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Coal truck, ambulance collide



The aftermath . . .

Rescue workers sorted through the wreckage of a collision between a loaded coal truck and an occupied ambulance Monday on Route 460 between Paintsville and Salyersville. Four people were killed in the accident, which saw both vehicles explode in flames after impact. (Paintsville Herald photo by Harold Ratliff)

Cause of accident not yet determined :

Four die in fiery crash

by Tony Fyffe
The Paintsville Herald

Four people were killed Monday when an ambulance collided head-on with a coal truck and both vehicles exploded into flames on Route 460 in Johnson County.

The fatality, considered the worst in Johnson County in several years, apparently occurred when the ambulance, owned by G & B Ambulance Service of Salyersville, veered into the path of the 18-wheel coal truck. The crash happened at 5:15 p.m. as the ambulance was returning to Magoffin County from Paintsville.

The ambulance driver, James

Lowe, 21, of Oil Springs, and the coal truck operator, Issac Jude, 51, of Pilgrim, were killed.

Two passengers in the ambulance were also fatally injured. They were Margaret Bailey, 30, of Salyersville, who was a patient in the ambulance, and Johnny Vanderpool, 28, also of Salyersville, an employee of G & B.

The victims were pronounced dead by Coroner J.R. Frisby, who said autopsies were performed Tuesday in Lexington.

In their official release, which wasn't issued until nearly 24 hours after the fiery accident, Kentucky State Police at Pikeville said the ambulance was traveling west on

Route 460 at Oil Springs, about eight miles from Paintsville, when it collided "near the center line" with the loaded 1985 Mack tractor trailer.

"Upon impact, the coal truck pushed the ambulance backwards across the west bound lane and off the roadway into an embankment, where both vehicles caught fire and burned," the police report said.

Police didn't say whether the ambulance veered into the path of the coal truck, but an eyewitness reportedly said it did.

It took several hours after the crash before authorities could determine

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Two-year-old is killed in freak mishap

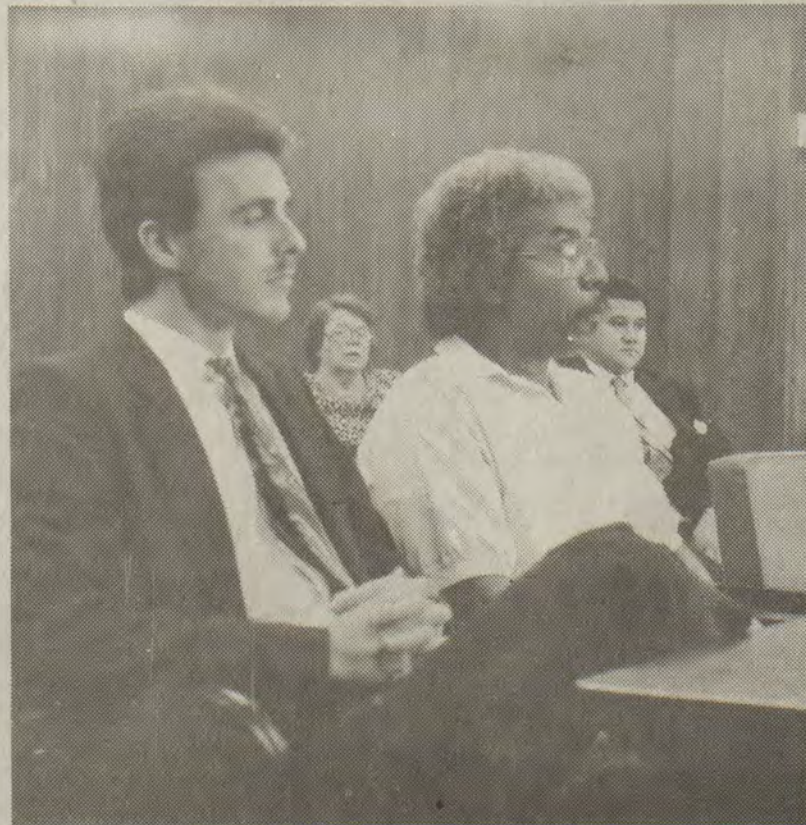
by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

A two-year-old Gethel boy was killed Tuesday morning in a freak accident when a wringer washer tumbled off a back porch and fell on top of him.

Brandon Handshoe, who would've been three years old September 20, was pronounced dead on arrival at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital by Floyd County Coroner Roger Nelson.

Nelson said the child's mother, Rebecca, was preparing breakfast when her son apparently tried to put some clothes through the washer's wringer which was located on the back porch. The child knocked the wringer lever loose which caused the wringer to swing around. The child hung on to the clothing in the wringer

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Charges dismissed

Charges against Carl D. Perkins Job Corps counselor Clarence Trammell Jr., in front at right, were conditionally dismissed Tuesday. Trammell was accused of soliciting an assault on David Garcia, second row far right. (photo by Susan Allen)

Incomplete info the reason for track denial :

Cart before horse, racing panel says

by Geoff Belcher
Staff Writer

Officials in charge of Floyd County's proposed Kentucky Downs are trying to put the cart in front of the horse, Kentucky Racing Commissioners told reporters Tuesday.

Responding to charges that the racing commission had treated the state's harness racing industry like a glue factory reject, commissioners Jack Smith and Mike Fulkerson conducted a press conference Tuesday giving the commission's side of the story.

Smith said Tuesday that earlier

rumors that the racing commission was guilty of improprieties in conducting preliminary discussions were premature. Any discussions among racing commissioners concerning harness racing were informal, Smith said, and the commissioners were unaware of new, more stringent provisions of the Open Meetings law which took effect July 14 that made those discussions improper.

Fulkerson said Tuesday that the commission, dominated by members of the now-defunct Thoroughbred Racing Commission, had been accused of "nitpicking," attempting to find any excuse to kill the harness

racing industry. Fulkerson said that was not the case, saying that if the harness racing industry was damaged, the thoroughbred industry would suffer by association.

The reason Riverside Downs in Henderson was denied live racing dates for 1993, Fulkerson said, was because according to audit reports the Riverside officials submitted to the commission, the track lost over \$932,000 between 1991 and 1992. Fulkerson said that when a commission-requested certified audit of Riverside was performed, results showed the track lost more than one million dollars. Also, Fulkerson said, the certified audit was not submitted until the commission's public hearing on September 1, well after it was requested.

Fulkerson said the commission denied live racing dates to Eastern Kentucky Racing Incorporated's proposed Kentucky Downs for a number of reasons, primarily the proposal's omission of the \$1.6 million required for the acquisition of property to construct the track.

"Would you buy a suit that had a \$240 price tag... and then pay an extra \$160 for it?" Fulkerson asked.

Additionally, Fulkerson said, commission members hesitated to issue dates to a facility that would be partially funded by tax-free municipal bonds, particularly when no formal feasibility study had been per-

(See Racing, page six)

Good Samaritan dies trying to warn others

by Scott Perry
Times Editor and
Susan Allen
Staff Writer

Stacy Blankenship had every reason in the world to think of herself first.

Before she was three years old, she had undergone heart surgery three times to correct a physical defect that would menace her all of her life. It was a disability most would pay close attention to, but Stacy Blankenship wasn't like most people.

She had a heart of gold.

Stacy Blankenship, 22, was killed Sunday night on a darkened stretch of Route 23 near the entrance to Jenny Wiley State Park, the accidental victim of her own personality.

"She was just being herself," Stacy's husband William said Monday. "She always thought more of other people than she did of herself."

The irony of Stacy's death haunts William, who was returning with his wife to Paintsville from Prestonsburg Sunday evening when their car came upon a rockslide blocking one lane of Route 23 near the entrance to the park.

"She was worried that someone would get hurt," William said, "so we got out to flag traffic until the police got there. We didn't want anybody to get killed."

After nearly being struck by one car, Stacy moved to the opposite end of the slide at the urging of her husband. There, as she attempted to flag down an approaching car, she was struck and killed.

"I heard her scream to the top of her lungs, 'stop,' and I saw her get hit," William said. "I screamed her name and ran to her. I knew when I got there she was gone. I held her in my arms and said, 'Stacy, hold on, I love you.'"

(See Samaritan, page two)

City sisters charged in money order scam

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

Two Prestonsburg sisters were indicted September 3 by a federal grand jury in Lexington for allegedly redeeming forged money orders stolen from three Eastern Kentucky post offices since May.

Donna DeRossett, also known as Donna Stumbo, 31, and her sister, Ella Compton, 38, both of Prestonsburg, were arraigned in U.S. District Court in Lexington Friday and entered not guilty pleas to charges of conspiracy to present and presenting forged money orders in several Eastern Kentucky counties.

United States Assistant Attorney Tom Self said DeRossett was indicted on eight counts of passing or presenting forged money orders and one count of aiding and abetting Compton in passing four of the forged instruments.

Compton was indicted on four counts of passing and presenting

forged money orders.

The two women allegedly cashed the money orders that were part of the over 800 money orders, with a value of up to a half million dollars, stolen from post offices in Ransom in Pike County and Elsie and Falcon post offices in Magoffin County since May. A money order imprinter was also stolen from the Elsie Post Office.

Although the two women have been accused of redeeming the forged money orders for cash and merchandise, United States Postal Inspector Doug Ervin said Monday that no evidence exists that the two women were involved in the burglaries of the post offices.

The ongoing investigation by postal inspectors and the Pikeville post of the Kentucky State Police is centering on identifying other persons involved in the break-ins.

The U.S. Postal Inspection Serv-

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Case resolved prior to start of trial :

Job Corps counselor cleared

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

A Carl D. Job Corps counselor was cleared Tuesday of charges that he solicited an assault on a 17-year-old student at the center on January 10.

Attorneys for both sides reached an agreement just before Clarence Trammell Jr., 52, was to stand trial in Floyd County District Court on misdemeanor charges of criminal solicitation and criminal facilitation.

The agreement said after a review of the evidence it "might be difficult" for the state to obtain a conviction against Trammell and that Trammell realized the "risk of a trial by jury." Under the agreement Trammell must not be convicted of any other criminal charge for 180 days.

The charges against Trammell resulted from an altercation at the

Prestonsburg center involving six students who allegedly assaulted another student on Trammell's order.

Trammell was suspended from his post at the Job Corps center after the charges were filed. It was revealed after his arrest in January that Trammell had previously been convicted of a murder in New York and had served 20 years in prison.

After Tuesday's agreement was reached, Trammell spoke publicly for the first time about the charges.

"I feel vindicated," Trammell said. "I feel better now that I know it's over. I'm ready to go back to work. I'm innocent of this charge. My job is to help kids, I have no reason to hinder or hurt them. It hurts me that I had to go through this, this shouldn't have happened."

In response to his prior murder conviction, Trammell said that part

of his life had no bearing on the charges filed in January.

"I didn't try to hide that," Trammell said. "The past is dead. I paid my debt to society. I'm not living in the past, I'm living in the future. That was a phase of my life that happened. My past didn't have anything to do with this."

Trammell said that in a position to counsel troubled teens, he hoped he could teach students to learn from his mistakes.

"I tell the kids they're here for a reason, not for a season; get your GED and skill so you can make something out of your life," Trammell said.

Trammell's attorney, Keith Bartley, said Trammell agreed to the conditional dismissal because "you never know what can happen in a

(See Counselor, page three)



Play me that mountain music

Larry D. Blackburn and friend played guitar and banjo at last weekend's Highlands Folf Festival. Blackburn makes banjos, dulcimers and other mountain crafts by hand. (photo by Geoff Belcher)

Working women now have help

by Geoff Belcher
Staff Writer

Unlike in past generations, women living in today's society find themselves forced to face the responsibility of being both breadwinner and homemaker. In order to help them function as a working wife and mother, Highlands Regional Medical Center offers For Women: A Conference For Women on Saturday.

Subjects to be discussed include: "Women of the 90's— Changes, Challenges and Choices," at 9 a.m. with keynote speaker Rhoda Weiss; "Is Plastic Surgery for You?" with plastic surgeon Henry G. Wells, Jr. M.D. at 10:30 a.m.; "How to Beat Breast Cancer," with nurse educator Denise Queen, R.N. at 10:30 a.m.; "If You Don't Have Time to Exercise," with physical therapist Linda Omer at 11:15 a.m.; "How to Buy a Car and Keep it Running," with mechanic and talk show host Steve Overbeck at 1:15 p.m.; "Continuing Education for the Working Woman," at 2 p.m. with Deborah Lee Floyd, Ph.D., President of Prestonsburg Community College; "Understanding Sexual Harassment," at 3:15 p.m. with attorney Marva Gay-Callahan and many others.

The conference will begin at 8

a.m. Saturday, September 19, at the Convention Center at Jenny Wiley State Park. The day will begin with coffee reception and registration where participants select the discussions they would like to attend.

Cost for the event will be \$25 per single registrant and \$22 per person in a group.

For further information, please contact Ann Martin at the Highlands

Regional Medical Center at 886-8511, or send payment to Highlands Regional Medical Center, P.O. Box 668, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653.

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ice is offering up to a \$5,000 reward for information that would aid in the investigation to identify and convict the person or persons involved in the burglary and the negotiation of additional money orders taken from the three post offices.

Several of the stolen money orders were redeemed at various banks, however, the forged money orders have surfaced in many department stores and grocery stores, Ervin said. Items purchased include: household goods, a cordless telephone, at least one police scanner and a large amount of children's clothing, Ervin said.

Self said money orders had been passed in Clark, Powell, Morgan, Meniffee and Boyd counties in Kentucky from July 24 through August 3.

Ervin, a postal inspector from Cincinnati, said Monday that money orders taken from the three Eastern Kentucky post offices had been traced to Lexington; Charleston, West Virginia; Charlotte, North Carolina; and Myrtle Beach, South Carolina.

Ervin added that the two indictments issued at this point in the investigation are for the alleged crimes committed in Kentucky. Other federal charges could be forthcoming

for the money orders negotiated in the other states.

The investigation is expanding to identify the person or persons that negotiated money orders in Mississippi and Alabama, Ervin said.

Anyone with any information about the burglaries is asked to contact Ervin at (513) 684-5700. Persons may call the office collect and all information will be kept confidential.

DeRossett, a/k/a Stumbo, and Compton were released on a \$5,000 recognizance bond and a trial has been tentatively set for November 11. If convicted on all charges, DeRossett faces a maximum of 85 years in prison and a \$250,000 fine on each of the nine counts. Compton faces a maximum of 55 years in prison and a \$250,000 for each count.

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Crash

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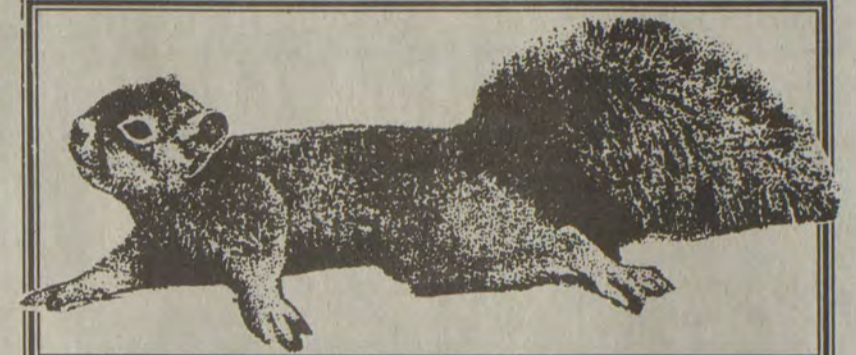
how many people were in the ambulance. An early report indicated that five people were in the vehicle.

The accident closed Route 460 and traffic between Paintsville and Salyersville was rerouted on Route 40. Route 460 was reopened Tuesday morning.

Four fire departments—Paintsville, Oil Springs, W.R. Castle and West Van Lear—responded to the collision, as did the Johnson County Sheriff's Department and Johnson County Rescue Squad.

The accident was investigated by KSP Troopers Scott Hazelette and Billy Hall and Det. Paul Estep.

The fatal accident was the third in two weeks in Johnson County.



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Samaritan

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a previous marriage.

Before leaving Indiana, Stacy had the church wedding her husband had promised her three years ago.

"When we got married on August 15, 1989, it was at the courthouse in Johnson County," William said. "I promised Stacy we would have a church wedding someday. The Saturday before we left to move back here, we renewed our vows and had our church wedding."

Another dream of Stacy's that William thought would be fulfilled was to take Stacy to her first Apple Festival in Johnson County.

"Since I first told her about it, it was her dream to see the Apple Festival," William said. "That's all she talked about. I thought this year she would get to see it."

Stacy was not an untrained person trying to direct traffic. The couple

had belonged to a "react team" while living Indiana, a volunteer organization that helped stranded motorists and provided traffic control.

Although Stacy had fought an uphill battle all her life, she never let it get her down.

"Stacy was a fighter," William said. "She wasn't one of these people who sat around feeling sorry for herself. She was a person who said, 'I can do it, I can do it.'"

"Stacy was also a giver," her husband added. "All she could do was give. It was her natural instinct to get out there and flag traffic. She was always thinking and doing for someone else. She gave me the best three years of my life. Just the other night we were talking about what we were going to look like to each other in 30 years."

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Highlands Folk Fest

It was standing room only Saturday as merchants from all around the region traveled to the 27th Annual Highlands Folk Festival at Jenny Wiley State Park last weekend to enjoy the food, fun and music and to sell traditional mountain arts and crafts. (photo by Geoff Belcher)

Prestonsburg raises tourism taxes

by Geoff Belcher
Staff Writer

The Prestonsburg City Council enacted three new city ordinances at its regularly scheduled meeting Monday evening, one of which will raise taxes on all restaurants and motels in the city.

Ordinance 17-92, which adds an extra one percent to the two percent recreation, tourism and convention tax motels and restaurants already pay, is intended to help finance acquisition, construction and operation of the Mountain Arts Center, to be used as a permanent home for the Kentucky Opry. The ordinance replaced earlier plans to channel funds from George P. Archer Memorial Park in order to finance the arts center.

At the urging of Councilman George Archer and park director Randy Polk, the city council determined that Archer Park was a major attraction for both local and regional visitors and trimming its budget would in the long run only damage the community.

However, Councilman Billy Ray Collins, owner of the Playhouse Restaurant in downtown Prestonsburg, vehemently opposed increasing taxes, saying such a move would only hurt Prestonsburg citizens. Although Collins said he had no desire to place any burden on Archer Park, he stressed that he felt any budget could be trimmed without damaging repercussions. Collins added that the council should give serious consideration to the matter before raising any taxes.

The council also enacted Ordinance 15-92, which announced the council's intention to annex unincorporated territory ranging from Ky. 114 to the new section of U.S. 23 for use as the Mountain Arts Center site and an industrial development site. Mayor Ann Latta stressed that the ordinance only announced the intention to annex and no annexation would proceed before discussions with the residents of that area and further

legislation.

Also passed at Monday's city council meeting was ordinance 16-92, which set the property tax rate for the 1992-93 fiscal year at the same \$.25 per \$100 rate it had previously been.

The council also authorized Latta to apply for a \$135,290 Community Block Development Grant to help establish an educational and cultural museum in downtown Prestonsburg and to relocate Mountain Heritage Arts and Crafts, Incorporated in order to increase its educational, marketing and employment opportunities.

The museum will house a private collection of antique cars, guns, farming and mining implements and other collectible items loaned to the city by a local businessman. The facility will also contain space for traveling exhibitions loaned from other museums around the country.

The city of Prestonsburg has already committed \$166,840 to the project, 52 percent of the projected cost. The city will borrow \$150,000 for start-up costs and an additional \$50,000, of which \$15,000 will be used for the facility's gift shop and \$35,000 as a reserve to supplement operations if needed.

The Floyd County Board of Education has also committed an additional \$15,000 annually in student admissions.

Among other topics discussed:

- The city is still transporting solid waste to the Apple Valley transfer station pending the reopening of the Floyd County Landfill. Latta and council members discussed future plans for recycling glass, aluminum and cardboard.

- The Red Mile harness racing track in Lexington has invited all Eastern Kentuckians to its Saturday, September 20 rally free of charge in celebration of Kentucky's racing industry. The Red Mile, the only harness track left in the state, will hold a press conference today, Wednesday, to request the governor and the Kentucky Racing Commission to

reconsider the recent decision to deny live racing to Kentucky Downs in Floyd County and Riverside Downs in Henderson.

- The Principal Mutual Insurance Company plan which the council approved for city employees at the last council meeting will cost slightly more than the city was originally told. The city will now save \$3,200 per month over the Blue Cross/Blue Shield rather than the originally planned \$8,000 savings per month.

- Halloween Trick-or-Treat night this year will be held Saturday, October 31 from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m.

- The council approved new standard operating procedures for the Prestonsburg Fire Department.

- Adams Middle School and Prestonsburg High School students will participate in See You At the Flagpole, a national day of prayer. The students will meet at 7 a.m. today, Wednesday, at the flagpole at their schools. Parents who wish to participate may meet at the Floyd County Courthouse.

All city council members were present for Monday's meeting.

The Prestonsburg City Council meets on the second and fourth Monday of every month at 6 p.m. The public is welcome.

First Big Sandy showcase to be held at PCC

The first Big Sandy Showcase of the Arts and Sciences of the Big Sandy Valley will be held Thursday evening, from 8-10 p.m. in the Pike building on the Prestonsburg Community College campus.

The showcase will feature The Shining Brothers, a rockabilly gospel group from Prestonsburg, the photographic art work of Hoyt Spence from Pikeville, Kentucky and the Big Sandy Natural Science Exhibit.

Registration to attend the showcase can be completed by calling 886-3863 and asking for CE/CS.

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courtroom."

"Mr. Trammell is tired of being unemployed and he wants to go back to helping students, that's what he's accustomed to," Bartley said. "With this dismissal, we think it means he can go back to work with full back pay. He hopes to be back at work Monday morning."

Job Corps center director Edna Higgenbotham said Tuesday that it will be up to the "corporate office" to interpret the conditional dismissal and make a decision on Trammell's return based on personnel policies.

According to a section in the Job Corps employee handbook, provided by Bartley, an employee is suspended if he is arrested and should the employee found innocent or the charges

dismissed, "the employee will receive full back pay and appropriate benefits for the period of suspension."

Higgenbotham said a decision on the issue should be made by Monday.

Pet show for Humane Society

Pike County Humane Society will hold its 9th Annual Pet Show September 26 in the Pikeville City Park. Registration is from 12 to 1 and judging begins at 1:30 p.m. Classes are set up for pedigree and mixed breed cats and dogs plus other animals. Whatever kind of pets you have—they are welcome.

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Mishap (Continued from page one)

as it swung around which caused a leg of the washer to break through the floor of the porch which was rotten, Nelson said.

The washer then crashed over the porch and fell on the child. Ray Handshoe, the father, and the child's mother flagged down a passing motorist who took the child to the Mud Creek Clinic which transferred him to McDowell Hospital.

The two-year old died of a fractured skull and internal injuries.

The couple had another two-year-old killed eight years ago when a truck backed over the child, said Floyd County Chief Deputy Linzie Hunt.

Tuesday's incident was investigated by Nelson, Hunt and Kentucky State Police detective Joel Newsome.

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ALLAN S. PERRY III—Publisher-Editor

Liberty of thought is the life of the soul—Voltaire

Editorials :

The Twilight Zone

by Scott Perry

We keep waiting for that eerie theme song to begin and for Rod Serling to advise us that we have just stepped into the Twilight Zone.

Unfortunately, this isn't fantasy. It's fact.

People are dying in unprecedented numbers on Eastern Kentucky highways.

At least seven people have died in this area in the last three weeks.

Death, it seems, is in the fast lane, and there is no simple explanation why this cloud of tragedy rains so unrelenting.

Precaution is our only defense.

Use it.

Raise the Titanic

A cloud of another sort hangs over Frankfort, where legislative leaders await the verdict of a federal investigation before deciding whether or not house Speaker Don Blandford has out-stayed his welcome.

How considerate.

Blandford, a master in the game of political reward and reprisal, should return the favor and step aside.

Regardless of his role or non-role in the ongoing legislative influence peddling scam, the torpedo hit on his watch.

The captain always goes down with the ship.

Restoring public confidence in Kentucky's General Assembly, if there ever was any confidence, will be as easy as refloating the Titanic.

Blandford is not the man for the job.



—Letters to the editor—

Letters to the editor policy

Letters to the Editor are welcomed by the *Floyd County Times*. In accordance with our editorial page policy, all letters must include the signature, address and telephone number of the author. Letters must be received no later than 10 a.m. Tuesday for publication in Wednesday's issue and 10 a.m. Thursday for Friday's issue. Letters may be sent to Editor, The Floyd County Times, P.O. Box 391, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. Letters may be edited for clarity and length.

What happened to the F.C.E.A.?

Editor:

I am a retired auto worker from Lima, Ohio. I spend a good deal of time at my sister's in Floyd County. I enjoy keeping up with the news in the Floyd County Times.

Being a union supporter, I was impressed with the Floyd County Education Association (F.C.E.A.). I was concerned why they had not been active or made any statement on the many problems in the school system in the last few weeks.

I asked a friend and employee of the system. I was shocked at the answer. My friend said rumor has it that one of the F.C.E.A. leaders was given some sort of paid leave. Another one was given a fancy named job, out of the classroom and with a lot of paid travel. Yet another, joined the administrators, whom they had spoken so badly about.

As I said, I was shocked and all hope gone. My first thought was King Boysen should give the place back to the Indians.

I now feel sorry for these people. Teachers probably feel betrayed. Administrators won't forget. Parents feel their children were used. Who do I now trust?

I think, now, that I have caused trouble, I will stop at the board and ask for a job. It seems the way to do it. Na! I'm out of here.

P.S. The Times reporter does a good job.

Cecil M. Johnson
Lima, Ohio

"Justice" must have a different meaning

Editor:

Is one life worth more than another, or is it that one county's system of justice is so far ahead of another?

Our son, Stefan Eric Coleman, a 9-year-old, was killed September 15, 1988 when he was struck by a pickup truck driven by Phamon Tackett of Virgie. Our son was killed as he got off the school bus and was trying to cross the road in front of our house.

Mr. Tackett was on the road every day driving a vehicle, knowing his vision was 20/200, which is considered legally blind. This was brought out in the trial and it took a second trial before he was finally found guilty of reckless homicide. The first trial ended in a hung jury and I cannot see how some of those people on that first jury can close their eyes to sleep at night without seeing a little boy begging for justice. They evidently placed very little value on our little boy's life. I hope they think about this for a long time.

Now a jury in Floyd County found a coal truck driver guilty of murder when he also failed to stop at a red light, which resulted in the death of a 40-year-old woman, for which he received a 20-year sentence. We sympathize with the family of this woman and we do understand the loss they have suffered. We cannot understand the difference made in the two cases.

In Pike County, as well as Floyd County, a red light means to stop. When you fail to do this, you have broken the law. Can anyone tell us

why the coal truck driver received 20 years for failing to stop for a red light which resulted in the death of a woman, and Phamon Tackett, who passed a stopped school bus, which resulted in the death of our 9-year-old little boy, has never served a day.

In the second trial in which the jury found him guilty and recommended a one-year sentence, Judge Charles Lowe gave him one year probation, stating that he could see no purpose in placing Mr. Tackett in jail. Under the law Mr. Tackett could have received 1-5 years.

Mr. Tackett has continued to teach school and go on with his daily life, which he denied our son. The word "justice" must have a different meaning in Pike and Floyd county.

Curt and Brenda Coleman
Pikeville, Kentucky

The Catastrophe

Editor:

During these past few weeks I have watched on TV two national political conventions. Nothing was said about the little children being abused, going to school with a lip hanging by a skin. Beaten and battered. One candidate's wife made an off-the-record remark to the effect that children should have a right so sue their parents for damages through child abuse.

A prime candidate for president took issue with what she said only turned from child abuse to taking the trash out.

(See Letters A 5)

Coffee Break

by Scott Perry

The business of exporting garbage from Eastern Kentucky will be grounded next weekend.

The Big Sandy River will be closed to traffic during that time so Ashland Oil can replace transmission lines in the river bed.

No garbage bags will be permitted through the area during the repair work.

Those who use the river for trash disposal should find an alternate service in the interim.

The powers that be in the world of education have been preparing us for the worst for the past couple of weeks, warning that the results of a new system of testing students will likely rank our kids somewhere on the level of dirt clods.

The new system rates student proficiency on a range from novice to distinguished in areas that include reading, math, science and social studies.

The tests used to gauge student abilities are somewhat different than the measuring sticks of the past. They actually judge a student's ability to "think" as opposed to how lucky a student might be in correctly answering multiple choice questions.

So, we're warned that our kids aren't going to fare so well in the thinking business this first testing go around.

We shouldn't be embarrassed by that.

After all, the abilities to reason, apply logic and use our heads for what they were intended aren't so common anywhere on this small planet.

If we're found to be novices, we'll have plenty of company on our climb up the

educational ladder.

Congress is considering legislation called the "Sensible Advertising and Family Education (SAFE) Act" which would require ads for certain products, like beer, to carry warnings to consumers.

As if there weren't more important matters for Congress to decide, they now feel compelled to protect us from ourselves.

One of the first victims of this legislation, should it pass, ought to be the SAFE Act itself...

WARNING: This Legislation Is Probably Going To Make You Puke.

From the Turn-About-Is-Fair-Play file....

The media, et al, took off after poor Danny Quayle somethin' fierce over what has become known as the Great Potato(e) Mashacre, but the Veep got sweet potato(e) revenge recently, courtesy of the New York Times.

Seems the Times, in a story last week covering Quayle's campaign travels, misspelled the Vice-President's name as Q-U-A-L-E.

If Quayle is not fit to be in office because of his poor spelling, should we now assume that the paper which publishes "All the news fit to print" is no longer fit to print the news?

Courthouse News

DISTRICT COURT

Mashanda Caudill, 23, of Wayland, disorderly conduct, pay costs, \$57.50; Charlie Gibson, 40, of Wayland, disorderly conduct, \$25 fine suspended, pay costs, \$47.50;

Timothy G. Boyd, 30, of Dana, DUI (BA .13, second offense), \$557.50 in fines, fees and costs, seven days in jail and 173 days probation; Donna Yates of Oil Springs, DUI (BA .15) reckless driving, \$418 and five days in jail;

James L. Garrett, 21, of Betsy Layne, failure to give right of way, \$47.50 in costs; Billy Justice of Prestonsburg, DUI (BA .13, first offense), \$217.50 and two days public service, ADE referred;

Tavis Colley, 30, of McDowell, DUI (third or more, BA .14), operating on suspended license (DUI conviction), \$232.50 in fines, fees and costs, 10 days public service in lieu of costs, 30 days probation, ADE referred;

Mickey L. Keller, 29, of Prestonsburg, speeding (26 mph over), disregarding stop sign, attempting to elude, expired or no registration plates, no insurance, failure to register, no registration receipt, failure or improper start, reckless driving, charges merged, \$157.50 in fines, fees and costs, referred to state traffic school;

Pam Turner, 28, of Garrett, DUI (BA .13, first offense), \$357.50 (\$200 fine suspended in lieu of two days public service), one year's probation;

Kelly S. Akers, 31, of Grethel,

DUI (first offense) \$407.50 (\$200 fine waived in lieu of two days public service), ADE referred and surrender license;

Clyde Z. Goble, 46, of Dwale, DUI (BA .28, first offense), \$357.50, ADE referred, and surrender license;

Teresa M. Baril of Blue River, AI (third or more), sentenced to 30 days, probated six months, costs waived;

Charles Douglas Sexton, 34, of Martin, operating on suspended license (DUI conviction), \$57.50 and seven days in jail.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Denver Ray Slone, Ricky Dean Slone, Theresa Laverne and Eric Ousley, and Janet Slone to Laverne Reedy Slone, property located on Left Beaver Creek;

John Earl Hunt, Master Commissioner, to William Ricky and Veronica Reed, Master Commissioner's Deed;

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Keith Whitaker, property located on Right Beaver Creek;

Loretta Harris Osborne to Chad and Magilene Rice, property at Bear Hollow; Bank Josephine to Frank Whitaker, property on Branham's Creek on Big Mud Creek;

Levi and Flossie Johnson to Gary B. and Sandra B. Newsome, property located on Left Beaver Creek; Ervin and Easter Calhoun Slone to Ray and Fannie Walters, property on Middle Creek;

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Boneka Hoover to Joe E. and Glenna Simpson, property in New Martin Addition; John W. and Carol J. Marsillett to William P. Runnels, property in West Prestonsburg;

Ralph and Christine Adkins to Johnny Johnson, property on Abner Fork of Left Beaver Creek; Robin

and Brenda Kay Humphrey to Michael and Shirley Newsome, property on Hen Pen Branch;

Della Snavelly, Wilma Messer, and Andrew J. Snavelly to Walter E. and Armita C. Snavelly, property on Little Paint Creek;

Kirk Van Wells to Carol Ann Wells, property on the waters of Dewy Lake; Gillic Blanton to Millard and Carolyn Blanton, property on Right Beaver Creek;

Avery H. and Lula Mae Harmon to Eddie and Phillistine McCoy, property location not listed; Edgel Osborne to James and Angelia Osborne, property location not listed;

Marshall Davidson to Lydia Belle Auxier and Wanda Tackett, property on Bear Hollow; Laura R. and Robert A. Collins to Laura R. and Robert A. Collins and Judith A.R. Collins, quit-claim deed, property location not listed; Laura R. and Robert A. Collins to Laura R. and Robert A. Collins and Judith A.R. Collins, quit-claim deed, property location not listed.



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Racing

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formed on the facility. If the project should fail, Fulkerson said, the taxpayers of Eastern Kentucky would be stuck with the bill.

Also, Fulkerson said, Eastern Kentucky has nearly twice the poverty rate than the rest of the state, and entertainment expenses are the first to be cut in a poverty situation.

However, Fulkerson said, the commission was very pleased that Eastern Kentucky wanted to get involved in the horse industry and would do all in its power to aid in that pursuit, as long as the project was responsible and would not lead to financial disaster.

The commission's denial of 1993 racing dates did not preclude live racing at Kentucky Downs at a later date, Fulkerson said. He added that live racing at the facility could be possible in 1993, but certain details needed to be worked out first.

Ched Jennings, attorney of record for Eastern Kentucky Racing, said in a later interview Tuesday that if the commission really wanted to help, they would issue live dates now.

"We're on second base now," Jennings said, "and we can't go to third without (the racing commission's) support and participation."

Jennings said that the commission's decision to deny live racing to Kentucky Downs was purely arbitrary and said that the commission should have judged the Eastern Kentucky track on the same basis it judged thoroughbred tracks Duelling Grounds and Bluegrass Grounds.

"I really felt we could have walked into (the commission's public hearing) with the Taj Mahal project and met with the same results," Jennings said.

Jennings said that Smith and Fulkerson's explanations on Tuesday for the denial of live racing to Kentucky Downs were diametrically opposed to the explanations in the September 1 hearing.

Jennings said that the plans for Kentucky Downs were far more detailed than those for thoroughbred tracks which were granted live dates.

Jennings called for a re-evaluation of the commission's decisions concerning both thoroughbred and standardbred racing dates and added that the standards applied in rendering a decision should be applied equally to both industries.

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Conference participants

Pictured from left to right are the professors who will participate in the Ohio Valley History Conference on October 23. Dr. Tom Matijasic, Dr. Donald Barlow, Dr. Doug Herman and Dr. Tom Carroll.

PCC history professors dominate conference

When the Ohio Valley History Conference convenes in Murray State University's Curris Center, on Friday, October 23, Prestonsburg Community College faculty will field the largest number of participants other than Murray's own history department.

Four PCC history professors will take part in the conference. Dr. Douglas E. Herman will serve as commentator for a session entitled Religious and Social Pioneers in Kentucky.

Dr. Donald Barlow will preside

over a session entitled Turn-of-the-Century American Diplomats.

Dr. Thomas P. Carroll will preside over a session entitled On the Eve of Enfranchisement: Kentucky Suffragists in the Twentieth Century.

Dr. Thomas Matijasic will present a paper entitled "The KKK and Immigrant Labor in the Big Sandy Valley of Kentucky."

Search underway for 1992 Kentucky Mother of the Year

Search is now underway for the 1993 Kentucky Mother of the Year. The honor is provided through the Kentucky Chapter of American Mothers, Inc., the national organization that first sponsored Mother's Day and promoted it through the US Congress.

Nominations are encouraged from religious organizations of all faiths, from Women's Clubs, Men's Organizations, and all service groups. Individuals cannot sponsor a nominee; nominations must originate with a group. Qualifications for the Kentucky Mother must meet American Mother, Inc. guidelines. The woman must be at least 45 years of age, be a successful mother and homemaker, have been married in a legally accepted ceremony, be an active member of a religious body, have actively participated in community, state or

national activities and be highly regarded by the community.

The Kentucky Mother must be qualified to represent Kentucky in the Mother Of America contest in the spring of 1993. She must have one or more children, natural or legally adopted, the youngest of which is at least 15 years old.

Nomination blanks and materials must be obtained by October 1, 1992, and returned by November 3, 1992. The Kentucky Convention and award luncheon will be held in Louisville on November 21, 1992.

Nomination forms and guidelines may be obtained by request from Carolyn Self, 735 North Drive, Hopkinsville, KY 42240 (502) 886-7178 or

Nancy Jo Grobmyer, 304 Ninth Street, Carrollton, KY 41008 (502) 732-5786

Workshop scheduled at MSU for emergency medical technicians

Morehead State University's Continuing Education Program for nursing and allied health professionals will sponsor a workshop for emergency medical technicians on Thursday, September 24, at the MSU-Big Sandy Extended Campus Center in Prestonsburg.

The session will focus on providing the proper treatment of a patient with a suspected spinal injury. Gary Santana, state EMT instructor, will serve as the faculty.

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. with class to start at 9 a.m. The cost for the workshop is \$24 which includes handout materials and refreshment breaks.

Additional information is available from MSU's Department of Nursing and Allied Health Sciences at (606) 783-2632.

College-Community round table kick-off

Thursday, September 17, 1992 is the kick-off date for this fall's College-Community Round Table. This series will be resumed on that date with the first session taking place Thursday from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in Room 102 of the Johnson Building on the Prestonsburg Community College Campus in Prestonsburg.

The premier session will feature a group discussion between faculty members on a Kentucky Bicentennial Theme. This month's topic is Kentucky authors and their works. The Round Table moderator, Eileen Lewandowski, has promised a lively interchange of ideas between the participants and the audience.

Presenters will include Mrs. Lewandowski, who teaches communication and coordinates the Appalachian Civic Leadership Project at the college and Dr. William Barnette, who is a popular assistant professor of English. Other members of the Humanities Division and Library personnel have been asked to join us for talk about authors including Harriet Arnow, Gurney Norman, and possibly Lee Smith—whom Dr.

Barnette claims is an honorary Kentuckian.

Melissa Forsyth from the library will assist us by providing a brief bibliography of Kentucky authors and works available at the Prestonsburg Community College Library.

The introductory remarks by the faculty participants will be followed by an open forum—interactive discussion or question and answer session in which all present are invited to participate.

According to Mrs. Lewandowski, active participation in this series by members of the community, students and faculty will be necessary if we are to make this series of discussions a successful or meaningful part of the college's community service program.

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Obituaries

Charles Eugene Hines Sr.

Charles Eugene Hines Sr., 84, of Ivel, died Thursday, September 10, at his residence following an extended illness.

Born July 27, 1908 at Selma, North Carolina, he was the son of the late Nathan and Elizabeth Hamilton Hines. He was a retired field service representative for Crown Cork and Seal, Inc., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Survivors include his wife, Dorothy Mullikin Hines; two sons, Charles E. Hines Jr. of Ivel and James Richard Hines of Marietta, Georgia; one daughter, Carolyn Sue Stevens of Frederick, Maryland; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Memorial services were Saturday, September 12, at 11 a.m., at the residence with the services conducted by Trooper Jim Stephens.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Hospice of the Big Sandy.

Rasser D. Martin

Rasser D. Martin, 34, of Drift, died Friday, September 11, at Cow Creek following a sudden illness.

Born December 14, 1957 at Drift, he was the son of Dennis and Ada Osborne Martin of Drift. He was a general laborer.

Survivors include four brothers, Wade Martin and Denzil Martin, both of Drift, Tanzil Martin of Endicott, and Merlin Martin of Martin; and three sisters, Fredia G. Martin, Reba G. Martin, Donna K. Castle, all of Cow Creek.

Funeral services were Monday, September 14, at 10 a.m., at the Nelson-Frazier with the Katy Friend Free Will Baptist Church officiating.

Burial was in the Martin Cemetery at Drift under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers were Earl Martin, Ernie Jude, Gerald Ray Maynard, Raymond Martin, Charles Harmon, Denzil Ray Martin, Phillip Castle and Donnie Tilley.

Auxier Freewill Baptist Church

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Sun. Youth Meeting 5:00 p.m.
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Thursday
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

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Nancy Hall

Nancy Hall, 38, of East Point, formerly of Banner, died Tuesday, September 15, at Highlands Regional Medical Center following an extended illness.

Born June 29, 1954 at Paintsville, she was the daughter of Delores Webb Brown of Prestonsburg and the late Everett Brown. A student at Mayo State Vocational School at Paintsville, she was in training to be a medical secretary. She was a member of the Praise Assembly Church at Prestonsburg.

Survivors include two sons, Jackie Brown and James Michael Shepherd, both of Prestonsburg; three daughters, Nancy Lynn Shepherd, Lisa Shepherd and Rachael Hall, all of Prestonsburg; paternal grandmother, Nancy Jane Brown of Prestonsburg; three brothers, James Jason Brown of Pineville, Paul Thomas Brown of Fort Worth, Texas, and Timothy Harold Brown of Prestonsburg; four sisters, Pamela Sue Bentley of Allen, Marda Bailey of Prestonsburg, Connie Slone of Blue River, and Lorna Wakeland of Banner.

Funeral services will be Thursday, September 17, at 2 p.m., at the Faith Christian Assembly Church, Prestonsburg, with ministers Danny Curry and Phillip Robinson officiating.

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

Serving as active pallbearers will be Roger Slone, Fair Bentley Jr., Ernest Wakeland, James Bailey, James Jason Brown, Timothy Brown, Paul Thomas Brown, Harold Brown Jr., and James Burke Bailey.

Honorary pallbearers will be Jackie Brown, Michael Shepherd, Charlie Stewart Jr., Chester Slone, and Billy Hunt.

Earnest Jones

Earnest Jones, 57, of Martin, died Saturday, September 12, at his residence following a short illness.

Born April 2, 1935 at Pyramid, he was the son of the late Orb and Nora Castle Jones.

Survivors include one sister, Verdie "Sissy" Jones of Martin; and one brother, Ed Jones of Hueysville.

Funeral services were Monday, September 14, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Dan Heintzelman officiating.

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

Rhoda Burke

Rhoda Burke, 87, of Princeton, formerly of Weeksbury, died Wednesday, September 9, at Jennie Stuart Medical Center in Hopkinsville following a long illness.

Born March 20, 1905, she was the daughter of the late Burchfield and Louise Johnson Burke. She was preceded in death by her husband, McKinley Burke, in 1981. She was a member of the Church of Christ Faith.

Survivors include two sons, Herbert Burke of Wellington and Bill Burke of Franklin, Indiana; five daughters, Eva Higgins of Champagne, Illinois, Jesse Higgins of Brown County, Indiana, Zella Rose of Princeton, Irene Minor of Brown County, Indiana, and Marie Necessary of Springfield, Ohio; two brothers, Robert Burke and Major Burke, both of Virgie; four sisters, Arkansas Hudson of Virgie, Ollie Tackett of Jeffersonville, Indiana, Lizzie Boyd of Weeksbury, and Marcella Meade of Springfield, Ohio; 24 grandchildren, 26 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services were Sunday, September 13, at 1 p.m., at the R. S. Hones and Son Funeral Home chapel with the Evangelists Johnny King, Mike Hall and Benny Blankenship officiating.

Burial was in the Harve Burke Cemetery at Speight under the direction of R. S. Jones and Son Funeral Home.

Ray E. Childress

Ray E. Childress, 82, of Hillsboro, Kentucky, died Sunday at St. Claire Medical Center in Morehead following an extended illness.

Born in Lawrence County June 10, 1910, he was a son of the late Quincy and Arvie Hughes Childress. He was a retired hardware merchant at Wheelwright. A 32nd degree Mason, he was a member of the Wheelwright Masonic Lodge, the Scottish Rites in Lexington and the Eastern Star in Wheelwright. He was also a member of the Shiloh Methodist Church in Fleming County.

Survivors include his wife Darthula Hall Childress; one son, Ray E. Childress Jr. of New Jersey; two daughters, Clara Kitchen and Patty Justice, both of Columbus, Ohio; two sisters, Roberta Daniels and Betty Miller, both of Louisiana.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Denton Funeral Home in Flemingsburg. Graveside services were at 3 p.m. Tuesday at the Wooten Cemetery in Louisa where Masonic services were conducted.

James Lincoln Burchett

James Lincoln Burchett, 74, of Endicott, died Thursday, September 10, at Highlands Regional Medical Center following an extended illness.

Born April 21, 1918 at Endicott, he was the son of the late James Henry and Betty Nunnery Burchett. He was a general laborer. He was preceded in death by his wife, Laura Ellen Click Burchett on June 29, 1979.

Survivors include two sons, Ronald J. Burchett of Endicott and Billy Burchett of Endicott; four daughters, Rebecca Kelly of Manchester, Michigan, Ruth Ann Stephens of Allen, Brenda Kaye Stephens of Endicott, and Judy Carol Zorn of Dundee, Michigan; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Sunday, September 13, at 1 p.m., at the Endicott Free Will Baptist Church with the Rev. Jim Smith officiating.

Burial was in the Burchett Family Cemetery at Endicott under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers were Justin Burchett, Billy Joe Burchett, Paul Korte, James Johnson, Chad Zorn, Thomas Eaton, Chris Ratliff, Kevin Blackburn and Douglas Spears.

Charlie H. Prater

Charlie H. Prater, 68, of Old Middle Creek Road, Prestonsburg, died Sunday, September 13, at his residence following an extended illness.

Born January 21, 1924 at Brainard, he was the son of the late Robert and Lula Whitaker Prater. He retired from the State Highway Department. He was a Army veteran of World War II. He was a member of the D.A.V. Chapter 18 at Auxier.

Survivors include five sons, Clyde Kenneth Prater of Lexington, Charlie H. Prater and Sammy Lee Prater, both of Allen, Tarzan Prater of Prestonsburg, and Roy Prater of West Prestonsburg; two daughters, Kathy Mae Sparks of Salyersville and Christine Blankenship of Prestonsburg; three brothers, Cedi Prater of Stockbridge, Michigan, Clyde Prater of Olivet, Michigan, and Press Prater of Warsaw, Indiana; one sister, Nancy Adams of Prestonsburg; and 18 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Thursday, September 17, at 10 a.m., at the Carter Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Edgar McKinney officiating. Military services will be conducted by the D.A.V. Chapter 18.

Burial will be in the Bob Prater Family Cemetery at Brainard under the direction of Carter Funeral Home.

Mary Boyd Akers

Mary Boyd Akers, 75, of Dana, died Monday, September 14, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital following a short illness.

Born January 3, 1917 at Dana, she was the daughter of the late Noah and Sireda Smith Boyd. She was a member of the Little Salem Regular Baptist Church for 15 years.

Survivors include her husband, Charley "Scott" Akers; two sons, Larry and Perry Akers, both of Dana; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be Thursday, September 17, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home chapel with the Regular Baptist Church ministers officiating.

Burial will be in the Boyd Cemetery at Dana under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

Gary Lee Day Sr.

Gary Lee Day Sr., 47, of Bypro, died Thursday, September 10, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital following an extended illness.

Born June 5, 1945 in Dorton, he was the son of Edna Tackett Day of Bypro and the late Theodore Day. He was a disabled coal miner, a veteran, a 32nd degree mason, and a 1989 past master of the Wheelwright Lodge No. 889. He was an honorary member of the John W. Hall Lodge No. 950 at Martin, the Masonic Lodge No. 657 at East Point and the Eastern Star No. 447 at Wheelwright.

Survivors include his wife, Bernaldy Williams Day; two sons, Gary Day Jr. and Dwane Day, both of Bypro; one daughter, Bernal Cole of Rockford, Illinois; one brother, Larry Gene Day of Shelbyana; and two grandchildren.

Funeral and Masonic services were Sunday, September 13, at 11 a.m., at the Nelson-Frazier with the Regular Baptist Church ministers officiating. Graveside services were conducted by the D.A.V. Chapter 128 at Garrett.

Burial was in the Buckingham Cemetery at Bevinsville under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers were Larry Day, Gary Day, Dwane Day, Larry Day Jr., Ora Green, Frankie Kohler, Tim Cole and Ted Day.

Rexford "Rex" Beach Merritt

Rexford "Rex" Beach Merritt, 68, of Virginia Beach, Virginia, formerly of Emma, died Thursday, September 10, at the Veterans Administration Hospital, Hampton, Virginia, following an extended illness.

Born August 29, 1924 at Emma, he was the son of the late Edward Polk and Minnie Burchett Merritt. He was retired from the civil service, U.S. Government. He was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II. He was wounded in action and received a purple heart. He was a member of the V.F.W. Post at Hampton, Virginia.

Survivors include two sons, Edward Taylor Merritt and William Dean Merritt, both of Norfolk, Virginia; four daughters, Sandra Barkan of Virginia Beach, Virginia, Catharine Walters of Auburn, Alabama, Angela Eichenbrenner of Poquoson, Virginia, and Robin Merritt of Greenville, South Carolina; one brother, Dean Merritt of Emma; and one sister, Peachie Merritt of Emma.

Funeral services were Monday, September 14, at 11 a.m., at the Carter Funeral Home chapel with the Evangelist Benny Blankenship officiating.

Burial was in the Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel under the direction of Carter Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers were Louis Barkan, Andrew Barkan, Alex Barkan, Ryan Barkan, Matthew Blair-Walters and Joe Wheeler Harris.

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The family of Martha W. Stephens wishes to extend thanks to all those friends, neighbors, and family who helped in any way upon the passing of their loved one. Thanks to those who sent food, flowers, prayers, and words of comfort. A special thank-you to the pastor of the Hueysville Church of Christ, Greg Nichols and the wonderful singers, to Elders Jerry Manns and Mike Slone who officiated the funeral and the ones who sang. Also special thanks to Anthony Castle of the Prestonsburg Police Department for his assistance in traffic control and to the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

THE FAMILY OF
MARTHA W. STEPHENS

Card Of Thanks

We, the family of Delcie Boals Layne, wish to express our appreciation and thanks to all our friends and neighbors who helped during the illness and passing of our beloved mother.

Thanks to all who visited, sent flowers and food, and supported us in our grief.

A special thanks to the ministers, Cohen Campbell, Tim McClanahan, and Lewis Walter who lifted our spirits with their comforting words; to the brothers and sisters of Calvary Baptist Church, for your kindnesses; to Jewel Conn for the beautiful songs; to Hall Funeral Home for the courteous and efficient service, and to the pallbearers for their tender, loving care.

THE DAUGHTERS OF
DELICIE B. LAYNE

Card Of Thanks

The family of Ruth Haywood Hicks would like to extend their appreciation to all those friends, neighbors and loved ones who helped comfort them during their time of sorrow. Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, prayers or spoke comforting words. A special thanks to the clergyman Troy Poff for his comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

THE FAMILY OF
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Card of Thanks

The family of Chester "Muskrat" Goble wishes to express their appreciation for the thoughtfulness and kindness of the many friends, relatives and neighbors in the loss of their loved one. Thanks to all who sent food, flowers, and prayers. A special thanks to Rev. Bennie Blankenship for his comforting words, the singers, the sheriff's department and the Carter Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

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Community Calendar

Editor's Note: As a service to the many clubs and committees that meet in our community, the Floyd County Times' Community Calendar will host meeting and public service announcements. 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. These cannot be taken over the telephone.

Floyd County Grand Jury to meet

The Floyd County Grand Jury will meet on September 14, 15 and 16. Walk-ins may appear on September 14, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m., must sign up on the sheet located on the door to the grand jury room and will be called in the order in which their names appear. For those desiring an appointment to appear, and in order to avoid waiting in line, please call 886-1604, to be scheduled for a specific time on September 15 and 16.

Learn to teach an adult to read

The Floyd County Literacy Council will hold a tutor-training session on September 16, 21, 23, from 6-9:30 p.m. each evening. For more information call 886-READ.

71st Infantry Division Reunion

The 71st fired the last shot of WWII in Europe at 3 p.m. on May 7, 1945. Men who served with the Division at Camp Carson, Hunter Liggett, Ft. Benning, or in Europe can retell this and other stories at the Division Reunion in Anaheim, California, on September 17-20. For more information, write the 71st Division Association, 14801 Grapeland Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44111.

Units of the Division include 5th, 14th and 66th Infantry Regiments; the 607th, 608th, 609th, and the 564th Field Artillery Battalions; the 71st Division Headquarters Company, 71st Cavalry Recon Troop; 271st Engineer Battalion; 571st Signal Company; 251st Quartermaster Company; 371st Medical Battalion; and the 771st Ordnance Company.

Quarterly interagency meeting scheduled

The Big Sandy Area Community Action Program, Inc. will meet Wednesday, September 16, at 2 p.m., at the Stumbo Park Convention Center, Allen. Representatives from agencies must attend this meeting to discuss their agency's goals, progress, new programs or other pertinent information.

Health Fair

The Prestonsburg Senior Citizens Center will hold a Health Fair on September 16, from 10-2 p.m. at the senior citizens center, Archer Park. Professional people from all walks of life will be available for screenings and discussions. The public is invited to attend.

Conference for Women

The Highlands Regional Medical Centers Conference for Women will be held September 19, from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. at the Wilkinson-Stumbo Convention Center. For more information, call Kathy Rubado at 886-8511.

Adams Middle School PTA meeting

The first meeting of the year for Adams Middle School PTA in Prestonsburg will be on Monday, September 21, at 7 p.m., at the school. The school recently voted to adopt

site-based decision making. In addition to selecting a nominating committee and talking about plans for site-based management, the PTA will have a chance to hear from the new principal Janice Allen. All parents of students in the middle school are urged to attend.

Parents Association for Handicapped Children to meet

Parents Association for Handicapped Children will have a meeting for the parents of and/or people interested in the handicapped.

The meeting will be Thursday, September 17, at 6:30 p.m., at the Daniel Boone Motor Inn, at Pikeville by Wal-Mart.

For more information, call Barbara Burchett at 886-8426.

Training for rape victim volunteers

There will be a training for persons interested in becoming a volunteer Rape Victim Advocate beginning on Saturday, September 19 - September 23.

The training will be held at the conference center at the Mountain Comprehensive Care Center beginning at 9 a.m.

Anyone interested in volunteering should contact Eileen Recktenwald at 886-8572.

Ladies auxiliary horse show

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Kimper Volunteer Fire Department's Fourth Annual Horse Show will be held Saturday, September 19, at Bob Amos Park, Pikeville, at 6 p.m.

For more information call 631-1811.

Prestonsburg Elementary PTA meeting

Prestonsburg Elementary will be

holding their first PTA meeting on September 22, at 7 p.m., at the school. All interested persons are urged to attend.

Head Injury Support Group to meet

The East Kentucky Head Injury Support Group meeting will be held Saturday, September 19, from 10:30 - 1 p.m. at the Floyd County Library in Prestonsburg.

Family members, survivors, and friends are invited to attend. For more information, call 358-4827, 886-2027, or 432-8011.

AIDS Update Workshop at PCC

Continuing Education/Community Services of Prestonsburg Community College will offer an AIDS Update Training Workshop for medical personnel, including EMT professionals on Saturday, September 19, from 9-11 a.m.

The workshop will feature up-to-date AIDS research that medical professionals can use to protect their patients and themselves. The workshop will be taught by Larry Adams, Fire Chief of the Prestonsburg Fire Department.

Registration may be completed by calling 886-3863.

Stress Reduction Workshop at PCC

If you have blood pressure, headaches, insomnia, fatigue, depression or gastrointestinal problems and you believe they are stress related, then you should attend the workshop on September 22 and 29, from 6-8 p.m.

The workshop will be concluded by Dr. William Loftus, assistant professor of Psychology and PCC's Outstanding Professor for 1992 as voted by the students.

The workshop is free and everyone is invited to attend. Registration may be completed by calling 886-3863.

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Guatemalans tour area

Comprised of 26 rural community leaders and two interpreters, a Guatemalan group toured Eastern Kentucky, including David School, to exchange ideas between Appalachian grassroots and development groups. Among those pictured touring David School is José Rubén Aguilar Gutiérrez (second from right), who is an educator and adviser in Guatemala. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

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JOHN DEERE

Wayland residents attend Indiana reunion

The 5th reunion of the First Free Will Baptist Church of Huntington, Indiana was held Sunday, August 2, at James Bolding's residence in Warren, Indiana. Everyone enjoyed

singing from the John Cornett Family from Ocoola, Ohio and the Heaven's Echoes of Wabash, Indiana.

There were some few faces at the

event this year for the first time. Some were from Wayland and different parts of Kentucky.

Those who attended the dinner were Jessica Miller and Monte Sieburns of Huntington, Indiana; Rita, Don and James Winkler, Rose and Glen Caudill, Ray and Ruth Tackett, all of Andrews, Indiana; Garnet and Don Snodgrass, Virginia and Brandon Combs, John and Florence Combs, Betty Stouder, Larry and Phyliss Oswald, Larry and Cindy Williams, Samie Adkins, Marvin, Myrtle, Kenneth and David Huff, Debra and David Hayes, Josh Huff, Lora La Croix, Jerry and Tony, Rev. Brunk and Mag Conley, Sue Jones, Ambie Conley, Jean King, Joe and Rose Wyatt, Don and Louise Moore, Jon Hamey, Warren Busha, and Zelda Berry, all of Huntington, Indiana. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Browning and family and Bertha Browning, all of Peru, Indiana; Ken Underwood, Steven and Susan M. Creech, Billy J.

Ousley, all of Marion, Indiana; Ida and Elmo Adkins, Dave and Helen Shepherd, all of Goshen, Indiana; Roger and Phyliss Stambaugh, and Carolyn Graves, all of Wabash, Indiana; Gladys Barns of Marion, Indiana; Maynard and Grace and Brett Walden, all of Fairmount, Indiana; Larry, Bonnie and Jenny Farmer, Charles and Glenna Walden, James, Alberta and Lisa Bolding, all of Warren, Indiana, and David Newton of Gas City, Indiana.

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Decorating clothing

Jean Watson demonstrating the many uses of button in decorating clothing, with on-lookers, Pearl Watts and Marena Hale during the annual luncheon meeting of the Floyd County Homemakers.

Card Of Thanks

The family of Robie Miller wishes to thank all those friends, neighbors and family who helped them in any way upon the passing of their loved one. Thanks to those who sent food, flowers, prayers and words of comfort expressed. A special thanks to the Rev. Dan Heintzelman for his comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

THE FAMILY OF ROBIE MILLER

Card Of Thanks

The family of William Ratliff wishes to thank all of those who were so kind and considerate during our time of grief. We want to thank those who sent food, flowers and gifts of love. We especially want to thank clergyman Bethel Bolen and others for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control, and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

THE FAMILY OF WILLIAM RATLIFF

Card Of Thanks

The family of Lexie Hall Akers would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their help in the loss of our loved one; those who sent food and flowers, or just spoke comforting words. We deeply appreciate you all. A special thanks to the Regular Baptist ministers for their comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

THE FAMILY OF LEXIE HALL AKERS

Card Of Thanks

*Perhaps you sent a lovely card,
Or sat quietly in a chair,
Perhaps you sent a floral piece,
If so we saw it there.
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words,
As any friend could say,
Perhaps you were not there at all,
Just thought of us that day.
Whatever you did to console our hearts,
We thank you so much whatever the part.*

THE FAMILY OF MARY RATLIFF SHEPHERD

Card Of Thanks

We, the family of Robert K. Larson, wish to express our appreciation and thanks to all our friends and neighbors who helped during our time of sorrow. Thanks to all who sent flowers and food or spoke comforting words. Thanks to all who came to pay their respects and share with us their memories.

A special thanks to Rev. Dennis Love for his words, comfort, and the beautiful music furnished by the Betsy Layne United Methodist Church.

A special thanks to the pallbearers, because I know he was a special friend to each of you. Thanks to Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

Again, we want to say thanks.

THE FAMILY OF ROBERT K. LARSON

WEEKEND REVIVAL

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Written by his mother Kathleen S. Prater and his brother Donnie, and nephew, Kelly Prater

OPEN HOUSE

The Seventh Day Adventist Church

located about 6 miles west of Prestonsburg across from the Parkway Connection is having an open house **September 19, 1992 at 6:30 p.m.**

Have you ever wondered what Seventh Day Adventists believe and who they are? The public is invited to come and find a group of worshipers of God and followers of the Redeemer Jesus Christ. Ask questions for yourself and follow 2 Timothy 2:15.

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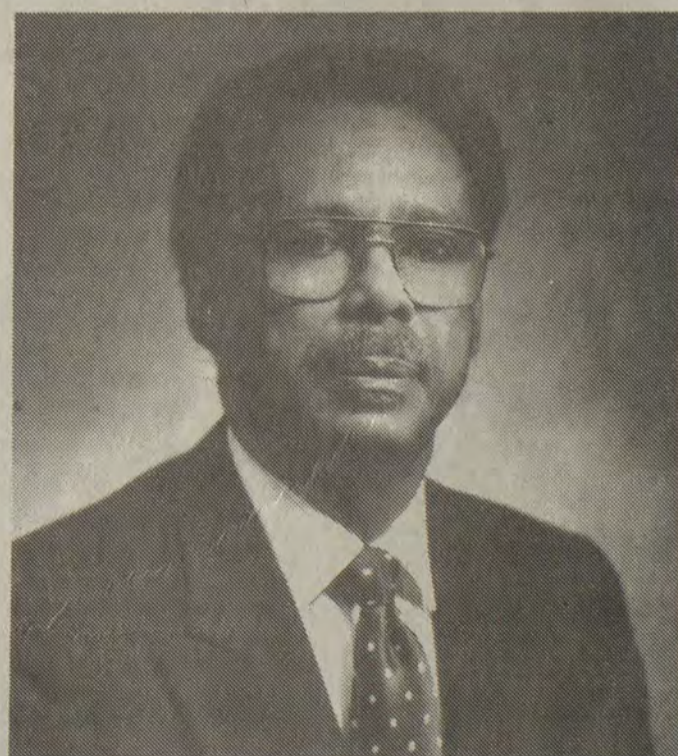
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The Revival Meeting is scheduled **September 28 - October 2** 7:00 p.m. nightly.

Pastor Doug Lewis invites everyone to attend.

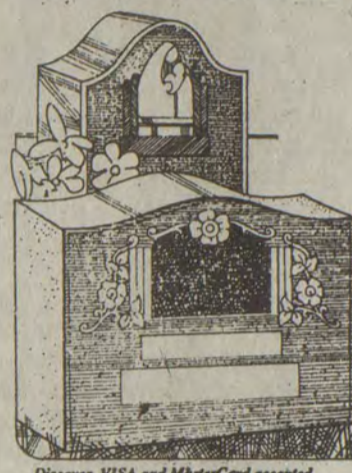
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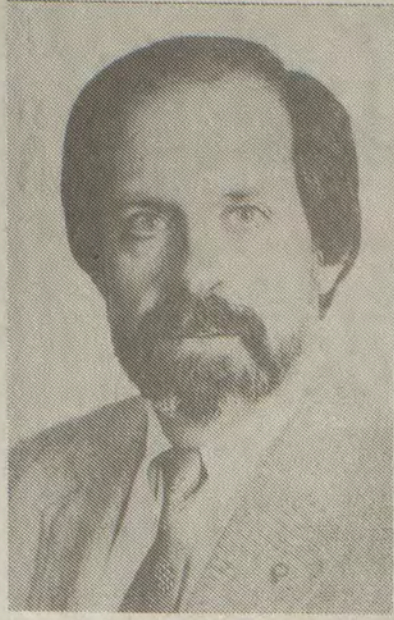
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Slone promoted regional manager



Ron Slone

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The Ira A. Watson Company, a leading family clothing retailer established in 1907, is headquartered in Knoxville, Tennessee. In addition to their corporate headquarters in Knoxville, Watson's has 25 retail establishments located throughout the Southeastern United States. Watson's is a brand conscious, yet cost conscious, retail store which takes advantage of buy-outs and special purchases as part of their retail mix to achieve the goal of having low to intermediate priced brand merchandise. Slone said, "our corporate philosophy is Family Fashions at Great Prices."

Slone has outlined an aggressive regional management plan for achieving personal and corporate goals. His plans include personally consulting individuals on his management team, as well as group consulting efforts using the expertise of managers throughout his region.

Slone expressed his management philosophy, "For Watson's to grow and be a vital part of each community we serve, we must be progressive in our ideas, keeping our finger on the pulse of retail needs for mid-stream Americans within our territory. With

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NOTICE OF INTENDED PASSAGE AND SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE #92-001

Notice is hereby given that the Fiscal Court of Floyd County, Kentucky, at a meeting held at 10:00 a.m., E.S.T., on August 21, 1992, at the regular meeting place of the Fiscal Court at the Courthouse Annex in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, considered and gave first reading to Ordinance #92-001 relating to the execution of an Interlocal Cooperation Agreement with the City of Prestonsburg, the creation of the Prestonsburg-Floyd County Public Properties Corporation, and the creation of The Mountain Entertainment Commission; and such Ordinance will be given its second reading, and will be considered for final passage and enactment, at 10:00 a.m., E.S.T., on September 18, 1992, at the regular meeting for September 1992, of the Floyd County Fiscal Court at the Courthouse Annex, Prestonsburg, Kentucky.

The Ordinance authorizes the execution of an Interlocal Cooperation Agreement with the City of Prestonsburg for the purpose of establishing The Mountain Entertainment Commission to operate facilities in Floyd County and the creation of Prestonsburg-Floyd County Public Properties Corporation to issue and sell its revenue bonds, the proceeds of which will be applied to pay the costs of the acquisition, construction and equipping of such facilities and related parking areas.

The full text of the Ordinance is on file in the office of the undersigned Fiscal Court Clerk in the Floyd County Courthouse in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, where it is available for inspection.

(Signed)
Carla R. Boyd,
Fiscal Court Clerk

today's competitive retail environment, it's imperative for the successful retailer to always be on the lookout for new, innovative presentations while preserving our customers need for value-driven purchases."

Slone stressed the importance of active participation by store managers in their community and the management process. "Communication is essential to our success. While our front-line personnel are closest to the customer, our corporate management is closest to changes in the industry. Store managers are "Watson's" to our customers. As such they need to show an interest and involvement in the community they represent and relate what they learn to our corporate office. I see my position as the one to facilitate that flow of communication from store managers to corporate and back to the stores. In this way we will achieve our goal of offering the best combination of goods and services to meet our customer needs."

Slone attended Morehead State University and graduated from Pikeville College in 1969. He holds a bachelors degree in Business Administration. Employed with Watson's since 1966, Slone has worked in management at Watson's locations in Oak Ridge, Tennessee, Glasgow, Kentucky, and Fairmont, West Virginia, as well as the two Pikeville locations. Additionally, Slone has been involved in corporate management as representative on the corporate steering committee, and representative to the National Retail Federation Customer Service Symposium.

Slone has three daughters Rebecca Hall, Amanda Tackett, and Rachel Slone all of Pikeville. He will continue to reside in Pikeville but will travel extensively due to his new position.



Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Neyman

Ousley-Neyman exchange vows

Chelsia Rhea Ousley of Lexington and Jonathan Neyman of Wilmore were united in marriage on June 20, at 6:30 p.m. at the Southland Christian Church in Lexington.

The bride is the daughter of Charles R. Ousley of Prestonsburg and Carolyn Stafford Ousley of Lexington. The maternal grandparents are Mary Lou Stafford of Lexington and the late Carl Stafford. The paternal grandparents are Shirley Ousley of Mountain Parkway, Prestonsburg, and the late Mae Stephenson Ousley.

The groom is the son of Lt. Col. and Mrs. James L. Neyman of Wilmore.

The bride is a graduate of Barretts

College of Hair Stylists and is employed by Mane Attraction at Lexington Green Mall.

The groom is attending Barretts College of Hair Stylists and is employed by C.R. Ousley Construction Company.

The couple now resides in Lexington.

Attending the ceremony from Prestonsburg were Randy and Joan Crum, Ronald Snodgrass, James C. and Elaine Ousley, Shannon Ousley, Kelly and Arlene Cecil, Kelly M. and Melissa Cecil, Jonathan C. Hale, Melissa Shepherd, and Leonard Stephenson Sr.

Custodians, cooks to meet at Allen

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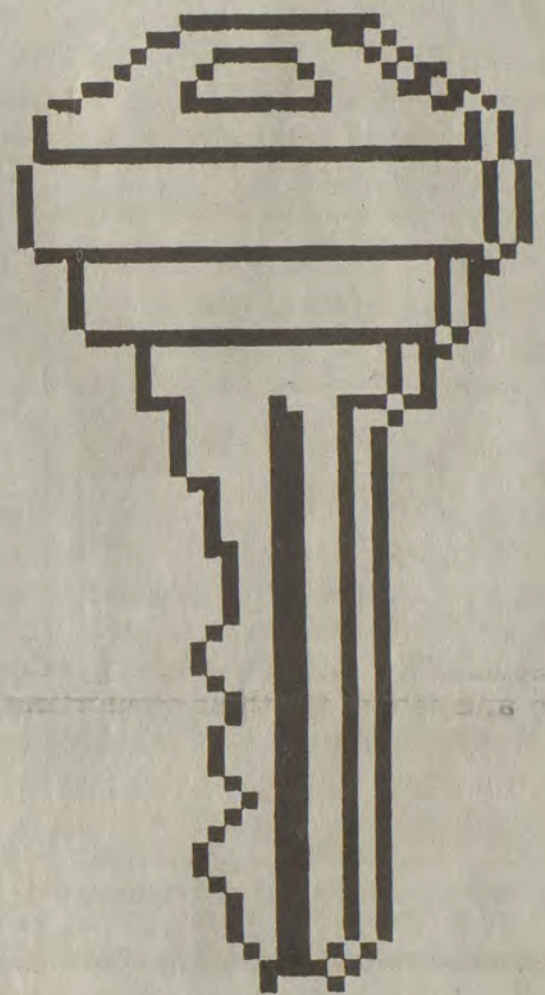
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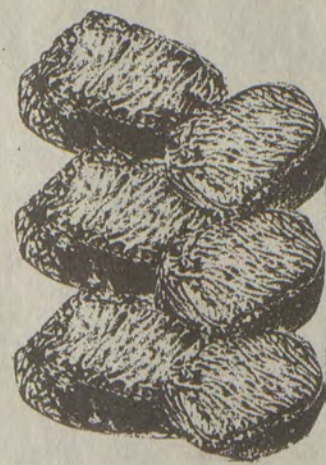
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**A
Look
At
Sports**
by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

THE CINCINNATI REDS ARE THROUGH!

A third place finish for the Cincinnati Reds was predictable in the light of the club's refusal to go out and make the right kind of trade that could have beefed up their pitching staff in the closing months of the season and the club's failure to make a deal that would have brought in someone who could bat the long ball.

The Reds will now go through the motions of acting the part of a major league ballclub when in reality they are not. Big league players play hurt! Big league players play with "guts!" Big league players play with some desire! The Cincinnati Reds do not.

Consider this:

- Barry Larkin - a solid major league baseball player and no doubt the best shortstop in the game today. Came off an injury and made the most of a somewhat dismal season.

- Bip Roberts - despite a terrible attitude still has had, so far, a good season. The transfer out of San Diego did the Bipsester good. A hard-nosed player who likes to win.

And now consider this:

- Hal Morris - Finally developing a big league attitude and thus the reason for the drop in average. Hopefully, Morris will change and have a solid final month. An adequate first baseman but there are better.

- Bill Doran - Had a good career, but it looks as if it is over. Will be relegated to utility status next season if the Reds can't trade him. He has a year left on a big contract.

- Chris Sabo - Definitely a major league ball player. After surgery in the off season, look for Sabo to come back stronger than ever next season. A keeper for the Reds.

- Glenn Braggs - He can't help it if someone told him he was major league material. He would fit in well in Nashville or Chattanooga but not in the biggies. Free agent this year. Let him go!

- Reggie Sanders - He has shown signs of being a major league player. But there again, no long ball consistency something the Reds need in the outfield. Good speed. Good glove. Deserves another look. Not ready to be dealt away yet.

- Paul O'Neil - No doubt the biggest disappointment the Reds have had this season. A major league player learns to hit lefthanders. O'Neil never will. Last year's 28 dingers brought him a million dollar contract and thus the plunging totals. Attitude is not the best. Good trade bait.

- Joe Oliver - I must admit I never have liked this one as a ball player but has come on to do an adequate job for the Reds. When you look at all the catchers in the NL, you won't find too many who are burning up the league.

- Tim Lincecum - In leaving the Dodgers he told the brass at LA that they would be sorry for making the trade. Famous last words. Belcher pitches with no heart. Probably will return for the Reds next season.

- Greg Swindell - I must admit I was wrong when the deal was made for Swindell. He has had a good season despite playing for a weak team. Shades of the Cleveland Indians (the team he came from) were visible with this year's Reds team. Should have had five other wins but his manager loves the bullpen too much. Free agent this winter. Reds must sign this one but I don't think they will. On to greener pastures for Greg. He has proven he can pitch. Maybe the Braves would like to have him!

- Jose Rijo - No doubt the strongest pitcher the Reds have. Again his manager took several wins away by going to the bullpen too much. A consistent pitcher but injury prone. A definite stay.

(See A Look At Sports, B 2)

Ratliff impressive...

Tucker shines as Blackcats roll past Whitesburg 42-18

It was "The Aaron Tucker Show" Friday night at the Prestonsburg football field as the Blackcats entertained district rival Whitesburg in their first district game of the '92 season.

All Tucker did was toss for 161 yards, scored two touchdowns, passed for two more to lead the Blackcats to a convincing 42-18 victory. Convincing in that this is a different Prestonsburg team that fell 23-19 at Whitesburg last season.

But Tucker was not without his supporting cast. Jason Crisp had his biggest game as a Blackcat as he hauled in two of Tucker's passes for touchdowns. Crisp had a 45-yard reception in the first quarter and grabbed a Thomas Ratliff toss for a 36-yard score.

But it doesn't stop there. Ratliff, a sophomore, gave indication that next year he was ready to step in as the Blackcats' regular quarterback. Ratliff was on the receiving end of a TD pass from Tucker in the first period.

But there is still more on this team that seems to just get better and better offensively. Newcomer Marcus Araujo nailed six extra points against Whitesburg and has not missed an extra point attempt this season. Penalties don't seem to bother the Brazilian native as he continues to split the uprights.

The backfield for the Blackcats was the usual threesome, although Tucker certainly added to the running game himself. Hard-nosed runner Dwayne Garza ran through the Yellowjackets' defense for 89-yards on eight carries. Jody Cornette rushed for 66-yards on five attempts. Seth Hyden carried the football four times for 37-yards. Tucker carried the football five times for 132-yards.

Crisp had three receptions for 86-yards. Ratliff caught two passes for 64-yards.

It didn't take the Blackcats long to light up the scoreboard as they elected to receive the football at the start of the game. With 11:41 left in the first period, Tucker galloped 61-yards for the touchdown and Araujo added his first extra point to give Prestonsburg a 7-0 lead.

Still in the second period, the Blackcats struck again when Tucker spotted Ratliff and connected with the tight end for a 60-yard touchdown pass. Araujo did what he does best and made it 14-0 at the 8:05 mark.

Prestonsburg added all the points they eventually would need as Tucker hit Crisp with a 36-yard pass in the end zone. The extra point by Araujo put the Blackcats ahead by three TD's, 21-0.

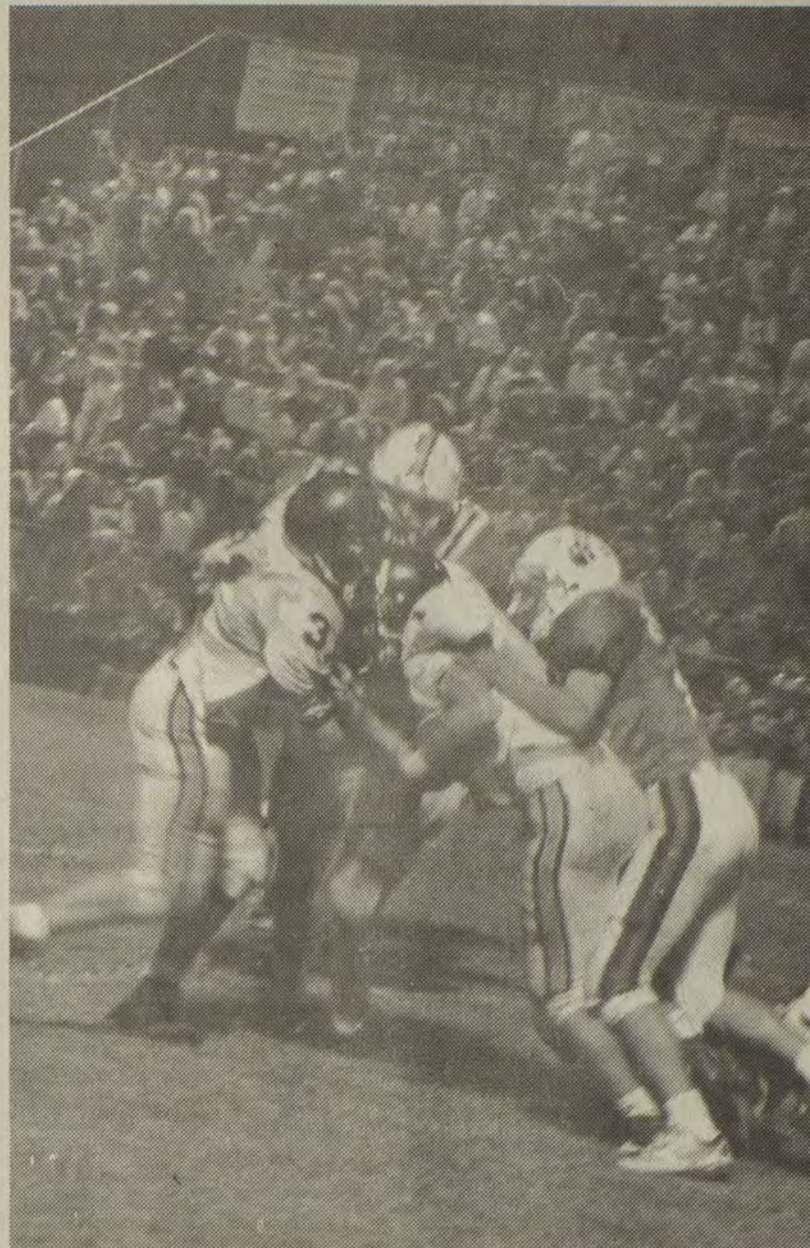
While the offense for the Blackcats was driving the Yellowjackets' defense wild, Prestonsburg's defense was giving up a lot of real estate to the Yellowjackets — especially through the air. But penalties hurt the local team more than anything else and two untimely turnovers led to the first Whitesburg score in the second period. Prestonsburg held Whitesburg on a third and seven play, only to fumble the punt with the Yellowjackets recovering.

Again Whitesburg moved the ball into Blackcat territory only to have to punt the ball away again. Hyden was the receiver upfield. He was hit quickly by the Yellowjackets rush and coughed up the football over to Whitesburg in Prestonsburg territory. Whitesburg scored three plays later when quarterback Jason Rose hit Chad Holbrook with a 25-yard touchdown pass. The conversion run failed and it was a 21-6 ballgame.

With 1:58 left in the first half, it took Prestonsburg one play to make it a 28-6 game after Tucker ran 82 yards for a touchdown, and Araujo added the extra point.

Whitesburg had the ball at the 42 but Garza picked off a Rose pass to end the first half.

Whitesburg took the kickoff to start the second half and moved the (See Prestonsburg, B 3)



No where to go!

Jason Rose, Whitesburg quarterback, can find no running room as he is dragged down from behind by a Prestonsburg defender. Prestonsburg posted a 42-18 win over the Yellowjackets to open district play.

W'wright goes 3-0...

Oden, Adams score with five seconds left to send Trojans past Phelps, 16-14

If you ever wonder what is putting the gray hairs in Wheelwright football coach's Donnie Daniels' hair, just ask him about the last two football games his team has played in the

past two weeks.

If the double overtime win over Johns Creek was not enough, try the 16-14 thriller his team pulled out this past Friday night against Phelps at Phelps.

Wheelwright flirted on the 1-yard line twice, failing to push the ball across the goal line. However, third time was a charm with the Trojans as Muntu Oden plunged from the 2-yard line for a touchdown that tied the game at 14-14 with six seconds on the clock. Arnold Adams ran the two-point conversion and scored on a sweep to the left to give Wheelwright a 16-14 advantage with only one-second showing on the scoreboard.

But the kickoff to Phelps with one second left was an adventure and a scary one at that. The ball ended up in the hands of Phelps quarterback Danny Kidd. The horn sounded but the play continued and it was a race from one side of the field to the other with some anxious moments for Trojan fans. Kidd was finally brought down but a flag had been thrown adding some more anxious moments. But the flag went against Phelps and the game ended.

The winning touchdown drive was set up by the Wheelwright defense when the Trojans recovered a fumble by Kidd on a third and 18 play.

With 3:09 remaining in the game and the ball resting in Trojan territory, Wheelwright quarterback Steven Shelton ran the Trojan offense to perfection in moving the ball to the 1-yard line with just 10 seconds left in the game. On a third-and-goal Matt

Johnson was thrown for a 1-yard loss bringing up a fourth down play with just six seconds. The Trojans had failed on two previous possessions on the Hornets one, but from the two, Oden carried on a sweep and plunged the upper part of his body and the (See Trojans, B 5)

Thieves break into Trojans' locker room

The Wheelwright Trojan football team may have defeated the Phelps Hornets last Friday night but they did depart the premises as losers — losers of their clothes, shoes and other valuables.

Somewhere between the start of the second half and the end of the game, thieves walked into the unlocked locker room and helped themselves to some of the Wheelwright players shoes and clothes. Also missing was a Walkman and a watch.

"When we arrived at Phelps we asked for a key to the locker room so we could lock it back," explained Wheelwright coach Donnie Daniels. "They told us they would take care of it for us."

Daniels said that the incident was reported to the Phelps principal and nothing has come of the investigation yet. It is unclear whether the items taken were covered by any insurance.



Scampers 85-yards

Wheelwright's Muntu Oden broke tackle, ran 85-yards for a first quarter touchdown and later scored the winning touchdown in the final 10 seconds of the game to give Wheelwright a 16-14 win over Phelps Friday night. Oden had 237-yards rushing. (photo by Ed Taylor)

SPORTS BRIEFS

ROBERTS CAPTURES GINGERBREAD 5K

Rick Roberts, Van Lear, repeated as champion of the Geringbread Festival 5K run with a time of 16:58 breaking the 17:00 mark for the first time this year. Roberts beat out Shane Stanley of Corbin who ran a 17:05.

"Randal Watts was on my left shoulder during the whole race and I had to kick it in to win down the stretch," said Roberts.

Roberts was one of 77 runners who took part in the race. Roberts will be running in the Jenkins Kiwanis run next, where he is also the defending champion, just before heading out to Texas and New Mexico.

HUNTER EDUCATION CLASS

There will be a Hunter's Educa-

tion Class held at the Paintsville Elementary School from September 24-26 from 6 p.m. until 9 p.m. The course is opened to anyone who wishes to attend. For more information on the classes, contact Mike Daniels at 886-3212 or Wayne Lyon at 297-4873.

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Our Lady of Bellefonte Hospital's sports medicine program SPOR-TONE, is sponsoring a 5K run during the 27th annual Greenup County Old Fashioned Days in downtown Greenup. Registration begins at 5:30 p.m., and the race will start at 6:30 p.m. in front of the Greenup County Courthouse. Pre-registration is \$8 before October 1; after October 1, the

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For more information, contact Mike Bagnoli at 833-3517.

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The schedule includes: LSU at Auburn, September 19; Purdue at Notre Dame, September 26; Stanford at Notre Dame, October 3; Ar-

kansas at Tennessee, October 10; Mississippi State at South Carolina, October 17; Ole Miss at Alabama, October 24; Arkansas at Mississippi State, November 7; Penn State at Notre Dame, November 14; Florida at Vanderbilt, November 21; Tennessee at Vanderbilt, November 28.

SWINDELL TO SHOP AROUND THIS WINTER

Cincinnati Reds ace, Greg Swindell, will see who might be the highest bidder for his services next spring as he has decided to test the free agent market.

Swindell, who came to the Reds from the Cleveland Indians last winter for Scott Scudder and Jack Arm-

(See Sports Briefs, B 9)

Ken's Sport Shop heads for Nationals

Ken's Sport Shop, a local men's softball team, took third place in the recent Midwest Regionals last weekend and will be heading to the National Championships in Montgomery, Alabama on September 24-27. Ken's Sport Shop took part in the nationals two years ago and is the only team to represent this region in the nationals.

Ken's lost to the R.I. Reds out of Louisville 15-9 in their last game. They fell to Websters from Illinois in their first game of the tournament dropping them to the lower bracket. Ken's then reeled off five consecutive wins defeating J & K, out of West Liberty, 10-9; Paris Lumber, 14-12; MVP from Louisville, 10-1; Dudley's, Indiana's best, and posting a 13-1 win over Webster's before falling to the R.I. Reds.

The Midwest tournament was played at the Country Club Hills' diamonds in Chicago, Illinois and, according to coach Kenny Conley, the fields were lacking.

"They were the worst diamonds to play on," said the Sport Shop coach. "You would sink in the sand they had on the field. In Montgomery, they are supposed to have the best fields in the nation."

Greg Shepherd connected for six home runs in the tournament. The defensive play of Jimmy Blakenship stood out also.

"Jimmy played one of the best defensive tournaments that he has played," stated Conley. "Tim (Rice) pitched some good games for us also. He did get a balk call on him in one game. A balk call in softball! Scott (Cornette) made the trip with us and he played real well as did Ronnie Little." Little had three home runs in the tournament for Ken's.

The local team is currently raising (See Ken's Sport Shop, B 7)

A Look At Sports

(Continued from B 1)

• Tom Browning - A consistent winner for the Reds in years past (average 14 per season) until an injury put him out for the season. The question is can Browning regain his form and will the Reds try to deal him away this season with some promising youngsters on the horizon!

• Chris Hammond - Still a good prospect. Tires early and is effective for a good five to six innings. He will be back although this is the same ballclub that gave up early on some other good arms and made wrong trades.

• Rob Dibble - Not a team player. Too much jealousy over other players. Likes the limelight and hates Cincinnati. Was ineffective this season out of the bullpen but did stay off the suspension list this season. He'll play one more year with the Reds.

• Norm Charlton - No talent, just luck for this one. Lost some big games for the Reds down the stretch. However, with a new manager Charlton could be better.

• Scott Bankhead - Free agent. Won nine early but has struggled the final two months. The Reds have some good young arms and Bankhead is expendable.

• John Wetteland - Should have kept him!

• Dave Martinez - No hitter. Maybe the Cubs would like to have him again.

• Jeff Branson - Good hitter. Just needs a chance to play every day.

• Darnell Cole - Reds fortunate to have him!

NEXT YEAR'S NEEDS

A power hitter who can hammer 30-35 home runs and drive in 100 or more RBIs. Sabo will be back stronger and another hitter of this caliber will give the Reds the power-producing players they didn't have this year to hit behind Roberts and Larkin.

A consistent fourth starter. If Swindell leaves, as many expect he will, the Reds may have to give up some front line players for another starter. However, the Reds may be forced to dip into the free agent market this season and there will be an abundance of talent available.

A general manager who knows how to deal and build a team. There are not many Bob Howsam's out there.

Lou Piniella must go if the Reds are to contend next year. Rumor has it that Tony Perez or even Ron Oester has a shot at being the new skipper of the Reds next season. Who knows what Marge will do? But here's hoping that Lou goes back to New York.

There still remains three weeks left in the 1992 season and it would be a good time for the Reds' brass to take a look at what they have and what is worth keeping. I look for a lot of trading activity this winter in baseball. I just hope the Reds can get involved in it and come up with some answers to some puzzling questions they have.

Until Friday, good sports everyone and be good sports!

National Hunting and fishing day

The theme for the 21st annual observance of National Hunting and Fishing Day on Saturday, September 26, signals a major shift in focus for this highly successful event.

Established in 1971 by a Congressional Resolution, National Hunting and Fishing Day has honored sportsmen for their historic and continuing contributions to wildlife conservation through purchases of licenses and various sports equipment, as well as direct donations through conservation clubs and organizations.

The theme for 1992 is "Even Old Traditions Need New Beginnings...START TOMORROW'S SPORTSMEN TODAY," which encourages hunters and anglers to get involved with youngsters to introduce the nation's youth to outdoor and wildlife-related experiences. Today's more urban society creates a great need for many youth, and adults, to be made aware of issues and opportunities associated with wildlife and its conservation.

Morgan County scores early, beats Betsy Layne 19-6

by Chuck Rowe
Contributing Writer

It may not have turned out to be the best area football game of the week as first thought but it saw two teams that got excited about any kind of offense that they could manage as the Betsy Layne Bobcats hosted winless Morgan County Friday night at the Lloyd Hamilton Athletic Complex. And the win was important: the Bobcats and the Cougars had yet to win a game — or even score a point in their first two games.

After Morgan County received the opening kickoff, a snap from center was bobbled, fumbled and bounced right into the hands of a Betsy Layne player. The Bobcats went four plays and out picking up only five yards. After a Bobcat punt, the scoreless drought of the Morgan County Cougars came to an end. On the fifth play of the drive and, with 5:33 left in the first quarter, Brian Bradley sprinted 31 yards for a score to make it 6-0. Chris Ballinger's kick was good to make it 7-0.

Betsy Layne was driving after the scoring drive of the Cougars, until Clyde Bush was hit. The ball popped loose and Morgan County recovered it on their own 41 yard line. This set up another Morgan County scoring drive and, on the third play of the drive, Raymond Wright scampered 38 yards with 1:51 left in the first quarter for another Morgan County score.

The kick was no good and the score at the end of one was 13-0.

In the second quarter, the Cougar defense tightened up to hold Betsy Layne when they attempted a fourth-and-two. Setting up the third and final Cougar scoring drive. Chuckie Sowards ran it in from 29-yards out with 6:22 left in the first half. Morgan County tried a two-point conversion but failed as Betsy Layne's defense tightened up to keep it at 19-0.

The Bobcats offense then got three consecutive first downs on runs of 10 yards and 11 yards and a pass inter-

ference call, only to be stopped on their next three downs, forcing a punt. But the reception of the punt was juggled and dropped and Betsy Layne recovered it on their own 26-yard line.

On the next play, Bryan Combs threw a 26-yard touchdown pass to Gary Arnold for Betsy Layne's first score of the game and for the year with 1:22 left in the first half. The try for conversion was unsuccessful and the halftime score was 19-6. This was the final score as the second half was a defensive battle and no points were put on the board. Betsy Layne had a couple of costly penalties which

moved the Bobcats out of the game. On a good defensive series, late in the fourth quarter, a Betsy Layne player got called for a late hit on Morgan County's quarterback which put the game out of reach for the Bobcats.

"We just took advantage of some of the mistakes they made," Coach Herdman of Morgan County said. "We have a lot of good players with good attitudes. We are going to get better."

"We just got started late. After the second half it was 0-0," Coach John Derossett of Betsy Layne said. "We just didn't control the line and had a

couple of second half penalties that really set us back."

Adam Roberts of Betsy Layne rushed for 59 yards on 14 carries. Doug Hammond rushed 13 times for only 49 yards after a 121-yard performance at Phelps last week. For Morgan County, Vaughn Hunley was the leading rusher of the game with 17 carries for 81 yards. Jody Castle tossed in 78 yards on 12 carries. Morgan County had 115 yards in the first quarter and ended up with 265 yards. Betsy Layne totaled just 135 yards as Morgan County held them to -15 yards in the fourth quarter.

Betsy Layne drops to 0-3 and will have a week off before entertaining Prestonsburg. Morgan County improves to 1-2.

FLOYD COUNTY FOOTBALL STANDINGS AND STATS

| TEAM | OVERALL | DISTRICT |
|---------------|---------|----------|
| PRESTONSBURG | 3-0 | 1-0 |
| WHEELWRIGHT | 3-0 | 2-0 |
| ALLEN CENTRAL | 0-3 | 0-3 |
| BETSY LAYNE | 0-3 | N/C |

LAST WEEKEND SCORES
Prestonsburg 42 Whitesburg 18
Wheelwright 16 Phelps 14
Morgan County 19 Betsy Layne 6
Pikeville 61 Allen Central 8

FLOYD COUNTY SCORING LEADERS

| Player | School | TD | Conv/XP/FG | TP |
|-----------------|----------|----|------------|----|
| Arnold Adams | W'Wright | 3 | 5-0-0 | 28 |
| Seth Hyden | P'burg | 3 | 1-0-0 | 20 |
| Dwayne Garza | P'burg | 3 | 0-0-0 | 18 |
| Aaron Tucker | P'burg | 3 | 0-0-0 | 18 |
| Muntu Oden | W'Wright | 3 | 0-0-0 | 18 |
| David Gilliam | ACHS | 2 | 2-0-0 | 14 |
| Jason Crisp | P'burg | 2 | 0-0-0 | 12 |
| Marcus Araujo | P'burg | 0 | 0-11-0 | 11 |
| Jody Cornette | P'burg | 1 | 0-0-0 | 6 |
| Brad Blackburn | ACHS | 1 | 0-0-0 | 6 |
| Charles Johnson | W'Wright | 1 | 0-0-0 | 6 |
| Steven Shelton | W'Wright | 1 | 0-0-0 | 6 |
| Thomas Ratliff | P'burg | 1 | 0-0-0 | 6 |
| Gary Arnold | B' Layne | 1 | 0-0-0 | 6 |
| Cruise Caudill | W'Wright | 0 | 1-0-0 | 2 |
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Rebels drop 13th straight game in 61-8 loss to Pikeville

The Pikeville Panthers scored 49 points in the first half en route to a 61-8 defeat of the Allen Central Rebels Friday night at the W.C. Hambley Athletic Complex in Pikeville.

The loss was the 13th straight defeat for the Rebels going back to last year when they lost all 10 games that they played. The loss dropped the Rebels to 0-3 on the season and all three losses were district games.

Allen Central did not score until the final 42 seconds of the game when Dave Gilliam plunged across the goal line from 1 yard out. Kevin Patton ran the conversion play for the

eight points. The drive took four plays and covered 41 yards. Patton carried the ball on three consecutive tries as he ran to the 18, 13 and one before Gilliam scored.

Pikeville put 22 points on the scoreboard in the first period as John May ran into the end zone from 3 yards out very early in the game. J.J. Joplin ran the ball in for the two-point conversion. Panther quarterback J.P. Blair added the second TD with a 5-yard run with 8:55 left in the first quarter and Nathan Elswick ran the ball in for the conversion to make it a

16-0 game. The third touchdown of the quarter came on a 35-yard scoring pass from Blair to Joplin. Pikeville led 22-0.

The second quarter was no better for the young and inexperienced Rebels as Pikeville dominated the period by scoring 27 points. Joplin scored on a 35-yard run and Blair connected with Tony Newsome for the conversion score. Elswick's 12-yard run made it a 36-0 game. Pikeville scored two more times before the half ended.

Allen Central ran 49 plays to

Pikeville's 26. The Rebels totaled 177 yards to the Panthers' 352. Pikeville picked up nine first downs while Allen Central had 13.

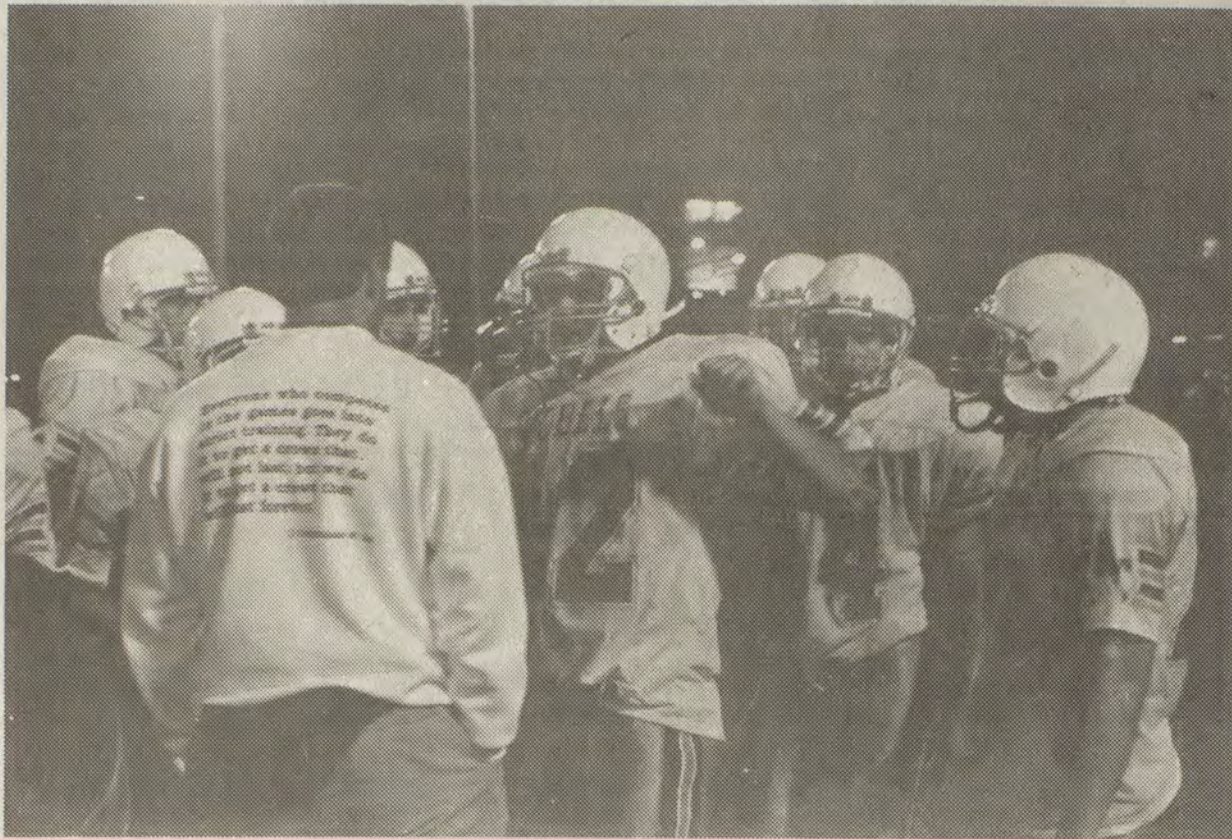
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Patton was the leading rusher for the Rebels with 84 yards on 21 carries. Gilliam rushed for 73 yards on 17 carries. Elswick led Pikeville with 42 yards on four carries.

Allen Central ran the ball 44 times for 172 yards on the ground with Pikeville gaining 188 on 19 carries. Passing, Brad Blackburn had one completion for 5 yards while J.P. Blair completed seven of eight passes for 164 yards.

Allen Central fumbled the football five times losing it three. Pikeville lost the ball on one fumble. The Rebels were flagged three times for 30 yards in penalties while Pikeville saw 10 flags for 100 yards.

Allen Central (0-3) will host Johns Creek this Friday night in week four of high school football.



Conference time!

Allen Central coach Dewey Jamerson and quarterback Brad Blackburn conversed during a time out at Pikeville Friday night. Allen Central found the visit to Pikeville rough as they fell hard to the Panthers 61-8. (photo by Susan Conn)

Prestonsburg

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ball to the Prestonsburg 19 where the drive stalled out as the defensive play of Todd Clark, Larry Morris and Kyle Fitzpatrick took charge. Clark led the defense with nine solo hits. Ryan Elliott had a good game on the offensive line.

"I thought we played well," said Coach Letton. "I thought our defense played well. We did put them in a bad position because of some penalties and turnovers deep. The penalties and turnovers were keys to their scoring."

Whitesburg did score, however, when they got good field position with 5:16 left at the Prestonsburg 27-yard line. Rose struck pay dirt from 5 yards out to make it a 28-12 game.

Behind the running of Hyden and Garza, it didn't take Prestonsburg long to get the six points back as Garza ran into the end zone from 42 yards out and Araujo added his fourth extra point for a 35-12 score with 1:04 left in the third period.

Whitesburg scored their final touchdown in the final period on an 8-yard run by Shane Campbell with 6:18 left in the game.

Prestonsburg coach Bill Letton inserted into the game some of his

promising sophomores to play the final six minutes of the contest and they responded with a touchdown for a 42-18 game. Robbie Risner and Blake Leslie carried the ball on the series of downs and Ratliff, at quarterback, drilled a touchdown pass to Crisp from 36 yards out and Araujo made it six straight in extra points.

Tucker was four of seven in the passing department and Ratliff was one of one. Tucker was sacked once for a minus 4 yards.

Prestonsburg had a total possession time of 23:02 and Whitesburg controlled the football 24:58. Each team had nine first downs. Prestonsburg was penalized for 96 yards and Whitesburg was flagged for 75 yards.

Whitesburg rushed for 98 yards on 20 carries and totalled 108 yards through the air on five of 24 attempts. Holbrook had two receptions for 42 yards and Harvey had 30 yards on two catches. Rose was intercepted once.

Prestonsburg (3-0) goes to 1-0 in district play and will go head-to-head against powerhouse 3A Belfry this Friday night at Belfry.

Whitesburg-Prestonsburg stats

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| W'Burg | 0 6 6 6 - 18 |
| P'Burg | 14 14 7 7 - 42 |

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| | W'Burg | P'Burg |
| First Downs | 9 | 9 |
| Rushes-Yrds | 29-100 | 27-326 |
| Passing Yards | 108 | 161 |
| Comp-att | 8-24 | 5-10 |
| Sacked-yards-lost | 0 | 1-4 |
| Fumbles-lost | 0 | 1 |
| Penalties | 75 | 96 |

Scoring

First Quarter
P - Tucker, 41 run (Araujo kick)
P - Ratliff, 60 pass from Tucker (Araujo kick)
Second Quarter
P - Crisp, 36 pass from Tucker (Araujo kick)
W - Holbrook, 25 pass from Rose (run failed)
P - Tucker, 82 run (Araujo kick)
Third Quarter
W - Rose, 5 run (run failed)
P - Garza, 41 run (Araujo kick)
Fourth Quarter
W - Campbell, 8 run (run failed)
P - Crisp, 45 pass from Ratliff (Araujo kick)

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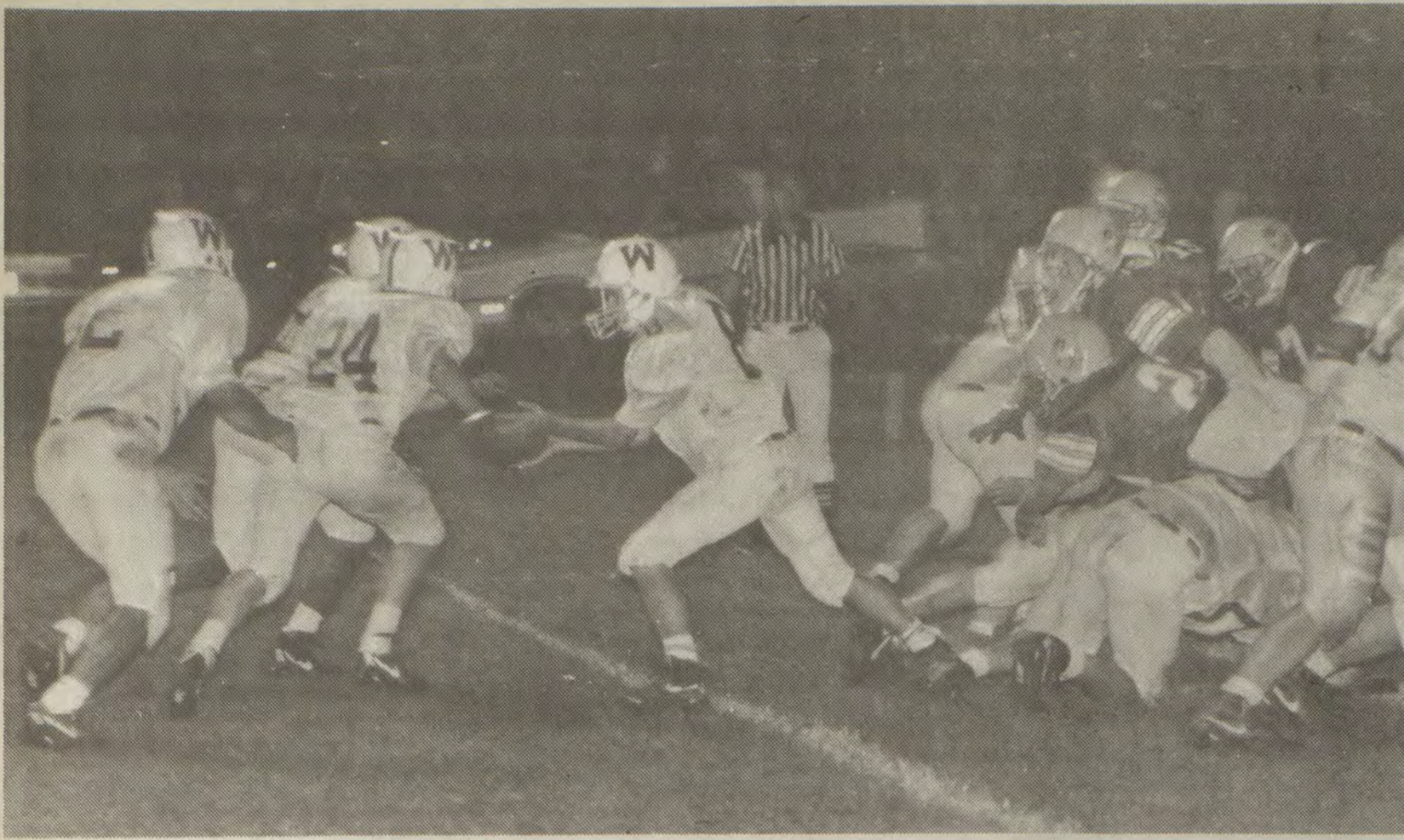
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Plenty of running room!

Wheelwright quarterback Steven Shelton handed off to Arnold Adams (32) as Matt Johnson (24) lead the blocking. The Trojans went to 3-0 overall and improved to 2-0 in the district with a 16-14 win over the Hornets. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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Don't overlook crankbaits for shallow water bass

In recent years, the bass pros have discovered an entirely new use for crankbaits: fishing shallow water.

Normally, crankbaits have been used to probe deeper depths, while spinnerbaits have been the lure of choice for shallow, brush-filled shorelines.

"Not any more," says David Wharton, a former guide on Lake Sam Rayburn in Texas and a member of the Johnson Outboards Pro Staff. "We fish crankbaits right along the bank now, and we catch a lot of bass with them."

The reason, says Wharton, is because bass seem to recognize spinnerbaits and stop hitting them. Crankbaits offer a new alternative.

"I have followed anglers who were fishing spinnerbaits down a shoreline and not getting any strikes," says Wharton, "but I was catching all the bass I wanted with a crankbait. The bass just had not seen that many crankbaits up in the shallow water."

Crankbaits can be worked through

brush without snagging, explains the Johnson pro, if care is taken during the retrieve. The lures will usually float over limbs and other obstacles if the retrieve is stopped when contact is first made.

"It also helps to use a crankbait with a long bill made for deep diving," continues Wharton, "because the bill helps deflect the lure."

"The best part is that many strikes come right after the lure does bounce off a limb, too."

Another advantage crankbaits offer, says Wharton, is that they work the slightly deeper water away from the shoreline. Spinnerbaits remain near the surface during the entire retrieve, but a crankbait continues to dive all the way back to the boat, exploring water and cover that spinnerbaits seldom touch.

"It takes a lot of nerve to cast a crankbait into brush," says Wharton, "and you have to realize you will snag on some casts, but overall, crankbaits are excellent choices for

fishing shallow water."

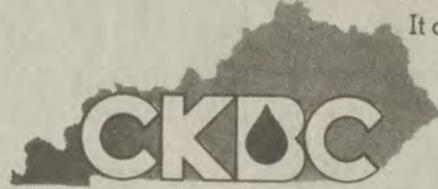
Crankbaits can also be used very successfully in shallow current, Wharton explains, particularly if a fast retrieve is used. If you're floating down a stream and the current is steady, try fishing a shallow diving crankbait right along the bank, retrieving it as fast as possible.

"Bass must think the lure is a baitfish trying to escape," he says, "because they really come out to hit it. Sometimes you can catch some surprisingly big bass that way, too."

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Trojans

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football into the end zone.

"We have to give the offense credit for this win tonight," said Trojan assistant coach Robert "Bobcat" Jackson. "Our defense just wasn't there tonight and it was the offense that won this one."

Jackson did point out that he saw an improvement in the defense toward the end of the first half.

"They got a wake up call," said Jackson. "Our secondary really pulled us through in the second half."

Jackson stated that the Trojan team was a hard working group and that they "were playing for pride and respect."

Wheelwright threatened on their first possession of the game when they marched 52 yards to the Hornets' 1-yard line in the first quarter. A 16-yard pickup by Adams and Oden's 14-yard jaunt, the Trojans were knocking on the door. However, on a fourth and goal play, Shelton was sacked by the Hornet's defense and Phelps took possession of the football.

On a second-and-ten play, Kidd connected with wide receiver Steve Smith for a 51-yard completion. Four plays later, Kidd ran 12-yards for the touchdown and a 6-0 Phelps lead. The conversion play failed.

Wheelwright did not waste any time catching the Hornets as Oden took a handoff from Shelton and, on a sweep to the left, galloped 73-yards for the touchdown. Adams added the conversion two points and Wheelwright owned a 8-6 lead with 4:18

left in the initial period.

The Trojans' defense continued to struggle in the early going of the second quarter as the Phelps offensive line was opening up all sorts of holes in the Trojans defense. Phelps, who had taken the football on their own 28 before the first quarter ended, marched 72 yards for the touchdown as Bo Wohlford scored from 1 yard out and Kidd passed for the conversion and a 14-6 Phelps' lead.

After the kickoff to the Trojans, Adams fumbled the football on the first play from scrimmage with Dotson recovering for Phelps. The Hornets were moving downfield when Rodney Jackson picked off a Kidd pass with 6:29 left in the second period. The half ended with the Hornets holding their 14-8 lead.

In the third period, Wheelwright had possession of the football twice and fumbled the ball away both times as Phelps controlled the football most of the period. But it was the Trojan defense that kept the game close as each team failed to score in the quarter.

On a second-and-seven play to start the fourth quarter, Patrick Tackett intercepted a Kidd pass and the Trojans took control.

Wheelwright marched to the Phelps' 1-yard line for a first and goal opportunity. Shelton carried the football but was stopped by the Hornets' defense. A Trojan player became upset with the official's call and a penalty for unsportsman-like behavior was flagged against the Trojans that cost them 15-yards, moving the

ball back to the Phelps 16-yard line. The call upset Coach Daniels and he gave his team a tongue lashing for the act.

"Ed, you know my team," said the Wheelwright coach, "and we don't act that way. One thing I can promise you is that it won't happen again."

The penalty was a costly one for the Trojans as they failed to move the ball giving up possession.

Phelps took control and looked to run the clock out on Wheelwright until Kidd coughed up the ball with 3:09 left and the Trojans recovering.

"On the first series of plays that we had on the 1-yard line," said Daniels, "Phelps had a great goal line stand. They came up to the line and played hard."

Daniels said that the Trojans were not a one-man team and that someone different stands out each game. "We have 33 players and they pull together. This was a team effort here tonight. We have to have a team effort if we are to win."

After Wheelwright had tied the game with one-second remaining, did Daniels have thoughts of kicking the extra point?

"Keith (Smallwood) wanted me to," said the Wheelwright coach, "but my holder (Justin Ray) was sidelined with an injury and we had no one to hold the ball for Teeter (Shelton). We decided to take a chance with getting the two and let the chips fall."

"We were tight coming out tonight," said Smallwood, an assistant at Wheelwright. "I think we were trying too hard to start with. We wasn't

tackling the runners."

Smallwood had praise for the Wheelwright fans who tracked the team to Phelps. "It was good to look out the school bus window and see a caravan of cars following the team bus," said Smallwood. "It sort of reminded you of the movie 'Hoosiers.'"

Wheelwright's total offense came on the ground when they rushed for 376 yards on 47 carries. Shelton

passed the football twice without an interception.

Oden carried the football 17 times in rushing for 237 yards. Johnson, who had been out, carried 11 times for 63 yards and Adams finished with 81 yards on 15 carries.

On the defense of the ball, Steven Bates had 10 first-time hits and he also had three assists. Cruise Caudill came up with eight solo tackles and four assists. He also recovered a fumble. Adams finished with five hits and four assists. Rodney Jackson continued to play hard-nosed defense for the Trojans with five solo hits and four assists. Jackson had one inter-

ception and he recovered one fumble. The Trojans were penalized 30 yards on four flags. They fumbled the football three times losing it each time. Phelps totaled 235 yards on the ground on 53 carries. Kidd was five of eight in the passing department for 70 yards. Kidd had two passes intercepted. The Hornets were assessed 15 yards in penalties on three violations. They lost the ball on one fumble. Wheelwright (3-0) goes to 2-0 in district play and will face the Pikeville Panthers this coming Friday night. Phelps falls to 1-2 and 0-1 in the district.

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Wheelwright at Phelps stats

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| W Wright | 8 0 0 8 - 16 |
| Phelps | 6 8 0 0 - 14 |

SCORING
First Quarter

- P - Kidd, 12 run, (conversion failed)
 - W - Oden 73 run, (Adams' run)
- Second Quarter
- P - Wohlford, 1 run (conversion good)
- Fourth Quarter
- W - Oden, 2 run (Adams' conversion)

| | W Wright | Phelps |
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| First downs | 12 | 15 |
| Rushes-yds | 47-376 | 53-235 |
| Passing yards | 0 | 70 |
| Comp-Att | 0-2 | 5-8 |
| Fumbles-lost | 3-3 | 1-1 |
| Penalties | 4-30 | 3-15 |



Following the blocking!

Wheelwright's Arnold Adams followed the blocking of his offensive line as he headed upfield for the Trojans. Adams rushed for 81-yards and scored the two points in the final 10 seconds that gave Wheelwright a 16-14 win over Phelps Friday night. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Water clarity tells where bass will be

WATER CLARITY TELLS WHERE BASS WILL BE

Anglers always want to know how deep bass are located, but few understand what determines that depth.

Actually, just looking at the water itself — specifically, its clarity — can tell an angler much about where bass will be.

"Basically, the muddier the water, the more shallow the bass will be, and the clearer the water, the deeper the bass will be," explains Evinrude Outboards Pro Staff angler Mickey Bruce of Georgia.

"Bass don't like to be deep in muddy water, and you very seldom find them shallow in clear water. If a clear lake suddenly muddies overnight, the bass will be in shallow water the next morning."

Bruce should know. He learned bass fishing in the ultra-clear waters of Lake Lanier where the bass are often found at depths deeper than 40 feet. In the dingy water of the Chattahoochee River that feeds Lanier, however, the bass are rarely deeper than 10 feet.

"The reason fishermen usually head up a lake, especially in the summer months, is to find off-colored water where the bass will be more shallow," continues the Evinrude pro. "Because bass are shallow, you can use fast-moving lures like spinnerbaits or crankbaits, and cover the water quicker."

Determining the actual depth bass will be using is as easy as dropping a white spinnerbait in the water and watching it disappear, says Bruce. Bass will be at or near the depth at which the lure does disappear.

"If the spinnerbait disappears at 10 feet, that means light penetration actually ends at about 20 feet, since the light goes down 10 feet and is reflected back up again. You can fish between 10 and 20 feet and be in the right depth zone."

What if you're fishing a clear lake where you can see the bottom in 30 feet? Does that mean the bass will be between 30 and 60 feet deep?

"Yes, it can," says Bruce, "which is another reason fishermen look for dingy water. "Fishing for bass at those

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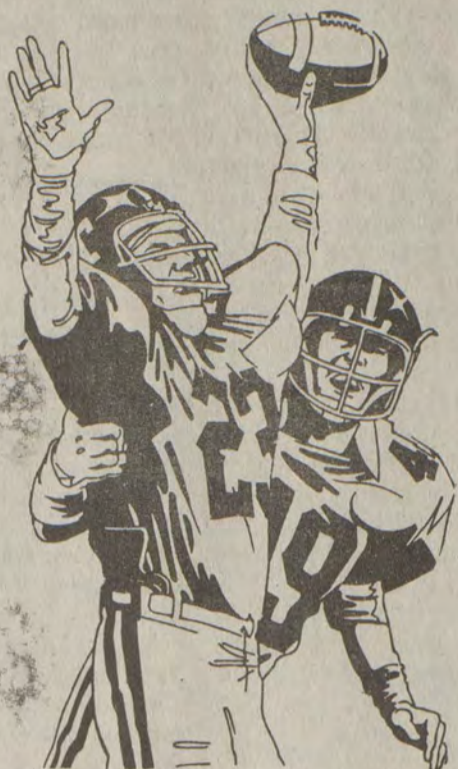


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State Runners-up!

The Top Gun women's softball team placed second in the state and fifth in the Mid West Regional last weekend. The team was invited to take part in the National Championship in Eugene, Oregon, but declined the invitation because of the expenses. Team members are: front row, Denise Justice, Jamie Clay, Tracy Burke, Gwen Anderson, Loretta Tackett. Back row, Michelle Tackett, Bridgette Clay, April Stevens, Michelle Justice, Tammy Tackett, Carolyn Reiffitt, D.C. Frazier. Not pictured, Danny Tackett and Tony Conn, coaches.

Top Guns place second in state; fifth in Midwest Regionals

The Top Guns women's softball team has had a very successful year with some important accomplishments in 1992. The most recent accomplishment was a fifth place finish in the Midwest Regionals that earned the local team an invitation to the Grand National's in Eugene, Oregon, this month. However, the lack of funds will prevent the team from making the trip west.

The Top Guns team finished the season with a 13-2 record in the Archer Park softball league, good for second place. Their only two losses was at the hands of first place Brew Crew. However, the Top Guns did post one win over the league champions.

After the regular season, the Top Guns squad took part in the regional softball tournament at Elkhorn City where they placed fourth. The team never had a sponsor all year, making tournament trips on donations that business places would give.

After the regional meet, the Top Guns made the trip to Elizabethtown where they just missed being state

champions, finishing second out of 32 teams.

At the presentation of the trophies at the state tournament, the tournament director honored the local team for their accomplishments this season and for being the first team from Eastern Kentucky that had gone that far in state competition in several years. The team has been recognized as one of the top women's teams in Eastern Kentucky by other coaches and tournament directors.

It was a second place finish for the

Top Guns in the first annual Fireman's Women's Softball Tournament in Neon but the team took first place in the Warfield Park Tournament in Martin County. Their second tournament championship came at Jenkins when they won the third annual Midsummer Classic.

The team has never had a full-time sponsor as most teams have and has gone on the support of local businesses whom the team thanks for all the donations that were contributed to the team.

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money to make the trip to Montgomery and is asking business places for donations to support the team.

"We will be having a yard sale next to the Harold Elementary School this weekend," Conley commented. "Anyone who would like to donate items to be sold at the sale can drop them off here at the sport shop. We

would certainly appreciate all the help from anyone who wants to donate."

The team needs to raise \$1,200 to defer the expense of making the trip to the nationals and any business that would like to take part and sponsor the team may call Conley at 886-8384.

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Bo brought down!

Steven Bates (62) of Wheelwright helped in bringing down Bo Wohlford (15) for a loss of yardage Friday night at Phelps. Bates had nine solo hits and three assists to lead the Trojan defense. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Bassin' with the Pros

PROPPING YOUR BASS RIG RIGHT

For those fishermen who get carried away with horsepower ratings, it's important to remember what's on the business end of your motor. Even though it's out of sight, and out of mind most of the time, the performance of your rig is only as good as your prop.

Acceleration, top-speed, fuel economy, handling qualities, riding comfort and engine life all are affected by the selection of the right prop to match the needs of your favorite watersport and the operating characteristics of your boat and motor combination.

Stop by your local OMC dealer. Take a look at his display of props, and instant bewilderment can set in. What will it be? Chopper, cleaver, or high-rake prop? Aluminum or stainless? What diameter or pitch do you need?

"Choosing the right propeller is important for every boat owner, not just professional fishermen," says Guido Hibdon, winner of the 1988 Bass Masters Classic* and a member of the Johnson Outboards Pro Staff.

"With today's high-performance engines and boats, the right prop is a critical part of your overall performance package. On every new boat I rig, I literally spend hours working out the right propeller combination for it."

Every prop has a specific pitch, diameter, rake, contour and surface area design. Pitch is the distance, in inches, a prop should move your rig through the water in one complete revolution. Diameter is the width, in inches, of the water column described by the spinning blade tips.

Blade rake, the angle of the blade relative to the hub, can be from 15 to 20 degrees for general use props, and much higher for performance applications when used in conjunction with highmount motors. Likewise, prop contour and surface must match the fisherman's individual needs and

desired speeds.

Blades are usually kept as thin as possible, cutting down on the horsepower needed to spin them, and are designed to be run fully submerged. Others that are designed specifically for highmount engine applications and are to be run partially submerged, characteristically feature thicker blade edges and increased cupping, which holds the water on the prop longer.

Aluminum propellers are low in cost and weight, yet very capable of holding the prop's complicated shape. Strong and corrosion resistant, aluminum also eases repair. Most aluminum propellers are painted for added corrosion resistance.

All of OMC's aluminum props are designed to wear longer and perform better than many competitive brands. Some are "SpeedCupped™" for faster top end speeds, but all are engineered to give your rig the best possible performance and the lowest fuel consumption at an economical cost.

On the other hand, stainless propellers offer more strength and corrosion resistance than their aluminum counterparts. Stainless steel allows for thinner blade designs that are necessary for higher speed applications. Highly polished for less friction, they are also more resistant to nicks and bends that result from impacting underwater obstacles.

"For tournament bass fishing, we are not allowed to modify our engines to increase top speed," explains Hibdon, "but a new prop can easily add several miles per hour in top speed. That's another reason we spend so much time testing our boats to ensure we select the best propeller."

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"The OMC Shooter® is a propeller specifically designed for today's bass boats. You see a lot of the pros using it," continues Hibdon. "It's an innovative, four-blade stainless steel prop that provides quick hole shots and really smooth acceleration."

"Two of the four blades are always biting the water, which makes the OMC Shooter the best choice for the rough water conditions we encounter at several tournaments every year. With the OMC Shooter, we might lose a couple of miles per hour at the top end, but steering is easier and the boat handles better."

"The other prop choice among the bass pros is the OMC Raker® which is designed for top-speed," notes Hibdon. "This propeller's three high-raked blades are actually 'custom-cupped' to keep the boat up on its pad with the bow high."

"Many of the pros have both propellers on board. One is on the engine being used to meet current boating conditions, and the other is packed away in one of the boat's storage boxes ready to be used if the water conditions change."

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"Propellers are much more than simply blades spinning on an outboard," concludes Hibdon. "They deserve a lot of attention because they really determine how well the boat will perform."

"Everyone should spend time with their local OMC dealer to test different props to make certain he has the best propeller for his particular engine and boat combination."

EARLY GROUSE HUNTING ON KDFWR WMAS

Thirteen wildlife management areas (WMAs) owned or managed by the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources (KDFWR) will offer early grouse hunting opportunities beginning October 1.

These public wildlife areas are all located in the eastern third of the state where grouse populations currently exist. In counties where grouse hunting is permitted, the season will open November 24, along with a number of other small game seasons such as rabbit, quail and furbearer.

Hunters interested in taking advantage of early grouse seasons on these WMAs should obtain a copy of the 1992-93 Hunting and Trapping Guide published by the KDFWR which lists special season dates and rules for each WMA. Hunting guides are available where licenses are sold and from the KDFWR Information Division by calling (502) 564-4336.

Kentucky is currently conducting an ongoing study on grouse populations by collecting wing and rump feathers from harvested birds. Sportsmen interested in participating in this study should contact the KDFWR at the number above for more information. Those hunters participating by sending in wing and tail feathers receive a free hunter orange "Co-operators" cap for their efforts. Wildlife biologists use the wings to determine age and other factors that assist in managing the species more effectively.



Prater Elementary B-team cheerleaders!

The Prater Elementary B-team cheerleaders recently attended a cheerleading clinics held at Betsy Layne and Pikeville high schools. The sponsors for the cheerleaders extend their appreciation to all who supported the group and for the dedication of Donna Boyette. Pictured are: front row, Sabrina Hughes, Brendaanna Conn. Second row, Nina Boyette, April Thacker, Tonya Ryan, Lana Lackey. Third row, Angela Akers, Benita Boyd.



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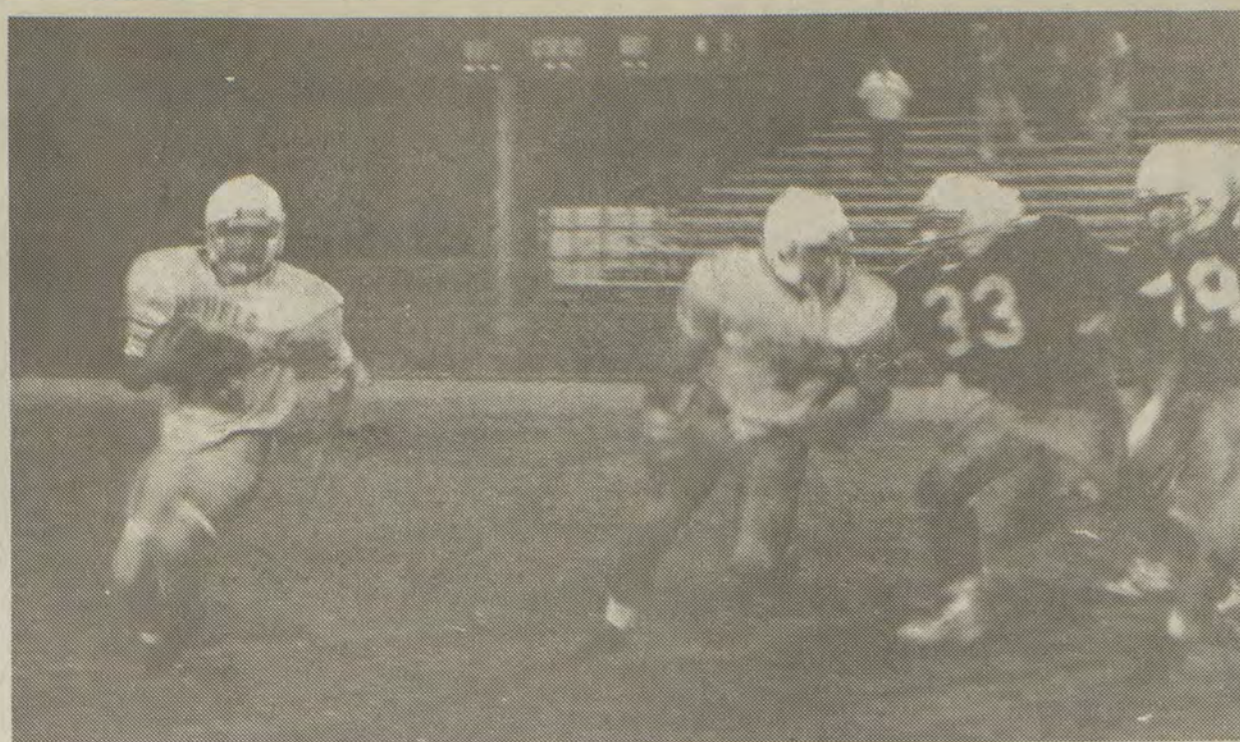
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On the move!

Allen Central quarterback Brad Blackburn (12) headed around the Pikeville defense on this sweep Friday night at Pikeville. The Rebels lost their 13th consecutive game 61-8 at Pikeville. (photo by Susan Conn)



Prestonsburg's quarterback Aaron Tucker scored two TD's and passed for another while rushing for 145 yards in the Blackcats 42-18 win over Whitesburg.....Marcus Araujo continued to be perfect from the extra point range as he drilled six extra point attempts against Whitesburg. He hasn't missed an extra point attempt this season through three games.....Jason Crisp had two touchdown receptions for 86-yards.....Sophomore Thomas Ratliff took over at the QB position in the fourth quarter and hit Crisp with a 45-yard TD pass. Ratliff had one reception of 60 yards for a touchdown.....fullback Dwayne Garza scored a touchdown for the Blackcats on a 41-yard run.

Betsy Layne's Gary Arnold may be a blessing since joining the team. Betsy Layne had not scored all season until Arnold's TD reception from Bryan Combs put the Bobcats on the scoreboard for the first time this season.

Wheelwright's Muntu Oden was a one-man wrecking crew as he rushed for 237 yards and scored two touchdowns in the Trojans' third victory of the season, a 16-14 win over Phelps.....Arnold Adams rushed for 53 yards and scored two conversions; his second gave Wheelwright the lead, in the Trojan win.

Dave Gilliam kept the Allen Central Rebels from being shut out as he carried the football into the end zone against Pikeville in his team's 61-8 loss Friday night.....Kevin Patton ran the conversion play for the Rebels.

Sports Briefs

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strong, has a 12-9 record and has just come off the 15-day disabled list.

The loss of Swindell would leave the Reds with some holes to fill before spring training begins next February. Jose Rijo and Tim Belcher appear to be the only sure starters in the Reds rotation next spring. The status of Tom Browning and his ability to come back after a year off is uncertain.

BASKETBALL RULES REVISION

Basketball is only two months off and many fans are anxiously awaiting the start of a new season. The McDowell Daredevils usually are the first to kick off the season but Coach Johnny Ray Turner said that the Daredevils would not begin so early this year. However, the Daredevils are planning on staging a basketball panorama November 21 that will involve four men's teams and two girl's squads.

While the season is approaching

there have been no major rule changes this season but a few revisions. Here are some of the revisions:

- Rule 1-7 prohibits any logo on the backboard padding and basket. RULE NOTE: The backboard padding and basket requirement applies to equipment manufactured after July 1, 1992. It also prohibits attaching such logos etc., to existing equipment already in use.
- Rule 1-13 states game management shall designate the location of each team's bench.
- Rule 2-10. In the correctable error rule, if it involves failure to award a merited free throw(s) and no change of team possession has occurred since the error, play will continue from the free throw(s).
- Rule 3-2; 10-1. Team technicals for administrative infractions shall be limited to a maximum of one per team for submission of roster and starters and one per team maximum thereafter regardless of the number of infractions.

- Rule 3-3-4; 5-9 exp. An injured player must be removed until the next opportunity to substitute if the coach or other bench personnel is beckoned and/or comes onto the court.

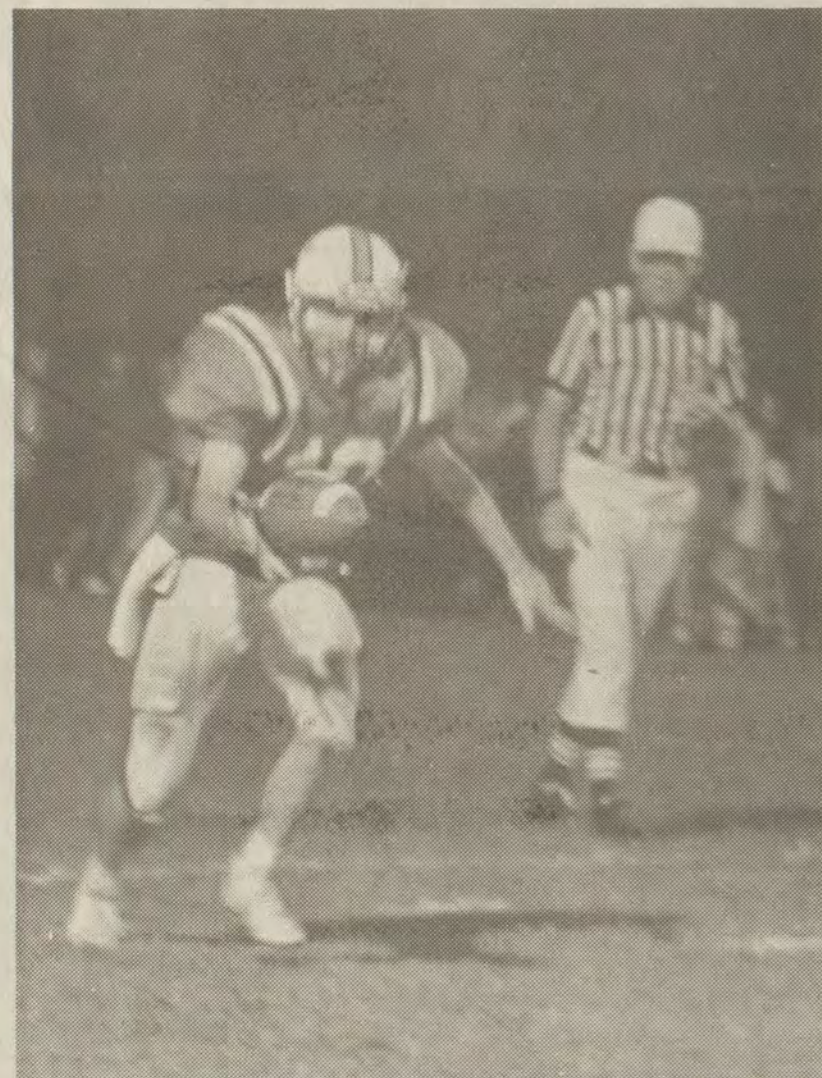
- Rule 4-5-3. Each team's basket for pregame warm-up and for the first half shall be the basket farthest from its bench.

- Rule 9-2-8. It is a violation if the untouched throw-in lodges between the backboard and ring or comes to rest on the basket flange.

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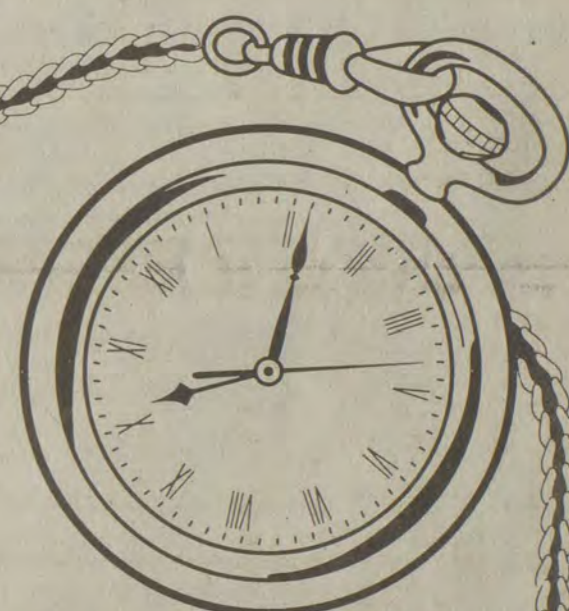
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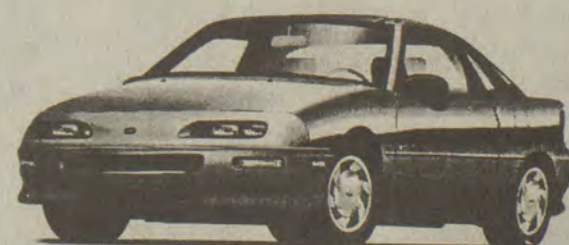
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| 2x6 Treated | 2.88 | 3.55 | 4.77 | 5.88 | 6.77 |
| 2x8 Treated | 4.44 | 5.33 | | 7.55 | 8.88 |
| 2x10 Treated | 5.77 | 7.44 | 9.77 | 12.88 | 14.44 |
| 4x4 Treated | 3.66 | 5.88 | 6.88 | 7.77 | 9.55 |
| 6x6 Treated | 11.88 | 14.55 | | 19.66 | 23.77 |
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|--------|--------------------|----------|
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| 2844 | 2' 7 1/2" x 4' 3 1/2" | 49.88 |
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Solitaire

by Mike Rosenberg

GOING FOR THE ONE

Nature creates spectacular sights. Man, being a highly competitive species, always tries to go one up.

After my fiasco at the Grand Canyon, I hopped I-15 and rolled to a friend's house in Las Vegas. I figured since I'd seen all these marvelous works of nature, I should see what mankind cooked up to compete. My friend and her boyfriend took me to The Strip on a Saturday night.

Las Vegas is an electrician's nightmare.

I've never seen so many gaudy shades of neon in one place. Seeing pictures doesn't prepare you for the shock of walking down Fremont Street, the center of "the old strip," at 11 o'clock at night and finding daylight. Sadly, one of Vegas' most recognizable landmarks on the old strip—the "waving man"—doesn't wave anymore. The owner of that casino is too cheap to fix it. The guy's also in the process of building the world's tallest tower in downtown Vegas. Just what the place needs, more spectacle.

The "new strip" is where the more famous casinos are—the Mirage, the Stardust, Caesar's Palace, the Sands, Sahara, and so on. Extremely lavish places. For example, the Mirage has tropical flowers everywhere, live white tigers on display, and a waterfall that becomes a volcano. (Uses gasoline sprayed 20 feet in the air). Each place on the new strip has some kind of outlandish production to bring people in—and painlessly separate most of them from their money. People gamble every amount imaginable—from penny slots to high rollers dropping ten grand on a spin of the roulette wheel.

Outside the casinos, men who can scent a single man from 100 yards pass out magazines filled with phone numbers and pictures of women. Prostitution is legal in Las Vegas, but a "prospective client" has to go to them—they can't streetwalk. Next to these guys, people dressed in white shove cups in your face to get money "for the poor." You have your choice of the homeless or the homewreckers.

I can't leave Vegas without mentioning the \$1.99 all-you-can-eat sirloin steak buffet. You can eat for almost nothing. Restaurant owners assume customers will blow enough money in the adjoining casino to make it worthwhile, and they're right.

It's only a few hours from Vegas to another manmade wonder, Los Angeles.

Once upon a time, in a little town called Prestonsburg, there were two unrelated families named Rosenberg. Both moved to Floyd County from outside. One's still there, the other's in Southern California. After 17 years, I paid a visit to the "other Rosenbergs."

I spent most of my time in L.A. with the youngest daughter, Becky, who was a newborn last time I saw her. She's grown right up and acted as my tour guide. She did a great job, if I do say so.

We went to Hollywood and wandered around Melrose Avenue. Yes, the place where they film the series. It was really interesting. How often does a person get to window shop at stores like Wacko and Fashion Slut? We cruised Sunset Strip and Hollywood Boulevard, which was really different from driving up and down the streets of Prestonsburg. We saw the Walk of Fame, the Chinese Theatre, and clubs that cost too much to get into with lines around the block. We drove around Beverly Hills for awhile. I went back later to find the post office that covers the zip code 90210.

I got to hit the beach, too. I saw Venice Beach—the original muscle beach. It's filled with shops of every shape and size and has all sorts of people performing for money. My personal favorite was the elderly lady with cornrowed hair jamming on an electric ukelele accompanied by a black man playing tambourine wearing devil horns and a g-string. I almost wish I were making that
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Small World

by Aileen Hall



FLOWER GIRL

Almost any time we go to a formal church wedding we become aware that even adult attendants are a little nervous about their parts. They are conscious of their appearance and want their entrance timing to be just right.

It's no wonder, then, that very small flower girls and ring bearers can be a bit unpredictable.

Granddaughter Kelly Blackburn was celebrating her fourth birthday and had agreed to go with me on an errand into town. We were driving along and listening to music on the radio when she remembered something.

"Nana," she asked, "did you see my picture in my flower-girl dress?"

"I sure did," I answered. "You were three-years-old when you were in Rusha's wedding, weren't you? I thought you were awfully pretty."

"Yes," she agreed, "my flower-girl dress is pretty."

After a while she spoke again. "And Nana, you know something, I didn't scatter one bit of flowers."

"I remember that," I said. "You looked so nice as you walked down the aisle, but why wouldn't you scatter the petals?"

"I just didn't want to."

"But surely," I insisted, "you had some reason."

"I just didn't want to," she repeated. "I wanted to save them—in case somebody else gets married."

SEMI-RETIREMENT

Kelly's great-grandmother, Della Blackburn, lives on Johns Creek and is less than four months from her one hundredth birthday. She hasn't been feeling very well and right now is getting some R & R at the Pikeville Methodist Hospital.

"Grandma Della" had celebrated her ninety-fifth birthday when she attended a family reunion four years ago. After dinner the group sat talking about their many activities when she made an observation.

"I don't think I'll plant any 'taters this year," she said. "For no more than I use, I could buy some cheaper at the store."

We're hoping how soon Grandma will be able to leave the hospital. If

she isn't planning to garden any more, she'd like to at least go to the store.

ENCOURAGING WORD

Susan Wallen, Postmaster at Ivel, called yesterday to say she wasn't feeling very well. She had read my medical guide that ran in this space two weeks ago.

"I'm trying to figure," she said, "whether I might have a lazy liver or if maybe a kidney has turned over."

"Don't worry," I assured her. "You ought to be feeling better by tomorrow—unless, of course, morning sickness is one of your symptoms."

REMINDER

"Presence is more than just being there."—Malcolm S. Forbes

Red River Express taps the top

by Janice Shepherd
Staff Writer

Hay bales in rows under the big top served as seats. Large electric fans stirred a breeze while the large crowd watched the energetic clogging of competitors during Prestonsburg's first Clogging Jamboree Saturday, September 5.

Red River Express, Patchwork Dance Troupe and The Good-Time Cloggers tapped out the rhythm, clogging-style and competed for trophies

that were taller than some performers.

Overall winner of the contest was the Red River Express from Clay City. The young dance group's high energy performance to "Get Rhythm" left the audience wanting to see more. Red River Express also took first place honors in their age category, 26 and under.

Members of the group are Stacy Patrick, Darla Rogers, Jessica Lowry, Constance Thomas, Jessica Hale, Candace Marcum, Sarah Billings, and

Tiffany Pelfery. Their team director is Joanie Hale. For more information about the Red River Express, call 663-2463.

Second place honors in the 26 and under category went to Patchwork Dance Troupe of Sutton, West Virginia. Patchwork performed to "Wabash Cannonball." Members of their troupe included Luke Johnson (who won the Chubby Checker Twist Contest), Paul Johnson, Lora Hopkins, Bonnie Webb, and Tiffany

Sands. Their director is Margaret Hoover.

Prestonsburg's Good-Time Cloggers won first place in the 27 and over category. Members of the group are Jim, Margie, and Tammy Sparks, Betty, Pete and Joe Harless, Doris Fannin, Carol Morrison, Jerry Jones and Betty Bush.

After the competition, the spectators became part of the entertainment as Charlie Burns, noted clogging instructor, called out directions for clogging routines.



Express way

The Red River Express Cloggers took top honors at the Clogging Jamboree held Saturday, September 5, in the Municipal Parking Lot in Prestonsburg. (photo by Janice Shepherd)



Good time dancers

Jim Sparks and his Good-Time Cloggers won first place in their category, age 27 and over. Sparks and his group were co-hosts at the event. (photo by Janice Shepherd)



Patchwork

Patchwork Dance Troupe from Sutton, West Virginia took second place honors during the Clogging Jamboree Saturday, September 5. A member of their troupe, Luke Johnson, twisted his way to first place during the Chubby Checker Twist Contest. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

Poison Oak

by Clyde Pack

ONCE A HERO...

When you're five or six years old and living in a 1940s Eastern Kentucky coal camp, you aren't exposed to a vast number of people upon whom you can thrust the title "hero."

Of course, there were Roy Rogers, Gene Autry, Tex Ritter and Rocky Lane from the Saturday matinees at the Royal Theatre. And, we had Straight Arrow and the Shadow (known to us who were his very close friends as Lamont Cranston) from the radio.

I guess I was more fortunate than most, though, because I had a real-life, flesh and blood-type hero. Even though Ulysess and Hubert, my two oldest brothers, were in the Navy and fighting in the Pacific, the one individual I looked upon in awe, wonder and admiration (although I doubt that he ever knew it) was my other older brother Ernest.

I suppose there were two main reasons that I admired him more than anyone else I knew, the first, being his courage. I thought he absolutely had to be the bravest person who ever

lived because he could (and would at every opportunity) catch snakes. Now, don't task me why a rational 15-year-old boy would do such a thing, but he did. Many times I've come upon a crowd of 12 or 15 kids (mostly girls) in the neighborhood "ooohing" and "aaahing," and, occasionally, screaming as they surrounded Ernest, who, leaning against a fence post in the head of Society Row, as cool as a cucumber, let a yard-long black snake slither up his arm and around his shoulders and poke its head down the collar of his shirt.

More than once, too, I attempted to use his bravery to further my own interests as it regarded making a good impression on some of my friends.

"No, Clyde. You can't go with us to Red Jacket rocks. You're too little. You can't keep up. You'll get hurt."

"Oh yeah?" I'd say. "Well, I'll have you know that my brother catches snakes."

"Oh really? Wow! Well, come on ahead, then. You can be the leader"—is what they'd never say, although I really expected them to.

What they'd really say, though, was, "So what? They're just black snakes or green snakes. They ain't poison or nothing."

"Well, I'd say, 'that's just 'cause they ain't no poison ones around. Show me a poison snake, and Ernest'll catch him."

I really believed that, too. And furthermore, I really didn't care if they were impressed or not, because I was and that's all that mattered in the long run, I guess.

Reason number two for my considering Ernest a bonafide hero was that he was considered by everybody as the best swimmer in all of Muddy Branch.

There wasn't a mom in the whole neighborhood who would even so much as hesitate to let their kid go swimming if they knew that Ernest was going. They trusted him completely.

"Hey, Mommy, can I go swimming?"

"Who's going?"

"Ernest Pack."

"Well, okay then, but be home before supper."

Ernest was the best diver around, too. He'd make hardly a ripple as his skinny body would knife beneath the algae that adorned the surface of the Number One Pond.

And, if that wasn't enough, Ernest was the only person I know who could (or would) "get bottom."

He'd swim to the middle of the pond and disappear. Thirty seconds...a full minute and a half...two minutes later he'd resurface, his hands filled with thick, black mud from the pond's bottom, 20 feet below.

To me, it might as well have been 200 feet. As far as I was concerned, it was a remarkable feat, and he sure was something.

On September 1, 1992, Ernest Pack died in Center, Texas. Family members with him at the end say his sense of humor and his courage remained intact.

Somehow, I'm not surprised. Once a hero, always a hero.

Kim's Korner

Part I

THINGS WE INHERIT

There's an old saying some of you may have heard. It goes something to the effect that "The day I'll be rich is the day my rich old uncle passes away."

Well, I never said it was nice, but I've heard it a few times through the years.

Now, as far as I know, I do not have a rich old uncle. Actually, my uncles aren't that much older than myself. So money is something I don't foresee inheriting.

Some things I've come to inherit were extremely apparent over the Labor Day holiday.

You have to understand this is what my brother calls the "Little Syndrome."

It begins for us with our father (Alvin Little), man of steel, who rises at the crack of dawn, works like a brute from daylight to dark and has to be practically comatose before visiting a doctor... a trait I inherited with pride.

My brother however chose the medical field, so we get lectured quite often—try on a daily basis.

Anyway back to the story.

Sunday evening my younger brother (the only one I have) phoned to see if I knew a dentist who would extract a couple of our father's teeth. You see, dear old dad doesn't take too kindly to dentists, either. And with his diabetes, dentists don't take too kindly to him.

He gets lectures he doesn't heed—another trait I inherited.

Well, my brother-in-law, the dentist, just happened to be in visiting over the holiday but, with his offices in Winchester and Lexington, I figured unless dad wanted his teeth extracted with wire pliers, I'd better find one with access to the right tools.

A person hates like anything to call on a doctor over the holidays, especially on a Sunday. But hey, this was my dad and he was in pain—lots of pain—and I am his favorite daughter (and only daughter, I might add), so I did it. I called Robin and Eddie Clark.

Dr. Clark was just on his way out the door but his wife yelled "Wait, we got a toothache on the phone."

He came to the phone immediately, I gave him the scoop on dad and he called him.

Not only did he call dad, but he went to his office, extracted dad's teeth and all on a holiday weekend. There are not many souls like the Clarks around these days, ya know.

Dad has felt like a million bucks since. Somehow saying thanks just isn't enough.

My dad's sisters were all in over the weekend also. So, like mother hens they were hovering about getting him ready to go meet Dr. Clark. Carol, I'll have to say is dad's craziest sister. She's a pure nut and can make you laugh in the most excruciating moments of life.

Carol heard it was Eddie Clark who dad was about to visit and jumped to her feet, screamed for hot curlers and lipstick.

"I can't take this man till I make myself presentable," she said as she ran through Aunt Eula's house like a chicken with her head cut off. "He's the prettiest thing I've ever seen, that Eddie Clark, and I'm not takin' Alvin till I'm presentable."

Well, like always, the tension broke with laughter. Even dad was laughing while holding his pain.

Thanks to Eddie Clark both dad and Aunt Carol had a pretty darn good Labor Day weekend.

Part II

FAREWELL

Kentucky Opry fans must bid farewell to the Opry's master of ceremonies, a.k.a. Keith Caudill, also sometimes known as Elvis.

The decision came recently by Keith to devote more time to his family and business.

Although we can't blame him for his reasoning, we Elvis and Keith fans will most definitely miss him.

Keith and Munroe Burchett who, by the way, should be spelled B-I-R-D-S-H-E-T, made quite a duo.

Being one person who has seen Keith's talents since 1974, I can assure you you only saw a very small portion of his capabilities.

As we bid farewell to Floyd County's own Chevy Chase, we extend our best wishes and much success to Keith and his family.

Till next week, Elvis has left the building.



by Kim Frasure

Society Events

By Docia Woods
886-9865

GFWC/KFWC Prestonsburg Woman's Club holds first meeting of club's new year

The executive board of the GFWC/KFWC Prestonsburg Woman's Club met in the clubhouse, at Archer Park, on Thursday evening, September 3, at 7 o'clock, prior to the first regular meeting of the 1992-93 club year.

President Garnett Fairchild called the meeting to order. She then asked Kathy Lowe for a report from the membership committee. Mrs. Lowe reported that membership committee chairman, Sandy Burchett had called a meeting of her committee and would be reporting the following to the club:

• Since the Prestonsburg Junior Woman's Club is now in its second year of inactive status, its members are being located and invited to join the Prestonsburg Woman's Club;

• The membership committee has already compiled a list of approximately 15 prospective members, and will be asking members for other names;

• The membership committee is recommending that a membership dinner be held in lieu of a tea, and that the date for this be September 29. The meal will be pot luck for members with prospective members as guests.

Drema Miller presented the proposed budget for the club year 1992-93, to be brought before the club during the meeting which was to follow. She also announced that names and ads for the Birthday Calendar need to be submitted during the club's October meeting.

Earlene Nelson reported that the Yearbooks would be available at the next club meeting.

Judy Burchett stated that she is looking into the possibility of a drive to collect cans as a recycling project for the club. She is recommending that the proceeds of this project be used to send Floyd County students to Special Olympics.

President Garnett Fairchild announced that the District Meeting will be held at the Landmark Inn, in Pikeville, with the Elkhorn City Woman's Club serving as hosts. She also announced that the State Meeting will be held during the month of September.

The following boards members were present: president, Garnett Fairchild; first vice-president, Judy Burchett; second vice-president, Earlene Nelson; third vice-president, Drema Miller; recording secretary, Kathy Lowe (who also substituted for Sandy Burchett, membership chairman and Docia Woods, publicity chairman); and treasurer, Dianne Clatworthy.

The board meeting was followed with the regular club meeting with the president, Garnett Fairchild, calling the meeting to order, and Sandy Burchett leading the group in reciting in unison "A Collect for Club Women," and "The Lord's Prayer."

Mrs. Fairchild requested that special guest, Elizabeth Frazier lead those present in the singing of "America

the Beautiful." Then all joined in the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag.

The resident then turned the meeting over to Judy Burchett, who presented Elizabeth Frazier, music teacher at Prestonsburg High School, who then presented four members of the P.H.S. Honor Choir: Raleigh Nelson, Emily Damron, Candace Sturgill, and Angie Collins, who gave a program in song.

At the conclusion of their program, Mrs. Burchett gave each of these students a season's ticket to Prestonsburg High School's home football games for the forthcoming season as a gesture of appreciation from members of the Prestonsburg Woman's Club.

The business meeting was then conducted by the president. Other than business matters discussed during the board meeting held there earlier in the evening, which were discussed by the group, Dianne Clatworthy, treasurer, gave her financial report; Drema Miller, third vice-president, presented the budget for the 1992-93 club year, and Eileen Burchett chairman of the Community Improvement committee, reminded members that the "Yard of the Month" sign sponsored by them was in the process of being painted. At the suggestion of Dorothy Harris, the budget for the forthcoming year was accepted. At the suggestion of Boots Adams, the group decided that the membership dinner would be held on September 29, at 6 p.m., at the clubhouse, and that the October meeting would be postponed until October 8.

President Fairchild announced that the district fall meeting would be held in Pikeville, from October 17-19.

Hostesses for this event were Boots Adams, Shirley Callihan, Ora Bussey, Rebecca Rasnack, Dorothy Stover, Jane Wallace, and Alice Allen.

Refreshments were served to Garnett Fairchild, Judy Burchett, Earlene Nelson, Drema Miller, Kathy Lowe, Dianne Clatworthy, Sandy Burchett, Mabel Donahoe, Turp Combs, Burieta Gearhart, Dorothy Osborne, Lida Howard, Mabel Brown, and Eileen Burchett.

Conclude recent visit here

Mrs. Honey May, of Snellville, Georgia, and her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Huff, of Cincinnati, all of whom formerly resided here, were in the Prestonsburg area recently, visiting with relatives and friends.

On Saturday night, August 29, they attended Prestonsburg High School's 50th class reunion held at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park. Mr. Huff graduated from P.H.S. in 1941, and Mrs. May graduated from P.H.S. in 1942. Mrs. Huff was a member of the Wheelwright High School graduating class of 1943.

Mrs. May and Mr. and Mrs. Huff attended service at the First Presbyterian Church August 30.

Mrs. May and the Huffs spent five days at the Jenny Wiley campgrounds. Mr. and Mrs. Huff returned to their home on Tuesday, and Mrs. May was the houseguest of Mrs. Jean Burke until September 4. She returned to her home via Waynesburg, Kentucky, where she spent the night with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Harry May.

Little Paint Homemakers hold first meeting of club year

The East Point Homemakers met on September 1, at the Little Paint Church of God. The meeting was called to order by president, Amita Snavelly. The devotions were given by Priscilla Hager. The roll-call was answered with Little Known Facts about Kentucky.

Shirley Callihan transferred from the Prestonsburg Day Homemakers,

and Ruby Hall from the Bonanza club.

A discussion regarding the recent annual Floyd County Homemakers' luncheon-meeting, and pictures of this event were enjoyed.

It was reported that 17 members and five leaders from Floyd County attended the Enrichment Camp, and a basket that was decorated at this camp was brought to the meeting. Recycling tips were shared.

The announcement was made that the area annual homemakers' meeting would be held on September 26,

at Salyersville. Three members registered to attend this event. It was also announced that a workshop would be held on October 7, at the Courthouse Annex here, to make a quilt from ladies' handkerchiefs.

Frances Pitts gave the lesson on "Kentucky Our Land: Feats, Firsts, and Other Facts." State flags, trees, flowers, and birds were included in the lesson.

Present were Armita Snavelly, Priscilla Hager, Elsie Leake, Shirley Callihan, Ruby Hall, Lee Boswell, Dorothy Harris, and Frances Pitts.

Former pastor and family in Prestonsburg recently

The Rev. and Mrs. Steve Hopkins and their two daughters were here this past weekend. Rev. Hopkins, who formerly served as pastor of the First Baptist Church (Irene Cole Memorial) and is now pastor of a church in the vicinity of Columbus, Ohio, and the Rev. Michael Taylor, who now serves as pastor of the local church performed the wedding ceremony of Charlotte Ann Wells and Brian Kevin Ramey at the First Baptist Church on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Hicks celebrates birthday

Donald Hicks entertained his family to lunch at Jerry's Restaurant, on Sunday, August 30, honoring his wife's birthday. Dining with Mr. and Mrs. Hicks were Mr. and Mrs. Derek Hicks and daughters, Greta and Jessica, and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Davidson, all of Prestonsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. John Fogle III, and son Jack, of Lexington.

On Sunday afternoon, Delphia Hicks was entertained with a surprise (See Society Events, C 3)

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Delegates to KRTA

Delegates representing the Floyd County Retired Teachers' Association at the recent KRTA Convention held in Louisville are shown, from right, Danese Amburgey, Roberta Fugate, Ruby Akers, Imogene Caldwell, Alice Martin, and (partly shown) Virginia S. Goble.



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Society Events

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birthday-party at her home, given by her son and daughter-in-law, Derek and Debbie Hicks, her daughter and son-in-law, Lynn and John Fogle, with the help of the grandchildren, Greta, Jessica, and Jack.

Joining in these festivities were the guest of honor, her husband, Donald Hicks; Curtis and Sandy Risner; Dolly Dotson; Jan Hackworth; Paulene Owens; Carolyn Cornett; Lula Cornett; Troy and Imogene Hackworth; Charles and Judy Hackworth; Glenda Hackworth; John and Frances Pitts; Larry, Teresa, Trina, and Kevin Younce; Joey and Lora Hammonds; Michael and Karen Hackworth; Marshall and Roberta Davidson; Columbus and Nola Stone; Lavonne Owens; Josephine Howard; and Judith Carter, all of Prestonsburg.

Others were June Rice of Paintsville; Susie Keene of Robinson Creek; Ann Carty of Pikeville; Anna Sue Stumbo of McDowell; Ruby Akers of Drift; Edna, Floyd D., Nancy, Rachael, and Patrick Davis, and Ray Hicks, all of David; Ricky, Linda, and Angelica Frasure, and Luther and Eva Jean Ousley, all of Martin; Kenneth, Wanda, and Brian Stephens, all of Lexington, Robert and Flora Meredith of Aripeka, Florida; and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Fogle and son Jack, and Mr. and Mrs. Hicks and daughters, Greta and Jessica.

Visited recently by relatives

Relatives visiting Mrs. Sylvia Nunnery Purdy at her home here recently included: Ruth Stone of Alabama; Billie Crouch of Dunbar, W. Va.; and South Bevins of Pikeville.

While they were here, Mrs. Purdy's granddaughter, Jamie Beth Nunnery, daughter of Jim and Imee Nunnery, of Mossy Bottom, celebrated her first birthday at the home

of her grandmother. Present were the little honoree, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nunnery; Mrs. Purdy's houseguests, Ruth Stone, Billie Crouch, and South Bevins, and Betty Ward; and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Foley of Prestonsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Craig Coleman and son Jordan of Meta; Charis Dalido of Pikeville, and the hostess, Mrs. Purdy.

Gifts were presented to Jamie Beth from relatives and friends, and appropriate refreshments were served. The hostess, Mrs. Purdy, also observed a birthday during that time.

Local Churchwomen to meet Saturday, September 19

Kay Hale Ross, president of the Local Churchwomen, recently announced that there will be a meeting of this group on Saturday, September 19, at 10:30 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church, and she cordially invites all churchwomen of the area to attend.

Reffett Reunion held

The Bill and Minerva Reffett family reunion was held at the home of Arnold and Alma Lowe at Eastern on Labor Day weekend, September 5-7.

On Saturday evening, September 5, a group of 34 people enjoyed a cook-out and volleyball games. Also included in the Saturday evening events was a surprise birthday cake and comical cards for Claudena Hamilton.

On Sunday, September 6, at noon, 90 people gathered at the Lowes' for a picnic dinner and games.

Attending were Wayne and Helen Reffett, Frank and Salina Pittman, Kylie and Charles, and Bruce Reffett, all of McArthur, Ohio; Carl and Sandy Ruehlman and Deanna DeMarco, all of Cincinnati; Barry and Shevawn McLinn, Stephanie and Christopher of Jackson, Ohio; Michael Reffett of Creola, Ohio; Hazel Caldwell, Jay and Linda Schaffer, Emily Shaffer, and Bill and Gloria Caldwell, Chris and Alicia, all of Buford, Ohio; Andy and Velma Echle of Circleville, Ohio; Richard and Rhoda Hannan of Chillicothe, Ohio; Edwin and Dorothy Reffett of Georgetown, Ohio; Bessie Conley, Dexter and Beverly Conley, Eric and Ethan, all of Hueysville; Regina Ramsey of Mt. Sterling, Ohio; Cameron and Julie Conley, and Taryn, all of Grove City, Ohio; Wanda and Don Avon and Matthew of Plain City, Ohio; Sewnille and Kenneth Keener, Kyle and Kevin, all of Thornville, Ohio; Taylor and Sarah Alice Reffett, and Frank and Sue Reffett, all of Hueysville; Ermil and Colleen Reffett of Eastern; Dave and Debbie Muenchen, Raven and Andrew, all of Cincinnati; Michael and Susan Reffett, Melissa and Megan, all of Pikeville; Alma and Arnold Lowe of Eastern; Kenneth and Claudena Hamilton of Virgie; Glenn Hamilton of Wilmore; Sandy Hamilton of Asbury College; Burgess and Margaret Lowe, Jessica and Daniel of Canal Fulton, Ohio; Palmer and Julie Lowe of Felicity, Ohio; Stanley and Stephanie Logan and Matthew of Lexington; Edna Mae and Floyd Davis, Cecil and Judy Hamm and Anita, and Floyd Douglas and Nancy Davis, Rachel and Patrick, all of David; Virgil Reffett of Paintsville; and Ruby Jean Reffett, and Brenda Watson, both of Pitts Fork.

Other guests were RaeAnne Wright of Asbury College; Luella Cline of Plain City, Ohio; Josue Melara of Cincinnati and Honduras, Central America; and Hattie Hughes of North Carolina.

Childers visit here

Mr. and Mrs. Don Childers Jr., of Ashland, visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Huff and Mrs. Honey May at the Jenny Wiley campground on Friday, August 28. They returned Saturday to attend the 50th class reunion of Prestonsburg High School.



Homemakers creativity

Eula Ferguson and Sue Wells displayed their knitting skills, which included Christmas stocking, during the annual luncheon meeting of the Floyd County Homemakers. Others shown are Nancy Webb and Dorothy Stover.

Prestonsburg Day Homemakers hold first meeting of new club year

The Prestonsburg Day Homemakers held their first meeting of the club year on Tuesday, September 8, at 1 p.m., at the First United Methodist Church. Mary Sue Moore, president, presided. Lucy C. Regan presented the devotions, reading from Mark 1:35, and a poem, entitled "I Met God in the Morning," and ending with prayer.

Dorothy Stover, secretary-treasurer, gave the roll-call, with members responding with "Facts about Kentucky." Mrs. Stover read the minutes and gave the financial report.

Frances Pitts, Floyd County home economist, showed pictures of the recent county-wide annual luncheon-meeting. She announced that a workshop would be held for the purpose of making puppets for hospitalized children, on September 18, at 10 a.m.

The lesson on "The Bicentennial Birthdate of Kentucky" was presented by Mrs. Pitts, who emphasized "famous facts and firsts about our state."

It was announced that next month's meeting would be held at this location, on Tuesday, October 13, at 1 p.m., and that the hostesses would be Eileen Fitch, Dorothy Osborne, and Rebecca Rasnick. The title of the program is to be "Decorating with Collectibles, Antiques, and Junk." It was also announced that those coming to this meeting without bringing either an antique or collectible will have to wash the dishes.

Dainty sandwiches, potato chips, cake, soft drinks and coffee were served by the hostesses, Eleanor Horn, Myrtle Allen, and Mabel Donahoe, by Frances Pitts, Mary Sue Moore, Gypsy Jones, Dorothy Stover, Lucy C. Regan, Jane Wallace, Ann Alley, Julia Curtis, Eileen Fitch, Ruby Lamping, Rebecca Rasnick, and Docia Woods.

Welcomed into membership at First United Methodist Church

Hugh Russell Holland and Juanita Holland were welcomed by letter into the fellowship of the First United Methodist Church here recently. They are the father and stepmother of the church's pastor, the Rev. Russ Holland.

Flowers on the altar there during services this past Sunday were "in loving memory of Rev. Frederick B. Cook," from the Cook family.

Floyd County Retired Teachers hold first luncheon-meeting of club year

The first luncheon-meeting of the Floyd County Retired Teachers for the new club year was held Thursday, September 10, beginning at 10:30 a.m., at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley State Park, with the newly-elected president, Delphia Hicks, presiding. Mrs. Hicks presented the devotions, the theme of which was "Taking time," and led the group in prayer. She then called on Alice Martin to lead the Salute to the American Flag, and the singing of "God Bless America."

The president recognized as new members, Roberta Davidson, John K. Pitts, and Wanda Allen.

Imogene Caldwell read the minutes of the June picnic-meeting held at Stumbo Park, and Danese Amburgey gave the financial report. Mrs. Amburgey added that this organization still has some cookbooks for sale.

Mrs. Hicks gave the following list of the committees to serve during the year, 1992-93: Program—Pauline Hicks Allen, Delphia Hicks, Alice Martin, and Roberta Davidson; Membership—Ruby Akers, Alma Lowe, Chessie Cornette, and Minerva Cooley; Public Affairs—June

Stephens and Louise Howard, co-chairmen; Lucy C. Regan, and Mildred Salisbury; Legislative—Mike Auxier and John K. Pitts; Insurance—Elmer Martin; Publicity—Docia Woods, Alma Lowe, Imogene Caldwell and Bessie Conley; Telephone—(divided into areas), Alice Martin, Lucy Regan, Sarah Laven, Minerva Cooley, Marie Mullins, Maxine Osborne, Violet Moore, and Jo Allyn Howell; Flowers and/or other remembrances for deceased retired teachers—Ruby Akers.

The following retired teachers were listed as recently deceased: Beatrice Collins, Frankie Best, Oma Elkins, and Elizabeth Bailey.

On behalf of Frances Brackett, Ruby Akers presented a report on the progress of the one-room Josephine D. Harkins School, presently being moved to Jenny Wiley State Park, and being located at the former Girl Scout Center, "The Pines." After hearing the need for funds, the group voted to donate \$100 toward this cause. Fifty dollars was also donated to be used by the American Red Cross on behalf of victims of Hurricane Andrew.

Mrs. Hicks, president, presented Glenn McDowell, of Pike County, who gave an indepth report on topics relating to state insurance and the AARP.

Virginia S. Goble, a member of the executive council of the KRTA, who could not be present, sent a report to the group of the last meeting of this board, and expressed the hope that she would be present for the KRTA workshop and BSRT meeting this week.

The president announced that the KRTA annual workshop would be held on Thursday, September 17, beginning at 8:30 p.m., with the BSRT Association's regular meeting to be held following lunch there on the same date. She added that among state officials who are scheduled to attend are KRTA president, Juanita Singleton, and Frank Hatfield, executive director of KRTA.

During the BSRT meeting on the above date, officers for the year, 1992-93 will be installed. These officers, and the counties they represent are: president, Danese Amburgey, Floyd; president-elect, Ethel Hall, Lawrence; first vice president, Lola Doane, Pike; and secretary-treasurer, Delphia Hicks, Floyd.

Along with Ethel Fetterly, president and other outgoing officers, these incoming officers and Norma S. Stepp, liaison person for KRTA-BSRT, extend a cordial welcome to all retired teachers of Floyd, Pike, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin, and Lawrence counties to attend these meetings and luncheon at May Lodge Thursday, September 17 (tomorrow), beginning at 8:30 a.m.

Attending the FCRT luncheon-meeting on Thursday of last week were Delphia Hicks, Pauline Hicks Allen, Alice O. Martin, Imogene Caldwell, Danese Amburgey, Ruby Akers, Alma Lowe, Lucy C. Regan, Eita C. Scott, Marie C. Mullins, Chessie Cornette, Elmer G. Martin,

Minerva Cooley, Violet T. Moore, Lula R. Bradley, Anna Sue Stumbo, Louise Howard, Sarah Laven, Goldia Williams, Wanda Allen, June Stephens, Glenn McDowell, Margaret D. Collins, John K. Pitts, Mildred Salisbury, and Docia Woods.

Cousins visit Wallaces

Here to visit their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wallace, during the weekend were Mrs. Iola Gorsky, Mrs. Marie Fodor, and Mrs. Sandra Robbins, of Weirton, W. Va., and Mrs. Ruby Kula, of Malvern, Ohio. They were guests while here at the Holiday Inn. On Saturday, they all had dinner at May Lodge and on Sunday, they were entertained to lunch at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace. Joining them for Sunday's lunch was the Wallaces' daughter, Mrs. Zella Faye Wells, of Paintsville. Mrs. Frank Wells Sr. of Flat Gap, visited them for awhile on Sunday afternoon.

Jenny Wiley AARP to hold dinner-meeting

Mrs. Gladys Allen, president of the Jenny Wiley AARP, reminds members and others who may wish to become members, of the dinner-meeting to be held on Friday, September 18, beginning at 5:30 p.m., at the cafeteria of the Highlands Regional Medical Center. An interesting program will be presented.

Puppet workshop announced

Mrs. Frances H. Pitts recently announced that the Floyd County Homemakers will hold a workshop to make finger puppets for a local hospital on Friday, September 18, from 10-2 p.m. and she urges homemakers who have crochet skills to attend. Each person should bring a crochet needle, scissors and lunch and that other supplies will be furnished. This workshop will be held at the Courthouse Annex.

Name to be added

The name of Mrs. Nancy Newsome of Dixie Heights should be added to the list of last week's sick and shut-ins.



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Solitaire

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up. Venice is also home to the Venice Beach Courts, the mecca of outdoor basketball, where they filmed White Men Can't Jump. I drove through Malibu, too. Some serious real estate, there.

Southern California had the opposite effect on me as Vegas. It was like meeting a celebrity face to face. Everyone's heard of these famous places. I expected everything to be bigger and brighter. I would have missed the Chinese Theatre if I hadn't looked at the right time. It was interesting to see that all these places actually exist, but it all wasn't glitz and glitter like I thought.

Being in Southern California was quite a culture shock. It's not that people there have extra eyes in the middle of their foreheads or speak a different language (well, the adults don't), it's just that the whole outlook is different. I described Southern Californians to someone as "the fastest laid back people in the world." Their driving reflects this. People scream down the roads, certain their cars will get them to their destinations safely. It's actually kind of fun to drive like this, but one person driving otherwise can cause traffic to back up for miles.

The freeways in Southern California are such a part of people's lives that the people talk about them like they're something you find around the house. They talk about "the TV" or "the sofa" the same way they talk about "The 5," "The 10" or "The 101." Myself, I can't imagine taking "The 23" to Paintsville.

Californians have filled their state with highways of every conceivable shape and size. Some are built for access, some for hauling, and some for speed. There's one road in California that was just built to be driven—The One.

The One, better known as the Pacific Coast Highway, winds its way up the coast of California. It's not a road a person could make good time on—but why bother? Around every curve is a vista of the Pacific. Sheer cliffs drop away straight into the ocean. It's a little scary to drive, but the views are worth it. I almost wish I'd been in the southbound lane, closer to the ocean, so I could have stopped to admire the view more than I did. It's a truly breathtaking ride.

The One goes from L.A. to San Francisco, where I'm staying at my cousin's flat and where I'll draw the curtain on this column. I made it to California in one piece—not even a tremble from the ground. Keep your fingers crossed.

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Computers speed delivery of soil test results from UK

A computer program and delivery system have significantly decreased the waiting time for county extension offices to receive soil test information from the University of Kentucky.

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"It used to take two to five days to get the information to county offices; we can do it now in a matter of hours," said Vernon Case, soil testing specialist.

The speedy delivery is made possible by a computer program developed by Dan Kirkland, soil testing specialist, and Freddie Higgins, computer programmer, at the Research and Education Center.

"Soil test results go directly from the instruments into the computer file," Kirkland said. "A standard lime and fertilizer recommendation report is sent to the county office. The report is based on the measure of nutrients available to a plant during the growing season, the crop to be grown, and its intended use."

The standard fertilizer and lime recommendation is given for agriculture, home, garden and lawn, and commercial horticulture. Greenhouse production and mine reclamation recommendations are not computerized.

Many agents provide information to supplement the standard recommendation, based on soil types, planting times and weed problems indigenous to the area and whether irrigation is used.

"The computer program cuts by at least a third the time we used to spend hand-recording results and looking up recommendations," he explained.

"It's also a time saver for county offices because agents do not have to look up recommendations. Since our electronic mail system delivers the information to the county offices, there is no mailing delay. Information can be in the county the same day the test is run," Kirkland said.

Fall soil tests often are used to identify the cause of a problem noticed during the growing season. These tests also provide information on which to base management decisions prior to planting, such as putting out lime that needs to be down three to six months ahead of planting time.

"It's really better to take soil samples in the fall than spring," Case said. "You can get a better sample because it's usually not so muddy. And you get the results back so there's plenty of time to decide what needs to be done before you plant."

To get the most benefit from soil tests, Kirkland said the crop to be grown should be identified and enough cores should be taken to provide one representative sample.

"If the crop is not identified, the county office receives only a report of what nutrients are available to plants during the growing season; no standard recommendation is given," he explained. "To get meaningful test results, you need a representative sample of the area. It's best to take at least 10 cores and mix them together to get a good sample; otherwise you'll probably get misleading results."

For more information about soil tests, call the Floyd County Agricultural Agent at 886-2668.

Federal-State Market News

Wednesday, September 9, 1992

Gateway Livestock Market

Cattle and calve receipts: 891

Total livestock receipts for the week: 1393

Cattle weighed at time of sale. (Compared to last week) Slaughter cows, fully \$1 lower; slaughter bulls, \$1-2 lower; feeder steers and heifers, about steady, quality much improved over last week.

SLAUGHTER COWS: few breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4, \$44.50-46.75; high Cutter and boning Utility 1-3, \$47.50-51.25; Cutter 1-2, \$43.50-47.50; Canner and low Cutter, \$39-43.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: yield grade 1, 1295-1970 lbs., indicating 80-82 carcass boning percent, \$61.25-65.50; yield grade 1-2, 1005-1500 lbs., indicating 77-79 percent, \$54-60; low dressing individual, down to \$50.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium to Large Frame No.1, package Limousin cross 289 lbs., \$120; 300-400 lbs., \$98-108; 400-500 lbs., \$89.25-98; 500-600 lbs., \$84-90; 600-700 lbs., \$80-86; includes package Charolais cross 656 lbs., \$86; few 700-805 lbs., \$76-82.25; Small Frame No. 1, 350-500 lbs., \$82-88; 500-600 lbs., \$77-82; 600-705 lbs., \$73.50-77; Medium Frame No. 2, 495-650 lbs., \$79-85.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium to Large Frame No.1, 300-400 lbs., \$84.50-94.50; 400-500 lbs., \$82-90; 500-600 lbs., \$77-82.50; includes package Charolais cross 581 lbs., \$82.50; 600-700 lbs., \$73-77; Small Frame No. 1, 300-400 lbs., \$77-82.50; 400-500 lbs., \$74-77.50; 500-600 lbs., 70.50-76.50; Medium and Large Frame No. 2, 390-545 lbs., \$72.50-77.50.

STOCK COWS AND CALVES: Medium and Small Frame No. 1-2, indicating 3-10 years of age, with 125-300 lb. calves at side, \$510-800 per pair.

STOCK COWS: Medium and Large Frame No. 1, indicating 3-8 years of age, bred 4-8 months, \$530-675 per head. Medium and Small Frame No. 1-2, indicating 3-10 years of age, bred 2-7 months, \$350-485 per head.

BABY CALVES: \$120-200 per head.

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by Ray F. Cawood

In some parts of Kentucky, the homes I inspect have old stone foundations. While these can be beautiful and have character, they also tend to leak. Homeowners with old stone foundation walls should expect that.

The best way to deal with this leakage is not necessarily by sealing the wall but by proper drainage, either with a sump pump or drain pipes. Make sure the drain path doesn't become clogged.

The key is to remove the water quickly, so the lingering dampness doesn't damage the wood or rust metal.

If you are buying a home with a stone foundation wall, keep valuable materials out of the basement.

Ray F. Cawood, a civil and structural engineer, can answer general-interest questions in his column but cannot make personal replies. Send your questions to him at Criterion-Cawood Engineers, P.O. Box 1560, Harlan, Ky. 40831.

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The conference—sponsored by the Kentucky Department of Agriculture, Kentucky Chamber of Commerce, Kentucky Farm Bureau and

the City of Louisville—will bring together hundreds of farm, business and government interests to discuss issues affecting the environment of agriculture in the 1990s.

A number of key questions will be addressed during discussions with experts on such issues as the North American Free Trade Agreement, the Clean Air Act, biotechnology and pollution prevention strategies for agriculture.

The summit is open to the public. We urge anyone interested in the future of agriculture to register for this important event by contacting the Kentucky Department of Agriculture at (502) 564-4696.

County Harvest

PREDICTION OF GOOD CORN YEAR MEANS DRYING CORN MAY BE ADVISABLE THIS YEAR

Plenty of rain in July promises a big corn harvest this fall, and farmers may want to consider using more artificial drying of their harvest than usual.

"We're looking at a very good corn crop this year with better-than-average yields because of the wetter than average summer," said Sam McNeill, Extension agricultural engineer with the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture.

This year the harvest will be coming in earlier, he said. That means the farmer has a trade-off decision whether to harvest early and dry the corn with heated air, or, to leave the corn in the field and rely on field drying. The latter alternative means to hope for continued dry weather in October, which the state has experienced for the last couple of years.

"We usually recommend that it's better to start early and be sure to get corn in even though there will be some out-of-pocket drying costs," McNeill said. "The problem with waiting is that an extended wet period probably would mean the combines couldn't get into the fields and yields could go down."

He said farmers should consider harvesting their crops when the moisture level of the corn in the field is about 26 percent to get the best yield. They then should dry it to about 14 or 15 percent, depending on how long they plan to store it. If it is to be stored through next summer, it should be dried to 13 percent, but if the farmer plans to market it within a few weeks, a 15 percentage is ok.

Farmers should be able to recoup the out-of-pocket costs of artificial

drying with the higher quality, higher yield harvest, McNeill said. Using efficient drying equipment that uses propane gas will dry six bushels of corn from 26 percent moisture to 16 percent per gallon of LP gas, he said. That removes 6.6 pounds of water per bushel.

"That's a penny a point or 10 cents per bushel," he said. "That's not a lot, but there are some things a farmer can do to shave a little off that cost."

One thing a farmer should consider, McNeill said, is to use in-bin cooling after drying to quickly reduce the heat of the corn. That will take out another one, perhaps two, percent of moisture.

"We basically recommend that when a farmer pulls grain in from the field, he get it to about 16 percent within 24 hours," he said.

"We don't want it to sit in heat for long while its wet, especially if it's damaged from insects or from the combine. It could develop an aflatoxin problem."

But once dried to about 16 percent, moisture can be further reduced another point or two by using a fan rated at one horsepower per 1,000 bushels of hot corn to cool the grain.

Smaller fans can also be used, but should provide at least one-half of one horsepower per 1,000 bushels to remove moisture that condenses on the bin wall and roof.

"If those smaller fans are used, the farmer needs to keep in mind that it takes twice as long to cool the corn," McNeill said. "It doesn't take any more electricity. It just takes more time."

Either way, cooling the corn after drying can help prevent mold problems from developing. By preventing mold, the farmer also helps to prevent later insect problems while the corn is stored.

Bluegrass feeder pig sale

Total head 162, compared to last week: pigs per CWT and per head were steady.

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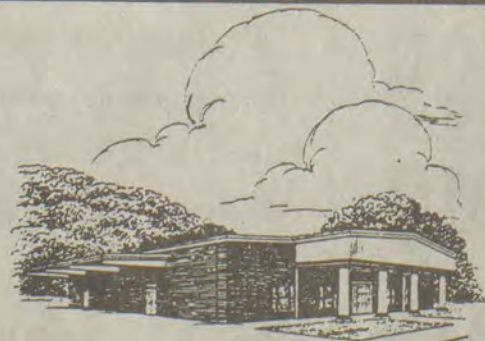
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- 2 medium tomatoes, chopped
- 1 medium zucchini, diced
- 1 cup frozen whole kernel corn, thawed
- 1 ripe avocado, peeled, seeded and coarsely chopped
- 1/3 cup sliced green onions with tops
- 1/3 cup Pace® Picante Sauce
- 2 tablespoons vegetable oil
- 2 tablespoons chopped cilantro or parsley
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- 3/4 teaspoon garlic salt
- 1/4 teaspoon ground cumin

Combine vegetables in large bowl. Combine remaining ingredients; mix well. Pour over vegetables; mix gently. Chill, occasionally stirring gently. Stir gently and serve with additional Pace® Picante Sauce. Makes 4 to 6 servings, about 4 cups salad.

24-HOUR SALAD

- 2 eggs, well beaten
- 1/4 cup freshly squeezed lemon juice
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- Dash salt
- 3 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 1 cup heavy cream, whipped
- 2 cups miniature marshmallows
- 2 cups diced pineapple, drained
- 2 cups pitted white cherries, drained
- 1/2 cup diced oranges
- 1 cup halved and seeded grapes
- 1/4 cup chopped blanched almonds

Combine eggs, lemon juice, sugar, and salt and cook over low heat until thick. Add butter and cool. Fold cream into cooled mixture. Combine this mixture lightly with marshmallows, well drained fruits, and nuts. Chill 24-hours so the delicate flavors will blend. Yield: 12 servings.

BACKYARD POTATO SALAD

- Prep time: 15 minutes
- Cooking time: 20 minutes
- 4 slices OSCAR MAYER Bacon, chopped
- 1/4 cup sliced green onions
- 4 cups cooked quartered unpeeled small red potatoes
- 2 hard-cooked eggs, chopped
- 2 teaspoons chopped fresh parsley
- 2/3 cup KRAFT Real Mayonnaise
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/8 teaspoon pepper
- Cook bacon until crisp; remove bacon from skillet. Drain.
- Add onions; cook until tender.
- Add potatoes, eggs and parsley; heat thoroughly, stirring occasionally.
- Remove from heat; add combined bacon, mayonnaise, salt and pepper.
- Makes 6 servings.

CHOCOLATE DIPPED CHERRIES

- 1 6-ounce package semi-sweet chocolate morsels
- 1 1/2 teaspoons butter or shortening
- Northwest fresh sweet cherries
- 1/4 cup finely chopped almonds (optional)
- Melt chocolate and butter in top of double boiler over simmering water. Remove from heat. Wash and dry cherries, leaving stems intact. Holding fruit by the stem, dip into chocolate, then dip bottoms into chopped almonds. Place on foil to harden. Makes five to six dozen chocolate cherries.

Variation: For harder chocolate coating, substitute one ounce grated paraffin for butter, and melt with chocolate.

SUPER SUNDAY SNACK BARS

- Ingredients:
- 1/4 cup butter or margarine
- 1-1/2 cups firmly packed light brown sugar
- 2 eggs
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1 cup whole wheat flour
- 1 cup all-purpose flour
- 1-1/2 cups raisin bran cereal
- 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup chopped nuts
- 1 cup "M&M's"® Plain Chocolate Candies
- Directions:
- Beat together butter and sugar until light and fluffy; blend in eggs and vanilla. Add combined flours, cereal, baking soda, baking powder and salt; mix well. Stir in 3/4 cup nuts and 2/3 cup "M&M's"® Plain Chocolate Candies. Spread dough into greased 13 x 9-inch pan. Sprinkle with re-

maining 1/4 cup nuts and 1/3 cup "M&M's"® Plain Chocolate Candies; press in lightly. Bake at 350°F. for 25-30 minutes or until edges are lightly browned. Cool thoroughly; cut into squares. Makes one 13 x 9-inch pan of bars.

STRAWBERRY CHEESE TORTE

- 2 (8-ounce) packages cream cheese
- 2 cups graham cracker crumbs
- 1/2 cup butter or margarine,

melted
2 pint baskets California strawberries, stemmed

- 1/2 cup hot water
- 2 envelopes unflavored gelatin
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 2 teaspoons grated lemon peel
- 2/3 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup sour cream
- 1 cup ice cubes (see note)
- Sweetened whipped cream
- Cut cream cheese into chunks and let soften. Meanwhile, in small bowl, combine graham cracker crumbs and

butter; toss to mix thoroughly. Pat half of the crumb mixture into bottom of oiled 9x3-inch springform pan. Chill; set aside remaining crumb mixture. Stem and slice berries, reserving 12 whole berries for garnish. In container of electric blender, combine hot water, gelatin and lemon juice and peel. Blend until frothy. Scrape down sides. Add two cups of the sliced berries and the sugar. Blend until smooth. Add cheese, sour cream and ice (see note). Blend until smooth. Chill about 15 minutes until slightly

thickened. Spoon half of the cheese mixture into prepared pan. Layer the remaining crumb mixture and the remaining sliced berries over cheese mixture. Top with the remaining cheese mixture; smooth top. Chill until firm. To serve, cut into wedges. Dollop each with whipped cream and garnish with reserved whole berries. Makes 10 to 12 servings.

Note: To measure ice cubes, pour one cup cold water into a two-cup measuring cup. Add enough ice cubes to make two cups. Drain off water

and add ice to mixture immediately. HERE'S A DESSERT you can count on when you're in a hurry. It's especially handy if you have cooked plain rice in the fridge or freezer, as I always have. (If frozen, thaw the rice for this delight.)

Simply mix sliced strawberries into lightly sweetened whipped cream flavored with vanilla. Fold the cream mixture into cooled, cooked rice. Spoon into stemmed glasses and garnish each with a whole strawberry.

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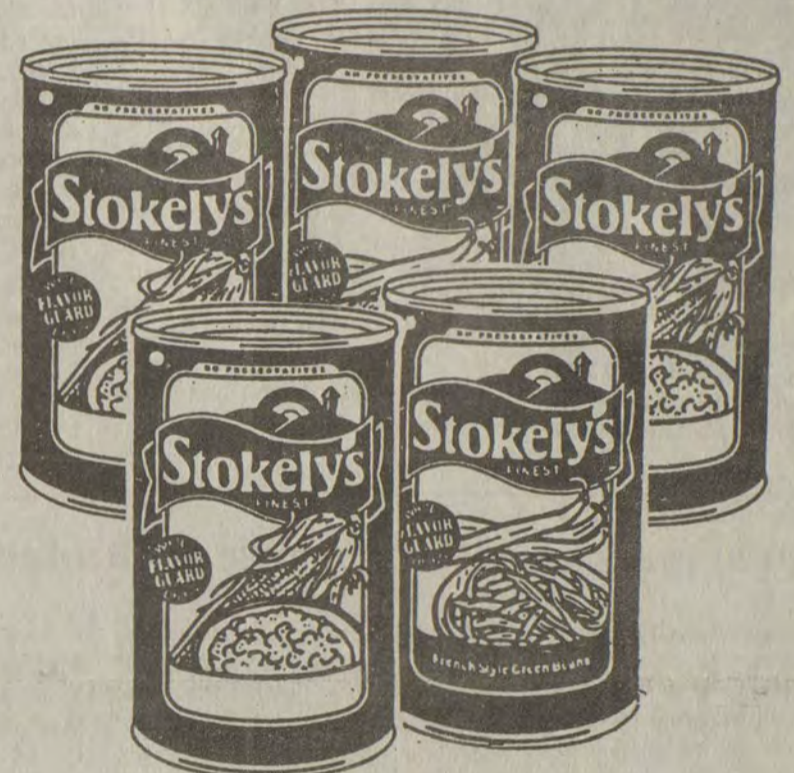


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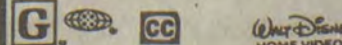
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Golden Ages

Wayland Senior Citizens Center

Twelve of the Wayland Area Senior Citizens enjoyed a visit and dinner with the Martin County Senior Citizens on Tuesday, September 1.

The Wayland Area Senior Citizens have been very busy lately. Eight of them went to Shoney's, near Pikeville, for breakfast recently and then, shopping. Lunch was lively one day this past week, with 18 members and two visitors from the Prestonsburg center, when they all enjoyed a sing-along.

A covered dish dinner Friday, September 11, followed by a trip to the Gingerbread Festival in Hindman and rounded out with a visit to the Squirrel Festival on Stone Mountain

on Saturday has really kept members "on the go".

If you are a senior citizen in this area, which includes not just Wayland and its environs in Floyd County but also Right Beaver to Topmost and well past Lackey to Mousie in Knott County, and you wish to be a part of this group, please call 358-4161 and get any information you might need. You just might be missing a lot of fun and entertainment.

Friday, September 18, a group from the center plans to visit the Knott County Nursing Home, and on September 25 a picnic is planned at Dewey Lake.

Any further information concerning these events may be obtained by calling the Wayland center at 358-4161.



Births

PIKEVILLE METHODIST HOSPITAL

August 25: A daughter, Britni Brienne, to Christie Lynn and Bobby Brian Boyd of Pikeville; a daughter, Stephanie Jo, to Denise and Billy Joe Conley of Elkhorn City; a daughter, Amber Michelle, to Nora Lynn and Gregory Delaine Elswick of Robinson Creek.

August 26: A son, Jared Tyler, to Darlene and Ronald David Charles of Phelps; a daughter, Courtney Brooke, to Crystal and Rodney Steve Rowe of Pikeville.

August 27: A daughter, Tiffany Lynn, to Cherie Jane and James Lee Cable of Shelby Gap; a daughter, Catherine Harding, to Theresa Moore and Frank Gerald Dawahare of Pikeville; a son, Michael Everett, to Melissa Gay and Michael Rube Fitt of Pikeville.

August 28: A son, Bradley Carl Weston, to Genevieve Robinson and James E. Fields of Langley.

August 29: A son, Terry Mitchell, to Barbara Lee Williamson of Phyllis; a son, Jason Marcus, to Michelle Lea and Dennie Ray Hall of Dana; a son, Colton Keith, to Sharron Rae and Randy Keith Bentley of Dorton.

August 30: A daughter, Caitlin Hannah, to Cheryl Elizabeth and Franklin Delano Sturgill Jr. of Grundy; a daughter, Chyane Nicole, to Franchetta Dianna and Ronald Lee Little of Robinson Creek; a daughter, India Lauren Fuller, to Kim Renee Mullins of Regina.

August 31: A son, Travis Ray Archer, to Barbara Lynn and John Keith Wallace of Prestonsburg; a son, Noah Blake, to Paula Kaye and James Clinton Hamilton of Pikeville; a daughter, Kaitlyn Elizabeth, to Sabrina Maria Corder of Pikeville.

September 1: A daughter, Joinda Ann Charles, to Patricia Charles and Palmer Steve Norman of Ashcamp; a daughter, Rebecca Marie, to Lora Marie and Derick Steven Coleman of Burdine.

September 2: A son, Matthew Wesley, to Susan Jean Allen of Elkhorn City.

Birth announced

Terry Christian Conley, son of Terry and Lucretia Conley of Florence, was born at the St. Elizabeth Medical Center on June 25. He weighed 10 pounds and 5 ounces and was 22 inches long. He has one sister, Leigh Ann, and is the grandson of George and Dorothy Hamilton and Janet Hamilton of Melvin, and Randal and Teresa Fleming, of Neon. His great-grandparents are Elmo and Mary Vance, and Minnie Conley.

AIDS, HIV course to be held Sept. 17

A core curriculum on AIDS and HIV disease will be held Thursday, September 17, at 1 p.m. at Highlands Regional Medical Center.

This course is designed to meet the AIDS and HIV disease continuing education requirement of the Kentucky Board of Nursing and the Cabinet for Human Resources, and is approved by the Kentucky Board of Nursing for four contact hours. The course is approved by the Kentucky Cabinet for Human Resources. HRMC employees will not be charged a registration fee. Non-employees will be charged \$10. Preregister no later than September 14.

For additional information call Nancy Slone or Susan Ellis at Highlands Regional Medical Center, (606) 886-8551, ext. 525.

Celebrates 91st birthday



Mary Jane Hunter

Mary Jane Hunter celebrated her 91st birthday Sunday, August 23rd, at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Freddy and Barbara Sue Kidd.

She had 54 guests. She was very happy to see everybody and visit with them. Her guests were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Akers, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Kidd, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Risner, Mrs. Nancy Tackett, Mrs. Norma Akers, Mrs. Towana Frasure, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kimbler, Brad and Traci, Mr. and Mrs. John Knauz and Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Tackett, Mr. and Mrs. Ernel Tackett, Mr. and Mrs. Lefe Scott, Miss Ann Hunter, Mrs. Myrtle Hunter, Mrs. Dollie Williams, Towana Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Morgon, Mr. Gary Hall, Ronald Kidd, Mrs. Janice Ward, Todd and Amy Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry and Leatha Kidd, Mrs. Valery Williams, Shanna and Sara, Mr. and Mrs. Greg and Jenny Millay, Max and Daniell, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Adams, Ashley and Stephanie. She also had four daughters there, Mrs. Pearl Carroll, Mrs. Gervie Mature, Mrs. Virginia Greene, Mrs. Barbara S. Kidd and Freddy Kidd. She received many pretty gifts and flowers.

New law spreads quality assurance to all adult day programs

Fast-growing "adult day centers" mean an option for elderly Kentuckians needing care—and the means for families caring for aging relatives to have day-to-day peace of mind or breaks from constant care.

Kentucky is now funding 65 adult day centers that assure a safe and stimulating environment with constant supervision for adults who have some degree of physical or mental impairment. Among these are 11 licensed adult day health centers for more-dependent persons needing some medical care.

As National Adult Day Center Week arrives this month, the state is taking steps to assure that all adult day care centers for elderly Kentuckians are quality programs, aided by a new certification law that took effect in July.

"All of our adult day centers getting state funds already meet quality standards, and they will be certified shortly," said Sue Tuttle, director of the Department for Social Services' aging services division.

"This new law lets us assure that all centers, including those operated by private organizations or in individual homes, met basic standards for health and safety and staffing."

Besides meeting basic standards, adult day centers provide stimulating activities that are appropriate for adults, nutritious meals and snacks, and at least one staff person for every five clients.

"We found that nursing home placement generally comes not when the older person's functioning has changed but when the caregiver can no longer handle the constant care," said Tuttle.

"Caregivers are real heroes in my view," she continued. "When they take the responsibility for constant care we need to give them all the help we can—a break for all or part of a day, or ongoing peace of mind at their jobs, knowing their loved ones are safe and around other people and activities that ease isolation and the frustration of no longer being able to do or remember things as before."

The aim is to have such centers available throughout the state, Tuttle said. "We made enormous strides in Kentucky in the past five years especially, going from 19 state-funded adult day centers in 1987 to the current 65. Those served 1,331 people during the '91-92 fiscal year."

In 1990, the Kentucky legislature

more than tripled state funding for adult day and day health centers and in-home Alzheimer's disease respite programs to \$2.8 million.

"But the situation with the state's revenue means no new money for adult centers," Tuttle said. "Existing centers and churches and other parties wanting to open centers are having to scramble creatively for various private and foundation monies, and in-kind donations."

"As the need keeps growing, some people already at home with aging parents may want to expand into a small business to help pay the bills."

If they serve four or more adults unrelated to them, they must now get certified by the state.

Certification regulations are in the approval process, Tuttle said. Those operating or interested in opening adult day centers should contact the Division of Aging Services at (502) 564-6930 for information and technical assistance.

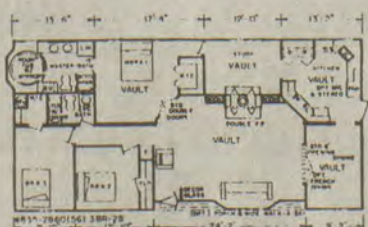
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Birth announced

John and Linda Layne of Martin, announce the birth of their son, Jake Whit Layne, born August 21 at Our Lady of the Way Hospital. Maternal grandparents are Jack and Vaudie Whit of Catlettsburg. Paternal grandparents are Jake and Pauline Layne of Martin. Baby Jake was welcomed at home by his brother John and sister Alyson.

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HOW TO MAKE THAT FIRST OFFER WHEN BUYING A HOUSE

by Dorothy Harris

Offering too much money for a house can be both unwise and very costly. Conversely, a prospective buyer can also make a mistake by offering too little.

That's because an unrealistically low offer can sour the whole negotiation process. Sellers, insulted by a first offer, will often refuse to consider a counter-offer. Once that happens, getting things back on track can be difficult at best.

The whole idea — and it's an important one — is to start at a level that makes sense to all parties and makes a win-win outcome possible. Finding the right level isn't as complicated as you might think.

The right first step is to compare the asking price with prices actually paid for similar homes in the same area within the past year. Your agent can be a big help in assembling data of this kind. An offer that's comparable to the lowest of the recently accepted offers may not be eagerly snapped up and in fact might not be accepted at all. But it's not likely to give offense, either. It's probably going to provide a starting point from which the negotiation process can move forward.

If you find it difficult to find clearly valid points of comparison — maybe no houses really similar to the one you want have been sold in the same area recently, for example — it might make sense to get an appraisal before making your offer. If you decide to do this, get it done quickly. You'd hate to have somebody else buy the house while you were waiting for your appraisal.

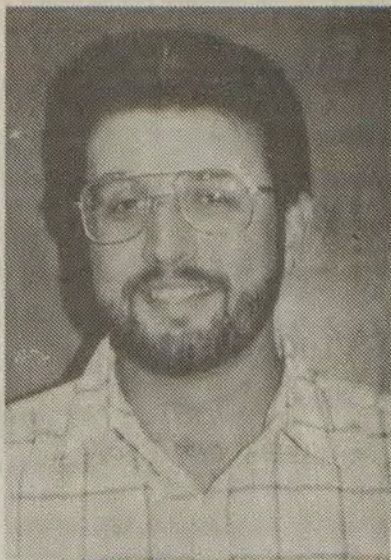
When you're ready to submit your offer, be sure to do so in writing and with a deposit of "earnest money."

Offering a formal, signed contract isn't even a small problem if you have a reputable agent on your team. As for deciding how much to offer as a deposit, five to ten per cent is usually considered standard. If you're determined to have this particular house and are concerned about other bidders, however, it's not a bad idea to consider a bigger deposit. This is so because when sellers get two iden-

tical offers, they'll usually accept the one that's backed up with more earnest money.

If the seller doesn't accept your offer, you're entitled to have the deposit returned to you — immediately. Your deposit check should be payable to an escrow company, not to the seller. You want it to be used to secure the sale, not to finance an impulse trip to Paris.

There are laws to govern what happens to your earnest money if the seller accepts your offer but you later default on the sale. Those laws are sometimes complicated, and they vary from state to state and according to the circumstances. If the default is caused by things beyond your control — loss of your job, for example — it's highly likely that you'll get all your money back. Your agent can fill you in on the details.



Division manager

John R. Filehman, line supervisor for Kentucky Power Company's Pikeville Division, has been named marketing and energy services manager for the division. He is replacing George Stamper, who is joining the Athens (Ohio) Division of Columbus Southern Power Company as its marketing and customer services manager. Filehman joined the Pikeville Division in 1977 as an associate engineer.

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Mark Cook, account representative in Commonwealth Life Insurance Company's Prestonsburg Staff of the Kentucky Mountain Agency has qualified for the company's exclusive One Hundred Clients Club.

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Cook joined Commonwealth in June, 1991. He lives in Dry Creek.

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TRACT #4: 35 acres ± of property, both sides of the road included. Coppers Lick. \$35,000. H-14C-F.
TRACT #5: 13 acres ± in a nice neighborhood on Abbott Creek. Priced right at \$15,000. H-14D-F.
PRESTONSBURG: This brick home offers 3 bedrooms, large kitchen, family room with a fireplace on a large corner lot. M-009-F.
PRESTONSBURG: Enjoy the summer on the deck overlooking the extra large back yard of this 3-bedroom, 2-bath brick beauty. Large family room with a fireplace and much more. M-010-F.
WAYLAND: It's worth the drive to this beautiful 3-bedroom brick home. Located on a 1/2 acre ±. It's country style living in a small town. L-005-F.
PRESTONSBURG: This 3-bedroom, 1.5 bath home would be a great starter home. Includes a 2-car attached garage, front porch, gas furnace and central air. W-002-F.

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QUALITY HOME
Super floor plan with slate foyer, liv. rm. with fireplace, fam. rm. with sliders to pool, covered porch & concrete areas. Office area, kit. planned for someone who likes lots of quality cabinets, counter tops - space - Master bedroom suite, two other bdrms., a truly special home at an affordable price. Call today. REDUCED!

REDUCED!
Prestonsburg, "walk to everything" location for this picture pretty two level home. Upper level has living room, equipped kitchen, two bedrooms, bath and hardwood floors, covered porch area. Lower level has two bedrooms, family room, covered porch, lot has really great landscaping and flowers. Call for details. \$62,500.

SUPER LOT
On Abbott Creek, this ranch home has privacy on an oversized lot with mature trees and shrubs. Large rooms, equipped kitchen with built-in snack bar, living room has fireplace. Covered patio in back, outside block building. Newly painted and decorated, this property will make some family a super home.

U.S. 23
Super brick ranch with all the extras, including approx. acre lot, foyer, living room, family room with fireplace and bookcase, lovely kitchen, large utility room, three bedrooms, bath, oversized two-car garage, large fenced lot, one-owner home across from Porter School. This will be someone's dream home. Shown by appointment.

MARTIN
Hard-to-find four-bedroom home, with big eat-in kitchen, nice living room, very nice planning and construction. Within sight of four-lane 80, but very private. Call for price and details.

SUPER LOCATION *
Busy intersection, 3,000 sq. ft. metal building, 1,400 sq. ft. block building, good paved parking in front and rear, partially leased to U.S. Post Office, present owner may consider lease back. Call for complete information and details.

70 ACRES
Long Hollow on Little Paint Creek with blacktop street at front, fire hydrant, city water at street, barn, good road up hollow, all graded, ready for one, two or more homes. Really beautiful, easy access to new four-lane.

LOTS AND ACREAGE
5 acres—54 acres graded for home, balance in woods, city water at street, small creek in rear, has been surveyed, plat furnished.
70 acres—off Middle Creek Road, Cole Branch.
200± acres—Abbott Creek—long, long hollow with mineral, fronting on blacktop with city water in front.

PHYLLIS RATLIFF LENOX, Real Estate Broker
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Patton makes New York Life's 1992 executive council

Darrell L. Patton of Prestonsburg has qualified as a member of the 1992 Executive Council of New York Life Insurance Company, according to Randy T. Ellington, CLU, ChFC, General Manager of the company's Lexington General Office.

Council membership is based on 1991/92 sales performance. As an Executive Council member, Patton attended a four-day educational conference in Toronto, Canada.

AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: Inspection of farm or cattle can be made at any time by contacting the selling agents at 606-498-4317. This is one of the best, (if not the best) well improved farms that we have had the opportunity to sell in many years. First time on the market in over 30 years. Sale order: Farm 10:00 a.m. (1st), milking equipment, cattle, farm machinery.

ABSOLUTE AUCTION

Saturday, September 26, 10:00 a.m.

235 Acre (+-) Montgomery County Farm, Dairy Herd Dispersal, Milking Equipment, Farm Machinery and 135 Rolls of Hay.

Location: Howards Mill Road (Hwy. 1331) approximately 8 miles East of Mt. Sterling, Ky., 11.5 miles SW of Owingsville, Ky. From Mt. Sterling take Hwy. 60 East to Ewington (I-64 exit 113) turn onto Hwy. 1331, approximately 5.5 miles to sale site. 40 miles East of Lexington, Ky. Signs will be posted. We have been commissioned by the Mt. Sterling National Bank, Trustee, under the will of Charles Ruark Jr., to sell this outstanding, well improved farm, dairy herd, milking equipment and farm machinery for the absolute high dollar. Known as the "CHARLIE RUARK FARM"

— REAL ESTATE —

235 Acres (±): Approximately 180 acres of this farm lays near level or on 2-8% slopes and is suitable for row crop cultivation; Crider and Otwell silt loam soils, well suited for corn, tobacco, hayland and soybeans. High yield potential. Farm presently has approximately 50 acres of corn under cultivation. Approximately 40 acres of rolling hillside pasture land and 15 acres of sparse woodland. Water is supplied by 4 ponds, an everlasting spring and Slate Creek. Water is in barns. Average fencing.

-1992 Basic Tobacco Quota is 13,994 lbs.-

IMPROVEMENTS: 25 yr. old brick home, 3 bedrooms, living room, large eat-in kitchen, bath, (1280 sq. ft.) full basement, 1 car attached garage, 2 fireplaces. 44'x108' Burley tobacco barn, attached concrete block stripping room; 44'x96' horse barn, 8 boxed stalls (pictured); 54'x72' combo tobacco and stock barn (concrete floor); 60'x80' feed barn; 4-cow milk parlor and milk house (concrete block); 2 concrete silos; 400 and 200 tons with unloaders; 2-75 ft. automatic auger feeders, bunks on concrete.



DAIRY HERD— 50 Cows - 13 Heifers -19 Calves - 2 Bulls

• 13 - Holstein Heifers 1 1/2 - 2 yrs. old (Approx. 50% open) • 1 - Jersey - 2 yrs. old • 17 - Holsteins - 3 yrs. old • 6 - Holsteins 4 yrs. old • 7 - Holsteins - 5 yrs. old • 8 - Holsteins - 6 yrs. old • 1 - Jersey - 6 yrs. old • 10 - Holsteins 7 to 10 yrs. old • 19 Holstein heifer calves, ranging in age from newborn to 4 months old. • Holstein Bull - 3 yrs. old. Angus Bull - 6 yrs. old. All cows have had a recent negative brucellosis test and have been aged and pregnancy tested by a local vet. Pasture bred; test results will be announced day of sale or are available from selling agents. Also 135 rolls of mixed hay.

MILKING EQUIPMENT: Mueller 1,000 gal. tank. Surge - 4 unit milkers, pipeline and washers.



— FARM MACHINERY —



2640 John Deere tractor, 2020 John Deere tractor, John Deere silage chopper, John Deere #510 hay roller, I.H. silage blower, New Idea manure spreader, New Idea hay rake, John Deere silage wagon, John Deere wagon, M.F. #41 mowing machine, 7 ft bush hog, disc harrows (pull type), Ezee-Flow fertilizer spreader, grain bed, John Deere 4-row corn planter, John Deere 2-14" plows, cultipacker, 6-row sprayer, 3-point hitch seeder, fuel tank, hay fork, metal p.u. racks, 4 rolls woven wire, lawn seeder, hay tedder, 3 water tanks, corn picker (salvage). Other miscellaneous farm related items too numerous to mention.

TERMS: Real Estate -10% down day of sale, balance with deed within 30 days. Possession of pasture given with deed. 1992 tobacco crop, use of barn, house reserved until Jan. 1, 1993. Buyer to receive 50% of corn/ silage crop. Cattle and machinery-cash or approved check day of sale.

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DAVID—This brick home has 1,630 sq. ft. which includes entry, living room, dining/kitchen combo, family room, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths and utility room, plus a 580 sq. ft. garage. Nice home—nice price, \$64,900.

DRIFT—1,000 sq. ft. home that includes living room, dining/kitchen combo, 3 bedrooms and one bath. Call for more details.

PRESTONSBURG—This would make an excellent home for a large family or turn into duplex and rent one side. Has great potential with approx. 2,600 sq. ft. including 5 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, family room and two kitchens. It is located on approximately 2 acres of land. Call Now! Priced Right!

U.S. 23 SOUTH—Everything goes with this 3-bedroom home. Property contains approximately 3 acres. Owner wants to sell out quickly—selling home, furniture, small outbuilding, tools, mowers, plus a car. All for \$64,900.00. **JUST BEEN REDUCED TO \$59,900.00.**

INVESTORS SPECIAL—5 apartments that carry their weight. Two apartments have 2 bedrooms and rent for \$350.00 each. Three apartments have one bedroom in each and rent for \$300.00 each. Call now for more details on this MONEY-MAKER. 886-2048, Hansel.

WATER GAP—This is perfect for a family seeking a prime location at a realistic price. This home offers great room, dining room, 4 bdrms., 2 baths, kitchen & utility room. All for only \$129,900.00. Neighborhood pride is reflected in the well-kept homes. For full particulars and appointment to inspect call NOW! Hansel, 886-2048.

ACTION Auction & Realty

IVEL - \$128,000 - 3 BR, 1.75 baths, large level lot, 2 garages. A-562F

PRESTONSBURG - \$92,500 - Large 3 BR, inground pool, big lot. A-620F

PRESTONSPURG - \$125,000 - Beautiful 4 BR, FR, garage. A-612F

ALLEN - \$100,000 - 5 BR, 2 1/2 baths, 3,100 sq. ft. +/-, garage. A-605F

LANCER - \$40,000 - 2 bedroom starter on 100 x 125 +/- lot. A-546F

PRESTONSBURG - \$30,000 - Commercial lot 125' x 125' +/- A-545F

PRESTONSBURG - \$50,000 - 175' frontage +/- on Rt. 1428. A-547F

ARKANSAS CREEK - \$35,000 - Invest. **RESERVED** 4 acres +/- A-712F

PRESTONSBURG - \$49,500 - In Town! Cozy 3 BR, nice yard. A-716F

WOODLAND HILLS ESTATES \$75,000 - Log house, 4 acres. A-734F

ENDICOTT - \$190,000 - Grocery/ sporting goods store w/5 apts. A-782F

AUXIER - \$100,000 - Commercial building with 3 BR apt. lrg. lot. A-783F

MARTIN - \$49,500 - 3 bedroom home with 5 acres +/- of privacy. A-437F

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LITTLE PAINT—COMMERCIAL—2 acres m/l level adjacent to U.S. 23 and business Rt. 23. Ideal for mini-mall, SuperAmerica, Medical Clinic, etc. Call 886-9500.

DAVID—\$28,000. Three bedrooms, one bath, living room, kitchen/dining combination, utility and fenced lot. For more details call Allied Auction & Realty.

BIG BRANCH OF BULL CREEK—NEW LISTINGS—A 3-bedroom, 1-bath home with living room, kitchen and dining combo. Two mobile homes situated on approx. 10 acres m/l. Call Allied Auction & Realty for further details.

U.S. 23, PRESTONSBURG—\$52,900. Three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, liv. rm., kitchen/dining combo, and utility. Privacy and convenience are special features you will appreciate. Call for details!

ABBOTT MOUNTAIN—\$52,900. Three-bedroom, two-bath home with over 1700 sq. ft. of living space. Featuring living room with cathedral ceiling and fireplace, formal dining room, large laundry room and partial basement. For more details call Allied Auction & Realty.

AUXIER—\$37,900. A well-maintained three-bedroom, one-bath home. Situated on a nice fenced lot. Call Allied Auction & Realty.

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FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT C.A. NO. 92-CI-00308

**Yvonne Yonts.....Plaintiff
VS: NOTICE OF SALE
Joyce B. Allen and Bob E. Allen, her husband; Ronnie Burke, single; Joan Hall and Carl D. Hall, her husband.....Defendants**

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the August 19 term, 1992, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 28th day of September, 1992, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, for cash or twenty (20) percent of the purchase price in cash at the time of the sale, and the purchaser shall be required to execute a bond for the balance, with approved sureties thereon, due and payable within sixty (60) days from the date of sale, with interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

The property being sold is described as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Frozen Creek of Left Beaver Creek, and more particularly bounded described as follows:

Beginning at a marked stone with Arville Spears line upstream near 150 feet to marked stone joining Silas Burke line; thence turning south up a drain to a marked stone with Silas Burke line; thence turning west down the ridge running with Silas Burke line to the beginning, so as to include all in said boundary containing 60 acres, more or less.

Being the same land conveyed from Noah R. Johnson and Liza Jane Johnson, his wife, to K.D. Burke and Sophia Burke, his wife, by Deed bearing date April 21, 1959, and recorded in Deed Book No. 171, at Page 347, records of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office; and the same land inherited by the Plaintiff and Defendants herein by Affidavit of Descent dated the 22nd day of June, 1990, and recorded in Deed Book No. 337, at Page 163, records of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office; by Affidavit of Descent dated the 22nd day of June, 1990, and recorded in Deed Book No. 337, at Page 167, records of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office; by Affidavit of Descent dated the 22nd day of June, 1990, and recorded in Deed Book No. 337, at Page 169, records of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office; and by Affidavit of Descent dated the 22nd day of June, 1990, and recorded in Deed Book No. 124, at Page 133, records of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office; and a Deed from Hiram Hall and wife to

Noah R. Johnson and Liza Jane Johnson, his wife, at Deed Book No. 112, Page 476, records of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

Finally, see Affidavit of Correction dated August 18, 1992, recorded in Miscellaneous Book 4, at Page 382, records of the Floyd County Court Clerk's Office.

Unpaid property taxes and liens of record as of the date of this Judgment shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale. The purchaser shall pay the 1992 property taxes.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include the costs of this action, including costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

Given under my hand, this 4th day of September, 1992.
John Earl Hunt
Master Commissioner
Floyd Circuit Court
W-9/9, 9/16, 98/23

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT C.A. NO. 91-CI-623

**Albert Francis Rose and Gertrude R. Owsley.....Plaintiffs
VS: NOTICE OF SALE**

Estill Tony Whitaker, et ux. Dorothy Whitaker; Lessie Marie W. Griffith; Bernos Pat Whitaker, et ux.; Irene Whitaker; Charles Allen Whitaker; Charlene Whitaker; Joe Whitaker, et ux.; Griselda Whitaker; Chiquita Dillon, et ux.; Donald Lee Dillon; Mickey Whitaker, et ux.; Jean Whitaker; Bill Whitaker, single; Christine Whitaker Branson, single; Amanda Tufts; Deanna Lawson, et ux.; Bill Lawson; Billy "Boots" Alejo, et ux.; John Alejo; Jack Whitaker, et ux.; Myrna Whitaker; Belva Call, et ux.; Joe Call; Denise Antanatos, et ux.; J.M. Antanatos; Lois Stone, et ux.; Benny Stone; Jacqueline W. Sammons, et ux.; Denver Sammons; Erman Poe, et ux.; Shirley Poe; Avenal Poe Whitaker, widow; Butler Johnson, et ux.; Ellaire Johnson; Gethel Johnson Gibson, single; Thelma J. McKinney, widow; Barbara Poe Peterson, et ux.; Bill Peterson; Debby Poe Milian, et ux.; Ray Milian; Pamela Banks, et ux.; Epp Banks, Jr.; Karin Smith, et ux.; Bill Wells, et ux.; Pauline Wells; Lottie Frances Wells; Betty Sue Wells Palmer, single; Peggy Jean W. Conley, et ux.; Pete Conley; Surrilda Poe LeMaster, et ux.; Curtis LeMaster; Shirley Poe Shanks, et ux.; Ronald R. Shank; Susannah Johnson, widow; Ethel J. Shepherd, et ux.; Otis Shepherd; Hershel Poe, et ux.; Rosemary Poe; Robert F. Poe, et ux.; Melinda Poe; Brenda Johnson; Robert Lynn Johnson; Flora Lee J. Corrallo, et ux.; Joe Corrallo; Paul "Bud" Cripe, et ux.; Ida Cripe; Valine C. Alexander, et ux.; Randy Alexander; Mark Jackson, et ux.; Ardie Johnson, et ux.; Debbie Johnson; Retha Mae Irvin, et ux.; Ronald Irvin; Karen H. Murphy, single; Charles Hatcher; Richard Hatcher; Roger Dale Johnson, single; Judith Ann Fontaine; David Cripe, et ux.; Sally Cripe; Alabama Jackson, et ux.; Ethel Jackson; Bernice Scherer, et ux.; Stan Scherer; Marie Poe Harbaugh, et ux.; Robert Harbaugh; Shirley H. Trabert, et ux.; Kenneth Trabert; Stephen Hatcher, et ux.; Kay Hatcher; Joseph Hatcher; James England; Rodney England, et ux.; Lisa England; George England, Jr., single; Elmer England, et ux.; Barbara Jean Poe Watson, et ux.; Gloria Poe Laverock, et ux.; James Laverock; Christine England, widow; Carlos England Rapsavage, et ux.; Roger Rapsavage; Stanley England, et ux.; Elizabeth England; Eugene England, et ux.; Bonnie England; Paul Sexton, et ux.; Patricia Poe Ratliff, single; Robert Whitaker, et ux.; Marjorie Whitaker; Patsy Whitaker, single; Maggie Whitaker; Tobin; Christine Poe Hicks; Vedna Poe Jelliff, widow; Glen Hanson; Lucille Poe Salisbury; Nancy Poe Yoakam, et ux.; Harold Yoakam; Billy Joe Whitaker; Thurman Howard Whitaker; Bessie Poe, widow; Lundy Poe, et ux.; Lelle Poe; Elsie Poe Parker; Arthur Poe; Glenda Hanson Williams, et ux.; Loren Williams; Carl Poe; Charlotta Poe; Johnny Poe, et ux.; Jo Ann Poe; Merlin Poe, single;

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Floyd Circuit Court, rendered at the September 2nd term, 1992, in the above styled cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 28th day of September, 1992, at 10:30 o'clock a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, for cash or upon a credit of sixty (60) days, the following property, to-wit:

The surface of that certain tract of land, lying and being on the waters of the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy River in Floyd County, Kentucky, in the City of Prestonsburg, being lots 91 and 92 in the Mayo Subdivision, having a total frontage of fifty feet and a depth of ninety feet, as shown by a plat of the subdivision based on a survey of October 7, 1948 by Homer Salisbury, recorded as Map 403 in November, 1969 and in Deed Book 139, page 629 in the Floyd County Clerk's Office.

Being the same property conveyed the late W. M. Whitaker and Virgie Whitaker, his wife, by Lucille M. Herndon, Trustee, on May 24, 1950, recorded May 24, 1950 in Deed book 145, page 249 in said office.

This property is being sold to settle the estate of the late Willie M. Whitaker.

The purchaser shall be required to pay all real property taxes for the year 1993 and all subsequent years.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall include the costs of this action, including costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the full force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 4th day of September, 1992.
John Earl Hunt,
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Felix Poe, et ux.; Frances Poe; Dorothy Poe Freund, widow; Opal Poe Holbrooks, et ux.; Charles Holbrooks; Fay Poe Patton, et ux.; Melcom Patton; Cleo Randall Whitaker, et ux.; Kathy Whitaker; Charence Whitaker, single; Marlene Whitaker Oberoler, et ux.; Jim Oberoler; Mareha Poe Phillips, et ux.; Randy Phillips; Mary Ann Poe Daniels, et ux.; John Daniels; Shirley Poe Blederman, et ux.; Howard Blederman; Ruby Poe Nichols, et ux.; Bud Nichols; Thelma W. Dotson, et ux.; Orville Dotson; David Whitaker; Sandra Whitaker Moore, et ux.; Terry Moore; Kathy Whitaker, single; Karen Whitaker Stone, single; Shirley Ann Whitaker; Ronnie Whitaker; Thomas Whitaker; Raymond Whitaker, et ux.; Ann Whitaker; Donald Bill Whitaker, et ux.; Joan Whitaker; Carl Whitaker; Betty Sue Whitaker; Edgel Burton Whitaker; Robert Whitaker; Julia Ann Whitaker Hammonds, et ux.; Bill Hammonds; Douglas Whitaker, et ux.; Micky Whitaker; Alma W. Ratliff, widow; Patricia Joyce Whitaker; Irene Wright Caudill, et ux.; Powell Caudill; Lonnie Wright; Evelyn Wright; Donald Wright; Lawrence Wright, et ux.; Mary Wright; Wilma Wright Brooks, et ux.; George Brooks; Loreita Wright Wells, et ux.; Robert Wells; Shirley Ann Wright, single; Nora Wright Ramey, widow; Herschel Wright, et ux.; Oma Wright; James Wright, et ux.; Gloria Wright; Clayton Wright, single; Leora Wright Reiman, et ux.; Ron Reiman; Betty Wright Wyse, et ux.; John Wyse; Roger Whitaker; Judy Whitaker; Paul R. LeMaster, et ux.; Lois Ann Click, et ux.; Curtis D. LeMaster, et ux.; and the unknown heirs of the late Willie M. Whitaker...Defendants

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the June 12 term, 1992, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 28th day of September, 1992, at 9:30 o'clock a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, for cash or upon a credit of thirty (30) days, the following described property, to-wit:

TRACT I: A certain tract or parcel of land conveyed to Courtney-Cory Collieries, Inc. by J.W. Clifton and Ruby Clifton, his wife, by deed dated June 6, 1989, recorded in Deed Book 328, page 233, in the office of the Floyd County Clerk, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Big Sandy River, and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning with V.O. Turner's line at Junction of State Highway; thence running up and with the highway to Willard Burchett's line; a distance of approximately 382 feet; thence with his line to the Big Sandy River; thence down the river to V.O. Turner's line; thence with his line back to the beginning.

Beginning at a stake at the edge of Big Sandy River cornering on the I. Richmond Estate line; thence a straight line up the hill to the State Highway; thence a straight line up the hill with said I. Richmond Estate line to a stake on top of the hill; thence with the ridge a southerly direction to a stake cornering on L.T. Simpson's line; thence down the hill with said Simpson's line to a stake cornering on Lee May's line of the cliff; thence back of the cliff with said May's line to a stake; thence down the hill with said May's line a straight line crossing the state highway to a stake at the edge of the river; thence down the river to a stake, to the place of beginning.

TRACT II: A certain tract or parcel of land conveyed to Courtney-Cory Collieries, Incorporated by J.W. Clifton and Ruby Clifton, his wife, by deed dated June 6, 1989, recorded in Deed Book 328, page 230, in the office of the Floyd County Clerk, lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on the Big Sandy River, and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the North corner of the line of Willard Burchett and U.S. Highway Number 23; thence North with the right-of-way line of U.S. 23 a distance of 200 feet to a stake; thence west in a parallel line with Willard Burchett's line to the Big Sandy River; thence with the low water mark of the said river a distance of 200 feet South to the line of Willard Burchett; thence with the line of Willard Burchett to the point of beginning.

These tracts will be sold together as a whole.

The purchaser shall be requested to assume and pay all real property taxes for the fiscal year 1991 and all subsequent years.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall be in the principal sum of \$498,254.55, together with accrued interest thereon which as of December 16, 1991, was in the amount of \$4,152.12, which is accruing at the contract rate with a daily accrual factor of \$103.80 until Judgment, and with interest thereafter at the contract rate until satisfied and the costs of this action, including costs of advertising of this sale.

Given under my hand, this 4th day of September, 1992.
John Earl Hunt,
Master Commissioner
Floyd Circuit Court
W-9/9, 9/16, 9/23

FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT 91-CI-951

**The Bank Josephine...Plaintiff
VS: NOTICE OF SALE
Courtney-Cory Collieries, Incorporated; Gary Branham; Sharon Branham; Commonwealth of Kentucky, Revenue Cabinet; Floyd County, Kentucky; and City of Prestonsburg...Defendants**

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These tracts will be sold together as a whole.

The purchaser shall be requested to assume and pay all real property taxes for the fiscal year 1991 and all subsequent years.

The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall be in the principal sum of \$498,254.55, together with accrued interest thereon which as of December 16, 1991, was in the amount of \$4,152.12, which is accruing at the contract rate with a daily accrual factor of \$103.80 until Judgment, and with interest thereafter at the contract rate until satisfied and the costs of this action, including costs of advertising of this sale.

Given under my hand, this 4th day of September, 1992.
John Earl Hunt,
Master Commissioner
Floyd Circuit Court
W-9/9, 9/16, 9/23

ing of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 4th day of September, 1992.

John Earl Hunt
Master Commissioner
Floyd Circuit Court
W-9/9, 9/16, 98/23

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

The following items will be offered for sale at public auction on September 18, 1992 at 10:00 a.m. at The Bank Josephine located on U.S. 23, Harold, KY 41635.

1987 Dodge Van S#R160816

1982 Buick LeSabre Wagon S#1G4AR35Y6-CX144279

All items are sold "as is where is". Seller reserves the right to bid and to reject any or all bids. Items are to be paid following the sale, or satisfactory arrangements are made with seller. Announcement at sale takes priority over ad. Purchaser to pay all taxes and transfer fees.

THE BANK JOSEPHINE
COLLECTION
DEPARTMENT
W-9/9, 9/16, F-9/11

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE INCREMENT #S 3, 4 & 6

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350, notice is hereby given that FCDC Coal, Inc., P.O. Box 159, Dgiff, KY, 41619, intends to apply for bond release on permit number 836-8009 Increment #'s 3, 4 & 6 which was last issued on 06/16/88. The application covers an area of approximately 8.14 acres located 0.15 miles east of Hite in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.70 miles southeast of the junction of KY 122 with KY 80 and located 1.0 mile southeast of Martin. The latitude is 37° 33' 18". The longitude is 82° 44' 50".

The total bond now in effect for Increment #3 is \$8,300.00 dollars, Increment #4 is \$2,100.00, Increment #6 is 150.00, of which approximately 25 percent of the total is to be included in this application for Phase II release.

Reclamation work performed includes: establishment of post mining land use as per approved plan. This work was completed on October 10, 1988.

A public hearing has been scheduled for October 13, 1992 at 9:00 a.m. at the Prestonsburg Regional Office for the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. If a written request for a public hearing has not been received within thirty (30) days after the publication of the final notice for this advertisement, the hearing will be canceled.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing may be submitted to the cabinet at Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, KY 40601. Written comments, objections or requests for a public hearing must be received within 30 days of the final advertisement of this application.

This is the final advertisement of this application; all comments, objections, or requests for a public hearing must be received within thirty (30) days of today's date.
W-9/16

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE Pursuant To Application No.: 836-0200

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Laurel Creek Coal Co., Inc., P.O. Box 940, Paintsville, Kentucky 41240, has applied for Phase I and Phase II Bond Release on Increments No. 4, 6, 7 and 8 of permit number 836-0200, which was last issued on June 5, 1992. The application covers an area of approximately 212.00 acres located 0.5 mile north of level in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 2 miles east from State Route 1426's junction with U.S. Route 23 and located 0.25 mile north of Davison Branch. The latitude is 37° 36' 22". The longitude is 82° 40' 10".

The bond now in effect for Increment #4 is a surety bond in the amount of \$26,300. Approximately 85% of the original bond amount of \$26,300 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment #6 is a surety bond in the amount of \$26,000. Approximately 85% of the original bond amount of \$26,000 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment #7 is a surety bond in the amount of \$18,900. Approximately 85% of the original bond amount of \$18,900 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment #8 is a surety bond in the amount of \$18,000. Approximately 85% of the original bond amount of \$18,000 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed to date includes: backfilling and grading; soil sampling and testing; fertilizing, seeding, mulching and the establishment of an initial growth of vegetation completed August, 1989 (Increment #4), May, 1989 (Increment #6), and September, 1988 (Increments #7 and #8).

Written comments, objections or requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, US 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by November 6, 1992.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for November 10, 1992 at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by November 6, 1992.
W-9/16, 9/23, 9/30, 10/7

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SUPERINTENDENT
ARNOLD AVENUE
PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY 41653

EMPLOYEE PROMOTIONAL PROGRAM VACANCY POSTING NOTICE

Sept. 16, 1992
DATE OPEN

Sept. 30, 1992
DATE CLOSED

OFFICIAL TITLE OF POSITION: Food Service Assistant Cook

JOB LOCATION: Wheelwright High School and Betsy Layne Elementary School

SALARY RANGE: \$4.71/Hr.
CONTACT PERSON: Sharon Newsome

BRIEF JOB DESCRIPTION: Cooks perform such activities as: Preparing, cooking and serving food, cashing, washing and sanitizing food service utensils and assisting with other food service activities required for the school cafeteria operation.
W-9/16

MENTS: Must have a high school diploma or GED, also, must successfully complete a 7 hr. training program for food service.

ADDITIONAL JOB REQUIREMENTS: Prefer 2-3 years experience in Food Service capacity or Post Secondary Vocational Training in Food Service.

Applicant must submit an up-dated, signed application to the Superintendent of the Floyd County Board of Education no later than Sept. 30, 1992 to be considered for an interview.

*Applicant will be notified for an interview as soon as arrangements have been completed.

The Floyd County Board of Education does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, religion, marital status, sex, or handicap in employment, educational programs, or activities as set forth in Title DX & VL W-9/16, 9/23, 9/30

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE Pursuant To Application No.: 836-0200

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Laurel Creek Coal Co., Inc., P.O. Box 940, Paintsville, Kentucky 41240, has applied for Phase I Bond Release on Increments No. 1, 2, 3, 5 and 9 of permit number 836-0200, which was last issued on June 5, 1992. The application covers an area of approximately 212.00 acres located 0.5 mile north of level in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 2 miles east from State Route 1426's junction with U.S. Route 23 and located 0.25 mile north of Davison Branch. The latitude is 37° 36' 22". The longitude is 82° 40' 10".

The bond now in effect for Increment #1 is a surety bond in the amount of \$20,200. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$20,200 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment #2 is a surety bond in the amount of \$101,800. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$101,800 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment #3 is a surety bond in the amount of \$39,300. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$39,300 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment #5 is a surety bond in the amount of \$275,700. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$275,700 is included in the application for release.

The bond now in effect for Increment #9 is a surety bond in the amount of \$75,800. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$75,800 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed to date includes: backfilling and grading; soil sampling and testing; fertilizing, seeding, mulching and the establishment of an initial growth of vegetation completed April, 1992.

Written comments, objections or requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, US 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 by November 6, 1992.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for November 10, 1992 at 9:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1397. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by November 6, 1992.
W-9/16, 9/23, 9/30, 10/7

PUBLIC NOTICE

Mikie's DBA J.R.'s doing business at Glyn View Plaza, Prestonsburg, KY 41653, by Rodney Little, Box 219, David, Ky. 41616, hereby declares his intention to apply for a Restaurant Wine License Dealer under the state law.
W-9/16

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EMPLOYEE PROMOTIONAL PROGRAM VACANCY POSTING NOTICE

September 9, 1992
DATE OPEN

September 22, 1992
DATE CLOSED

OFFICIAL TITLE OF POSITION: Part-time Nurse

JOB LOCATION: Betsy Layne Elem. Family Resource Center

SALARY RANGE: \$8,000-\$11,000

CONTACT PERSON: Pete Grigsby, Jr., Assistant Superintendent

BRIEF JOB DESCRIPTION: Will work four (4) hours per day during the school year.

The salary will depend upon training and experience. She will work at school, screening children. Some travel might be required.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS: Must have an Associate or Bachelor Degree in Science (with a current nursing license). Must have had experience working with children, one-two years working experience in a doctor's office or hospital, and must have flexible schedule.

ADDITIONAL JOB REQUIREMENTS: Must work under the Director of the Family Resource Center.

Applicant must submit an up-dated, signed application to the Superintendent of the Floyd County Board of Education no later than September 22, 1992 to be considered for an interview.

*Applicant will be notified for an interview as soon as arrangements have been completed.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE Pursuant To Application 836-5266, Operator Change

In accordance with 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Richardson Fuel, Inc., 16232 U.S. Route 23, Catlettsburg, Kentucky 41129, intends to revise permit number 836-5266 to change the operator. The operator presently approved in the permit is Richardson Fuel, Inc., 16232 U.S. Route 23, Catlettsburg, Kentucky 41129. The new operator will be Able Mining Corporation, P.O. Box 30, Betsy Layne, Kentucky 41605.

The operation is located 1.0 miles North of Banner in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 0.5 miles northeast of Old Daniels Creek Road junction with US 23/460 and located 300 feet North of Daniels Creek. The operation is located on the Harold U.S.G.S. minute quadrangle map at latitude 37° 36' 42", and longitude 82° 41' 40".

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 or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's date. W-9/16

Legals

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to KRS 231.040, an application for a permit to operate a place of entertainment to be located on Rt. 122 at Price directly across from Little Nancy Church by Lois Osborne of P.O. Box 102, Beaver, Kentucky, 41604. The name of the proposed business of entertainment is Star Lounge. The nature of the business will be bar, beer by the drink, pool table, jukebox, video and pin ball.

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 17th day of August, 1992.

Pursuant to KRS 231.080, a hearing has been scheduled on August 20, 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 August 17, 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
W-9/16

All Legals for Wednesday's paper must be turned in by 12 o'clock Monday.

FLOYD COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
STEPHEN W. TOWLER, SUPERINTENDENT
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PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY 41653

EMPLOYEE PROMOTIONAL PROGRAM VACANCY

September 10, 1992 September 25, 1992
DATE OPEN DATE CLOSED

OFFICIAL TITLE OF POSITION: School Bus Driver

JOB LOCATION: Prestonsburg area

SALARY RANGE: \$33.00 per day

CONTACT PERSON: Earl D. Ousley, Director of Transportation

BRIEF JOB DESCRIPTION: Transport students to and from designated areas.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS: Certification as required by Kentucky Department of Education. Applicant must have high school diploma or GED. Applicant must obtain the Commercial Drivers License (CDL).

ADDITIONAL JOB REQUIREMENTS: none

Applicant must submit an up-dated, signed application to the Superintendent of the Floyd County Board of Education no later than September 24, 1992 to be considered for an interview.

*Applicant will be notified for an interview as soon as arrangements have been completed.

The Floyd County Board of Education does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, religion, marital status, sex, or handicap in employment, educational programs, or activities as set forth in Title IX & VI, & in Section 504.

W-9/16, F-9/18

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant To Application 836-5273, Operator Change

In accordance with 405 KAR 8:010, notice is hereby given that Richardson Fuel, Inc., 16232 U.S. Route 23, Catlettsburg, Kentucky 41129, intends to revise permit number 836-5273 to change the operator. The operator presently approved in the permit is Richardson Fuel, Inc., 16232 U.S. Route 23, Catlettsburg, Kentucky 41129. The new operator will be J & R Coal, Inc., P.O. Box 253, Topmost, Kentucky 41862.

The operation is located 1.7 miles West of Hueysville in Floyd County. The operation is approximately 0.2 miles South from Coolwater Branch junction with SR 7 and located 0.05 miles East of Coolwater Branch of Saltlick Creek. The operation is located on the Wayland U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map at latitude 37° 29' 10", and longitude 82° 52' 06".

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 or objections must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow Complex, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. All comments or objections must be received within fifteen (15) days of today's date. W-9/16

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FOR SALE: 50,000 BTU floor furnace, cost \$695 two years ago, sell for \$200. Also, three bicycles, \$100. 886-2474.

FOR SALE: 1978 Chevy Van. 83,000 miles, air conditioning. Also have a clarinet for sale. Call 874-8184.

FOR SALE: Revco 5' deep freezer. Asking \$75. Good working condition. Call 358-2271.

FOR SALE: 1978 Suzuki 750 motorcycle. Runs great. Phone: 285-9920.

FOR SALE: 12x65 Andover mobile home, \$2,000 firm; washer/dryer, \$200 firm; Global meat saw, \$300 firm. Call 886-9956.

FOR SALE: New hydraulic chair, two dryer chairs, and complete wet station. Also, Super Single waterbed with drawers. Call 874-2309 from 9-5; or 358-2165 after 5:30.

FOR SALE: One electric stove. Two years old. White Kenmore from Sears. \$270. Call 886-6971 after 5 p.m.

FOR SALE: Trailer doors; 1982 TransAm; 1978 Cadillac Eldorado; 1985 Mustang GT 5.0. Phone: 874-2935 or 874-0141.

FOR SALE: Pioneer home stereo. Six disc changer, receiver, dual cassette, remote, speakers and glass cabinet. \$650. Call 886-3788, leave message.

For Sale

FOR SALE: Bear compound bow, \$40; 7 1/4 circular saws, \$25 each; Victor cutting torch set, \$100; electric cook stove, \$60; assorted jig saws, drills, sanders, \$15-20 each; lawn mower, \$40; Datsun 210, 5-speed, 4 cylinder, standard shift, \$85 (no title), good engine and transmission; automatic transmission for six cylinder 250 engine (Chevy), \$50. Call 285-0574.

HOUSE COAL FOR SALE: Hand picked block or stoker. Treated or untreated. Delivered. Call 886-6318.

HYDRAULIC STYLING CHAIR, never used, paid \$500, will sell for \$300. Dryer chair and shampoo bowl, both for \$75. 886-8475/358-9897.

MACE FOR SELF DEFENSE; black powder; shotgun shells, \$5; hunting clothes 1/2 price; arrows, \$1.50; starter pistols; karate uniforms. Thomas Hereford Building, Downtown Prestonsburg.

MEN'S, LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S FALL CLOTHING, \$4; baby clothing, 1/2 price; shoes for the whole family, \$10. Thomas Hereford Building, Downtown Prestonsburg.

PONTOON BOAT FOR SALE: A 1984 24 ft. San Pan Pontoon. 84 Johnson 50HP motor and 84 Hoosier trailer. Very good condition. Now can be seen at Dewey Lake (green top). Insured, totally for ACV at \$8,500. Will sell all for \$4,200. Telephone 874-2162 or 874-9852 after 5.

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TWO LOTS FOR SALE. Located in Christ Gardens at Davidson Memorial Gardens, Ivel, Kentucky. Lot #21C 1 & 2. \$450 firm per lot. Phone 874-2551 to see or 606-854-3878 to buy. Call after 6 p.m. to buy.

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HOUSE FOR SALE at Melvin, Kentucky. Call 377-6858 for more information.

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FOR SALE: Desperate to sell because of relocation. Large two story round house in Lakeview Village. Entry level has great room, kitchen with new appliances, breakfast nook with skylight, two bedrooms and full bath. Loft above great room can be used for bedroom or den. Lower level has spacious den/family room with deck and large master bedroom with full bath. Entry level has large wrap-around deck. Appraised for \$60,000 before being remodeled in 1984. Asking \$58,000. Will consider lease purchase or land contract. Call 615-297-0658.

FOR SALE: Three bedroom house on Highland Avenue in Prestonsburg. Newly remodeled. \$19,500. Call 886-2541 or 297-4223 after 5.

FOR SALE: Prime commercial site fronting U.S. 23 near Lomansville. Adjoined by unique secluded valley of 100+ acres with multiple housing sites and beautiful 3 acre fresh water lake. Mineral rights included. \$275,000. Phone: 298-3782.

FOR SALE: Two 3 bedroom homes. One is located near Porter Photography on U.S. 23, Watergap; other is located one mile north of Floyd Funeral Home (near power plant) on U.S. 23, Prestonsburg. For more information call 886-3859 anytime.

HOUSE FOR SALE: Six rooms and bath plus full basement with bath. One 75x100 lot in Maytown. Call 285-9196.

HOUSE FOR SALE: Six rooms plus bath and utility. Two concrete porches, large outside building. Wheelwright Junction. Call 452-2761.

HOUSE FOR SALE: West Prestonsburg. Nice two bedroom. Carpet, central air. Good rental. Priced for quick sale. \$31,900. Call 606-887-4731.

HOUSE FOR SALE: Three bedrooms, two baths. Garage. Located near Wheelwright area. Call 614-882-3052 for more information.

HOUSE FOR SALE: Four bedroom, two bath, central heat/air, two car garage. Large lot with garden and fruit trees. Rt. 1100 at East Point. \$56,900. Call 789-3904 or 789-4465.

Autos For Sale

1980 CHEVY CITATION. One owner. 72,000 miles, automatic, a/c, AM/FM cassette. Engine has noise. Also, another complete car for parts. \$900 for both. Possible owner financing. Phone: 946-2566 or 297-6347.

Real Estate For Sale

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FOR SALE: 1984 Bronco. Black and silver. Excellent condition. Low mileage. Must see to appreciate. \$5,600. Also, 1979 Mustang. Black, rebuilt V-6 motor. Excellent condition. Automatic. Call 886-9396.

For Rent

APARTMENT FOR RENT: One bedroom furnished. Located on Rt. 1428 between Prestonsburg and Allen. 900 sq. ft. \$300/month. Deposit required. Call 874-9865, Alan Ranier.

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FOR RENT: One bedroom efficiency apartment. Nice neighborhood. Centrally located. Utilities included. No pets. Phone: 886-6320.

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FOR RENT: Two bedroom furnished trailer at Langley. \$250/month, partial utilities included. Call 285-5037 after 5.

FOR RENT: Office space. 2,400 sq. ft. with parking. Burl W. Spurlock, 886-2321.

FOR RENT: One 1 bedroom house at Harold. Unfurnished. Deposit required. No pets. Call 478-1985.

FOR RENT: Two bedroom mobile home in good condition. Located on U.S. 23 behind airport. No pets. Call 886-9007 or 789-5933.

FOR RENT: One six room house and one efficiency apartment. Phone: 886-6578 or 886-3154.

FOR RENT: Two bedroom partially furnished trailer. Two miles up Mare Creek. \$200 a month. Call 478-1410.

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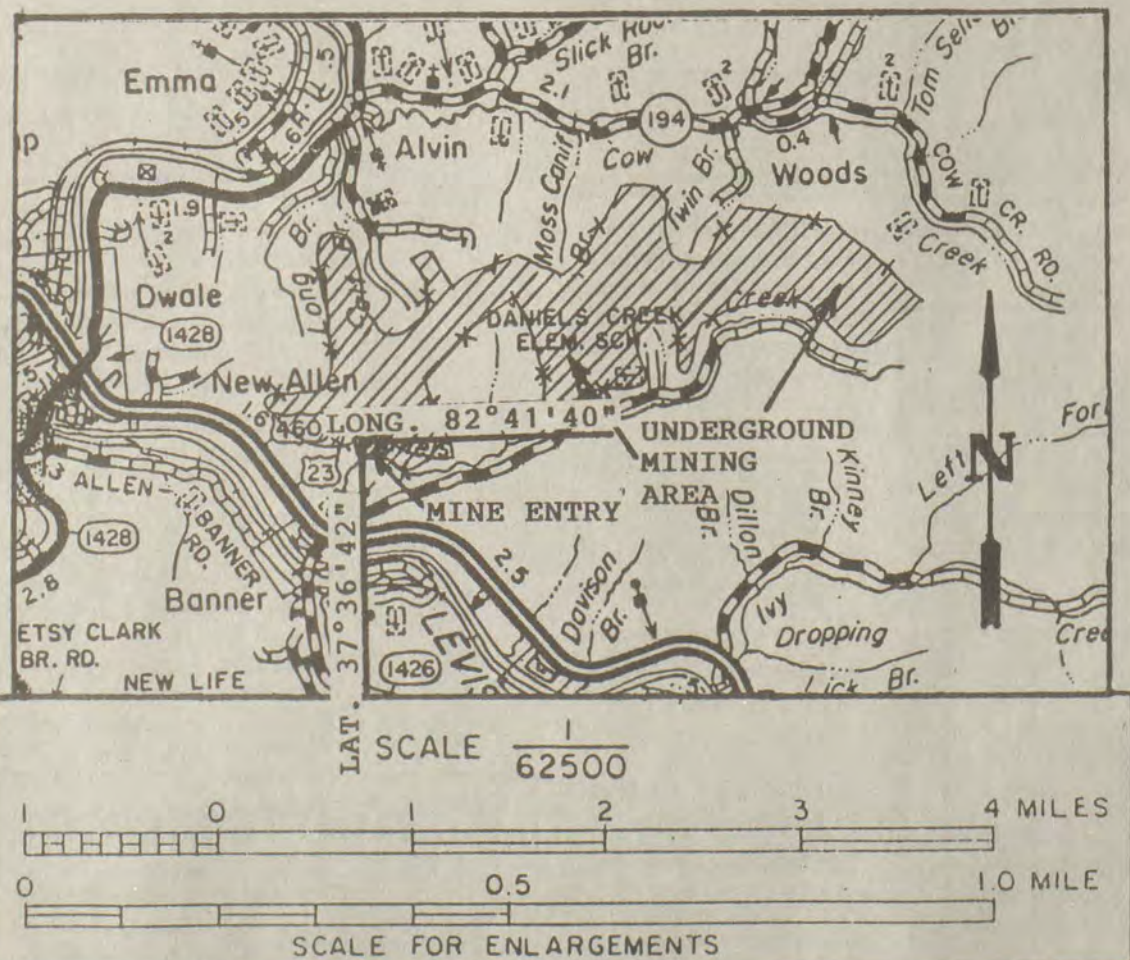
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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant To Application 836-5266 Amendment 1

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Richardson Fuel, Inc., 16232 U.S. Route 23, Catlettsburg, KY 41129 has filed an application for an amendment to an existing underground coal mining and reclamation operation. The amendment proposes to add an additional 0.60 acres of surface disturbance and underlie an additional 662.0 and deletions 172.0 for a total proposed permit acreage of 1133.14 acres located 1.0 miles North of Banner in Floyd County.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.5 miles Northeast from Old Daniels Creek Road's junction with U.S. 23/460 and located 300 feet North of Daniels Creek. The latitude is 37° 36' 42". The longitude is 82° 41' 40".

The proposed operation is located on the Harold U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed by this amendment is owned by H.D. Fitzpatrick Heirs. The proposed amendment will underlie land owned by those as shown on the attached map.

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, US 127 South, Frankfort, KY 40601.

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