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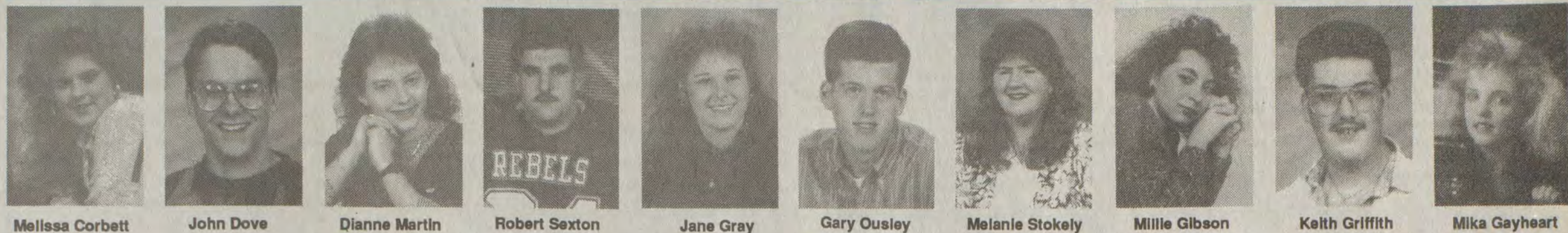
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Allen Central's top ten students for 1992

Allen Central High School has named its top ten seniors from the 95 seniors who will graduate on June 19. Named to the valedictorian ranking was Melissa Corbett and John Dove was named salutatorian.

Allen Central's top students (listed by rank in class) and their parents are as follows:
•Melissa Corbett, daughter of Lee and Beverly Corbett of Estill;
•John Paul Dove, son of Paul and Lillian Dove of Martin;

•Diane Martin, daughter of Donna Martin of Garrett;
•Robert Sexton, Robert Sexton, son of Bob and Maudie Sexton of Garrett;
•Jane Gray, daughter of George and Donna Gray of Langley;

•Gary Ousley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ousley of Langley;
•Melanie S. Stokely, daughter of Ella Mae Stokely of Martin;
•Millie Lou Gibson, daughter of Marvin and Avalon Gibson of East-ern;

•Keith Shannon Griffith, son of Reba L. Griffith of Langley and Keith R. Griffith of Garner, Kentucky; and
•Mika Lynn Gayheart, daughter of April and Jackie Gayheart of Martin.
Graduation ceremonies will begin

at 7:30 p.m. in the school gymnasium. Baccalaureate services will be held Sunday, June 14, at 2:30 p.m. and Honors Day will be held during school hours on Wednesday, June 10 and parents are encouraged to attend.

Three arrested : Floyd escapees caught at Campton

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer
Two Floyd County men who walked off a work release detail May 22 were recaptured early Thursday morning in Wolfe County by the Floyd County Sheriff's Department. Gary Allen, 40, James Patrick Allen, 29, and his wife, Carla Allen, 29, were arrested at 2:45 a.m. Thurs-

day at a run-down residence approximately four miles from Campton in Wolfe County. Also taken into custody were four children ages four, six, eight and nine. Gary Allen and James Allen had escaped from honorary deputy sheriff Hershel Owens May 22 while on work release to clear off cemeteries for the Memorial Day holiday.

County to hold clean-up day

The Floyd County Fiscal Court and the Floyd County Chamber of Commerce will hold a county-wide clean-up June 15 through June 26. Large trash items need to set out on the regular trash pick up day. If large trash items are not picked up, persons can call the county garage at 285-9576 or bring the items to the landfill. Persons will not be charged for trash taken to the landfill during the clean-up.

Gary Allen and James Allen had been lodged in the Floyd County Jail since April after they were indicted on two counts of theft by unlawful taking charges for allegedly taking telephone cable belonging to South Central Bell. The two had not posted bond on those charges. Floyd County Circuit Court Judge Harold Stumbo had approved the work releases for the two earlier in May. The trio was indicted last week on second degree burglary and second degree arson charges for allegedly entering and setting fire to the home of Tom Rice in Wheelwright.

Caucus slated

Floyd County Democrats will hold a county caucus Saturday, June 6 beginning at 2 p.m. at the Allen Park Convention Center. The county caucus is being held to elect a permanent chairman and to elect a group of persons to represent the county at the Congressional District Convention. At the congressional convention on June 13 in Frankfort, delegates will be elected to attend the Democratic National Convention in New York, July 13-16. For more information contact Delores F. Dingus at 886-9193. All registered Floyd County Democrats are asked to attend.

"The sheriff's department received information that Gary Allen, James Allen and Carla Allen were in hiding at a residence in Wolfe County," sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson said Thursday afternoon. "Trial commissioner Donna Hall issued warrants at 11:30 p.m. and deputies Chuck Ousley, Linzie Hunt and myself met Wolfe County Sheriff H.V. Dunn at 2 a.m. at the Wolfe County Courthouse. We proceeded to the residence with Campton city police officer Taylor." Thompson said officers surprised the three at the home and proceeded to take them into custody. A tense situation occurred when Carla Allen attempted to pick up a machete that was laying on the bed. Sheriff Dunn ordered Allen to drop the weapon and she was taken into custody. Officers also impounded a vehicle at the scene that is believed to belong



Statewide view
Prestonsburg Tourism director Fred James, left, and sons, Allen and Brett, built a unique patio shaped like the state of Kentucky in their backyard. James got the idea when he noticed two of the stones resembled Pike and Floyd counties. (photo by Pam Shingler)

Bicentennial patio takes shape in backyard of James' home

Pam Shingler
Kentucky Press Association
Fred James looks out his back door and sees the whole state of Kentucky. Literally. On James' stone patio is an 18-foot by 8-foot impression of the state. Inside its brick perimeter are 120 inlaid stones, each roughly representative of a Kentucky county in shape and size. James says he had no grand Bicentennial commemorative in mind when he began the venture in February. Rather, what became the stone map of Kentucky started

as a practical, spare-time project to shore up a soggy backyard and build a patio for the family bungalow in downtown Prestonsburg. "We had it about one-third done when I looked down and saw two rocks shaped like Pike and Floyd counties," said the city's tourism director and former city manager. "The more I got to thinking about it, the more I thought what if I could do every county." The project drew a stream of onlookers in mid-spring as word got around that James was putting a Kentucky map in his back yard. "Everybody said you're crazy, then they laughed," said James

son Allen, who, along with brother Brett, helped with the construction. After he tore out the stones already in place, James used a large state map and simple algebra to measure the work area to scale. He started laying the stones on the western side, which is more elongated with larger counties, and worked east, where more rock-counties were required. First, he set the stones down on a sand base to make sure the concept would work. Then he put in the brick outline and set the flat stones in cement.

Governor to reply to trash woes

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer
It will be several days before Floyd County officials decide what action to take if the Floyd County landfill is closed. Judge-Executive John M. Stumbo said Thursday that he is waiting for a response to a letter he sent to Governor Brereton Jones Tuesday that hinted the governor needed to intervene to keep the landfill open. Stumbo's letter did not specify what action he was asking the governor to take. "There were no agreements made when we met with Secretary Phillip Shepherd in Hazard Tuesday," Stumbo said. "We'll know what we need to do in two or three days when we hear from the governor. I'm hoping that we can come up with a temporary liner to put on the landfill and keep it open. Right now, we just don't know."

All landfills that do not meet new, tougher regulations are being closed by the state Division of Waste Management. New regulations regarding landfills were passed by the legislature during the 1990 session of the General Assembly. Stumbo did say that state officials had promised financial assistance for solid waste transfer stations to counties that had to close existing landfills. Stumbo, however, does not see that as a viable option for Floyd County. "The main problem is that we still owe over \$900,000 on the land where the landfill is," Stumbo said. "It would take a least two years for us to get another landfill constructed on the site. In the meantime, (closing the landfill) will have a reverse effect on what we're trying to do. If rates increase, people will start burning their

Top achievers in Betsy Layne's Class of 1992

Betsy Layne High School will conduct graduation ceremonies for 118 seniors Thursday, June 18, beginning at 7:30 p.m. at the Betsy Layne Lloyd Hamilton Stadium. Scholarships and awards will be handed out during Senior Honors

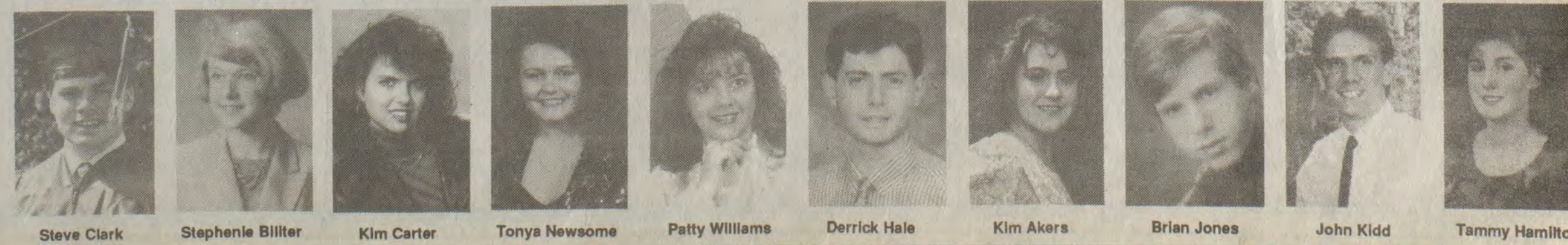
Night, which will be held Wednesday, June 17, at 7:30. In the event of rain, graduation ceremonies will be held Friday, June 19. Serving as valedictorian of the class will be Stephen Clark and

Stephanie Biliter will serve as salutatorian. Betsy Layne's top ten students are listed in order of ranking:
•Stephen Rhett Clark, son of Leonard and Carolyn Clark of Honaker;

•Stephanie Biliter, daughter of Steve and Gail Biliter of Grethel;
•Kimberly Carter, daughter of Keith and Sherrie Carter of Harold;
•Tonya Dee Newsome, daughter of Layton and Emogene Newsome of Teaberry;

•Patty Williams, daughter of Lorraine and Edgar Williams of Stanville;
•Derek Hale, son of Buck and Joy Hale of Harold;
•Kimberly D. Akers, daughter of Vance Akers of Banner and Lana Akers, also of Banner;

•Nathaniel Brian Jones, son of Lester and Beth Jones of Banner;
•John Kidd, son of Edward and Zina Kidd of Honaker; and
•Tammy Jean Hamilton, daughter of Larry Gene and Edith Hamilton of Grethel.





Zeke

Nuts over the Chamber—Steve Pack of the Chamber's Membership Committee presents Scott Perry, editor of The Floyd County Times, with the Chamber's newest tool in its drive to recruit new members. Perry must prominently display "Zeke," the membership squirrel, in his office until he recruits a new member for the Chamber. Perry may then pass Zeke on to another member. "Zeke" was presented during Monday's Chamber meeting.

Escapees — (Continued from page one)

to Gregory Little of Water Gap. Little was also indicted in April on an attempted murder charge for allegedly trying to shoot Sheriff Thompson in January. Thompson said the vehicle had a stolen license plate.

Officers found two of the children asleep on a couch and two asleep in chairs at the home.

Upon arrival in Floyd County at approximately 4:30 a.m., the sheriff took the four children to the home of his mother, Ura Bane Thompson, in Prestonsburg. Mrs. Thompson and the sheriff bathed and fed the children.

After a long nap, the children were picked up by the Department of Social Services and returned to Wolfe County where they were placed in foster care, Thompson said.

James Allen and Gary Allen were charged with second degree escape

and Carla Allen was charged with attempted second degree assault on a police officer and hindering an apprehension or prosecution.

James Allen and Gary Allen were placed under a \$20,000 bond and Carla Allen is under a \$10,000 bond. The three have not been arraigned on the burglary and arson charges. They remained lodged in the Floyd County Jail Thursday afternoon.

Patio — (Continued from page one)

There was one major hitch. With all the stones set, James decided to double check. Counting out 12 stacks of 10 gravels, he placed one gravel on each inlaid rock. Two gravels were left over.

Going back to the paper map, the amateur mason found he had left out Menifee and Jessamine counties. That meant reworking those sections to squeeze in the missing counties.

Though the whole patio project stretched over several months, James said he laid all 120 rock counties in two days. "There were days when I could work on three or four rocks and become weary, but when I got to laying out the state I was inspired. It wasn't monotonous."

Besides the challenge of doing the patio map, James said the project represents use of local material and his own love of Kentucky.

The rocks—20 pick up trucks full—came from the middle of Abbott Mountain where the four-lane version of U.S. 23 is being built in Johnson and Floyd counties.

"This is rock that's been in the dark a long time," James said of the flat rock that once sandwiched coal seams and provided a base for the steep and winding road that was part of the original U.S. 23.

"We traveled that road many times when I was a kid to my grandparents' house in Greenup," he said. "I never

dreamed I would be walking on it." Much of the sand James used came from the banks of the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River which flows through Prestonsburg.

James' interest in Kentucky was whetted with a history major at Eastern Kentucky University where a favorite professor quizzed students on Kentucky history trivia. It was honed in the early 1980s when James traveled to every county in the state as an inspector with the state Department of Corrections.

"I tried to take notice of state landmarks, the topography, the people," he said. "I was intrigued by the feeling you have in Paducah or Greenup or Mayfield. Each is different."

An avid golfer, James figures he "made \$10" on the project. "I have \$115 in cement and \$25 in sand. I did not play golf on 15 days that I could have at \$10 a time. So I made \$10," he said. Plus, he added, "I relieved all my golfing friends from their daily defeats."

Vacation Bible School

St. Martha's Catholic Church will hold Vacation Bible School on June 15-19; July 6-10; and July 20-24 (Catholic VBS), from 6-8:30 p.m. Bible school is open to grades K-8.

For more information or to register, call 874-9526.

Trash — (Continued from page one)

garbage or go back to throwing it in the creek."

A move is underway to cut down on the amount of waste disposed of in the county. Stumbo said the county has applied for a \$200,000 low interest loan to construct a recycling center.

"We've planned all along to use prisoners from the new Wheelwright prison to work at a recycling center," Stumbo said. "It would be an operation where the garbage would have to be hand picked to be separated. We're still waiting on approval for that."

If worse comes to worse and the state orders the facility to shut down, Stumbo said "it shouldn't be a problem" to take Floyd County garbage to the new Pike County landfill when it opens. Pike County had hoped to open the facility by July 1, but estimates have the landfill opening in August.

In the meantime, Knott, Johnson, Morgan and Martin County officials are weighing their options if they can no longer dispose of their waste at the Floyd County facility.

Secretary Shepherd has discussed the construction of a regional landfill in the vicinity to serve all of Eastern Kentucky. No decision has been reached on the issue.

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Governor proclaims July 3 new holiday

by Geoff Belcher
Staff Writer

The minority, rather than the majority of Kentuckians, are choosing the leaders who make the decisions for all of us, Secretary of State Bob Babbage said in a press release on Monday.

Babbage said that although nearly two million Kentuckians are registered to vote, less than one million participate in elections on a regular basis. Another 800,000 Kentuckians are eligible to vote, but are unregistered, Babbage said.

In order to convince more Kentuckians to participate in elections, Governor Brereton Jones has proclaimed that Friday, July 3 will be designated "Freedom Friday."

According to Babbage, "The day before the Fourth of July seems the most appropriate time of the year to focus on the rights and responsibilities of voting.... On July Fourth, our nation focuses its attention on independence and freedom more than any other time of the year."

The Freedom Friday project is the brainchild of the newly-formed Democracy Incorporated of Kentucky, a nonpartisan, nonprofit foundation that was created to promote voter education and registration and to improve voter participation. The program theme is "Freedom Makes It Possible, Voting Makes It Happen."

Freedom Friday will include an MCI-sponsored toll-free voter registration line. Kentuckians can call 1-800-92K-VOTE and request that voter registration forms be mailed to

their homes.

The State Board of Elections has also approved a voter registration mail-in form.

Democracy Incorporated is implementing these programs because many people have said they are not registered to vote because the current system for registration is often inconvenient.

Democracy Incorporated has asked organizations in each of Kentucky's 120 counties to work with the county clerk to conduct a special event to celebrate the day, and to request that area churches and public facilities ring their bells and sirens at noon on Freedom Friday.

Floyd Countians interested in participating in Freedom Friday events may contact Floyd County Clerk Carla Boyd at 886-3816, or Susan Raque of the Secretary of State's office at (502)-564-3490.

KET will also furnish Freedom Friday information via their toll-free number, 1-800-766-3221.



GOVERNOR JONES PROCLAIMS "FREEDOM FRIDAY" -- Secretary of State Bob Babbage, left, watches as Gov. Brereton C. Jones signs a proclamation designating Friday, July 3 as "Freedom Friday" in Kentucky. "Freedom Friday" is a community based statewide program sponsored by the Secretary of State and Democracy Incorporated of Kentucky to focus public attention on the importance of voting and voter registration. Organizations in each county have been invited to join their county clerk to develop a program for their own community.

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when evil Fate.

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Our Yesterdays

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

Ten Years Ago

(June 9, 1982)

Herbert Hoover Hall, 49, is in jail, charged with the murder of his son-in-law, David Akers, 31, after he was shot late Sunday night on Tinker Fork of Mud Creek... Andy Ray Newsome, of Hi Hat, was sentenced to 20 years in prison for the rape of 10-year-old girl... The third man, Freddie Hunter of Sidney, sought in the alleged May 23 kidnapping-rape of an Auxier girl, was arrested in Pikeville last Wednesday; the other two believed to be part of the kidnapping-rape, Sherman Ray Poston of Wayland and Edwin Michael Mullins of Ligon, were arrested earlier... There died: Linda L. Clark, 29, of Wabash, Indiana, Sunday in Fort Wayne, Indiana; Frank Moore, 78, of Prestonsburg, May 23 in Virginia; David (Doc) Hutchinson, 90, of Martin, June 1 at his home; Georgia C. Robinson, 74, of Prestonsburg, last Wednesday at UK Medical Center; Sally Hicks Allen, 86, of West Prestonsburg, Friday at Highlands Regional Medical Center; Greeley Stephens Jr., 48, of Lancer, last Wednesday at Highlands Regional Medical Center; William (Bill) A. Wright, 47, of Hager Hill, formerly of Floyd County, en route to Paintsville Hospital; Eunice Salyers, 67, of Paintsville, formerly of Floyd County, Thursday at Paintsville Hospital; Goldia Mae Shufflerbarger, 84, of McDowell, Monday at Riverview Manor Nursing Home.

Twenty Years Ago

(June 7, 1972)

The U.S. Bureau of Mines in Washington last week said three of Kentucky's 23 potentially hazardous coal-waste dams are in Floyd county, but the Bureau's office chief here said he knows of no such dam... Staffing of the Floyd county school system for the coming school year involved the employment by the Board of Education last Saturday of upwards of 500 persons, with bus drivers, cooks and janitors yet to be named... James Arville Duff, of Hueysville, took the oath of office as member of the Floyd County Board of Education at Saturday's meeting of the board, succeeding Ross "Bud" Cooley, who resigned because of ill health... Vance Volkswagen this week advertised a VW Type 3 sedan at a list price of \$2,399... One current movie showing around these parts 20 years ago was "Two-Lane Blacktop," with singer James Taylor... Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Town Hall, of Craynor, a son, May 23; to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lawson, of Drift, a son, May 27... There died: Mrs. June Slone, 49, formerly of Ligon, in Tampa, Fla.; Suzanna Whitaker Slone, 88, Thursday here; James Harrison Hunter, 83, Saturday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin; Elizabeth Wallen, 80, of Garrett, Sunday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital; Ed Johnson, 82, Monday at his home at Kite; Mrs. Nora Mann, 83, Monday in Lexington; Mrs. Hattie B. King, 64, of Prestonsburg, Saturday at Prestonsburg General Hospital; Mrs. Bessie Horn, 73, of Ligon, Wednesday at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital; Bill Steele, 72, of Mousie, Saturday at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital.

Thirty Years Ago

(June 7, 1962)

Architects will begin drafting plans for the Prestonsburg Community College next month, and a contract for construction of the building to house classes and other functions of the institution is expected to be let by January 1... Unless state help is forthcoming, the million-dollar-a-year food stamp program which was piloted in Floyd county during the past 12 months will end June 30, County Judge Henry Stumbo and County Attorney Barkley J. Sturgill indicated this week... Except for coal mines, Floyd county has a serious dearth of satisfactory fallout shelters for sizable groups of people, George Lee Shannon, Prestonsburg architect-engineer who has been engaged in a study of shelter possibilities, said this week... Bill Hamilton, who is known as "Pa" by the children who were his passengers, is retiring after 15 years of continuous school bus driving on the Toler Creek to Betsy Layne route... Lake Lanes offered a \$5,000 reward to the first bowler to record a perfect 300 game scored in summer league play... You could buy you a pair of pedal pushers at Cox's this week for 88 cents, or a picnic ham at the Warrick IGA for 29 cents a pound... There died: M. T. (Taylor) Stumbo, 69, veteran peace officer and former Floyd county Sheriff, Monday at his home on Middle Creek; Mrs. Dixie Lee Caldwell, 64, of Betsy Layne, Friday at the Pikeville Memorial hospital from injuries received in an auto accident, May 20; Robert Ramey, 45, of Hueysville, Tuesday at West Garrett when hit by a locomotive hauling a string of loaded coal cars; Lawrence Bryant, 72, of Hi Hat, Saturday at McDowell Memorial hospital; Mrs. Lilly Tackett, 56, Sunday at her home at Craynor; Mrs. Mintie M. Hatfield, 80, of West Prestonsburg, last Thursday at the Prestonsburg General Hospital; Orbie Hamilton, 53, of Stanville, Saturday at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin.

Forty Years Ago

(June 5, 1952)

Floyd mines felt the pinch this week as the nation's steel mills were closed by a strike... It was announced this week that the new Boy Scout camp on Dewey Lake will be opened June 15... County Judge Henry Stumbo announced Tuesday he will personally pay a reward of \$50 for the arrest and conviction of those who caused the partial burning of a county-owned grader at Branham's Creek Sunday night... J. M. Stumbo, assistant sanitary inspector for the Floyd County Health Department, said this week he is beginning a campaign against garbage dumping... Eight-year-old Patty Linn Smith was seriously injured Monday night when Irvin Combs' car in which she was a passenger was hit by a train at Drift... Four Prestonsburg men—W. A. Wills, Clabe Bingham, Grover Lowe and Otis Cooley—suffered burns Wednesday when a gas well they were drilling on Bull Creek burst into flame... Dr. John J. Sherman, Huntington surgeon, will join the staff of Our Lady of the Way hospital at Martin, June 9, to replace Dr. H. B. Stratton for the summer... The Princess Elkhorn Coal Company announced these scholarship winners: Opal June Hopson, Janet Jean Wells, Bill Perry Hall, Alvin Akers and Arnold Lee Horn... There died: Ellis Morrison, 50, of Bypro, May 27, of mine injuries; Mary Wireman Spradlin, 85, last Thursday at Auxier; Mrs. Dicie Meade Bentley, 77, of Glo, Monday at a Williamson hospital; Jerry Allen, 81, Wednesday at Cliff.

Fifty Years Ago

(June 4, 1942)

Lt. David D. May, of Prestonsburg, was graduated May 29 from the U. S. Military Academy of West Point... Miss Lyda Mae Francis, of Prestonsburg, and a member of the U. S. diplomatic corps, who was taken into "protective custody" by the Japanese at Shanghai, China, will leave for the United States, June 14, in an exchange of diplomats and their staffs to be made between the U. S. and Japan... Only six poll tax bills from last year's poll tax book were collected in Prestonsburg, an audit made by R. R. Allen shows... The 10 o'clock curfew ordinance here was invoked by the City Council this week... Graduated from college: Henry D. Fitzpatrick, Jr., from Eastern Kentucky State College, Richmond; Quentin Lockwood, 19, from Ashland Junior College; Miss Betty Jean May, 17, from Sullins College, Bristol, Va.; Miss Minnie Martin, of Eastern, and Miss Ruby Allen, of Langley, both from Berea College... There died: Dr. E. N. Burke, 43, Bonanza native, Tuesday at Lockwood, Boyd county; Alvin Napier, 51, last Thursday at West Garrett; Mrs. Mary Robinson, 87, of Dock, Friday at a Martin hospital; Clyde Endicott, 32, Monday at German; James Clifton, 63, Wednesday at his home here; Oscar Cole, about 50, Friday at Betsy Layne; Mrs. Robert Ferguson, of Wayland, at a Pikeville hospital, Sunday.

Editorial:

Beg your pardon?

by Scott Perry

Despite the fact that they've had two years to prepare, those in charge of the Floyd County landfill appear to be counting on a last-minute political reprieve to save them from compliance with new landfill operating standards.

Hanging in the balance are the waste disposal fortunes of thousands of Eastern Kentuckians whose own county garbage services have come to rely on the Floyd County facility.

We use the term "fortunes" literally.

It was no secret when new landfill regulations were passed in 1990 that environmental controls on trash disposal would be much stricter and the costs associated with meeting those new guidelines would be much higher. Most people knew, too, that cheap monthly fees for having their garbage picked up were destined by the new rules and regulations to be replaced with higher charges.

Now, two years after the new rules were adopted, we face a crisis over where to dispose of our trash and many a household will face a crisis over how to pay for it.

Instead of developing strategical solutions to the impending new landfill guidelines, we've arrived at the moment of truth, two years later, only to find ourselves begging for political relief.

What a way to run a business.

Dateline:

WASHINGTON

Congressman Harold Rogers

Hold the Line on Congressional Spending

I voted this past week to put a limit on the amount of money Congress spends on itself — a spending cap that is long overdue.

For far too long, Congress has been operating as though it had a blank check and an unlimited bank account. For all intents and purposes, it has.

For example, the House spent \$55 million last year on 25 standing and select committees. And that was just a partial bill!

This \$55 million figure includes the cost of operating the committees, buying equipment and paying for their travel, consultants, witnesses and some — but not all — of the staff.

The final price tag was even higher, though, because the Appropriations and Budget committees and the salaries of 30 staff members on each standing committee are funded separately.

It gets worse.

The Committee Funding Resolution for 1992 originally proposed a spending figure of nearly \$57.7 million for the 25 committees. The figure represents an increase of \$2.7 million from last year's spending but is almost \$4 million less than the individual committees requested.

I'll grant you that the cost of operating congressional committees is a

drop in the bucket compared to all federal spending.

We wouldn't even make a dent in the deficit if we cut out committee spending altogether, and you hardly notice their cost when you look at a national debt approaching \$4 trillion.

But if the liberals who control Congress are unwilling to put a lid on their own operations, how can we expect them to get control of a budget process that has run amok?

I find it insane, for example, that there are 53 committees and subcommittees in the House — and 21 in the Senate — with jurisdiction over one aspect or another of national drug policy. Is this the best possible use of our tax dollars? I think not.

If we're ever going to put our fiscal house in order, we've got to start somewhere, and committee spending is clearly a good — though largely symbolic — place to start.

That's why I voted for a freeze that would limit this year's committee spending to no more than we spent in 1991.

If we're going to spend that \$2.7 million somewhere, I can think of better ways to use the money: to train unemployed workers, for example, or to feed poor children or help communities that need water and sewer lines.

The last place more money ought to be spent is on a Congress that is already bloated and in need of streamlining.

Report to Kentucky

By Sen. Wendell Ford

TAKING A FAIR-MINDED LOOK AT USDA FIELD OFFICES

As some Kentuckians know, the budget squeeze in Washington has led to a reexamination of our long-standing system of agricultural field offices across the nation.

Most of us understand the pressing need to make the most efficient use of all federal operations, including those that have served our farmers and farm communities through good times and bad for more than 50 years now.

We understand the need to take a hard look at the U.S. Department of Agriculture, which has become one of our largest federal agencies, with more than 110,000 employees.

But I believe that Kentuckians also understand that this must be a comprehensive and fair-minded review of policies affecting farm families in every part of our state.

We have to make sure that the end result will be to cut unnecessary costs without damaging our farm economy in the midst of some of the worst times we have seen in many years.

Above all, we must not allow Washington to abandon the small farmers who contribute so much to our economy while still relying heavily on USDA services at the local and regional levels.

I hope and believe that we are moving in the right direction. But I don't mind saying that I have not been too happy with the initial proposals of some members of Congress.

We have seen one proposal to shut down the USDA's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service offices in 92 counties around the

country. An unduly high percentage of these closures would come in tobacco-producing states such as Kentucky, which would lose more than 20 ASCS field offices.

In my opinion, this inequity stems from a misguided formula aimed at closing offices showing overhead costs exceeding farm program payments to farmers.

We have ASCS offices serving thousands of farmers who pay their own way under the tobacco price-support program. As a result, the proposed formula could lead to unfair cutbacks in service to small farmers receiving no federal payments but still making substantial contributions to our economy.

Fortunately, we have seen some new developments since this highly arbitrary proposal was made.

Agriculture Secretary Edward Madigan has now undertaken an efficiency study not limited to the ASCS. We are also seeing a number of congressional proposals, including one to establish a commission to evaluate the USDA's entire field structure.

These broader reviews should take account of such cost-saving trends as the consolidation of Farmers Home Administration and other USDA offices in a growing number of communities across Kentucky and the nation.

Everyone can benefit from an honest effort to cut waste, increase efficiency and simplify some of the confusing procedures that have hampered this country's farm programs for far too long.

But we have to make sure that Kentuckians get a fair shake in the process — and that is exactly what I intend to do as this issue continues to develop in the Congress.

McConnell's Comments

Sen. Mitch McConnell

HELPING CITIES — OR REWARDING LAWLESSNESS?

Just before the Memorial Day recess, the U.S. Senate voted on S.5231, the Dire Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act, to provide support for riot-torn Los Angeles and other urban areas. I voted against this two billion dollar measure because it breaks all restraints on our budget deficit and it ignores the real causes of much of the devastation.

I sympathize with the anger at the verdict in the Rodney King case, and understand the calls for reform in major urban areas. However, I fear that S.5231 may send the message that if you want to destroy your neighborhoods — to loot, rob, and kill — Uncle Sam will reach into his wallet and bail you out. The fact is, Uncle Sam's wallet is already filled with IOU's.

There is no magic cure-all for the ills of urban poverty, and throwing taxpayers' dollars at inner-city problems is not a solution. We are all familiar with the stagnation that accompanies generational welfare. Instead, we need to encourage small businesses to rebuild, and provide new employment opportunities and services to economically depressed neighborhoods. It is estimated that 10,000 businesses were damaged or destroyed by the rioting in Los Angeles, and some 40,000 people lost their employment.

Enterprise zones and the privatization of public housing will go a long way toward helping the poor. There are already 2,200 enterprise

zones in America, which have created 258,000 jobs and generated some \$28 billion in investment in depressed communities. I firmly believe that if we can bring industry and pride to impoverished areas, and if we can encourage a sense of community and family, we will expand opportunities for countless citizens.

In using the Los Angeles riots as a catalyst to focus on the plight of the urban poor, we must not neglect the needs of poverty-stricken rural areas. We also cannot divert resources from those struggling rural areas in order to make up for bad policies and destructive behavior in other parts of the country. The people who live in the towns and farming communities of Kentucky face problems just as pressing as those faced by the citizens of Los Angeles and New York. Job creation, education, health care and even crime are no less important issues to citizens of rural America as they are to the intended beneficiaries of S.5231.

Above all, we must not reward random violence or incompetent government with federal financial windfalls. If we pursue such a policy, we do a grave disservice to communities across America, large and small, that have worked hard to control crime, maintain good race relations, control government spending, provide quality services, and maintain their economic base through pro-business policies and aggressive industrial recruitment. While I support policies which will benefit all of our nation's cities, I do not favor a federally-funded handout that will send this country into an even deeper budget crisis, while providing only temporary assistance.

Courthouse News

MARRIAGES

Winona Gail Vance, 24, of Galveston, and Anthony Ray Mullins, 25, of Hi Hat; Charlene Howard, 24, of Martin, and Nathan Christopher Reffitt, 30, of Langley; Bridgett Mae Conn, 19, of Minnie and Alan R. Burke, 24, of Drift; Anita Darlene Little, 20, of McDowell, and Lester D. Collins, 24, of McDowell; Teresa B. Wallen, 26, of Prestonsburg, and Carter J. Ritchie, 29, of Prestonsburg; Wendy Marie Bieger, 19, of Prestonsburg, and Calvin Leander Miller, 29, of Prestonsburg; Janie Shepherd Lafferty, 37, of Prestonsburg, and Jimmy Martin Hammond, 47, of Martin; Kimberly Gale Prince, 23, of Dwale, and Carlos Michael Tussey, 35, of Prestonsburg; Jennifer Kay Jarrell, 17, of Dana, and Tunis Michael Slone, 19, of Pikeville; Roxanna Michelle Sexton, 21, of Garrett, and Carl Brent Huff, 20, of Bevinsville; Hazel Katherine Hall, 38, of Tram, and Danny Blevins, 33,

of Tram; Mavis Spriggs, 61, of Eastern, and Amos Hicks, 67, of Garrett; Rita S. Jones, 24, of Prestonsburg, and Larry D. Williams, 33, of Prestonsburg; Lyla Akers, 15, of McDowell, and Mark Frasure, 24, of McDowell; Allie Marie Combs, 30, of Blue River, and Darrell Edward Combs of Blue River.

SUITS FILED

Editor's Note: Suits filed are not indicative of guilt but represent only the claims of those filing the action. David Hurst v. Kimberly Dawn Hurst, dissolution of marriage; Dinah Lynn Hayton Daniels v. Todd Daniels, dissolution of marriage; Steven Ousley v. Cathy Ann Ousley, dissolution of marriage; Shirley May Ousley v. Bobby Ousley, dissolution of marriage; Amy Cole Cochran v. Herbert Rodney Cochran, annulment of marriage; Wilma Whitaker et al. v. Gary Wolfe, et al., compensation for al-

leged injuries in an accident on April 17; Thomas J. Jones v. Sharon L. Jones, dissolution of marriage; James McCoy v. Wal-Mart Stores Inc., wrongful detention; James Mullins v. Mellie J. Mullins, compensation for alleged property loss in fire, plus fees and costs; Marty Little v. Ronald Williams et al., compensation for alleged injuries in accident on August 12 at Doty Branch Road in McDowell; Sally McCoy v. Drift Mining Company et al., alleged damage to tractor trailer when a Caterpillar loader crashed into it on March 17, 1992; General Motors Acceptance Corporation v. Johnny D. Pennington, alleged debt of \$4,582.54, plus interest and fees; Phillip Collins v. Joseph Santonastaso, et al., compensation for alleged injuries in an accident on May 30, 1990; Larry Craig Case v. Buddy Delpoint, compensation for alleged injuries on April 4, 1992; Linda Hager v. James W. Hager Sr., dissolution of marriage; Mickey Conn v. Cathy McKinney, dissolution of marriage; William L. Wells v. Robert Harlan Davis et al., alleged fraud; Freda Crum v. Jackie Burke et al., compensation for alleged injuries received in an accident on November 15, 1991; Midatlantic National Bank v. Enerpro Inc., et al., alleged debt.

Attorney Honored for Pro Bono Service

John M. Rosenberg of Prestonsburg received the 1992 Pro Bono Award given by the Kentucky Bar Association at its annual meeting in Lexington. "John Rosenberg has dedicated his distinguished career to ensuring that all citizens have access to legal representation," said Thomas B. Russell, president, KBA. "There is no one in the legal profession who is more deserving of recognition for their outstanding contributions to our citizens than John Rosenberg." Pro bono is the legal term used to describe work or services done or performed free of charge. Rosenberg has served as director of the Appalachian Research and Defense Fund of Kentucky, Inc. since 1973. Before joining the Research and Defense Fund in 1970, he served as chief of the criminal section within the civil rights division of the United States Department of Justice. He received his law degree from the University of North Carolina School of Law and undergraduate degree in

chemistry from Duke University. He recently received the 1992 Berea College Service Award. In addition, the East Kentucky Leadership Foundation recently presented their Outstanding Organization Award to the Research and Defense Fund with special recognition to Rosenberg. In 1992 Rosenberg was inducted into the Floyd County Chamber of Commerce Hall of Fame and received the Floyd County Bar Association Recognition Award. He also received the National Legal Aid and Defender Association's Kutak-Dodds Prize. In 1965 Rosenberg received the Sustained Superior Performance Award presented by the Attorney General of the United States.

Dinner canceled

The Celebrity Waiter's Dinner at the Holiday Inn has been canceled.

Spouse Abuse Crisis Line
886-6025

Prestonsburg Adult Day Care is seeking to fill a position of Activity Director. Minimum requirements for this position are graduation from high school or equivalent. Experience with elderly—able to do arts and crafts. Get along well with people. Willing to take instructions from supervisor. Applications may be obtained at the Adult Day Care Center at Archer Park. Resumes along with applications should be mailed to Prestonsburg Adult Day Care, P.O. Box 911, Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653. Applications will be received until 3:00 p.m., June 10, 1992.

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. Articles for the Community Calendar must be submitted in writing to the Times no later than 5 p.m. Monday for Wednesday's publication or 5 p.m. Wednesday for Friday's publication. They cannot be taken over the telephone.

Death Education Class

A course entitled Psychosocial Aspects of Death and Dying is being offered during summer semester at Prestonsburg Community College Monday through Friday, 8:30-9:30 a.m., from June 12 to August 11. The instructor will be Dr. William J. Loftus, assistant professor of Psychology. For more information, contact PCC at 886-3863.

Bake sale

The Martin Braves Little League will hold a bake sale at Wal-Mart on Saturday, June 6.

Osborne Family Reunion

The 21st annual Osborne Family Reunion will be held June 7, at Jenny Wiley State Park, Shelter #4. Registration will begin at 11 a.m. and dinner will follow at 12:30 p.m. Bring a covered dish and drinks. For more information, call Ellis Osborne at 874-9896 or Doris Osborne at 377-6772.

Site-Based Council meeting

The Allen Grade School Site-Based Council will meet Monday, June 8, at 6 p.m., followed by a meeting of the Allen P.T.O. at 7. The chorus will perform "Rock On" at the PTO meeting.



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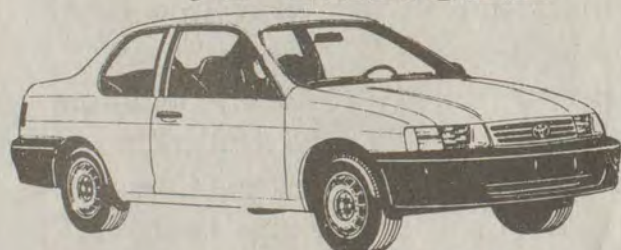
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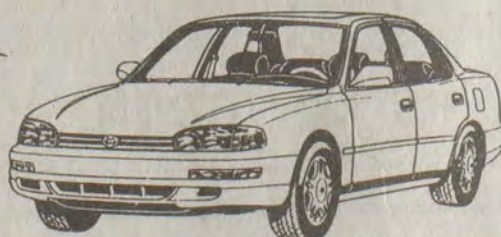
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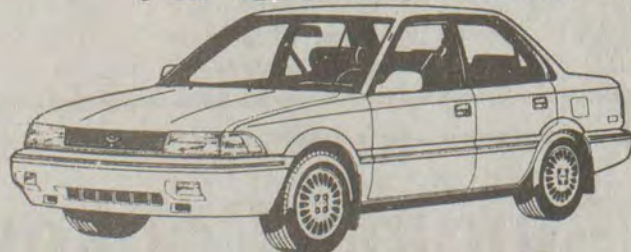
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Obituaries

Joseph Bentley

Joseph Bentley, 63, of Tram, died Tuesday, June 2, at South Ohio Medical Center, Portsmouth, Ohio, following a short illness.

Born in August, 1928, in Allen, he was the son of the late John and Sarah Canterbury Bentley.

Survivors include four sons, Claude Bentley, Arnold B. Bentley, Paul Henry Bentley and Jerry Allen Bentley; four daughters, Mary Sue Blevins of Tram, Eddie Mac Bentley of Florida, Sarah Jane Bentley and Freda Bentley; one sister, Cinda Marie Tischer of Cincinnati, Ohio; and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Friday, June 5, at 2 p.m., at the Church of God of Prophecy at Tram with the Rev. Woodrow Crum officiating.

Burial will be in the Tackett Family Cemetery at Tram under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

Lora Hale

Lora Hale, 75, of Greenwich, Ohio, dies Sunday, May 10, at Fisher-Titus Medical Center, Norwalk, Ohio, following a long illness.

Born December 5, 1916 in Stone Coal, she was the daughter of the late Allen and Gracie Patrick Combs. She had lived in the Greenwich area for more than 50 years. She was preceded in death by her husband, Martin Hale in 1981.

Survivors include one daughter, Myrtle Gene Shepherd of Greenwich, Ohio; three sisters, Doris Crum of Ashland, Gerry Fenix of Ypsilanti, Michigan, and Phyllis Calhoun of Prestonsburg; one brother, Harry Combs of West Prestonsburg; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were Wednesday, May 13, at the Little Rebecca Old Regular Baptist Church in Plymouth, Ohio. Burial was in the Greenlawn Cemetery in Greenwich.

John J. Calhoun Sr.

John J. Calhoun Sr., 40, of Fort Wayne, Indiana, died June 1, at St. Joseph Medical Center, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Born March 25, 1952 in Prestonsburg, he was the son of Taylor Calhoun. He was a laborer for Laborer's Local #213.

Survivors include his step-mother, Lois Boyd of Fort Wayne; his grandmother, Mae Calhoun of Prestonsburg; three sons, John Calhoun Jr. and Billy Calhoun, both of Fort Wayne, and Jason Calhoun of Woodburn, Indiana; one brother, Terry Calhoun of Rome City; one sister, Anna Mae Craig of Indianapolis, Indiana; and one grandchild.

Funeral services were Thursday, June 4, at 10 a.m., at the McComb and Sons Lakeside Park Funeral Home with the Rev. James McCarty officiating.

Burial was in the Greenlawn Memorial Park at Fort Wayne, Indiana, under the direction of McCombs and Sons Funeral Home.



Adjustment

Carole Bentley of Wayland, left, adjusts the mortar board of her friend Lisa Lynn Ousley of Martin just before Morehead State University's Spring 1992 Commencement got under way. Both young women earned the Bachelor of Arts degree. More than 700 degrees were conferred by MSU President C. Nelson Grote on graduate and undergraduate candidates during the event which drew more than 6,000 to the Academic-Athletic Complex. Dr. Grote, who was the commencement speaker, also received the honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters. (MSU photo by Eric Shindelbower)



NATIONAL SAFE BOATING WEEK

Personal flotation devices (PFDs) are designed to keep you alive in the water by keeping you afloat. But to keep you afloat, they have to be available and used.

PFDs are classified by "type" according to performance. The following types are acceptable on recreational boats. Boaters in rough or cold waters are encouraged to use float coats for better protection against drowning and hypothermia.

TYPE I—LIFE PRESERVER

The Type I PFD provides the greatest protection to its wearer. It is designed to turn an unconscious person from a face-down position to a vertical or slightly backward position. The adult size provides buoyancy of at least 25 pounds, while child sizes provide at least 16.5 pounds. The Type I is most effective for all waters, especially offshore and ocean cruising, when there is probability of a delayed rescue.

TYPE II—BUOYANT VEST

The Type II PFD is also designed to turn an unconscious person from a facedown position to a vertical or slightly backward position. However, the turning action is not as pronounced as with the Type I, and the device will not turn as many persons under the same conditions as the Type I. The

adult size provides a minimum buoyancy of 15.5 pounds, and infant and child sizes provide at least 7 pounds.

TYPE III—SPECIAL-PURPOSE PFD

The Type III is designed to keep a conscious person in a vertical or slightly backward position. While it has the same buoyancy as the Type II, the Type III has little or no turning ability. Type III PFDs come in a variety of styles, colors, and sizes for a variety of uses (water skiing, sailing, hunting, fishing, etc.).

TYPE IV—BUOYANT CUSHION/RING BUOY

Type IV PFDs are designed to be thrown to a victim, not to be worn. They should be grasped and held by the victim until rescued.

TYPE V—RESTRICTED-USE PFD

Type V PFDs are special-purpose devices designed for special activities such as white-water rafting, where other PFDs would interfere.

SUMMARY

When choosing a PFD, make sure it's approved by the Coast Guard and that it's the proper size. Then practice putting it on in shallow water and swimming with it. And remember, always wear your PFD whenever there's any chance that you could end up in the water.



To wed

The marriage of Krissinda Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil R. Johnson of Barbourville, formerly of Prestonsburg, and Michael Eldridge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Eldridge of Paintsville will be solemnized Sunday, June 7, at 5:30 p.m. at Mayo Methodist Church in Paintsville. A reception will be held at the Paintsville Country Club. The wedding is open to the public.



Preston graduates

Judy Preston, formerly of Abbott Creek, was a member of the graduating senior class at Ypsilanti Adult Education on May 20. She is the daughter of the late Wayne and Daisy McCarty.

Announcement

Jones Family Reunion
(Ambrose Jones)

June 13
Shelter #4
Picnic Hollow

Jenny Wiley State Park
Dewey Dam

Birth certificates

Kentuckians needing birth certificates for school pre-registration and upcoming summer activities should order them now. Department for Health Services officials advise.

Birth certificates are required for signing up for some athletic leagues and tournaments and pre-registering for kindergarten and first grade.

Birth certificates are required for getting a passport, a driving permit and a Social Security card. Obtaining some types of employment and preparing to retire can require proof of age as does enrolling in some pension plans.

It's a good idea for all Kentuckians to have a certified copy of their birth certificate on hand because everybody needs one eventually.

Certificates are \$6 each until July 1 then the price will go up to \$7 each. To get a certified copy of a birth certificate registered in Kentucky, complete and mail an order form (available at local health departments) or write to the Vital Statistics Office, Cabinet for Human Resources, 275 E. Main St., Frankfort, KY 40621-0001. Include a check or money order for each copy ordered.

Anyone requesting a copy of their birth certificate should allow two to three weeks from the time they put the request in the mail.

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Campbell Reunion

The Annual Campbell Family Reunion will be held on June 21, from 11-6, at Stumbo Park, Allen Convention Center (same place as last year). Please bring a covered dish, pop and a desert. Also bring a craft item to be auctioned.

Card Of Thanks

The family of Arnel Jackson (Gob) Artrip would like to take this opportunity to thank those friends, neighbors, and loved ones who helped during their time of sorrow. Thanks to those who sent flowers, food, prayers, or spoke comforting words.

A special thanks to the Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, McDowell A.R.H., St. Joseph Hospital, P & B Ambulance Service, Rev. Raymond Wright, Rev. Ershel Huff, and Rev. Teddy Shannon and most of all Deputies Johnny Layne and Daniel Hutchinson for helping with the traffic control.

THE ARNEL ARTRIP FAMILY

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Radio auction

Members of the Floyd County Rescue Squad anxiously await the result of bidding between Joe Back (pictured at right) and Ed Kuss during the squad's radio auction. Kuss was the high bidder and will receive his bag of cookies for \$60. The auction will conclude Saturday night and is broadcast on WDOC. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

Floyd County native is missionary in Brazil

by Geoff Belcher
Staff Writer

One of Floyd County's own recently came home for a visit after having spent the last twenty five years as a missionary in South America.

Mary Elizabeth McGinnis Barkley, the daughter of pugilistic preacher Fred McGinnis of Arkansas Creek, has followed in her fighting father's footsteps, taking Christianity into the deepest jungles in the Amazon.

Mary knew she was destined for missionary work early in her life.

"When I was a very small girl, my parents taught me from the Bible," Mary said. "They taught me that everyone was born into original sin, and that the Lord Jesus Christ gave up his life for us. They taught me that if we live a holy life, after we leave this world, Jesus will take us to Heaven to live with him forever. So it isn't very surprising that the Lord spoke to me as a very young child and told me I needed to take Jesus Christ as my savior."

Mary remembers having a moment of divine rapture when she was only twelve years old.

"I was attending a Christian meeting in Pikeville run by Vance Havner," she said, "and while he was speaking, this feeling just came over me, and it was then that I knew that I would give my life to the Lord. I told God that I was willing to go wherever he sent me and that I would do whatever he asked of me."

After graduating from high school in 1952, Mary went to a bible college

in Western Canada, where she began corresponding with the Evangelical Union of South America, which eventually accepted her for missionary work in Brazil, where she has lived and worked since April, 1961.

Mary began her missionary career in Manaus on the banks of the Madeira River, another Amazon tributary. She worked in Manaus with a number of other missionaries from several different countries, including her future husband William Barkley, a young Christian from Ireland.

In 1962, the missionary group traveled to Manicore, which was located on the banks of the Madeira River, another Amazon tributary.

"We journeyed over a thousand miles on the Amazon in a canoe with an outboard motor," Barkley said, "and in all that time, we didn't see one school, medical post or mission.... The native Brazilians we met at that time lived very primitive lives."

"In Manicore, I lived in a straw house with no door. I was scared at first because there were a lot of wild animals in the jungle and they often came into the village—once while I was teaching a group of children the three R's, a whole herd of wild boars ran by the classroom—but one of my neighbors had an old hounddog that slept in my doorway every night and kept anything from bothering me. I have no idea why it did that. I guess it was the Lord's way of protecting me."

Mary and William married in 1964, and left the group in Manicore to travel around to different missions in the Amazon, lending a hand to other groups.

In 1966, the Barkleys left the green jungles of the Amazon to work in the asphalt jungle of Sao Paulo, a city of over 17 million people.

"We experienced quite a bit of culture shock after having lived in jungles for five years," Mary said. "We went from the peace and tranquility of the rainforests to the hustle and bustle of the city. Still, we found the people in the city as badly in need of Christianity as the people in the jungle.... In the city, people are more closed and business-like. They don't care what's happening to their neighbors."

The Barkleys opened an evangelical book library, at that time the only such facility within a thousand mile radius of Sao Paulo, that they still operate today.

Soon after starting the library, the Barkleys became painfully aware of how few Christian works were printed in Portuguese, the Brazilian national language, so they began to translate and print every English language Christian text they could find.

Today, the Barkleys' two children, Tommy, 24, and Sharon, 20, are interested in upholding their parents' and grandfather's Evangelical traditions.

magna cum laude from Imperial College at London University in England, plans to travel to Spain and work in a professional missionary capacity.

Sharon, who will this fall begin her senior year at Leed's University, also in England, is studying linguistics and Portuguese. Upon graduation, she plans to return to Sao Paulo and work with her parents, translating Christian works to Portuguese.

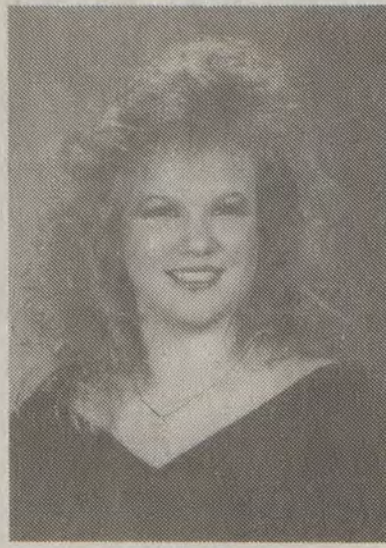
Mary and her husband intend to continue their work at the Evangelical Library as long as they can.

"God works in mysterious ways," Mary said. "He opens doors for some and closes them for others. I'm just glad he opened the door into His life for me."



Mary McGinnis Barkley

June Buchanan '92 graduate



Aubre Ayn Arnett

Miss Aubre Ayn Arnett of Wayland, recently graduated from the June Buchanan school of Pippa Passes.

Her accomplishment at June Buchanan School includes:

The drama production, "Harvey," 1st place in the Regional Foreign Language Festival, National Honor Society and Honor Graduate.

Aubre received the Alice Lloyd Memorial Scholarship with 3.51 G.P.A.

She is the daughter of Barry and Jeanne Jenkins of Wayland and James E. Arnett II of Salyersville and granddaughter of the late James and Mildred Brooks of Betsy Layne and of James and Patty Arnett of Salyersville.

Sheriff reports May activity

Routine activity for the Floyd County Sheriff's Department topped 1,206 details for the month of May.

A breakdown of the activity follows:

- 163 complaints;
- 260 traffic checks;
- 100 citations issued;
- 109 arrests;
- 21 criminal investigations;
- 8 accident investigations;
- 115 contacts;
- 32 motorist assists;
- 72 special details;
- 9 cases opened;
- 1 case closed;
- 41 funeral escorts; and
- 275 court process papers served.

The Floyd County Sheriff's Department offers 24-hour dispatch service seven days a week and can be reached by calling 886-6711, 886-6171 or toll free at 1-800-834-5430.

Road program to begin in Floyd County soon

Over \$200,000 in road improvement projects have been slated for Floyd County by the state Rural Secondary Road Program.

Over six miles of county roads in the Left Beaver area will be resurfaced under the Transportation Cabinet's plan.

- Resurfacing projects are:
- 1.2 miles of KY 1091 on Buckingham Road;
 - 1.6 miles of KY 680 on John Hall Branch Road;
 - 0.9 mile of KY 1210 on Caney Creek Road; and
 - 2.7 miles of blacktop patching of KY 2030 on Little Mud Creek Road.

The Rural Secondary Road Program is funded by revenues generated from the gasoline tax, designated by state law, to upgrade the state's secondary road program. Funds are allocated throughout the year for specific projects based on a formula which includes such factors as the county's land size, rural road mileage and population.

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A Look At Sports
by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

LOOKING BACK....

It seemed to be such a short baseball season. With all the cool and rainy weather we had it seemed we had better weather in March and April than we are presently having.

Although it may have seemed short, it was a good one. One part of this past season that I would like to address is the one that seems to be ridiculous and I have heard a number of fans express the same thing — we need to seed next year in the district tournament. Let's have a Floyd County Conference in baseball as we did in basketball. All the county schools played each other twice this past season.

What about those Trojans at Wheelwright? Runners-up in the district and made their first appearance in a regional tournament since 1976. Had Belfry on the ropes only to let them off. Jackie Pack did a great job with the team this year just as in basketball. He seems to be the type of coach that has a way of piecing things together. Wonder if he would like to be the new superintendent?

Coach Junior Newsome had a very strong team this year and a young team at that. Basketball transfers became a bonus for the baseball program. It was sad to see Barry Hall have to miss the district and part of the regional because of a broken hand. But Barry did get to make an appearance in the championship game against Pikeville. Barry could barely stand to watch the game and him playing in it. He said that it was bad luck for him to watch. The Bobcats will be back stronger next season!

Prestonsburg always makes a good showing in baseball. I think that coach Russell Shepherd is one of the best around. He is dedicated to the game and wants to always field a good team. His team this past year (28-6) wasn't too shabby. Some have questioned his decision to not start John Clark against Betsy Layne in the semifinals of the district. But Sean Damron was keeping Betsy Layne off stride. When he left the game it was tied 1-1. Coach, you will always have those fans who will question your moves. It's part of the game.

Allen Central certainly got out the gate on a good note at the season's beginning. But the Rebels seemed to struggle down the stretch. Again, here is a young ballclub that will definitely be heard from next season. Robbie Sexton and Toby Vance are two senior pitchers who will be missed, but some good young hard throwers will still be available next season.

One has to think what McDowell would have had if not for all the transfers. There is no doubt that coach Greg Johnson would have been very strong all the way around. But, due to no fault of Johnson's, the losses were other teams gains. However, late in the season the young Daredevils began to make some noise and played some good baseball. They gave Betsy Layne a scare in the first round of the district. With the youth of McDowell, next year will be a good one for Johnson's ballclub.

Now that high school baseball is over, I have been taking in some of the youth programs around the county. Hopefully, I can get to all of them before all the All-Star teams are chosen.

Looking at some of the teams in the county, high school baseball has some very fine talent headed their way, some very good Little League players as well as 13, 14 and 15 year olds.

All-Star time for the Little League, Babe Ruth, Senior leagues will be around the first or second week of July. Tournaments will be going on all over the region. The Tri-County Big League team in Paintsville will feature some of our county players. We plan to follow that team closely this season.

Now that high school baseball

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Derossett named head football coach at Betsy Layne

Betsy Layne principal Allan Osborne satisfied the curiosity of Betsy Layne fans at the school's football banquet when he announced that former Prestonsburg assistant John Derossett would take over the helm of the high school's football program this fall.

Derossett will take over a program that has struggled the past two years with only three games won in the span. Last year the Bobcats went winless going 0-10 for the season.

The former Prestonsburg assistant coach under Bill Letton comes with some impressive credentials. He got his B.S. degree from Eastern Ky University majoring in political science and health. Derossett spent two years teaching at Belfry High School where he was assistant coach and head freshman coach.

The last two years, Derossett was an assistant to Letton at Prestonsburg High School where he worked as defensive coordinator and strength coach. Derossett has been involved in strength training the past 12 years.

"I recommended to the board (Floyd County Board of Education) that they officially hire John Derossett as our football coach next season," said Osborne. "The recommendation will be made official at the next school board meeting."

Betsy Layne is a site based council and determines who they want as their football coach and then passes the recommendation on to the superintendent of schools.

"I see no problem with the hiring of Derossett by the board," stated Osborne. Osborne introduced Derossett to the players and parents at Tuesday night's football banquet.

After the banquet, Derossett met with the returning players and their parents in the school library where he informed them of his plans for the coming season as well as opening the school's weight room.

"He is starting his weight program tonight (Thursday)," said Osborne. "He's been up here at the school and met with the players and their parents and we feel positive about his being here."

Osborne stated that this was Betsy Layne and they wanted to be competitive in everything. The principal stated that they would "crawl the first year, walk the second one and run the third year" as a way of progression.

Osborne also stated that athletes at the elementary schools of Betsy Layne, Stumbo, Harold and Prater would be formed into a middle school feeder system. That is, all three schools would be combined to make one feeder school that would play a seven game schedule.

"We want to play all the schools in the county which would make four county games and then schedule three teams outside the county," commented Osborne. "The coach of the middle school team will also be one of the assistants on 'The Hill' (reference to the location of the high school). The middle school will practice on 'The Hill' and it will all be tied in with the varsity program. John has plans to establish a junior varsity schedule, also."

Osborne stressed the fact that Derossett will have total freedom to pick his own coaching staff and that interviews will be forthcoming.

"I have a list of about 15 names that I want to talk to," said Derossett about hiring his assistants. "It is a possibility they could come from the list of those that also applied for the head coaching job."

Derossett said that he was extremely happy to have the opportunity to take over the Betsy Layne program and looks for a lot of positive things to take place.

"Everything here at Betsy Layne is positive," said Derossett. "The academics, all the kids and just all

things. Mr. Osborne has stated that each athletic program will share in the revenue that the renewed bingo games might bring in. That means that I will have a say on how the

football part is spent and I will be responsible and accountable to how it is spent."

Derossett views Betsy Layne as a progressive school and that is one

thing that attracted him to the job.

"Everyone here seems to be a winner," he said. "I met Coach (Junior) Newsome, who is the athletic director, and he is a winner. I am glad to be associated with a school such as Betsy Layne. Everything is positive."

The Bobcats will open their schedule with the Wheelwright Trojans on August 28 and Derossett is all ready making preparations for that meeting.

"I told the players that we have 85 days to go before we face Wheelwright in the first game," said the new Betsy Layne coach. "But in the 85 days, we have only 59 days to get ready. We will have the weight room open and the kids will begin to work out tonight."

Derossett said that he will be looking for qualified coaches to help work with the kids. He also feels that the school, although not a district contender for the next three years, will win some football games this year.

"I think we can win this year," he stated. "I feel that we can be somewhat competitive. I know that Mr. Osborne has said 'the first year we crawl, the second we walk and the third we run' but I feel that we will win some games this year."

Coach Derossett emphasized that a big effort will be put into the feeder program and that in the lower grades he wanted to stress to the younger players how to be able to block, tackle and get in a stance.

"That way when they come on the 'The Hill' they will know what is expected of them in formations. Our middle school coach will also be a varsity assistant. He also will be working with the varsity team and he will take that back down to the lower grades and teach them."

The new coach believes that one of the problem of the grade school feeder program is the lack of a consistent schedule.

"The kids come to practice in the grade school and they want to play football," he said, "but if there is no schedule then they can't play. We want to have a schedule for them to play by. I don't care if we have to go all the way to Lexington to play."

Derossett said that he was impressed with the returning players that he has meet with so far.

"I'm just happy to be here," he said. Derossett said that the club would be taking part in a passing league this summer and that he will "find out who can pass and catch the ball."

"While we may not be playing for a district title, we are still playing a competitive schedule. We have (See Derossett named, A 11)



Named head coach at Betsy Layne

Former Prestonsburg assistant coach James Derossett eyes the surroundings after being named the new head football coach at Betsy Layne High School. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Cubs score four times in fourth



Notice the foot!

Was he out or safe? Try safe! Expos first baseman David Baldrige had to stretch for a throw to the outfield side and his foot pulled off the bag as Mike Kelly (5) reached safely. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Thomas Ratliff shined in the field for the Expos. Laferty just missed hitting one out. Roberts was a step too late for an inside the park home run. These are just some of the exciting moments in Senior League baseball being played at Archer Park this summer.

The Prestonsburg Cubs had their hitting shoes on and despite the outstanding defensive play of Ratliff they managed to post a 9-7 win over a good Prestonsburg Expos team.

Ratliff picked off a solid line drive to pull off an unassisted double play in the first inning after the Cubs put their lead off batter, Jason Burke, on base. Ratliff went to his right leaping and spearing the line drive. Burke was moving on the pitch and Ratliff tagged him out at second base. That was just one of three outstanding plays made by Ratliff.

The Cubs kept hold of first place in the Prestonsburg Senior League by virtue of their win over the Expos. Mike Kelly got the four run fourth under way for coach Cecil Lester's ballclub by reaching on an error at third base. Kelly stole second and then third as Jeremy Shepherd laid down a perfect safety bunt scoring Kelly to give the Cubs a 5-4 lead. Jake Poston walked Burke, who scored on James Jarrell's long double. Jarrell stole third and came in on Mike Roberts' RBI single. Roberts

stole second base and Jerry Laferty hit a drive that hit the base of the fence in left centerfield scoring Roberts.

"That is the first player that has come close of hitting one out for my team," said Coach Lester.

The Expos grabbed the early lead in the first inning with a single run for a 1-0 lead. Kyle Bellamy started the inning with a base hit but was caught in a run down and tagged out. Ervin (See Cubs score 4, A 9)

Hall throws no-hitter against Indians but loses to A's 4-2

The Prestonsburg A's Little League team scored four times in the third inning without the benefit of a hit to go on and post a 4-2 win over the Prestonsburg Indians Tuesday evening at Archer Park.

Jeff Skeans got credit for the win for the A's with Adam Hall suffering the setback for the A's.

Both teams went out in the first inning without much noise but the Indians claimed a 1-0 lead after the second inning and after retiring the A's in the top of the frame. Hall tripled in the inning and scored on a

throwing error to third base. The ball eluded the third baseman permitting Hall to come home with the game's first run.

The A's struck back in the top of the third with four big ones to take a 4-1 advantage. Hall walked the first three batters he faced in the third and then committed an error on a bouncer back to the mound that permitted the first run to score and tie the game at 1-1.

While the bases remained loaded, Hall proceeded to walk the next batter to make it a 2-1 game in favor of the A's. Hall fanned the next two

hitters before being the victim of two passed balls that allowed two more runs to cross home plate. Hall struck out the next batter for the third out.

Andrew Caudill walked in the bottom of the fourth for the Indians and then stole second base. On the attempt, the throw to second rolled to the outfield fence allowing Caudill to circle the bases with the Indians' second run.

Ironically, Hall hurled a no-hitter but lost the game because of mental mistakes. The A's improved to 5-2 on the year and the Indians dropped below .500 at 3-4.



Tough luck pitcher!

Prestonsburg Indians pitcher Adam Hall had a tough outing Tuesday against the Prestonsburg A's when he hurled a no-hit game but lost 4-2 because of errors. Hall did have a triple in the game. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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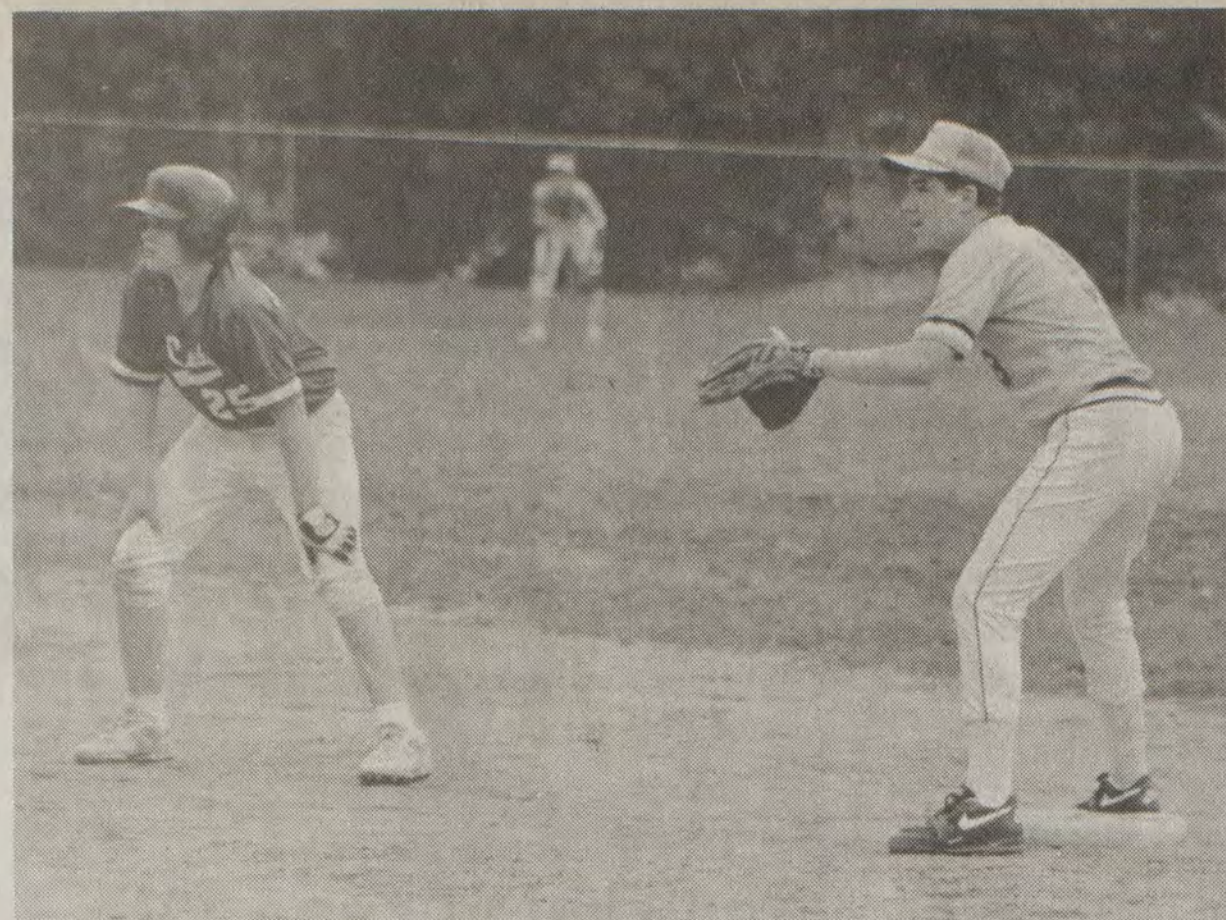
is finished many of the basketball teams will be attending summer camps and the football teams will be gearing up for the fall season. It should be a very good year for the Prestonsburg Blackcats in football. Coach Bill Letton will return his entire backfield with Aaron Tucker coming back at quarterback. Who will take James Derossett's spot at the end position will be a question to be answered? It should be an exciting year for Blackcat football fans. Prestonsburg and Sheldon Clark will challenge for the district title. Whitesburg is always tough as well as Shelby Valley. Morgan County should be strong but down some what from last year. Magoffin County will still be rebuilding their program.

By now everyone knows that Betsy Layne will not be contending for the district title this season as they have informed the KHSAA that they are dropping out of conference competition for the next four years. This will afford the Bobcats' coaching staff the opportunity to rebuild their feeder system and at the same time play the competition they can compete against the next four years.

And while we are at it, congratulations to John Derossett for being named the new head football coach at Betsy Layne High School. I certainly am a fan of Derossett and if there is anyone who can rebuild the Betsy Layne program it is John Derossett. The site base council made a very, very good choice. I know the Prestonsburg program will hate to see him go but also wish him well.

Until Wednesday, good sports everyone and be good sports!

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Takes big lead!

William Lester, Prestonsburg Cubs, gets a good lead as David Baldrige holds him close in senior league action at Archer Park Wednesday evening. The Cubs stayed in first place with a 9-7 win over the Expos. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Cubs score 4

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"Bear" Osborne was safe on an error at third base. Osborne stole second and third where he was able to score on Ratliff's fly ball to centerfield.

The Cubs went on top 4-1 with four in their half of the second inning. William Lester singled as the lead-off man but was erased at second on Aaron Bond's ground ball to third base. Kelly drilled a gapper between right and center field for a double scoring Bonds. Kelly scored on Jason Hackworth's run scoring single. After Shepherd fanned, Burke got a base hit that scored Hackworth and Burke scored on Jarrell's second hit of the game.

The Expos went out in order in the second and the Cubs failed to score in the top of the third.

In the bottom of the third inning, the Expos found their hitting eye as they tied the game 4-4 with three

runs. Lester issued back-to-back walks to Mike Hatfield and Mike Collins to open the inning. Bellamy's ground ball forced Collins at second with Hatfield moving to third base. Osborne scored Hatfield with a base hit to make it a 4-2 game. With Ratliff at the plate and runners at second and third, Ratliff lifted a long fly ball to right field that allowed Bellamy to score. Osborne moving up to third came on in with the tying run when the ball got away from the Cubs first baseman on the relay.

Trailing 8-4 in the bottom of the fifth, the Expos made it a 8-5 game on a base hit by Osborne, two stolen bases and a sacrifice fly off the bat of Baldrige.

The Cubs rallied for one run in the top of the sixth on a lead-off single by Burke, who stole second and third to score on Roberts' long triple. Roberts tried to stretch the hit into an inside the park home run but was cut down at the plate on a super throw by — who else — Ratliff.

Two runs crossed home plate in the bottom of the seventh inning for the Expos as they tried to rally back. Osborne drew a walk to lead off the inning against Jason Hackworth, who relieved Lester in the sixth inning. Ratliff then doubled with Osborne heading for home plate. The relay from rightfield came in to Hackworth, who threw to the plate to get Osborne. The throw was in time but Osborne was called out because he did not slide. A senior league rule states that a runner must slide, Osborne did not. Ratliff moved to third base on the throw to the plate and scored on a bouncer from Jake Poston to shortstop. Baldrige scored the final run on a base hit by Mike Castle.

Hackworth worked the sixth and seventh inning for the Cubs and was impressive in the short outing.

"Jason is one of those super 13 year olds that comes into the league," said his coach. "You don't have very many at that age that will come in and make an impact right off. They have to learn. I just wanted to get Jason

some work on the mound."

Bellamy and Osborne had two hits for the Expos. Ratliff picked up two runs batted in.

Mike Roberts collected three base hits for the winning Cubs. Roberts also had two RBIs. Burke and Jarrell each had two hits with Jarrell driving in two runs.

Lester picked up the win for the Cubs. Lester worked the first five innings allowing five runs, three were earned, and he fanned one batter while walking five. Lester hit one batter.

Jake Poston took the loss for the Expos going the distance. Poston had six strike outs and he was in control with only two walks.

CUBS				EXPOS					
players	ab	r	h	bi	players	ab	r	h	bi
Burke ss	2	3	2	1	Bellamy 3b	3	1	2	1
Jarrell 1b	4	1	2	2	Damron 3b	1	0	0	0
Hall 1b	1	0	0	0	Osborne cf	3	3	2	1
Roberts cf	4	1	3	2	Ratliff ss	2	1	1	2
Lafferty 3b	4	0	1	1	Baldrige 1b	2	1	0	0
Lester p	4	0	1	0	Poston p	3	0	0	0
Bond rf	4	1	0	0	Collins 2b	2	0	1	1
Kelly c	3	2	1	1	Landsdale 2b	0	0	0	0
Hackworth 2b	4	1	1	1	Castle c	4	0	1	2
Shepherd lf	1	0	0	0	Halfhill of	3	1	1	0
Lawson lf	1	0	0	0	Collins of	2	0	0	0



Looks to first!

Jeff Skeans, Prestonsburg A's, fields a ground ball and tosses it to first base to nail the runner against the Prestonsburg Indians. The A's scored four runs in the top of the third for a 4-2 win over the Indians. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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Allen, blanks Tigers over four in 21-16 Victory

Thirty-five runs scored as the Prestonsburg Brewers and Prestonsburg Tigers played in a marathon at Archer Park Tuesday afternoon in the Prestonsburg Senior League. The Brewers scored five times in the fifth inning and Bennett Allen fourth Brewers pitcher to be used.

Allen did the job that no one else could do as he threw nothing but goose eggs at the Tigers over the final four innings. Allen fanned three batters and walked two in contrast to his predecessors. William Marsillett started for the Brewers and lasted 1 1/3 innings. David Turner followed Marsillett to the hill and he lasted 1 2/3 of an inning. Ricky Lemaster didn't last as he came on in the third.

Harris suffered the loss for the Tigers. He fanned one batter in walking nine.

Turner drove in four runs for the winning Brewers and had a double in the first inning. Turner also scored three runs in collecting his two hits. James Joseph had a good game with four runs also batted in. Joseph doubled in the fifth inning when the Brewers scored five times.

John Ortega had two 2-baggers for the Tigers and collected two RBIs. Harris had two singles.

The five-run fifth for the Brewers gave coach Robert Damron's team an 18-16 lead. Turner started the fifth for the Brewers with a base hit. Marsillett followed with a single and the bases were loaded when Lemaster collected a single. First baseman James Joseph then delivered the big blow with a three-run double that cleared the bases. Ruff singled home Joseph and Ruff scored the fifth run of the inning on a base hit by Taylor.

The Brewers scored three more times in the sixth inning for a 21-16 count. Two walks and a base hit by Joseph accounted for one run. Two wild pitchers brought home two more.

The Tigers took a 16-13 lead when they pushed across 12 runs in the bottom of the third. Nine walks caused a parade to the pitcher's mound for the Brewers as they forced home runner after runner. Jason Spurlock had a run scoring single and Stanley doubled home two runs. Two more runs scored on a single by Harris.

A two-run first gave the Brewers a 2-0 lead when Bennett Allen walked.



Singles to center!

Prestonsburg Brewers David Turner drills a single on this swing of the bat during Senior League play at Archer Park Tuesday evening. Turner also had a double in a game his team won 21-16. (photo by Ed Taylor)

stole second and third. Allen came in to score on a sacrifice fly by Turner. Marsillett scored the second run on a walk, a steal of second and third, and a wild pitch.

The Tigers made it a 2-1 game on a walk to Harris and a fielder's choice. four walks in the Tigers' second gave them a 4-3 lead over the Brewers.

The Brewers plated 10 runs in the top of the third inning. Marsillett singled and Robbie Risner walked. Lemaster was hit by the pitch loading the bases. Laferty then unloaded the bags with a three-run double. Walks to McGuire, Zeth Shepherd and Allen loaded the base a second time.

Turner then unloaded them in as many times with a long double. Turner came in to score on a two-base hit by Marsillett, who later scored on a base hit by Risner.

Allen was untouchable over the final four innings as the Tigers could get no offense going. In fact, the Tigers managed on five hits in the game and committed three errors.

The Brewers had 12 hits and also committed three errors.

At Archer Park
BREWERS 21 100530 21 12 3
TIGERS 13 120000 16 5 3

Cubs defeat Martin, Wayland

The Garrett Cubs ran their record to 7-1 on the season with two victories that included Martin and Wayland as victims.

In the first game, Garrett defeated the Martin Blue Jays in the Beaver Creek Little League 10-4. Jackie Owens was the winning pitcher with eight strike outs and 11 walks. Jessie Hall suffered the loss with five strike outs and eight walks.

Mike Combs homered in the fifth inning with a man on base. Johnny Case drove in two runs with a fifth inning double. Case had two hits in the game and Matt Moore picked up three RBIs in the fourth with a base hit. Moore had two hits in the game.

Jim Branham had a double for the Blue Jays in the first inning, driving in two runs to give Martin a 2-0 lead. Garrett tied the game in the bottom of the inning but Martin regained the lead at 3-2 with a second inning run. Garrett led 4-3 after three and scored four times in the fourth and two more in the fifth for the win.

Against Wayland, Garrett scored three times in the first and four in the second en route to a 20-8 mercy win over the Dodgers. Barry Conley was the winning pitcher with some relief help from Mike Pack. Pack came on to pitch in the fourth inning. Kevin Slone got the loss for Wayland.

Mike Combs homered in the first inning — a solo shot. Case followed Combs with another solo home run. Mike Pack then tripled and scored on Owens ground ball.

Owens had two doubles in the game. Combs also had a two-bagger as did Pack. Moore and Slone each had two-base hits in the game.

Case had a total of three hits along with Owens and Combs. Pack and Conley had two each.

For Wayland, Kevin Slone collected two hits — a double and single in picking up two runs batted in.

Conley was the winning pitcher with seven strike outs and nine walks. Slone was the loser striking out 10 and walking 11.

At Wayland
GARRETT 34175 - 20
WAYLAND 01070 - 8
HR - Combs 3B - Pack 2B - Owens (2), Combs, Pack, Moore, Slone WP - Conley LP - Slone

McMar shows mercy in 20-6 win over Garrett

It was all threes for Shannon Slone of the McMar Reds as he collected three hits in three plate appearances, scored three runs and drove in three runs to help lead the Reds to a mercy 20-6 win over Garrett in Babe Ruth action at Stumbo Park.

McMar scored 12 times in the first inning as 16 batters paraded to the plate. Justin Hopkins was the winning pitcher working the five innings. Hopkins fanned seven batters and walked five. Hopkins gave up six runs while scattering five hits.

Tim Bellamy got the loss for Garrett. Bellamy only retired one batter in the first inning before Brandon Hicks came on in relief in the first. The only out Bellamy recorded was a strike of Jason Woods.

The first two batters for McMar — Hopkins and Beau Tackett — singled to start the game. Bellamy walked Kevin Robinson, Thomas Jenkins and Chris Moore back-to-back to force home two runs. Woods then struck out and Bellamy walked the next four batters before being lifted. The second time around, Robinson singled home a run and Jenkins tripled in two. Moore and Woods had base hits in the inning.

Garrett scored three times in the second inning. Jason Hicks started the second with a walk but was picked off first. Derrick Conley grounded to short but Hopkins walked Mike Sexton with Donnie Owens singling behind him. Sexton scored when

Bellamy's reached on a fielder's choice. Hicks singled home Owens and Bellamy.

Slone, Jenkins and Moore had RBI singles in the second for McMar when they scored three times. Slone singled in the third inning and came all the way around to score on two errors.

In the fifth for McMar, a walk to Ousley and a base hit by Cook set the stage for Slone's third hit — a two-run double.

Garrett scored twice in the third inning on a one-out base hit by Brady Scott and a walk to Jason Hicks. Scott and Hicks scored on an error at first base.

Derossett named — (Continued from A 8)

"I think it would be great for us to play each other," said Derossett. "Coach (Bill) Letton and I are the best of friends and we would both like to see it happen."

Pop Warner football, a two camp this summer is all in the plans that Derossett has to rebuild the program at Betsy Layne. If he sounds positive in his thinking, well that the way things are at Betsy Layne — positive!

Whitesburg, Prestonsburg, Sheldon Clark and Morgan County on the list this year. Sheldon Clark, Prestonsburg and Whitesburg are the top three teams in the district."

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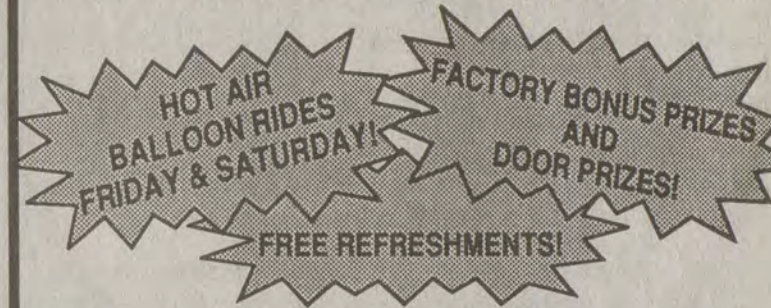
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by Sarah Hapson

WOULDN'T YA REALLY
RATHER HAVE LOWER
INSURANCE PREMIUMS?

Even though we were aware of it, it crept upon us like ivy on a brick wall. We cursed and discussed it. We dreaded it like the plague. And we even thought about ways to combat it, but to no avail.

Despite the preparations we attempted to make, we were still totally unprepared for the time when our son's friends would have their driver's license.

One day we were shuttling him to and from places like a jet plane on a runway, and the next day some kid wearing sun glasses drives up in two thousand pounds of metal and honks the horn, and our son jumps in with him.

"Mom, he's a great driver," our son says. We have since learned that "great driver" means the driver fastens his seatbelt and makes everybody else do the same. It also means you are still able to move your head from the neckrest upon acceleration.

I still wish Congress would enact a law prohibiting children from driving until they were 21. Lord knows they've enacted sillier laws. Just think about it. Do you really think 16 year olds are not mature enough to drive machines that cost almost as much as houses and are as expensive to operate?

Forget the gasoline, oil, and the wear and tear on the vehicle. Forget the additional miles and the extra set of tires you'll need every three months when your child comes in with that bewildered look on his face and says, "It didn't look like glass to me," or "I didn't know you had to slow down at railroad crossings. I don't remember them being so bumpy." The biggest expense you, as a parent, will incur is paying the insurance premiums.

This burns me up because even though my son has never driven before, as soon as he turns 16 he will have already been pegged a RISK to society. Before the laminate on his license seals, he is a menace on the highway because of the millions of other 16 year olds who abused their driving privileges eons before he knew what burning rubber was.

These problems didn't exist when I turned 16 and got my license. Of course, there were fewer cars on the road and there weren't unrealistic speed limits like there are now. For example, we could drive 60 mph on the highway and because of the light traffic, we had an adequate amount of time to dodge other vehicles that swerved over into our lane. Of course, many times these swervers hit you, but the insurance covered it if they had any. Somehow I think this is how all the trouble began.

Fortunately, we don't have to worry about how much it will cost our son to drive for another year. In the meantime, we can sit and stew over how we're going to come up with an extra thousand dollars for insurance. From all indicators, it

(See Smile Awhile, B 3)

THE TIMES' WEEKEND Extra

Hindman Settlement School's Appalachian Family Folk Week

If your calendar is free for the week of June 7-12—and getting back to the roots of your Appalachian heritage strikes a chord within your heart—then the Hindman Settlement School (HSS) will be the place for you!

This is the 15th anniversary of the school's Family Folk Week, "A time," HSS director Mike Mullins says "when participants and staff take over the week themselves and set up a family atmosphere. The term 'folk' denotes a growing and sharing in non-competitive ways." Families share in a week of traditional Appalachian music, dance, crafts, storytelling and instrument-playing.

Activities are planned in both group and individual sessions. Children ages 4 and older are welcome, and the school's rustic campus affords them a large playing field, access to the swimming pool and plenty of hiking opportunities to keep even the most precocious of youngsters on their toes.

All evening entertainment will begin at 7:30 p.m. and is free and open to the public.

Sunday, June 7, is registration day. A dance will be held later on that evening with music by Randy Wilson, Rich Kirby, Phil Jamison, Marion Sumner, Lee Smith and Ray Slone.

Tuesday through Friday of this action-packed week begins with group songs each morning and ends with sessions of dance, music and crafts like quilting, basket-making, and cornshuck dollmaking.

Be prepared! Guitars, banjos, dulcimers and mandolins will be feasting for the ears during this week. On

Monday night Ralph Blizzard and the New Southern Ramblers will do the entertainment honors with some good "old-time" music, followed by "Mountain Tales and Songs" by Loyal Jones, director of the Appalachian Center at Berea College on Tuesday evening.

Wednesday—get there early, it's sure to be crowded—the Metropolitan Blues All-Stars will bring some hard-driving mountain blues to downtown Hindman. Two members of this Lexington-based band are from Eastern Kentucky complete with a Hindman High School graduate, Michael Stamper, and even a genuine Hatfield! Much of their music has a distinct Appalachian flavor.

Thursday night will find the Louisville Youth Orchestra on their Bicentennial Celebration tour through Knott County presenting two commissioned works, "A Kentucky Overture," and "Song of Kentucky."

On Friday evening Jean Ritchie, Edna R. Baker, Anndrena Blecher and others will be performing.

While offering fantastic evening entertainment, the structured day program boasts an impressive staff. For an entire week, you can eat and live alongside the following Appalachian artists: Ray Slone of Hindman, who has played stringed instruments with many Bluegrass groups; Marion Sumner, quite an impressive fiddler; Beth Goldston, a full-time basket artist; our own Candace Slone, a master quilter; Mike Ware, a potter; Jean Ritchie, musician-singer-composer who has given concerts all over the world; Rich Kirby, who plays

(See Hindman, B 2)



Basket artist

Beth Goldston, basket artist, from Black Mountain, North Carolina, is shown working on one of her many baskets. She will demonstrate her craft during Hindman's Family Folk Week.

Soap
Updates

by Gail Glover

ALL MY CHILDREN: Dixie decided not to get intimate with the man she picked up at the bar. Gloria stormed out after a fight with Helga. Dimitri blamed Edmund for stealing money and letting Angelique take the blame. Edmund was shocked that Angelique had been covering for him all this time and repaid the money with interest. Erica told Dimitri she'd decided against having an affair with him. Lucas was surprised to see his stepdaughter, Taylor, in Pine Valley. Trevor and Natalie planned a June wedding. Wait To See: Dixie makes a radical decision about her life.

ANOTHER WORLD: After making love, Paulina told Jake she and Kevin had just been friends. Rick planned a private celebration for himself and Jenna, and lured her to the empty Tuxedo Club with a message to meet Dean. Rachel warned Carl to stay away from her family. Marley went to Jamie for help regarding Dennis, and was shocked to learn Jamie was dating Kelsey. Cass whisked Frankie off to Venice. Carl found something interesting in the Libra file. Wait To See: Felicia confronts another dilemma regarding Lorna.

ASTHEWORLDURNS: Tom told Bob he believed Lisa had another—still secret—reason for giving up Scott. Tom saw Margo and Scott together and realized he was having a difficult time accepting his half brother, and he wondered why it was Lisa who inherited the Thomas Eldridge estate. Margo told Barbara to accept Gavin's guilty verdict, and get on with her life. Lily was frightened when she began spotting. Wait To See: Tom's feelings about Scott, and his curiosity about her bequest create new problems for Lisa.

BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL: Karen assured Ridge she had no intention of disrupting his life. Stephanie told Taylor that Ridge was still in love with Brooke. Sally advised Macy that if she really loved Thorne, forget her bitterness and go after him. The nurse applicant, Jane, noted the obvious tension between Eric and Brooke. Taylor's father arrived. Zach saw Ridge and Taylor's photo in the paper and decided to see his big sister again. Wait To See: Thorne makes a decision that Macy may well regret.

DAYS OF OUR LIVES: After a talk with Marlana, Stall admitted on the stand that his son, Dean, had a pre-existing condition before he died in the hospital. The jury returned a not guilty verdict. Kayla left Shane and her family, and she and Stephanie moved to Los Angeles to be with Kimberly. Molly was torn by Gavin's announcement that he's up for hospital administrator, and if she played her cards right, he'd take her with him and recommend her for the Nurses Honors program. Wait To See: John unwittingly sets up a complication for Lawrence's plan.

GENERAL HOSPITAL: Felicia's return to Port Charles puzzled her friends. Tracy had a dif-

(See Soap Update, B 2)

Truth, Justice and the American Way

by Geoff Belcher, staff writer

Friends and neighbors, I'm here today to talk to you about a subject that's near and dear to my heart: my impending nuptials.

That's right, I'm gettin' hitched. I'm a condemned man. I'm fixin' to strap on that ol' ball and chain and hobble that last mile to the velvet gallows. I'm settling down, growing up, never again, under extreme penalty of law, to even think of looking at another woman. Ready to join the ranks of the glassy-eyed walking dead you see standing in every mall in the free world, holding a purse and glancing furtively at the store entrance to see if the little woman has finally tried on the very last outfit in the store, or at least run the Visa to its limit so we can go home. I'm a' headed fer the last roundup.

At least, that's how my friends tell it.

"You don't know what you're in for," they'll say, or "Well, it's been nice knowing you," as if I had just discovered that I was the unwitting victim of some long, painful, incurable and ultimately fatal disease.

Then they'll offer what cold comfort they can and fall back on that stereotypically male standard "Hooeee, let's get plastered 'n go see some naked wimmen," until I remind them that the closest we'll find to strippers around here is if we hung out at the hospital and wait for some old dowager in support hose to turn around and show us the peek-a-boo gap in her hospital gown.

Then people I barely even know will walk up to me and ask "When are you going to have children?" Now, don't get me wrong, I know they're just being polite, but just because I'm getting married doesn't necessarily mean I'm entertaining any notions of rugrats for quite some time. I mean, you don't walk up to old people and say "So when's the funeral?"

Then of course there are the busy-bodies who are all sweetness and light to your face and the second your back is turned they whisper to someone "I heard they had to get married," and you know they'll still be saying that ten years later even though you still don't have any children.

You know the kind of people I'm talking about. They're the ones that talk about what good Christians they are and even have "Jesus Saves" license plates on their cars (even though I'm reasonably certain that there isn't a single scripture in the bible where Jesus spoke to his flock and said "Thou shalt goeth forth and putteth my name on thy buicks"), yet they drink and smoke and cuss like sailors.

So in order to put everyone's mind at rest, no, I'm not dying and no, there are no buns in the oven and no, we don't plan on having any yard apes at any time this century, although there's always a chance of a little misconception.

Personally, I'm in favor of enacting muzzle and leash laws for children, and I believe you should be required to at least be old enough to vote before being allowed entrance to restaurants and movie theatres.

Another big question people like to ask is "Are you nervous?" which is something akin to asking Elvis if he's dead—the answer seems obvious,

but there's still some doubt.

I should be nervous, but I haven't really had time to think about it.

I think that's why they make getting married such a hassle—so you stay so preoccupied with details that you don't have time to change your mind.

First of all, there's planning of the actual ceremony.

Everybody told me that it takes at least two months to plan a wedding. I thought that was silly. You need a place to have it, a few invitations, some snacks, maybe a little bit of music, a ring and a white dress.

Except for the ring and the dress, I thought, it isn't really all that much different from having a barbecue. Guess that's why they don't let me have any sharp objects and the walls of my office are padded instead of painted.

What began as a small, modest ceremony suddenly became the single greatest undertaking known to man since the Great Wall of China was constructed.

First, they told me we had to pick

out a color scheme. I suggested polka dots, but was quickly overruled.

Then, we had to make a guest list. I was once again overruled when I said I thought we should just run an ad in the paper saying "Everyone welcome."

Once we had the guest list set, we then had to order the aforementioned invitations in the aforementioned color scheme, plus two thousand matching decorative napkins that are roughly the size of one of those tear-off sheets of toilet paper, which aren't even big enough to blow your nose

on, much less wipe your mouth. I still don't see why we couldn't just buy a couple of rolls of Bounty with the little ducks on it.

Then, they said we had to have flowers and picking dandelions out of the backyard just wouldn't cut it. I had to throw the dandelions away.

Since the church we picked doesn't have a piano, we had to pick out music. I suggested we substitute cither Jimi Hendrix' "Foxy Lady" or The Guess Who's "American Woman" for the Bridal March. Over-

ruled. I finally washed my hands of the music decisions with one stipulation: nobody whose voice hurts dogs' ears gets to sing.

Next, they told me we had to have a rehearsal dinner. Everybody laughed when I asked if that meant you pretended to eat. Nobody laughed when I suggested that we just take everybody to Hardee's.

Then, of course, the bride and groom must move everything they've ever bought, owned, borrowed, wore or even looked at into the new house. That is, after the already-immaculate house has been steam-cleaned, disinfected, scrubbed, washed and sprayed with artificial scents with names like "Mountain Heather" and "Country Cow Pasture."

Then you have to go pay the county to give you permission to get married. My theory is that years ago, one of our great capitalist forefathers said "So you're saying that I can't stay out all night playing poker with my buddies anymore, have to be with only one woman for the rest of my life, and

(See Truth, Justice, B 2)

**BY DR. DEAN EDELL
EDELLE HEALTH
NOTES**

TEEN CHRONIC FATIGUE AND DEPRESSION... An estimated 2 million to 5 million Americans suffer from chronic fatigue syndrome, yet the cause of this fairly new ailment still eludes researchers. Some doctors blame a virus, while others think the syndrome is psychological. A recent study—one of the few done with teenagers rather than adults—lends support to the psychological theory.

Doctors from the University of Washington School of Medicine, Children's Hospital and Medical Center, and Veteran's Affairs Medical Center in Seattle studied 15 teenagers with chronic fatigue syndrome. Although they tested the youths for a variety of viruses suggested as causes of the syndrome, the doctors found little evidence of a viral connection. Five of the subjects were seriously depressed, however, and the rest reported secondary symptoms.

We still don't know whether depression is a cause or an effect of chronic fatigue. But at least it has been successfully treated.

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AFTER-SHAVE THOUGHTS... They are supposed to be cleansing, bracing and refreshing, and they do feel nice.

But those popular skin products known as toners, clarifiers and after-shave lotions may do more harm than good.

The problem, says Patricia Engasser, a clinical associate professor of dermatology at Stanford University, is that the alcohol contained in most of these products can aggravate dry skin. If you use these products (also known as astringents), she advises you to choose the ones with the lowest percentage of alcohol.

Unfortunately, the easiest guide here is the ingredients panel on the product package, where the cosmetics manufacturer is required to list ingredients in descending order of amount. Few, if any, indicate percentages.

In any case, use toners and after-shave lotions sparingly, if at all, if you have dry skin. Avoid applying them to irritated skin, and be aware that some of them can cause allergic reactions.

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EXERCISING RESOLVE... Fewer than half of Americans over the age of 60 exercise regularly. In fact, physical frailty in later years is brought on by poor diet and flabby muscles more than by aging. Happily, this condition can be halted or even reversed by eating properly and dedicating yourself to a regular exercise routine.

—Start exercising gradually, say 5 to 10 minutes a day — you're less likely to get hurt or discouraged.

—Choose exercise that you enjoy. If you decide to swim and you dislike water, you probably won't go back to the pool after the first session.

—Exercise with a friend. This provides an instant source of motivation.

—Wear comfortable clothes.
—Establish a routine. Routine equals habit, and you're less likely to forget or ignore a habit.

For ideas on how to establish an exercise program that suits you:

—AARP, attention Terry Warren, 601 E. St. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20049; "Pep Up Your Life," free.

—American Fitness Association, 9310 Old Georgetown Road, Bethesda, Md. 20814; "Get Moving America," free with SASE (53-cent stamp).

Hindman

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many traditional mountain instruments; Edna R. Baker, an accomplished ballad singer, story-teller and craftsperson; Anndrena Belcher, storyteller and dress-up artist; Phil Jamison, dance caller and musician who dances with the famous Green Grass Cloggers; Randy Wilson, a folk artist from Leslie County; Lee Sexton, one of the best old-time banjo players in the region; and Susan Jones, an art teacher from North Carolina.

Floyd County performers Dave Sizemore and his Folk Festival Band will also put in an appearance. Sizemore and his band have been performing since the Hindman Festival began.

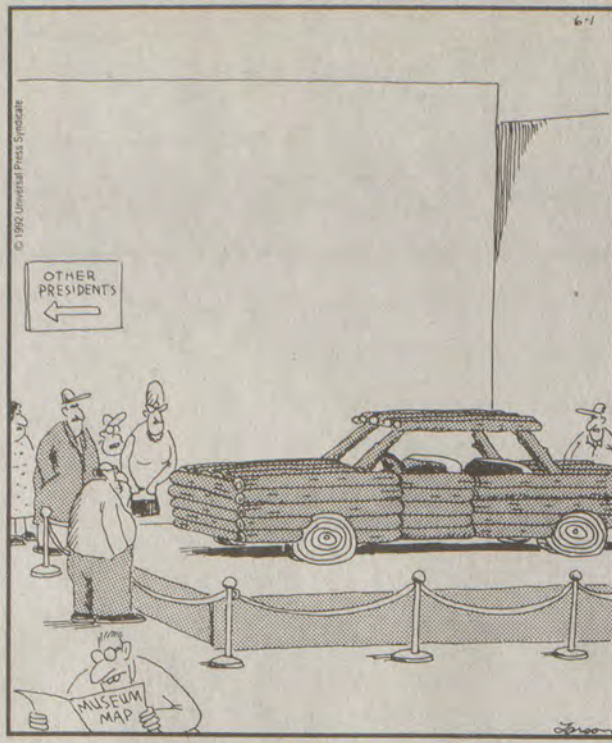
Mullins says this week gives families "a chance to step out of their everyday lives, and step back into their heritage."

"This has become an annual event for many people," he said. Mullins touts visitors in the past from as far away as California and Maine.

For more information about this week write the Settlement School in Hindman or call 606-785-5475.

THE FAR SIDE

By GARY LARSON



Abraham Lincoln's first car

NATASHA'S STARS

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Be more playful this week. The extroverted approach works for you. Midweek, you may want to think and analyze plans before creatively launching them. Want to know about your love life? It is perfect and caring—if you let it be. Go for a new beginning. Now is the time.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Your more possessive ("I must have") attitude comes out early on in the week. Lots of talks, a hectic schedule and a new-found sense of well-being are your trademarks. You teach everyone what sensuality is really all about over the weekend. Need we say more?

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You are STILL a force to be dealt with this week. You wow (and I mean WOW!) everyone on the scene left and right. Use this star power to the max, though be sure what it is you want. You just may get it, and then snuggle in this weekend with that special someone.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Expect a bad (moody) day or two and then you are in prime shape. Be careful about catching a tiger by the tail. You may have more on your hands than you can, or choose, to deal with. Too bad about the hectic schedule—many calls and invites this weekend. Such popularity!!!

LEO (July 23-August 22) Recognize your own limits midweek and then you can, and will, continue the winning streak you are on. You roll into the weekend as the magnetic force you truly are—smiling and glowing. Please remember, though you are very happy and carefree, stay reasonable and don't overdo.

VIRGO (August 23-September 22) Accepting your responsibilities and maximizing your opportunities allow you to change the scenario and get a better perspective on a special friendship. Mull over a decision you will activate this weekend most carefully. The force is with you and now is the time!

LIBRA (September 23-October 22) Evaluate different opportunities

before you take that gigantic leap. Accept responsibility at work and carry the flag ... all the others scurry behind you and follow in your footsteps. You ARE a winner and have reason to boast and celebrate. You then party yourself to fatigue.

SCORPIO (October 23-November 21) Get to a bottom line level with money matters, and follow through on a unique idea. Be creative with work plans and personal projects. Listen to a higher-up and go to the basis of an understanding. You are on the victory trail this weekend. Go for what you want.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22-December 21) Be more light about day-to-day matters. You find you really want to be this way anyhow. The social butterfly in you emerges and you want to take wings in a different direction. Open up to new ideas and another's viewpoint. The weekend is a mini 'walk on the wild side.'

CAPRICORN (December 22-January 19) Discipline (something you are good at) counts this week, because it will take everything you can do to get the job done. You discover why midweek. Money matters get handled, and you are off on a wonderful adventure this weekend. All that 'nose to the grindstone' was well worth it.

AQUARIUS (January 20-February 18) Listening to the spirit, Aquarius, can take you on a wild and woolly trail. Being clear as to your needs and responsibilities makes a lot of sense and will be worthwhile in the long run. This weekend will have you smiling and happy. Finally, romance clears, and you feel wonderful.

PISCES (February 19-March 20) Get in touch with what is bothering you. You get a creative opportunity to handle whatever comes up—and in a most pleasant way. Take care of all responsibilities during this work week, for the weekend is about pleasure.

Soap update (Continued from, B 1)

ficult delivery. Holly and Ric went ahead with their plan. Monica learned that a friendly witness could prove damaging. A tipsy A.J. defied Alan's warnings and took Nikki for a walk on the docks. A mysterious man from Bill's past presented him with a business deal. Explosive surprises awaited Monica and General Hospital at the opening of the trial. Wait To See: Felicia has another shock in store for her friends.

GUIDING LIGHT: Vanessa and Fletcher admitted their love for each other. Billy erupted when Bud revealed Nadine had tipped off the tabloid. Frank was surprised to learn David and Gilly are brother and sister, and that David was avoiding their parents. Jenna forced Harley to steal a ring from a jewelry shop to show she can be trusted. However, later she found Harley's police credentials in a search of her room. Harley admitted she'd been a police cadet but flunked out, a fact Dylan confirmed. Wait To See: Roger has another surprise for Mindy.

LOVING: Gwyn and Clay were voted co-chief executive officers of Alden Enterprises. Casey and Giff agreed to try to make their father/son relationship work. Tim knew Isabelle loved him: so why did she marry Cabot? Isabelle refused to answer. Ava was curious about her mysterious boss, Burnell, who only spoke to her over the PA system, never in person. Jack's obsession for revenge frightened Stacey. Hannah was drawn to Cooper. Wait To See: Ava's curiosity could cause problems for her.

ONE LIFE TO LIVE: Blair accompanied Max to Texas to visit a sick Joe Hawk. Renee got ownership

of the hotel. Viki was furious with Dorian for writing about Lee Ann and Kevin's marriage in the *Intruder*. Bo and Sarah worked on Alex to get information on "Scarecrow". Rachel told Sheila that her mother is white. Sarah found Conrad, who had been with her when she was a hostage. After realizing Sarah left town, Maggie jumped bail. Wait To See: Dorian faces a new challenge.

SANTA BARBARA: Cruz had a disturbing dream about Jodie and woke to find Reese at his door. Both went in search of Jodie who, meanwhile, managed to get herself and Connie's children to the beach house. At the gravesite, Suzanne saw something that caused her to scream and drop the painting. Micah was revealed as Marcus. B.J. prepared Sawyer for his fight with Rafe. C.C. asked Santana to marry him immediately. She refused, saying he'll always love Sophia. Wait To See: Kelly fears she may lose Cruz.

YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS: Brad and Jack told Victor they felt he was neglecting the business. Later, Victor secretly bugged Jack's office. Paul and Lynne rescued Molly and Lauren. Scott learned Sheila might have died in the fire. Accompanied by Paul, Lauren told Scott about Sheila's baby switch. Michael told Calvin Cricket was a real disappointment to the firm. Olivia told Neil she won't tell Nathan the truth about her health. Nina came to Ryan's apartment and announced the results of her HIV test. Wait To See: Victor gets some surprising information through Jack's office bugging set up.

Smile Awhile

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wouldn't matter if our son was an Eagle Scout, got straight A's, or drove a 30 year old car, the insurance rate would still be equivalent to feeding a family of four for a year.

I spoke to one insurance agent the other day, when the conversation got around to insuring a teen-age driver, I could have sworn I saw a glint of a smile cross his lips. "You have a teen-age son?" he asked, gleefully. "That means he'll be driving soon, right?"

It was the same smile I saw on the face of the refrigeration man when he said, "The ice-maker will cost \$950 to fix. I can get you a new fridge for \$925, though." I knew the look, and it concerned me. What's worse, we can't do a thing about it.

All I can hope for is that our son will fail his driver's test in his first 20 attempts. Of course with my luck, that would play havoc with his self-confidence and put him at risk as a driver for life.

In the meantime, when our son's friends pull up and rev the motors of their vehicles, we can talk about how we dread seeing him drive off into the sunset, or we can start saving for the time he comes through the door and says, "Is it always your fault when you rear-end someone?"

Truth, Justice

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will forever after have to raise the lid? Doesn't sound like much fun, but there's got to be a way to make money off it."

Despite the fact that I've been introducing my fiancée as my future ex-wife, I'm not really as cynical as I make it sound. It just isn't funny to say "Oh, I love you and want to spend the rest of my life with you," even though it's true.

So, to all my good friends, yes, I'm really looking forward to it.

The wedding is on Saturday. Everyone is welcome.

To those of you out there who think getting married means losing your freedom, growing up and becoming a respectable, responsible, productive citizen, I have but one thing to say.

You're only young once, but you can be immature forever.

If at first you don't succeed, don't take any more chances. — Kin Hubbard

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Dear Abby



Grandparents' Vigilance Can Prevent Poisoning of Kids

DEAR ABBY: Your response to the poison-wary mom from Pesotum motivated me to provide the most recent poisoning statistics compiled by the American Association of Poison Control Centers. In 1991, there were 44 deaths of children under 6 years of age. However, more than 1.8 million poisonings were reported including nearly 1.1 million accidental poisonings in children under 5 years of age.

Of course, these numbers represent only those poisonings that were reported to poison control centers participating in this surveillance system. Many additional unreported poisonings actually occurred.

A recent study showed that more than a third of pediatric poisonings from toxic prescription drugs involved the ingestion of a grandparent's medication. I cannot imagine any grandparent wanting to be responsible for a life-threatening illness in a grandchild. Imagine your grandchild, comatose in an intensive care unit, with a tube in the stomach, IVs in the arm and a respirator hissing in the background. Yet, grandparents are regularly implicated in childhood poisonings.

Perhaps it would help to focus attention on those household products that are extraordinarily dangerous, and limit our expectations of grandparents to keeping these extreme hazards out of the child's reach. For example, iron supplements caused 11 needless deaths in toddlers in 1991. Other causes of pediatric poisoning deaths were prescription medications, acid toilet bowl cleaners, alkaline cleaning substances (such as drain cleaners) gasoline, kerosene, lamp oil, fabric protector, charcoal lighter fluid, gun bluing and oil of wintergreen. Pesticides, windshield washing solutions and antifreeze also merit special vigilance.

Grandparents can make a difference!

TOBY LITOVITZ, M.D.,
PRESIDENT, AMERICAN

ASSOCIATION OF POISON CONTROL CENTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C.

DEAR DR. LITOVITZ: Thank you for your attention-getting letter, and for informing me of the correct 1989 statistics from the American Association of Poison Control Centers—1,581,540 poison exposures reported to your association. Approximately 935,000 of those were accidental poisonings in children under 5 years of age, and 1,072,292 were accidental poisonings in children under the age of 18. Of special interest was the comment, "Extrapolating from reported cases to actual poisonings allows us to estimate that 2.75 million children under 5 years, and 3.16 million children under 18, were actually poisoned accidentally in 1989."

DEAR ABBY: In a recent column, you asked readers to send in their pet peeves with respect to the misuse of words. Mine is the frequent statement, especially by news media persons who say "a million and a half dollars" when they mean "one and a half million dollars."

Abby, there is a \$499,999.50 difference between those two. A million and a half dollars can only mean \$1 million and 50 cents. The "half" takes on the dimensions of the word following it, not that preceding it.

Why should anyone care? Perhaps because if we don't care, the younger generation will think it doesn't matter—besides, who needs mathematics anyway?

The other evening, a national news person said that the S&L scandal may ultimately cost "a trillion and a half dollars." Should I send them 50 cents and make it an even trillion?

Thanks for letting me vent my spleen. This is better for me than yelling at the TV set.

JOHN F. CHRISTMAN
EMERITUS PROFESSOR
LOYOLA UNIVERSITY

LESTER L. COLEMAN, M.D.

YOUR HEALTH

Q. My father was recently hospitalized because of left heart failure. To me, this suggests that there is a left and right heart. I am confused.

A. The term "left heart" and "right heart" are technical ones that have meaning only to the doctor. There are not two hearts. They refer to the two sides of the heart.

The heart has four chambers: two auricles and two ventricles. There is one auricle and one ventricle on the left side of the heart and one auricle and one ventricle on the right side.

The chambers of the so-called right heart receive blood that has circulated through the body and has given up its oxygen. The right heart then pumps blood into the lungs to reaccumulate oxygen which is essential to the life of all organs.

The newly oxygenated blood enters the chambers of the left heart where the powerful muscle of the left ventricle pumps this vitalized blood into the arteries for distribution throughout the entire body.

Left heart failure therefore means that the muscle of the left ventricle is not strong enough to adequately pump the oxygenated blood throughout the body. When this happens, the pumping action of the heart is deficient, and there is a backing up of the blood and fluid into the chest and lungs.

The remarkable advances made in the study of the heart and the large blood vessel leading from it now

makes it possible to visualize and study the most minute areas of the heart. Diagnosis is, therefore, more

rapidly established, early treatment can be instituted, and the rate of survival is rising.


Some of these remarkable advances are the use of the sonogram, the catscan and the MRI studies. These have other immeasurable information about the heart and how it functions. The despair that formerly existed about the uncertainty of the diagnosis of heart conditions is rapidly disappearing. The scientific research is ongoing at a rate that make the morbidity and mortality associated with heart condition progressively decline.

Along with the diagnostic advances have come an enormous number of new drugs including beta blockers which have been responsible for the control of many heart conditions that previously were difficult to handle. Some of these drugs when used within an hour of a heart attack have spelled the difference between life and death. Heart irregularities are now controlled even if their origin is difficult to pinpoint.



"Have you been cleaning with vinegar again? It smells like a salad in here!"

Those who despise money will eventually sponge on their friends. — Chinese proverb




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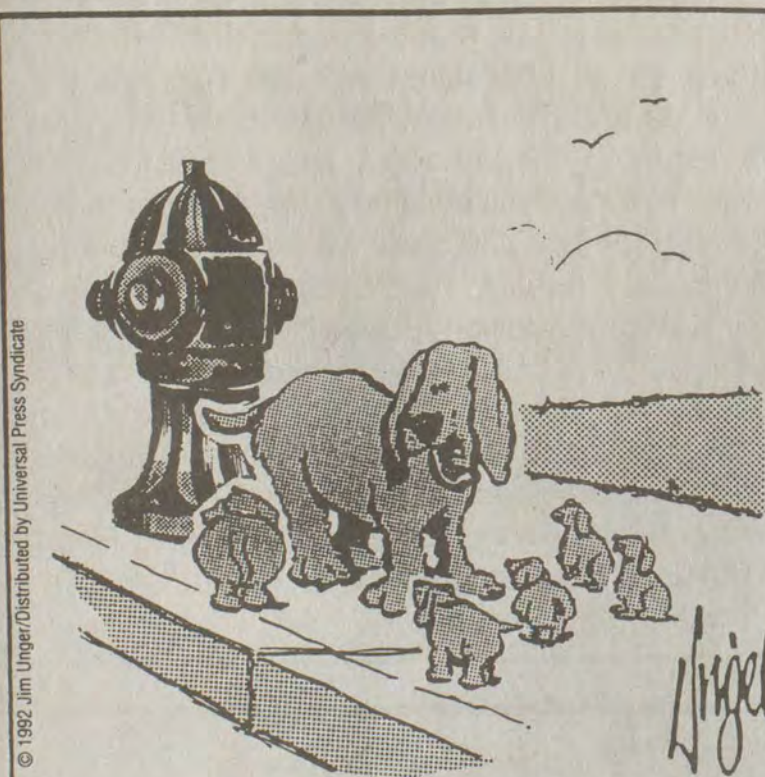
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BICENTENNIAL CHRONICLE

Although John Fitch was not a native Kentuckian, this inventor of the first movable steamboat spent the latter portion of his life in Bardstown, where a monument is erected over his grave.

Originally from Connecticut, Fitch had failed to make a living as a silversmith, gunsmith, surveyor, or clockmaker when he launched the first steam powered boat in 1786. After experimenting for two years, Fitch created a boat housing a wood-burning furnace that provided the pressure to move the 12 vertical paddles, six on each side, moving alternately. The aptly-named Perseverance moved at two-and-a-half miles an hour.

Fitch built more boats, both faster

and more efficient than his earlier effort. The Steam Boat, developed in 1789, traveled between Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and Trenton, New Jersey, at six miles per hour.

Despite his apparent progress, Fitch was still doomed to failure. Unable to prove his patent claims or raise money to continue his work, Fitch moved to almost forgotten land claims in Bardstown. A bitter man, he traded the land to a tavernkeeper who provided Fitch with food, whiskey and shelter for the rest of his life. Fitch died in 1798, and was posthumously recognized for his invention by the U.S. Congress in 1927.

Engineer and inventor Robert Fulton is generally credited with the invention of the steamboat in 1807.

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By GARY LARSON



"Chief say 'Someone ... here ... walk ... through ... buffalo ... field.'"

DEE AND TOM HARDIE

GRANDPARENTING

GRANDPARENTS' ROLE AS EDUCATORS IS UNIQUE

Grandparents can play a unique role today. In fact, they are widely expected to play this special role. For example:

The Grand Remark of the Week:
"I was baby-sitting two of my grandsons recently. While feeding the baby, the older boy, 4 1/2, wanted me to do something for him, immediately.

"I said, 'You must wait until I'm finished with the baby. God only gave me two hands!'

"He thought a moment and then said, 'Well, you should have asked for three!'" — Viola Campbell, Melbourne Beach, Fla.

A busy grandparent who also plays a very important role in the field of education today, despite having only two hands, is Fred A. Hargadon, dean of admission at Princeton University.

In a recent article in the Princeton Alumni Weekly, Mr. Hargadon wrote: "I have always believed that the luckiest young men and women are those who while growing up benefited from the contributions made

by what I call 'significant other adults': a teacher, the neighbor who first hires us to mow his lawn, a favorite aunt or uncle, or a coach. For the luckiest of all, perhaps, the most significant are one's Grandparents."

Mr. Hargadon says he is often asked by grandparents how their grandchildren might grow and develop in ways that will enable them to become "reasonable candidates" for Princeton or elsewhere. From 12,857 applicants this year, Mr. Hargadon and his staff accepted only 2,036, or just 15.8 percent. It's obviously a very competitive process.

Mr. Hargadon, a graduate of Haverford College, has two children and two young grandchildren. He knows his subject. And as he told us several weeks ago, he does not look at grades alone. In addition, he looks for those who are "likely to make a contribution" to the class.

"It strikes me," he said, "that in many respects the role of grandparents... is somewhat akin to that played

by the British royal family: a sort of regal, caring authority unencumbered by the rough and tumble fray that is so much a part and parcel of the lives of parents.

"Grandparents are in the best position to take the long view and keep things in perspective."

Here is the "disinterested" advice he suggests that grandparents might pass along:

"I'd downplay any notions of doing the following simply in order to become a competitive candidate for any particular college. Rather, I'd play up the notion of maximizing one's abilities just in order to become a first-rate human being.

"I'd tell them to read, read and read.

"I'd strongly suggest that at the earliest stage possible, they begin to learn a second language. There really is no reason why our children should not be bilingual by the time they graduate from high school. I'd also opt for having them spend at least one of their high school years abroad to enable them to appreciate more fully their own culture as well as those of others.

"I'd find ways to introduce them to a wide variety of activities or hobbies.

"I'd try to provide them with a much broader understanding than we usually do of the many different ways adults have managed to lead productive and happy lives.

"I'd continually remind them that in choosing courses in high school they ought to keep in mind that whatever decisions they make should be ones that keep as many options open, and close as few doors, as possible. Taking algebra may not appear at the time to be very critical to an aspiring ballerina, but aspirations change."

Mr. Hargadon also stressed what he calls his "C" words: citizenship, competence, confidence, character, curiosity, compassion, craftsmanship and collegiality.

"They are the sorts of qualities that would serve your grandchildren well simply as ends in themselves," he emphasized.

ARKADY LEOKUM

TELL ME WHY

WHAT ARE FINGERNAILS MADE OF?

Cutting, biting and filing our nails doesn't hurt us because the nails are made up of dead cells. The nails are special structures that grow from the skin. Most of the nail is made up of a substance called "keratin." This is a tough, dead form of protein, and a horn-like material.

At the base of the nail, and part of the way along its sides, the nail is embedded in the skin. The skin beneath the nail is just like any other skin except that it contains elastic fibers. These are connected to the nail to hold it firmly.

Most of the nail is quite thick, but at the point near the roots beneath the skin it is very thin. This part is white in appearance and has the shape of a semicircle or half-moon. It is called the "lunule." The fingernails grow about 2 inches a year.

Women, of course, have made the fingernails an object of beauty with colored nail polishes. But to a great many people, the nails present all sorts of problems. One reason for many nail disorders is that the nails become injured. A burn or frostbite, for example, may injure nails so that they'll never grow again.

Nails that are brittle, or hard, or that tend to split may be the result of many things: infections, a disturbance

of the nutritional system, poor circulation of the blood, or even glandular disturbances.

Some women let their nails grow too long. Long nails are subject to shocks, and this can result in damage to the nails.

FUN TIME

THE RIDDLE BOX

1. What month has 28 days? 2. When did the Irish potato change its nationality? 3. Why did the lobster blush? ANSWERS 1. All of them. 2. When it became French fried. 3. He saw the salad dressing.

THE PUZZLE BOX

There is a word that, read forward, it's an outdoor game; read backward, it means to whip. What is the word?

Outdoor Game To Whip

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ANSWER: golf, flag

CHUCK SHEPHERD

NEWS OF THE WEIRD

—John Dawson, 26, was arrested in South St. Paul, Minn., in February after the failure of his alleged elaborate scheme to have sex. Police say he broke into a young woman's apartment just before she arrived, left her a note on the kitchen table, then undressed, put duct tape over his eyes, and handcuffed himself to her bed. In the note were instructions that she was to go into her bedroom immediately and have sex with him because a man with a gun had kidnapped him and was waiting to kill yet another person if she refused. Instead, she ran to the police, and Dawson, who had left the key to his chains on the kitchen table, could not free himself before they arrived.

THE CONTINUING CRISIS

—Colombian garbage collector Oscar Hernandez claimed in March that he was kidnapped by security guards during Carnival in Barranquilla and taken to a lab at the Free University of Barranquilla, where a syndicate planned to kill him for his body parts. A police investigation then turned up 11 bodies and parts of 22 others, and a report that body bounty hunters received \$200 per person. Police identified most victims as garbage collectors.

—The International Amateur Athletics Federation recently changed its procedures to perform gender checks on female athletes. For 25 years the federation had used a chromosome smear test but decided late last year it will merely make visual inspections. The federation explained that the chromosome test was "ethically unacceptable."

—The official Iran news agency announced in March that men who left the country before 1989, and feared returning home because they would be drafted, could buy a military exemption for about \$16,000 (representing about 30 years' work at the minimum wage in Iran). Officials

promise that if a man pays and then volunteers to serve, he'll get the money back.

—A rush-hour traffic jam in Kansas City, Mo., in March was caused when a truck carrying remaindered pornographic magazines to a recycling center overturned on a busy street. About 2,000 magazines were scattered about, and drivers stopped their cars to gather as many as they could before moving on.

—A federal magistrate ruled in November that the Alabama prison policy of allowing female guards to oversee showers by male prisoners is not "cruel and unusual punishment" for the men but a reasonable policy for prison security and for promoting equal employment opportunities for female guards.

—In February, a court in Versailles, France, overturned an order banning dwarf-tossing, permitting 3-foot, 11-inch Manuel Wackenheim, 24, to return to work at the Eclipse nightclub in Morsang-sur-Orge, from which he had been barred by the mayor in October. Though the French interior minister had called such exhibitions "an intolerable attack on human dignity," the government finally acquiesced because the ban would deny a "physically different" person a chance at a livelihood.

—An 81-year-old woman died of severe burns in Columbia, Mo., in December, after a 15-mile ambulance ride to the hospital took too long to save her life. The hospital's emergency helicopter was not available at the time because it was being used on a public relations assignment, with one of the crew members dressed as Santa Claus.

—The Manitoba, Canada, Natural Resources Minister apologized in February when news got out that the government had saved \$1,800 in postage by mailing a fishing survey through the U.S. mails rather than

through Canada's. Clerks had gone to Grand Forks, N.D., about 100 miles from the border, to mail the surveys to several thousand U.S. anglers who use Manitoba waters.

CREME DE LA WEIRD

In April, Richard Dickinson, 25, was allowed out of prison in Hobart, Australia, on an evening pass with two chaperones to attend a concert by his idol, Bob Dylan. Dickinson is in a prison for the criminally insane because in 1987 he stomped his mother to death to the tune of Dylan's song, "One More Cup of Coffee for the Road," after she told him to turn down the music. He said he thought his mom was an evil character from the song and even sprinkled instant coffee over her body after she died.

LEAST COMPETENT PERSON

Paul Gamboa Taylor pled guilty in December to murdering his wife and four others near York, Pa., six months earlier. He told police he had tried to take his own life five times before turning himself in. He had slashed both his wrists with a hacksaw; drunk lighter fluid; plunged a knife into his chest; filled a bathtub with water, hoping to pass out and drown; and brought a hair dryer into the tub with him. Said Taylor, "I love my family; that's why I pleaded guilty."

THE DIMINISHING VALUE OF LIFE

Isbrain Marquez Pacheco, 53, was indicted in March for attempted murder of his wife of three weeks, in East Windsor, N.J. According to police, Pacheco said he beat her with a baseball bat after she refused his demand that she not attend a friend's baby shower. Said Pacheco, "If I had killed her, I would have no regret" because he was "offended by what she said to me."

(Send your Weird News to Chuck Shepherd, P.O. Box 8306, St. Petersburg, Fla. 33738)

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BRUCE WILLIAMS

SMART MONEY

Tips are a vital sign of waiter service

DEAR BRUCE: We often eat at a small, family-owned restaurant. Everyone who works in the place is a family member. I say there is no reason to leave a tip. If they were employees, it would be a different matter. My husband says I am all wet; whether it's family-owned or not is not the issue. The issue is that people who serve a table rely on tips for income.

We have agreed to let you settle this.—N.O., Grand Rapids, Mich.

DEAR N.O.: Tipping is a subject that always breeds controversy. Should one tip? If so, how much? And so forth.

In this instance, I think it's clear—family-owned or not—your husband is right on point when he says waiters and waitresses depend on tips for their income.

If they are giving you good service, they are just as entitled to a tip as outside employees. If the service is poor, the way to let them know is not to leave no tip, but a small tip. That way, the person giving the service understands that you didn't forget, you were just unhappy with the services rendered.

DEAR BRUCE: Our bank goofed. I thought I had a 20-year mortgage. My papers said I had a 20-year mortgage, and that was 19 1/2 years ago!

I called the bank with a big smile, trying to learn what the outstanding balance was, and was told a huge number. When I asked how in the world they arrived at that figure, they said, "Well, you've got 10 1/2 years to go."

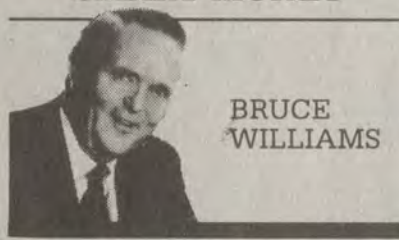
Apparently, what has happened is, although the mortgage called for a 20-year mortgage, whoever computed the payments, computed it at a 30-year rate. Now, the bank tells me they are very sorry, but I have had use of their money, and I am responsible for the next 10 years of payments.

I thought I was going to retire with a mortgage-free property, and now I find I've got 10 more years of payments. It seems to me, it's their mistake and they ought to have the responsibility of paying the balance. My attorney (while sympathetic), takes the position that although the bank made a mistake, they are clearly within their rights to collect the money. What do you think? —E.T. Wilkesboro, Pa.

DEAR E.T.: I hate to be the bearer of bad tidings, but I'm with your attorney and the bank. They did make a mistake and that's unfortunate, but as a practical proposition, you have not been penalized, since you've only been paying on a 30-year mortgage, not a 20-year mortgage.

It could be argued that you had made plans and whatever, but the cold fact remains: You have only paid back so many dollars, and there are "X" number of dollars remaining on the debt.

SMART MONEY



BRUCE WILLIAMS

In theory, at least, you've had the use of their money, and you might have invested it in some other form and done even better (or worse, depending upon the circumstances). But no matter how it's sliced, I'm absolutely sure that you'll have to make that other 10 1/2 years worth of payments.

(Send your questions to: Smart Money, P.O. Box 5202, Hudson, FL 34674. Questions of general interest will be answered in future columns. Due to the volume of mail, personal replies cannot be provided.)

Everyone is ignorant, only on different subjects.

—Will Rogers

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Box 910, Martin, Kentucky 41649-0910 has filed an application with the National Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet, Division of Water, to construct a parking lot and small fill for a clinic building in the floodplain. The parking lot and clinic will be located in Martin, being lots 7 through 15 and portions of 47 & 48 of the Osborn Addition Subdivision, and located near Our Lady of the Way Hospital. The area to be affected contains approximately 0.75 acres. Any comments or objections concerning this application shall be directed to: Kentucky Division of Water, Water Resources Branch, 18 Reilly Road, Frankfort Office Park, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, Phone (502) 564-3410.

Prepare Your Child For

Kindergarten

Kindergarten Screening Entrance Requirements

Requirements for entering Kindergarten are:



1. Child must be 5 years old by October 1, 1992.
2. Must have an official birth certificate. (Must be full size)
3. Valid Kentucky immunization certificate
4. Medical Examination (KDE approved form 1671-410)
5. Tuberculin Test Certificate (CH-91A)

These items must be completed and a proper certificate for each item submitted to the school principal on the opening day of school next school year (1992).

See your principal for Kindergarten screening date and designated area.

Jennifer C. Martin,
District Nurse, 886-2354
Eldon Smith, Interim Superintendent



Academics

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Clark School honor roll

May-second and third grade

A average: Joshua Yates
B average: Christy Shepherd, Mary Adams, Kathy Conley, Tracy Crum, Matthew Daniels, Jeffrey Sosebee, Courtney Watson, Jacob Shepherd, Nikki Stumbo and Jessica Mahan.

Gayheart-third grade

A average: Joshua Baisden, Tommy Greene, Aimee Myers, Jessica Thornsby, Amy Martin and Amanda Shepherd.

B average: Sarah Allen, Amanda Collins, Travis Pitts, Emily Meyer, Tabby Nunemaker, Chris McKenzie, Ashley Slone, Brooke Hicks, Kristen Merion, Cindi Ousley and Judy Shepherd.

Leslie-third grade

A average: John Layne and Kimberly Shepherd.

B average: Jessica Hale, Ginny Hicks, Paul Turner, Tina Carroll, Judith Bailey, Jessica Evans, Lyndsay Stewart and Erica Ousley.

Smith-fourth grade

A average: Heather Heater, Greta Hicks, Jennifer Shepherd and Bethany Vaughn.

B average: Brandon Bentley, Larry Calhoun, Andrew Caudill, Sara Conley, Lindsay Dale, George Hall, Kay Kerr, Jennifer Meade, Tosha Mollett, Tammy Music, Dara Ousley, Jeania Pigman, Brian Prater, Lula Shepherd, Jeff Skeens, Ginger Thornsby and George Thornsby.

Madden-fourth grade

A average: Amy Shepherd, Angie Muncy, Jessica Ison and Greg Arnett.

B average: Tabitha Shepherd, Michael Shepherd, Kyle Shepherd, Jennie Shepherd, Michelle Risner, Josh Kidd and Melanie Hackworth.

Hunsucker-fourth grade

A average: Christin Ousley
B average: Felisha Bradford, Daniel DeRossett, Jesse DeRossett, Zachery Haywood, Evan Isaac, James Mullins, Leigh Patton, Ginger Shepherd, Sheena Skeens, Jennifer Woods and Trevor Stuckey.

Hunsucker-fifth grade

A average: Serabeth Sammons and Jared Stephens.

B average: Bambi Baisden, Ashley DeRossett, Lisa Layne, Jeremy Reed, Gabriel Shepherd, Joshua Stanley and Kimberly Brown.

Osborne-fifth grade

A average: Rachel Cavins, Rhonda Cornett, David K. Robinson, Kara B average. Sammons, Crystal L. Slone and Ami Trimble.

B average: Jack Bailey, James Briggs, Jamie Conley, Jessica Shepherd and Stacy Slone.

Dingus-fifth grade

B average: Chandra Click, David Ousley, Gary Slone, Joanie Marsillett, Miranda Thornsby, Kimberly Frazier, Dwayne Shortridge, Jason Woods, Sandra Compton, Matthew Howard, Mark Sosebee and Josh Hayes.

Sr. Schieber returns as MCA dean

Sr. Monica Schieber, CSSP, former Director of Mountain Christian Academy Secondary School, will return as principal and dean of Mountain Christian Academy Elementary School on July 10, 1992.

Schieber, a native of Missouri, comes to the Academy with 25 years elementary teaching experience and three years administrative experience. She has a Bachelors degree in education and a Masters degree in non-public school administration. Schieber says, "My strong point is my concern for the development of the whole child."

The Board of Directors chose Schieber after a year-long search. She will assume leadership of the ten-year-old educational institution located on Hwy 80 outside Martin. An interdenominational Christian school, it draws students from Floyd and Pike Counties—preschool thru 8th grade. The 200 students, 18 teachers, parents, and board members welcome Schieber and her energetic acceptance of the leadership of the school. Mountain Christian Academy is a provisional member of the Independent Schools Association of the Central States (ISACS), a school accrediting association which strives to promote excellence in education.



Pictured, from left, are Ruth Jessen, Stewart Robertson, Leah Lafferty, Carter Hamilton, Jody Wallen, Mike Maynard, (back row) Harold Burchell, Kevin Farthing, Alan Davis, Rick Nunnery, Richard Stewart and Ron Robinson.

PHS students compete in math contest

Students from Prestonsburg High School recently competed in the 1992 Annual High School Mathematics Contest sponsored by the Cumberland College Department of Mathematical Sciences.

This year's contest consisted of exams in five categories: Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry, Pre-calculus and Calculus.

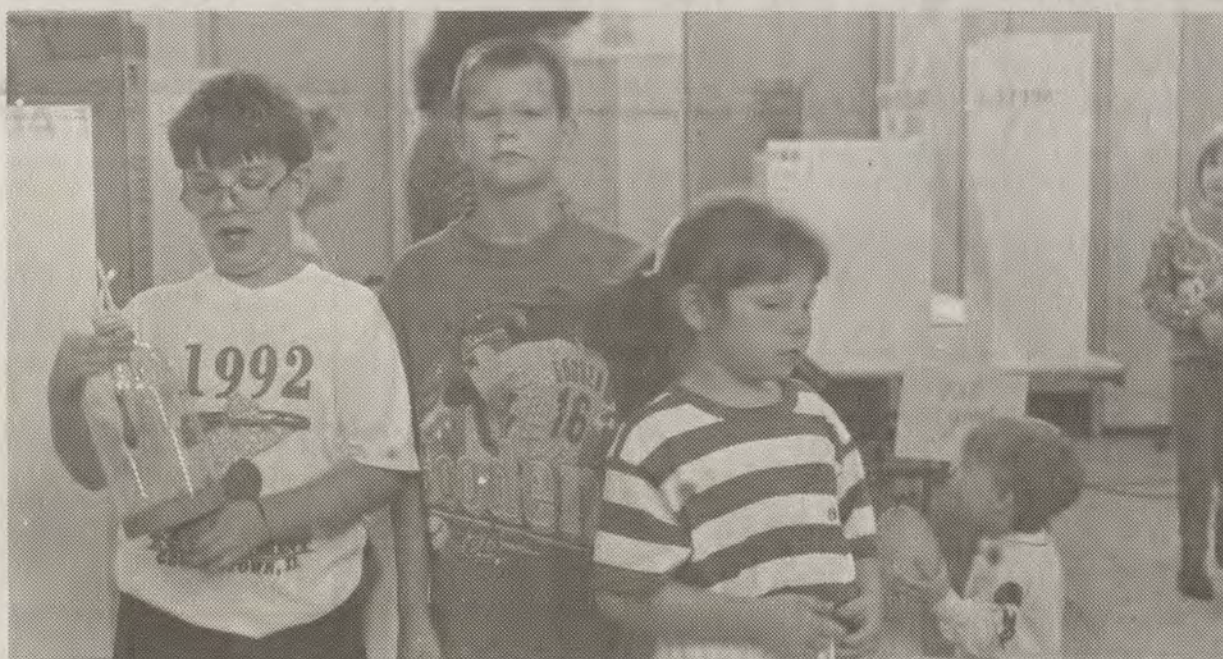
Scholarships to attend Cumber-

land College, as a mathematics major or physics major with a mathematics minor, were awarded to first, second, and third place winners in each category.

Overall winners were Lincoln County High School, first place; Laurel County High School, second place; and Bell County High School, third place. Each of these schools

received plaques recognizing their students' achievement.

Math contest participants from Prestonsburg High School were: Alan Davis; Kevin Farthing; Carter Hamilton; Ruth Jessen, fifth place, Algebra I; Leah Lafferty; Mike Maynard; Rick Nunnery; Stewart Robertson; Richard Stewart; Jody Wallen; and student sponsors, Harold Burchell and Ron Robinson.



Lungs at work

During the Science Fair at Prestonsburg Elementary, Whitney Parsons, Jarrod Hall and Stephen Harris examined an exhibit by Christopher Prater explaining how the respiratory system works. Also pictured is Tyler Hazelett.



Young artists

Students at The Children's Studio, a children's art workshop, concluded their art sessions this week. The class is taught by Ralph Clark, founder. Pictured are Rhonda Cornette, Kara Sammons, Kevin Yonts, Serabeth Sammons, Rae Isaac, Julia Taylor, and Kimberly Shepherd. (photo by Beth Jones)

Children's art studio concludes, new session begins

by Beth Jones
Contributing Writer

Last week, students at The Children's Studio, a children's art workshop, concluded their classes. The session, which began in February, were held after school and on Saturdays at Clark Elementary.

Founder-teacher Ralph Clark was well pleased with the children's work and hopes to continue the class in the fall. He also wants to expand his

creative programs into other schools in the next year.

"I hope all the children in the area will be able to benefit from my art classes," said Clark.

He also hopes to find a larger studio where the children can create and exhibit their work.

Though one session of the art workshop is concluding, another is just beginning. A summer program is planned and classes will begin Mon-

day, June 22, and end on Thursday, August 6.

The seven-week program will be held four hours a week. Morning and afternoon classes will be offered.

The cost of the session is \$85, and this fee will go toward art materials, creative programs, and operating expenses. Each class will be limited to eight children.

To sign up for classes or for more information, call 886-2981.

Prestonsburg School announces honor roll

Hall-first grade

4.0: Stephanie Webb
3.0-3.9: Marsha Baize, Jessica Bryant, Tess Collins, Shanna Delph, Edward Goodwill, Jarrad Hicks, Sonny Hoskins, Wesley Jenkins, Amy Justice, Joshua Miller, Joshua Pennington, Angello Risner, Krystal Slone, Rebecca Spurlock and Johnna Wilson.

Laferty-first grade

4.0: Joshua Ochala
3.0-3.9: Jeffery Buchanan, Brandi Burchett, Cassie Caudill, Chris Crider, Josh Daniels, Patrick Goins, Courtney Halbert, Robert Hall, Jessie Hunter, Mallory Johnson, Kayla Justice, Trisha Kramer, Joey Lewis, Larry Marsillett, Branden Neeley, Misty Payne, Rachel Salisbury, Jason Setser and Tiffany Webb.

Pack-first grade

4.0: Ashley Fish and Whitney Parsons.

3.0-3.9: Matt Carr, Pam Comp-ton, Courtney Conn, Denise Dixon, Joseph Harman, Leslie Heinze, Danielle Hunt, John Hunt, Landis Lane, Erin Majakey, Ashley Mitchell, Falon Osborne, Rudy Pennington, Karen Spradlin, Kristy Tuttle, Chris Walker and Joey Willis.

Stanley-frist grade

3.0-3.9: LaJohn Calhoun, Melissa Elkins, Sky Garten, Beverly Gun-nels, Roy Hammonds, Shawn Hatfield, Joshua Hayton, Beth Hunt, April Keller, Krystal Lafferty, Tiffany Meade, Joey Meadows, Josh Morgan, Miranda Morris, Tiffany Pack, Amy Sammons, Matt Setser, Jeffery Turner and Gary Whitt.

Turner-first grade

4.0: Lowell Brock, Amanda Carroll, William Miller, Katherine Music and Jonathan Shepherd.

3.0-3.9: Wamie Allen, Caitlin Bentley, Leanna Briggs, Patrick Burke, Josh Caudill, Adam Dixon, Josh Francis, Greg May, Brandon Maynard, Matt Prater, Jamie Rowland, David Setser and Missy Yates.

Damron-first grade

4.0: Heath Chaffin, Nick Chaffin, Beth Garrett and Chris Jessen.

3.0-3.9: Carly Bingham, Amanda Goble, Jason Goble, Sarah Hill, Samantha Hyde, April Jennings, Kevin Powers and Meredith Powers.

Damron-second grade

4.0: Angela Eppenbaugh, Brandon Gibson, Aaron Neeley, Kari Ross and Matt Turner.

Carroll-second grade

3.0-3.9: Philip Allen, Khristy Baril, Christopher Barker, Sherrie Blackburn, Bridget Bellamy, Heidi Caudill, Britni Duff, Stephanie Dye, Rachelle Greer, Tasha Harris, Becky Nelson, Michael Ousley, Forrest Stephens and Bryan Stewart.

Howard-second grade

4.0: Stephanie Hicks
3.0-3.9: Daniel Bell, Jessica Blankenship, Wesley Burke, Lora Calhoun, Ashlee Ellis, Cynthia Fitzpatrick, Craig Fleenor, Kayla Goble, T.C. Hatfield, Anthony Kotheimer, Christa Larson, Chris Manns, Arnold Mosley, Stacy Sammons, Brian Shepherd, Chris Spriggs, Chris Stephens, Kim Tuttle and Samuel Wallen.

Skeens-second grade

4.0: Kisha Collins
3.0-3.9: Tequila Anderson, David Brown, Eric Burke, Elray Cline, Stephen Collins, Danielle Donahue, James Elliott, Mikeal Fannin, Lora Goble, Andrew Howell, Jason Jarvis, Kenneth Kretzer, Allison May, Brent McGuire, Daniel McKenzie, Rachel McKenzie, Reanna Morris, Stefanie Powers, Don Shepherd, Ashley Stephens and Whitney Wells.

Walker-second grade

4.0: Megan Barber, Jason Goble, Heather Goodman, Breanne Harmon and Telah Kay Watkins.

3.0-3.9: Jeff Allen, Joshua Baldrige, Rebecca Blackburn, Victoria Bowling, Donnie DeRossett, Sarah Dixon, Brandon Haley, Thomi Hicks, Ashley Hunter, Rachel Jervis, Danny Layne, Ryan Martin, Brandon Maynard, Joshua Moore, Allison Pack, Robert Shepherd, Joshua Webb and Brian White.

Tackett-first and second grade

3.0-3.9: John Allen, Jr., Crystal Burkhalter, Matthew Hall, Kevin Mullins, Kimberly Wright, Franklin McGuire, Andrew Bennett, Jeffery Blackburn, Wanda Meadors and David Music.

Pelphrey-frist, second, and third grades

3.0-3.9: Chris Johnson and

Michala Walters.

Collins-third grade

4.0: Brandon Branham, Courtney Collins, David Music, Penelope Spradlin and Travis Starnes.

3.0-3.9: Jan Austin, Brian Collins Beth Crisp, Wesley Hyden, Becky Justice Jamie Lafferty, Richard Neeley, Brook Stinnett and Bo Sturgill.

Derossett-third grade

3.0-3.9: Angela Adams, Jason Carroll, Tia Dobson, Jennifer Lafferty and Traci Music.

Hale-third grade

4.0: Nathan Hall
3.0-3.9: Anthony Burchett, Preston Combs, Brittany Hites, Dustin Nelson, Keisha Owens, Joshua Slone, Bethany Smith, Matthew Tackett, Susan Tuttle and Carolyn Varney.

Schuster-third grade

4.0: Kendra Burke
3.0-3.9: Christy Brown, Matthew Clay, Tony Garten, Stacy Goble, Ricky Joseph, Jessica Kramer, Jennifer Marsillett, Christopher Martin, Keri Powers, Stephanie Prater, Wendy Turner and Joe Post.

Slone-third grade

3.0-3.9: Wesley Allen, Chassity Carr, Denise Caudill, Casey Horton, Angela Howell, Tiffany Ratcliff, Nicholas Ratliff, Travis Risner, Joe Rose, Tina Spradlin, Iris Stumbo, Amy Tackett and Amanda Whitt.

Martin-fourth grade

4.0: Margaret Damron, James Hatfield, Heather Ousley and Lois Rogers.

3.0-3.9: Alison Cavins, Rachel Isaac, Craig Joseph, Mike Mascotti, Crystal Morgan, Nikki Patton and Drew Petry.

McGuire-fourth grade

3.0-3.9: Jennifer Blankenship, Jason Burchett, Chad Goodman, Jarrod Hall, Craig Hubbard, Ricky Knox, Sara May, James J. Music, Emily Nelson, Martha Picklesimer, Mary Prater, Jonathan Rice, Misty Rowland, Lee Spriggs, Ashley Stanley, Morgan Stumbo and Ashley Wilson.

Parsons-fourth grade

4.0: Robert Nelson, Paige Tussey and Jennifer Willis.

3.0-3.9: Jeremy Caudill, April Goble, Brian Grimstead, Ryan Howell, Bobby Justice, Jami McGuire, Kristin Raines, Cindy Scott, Crystal Sheffield, Shera Shelton, Shanna Shepherd and Beth Walker.

Stumbo-fourth grade

4.0: John Dixon, Amanda Elliott, Neil Fannin, Chris Frasure, Brianne Shepherd, Josh Turner and Sue Wright.

3.0-3.9: Tiffany Akers, Aaron Bingham, Stephanie Carr, Michael Collins, Amanda Cornette, Elisha Daniels, Ashley Fannin, Ashley Holbrook, Brett McCormick, Brent Meade, Leslie Setser, Amanda Shepherd, Jessica Shortridge, Denny Stephens, Rachael Vaughn, Kyle Waddle, Paul Wallen and Crystal Wright.

Collins-fifth grade

4.0: Sheena Brock, Laura Neeley and Kim Slone.

3.0-3.9: Brandon Amburgey, Saleha Badrudduja, Elizabeth Blackburn, Helena Conn, Amy Feltnor, Adam Hall, Eric Price, Jessica Stephens, Heather Tackett and Phillip Webb.

Letton-fifth grade

4.0: Sulma Bader and Andrea Conley.

3.0-3.9: Tammy Goble, Jamie Gullett, J.B. Hall, Ryan Hardee, Nathan Hayden, Stephanie Hyden, Jessica Kidd, Jessica Marsillett, Angela McDonald, Erika McKinney, Russ Music, Chinley Partington, Staci Prater and Larry Sluss.

Slone-fifth grade

4.0: Stephanie Hackworth, Jay Skeens and Kelly Wells.

3.0-3.9: Brett Bentley, Jenny Blackburn, Dustin Crisp, Samantha Ellis, Amanda Hall, Amanda Jarrell, Tiffany Johnson, Eric Joseph, Chris Prater, Jason Roberts, Robert Spradlin, Jessica Young and Crissy Stapleton.

Wells-fifth grade

3.0-3.9: Christy Allison, Joe Campbell, Grant Castle, Kalen Harris, Lauren Hites, Jon May, Kimberly Nunnery, Andrea Ratliff, Lea Spradlin and Jenny Wells.

What's Up Doc

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LAPAROSCOPIC GALLBLADDER SURGERY

A new laser technique is making dramatic changes in gallbladder surgery. It is now possible to go home the same day or the day after having a cholecystectomy (gallbladder removal), and return to work within a few days.

Your gallbladder is a small organ under your liver. It is located in the upper part of your abdomen. Its job is to aid the liver in the digestion process. It stores bile (fluid) which breaks

down the fat in your diet.

The new procedure, laparoscopic laser cholecystectomy, offers other benefits over traditional cholecystectomy. In addition to a shorter recovery time there is little scarring, much less pain, and no large abdominal incision. Traditional cholecystectomy is typically a safe procedure but often means a hospital stay of several days and a recovery period of four to six weeks.

SYMPTOMS & DIAGNOSIS. Disease affecting the gallbladder

often produces no symptoms. When symptoms do arise, they may include attacks of pain in the upper abdomen (often following a meal) and nausea or indigestion. Once symptoms begin they usually continue until treated.

It is important to have a thorough diagnosis, since the symptoms can mimic other conditions. Radiographic studies, ultrasound, or X-rays are used to diagnose the condition.

CAN ANY PATIENT HAVE A LASER CHOLECYSTEC-

TOMY? Some people are not candidates for laser cholecystectomy. Examples are individuals who have had previous abdominal surgeries or those with serious infections. In a small percentage of cases, the procedure may need to be converted to traditional cholecystectomy because of complications, such as excessive bleeding or unusual anatomy.

CHOLECYSTECTOMY. After the patient meets the requirements for laser cholecystectomy, the gallbladder removal begins. Using the

laparoscope, the procedure is performed through tiny incisions ("punctures" of one inch or less) at or near the navel and in the upper right abdomen. The laparoscope is a slender tube with a small optical system (camera) at the tip. This optical system allows the doctor to view the inside cavity and perform the procedure without actually opening the patient. The doctor "sees" what he is doing on a television screen.

The laser generates energy which is transferred through optical fibers

to cut the gallbladder. The gallbladder is then removed through the navel. (A laser is not absolutely necessary for the procedure because it can be performed using electrocautery, an electrical current that can cut or coagulate.)

CONCLUSION. About 500,000 gallbladder surgeries are done each year in the United States. This new technique with laser technology means simpler surgery and quicker recovery for most gallbladder patients.



Church Directory



AUXIER
Auxier Freewill Baptist Church, Auxier, Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Youth Meeting, 5:00 p.m.; Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Thursday Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Bobby Joe Spencer; Assistant, Southie Fannin, Jr.

Horn Chapel Methodist, Auxier Rd., Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.

BETSY LAYNE
Calvary Southern Baptist Church, Betsy Layne; Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship & Youth Meeting, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Lewis M. Walter.

Betsy Layne United Methodist Church, next to B.L. Gymnasium; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Dennis Love.

BLUE RIVER
Middle Creek Baptist Church, Blue River; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Service, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Vernon Slone.

DANA
Sammy Clark Branch Freewill Baptist Church, Dana; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Church, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Youth Meeting Sunday, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Mike Hammond.

DRIFT
Drift Pentecostal Church, Drift; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Wednesday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Worship Service, Saturday and Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Ted Shannon.

Drift Freewill Baptist Church, Drift; Prayer Service, 6:30 p.m.; Thursday; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Church Service, 6:30 p.m.; Pastor, Randy Turner.

EAST POINT
Free Pentecostal Church of God, East Point, Rt. 1428; Sunday School, 10:00; Sunday Service, 11:00; Sunday Night, 6:30; Thursday Night, 6:30; Pastor, Buster Hayton.

ESTILL
Martin Branch Freewill Baptist, Estill; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Services, 11:15 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Clinton Jones.

GARRETT
Rock Fork Regular Baptist Church, Garrett; 4th Saturday and Sunday of each month at 9:30 a.m.; 4th Saturday evening at 5:30 p.m.; Moderator, Elder Earl Slone; Assistant Moderator, Elder Jerry Manns.
Rock Fork Freewill Baptist, Garrett, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 11 a.m.; Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Elder Brodey Amburgey.

GOBLE ROBERTS ADDITION
Landmark Church of God, Goble Roberts Addition; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:10 a.m.; Sunday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Wednesday Night, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Kenneth E. Prater, Jr.
Community Freewill Baptist, Goble Roberts; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11:00 a.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; 4th Saturday Night, Regular Service & Business, 6:00 p.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Elder Jack DeRossett.

GRETHEL
Grethel Baptist Church, State Route 3379, (Branham's Creek Road), telephone 587-2043; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Youth Meeting, 5:30 p.m.; Evening Services, 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, David L. Givens.

HI HAT
The Church of God of Prophecy at Hi Hat, invites you to worship with us each

week. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Service, 7 p.m.; Wednesday night is family night! Everyone welcome! Pastor, Don Fraley, Jr.

IVEL
Tom's Creek Freewill Baptist, U.S. 23, first exil (north of Layne Brothers); Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Chuck Ferguson.

LANCER
Lancer Baptist Church, Lancer, welcomes you to the services. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Jennings West.
Trimble Chapel Free Will Baptist, Water Gap-Lancer; Sunday Service, 10 a.m.; Morning Service, 11 a.m.; Nightly Service, 7:00; 4 Saturdays each month; Pastor Joe Coleman.

LANGLEY
Maytown United Methodist Church, Langley; Morning Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Youth Sunday, 5:00 p.m.; Sunday Night, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Night, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Troy Poff.

MARTIN
Stephens Branch Missionary Baptist Church, Stephens Branch; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Mid-Week Bible Study, Wednesday, 6:00 p.m.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Rt. 80, Martin; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Relief Society/Priesthood, 10:15 a.m.; Sacrament Service, 11:20 a.m.

First Assembly of God, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Missionettes & Royal Rangers, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Lorie Vannucci.

Faith Bible Church, Martin; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Evening, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Bob Martin and Don Crisp.

Martin Freewill Baptist Church, Martin, Ky.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Bible Study, Wednesday, 6 p.m.; Youth League, Tuesday, 6 p.m.; Pastor, Elder Bobby Baldrige.

Church of Jesus Christ, Preston Street, Martin; Sunday, 7 p.m.; Tuesday, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Elder Gary Tuttle.

MAYTOWN
Maytown First Baptist Church, Main Street; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday Evening Bible Study at 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Bob Varney.

MIDDLE CREEK
Spurlock Bible Church, Spurlock Fork of Middle Creek, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Rev. Dan Heintzelman.

WEEKSBURY
Free Pentecostal Church of God, Weeksbury; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.; Saturday, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday, 7:00 p.m.; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Pastor, John "Jay" Patton.

Weeksbury Church of Christ; Sunday, 10 a.m.; Sunday Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Pastor, Mike Hall.

WHEELWRIGHT
Wheelwright United Methodist Church, Wheelwright; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Worship, 11:00; Evening Service, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 services; Pastor, Roy A. Harlow.
Wheelwright Church of God; Sunday School Services, 10:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Services, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Night Services, 7:00 p.m.; Thursday Night Services, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Donald R. Cox.

WEST PRESTONSBURG
Fitzpatrick First Baptist Church, P.O. Box 184, West Prestonsburg, (across from Clark Elem. School); Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6:00 p.m.; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

Faith Deliverance Tabernacle, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Thursday, 7:00 p.m.; Pastor, Don Shepherd.

First Assembly of God, West Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Sunday Evening, 6 p.m.; Wednesday night, Bible Study and Youth Power Hour; nursery provided; Pastor, Gary Arnold.

WAYLAND
Zion Deliverance Church, Wayland; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Evening Worship, 7 p.m.; Wednesday Prayer Service, 7 p.m.; Saturday Evening Worship, 7 p.m.; Pastor, Ada Mosley.
Wayland United Methodist Church, Wayland; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11 a.m.; Bible Study, Wednesday, 10:00 a.m.; Youth Meetings, Sunday, 4:00 p.m., (ages 11 & up); Wednesday, 6:00 p.m., (ages 10 & under); Pastor, Troy Poff.

PRESTONSBURG
Seventh-Day Adventist, 5 miles West on Mountain Parkway; Sabbath School, 9:15; Church Service, 10:30; Pastor, Mike Foraker, 886-3459.

Faith Christian Assembly, 431 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg; Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m.;

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant To Application Number 836-5169

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Buck Coal, Inc., 300 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, has filed an application for a renewal of the existing underground mining operation. The proposed operation disturbs approximately 7.14 acres and will underlie approximately 585.6 acres for a total proposed permit acreage of 592.74 acres located 0.3 miles northwest of Craynor in Floyd County.

The proposed operation is approximately 1.3 miles southwest from KY 979's junction with Mink Branch Road and located 2.8 miles east of East McDowell. The latitude is 37° 26' 29". The longitude is 82° 40' 33".

The proposed operation is located on the McDowell U.S.G.S. 7-1/2 minute quadrangle map. The operation will underlie land owned by David Akers, Sam Bentley, Squire Hamilton, Charlie Howell Heirs, Emit Howell Heirs, Gustavia Howell, Milford Howell, Robert Howell, Della Jones, Frank and Iva Lee McKinney, Levi and Mary McKinney, John B. Newsome, Zelli Stone, Pauline Tackett, Elkhorn Coal Corporation, Joseph Mining Co., and Rockbridge Coal Company, Inc.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1397. Written comments, objections, or requests for permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

F-5/29, 6/5, 6/12, 6/19

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant To Application Number 836-5137 Renewal

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350, notice is hereby given that Maple Ridge Mining Corporation, P.O. Box 27, Honaker, Kentucky, 41639, has filed a renewal of an application to a contour, auger, and underground coal mining and reclamation operation. The proposed operation will affect a surface disturbance of 20.97 acres and will underlie an additional 582.04 acres located 0.80 miles south of Blue Moon in Floyd County.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.60 miles southwest from Morgan Fork Road's junction with Little Mud Creek Road and located 10 feet south of Morgan Fork. The latitude is 37° 29' 33". The longitude is 82° 42' 21".

The proposed operation is located on the McDowell USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle maps. The surface area to be affected by this permit is owned by Sola Williams. The proposed permit will underlie land owned by Sola Williams and Vannie Kidd.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must have attached a copy of the newspaper clipping and must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, No. 2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

F-6/5, 6/12, 6/19, 6/26

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant To Application No. 860-5150

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Plateau Fuels, Inc., HC 72, Box 195, Hwy. 122, Price, Kentucky 41636, has filed an application for a permit for an underground mining operation. The proposed operation will affect a surface disturbance of 61.41 acres and will underlie an additional 1070.00 acres located 2.00 miles southeast of Halo in Knott County.

The proposed operation is approximately 2.00 miles southeast from KY 1098's junction with Arnold Fork Road and located 0.20 miles north of Arnold Fork. The latitude is 37° 17' 12". The longitude is 82° 43' 39".

The proposed operation is located on the Wheelwright U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Virnus Issac and Gary Hall. The operation will underlie land owned by Virnus Issac, Gary Hall, Ben Johnson, Marion Johnson, Mantac, Dewey Johnson, Ben Johnson, Robert Johnson, Fess Hall, Branham & Baker Coal Co., Rayburn Hall, Mildred Issac, Agnes Taylor, Hall Heirs, Vonda Meade, Calvin Adams, Tommie Roop, Sid Hall, Johnny Roop, C.L. Tackett, Grant Burke, Orville, Burke, Leonard Burke, Tom Roop, Louie Burke, Jeff Goble, Ed Gieson, Madison Johnson, Prindle Hall, Barris Hall, Junior Mullins and Larry Honeycutt.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Jackson Regional Office, Howell Building, Suite #1, 170 Howell Heights, Jackson, Kentucky 41339-0170. 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.

F-5/29, 6/5, 6/12, 6/19

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

June 12, 1992 at 11:00 a.m. a 1989 Chevrolet Conversion Van, serial number 2GBG625K9K4139027 will be sold to the highest bidder for CASH "as is where is" at the First Guaranty National Bank, Martin, Ky. to satisfy the unpaid balance of a Installment Contract signed on Oct. 17, 1989. The vehicle may be inspected prior to the sale. The undersigned reserves the right to bid. The buyer will pay all taxes and transfer fees.

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REQUEST FOR AUDIT PROPOSALS

The Board of Directors of the Big Sandy Area Development District is soliciting proposals for financial and compliance audits for the District and for eight independent subcontracting agencies and a Revolving Loan Fund, for the Fiscal Year ended June 30, 1992. Proposals must be received in the District offices at 503 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky by 4 p.m., June 12, 1992. The Executive Committee of the Board will review, select, and notify the successful audit firm no later than June 19, 1992.

Proposals will be evaluated on a weighted basis reflecting the experience of the firm, its familiarity with the types of financial systems involved and with applicable Federal and State regulations, and cost considerations.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to KRS 231.040, an application for a permit to operate a place of entertainment to be located on Frasures Creek Road, one mile above Martins Bestway on the left side of the road, with the mailing address of P.O. Box 64, Drift, Kentucky, 41619, has been made by Sherry Ruth Moore of P.O. Box 64, Drift, Kentucky, 41619. The name of the proposed business of entertainment is G & L's Place. The nature of the business will be beer by the drink, pool table, juke box and video games.

Pursuant to KRS 231.070, the Floyd County Attorney shall investigate whether the applicant lacks good moral character, or whether the applicant will obey the laws of the Commonwealth in the operating of the business, or whether the applicant, within the last two (2) years prior to the date of filing the application, has been convicted in Kentucky of maintaining a public nuisance. Any interested citizen having information relative to whether said applicant lacks of good moral character or willingness to obey the laws of the state in the carrying on of the business is requested to file the same in writing with the County Attorney's Office. Said written information shall be signed, dated and reflect the current address of said citizen providing the information and must be delivered to the County Attorney's Office no later than the 15th day of June, 1992.

Pursuant to KRS 231.080, a hearing has been scheduled on June 18, 1992, at 1:30 p.m. or as soon thereafter as same can be heard before the Floyd County Judge/Executive at the Floyd County Courthouse Annex in Prestonsburg, Kentucky. The Floyd County Judge/Executive shall hear evidence in support of or in opposition to the granting of the permit. Any person desiring to oppose the permit shall have filed in writing no later than June 15, 1992, with the Floyd County Clerk allegations that show cause as to why the application should not be granted. All such filings shall be signed, dated and reflect the current address of said citizen. Jimmy Martin Hammond
Floyd County Attorney
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INVITATION TO BID

Hazmat Nine, Inc. is now accepting bids on the following items: TRACTOR: Tractor shall be road worthy and in good running condition. Current year model shall be 1975 or newer. Bidder should state any improvements made to tractor within bid proposal. TRAILER: Bid proposals should be on a steel trailer with at least 14 bay compartments. Trailer should be at least 30 foot in length and 7 foot wide. Bidder should state measurements of trailer and condition. TRUCK: Step van at least 16 foot in length. Truck should be road worthy and in good running condition. Current year model shall be 1975 or newer. HAZARDOUS MATERIALS MISCELLANEOUS EQUIPMENT AND KIT ITEMS: List is available upon request. (Call 606-886-9157).

Bids should be mailed to Hazmat Nine, Inc., P.O. Box 833, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. Bidder should identify letter as a sealed bid by placing "Sealed Bid" in lower left corner of envelope. Hazmat Nine, Inc. has the right to reject any and all bids. Hazmat Nine, Inc. may award a bid which it deems to be in the best interest of Hazmat Nine, Inc. Bids will be opened on June 23, 1992 at 6:00 p.m. at the Prestonsburg Armory. F-6/5

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to KRS 231.040 an application for a permit to operate a place of entertainment to be located on Rt. 122, Melvin, Kentucky, across from the Melvin Post Office, with the mailing address of P.O. Box 9, Melvin, Kentucky, 41650, has been made by Donna Younce of P.O. Box 9, Melvin, Kentucky, 41650. The name of the proposed business of entertainment is B & D Arcade. The nature of the business will be arcade.

Pursuant to KRS 231.070, the Floyd County Attorney shall investigate whether the applicant lacks good moral character, or whether the applicant will obey the laws of the Commonwealth in the operating of the business, or whether the applicant, within the last two (2) years prior to the date of filing the application, has been convicted in Kentucky of maintaining a public nuisance. Any interested citizen having information relative to whether said applicant lacks of good moral character or willingness to obey the laws of the state in the carrying on of the business is requested to file the same in writing with the County Attorney's Office. Said written information shall be signed, dated and reflect the current address of said citizen providing the information and must be delivered to the County Attorney's Office no later than the 15th day of June, 1992.

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Floyd County Attorney
F-6/5, W-6/10

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to KRS 231.040, an application for a permit to operate a place of entertainment to be located at the mouth of Tolers Creek at Harold, intersection of Toler Creek and Big Mud, Harold, Kentucky, with the mailing address of HC 73, Box 545, Harold, Kentucky, 41635 has been made by Martha Rogers of HC 73, Box 545, Harold, Kentucky, 41635. The name of the proposed business of entertainment is Eight Ball Bar & Carryout. The nature of the business will be beer by the drink, jukebox, video machines, and pool table.

Pursuant to KRS 231.070, the Floyd County Attorney shall investigate whether the applicant lacks good moral character, or whether the applicant will obey the laws of the Commonwealth in the operating of the business, or whether the applicant, within the last two (2) years prior to the date of filing the application, has been convicted in Kentucky of maintaining a public nuisance. Any interested citizen having information relative to whether said applicant lacks of good moral character or willingness to obey the laws of the state in the carrying on of the business is requested to file the same in writing with the County Attorney's Office. Said written information shall be signed, dated and reflect the current address of said citizen providing the information and must be delivered to the County Attorney's Office no later than the 15th day of June, 1992.

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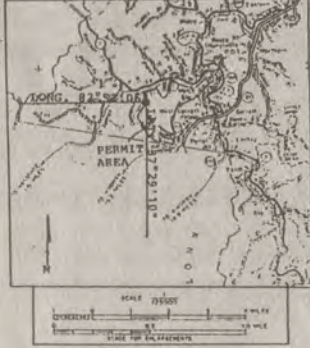
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Floyd County Attorney
F-6/5, W-6/10

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant To Application 836-5273

LOCATION MAP



LOCATION MAP

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Richardson Fuel, Inc., 16232, US Route 23, Catlettsburg, KY 41129, has filed an application for a permit for an underground mining operation. The proposed operation will affect a surface disturbance of 3.40 acres and will underlie an additional 794.50 acres located 1.7 miles West of Hueysville in Floyd County. The proposed operation is approximately 0.2 miles South from Coolwater Branch Road junction with SR 7 and located 0.05 East of Coolwater Branch of Saltlick Creek. The latitude is 37° 29' 10". The longitude is 82° 52' 06".

The proposed operation is located on the Wayland U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Chester Neeley. The operation will underlie land owned by those as shown on the attached map. The operation will affect an area within 100 feet of public road Coolwater Branch Road. The operation will not involve relocation of the public road.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Written comments, objections, or request 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.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Garrett Quik Stop, doing business at Hwy. 80, Garrett, Ky. 41630, by Cheryl Gibson, HC 85, Box 400, Garrett, Ky. 41630, hereby declares her intention to apply for a license as a retail beer dealer under state law.

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Persons interested in this position may obtain an application blank at the Health Department in Prestonsburg, Ky. Phone number is 606-886-2788.

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There will be a 12-family rummage sale sponsored by the Prestonsburg Varsity Cheerleaders in front of the Prestonsburg High School on Saturday, June 6th, from 9:00 to 4:00. Lots of items.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

The Floyd County Health Department has a vacancy for a Community Outreach Worker. Minimum requirements for this position are as follows: Graduation from High School or G.E.D., 6 months experience in public health, social services or related field. (No substitution for 6 months work experience.) Should be familiar with Floyd County.

Starting salary for this position is \$5.93 per hour.

Persons interested in this position can obtain an application blank from the Health Department in Prestonsburg, Ky. Phone number is 606-886-2788.

Applications must be received by the Merit System Office, 275 East Main Street, Frankfort, Ky. 40621 on or before June 12, 1992.

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THREE FAMILY YARD SALE: June 4-6. Adult and children's clothing, glassware, etc. Left Fork Rice Branch, Banner. Watch for signs!

TWO FAMILY YARD SALE. South Lake Drive. June 4-5. Turn right past Gordie's BP. Look for signs.

YARD SALE: All this week in the old Porter's Bait Shop at the mouth of Cow Creek. Lots of clothing and household items. 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

YARD SALE: Friday, June 5th, 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Briarwood Addition, Prestonsburg.

YARD SALE: Emma Methodist Youth, Saturday, June 6, 9-3, at Arrow Printing, beside Wickes Lumber (Allen).

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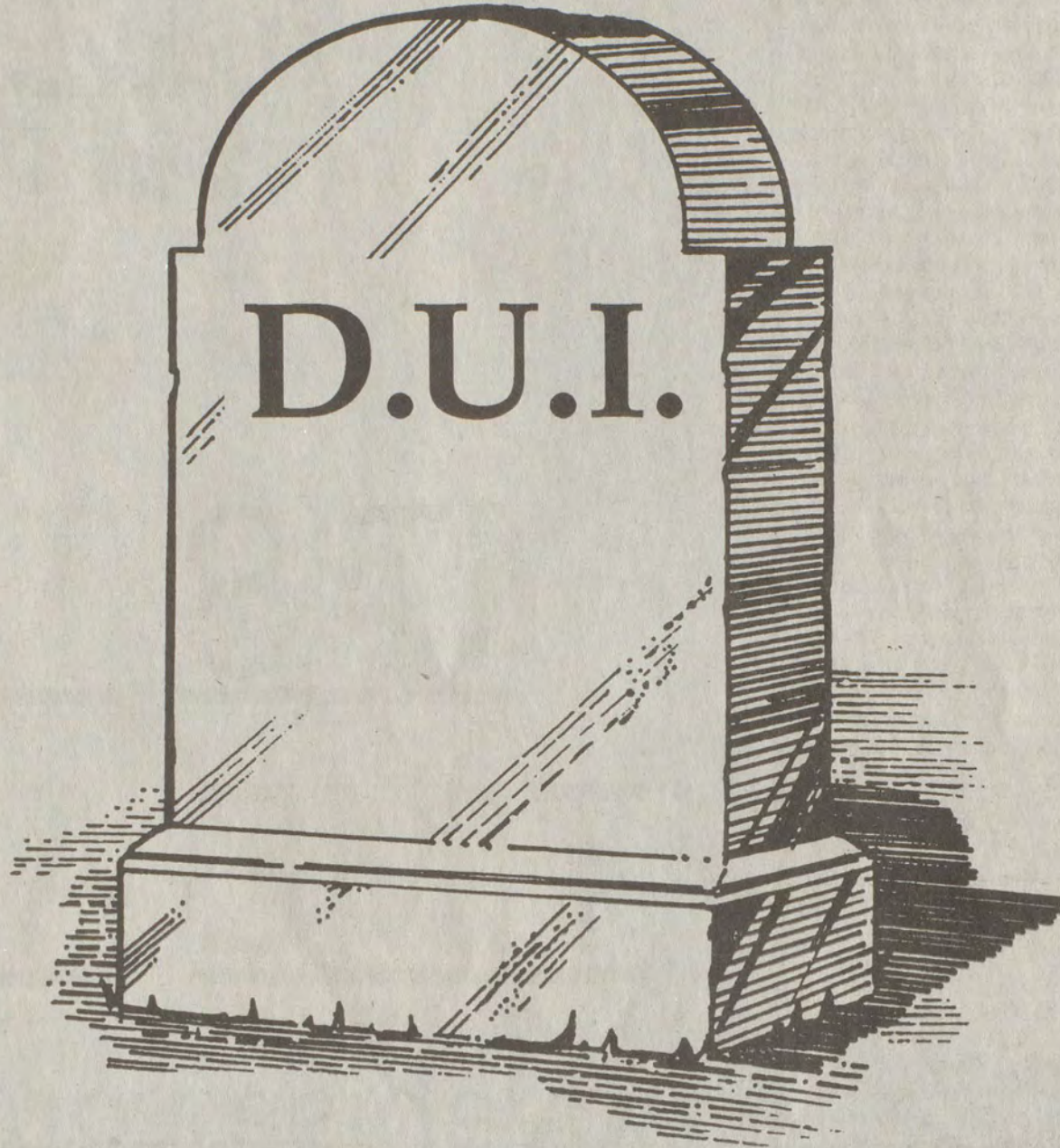
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