring just one team as it switched back to Madison County who scored the last 10 points of the second quarter to take a 29-24 half time lead.

Griffin hit a jumper to start the third period but six unanswered points by Duff closed the margin to one point, 31-30. Turner scored underneath with Crawford hitting two free throws and Jason Osborne connecting on a long jumper.

But that was the extent of the run for Duff as Middlesboro went on a 9-0 run for a ten point 40-30 lead. Duff trailed after three quarters 47-36.

Two fast baskets from Bingham and Jeremy Osborne made it a seven point, 47-40 game with 6:12 remaining. Mujumdar went to the free throw line on three consecutive trips where he connected on four of six charity tosses to make it a 51-40 game.

Crawford, who experienced some sickness in the game, led Duff with 12 points. Turner, Jason Osborne and Jeremy Osborne finished with eight points each for Duff and Allen had seven points. Baker tossed in six for Duff.

Casey Watkins had 16 points for Middlesboro. Mujumdar had 15 while Griffin added 13.

### MIDDLESBORO (61)

players	fg	fta-m	tp
Parke	3	0-0	6
Griffin	6	2-1	13
Good	1	0-0	2
Mujumdar	5	8-5	15
Watkins	3	11-10	16
Benson	2	2-0	4
Walters	1	8-1	3
Green	1	0-0	2
Hammoc	0	6-4	4

### DUFF (52)

players	fg	fta-m	tp
Baker	3	2-0	6
Turner	4	0-0	8
Crawford	3	6-6	12
Scott	1	0-0	2
Allen	2	4-3	7
Jer Osborne	4	0-0	8
Bingham	1	2-1	3
Ja Osborne	4	0-0	8

M'BORO	10	19	18	14	-	61
DUFF	18	6	12	16	-	52



Getting position!

Ephraim O'Quinn of Duff All-Stars battled Middlesboro's Trevor Walters for position in tournament action in Richmond Saturday afternoon. Duff fell to Middlesboro in the tournament. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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## Duff training league drops 64-17 game to Madison Tigers

Heath Scott scored 11 of his team's 17 points as the Duff training league squad fell hard to the Madison Tigers, 64-17 in the first round of the Eastern Regional Junior Pro basketball tournament at Richmond Friday night.

Duff trailed at the end of the first quarter 20-2 and went to the dressing room at halftime looking at a 32-5 deficit.

Jimmy Barnett added four points for the Duff team. Travis Francis and Leslie Slone each scored two points.

Marquis Estill had 12 points to lead all scorers for Madison County. Treywayne Thomas added eight points and David Golden scored seven.

Ball movement for the Duff squad was a problem as they found the passing lanes closed down. However, the Duff players played hard against Madison County.

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### DUFF (17)

players	fg	fta-m	tp
Scott	4	5-3	11
Barnett	2	0-0	4
Francis	1	0-0	2
Slone	1	0-0	2

### MADISON COUNTY (64)

players	fg	fta-m	tp
Broadus	1	0-0	2
Templeton	1	0-0	2
Cantrell	3	0-0	6
Estill	6	0-0	12
Thomas	4	0-0	8
Golden	2	4-3	7
Jones	3	0-0	6
Russell	2	0-0	4
Bailey	3	1-0	6
Broomfield	2	1-0	4

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Big Sandy Area Agency on Aging will hold a public hearing regarding the area plans for programs on aging under Title III of the Older Americans Act of 1965 as amended and the Homecare Program. The hearing will be held on Thursday, April 2, at 10 a.m. at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park in Prestonsburg. The public is invited to attend.

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Eastern Regionals...

# Duff edges Martin, 46-42, in junior varsity action: Martin finishes third

Foul trouble finally caught up with the Martin junior pro training league team in the fourth quarter as two players departed to the pines only to watch the Duff junior varsity post a close 46-42 win over Martin Saturday afternoon in the Eastern Regionals at Richmond. Kaleb Yates collected his fifth personal foul with 3:07 remaining in the game and his team trailing. With 2:06 on the clock, Nick Samons joined Yates via the foul route when he gathered his fifth personal. Shortly afterwards, Todd Samons strolled to the Martin bench with five personals.

However, that did not keep Martin from making a game of it.

Duff took a 36-35 lead on a free throw by Brian Crawford with 3:03 showing on the scoreboard. Jim Branham hit a charity toss to tie the game at 36-36. Martin went ahead on Ethan Blackburn's offensive rebound basket with 2:09 remaining in the game. Samons then picked up his fifth personal foul on a questionable call. Michael Combs strolled to the charity stripe where he missed the front end of a one-and-one shot.

Martin's lead went to three points, 39-36, when Combs picked up his fifth personal at the 1:09 mark. Desmond Spencer hit one of two free throws for Martin. Duff scored the next six points to claim a 42-39 advantage over Martin. Crawford hit two free throws, Ryan Owens connected on one of two and a three point play by Crawford completed the 6-0 run.

Martin turned the ball over with 31 seconds remaining and Duff turned around and returned the favor with 27 seconds to go. A jump ball situation occurred and the possession arrow was pointing Martin's way.

Martin called a time out with 24 seconds remaining and following the time out, with 20 seconds on the clock, Spencer's jumper tied the game at 42-all with 20 seconds to go.

Todd Samons fouled Crawford, his fifth, with 11 seconds on the clock. Crawford connected on both tosses to give Duff the lead at 44-42. Branham was called for a traveling violation with 10 seconds to go and the ball went back to Duff who held the ball until Crawford was fouled by Spencer, his fourth. Crawford hit both free throws with three seconds remaining to give Duff the victory.

The lead switched hands several times in the third period with Duff taking a 22-21 lead with 3:26 on the clock. Yates made a steal of the ball and was fouled by Lorie Nichols. Yates misfired on both attempts but Todd Samons took the rebound and Nichols again fouled. Samons hit both attempts for a 23-22 game. The lead went to two, 24-23 on Branham's free throw. With 2:08 remaining in the third period, Owens put his team

back in front 25-24 on a basket underneath but the lead was short lived as Spencer hit for Martin with 2:05 showing.

Duff took advantage of some Martin mistakes and scored the final four points of the third quarter to pull out to a 29-26 lead. The lead was extended to six, 32-26 on a free throw and a field goal by Eric Casebolt in the opening of the fourth period.

Martin dropped to the loser's bracket of the tournament where they defeated the Prestonsburg red team that brought a rematch against Duff who lost to the Prestonsburg black team. Martin avenged the earlier loss to Duff and moved on to finish third in the tournament.

The third place finish for Martin allowed them to qualify for the state tournament games this weekend at Bowling Green.



Easy two!

Duff's Eric Casebolt laid in two points ahead of Martin's Jimmy Branham (40) as the two Floyd County teams met in the junior varsity Eastern Regionals at Richmond Saturday afternoon. Duff edged Martin in the first round game, but Martin came back to place third in the tournament and advanced to state play this weekend at Bowling Green. (photo by Ed Taylor)

## Floyd County

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period but came at a time when Madison County was making a run at the Floyd County team. With Floyd nursing a one point lead, 21-20, Coleman hit two free throws and later a field goal to give Floyd a 27-20 lead. Floyd scored five unanswered points to go to double digits with a 32-21 lead. Larry Estill scored from the outside to cut the lead to nine at the half, 32-23.

Jenkins led Floyd County in scoring with 12 points in a balanced offensive attack. Patton and Robinson each finished with 10 points each and Coleman tossed in nine points. C.K. Dingus, Bevins and Tackett each had four points. Robbie Merion and James Jarrell scored two each.

The games leading scorer was Walker for Madison County with 16 points. Eades netted nine and Rigney finished with eight.

Floyd shot a cool 12 of 28 free throws and many were front ends of one-and-ones. Madison County hit just 10 of 18.

Floyd County went 4-0 in the tournament and will advance to state competition this weekend in Bowling Green.

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REBEL LANES	1016
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EVERETT PATTON	644
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BETTY MULLINS	530
PHYLLIS SPRADLIN	515
SHARON SKEENS	509

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**HIGH SCRATCH SERIES, TEAM**

HOT AIRS	1984
ALLEY CATS	1853
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**HIGH HANDICAP GAME, TEAM**

HOT AIRS	768
GERMAN'S PIT CREW	756
REBEL LANES	751

**HIGH HANDICAP SERIES**

SHARON SKEENS	617
PHYLLIS SPRADLIN	599
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**HIGH INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES**

JERRY LOWE	195
FEBEL CRUM	182
CHARLIE ROSE	178

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HOT AIRS	1984
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HOT AIRS	2221
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MEG KENDRICK	168
NANCY ROBERTS	161
KATHY CLARK	161

**REBEL ROUSERS LEAGUE**

W L	
UNDERTAKERS	31 13
R & S PRINTING	30 14
TRENDS & TRADITIONS	27 17
WINCHESTER PEST	25 19
J.T.C.'S	25 19
R & S BODY	24 20
BANK JOSEPHINE	24 20
LEE'S FAMOUS RECIPE	23 21
LAD N LASSIE	18 26
EBONY & IVORY	17 27
CITY LIGHTS	16 28
FAMILY AFFAIR	4 40

**HIGH SCRATCH GAME, MEN**

JACK PERRY	210
JOHNNY HUFFMAN	203
WALTER SNAVELY	202

**HIGH SCRATCH SERIES, MEN**

JOHNNY HUFFMAN	582
DARYL CAVINS	544

**TUESDAY NIGHT MEN'S LEAGUE**

W L	
GOOD OLE BOYS	4 0
R & S PRINTING	4 0
FRITO LAY	4 0
FLOYD FUNERAL HOME	3 1
WOODY'S CARRY OUT	3 1
COLLINS GULF	3 1
EAST KY AUTO	2 2
J & S BATTERY	2 2
WALKER CONSTRUCTION	1 3
LAFFERTY'S GARAGE	1 3
POE'S TORCH REPAIR	1 3
FANNIN HEATING	0 4
GORDIE'S GULF	0 4
REBEL LANES	0 4

**HIGH SCRATCH GAME, TEAM**

TRENDS & TRADITIONS	903
R & S BODY	838
LEE'S FAMOUS RECIPE	809

**HIGH SCRATCH SERIES, TEAM**

TRENDS & TRADITIONS	2438
LEE'S FAMOUS RECIPE	2390
R & S BODY	2225

**HIGH SCRATCH SERIES, MEN**

JOHNNY HUFFMAN	582
DARYL CAVINS	544

**HIGH SCRATCH GAME, TEAM**

EAST KY AUTO	939
GOOD OLE BOYS	857
FLOYD FUNERAL HOME	845

**HIGH SCRATCH SERIES, TEAM**

TRENDS & TRADITIONS	2438
LEE'S FAMOUS RECIPE	2390
R & S BODY	2225

**HIGH SCRATCH SERIES, MEN**

JOHNNY HUFFMAN	582
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**HIGH SCRATCH SERIES, TEAM**

FRITO LAY	2940
GOOD OLE BOYS	2925
R & S PRINTING	2896

**HIGH SCRATCH SERIES, TEAM**

ESTILL CARTER	221
DALLAS CONN	219
LARRY MULLINS	218

**HIGH SCRATCH SERIES, TEAM**

JOHN HURD	574
LARRY MULLINS	556
CHARLES HURST	555

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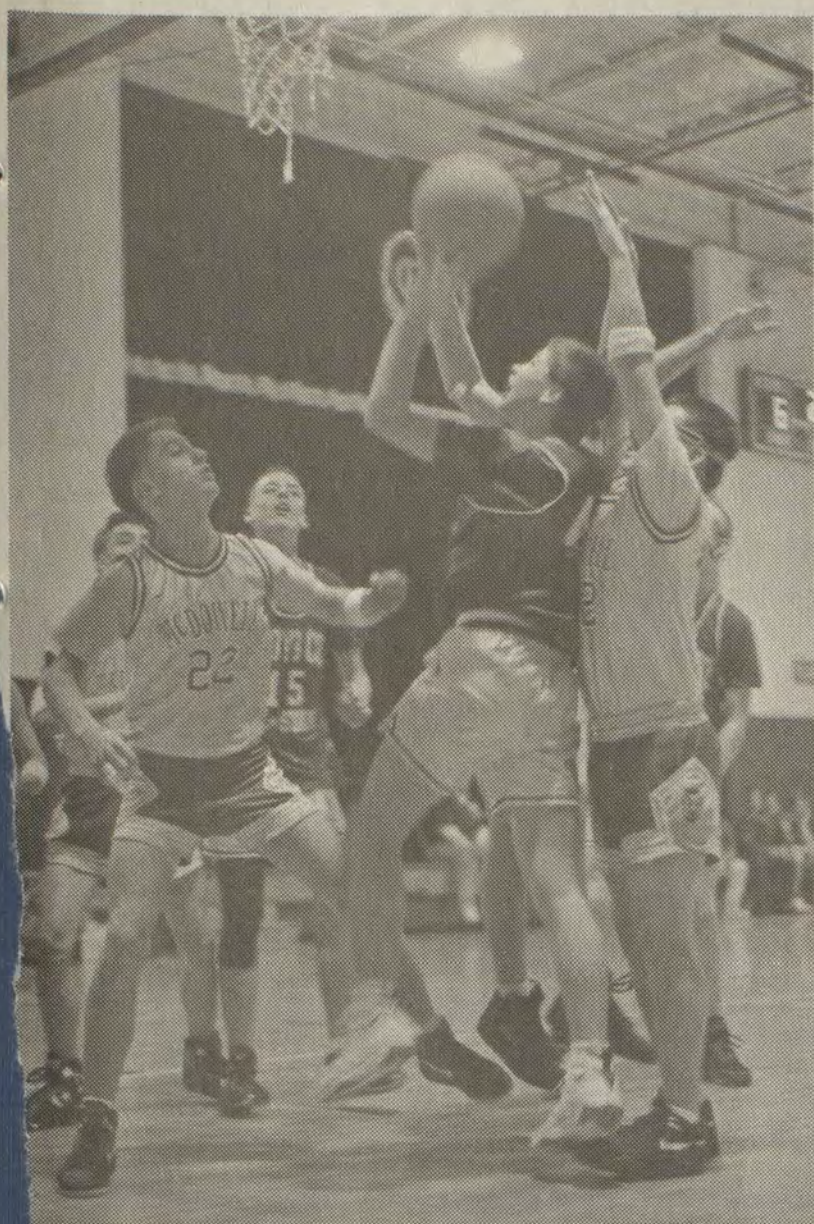
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# Jenkins' 15 points leads Floyd County past McDowell All-Stars, 65-39 in regional



Watch out Jarrell!

T. Pack and Kevin Thacker (22) of McDowell played defense against Floyd County All-Star James Jarrell in first game action of the Eastern Regional varsity basketball tournament. Floyd County defeated McDowell, 65-39. (photo by Ed Taylor)

They traveled all the way to Richmond to face each other. The Floyd County All-Stars and McDowell All-Stars met in Richmond in the first game of the varsity junior pro East Regional basketball tournament with Floyd coming away with a 65-39 win over McDowell.

Thomas Jenkins tossed in 15 points and Kevin Robinson added nine to lead Floyd County in scoring. Jason Bevens totaled eight points and played a good game on the boards. Bevens also had a goal-tending call in the second quarter that canceled out a

basket by C.K. Dingus. Bevens pulled down eight rebounds in the game. Adam Coleman netted eight points for the winners with James Jarrell finishing with six. Dingus had six points.

Shane Hall led McDowell with nine points. Kevin Thacker tossed in eight. Nick Little, Jason Tackett and T.T. Pack each finished with four points.

Floyd County jumped out to a quick 8-0 lead at the start of the first quarter with Jenkins and Robinson hitting four points each. Coleman scored all eight of his points in the first quarter for Floyd County. Thacker had four first quarter points for McDowell.

Floyd County built a 20 point lead, 38-18, as the two teams went to the locker rooms.

Martin maintained the 20 point advantage through the game until the fourth quarter when they scored six unanswered points to go ahead 61-35.

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**FLOYD COUNTY (65)**

players	fg	fta-m	tp
Jenkins	6	4-3	15
Robinson	3	5-3	9
Coleman	4	0-0	8
Jarrell	3	0-0	6
Patton	1	5-1	3
Dingus	3	0-0	6
Bevens	2	9-4	8
Stephens	1	2-2	4
Nunnemaker	1	2-2	4
Tackett	1	2-0	2
Merion	1	2-0	2
Mullins	1	1-0	2

**MCDOWELL (39)**

players	fg	fta-m	tp
Little	2	0-0	4
Thacker	4	0-0	8
Moore	1	2-1	3
Cook	0	2-1	1
Hall	2	11-5	9
Tackett	2	0-0	4
Pack	2	2-2	4
Slope	1	0-0	2
Hamilton	1	0-0	2

FLOYD.....23 15 11 16 - 65  
M'DOWELL.....10 8 7 12 - 39

# Fourth quarter spurt gives Floyd County 61-47 win over Madison

Jason Bevens scored 14 points and Thomas Jenkins added 12 to lead the Floyd County All-Stars to a 61-47 second round victory over Madison County in the Eastern Regionals at Richmond in junior pro basketball action this past weekend.

Floyd County had to have a fourth quarter run to secure the victory over Madison County. The local all-star team was clinging to a 41-39 lead going into the final period. Brian Davis hit a jumper for Madison County at the start of the fourth stanza to tie the game at 41-41. Floyd County then ran off 14 unanswered points to go ahead 55-41. Adam Coleman nailed a base line jumper and Michael Stephens followed with a layup to give Floyd a four point lead, 45-41. Jenkins hit a layup and Bevens connected on two free throws to give Floyd County a 49-41 advantage.

Madison County missed two free throws and Floyd ran off six straight points to complete the run. Jenkins, Beau Tackett and Bevens had field goals in the late spurt.

Floyd County had built what appeared to be a safe lead in the second quarter when they ran off 12 consecutive points to take a 12 point, 31-19 lead behind the scoring of Tim Nunnemaker. Nunnemaker had six of the 12 points. However, a break down in defense allowed Madison County to score the final eight points of the second stanza and narrow the margin to four, 31-27 at halftime.

After leading 16-12 after the first quarter, Floyd County raced to a 19-13 lead early in the second period. Back-to-back baskets by Robby Harris and a field goal from Jerrod Rigney tied the game at 19-19. It was then that Floyd went on a 12-0 run.

Again, in the third quarter, Floyd County moved out to a six point, 39-33 lead on two baskets by C.K. Dingus and a Thomas Jenkins field goal. But the lead did not last long as Madison County scored six unanswered points to tie the game at 39-39. Cory Patton's only field goal gave

Floyd County a 41-39 lead after three quarters.

Stephens finished with eight points for Floyd County. Nunnemaker tossed in six with Beau Tackett and Dingus netting four points each.

Larry Estill led Madison County with 13 points. Raymont Walker added nine for the losers. Brian Davis finished with eight.

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**FLOYD COUNTY (61)**

players	fg	fta-m	tp
Merion	2	0-0	4
Stephens	4	2-0	8
Bevens	5	4-4	14
Jenkins	6	3-0	12
Robinson	1	3-1	3
Jarrell	1	1-0	2
Nunnemaker	1	4-4	6
Dingus	2	0-0	4
Patton	1	0-0	2
Coleman	1	0-0	2
Tackett	1	3-2	4
Mullins	1	0-0	2

**MADISON COUNTY (47)**

players	fg	fta-m	tp
Eades	2	0-0	4
Estill	5	3-3	13
Ackerman	1	2-0	2
Walker	4	2-1	9
Harris	2	0-0	4
Rigney	2	2-1	5
Davis	3	2-2	8
Minter	1	2-0	2

FLOYD.....16 14 10 20 - 61  
MADISON.....12 15 12 8 - 47

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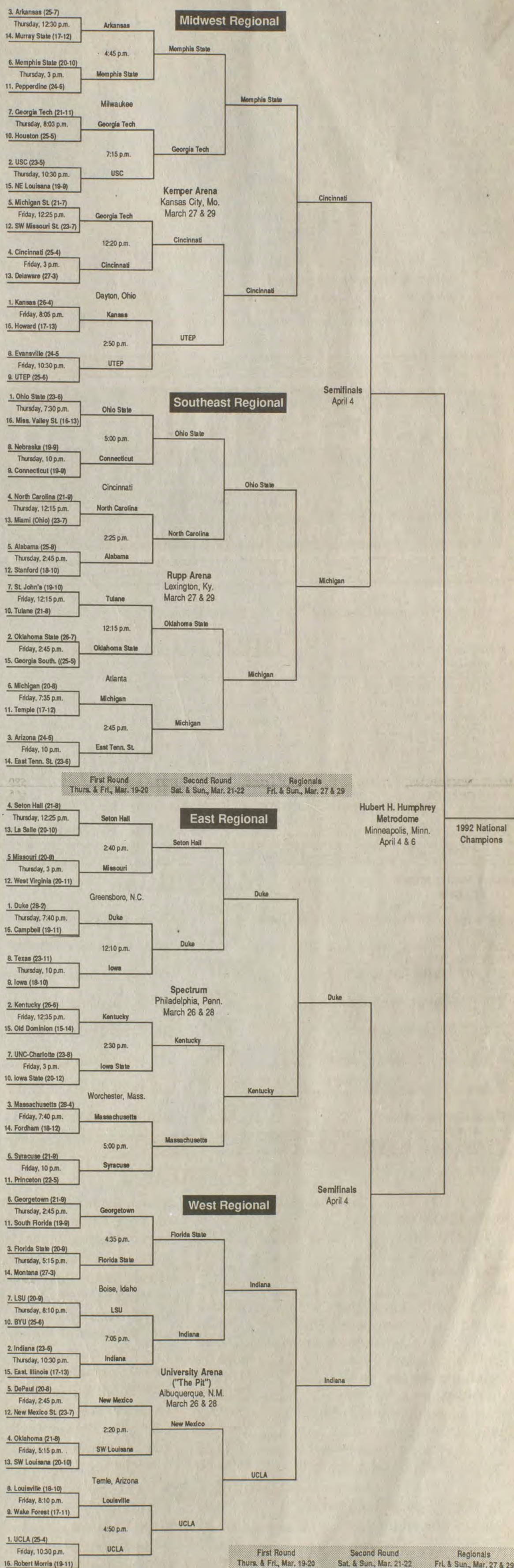
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**Shoots from the corner!**

Martin's Chris Damron (34) fired up a shot for two points while teammates Dustin Crisp (23) and Mark Howard (33) looked on. Martin fell to Madison County in the tournament at Richmond last weekend. (photo by Ed Taylor)



**Receives championship awards**

The Prestonsburg Black team is shown receiving their awards for winning the Eastern Regionals in Junior pro basketball at Richmond over the weekend. Tournament manager Ann Puckett places a medal around the neck of Kyle Conley. (photo by Ed Taylor)



Larry Mullins Jr., of Martin's training league, drove to the basket on a fast break. Martin took part in the Eastern Regional basketball tournament at Richmond over the past weekend. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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## Samons' scores 19 points as Prestonsburg defeats Middlesboro

Wesley Samons scored 19 points and John Ortega added 12 as the Prestonsburg black team defeated Middlesboro 67-35 to advance to the finals of the East Regional Junior Pro junior varsity basketball tournament at Richmond this past weekend.

Prestonsburg, who seemed to be playing very good basketball, handled about everything Middlesboro put against them. It was the defense of

the black team that was a thorn in the side of the Middlesboro squad. Prestonsburg cut down the passing lanes of Middlesboro creating several turnovers for the losers.

Prestonsburg held a six point, 16-10 first quarter lead as they were slow in getting started but went to the dressing room with a 33-19 advantage. Ortega scored eight of his 12 points in the first period. Samons

scored seven in the second period and eight in the third.

Neil Hamilton added eight points for the winners with teammate John Stephens scoring six. Kyle Conley played a good game and finished with six points also. Shawn Ousley, Andy Jarvis and Bryan Fitzpatrick each scored four points. Two points were scored by Billy Mitchell and Joe Campbell.

Brad Barton led Middlesboro with 10 points with Brandon Howard and Jason Phillips each tossing in six points.

Prestonsburg was nine of 12 from the free throw line while Middlesboro was one of six.

MIDDLESBORO (35)				
players	fg	fta-m	tp	
Baker	1	0-0	2	

Barton	5	0-0	10	
Byrne	1	0-0	2	
Cook	2	2-0	4	
Dorton	1	3-1	3	
Howard	3	1-0	6	
Phillips	3	0-0	6	
Wilson	1	0-0	2	

PRESTONSBURG (67)				
players	fg	fta-m	tp	
Samons	9	2-1	19	
Mitchell	0	2-2	2	
Conley	3	0-0	6	
Ousley	2	2-0	4	
Ortega	6	0-0	12	
Campbell	1	0-0	2	
Jarvis	1	2-2	4	
Hamilton	3	2-2	8	
Stephens	2	2-2	6	
Fitzpatrick	2	0-0	4	

M'BORO	10	9	12	4	35
P'BURG	16	17	20	14	67

## McDowell falls to Middlesboro 38-24 in regional training league play

It wasn't a good evening for the McDowell all-star training league team Friday night. McDowell dropped a 38-24 decision to Middlesboro in the first round of the Eastern Regional Training League basketball tournament played at Richmond over the past weekend.

Middlesboro scored the final seven points in the game to ice the game away and put it in the win column. With 3:03 left in the fourth period, McDowell only trailed by eight points, 30-22. A basket by Adam Bowling followed by a jumper from Dennis Earls and Chris Barnes' two free throws made it a 36-22 game. Zackary Layne hit the last basket for McDowell and Todd Smith scored two free throws to close out the scoring.

McDowell trailed 14-4 after one quarter of play. Charlie Williams scored all four of his points in the first period for McDowell.

Layne's field goal to start the second period made it a 14-6 game. Middlesboro got a basket and a free throw from Barnes to take a 17-6 advantage. McDowell's Brent Slone hit one of two free throws and Patrick Martin added a basket to pull to within eight points, 17-9. Hatmaker's jumper and Slone's layup closed out the first half scoring with Middlesboro on top, 19-11 at the half.

Down 27-18 at the end of the third period, McDowell could only get as close as eight points in the final period.

Ryan Shannon led McDowell in scoring with six points. Brent Slone added five. Williams and Layne each finished with four points.

Artie Motley led all scorers with 13 points for Middlesboro. Earls finished with six and Barnes had five.

MIDDLESBORO (38)				
players	fg	fta-m	tp	
Earls	2	5-2	6	
Smith	1	2-2	4	
Delk	1	0-0	2	
Motley	5	4-3	13	
Massengill	1	1-1	3	
Hatmaker	1	0-0	2	
Bowling	1	2-1	3	
Barnes	1	4-3	5	

MCDOWELL (24)				
players	fg	fta-m	tp	
Tackett	0	2-1	1	
Williams	2	2-0	4	
Shannon	3	2-2	6	
Slone	2	2-1	5	
Layne	2	0-0	4	
Martin	1	0-0	2	

M'BORO	14	5	8	11	38
M'DOWELL	4	7	6	24	

## Prestonsburg posts 65-32 regional win over Duff behind Mitchell's 20 points

Billy Mitchell and Andy Jarvis combined for 30 points to lead the Prestonsburg black team to a 65-32 victory over Duff in the East Regional Junior Pro basketball tournament at Richmond over the weekend.

Mitchell tossed in a game high 20 points and Jarvis finished with 10. Mitchell scored 12 of his game high 20 points in the first period to lead Prestonsburg to a 24-3 first period lead. John Ortega added to the first quarter barrage with eight points.

Prestonsburg held a 37-12 half time lead.

About the only place Prestonsburg struggled was at the charity stripe where they hit only seven shots on 16 attempts.

Wesley Samons and John Ortega finished with eight points in the Prestonsburg win. Neil Hamilton added six with Shawn Ousley netting four points. Kyle Conley had three. Joe Campbell, John Stephens and Bryan Fitzpatrick each scored two points.

Greg Horne scored seven points to lead Duff. Brian Crawford finished with six points. Corbett Howell and Karen Wallen had four each. Ross Goble finished with three. Michael Combs, Ryan Owens, Byron Patton and Misty Scott scored two each.

Duff was two for eight from the free throw line.

DUFF (32)				
players	fg	fta-m	tp	
Combs	1	0-0	2	
Crawford	3	1-0	6	
Goble	1	2-1	3	
Horne	3	2-1	7	
Howell	2	0-0	4	
Owens	1	0-0	2	
Patton	1	0-0	2	
Scott	1	3-0	2	
Wallen	2	0-0	4	

PRESTONSBURG (65)				
players	fg	fta-m	tp	
Samons	4	0-0	8	
Mitchell	10	0-0	20	
Conley	1	5-1	3	
Ousley	2	1-0	4	
Ortega	4	0-0	8	
Campbell	1	0-0	2	
Jarvis	5	0-0	10	
Hamilton	1	6-4	6	
Stephens	1	2-0	2	
Fitzpatrick	0	2-2	2	

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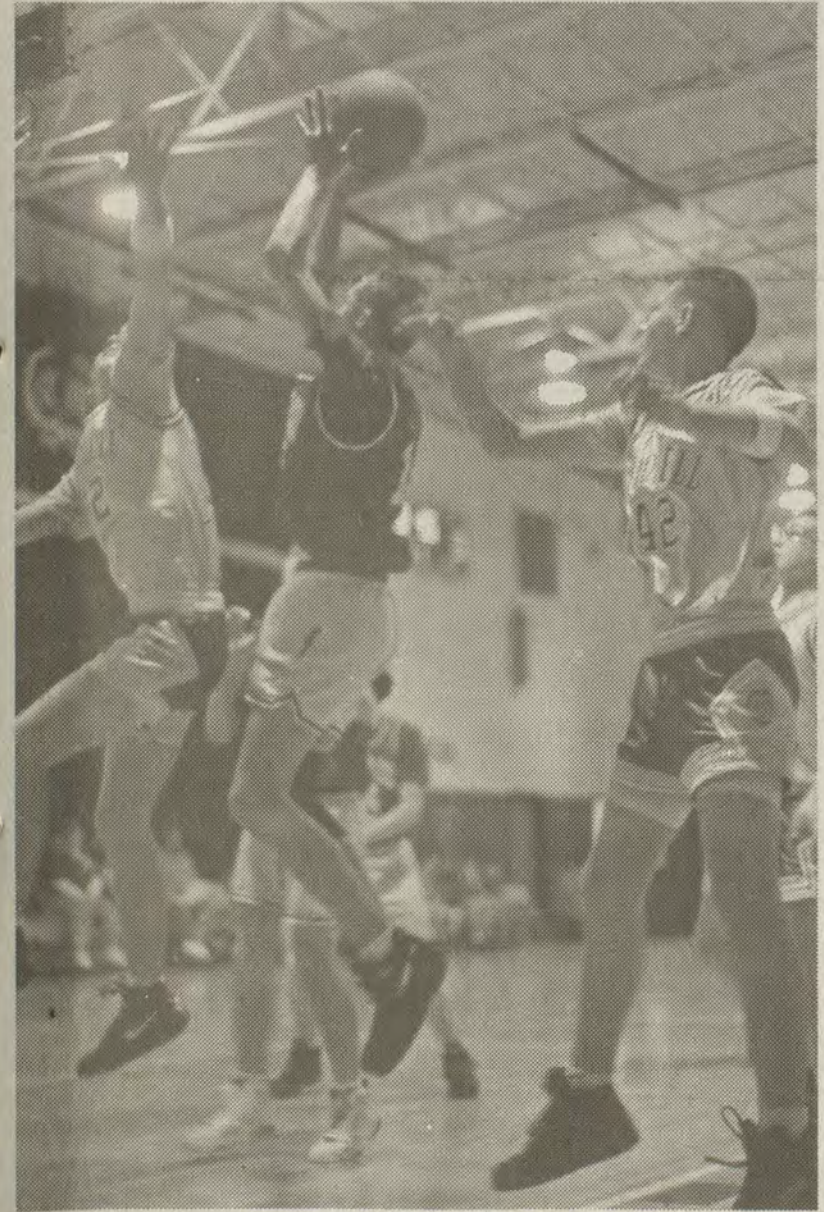
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**Goes for block!**

Kevin Thacker, McDowell, went for a block of Thomas Jenkins (Floyd County) shot in tournament action at Richmond Saturday morning. Floyd County defeated McDowell to advance in the tournament. (photo by Ed Taylor)

## Commentary —

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bracket with Prestonsburg. Prestonsburg is another powerhouse that has to carry a favorite's role in the state meet.

All junior varsity games will be played at Diddle Arena.

Martin has been a surprising team in all-star competition this year. The Martin club came out of the loser's bracket to finish third, making them the third place team.

Prestonsburg brings a strong passing team that plays excellent defense for a junior varsity squad. An unselfish group of players, Prestonsburg shoots very well and shows good discipline by rarely taking a bad or forced shot.

Floyd County has some of the top grade school players on this year's squad and no doubt will make a good showing in the varsity division. The top two teams in the state meet get to advance on to national competition later in the month.

A good crowd of Floyd Counties usually follow their respective teams to the tournaments in support of their accomplishments. We wish each team well as they enter this weekend's events.

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### A Look At Sports

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The Pike County AAU league has been very successful and I am sure will encourage the establishing of other programs in the area. But then again, the AAU program doesn't have to be seen as a threat to junior pro basketball. I believe both programs can co-exist.

I certainly enjoyed the recent Eastern Regional tournament at Richmond over the weekend where I saw a lot of ball games. I had a lot of moving around to do as the games were played at three different sites.

I offer my congratulations to the Floyd County Varsity All-Stars, Prestonsburg Black All-Stars and Martin Junior Varsity All-Stars for their finishing in the tournament and moving on to state competition. These three teams will play this weekend in Bowling Green in the state meet with a possibility of making an appearance in the nationals later in the month.

I like the Prestonsburg junior varsity team. Coaches Wilburn Samons, Eddie Campbell and Dickie Jarvis has done a tremendous job with these young players. They play so well together and are a very unselfish group of players. They move the ball well and play defense as if every game were a title game. Well disciplined and very good shooters. Prestonsburg has a complete team.

Some of the staff who helped at the tournament were commenting on the way the Prestonsburg team played, how disciplined they were. I like to hear comments like that about our programs in the county. That's the way it should be.

The tournament was on time. No foolishness was allowed by anyone. It was pleasant to sit and watch a game with no one carrying on to ruin it, unlike at Bowling Green last year.

Also, the tournament was the best as far as sportsmanship goes. The fans were well behaved and it was a great tournament. The folks at Richmond did a great job of hosting the event as they always do.

Which brings me to this — let's have the regional here in Prestonsburg next year. We can do it. We have the facilities and we have the people that are capable of overseeing such an event of this magnitude. We can do it! I'm sure the powers that be would like to have it at a different location than Richmond. Think of the shot in the arm from the economical standpoint.

#### GIRLS' SOFTBALL SCHEDULES NEEDED

We are still in need of girls' softball schedules for Allen Central, McDowell and Prestonsburg. If you can, take a little time and drop us a copy in the mail.

#### QUESTION — WILL RHODES MAKE IT TO UK?

While we await the start of a new season at UK, I think of the return of Jamal Mashburn so far is the NCAA tournament's leading scorer with 24 points per game. He also leads in rebounding with a nine a game. I shudder to think of what he will be like next season. But when I quit shaking, I am glad that he is a Wildcat.

But who will be in the wings to help out next year? There is no doubt it will be a long time before we recruit another Farmer, Feldhaus, Pelphrey or Woods. Those four senior gave it everything they had during the season. But what about next year?

The much publicized Roderick Rhodes has yet to pass his entrance exam and some are doubtful that he will. That has Kentucky looking to the junior college ranks again.

Rhodes is the kind of player, so they say, who can come to a program and make an immediate contribution. UK will need that kind of player for next year. However, if Rhodes doesn't make it to UK, then what? Of course, we will have Jeff Brassow back. Mashburn returns as well as Gimel Martinez. Martinez may be the key for next year. I look for Gimel to be much improved at the next season's start.

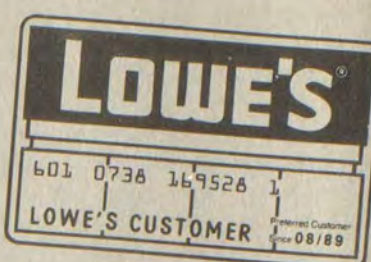
Delk will be at UK, but he will be a freshman. Will Pitino let a freshman play much? Many on the UK bench hasn't really been tested. Dale Brown came on strong during the tournament and looks good for next season. Ah, Pitino will come up with something!

With that note, good sports everyone and be good sports.

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## PEOPLE, PLACES AND THINGS

by Beth Jones

### "WHAT MAKES KENTUCKY PROUD"

Have you ever seen anything as exciting as March Madness Kentucky style? Whether it's the high school Sweet Sixteen or the NCAA tournament, you can bet Kentuckians will fill the stands.

High school basketball is very important in the Bluegrass state. One reason is that one must play high school ball in order to get a scholarship to U.K., Morehead or Louisville. It is preparation, you know. Anyway, all the little kids practicing out in their backyards dream of playing in Rupp Arena. Secondly, high school games give people of all ages the chance to go out in public and make complete fools of themselves. I'm not saying it is bad to go out and cheer for one's team; in fact, yelling at blind referees and stupid coaches is a great way to relieve stress. The third reason is that people go to high school games to get good seats, because acquiring lower arena tickets to a U.K. game is virtually impossible.

College basketball is Kentucky's way of showing pride in our state and, at the same time, making Indiana really mad. The University of Kentucky's and (I hate to say it) the University of Louisville's basketball programs are two of the best in the country. Why? Because we work at it, that's why.

You see, Kentucky has a lot to make up for. This is because the rest of the nation looks down on everything else that goes on in this state. People in the North, South, and West are always talking about what we do in our fine state. Want some examples?

What is made or grown in Kentucky? We have two big sellers, tobacco and whiskey (actually, I guess marijuana can go in this category, too, since it is the state's biggest cash crop). People look down on tobacco, alcohol, and drugs. It kinda gives the state a reputation.

We also engage in that cruel, barbaric sport of cock fighting. Aren't we awful? Big cities have their muggers and gang violence, but all of us in the Bluegrass state are terrible because we let roosters fight each other. As the old saying goes, "People in glass houses should not throw stones."

At least we have our basketball, something most people admire. I guess those of you who don't like it must be Communists or Hoosiers or something terrible like that. You'd better straighten out your thinking or we won't let you fight chickens in this state again. Just kidding. 'Til next week...

## Small World — by Aileen Hall



**Matching set**  
When my car was fairly new my husband and I went to Columbus for a meeting, staying overnight at a mid-town motel.

As we started to leave the following day, we found the car had been vandalized. Someone had taken the nice hubcaps and, in doing so, they broke the window on the passenger side to get the hubcap key from the glove compartment.

Our leaving town was delayed until we could have the glass window replaced. We drove for a few days without hubcaps, but then we had them replaced also.

For some reason the new hubcaps never did fit as well as the original ones. One at a time they would fall off, and one at a time we would stop by some parts dealer to buy a single replacement.

Usually when I look at the exterior of a car I only see one wheel at a time. They looked all right to me, and of course the operation of the car wasn't altered. It was pretty well ship-shape as far as I knew.

Some months ago another hubcap dropped off and, though I kept meaning to pick up another, I just put off doing it. Tom Bow of Teal Engineering at Betsy Layne really gave me a hard time about my car. He said it was easy to recognize me as it always looked as if I were limping on one wheel.

Walter and I were driving to Paintsville a few days ago when I spotted a business by the road with a vast hubcap display. "Let's stop," I urged him, "and find a replacement for that bare wheel."

He went in and found a lady in charge of the business. "Would you

see if you have a matching hubcap for our car?" he asked.

She came out and walked all around the car looking at each wheel. Then she looked at my husband to inquire, "Which one do you want to match? No two of yours are alike."

After that experience, he took the car to be serviced and brought it home with a complete matching set of hubcaps.

I sure hope Tom Bow sees my car soon, before one of them falls off again.

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### A real deal

George Wells, owner of Wells Motor Company in Pikeville, has sold a lot of cars, and likely he has taken some unusual trade-ins. But he made an offer recently that someone passed up.

A lady with her four-year-old son had come in to look at the new Chryslers. She made some comparisons and asked a few questions about the different models.

"I'll tell you what," George said, "just give me that boy and you can take either car you wish."

"No," the lady declined, "I couldn't do without my boy."

But the child had been listening and recognized what a deal it was "Go ahead," he urged, "trade with him. He wouldn't keep me long."

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### Reminder

"Any time you think you have influence, try ordering around someone else's dog." —Anonymous

## Groundbreaking held for new church



### Groundwork

Members of the Pilgrim's Home Regular Baptist Church on Big Mud Monday, March 23, symbolically prepared the foundation for a new church building which will house a lunchroom in its basement. (photo by Susie Newsome)

On the third Saturday and Sunday of each month, members of the Regular Baptist faith meet at the Pilgrim's Home Regular Baptist Church on Big Mud.

After they share in worship services, they share their fellowship in providing a meal for those who attend. Members of the Pilgrim's Home Regular Baptist Church take turns hosting the event in their homes because the present church has no cafeteria. This has been a problem because a lot of those attending could not come to those homes due to the

amount of time involved in traveling.

But all that will soon change. Monday, March 23, groundbreaking was held for a new church which will be located just across the road from the old one.

Pilgrim's Home Regular Baptist Church was established in April 1950. At that time the church had ten or twelve members. It kept growing and now has an enrollment of approximately 72 members. With the growing membership and the lack of a lunchroom, church members thought it was time to build a new one.

"The new church will be bigger and better," said church moderator Elisha Branham.

The church will be brick and will be well insulated which should help with the heating bill. It will also have a lunchroom in its basement where churchwomen can prepare the type of food that makes Kentucky famous.

"We're happy to be getting a new church," said Branham. "Especially the lunchroom," added his wife Jeanette. When the new Pilgrim's Home Regular Baptist Church is completed, country cooking will be

available free to all in the basement lunchroom after worship services each meeting-day Sunday.

Another plus for those attending the new church will be the parking space that will be available. Currently, said Branham, there are only three or four parking spots available. The new church will offer ample parking, according to Branham. The parking lot will be graveled and Branham hopes the parking lot will eventually be blacktopped.

To finance this undertaking, the church needs donations. So far, the church has received about one-third of the funding needed to complete the building. The project will cost around \$75,000, Branham estimated, and that estimate doesn't include "fixing up the parking lot." Church members also hope to sell the old church and put those funds into their new building.

For more information about helping out with the project, call Elisha Branham at 478-1791, James Branham at 478-3890, or Kermit Newsome at 377-6881.



### To wed

Melissa Lynn Hall, daughter of Robert and Donna Hall of Prestonsburg and Dwayne Lafferty, son of Carlos (Huck) Lafferty, will be united in marriage on Saturday, April 4, at 2 p.m. The ceremony will be held at Christ United Methodist Church in Allen. The wedding will be open to the public, everyone is welcome to attend.

## Kim's Korner



### Shoplifting story takes trip through national media????

Friday, as I sat reading my issue of the Times, I became extremely upset reading the shoplifting story.

The words "cute stories" got me the most. I can't believe anyone could think the shoplifting expedition was cute.

And what really amazes me is the attention on the national level this episode is receiving.

Donahue, Current Affair, and one dude who wants to sell the story, for what, I ask.

So, the business owners can have bulging eyeballs and sleepless nights for fear of being ripped off.

Just two weeks before this attention getting fiasco took place, my store was a victim of shoplifters.

And I can tell you first hand I saw nothing "cute" about it whatsoever.

But then I was not lucky enough to have whoever shoplifted caught. Nor do I have any idea if they wed a few hours later.

It just really bothers me to think I may one night turn on the tube and see this episode portrayed in a manner that may be appealing to a whole heck of a lot of individuals.

Is nothing sacred anymore? For crying out loud, one of our Ten Commandments is "Thou shall not steal."

In no way should we applaud it or acknowledge it, especially on a national level.

Thank goodness Oprah, Sally Jesse Raphael, and Geraldo haven't expressed interest.

I'm waiting on 48 Hours though, this is sure to be of interest to them.

First, Madonna's to appear at Archer Park to make one of her sickening videos and now Jeanie Jacobs on NBC, ABC, CBS, and Fox. What's next?

I'll tell you what I'd like to see next.

A Floyd County School system running like a clock with no malfunctions.

A county growing and prospering without bitterness, bickering and badgering.

And less, much less screaming of sexual harassment.

And those who throw garbage everywhere but in a can slapped behind bars and forced to clean our creeks and hollows.

Okay I'm awake, I admit I was dreaming there for a few seconds.

But at least in my dreams it's a heck of a lot better than reality.

Reality, what a concept! Till next week.

## Area clothing seminar

The Northeast Area Homemakers sponsored a clothing seminar at the Paintsville Country Club recently.

The topics included: Fabric and Fabric Coordination, Tips for Sewing, Using a Serger and Decorating Shirts and Jackets.

During the lunch hour, the style show featuring homemakers was presented. Floyd County Homemakers modeling in the style show were Mary Sue Moore, Dorothy Harris, Eula Ferguson and Ada Martin.

A variety of shirts and jackets made by Jean Watson were also on display.

Attending from Floyd County were Eula Ferguson, Dorothy Harris, Mary Sue Moore, Mary Nell Bingham, Eva Collins, Roberta Slone, Vera Ford, Shirley Callihan, Ada Martin, Helen Boyd, Hester Leslie and Frances Pitts.

## Scott arrives for duty

Air Force Airman 1st Class Jennie R. Scott, a services specialist, has arrived for duty at Howard Air Force Base, Panama.

She is the daughter of Roger D. and Rita N. Jones of Beaver.

## Poison Oak — by Clyde Pack

### PRESIDENTIAL POLITICS

Now I'll admit that I'm not the smartest fellow in the world, but at the same time, one doesn't have to be Alexander Graham Bell to pick up a telephone and know it's not working.

Neither does one need to be a political science major to figure out that things are slightly off center with our process of selecting presidential candidates.

Of course, it goes without saying that even with all our problems, we're still living in the greatest country in the world. The very fact that I can publicly complain is ample proof of that.

So, since I do vote, I have the freedom to gripe now and again ... as do we all. Actually, since our country was founded so that people could express themselves freely, the comments that follow may actually be viewed as a tribute to the founding fathers and their high ideals of free

speech.

Actually, I find it all a tad embarrassing.

First, I'm embarrassed at how the democratic candidates are acting. After all the name calling, how do Clinton and Brown ever expect the eventual loser to support the eventual winner? All President Bush needs to do is keep on with his presidential stuff, stay away from oriental cooking, and let the other side self-destruct. Of course, it wouldn't surprise me if he did come up with a different running mate. In view of his declining popularity, I can't see him asking for another four years with Quayle. As for his other choice, whoever it may be, I'm certain he'll help the ticket return George and Barb to Pennsylvania Avenue.

Another thing that embarrasses me is Patrick Buchanan. Here we have a TV commentator who once worked for Bush, now actually trying

to challenge a sitting president. He knows he can't win. He's even admitted it publicly. If he knows something he's not telling, he ought to be telling it. If he doesn't, he ought to hang it up and go to the house.

And H. Ross Perot. I'm embarrassed that we've reached the point that we'd consider this Texas billionaire as a viable candidate. Why's he running? He doesn't need a job. What kind of president would he be anyway? He even talks so you can understand him, which, no doubt, is his biggest problem. I mean, if you can talk politics so that just anybody can understand politics, it just can't be serious politics. Right?

This Perot fellow has even been quoted as saying that the people no longer feel they have a voice, that he'd take away Congress's right to raise taxes, and that the first day after being elected president, he'd hold a

town meeting, via TV, and explain all this complex governmental stuff to the public.

Why, doesn't he know that would completely destroy the system as we know it? Doesn't he realize that if common folk really understood politics they'd never vote again and we'd have no politics.

So, here we have on one side a president who had to wage war in order to lose his wimpy image running against the other side whose two major candidates go around sticking their tongues out at each other while a third wants to talk sense.

It just seems to me that regardless of who the final candidates are, we'll once again be voting for the one with the fewest negatives. The man most qualified to run the country (whoever and wherever he is) won't even be on the ballot.

Yep! sometimes it's downright embarrassing.



# Society Events

By Docia Woods  
886-9865

## Birth announcement

Chris and Pam Hooker announce the birth of their daughter, Chelsea Lyn Hooker, on March 27. Born at Fairview South Dale Hospital, in Minneapolis, Minnesota, she weighed 7 lbs. 15 ozs., and measured 20 1/2 inches in length. Her grandparents are Ron and Judy Hooker of Prestonsburg.

## Mrs. Meade honored

Mrs. Josephine Hobson was hostess to a small luncheon at her home this past Saturday, in commemoration of the birthday of a friend, Mrs. Ada Meade. Present for this occasion were the guest of honor, Mrs. Meade, Mrs. Orella McGuire, and the hostess, Mrs. Hobson. Following the luncheon, the three of them spent some time golfing at Jenny Wiley State Park.

Mrs. Meade received many congratulations, telephone calls, and greetings and was remembered by Cathy Goble with a decorated birthday cake.

## Return from Florida

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lemaster have returned to their home here from Margate, Florida, where they visited with his sister, Mrs. Dorothy Cunningham. They were accompanied home by Mr. Hereford's sister, Mrs. Florence Reynolds, who had spent approximately three months visiting with her sister, Mrs. Cunningham.

## Mrs. Hicks honored

Mrs. Debbie Hicks was remembered by members of her family with gifts in celebration of her birthday this past Thursday. These included, her husband, Derek Hicks, their two children, Jessica and Greta Hicks, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Davidson, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hicks.

She was also remembered with greetings, congratulations, and telephone calls from many of her friends.

A decorated birthday cake, made by Mrs. Delphia Hicks, was served with other appropriate refreshments to members of the immediate family.

## Allen family gets together

Mrs. Mabel Allen had with her for a visit this past week, her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Allen and their sons, Daniel and Charles, of Overland Park, Kansas. On Sunday, while they were here, all of them attended services at the First United Methodist Church, after which they dined at Shoney's, in Pikeville. On Wednesday, they went to Lexington for a visit with another son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen. While there, Woody Allen was honored with a birthday dinner by his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Brady, after which decorated birthday cake and other refreshments were served.

Mrs. Allen's son Woody accompanied her home here before he and his family left for their home in Kansas.

## Prestonsburg Kiwanians hold luncheon-meeting

Members of the Prestonsburg Kiwanians held their regular monthly luncheon-meeting on Thursday, March 26, at 12:30 p.m., at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park, with Mrs. Ada Meade, vice president, presiding in the absence of the President, Mrs. Mabel Jean Lemaster.

Following the Kiwanian grace, and the luncheon, Mrs. Annabelle Maggard presented the devotions. Mrs. Maggard read two poems "Trust and Believe," by Helen Steiner Rice, and "The Power of Littles," by Ella Wheeler Wilcox. She ended her devotions with prayer.

Mrs. Jane Wallace, program chairman, introduced two guest speakers, Tammy Antle and Rose Adkins, from the Mountain Comprehensive Care Center, who brought in-depth and interesting reports on "Substance Abuse and Prevention. These speakers told of many of the needs being met by Mountain Comprehensive Care, among the many of which were: Child abuse, drug and alcohol abuse, senior citizens' care, and mental illnesses.

They gave interesting accounts of experiences they had encountered in their work, and those in attendance gained a new awareness of the many needs throughout this area.

They announced that a program on "Champions Against Drugs" was held the third Monday in each month, at the Mountain Comprehensive Care Center, and that the public was welcome to attend these meetings. They added that persons wishing topics discussed should notify Mrs. Jane Wallace, who would let them know

of such requests. Mrs. Meade, president, thanked the speakers for their worthwhile discussions.

The minutes of the February meeting were read by the Secretary, Mrs. Dorothy Osborne, and Mrs. Garnett Fairchild, treasurer, gave the financial report.

Prayer was asked for Cory Prater, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Prater, who has been a patient in a Lexington hospital. Cory is the great-grandson of Mrs. Hope Whitten, a member and former president of the Prestonsburg Kiwanians.

It was announced that the annual Heart Clinic, at the Floyd County Health Office, would be held in April, and Mrs. Myrtle Allen and Mrs. Maman Leslie agreed to help in the serving of snacks there at that time. This endeavor is a joint project of this group and the Prestonsburg Kiwanis Club, with churches of the community alternating in helping to furnish food.

Present for the luncheon and meeting were: Rose Adkins and Tammy Antle, guests, and: Ada Meade, Dorothy Osborne, Garnett Fairchild, Hope Whitten, Jane Wallace, Maman Leslie, Pearl Robertson, Annabelle Maggard, Lucy C. Regan, Myrtle Allen, Mildred Salisbury, Minerva Cooley, Julia Curtis, and Docia Woods.

The next luncheon-meeting will be Thursday, April 23, at 12:30 p.m., at this same location. Founders' Day will be observed at that time.

## Rose announces arrival of baby Janet Renee Meade

A rose on the altar of the First United Methodist Church during services there this past Sunday morning announced the arrival of Janet Renee Meade, born March 20, 1992, at the Highlands Regional Medical Center. She is the daughter of David and Melissa Meade and the great-granddaughter of Arthur and Carlos Haywood, of this church.

## An Invitation

Sunday's bulletin at the First Baptist Church (Irene Cole Memorial) contained this invitation:

"The Youth Department of First Baptist Church is extending to you an invitation to the Appreciation Dinner for the Owen Caudill family. The Caudills will be moving to the Lexington area the middle of next month. The dinner has been planned by the Youth Social Committee, Youth Sunday School teachers, and other adults. The dinner will be held in Fellowship Hall, following the morning service on April 5. If you and your family would like to attend we are asking that you provide two of these three items: salad, dessert, or vegetables. This family had a tremendous ministry to the youth of our church and this entire community. We feel it very fitting that we say, "Thank you" for their service to the cause of Christ in Prestonsburg. Please plan to join us next Sunday."

## Other announcements

•The GFWC/KFWC Prestonsburg Woman's Club regular meeting Thursday evening, April 2, at 8:30, with the executive board meeting at 8:00 p.m., Arts and Crafts House, at Archer Park;

•Annual Holy Week Services, April 13-17, at First Baptist Church (Irene Cole Memorial), with Easter Sunrise Services at Jenny Wiley State Park, on April 19;

•Prestonsburg Day Homemakers' meeting, Tuesday, April 14, at 1 p.m., at the First United Methodist Church;

•Annie Allen Circle WMU, First Baptist Church (Irene Cole Memorial) Monday evening, April 6, at 7 p.m., in Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church

•Miriam Rebekah Lodge #31, Tuesday evening, April 7, at 7 p.m., at the IOOF Hall;

•David Easter Egg hunt, April 12 (Palm Sunday), at 2:30 p.m.;

•Choir from Alice Lloyd College in concert, First United Methodist Church, Sunday, April 12, at 5 p.m., and

•United Methodist Women's meeting, April 6, at 7 p.m., and United Methodist Men's meeting, April 7, at 6:15, both at the First United Methodist Church.

•And remember the brunch by the Local Churchwomen, at the First Presbyterian Church Wednesday, April 1 (today) at 10:30 a.m., honoring Linda Harvey, Coordinator of Lexington Food Pantries.

## Adah Chapter #24 meets

Adah Chapter #24, Order of the Eastern Star, held its stated meeting, March 23, at the lodge hall, with Nell Hebner, worthy matron, presiding. Business was discussed. Food for the district school was assigned to those present. Prayer was requested for the sick. Three were no birthdays reported.

The door-prize was awarded to Jewell Bays. Refreshments were served in the dining hall. Those present for this meeting were: worthy matron Nell Hebner, worthy patron Ron Hebner, Patsy Evans, Jewell Bays, Billie Murdock, Mollie Hyden, Paulina Owens, and Lorena Wallen. The next meeting will be April 13, at 7 p.m., at the masonic hall.

## Attend practice

Adah Chapter's worthy matron, Nell Hebner and worthy patron, Ron Hebner, attended the first practice for District #5 School, at the Magoffin Chapter, on Sunday, March 29. The

district school will be held on April 11, at the Magoffin County High School.

# A Look at Our Past

by Docia Woods, Society Editor

## BONANZA

As far back as my generation can remember, Leander May had operated the Bonanza Post Office. When we moved to Bonanza, Louvada (May) Burke was "running" this office from a corner of one of the rooms of her home. Among those who succeeded her over the years were: Will Robinson, Johnie and Lona (Baldrige) Conley, Arthur and Irene (Crumrine) Baldrige, and Albert and Nannie (Collins) Spradlin.

"Six days a week, mail was carried by horseback from Cliff, at the mouth of Abbott, via Bonanza, to Brainard, on Middle Creek. Three days a week, it was carried in the same manner, from Gapville, in Magoffin County, via Myrtle, to Bonanza, and back.

"Whether the mail carriers, who generally arrived at our little village around noon, brought mail order catalogs, "Grit" newspapers, bills, "circulars," love letters, family letters — or nothing, this was one of the most exciting times in our lives.

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When my family arrived in Bonanza, a two-story general merchandise store was operated by Will and Margaret Robinson. Nearby, was a two-story building with the sign FAIRCHILD and HATCHER, which had once been a general merchandise store, owned and operated by George and Mary Hatcher, of Bonanza, and her brother, Den Fairchild and wife, of Allen. For several years, my father and mother, Henry and Lou Baldrige, operated a store in this latter building — selling groceries, drygoods, shoes, hats, hardware, coaloil, and many other kinds of merchandise.

"Many customers paid for their purchases with herbs, such as mayapple and lobelia, and with poultry and eggs, which were shipped from the depot at West Prestonsburg, to places like Calletsburg. (Sometimes girls in the community would write their names and addresses on eggs being shipped, boys would read them, and a correspondence would follow.)

"Some of the men in our little community thought of themselves as poets, and once penned this little verse:

"Robinson Post Office;" "Baldrige Street" "Hatcher Hotel," "And nothing to eat." (I'd like to hastily add that the last two lines of this verse must've been written to "make the poem rhyme," for better

food could not have been put on a table than that prepared by Mary Hatcher, and her daughter Ora Lee, for persons who ate at the Hatcher Hotel, where a large sign with HATCHER HOTEL on it, hung in front of the 8-roomed house, and for \$2.50, traveling salesman (whom we all referred to as "Drummers") could get an over-night's lodging, supper and breakfast, and food for their horses.

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## Children's Miracle Network

The Prestonsburg Wal-Mart will sponsor a series of fund-raising activities for the Children's Miracle Network including a walk-a-thon, a car wash and a hot dog stand.

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# Society Events

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Dwale, Jack Howard; Dotson, Everett Dotson; Drift, McDowell, Jum Station, and Star Bottom, Sally Miller; East Point, Leatha Kendrick; Eureka, Wanda Hunt Lafferty; Garrett, Mrs. Hollie Conley; Harold, Tram, Joe Hinchman; Hi Hat, (Clear Creek), Delphia Newman; Hippo, Monroe Vanderpool; Hunter, Gloria Jean Salisbury; John's Creek, Norma S. Stepp, Virginia S. Goble, Mae S. Kenderick, and Opal S. May (the "Spears Sisters");

Justell, Tom Hardwick; Lackey, Maytown, Mrs. Thurnal Click; Ligon, Draxie Newsome; Mare Creek (Stanville), Mrs. Leonard Roberts; Martin, Marge Sammons; Melvin, Weeksbury, Mabel Burger; Middle Creek, Lorna Honeycutt and Everett Dotson; Minnie, Edith Hopkins; Orkney, Anna Sue Stumbo; Prestonsburg, Pauline Burchett; Printer, (Salisbury Station), John Spurlock; Wayland, Mrs. Otto Martin, and Rexine Campbell; and Wheelwright, Carol Stumbo.

## John Graham Chapter NSDAR holds business-luncheon meeting

The John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, held a business-luncheon meeting at May Lodge, on Monday, March 16, at noon. The regent, Mrs. Carl R. Horn, presided.

Chaplain pro-tem Frances Brackett led the DAR rituals; the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the USA was led by Mrs. Fannie Runnels, and the American's Creed by Miss Alice Harris.

Mrs. Brackett introduced Stephen R. Brackett, District Forester, Kentucky Division of Forestry, assisted by Tim Justice, Floyd County Ranger, who presented a film on natural resources, and explained services rendered by the division. Brackett pointed out that timber is a high resource value for our county, and that we should all protect our forests. Floyd County has the second highest amount of forest fires in the Commonwealth of Kentucky. He explained that Floyd County fire de-

partments are given equipment and services from their division. The fire departments, if needed, are deputized to assist with local forest fires within their division. Each member present was presented with a Smokey insignia.

The Regent presented Brackett with a National Society NSDAR Certificate, honoring his locating and placing government stones for four Revolutionary soldiers in Floyd, Johnson, and Lawrence Counties under his services as vice president of KSSAR. She also presented the Bicentennial coin to both Brackett and Justice.

The Regent presented Mrs. Fannie Runnels with her 90-year birthday certificate, sent to her by State Chaplain, Mrs. Charles F. Gibson.

Mrs. Virginia S. Goble, Good Citizen Chairman, read a thank-you note from Carter Hamilton, 1992 Good Citizen. The Regent read an invitation from Breathitt County DAR to attend a reception on April 5, from 2-4 p.m., at Jackson.

The Regent announced that, in honor of the 200th birthday of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, John Graham Chapter, Ashland Chapter SAR, and Floyd County 4-H Clubs, in a cooperative effort with the Kentucky Division of Forestry, were offering each of the 20 Floyd County

Schools one free red oak tree for its campus, to be planted near the date of Arbor Day, April 3.

At the 96th DAR State Conference, Marriott Resort, Lexington, John Graham won a certificate on 100 percent participation in the State Regent's project. Frances Brackett's essay, "Pioneer Heroine — Jenny Wiley" placed 1st in Kentucky and tied for 1st place with Indiana in the South Central Division. Regent Eleanor Horn, along with other Sixth District regents, was in charge of luncheon and banquet decorations, and Virginia S. Goble, past state organizing secretary, was in charge of all reservations. Brackett, state registrar, and Lucille Gibson, state chaplain from Georgetown, conducted the memorial service for 134 deceased Kentucky Daughters, and on behalf of state regent, Mary Ann Stokes of Louisville, presented president General Marie Yochum, of Washington, D. C. a hand-quilted quilt by Mildred Powers of Calf Creek. Brackett was host to Mississippi state regent, Margaret J. Demoville, who accompanied her to a tea at Duncan Tavern, Paris. At the end of the conference, Brackett was inducted as sixth district director.

Get-well cards were mailed to Maurine Mayo, Vivian Hale, Olga

Preston, and Dorothy Osborne.

Fannie Runnels gave the invocation for lunch. Guests attending were Steve Brackett, Tim Justice, and Mrs. Robert Wellman. Members attending were Horn, Brackett, Goble, Harris, Runnell, and Mae S. Kendrick.

The next meeting will be held at May Lodge, April 20, 1992 at 6 p.m., in a joint meeting with Ashland Chapter SAR. Hostesses will be Pamela Wohlford, and Margaret Spradlin.

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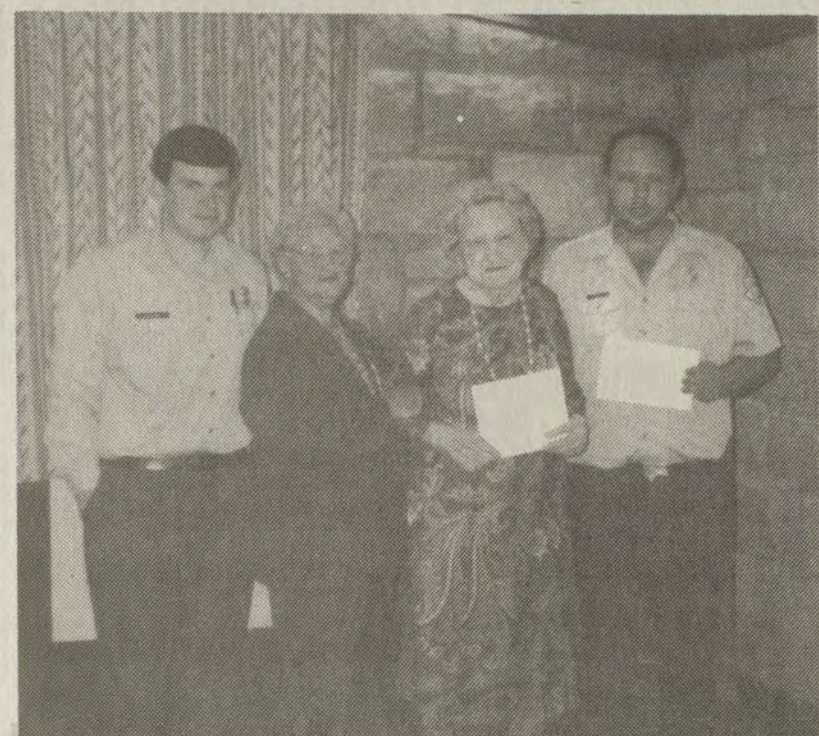
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Business-luncheon meeting

Pictured in the photograph, from left, are Tim Justice, Eleanor Horn, Fannie Runnels, and Steve Brackett as they attended a business-luncheon meeting of John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park on March 16.

## April homemakers schedule is listed

•The Allen Homemaker's Club will meet on Thursday, April 2, at the church at 1:00 p.m.

•The Hi Hat Homemaker's Club will meet on Thursday, April 2, at 6:30 p.m. in the Hi Hat Community Building. Hostesses will be Henrietta Gibson, Margaret Bentley and Margie Gibson.

•The Floyd County Extension District Board will meet on Friday, April 3 at 6:00 p.m. at May Lodge.

•The Auxier Homemakers will meet on Monday, April 6, at 7 p.m. The hostesses will be Helen Music and Sue Wells.

•The East Point Homemakers will meet on Tuesday, April 7, at 12:30 p.m. at the church.

•The Grethel Homemakers will meet on Tuesday, April 7, at 6:30 p.m. at the church.

•The County 4-H Talk Meet will be held, Wednesday, April 8, at 6:30 p.m. at Maytown Grade School.

•The Maytown Homemakers will meet on April 8, at 6:30 p.m. for a Saw Blade Work Shop.

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People die, but books never die. No man and no force can abolish memory.

—Franklin Roosevelt

# Bicentennial

## A HEAVILY FORESTED REGION

Kentucky lies in the great hardwood forest region between the Allegheny Mountains and the western prairies. Before white settlement, three-fourths of the state is said to have been covered with forests unsurpassed in Eastern North America for the size of individual trees.

In the early years of the state's history, the Appalachian highlands and the river valleys grew heavy stands of an unusually wide variety of trees—oaks, maples, walnuts, pine, beech, ash, black cherry, and hickory, among others. History relates some hollow sycamores were so large families could camp in them until

cabins were built.

Logging and lumbering were among Kentucky's most profitable industries in the early 1800's, but

unchecked timber cutting resulted in the loss of much forest land. Early settlers built their homes, fences, and outbuildings of logs and cleared large stretches for agricultural purposes.

Though there is very little primeval forest left, improved timber management programs and reforestation efforts are in place to ensure that Kentucky's forests remain a renewable resource. Today the state has some 11.9 million acres of commercial forest land, that covers about 47 percent of the state.



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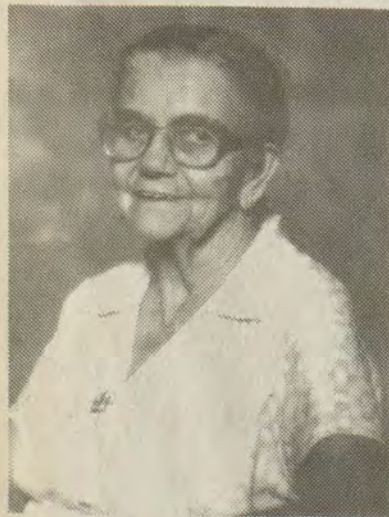
By D. A. Woodliff  
From The Sword of the Lord

Modern technology since World War II has brought our nation a high standard of living, never before realized in the history of the world. Americans enjoy a lifestyle previously enjoyed only by royalty. With a twist of a knob, genie-like machines wash and dry our clothes and dishes, provide instant heat, instant meals, instant entertainment, and instant transportation; but technology has two faces. We sacrifice, for our easier gadget-filled lives, the satisfaction of sincere human relationships.

Today, we know most of our neighbors only as the shadowy figures encased inside of automobiles driving down the street. Neighborhood children are strangers who disappear into their houses after school to watch TV and spend summers traveling or at camp. Due to the postwar mobility of people, these neighbors change frequently and leave little of their identity behind.

Life was harder in the prewar years, with few labor-saving devices; but perhaps we remember those years with fondness because people interacted with, and had faith in, people rather than machines. People knew their neighbors and could depend upon them in times of need. Children, known by name, could be seen playing sand-lot baseball on corner lots or following the ice wagons on hot days. Families sat on their front porches on summer evenings, exchanging conversation with passing neighbors on their way to the drugstore for ice cream before listening to Fibber McGee and Molly on the radio.

Of all the conveniences that modern technology has provided the American family, I believe the clothes dryer is most responsible for neighbors not knowing one another. In the prewar years, Monday was wash day in my neighborhood. Housewives strung clotheslines across their yards while chattering and gossiping with the neighbors. Preschool children would wander from yard to yard as their mothers called to each other over their wet wash and scolded children for running between the sheets. The air smelled of Fels Naptha soap as the clothes danced and billowed in the breeze.



### 90th birthday

Evelyn Hall of Jacks Creek, celebrated her 90th birthday on Saturday, March 27, at her home with her family and a host of friends.

As the clotheslines provided social communication between neighbors, they also provided a sort of neighborhood newspaper. Neighbors knew how to read the clotheslines and knew what social action to take from the news they read there. For example, lines of fluttering white squares and tiny blue blankets broadcasted to all that the Wagners had a new son. (Many times now we are unaware of a new baby in the neighborhood as cars replace baby carriages for outings and diapers are either machine dried or disposable.)

No one would have to organize a shower for Mrs. Wagner. Neighbors would stop by frequently with handmade gifts, casseroles or an offer of aid. Watching Mr. Wagner awkwardly hanging the wash for a few weeks after the baby's birth provoked humorous, yet tender smiles from the neighbor ladies.

Clotheslines carried another kind of news, like when Mary Lou's tiny dresses disappeared from the Mitchells' line. Mary Lou had died of leukemia. People today feel embarrassed and self-conscious about approaching a neighbor they hardly know, to offer condolences upon a death in the family. The deceased is removed to a formal funeral home, and too quickly the neighborhood forgets. Mary Lou was known and missed by her neighbors. They cried with her family and consoled each other. Her clothes missing from the line were a constant reminder of her absence.

Clotheslines announced a new bride in the neighborhood by the newness of her linen.

An overabundance of nightclothes and bed linen meant someone was ill. The neighbor ladies would stop by and welcome the bride with their favorite chocolate cake recipes and prepare soup or little gifts for the sick.

Pink undershirts and grey towels hung crookedly over the clothesline told everyone that Mr. Browne's wife was off visiting her mother in St. Louis again. Women would send over dinner for Mr. Browne along with washing instructions.

When more and more patches appeared on the weekly wash of Mrs. Frey, the neighbors knew her husband was having no luck finding a job. Mrs. Frey didn't feel ashamed to accept the outgrown clothes of her neighbors' children, or the casseroles the good people sent. People helped people in time of need. Mrs. Frey would help her neighbors in the same way when hard times hit them.

Modern technology has made it possible for us to pick up our daily paper and read about people thousands of miles away in some remote corner of the world. Strangely, we feel we know those people better than the family living down the street. Regardless of how advanced communication has become, no newspaper has brought people together more than the old Clotheslines Gazette. The backyard newspaper involved neighbors in neighborhood problems, joys and sorrows. Within the last twenty-five years, the Clothesline Gazette has folded as neighbors learned to depend on machines rather than people.

## BETSY LAYNE SENIOR CITIZENS Darlene Walker

**Bus schedule:**  
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Thursday: Betsy Layne area.  
Friday: Little Mud and Toler areas.  
Monday: Branhams Creek area.  
Tuesday: Prater Creek area.

## WAYLAND AREA SENIOR CITIZENS Mildred Halbert, director

**Activities**  
Wednesday, April 1: Home delivery of meals and yard sale  
Thursday, April 2: Yard sale continues  
Friday, April 3: Yard sale concludes  
Monday, April 6: Bingo and exercise  
Tuesday, April 7: Shopping

**Bus schedule**  
Wednesday: Stone Coal, Estill, Garrett  
Thursday: Stone, Coal, Garrett, Estill  
Friday: Topmost, Dry Creek, Raven, Dema  
Monday: Saltlick, Garrett, Hueysville, Stone Coal, Rock Fork  
Tuesday: Knott County, Rock Fork

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## MARTIN SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER

**Bus schedule**  
Wednesday: 8 a.m., Martin; 8:30, McDowell.

Thursday: 8 a.m., Martin; 8:30, Maytown, Stephens Branch and Bucks Branch.

Friday: 8 a.m., Martin; 8:30, McDowell.

Monday: 8 a.m., Martin; 8:30, Allen.

Tuesday: 8 a.m., Martin; 8:30, Maytown, Stephens Branch, Bucks Branch.

## SENIORS, COME TO THE JENNY WILEY THEATRE

Seniors, you can now go to the theatre mid-day! All new this year for the first time, Jenny Wiley Theatre will be having luncheon matinees from June 25 to July 17 for groups of ninety or more in the Wilkinson - Stumbo Convention Center located in Jenny Wiley State Resort Park, Prestonsburg.

A buffet-style lunch will be provided by the Jenny Wiley State Resort Park at noon and the performance, Greater Tuna, the theatre's first non-musical comedy will follow.

Group ticket prices for adult and seniors are \$18 and students \$16. So, come to the show! For reservations and group information, call 606-886-9274.

## Sherman promoted to rank of major

Rodney D. Sherman, a test officer at Fort Hood, Texas, has been promoted in the U.S. Army to the rank of major.

He is the son of Inman J. and Sarah V. Sherman of London and his wife Marsha is the daughter of Clifford E. Wright of Prestonsburg.

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Admitting to yourself that this is a sign of growing older is hard for many to accept. All these years you thought reading glasses were only for grandma's and grandpa's.

In 1840 Gutenberg immigrated to the United States from Germany and brought with him the printing press. This introduced a new method by which writing was reduced in size.

Ben Franklin had two pair of eyeglasses. One for distance vision and one for near vision. With this smaller print he now had two simultaneous problems. He wanted to look down and see the small printed documents, and be able to look up and see clearly far away.

He cut both his reading lenses and distance lenses in half and mounted them together with cement in the eyeglass frame. The bottom lens for near vision and the top lens for distance. Thus Ben Franklin is given the credit for inventing bifocals. Now he could look down to read small print and look above the bifocal to see far away.

Fortunately, we don't have to reinvent the bifocal, but bifocals can be frustrating to get used to. In the present age of miniaturization the demand on vision is greater than ever before. Imagine living before the year 1800 when glasses were not even available. In today's society bifocals are necessary to be able to see telephone books, schematic drawings, small electrical parts, labels on medicine and foods. Thank you for this frustration Mr. Franklin.

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## Controlling aging

10 ways to help retain youth and prolong the onset of aging.

**1 Muscle mass:** Americans tend to lose 6.6 pounds of lean body mass each year, with the rate accelerating after 45. **Control factor: exercise**

**2 Strength:** The average person loses 30 percent of his muscles and nerves between age 20 and 70. Strength and size of remaining cells can be increased. **Control factor: more exercise**

**3 Calories:** At age 70 a person needs 500 fewer calories per day to maintain body weight. **Control factor: reduce calorie intake**

**4 Body fat:** The average 65-year-old sedentary woman's body is 43 percent fat compared to 25 percent at age 25. **Control factor: convert fat into muscle by exercising.**

**5 Blood pressure:** Most Americans show an increase of blood pressure with age. **Control factor: Exercise.**

**6 Blood-sugar tolerance:** Some diabetes cases caused by an increase in body fat and loss of muscle mass. **Control factors: Exercise; diet.**

**7 Cholesterol:** Bad cholesterol leads to heart disease, good cholesterol helps protect against it. **Control factors: Low fat diet; exercise.**

**8 Temperature:** The body's ability to regulate temperature declines with age. **Control factors: Regular exercise; diet.**

**9 Bone density:** Bones lose mineral content and become weaker with age. **Control factors: Proper calcium; stress exercises.**

**10 Aerobic capacity:** The body's efficient use of oxygen declines by 30-40 percent by age 65. **Control factor: Aerobic exercise.**  
SOURCE: Chicago Tribune, 'Biomarkers' by William Evans, PHD and Irwin H. Rosenberg, M.D.

## Shopping tips for spring clothing

If you plan to visit a garage sale or flea market this spring, the National Safety Council suggests being on the look out for "hand-me-down-hazards."

Do not buy electric appliances that have exposed or frayed wires. Be sure that the plug is in good condition. For example, if the grounding

plug (the third prong) has been cut off, the appliance may still work but may be dangerous.

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# Breaking the cycle of abuse

(Information for this series was provided by the Floyd County Extension Service.)

## BE A POSITIVE INFLUENCE

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There is an enormous amount of abuse afoot in today's world. You play a vital role in countering this negativity, in making our world a safer, healthier place for all of us. The little things you do make a big difference. Keep on being a positive force! Here are some thoughts that may assist you.

## HEALTHY LAUGHTER & FROM-THE-HEART SMILES

Good natured humor and the willingness to laugh at yourself are relaxing, refreshing and healing. The ancient proverb, "A merry heart doeth good like medicine," has been confirmed by modern science. Laboratory evidence demonstrates that laughter has a positive effect on the cardiovascular system, the muscle system, the respiratory system, the central nervous system, the endocrine system and the immune system. Even a sincere smile has an energizing, strengthening effect on both the smiler and on those who receive the smile.

## THE GRATITUDE ATTITUDE

So easily we take our loved ones, our friendships, our health, and life's many other blessings for granted. The gratitude attitude is a decision to appreciate the wonders and gifts of life. It is a continual attitude of inward thankfulness for the opportunity each moment brings. Make every day Thanksgiving Day.

Get together with a small group of friends or family members. Invite each person to bring to mind someone who has been special to him or her. Then, one by one, let group members tell who their special person is and why.

\*Allow yourself 10 minutes to write a spontaneous note of appreciation to a loved one, neighbor, friend or co-worker.

\*Take a walk in a pleasant outdoor area. Focus on the beauty of nature—the sunshine, trees, flowers, breezes and other miracles of your natural surroundings.

## PLAYING & BEING SILLY

Write a silly note and put it on the refrigerator. Go down a sliding board, swing, blow bubbles, hug a tree, skip pebbles over the water, smell a flower and gently brush it against your face. Let the wonderful little child in you come out and play.

## WORDS OF ACCEPTANCE

To convey the message, "I like you just the way you are," is a powerful statement of love. It builds confidence, encourages creativity and strengthens relationships. In particular, parents need to give children the gift of acceptance. In their book *How To Build a House of Hearts*, Doris Jasinek and Pamela Bell Ryan convey parental acceptance in the words of a child:

He likes me just the way I am! When I quit guitar lessons, he said, "Everyone's not into music." When I didn't get a B in algebra, he said, "Math was hard for me too." When I didn't make the soccer team, he said, "Let's go shoot some baskets." When I said I wanted to draw cartoons instead of studying to be a doctor, he said, "Fine! When you really like what you do, you'll do it well. He likes me just the way I am; it feels good to be me. I like me just the way I am.

## WORDS OF APPRECIATION & ENCOURAGEMENT

Sincere words of appreciation and encouragement are contagious. Help start an epidemic; use words like these on a regular basis: Nice job! I like your hair that way. Thanks a bunch; I really appreciate you doing that for me. I'm proud of you. Wow! You're very good at that. Congratulations! Couldn't have done it that well myself. It's really good having you around. Excellent! You're getting better each time.

## THE BRIGHT SIDE

Look on the bright side of life. Many situations become either positive or negative based on our interpretation. When you can reasonably do so, choose a positive interpretation. Look for the silver lining. Remember that our interpretations often become a self-fulfilling prophecy. Here are examples of positive versus negative ways of perceiving:

Negative Interpretation	Positive Interpretation
stubborn	determined
a bossy person	a leader
fearful	cautious
a problem	an opportunity
it's horrible	it's inconvenient
she doesn't care	she's very busy

## AUTHENTICITY SKILL BUILDERS

To be authentic means to be real, to be without pretense, to be truly honest. It means we don't have to waste energy hiding parts of ourselves from others. Authenticity means that what we do matches up with what we say, and what we say matches up with what we are thinking. Authenticity brings peace, aliveness, creativity and energy.

Sounds good, doesn't it! How do we make it happen? First, we need to realize that most of us have some growing to do in this area. For example, according to a recent national survey, 91 percent of Americans lie regularly, at work and at home. Think about that. If you want to develop more authenticity, challenge yourself to work in sequence on the following levels of authenticity.

**Level 1.** Say behind a person's back only what you would willingly say to the person's face.

**Level 2.** Say behind an individual's back only what you could say with kindness to that person's face.

**Level 3.** Only think thoughts about a person if you would willingly express those same thoughts directly to the individual.

**Level 4.** Only think thoughts about a person that you could lovingly share directly with him or her.

**Level 5.** Assume that everyone (including small children, Aunt Susie,

I have to the person in a coma) can read your mind.

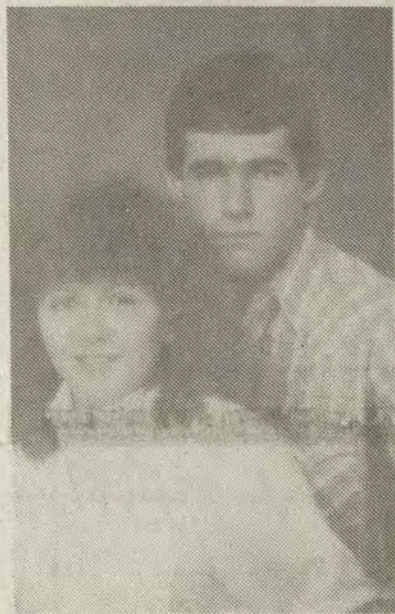
## BEHOLD BEAUTY EVERYWHERE

Wherever you are, focus on what is noble and positive so that you may absorb these qualities. Drink in the many forms of beauty surrounding you in nature. When problems need attention, deal with them. Don't, however, dwell needlessly on negativity. The more skilled you become in seeing positive traits in people, the more these qualities develop in them and in yourself.

## BE GOOD TO YOU!

- Take a day off work and do whatever you want.
- Avoid rushing yourself and others.
- Yank the TV cord.
- Spend time outside: Nature heals and revitalizes.
- Give to someone less fortunate than yourself.
- Exchange neck and shoulder rubs with a friend.
- Tell a good-natured joke.
- Learn to be comfortable saying no.
- Start taking a daily period for quiet time.
- Roll down a hill, sing, play in the sand.
- Think about people you love.
- Stand up tall and take a big stretch.
- Hug a friend.
- Take your favorite little person to the zoo.

# Watson, Allen to wed



Rita Watson and James Allen

Wendell and Brenda Watson of David and Rev. Gary and Judy Allen of Stephens Branch announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their children, Rita Gail Watson and James Michael Allen.

Miss Watson is a graduate of Prestonsburg High School and Eastern Kentucky University. She is employed as a paramedic.

Mr. Allen is a graduate of Allen Central High School and is co-owner of Roll-Crawl, Inc.

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# County kettle

**Less is more pizza**  
When pizza comes to mind, most of us envision mounds of toppings like pepperoni, tomato sauce and mozzarella cheese. But pizza can be much more interesting than that. Think of the crust as a blank canvas ready for the creative touch of the artistic cook.

"Like modern art, sometimes less is more—even on a pizza," explained Linda Carman, director of consumer affairs for Martha White Foods. "Instead of loading a pizza with everything you can think of, try using a few choice toppings for a more delicate, sophisticated flavor."

These more simple pizzas are versatile and can even serve as a stylish appetizer, main dish or new style bread.

The Martha White Kitchen home economists offer four recipes that showcase pizza in this whole new light. They all start with pizza crust mix, so you don't have to allow hours for making a yeast dough.

Do you usually serve rolls at dinner? You can really fool your guests with a "fancy" focaccia or Italian flat bread. It's essentially pizza crust baked with only a drizzling of olive oil, minced garlic and herbs. Of course, toppings are limited to your imagination. Others might include melted butter and sesame seeds or a little coarse salt or grated Parmesan cheese. The crunchy, chewy bread makes a great snack or appetizer.

Pizza Margherita, the Neapolitan classic, is simply the combination of tomatoes, mozzarella cheese and basil. Named after Queen Margherita, it was her favorite because the toppings were the colors of the Italian flag—red, green and white. Fruity

olive oil, fresh garlic and fresh basil are musts for authentic flavor. Garden fresh Roma tomatoes make the best pizza; however, good canned tomatoes will do just fine.

Or, for a new taste, try Sweet Onion Swiss Pizza which is reminiscent of warming French onion soup. The onions are sauteed until sweet and caramelized and they become sweeter as the pizza bakes. Fresh parsley adds a good color contrast and fresh flavor.

Three Herb and Cheese Pizza makes a trendy appetizer when sliced into thin wedges or small squares. Feta, Swiss and Parmesan cheeses and rosemary, thyme and basil are the trios that comprise its sophisticated flavor. Serve as an interesting substitute for ordinary breads and crackers with soup or salad. Olive slivers add an extra zing of flavor.

For a leaflet of delicious breakfast bread recipes write for Festive Breakfast Breads, Martha White Kitchen, P.O. Box 58, Dept. 292, Nashville, Tennessee 37202.

## FOCACCIA

1 package (6.5 ounces) Martha White Pizza Crust Mix  
1/2 cup hot tap water  
1 teaspoon vegetable oil  
Melted butter or olive oil  
Select from the following toppings:  
Melted butter or olive oil  
Herbs such as rosemary, thyme, basil, oregano, sage  
Minced fresh garlic or garlic powder  
Coarse salt  
Black pepper  
Grated Parmesan cheese  
Sesame seeds

Preheat oven to 500°F. Grease a 12-inch pizza pan or large baking sheet. Combine pizza crust mix and hot water in mixing bowl. Stir vigorously with a fork until blended (about 30 strokes). Form into a ball and grease with about 1 teaspoon oil. Cover and set in a warm place for 5 minutes. Press dough evenly into a 9- or 12-inch circle on the prepared pan or baking sheet using greased hands. Drizzle dough with melted butter or olive oil. Sprinkle with desired toppings. Bake on lowest oven rack until golden brown, about 12 minutes for the 9-inch pizza or about 10 minutes for the 12-inch. Remove from baking sheet onto wire rack to cool slightly. Cut into slices on board. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

## PIZZA MARGHERITA

1 package (6.5 ounces) Martha White Pizza Crust Mix  
1/2 cup hot tap water  
Olive oil  
1 can (14.5 ounces) whole peeled tomatoes, crushed to release juices and well drained  
1 large clove garlic, minced (about 2 teaspoons)  
3 tablespoons coarsely chopped fresh basil, or 1 teaspoon dried basil  
Salt and pepper, to taste  
4 ounces mozzarella, Monterey Jack or Muenster cheese, thinly sliced and cut into 1-inch pieces

Preheat oven to 500°F. Grease a large baking sheet. Combine pizza crust mix and hot water in mixing bowl. Stir vigorously with a fork until blended (about 30 strokes). Form into a ball and grease with about 1 teaspoon olive oil. Cover and set in a warm place for 5 minutes. Press dough evenly into a 12 x 9-inch rectangle on prepared baking sheet using greased hands. Pinch edges to form a rim. Drizzle olive oil lightly over dough using about 2 teaspoons; spread evenly with fingertips. Sprinkle with garlic. Gently tear tomatoes into pieces and arrange over dough. Sprinkle with basil and salt and pepper, to taste. Top with cheese. Bake on lowest oven rack 10 to 14 minutes or until crust is golden brown and cheese is melted. Remove from baking sheet onto wire rack to cool



## Homemade flavor

Add style to your menu with Three Cheese and Herb Pizza, Sweet Onion Swiss Pizza or classic Pizza Margherita made easy with Martha White Pizza Crust Mix.

slightly. Cut into slices on board. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

## SWEET ONION SWISS PIZZA

2 cups thinly sliced onion  
1 package (6.5 ounces) Martha White Pizza Crust Mix  
1/2 cup hot tap water  
Olive oil  
3 ounces Swiss cheese, thinly sliced and cut into 1-inch pieces  
1 tablespoon chopped fresh parsley

Preheat oven to 500°F. Grease a large baking sheet or pizza pan. Heat 1 tablespoon olive oil in skillet. Add onions and cook over medium heat until softened and golden brown, about 5 to 8 minutes; set aside to cool. Combine pizza crust mix and hot water in mixing bowl. Stir vigorously with a fork until blended (about 30 strokes). Form into a ball and grease with about 1 teaspoon olive oil. Cover and set in a warm place for 5 minutes. Press dough evenly into 9-inch circle on prepared baking sheet using greased hands. Pinch edges to form a rim. Arrange cheese over dough. Top with onions. Sprinkle with parsley. Bake on lowest oven rack 12 to 14 minutes, or until crust is golden brown and cheese is melted. Remove from baking sheet to wire rack to cool slightly. Cut into slices on board. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

## THREE CHEESE AND HERB PIZZA

1 package (6.5 ounces) Martha White Pizza Crust Mix  
1/2 cup hot tap water  
Olive oil  
1 large clove garlic, minced (about 2 teaspoons)  
2 ounces Feta cheese, crumbled  
2 ounces Swiss cheese, thinly sliced and cut into 1-inch pieces  
1 tablespoon grated Parmesan cheese  
1/2 teaspoon dried basil  
1/2 teaspoon dried thyme  
1/2 teaspoon dried rosemary, crushed

1/4 cup slivered ripe olives  
Preheat oven to 500°F. Grease a large baking sheet or pizza pan. Combine pizza crust mix and hot water in mixing bowl. Stir vigorously with a fork until blended (about

30 strokes). Form into a ball and grease with about 1 teaspoon olive oil. Cover and set in a warm place for 5 minutes. Press dough evenly into 11-inch circle on prepared baking sheet with greased hands. Pinch edges to form a rim. Drizzle olive oil lightly over dough. Using about two teaspoons, spread evenly with fingertips. Sprinkle garlic over dough. Arrange cheeses over dough. Sprinkle with herbs. Top with olives. Bake on lowest oven rack 10 to 14 minutes, or until crust is golden brown and cheeses are melted. Remove from baking sheet to wire rack to cool slightly. Cut into slices on board. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

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Yogurt, fruit flavored, lowfat (1 cup)	314	Cheese, Swiss (1 oz)	272
Milk, skim (1 cup)	302	Cheese, Cheddar (1 oz)	204
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## total nutrition

### Sweating Through the Exercise Myths

Keeping fit can be confusing these days what with all the myths about exercise, says Mary Helen Gunkler, registered dietitian and staff nutritionist for Total cereal. Here are just a few of the myths and the truth about them.

• Myth: No pain—no gain.  
• Fact: Exercise doesn't have to hurt to be effective. In fact, experts often strongly recommend against exercise that causes pain and strain.

• Myth: Special exercises can rid the body of fat in specific areas.  
• Fact: Fat is burned at a somewhat uniform rate throughout the body no matter what exercise is performed.

• Myth: When muscles are developed through exercise and then the exercise routine is stopped, the muscles will turn into fat.  
• Fact: Once exercise is stopped, the hard muscles developed by exercising may soften, but they won't turn into fat. If the diet remains the same, fewer calories will be burned and more will be stored as fat, which may create the illusion that those once hard muscles have become fat.

• Myth: Running a mile burns more calories than walking a mile.  
• Fact: Actually the calories used are much the same. A 150-pound person will burn approximately 80 calories by walking a mile or 90 calories by running a mile.

• Gunkler concludes by saying it's no myth that regular exercise can contribute to improved health for most people, no matter what the age. Exercise strengthens muscles, helps control body weight and builds endurance of the lungs, heart and circulatory system.

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# Farm & Family

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Good prose is like a window pane.  
—George Orwell

## Contest will help students learn about agriculture

Kentucky elementary students will have the opportunity to learn more about agriculture, one of Kentucky's most important industries, by participating in a contest sponsored by the Kentucky Department of Agriculture.

In recognition of National Agriculture Week, March 15-20, the department will sponsor a writing competition for grades 1-5 and a painting competition for grades K-5 based on the following theme: Think of the things you eat, wear, or use every day that come from a farm. Write or draw a picture about how the farmer provide these things.

"We hope this contest will be used to teach students about agriculture," said Agriculture Commissioner Ed Logsdon. "Most people today are two or three generations removed from farm life and have little idea how food and clothing is produced. With so many budgetary and environmental decisions affecting agriculture, it is important to have a population educated as to how the most essential items in their lives come to the dinner table. This is particularly important to Kentucky, since agriculture in this state is a major part of the economy."

"We hope that teachers will take the opportunity during National Agriculture Week to include lessons focusing on agriculture. The contest is designed so that students can use what they learn during that week to develop their writing and creative art skills. I feel this is a good example of how education and agriculture can work together to help Kentucky students," Logsdon said.

Entries for the contests will be accepted until April 1. A state winner for each grade in both of the competitions will then be selected by a panel of judges representing education and agriculture. Winners will be made Honorary Commissioners of Agriculture at a luncheon in Frankfort and the winning entries will be published in the Department's newspaper, Kentucky Agricultural News. For more information, contact Millie Mattingly at (502) 564-4696.

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## County Harvest

By Dale Langford  
Scripps Howard News Service

### GARDENING OFFERS UNLIMITED BENEFITS

For weeks you've been bombarded with pictures and articles on the new vegetables, flowers and fruits.

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There's nothing to be ashamed of with the thumb business. Millions of Americans—from backyard gardens to condo porches, town-house patios and high-rise apartment lanais—are feeling the spring urge.

The benefits that go along with gardening are legion. Tender, small beets, along with their tops, are a glory never found in a grocery-shelf can.

Supermarkets must present produce, like cabbages, resilient enough to be dribbled like a basketball from the field to the counter. Such is not the case when you choose a more tender variety that's only expected to make it from your garden to the kitchen table.

Aside from tenderness and flavor, home-harvested produce can yield more vitamins, minerals and nutrition. Of course, this requires proper preparation that avoids overcooking

in large amounts of water that is then poured off. No vegetable or fruit can overcome such treatment and pass along its health benefits.

Digging, seeding, weeding and watering are good exercise. Perhaps it doesn't equal the power machines at the health spa, but the air is certainly fresher and the sunshine is for real.

Not only does gardening provide physical benefits, it's a proven mental-health exercise. The earliest planters must have smiled tranquilly as they spotted carrots, tomatoes or potatoes starting to grow.

It's an opportunity, too, for a family activity. Kids can be motivated with fast-growing and quickly-harvested plants. And if grandpa gets bored with the couch-potato scene, there's no law against his trying a hand at turning the extra strawberries into jam or learning to make fruit leathers.

With all the new varieties available, almost any vegetable can be grown in a container. A 6-foot bamboo stake in a pot with a tall tomato plant will do wonders on a sunny apartment lanai. The plant can be tied to the support stake as it grows and fresh tomatoes will grace the table.

Trellising is another way to capitalize on lots of produce from a small space. If you can't grow out, then let it grow up. Ornamental gourds, miniature pumpkins or watermelons, cucumbers and zucchini can all be trellis-grown, along with traditional peas and green beans.

Now is the time to plan. Lots of help is available. Your local county extension office has bulletins covering varieties, planting steps, building raised gardens and handling the harvest. Garden outlets, and most bookstores, carry many reasonably-priced garden books full of "how to" ideas in full color. Seed companies are getting into the book business. Both Burpee and Northrup King have a fine series of paperback releases.

## Coffee tree to be planted at Stumbo Park

The Floyd County Cooperative Extension Service in conjunction with the Floyd County 4-H Council will hold a ceremonial planting of a Bicentennial Coffee Tree at Stumbo Park at Allen on April 3. Begning ceremonies are tentatively scheduled for noon.

Please join in as Floyd County celebrates Kentucky's 200th birthday.

## Seventeenth annual Home and Garden Show Works with habitat for humanity to

### "Build A Better Future"

Today, April 1, the Central Kentucky Home and Garden Show opens in Lexington for its seventeenth year. What began as a small trade show in 1975, has blossomed into an entertainment extravaganza with over 300 exhibitors showcasing products and service to enliven your home and garden.

The theme of this year's Home and Garden Show is "Building a Better Future" and with good reason. As in the past, an entire home will be constructed inside Rupp Arena. But this year's home will have a very special meaning. It's being built for a Lexington Habitat for Humanity partner family and built entirely by Habitat for Humanity volunteers.

A portion of every paid admission goes to Lexington Habitat for Humanity to help build this and other homes. Show exhibitors have donated many wonderful items — ranging from an 8' x 12' mini barn to a garden pond to an Oriental rug — that will be displayed throughout the home. Individuals may bid on these items at each exhibitors booth. All the money raised from this silent auction will go directly to Lexington Habitat for Humanity for this and future home building projects.

Additional displays included Eco-Home, which demonstrates practical recycling methods, and the Columbia Gas Treasure Chest.

Show dates are Wednesday through Friday, April 1-3 from 5-11 p.m., Saturday, April 4, noon until 11 p.m., and Sunday, April 5, noon until 7 p.m. Admission is \$5 at the ticket window, free for children ages 14 and under. Senior Citizens may attend the show at a discount rate of \$3 Wednesday and Thursday nights.

## Federal-State Market News

Wednesday, March 25, 1992  
Gateway Livestock Market

Cattle and calve receipts: 933  
Receipts for the week: 1436

Cattle weight at time of sale compared to last week: Slaughter cows and bulls, steady, feeder steers under 600 lbs., \$1-2 higher; over 600 lbs., steady with a limited test; feeder heifers, fully steady.

SLAUGHTER COWS: breaking Utility and Commercial, 2-4, \$47-51.50; high cutter and boning utility, 1-3, \$50-55; Cutter, 1-2, \$45.50-50; Canner and low cutter, \$40-45.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: individual yield grade 1, 1730-2205 lbs. indicating 80-82 carcass boning percent \$67-71; yield grade 1-2, 1440-1615 lbs. indicating 78-80 percent \$61.50-67; yield grade 2, 1045-1500 lbs., indicating 76-78 percent, \$54.50-61.50.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium to Large Frame No.1, package 286 lbs., \$121; 300-400 lbs., \$100-116; couple 330 lbs., \$119; 400-500 lbs., \$91.50-100; individual 410 lbs., \$104.50; 500-600 lbs., \$81.50-91.50; 600-700 lbs., \$78.25-81.50; Small Frame No.1, 300-400 lbs., \$91.50-100; 400-500 lbs., \$84.25-91.50; 500-600 lbs. \$80-85; 600-730 lbs., \$72-80; Medium and Large Frame No.2, 500-615 lbs., \$75.75-83; Large Frame No.2, Holsteins, package, 278 lbs., \$87; 350-410 lbs., \$76-81.50; 650-800 lbs., \$57.25-62.50.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium to Large Frame No.1, 300-400 lbs., \$85-95; 400-500 lbs., \$78-85; 500-600

lbs., \$75-80; 600-700 lbs., \$72-76.10, includes load crossbreds, 632 lbs., \$76.10; Small Frame No.1, 300-400 lbs., \$79.50-85; 400-500 lbs., \$75-80; 500-600 lbs., \$70-75; Medium and Large frame No.2, 300-400 lbs., \$75-80; 400-500 lbs., \$72.50-76; 500-625 lbs., \$69-73.50.

STOCK COWS AND CALVES: Medium and Small Frame No. 1-2, indicating 3-10 years of age, with 95-350 lb. calves at side, \$515-817.50 per pair.

STOCK COWS: Medium and Large Frame No.1, indicating 2-8 years of age, 6-8 months bred, \$555-800 per head. Medium and small Frame No.1-2, indicating 4-7 months bred, 3-10 years of age, \$325-525 per head.

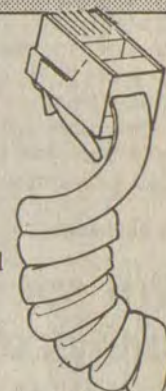
STOCK BULLS: \$530-940 per head.

BABY CALVES: \$75-190 per head.

## Your TELEPHONE CONNECTION



by Art Willett  
Manager -  
South Central Bell



SCB lowers long-distance rates by an average of 30 percent. In today's economy, when was the last time you saw prices go down?

That's right — down. On March 3, 1992, South Central Bell lowered its Kentucky long-distance rates by an average of 30 percent. This means that now it's cheaper for Prestonsburg customers to call nearby communities within their Calling Zone.

For example, with our new, lower long-distance rates, a 5-minute daytime call from Prestonsburg to Beattyville that used to cost you \$1.88 now only costs \$.99 — a savings of 47 percent!

What's a Calling Zone? You didn't know South Central Bell provides long-distance service? We always have within your Calling Zone and we want you to continue to be our customer. Kentucky is divided into three Calling Zones. A call between Prestonsburg and Beattyville, for example, is in your Calling Zone.

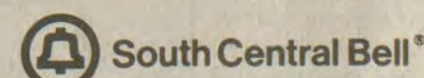
For more information on Kentucky Calling Zones and long-distance service in your area, check the Customer Guide in the front of your South Central Bell telephone directory.

SCB long-distance — reliable service, competitive rates. South Central Bell's long-distance service keeps things simple and economical. Our easy dialing plans (no long access codes to remember), reliable service and competitive rates make South Central Bell your best option for long-distance calls to nearby communities.

Order Custom Calling Services before April 30 and save!

South Central Bell's spring waiver offer for our most popular services runs through April 30, 1992. Order any of our Custom Calling Services, such as Call Waiting or Call Forwarding, before April 30 and we'll waive the service connection charge. Residence customers can save \$15.50, business customers can save \$23.50!

To order Custom Calling services, residence customers can call 557-6500 during regular Monday-Saturday business hours. Business customers can call 557-6000 during regular Monday-Friday business hours. There's no charge for calling either number.



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## Bluegrass feeder pig sale

Total head 174, compared to last week: pigs per CWT sold \$2-3 lower; per head sold \$3-5 lower.

Per CWT

U.S. 1	100-125 lbs.	\$37.50-43
U.S.1-3	100-175 lbs	\$30.75-35
U.S. 2-3	105-165 lbs.	\$22-26.10

Per Head:

U.S. 1-2	pen 49 lbs.	\$25.00
	65-80 lbs.	\$28.50-33
U.S. 2-3	30-55 lbs.	\$13-16

## Funds available for area farm improvements

The Floyd County ASC Committee is taking applications for erosion control and sedimentation prevention measure on farmland through the Agricultural Conservation Program.

Under ACP, ASCS will pay on eligible farms from 50 to 75 percent (depending upon type practice) for the following: seeding or reseeding of permanent vegetative cover (pastures or hayland); wells or spring developments for livestock water and distribution of grazing; tree planting

or timberstand improvement; livestock ponds; sod waterways; diversion ditches; permanent vegetative cover on critical erosion areas; animal waste control.

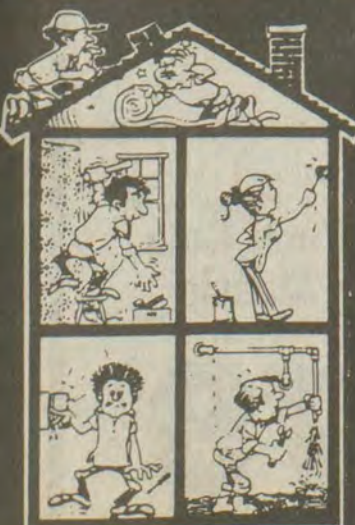
A determination of need must be made and practices started before committee approval will not be eligible.

Any person interested who feels he/she is eligible should contact their local ASCS Office. In Hindman the telephone number is 785-5402 and in Prestonsburg the number is 886-8738 (Wednesdays only).

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17th Annual

# Central Kentucky Home & Garden Show

**TOUR THIS YEAR'S DISPLAY HOME.** A complete home will be constructed inside Rupp Arena for a Lexington Habitat for Humanity Partner family and built entirely by Habitat for Humanity Volunteers!

**LEARN TO SAVE ENERGY.** Visit the Eco-Home — a simulated exterior, kitchen, bath and garage of a home. Experts will show you how some small steps can make a big difference.

**BID IN THE SILENT AUCTION.** Beautiful decorating and home improvement items that exhibitors have donated will be on display throughout the Habitat home as part of a silent auction. All money raised will go directly to Lexington Habitat for Humanity.

**PICK UP SOME VALUABLE.** Take advantage of the many giveaways including the Columbia Gas Treasure Chest where you could win thousands of dollars worth of appliances.

April 1-5

Lexington —  
Rupp Arena-Heritage Hall

Exhibit Hours:  
Wednesday-Friday 5-11pm  
Saturday Noon-11pm  
Sunday Noon-7pm

Admission \$5.00  
Children 14 and under FREE  
\$3 Senior Citizen Nights  
Wednesday and Thursday

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**Announce birth**

Claude and Kathy Allen announce the birth of their daughter, Ashley LaRae Alex, born February 24, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital. The baby weighed 7 lbs. and was 20 inches long. She is the granddaughter of Edgel and Glenna Brown of Garrett and Chester and Ollie Allen of Wayland. Ashley has one sister, Karl Danielle and one brother, Joshua Claude Serge.

**Births**

**HIGHLANDS REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER**

March 3: A daughter, TiaLona Rene, to Nicole and Tony Risner of Hendricks.

March 9: A son, George Newsome IV, to Arlena and George Newsome III of Lovely.

March 10: A daughter, Vernetta Jean, to Flora Gipson of Salyersville.

March 17: A daughter, Desire'e Nicole, to Kristal and Franklin Bradley of Salyersville.

**OUR LADY OF THE WAY HOSPITAL**

March 14: A daughter, Stephanie Lasha, to Paula Dawn and Mickey Gayheart of McDowell; a son, Michael Brandon, to Shela and Jeffery Scott Maynard of Wayland; a son, John Daniel, to Pamela Ann and Orville John Singleton of Ary.

March 17: A son, Andy Lee O'Brian, to Becky and Hugh Reynolds of Beaver.

**Lackey-Garrett-Wayland Woman's Club**

The GFWC/KFWC Lackey-Garrett-Wayland Woman's Club met Monday evening, March 23, in the home of Louise West, Hueysville.

Devotions were conducted by Marsella Bradley. The pledge to the flag was led by the club president, Maxine Martin, followed by a reading of the Club Collect by Louise West.

A program on "Conservation" was given by LaFaye Hughes, who indicated that home owners should periodically have their septic systems checked and cleaned, as the overflow

and subsequent odor is not only offensive to those living near an overflow but also very dangerous to their health. She also mentioned that during a recent highway cleanup in Garrett thirty bags of garbage were collected from under the Garrett bridge. She emphasized that persons who deliberately or carelessly toss garbage along the roadsides are not only law breakers but they do not care for the environment nor for the rights and feelings of others.

During a business session presided over by the club president, a contri-

but ion was voted for the American Cancer Fund. Also an announcement concerning the KFWC State Convention in Louisville during April was made, but at this time no one indicated being able to attend.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Elizabeth Duff, to the following: Marie Mullins, Maxine Martin, Marsella Bradley, LaFaye Hughes, Libby Martin, and a guest, Anna Marie Martin.

The location of the April meeting will be announced at a later date.

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**Birth announcement**

Mike and Lorie Mullins of Arkansas Creek, announce the birth of their first child, a son Justin Tyler Mullins, born March 3, 1992, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital in Pikeville. He weighed 7 lb. 6 oz. and was 20 inches long. His paternal grandparents are Jack and Ann Burchett of Warsaw Indiana, and Denver and Lilly Mullins of Arkansas Creek. Great-grandparents are John and Laura Jarrell of Martin and Nell Burchett and late Ted Burchett of Warsaw, Indiana.

**OLWH sponsors healthy secretary day at Holiday Inn**

Our Lady of the Way Hospital is sponsoring a seminar for office secretaries, receptionists and clerks on Tuesday, April 21, from 8:30-11:30 a.m. at the Holiday Inn in Prestonsburg. Local employers are urged to give office personnel the special gift of attending the "Healthy Secretary Day" during National Secretary Week.

The program will include a Country Fare Buffet, blood pressure screenings and a variety of presentations on health topics. The "Feeling Your Best" segment will feature speakers on healthy eating, womancare and keeping physically fit. The "Working Your Best" segment will cover time and stress management. The "Looking Your Best" segment will feature professional appearance and the versatile working wardrobe.

Each participant will receive a long-stemmed rose bouquet, a packet of health education materials and a day-timer sample calendar pack. A number of attendance prizes from local businesses will be awarded to lucky participants.

Pre-registration for Healthy Secretary Day is required by Thursday, April 16. To make reservations or to get additional information call Our Lady of the Way Hospital's Community Health Education Department at 285-5181, Ext. 388.

**Parenting program**

Our Lady of the Way Hospital offers a parenting program for young parents, especially teens. The aim of the parenting program, called "Nurturing", is to provide young parents with the support and skills they need to take care of their own personal needs and that of their child in a healthy way. An important aspect of the Nurturing program is that babies and toddlers attend the program along with their parents and are an essential part of the program. The Nurturing program also teaches young parents discipline techniques which are effective and appropriate to the age of the child. Through the program young parents are presented with various options for their own futures and encouraged to plan actively regarding educational or vocational choices.

The Nurturing Program meets at Seton Complex each Wednesday from 4:00-6:30 p.m. The program is free and gas vouchers are given to those who need assistance for transportation. Young parents who want more information or who wish to participate in the Nurturing program with their child/children, should call the Community Health Education Department at 285-5181, Ext. 388.

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<p><b>HURRY! COUPON EXPIRES, APRIL 4, 1992</b></p> <p>Kraft Miracle Whip 60¢ OFF ONE 32-oz. or larger jar. <b>\$1.29</b></p> <p>Additional Purchase \$1.89</p> <p>RETAILER: Kraft, Inc. will reimburse you for the face value of this coupon plus 8¢ handling allowance if submitted in compliance with Kraft's Coupon Redemption Policy. Void where taxed, restricted or prohibited. Cash value 1/100¢. Mail to Kraft, Inc., DMS Dept. #21999, 1 Fawcett Dr., Del Rio, TX 78840.</p> <p>LIMIT ONE COUPON PER ITEM PURCHASED. GOOD ONLY AT KROGER.</p>	<p>QUARTERS Kroger Margarine 1-lb. <b>3 \$1</b></p> <p>KROGER CHUNK OR SLICED COLBY LONGHORN CHEESE 10-OZ. . . \$1.79</p>	<p>CHILLED Kroger Orange Juice Gallon <b>\$2.59</b></p>	<p>CAFFEINE FREE DIET COKE, DIET COKE, SPRITE OR Coca Cola Classic 2-Liter <b>79¢</b></p>	



# Business

Any kid who has parents who are interested in him and has a houseful of books isn't poor.  
—Sam Levinson



Cecilia Peters



Betty Frederick

## Placing employee with job is more than filling out forms

Staff of the Prestonsburg office of the Kentucky Department for Employment Services helped 1,482 people find jobs in 1991 and provided additional job services to area employers and applicants.

"Last year was a tough job placement year because of the job market, but in spite of that more than 71,000 people were hired statewide due to the efforts of our job placement counselors and interviewers at our 28 local offices," said Margaret Whittet, acting commissioner of the Kentucky Department for Employment Services.

Deborah Allen, manager of the Prestonsburg Employment Services office, said, "Placing someone in a job means more than filling out some forms. Each placement takes a lot of hard work and time. Our job may involve training, counseling or test-

ing the applicant before they even begin their job search.

"It's also important that we match an applicant with the right job and provide a good pool of possible employees for area employers," she said. "The confidence of this area's employers — some who use only this office for their job search and application process — is an honor we take great pride in and plan on continuing to live up to."

Employers and job-seekers may obtain information about screening, testing, and placement services through the Prestonsburg office of the Department for Employment Services by visiting the main office at 443 North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY Telephone (606) 886-2396 or by contacting one of the satellite offices. There is an office located on the 2nd floor of the Johnson

County Courthouse (telephone 789-6692) and an office on the 1st floor of the Magoffin County Courthouse (telephone 349-3120). These offices are open Monday thru Friday from 8 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. We also have an office in Martin County (telephone 298-2800) that is open from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. every Thursday.

## Avon President's Club members are named

Two Avon sales representatives have been named to the President's Club. Named were Cecilia Peters of Martin and Betty Frederick of Harold.

Mrs. Peters has been employed with Avon since 1964. She ranks sixth in sales increase, eleventh in

sales and third in recruiting. She is an assistant manager with the company.

Mrs. Frederick, wife of Dan Frederick who pastors the Vogel-Day United Methodist Church at Harold, has been an Avon representative for two years. She is also an assistant manager for Avon.

## Chamber News

### Candidate Forum scheduled April 21

The Regional Chambers of Commerce of Eastern Kentucky have invited all candidates seeking the Fifth District Congressional Office to participate in a "Round Table Forum" April 21 at the Wilkinson/Stumbo Convention Center at Jenny Wiley State Park. WYMT-TV News Director Tony Turner will moderate the event and WYMT has expressed an interest in providing live television coverage. A reception for the candidates is planned for 5:30 p.m., followed by the Candidates Forum scheduled to begin at 7 p.m. All members of the Floyd County Chamber of Commerce are invited to attend.

### Chamber Monthly Meeting

The Chamber of Commerce monthly meeting will be held Monday, April 6, at the Prestonsburg Holiday Inn, beginning at noon. The guest speaker for this meeting will be Darrell Gilliam, Director of the new Floyd County Development Authority. All Chamber members are invited to attend.

### Arts & Crafts Center Opens

The Mountain Heritage Arts & Crafts Center (formerly known as Floyd County Arts) will open for business April 10 at 11 a.m. in the old Dollar Store building on Court Street in Prestonsburg. Mountain Heritage Arts and Crafts is a nonprofit organization, established to educate and inform the public of the value of the high quality of arts produced in Eastern Kentucky. The facility is a result of on-going efforts to promote, develop and advance the interests of local artists and craftspeople.

A special "Grand Opening" reception (similar to Business-After-Hours) will be held on opening day from 5 to 7 p.m. All Chamber members are invited to attend.

### Legislative Report Card planned

Ky Forward, the business

community's political education and action program, will present a "Legislators' Report Card", an election preview and a briefing on current pending legislation which will effect the business community. The meeting will be held at the Prestonsburg Holiday Inn, April 15 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., with a break for lunch. If you would like to attend, send a registration fee of \$10 to: Ky Forward, P.O. Box 1628, Frankfort, KY 40602-1628.

### 'Business After Hours' planned

The Floyd and Johnson County Chambers will co-host a Business-After-Hours, April 30, sponsored by the Big Sandy RECC and Kentucky Power Company. The get-together will be held in the Paintsville RECC Office, located at 504 11th Street, from 5 to 7 p.m. All Chamber members are invited to attend.

### Members welcomed

The Chamber welcomes its newest members: Baldrige Engineering, PSC; Mountain Telecommunications Service; Prestonsburg Senior Citizens; and WYMT-TV.

The latest returning members are also welcomed: Big Sandy Health Care, Inc.; Big Sandy R.E.C.C.; The Bridal Boutique; Commercial Supply, Inc.; Floyd County Board of Education; Floyd County Fiscal Court; Floyd County Health Department; F. S. Vanhoose & Company; Guyan Machinery Company; Harkins Mineral Associates; Harold Telephone Company; Hylton Homes; Jenny Wiley Theatre; Kentucky Dept. of Vocational Rehabilitation; Kentucky Hydrocarbon; Lexington Finance Company; Martin Engineering & Construction Company; Our Lady of the Way Hospital; Prestonsburg Tourism Commission; Scott Gross Company, Inc.; South Central Bell; Tackett Furniture; Westfall Enterprises, Inc.; and Chandra Varia, M.D.

## Addington completes sale of subsidiary to Pittston

Addington Resources, Inc. (NASDAQ National Market: ADDR) today announced it completed the sale of its Kanawha Land Company, Inc. subsidiary and certain mining equipment.

Under previously announced terms of the agreement, Pittston Coal Sales Corp., a subsidiary of The Pittston Company, acquired all of the outstanding stock of Kanawha Land Company, Inc. for \$42.5 million in cash. It also agreed to purchase certain mining equipment for \$8.5 million in cash with an option to purchase additional mining equipment for \$8.5 million. The assets acquired by Pittston primarily include two long-term coal supply contracts with the Appalachian Power Company. The two contracts call for a total of approximately 21 million tons of coal to be delivered over the next 14 years.

Other previously announced terms of the agreement call for Pittston's subsidiaries to purchase certain mining equipment and to purchase up to 1,790,000 tons of coal from one of Addington's mines in West Virginia through 1994. Addington also agreed to purchase approximately 2,300,000 tons of compliance coal from one of Pittston's mines in Eastern Kentucky through February 1996.

Addington Resources continues to hold more than 400 million tons of coal reserves in West Virginia and is evaluating alternatives regarding usage and control of those reserves.

Addington Resources mines and markets coal and is engaged in developing and operating integrated solid waste disposal systems. The company's stock is traded on the NASDAQ National Market system under the symbol ADDR.

## Insurance agents may have forgotten the law!

Many agents could be without a valid license after June 30 if the 24 hour continuing education requirement is not met.

Twenty-four hours of continuing education is required of resident agents/solicitors licensed on or after July 1, 1988 and must be completed by June 30, 1992.

Agents/solicitors are also required by law to notify the Commissioner

(Department of Insurance) immediately if the address on their license changes. There are penalties for failure to comply with either law.

There is approved classroom training and correspondence available in the area before June 30, 1992. For more information call Insurance Career Development at (502) 895-7145.

# RITE AID Easter Savings

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<p><b>CREST TOOTHPASTE</b> 8.2 OZ. TUBE, 6.4 OZ. PUMP OR NEAT SQUEEZE 6 OZ. NOW ONLY <b>2.19</b> Less Mail In Rebate <b>-1.00</b> Your Cost After Rebate <b>1.19</b></p>	<p><b>FLEX SHAMPOO OR CONDITIONER</b> 15 OZ. SPRITZ 8 OZ. OR MOUSSE 5 OZ. <b>1.79</b></p>	<p><b>CADBURY CREME EGGS</b> 4'S <b>1.19</b></p>
<p><b>CONTACT 12 HR. CAPLETS</b> OR CAPSULES OR SEVERE COLD &amp; FLU 10'S <b>3.29</b></p>	<p><b>SECRET OR SURE SOLID</b> ANTI-PERSPIRANT DEODORANT 1.7 OZ. <b>1.69</b></p>	<p><b>MARSHMALLOW HEN EGGS</b> 10 OZ. <b>89c</b></p>
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<p><b>IMODIUM A-D CAPLETS</b> 12'S <b>4.29</b></p>	<p><b>RITE AID DIAPERS</b> LARGE OR MEDIUM PRE-PRICED \$5.99 NOW ONLY... <b>5.29</b></p>	<p><b>SWEETARTS BASKET STUFFERS</b> 7 OZ. <b>69c</b></p>
<p><b>PREPARATION H OINTMENT</b> 1 OZ. OR CREAM 0.9 OZ. <b>3.29</b></p>	<p><b>ALWAYS MAXI PADS</b> 16'S TO 27'S <b>2.39</b></p>	<p><b>EASTER BASKET</b> ROUND PASTEL COLORED <b>1.99</b></p>
<p><b>DINTY MOORE AMERICAN CLASSICS</b> 10 OZ. <b>1.49</b></p>	<p><b>Value Buy DIAPERS</b> 24L <b>5.99</b></p>	<p><b>EASTER GRASS</b> 2 OZ. BAGS FOR <b>79c</b></p>
<p><b>HORMEL VIENNA SAUSAGES</b> 2 OZ. PKGS FOR <b>99c</b></p>	<p><b>always</b></p>	<p><b>COUPON VALUES</b> \$1.50 Off Revlon Lipstick \$1.00 Off Revlon Nail Enamel \$1.00 Off Always Cosmetics Coupons Available At All Area Rite Aid Pharmacies.</p>
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# Business News

## KHC offers more low-rate home loans

Kentucky Housing Corporation recently announced that additional funding is available under the Housing Finance Program, which provides low to moderate-income homebuyers with a special low-rate loan. The loan has a rate of 6.75 percent for the first year, 7.25 percent the second year, 7.75 percent the third year and 8.375 percent for the fourth through the thirtieth year.

These rates are available to KHC-eligible individuals and families through participating lenders across the state on a first-come, first-served basis. All loans will be either FHA-insured or VA-guaranteed. Down payment is less than 5 percent.

For prospective homeowners having trouble saving for down payment and closing costs, KHC offers assistance through its Equity Partners Investing in the Commonwealth program (EPIC). EPIC allows homebuyers to borrow up to 60 percent of their down payment and closing costs (up to \$3,000) at a 6.5 percent interest rate for seven years. The applications for the special low-rate loan and the EPIC loan are taken at the same time by a participating lender.

For more information about homebuyer eligibility and participating lenders, contact KHC's homeownership department at (502)564-7630, (800)633-8896 or (800)247-2510 (for the hearing impaired only).

## Workshops for Craft Businesses

Noted speaker and jeweler, Bruce Baker of Middlebury, Vermont, makes a return engagement to Kentucky to present his widely acclaimed workshops on marketing, booth construction, slide techniques and jurying for craftspeople on April 3 and 4 at the Executive Inn, in Louisville. The workshops, sponsored by the Kentucky Craft Marketing Program and the Kentucky Art and Craft Foundation, are made possible by a grant from the Gheens Foundation, Inc.

On Friday, April 3, "Booth Construction and Marketing Alternatives" will be directed towards craftspeople who want to expand their knowledge in the areas of designing an efficient and effective booth. While the morning session will focus on construction of a booth and other critical elements, the afternoon will be directed toward discussing the different avenues available for craftspeople to market their work.

The importance of good slides and first class photographic images of crafts will be the focus of the seminar on Saturday, April 4. Showing his own slides, Mr. Baker will demonstrate the "how-to's" of good craft photography and discuss the philosophy and process of jurying.

Participants may attend one or both days, but reservations are required. Fee for in-state craftspeople is \$20 per day, or \$30 for both sessions; out-of-state fee is \$30 and \$50. To register, or for further information, contact the Kentucky Art and Craft Foundation, 609 W. Main Street, Louisville, KY 40202, 502/589-0102. Deadline for registration is March 30.



### President's Award

Carter-Hughes Toyota in Prestonsburg was honored last week for outstanding owner satisfaction in sales and service. The car dealership received the President's Award for the second consecutive year. Pictured from left are Bob Weldon, general manager of Toyota Motor Distributors in Cincinnati, Ohio; Paul Phillip Hughes, president, and Estill Lee Carter, vice president of Carter-Hughes Toyota. (Photo by Janice Shepherd)

## Disability income may be tax-free

By George W. Smith

**Q.** My husband had an accident at work that resulted in the loss of his hand. The company provides and pays for our accident and health insurance. I read that if your employer pays for an accident policy the benefits received are taxable. Is this correct?—M.R., Spokane, Wash.

**A.** Generally, you must report as income any amount received for disability through an accident or health insurance plan that is paid for by your employer.

However, compensation received for permanent loss, or loss of use of a part or function of your body, or for permanent disfigurement, is not taxable.

Compensation must be figured only on the basis of the injury and not on the period of absence from work. These benefits are exempt from income tax even though your employer pays for the accident and health plan that provides these benefits.

**Q.** Is it true that I can rent my cottage for two weeks without reporting the money on my income tax return?—L.R., Peoria, Ill.

**A.** Yes. You can rent out a vacation home for up to 14 days without recognizing any rental income for income tax purposes. That's once a year from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31. Not every 14 days.

**Q.** My stock in my uncle's gold mine is completely worthless. Kaput! How can I prove it's worthless? I want to take a tax deduction. No one will buy it.—B.E., Billings, Mont.

**A.** Sometimes, the worthlessness of a stock or a security for tax purposes is not always easy to prove. There are many securities that do not pay dividends nor is there a real market value for the stock. That, in itself, does not mean that the stock is worthless.

The easiest way to prove your point, is to sell it for \$1 at an arms-length transaction. For instance, sell the stock, but not to a relative or close friend. Divest yourself completely of your title to it.

If that doesn't work, possibly a letter from your broker stating that the stock is completely worthless. This would be better than nothing. Is

the company bankrupt? If it has any incident of value, it's not worthless. Holding on to it on the faint chance that the stock might have value again

### THE TAX ADVISER



GEORGE SMITH

could cost a loss deduction.

A recent Circuit Court decision proves that point. If you want to do a little homework it's Corra Resources, Ltd., U.S. Court of Appeals (7th Circuit; 10/9/91).

**Q.** Before adopting our daughter, we spent a great deal of time and money on her care. Can we deduct these expenses as a charitable donation? We have all the canceled checks.—G.S., Philadelphia

**A.** The money spent on your daughter before she became legally your child does not qualify as a deductible expense.

However, there may be a chance you could claim your daughter as a

dependent during the period prior to adoption. Read the section in your income tax instruction booklet under the caption: "Exemptions-Dependents." This could apply to you.

**Q.** I received a check from my insurance company for medical expenses that I paid for and deducted last year. However, I didn't get much of a deduction because of the 7.5 percent limitation—maybe none. Do I have to pay tax on this money?—C.C., Plymouth, Mich.

**A.** Grab your 1990 income tax return and look at your medical deduction on Schedule A. Since you were reimbursed in a later year for medical you deducted in an earlier year, you will have to report the reimbursement as income in the later year.

However, do not report more than the amount you previously deducted as medical expenses. Also, do not report the reimbursement up to the amount of the deduction that did not reduce your tax for the earlier year. It sounds like double-talk, but that's the rule.

(Send your questions to: The Tax Adviser, c/o George W. Smith & Co., P.C., 29229 Northwestern Highway, Southfield, MI 48034. Due to the volume of mail, personal replies cannot be provided.)

## Mine safety and health program announced

Mine safety and health issues will be addressed on April 2-3 at a program for mine safety and health lawyers, safety and health professionals, mine operators, and government and labor representatives at the Washington Marriott Hotel in Washington, D.C.

Featured speakers are the Honorable William J. Tattersall, assistant secretary of Labor for Mine Safety and Health; Joseph Ferrara, general counsel for the Federal Mine Safety and Health Review Commission; and Joseph Savage, assistant U.S. attorney

for the Southern District of West Virginia. Safety and health professionals, MSHA lawyers, mine safety lawyers and the assistant general counsel for the United Mine Workers of America will also speak on the program.

Topics include MSHA's new civil penalty regulations and other civil enforcement including special investigations; criminal law enforcement; resolution of enforcement issues; MSHA policy without formal rule-making; and review of the legal implications of technical standards.

Sponsored by the Eastern Mineral Law Foundation, the program was developed by mine safety lawyers and representatives of the American Mining Congress and the National Coal Association.

The Eastern Mineral Law Foundation is a nonprofit organization, established to provide educational programs related to natural resources development.

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—Henry David Thoreau

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**NEW LISTING**

**PRESTONSBURG:** Only rarely does a home like this one become available in the city limits. Approximately 3600 sq. ft. 3-4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, family room, rec room, new kitchen, and in-ground pool on a large beautifully landscaped lot. This one should be on your list of homes to see. R-006-F

**ALLEN:** 5-bedroom, 2-bath brick house with full basement, 2 full kitchens, 2-car garage and much more. C-010-F

**EASTERN:** Conveniently located off Rt. 80 near Allen Central High School. 3-bedroom, 1.5-bath home. Quiet neighborhood and a nice backyard for children. G-004-F

**DICKEY TOWN:** 2-bedroom home on 3 acres w/ full hardwood floors and fireplace. Good garden spot and great price. H-007-F

**THE ALKA:** 14-year-old home with 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, gas heat and central air. Brick and aluminum siding and garage on 3 acres. R-002-J

**AUXIEE:** Great starter or retirement 3-bedroom home. Large corner lot, outside building and conveniently located to hospital, schools, and shopping. S-009-F

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**PRESTONSBURG:** For convenience in town see this 3-bedroom, 2-bath home. Full basement offers large family room and a full kitchen. \$74,000.

**ABBOTT CREEK:** 3-4 bedroom brick home with full basement on a 1-acre lot. \$78,000.

**NEAR EAST POINT:** 3-bedroom home located near new US 23. 1/2 acre. \$39,900.

**COPPER LICK:** Charming 2-story home with 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, on a 200 x 150 beautifully landscaped fenced yard.

**HAROLD:** Over 2600 sq. ft. 3 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, 2 family rooms, stone fireplace, plus in-ground pool. \$125,000.

**ABBOTT CREEK:** 3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, kitchen-dining room combination and living room. Located on a very nice lot with a large utility building. \$59,900.

**LAKEVIEW VILLAGE:** 2-bedroom A-frame home by nature. \$69,900.

## BENCHMARK REALTY

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**PRESTONSBURG—**Opportunities like this don't come around often. So don't miss out on viewing this affordable family home located in Lancaster. Asking price is only \$68,500.00. Home includes 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, entry, living room, dining room/kitchen combo and utility area. This well-kept home has a new heat/air unit, new hot water heater and has newly painted exterior. Don't wait! This won't be on the market long. Call Lorena Wallen at 886-2048 or 886-2818.

**CAN YOU SEE yourself in this...?** 3- or 4-bedroom, 2-bath home located just minutes from new U.S. 23 at EAST POINT. This home has just been reduced from \$97,500.00 to \$83,500.00. Call now! 886-2048.

**EMMA—**This two-story home offers 1,568 sq. ft. of living space which includes living room, family room, 4 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, and utility room. Home is heated with forced-air gas furnace and cooled with forced-air electric air conditioning. This home has many extras. For more details call Hansel or Frances, 886-2048.

**PRESTONSBURG—**This home is located in downtown on Highland Avenue. Home is situated on a 45x135 lot. Home includes 4 bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen, 1 bath and utility. Don't wait, this one won't last long. 886-2048, Hansel.

**PRESTONSBURG—**\$59,900.00 for a 3-bedroom, 2-bath home located on a 206x127 lot. Home includes garden tub in master bedroom. NEW counter tops, new cabinets in kitchen, new wallpaper in kitchen & laundry, oak parquet in foyer and dining room, new vinyl in bathroom, new sidewalks and a new liner for the pool. This home offers much, much more.

**COW CREEK—**1.44 acres level property having a 12-year-old brick home which includes 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, kitchen, dining room, and living room plus a 26x48 basement that includes dining room, family room, one bath and utility room. EXTRAS: 2 fireplaces, in-ground (kidney-shaped) pool, hot tub, 12x24 poolhouse, bow window plus much more. Call now 886-2048 for more details.

**PRESTONSBURG—INVESTORS SPECIAL—**5 apartments that carry their weight. Two apartments have 2 bedrooms and rent for \$350.00 each. Three apartments have one bedroom in each and rent for \$300.00 each. Call now for more details on this MONEYMAKER. 886-2048, Hansel.

## THE JOB Outlook

JOB TITLE	EXPERIENCE	EDUCATION	SALARY	COUNTY
CASHIER/CHECKER	NONE	12	\$4.25 PER HR	FLOYD
COAL TRUCK DRIVER	1 YEAR (AGE 25 OR OVER)	10	20% OF LOAD	FLOYD
COSMETOLOGIST	LICENSED	12	NEGOTIABLE	FLOYD
COUNSELOR	MASTERS DEGREE	18	NEGOTIABLE	AREA
EMT/SECURITY OFFICER	3 YEARS/CERTIFIED	12	\$5.00 PER HR	MARTIN
ELECTRICIAN, UNDERGROUND	3 YEARS	10	\$14 PER HOUR	MARTIN
FAST FOOD WORKER, PART-TIME	NONE	10	\$4.25 PER HR	AREA
FRONT-END MECHANIC	1 YEAR	12	NEGOTIABLE	FLOYD
INSURANCE SALES	NONE	12	COMM/SALARY	AREA
MANAGER, ASSISTANT, RETAIL	2 YEARS	12	NEGOTIABLE	LAWRENCE
MANAGER, RESTAURANT	2 YEARS	12	NEGOTIABLE	PIKE
MINE PERMIT TECHNICIAN	1 YEAR	12	NEGOTIABLE	JOHNSON
NURSE, R N	LICENSED	14	\$11-15 HOUR	AREA
NURSE AIDE	CERTIFIED	12	\$4.55 PER HR	FLOYD
PHARMACIST	LICENSED	16	NEGOTIABLE	FLOYD
RECREATION SPECIALIST	1 YEAR	16	\$16,380 YEAR	FLOYD
REPAIRER, SOLID STATE	2 YEARS	10	NEGOTIABLE	FLOYD
ROOF BOLTER/SCOOP OPR.	1 YEAR	08	\$10-11 HOUR	PIKE
SHOP MECHANIC, HEAVY EQUIP.	5 YEARS	12	\$9.50 PER HR	PIKE
SALES PERSON, TRUCK PARTS	3-5 YEARS	12	NEGOTIABLE	FLOYD
SURVEYOR ASSISTANT (MINES)	2 YEARS	12	NEGOTIABLE	FLOYD
SECURITY GUARD	3 YEARS (ANY TYPE WORK)	10	\$4.25 PER HR	MARTIN
TV RADIO REPAIRER	1 YEAR	12	NEGOTIABLE	MAGOFFIN
TRACTOR-TRAILER DRIVER	3 YEARS (AGE 25 OR OLDER)	10	PERCENT OF LOAD CR CTY	FLOYD
TEACHER, SECONDARY, PART-TIME	CERTIFIED	16	\$9.25 PER HR	FLOYD
WAITER/WAITRESS	NONE	10	\$3.35 PER HR	FLOYD
WELDER/REPAIRER, UNDERGROUND	CERTIFIED 3-5 YRS	10	\$12 PER HR	MARTIN
X-RAY TECHNICIAN	LICENSED	14	NEGOTIABLE	FLOYD

### Department for Employment Services Cabinet for Human Resources

PRESTONSBURG... 443 NORTH LAKE DRIVE... MONDAY THRU FRIDAY... 8AM-4:30PM  
 PAINTSVILLE... ROOM 223... COURTHOUSE... MONDAY THRU FRIDAY... 8AM-4:30PM  
 INEZ... TRAILER OFFICE IN BACK OF COURTHOUSE... THURSDAYS ONLY 9AM-2PM  
 SALYERSVILLE... FIRST FLOOR... COURTHOUSE... MONDAY THRU FRIDAY... 8AM-4:30PM

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## ACTION Auction & Realty



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**PRESTONSBURG -** 3 bedroom home with in-town convenience. \$49,000. After 6 p.m. Jo Bentley 886-8032. A-349F

**MARE CREEK -** 3 bedroom, 2 bath modular home with large level yard and large barn suitable for workshop or carport. \$59,000. A-401F

**PRESTONSBURG -** Splash in your own pool soon! 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, central vac. After 6 p.m. Joyce Allen 886-2523. A-620F

**PRESTONSBURG -** Prime lot. 175 ft. road frontage on Rt. 1428. After 6 p.m. Joyce Allen 886-2523. A-547F  
**ABBOTT CREEK -** 3BR, 2 bath doublewide on secluded lot. After 6 p.m. Marcie Estep 789-1943. A-577F  
**BEAR HOLLOW -** 25 acres, 2 wells, septic system, mobile home. After 6 p.m. Marcie Estep 789-1943. A-579F  
**BEAR HOLLOW -** 2 bedroom handyman delight! \$19,500. After 6 p.m. Marcie Estep 789-1943. A-585F  
**BEAR HOLLOW -** 35 acres +/- to develop or divide as you want! After 6 p.m. Marcie Estep 789-1943. A-586F  
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## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application No. 898-5585

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Enterprise Coal Company, P.O. Box 244, Dorton, Kentucky 41520, has filed an application for a permit for an underground mining operation. The proposed operation will affect a surface disturbance of 13.60 acres and will underlie an additional 2950.00 acres located 4.7 miles North of Virgie in Pike County.

The proposed operation is approximately .2 miles Southwest from Newsom Branch Road junction with Robinson Creek Road and located along the Newsom Branch of Robinson Creek. The latitude is 37° 22' 03". The longitude is 82° 38' 04".

The proposed operation is located on the Pikeville, Wheelwright, Dorton, McDowell U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Ida Hall and Enterprise Coal Company. The operation will underlie land owned by Ida Hall, Enterprise Coal Company, Anthony & Betty Wright, Ethel Hampton, Daniel & Carol Lyon, Conley & Eartha Bartley, Lonnie & Effa Bentley, Brack & Sue Casbolt, Dora Reynolds Estate, Melburn Newsome, Jerry & Jenny Little, Robert & Joyce Compton, Harold Ed & Pamela Jean Gunther, Ray Jones, Arnold & Roxie Reynolds, Henry Coley, et. ux, Jeffery Reynolds, Jenny (Reynolds) & Paul Raliff, William & Loretta Stanley, Randall Bentley, Paul E. & Vada Faye Newsome, Ellis & Bertha Newsome, Valley Supply Corporation, Dixie Harmon, Sterling Johnson, John D. & Maudie Simpkins, Tammy & Donald Caudill, Paul Dean & Kolene T. Newsome, Bobby Gene & Mildred Newsome, Elmer Ray Tackett, Lizzie Newsome, McKinley Akers, Denzil Newsome, Auda & Ada Bolden, Delmer & Donna Bolden, Ted Younce, Claudis Tackett, Oscar & Sophronia Osborne, Lester & Barbara Faye Osborne, Dora Roberts, Hurston McPeck, John & Joyce Brown, Robert Blane & Jean Adams, Northern, Gayle & Vicky Brown, Russell & Sherry Brown, Ray & Betty Brown, Charlie Flanary, Lloyd Newsome & Cora Smith, Johnson Family Trust, Andy L. Mitchell, Martha Stone Fraley, Turner Elkhorn Coal Co., Florence Newsome, Waclaw, Alexandria & Sonny Platkus, Stanslaw Platkus, Bill Hall, Millard & Alvaria Hall, Grover & Jacqueline Gillum, Claudetta Edwards, Fanny & Bill Adams, Ukle & Ethel Curry, Gomer & Hurlene Blackburn, Leonard & Nellie Roberts, Crit & Pearl Johnson, Hattie Cole, La-trilla Cook Flannery, Delmer & Tyann Castle, Dora Johnson, Roger Puckett, Estille & George Ann Johnson, Garnis & Fayette Ditto, Lonnie Little, Hais Harris, Johnny & Lula Jones, Edna Rice, Susie Smith, Raymond & Helua Jones, Russell & Martha Walker, Liza Bell Bentley, Morris Newsome, Brack & Helen Younce, Darrell & Bonita Newsome and Conley Newsome.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Pikeville Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's 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 Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

W-3/11, 3/18, 3/25, 4/1

## NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

Pursuant to Application 836-0221

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that N.F.C. Mining, Inc., P.O. Box 6-20, Goble Roberts Addition, Prestonsburg, KY 41653, intends to apply for a bond release on Permit Number 836-0221, which was last issued on January 31, 1991. The application covers an area of approximately 3.22 acres located 2.0 miles North of Emma in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.1 miles Northeast from SR 1428 junction with Sugarloaf Branch Road and located 0.10 miles South of Sugarloaf Branch. The latitude is 37° 39' 38". The longitude is 82° 42' 28".

The surety bond now in effect for the permit is \$12,700.00 of which 60% of Phase I amount is to be included in this application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes final reclamation of the refuse fill, redistribution of the available topsoil, and revegetation in accordance with the approved plan completed June 26, 1991. Results thus far achieved include establishment of permanent vegetative species and a return to the premining land use.

A public hearing has been scheduled for May 19, 1992 at 9 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. The public hearing will be canceled if the cabinet does not receive a request for the public hearing within 30 days of the final advertisement of this notice.

Written comments, objections, or requests for a Public Hearing must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, KY 40601.

W-3/25, 4/1, 4/8, 4/15

## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID

The Betsy Layne Fire Protection District is now advertising for bids for a new "American Made" 1,000 gallon mid-ship pumper with a 750 gallon booster tank. This fire apparatus is to be on a conventional cab and chassis and delivered complete with all equipment which is required by the insurance services office.

Any interested party may obtain complete specifications by contacting: Eddie Clark, Fire Chief at phone 606-478-9010, between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Sealed bids will be accepted until 7:30 p.m. on May 18, 1992 at the Betsy Layne Fire Department Building, at which time bids will be opened. The Fire Protection District Trustees reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

W-3/25, 4/1, F-3/27

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

April 17, 1992 at 10:00 a.m. a 1990 Toyota Pickup 4x4, S/N JT4RN01P6L70-18163 will be sold to the highest bidder for cash "as is where is" at Music Carter Hughes, Chevrolet, Buick, GEO, Southlake Drive, Prestonsburg, Ky. to satisfy the unpaid balance of a Security Agreement signed by Tracy L. Patrick and Charles J. Hieronymous on February 14, 1990. The vehicle may be inspected before the sale. The bank reserves the right to bid.

The buyer will pay all taxes and transfer fees. Pikeville National Bank Collection Department Pikeville, Kentucky Greg Justice Designated Auctioneer

W-4/1, 4/8, 4/15

## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 860-5154



In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Consolidation Coal Company of Kentucky, 15345 KY. Highway 542, Lambric, Kentucky 41340-9703 has filed an application for a surface/underground coal mining and reclamation operation. The proposed operation disturbs approximately 103.0 surface acres and will underlie an additional 1424.0 acres in Floyd and Knott County for a total permitted acreage of 1527.0 acres. The operation is located 1.5 miles south of Lackey in Knott County.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.8 miles southeast from Triplett Branch's junction with KY-550 and located 0.1 miles southeast of Triplett Branch. The latitude is 37° 26' 42". The longitude is 82° 49' 50". The surface area to be disturbed and the area that will overlie underground operations are shown on the included map.

The proposed operation is located on the Wayland U.S.G.S. 7-1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface operation will use the contour and area method of mining. The underground area will be mined using the room and pillar method. The application also includes a proposed land use change from the forestland premining land use to a wildlife habitat post-mining land use.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Jackson Regional Office, 170 Howell Heights, Jackson, Kentucky 41339. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. W-3/25, 4/1, 4/8, 4/15

## PUBLIC 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.

Odell Martin  
HC 72, Box 200  
Halo, Ky.  
W-4/1, F-4/3

## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Floyd County Fiscal Court was petitioned at its March 20th, 1992, meeting to abandon and close a street/county road described as the One Hundred (100) foot long, Fifteen (15) foot wide street/county road existing between Lot Nos. 2 and 12 of the B. B. Shepherd Subdivision (Map No. 512) Floyd County Records. This Notice will be published a minimum of three (3) times and if no protest to this Petition is received the above-described street/county road will be abandoned and closed at the April 17th, 1992 meeting of the Floyd County Fiscal Court.

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

I Thomas E. Sword will no longer be responsible for any debts other than my own as of March 27, 1992.

Thomas E. Sword  
F-3/27, W-4/1

## NOTICE OF PERMIT CONFERENCE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-0227

In accordance with the provisions of 405 KAR 8:010 Section 11, notice is hereby given that a permit conference is scheduled for April 14, 1992 at 10:00 a.m. o'clock at the Prestonsburg Regional Office of the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement. The application is for a permit for a surface coal mining and reclamation operation approximately 0.75 miles north of Prestonsburg in Floyd County.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.75 miles west from State Route 1428's junction with State Route 3 and located 0.1 miles east of the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River. The latitude is 37° 41' 00". The longitude is 82° 45' 13". The surface area is owned by Frank Music Heirs, Annis Goble, John & Mary McGuire, Linda & Wash Fraley, Dewey Lake Fish & Game Club, Taubee & Mary McGuire, Woodman & Marie Crider, S.P. Davidson Heirs, Woodrow Burchett, Norma & Johna Stepp, E.B. & Mary May Heirs, and D.F.M., Inc. The operation will underlie land owned by D.F.M., Inc., Floyd Skeens, Okie & Lloyd Whittaker Spradlin, Frank & Phyllis Calhoun, Frank Music Heirs, Annis Goble, Linda & Wash Fraley, Dewey Lake Fish & Game Club, Taubee McGuire, Woodman Crider, S.P. Davidson Heirs, Woodrow Burchett, Woodrow & Louise Spradlin, Robert & Pamela Herrick, Dr. David & Dori White, John Gorrell and E.B. & Mary May Heirs. The proposed operation is located on the Lancer and Prestonsburg U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The operation will use the surface and underground methods of mining.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Jackson Regional Office, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Any person whose interests are or may be adversely affected by the issuance of the proposed permit may present information relevant to the permit, in oral or written form, at the time of the conference. W-4/1, 4/8

## PUBLIC 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.

Larry Osborne  
Box 13, Beaver, Ky. 41604  
W-4/1, F-4/3

## PUBLIC NOTICE

The following item will be offered for sale at Public Auction on April 10, 1992 at 10:00 a.m. at The Bank Josephine located on U.S. 23, Harold, KY 41635.

1987 Dodge Daytona 2 Door S# 1B3CA44E1HG-139310

All items are sold "as is where is". Seller reserves the right to bid and to reject any or all bids. Items are to be paid following the sale, or satisfactory arrangements are made with seller. Announcement at sale takes priority over ad. Purchaser to pay all taxes and transfer fees.

The Bank Josephine  
Ronald Redden  
Assistant Vice-President  
Collection Department  
W-4/1, 4/8, F-4/3

## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application 836-9011 Amendment 1

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that East Kentucky Paving Corporation, P.O. Box 378, Grayson, KY 41143, has filed an application for an Amendment to an existing surface coal mining and reclamation operation. The amendment proposes to add an additional 6.10 acres of surface disturbance for a total proposed permit acreage of 14.98 acres located approximately 1 mile East of Lancer in Floyd County.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.5 miles Southeast from SR 1428 junction with SR 3 and located 0.2 miles West of Levisa Fork. The latitude is 37° 41' 00". The longitude is 82° 43' 07".

The proposed operation is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be affected by this amendment is owned by East Kentucky Paving Corporation.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 503 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, KY 40601.

W-3/25, 4/1, 4/8, 4/15

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W-4/1, 4/8, F-4/3

## Real Estate For Sale

LOT FOR SALE: Abbott. Has water, sewage, electricity. \$7,500 or best offer. 606-886-6069 or 886-0164.

MAYTOWN: Six rooms and bath upstairs, four rooms and bath downstairs. On 75x100 ft. lot. Call 285-9196.

TWO OR THREE BEDROOM house in Prestonsburg for sale. Needs work. Must sacrifice. Call 606-744-4589 after 6 p.m.

FOR SALE: Two large lots in Estill. \$15,000 for both. Phone 317-861-5159.

FOR SALE: Lots in Auxier. For more information call 886-1473.

FOR SALE: Lots for building or mobile homes. Near Prestonsburg. 886-2818.

FOR SALE: Nice three bedroom L-shaped home on U.S. 23 near Auxier. Vinyl siding, Anderson windows, snack bar, large 16x32 living room. On 147x95 lot. For appointment call 886-8359.

## Real Estate For Sale

FOR SALE: Country style two story home on Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek. Three large bedrooms with lots of closet space, 1 1/2 baths with dressing room, living room, dining room, large kitchen. All electric. Two heat pumps. Attached two car garage. On 3+ acres. Serious inquiries only. Shown by appointment only. Call 886-8222.

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HOUSE FOR SALE: Old Allen. Three bedrooms, two baths, den with fireplace, central heat/air, 20x40 in-ground pool. 874-2874.

HOUSE FOR SALE: Corner lot of Maple Avenue and Richmond Street. Living room with gas fireplace, two bedrooms, kitchen with maple cabinets, one bath, attic, 1/2 basement, outside chimney has grill, brick paved carport. For more information call 886-9164 after 5.

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**YARD SALE:** Wells Trailer Court. Friday, April 3, beginning at 9. Lots of items.

**YARD SALE:** Friday, April 3, from 9-3. Past old Mt. Parkway flea market, brown church on hill. (If rain, will be held in basement.) Like new baby clothes, girls', 0-12 months, some larger; toys; infant carseat and other baby items; women's clothes, plus sizes; men's medium and few extra large clothes; nice kitchen items; fur coat; flower arrangements and vases; waterbed sheets; lots of household items.

**YARD SALE:** Dwaile. Across RR tracks, left to Jimmy Wise's house. Clothes, etc. April 3-4 from 9-5.

**YARD SALE:** Friday-Saturday, April 3-4. Third home past the mouth of Little paint on the right from the new road. There will be signs. Baby stuff, boys' clothes, ladies' clothes, household items. 886-8826.

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**GARAGE SALE:** Saturday, April 4, 9-3. One mile west of Clark Elementary, left side of road. Household items, clothing, etc.

**GARAGE SALE:** April 4, 8 am-12 noon. One mile up Stephens Branch. Brown brick house on left. Weed eaters, lawn mower, rotary tiller, lawn wagon, etc.

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Full-time or part-time.  
**Contact:**  
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Director Nursing Services  
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**377-3433**  
or **Judith C. Hall**  
**377-3401**

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**ELECTRICIAN** for permanent, full-time employment. Looking for dependable person with five years electrical experience with basic electronic knowledge. Must be able to get along well with the public. Competitive pay and benefits. Send inquiry and resume to: Electrician, P.O. Box 2918, Pikeville, Kentucky 41502

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Provides administrative leadership for a residential program for victims of domestic violence. Responsible for fiscal management, state service contract, supervision of staff and delivery of comprehensive social services to clients. Qualifications: Four year college degree in job related field; 2-4 years of successful experience in behavioral science or the equivalent combination of education and experience; proven organizational, leadership, program administration and management, client advocacy, public speaking, and good oral and written communications skills, work well with people of all races, backgrounds, and needs; must possess a valid Kentucky driver's license and maintain a safe driving record.  
If qualified and interested, submit a resume by April 7, 1992 to:  
**Director of Human Resources, 1093**  
**Christian Appalachian Project**  
322 Crab Orchard Rd.  
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**ATTENTION:**

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Full & part-time people needed.

Meeting will be held at  
**Western Sizzlin Steakhouse**  
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at  
**12:00 noon Friday**  
**April 3, 1992**  
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Jerry's Restaurant in Prestonsburg is now taking applications for the spring/summer season. Waitress and cooks.

Jerry's offers BC/BS insurance, paid vacations, meals & uniforms.

**APPLY IN PERSON ONLY!**

No phone calls please  
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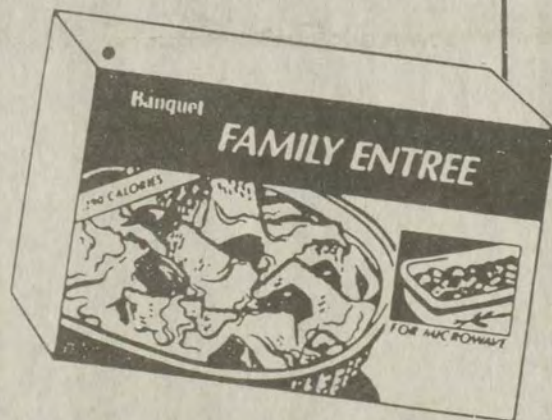


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