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# The Floyd County Times

Property purchased behind current facility :

## Jail site deal is approved

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

It appeared that a decision was finalized Friday on the location of a new Floyd County Jail when fiscal court members voted to purchase a lot behind the current jail facility.

In a unanimous decision, the court

agreed to pay \$80,000 to Mid Valley Realty for a 100 x 300-foot lot to construct a new single-story jail in Prestonsburg.

Floyd County Judge-Executive John M. Stumbo apparently negotiated an option to purchase the property on behalf of the court in February with Mid Valley owners H.D. Fitzpatrick Jr., Tom Dingus, James D. Adams and Jack Absher.

The terms of the option require that the court purchase the property before April 25.

Stumbo told court members that a new jail would not be located in a new courthouse facility and that plans for a new government center are currently being discussed. Stumbo did not identify what discussions are taking place or what other, if any, governmental agencies are involved.

Floyd County officials have been under an order by the state Corrections Cabinet for almost two years to build a new jail or corrections officials will close the Floyd jail and turn it into a 96-hour holding facility.

Late last year, the fiscal court hired the architectural firm of Chrisman, Miller and Woodford of Lexington to design a new jail facility.

Chenault Woodford, architect for the firm, told court officials earlier this year that it would be more expensive to build a two-story facility. Woodford said a feasibility study had been performed on the existing site and it would cost approximately \$2.5 million to build a single-story facility.

Stumbo said that if it is obvious that the court "is going toward" building a new jail, corrections officials will "leave the other jail open."

There was no indication when county officials will proceed with building a new facility.

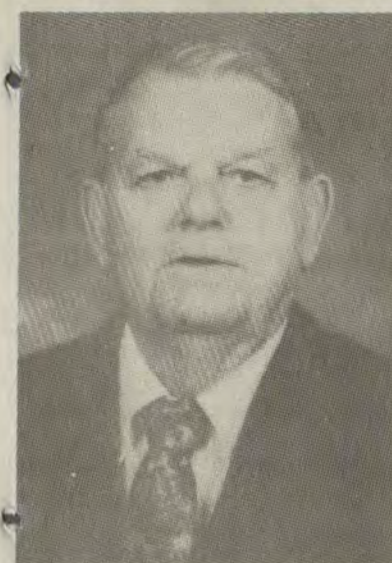
## The end is not near for Floyd students; closings are delayed

School will be in session until June 21 at most Floyd County schools, but one school will not dismiss for the summer until June 28.

An updated list of school closing dates was distributed Tuesday, March 23 by Maurice Allen, co-director of Pupil Personnel for the Floyd County Schools. The late June closing dates are the result of weather and other cancellations this year. The closing dates are current, including Tuesday's district-wide shutdown for the funeral of Board Member Ray "Shag" Campbell.

Schools scheduled to close on June 21 are: Allen Elementary, Auxier Elementary, Betsy Layne High

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Campbell

## Rites held Tuesday for board chairman

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

Floyd County School Board Chairman Ray "Shag" Campbell died Sunday of a massive heart attack at Our Lady of the Way Hospital in Martin where he had been hospitalized for almost a month.

Campbell, 73, of Banner had served on the board of education for 20 years and was serving in his second term as chairman.

Classes were canceled Tuesday in the Floyd County school system in observance of Campbell's death. Also, the Floyd County Board of Education meeting set for Tuesday was rescheduled until Thursday at 6 p.m. at Betsy Layne High School.

Chairman Campbell was facing removal from office by the State Board for Elementary and Secondary Education after he was charged by Education Commissioner Thomas Boysen for misconduct in office. Boysen charged that Campbell had signed school construction contracts without the approval of the full board.

(See Campbell, page two)

## July trial date is scheduled in double homicide

A July 26 trial date has been set for a Floyd County man accused of killing his estranged wife and her boyfriend on January 31.

Phillip Hunter 46, of Honaker is charged with two counts of capital murder for the shooting deaths of his wife, Ella Hunter, 42, of Honaker and Darrell Blackburn, 45, of Pike County.

Hunter entered not guilty pleas in court Friday and his attorney, David Williams, did not ask that bond be set. Williams added that he may file a motion for bond at a later time.

On January 31, Hunter allegedly followed his wife and Blackburn to the gates of the Betsy Layne High School campus and shot them each twice with a shotgun. Ella Hunter was at the school to teach a martial arts class.

Hunter has been held without bond since the time of his arrest.



CAROLYN SMITH WEPT openly in Floyd Circuit Court Friday during formal sentencing for her involvement in the brutal 1987 slayings of her parents and 38-year-old mentally retarded brother. Circuit Judge Harold Stumbo sentenced Smith to 18 years in prison despite pleas for a probated sentence. (photo by Geoff Belcher)

# Wis for Valor



by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

A sick child with respiratory problems coupled with blizzard conditions set the scene for a rescue effort as dramatic as any ever seen on Rescue 911 and the two major players in that life saving operation were honored Saturday.

Two Kentucky National Guardsmen were awarded medals of valor Saturday at the Prestonsburg armory for their heroic efforts to get a sick child out of a remote area in Magoffin County to a hospital during the blizzard that swept through the county almost two weeks ago.

Kentucky Adjutant General Robert Dezarn presented First Sergeant Calvin Setser of Auxier and Specialist Terry Ward of Van Lear with the Kentucky Distinguished Service Medal with V for Valor for walking several miles in deep snow to carry out a three-year-old child and assist her mother out during the winter storm.

Dezarn praised the actions of Setser and Ward when he gave them the highest honor in the Kentucky National Guard.

"I'm really proud of these two men and the super human job they did in the rescue," Dezarn said. "A time or two they felt like quitting, but they didn't. That is what the guard is all about. You just don't get to give

these out very often. Just everybody doesn't get one of these."

The drama unfolded on March 14 when the National Guard received a call that a woman and her child needed to be transported from their home in Tick Lick, a remote area of Magoffin County, to Paul B. Hall Hospital in Paintsville.

A severe winter storm the weekend of March 12 dumped up to 30 inches of snow in parts of Eastern Kentucky closing all roadways except to emergency vehicles and virtually trapping people in their homes.

The Kentucky National Guard unit in Prestonsburg was mobilized at noon Saturday and guardsmen primarily were called on to answer medical emergencies.

A call was received at the armory at approximately 1:30 p.m. Sunday from the Magoffin County Rescue Squad that a child needed to be transported to the hospital.

Setser and Ward were dispatched on the call and the routine rescue escalated to a life and death situation for all involved when the soldiers were unable to drive their all terrain army vehicle, a HUMVEE, to the home because an abandoned vehicle was blocking the roadway.

Setser and Ward went above and beyond the call of duty, and perhaps above human capability, when they

(See Valor, page three)

## Two make Merit finals

Two Floyd County high school seniors have achieved one of the highest academic honors in the nation.

Heather Watson of Allen Central and Lisa Hobson of McDowell have been named National Merit finalists by the National Merit Corporation in Evanston, Illinois.

"It is an honor for a school system the size of Floyd County to have two National Merit finalists," said Superintendent Dr. Stephen Towler. "We are very proud of these two young ladies for their academic accomplishments and all-around hard work. Their schools, their communities and all of Floyd County should take pride in their excellent attitudes and performance."

"Of all the different testing measures, the National Merit Test is regarded as the benchmark of high aptitude," added Towler. "This distinction is recognized nationally by all states as a key indication of a strong student. Typically, students who are National Merit finalists can write their own ticket, in terms of their future. Colleges and universities will compete for these students. There are a lot of opportunities opened up for these



Heather Watson



Lisa Hobson

young ladies."

Over a million students nationwide took the PSAT/NMSQT last fall as juniors, according to Elaine Detweiler, public information director for the National Merit Corporation. Approximately 15,000 students were named semifinalists, or one-half of one percent of the graduating seniors nationwide. The top 90 percent of the semifinalists, or approximately 14,000 students, were named

finalists, said Detweiler.

In addition to scoring well on the PSAT, students must also submit a scholarship application, their academic record, and an endorsement from their principal, said Detweiler. They must follow the PSAT scores with SAT scores which confirm their academic competency.

The honor qualifies Hobson and

(See Merit, page six)

## Transfer station offer is scrapped

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

Floyd Countians won't know for the time being the condition of the county's solid waste financial condition or the answers to a dilemma concerning disposal of solid waste.

At Friday's Floyd County Fiscal Court meeting, court members tried three times to go into closed session to discuss what appeared to be urgent financial concerns in the county's solid waste department.

Each time the court voted to go into a closed session to discuss "where to get the best interest rate on monies," the move was contested by the media which objected to the vote on grounds the proposed closed session did not meet the requirements cited in Kentucky's Open Meeting Law.

Floyd County Judge-Executive John M. Stumbo said that he felt the reason given for the closed session was appropriate.

The first closed session was called for at 11:25 a.m. and the door to the meeting room was closed until approximately 11:35 a.m. at which time the door was opened and the media was invited back to the meeting.

Floyd County Attorney Jim Hammond again announced that the court would go into secret session to discuss a proposal between a business and the court. That move was also formally objected to by the press. The meeting door was closed at 11:40 a.m.

During the second session, the door opened at 11:42 a.m. and Hammond left the meeting.

Hammond apparently went to Judge-Executive John M. Stumbo's office and returned with a handwritten resolution calling for the secret session which cited a provision allowing for discussions between "public agencies and a business entity and discussions concerning a specific proposal, if open discussions would jeopardize the siting, retention, expansion or upgrading of the business."

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## Plea for leniency rejected by judge

by Geoff Belcher  
Staff Writer

Tears flowed and tempers flared in Floyd Circuit Court Friday as formal sentencing began for a Letcher County woman and her husband in connection with the 1987 slayings of her parents and mentally retarded brother.

Circuit Judge Harold Stumbo sentenced Carolyn Smith, 26, to 18 years in a correctional institution Friday despite pleas for a probated sentence.

Smith pleaded guilty in Floyd Circuit Court on February 27 to facilitating the August 1, 1987 murders of her parents, Sie and Judy Shepherd, and her 38-year-old mentally retarded brother, Buster Shepherd.

Smith's husband, Anthony Smith, pleaded guilty to three counts of murder and one count of arson in the

case. Stumbo sentenced him to a total of 25 years in prison.

Anthony Smith, along with co-defendant Steve Adams, allegedly beat the three victims, locked them in their own mobile home and burned it to the ground after Carolyn Smith had abducted her daughter from the Shepherds, who had legally adopted her.

The Smiths were convicted once in the case, which has been on-going since 1987 and contains over 6,000 pages of court transcript. The guilty verdict was overturned in 1990 by the Kentucky Supreme Court, however, because Letcher Circuit Judge F. Byrd Hogg failed to swear in the jury before trial.

Adams, who has never been tried in the case, remains in the Letcher

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**Cavity prevention**

Visiting students at Mountain Christian Academy during Community Helpers month at the school were, from left, Robin Clark, Sugar Bug; Dr. Eddy Clark, dentist; and Barbie Moore, Ms. Tooth.

**Former chief pleads guilty to harassment**

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

Former Wheelwright Police Chief Charles Harmon pleaded guilty last week to harassment charges involving two members of the Wheelwright City Commission.

Commissioners Andy Akers and Lowell Dean Parker filed charges against Harmon in January claiming that Harmon went to city hall on January 3 and tried to entice the two commissioners into a fight. Commissioners also charged that Harmon had threatened them.

Court records show that on March 12 Harmon was cited for contempt of court for allegedly violating a court order which prohibited Harmon from having contact with Akers or Parker and their families.

In an affidavit dated March 10, Akers claimed that Harmon used "ob-

scene gestures" toward him in public and that Harmon tried to intimidate him.

Akers' wife, Teresa, also filed an affidavit which said that on March 6 Harmon and a deputy sheriff came to her place of employment looking for her husband to serve a civil summons on him.

Harmon pleaded guilty to the harassment charges last Wednesday. He was fined \$50, which was suspended, and ordered to have no contact with Akers or Parker for a year. He was ordered to pay \$47.50 in court costs.

Harmon was suspended as police chief of Wheelwright in January and was fired from that post in February after a hearing. Harmon is appealing his dismissal in Floyd County Circuit Court.

Harmon is also a candidate for District Three Constable.

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Hammond explained that the discussions would be between Floyd County Solid Waste Inc., a public entity, and the court.

Hammond's resolution for a closed session was also objected to by the media on the grounds it did not conform to state law.

Hammond left once again to confer with Solid Waste director Bob McAninch, who was at the meeting to discuss an issue with the court.

The county attorney returned a short time later and announced that McAninch's proposal did not meet the requirements under the law for holding a secret session.

McAninch declined to discuss any business with the court during open session and would not answer reporter's questions about what he intended to bring before the court.

When McAninch was asked if his discussions concerned the financial condition of the solid waste department, he replied, "no comment."

After Friday's meeting, Hammond emphatically denied that the court had held any discussions during the times the door was closed.

Also at Friday's meeting, Judge-Executive Stumbo announced that negotiations had broken off with Addington Inc. to install and operate a transfer station at Garth.

Stumbo said the company had withdrawn its initial bid of \$29 per ton to dispose of the county's solid waste and added "we're back to square one."

McAninch offered four proposals to the county's predicament concerning solid waste: continue taking waste for disposal to West Virginia; installing the county's own transfer station; proceed with trying to construct and open the county's own landfill; or sue the Cabinet for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection to reopen the county's landfill for as long as the life of the bonds which financed its initial construction.

Court members held no discussions on the issue and failed to act on any of McAninch's suggestions.

Other action Friday:  
• the court heard from Randy Holbrook of David who asked for gravel on David Road and who accused county workers of putting gravel on private roads. The court

denied working on private roads and told Holbrook the road he was referring to needed to be taken into the county road system.

• Barney Walker asked the court to include a ban on incinerating medical and solid waste in their update area plan for solid waste disposal. Judge-Executive Stumbo said he disagreed with excepting disposal of medical waste because he currently has medical waste picked up at his home. Stumbo said when the plan is revised the court "will take a look" at the issue.

• the court amended a county ordinance which provides for the sale of alcohol beverages after midnight to apply to facilities with seating capacities of 100 people at tables;

• Darrell Gilliam, director of the Industrial Authority, presented the county's economic development plan and discussed with the court new guidelines for spending coal severance revenues;

• the court reappointed Burl Shepherd, Morris Hylton and Debbie Stumbo to the Floyd County Housing Authority Board and reappointed Homer Hall to the Beaver Elkhorn Water Board;

• the court hired Deanna Vaughn as a temporary cook at the county jail and agreed to pay Bert Bryant a constable's salary because he was appointed District Three Constable after the death of his father, Constable King Pharaoh "Buddy" Bryant;

• the court passed a resolution to move graves at the Osborne Family Cemetery in order for the state Highway Department to straighten the Hite Curve;

• the court agreed to raise the pay of county road workers Tommy Keathley and Kyle Lonnie May to \$7.82 per hour;

• the court approved an agreement between the county and Prestonsburg City Utilities in order to move water lines for the Ivel Bridge project; and

• the court agreed to take a roadway at South Pinhook into the county road system.

The next regular meeting of the fiscal court will be Friday, April 16 at 10 a.m. in the courthouse annex. The meetings are open to the public.

**Brothers arrested in Sunday auto theft case**

by Susan Allen  
Staff Writer

Two Prestonsburg brothers were charged with grand theft auto Sunday afternoon after they allegedly stole a pickup truck at Mike's Pizza Plus in Auxier early Sunday morning.

Tommy Shepherd, 18, and Billy Shepherd, 19, were arrested Sunday in two separate instances by Constable Bob Hackworth and Floyd County sheriff's deputies.

Hackworth said he and deputies arrested Tommy Shepherd at Bucks Branch near Martin when they stopped a pickup truck in which the two boys were riding in. Billy Shepherd fled the scene, Hackworth said, and he was later arrested in a barn loft in the vicinity of Wildcat Hollow.

The vehicle, an S-10 pickup be-

longing to Lois Coleman of Prestonsburg, was recovered at the boys' grandfather's residence at Wildcat Hollow on Bucks Branch, Hackworth said.

Coleman apparently stopped at the pizza parlor to pick up a pizza and the two boys jumped into the vehicle and fled, Hackworth added. A third suspect is being sought in connection with the theft.

The two were also charged with terroristic threatening, disorderly conduct and resisting arrest. The pair remains lodged in the Floyd County Jail, Billy Shepherd under a \$3,000 full cash bond and Tommy Shepherd under a \$5,157.50 full cash bond.

Sheriff's deputies Homer Neeley, Bob Hackworth Jr., Gary Blankenship, Dennis Hutchinson, Bryan Rauliff and Terry Chaffins assisted in the investigation.

Kentucky State Police are also investigating the incident.

**Campbell—**

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On February 22, Campbell answered the misconduct charge at a removal hearing in Frankfort before a majority of the state board.

State board members were scheduled to render a decision in Campbell's case on April 6.

Campbell, a retired self-employed merchant, was also a U.S. Army World War II veteran who served in Europe in the Normandy Beach Invasion.

Survivors include his wife, Ellen Jones Campbell; two sons, John Leonard Campbell and Barry Campbell both of Banner; and a brother, French Campbell of Banner.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Tuesday in the Hall Funeral Home Chapel with the Reverend French Harmon officiating.

Burial was made in the Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel.

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# Murder

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County Jail, where he has been lodged since he and the Smiths were captured in New Orleans, Louisiana in September, 1987.

Defense attorney Linda Adkins told Stumbo Friday that Carolyn Smith had already suffered enough for her involvement in the crime, both through the nearly six years she was incarcerated at the Pee Wee Valley Correctional Facility for Women and through the intense guilt she would experience for the rest of her life due to the violent deaths of her parents and brother.

Adkins petitioned Stumbo to grant Smith a probated sentence, and called as character witnesses Ronald and Donna Creak, who met Smith through the Prison Ministries Association and who have filed motions to legally adopt her despite her age.

Ronald Creak said that Smith had grown from a "lonely, scared person looking at spending the rest of her life in jail... to a person who could develop relationships with others.... (Smith) has become more like a daughter to us."

Creak said that Smith had shown a willingness to grow and learn, and had expressed the desire to pursue a college education and re-enter society as a productive citizen.

Assistant Letcher Commonwealth's Attorney Edison Banks II recounted for Creak the night of the murders, describing in graphic detail the actions Smith allegedly took to arrange the crime and how her parents were "beaten...lying in pools of their own blood and...begging for mercy."

Creak admitted that he had previously only known Smith's version of the story.

"I don't believe that Carolyn was involved to begin with..." Donna Creak said when questioned on the witness stand. "I believe that Carolyn is innocent of the original crimes that people say she committed."

John Lentz, chief chaplain at Pee Wee Valley for the last 14 years, testified that he had found Smith to behave not as a person who had committed murder, but as a person who felt extreme guilt over tangent involvement in a murder.

"Carolyn isn't any threat to anyone..." Lentz said. "I think she's a good probation risk.... She ends up helping the other women (incarcerated at Pee Wee Valley) frequently

because of her insight and willingness to help other people."

Detective Lieutenant Danny Webb, of the Hazard Post of the Kentucky State Police told Stumbo Friday that Smith was a manipulator who had devised previous plans to kill her mother long before the 1987 murders took place. Webb said that Anthony Smith "worshipped her, and was willing to do anything she wanted him to."

"There's no doubt in my mind," Webb said, "that Carolyn (Smith) set the whole thing up... that she was involved in every step of the plan."

Kyle Shepherd, one of Smith's nine living brothers and sisters, became emotional on the witness stand and characterized Smith as the spoiled "baby" of the family who would do anything to anyone to get what she

wanted.

"They say that she spent enough time (in jail)," Shepherd said. "Why doesn't somebody go tell that to Mom and Dad and Buster. They're spending eternity.... We (the family members) want her to stay in jail. We forgive... but I believe she needs to pay for what she did."

Adkins asked Shepherd if he and other members of the family felt so strongly against Smith because of the guilt they themselves felt because they had encouraged her to take her daughter back from her parents.

"That's a lie from the pits of Hell," Shepherd said.

Stumbo denied Smith's probation plea and remanded her to a correctional facility for the entire 18-year sentence. Smith may be eligible for parole in seven years.

# Valor

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walked for over two hours—each way—sometimes in waist deep snow, to reach Terri Koontz's home in Tick Lick and carry Heidi Koontz, 3, out of the hollow to a waiting ambulance.

"We thought about giving up a couple of times, but we didn't," Setser said. "At times we thought we wouldn't make it."

Not only did the two men carry out Heidi, but the soldiers returned to the home to assist Terri Koontz to walk out to be with her daughter.

"It was tremendous and I thank God for bringing these people to help me," Terri Koontz said Saturday.

Staff Sergeant Darrell Vollett, who oversees daily operations at the Prestonsburg armory and who assisted with rescue efforts during the blizzard, also lauded the soldiers.

"Any other normal person would have just turned around and headed back," Vollett said Saturday. "They knew they needed to get there because time was critical. They went in and they risked their own lives to get that child and mother out. I'm very proud of those two men."

Heidi Koontz was diagnosed with pneumonia, her mother said, and she was released from the hospital on Monday.

Terri Koontz said the storm had

taken her by surprise because she had just moved to Tick Lick from Grand Rapids, Michigan about a month ago.

The rescue effort involved other unsung heroes such as Sam Caudill, Tim Salyer and Tommy Howard with the Magoffin County Rescue Squad.

First Sergeant Setser, 47, has been a member of the National Guard since 1974 and works full time in the armory's maintenance department.

Specialist Ward, 29, is an emergency medical technician for River City Ambulance Service in Johnson County and has been a member of the guard since 1981. The men are members of Company B, 206th Engineer Battalion.



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Liberty of thought is the life of the soul—Voltaire

## Keyhole democracy

by Scott Perry

What you don't know can't hurt you.

That may be true in some cases, but when the what-you-don't-know is the public's business, there is no excuse for secrecy.

Certainly, the law provides for exceptions to open meetings of public agencies, but there are no loopholes more abused by so-called "public" servants.

Elected officials routinely invoke open meeting exceptions to exclude the public from discussions on touchy or controversial issues.

By doing so, they not only defy the law, they thumb their noses at the very principle which makes their elective positions possible.

More times than not, public agencies close the door to public scrutiny

to protect no one but themselves.

They haven't the nerve to risk their political lives in public so they take anything that hints of controversy out of the public arena.

Out of sight, out of mind is the rule and, unfortunately, it's too often true.

The public rarely creates a ruckus over closed-door debates, tacitly authorizing such covert activity.

You have more than a right to participate in your government... you have a duty.

Public servants have no right to cloak their activities in secrecy, no matter how volatile the issues.

Good government begins with an open door and stops when the welcome mat is withdrawn.

What you don't know can hurt you, and you shouldn't have to peep through keyholes to find out.

# I WILL CUT TAXES ON THE MIDDLE CLASS



MIKESMITH — LEVEESON NORTHAMPTON, 1775

## —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.

### Sheriff's department "helps thy neighbor"

Editor:  
We here at the Mtn. Manor Nursing Home would like to take this opportunity to let the people of Floyd County be aware of the care and support shown to this facility during the Blizzard of '93 by the Floyd County Sheriff's Office and the Floyd County Emergency & Rescue Squad, as well as our employees.

These days it often seems that the old moral code that included the principle "Help thy neighbor" has long since disappeared, but the people who pulled together for us during this recent crisis proved it still exists. We're lucky to have people of such high quality and dedication in service to others.

Throughout the blizzard, members of the sheriff's office and the rescue squad risked their lives on hazardous, icy roads to help our staff and patients by delivering food and supplies, providing beds for our emergency staff and by transporting snow-bound employees to and from work through the worst road conditions this county has ever seen.

As far as we are concerned, these two organizations are the finest such in the country and should be commended for a job well done.

We'd also like to extend a special

thank you to Floyd County Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson, both for his caring and compassion and for assembling a top-notch staff of capable dedicated individuals.

Their contributions to this facility over the years have been innumerable and invaluable.

Mary Hughes, Act. Dir.  
Helen Jarrell Soc. Dir.  
Staff of Mtn. Manor

airline ticket, one way! If that is too "radical" a solution perhaps the money can be applied for tuition for a course in basic American Government!

Robert McAninch

### Time to end the blame game

Editor:  
You recently published a letter from Don Barlow, a colleague of mine at PCC. In it he stated, rather emotionally, the conservative critique of President Bill Clinton. Rather than have anyone think that we Clinton supporters have no answer to these differences, I would like to ask Don and other conservatives some questions:

When you call the President "Slick Willie" or use the terminology of the "Big Lie," how do you evaluate Ronald Reagan's promise of a balanced budget despite increased defense spending and drastic tax cuts for the wealthy (passed in 1981 by a Republican Senate and a coalition of Republicans and conservative "Boll Weevil" Democrats in the House? Reagan's budget director, David Stockman, said that Reaganomics was nothing but a smokescreen for tax

(More letters on page five)

### Radical thinking requires radical solution

Editor:  
In reference to Don Barlow's letter appearing in the March 17 issue of the Times, I am neither a left-wing liberal ideologue, nor am I ill informed on current events, nor am I a Socialist, or a pothead, or a Sophist, or a homosexual but I did vote for Clinton. I know this will distress you, but voting for Clinton does not make me one of the above. I do not recall such insulting letters being written when Reagan won. Don, you have a difficult time understanding the two party system. It is clear that emotionally you would be more comfortable in Chile or South Africa! Rather than paying your increased taxes, I would be glad to apply the money to an

## EDITORIAL DEADLINES

### WEDNESDAY EDITION:

Lifestyles, Business, all pictures ..... 5 p.m. Friday  
Obituaries, Calendar items ..... 10 a.m. Tuesday  
(Calendar items, reunions, meetings, special classes, will appear in the Wednesday and Friday editions only prior to the event.)

### FRIDAY EDITION:

News copy, all pictures ..... 5 p.m. Wednesday  
Obituaries, Calendar items ..... 10 a.m. Thursday  
Note: News articles of events more than three months old will not be published. All copy will be edited for clarity and length.

# Coffee Break

by Scott Perry

Did you know that you owe about \$40,000 to creditors of the U.S. government?

So does your spouse, each of your children, your dog, cat, parakeet and goldfish.

That's the per capita share for paying off the national debt, which currently has more zeros in it than are in a case of alphabet soup.

The bill increases with every breath you take.

The leading contributor to the national debt is a thing known as deficit spending or, as our our Economics 101 prof might say, taking in less than you put out.

A simpler example might be to imagine that the federal government swiped your Visa card and racked up a zillion bucks in charges for which you are ultimately responsible.

And what do you get from this governmental shopping spree?

IRS form 1040.

Ante up.

It is, of course, unfair to blame our budget mess entirely on Washington.

This is a representative form of government, after all, and those of us being represented are about as willing to shoulder our share of the burden as we are likely to mention the word "dentist" without wincing.

A road here, a bridge there, a federally funded program everywhere and we tend to forget rather quickly that money does not grow on trees.

P.T. Barnum once said there is "a sucker born every minute."

Guess who he was talking about.

Nowhere is the health care crisis more obvious than in hotel gift shops.

Six bucks for a dozen aspirin?

You gotta be kiddin'.

It's a racket.

First they turn up the heat high enough to guarantee a headache then they zap you on the cost of relief.

Didn't see anything about that little problem in the gov's plan for health care reform now, did you?

It's a conspiracy.

We demand an investigation.

A Philadelphia teen-ager has discovered that government of the people and by the people is illegal in Pennsylvania if the people happen to be underage.

Sixteen-year-old Ian Berg's candidacy for a county district justice's seat was nixed by the Philadelphia courts last week because Berg would have violated child-labor laws if he had happened to win the election. The law bans children from working more than 28 hours in a school week, but the office Berg sought could have required 40 or more hours per week.

Say, if you can disqualify a kid for working more than 28 hours a week, what can we do with these adults who won't?

How 'bout them Cats, Cards and Hilltoppers?

The Commonwealth of Kentucky has three times as many entries into the NCAA's prestigious Sweet Sixteen as any other state, confirming beyond question that Bluegrass basketball is king.

Was there really ever any doubt?

Too bad U.K. and Western Kentucky are in the same region. Would have been nice to have an All Golden Triangle final four with the Cats, Hilltoppers, Louisville and Cincinnati.

Oh well, three out of four ain't bad.



# —Letters to the Editor—

cuts for the very wealthy, and he was right. No Democratic president, even with a Democratic Congress, ever amassed the consecutive budget deficits that Reagan and Bush did. The wisest thing that President Clinton said in his address to Congress is that it is time to end the Blame Game and end the gridlock. Apparently my conservative friends want both to continue. But in playing the shifty game, the champion was the Great Communicator.

When you mention that Clinton received only 43 percent of the vote (about what Richard Nixon received in 1968), do you mean that his ability to govern should be in doubt? Sixty-one percent of the voting population voted against President Bush, and he gathered a smaller percentage of the vote than Jimmy Carter in 1980 or even Walter Mondale in 1984. Ross Perot promised even higher taxes than Bill Clinton has suggested, so the mood for change, arejection of Bush-Reagan policies could not have been made clearer.

You make veiled references to Clinton supporters as Socialists. As a teacher, you have a responsibility to clearly explain your terms, not use words like a club. What does Socialism mean to you? Is it Social Security? Those whose lives are made better by that program should know what conservatives really think about it. What about student loans and grants that allow our students to attend PCC, and allow you and me to have jobs? What about workshops funded by the national government that you and I have attended and received grant money from? If they are a pernicious influence, maybe you should be in another line of work. Even private colleges and universities take aid from the federal government, so it will be hard for you to act in accordance with your principles in college teaching.

Attribute references to homosexuals and "pot-heads" to the frustration that my conservative friends feel today. After twelve years of conservative Republican presidents, instead of a paradise we have economic stagnation, relatively high unemployment, and a crushing burden of national debt. If we do not act to correct the situation now through reasonable tax increases and cuts in federal spending, it is not Clinton supporters who will be paying your taxes, Don. It will be our children and grandchildren who will rue the day that Gippernomics was adopted.

I do have good news for you. Under Clinton's national health plan, you will have access to the blood pressure medicine that (judging by the tone of your letter) you so desperately need.

Thomas T. Carroll  
Prestonsburg

## End rationing healthcare: support Governor's plan

Editor:

The Kentucky Health Care Reform plan proposed by Governor Jones, while addressing a complex and disjointed array of problems in a comprehensive and coordinated manner, rests on two interrelated fundamental objectives.

The first objective is to assure that every Kentuckian is covered by health insurance for adequate quality health care services. The emphasis is on primary/preventive care at the local level with universal catastrophic coverage.

The second objective is to get control of health care costs, and then maintain the rate of increase within the rate of growth of the general economy.

Many people do not seem to understand the vital relationship that is inherent with these two objectives. The point is that you simply cannot have one without the other. Both are required for a health care reform plan that will work.

While I believe most people agree with and support both objectives, discussions about reform tend to become focused on narrow perspectives and particular interest. In the meantime, the current rate of cost increases is threatening public and private bankruptcy, and the escalating numbers of people without health insurance coverage in our society is a social disgrace.

If everyone is not covered, and if everyone does not participate by paying their fair share, then the present system of "access," or more correctly, the present system of rationing health care according to a person's ability to pay will continue. Further, this unsatisfactory system is obviously in a self-destruct mode, and cannot continue much longer.

It has been clearly demonstrated over the years that a piecemeal, incremental approach to the overall problem does not work. The Governor's plan will work because it is a total society, comprehensive, coordinated plan that is actuarially and

economically sound.

Governor Jones' plan, while open to improvements, stops cost shifting, adverse risk selection, pre-existing condition exclusion, and the threat of personal bankruptcy because of a health problem. On the other hand, it addresses medical malpractice reform, insurance reform, worker's compensation reform, guarantees a standard quality benefit plan, and provides financial subsidies for individuals and small businesses. There are many other good features in the comprehensive plan.

The point to be emphasized, however, is that all of these improve-

ments and all of our good intentions can only be achieved if we provide coverage for every Kentuckian and get control of costs. The good news is that the Governor's plan will accomplish both.

We Kentuckians are fortunate to have such a plan available to us. I trust we are smart enough to secure its passage.

Arch G. Mainous Jr.  
Executive Vice President  
Kentucky Health Care Access  
Foundation, Inc.  
Member—Commission for Health  
Care Reform

# —Other Voices—

by Karen A. Morison  
President  
National Association to  
Protect Individual Rights

Buried in the rhetoric surrounding President Clinton's plans for the budget and health care reform is an interesting notion. Call it "Big Brother knows best."

This philosophy surfaced in comments from Budget Director Leon Panetta. He said they are considering higher taxes on cigarettes and alcohol to pay for their health care package, because by having large taxes on these products, you could "prevent the kind of behavior" that adds to health care costs in this country.

Well. Not only can you rely on government to protect us from womb to tomb, we can rest safe in knowledge that our government is now going to use its tax authority to help us make the "right" choices along the way. Thank goodness.

Granted, the types of "sin" taxes that the Clinton Administration is talking about are considered fair game, given their current non-politically correct status. Most groups are too busy fighting tax threats in their own backyards to give much attention to these types of taxes. And, many have all too readily accepted the notion that the government does need more money, and if it comes out of the other guy's pocket, maybe that will give the tax hawks enough nourishment to divert their attention.

But before we give in too easily, let's take a closer look at where this tax philosophy could lead us. Rather than feeling safer because we are getting this unexpected "government" service, we should lament the loss of

freedom and the erosion of individual rights this represents.

Panetta argues that alcohol and tobacco help cause health problems, so the government ought to do what it can to discourage these "bad health habits" (as Clinton himself described them), and those who consume those products ought to pay more to the government so it can provide health care for everyone. Even if we accept that argument as is, why stop there? After all, lots of other products and activities impact our health as well. Think back over the last few years just how many different types of foods have joined the "anti" list. Bacon. Red meat. Butter. Eggs. Coffee. Fast food. The list goes on and on. Fat, found in many foods, has been found to lead to many health problems. Why not raise taxes on say, hamburgers? Just think what a service the government could provide for America by charging an extra dollar for every Big Mac we buy.

Follow this path of using taxes to make us healthier, and it quickly becomes sick. A California psychologist noted recently that marriage has greater impact on a man's mortality than smoking does. (Married men live longer.) Does that mean that we should have a hefty tax on single men, simply because their lifestyle is not as healthy as men who are married?

If you still hold a fondness for taxing "sinful" products, whose standards of morality should we accept? This kind of moral judgment should have no place in the making of tax policy, because its potential for abuse is too great. You might be comfortable with today's definition of "sinful" products, but once we give that decision-making right to the government, someone will be looking over our shoulders to see what kind of unwise or unpopular personal food/lifestyle choices are being made which could be tapped for new revenue.

We are giving away more ground here than we realize. We are losing our freedoms. One well-known Wall Streeter seems to agree. Joseph Rosenberg, whom the Washington Post calls "one of Wall Street's most successful traders," strongly opposes Clinton's program. He calls it a "tax program with a lot of spending initiatives," which will prove to be harmful for economic recovery.

But what bothers Rosenberg most is the plan's impact on freedom. "I feel terrible about all of this, not only as an investment manager, but as an American citizen. We are looking at an era of less personal freedom rather than more. Philosophically, I value personal freedom above all other things."

Rosenberg is not the only American with that concern. The Clinton plan will give the government greater controls over the individual's right to live his life the way he sees fit, a notion that was popular among our founding fathers. This idea is one Americans care strongly about. A national poll conducted late last year by the National Association to Protect Individual Rights (NAPIR) found that Americans feel their individual rights have eroded during their lifetimes, and that their children would enjoy fewer rights during their lives. The need to protect our individual rights was ranked right up there with concerns about creating good jobs, improving education and fighting crime and drugs.

Our precious rights are too important to let them slip away, no matter how much our new leaders claim that higher taxes will lead to better health. So tell President Clinton we appreciate the sincere concern for our well-being, but we've grown up enough to make our own choices now. And, while those choices might not please the politically correct, they feel right to us.

Finally, if Washington is so worried about the issue of health, maybe they ought to worry less about your and mine, and more about that of the American economy.

Karen Morison is President of the National Association to Protect Individual Rights, a nonprofit, nonpartisan public interest organization.

# —Other Voices—

## THE LAST TRUE AMERICAN POWER

by Jim Maroney  
Bowling Green

How can men and women such as ourselves be of no conscience of the unjust welfare or the forgottences of a great people?

Throughout this uncommonwealth and this great nation of ours there has never been or never will be in my opinion more greater than or have even played more of a significant role in the wealth and prosperity of not only this Commonwealth of Kentucky but of these United States of America.

For throughout the decades the Eastern Kentuckian has been unjustly labeled as the "hillbilly" and as the novitiates of education.

The Eastern Kentuckian is of the opposite of that. They are a very proud and family-oriented people. Not only do they show and demonstrate a tremendous loyalty to their families but also of their occupations. Even though the first commercial coal mine opened in Kentucky was in Muhlenburg County in 1820, Eastern Kentuckians through their diligence and the sweat of their brow with the black in their lungs have in the past and even now supply 26 states with coal to operate their power plants. So we can truly say that the Eastern Kentucky coal miner not only lights up over half of the United States with power, but emits hope of sound economic times.

Eastern Kentucky is now starting to diversify their economic base by drawing in industry within its boundaries. This will spark a new flame of prosperity of the dwindling economy. These people should be applauded for their diversification and their insight on survival not only of preparing Eastern Kentucky for the future but of this nation of ours.

# Around the Region



## The Numbers Game: Kentucky Lottery Results

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| Saturday's Results<br><b>March 20</b> | <b>LOTTO KENTUCKY</b> 04-05-17-30-35-37<br>Next Estimated Jackpot \$3 million |
|                                       | <b>POWERBALL</b> 12-14-25-32-41(38)<br>Next Estimated Jackpot \$14 million    |



## WEATHER WATCH

- Wednesday (today)**  
Cloudy with a 50 percent chance of showers. Highs in the 50s.
  - Wednesday night**  
Cloudy with a 40 percent chance of showers. Lows around 40.
  - Thursday**  
Becoming partly sunny. Highs in the mid 50s.
  - Thursday night**  
Partly cloudy. Lows in the 40s.
  - Friday**  
Dry and warmer. Highs in the 60s.
- Information provided by the Jackson Weather Service.

## Regional News Briefs

### More Pyro supervisors plead guilty in fatal blast

Two more supervisors at the former Pyro Mining Company pleaded guilty yesterday to charges arising from the September 1989 explosion that killed 10 miners at a Pyro-operated underground mine in Kentucky.

One of the men, former foreman Chris Eugene Schimp, pleaded guilty to a felony charge of lying to investigators from the U.S. Mine Safety and Health Administration.

Schimp also pleaded guilty to misdemeanor counts of falsely reporting mine record books that the mine was safe when it wasn't and improperly using explosives in the mine.

The other former supervisor, David Blair Lamb, pleaded guilty to five misdemeanors ranging from failing to record high levels of methane to failing to conduct a proper fire drill.

— The Courier-Journal

### Pike County man dies in weekend crash

A Belfry man died Friday night during a traffic accident when he was pinned beneath a wrecked car, according to Kentucky State Police.

Lon E. McCoy, 22, was driving east on Ky. 612 at Turkey Creek at 8:20 p.m. when his vehicle dropped off the east side of the roadway into a ditch.

The car then traveled 225 feet before McCoy brought it back onto the roadway, but the vehicle crossed the west-bound lane and went over an embankment.

McCoy was ejected as it overturned and was pinned underneath. Pike County Coroner Charles Morris pronounced him dead at the scene.

A passenger, Hubert Anderson III, 20, of Sidney, was pinned inside the vehicle, but managed to free himself. He was taken to South Williamson hospital where he is listed in stable condition.

Trooper Joey Stidham, the investigating officer, said no seat belts were in use and the accident remains under investigation. — Appalachian News-Express

### Altercation between two Martin County men results in assault charges

A Martin County man was jailed on assault charges after allegedly stabbing another Martin County man. According to a report filed by the state police, the incident occurred at 12:45 Wednesday morning at the residence of the accused, Jeff Workman, 57, of Lovely.

An altercation between Workman and Jim James, 49, of Lovely, resulted in James being stabbed one time in the side with a knife, according to the report. James was transported to South Williamson Appalachian Regional Hospital where he is in stable condition.

Workman was arrested at the scene and was lodged in the Martin County Detention Center and charged with first-degree assault.

The case is under investigation by Trooper Vic Brown. — Staff Report

### Arrest made in drugstore burglary

Police have arrested a Williamson, West Virginia man in connection with the March 5 burglary of Super X Drug Store in the Southside Mall.

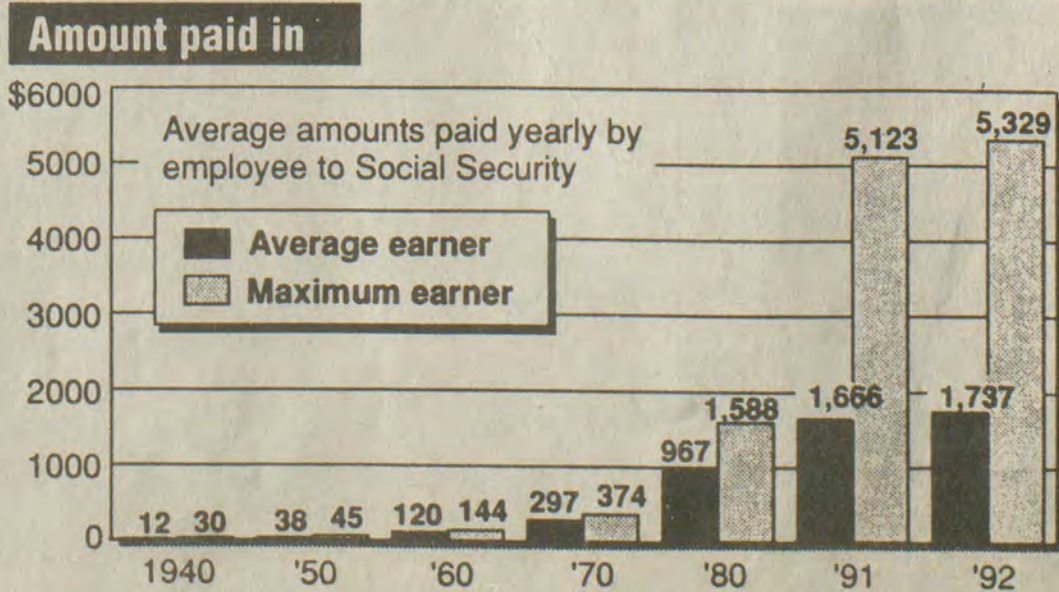
Pike County sheriff's detective Richard Ray said Johnny Louis Tinchler II, 19, was arrested Thursday night, March 18, and lodged in the Pike County Detention Center on alcohol intoxication and shoplifting charges.

Tinchler remains in the Pike County Detention Center. — Appalachian News-Express

## Benefiting from Social Security

It's taking longer for workers to get back what they put into Social Security. Numbers below show how much workers put in and get back.

| Getting returns  |                |                |                |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| How long it will take a worker who retires in 1993 to get back all he and his employer put into the retirement portion of his Social Security, compared to 1992 figures. |                |                |                |
|  | Minimum earner | Average earner | Maximum earner |
| 1993   | 7.3 years      | 10.2 years     | 13.4 years     |
| 1992   | 6.9 years      | 9.6 years      | 12.5 years     |





# Merit

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Watson to compete for monetary awards. Approximately 6,500 scholarships will be awarded to finalists, with announcement of awards coming in April and May.

Floyd County has had a National Merit finalist before, but Assistant Superintendent for Instruction Gary Frazier said he cannot remember the county ever having two finalists in the same year.

Lisa Deneen Hobson, 17, is the daughter of Michael and Cora Hobson. The McDowell High School senior is from Ligon. She ranks first in her class with a 4.2 GPA.

Hobson has racked up dozens of awards in academics, while participating in numerous clubs and sports. She was a 1992 Governor's Scholar; a 1993 Governor's Cup state finalist in general knowledge, social studies and quick recall; Jenny Wiley Academic Conference winner in general knowledge, social studies, language arts and quick recall; a WYMT-TV Student Achiever; all-district and all-regional in softball; won the Mountain Magic Literary Award; and was named to Who's Who Among American High School Students.

The McDowell senior has been a member of the Beta Club, German Club, Speech and Drama Club, Champions Against Drugs, the MHS softball team, captain of the MHS academic team, and an eight-year band member.

Hobson has volunteered for the local blood drive; worked with the Beta Club recycling program; been active in church; and served as student representative for the McDowell Family Resource Center.

Hobson said she is undecided about what college she will attend, but she plans to major in biology, then go to medical school to become a pediatrician.

Heather Carreen Watson, a 17-year-old senior at Allen Central, is the daughter of Stanton and Joyce Watson of Garrett. She is the first-ever National Merit finalist from Allen Central High.

Watson has earned numerous honors during her high school years. She recently represented Regions 9, 10, 14 and 16 in the "Sweet 16" Academic Showcase at Transylvania University. She was one of 16 students selected statewide to compete in the final competition in journalism/feature writing.

This year is the fourth time Watson has earned a trip to the Kentucky Academic Association's Governor's Cup state finals in the language arts category. She also advanced through regional competition in German to compete in the state Foreign Language Festival for two years in extemporaneous prose reading and literary recitation.

Also on a state level, Watson represented her school as a 10th grader in the 1991 Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Seminar. She participated in the 1992 Governor's Scholars Program at Centre College.

On a local level, Watson has been named to the Superintendent's All-County Academic Team for the past three years. In the Jenny Wiley Aca-

ademic Conference, she has consistently placed in written competitions in the fields of language arts and mathematics. This year she earned first place in both language arts and general knowledge, and second place in mathematics. She served as captain of her school's quick recall team.

In addition to participation in sev-

eral school clubs, Watson has been a member of the Allen Central boys varsity cheerleading squad for three years. She was co-captain of the squad this year.

Watson is also undecided about what college she will attend.

For more information, contact Terry Spears at (606) 886-2354

## PCC Pike County campus begins 1993 international issues series

In the refurbished Fiscal Courtroom of the Pike County Courthouse on March 10, the audience felt transported back in time to 1933, the date enscribed on the ornamental frieze decorating the top of the newly painted walls. The feeling of history was made even more prominent by the fact that they were there to listen to a lecture given by professor of history, Dr. Thomas Matijasic. After a brief commentary by County Judge Executive Wayne T. Rutherford, who told the students and visitors of the great importance of information to decision makers, and through whose generosity the courtroom had been made available, the lecture began.

The subject, while historical, was almost history in the making, "The Rise and Fall of the Soviet Union." Covering the time period from Stalin through Khrushchev and Brezhnev to Gorbachev and Yeltsin, Dr. Matijasic summarized the difference in these leaders through a Soviet joke. The Soviet people are all on a train along with Stalin, Khrushchev, and Brezhnev. When the train stalls, they call upon Stalin. "Stalin, Stalin, what shall we do to get the train moving?" His answer was, "Kill the engineer, exile the crew to Siberia and refill the positions." They follow his advice

and the train starts again. Later, after Stalin gets off, the train stalls again. This time the people turn to Khrushchev for help. He tells them to go and bring back the exiled crew. They follow his advice and the train starts again. Again, after Khrushchev leaves the train, it stalls and the people call upon Brezhnev. Brezhnev's answer is "Pull the blinds down, lean back and forth in unison and pretend the train is moving."

As the joke describes, the Soviet people are now dealing with a new knowledge of the many massacres perpetrated by Stalin, and the pretended progress of the Brezhnev era.

The first of the 1993 International Issues Series was very well received with an almost capacity crowd, including at least two PCC students of Russian-Ukrainian descent.

Next in the series will be the March 24 presentation by Dr. George Torok, Assistant Professor of History, Prestonsburg Community College, Pike County Campus. His topic will be "The North American Free Trade Agreement." All presentations are free and take place at 12:40 in the Fiscal Courtroom of the Pike County Courthouse. For more information, contact Dr. George Torok at 432-4800.

## State board relocates

Floyd Countians who utilize the services of the State Board of Elections and the Registration of Election Finance will find them now housed in the same building.

The State Board and its staff have moved from offices in the state capitol and have joined the Registry at 140 Walnut Street in Frankfort.

The State Board of Elections telephone number remains the same—564-7100 and the fax number is 564-4369.

Secretary of State Bob Babbage, chairman of the State Board of Elections, said the move would be more convenient for persons who use the two agencies.

The two agencies deal with different aspects of elections. By sharing space the information between them will be enhanced.

Candidates who file their papers with the Secretary of State will still be served in the Secretary's capitol office, Babbage said.

The State Board of Elections maintains a roster of all qualified registered voters in Kentucky by county and by precinct. The board furnishes each county clerk with a master list of registered voters and the signature roster signed by voters on election day.

The board also furnishes registration information to political parties and to candidates.

The Registry of Election Finance

is an independent agency of state government which regulates the financial activities of political campaigns. The Registry has been granted subpoena power and the ultimate responsibility for all policy and enforcement decisions concerning the regulation of elections.

The 1992 General Assembly approved wide ranging legislation to strengthen the powers of the Registry of Election Finance.

## Slone celebrates 67th birthday

Gracie Slone of Prestonsburg celebrated her 67th birthday March 14. She has four daughters and two sons. She received a lot of nice gifts, cards and flowers.

Those attending the birthday dinner were Jewelline Slone, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Slone and family, Mr. and Mrs. Brenda Hilland and son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wills and family, Mr. and Mrs. Calline Bradford, and Mrs. Zela Green, all of Prestonsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Theria Mae Newsome and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Slone and family, Mrs. Patricia Warrie and family, and Mr. Archie Newsome and family, all of Indiana.

# Courthouse News

### DISTRICT COURT

*Editor's Note: All first offense DUIs are allowed to do two days public service in lieu of \$200 of the total court costs and fines. All individuals who are charged in cases involving alcohol or drugs are referred to alcohol or drug counseling.*

Kenneth Stewart, 31, AI (third or more), \$47.50; Billy Shepherd, 19, AI (third or more), 10 days in jail, one year probation; Johnny J. Poe, 22, AI (third or more), disorderly conduct, terroristic threatening, resisting arrest, \$67.50, 60 days in jail and one year probation; Tammy McCoy, 33, theft by unlawful taking, \$67.50;

Arthur J. Shepherd, 25, DUI (first offense, drugs) \$407.50; Randy Lee, 29, AI (third or more), disorderly conduct, carrying a concealed weapon, \$177.50, 30 days in jail and 130 days probation;

Arthur J. Shepherd, 25, operating

on suspended license (due to previous DUI conviction), \$82.50; Arthur J. Shepherd, 25, operating in suspended license (second offense, due to previous DUI conviction), resisting arrest, reckless driving, drugs not in proper container, no insurance, disorderly conduct, attempting to elude, failure to surrender revoked license, charges merged, \$130, 30 days in jail and one year probation;

Arthur J. Shepherd, operating on suspended license (due to previous DUI conviction), \$47.50; Ira H. Rose, 42, simple assault, 90 days in jail; Johnny C. Sanders, 21, DUI (first offense)

lic service; Jeffery D. Nelson, 21, DUI (Drugs, BA refused), \$207.50 and two days public service; Leslie Ray Hunter, DUI (third offense) \$207.50 and ten days in jail;

Michael Frasure, 18, AI (first ), possession of alcohol by minor, \$117.50 and 48 hours in jail, 180 days probation; Christopher Shepherd, AI (first or second) and possession of alcohol by minor, \$117.50 and 48 hours in jail, 180 days probation;

Elvie Endicott, 54, AI (third or more), \$92.50 and 20 days probation; John W. Chambers, 26, AI (first or second), drinking alcohol in public (first or second), possession of marijuana, \$137.50;

Steve E. Conley, 21, DUI (first offense) \$407.50; Rodney Blackburn, 33, AI (third or more), \$67.50 and 14 days in jail, 10 days probation.

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## Men charged with burglary/fencing arrested at Harold

Police arrested two men last week suspected of committing the February 23 robbery of the then-under construction Fazoli's Restaurant near the Prestonsburg Village shopping center.

Prestonsburg Police Chief Greg Hall said Tuesday that on or about February 23, the two men broke into the restaurant and stole approximately \$6,000 worth of tools and equipment from the contractors performing renovation on the building.

The men's names have not yet been released pending further investigation, Hall said.

Hall said that he and Floyd County Detective Gary Wolfe obtained information that the men had sold much of the merchandise to a pawn shop located at Harold.

Hall and Wolfe recovered around \$5,800 worth of the stolen merchandise and the pawn shop and three Floyd County residences, Hall said.

Also assisting were Prestonsburg police officers Anthony Castle, Mike Conn and Ralph Frasure.

During the investigation, Hall said, officers also obtained information that helped Wolfe solve a recent burglary at a church at Spurlock.

The two men are lodged in the Floyd County Jail.

The incident is still under investigation by officers of the Prestonsburg Police Department and Floyd County Detective Gary Wolfe.

## To Whom It May Concern:

This is a complaint about John M. Stumbo and Gerald DeRossett.

Here is a picture of the road leading to the Jarrell Cemetery. The Magistrate of District 1 sent his workers up there to dig a ditch and put a drain pipe in on February 1992, and has never been back.



Gerald DeRossett has never been up there to look at it, but you can't blame the workers. John M. Stumbo said that he wasn't allowed to put a drain in, but it's fine for him to gravel and blacktop private driveways.

On March 19, 1993, there was a lady at the Fiscal Court Meeting concerning the incinerator at Highlands Regional Medical Center. She said the snow on her porch was blue where they had burned stuff in the incinerator. The magistrates voted to close it down, but John M. Stumbo would not.

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# Closings

(Continued from page one)

School, Betsy Layne Elementary, Clark Elementary, Harold Elementary, J.M. Stumbo Elementary, McDowell Elementary, McDowell High School, Melvin Elementary, Prater Elementary, Prestonsburg Elementary, Prestonsburg High School, W.D. Osborne Elementary, Wheelwright High School, and home instruction elementary and high school students.

Schools scheduled to close June 22 are Martin Elementary and Maytown Elementary.

Allen Central High School and J.D. Adams Middle School will close June 24.

Duff Elementary's closing date will be June 28.

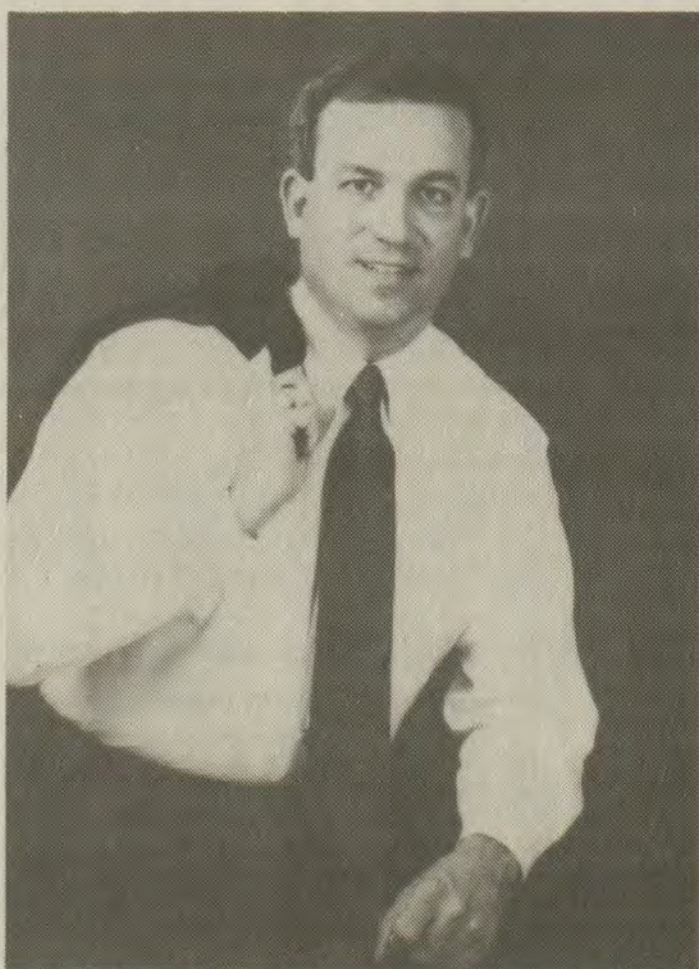
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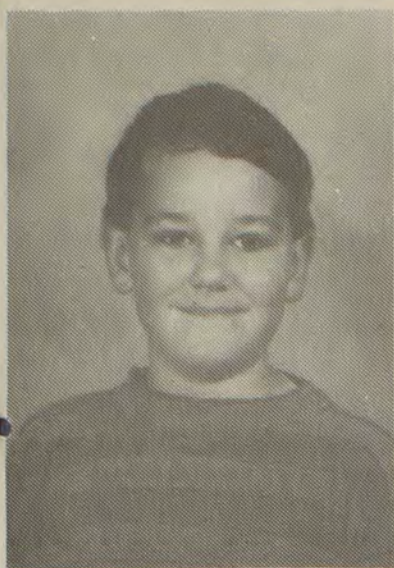
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**School champ**

Matthew Caldwell, 9-year-old son of Joan Caldwell of Weeksbury, outspelled all the other contestants at McDowell Elementary to emerge as school champion. The correct spellings of "gravity" and "ribbon" finalized the contest in Matthew's favor. He is a student in Kitty Frazier's fourth grade class.

**Girl Scouts head to the "Windy City"**

Girl Scouts from Floyd County will join over 130 Girl Scouts ages 10-17 who will board buses on Monday, March 29, and head for the "Windy City" of Chicago.

Approximately 45 adult volunteers, including five from Floyd County, will travel in four buses with the scouts and will depart from the Girl Scout Service Center in Lexington for a week's stay in the city.

Girl Scouts from Troop 556, Prestonsburg, who will participate in the tour include Emily and Margaret

Damron, Jeanette Allison, Cara Jane Meece, Julie Slone, Jean Nichols, Staci Hurt, Jodi Pelphrey, Michelle Clark and Ruth Jessen.

Adult leaders from Troop 556 making the trip will be Martha Damron, Marcella Slone and Susie Pelphrey.

Those attending from Wheelwright Troop 42 are Kelley Engle and adult leaders Debbie Engle and Joyce Johnson. Oliva Stewart and Sarah Jo Boyd, members of Wheel-

wright Troop 408, will also participate.

The scouts have been planning this trip for months. Their week will include visits to the Fields Museum, Shedd's Aquarium, Alder Planetarium, the Museum of Science and Industry and the Art Institute.

In addition, they will visit some of Chicago's hot shopping stops and the Brookfield Museum.

This trip will provide a fun-filled educational spring break for all participants as well as fond memories to keep forever.



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**Central Ky blood center begins drive**

On Tuesday, March 30, Wednesday, March 31, and Thursday, April 1st, Central Kentucky Blood Center will sponsor the monthly Prestonsburg/Floyd County community blood drive.

The drive will be held from 11 a.m.-7 p.m. on Tuesday and from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Wednesday and Thursday at the Prestonsburg Donor Center located on the second floor of the municipal building on North Lake Drive.

Central Kentucky Blood Center is the only provider of blood and blood components to Floyd County Hospitals which include Highlands Regional, Our Lady of the Way, and McDowell Appalachian Regional.

The need for blood donors is increasing. In fact, over 200 donors are needed daily to meet the needs of area residents and patients in the Central Kentucky Blood Center service area including Floyd County. Sixty percent of the population will need blood sometime during their lives, yet only five percent of the population has donated blood. Also, blood only lasts 30 days so monthly blood drives are essential for maintaining an adequate blood supply.

Please take time to support the ongoing blood needs of Floyd County by becoming a regular blood donor. Your participation in the monthly community blood drive does make a difference.

For more information or to make an appointment please call Central Kentucky Blood Center at 1-800-775-2522, or call Georgia Sanders at 886-1557.

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Since its the season when political races are starting to heat up, we thought it may prove helpful to review some campaign finance laws.

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7. Any expenditure in excess of \$25 must be by check drawn on the campaign account.
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# Obituaries

## Ted Keathley

Ted Keathley, 75, of Harold, died Monday, March 22, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital following a short illness.

Born October 11, 1917 at Harold, he was the son of the late David and Rosie Walden Keathley. He was a retired trackman and signalman, formerly employed by the C&O Railway. He was a U.S. Army, World War II veteran, and a member of the Trainmen Union.

Survivors include his wife, Myrtle Allen Keathley; three sons, Teddy Keathley of Jonesville, Michigan, Billie Keathley of Jackson, Michigan, and Tommy Keathley of Harold; three daughters, Sandra Thomas of Reston, Virginia, Carol Ball of Wyandotte, Michigan, and Brenda Stewart of Ivel; two brothers, Tom Keathley of Betsy Layne and Joe Keathley of Logan; 13 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Thursday, March 25, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home chapel with the Clergyman Tracy Patton officiating.

Burial will be in the Roberts Cemetery at Harold under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

## Dina Little

Dina Little, 89, of Wheelwright, died Sunday, March 21, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, following a long illness.

Born June 28, 1903 at Wheelwright, she was the daughter of the late Abe and Rose Ann Little.

Survivors include three nephews, Belvie Hall of Prestonsburg, Jack Smallwood and Curtis Smallwood, both of Melvin; and two nieces, Alberta Mandell of Perrysburg, Ohio, and Anna Mac Hall of Melvin.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, March 24, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home chapel with the Clergyman Louie Ferrari officiating.

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

## Gordon Lee Clark

Gordon Lee Clark, 60, of Harold, died Wednesday, March 17, at Pikeville Methodist Hospital.

Born May 6, 1932 at Harold, he was the son of the late Lonna Lee and Martha Conn Clark. He was an employee of Columbia Gas Company for 36 years and a member of the Boldman Free Will Baptist Church at Boldman. He was a life member of the DAV at Betsy Layne and a member of the Thomas C. Cecil Masonic Lodge at Pikeville.

Survivors include his wife, Glenna Webb Clark; one son, Barry Gordon Clark of Harold; one daughter, Kimberly Leigh Elkins of Harold; one brother, Bobby Gene Clark of Galion, Ohio; two sisters, Verna Clark Layne of Harold and Eva Colis Smith of Mansfield; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were Sunday, March 21, at 11 a.m., at the Boldman Free Will Baptist Church with the clergymen Ken Maynard, Jack Hunt and Belmont Johnson officiating.

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

Serving as pallbearers were Coy Samons, Brian Hunter, Tommy Kidd, Darrell Castle, Deannie Castle, Todd Harris, Rodney Hatfield, Larry Stratton, George Horn and Carl Gross.

Honorary pallbearers were Danny Thacker, Phillip Johnson, Greg Friend, Larry Hoe Osborne, Steve Tackett, Todd Maynard, Brian Akers, Johnny Bradley and Russell Thacker.

## Josephine Bryant Mullins

Josephine Bryant Mullins, 96, of Hi Hat, died Wednesday, at her residence following an extended illness.

Born May 9, 1896 in Floyd County, she was the daughter of the late A.B. and Lendy Bryant. She was preceded in death by her husband, Tom Mullins.

Survivors include one son, William F. Mullins of East Point; three daughters, Minda Davis and Linda Compton, both of Albion, Michigan, and Bertha Mae Hamilton of Columbus, Ohio; and 136 grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Sunday, March 21, at 11 a.m., at the Little Nancy Old Regular Baptist Church with the ministers of the Old Regular Baptist Church officiating.

Burial was in the Newman Cemetery at Hi Hat under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

## Ray "Shag" Campbell

Ray "Shag" Campbell, 73, of Banner, died Saturday, March 20, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Martin, following a short illness.

Born November 19, 1919 at Mousie, he was the son of the late John E. and Lillie "Todie" Triplett Campbell. He was a retired self-employed merchant; second term chairman of the Floyd County Board of Education; and a member of the Floyd County Board of Education for 20 years. He was instrumental in getting new facilities for Floyd County and his devotion and concern was in the interest of every student in Floyd County. He was a U.S. Army World War II veteran, serving in Europe, in the Normandy Beach Invasion, and was in Germany when the war ended. He was a member of the VFW No. 5839 at Lancer and the D.A.V. at Garrett.

Survivors include his wife, Ellen Jones Campbell; two sons, John Leonard Campbell and Barry Campbell, both of Banner; one brother, French Campbell of Banner; one grandson, two step-grandsons, and one step-great-grandson.

Funeral services were Tuesday, March 23, at 11 a.m., at the Hall Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. French Harmon officiating.

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

Serving as active pallbearers were Lowell Samons Jr., Wilburn Samons, Jimmy Stumbo, Jim Jones, Allen Adkins, Kenny Adkins, Roger Brown, Brian Poehlein, Tom Jones and Scott Jones.

Honorary pallbearers were Joe Back, Ned Bush, Gary Newnam, Hershell Conn, Russell Mont Frazier, Lowell Samons, Regional "Rag" Rice, Bobby Joe Akers, Joe Conn, Gene Davis, Daniel Branson, Walrus Reynolds, Eddie Patton, Hamlet Lovely, Judge Harold Stumbo, Judge Hollie Conley, Sam Martin Jr., Bobby Rowe, Ray Brackett, Paul Hoffman, Julius Martin, Tommy Boyd, Arville Duff, Ag. Comm. Ed Logsdon, Frankie Francis, Greg Stumbo, Ben Spradlin, Dr. Steve Towler, Volney Allen, Gary Frazier, Wayne Windell Ratliff, Eral Tackett, Buck Hale, John Earl Hunt, Judge John Caudill, James Allen, Paul Hunt Thompson, Herman Conn, Demp Allen, Oliver Allen, Jim Hammond, Palmer Frazier, Lewis Campbell, Burl Shepherd, Fred Conn, Harry James Wallace, Franklin Wallace, Kenneth Pete Wallace, Randy Campbell, Dr. Lowell Martin, and George Allen.

## Cecil Hamilton

Cecil Hamilton, 66, of Grethel, died Saturday, March 20, at McDowell Appalachian Regional Medical Center following a brief illness.

Born March 13, 1927 in Floyd County, he was the son of the late Sie and Artie Frasure Hamilton. He was a disabled laborer.

Survivors include his wife, Hazel Evans Hamilton; one son, Donald Hamilton of Grethel; two daughters, Emma Jean Hamilton and Glenna Jean Tackett, both of Grethel; one sister, Ethel Evans of Grethel; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, March 23, at 10 a.m., at the Zion Old Regular Baptist Church at Grethel with the Regular Baptist Church ministers officiating.

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

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## Card of Thanks

The family of Roxie Manuel wishes to thank those who called, visited, sent cards and flowers and brought food. A special thanks to Elder Don Neeley and Elder Wallace Calhoun. We especially wish to thank Dr. James Adams, Dr. William John, the Floyd County Rescue Squad, Carter Funeral Home, Middle Creek Volunteer Fire Department, and Jenny Wiley Florist.

We also wish to thank Crystal Hale, Michelle Roth and Wanda Rodebaugh for babysitting.

THE FAMILY

## Card Of Thanks

### For Neil Watson

The Neil Watson family would like to express their appreciation for the prayers, thoughtfulness, and comfort extended to us in our time of sorrow. We would especially like to thank the friends and neighbors who sent cards, flowers, and food or gave their time in visitation. The doctors and nurses who dedicated their efforts to save his life, the clergymen who comforted him with their prayers, the many wonderful people who made his funeral memorable, Brother Wayman McGuire and Brother Troy Poff's funeral service, Brother Jerry Manns and Brother Greg Nichols, messages and the Hall Funeral Home's caring and efficient service will always be remembered by the family.

## A Tribute to Gordon

In his laughing blue eyes and kind glance,  
You knew that he'd care if you'd give him a chance  
He always had a winning smile.  
He'd do for others, he'd walk the last mile.  
A great Father and Husband and Granddad too!  
He touched the hearts of many people he knew.  
A sweet man, a kind man, a man worth his salt.  
Kim and Barry will remember the lessons he taught.  
"Come on Son, you can do it! I know that you can!"  
"One more homerun, do it for your old man!"  
How proud he was of Kim and Randy  
And their Little Ones too.  
He had a lot of love in his heart,  
Of this most people knew.  
And Glenna, his LOVE, how he did care for you!  
He loved you dearly and he was always true.  
His sisters and his brothers, how he loved them so,  
His dear Fried, TIVIS, oh,  
They don't want to let him go!  
But the winds of time decreed it  
And we must go on without him, though  
It hurts so very much.  
We won't forget Dear GORDON, those  
Whose heart he has touched.  
God in Heaven has embraced him and  
He is safely home.  
We'll Never forget him, wherever  
We may roam.  
Just look at his picture, see the  
Twinkle in his eye?  
Let's think of our GORDON this way  
And in our hearts he will never die!

Sandy Newsome  
Little Creek

Written by a friend who is very grateful to Gordon for always being there for her DAD in good times and bad. Daddy loved you like a brother, Gordon.

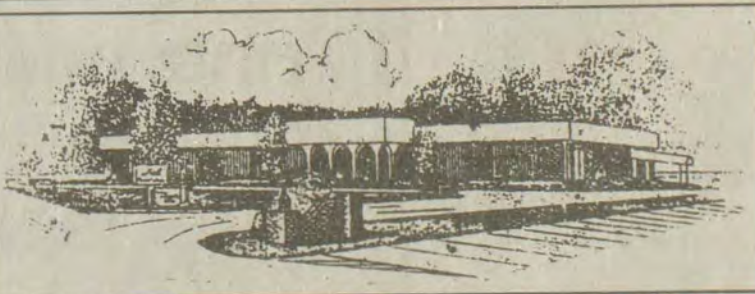


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## Card of Thanks

The family of Ethel Owens Caudill 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 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  
ETHEL OWENS CAUDILL

## Card of Thanks

The family of Donald Ray Keathley wishes to thank all those who were so kind and considerate during our time of grief. We want to thank those who sent flowers and gifts of love. We especially want to thank 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  
DONALD RAY KEATHLEY

## Card of Thanks

The family of Nancy Case wishes to gratefully acknowledge the thoughtfulness and kindness of friends, relatives, and neighbors in the loss of our loved one. We are especially grateful to the Church of Christ 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 NANCY CASE

## Card of Thanks

The family of William D. Henegar 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. A special thanks to Clergymen Clester Hall, Buddy Jones and others for their kind and 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 WILLIAM D. HENEGAR

## Card of Thanks

The family of Sarah Carrie King 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. 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 efficient service.

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# Nominees sought by Chamber for Business of the Year Award

The Floyd County Chamber of Commerce is keenly aware of the vital role businesses and industries play in the overall economic, cultural and social development of our community.

It is the Chamber's desire to recognize business and industry contributions in the advancement and improvement of Floyd County. The Chamber Business of the Year Award is presented at the Chamber's annual banquet. It is the highest business/industry award bestowed by the Chamber. The recognition of a business' or industry's contributions to the community also serves to encourage others to work for community betterment.

Any business or industry is eligible which is not involved full time in community or economic development and who has, during 1992/1993, made a significant and consequential contribution in growth and development of Floyd County through involvement in projects for community service programs or youth services work, work toward any activity which creates new jobs or improvements in the quality of life in our community.

Judges will consider the relative time and effort expended by nominees in activities that would have increased the economic and social welfare of our community. Consideration will also be given to the degree of difficulty and/or obstacles encountered in the process. Judging of the finalists will be conducted by an impartial, non-local organization.

Deadline for entries is Tuesday, April 20.

**(Instructions)**

Each entry must contain a completed nomination form.

The nomination should include the nomination form and not more than one page of narrative keeping in mind the three (3) scoring areas used by the judges: Projects; Obstacles; Community Development Background and Experience.

• **Community Projects:** Include name and description of the project(s) that the nominee assisted in during the calendar year 1992 and the specific nature of effort personally exerted by the nominee. The nominating data should be factual, pertinent and concise.

• **Obstacles:** Include description of any obstacles that were significant in the activity.

• **Background of Nominee:** Include brief background on the history of the nominee's activities in behalf of

our community.

Each entry may include copies of newspaper articles or other supporting documents. One 5x7 photograph is highly recommended to be included.

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3. Obstacles: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Background of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Person/Organization making this nomination:

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Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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**ATTACH TO ENTRY FORM:**

- A. Supplemental news stories or supporting documents.
- B. Photograph of nominee.
- C. Any additional information you feel would be beneficial to the judges in making their decision, but limited to no more than one page.

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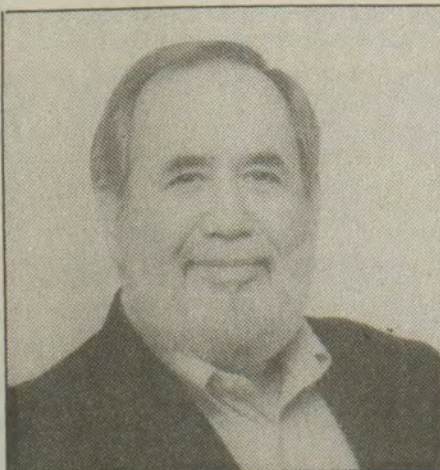
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# Community Calendar

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

**Allen Family Resource Center upcoming events**  
 •G.E.D. day classes Tuesdays, 9 a.m.-2 p.m.; and night classes Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6-9 p.m.  
 For more information, call the Allen Family Resource Center at 874-2165.

**Betsy Layne Resource Center upcoming events through the month of March**  
 •G.E.D. day classes each Wednesday, 9 a.m.-2 p.m.  
 •Quilt classes each Monday, 6-8 p.m.  
 •Exercise program each Tuesday, 6-8 p.m.  
 •March 25: Health Fair at the Betsy Layne gymnasium in the dome.  
 •March 26: Family Resource Center Advisory Council meeting at 3 p.m.  
 •Need After School Care for children? For more information, call the center at 478-5550 and ask for Terisa Hall.

**Maytown Family Resource Center upcoming events**  
 •Maytown Family Resource Cen-

ter is sponsoring GED classes every Thursday starting at 9 a.m. upstairs over the Maytown Fire Department. It is open to the public.  
 For more information, call 285-0321.

**Clark Family Resource Center upcoming events**  
 •March 24: Advisory Council meeting at 3 p.m. in the library.  
 •March 25: Line Dance Class, 7-9 p.m., in the lunchroom.  
 For more information, call Clark Family Resource Center at 886-0815.  
 NOTE: If school is cancelled the day of the event, the event is also cancelled.

**McDowell Family Resource Center upcoming events**  
 •Day and night G.E.D. classes are available. Day classes will meet every Thursday from 9-11 a.m.; night classes, every Tuesday and Thursday, 8-9 p.m.  
 •After school care for school-age children needing someone to stay while waiting on their parents to pick them up. The hours will be from 3-6 p.m. for working parents or parents attending school. There will be a \$1 charge per hour for each child staying in the center. There is no charge for any child staying less than one hour.  
 For more information about these activities, call the center at 377-2678.

**P.H.S. reunion committee to meet**  
 The reunion of the Prestonsburg High School classes of 1918 through 1933 is making plans for the "grand" reunion scheduled for Saturday, June

5, at May Lodge in Jenny Wiley State Park.  
 Former Prestonsburg High School students who graduated in 1918 through 1933 and who are interested in attending this reunion, should contact James B. Goble, HC 66 Box 1490, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653, or call (606) 874-2325.

**Camp Nathanael hosting singles weekend**

By popular request, Camp Nathanael will conduct a College/Career Retreat for single adults March 26-27. It will be an exciting time of interaction with other young singles from this area with many former campers of the region especially invited to attend. The activities begin Friday, March 26, at 6 p.m. and conclude Saturday evening. The cost of the retreat will be \$15. Pre-registration is encouraged but not required. For more information, call 251-3231.

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**PACE meeting**

Prestonsburg Area Computer Enthusiasts (PACE) will meet Thursday, March 25, at 7 p.m., at Morehead State University Extension Computer Lab, University Plaza, University Ave., Prestonsburg.  
 The program topic will be database basics with speaker John R. McIntosh.  
 For more information, call 886-6518.

**Maytown site-based council to meet**

The Maytown site-based council will have a special meeting in the school library on March 24, at 4:30 p.m. The agenda will be to approve the tentative 1993-94 school budget and is open to the public.

**Living Well with Diabetes class**

The Living Well with Diabetes class will meet Thursday, March 25, at 6 p.m., Floyd B. Class Room at Highlands Regional Medical Center. Guest speaker will be Linda Omer, director of Physical Therapy.

**Pancake Day**

The Prestonsburg Rotary Club's annual Pancake Day will be held on Friday, March 26, at the Family Living Center of the First United Methodist Church on Arnold Avenue.

The traditional menu of pancakes, sausage, orange juice, coffee and milk will be served from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tickets are \$3 per person and are available from any Rotary Club members or at the door. Group rates are available by calling 886-1341. All proceeds go the Rotary Scholarship Fund.

Each year, Prestonsburg Rotary awards a scholarship to a student in each high school in the county, including the David School and the Carl D. Perkins Job Corps Center.

**Health Fair**

A Health Fair will be held March 25 at the Betsy Layne Elementary Gymnasium from 9 to 5. For information call 478-5550.

Blood pressure check, diabetes screening, CPR and first aid demonstrations, weight programs, prenatal info, children services, smoking cessation, pulse and many other health services will be offered. The fair is free of charge to everyone.

Sponsored by the Betsy Layne Elementary Family Resource Center and Senior Citizens Center.

**John Patrick's comedy to be performed**

The June Buchanan School Drama Department will perform John Patrick's comedy *The Curious Savage* Wednesday, March 24, at 7 p.m. at the Estelle Campbell Center for the Arts on the campus of Alice Lloyd College. Admission for the performance will be free and the public is invited to attend.

**Hunter education course**

A free Hunter Education Course at Dewey Lake Fish and Game Club will be held March 25-26, 6-9 p.m.; and March 27, beginning at 9 a.m.

**A.C.T.S. Schedule**

The A.C.T.S. (Adult Christians Together in Singleness) will meet on the following days in March.

•March 27: China Pearl Restaurant in Paintsville at 6 p.m. for dinner and fellowship.

For more information, call 874-9844 or 789-5350.

**Early spring gardening program**

As spring approaches, we need to think about putting out plants and seeds.

The extension service is sponsoring a Brocco-Flower Program to introduce you to a new vegetable. The program will be held at the County Extension Office located at 431 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, on March 25, at 6:30 p.m.

Mr. John Sparks (former County Ag. Agent) will present the program.

Those attending will receive literature, a recipe folder and there will also be samples to taste.

Brocco-Flower plants will be given as door prizes. Call 886-2668 for more information.

**Diabetic Education series at OLV**

Our Lady of the Way Hospital's Diabetic Support Group will meet on Monday, March 29, from 1-2 p.m.

The topic for the session will be "Food Preparation and Dessert Alternatives." Cheryl Bentley M.S., R.D., certified diabetes educator with the Kentucky Diabetes Education Program through the Johnson County Health Department will address the issue and answer any questions.

The Support Group will meet at the Wheelwright Senior Citizens Center in Wheelwright. The session is free and open to the public; new members are always welcome.

For more information, please call the Education Office at Our Lady of the Way Hospital at 285-5181, ext. 388.

**Basic CPR at OLV**

Our Lady of the Way Hospital will offer a Basic CPR course at Seton Complex Class Room, Martin, on Wednesday, March 31. Registration will be at 8:30 a.m., class will begin at 9 a.m.

This course is for anyone wishing to be certified in Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation. Certification by OLV is thru the American Heart Association and the cost of the course is \$20. Pre-registration is required.

For more information, contact Carol Prater at 285-5181, ext. 388. Class is limited to eight people.

**BSU planning trip**

The Baptist Student Union is planning its annual trip to the Leadership Training Conference April 2-4. The conference is being held in Madisonville. BSU meets every Thursday at 11 a.m. in Armington 302.

**Teachers wanted**

The 1993 Teacher's Fair at Eastern Kentucky University will be held Monday, March 29, from 1-7 p.m. Contact Dr. Liz Dowdy, Pikeville College, before Spring Break for details.

**Educational science games at PCC**

Back by popular demand this Saturday, March 27, from 10 a.m. to noon, will be "Educational Science Games People Play," sponsored by Dr. John Shiber of the Division of Biological Sciences.

Numerous science games will be provided by the college and several others will be provided by parents and children who have attended this activity before. Each game is based on an important scientific or mathematical theme and can be played by anyone eight years old and older. The activity will take place in the Johnson Building, Room J-102, and is free.

Call CE/CS at 886-3863 to reserve a place for you and/or your children.

**AUTOCAD class at PCC**

Continuing Education/Community Services of Prestonsburg Community College will offer AUTOCAD Release 10 beginning

AUTOCAD Release 10 beginning Saturday, March 27, from 1-4 p.m., on the PCC Campus. The instructor for the class is Ralph Brown of Mayo State Vocational School.

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

**Chapter, council and commandery work**

Paintsville York Rite Bodies will have chapter, council and commandery work on Saturday, March 27, beginning at 8 a.m. All York Rite Masons are asked to attend and assist in the work.

**Prestonsburg Kiwanians to hold luncheon-meeting**

The regular luncheon-meeting of the Prestonsburg Kiwanians will be held Thursday, March 25, at 12:30, at May Lodge. An interesting program is being planned. All members are urged to attend.

**"Writers Reading"**

"Writers Reading" with host Ernestine College will air on WPRG-TV 5 on Monday, March 29, and Tuesday, March 30 at 11 a.m.

**State service office**

**to assist veterans and families**  
 Eugene Akers, a state service officer for the Department of Kentucky, Disabled American Veterans, will be at the courthouse (upstairs), Saturday, March 27, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. to assist veterans and their dependents with claims due as a result of military service.

'Babies and you'

## Pre-natal program at local hospital to involve businesses

A new March of Dimes program seeks to work with the business community to promote better pre-natal care among employees.

An instructor training seminar for the "Babies and You" program will be held from 9:30-3:30 p.m., March 25, at Our Lady of the Way Hospital.

"The 'Babies and You' program is an educational program that can be tailored to fit any individual workplace," said MOD division director Dorine Benjamin.

At the seminar, interested southeastern Kentuckians—not necessarily from a health field—will be trained to conduct 45-minute seminars. The event is being conducted in partnership with the University of Kentucky. Presenters are UK health educators Melissa Wilson and Nancy O'Neill.

There is no charge for the seminar or the 5.5 continuing education units which will be awarded. However, participants will be required to conduct training programs in the community, Benjamin said.

Once training is completed, program head Gail Cummins will coordinate the recruitment of local industries into the program. Benjamin hopes employers will see the benefits.

"The advantage to the company is

that they get women who are better educated about having healthy births. They cut down on their down time—the time that they're out of work because of poor health. They also cut down on the risk of babies that are born prematurely or with birth defects," she said. "That affects the bottom line—that affects their insurance policy." Elsewhere, some companies have received reduced insurance rates by offering the program.

There will be three levels of involvement available to businesses.

The basic level is to have an informational campaign set up at a place of business. Activities connected to such a campaign would include prenatal educational materials, exhibits or messages in flyers or payroll stuffers.

On the second level, nine free seminars will be conducted at businesses for employees and their friends and relatives. They include:

•ABC's of Healthy Childbearing: An introductory session on how the health of prospective parents, even before conception, can affect a baby. Potential fathers and co-workers also learn how to be supportive during pregnancies.

•Today's Knowledge, Tomorrow's Children: The Role of Genetics: Explains how heredity can affect birth defects and how to determine if genetic counseling is needed.

•Eating for Two: Discusses the importance of a pregnant woman's diet to her unborn baby's health and development.

•Danger: Tobacco, Drugs and Alcohol During Pregnancy: A study of the effects of these substances on unborn children, and the consequences of low birthweight and fetal alcohol syndrome.

•Healthy Families: Chance or Choice: Discusses risks to unborn children, including work-related hazards.

•Fitness for Two: Addresses the benefits and limitations of exercise during pregnancy.

•Coping with Stress During Pregnancy: Notes how positive and negative stress affects a mother-to-be, a baby and other family members.

•Children Having Children: Promotes open communication about values and family issues between parents of adolescents and pre-adolescents and their kids.

•Pregnancy Over 35-A seminar which discusses the risks and benefits of childbearing over the age of 35.

For the third level, Benjamin said the MOD would be willing to train in-house health professionals, who would then conduct chapter programs in their own businesses.

Anyone interested in the training program may call the MOD at 679-6514.



Kaylin Rae is two

Kaylin Rae Berger celebrated her second birthday, January 11, with a Barbie birthday party. Kaylin Rae lives in North Carolina with her parents, Robert and Kay Berger. Her maternal grandparents are John and Jackie Hall of Wheelwright. Her paternal grandparents are Daisy Berger of Melvin and the late John Berger.

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**Joshua is three**

Joshua Claude Serge Allen celebrated his third birthday on March 14 at the home of his grandparents, Glenna and Edgel Brown of Garrett. His paternal grandparents are Chester and Ollie Allen of Wayland. His maternal great-grandparents are Mary Daniels of Garrett and the late Serge Daniels. He celebrated his birthday with his sisters, Ashley and Kari, and his parents, Claude and Kathy Allen.

**Summer session teaches women job search skills**

The summer session of Berea College's New Opportunity School for Women will get under way on May 30. Mrs. Jane Stephenson, who directs the free educational and career exploration program, said applications are available and should be requested as soon as possible.

The three-week session is designed for women 35 to 50 years of age who have not attended college. Applicants selected to participate must be of low income, have a high school diploma or GED certificate, and demonstrate motivation and an eagerness to learn.

Meals and lodging on the campus are provided at no cost to those attending and grants for travel and child-care may be requested.

Through individual counseling, participants will identify their skills and interests before being placed in part-time jobs at the college or in the community. They also will learn to write resumes and practice job interview skills. Seminars and other special sessions will focus on computer skills, self-confidence and stress management.

Educational and cultural opportunities will include classes in writing and Appalachian literature, lectures and field trips to museums.

Requests for applications and additional information should be addressed to the New Opportunity School for Women, CPO 2276, Berea College, Berea, Ky. 40404.

This year's summer session is being funded by the Steele-Reese Foundation.

**Weight Loss Mystery Baffles Scientists**

WASHINGTON — Scientists are baffled by a natural food ingredient that caused people to lose weight even though they were instructed not to alter normal eating patterns.

Although other scientists and studies may not agree, a study published in *The British Journal of Nutrition* found that the ingredient, a natural plant colloid, can cause significant weight loss. Several explanations for the weight loss are suggested, but the most likely according to scientists in a Finnish study, is that colloids seem to decrease the intestinal absorption of calories. However, universal acceptance of this theory will depend on further study.

National Dietary Research, an organization committed to the research and development of nutritional solutions to world-wide health problems, has successfully isolated and incorporated a series of colloids into a unique food tablet called **Food Source One**. A significant breakthrough in nutritional weight control, **Food Source One** provides a scientifically designed method for weight loss. When used as directed, **Food Source One** replaces high calorie fats with lower calorie nutrients, thereby providing optimum nutrition with a minimum number of fat calories. According to a study in the *American Journal of Clinical Nutrition*, you do not need to restrict the amount of food you eat to lose weight, just the fat.

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**Floyd Tech students take top honors**

Thirteen students from Floyd County Technical High School have been named first place regional winners in the Northeast Region-II Vocational Industrial Clubs of America Regional Skill Olympics. Four students earned second place and one Floyd student won third place.

Named to first place were R.J. Prater, in the secondary Carpentry contest; Timmy R. Akers, in the secondary Electronics Tech-Ind. Electronics contest; Robert Prater, in the secondary Precision Machining (Machine Shop) contest; Robin Lynn Hall, in the secondary Job Interview contest; Seth Mullins, in the secondary Opening & Closing contest; Lena Brown, in the secondary Opening & Closing contest; Paul Gayheart, in the secondary Opening & Closing contest; Grady Dawson, in the secondary Opening & Closing contest; Jim Manns, in the secondary Opening & Closing contest; Greg Lafferty, in the Opening & Closing contest; Adam Lafferty, in the secondary Opening & Closing contest; R.J. Prater, in the secondary Opening & Closing contest; Ronnie Spears, in the secondary Opening & Closing contest.

Winning second place for Floyd were Frank Boyd, winner in the sec-

ondary Carpentry contest; Bryan Branham, in the secondary Electronics Tech-Ind. Electronics contest; Paul Gayheart, in the secondary Precision Machining (Machine Shop) contest; Parthena Gayheart, in the secondary Prepared Speech contest.

Third place winner was Raymond Goble, in the secondary Auto Service Tech. (Auto Mech.) contest.

The competition was held March 10, in Paintsville. These events were a preliminary qualifier for the VICA National Leadership Conference and United States Skill Olympics to be held in Louisville, Kentucky, June 21-25.

To earn the right to compete in the regional contest, entrants must have finished in the top three places in their school's Skill Olympics.

Contestants in the regional competition were given a timed, written examination to test their technical knowledge pertaining to the skill area.

A practical demonstration of the students' expertise in applying that knowledge was shown by completing an assigned hands-on project. The combined score on both tasks determined the winners.

By placing first in his/her skill, each student will represent Northeast Region-11 and Floyd County Tech. High School/Garth AVEC at the State VICA Skill Olympics to be held in Paducah, April 14-17.

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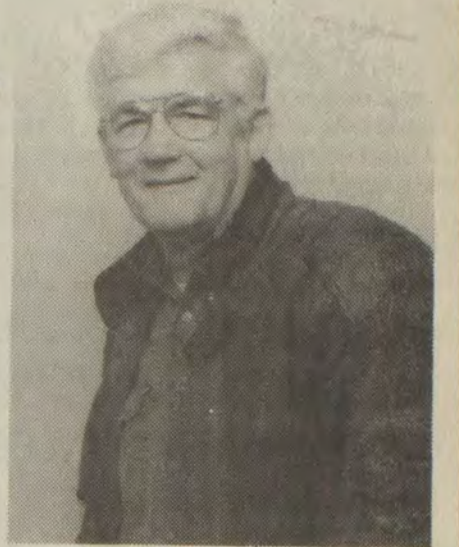
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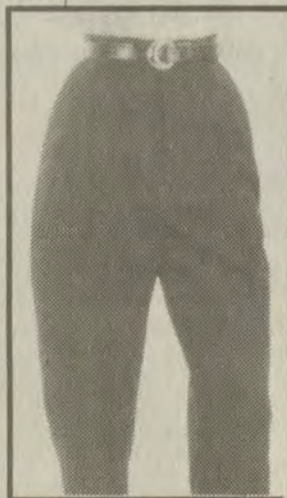
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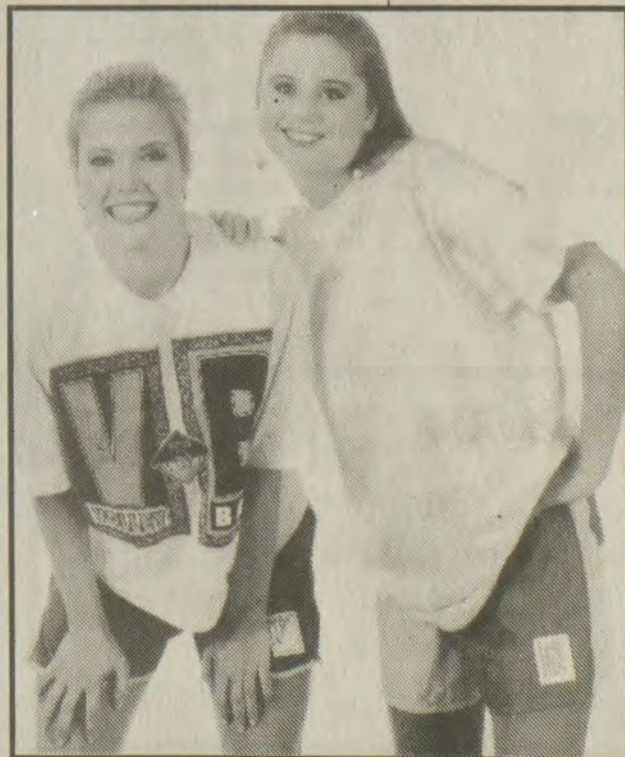
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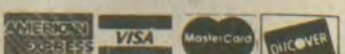
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# Who's Who candidates were presented at PCC

At the last Prestonsburg Community College faculty meeting, the faculty had the pleasant task of selecting the college's quota of students to be listed in Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges. To qualify for selection, students must be full time sophomores (have completed 30 credit hours, with at least 15 from the college). They must have grade point averages of 3.0 (a "B" average). Plus they must demonstrate leadership ability and future potential.

The deciding factor in the selection process was the requirement that each student candidate present a short speech to the PCC faculty. Of the students who met the qualifications otherwise, 67 had the courage and perseverance to face an audience of college professors. Of this group thirty were chosen as PCC's 1993 Who's

Who recipients. The candidates from Floyd County were: Dennis P. Flanagan, Sylvia Eversole Cornett, Eddie Hamilton and Deborah Porter Lumpkins.

Also, Gina Vandiver, Carla Hall, Robin Trimble, Alisha Ann Nickles, Kristal N. Bradley, Maria Campbell, Pamela Caudill, Karen Combs, Jackie DeRossett, James Alan Williams, Beth Jones, Jane Green, Sarah Stewart, Susan Henson and Carrie J. Reid.

Others were Randi Polk, Teresa Wells, Connie Daniels, Keesha Lawson, Lois A. Garner, Douglas Lowe, Lisa Stricklin, Danny Sizemore, David Lee Garrett, Susan L. Harris, Robert M. Thompson, Toni R. Farrell, Joe Pelphrey, John R. McKinney, Doug Sexton, Steven Berger, John Bradley, Tim Sizemore, and Chris Hall.



**Honored students**

PCC students pictured are, first row, Dennis P. Flanagan, Sylvia Eversole Cornett, Eddie Hamilton and Deborah Porter Lumpkins. In second row are Gina Vandiver, Carla Hall, Robin Trimble, Alisha Ann Nickles, Kristal N. Bradley, Maria Campbell, Pamela Caudill, Karen Combs, Jackie DeRossett, James Alan Williams, Beth Jones, Jane Green, Sarah Stewart, Susan Henson and Carrie J. Reid. In the back row are Randi Polk, Teresa Wells, Connie Daniels, Keesha Lawson, Lois A. Garner, Douglas Lowe, Lisa Stricklin, Danny Sizemore, David Lee Garrett, Susan L. Harris, Robert M. Thompson, Toni R. Farrell, Joe Pelphrey, John R. McKinney, Doug Sexton, Steven Berger, John Bradley, Tim Sizemore, and Chris Hall.

# French pianist Nada Loutfi performs March 25 at Pikeville College

French pianist Nada Loutfi will perform in concert on Thursday, March 25, at 7 p.m. in Faith Chapel at Pikeville College. Loutfi will present a varied program, with works by Bach, Beethoven, Schubert, Liszt, Mendelssohn, Messiaen, Debussy and Balakirev.

Before coming to the United States, Loutfi made numerous live concert broadcasts on Radio France, and gave her solo recital debut in 1989 in Paris at the prestigious Salle Gaveau. She has appeared at the Antibes Festival as soloist with the Yugoslav Chamber Orchestra, the Biarritz Festival, the Montpellier Festival, the Festival des Arcs 1800,

the Festival de la Roque d'Antheron, the Banff Center for the Arts in Canada, and the Salle Montaigne.

Loutfi holds the first prize in piano from the Paris Conservatory, and was a prize winner in the Claude Kahn International Piano competition. She has already appeared a number of times in Kentucky, including solo concerts in Georgetown, Prestonsburg, Maysville, Jackson, Salyersville and Louisville. Thursday's concert will be her first appearance in Pikeville.

The concert will be performed free of charge and is open to the community.



Crystal Cantrell  
Gregory Paul Skeens

# Whitaker artwork on exhibit at PCC

An exhibition of art work by Tom J. Whitaker is presently on display at the Prestonsburg Community College art gallery through April 2. A reception will be held on March 25 from 6-8 p.m.

As visualized by the artist, Whitaker's work reflects both the pure Appalachia of the past and the universal Appalachia of the present. "Color and design are big parts of life in New York as well as here in the hills," says Tom.

Most pieces in the exhibition are watercolors. However, there are several drawings and acrylics. Subjects range from very conservative to rather "far-out."

Gallery hours are from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday.

Groups wishing to schedule special discussions by the artist may call 886-3863, extension 408.

# To exchange vows

Henry F. and Deborah Cantrell of Oil Springs, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Crystal Lynn Cantrell to Gregory Paul Skeens, son of Paul and Sharon Skeens of Prestonsburg.

Miss Cantrell is a 1992 graduate of Johnson Central High School and is currently employed by Food City of Paintsville.

Mr. Skeens is a 1989 graduate of Prestonsburg High School and is a member of the Kentucky National Guard. He is self-employed as Skeens Machinery Repair.

The open wedding will be March 27 at 3:30 p.m. at the Prestonsburg National Guard Armory.

# Salyers speaks to literacy class

Frank Salyers, with the Department of Human Resources JOBS program recently visited the Literacy Center at Grethel.

A majority of the literacy students are with the JOBS program and know that an education makes a difference.

The center, sponsored by the Floyd County Literacy Council, is located next to the Mud Creek clinic. Instructors are Peggy Smith and Vivian Whitehead.

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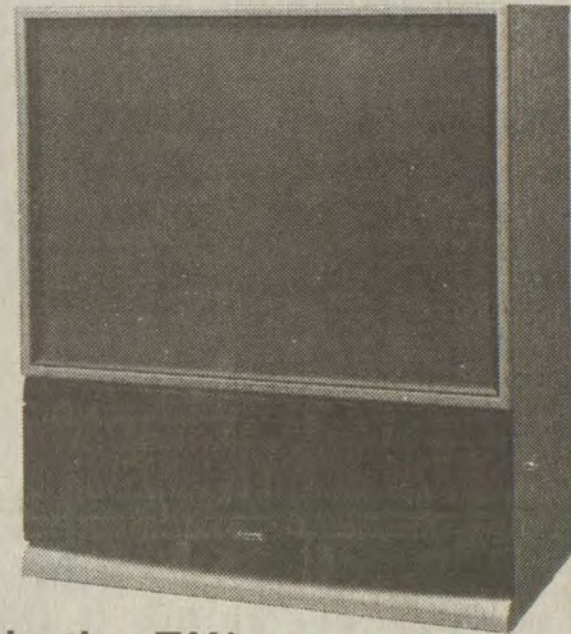
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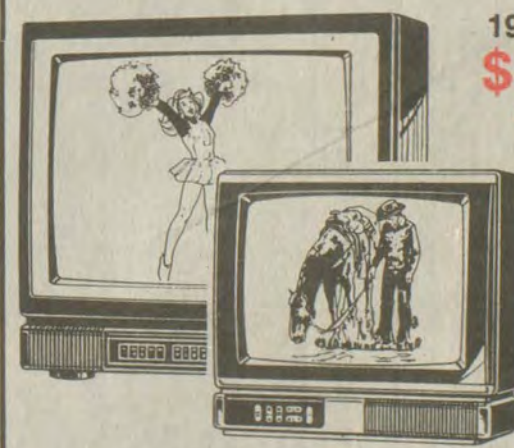
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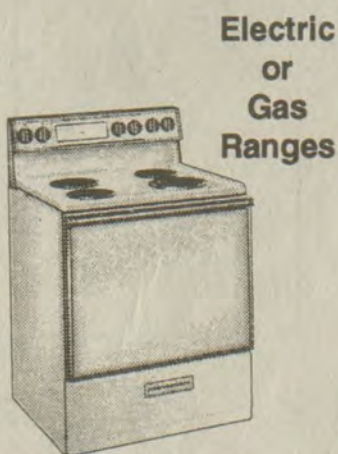


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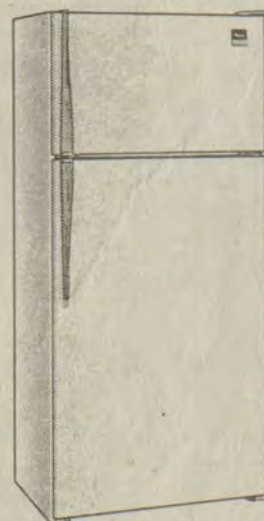


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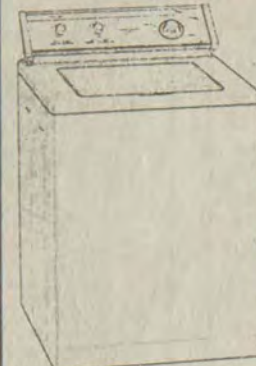


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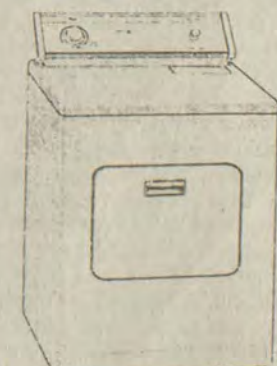
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# Basketballs, awards highlight Maytown Junior Pro season

The Maytown Junior Pro basketball season ended recently with the league tournament at the Maytown Elementary gym as all the teams gathered on a Saturday for a full day of basketball.

At the conclusion of the tournament, each player from the varsity, junior varsity and training league received a basketball, shirt and plaque for their participation in the local league.

"We usually spend the money we make on the league to send kids to the tournaments," said George Isaac, who, along with Keith Hayes, directed the league. "This year we took the money and gave it back to all the kids."

There was a large turnout for the tournament where Mike Howard's Green Team defeated the Red Team for the varsity championship 41-38.

Timbo Hagans and Kevin Thacker combined for 31 points to lead the Green squad to victory. Hagans scored 16 points and Thacker added 15.

Curtis Webb tossed in six with Dreama Isaac and Micheal Salisbury scoring two each.

The Red Team held a 6-4 lead after the first quarter and took a 18-8 lead to the locker room at the half.

However, a third period surge by the Green Team narrowed the margin to six points, 29-23, after three quarters. It was all Green Team in the fourth quarter as Hagans led a second-half comeback with nine points, six in the final quarter. Thacker had five points in the fourth period. The Green Team outscored the Red 17-6 in the final stanza.

John Murphy tied for game scoring honors by tossing in 16 for the Red Team. Micheal Goble added nine and Desmond Spencer scored seven. Jonathan Goble netted six and Matt Hagans had three.

Howard's Red team received the championship trophy after the game during the awards ceremonies.

In the Training League's championship game, the White Team of Ralph Goble defeated Ronnie Samons' Orange Team 24-23 in a close encounter.

Chad Sammons tossed in 17 points

and Joshua Bailey added seven to account for all of the White team's points.

Samons scored 10 of his 17 points in the second quarter to give his team a 19-16 half time lead.

Tim Davis led the orange team with 13 points and Chris Owens scored 10. Owens scored eight points in the second quarter to keep his team close.

The White team outscored the Orange 5-2 in the final period.

In the junior varsity finals, the Black Team of Jerry Hicks defeated the Green Team of Jerry Stanley 48-38 to capture the junior varsity title.

Jackie Owens led the Black Team with 25 points and Micheal Hagans tossed in eight. Owens hit seven of 12 free throws and scored 11 points in the fourth quarter to offset the barrage by the Green Team's Jerry Stanley. Stanley scored 26 points in the game to lead all scorers.

Shawn Henson netted seven points for the winners and Brandon Hoover tossed in six. Brandon Prater finished with two.

Stanley was almost unstoppable for the Green Team as he went to the free throw line 18 times, connecting on 10. He had two three-pointers in the game.

Nathan Goble, Susan Scarberry and Kristi Prater each scored four points for the Green team.

The Black team led 18-12 at the half.

In the championship game of the Pee Wee's, Jonathan Howard tossed in 10 points and Justin Brown added two to lead Kim Myhner's White Team to a 12-11 win over Mike Howard's Black Team.

Jessica Isaac had nine points for the Black Team and Kyle Hicks added two.

The Black Team held a 6-0 first quarter lead and led 10-8 at the half. Howard scored eight points in the second quarter for the White team to lead the comeback.

The Black team could only score one point in the second half, falling 12-11.

(See Maytown, B 2)



**Maytown Jr Varsity champions**

Jerry Hicks' Black Team defeated the Green Team for the championship of the Maytown Junior Varsity tournament recently. Jackie Owens had 25 points to lead the winners. (photo by Ed Taylor)



**Training league runners-up**

The Orange Team, coached by Ronnie Samons, placed second in the training league tournament at Maytown. All the players were given basketballs, plaques and shirts for their efforts this year. (photo by Ed Taylor)

# Taulbee, Mitchell lead Betsy Layne past Elkhorn City in AAU game, 62-21

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

The Pike County AAU League picked up play this weekend after several games were postponed because of the recent bad weather.

The Betsy Layne 13-year-old AAU squad won their fourth consecutive game with a 62-21 trouncing of Elkhorn City this past weekend at Elkhorn City. Betsy Layne is yet to lose a game, going to 4-0 on the year.

Billy Mitchell and Tom Taulbee combined for 26 points and Chad Case tossed in 10 to lead Betsy Layne. Mitchell scored 14 points and Taulbee netted 12.

Betsy Layne's defense took Elkhorn City out of their offense early as they allowed only a free throw in the first quarter, building a 14-1 first-quarter lead. Taulbee scored six points in the first quarter with four other players tossing in two each.

Mitchell picked up the scoring in the second period for Betsy Layne, scoring six points as Betsy Layne rolled out to a 36-6 halftime lead. Betsy Layne scored 22 points in the second quarter. Taulbee, Neal Newsome and Case each had four second quarter points.

Jason Keathley led the way in the third period for the winners. Keathley scored six of his eight points in the stanza as Betsy Layne moved out to a commanding 48-13 advantage.

(See Betsy Layne, B 6)

## Independent b-ball tournament April 1 at Wheelwright

All independent basketball teams take notice. There will be an independent basketball tournament held at the Wheelwright gym starting April 1. The double elimination tournament is open to all area teams.

Entry fee is \$75 per team with the proceeds going to the Wheelwright High School baseball team.

For more information contact Luther Johnson at 452-9545 or Bill Newsome after five at 452-4433.

# High School baseball season promises to be exciting and close

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

Spring is in the air!

With spring officially arriving, it's time to turn to America's favorite pastime -- baseball.

With the spring training camps winding down in Florida and the start of the major league season slated for April 5, the high school baseball season is also getting geared up.

Baseball is still a game loved by millions of Americans because it affords them the opportunity to get out in the fresh air and enjoy the sunshine as they root for their favorite team.

High school baseball in Floyd County enjoyed one of its better seasons last year. This year promises to be even better.

The Betsy Layne Bobcats of coach

Junior Newsome return the solid lineup that won the 58th District last year. The Bobcats advanced to the finals of the 15th Regional tournament before falling 5-3 to Pikeville.

Betsy Layne should be the pre-season favorite to repeat as district champions.

Coach Newsome's team will get a jump on the rest of the county's teams as they head to Florida for 10 games in the Sunshine State. They are scheduled to start their season on March 28.

Prestonsburg Coach Russell Shepherd will also return a veteran ball club that will look to repeat last year's successful season.

The Blackcats finished 28-7 last year, losing to Betsy Layne in the first round of the district tournament. It was the first time in several years

that Coach Shepherd hadn't taken a Blackcat team to regional play.

The surprise in the district this year could very well be the Allen Central Rebels, even though they were hit the hardest by graduation.

Coach Anthony Moore's team will be young but will have a boatload of talent coming in.

Allen Central, one of the top teams in the district last year, was surprised by Wheelwright in the first round of last year's district tournament.

Wheelwright brings back a good hitting ball club. Defensively, the Trojans must cut down on the number of errors from last year. Good pitching will highlight this year's team.

Coach Jackie Pack's Trojans will be looking to close out the school's final year and would love to make it

a big baseball season. The right players are there but again, the word for the Trojans is defense.

McDowell finished strong during the regular season last year but was unfortunate to draw Betsy Layne in the opening round of the district tournament.

The Daredevils have good talent also and should be a very strong team, much stronger than last year.

This will be a good hitting ball club as well as one that plays solid defense. Pitching could be the question mark.

### AROUND THE REGION...

Coach Dave Thomas of Pikeville will once again have his team geared for another great season.

The Panthers won the 15th Region title last year and return a very potent offensive team. Pitching will

also be a strong point for the Panthers.

The Paintsville Tigers have been down the past two seasons but look for the Tigers to return to form as they put a strong nine players on the field this season.

Paintsville coach Charlie Adkins knows what it takes to be a winning club and he will have some young players to perhaps return the Tigers to another state tournament.

Sheldon Clark will also be a team to contend with in the region this year. The Cardinals will center their team around their defense and hope the bats can match their pitching.

Look for the Johnson Central Golden Eagles to come soaring into the regional picture this year.

The Eagles will bring a strong hitting club to the diamond this sea-

son.

The Belfry Pirates are not expected to be the club they were last season but the Pirates will be strong when tournament time rolls around in late May.

Other teams that could develop into contenders before the regular season ends include the Millard Mustangs (a surprise team last year) and Johns Creek. Look for Phelps also to make some noise.

It should be an exciting year of high school baseball.

Next week we will take a look at some of the individual players that will make up our county teams.



## A Look At Sports

by Ed Taylor, Sports Editor



Let's look at the many things that have taken place in recent days in sports.

### MARION COUNTY WINS...

While Marion County captured the state title over Dunbar this past Saturday evening, the question is can Anthony Epps play college basketball at the University of Kentucky? Epps did not have a good state tournament as far as displaying his talents.

Will he just become another Chris Harrison who had many more numbers than Epps has recorded?

Has Kentucky become fearful that the good players (nationwide) are not interested in playing at UK, that Pitino and

staff are trying to grab whoever?

It looks as if UK is no longer in the running for recruits like Charles O'Bannon or Keith Booth. Jeff Shepherd appears to be the lone Kentucky recruit of this year and that isn't like a Kentucky team. Usually the Cats have several recruits who are interested in coming to UK. But not now. Why?

Did you catch the article the Herald-Leader did on Coach Pitino and his financial status? I think it is a sad time when a state paper like the Herald-Leader tries to do whatever they can to distract from what the UK basketball team is doing -- winning a national championship.

One has to question the state paper's motive. On his post game show, Pitino did not take to kindly to the article and seems the paper deceived the Kentucky

coach as to where the article would appear in the paper.

The Lexington-based newspaper is allotted around eight to ten spots around the basketball court for their photographers.

UK should do what they do for most other newspapers. Give them (the Lexington Herald) one photo spot and one spot at the press table and turn the other spaces over to papers that would love to cover the Cats and give them positive coverage.

All the problems that UK has experienced has been brought about because of some article that the Herald ran.

When I followed the Cincinnati Reds in my younger days, they were the heroes that many looked up to.

Today people like Barry Bonds, Jose Canseco and Bobby Bonilla (and many

others) have certainly put forth a sour image for kids today.

Bonds recent run-in with Phil Plantier at the batting cage displays the slugger's personality and ego. Bonds feels that "it is his house" and no one could speak to him the way Plantier did, so Bonds punched him.

For Canseco, he is trying to change his image, but it is too late. Once a sour image is projected, it is the tendency of fans to keep that image in front of them even if someone is trying to improve.

Bonilla just went to the wrong city (New York) and they won't leave him alone no matter if he bats .400 and hits 40 home runs.

Tim Pugh and Bobby Ayala continue to impress the staff at Plant City. Both are contenders for the fifth spot in the Reds pitching rotation. Pugh seems

to be the leading candidate, but wait a minute -- Tom Browning may not make the rotation.

Browning hasn't been too impressive since coming back from the reconstructive knee surgery that caused him to miss most of last season.

Browning has not been able to get batters out and has surrendered too many home runs this spring.

The lefthander could find himself left in the farm system when the season gets underway April 5.

Look for a rotation of Jose Rijo, Tim Belcher, John Smiley, Tim Lincecum and Bobby Ayala.

What about Chris Hammond? No chance!

Here's how I see the Western Division:

See A Look At Sports, B 4



# McDowell AAU defeats Johns Creek, Mullins

by Ed Taylor  
Sports Editor

The McDowell AAU 12-year old basketball team kept their perfect record intact by winning two games in the Pikeville AAU League over the weekend.

McDowell posted a slim 37-34 win over Johns Creek in a game

played Saturday night and won easily, 47-35, over Mullins Sunday afternoon.

Jonathan Lawson was just too much for the Johns Creek team as he tossed in 14 points to lead McDowell in scoring. Lawson also pulled down nine rebounds in the game.

Lawson, who did not score in the first quarter, tossed in 10 of his 14

points in the second quarter to lead a McDowell comeback.

"Jonathan was just too tall for them," said McDowell coach James Hall. "He really came through for us in the second quarter."

McDowell trailed 9-5 after one quarter of play, but Lawson's scoring spree tied the game at 18-18 at the half. McDowell led 27-23 after three quarters and held off a late rally by Johns Creek in the fourth.

Adam Tackett added nine points in the win and he pulled down seven rebounds. Darrin Newsome totaled six points but was a force on the boards with nine caroms. Newsome also had five assists in the game.

"Darrin, Adam and Jonathan really hit the boards hard and played some real aggressive basketball," said Coach Hall.

Ryan Hall finished with three points on a three-point basket and Anthony Tackett scored two. Jacob Carroll added one point.

Johns Creek was led by Matt Bevins' 14 points. Bevins hit three treys in the contest. Jessie Hunt added eight points and John Blackburn scored six for Johns Creek. Brock Morley totaled four and Jonathan Young two.

In Sunday afternoon's encounter, McDowell got 13 points from Lawson and 10 by Fred Gray to lead the McDowell team over Mullins.

Lawson scored six points in the first quarter as McDowell raced to a 14-3 lead. They held a 24-13 lead at the half and were on top 33-25 after three quarters.

Lawson pulled down 11 rebounds for the winners and Ryan Hall, who only scored two points, had 10 boards.


Lawson fouled out of the game early in the fourth quarter but Gray came off the bench and picked up the slack, scoring all 10 of his points in the fourth period.

Jacob Carroll had six points for McDowell with Newsome and Tackett netting four each. Micheal Gross added three as did Justin Paige. Adam Tackett finished with two.

Brian Sammons scored 12 points to lead Mullins. Brian Lakin added 11. Tyler Mullins scored five points with Sharon Fields tossing in four. Wes Mullins finished with two and John Parsons had one.

McDowell will host Virgie this coming Saturday and will travel to Phelps on Sunday afternoon.

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## Maytown

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### OTHER TOURNAMENT RESULTS

In the opening round of the Maytown tournament, Howard's Green Team defeated the Blue Team of Mike Osborne 42-36 behind the 18 point performance's of Kevin Thacker and Timbo Hagans. Jason Isaac added four points and Curtis Webb scored two.

Game scoring honors went to the Blue Team's Tommy Brown who scorched the nets for 30 points. Brown

hit three three-pointers in the game and hit nine of 17 free throws.

Kevin Goodman scored three points for the Blue squad and Miranda Stone added two. Jason Osborne scored one point.

Hagans had the only three-pointer for the Green Team.

In the opening training league game, the White Team of Ralph Goble won easily over George Isaac's Blue Team in posting a 32-21 victory.

Chad Sammons led all scorers with 23 points. Micheal Murphy added three with Joshua Bailey, Barb Prater and John Ousley each scoring two points.

Will Goodman and Jeremy Hayes had seven points each to lead the Blue team. Joclyn Brown netted five points and Shannon Sizemore scored two.

The Red training league team of Mike Childers fell to Ronnie Samons Orange Team 38-24 in the second round of the tournament.

Tim Davis and Chris Owens combined for 36 points to lead the Orange Team. Davis scored 23 points and

Owens added 13. Kyle Halbert scored two points for the winners.

David Watkins scored 17 points to lead the Red Team. Brandon Childers added five points and Chris Childers scored two.

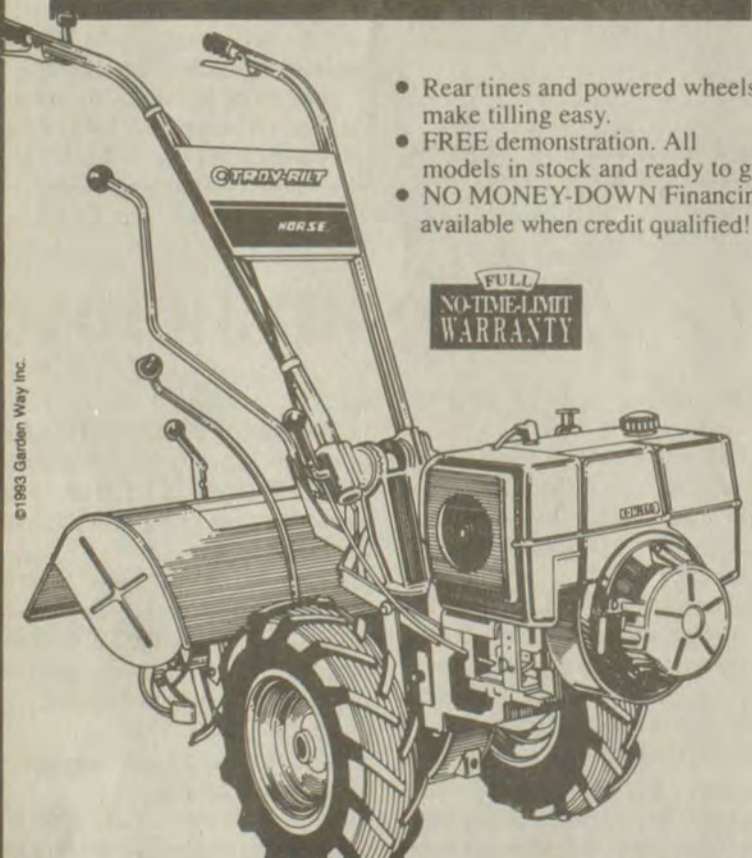


### Miller receives \$1,000 scholarship

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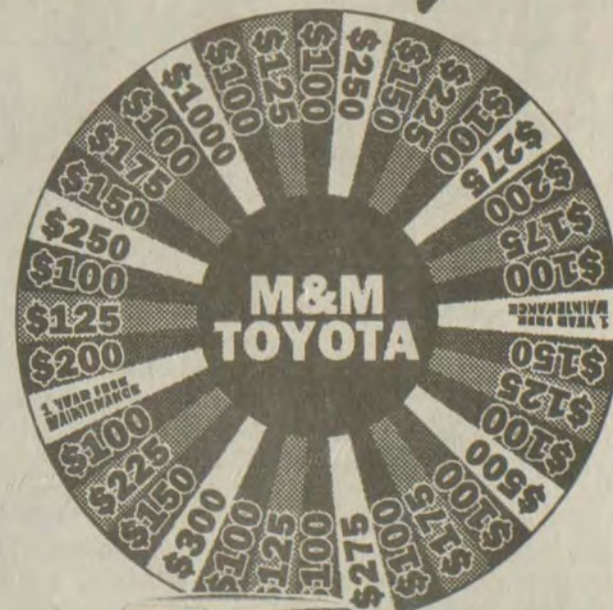
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# Staying Fit

by Don Fields

## Lose weight without dieting

The recent proliferation of crash diet and weight loss centers may have reached its peak with the discovery of easier, more natural and permanent methods of weight control.

Diet centers of all kinds have made millions from an overweight and out of shape population. Those desperate for weight loss will pay any price to lose weight fast, again and again.

Unbelievably, weight loss programs often have repeat customers. This doesn't make sense. If the program works, why would you ever need to go back again? If any diet ever worked, would you ever need to worry about your weight more than once in a lifetime?

The problem is that crash dieting does not necessarily promote fat loss. On the contrary, dieting is responsible for more unwanted pounds of fat than the most voracious appetite. How many people do you know that have lost weight on a fad diet only to gain it all back and then some after going off the diet program?

Most diet programs work on the premise of fast weight loss, promising anywhere from five to 20 or more pounds of weight loss per week. This sounds great and many participants do experience a great amount of weight loss during the first weeks. However, most people do not realize that this rapid weight loss is only a result of dehydration and is by no means fat loss. Every pound lost is certain to return upon discontinuation of the program.

A simple understanding of basic nutrition concepts is all that is necessary to understand how diets work (or don't work).

There are two ways to gain a pound of fat. One is to consume 3,500 calories over and above the number of calories it takes to maintain your current weight. The other way is to reduce your activity level by the same 3,500 calories.

The same is true of fat loss. To lose a pound of fat you must reduce your caloric intake by 3,500 calories or increase your activity level by the same amount.

The average American consumes between 3,000 and 3,500 calories per day. This would only allow for a pound of fat loss each day that no calories were consumed, or seven

pounds of fat loss if nothing was eaten for a week.

It is physiologically impossible for the average person to lose more than one or two pounds of fat per week, regardless of the diet or amount of activity performed. Anything more is simply a loss of water weight and will be replaced as soon as regular, healthy eating habits are resumed.

If your goal is to lose fat and keep it off for the rest of your life, then you have only one choice: Change your eating habits and your lifestyles.

A well-balanced diet that is sufficient in calories to support your activity level, naturally high in fiber, low in fat and high in carbohydrates with a moderate amount of protein, will

provide for slow and safe loss of fat. Add a comfortable amount of resistance type exercises to build and maintain muscle mass and you have the secret to perfect body as well as a healthier and happier life.

Simple, safe and effective. Lose fat, build muscle, look better, be healthier, eat more, exercise and enjoy life but never, ever go on a diet.

Staying Fit is written by Don Fields, Kentucky's state representative for the National Federation of Professional Trainers and the Kentucky State Chairman for the United States Powerlifting Federation.

Questions and comments are welcome. Call Pro-Fitness at 886-8604.

## Fewer doe days offered hunters

Frankfort -- Deer hunters will be offered fewer days to take does during the November modern gun season, in action taken by the Kentucky Fish and Wildlife Resources Commission at its quarterly meeting March 1.

The measure, adopted several changes regarding quota hunts. Youth hunts will be offered at Ballard Wildlife Management Area (WMA), Ballard County, the last two weekends in October and a conventional quota hunt will be held on Lapland WMA, Meade County.

Beaver Creek WMA, McCreary and Pulaski counties will have one quota hunt this year. Peabody WMA, Ohio and Muhlenberg counties, will be open under county zone regulations while White City WMA and Hopkins County will continue offering a quota hunt.

Quota hunts require advance application.

The .30 caliber minimum restriction on handguns for deer hunting has been removed; however, all handgun cartridges must be centerfire.

Bow hunters will have 11 additional days to hunt deer on Dewey and Paintsville Lake WMAs during 1993.

Landowners will be required to tag their deer before moving the carcass from the field.

Due to continuing deer restoration in Pike County, this is the only Kentucky County closed to deer hunting during the 1993-94 season.

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- A Drug Abuse Resistance Education Program (DARE) is now in place in the Floyd County Schools, teaching 3,400 students this year about the danger of drug abuse.
- Residents of Mud Creek now have a toll-free number to call the Sheriff's Department.
- Deputies now respond to calls for assistance in the community.
- Deputies now patrol the county and check to see that citizens and businesses are safe and secure.
- Qualified deputies now attend all high school ball games and most grade school games.
- The Sheriff's Department has obtained several thousand dollars for training, equipment and the DARE Program, through state and federal grant programs. This money helps save Floyd County taxpayers money.
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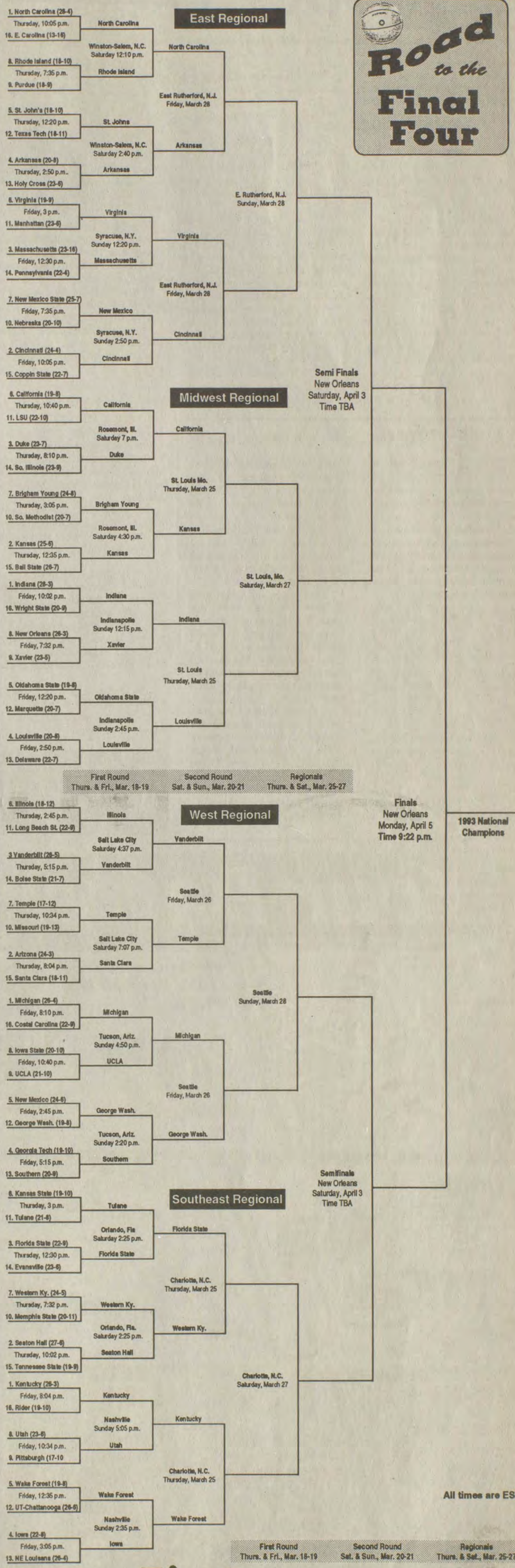
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by Ed Taylor

## MORE ON FRONTIER LEAGUE...

As previously reported, the new Frontier League (pro baseball league) will begin play on June 26 as the Kentucky Longrifles make their debut.

Each player on the local team (Paintsville, Pikeville) will draw a salary of \$250 for the month of June. During the months of July and August each player will receive \$500 per month.

Also, each club will be responsible for finding jobs of 15 hours per week at a rate of \$5 per hour for each player.

The manager of each team in the newly formed league will be paid \$2,500 for the season with the team providing lodging and meals. The team coach will receive \$1,800 for the season plus lodging and meals.

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## LET THERE BE LIGHTS...

Weather has hampered the installation of new lights at Archer Park

that were scheduled for completion April 1.

But all fans are willing to wait on the projects completion as the new lights will first be installed on the high school field (next to the horse show arena). Prestonsburg High School uses the field for their home games but hasn't been able to schedule doubleheaders because of no lights. The diamond is also used by the Prestonsburg Senior League.

The Little League diamond will receive new lights, replacing the existing ones. The Little League field was home of the district Little League playoffs last year.

The softball facility also will be getting new lights.

## SCHEDULES NEEDED...

A note to all high school baseball and softball coaches: we need all your schedules for the upcoming season.

## TROJANS TO HOLD BASKETBALL TOURNEY...

The Wheelwright Trojans baseball team will be holding an independent basketball tournament beginning April 1. The proceeds for the tournament will go to the high school baseball team.

Any independent teams out there that are looking for a tournament to play in, contact Luther Johnson or Bill Newsome in Wheelwright.

## SOFTBALL SIGNUPS...

Kenny Conley is now taking signups for the upcoming softball season at Archer Park.

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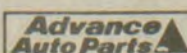


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Worldwide Issues

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## Are candidates ignoring the big issue?

Election years are mostly blank pages in the environmental diary of the United States. Whistle-stop speeches delivered by the candidates, and 15 second responses to questions from reporters, fail to address root causes of nearly all environmental, economic and social problems.

The root problem is people. There are too many of us. Some candidates won't bring up over-population as an issue because they're afraid to incur the wrath of the anti-abortion faction. They shudder, fearing that even the suggestion that birth control devices could be beneficial in some way might bring cries of outrage from pro-lifers or some religious factions. And it would, because the more militant among this group equate birth control with abortion.

Other candidates seem blind on this issue and believe that more people of voting age simply means more potential votes.

Candidates will mention on-going controversies involving the spotted-owl, water shortages in the western states, global warming, oil spilling and a dozen other environmental "hot-buttons."

Do Easterners really care if loggers in Washington and Oregon lose their jobs because of a small owl? Not typically.

Nor, do those living in the Pacific northwest give a hoot about the destruction of The Chesapeake Bay by agricultural and industrial pollution. The prevailing attitude is, "If it's not happening in my backyard, don't bother me with it!"

Every environmental problem, no matter how local, relates to people in one way or another. On a national level, this is more true. And, like it or not, population regulation of some kind will be phased in within the next 20 years, maybe sooner. It will happen because it must. We're running out of places to store our trash... affordable housing in which to store our people... and clean water to drink.

What is such subject material doing in an "outdoor" column? Well, actually it's the perfect place for it. If anglers, hunters and woods-walkers of all persuasions can't see the folly of breeding ourselves into poverty, who can? The need to regulate certain wildlife species through controlled hunting seasons cannot be contested intelligently.

Culling a pond full of stunted bluegills is, similarly, the only method of control that allows the remaining fish to grow to full potential.



You don't hear much about over-population from TV reporters, and never from the owners of TV stations. A bigger bottom line depends on more viewers.

Tied directly to the media are the producers and makers of everything. More people means more potential customers. If more people buy things, more people are needed to make them. Every ten years or so, enough "things" are made to satisfy the immediate demand. The result? Over-supply. This causes the thing makers to close their factories for a while. We then find ourselves with extra mouths to feed and not enough jobs to provide the money which buys the food.

If there were a more constant number of people in the world the balance between output and consumption could be managed. I don't know why this is so difficult to understand.

The monumental advantage to having what Paul Erlichman calls "zero population growth" is that the social problems facing us today, such as national health care, the menace of AIDS, the homeless and the hungry could be solved more quickly. The elimination of the distractions of how to accommodate even more people would allow extra money and talent to be

channeled into much needed and worthwhile projects. And all forms of outdoor activities would be more enjoyable.

In a society where married couples merely replace themselves by limiting their efforts to two children, serious attention could be given to all environmental concerns. We'd know exactly how many consumers of "things" must be served next year, next decade and in the next century. Intelligent, long range planning would be possible instead of the crisis-to-crisis style which is our present management system.

With intelligent population regulations, the divisive discussions of abortion will be a thing of the past. And don't tag me a racist by sneering, "yeah sure, this guy's really talking about non-whites you know." Phooey! Everyone in this world, black, white, Hispanic, Asian, mixed bloods and politicians (especially politicians) must soon embrace the concept of zero-population growth. If they don't we'll eventually be nothing more than an upright species of lemmings. And you know what happens to them.

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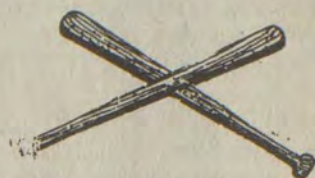
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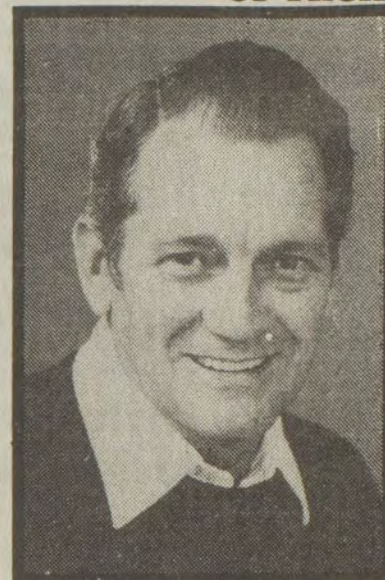
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## Sixteen officers graduate KDFWR Academy

On March 18, sixteen rookie state conservation officers graduated from the fourth Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources (KDFWR) Law Enforcement Academy in Frankfort.

Governor Brereton C. Jones addressed the graduating class during the ceremony held at the Capitol Rotunda at 11 a.m. Thursday.

The KDFWR law enforcement training program consists of an intensive 16 weeks of classroom instruction on fish and wildlife laws, investigative techniques, defensive tactics, physical conditioning, firearms training and numerous other related topics.

Immediately following graduation from the academy, new officers enter another 16-week long field training program where they work with a vet-

eran officer in actual enforcement situations. New officers are graded daily on their progress in applying what they learned in class to field situations, and upon successful completion of the field training program are then stationed in the primary county they will cover.

Counties that are presently vacant and are expected to be filled include McCreary, Mason, Fayette, Johnson, Bourbon, Pike, Scott, Floyd, Livingston, Simpson, Bell, Owsley, Metcalfe, Pulaski, Meade and Laurel. During the interim before vacancies are filled, officers stationed in surrounding counties are providing fish and wildlife law enforcement services in the vacant counties.

Assuming all the new officers complete the entire training program,

there will be a state conservation officer stationed in all but Estill County. To qualify as a state conservation officer now requires a four-year degree in law enforcement, police administration, fisheries or wildlife biology or other related field. Applicants must follow the normal state government job application and testing procedure through the Kentucky

Department of Personnel.

The KDFWR fields approximately 135 state conservation officers who carry full police powers and state-wide jurisdiction. The agency is funded through the sale of hunting and fishing licenses and some monies from federal excise taxes levied on hunting and fishing equipment.

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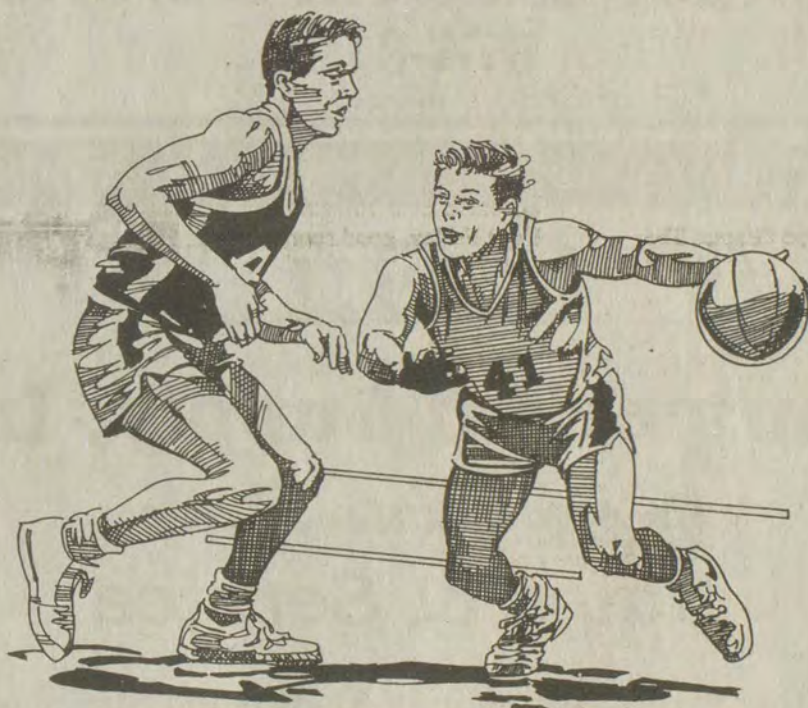
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## Betsy Layne

(Continued from B 1)

Betsy Layne attempted only two free throws in the game as Elkhorn City committed only three fouls in the entire game.

Betsy Layne held Elkhorn to only eight field goals but sent them to the charity stripe 18 times where they converted just five.

Craig Johnson scored eight points for Betsy Layne as did Keathley. Kyle Conley added six and Newsome finished with four.

Betsy Layne is coached by Tom Taulbee and Kenny Conley.

"We're playing pretty good basketball right now," said Conley of his team. "We're 4-0 but I think that is because we really haven't played anybody yet."

Betsy Layne will face a stiff test tonight when they battle Prestonsburg's 13-year olds at the Adams Middle School gym in a 6:30

p.m. tip off time.

"That will be a big test for us," said Conley. "Both of us are undefeated and it should be a good game."

The 13-year old players are those that will be coming back to their respective schools next year and Conley feels that this league helps prepare them for their eighth grade year.

The Pikeville AAU League is made up of 10 teams and each had a 12, 13 and 14-year old team. Each age group plays within their own division.

The league will then play a district tournament at Allen with Betsy Layne the host team. The tournament is scheduled to begin April 23 with the first and second place teams advancing on to regional play.

"We play by grade school rules," said Conley. "It is different than what Junior Pro is."



### Places first in sectional

The Betsy Layne girls' cheerleaders captured first place during the sectional basketball tournament. First row: LaDonna Osborne, Dezeree Morton, Bridget Blevins, Christl Beth Blackburn. Second row: Stacey Kimbler, Leslie Hopkins (co-captain), Brnady Lewis, Candice Blackburn (captain), Jessica Baker. The girls are sponsored by Kathy Wagner and Mary Morton.



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### The end of a successful season

Over 100 boys and girls took part in the Maytown Junior Pro basketball program this season. League Director George Isaac said that the money generated through the league was spent on the kids. Each player received his or her own basketball. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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**Betsy Layne captures first place**

These Betsy Layne cheerleaders captured first place in their section during the grade school tournament at Betsy Layne. Front row: Holly Williams, captain, Amanda Justice, co-captain, Brandl Bryant, co-captain. Second row: Brittany Blankenship, Brooke Campbell, Mindy Robinette, Amanda Clark, Crystal King. Third row: Gwen Smith, Amy Compton, Kelly King, Jiss Fltzer, Crystal Williams, Amanda Johnstone. Not pictured: Candice Blackburn. The squad is sponsored by Kathy Wagner and Menette Robinette.

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**Hopkins returns to where he began at Flat Gap**

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Not McDowell girls' head basketball coach Jimmy Hopkins.

Hopkins, one of the most successful grade school coaches in Kentucky, recently returned to where he it all started for him -- Flat Gap.

The former Greyhound players, coaches, faculty members and cheerleaders held a reunion. They recognized Coach Hopkins dur-

ing the ceremony.

He was presented with a team shirt by his ex-players. His former players shared the opinion that Coach Hopkins still expected them to perform to their utmost ability.

Hopkins coached several years at Martin Elementary where he built one of the most successful elementary basketball programs in Kentucky.

Martin, under Coach Hopkins, was always one of

the most respected programs around the area, winning titles in most of the tournaments they performed in.

Hopkins also coached at Maytown Elementary before going to Martin. He has been the head girls' basketball coach at McDowell for the past two seasons.

Hopkins coached Flat Gap Elementary in 1973-74 and still holds fond memories of his first team in Johnson County.



**Hopkins and former players**

McDowell girls' coach Jimmy Hopkins returned recently to Flat Gap for a reunion with former players, cheerleaders and faculties. Hopkins was presented with a team shirt by the former players. The McDowell coach coached his first team at Flat Gap during the 1973-74 season.

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## The Secrets of Success

Everybody knows that good pitching will win more ballgames than any single element of the game. Other than pitching, defense unquestionably is the greatest tool in baseball.

As I look over the current teams, there is one that has both pitching and defense, as well as solid hitting. Forgive me my personal pride in the success of the Atlanta Braves. Over the years, I have watched players like pitcher Tom Glavine and outfielder Ron Gant struggle in the minor leagues before finally gaining the confidence and building the abilities necessary to make it big in the majors.

Aside from pitching, hitting and defense, the 1992 Atlanta Braves are blessed with one other game-breaking weapon — team speed. Speed does so much for a team. It puts pressure on the opposition. For the Braves, a player like Otis Nixon or Deion Sanders disrupts a pitcher's carefully practiced routine. The presence of one of these two burners on the base paths can change a pitcher's delivery and make him throw a fat fastball right over the heart of the plate.

The Braves remind many people of the 1969 "Miracle Mets." That team beat Atlanta in the first-ever National League divisional playoff, before dispatching the favored Baltimore Orioles in the World Series.

The Mets were propelled by their fantastic pitching staff, which included recently inducted Hall of Famer Tom Seaver, and sure-fire future Hall member, Nolan Ryan. Taking nothing away from that New York team, I believe that this year's version of the Atlanta Braves, from home plate to the outfield, is deeper and better.

I also believe the Braves will be a team to be reckoned with for years to come. Their pitching staff is very young. John Smoltz is only 25. Steve Avery is just a baby at 22 years old. The team has several solid stars in Gant, David Justice and last year's Most Valuable Player, Terry Pendleton. There is no limit to these players' futures, and any of them could develop into a superstar.

It's certainly too early to talk about dynasties. Injuries and contract disputes can ruin any team. But when you look at the talent in the Braves' minor-league system, this team is going to be a winner for a long time to come. **ll**

Hank Aaron is the top home-run hitter of all time with 755 homers. A member of baseball's Hall of Fame, Hank is senior vice president of the Atlanta Braves.  
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## The Sullivan Sheet

by Rick Sullivan

### 1993 BASEBALL PREDICTIONS

| NATIONAL LEAGUE       |     |     |    |
|-----------------------|-----|-----|----|
| EAST                  | W   | L   | GB |
| New York Mets         | 88  | 74  | —  |
| Philadelphia Phillies | 83  | 79  | 5  |
| Montreal Expos        | 82  | 80  | 6  |
| Pittsburgh Pirates    | 81  | 81  | 7  |
| Chicago Cubs          | 79  | 83  | 9  |
| St. Louis Cardinals   | 72  | 90  | 16 |
| Florida Marlins       | 62  | 100 | 26 |
| WEST                  | W   | L   | GB |
| Atlanta Braves        | 100 | 62  | —  |
| Cincinnati Reds       | 96  | 66  | 4  |
| Houston Astros        | 90  | 72  | 10 |
| San Francisco Giants  | 85  | 77  | 15 |
| Los Angeles Dodgers   | 81  | 81  | 19 |
| San Diego Padres      | 71  | 91  | 29 |
| Colorado Rockies      | 64  | 98  | 26 |
| AMERICAN LEAGUE       |     |     |    |
| EAST                  | W   | L   | GB |
| New York Yankees      | 93  | 69  | —  |
| Toronto Blue Jays     | 91  | 71  | 2  |
| Baltimore Orioles     | 85  | 77  | 8  |
| Cleveland Indians     | 81  | 81  | 12 |
| Boston Red Sox        | 76  | 86  | 17 |
| Milwaukee Brewers     | 72  | 90  | 21 |
| Detroit Tigers        | 67  | 95  | 26 |
| WEST                  | W   | L   | GB |
| Texas Rangers         | 92  | 70  | —  |
| Chicago White Sox     | 90  | 72  | 2  |
| Seattle Mariners      | 86  | 76  | 6  |
| Kansas City Royals    | 82  | 80  | 10 |
| Oakland A's           | 82  | 80  | 10 |
| Minnesota Twins       | 76  | 86  | 16 |
| California Angels     | 61  | 101 | 31 |

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Playoffs: Atlanta Braves 4, New York Mets 3.  
M.V.P.: Barry Bonds, San Francisco  
Cy Young: John Smoltz, Atlanta  
Manager of the Year: Tony Perez, Cincinnati  
Rookie of the Year: Mike Piazza, Los Angeles  
**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
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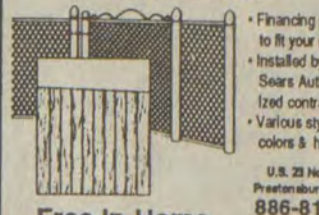
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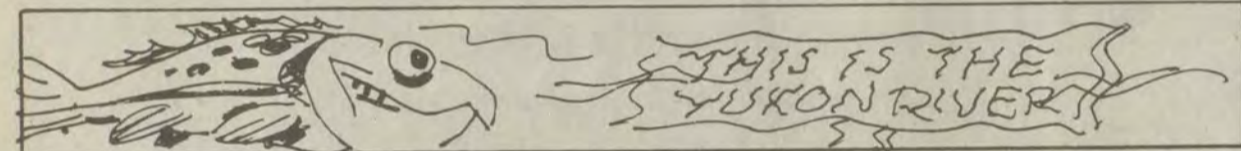
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# OUTDOORS

by AARON PASS

## The Angles For Summer Angling

Summertime and the living is easy; unfortunately, the fishing may not be. As most of us take our vacations, so, it seems, do the fish. Angling peaks in the early spring and later in the fall. The months of midsummer can be tough for the angler to get an angle on.

The problem is that most anglers continue to use spring tactics to tempt summertime fish. As temperatures and the apogee of the summer sun both rise, fish retire to the cooler, darker depths, seeking more comfortable temperatures and less light penetration of the water.

All species of game and pan fish have a preferred temperature range. The cold-water trout species suffers above 70 degrees Fahrenheit; the warm-water fish — walleye, bass, crappie, and other sunfish — can tolerate warmer temperatures. Find out what water temperature your target species like and use a temperature/oxygen meter to find their "comfort zone."

Dissolved oxygen levels also are important — fish have to breathe too. Often, the deeper, colder water also will be low in oxygen. This will concentrate the fish into a narrow band of water that serves both temperature and oxygen needs. The use of a sonar "fish locator" helps the angler zero in on these suspended schools of fish.

Most game fish dislike intense light. The high angle of the midday summer sun puts the spotlight on exposed shallows, and the fish don't like it. Pristine mountain lakes with gin-clear water are a particular problem. The clearer the water, the deeper light can penetrate. Daytime tactics for such lakes often involve very deep-running lures, "bottom bumping" with lead-head jugs, and deep trolling.

Fish seek shade. Overhanging trees, floating mats of aquatic vegetation, the shady side of boat docks, bridge abutments, and piers — anything that casts a shadow on the water — may hold a fish. Even stream anglers should keep this in mind and fish the "shade line" whenever possible.

The reason behind the traditional early morning approach to angling is that the low angle rays of the morning sun do not penetrate as deeply into the water. Fishing also tends to pick up in the late evening for the same reason. Night fishing is an effective tactic for the hottest months. Where legal, some use hanging or floating lights, which attract bugs, which attract small baitfish, which attract ... well, you get the picture.

Cloudy and rainy days are good for summer "fisherfolk." The clouds block the sunlight, and the rain helps cool the water. A freshet also provides food, such as insects, worms, crawfish, salamanders, and small baitfish, washed in from feeder streams. It also murks up the water, further reducing light penetration. The "mud line" from a feeder stream after a recent rainstorm can be a great place to cast bait. Just remember the lightning hazard while pursuing the "rainstorm pattern," and take cover if electricity threatens.

Summertime angling can be successful for the angler who understands the situation and is prepared to think like a fish. **M**

Aaron Pass has written hundreds of articles about hunting, fishing and camping for newspapers and magazines.

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**ROBERTO KELLY  
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Roberto Kelly was acquired by the Cincinnati Reds in a trade from the New York Yankees for outfielder Paul O'Neil and Joe DeBerry in November of 1992.

Kelly swung a hot bat for the Yankees in the first two months of the 1992 season hitting .353 in April and .321 in May. For the first two months of the season he batted .335 with five home runs and 30 runs batted in.

June wasn't so kind to the outfielder as he slumped to .194. Kelly was batting .281 with seven homers and 44 RBIs just before the All-Star break. He was selected to the American League All-Star team for the first time in his career. Kelly had one hit in two plate appearances in the spring classic with a two-run double off of Doug Jones. He hit .262 after the break.

Kelly had 28 stolen bases in 33 attempts. He averaged 28 doubles, 15 homeruns, 65 runs batted in and 34 steals over the last three seasons and hit for a .281 average over the last four.

On December 7, Kelly signed a three-year contract with the Reds, running through the 1995 season.

Kelly signed with the Yankees organization in February of 1982 and began his pro career that year at Brandenton. He was called up to the Yankees in 1987 after batting .300 with 10 home runs, 54 RBIs and 48 steals at Triple-A Columbus.

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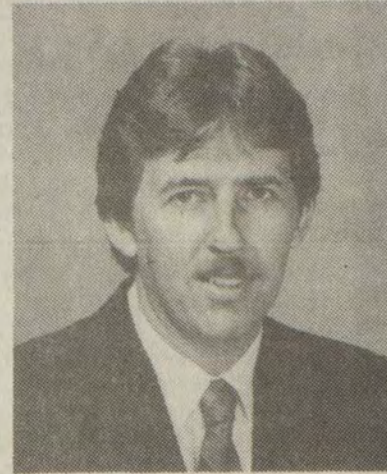
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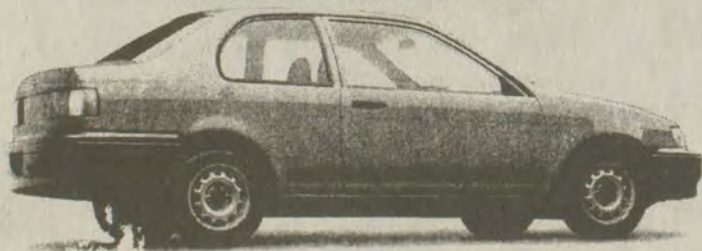
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# Bassin' with the pros



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## FISHING LESSONS LEARNED 20 YEARS AGO STILL HOLD TRUE

Former world bass fishing champion Bo Dowden learned two lessons during his first professional tournament 20 years ago, and he still benefits from them.

"I learned that you don't run away and leave fish that are biting," laughs Dowden, winner of the Bass Masters Classic\* in 1980 and a member of the Evinrude Outboards Pro Staff, "and I learned that big bass will hit topwater lures in the middle of the day."

Dowden remembers because he was the one who left a school of actively feeding bass; he lost the tournament because another competitor caught those same fish using a topwater lure later in the day.

"I remember it very well," continues Dowden, "because the tournament was on Sam Rayburn Reservoir, not far from my home. Another competitor and I were working a huge school of bass in an area known as the Black Forest, which is still famous for producing big fish."

"We were both catching quality bass using topwater lures early in the morning, but once the sun came out, the action would slow considerably. That's when I would leave to go fish another part of the lake, but my competitor always stayed and kept casting topwater lures all day."

"Even though he did not catch as many bass as I did during the middle of the day, the fish he did catch were much larger, and he weighed in enough fish to win easily."

Dowden says learning those two valuable lessons so early in his professional fishing career have helped him many, many times since.

"Years later, when I won the Classic," says the Evinrude pro, "I was fishing a school of bass, and at times it was tempting to leave them and go to another area because the action slowed about mid-morning. Although I didn't use a topwater lure very much then, I did stay with those fish, and I caught enough to win."

"I remembered that first tournament on Sam Rayburn and the lesson it taught me."

As for using topwater lures, Dowden believes many anglers, especially tournament fishermen, don't

use them enough.

"Most surface lures tend to catch fish best early in the morning and again late in the afternoon, depending, of course, on the weather and water conditions," he says. "Normally, the topwater action slows when the sun gets really bright, so most fishermen change to jigs or plastic worms."

"Bass will hit topwater lures during the middle of the day, however, especially if the plugs are fished slower and tighter to cover. They attract larger bass, too, especially if bigger lures are used."

Dowden also says topwater lures can be effective on both clear and cloudy days, as well as in calm or choppy water. On calm days, he suggests working the lure slower with less commotion, but in choppy water a noisy retrieve often works best.

"The important thing to remember is that bass will hit topwater lures at mid-day," Dowden emphasizes. "You have to make a lot of casts, but the size of the fish you catch usually more than makes up for the effort."

### ROUGH WATER MEANS NAVIGATING WAVES ONE AT A TIME

If you're a bass fisherman and get caught in rough water this autumn, the best way to navigate big waves is to take them one at a time.

That's the advice of top tournament pro Larry Nixon, who, during his 15-year tournament career, has safely navigated his bass boat in waves as high as 10 and 12 feet.

"Each wave is a little different," explains the Evinrude Outboards Pro Staff angler, "so you usually have to navigate each one differently. Sometimes, there may seem to be a cadence to the waves, but you still have to study each one because a larger wave might be building behind them and if you're not alert, you'll get into trouble."

One of the keys to safely navigating big waves, says the Arkansas

angler, is slowing down. Many fishermen try to run rough water too fast because they want to get to safety, but this often results in taking waves overboard and possibly swamping.

"You power your boat up the face of the wave," says Nixon, "but then

slow as you go back down. Then, you power up the next one. You have to keep the nose of your boat up, or you'll cut right through a wave and take on water."

Sometimes, says the Evinrude pro, it is possible to run in the troughs between the waves, navigating each wave at a slight angle. Such a maneuver often results in staying in the rough water longer, but it may be the safest method.

"Some of the roughest water we've ever encountered in tournaments has been on Lake Ontario," Nixon points out. "When you see the size of some of those waves, all you want to do is get to safety as quickly as you can, but frequently, the safest way to run those waves is tacking across them like a sailboat."

"This actually takes you away from the direction you really want to travel and makes you go several miles out of your way, but it's the safest method. Sometimes it may take two hours or more to make a trip that only takes 30 minutes in calm water."

Nixon says he prefers to head into big waves rather than to navigate with them, because they're easier to see and judge. Often, when traveling with the waves, running in the troughs between them is the best tactic.

"Confidence is another major factor in learning to navigate rough water successfully," he continues. "None of us enjoys being caught in conditions that could be potentially life-threatening, but knowing that you are capable of navigating to safety certainly gives you better judgement."

Nixon says today's major bass boat manufacturers have made rough water navigation easier by building longer, wider boats for tournament anglers. The extra length and beam width, combined with stronger engines and more efficient propellers, have greatly added to his own confidence.

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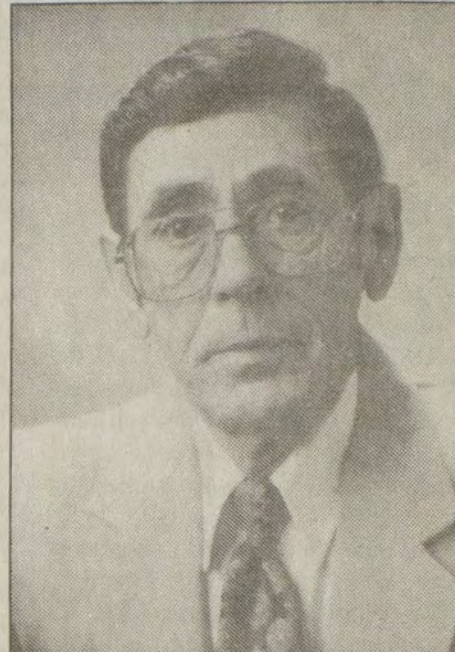
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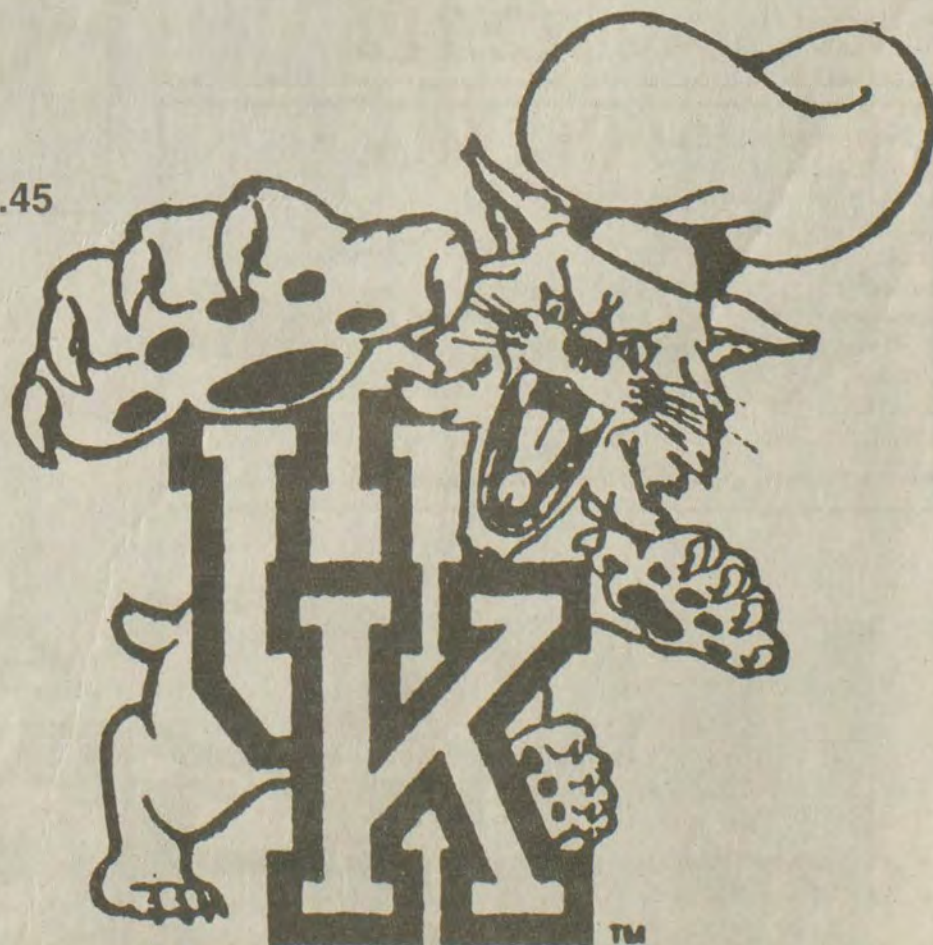
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The two major elements that make it possible to go through a crash like that and not "buy the farm" are the design of the tub that encases me and the rupture-proof fuel cell that we use in place of the traditional gas tank.

The tub is a rigid composite structure that is much stronger than the rest of the car. If all goes right, the rest of the car will absorb most of the impact of a crash as it tears away from the tub. In this construction, the parts of the human body that are at greater risk for injury are the feet and legs. I found this out in 1984 when I broke my right foot in a practice run at Indy. I still wear inserts in my shoes from that incident.

The other great danger in a crash is from fire. The source of most fires is the extremely flammable methanol that we use. To keep fuel from leaking during a crash, the fuel cell is actually a rubber bladder that is almost rupture-proof. The technology for this came out of military design enhancements made during the Vietnam War.

When I crashed this year at Indianapolis I was on the second turn. Unknown to me, I had broken a water line in the first turn, and water was gushing out of the right side of the car. As the car started to slide, I thought I had caught a gust of wind and started to steer right as I came off the throttle. When the car started to wiggle, I knew this wasn't any wind. I knew I was in water, and I stopped steering so hard to the right because I didn't want to have overcompensated when I came out of the spin.

I caught the car for one more wiggle and the brakes locked, and it went around. All I could see was smoke, and I was thinking three things: 1) This is going to hurt; 2) I hope I don't hit the wall on the nose; and 3) I was trying to "guesstimate" when I was going to hit so I could pull my feet up inside to protect them. I got them back just as the car made contact.

Then the car made a pretty odd move, lifting a bit. By then it was pretty painful, which took my attention off what was happening to the car. The car was actually rolling, but I didn't know it until it lit down on the ground, and I saw sparks and realized I was upside down.

The worst was over, and I thought, "I'll be glad when the car comes to a stop." When it finally did, somebody ran up and said, "You all right?" I said, "I'm fine. My feet are hurting. Just get me out of here." Thanks to Nigel's design skills, and a few soaks in the jacuzzi, I was back behind the wheel a couple of days later. ■

Rick Mears, a four-time Indianapolis 500 winner and three-time CART national champion, drives for Marlboro Racing Team Penske.

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## Kentucky Afield solicits response from viewers

New fishing size and creel limits that went into effect with the beginning of the new hunting and fishing license year on March 1 are likely topics during Kentucky Afield's annual fishing call-in special, which airs on KET at 8 p.m. Thursday, April 1.

Host Dave Shuffett and his guests, Don McCormick, commissioner of the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources; Pete Pfeiffer, director of the state Fisheries Department; and Ted Crowell, assistant director of the Fisheries Department, will take calls from viewers during the one-hour special.

The new fishing regulations include a daily creel limit of six legal-sized largemouth, smallmouth and Kentucky or Coosa bass caught in any combination. The new limit applies to all Kentucky waters, except those that may be under special management regulations. Anglers can tune to KET to learn about various new size limits as well and find answers to other fishing related questions.

Personnel from the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources will be staffing 15 toll-free phone lines throughout the program.

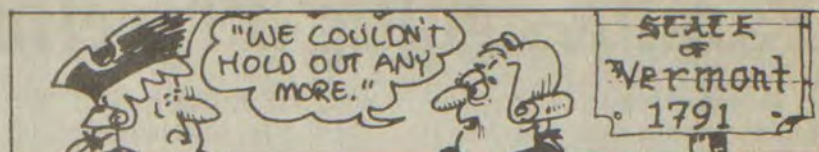
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## '5 a day' to keep the doctor away

An apple a day to keep the doctor away is a step in the right direction, but it's not enough any more.

So says Kathleen A. Loughrey, coordinator of the nutrition education program at the National Cancer Institute (NCI). She spoke recently at a Department for Health Services chronic disease conference, "Selling Healthy Behaviors," in Covington.

"Now we say—a salad, apple, orange, broccoli and carrots a day to keep the doctor away," she said. "Or most any combination of five servings of fruits and vegetables; however, the average American eats only three-and-a-half servings of fruits and vegetables daily."

In the NCI's "5 a Day for Better Health" program, conducted jointly with the nation's produce industry, Americans are being encouraged to eat at least five servings of fruits and vegetables each day.

"People who have a high intake of fruits and vegetables in their diet have half the cancer risk of those who have a low intake," Loughrey told nutritionists and nurses from Kentucky local and state health departments.

She said that a diet high in fruits and vegetables as part of an overall low-fat, high-fiber diet may help lower the risk for oral cavity, larynx, esophagus, lung, stomach, pancreas, colon, bladder and rectum cancer.

"Fruits and vegetables can easily fit into our busy lives," she said. "The key is to be aware of trying to eat at least five servings a day and make sure that fruit and vegetables are available and visible in your home."

"Frozen and canned fruits and vegetables and 100 percent fruit juices are certainly acceptable and very convenient—you don't have to always eat fresh vegetables," she said.

Loughrey said that servings are relatively small—one-half cup of fruit or cooked vegetables, three-quarters

cup of 100 percent fruit juice, one cup leafy vegetables or one-quarter cup of dried fruit.

"We're always hearing the message that we should eliminate things from our diet," she said. "The beauty of the '5-a-Day' program is that we are actually telling people to add something to their diets."

Loughrey pointed out that the 5-a-Day program encourages Americans to eat between five and nine fruit and vegetable servings a day but does not limit them to that.

"You certainly can eat more than five servings or even more than nine servings a day if you wish," she said.

Loughrey says that NCI does encourage people to eat a variety of fruits and vegetables because scientists are not sure which of the many different nutrients are actually the cancer fighters.

"But if someone has to have green beans or potatoes every day, that's still better than not eating vegetables at all," she said. "However, French fries don't figure into the '5-a-Day' program because of their high fat content, just as a vegetable cooked in a cream sauce would not."

Loughrey's comments were made to state and local health department personnel gathered for the second annual chronic disease conference. The 300 participants heard from a variety of experts on preventive health topics such as exercise, smoking cessation, self care and nutrition.

In 1991, 54 percent of the deaths in Kentucky were attributed to the following chronic diseases: heart disease; lung, breast and cervical cancer; stroke; high blood pressure; and diabetes.

Kentucky public health officials say that these diseases are largely preventable, or at least treatable, through lifestyle changes and/or early detection.



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# Families going off welfare with JOBS program

Two-thirds of the way through its current program year, Kentucky's JOBS program has already surpassed the number of parents who worked their way off welfare rolls during the last full program year, and has doubled its participants since last summer.

JOBS—The Job Opportunities and Basic Skills program—is a federal-and state-funded blend of education, training and other support; through it, 762 participants have gone off Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) by employment since last July. Another 2,400 JOBS clients have begun full- or part-time work toward financial independence.

That compares with 655 who left AFDC, and another 1,400 JOBS participants finding some employment, during the 12 months that ended June 30, 1992.

"What's more, we have been able to double to 18,000 the number of AFDC parents who have a case manager guiding them through various phases of JOBS ranging from skills assessment to job placement," said Social Insurance Commissioner Mike Robinson. His department leads the multi-agency JOBS program, the centerpiece of federal welfare reform that began in 1990.

An additional 5,500 AFDC recipients began job training or education activities on their own and are receiving JOBS program support.

JOBS numbers climbed when the program was extended last October from 32 to 92 counties. Kentucky's total number of AFDC cases is declining while caseloads in many other states are increasing, and that's partly

due to JOBS, Robinson said.

"With 300 Social Insurance case managers working with other agencies to support all those motivated JOBS parents, recently trained participants are able to leave AFDC rolls at the rate of 100 a month," he said.

For up to a year after working themselves off welfare, they can get help with child care and health care costs.

The current program year JOBS budget is approximately \$41 million in federal and state funds.

Among the 18,000 current JOBS participants assigned to case managers as of the end of February, 996 were in college, 3,780 completing high school or in adult education classes, 695 in skills training, 700 in community work experience positions, 565 in job readiness, search or on-the-job training, and the remainder in assessment, life skills and program readiness phases.

"Along with the parents' progress," said state JOBS coordinator Sharon Perry, "we are especially pleased with how our two-generational approach is working; JOBS participants are involved in parent-child enrichment activities and telling us that's made a real difference in their families."

Although JOBS is a training and placement program for adults, she added, "We encourage quality developmental child care and link up with several programs serving children, especially the family resource and youth services centers attached to schools. Also, JOBS classes and sup-

port groups get involved in activities like family field trips and local libraries' parent-child reading programs."

Many community businesses and organizations provide things like scholarships, books, grooming supplies, clothing, and tickets to family events in addition to training or work experience opportunities.

"JOBS by law offers the basic

components of education and job skills training, job readiness activities, and job development and placement," said Commissioner Robinson.

"But because JOBS by design is a holistic, coordinated approach, the families are enveloped in many kinds of support while they're working toward financial independence and perhaps a new way of living."

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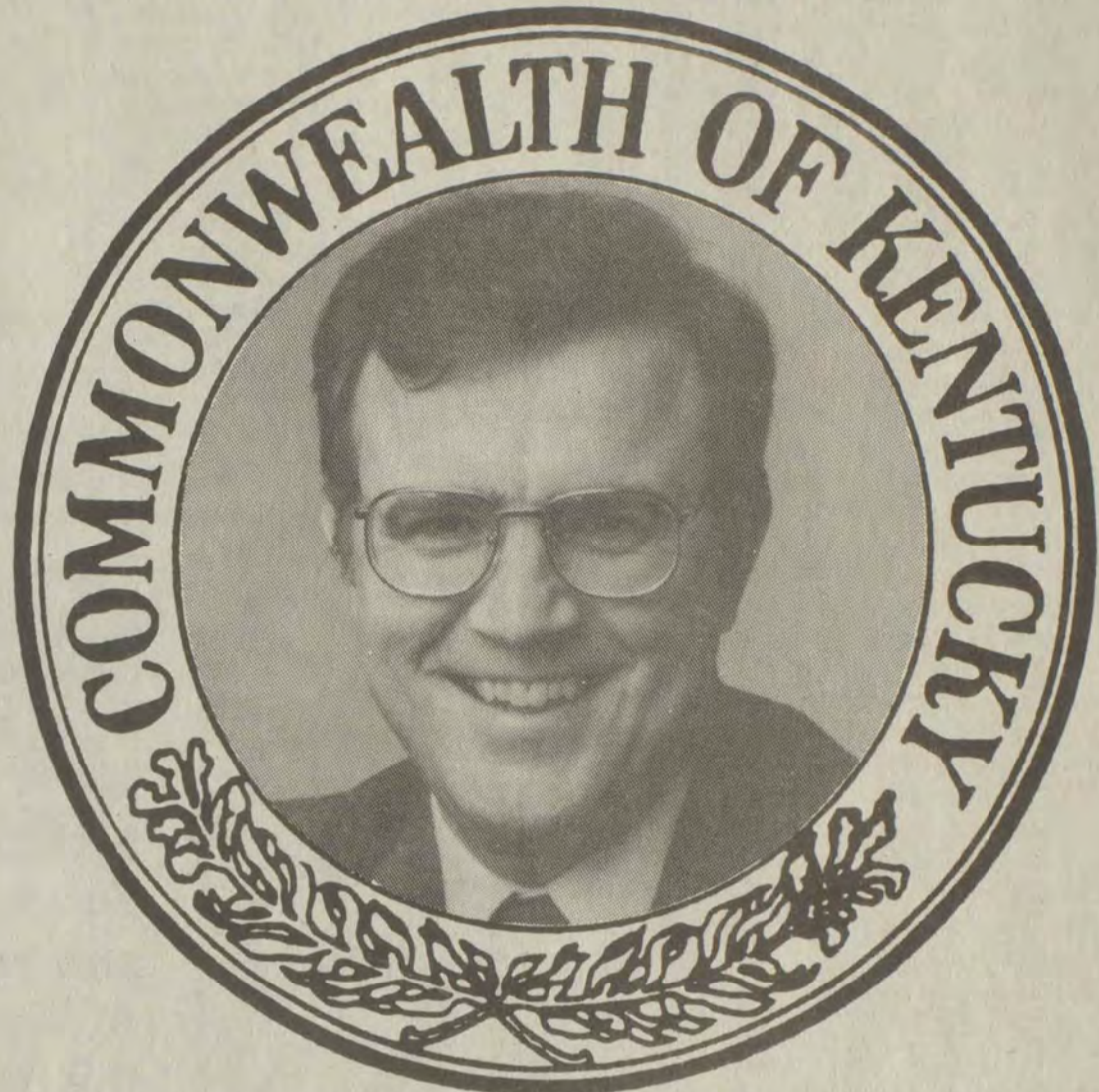
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As a father, a husband and an attorney, I have become increasingly concerned as to what kind of society we are becoming. Our entire country is seeing a breakdown of respect for the rule of law and as a result, increasing numbers of innocent people are being victimized by theft, corruption and violence. I concluded over two years ago that our beloved county is also drifting in that direction and the Commonwealth's Attorney's office was failing to do its part to protect our people. Accordingly, I have decided to enter the race for Commonwealth's Attorney with the intent to make a difference, not simply to hold a job. This difference will be made by consistent vigorous application of three great principles:

### Integrity

The Commonwealth's Attorney must be a person whose word is his bond, above reproach, rumor or slander. Every act or deed of the past or present must be one that justifies confidence in the future. He should be able to consistently look any victim or criminal in the eye and truthfully say, "I have done what's right, I have done the best I can." I am the one candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney who can do so.

### Committment

The Commonwealth's Attorney must be a person whose passion is to see justice done, diligently seeking daily to protect the innocent, be they our elderly, our children, our rich or our poor. Every citizen is entitled to a Commonwealth's Attorney who will vigorously and consistently prosecute those who victimize the innocent by threat, violence or deceit. I am the one candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney who will do so.

### Compassion

The Commonwealth's Attorney must be a person who sees the criminal judicial system as more than a system, that it is the place where real people with real problems seek relief. Anyone who has been victimized by crime can tell you he or she is more than a name or number, and needs a Commonwealth's Attorney who will see, hear, and respond in their particular difficulty. Similarly, some criminal offenders, be they young or old, may have a circumstance that justifies a tempering of law with compassion to achieve justice. Whatever the individual case may be, the need is for a Commonwealth's Attorney who cares to get involved with people, their lives, hurts, and needs. I am the one candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney who will do so.

I ask for your vote and support.

# JOHN EARL HUNT

Democrat Candidate

Floyd County Commonwealth's Attorney

**"I will do what's right.  
I will do the best I can."**

## Chamber of Commerce Business Person of the Year Award for 1993

The Floyd County Chamber of Commerce is keenly aware of the vital role volunteers and lay citizens play in the overall development of our community.

It is the Chamber's desire to recognize significant individual contributions in the advancement and improvement of Floyd County. The Chamber Business Person of the Year Award is presented at the Chamber's annual banquet. It is the highest individual award bestowed by the Chamber. The recognition of an individual's contributions to the community also serves to encourage others to work for community betterment.

Any Chamber Member is eligible who is not involved full time in community or economic development and who has, during 1992/1993, made a significant and consequential contribution in community service, civic leadership, personal character, involvement with the Chamber and peer respect.

Judges will consider the relative time and effort expended by nominees in activities that would have increased the economic and social welfare of our community. Consideration will also be given to the degree of difficulty and/or obstacles encountered in the process. Judging

of the finalists will be conducted by an impartial, non-local organization.

Deadline for entries is Tuesday, April 20.

(Instructions)

Each entry must contain a completed nomination form.

The nomination should include the nomination form and not more than one page of narrative keeping in mind the three scoring areas used by the judges: Projects; Obstacles; Community Development Background and Experience.

- Community Project: Include name and description of the project(s) that the nominee assisted in during the calendar year and the specific nature of effort personally exerted by the nominee. The nominating data should be factual, pertinent and concise.

- Obstacles: Include description of any obstacles that were significant in the activity.

- Background of Nominee: Include brief background on the history of the nominee's activities in behalf of our community.

Each entry may include copies of newspapers articles or other supporting documents. One 5x7 photograph is highly recommended to be included.

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C. Any additional information you feel would be beneficial to the judges in making their decision, but limited to no more than one page.

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# Lifestyles

The Floyd County Times

Wednesday, March 24, 1993 C 1

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## Ask Dr. Bubba

*Editor's note: Dr. Bubba is not a licensed practicing therapist, but is a graduate of the prestigious Hooterville Holler University, where he earned Ph.D.s in analytical psychology and WWF Wrestling. Dr. Bubba has also published a number of articles on behavioral science in such varied periodicals as "Guns and Ammo," and "Hefty Babes: the Magazine for Men Who Like 'Em Big."*

**Dear Dr. Bubba:** Lately I've been wracked with guilt. You see, I've been cheating on my wife of 18 years with this wonderful, beautiful, passionate, intelligent woman. I'm in love with her, but I can't seem to break it off with my spouse, who has stood by me and loved me and put me through college and whose daddy owns the company where I work. What should I do? Guilty in Prestonsburg

**Dear Guilty:** Don't feel too bad, son. I've been takin' care o' yer wife. She's in good hands. She also said that you oughta start lookin' fer another job.

**Dear Dr. Bubba:** After listening to my spouse emit a heart-felt belly laugh over an old episode of "The Brady Bunch," I began wondering what I was possibly thinking when I married him. Dr. Bubba, do we ever really know our mates? Shouldn't we, in an intense desire for self-preservation, run for our lives from marriage? Or should we simply buy more Barry Manilow CDs? I Write the Songs That Make the Whole World Gag, Minnie

**Dear Gag:** It's common, over the long, rocky course of marriage, to become somewhat resentful of our spouses. Their little habits an' idiosyncracies which we bnce found so cute start to become simply annoying and we often want them, if not dead, at least severely injured and placed in a state institution somewhere far away from us. However, the fact that you wrote ta me ta ask fer advice rather than disconnectin' the brakes on yer husband's car shows me that yer still willin' ta work things out. Also, the fact that yer considerin' subjectin' yerself ta Barry Manilow shows me that ya have some deep-seated guilty feelin's that subconsciously make ya wanna punish yerself. *Don't do it!!!* I suggest that you an' yer husband get away fer awhile. By givin' ya a chance ta relax and leave yer worries behind, a week-end trip fer two can often help smooth out the speed bumps in a troubled relationship. Also, other states have gentler restrictions on justifiable homicide.

**Dear Dr. Bubba:** I have a terrible problem that I hope you can help me with. I've worked for the same company for the last twenty years, yet my boss still treats me like dirt. I work rotten hours for rotten money; my job-performance, which is very good, is regarded as sub-standard; and everybody at my place of employment acts like I'm the village idiot. I just can't take it anymore. My question is, when I pull the "disgruntled postal worker" routine, should I use a sawed-off shotgun

(See Dr. Bubba, C5)

# Reminiscences of the classroom

by Docia B. Woods

From my years of attending school, and teaching (kindergarten through senior college), many events stand out in my memory. Among those are the following:

While I was a student in an education course taught by one of Peabody College's famed teachers, Dr. Mazie Southall, one of the assignments was to accompany a group of first graders from the Peabody Demonstration School on a field trip, with instructions from our teacher that we "get the pupils to talk," with special emphasis on "encouraging them to use reason in their discussion."

The Pet Cemetery, in a corner of Peabody's campus, was the place they wanted to visit.

But after arriving there, they seemed so excited about the pets buried in this beautiful location that, for awhile, the other students and I were beginning to think our teacher's requests that they "talk" and "use reason in their discussions" were not going to be realized.

Finally a little girl ran over to where we stood and excitedly asked, "Oh, did you all see the little dog's grave over there in the corner of the cemetery?"

"How do you know it's a dog?" I asked her. "Do you reckon it could possibly be the grave of a cat — or another kind of pet?"

"Why," this child said, "I know it's a dog's grave because it has 'PUPPY' right on its little monument!!!"

One year, the other first grade teacher and I had divided the pupils in alphabetical order and after a little while in their assigned rooms, we took out them on the playground for recess.

Suddenly some of my pupils ran up to the other teacher and me and exclaimed, "WE'VE BEEN PLAYING WITH THE LITTLE CHILDREN!!!"

Aware that this school didn't have kindergarten classes, I asked, "Who are the 'little children' you've been playing with?"

"Children from the other first grade room!" they answered in unison.

One year while in the elementary grades and living in a college town, I enrolled in an education course. The assignment was to make a case study of one of my pupils and submit a written report at the end of that semester.

Near the close of school, the pupils were to go on a trip to the Cincinnati Zoo. With one of our children sick at home, it was decided that my husband, who was having a few days' vacation from college teaching would substitute for me as one of the chaperones for this trip. I asked him to make mental notes of the effect the zoo seemed to have on the pupils on whom my case study was being made so that I could include this in my written report.

Upon his return home that evening, he gave this account:

"Why," he said, "most of those children



went on that trip with their fists full of money to spend, but this child didn't have a penny — and she enjoyed the trip better than any of them.

"Once," he continued, "even though I'd cautioned them about staying with their group, this child briefly disappeared and would never tell us where she'd been."

Come Monday morning the pupils (especially the aforementioned one) were gleefully giving reports of their trip.

And, one of them pointed to this child and exclaimed, "She got lost there at the zoo!"

"No!" the child explained, "I wasn't lost. I was in that big 'ol snake house and knowed where I was!"

Once while teaching in the elementary grades, the other teachers and I had spent long hours having conferences with parents and were asked to "go home, take a little rest, eat your suppers, and come back to school for conferences with parents who work during the day."

The understanding was that we would be given Friday of the coming week for ourselves — to work on our rooms, make our report cards, or to work at whatever needed doing — without interruption.

That sounded fair enough.

But come the following Thursday, and shortly before time for the children's school buses were to be announced, there came this voice over the intercom which said, "Children, I want you to tell your parents that if any of them want to come to school for conferences with your teachers tomorrow, they're welcome to do so."

'Twas after this announcement that I added the following postscript: "Children," I said, "I especially want to talk with the parents of the children in this room who have been 'acting up' for the past few days."

Come Friday the average number of parents who came for conferences in the various rooms was five.

My total number was zero.

My freshman English professor was a perfectionist and for this he was respected. But the trouble was that he seemed to think his students should be perfect, too, when according to "all the laws of God and man" classes just aren't made up of perfect students.

But three times each week we'd stand before the class and read themes we hoped

would be "better than our last ones," and each time we were told of the shortcomings in our presentations and his grades on our themes ranged from five to 80 percent with 85 percent on an occasional theme getting as near to perfection as we'd ever know.

Realizing our learned professor was not going to change his goals, which we knew full well (and suspected that he also knew) we'd never achieve, we decided we'd "get even" with him by (borrowing an old Mountain term) "catching him in a mistake," or by asking him a question he couldn't answer.

This wasn't easy. In fact, it was beginning to seem almost impossible to detect even one little flaw in his discussions.

But one fine day, Teacher delivered a speech about "one of the philosophers of old" who lived by the motto, "Everything changes."

Plainly proud of this presentation, he waited briefly for our reactions, then asked, "Are there any questions?"

One hand was raised. 'Twas my hand and although I realized full well how unwise it was to ask this question of a person to whom perfection meant so much, I had to ask, not only for myself, but for every student in the class, "Professor, what about the philosopher's idea that 'everything changes'? Did that ever change?"

His face flushed and he was visibly shaken as he bowed his head and said, "I'm afraid I don't know the answer to that question."

But any satisfaction I felt paled in comparison to the fear I had that this teacher, who was soon to become dean of that college, would bear a grudge against me for asking him that question.

A few years passed, and when I was a student at the University of Kentucky, one of the women who worked in the administrative offices there said to me one day, "Docia, there is something I think I should tell you." Then she added, "One of the best letters of recommendation we've received since I've been here was one for you, written by the dean of a little college in the hills of Eastern Kentucky."

I guess the moral of this little story is: Children and parents should realize that, though it may not always seem that way, teachers are usually among your most dependable and loyal friends.

## Kim's Korner

Us and Our Sayin's

Well, the family and I are planning to visit K.J., Gene, and the girls in Tampa during Spring Break.

So, K.J. and I have made Ma Bell extremely happy these last few days calling back and forth making plans.

Keep in mind, K.J. married herself a New Yorker, a good lookin' New Yorker, who sometimes has a really hard time understanding our verbal communication.

For instance, I called K.J. the other night while preparing the family wardrobe for the trip (washing, drying, folding and packing). Anyway, Gene answered the phone. He says, "Hey Kim, how's it going?" I replied, "Honey, let me tell you, I'm as busy as a one-legged man in a butt-kickin' contest."

Well, needless to say, there was total silence on the other end of the line.

"Hello, Gene — are you there?" I asked.

"Sure," he said, "I'll get K.J. Hold on."

K.J. came to the phone and immediately asked, "What on earth did you say to this man? He's snow white!"

When I told her, we both began to laugh and she explained that Gene just doesn't understand why we start every conversation with, "Honey, let me tell ya," nor can he figure out why we describe our roads as "slicker than a miner's butt." The one that really tears him up is when we say, "It's cold as h— outside."

Really, he's got a point. It's supposed to be hot.

I even get laughed at by my daughters for some of my sayings. I thought I'd come up with a real good scare tactic for my youngest daughter when she's totally out of control. I told her one day, "Tiffany, so help me, if you don't stop it, I'm gonna knock you into next week."

Now, to me, that was mean, and as mean as I could be.

Well, Tiff stopped, hit the floor on her knees, clasped her hands in front of her, and began to plead. "Please, mommy, please knock me into next week. I have P.E. next week!"

There went that scare tactic down the drain. She thought it was hilarious.

My oldest daughter has recently begun correcting my vocabulary.

You folks have no idea how hard it is being an "old" Wheelwright cheerleader raising a P'burg cheerleader.

You see, way back in them there days when I cheered, white was "white" not "white" and fight was "fight" not "f'ight." She finds me extremely funny — not to mention embarrassing.

Her favorite of my slang antics is when I ask, "Wha'che eat?" She laughs uncontrollably and begins to say slowly, "What did you eat, mother? Say it with me now, What-did-you-eat?"

Well, smack my face and call me Ellie Mae. I'm Sorry! And, to make matters even worse, I promise my girls when we one day build our dream house, I'm gonna make sure they get a big cement pond to swim in.

My oh my, it sure is fun.

See y'all next week.



by Kim Frasure

## THE TRAP

Most of the women I know have learned to deal with some tough situations, but very few can hold their own when they have a close encounter with a lively mouse.

If these two creatures should meet face to face on common ground, it would also mean a common terror for both. For the mouse, it would be the size of the woman; and for the woman, it might be the quickness of the mouse — but it would be hard to tell which had more disdain for the other.

When Kitty May was a

student at the University of Kentucky some years ago and living in a Lexington apartment, she became aware that a mouse was taking up residence in a kitchen cabinet.

She purchased a trap and a piece of cheese in an effort to catch the little rascal. She didn't have to wait long but, to her dismay, the mouse was only pinned by its front leg.

That was worse than not catching it at all for it was flopping in the cabinet and scaring her out of her wits.

Kitty did the only thing she could think to do — she called a veterinarian. He listened as she described her dilemma, then asked, "What do

you want me to do?"

"I want you to put it to sleep," she told him.

He'd never been asked to do

this before but they agreed she would rake the mouse, trap and all, into a bag and take to his office. But when she opened the cabinet door again, there was only the trap holding one little leg.

The mouse had flopped around until it twisted one leg off and then escaped on the other three. No doubt it was relieved — and so was Kitty.

Only the vet was disappointed for it was a feat he looked forward to telling about.

THESE CHANGING TIMES

## Small World

Aileen Hall



rub its back. She enjoyed a real pride in ownership and would squeal to see it run and kick its heels.

Several months had passed and I realized I hadn't heard anything about this possession for a while so I asked, "How are you and your calf getting along?"

"It's all right," she answered.

"What's the matter?" I pressed. "Don't you like your little calf any more?"

"I like it well enough," she said. "but I'm afraid it's about to turn into a bull."



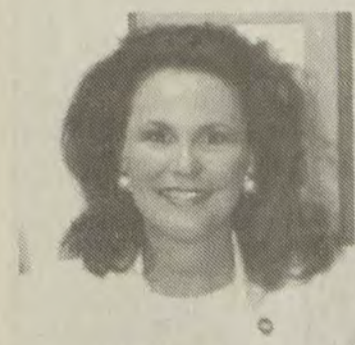
# Society Events

## Vacationed in Florida

Mrs. Edith Burchett of Cow Creek has returned home after an extended vacation in Florida. While there she visited with her sisters, Mrs. Zettie Ricketts and Mrs. Betty Bralley in Lakeland. She also visited her brothers and their spouses: Blaine and Betty Jo in Clermont; Joe and Racine and Paul and Lois Daniels in Naples. She also visited such places of interest as the Christmas Village in Brooksville, the Kings Flea Market in Lakeland, Pehokee, Okechobee and the world's largest citrus processing plant in Sebring. She was accompanied by her brother, Ed Daniels and his wife, Betty Ileene of Johns Creek.

## Returns home

Mrs. Sue Holden, daughter of Edith Burchett of Cow Creek, has returned to her home in Apple Valley, California. She had been here for one year for hip joint replacement surgery and convalescence. She is at home to her friends at 16761 Tawanka, Apple Valley, California, 92307. She would appreciate hearing from you.



Dr. Deborah Floyd

## GFWC/KFWC Prestonsburg Woman's Club holds meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the GFWC/KFWC Prestonsburg Woman's Club, was held Thursday evening, March 4, at 7:30, at the Clubhouse, at Archer Park, with club president Garnett Fairchild presiding.

The devotional was presented by Boots Adams, who read "The Club Collect for Kentucky Club Women."

The program leader Sue Martin presented Dr. Deborah Floyd, president and Chief Executive Officer at P.C.C., here, who gave an interesting and informative report on "The Role of Prestonsburg Community College in the community." Her discussion was well-received by those in attendance. On behalf of the club, Sue Martin presented the speaker with a gift.

Kathy Lowe gave the Secretary's report, and the financial report was given by Dianne Clatworthy, the club's Treasurer.

Boots Adams, chairman of the Community Improvement committee, reported that plans for the awarding of recognition for the "Yard of

the Month" were underway, and explained how the selections would be made.

She added that it was hoped the community would become more aware of litter and garbage problems, and recommended that this club adopt "clean-up" as its community project during the next two years.

The president, Mrs. Fairchild, announced that the State's 98th Spring Convention would be held at the Galt House in Louisville April 7-10, and that hosting this event would be the 7th and 8th districts.

Hostesses for Thursday's meeting were: Curley Hill, Martha Johnson, Dorothy Harris, Paula Layne, Sandy Burchett, and Alice Harris.

A dessert course was served with coffee and soft drinks to: Dr. Deborah Floyd, a guest, and members, Garnett Fairchild, Drema Miller, Kathy Lowe, Dianne Clatworthy, Elizabeth Ramey, Jane Bond, Betty Porter, Lillian Baldrige, Ditty Tackett, Sue Martin, Orella McGuire, Lois George, Wonnell Godsey, Mable Brown, Boots Adams and Eileen Burchett.

The next meeting will be held at the Clubhouse, Thursday evening, April 1, with the Executive Board being asked to meet at 7 p.m. and the general meeting to follow at 7:30.

The program, to be presented by the Education Department, will be entitled, "Touchdown Project: Prestonsburg High School," with Judy Burchett as program leader. Speakers will be Mrs. Burchett and Carol Trivett, the latter who is principal of Prestonsburg High School.

The devotional leader will be Lee Boswell and the hostesses will be: Carolyn Traum, chairman, and Betsy Rennick, Norcie Burchett, Lucy Regan, Nancy Martin, Kathryn Frazier, Vivian Shannon and Ora Bussey.

All members are urged to attend.

## Revival services scheduled for First Baptist Church here

Revival services are being planned for the First Baptist Church here beginning April 11, and continuing through April 14. The visiting pastor will be Rev. Dr. LaVerne Butler. Rev. Michael M. Taylor is the host pastor; Thomas W. Foy is director of music and youth; Missy Carter is organist and Lisa Carter is pianist at this church. All of them, and the church's other members, extend an invitation to the public to attend any and/or all of these services.

## Mrs. H.C. Dutton dies this past week

Members of the Big Sandy Retired Teachers' Association, and others throughout the area, were saddened to learn this past week of the death of Ellen Wells Dutton, a member of B.S.R.T., who resided in Williamsport (Johnson County).

Mrs. Dutton, an active member of this organization, was the wife of H.C. Dutton, past president of B.S.R.T.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Dutton's family and friends.

## Sanctuary Flowers

The flowers in the sanctuary of the First Baptist Church (Irene Cole Memorial) here, during recent Sunday morning services were in honor of the 93rd birthday of Lucy Ransdell, from her daughters, Helen and Sue Martha.

## Prestonsburg Day Homemakers hold regular meeting

The Prestonsburg Day Homemakers' regular meeting was held Tuesday afternoon, March 9, at 1 p.m., at the First United Methodist Church, with Mary Sue Moore, president, presiding.

Due to the absence of Dorothy Stover, secretary-treasurer, Rose Glenn read the minutes of the last meeting, gave the roll-call, and gave financial report.

Jane Wallace presented the devotions, entitled, "Seeking a Fair Balance." She read passages from 2nd Corinthians, and led the group in prayer.

"Hostess sheets," listing the names of members who have served as hostesses at least twice since 1991, were distributed by the president, Mrs. Moore.

Frances Pitts, Floyd County home economist, reminded the group of events scheduled to take place before the next meeting, including open-house for the new Floyd County Extension office to be held on April 1-2 from 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Mesdames Beverly Hackworth, Hope Whitten, Julia Curtis, and Ann Alley volunteered to furnish cookies for this event.

Mrs. Pitts reminded members of several other announcements listed in the March "Homemakers' Bulletin."

Among F.C. Homemakers reported as on the sick list were: Mesdames Dolly Pettrey, Myrtle Allen, Lucy C. Regan, and Maman Leslie. On behalf of the members, Rebecca Rasnick sent "Get Well" cards to them.

Frances Pitts presented the lesson on, "Your Feet—Your Shoes." Rose Glenn will present the lesson for the April meeting.

The hostesses, Mesdames Eva Collins, Julia Curtis and Mildred Branham, served chicken and dumplings, cornbread, salad, cake, soft drinks and coffee to: Frances Pitts, Mary Sue Moore, Rose Glenn, Rebecca Rasnick, Jane Wallace, Ann Alley, Mabel Donahoe, Annabelle Harris, Fannie Runnels, Alice Harris and Hope Whitten.

The next meeting will be Tuesday afternoon, April 13th, at 1 o'clock, at the new F.C. Extension office.

All members and prospective members are urged to attend.

## AARP meeting held

The monthly meeting of AARP was held in Highlands Regional Medical Center cafeteria, March 19.

President Otella Smiley called the meeting to order. Orville Cooley led the group in prayer and The Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

Chalmer Frasure spoke on the importance of telling President Clinton and our state representative our desires about the budget reduction, health care and Social Security. He gave out cards for us to send to our representatives and urged all to write and let our representatives know how we feel.

The Local James Kelly, district director of Social Security office, gave a very informative speech. Kelly said that the five counties he represents—Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Pike—there are 42,604 people receiving \$19,095,000 the first of each month. In Floyd County, 10,500 people receive \$5,047,000 in Social Security checks and 2,314 people receive \$643,000 each month in Social Security Insurance payments.

Kelly left brochures on benefits, Medicare, preventive health care and other services.

Smiley read a letter from Roy Duran about a meeting to be held March 30 at May Lodge, Jenny Wiley Park, at 9:30 a.m. Lunch will be provided and all members are asked to come.

Happy birthday was sung to Flem Blanton and get well cards were signed for Jimmie Goble and Maman Leslie.

The next meeting will be April 16 at the Highlands Regional Medical Center cafeteria. Jack Freed invited all to the Palm Sunday Services.

Those present were: Crystal Crider, Roberta Crider, Tilden and Goldia Collins, Chalmer Frasure, James Kelly, Shirley Callihan, Otilla Smiley, Dorothy Osborne, Flem and Sina Blanton, Orville Cooley, Delmas and Edna Saunders, Jack Freed and Arnold Crider.



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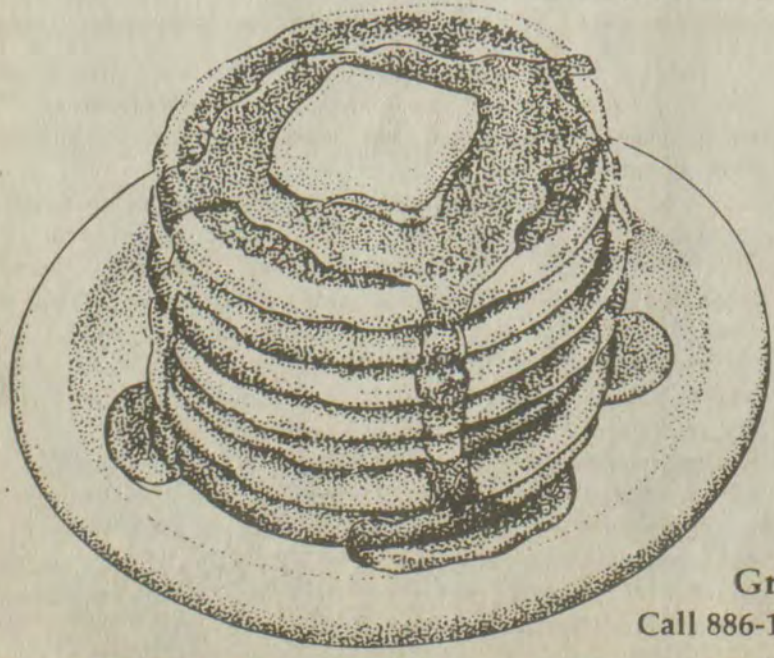


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# New Adult Readers

## Students show this teacher courage and love

My name is Peg Smith and I am a full-time Literacy teacher for the JOBS Program and the Floyd County Literacy Council. This is my second year teaching new adult readers. I want to share with you what it has meant to me to teach these adults and perhaps encourage some of you to become tutors.

I am originally from Nebraska and was very unfamiliar with illiteracy, even though I know it exists there. When I moved here three years ago, my eyes were opened to the tremendous handicap a person has not being able to read. Secondly, I stand up and applaud these new readers for the courage it takes to survive in this world without being able to read well. And finally, my eyes have been opened to the courage it takes for these people to walk in and admit they need help reading.

The last few weeks the students have been writing stories on how their lives have changed since coming back to school. I would like to take this opportunity to share with you how my life has been affected since having the privilege of working with these students.

These new readers are from all parts of Floyd County. Most are poor, but in material things only. These people are not poor in courage, loyalty and desire to better their lives and their families lives. The courage that these people display is amazing to me. They have come back to school with a fear of failure as so many of them experienced many years ago in school. They come back with a fear of running into someone they know or the fear of not knowing anyone. Many times they wonder—"Will they laugh at me?"—"Will I be accepted?" However, they keep coming back and, to their surprise, make some new and close friends. In literacy classes, a powerful support system is often built. Students are helping students not only with school work but also with personal problems.

These wonderful people have made me, an outsider, feel like one of them. They have accepted me for who I am and for the funny way I talk! In their simplicity, my students have shown me and taught me about the

culture and the way of life of the people of the hills! I am so proud to be associated with "hillbillies." The students are in the process of writing a book called the "Hillbilly Dictionary" and through this book I have learned a lot about Eastern Kentucky. One day, one of the students brought me Spicewood Tea and told me to take it for the flu. Another time another student brought a ginseng plant so I could see what it looked like. A ginseng plant is worth some money but she insisted that I keep it.

Then, there are the priceless moments when they bring their children in so we can meet them!! Later, they give me a school picture or a snapshot of their children. My heart melts. A precious moment came to me when on Valentine's Day one of our students wrote a valentine to each one of her kids. At first, she felt a little uncomfortable writing to her young'uns, but as she started writing she couldn't quit. I sat there and cried as we read all the good and positive qualities she had written about her children.

There was the time when a student told me about her love for art and brought in some drawings. Then one day she drew two beautiful sketches of Jesus and gave me one. I have other pictures, original poetry, crafts and jewelry that these generous people have given me. Oh, how their hospitality and love runneth over!

Lastly, I want to share the saddest and yet happiest moments with my students. This happens when they score enough on their tests to move on into ABE/GED classes! It's so joyous because they are succeeding, they are moving on with their lives and they are one step closer to getting their GED. And I am so proud of them that sometimes only tears can really express my emotions. We always take a picture of them and there are many hugs. It's sad because I miss them. Just as they make friends; with one another, we, as teachers, become friends with them. It's hard to let go and yet it's easy because I see them reaching their goal. Many times I feel like a mother having to let go of the "apron strings". There is one student who I am very close to and she has just recently moved on to the ABE/GED classes. I miss her very

much, but she is changing so much and improving herself and her children. She is like a sister to me and I love her and all my students very much.

From the bottom of my heart, I say thank you to each one of my students for teaching me, accepting me and loving me!

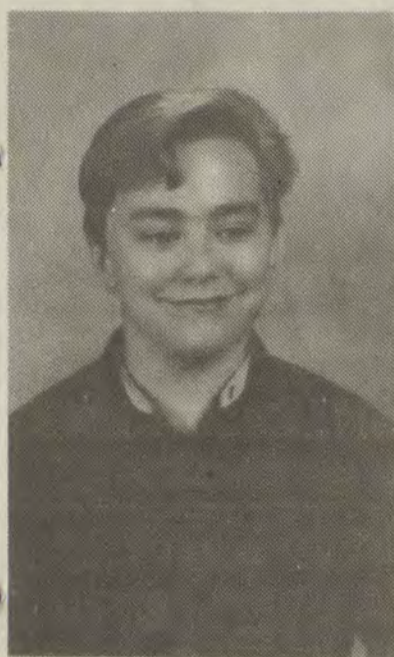
If any of you are interested in helping someone to read better, please call the Floyd County Literacy Council at 886-READ!

There will be a free tutor training workshop on Saturday, March 27th from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Adult Learning Center in Prestonsburg. Call 886-READ to register.



## Harold spelling bee winner

Amanda Tackett, a fourth grade student at Harold Elementary, was the 1993 school Spelling Bee winner. She is the 10-year-old daughter of Theresa and Steve Tackett. Natasha Clark, representing grade six, was runner-up. Also competing were Brandis Bradley, Josh Meade, Nicole Conn, Michelle Justice, and Tracy Clark. The competition was under the direction of Emma Hartley, Jim Roberts, and Bill Newsome.



## Wins school bee

Jonathan Smith was winner of the spelling contest at Prater Elementary. He is an eighth grade student and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith of Dana. He finished fourth in the Floyd County spelling contest.



## First birthday

Andrew Jonathan Charles Tackett will celebrate his first birthday March 27th with a Big Bird party at the Weeksbury Community Center. Andrew is the son of Charles and Shelia Tackett of Hi Hat. He is the grandson of Burley and T.R. Hamilton of Melvin and Curt and Ethel Tackett of Hi Hat and the great-grandson of Jim and Hannah Tackett of Hi Hat.

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# Farm & Family

**THE OLD FARMER'S THIS WEEK WITH ALMANAC**  
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**WORDS**

Some people have a way with words. Their speeches are remembered for generations, and even schoolchildren can quote from them. On March 23, 1775, such a speech was made by a person. Patrick Henry was already a successful criminal lawyer and influential colonial leader when he attended the Virginia revolutionary convention in Richmond. His argument for arming the Virginia militia assured his place in history as one of the world's great orators and staunch defenders of human liberty. His words on that occasion still captivate us today: "Is life so dear or peace so sweet as to be purchased at the price of chains and slavery? Forbid it, Almighty God! I know not what course others may take, but as for me, give me liberty or give me death!"

*Where liberty dwells, there is my country.*

— Benjamin Franklin

**TIP OF THE WEEK**

To remove stains in your coffeepot, boil a potful of water with 2 tablespoons of baking soda.

**EARTHWISE**

Refrigerators can be real energy hogs. Keeping an old one in your basement just to keep spare soft drinks cold when entertaining could be costing you as much as \$120 a year. Consider getting rid of it and the unnecessary energy drain. Remember to check the seal on your refrigerator gasket by closing the door on a dollar bill or piece of newspaper. If the bill or paper pulls out easily, replace the worn gasket for more energy savings.

**CRAB AND TOMATO BISQUE**

- 2 tablespoons butter
- 2 tablespoons flour
- 2 cups whole milk
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper
- 1 cup flaked crabmeat
- 1 cup tomato juice
- 2 tablespoons parsley

Melt butter in saucepan. Add flour and blend. Add milk and cook until thickened, stirring constantly. Add seasonings and crab and simmer for a few minutes. Meanwhile, heat tomato juice in another pan. Gradually add hot juice to soup and serve immediately, garnished with parsley.

Makes 4 servings.

**THE OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECAST**



**NORTHEAST:** Cold, snowy, then clear and milder; rain south, sleet and snow west, storm mountains.

**SOUTHEAST:** Seasonable, showers then rainy and cold; snowstorm north, warming.

**MIDWEST:** Cold and snowy, then clearing and warming; seasonable with some freezing rain north.

**NORTHWEST:** Seasonable, rain, snow mountains; then turning colder, snow.

**SOUTHWEST:** Clear and warm desert; rainy and seasonable California; then colder, heavy rain, heavy snow mountains.

## Time to plan for spring deworming

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Guess what is alive and well and waiting for a chance to re-infect your cattle?

Those stomach worm eggs and larvae that were deposited on pasture last fall! Right now, they are developing through the necessary larval stages and getting ready to re-enter cattle as they graze.

And it is not too soon to be planning an effective deworming campaign to start as soon as warm weather arrives.

At any given time, more than 90 percent of the cattle worm population is on pasture, not in the cattle, and during the ideal spring climate for

worm development there is an almost explosive build-up of worms inside and outside the cattle.

Worm larvae are picked up almost entirely from grass, hardly at all from a drylot. A new generation of worms is produced every three weeks, and each is a many-fold increase from the previous generation. The build-up continues as long as temperature and moisture are favorable, usually into late June.

Treating cattle for worms must be carefully planned. It will do little good to deworm a cow or calf, then return it to contaminated pasture. Ideally, young cattle should be dewormed in the spring and then moved to pasture not grazed since the previous July. However, this is not usually a practical option.

Strategic deworming then becomes an option. This amounts to deworming cattle repeatedly in harmony with the life cycle of the parasites.

The life cycle of stomach worms is about three weeks, therefore deworming cattle every three weeks keeps the worm burden at an acceptably low level. The practice also keeps down the infective level of the pasture.

Usually, treatments are given at three, six and nine weeks after start of grazing, for most cattle. Mature cows and spring-born calves more than six weeks old should be dewormed about the time they are turned out, and then again about a month later.

Individual dosing is the only way to be sure each animal gets the correct amount of dewormer, however on a practical level there are several dewormers which seem to work at acceptable levels in group delivery systems.

One worm, the medium brown stomach worm, is capable of extensive damage. The immature larvae of this worm bury into the stomach lin-

ing and lie there, without further development, for an extended period of time. When they later resume development, they do significant damage when they tear out of the stomach wall.

The brown stomach worm larvae is killed only by fenbendazole or ivermectin, and one of these compounds should be used for the last spring deworming or for a July deworming. This will safely remove the larvae before they emerge in August.

Your veterinarian is trained in control of animal parasites, especially cattle stomach worms, and you will find it economically efficient to control the worms in your cattle.

Most efficient is to make deworming a part of a total herd health plan, which your veterinarian can devise for you and can also show you how it will make money for you because of healthier animals.

**Check Your Home**

by Ray F. Cawood

Check for condensation around your window panes. Moisture inside can mess up the wood in paint. If you have a moisture problem, write on your "spring spruce-up" list a memo to check the weatherstripping, ventilation and caulking around the window.

Q: The inside of my thermal-pane window is getting cloudy with moisture. I think I can re-seal it, but how can I get the moisture out first?

A: Can't. You usually have to replace any panes with broken seals. (A leaky thermal pane also means a less efficient window.)

Q: My roof has two layers of old shingles and may need a third. Can I have the new shingles put on top of the old?

A: Bad idea. No more than two layers should be on a roof. Shingles last longer when applied directly to sheathing.

Q: Wood roofing is beautiful, but does it last?

A: It can have a long life, but needs more maintenance for rot control and fire resistance.

Metal roofs can have a very long life, but they need to be checked to see that nails don't pop out. When the nails pop out, water gets in and can hurt the underlying structure.

Q: Before I paint my aluminum siding, how do I get the chalky stuff off?

A: Tri-sodium phosphate and water. Also good for removing mildew outside. Follow instructions on TSP use.

Q: What paint do you suggest for aluminum siding?

A: Acrylic latex, satin gloss. No darker than the paint already on. Sprayed rather than brushed.

Q: Moisture builds up behind some of my clapboards and makes the paint peel. How can I prevent that?

A: Ask your paint dealer about metal venting wedges that can be driven under the clapboard, and how to install them.

When spring comes to Kentucky, check to see that all your windows open. Sometimes windows get painted shut. All windows should open easily.

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 Criterium-Cawood Engineers, P.O. Box 1560, Harlan, Ky. 40831.

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## Corn's "S.O.S." lures wasps to the rescue

by Sean Adams

Like a ship in distress, corn plants have their own way of signaling for help when they are under attack.

A corn plant sends out "S.O.S. signals" when caterpillars begin nibbling on it, U.S. Department of Agriculture scientists say. That call for help—in the form of an airborne chemical—lures friendly wasps to the rescue.

These tiny wasps, which are harmless to humans, are natural enemies of the caterpillars, say Ted C.J. Turlings and James H. Tumlinson of USDA's Agricultural Research Service. They believe their study is the first to show that a plant releases chemical distress calls from all of its leaves—not just damaged ones—when caterpillars begin to feed.

The "S.O.S." is a combination of volatile chemicals, called terpenoids, that the parasitic wasps use as a beacon to lead them to the caterpillars, according to the study by Turlings, an entomologist, and Tumlinson, a chemist. They are at the ARS Insect Attractants, Behavior and Basic Biology Research Laboratory in Gainesville, Fla.

The wasps, *Cotesia marginiventris*, sting the caterpillar larvae and lay an egg inside them. As the wasp egg develops into a larvae, it eats the caterpillar.

Tumlinson says the S.O.S. study and others in collaboration with ARS entomologist W. Joe Lewis at Tifton, Ga., "will lay the groundwork for improving the effectiveness of these wasps as a biological control." *C. marginiventris* and other beneficial insects, used to combat crop pests, are alternatives to farm chemicals.

Tumlinson and fellow researchers have found in previous studies that wasps raised in the laboratory and released into the field often fly away. "But we've also found that by exposing wasps to chemicals such as terpenoids," he says, "we can train them to stay in the area and use the chemicals as cues to locate the caterpillars."

"If plants could be genetically engineered to produce higher levels of terpenoids," he adds, "it's possible that crops could send out stronger calls for help to lure larger numbers of beneficial wasps." (Agricultural Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture.)

**Federal-State Market News Wednesday, March 17, 1993 Gateway Livestock Market**

Cattle and calf receipts: 488.

Total livestock receipts for the week: 534.

Cattle weighed at time of sale. (Compared to last week) Slaughter cows, \$1.00-2.00 higher; slaughter bulls, steady; feeder steers under 500 lbs. \$1.00-2.00 higher, over 500 lbs. steady with a light test, feeder heifers steady to \$1.00 higher.

**SLAUGHTER COWS:** breaking Utility and Commercial, 2-4, \$45-48; high Cutter and boning Utility, 1-3, \$47-51.50; high dressing individuals, \$52.50-53.75; Cutter, 1-2, \$43-47; Canner and low Cutter, \$38-43, few Canner down to \$36.50.

**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** individual yield grade 1, 1730 lbs. indicating 83 carcass boning percent, \$67.50; yield grade 1-2, 1235-2225 lbs. indicating 78-80 percent, \$57-62; yield grade 2, 1440 lbs. indicating 76 percent 52.75.

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**FEEDER HEIFERS:** Medium to Large Frame No.1, 300-400 lbs., \$89-98; 400-500 lbs., \$85-93; 500-630 lbs., \$78-85; Small Frame No. 1, 335-485 lbs., \$81-86; Medium Frame No. 2, 300-500 lbs., \$74.50-82.

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**STOCK COWS:** Medium and Large Frame No. 1, indicating 2-8 years of age and bred 4-8 months, \$570-770 per head. Medium and Small Frame No. 1-2, indicating 3-10 years of age and bred 3-7 months, \$360-500 per head.

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Margaret and Bart Meade of McDowell, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary Saturday, March 20. They were married March 20, 1933, at Dema. He is a retired coal miner and son of Thomas and Sally Meade. Mrs. Meade is the daughter of Brown and Dora Gayheart. They raised seven children: Velma Glea Ward and Dora Lee Ward of Chillicothe, Ohio; Pat Newman of Peninsula, Ohio; Vivian Hall, Anna Sue Hasch, and Ted Meade, all of Louisville, and Geri Howell of McDowell. They also have 17 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

## John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution

John Graham Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met Tuesday, March 8, Jenny Wiley State Park, for a business-luncheon meeting. Regent, Betty Jean Conn, presided.

Chaplain pro-tem Virginia Goble led the DAR Rituals, the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by guest, Barbara Pugh, the American's Creed by Karen Ousley, the President General's message by guest, Tracy Conn, and National Defense message, "Understanding the Health Care Issue," discussed by Pamela Wohlford.

Treasurer, Karen Ousley, reported, as did secretary, Frances Brackett. Registrar Virginia Goble announced that new junior member, Elizabeth Anne Leslie, joining under Revolutionary soldier Robert Lesley, married to Elizabeth Compton, was accepted February 8.

The secretary announced the 97th Kentucky Society State Conference would be held March 16-18 at Marriott's Griffin Gate Resort, Lexington, with invited guests to be the Honorable Paul Patton, Lt. Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, Pikeville; Ray Brackett, Kentucky State President of the Sons of the American Revolution, Allen; Mary Morgan, State Regent of Indiana; Mrs. Ralph Bush, Jr., State Regent of Ohio; Mrs. George Thompson, State Regent of North Carolina; and Mrs. Joel Wagoner, State Regent of West Virginia.

The secretary announced the formation of the Living Memorial Scholarship Fund, Floyd County Bus Accident, February 28, 1958, a perpetual scholarship fund in the names of those who drowned in the bus accident. Trustees include Virginia Goble, mother of three of those children, and Frances Brackett. Brackett suggested that members might like to contribute to the fund from John Graham Chapter.

The regent reported that Kentucky Gold Honor Roll and National Gold Honor Roll requirements had been met, and, if approved, certificates and honors would be awarded at the Sixth District meeting to be held

## Dr. Bubba

(Continued from C1)

or an automatic weapon? Itchy Trigger Finger, Watergap

Dear Itchy: First off, as Confucius said— or maybe it was Bullwinkle, I can't remember— "Violence solves nothing," unless o' course yer a boxer or a rassler or a teacher, in which case that would kinda put a crimp in the old job description. Yer problem is apparently much too deep ta go into in this limited space. I advise ya ta seek serious counseling immediately and ya might consider a career change. Also, if ya decide ta go through with yer plans, keep in mind that shotguns are much harder ta trace, but ya have ta re-load more often. It's really a matter o' taste.

Well, that's about it fer today, y'all. Remember, if life's gettin' ya down or if yer just really pathetic an' feel the need ta whine about it in print, send yer cards an' letters ta me, Dr. Bubba, c/o the Floyd County Times, P.O. Box 391, Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653.

In the meantime, always remember that no matter how dark it gets, there's always a light at the end of the tunnel. Just try an' make sure that light ain't a train.

# Births

### HIGHLANDS REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

March 2: A son, Johnny Lee, to Rose and Lloyd Jordan of Royalton; a daughter, Laura Nicole, to Patricia and Russell Johnson of Hager Hill.

March 3: A son, Zachary Sinclair, to Merlin and Karla Taulbee of Royalton.

March 4: A son, Byron Michael Thomas, to Melissa and Larry Delong of Pilgrim.

March 5: A son, Lance Hayden, to Kathy and Marcus Shannon Stephens of Salyersville; a daughter, Courtney LaShea, to Paula and James Cole of Thelma; a daughter, Bethany Lorene, to Tammy Lynn Collins of Salyersville.

March 6: A daughter, Alexxa Jade, to Ronnie and Teresa Hickman of Beauty; a son, Austin Tyler, to Casey Renee and Randy Lee Hall Jr. of Sitka.

March 8: A daughter, Ciara Brooke, to Angelia Lorraine Scott of Betsy Layne.

### OUR LADY OF THE WAY HOSPITAL

February 14: A daughter, Kendra Disia Nicole, to Tina Marie and Bobby Meade of Weeksbury.

February 16: A son, Corey Brad, to Sharon Kay and Billy Collins of Hueysville; a son, Gordon Nicholas, to Mary Ann Howard of Vest.

February 20: A son, Gary William, to Angel Lynn Slone of Pippa Passes.

February 22: A daughter, Whitney Renee, to Kimberly Dawn and Jeffrey Alan Hamilton of Hi Hat.

February 23: A son, Micah Seth, to Sheila Gaye and Roy Allen Harlow of Bypro; a daughter, Krystal Dawn, to Peggy Jo Ousley of David.

February 24: A son, Corey Ramon, to Sheree Jean and Lowell Ramon Creech of Leburn; a son, Dylan Blake, to Stephanie and Frank Rudder of Martin.

February 25: A son, Travis, to Patricia Ann and Kenneth Hall of Topmost; a son, Cody Ross, to Cary Jennifer and Baxter Wicker of Mouse; a daughter, Samantha Danielle, to April Renee and Devon Miles Slone of Pippa Passes.

March 1: A daughter, Odessa Dawn, to Artie Odessa Salisbury of Martin.

March 2: A daughter, Sarah Elizabeth, to Patty and Gary Perkins of Wayland.

### PIKEVILLE METHODIST HOSPITAL

March 8: A son, Kaleb Edward, to Allana Susan and Eric Thomas McKinney of Pikeville; a daughter, Brittany Leigh, to Delissa and Brian Douglas Simpson of Robinson Creek.

March 9: A daughter, Erin Lynn, to Vicky Sue and Michael Steven Hale of Pikeville; a son, Zachary Lawrence Nicholas, to Lisa Renee and Lawrence New of Phelps; a daughter, Melanie Shae Lynn, to Leeretta Ann Coleman of Lookout; a son, Tyler MacKenzie, to Melissa Dawn Estenfelder of Pikeville.

March 11: A daughter, Catarina Paige Jae, to Christy Daryl and Charles Fredrick Buettner of Deane; a son, Brandon Ellis, to Darlene and Stephen Ratliff of Shelbyana.

March 12: A son, Dylan William Scott, to Patricia Lynn Hylton of Hellier.

March 13: A daughter, Kasi Dawn, to Elaine Slone of Pikeville; a son, Thomas Robert Scott, Jr., to Bertha Rose Slone and Thomas Robert Scott of Pikeville.

March 14: A son, Dakota Michael, to Tammie Lynn and Joseph Michael Coomes of Pikeville; a daughter, Madison Elizabeth, to Rhonda Kaye and John Mitchell Potter of Robinson Creek; a daughter, Sabrina Danielle, to Kimberly Ann and Roger Musick II of Shelbyana; a son, Donald Jack Cantrell III, to Melina and Donald Jack Cantrell II of Pikeville; a daughter, Angela Renae, to Sarah Marie and Noah Slone Jr. of Pikeville.

March 15: A daughter, Kayla LaDawn, to Shawna and Ronnie Charles Allen of Pikeville; a daughter, Rachel Ann, to Evelyn Gaye and James Edward Justice of Raccoon; a son, Kori Vincent, to Rella Sue and Vincent Edward Jarell of Banner; a son, Austin Patrick, to Tammy Louise and Darren Claude Muncy of Pikeville.

March 16: A daughter, Alicia Brianna, to Marcia and Randy Clinton Thompson of Hindman; a daughter, Jessica DeShae, to Marcia and Randy Thompson of Hindman; a daughter, Taylor Renee, to Yolanda Rose and Garrett Duncan Hott of Harold; a son, Adam Gregory, to Tara Lee and Greg Brewer of Pikeville.

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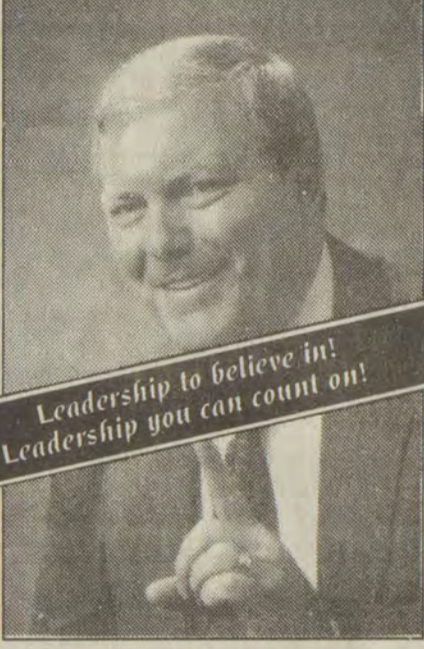
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## Local veterans bring World War II to life at Prestonsburg Community College

Local veterans of World War II will share their experiences once again on Wednesday, March 24. Chet Compton of Paintsville, H. D. Fitzpatrick, Jr. of Prestonsburg, and Ted Stumbo of Harold will be the featured speakers. Each of these men saw extensive combat in the European theater of the war, and Mr. Stumbo was captured by the Ger-

mans.

The public is invited to attend these meetings. Take this opportunity to learn what WWII was like for those who fought in that war, and to pay tribute to them for their service to our country. The meeting will be held at Prestonsburg Community College in the Johnson Building, Room 112 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.



Oscar Meek, left, and Clyde Stephens, right, are two World War II veterans who have shared their experiences with the audience in a public forum led by Dr. Donald Barlow of Prestonsburg Community College.

## County Kettle

### CHICKEN 'N' HAM ROLL-UPS

3 whole chicken breasts, split, skinned, and boned  
6 slices (about 6 oz.) boiled ham  
2 Tablespoons butter or margarine  
1 can cream of chicken soup  
1 cup Chablis or other dry white wine

Place chicken between two sheets of waxed paper; flatten with flat side of knife. Top each with a slice of ham. Roll up; secure with toothpicks. In skillet, brown roll-ups in butter. Stir in soup and wine. Cover; cook over low heat for 20 minutes, or until tender. Stir occasionally. Remove toothpicks before serving.

### BROCCOLI CORN BREAD

1 (10-oz.) pkg. frozen broccoli, thawed and drained  
1 medium onion, finely chopped  
1 stick margarine, melted  
1 (8-oz.) carton cottage cheese  
3 eggs, beaten  
1 box Jiffy corn bread mix  
1 Tablespoon Jalapeno pepper, finely chopped  
3/4 teaspoon salt  
Preheat oven to 350°. Mix all ingredients well. Pour into a greased (or spray with no-stick spray) 9"x13" glass baking dish. Bake for 45 minutes.

### MINI-CHEESECAKES

12 vanilla wafers  
2 (8-oz.) pkgs. cream cheese  
1-1/2 cups sugar  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
2 eggs, beaten  
Preheat oven to 325°. Line muffin tin with foil liners. Place one vanilla wafer in each liner. Blend cream cheese, sugar, and vanilla at medium speed of mixer. Add eggs, mix well. Pour over wafers, filling tin 3/4 full. Bake 25 minutes. Remove from pan when cool, chill. Before serving, top with fruit, preserves, nuts, ready-made pie filling or chocolate.

### OLD FASHIONED BROWN SUGAR CHESS PIE

4 eggs  
2 cups firmly packed brown sugar  
2/3 cup whipping cream  
1/2 cup butter or margarine-melted  
1 unbaked (9 inch) pastry shell  
Combine eggs, sugar, cream and butter. Beat well, pour into pastry shell. Bake at 350° for 50 minutes or until a knife inserted in center comes out clean.

### UNBELIEVABLE FUDGE

1 cup butter  
8 ounces Velveta Cheese  
1 1/2 teaspoon vanilla  
2 pounds powdered sugar  
1/2 teaspoon vanilla  
1/2 cup cocoa  
1/2 cup chopped walnuts or pecans (optional)  
Melt butter and cheese over low heat, stirring constantly. Take off heat, stir in vanilla. Pour over sugar and cocoa that has been blended together. Mix quickly. Spread in buttered 9x13 inch pan. Press in nuts. Let stand 2 hours. Cut into squares. (These recipes are courtesy Shirley Kettering.)

### PUMPKIN MARBLE CHEESECAKE

1 1/2 cups gingersnap crumbs  
1/2 cup finely chopped pecans  
1/3 cup PARKAY Margarine, melted

Combine crumbs, pecans and margarine; press onto bottom and 1 1/2 inches up sides of 9-inch springform pan. Bake at 350°, 10 minutes.

2 8-ounce packages PHILADELPHIA BRAND Cream Cheese, softened  
3/4 cup sugar  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
3 eggs  
1 cup canned pumpkin  
3/4 teaspoon cinnamon  
1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg

Combine cream cheese, 1/2 cup sugar and vanilla, mixing at medium speed on electric mixer until well blended. Add eggs, one at a time, mixing well after each addition. Reserve 1 cup batter. Add remaining sugar, pumpkin and spices to remaining batter; mix well. Spoon pumpkin and cream cheese batters alternately over crust; cut through batters with knife several times for marble effect. Bake at 350°, 55 minutes. Loosen cake from rim of pan; cool before removing rim of pan. Chill. 10 to 12 servings.

Preparation time: 25 minutes plus chilling  
Baking time: 55 minutes

### CRISPY OVEN-FRIED CHICKEN

12 pieces chicken, about 3 1/2 lbs., skinned, all visible fat removed  
1/4 cup vegetable oil  
1/4 tsp. salt (optional)  
Freshly ground black pepper to taste  
1 tsp. ground ginger, or to taste  
1 clove garlic, crushed (optional)  
1 tsp. paprika  
4 cups wheat-flake cereal, lightly crushed  
Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Rinse chicken and pat dry. Combine oil, salt, pepper, ginger, garlic and paprika in a small bowl. Place cereal in a pie plate or on a piece of foil. Brush each piece of chicken on both sides with oil mixture, then dip in cereal crumbs, pressing lightly to get an even coating on all sides. Place on an ungreased baking sheet. Bake 45 to 60 minutes, or until chicken is golden brown and tender. Timing will vary according to the thickness of the chicken pieces. Serves 6.

### SAUCY STUFFED PEPPERS

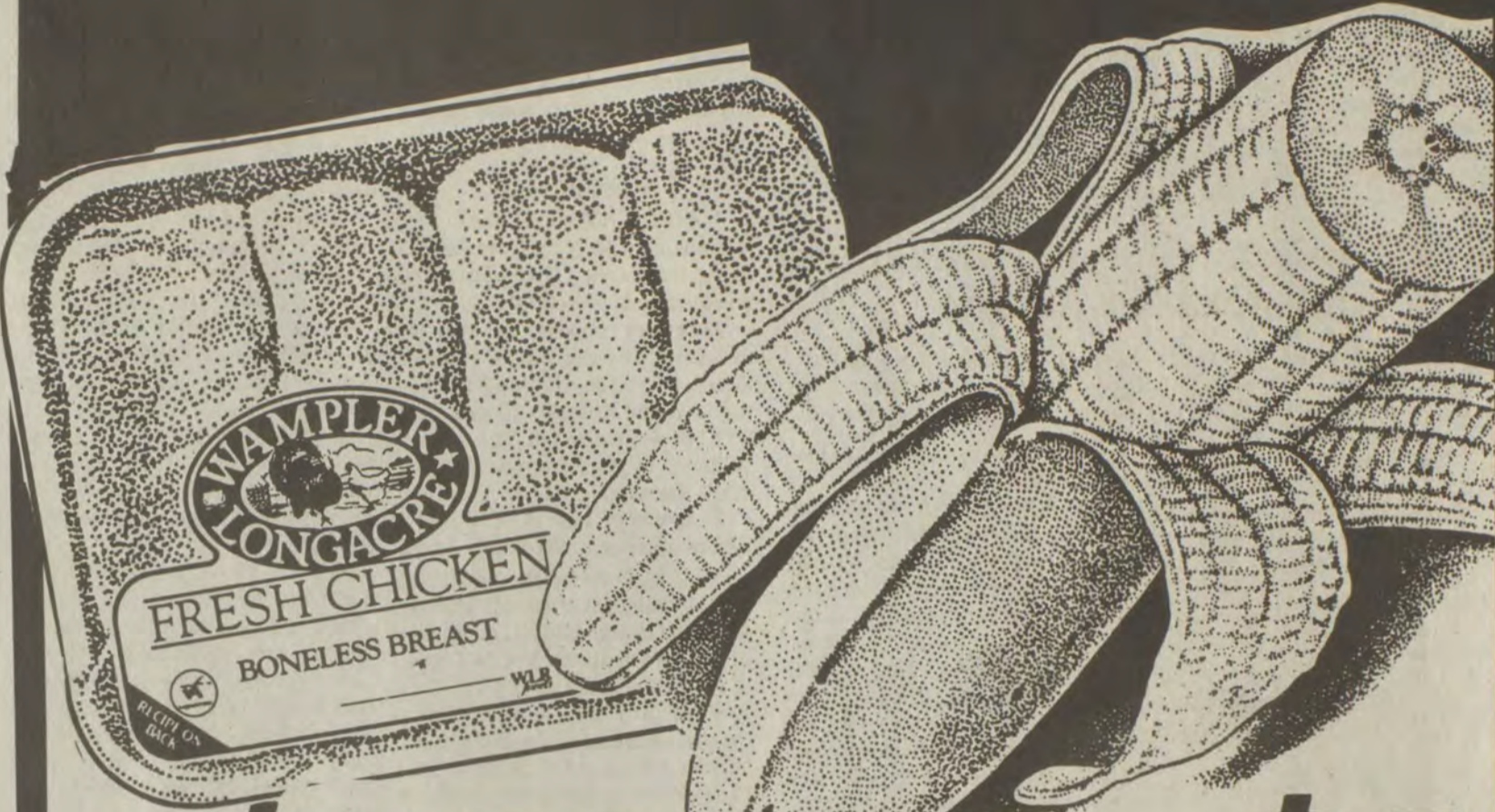
4 medium green peppers  
1 1/4 cups water  
2 cups low sodium tomato juice  
1 (6 oz.) can tomato paste  
1 tsp. oregano leaves, crushed  
1/2 tsp. basil leaves, crushed  
1/2 tsp. garlic powder  
1 lb. lean ground turkey  
1 1/2 cups quick or old fashioned oats, uncooked  
1 medium tomato, chopped  
1/4 cup chopped carrot  
1/4 cup chopped onion  
Heat oven to 350 degrees. Cut peppers in half lengthwise. Remove membrane and seeds; set aside. Combine water, 1 cup tomato juice, tomato paste, 1/2 teaspoon oregano, basil and 1/4 teaspoon garlic powder. Simmer 10 to 15 minutes.  
Combine turkey, oats, remaining 1 cup tomato juice, 1/2 teaspoon oregano and 1/4 teaspoon garlic powder with tomato, carrot and onion; mix well. Fill each green pepper half with about 1/2 cup turkey mixture. Place in 13 X 9 inch baking dish; pour sauce over peppers. Bake 45 to 50 minutes. Serves 4.

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# Business/Real Estate



## Education is important

Betsy Layne JTPA Club Esteem students visited with Lee's College president Dr. Charles Derrickson. They discussed the importance of education in the job market.

## Chamber News

The Chamber would like to let you know about a Mentoring Program which is a partnership with the Chamber and the Floyd County Schools. The program will enable schools to place their brightest, goal-oriented students into the workplace. We are just asking for a few hours of your time to allow a student to visit your place of business and get a glance at what happens behind the scenes. If you can invest just a few short hours per school year, the return can be tremendous. If you would like to participate in this program, please call 886-1341.

Mark your calendar for the upcoming dates!

•April 5, 12:00 noon at the Holiday Inn—Chamber regular monthly meeting. Everyone is welcome.

•April 15 at the First Commonwealth Bank—Our second Business After Hours of the year from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. This is an excellent opportunity to make new business contacts and let people know what you do.

•April 27—A "Chamber First" at Trimble Insurance Agency at the Hylton Complex, next to Hylton Homes from 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. We'll have our first ever Chamber Coffee. Give us a call at 886-1341 if you plan on attending the Business After Hours or the Chamber Coffee.

•April 28—Our second seminar of the year will be conducted. The title is "Stress Management" and it will be a "Jim Dandy". The Chamber, in conjunction with National Seminars, are proud these quality seminars can be brought to Eastern Kentucky. Out of 118 participants at

our last seminar, 100 rated the seminar as excellent, 17 very good and one good. A morning session will be held from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon with registration beginning at 8:30 a.m. An afternoon session will be held from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. with registration beginning at 12:30 p.m. Make plans to attend one of these sessions. The seminar will be held at the Holiday Inn in Prestonsburg. If you would like to attend call us at 886-1341.

We would like to recognize our newest members: Enchanted World Travel and McDonald's of Prestonsburg. We are glad they are an addition to our growing numbers. We would also like to thank our valuable, returning members: Hall & Clark Insurance, Food City, Ken's Sports Shop, Kentucky Wholesale Tobacco, Add-A-Touch Florist, Woods Grocery, Elk Horn Coal Corporation, Dr. Chandra Varia, May Metal, Guyan Machinery, City of Prestonsburg, Blackburn Contracting, Big Sandy Insurance, Coastain Coal Company, Gold Stone's Garage, Roy Ramey Nationwide Insurance, Tackett Furniture, Lee's Famous Recipe, The Kentucky Lottery, Floyd County Health Department, Coleman Oil, Music-Carter-Hughes, Floyd County Fiscal Court, Brandeis Machinery, Kentucky Hydrocarbon, Shopwise, South Central Bell, Kentucky-West Virginia Gas, Reed Engineering, WYMT-TV, Prestonsburg Senior Citizens Center and Harkins Mineral and Associates. If you would like to join our growing numbers of business and individual members, give us a call at 886-1341.

## Save your money by avoiding those work-at-home schemes

DEAR BRUCE: I am retired and would like to work at home. I received an advertisement in response to an ad I answered in the newspaper about part-time work. I'm not sure if they are really legitimate. If you have any information about these types of offers, I would appreciate hearing from you.—D.H., Lewiston, Calif.

DEAR D.H.: The program that you included with your letter deals with selling you a guide to work-at-home schemes.

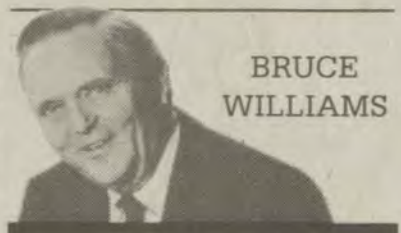
I have answered several of these directory ads and paid good money just to determine what was going on. I found that all they do is sell you lists of companies that advertise work-at-home deals in supermarket tabloids.

From our observations and investigation, the directory offerings all have one thing in common: You'll be \$20 to \$100 poorer if you answer the ads.

The work-at-home schemes range from putting together things at home, telephone work, and stuffing envelopes to making clowns, assembling jewelry, and even cleaning mohair.

Usually, you must pay to receive materials to be processed at home then the company refuses to buy back the finished work for a higher price, claiming the results of your work don't meet their standards.

These programs are of highly doubtful value, and they play upon those who can least afford them. Save your money and stay away from this.



BRUCE WILLIAMS

DEAR BRUCE: I have rented a condominium in a senior citizens community for six years. My landlord seemed to be a good one, but he has objected to the cost of an air conditioning repair.

Since the repair was unsatisfactory, I had to call him several times. He became angry and said perhaps I should move. He said I was a good tenant, but he couldn't have me calling all the time. I brought to his attention that I have tried to keep the cost of repairs down.

When we first spoke of my being a tenant, he said I could rent with the option to buy. I told him I was not in a position to own a place. He and his wife agreed that I could stay as long as I wanted. He is wealthy and wasn't interested in making money by renting.

I have paid enough in rent to own the condo. The place needs repairs and I couldn't handle it, even if he gave the condo to me. He may not be interested in making money by renting, but he gained a lot by renting to me.

A rule of the association is that anyone renting a year or more must have a lease. Now I'm worried, if he doesn't renew my lease, I am too old to move.—K.P., Fort Pierce, Fla.

DEAR K.P. Let's say at the outset that I have yet to meet a landlord that wasn't interested in making a profit. In this remark, he is blowing smoke in your face.

As to the lease, even if one has a lease, it is only as good as the two people signing it. If you have a lease for a year, at the end of the year, he could ask you to move, if the terms allow.

Similarly, if you chose to move by giving the appropriate notice, you would have no more obligation to him. This is a practical proposition.

As long as you are paying your rent on time, it's to his advantage to keep you there, despite his posturing.

But you should ask him for a lease and just tell him that you want to make certain that the rules of the association are being adhered to.

Understand, however, that at the termination of the lease period, he may have every right not to renew, as do you.

(Send your questions to: Smart Money, P.O. Box 503 Elfers, FL 34680. Questions of general interest will be answered in future columns. Due to the volume of mail, personal replies cannot be provided.)

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## Racking up the numbers for Avon

Editor's Note: This article is being reprinted from last Wednesday's issue because of a typographical error.

by Polly Ward  
Times Feature Writer

From makeup to nails, earrings and pins, to rings and bracelets, she is a walking advertisement for Avon.

And she means to be. As an Avon representative, Rebecca Garrett, 27, of Calf Creek, has definitely used this, and other simple sales techniques, to her advantage. She has taken what some would consider a part-time sales job and turned it into a lucrative full-time business. Although she has been a representative only since February 1992, she is racking up the sales—and the numbers.

She has outsold over 200 other representatives in her sales district, which comprises part of Floyd, and all of Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Magoffin Counties.

"I've been the number one representative in these counties since July," she says, amazed at her own achievement. "When I became number one, I hadn't worked half a year."

She was also honored as 1992 Best New Performer in the district.

"As a new representative, you get only one chance in your whole career to get that," she says.

Recently she learned that she is the fourth-ranked representative in the state, selling over \$50,000 worth of Avon products for the quarter, which began in August and ended this month. Her personal sales, which excludes fundraisers, is \$1,200 to \$1,600 every campaign, which is every two weeks.

She achieved her high sales from an average of 125 customers in a five-mile area. One sales territory extends from the red light at Allen up to Calf Creek on the main road and the two Calf Creek hollows. The other ranges from the red light at Lancer down to Adams Middle School. She says she never dreamed she would do

so well in her district, much less the state, because she works a mostly rural area, whereas other top representatives work more populous towns. But she says, "I work real hard at it."

Ironically, she had to be persuaded to become a representative. As a homemaker and mother of five children, ranging from ages 15 to 6, in addition to being a Sunday School teacher and youth leader at Cow Creek Free Will Baptist Church, she had her hands full. But her former Avon representative was persistent.

"The elderly Avon Lady I had was quitting and she asked me to take her customers. I said, 'I don't have time to see everybody. I'm too busy with the kids.'"

"After she asked me for three months, I did take it. She had 23 customers. I built it from there when I realized you could make money at it."

She built up her business by setting goals and sticking to them.

"After the second month I knew I

could make money. I decided to see five new people a day and from there I built up to around 125 customers...It stays at a level... I have to get some new customers every week to make up for those who drop off."

She says she works door to door in her area "five to five-and-a-half days a week, all day long. I leave home at nine and I don't get back until five or six." She manages to see every customer once every two weeks.

She gains new customers by wearing an Avon pin on the lapel of her coat and keeping an Avon license plate in the back car window.

"I meet at least three new people a week who become customers. Everywhere I go—grocery stores, ballgames, schools, doctor's offices—people ask me if I'm an Avon Lady. And I say, 'Yes! Do you want a book?'" she grins.

"They call me if they want anything. If they are interested enough to ask for a book, they want something, and they do call you back."

She says her customers are mostly women. "Sometimes you do find a

man who buys for his wife, mother, or the men's cologne for himself."

Another ingredient of her success is the rapport she has with her customers.

"I love people. I'm a people person. If you like people, you'll get along with them.. I was struck in a house with small children for years. Every housewife should be able to do this—get out and talk to real grownups," she laughs. "I love makeup and jewelry. I think with the right makeup and right jewelry, anybody can look beautiful. And I like helping people look the best that they can."

She can also work around her children's schedules. "Even during football season (when her children are involved with three different teams), I managed to make it to all the games and keep my sales at its regular level."

As for her family, "They're all real excited (about my work). My husband, John, backs me one hundred percent. He even helps me do the paperwork."

She has won several incentive prizes, including a gas grill and a 27 inch RCA television set. "If you have good sales, you win prizes," she says. She has also won a two-day, all-expense paid trip to the Avon Branch in Atlanta, Georgia, which she will be taking the end of this month.

"I'll be touring the branch office to see how the company works. It's an incentive program... designed to make you work harder to win more prizes."

She already has incentive. Her sales goal for the new business year would put her at the top in the state. "I would like to sell over \$75,000 for this coming year, from mid-March until next mid-March."

Ultimately, she says, "I credit my success to God. God has blessed me with a job I love, with a family that's supportive, and with the best customers anybody could ever ask for... Without customers, I wouldn't be anywhere."



Avon calling

Rebecca Garrett, Avon representative, is currently fourth in the state in sales. Pictured perched atop her shoulder is one of Avon's Easter specials.



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In the front, a low stucco wall separates the driveway from a lushly planted entry courtyard. Stately columns flank the lofty gabled entryway. Viewed from the rear, the **Oakland** is equally attractive. The exterior of the hexagonal great room, graced by high-arched multi-paned windows on three sides, has a carousel feel to it. A patio adds to the effect, wrapping around the entire back expanse.

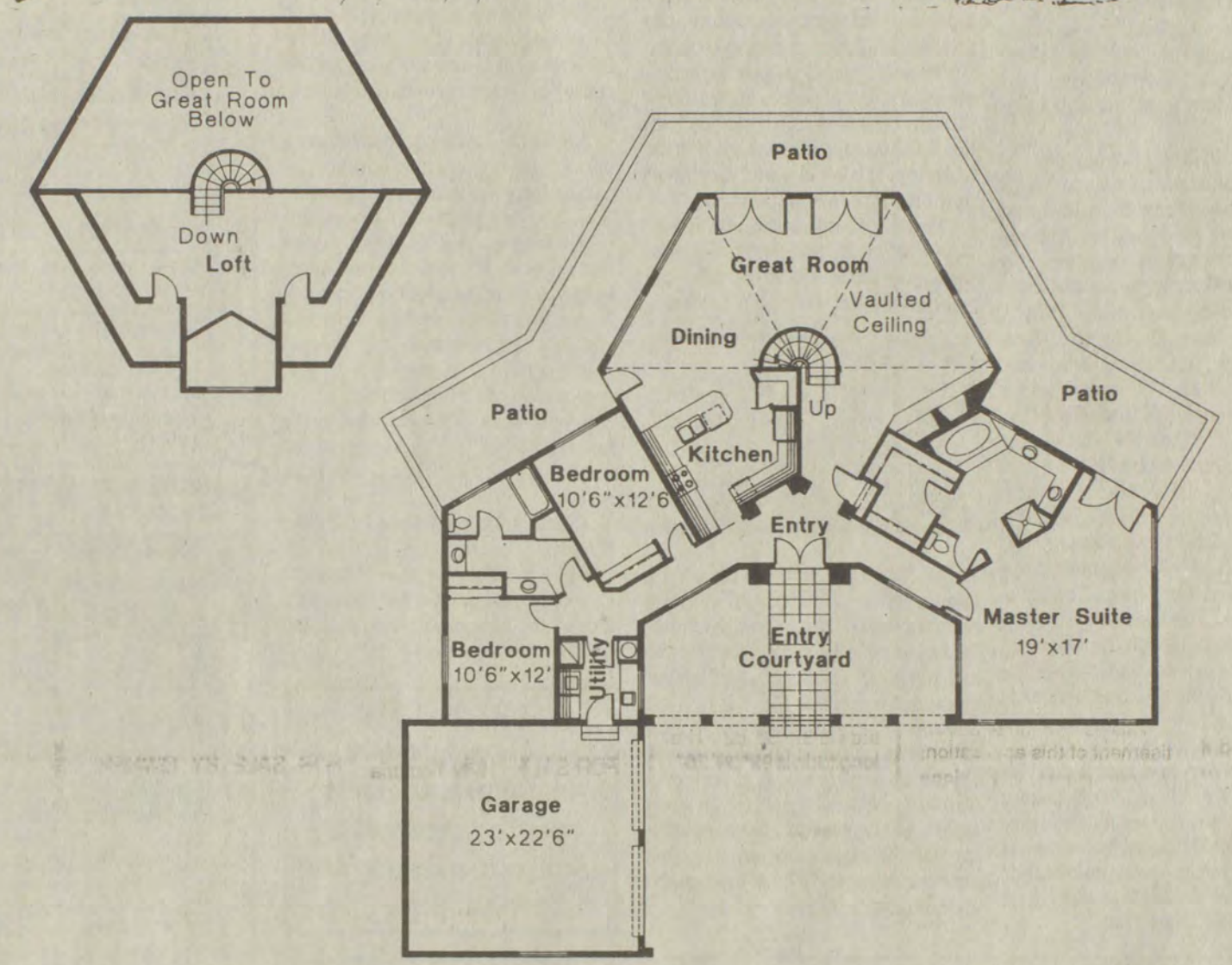
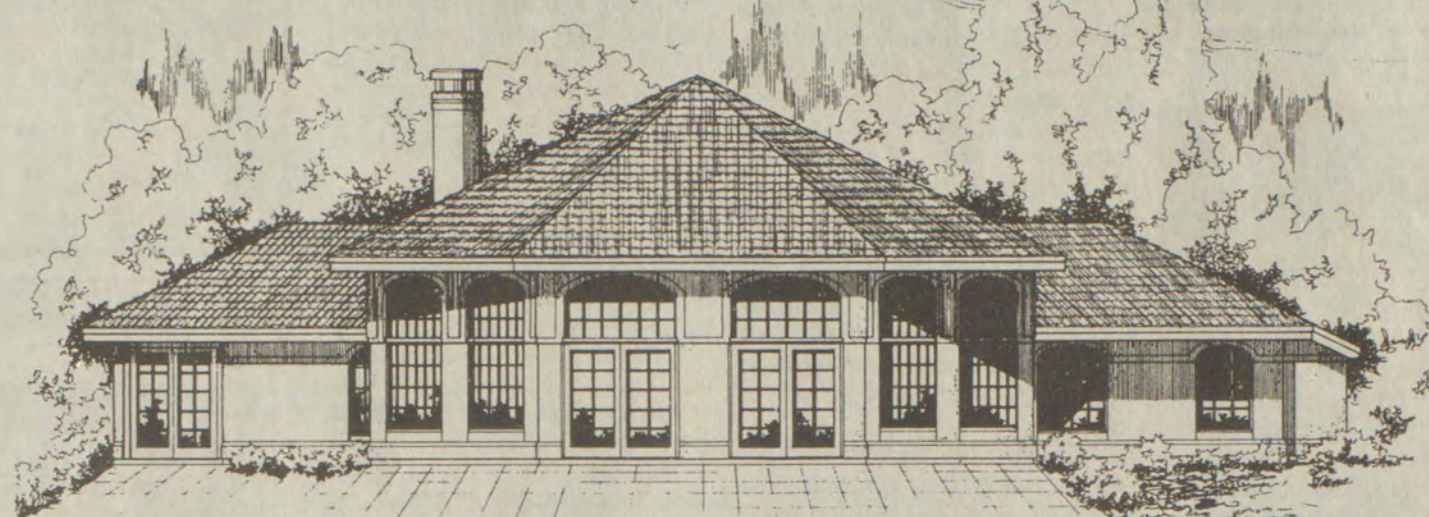
The spacious country kitchen is open to the vaulted great room, with only an eating bar between. Other amenities include generous counter and cupboard space, a step-in pantry, built-in range and oven, and an additional oven and microwave combination.

At the juncture of kitchen and great room, and open stairwell spirals up to a wide vaulted loft that is open to the great room at the rear and the entry way in front. Side walls are six feet in height but the loft is much higher at the center. To convert this space to a cozy library retreat, simply bring in some bookshelves and a couple of easy chairs.

Bedrooms are located at opposite ends of the **Oakland**. The sumptuous master suite features a huge walk-in closet, oversize spa tub, skylight, shower, private water closet and twin vanities. The other two bedrooms share another large bathroom that also has two vanities. Utilities are convenient to the bedrooms as well as the garage.

For a review plan, including scaled floor plans, elevations, section and artist's conception, send \$7.50 to Associated Designs, 1260 Charnelton St., Suite 2, Eugene, Ore. 97401. Please specify the **Oakland 10-037** and include a return address when ordering.

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Wednesday, March 24, 1993 C 9

## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application No. 860-5172

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Kentucky May Coal Company, Hwy. 80 West, P.O. Box 728, Martin, Kentucky 41649, has applied for a permit for an underground coal mining operation located 2.00 miles southeast of Halo in Knott & Floyd Counties. The proposed operation will disturb 11.13 surface acres and will underlie 1166.00 acres, and the total area within the boundary will be 1177.13 acres.

The proposed operation is approximately 2.00 miles southeast from Ky. Rte. 1098's junction with Arnold Fork Road and located 0.18 miles north of Pigeonroost Fork. The latitude is 37° 17' 05". The longitude is 82° 42' 28".

The proposed operation is located on the Wheelwright U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Virnus Issac Estate. The operation will underlie land owned by Virnus Issac Est., Mildred Issac, Grant Honeycutt, Fess Hall, Junior Mullins, Larry Honeycutt, Barris Hall, Prindle Hall, Annie Collins, Dove Issac, Bob Zuren, Willie Johnson, Dewey Johnson, Tom Roop, Ben Johnson, Ed Gieson, Jeff Goble, Louie Burke, Lonard Burke, Bobby Barkley, Orville Burke, Grant Burke, John Roop, C.L. Tackett, Johnny Roop, Sid Tackett, and Tommie Roop. The operation will affect an area within 100 feet of public road, Skull Fork Road, Abe Fork Road and Pigeonroost Fork Road. The operation will not involve relocation or closure of the public road. The operation will use the underground method of mining.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Jackson Regional Office, Howell Office Building, Suite #1, 170 Howell Heights, Jackson, Kentucky 41339-9689. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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

W-3/10, 3/17, 3/24, 3/31

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

By order of the Secured Party, the following property of Donald Van Winkle will be offered at Public Sale at Worldwide Equipment, Inc., on March 24, 1993 at 9:00 o'clock a.m.

Items to be sold are 1985 Kenworth K100 Tractor SN# 366817.

Inspection may be arranged by appointment. Cash sales only. Inquiries may be made to the Associates Commercial Corporation, Branch Manager, at 8845 Governors Hill Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio 45249. Phone Number (513) 677-8700. F-3/19, W-3/24

## INVITATION FOR BIDS

The Housing Authority of Martin is requesting bids for a 1993 mini-van, V6 engine with seating for seven occupants.

All bids should be received no later than 2 p.m. EST, March 29, 1993. All prices must be net cash on delivery. Housing Authority of Martin does not discriminate against any person because of race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status or national origin. The Housing Authority reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids. For additional information contact Housing Authority of Martin, P.O. Box 806, Martin, Kentucky 41649, 606/285-3681, (for hearing impaired only TDD 1-800-247-2510). F-3/19, W-3/24, 3/31

F-3/19, W-3/24, 3/31

## NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Enterprise Coal Company, P.O. Box 244, Dorton, Kentucky 41520, has applied for Phase I bond release on Permit Number 898-5554 which was last issued on April 29, 1992. The application covers an area of approximately 1,025.46 acres located 3.0 miles Southwest of Ligon in Pike and Floyd counties.

The permit area is approximately 4.0 miles Northwest from U.S. 23 junction with Robinson Creek Road and 0.1 mile Northwest of Robinson Creek. The latitude is 37° 22' 29". The longitude is 82° 39' 00".

The bond now in effect for the permit is a Surety Bond in the amount of \$22,478. Approximately 60% of the original bond amount of \$22,478 is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: backfilling and grading, mulching and seeding of the permit area. Reclamation work completed November 2, 1992.

This is the final advertisement of the application. Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Field Services, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for May 7, 1993 at 10:00 a.m. at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional Office, 109 Mays Branch Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501. The hearing will be canceled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by May 6, 1993.

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

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

Jake Bates, Jr. Auxier, Ky. 41602 F-3/19, 3/24

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO MINE

Pursuant to Application No. 880-0102

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Mountaintop Restoration, Inc., P.O. Box 940, Paintsville, Kentucky 41240, has applied for a permit for a surface and auger coal mining and reclamation operation affecting 407.25 surface acres and will underlie 147.11 acres; the total area within the permit boundary will be 554.36 acres located 1.82 miles NW of Thomas in Floyd and Martin Counties.

The proposed operation is approximately 1.84 miles NW of State Route 194's junction with Wolf Branch Road and located 0.09 miles NE of Wolf Branch. The latitude is 37° 42' 06". The longitude is 82° 36' 05".

The proposed operation is located on the Thomas U.S.G.S. 7.5 minute quadrangle map. The operation will use the area, contour, and auger methods of surface mining. The surface area is owned by Pocahontas Kentucky Corporation. The operation will underlie land owned by Pocahontas Kentucky Corporation.

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

This is the final advertisement of this application; all comments, objections and/or requests for a permit conference must be received within thirty (30) days of this date. W-3/24

## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-0230, Amendment #1

In accordance with KRS 350.070, notice is hereby given that Mountaintop Restoration, Inc., P.O. Box 940, Paintsville, Kentucky 41240, has applied for an amendment to an existing surface coal mining and reclamation operation located 6.27 miles northeast of Prestonsburg in Floyd, and Johnson counties. The amendment will add 28.07 acres and delete 6.66 acres of surface disturbance making a total area of 280.00 within the amended permit boundary.

The proposed amendment area is approximately 3.98 miles southeast from Route 302's junction with Route 3 and located 0.5 miles north of Dick's Creek. The latitude is 37 degrees, 43 minutes, 30 seconds. The longitude is 82 degrees, 39 minutes, 21 seconds.

The proposed amendment is located on the Lancer U.S.G.S. 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed by the amendment is owned by Pocahontas Kentucky Corporation and Sally Turner. The operation will use the area method of surface mining.

This amendment application has been filed for public inspection at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Prestonsburg Regional Office, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653-1397. Written comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601. W-3/24, 3/31, 4/7, 4/14

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

April 9, 1993 at 11:00 a.m. a 1988 Ford Taurus, serial number 1FABP50D4JA-175700 will be sold to the highest bidder for CASH "as is where is" at the First Guaranty National Bank, Martin, Ky. to satisfy the unpaid balance of a Commercial Contract signed on January 7, 1993. The vehicle may be inspected prior to the sale. The undersigned reserves the right to bid. The buyer will pay all taxes and transfer fees.

First Guaranty National Bank Collection Department Martin, Ky. 41649 W-3/24, 3/31, 4/7

## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MINE

Pursuant to Application Number 836-0222

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.055 notice is hereby given that Laurel Creek Coal Company, Inc., P.O. Box 940, Paintsville, Kentucky 41240, has applied for a surface coal mining and reclamation operation affecting 174.11 acres located 0.75 miles Northwest of Ivel in Floyd County, Kentucky.

The proposed operation is approximately 0.8 miles Northeast of Ivy Creek Road's junction with U.S. Route 23 and located 0.2 miles North of Kinney Branch of Ivy Creek. The latitude is 37° 36' 02". The longitude is 82° 39' 36".

The proposed operation is located on the Harold U.S.G.S. 7.5' quadrangle map. The operation will use the area method of mining. The surface area is owned by S.P. Davidson Heirs, Eugene Lewis Heirs, Hatcher Trimble Trust and Don Trimble.

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. Written comments, objections or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Permits, #2 Hudson Hollow, U.S. 127 South, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

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

## LEGAL NOTICE

The Prestonsburg Right of Way Office was officially closed on March 9, 1993.

All correspondence or inquiries concerning the Right of Way should be addressed to: Transportation Cabinet Bureau of Highways P.O. Box 621 Jackson, KY 41339 Phone: (606) 666-8841 W-3/17, 3/19, 3/24, 3/26

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## LEGAL NOTICE

Due to the proposed construction of the Martin-McDowell Road (KY 122); Hite Curve Reconstruction; project officially designated as Floyd County; Item #12-0266.00; SSP 036 0122 009-010 031 R; the Commonwealth of Kentucky; Transportation Cabinet; Department of Highways, deems it necessary to relocate thirty-two (32) or more graves located on KY Route 122, between mile marker nine (9) and mile marker ten (10) at the Hite Curve, on Parcel #5, belonging to Johnny Ray Turner and Linda Turner (his wife). The graves appear in three (3) areas of Parcel #5. The Sadie Ratliff Cemetery contains twenty-nine (29) or more graves, of which seventeen (17) are not identified. The Owens-Kiser Cemetery contains two (2) graves. An unidentified grave site is separate, contained within a fence. The Department of highways requests information from anyone having knowledge of the identity of the "unknown" graves and/or the identity of any next-of-kin for the following:

Clarence Carroll; Teddy G. Hall; Willie B. Porter; James Osborne; Taylor Osborne; Julie Osborne Martin; Tina Osborne; Billy Lou Osborne; Joe Osborne; Katie Porter; Charlie Carroll; Leonard L. Osborne; Miles Owens; Mrs. Walter Kiser.

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Getting organized is one thing. Staying organized is a lot harder. For help, many people are turning to personal organizers, loose-leaf binders containing calendars, address directory and planning pages. Here's advice from Day Runner, the retail leader, on using personal organizers for a happier new year.

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When a dog runs at you, whistle for him.  
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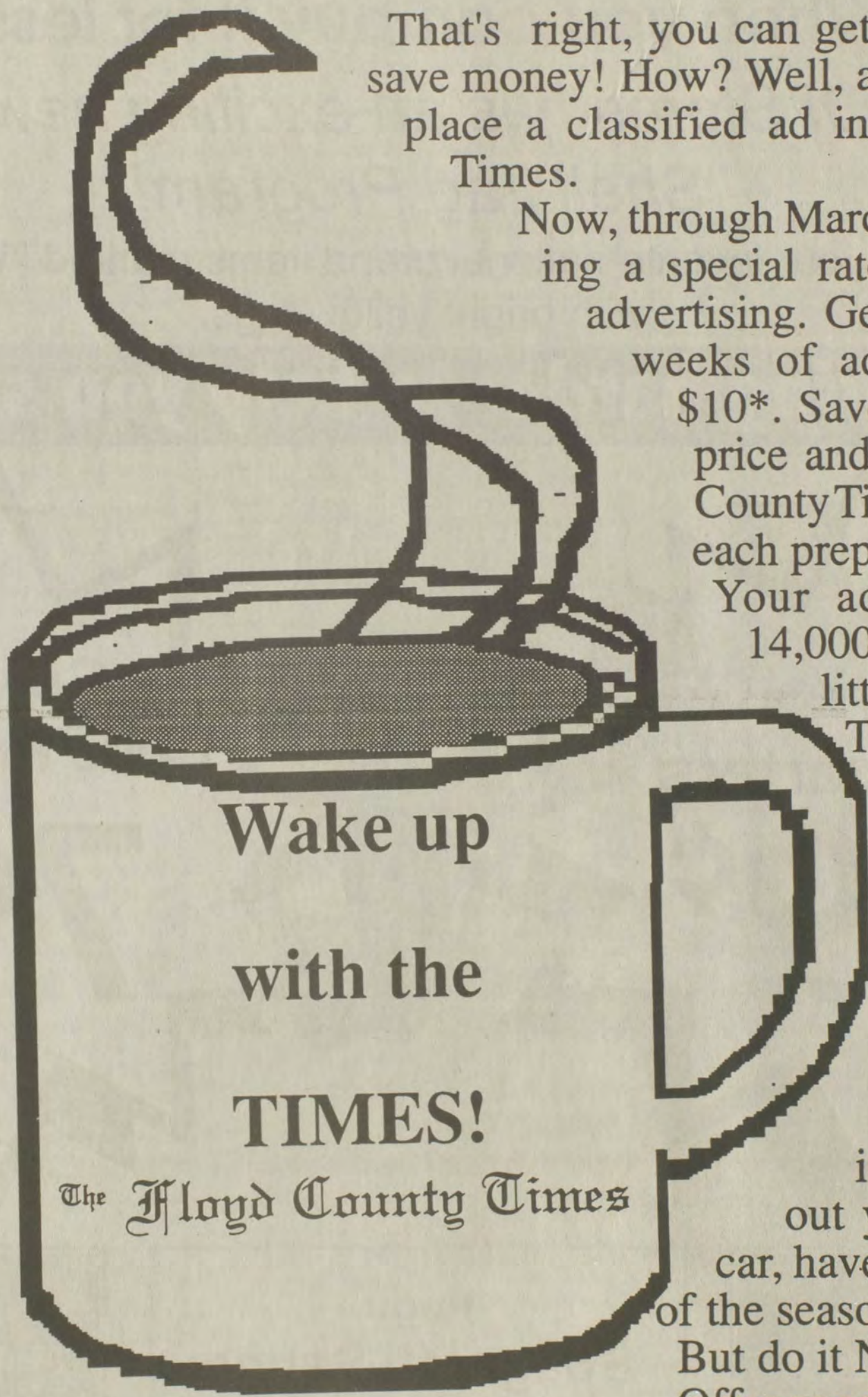
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**\$ 1 49**  
28 oz.  
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Nature's Own  
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20 oz.  
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**79¢**  
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Smoked  
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