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Hazard's OTB bid may be scratched

by Geoff Belcher
Staff Writer

Despite recent news report that an off-track betting parlor may be established in the city of Hazard, potentially damaging investments in the proposed Kentucky Downs harness track, former Kentucky Governor Julian Carroll is wagering that the Hazard OTB horse won't be in the race at all.

Carroll said Tuesday at a meeting of the Prestonsburg-Floyd County Public Properties Corporation that potential investors in Kentucky Downs had expressed concern after the Kentucky Racing Commission announced it would review an application submitted by Kentucky Off-Track Betting Incorporated to operate a facility at Hazard.

However, Carroll said, Kentucky state law clearly prohibits the placement of an OTB parlor within 75 miles of a licensed race track.

In a letter to racing commission Chairman Wayne Lyster dated April 20, Carroll formerly requested that the OTB application review be removed from the commission's agenda; and that the "full commission consider and take a public position that no such OTB may be located within seventy-five miles of Prestonsburg, until the commission revokes the rights and privileges granted to Eastern Kentucky Racing, Inc., to build the track...."

Carroll further requested an independent due process hearing in the event that the commission placed the OTB application review on a later agenda.

"In my judgement," Carroll said Tuesday, "(the OTB application) will not be on the agenda."

Carroll added that he had received Hazard Mayor Bill Gorman's assurance that the city would remove the application from the agenda.

Among other items discussed at Tuesday's meeting of the Public Properties Corporation:

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Court agrees to underwrite part of track development

by Geoff Belcher
Staff Writer

With a little bit of luck and a lot more work, the Floyd Fiscal Court may soon become the proud owner of a brand new harness horse racing facility.

Magistrates voted unanimously Friday to approve an emergency ordinance which allowed the county to arrange financing of an estimated \$2.7 million in order to construct the grandstand portion of the proposed Ken-

tucky Downs harness racing facility. Terrell Ross, of the Lexington-based investment firm Ross-Sinclair & Associates, told magistrates Friday that the move was necessary in order to procure as many tax-exempt funds as possible to help the Prestonsburg-Floyd County Public Properties Corporation complete construction of the facility. Ross said he was told by a state government finance officer that Floyd County had "just about the strongest finances in the state," and should have no prob-

lem whatsoever in procuring private loans. Ross added that the county's acceptance of the agreement should help gain the trust of the Kentucky Racing Commission when it meets on Monday, April 26 to grant live racing dates.

Under the ordinance, Ross said, the county would not only own the land where the track is currently under construction, but would also own the permanent grandstand facility to

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Shall we dance?



Horton rides again

Pre-show jitters didn't seem to affect this proud pachyderm "back stage" at the annual Oleika Temple Shriner's Circus Saturday at Prestonsburg High School. Both African and Asian elephants, along with clowns, aerialists, stunt performers and trained dogs entertained a packed audience at two shows Saturday, helping raise money to aid handicapped children. (photo by Geoff Belcher)

Volunteers may follow suit :

Fire chief quits in protest

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

A dispute over the purchase of a metal building may lead to the resignations of members of the Wheelwright Volunteer Fire Department, whose chief quit in protest Monday. Fire chief David Boyd asked city commissioners to purchase a

30x48x14 metal building for \$6,800 to relocate the city's fire department. Boyd said volunteers would provide the labor to construct the building.

Earlier this year, commissioners had set aside \$9,999.99 in an escrow account for the fire department to construct a new fire house.

Commissioner Luther Johnson Jr. moved that the city approve the pur-

chase of the building out of the escrow account and turn over the remaining funds to the department to erect the building.

Commissioner Lowell Parker disagreed with Johnson's proposal and the motion failed on a 2-3 vote. Also voting no were Mayor Kenneth Johnson and commissioner Alan Taylor.

Fire Chief Boyd handed over his pager to commissioner Andy Akers and angrily left the meeting. Boyd returned a short time later with a fire department telephone and other pieces of equipment.

During the time that Boyd was gone, Commissioner Parker brought up the issue again and recommended that the city purchase the building provided that a plan be submitted to erect the structure.

Parker said that on previous endeavors by the fire department, volunteers were usually in short supply and projects have gone unfinished. He added that if commissioner Akers, who supervises the fire department, would submit a plan to construct the building, he would vote in favor of the move.

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Deadline passes but more applicants possible :

Six seek two board seats

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

As of Tuesday afternoon six people had applied for two vacancies on the Floyd County Board of Education which came about with the resignation of member Tommy Boyd and the death of board chairman Ray "Shag" Campbell.

Education department spokesman Jim Parks said Tuesday that that figure could rise if applications arrive later this week with an April 19 postmark, the deadline for submitting applications.

Applicants include a former Floyd County superintendent; a graduate assistant at Morehead State University; two site-based council parent representatives; a Pikeville College student; and a dentist.

Applicants for the seat in educational district two are:

• Ray Brackett, 60, of Allen. Brackett is a former employee of the Floyd County school system and served as superintendent of the district from 1985-88.

• Robert Doyle Isaac, 40, of Martin. Isaac is a plant supervisor for Kentucky Hydro Carbon at Langley, a parent representative on the Maytown site-based council, and he serves on the school district's local planning committee.

• Yvette Lynn DePoy, 24, of Allen. DePoy is a graduate assistant and student at Morehead State University.

Applicants for vacancy in educational district three are:

• Mary Martha Conn, 45, of Dana. Conn is the owner of D & E Sports at Dana, is a parent representative on the Betsy Layne High School site-based council, and she also serves on the school system's district budget committee and local planning committee.

• Robert Stewart, 30, of Betsy Layne. Stewart is a student at Pikeville

Columbia Gas offers reward for tower culprits

The Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation is offering a \$5,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for damaging the company's microwave communications tower on Arkansas Mountain at Banner.

According to a Kentucky State Police report, an unknown person or persons cut anchors supporting the 320-foot tall structure at around 2:30 a.m. on March 23, temporarily disrupting telephone and electronic communications for the company's Eastern Kentucky facilities.

Persons with information on this case are urged to contact the Pikeville Post of the Kentucky State police at 437-7311 or at 1-800-222-5555.

College. Stewart, who was a write-in candidate for the district three board seat in the November 1992, has asked state Attorney General Chris Gorman to declare him the winner of that election. Stewart claims that Tommy Boyd, who won the November election, never legally held that position.

• Brent Clark, 39, of Betsy Layne. Clark is a dentist and was an unsuccessful candidate for the district three board seat in the November 1989 general election. Twelve people wrote letters to Education Commissioner Thomas Boysen recommending Clark for the position, Parks said.

Parks said the candidates will be interviewed April 29 in Floyd County by a three to five member committee appointed by Boysen. Parks added that the commissioner plans to fill the vacancies on the school board by the first week of May.

The envelope please

The Floyd County Times snagged 17 awards and third place overall in the multi-weekly division of judging for the Kentucky Press Association's annual Advertising Contest.

Becky Crum led the charge for the Times, picking up three first place awards, three seconds and four thirds. Crum swept all three places in the category for Department/Discount/Jewelry Store advertising; picked up additional first place awards for Financial Advertising and Best Ad Series; took second place honors for Hardware/Appliance Store advertising and Best Ad Series; and won third place awards for Hardware/Appliance Stores, Signature Page Advertising and Entertainment/Dining.

Joyce Pinson took first place and an honorable mention for Professional Services advertising, with second place in that category going to Shawn Hamilton. Former ad manager Neeley George added a first place and a third place in Miscellaneous Advertising.

The Times' staff picked up a third place award for the 1992 special edition of 'A Portrait of Home' and earned an honorable mention in the category of Special Sections.

In overall judging for General Excellence, the Times finished third behind the *Shelbyville Sentinel News* and Bardstown's *Kentucky Standard*.

Awards were presented in Bowling Green on Friday, April 16.

Similar facility planned for Wheelwright :

Prison tour offers 'inside' info

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

A small group of Wheelwright citizens got a firsthand look at a minimum security prison Saturday during a tour of the Lee Adjustment Center in Beattyville.

Officials from U.S. Corrections Corporation arranged for the tour in order for city officials and residents to see what type of facility will be constructed in their town.

Wheelwright City Commissioners Luther Johnson Jr. and Lowell Parker joined Saturday's tour as did

city utility commissioners Jimmy Little and Lonzie Tackett. Also going on the tour were Russell Johnson, Marlee Sammons and Michael Goins, pharmacist at Family Drug in Wheelwright.

Donald Stewart, director of the Lee County facility, and assistant director Mark Stanley escorted the group through the prison, pointing out the various services and recreational activities available to inmates.

Saturday's excursion began at 11 a.m. when the group left from Wheelwright High School for the two-hour journey to the facility. Transportation was provided by U.S. Corrections Corporation, which will build and manage the Wheelwright prison.

When the group arrived at the center, an informal luncheon was held

(See Tour, page three)

Prison job field is crowded

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

Over 400 people have applied for 85 jobs expected to be available at a prison in Wheelwright.

Employment Services office manager Debbie Allen said Tuesday that 425 people submitted applications from April 12-14 at the Wheelwright

location. Allen added that 50 people have applied at the Prestonsburg employment office for the Wheelwright prison jobs.

U.S. Corrections Corporation is constructing a 300-bed minimum security prison at Wheelwright which is expected to be open in September. The facility will be known as the Otter Creek Correctional Center.



No bars?

A group of Wheelwright city officials and citizens spent Saturday touring a minimum security prison in Lee County similar to the prison being built in their town. The group was somewhat surprised at the inmate's dormitory arrangement because of the absence of bars and cells. The Wheelwright prison is expected to be open in September. (photo by Susan Allen)



The gift that keeps on giving

Reverend Timothy Jessen, on behalf of the United Way, on Friday presented God's Pantry-East Crisis Food Center Director Mary Jo Votruba with a check for \$1,250. The donation is only the first quarterly installment of a \$5,000 grant. (photo by Geoff Belcher)

Murder indictments top list

by Susan Allen
Staff Writer

A Floyd County Grand Jury handed down six true bills, which included four murder indictments, Tuesday after meeting in special session last month.

Grand jurors also returned one sealed charge and declined to issue an indictment after hearing evidence in a case involving a Floyd County woman accused of concealing the birth and death of her child.

Those indicted:

- Glennis Gayheart, 20, of Beaver, is charged with one count of murder and two counts of first degree assault for allegedly driving while intoxicated on February 22 and causing the death of Cora Booth, 65, of Hi Hat and injuring two other persons.

The grand jury charges that Gayheart drove his vehicle into the opposite lane and collided with an automobile occupied by Booth, Pearl Booth and Marty Hall. Cora Booth was killed in the accident and Pearl Booth and Hall were injured.

- Chad Lovely, 18, of Wayland, is charged with murder for allegedly stabbing to death Michael Manns, 22, of Seitz in Magoffin County, on February 21 at a residence in Estill.

- John Preston Henderson, 19, of Weeksbury, is charged with murder for allegedly shooting to death Wirley Hall, 49, of Topmost on March 7.

- Michael A. Watkins, 23, of Wayland, is charged with murder for the November 1991 beating death of Simson Smith, 72, of Turkey Creek. Watkins is the second defendant charged in the case. Smith's 22-year-old wife, Brenda Smith, was charged with her husband's murder in November 1991. Brenda Smith's trial was scheduled to begin last month, but prosecutors asked for a continuance so Smith and Watkins can be tried together.

- Johnny Haywood, 42, of

Prestonsburg is charged with first degree assault for allegedly stabbing Mike Thompson, 25, of Prestonsburg on March 8 at West Wind Lounge in Prestonsburg.

The grand jury declined to return an indictment after hearing evidence in the case involving Jenny Slone, 19, of McDowell who is charged in Floyd District Court with concealing the birth of child and failing to report the death of a child. A pretrial hearing on that case is set for May 13 in district court.

Note: an indictment is not an indication of guilt, but a determination by a grand jury that a case warrants further judicial review.

Patton will address labor, management meet

Lieutenant Governor Paul Patton will return to his native Eastern Kentucky for a good ol' home cooked breakfast next week, when he is scheduled to act as guest speaker at a meeting of the Big Sandy Area Labor Management Committee at Jenny Wiley State Park's May Lodge.

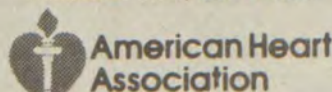
Other guest speakers scheduled to appear at the event include Secretary of Labor Carol Palmore; Kentucky Labor Cabinet Executive Director Gary Moberly; Floyd County Economic Development Authority Executive Director Darrell Gilliam; and Area Labor Management Committee Executive Director Rebecca Derossett.

Gilliam and Derossett will unveil the results of an extensive wage and benefits survey conducted in the five-county area by the Labor Management Committee and the Big Sandy Area Development District late last year. After the program, guests are invited to tour the American Standard Plant in Johnson County.

The meeting will convene Monday, April 26 at 8:30 a.m. at May Lodge.

Area business leaders and their employees are encouraged to become members of the Big Sandy Area Labor Management Committee. For information on how to join the committee or to pre-register for the breakfast event, please call Rebecca Derossett at 886-0510 or Phyllis Dotson at 886-9654.

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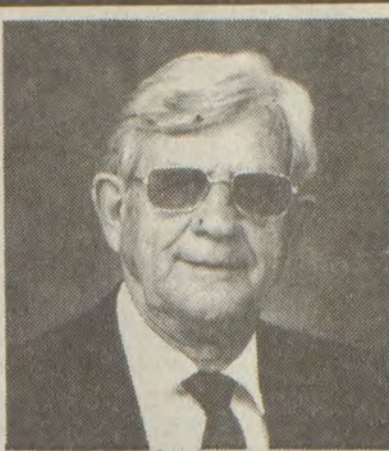


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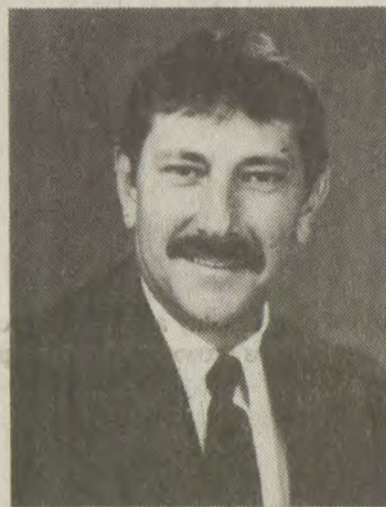
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Kentucky Opry to perform at Derby Celebration

"The 1993 Governor's Derby Celebration" to be held Saturday May 1 on the Capitol ground will feature a strong emphasis on the family and children this year. There will be food for thousands, continuous entertainment for all and a host of Kentucky crafts and artisans. The Kentucky Opry from Prestonsburg will also perform.

The breakfast and entertainment extravaganza is completely free and open to everyone in the Commonwealth.

"This is a very special Derby tradition, and we invite everyone to come to their Capitol. We especially want families to come and bring their children and enjoy the day on the grounds here," said Governor Brereton Jones.

"It's especially important that we make this a family occasion with special attention to our children," said Libby Lloyd Jones, "So please bring your children and enjoy this unique Kentucky celebration. It is a day for all Kentuckians and all families to enjoy."

Peggy Parker of the Capital Plaza Authority is again acting as coordinator of the event this year.

"To place a special emphasis on children this year, we've created a special area which we are calling the "Small Derby World" for youngsters," said Mrs. Parker.

"The 'Small Derby World' will have clowns who will give away little treasures and an audience participatory theatre with continuous entertainment. Various characters ranging from 'Abraham Lincoln' to 'Smookey the Bear' and 'Ollie the Otter' will meet and talk with children. The entire area will be fenced and staffed by 15 to 20 adults."

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'90 Toyota Corolla	\$6,925	\$5,497
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'92 Toyota Corolla	\$10,995	\$9,837
'92 Toyota Corolla	\$10,995	\$9,837
'92 Buick Skylark	\$12,995	\$11,359
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Tour

with a meal prepared by inmates who are in food service training.

During the luncheon, Stewart answered questions about the facility

OTB

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• Carroll told members of the Properties Corporation that the additional private funds required to complete the construction of the track are "within our grasp," and should be "in the bank" by sometime next week.

• Corporation members allocated \$20,000 to pay Greg Coons, of Chuck Coons & Sons, to finalize track and facilities design. Coons, along with members of the Kentucky Racing Commission, will visit the Route 3 track site today, Wednesday.

• Members of the Properties Corporation discussed the possibility of rotating the track layout, which could potentially eliminate the need to excavate thousands of cubic yards of earth. Board members and track designer, Prestonsburg architect Randall Burchett, will review plans with Coons in order to determine the feasibility of the changes.

• Floyd County Development Authority Executive Director Darrell Gilliam told board members that, due to time constraints, water lines for the facility may temporarily have to be contracted through the Auxier Water Company rather than Prestonsburg utilities. If the board were to decide later to contract with the city of Prestonsburg, the Auxier lines could be used as sewer pipes, Gilliam said.

• Properties Corporation members appointed Prestonsburg Mayor Ann Latta and former Floyd County Board of Education Superintendent Ray Brackett to a special advisory board in conjunction with the Kentucky Opry to oversee the design and construction of the proposed Mountain Arts Center.

• Gilliam said that the Properties Corporation must arrange financing soon in order to purchase the Route 114 site of the Mountain Arts Center. Tuesday's meeting of the Prestonsburg-Floyd County Public Properties Corporation adjourned to executive session to discuss the status and financing of the proposed new central office of the Floyd County Board of Education.

No action was taken at press time.

and provided information on the basic operation of the prison.

Stewart explained to Goins how the prison pharmacy operates and that there are many activities for inmates to "keep them occupied."

The group first toured the inmates law library where prisoners can research legal issues concerning their cases. The room had sets of various law books and work areas.

Adjacent to the law library is the prison's main library, which Stewart explained is available for the inmates to use until 11 p.m. nightly.

Stewart also explained that inmates attend classes to earn their general equivalency diplomas and then can go on to take vocational training in areas of woodworking and food service.

Six months before an inmate is scheduled for release, prison offi-

cial hold courses on how to prepare for job interviews and for what job classifications they may be eligible to submit applications.

The group also observed inmates during their weekly visitation hours where family and friends gather in a large area sharing food and conversation with the prisoners.

One female guard at the prison said that her job is not difficult "as long as you let prisoners know up front who's the boss."

The tour then when outside to the prison grounds where the group saw a basketball court, a tennis court, a softball field, a weight room and a woodworking shop.

The group visited a prisoner dorm which housed 200 inmates. The wide-open room had inmate cubicles which provided space for a bed and table area. Stewart explained that nothing

in the room was over four-feet in height so that the dorm director can view all activity in the area.

The dorm layout seemed to surprise the visitors the most, who expected to see "cells or bars."

"It's not what I expected," Jimmy Little said. "You know you have it pictured different in your mind. I'm glad I came here to see it. I think it (a prison at Wheelwright) will be all right."

When the tour concluded and the van headed back to Wheelwright, Stanley noted various projects in and near Beattyville where the prisoners provided the labor.

Stanley pointed out a church that had been renovated; a brick veteran's memorial being built by prisoners; a town museum being constructed by inmates; and a newly built fire station.

Protest

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Mayor Johnson agreed with the revised motion saying, "this volunteer stuff don't work."

Akers agreed to the amended motion and said he would solicit bids to construct the building.

When Boyd returned to the meeting, Akers informed him that the commission had agreed to purchase the building, but Boyd said it was "too late."

Boyd also said that almost every other fireman would resign from the department.

In other action Monday, Arlene Collins threatened to sue the city for discrimination because she claims she has been passed over for a spot on the auxiliary police department.

Before Collins' remarks, the city voted to allow David Gray to serve as an auxiliary policeman. Police chief David Duncan recommended Gray saying Gray had served as a patrolman in the United States Air Force.

Collins complained that "everyone was laughing at her" and that she has continually been passed over for the position.

"It looks like discrimination against me," Collins told the commission. "If you don't hire me, I'll sue the city. That man (Gray) didn't have an application in when I applied. I'll own this city and I won't have no flunkies around me. It's a shame that you give the mayor an

application and he won't take it. Next time, I'll shove it down somebody's throat to make sure they get it."

Commissioner Parker explained that under a city ordinance auxiliary policemen had to be recommended by the police chief or a commissioner before they could be appointed to that post.

Commissioner Johnson made a recommendation and a motion to place Collins on the auxiliary police force, but it died for lack of a second.

Also Monday:
• commissioners removed Randall Johnson from the utility commission and appointed Marlee Sammons to fill the vacancy;

• commissioners agreed to place \$10,000 in an escrow account to make repairs on the city swimming pool;

• commissioners agreed to make repairs to an apartment used by the city police chief;

• commissioners agreed to let commissioner Parker negotiate with attorneys to represent the city;

• commissioners reported that all the records for the police department are missing; and

• commissioners agreed to purchase shirts, shoes, slacks and a jacket for the city policemen.

The next regular meeting of the commission is Monday, May 17 at 7 p.m. at city hall. The meetings are open to the public.

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- Director—Floyd County Zoning Commission
- Professor—Prestonsburg Community College
- Advising Director—Prestonsburg Community College
- Director—Floyd County Blue Ribbon Commission - Floyd County Schools
- Director—Kentucky Vietnam Memorial

It would be intensity to see what list of community activities the other candidates for magistrate of District One could compile to prove that dedication, qualification and involvement for the past 16 years without pay through non-elected positions for Floyd County. You know, it's easy to say that your dedicated, qualified and involved; it's another to prove it. Don't you think it's about time they did? If I'm elected it will no longer be business as usual.

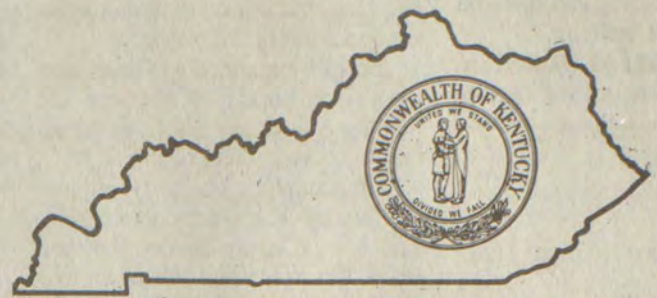
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The 'secrets' of success

by Scott Perry

The underlying principle for education reform in Kentucky is a simple premise which contends that all children can learn.

As those involved in carrying out the reform mandate will tell you, implementing reform has been anything but simple.

With all the negatives you've heard or read about in Floyd County, it is often difficult to separate the wheat from the chaff.

But despite all the caterwauling over KERA, mostly from those who are threatened by it, there are good many people out there in the field who are dedicated to proving education reform's tenet.

All children can learn when given the opportunity to do so.

Too often we find ourselves measuring a child's success from A to Z or, as tradition has it, from A to F.

At its heart, KERA breaks with that tradition by emphasizing

progress over point standing.

We've had the pleasure of witnessing this theory in action and feel quite safe in saying that it works.

We've seen a motivated teacher motivate her students to learn by expressing themselves and exposing their feelings in writing.

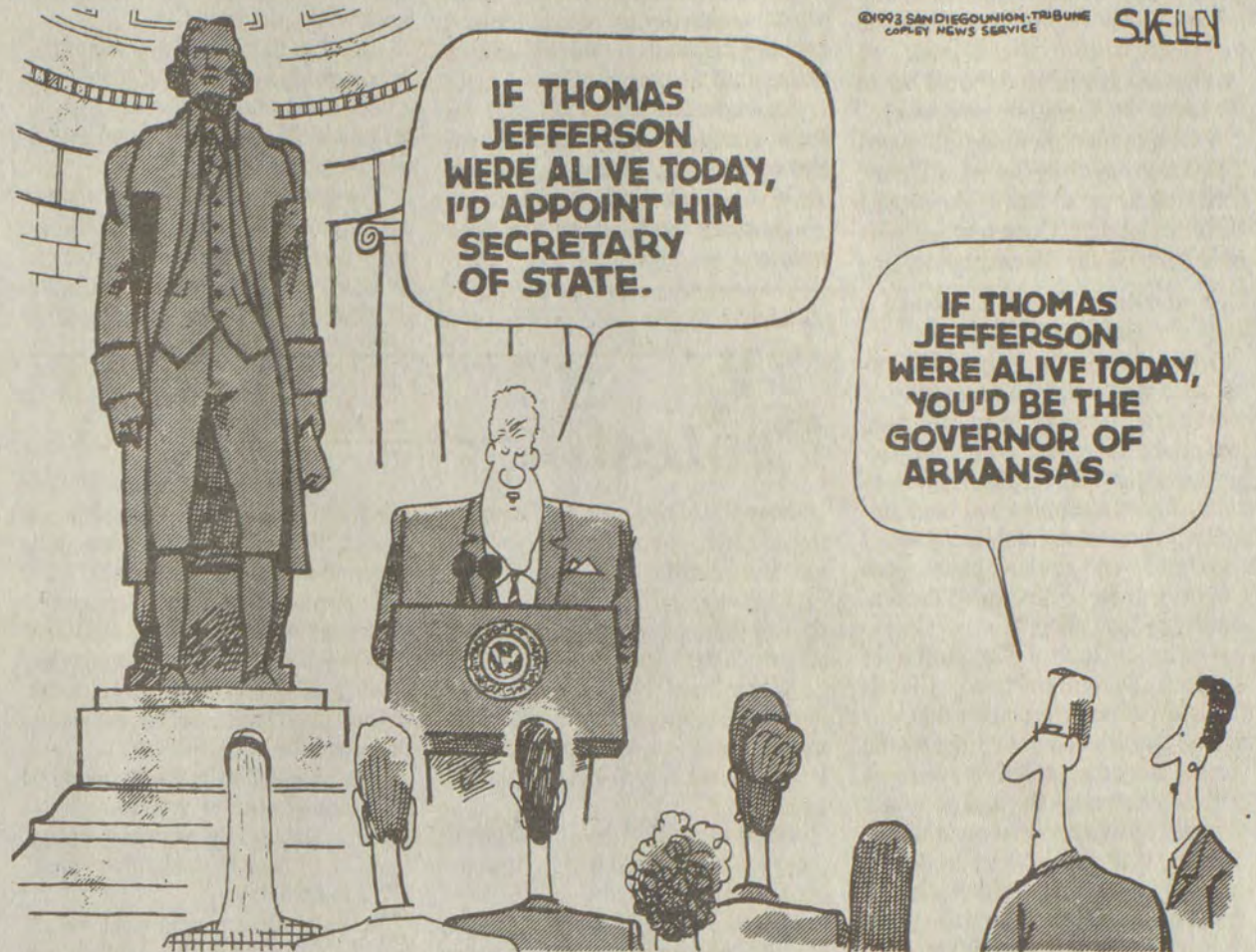
Their compositions were far from perfect, but they offered real evidence that opportunity and encouragement can turn hopelessness into hope.

You see, these are students who not so long ago would have fallen through the cracks, who the "old" system would likely have given up on and who would likely have given up on themselves.

You probably won't find a lawyer or a doctor in the bunch, but maybe you will.

That's the beauty of it.

Like life, reform is what you make it and, because so many are dedicated to making it work, many more will have a chance at life.



—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.

Setting the record straight

Editor:
I am grateful for the effort of staff writer Geoff Belcher and the Floyd County Times for their article concerning the information which I supplied them about my black lung case.

I feel that a few things need to be clarified so that people do not get the wrong idea about the situation.

First of all, the article says that the physicians were employed by the coal company, that statement is somewhat misleading. Coal companies are required by law to carry compensation insurance. The insurance company independent of any coal company policy employs attorneys who in turn employ the doctors including the two doctors who were paid to prepare medical reports in my case.

I firmly believe that the coal companies are as much a victim of the black lung fraud as the coal miners. The insurance companies providing compensation used the black lung benefits law as an excuse to raise the premiums that they charge the coal company's for the required coverage. In many cases the small coal companies were forced out of busi-

ness by the excessive insurance charges.

Another misleading statement in the article is the one that says "several months later" that I assumed the other name and acquired the conflicting reports from the doctors. While the x-rays were read several months apart, I assumed the other name and went about getting the conflicting reports only 32 days after I received the partial settlement.

I was frankly disappointed that in his article Mr. Belcher did not go into any detail about what prompted me to get the conflicting medical reports. I did in fact talk to a number of other coal miners and found that in every black lung case inquired about that the insurance company's lawyers had submitted medical reports which denied that the miners had black lung. How can people believe that six expert doctors disagree time and again and in every case their individual position happens to back up the side of the lawyers who paid them.

In my case my own attorney told me that he would have liked to have one doctor on our side but that the other side had sent me to him first. Why should who makes the appointment and pays for the visit to a doctor

make a difference as the outcome of a medical examination? The article also leaves out the fact that I outlined my suspicions and my reasons in a notarized statement prior to paying the doctors who said I didn't have black lung to say that I did.

In closing, I want to comment on the doctors "reasons" for the conflicting reports. Dr. Layne gives quality of the x-rays as being of "excellent" quality. Dr. Wright questions whether the x-rays are of the same person. I have absolute documentation that both of Dr. Wright's reports were made on the same subject and will prove it to him if I can find an attorney who is interested in justice as well as making money.

William Thomas Spradlin
Prestonsburg

**More letters
on
page five**

Coffee Break

by Scott Perry

Must have been sitting directly under that hole in the ozone Sunday, considering that we got well done in about the time it takes say "boy, isn't this lovely weather we're having?..."

The good news is we got fried on just one side.

The bad news is that the unevenness of our sunburn gives us the look of a walking strawberry sundae.

Pass the vinegar, please, and hold those giggles.

In this day and age when we put as much emphasis on sports as we do religion, it is refreshing to watch a group of youngsters who are just having fun.

Our son and a few dozen other six and seven-year-olds are getting their first tastes of organized sports this spring via the T-ball field which, with very little imagination, might pass for the set of an old Keystone

Cops movie.

Soon these kids will graduate to the Winning is Everything level, where pressure takes the place of pleasure and success is measured by won-loss columns.

For now, though, every crack of the bat is an adventure where the end takes a back seat to the means and the means are sights to behold.

Members of the Kentucky Ku Klux Klan are crying foul over some purportedly bogus announcements that link the Klan with neo-Nazis, saying the fliers are an effort to "embarrass" the Klan.

Like they need the help.

Grown people dressing themselves and their children up in robes and hoods and preaching racial intolerance behind the cloak of Christianity is enough of an embarrassment on it's own.

The Imperial Lizard, or whatever, speaks

with forked tongue.

A thin line separates the racism of the Klan from the fanaticism of the likes of David Koresh or Jim Jones, who preach that their way is the only way to heaven and they'll get you there even if they have to kill you to do so.

The racist preys on empty minds while the religious fanatic preys on empty hearts. There seems to be plenty of each to go around.

Caught in the middle are innocent children, who haven't the choice to decide between hatred and humanity or faith and fanaticism.

Ironic that here in the land of the free so many are still in chains.

Eastern Kentuckians, it appears, are to

be neither seen nor heard on matters of legislative ethics according to the roster for the new and improved state ethics board.

None of the appointees to the new board reside east of the legendary Winchester Wall which, we assume, is a less than subtle hint that our folks just aren't capable of meeting the qualifications set out by House Speaker Joe Clarke, who said appointees should be people of "unquestioned integrity if the first ethics commission is to have credibility with the public."

Wonder if that applies to the Paducah judge who has been publicly reprimanded for making an improper campaign contribution yet still appointed to the commission?

Of course this isn't the first time we've been snubbed.

The state parole board is a club exclusive to down-staters and look at the wonderful job they're doing.

—Letters to the Editor—

Stop the political littering

Editor:
The Floyd County Litter Task Force, 130 N. Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, met April 13, at the Courthouse

Annex.
The concern was about all the litter along the creek and river banks and the political signs posted illegally, i.e.: public property, state property, etc. If a candidate would post signs illegally and break the laws as a

private citizen, what would happen if he was elected?
All candidates should direct their workers to stop this practice.

Dorothy Osborne
Floyd County Litter Task Force

—Other Voices—

TAXPAYERS PAY FOR OUTDATED SUBSIDIES

Judging by the polls, many voters are warming to the Clinton plan, and we skeptics are looking like Scrooges. Then along comes the General Accounting Office to remind us why the prospect of expanding the federal government gives us chills.

"Peanut Program" is the title of an 80-page report that was recently released by the government's watchdog agency. It tells the story of subsidies instituted in 1934 that are still in force 59 years later to rescue farmers from the Great Depression. Today, Washington's jerry-built peanut price supports are a bonanza for a small

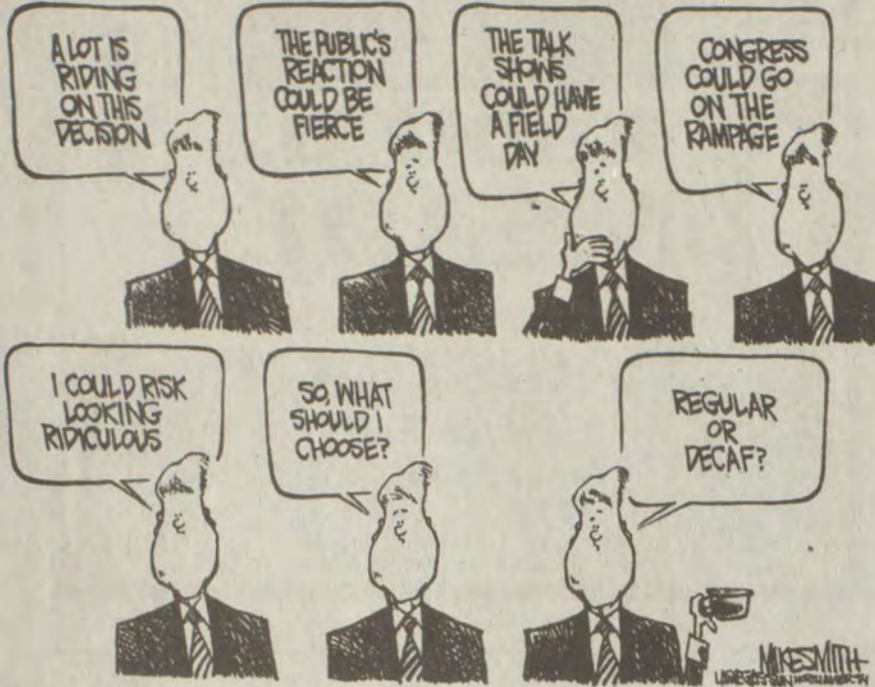
special interest, at the expense of taxpayers and all consumers of peanut butter, goobers and chicken kung pao.

A lot of people would be surprised to learn of Washington's responsibility for the peanut supply. Sure enough, the federal government guarantees a high price to farmers lucky enough to inherit peanut "quotas." The quota price is far above the world price, keeping imports out—and a whopping 51 percent above the cost of production.

As if that were not generous enough, the quota price is required to rise with production costs but never to decline. Then there's this sweet deal for quota owners who choose not to grow peanuts: They can sell or rent their quotas to farmers in their county deriving peanut-support income for doing nothing. Under this strange system, a little over one-fifth of the nation's 29,000 peanut farmers collect most of the benefits.

But what is the purpose of this money transfer from the public to select farmers? Other U.S. peanut producers manage to harvest a crop year in, year out without subsidies and sell it for export. If they could settle for \$494 per ton, the average world price from 1982 to 1989, while quota farmers were collecting \$714 a ton, wouldn't peanut-growing do just fine without government intervention?

The peanut program adds up to \$513 million a year to consumers' bills and costs the government another \$35 million a year. The GAO urges rolling back the quota price and allowing public agencies to pay peanuts at the world price. The Clinton administration seeks global savings from crop subsidies, with the details yet to be announced.



—Other Voices—

by Martha Reed Perry
Reference Librarian, P.C.C

I grew up with Peter Pan, Mary Poppins and the Grinch.

No, I'm not talking about the personalities of my family members. I'm speaking of some of the characters I shared my childhood with through those wonderful "toys," books. Books opened a whole new world to me as a child. My whole family loved reading and I grew up with books all around me, on tables and in bookcases both upstairs and down.

My parents began reading to me from the time I was born, and by the age of four I was reading on my own. From that time on, I was seldom without a book. Visits to the library with my mother were a treat that I looked forward to each week. My parents encouraged my love of books on a daily basis; their simple actions of reading stories to me before naps or bedtime helped me to discover new places and new friends and encouraged me to learn a new activity that I could do on my own. I owe a great deal to my parents for that. By introducing me to the world of books at an early age, they began my "formal" education well before I started school. Once I actually did start school, I found classes to be much easier than many of the other children as a result of my "head start" in reading. My love of books and reading eventually led me to my career as a librarian.

As a librarian at Prestonsburg Community College, I am sometimes invited to read aloud to children at local elementary schools. The children have fun hearing the old familiar stories as well as new ones, and I appreciate seeing how much they enjoy books. I like to think I may be helping them to grow to love reading even more as a result of this additional exposure to books. Children love to be read to; it is wonderful fun, but it also helps them to learn, as well.

This is National Library Week, a week set aside to celebrate and appreciate the many libraries around the country. From public and school libraries to home libraries, bookworms around the nation take advantage of these collections of facts, fiction and fun. Take a few minutes this week and stop by your local library. Check out something you've "been meaning to get around to reading," but haven't take the time. Take a young child or an elderly person to visit the library. Share in the celebration!

Reading is not something that one "has" to do, like paying taxes or dying; it's something one "gets" to do. Reading opens new worlds to millions of people, both children and adults, on a daily basis. Through a book, a person can learn a new way to do something, find out about the past, learn something that may be useful in the future or simply escape into a different world or a far-off place. Reading is a gift, not a chore. Take advantage of it!

Around the Region



The Numbers Game: Kentucky Lottery Results

Saturday's Results
April 17

LOTTO KENTUCKY 17-21-24-26-37-49

Next Estimated Jackpot \$7 million

POWERBALL 04-15-30-36-38 09

Next Estimated Jackpot \$15 million



WEATHER WATCH

Wednesday (today)
Cloudy with a 40 percent chance of showers. High 50-55.

Wednesday night
Clearing. Low 30-35

Thursday
Sunny. High near 60.

Thursday night
Clear. Low in the 30s.

Information provided by the Jackson Weather Service.

bill and threatened to act immediately. Collins said he asked Judge-Executive Doris Barnett to put the issue on the agenda for Monday's special fiscal court meeting, but no action was taken.

But Barnett said yesterday that the county board voted April 12 to pay \$3,000 toward the bill. And she said the outstanding total was more like \$4,000. — Lexington Herald-Leader

State writes waste plan for Magoffin

Because Magoffin Fiscal Court has not yet complied with state rules regarding the county's plans for garbage disposal, environmental regulators have written the plan for them.

Regulators presented a temporary plan to the fiscal court Monday, which must either accept it by July 30 or approve its own plan by September 15. If the temporary plan is accepted, the county must revise it by the first of the year.

The plan does not answer the most controversial question — whether the county will be the site of a new, large landfill — because that question is pending in court.

But it does require the fiscal court to set up a task force to develop a governing board for solid waste issues, and to improve the county's garbage collection program.

The plan also requires the county to develop programs to deal with recycling and open dumps, and to work with the state to develop an environmentally sound plan for its former landfill.

(The old Magoffin County Landfill closed last year, and the county now sends its trash to Local Sanitation Landfill in Rowan county.) — The Louisville Courier-Journal

Regional News Briefs

Jail might kick out Magoffin prisoners

Officials at Big Sandy Regional Detention Center are considering an effort to remove Magoffin County inmates from the facility until the county pays a tab of more than \$11,000.

Magoffin County Attorney Jack Collins said jail officials contacted him last week about the

Changing opinion on gays

National polls show Americans are divided over gay and lesbian issues, but attitudes have improved over the past decade.

■ Should homosexuality be considered an acceptable alternative lifestyle?

1982
Yes 34%
No 51%

1992
Yes 38%
No 57%

■ Should homosexual relationships between consenting adults be legal?

1982
Yes 45%
No 39%

1992
Yes 48%
No 44%

■ Should homosexuals have equal rights in terms of job opportunities?

1982
Yes 59%
No 28%

1992
Yes 74%
No 18%

■ Homosexuals should be hired for these occupations.

Salesperson
'82 70%
'92 63%

Armed forces
'82 52%
'92 57%

Doctors
'82 50%
'92 53%

High school teachers
'82 | Not available
'92 47%

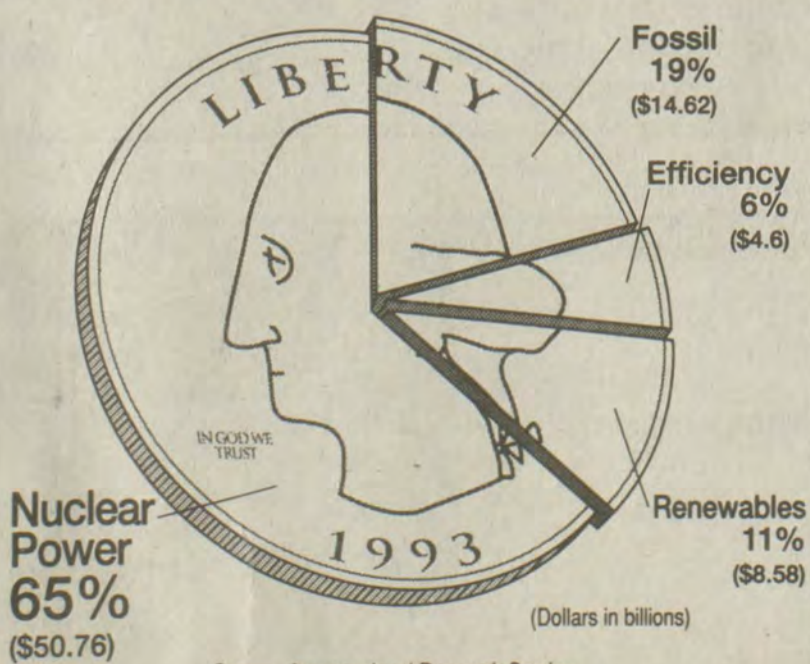
Clergy
'82 38%
'92 43%

Elementary teachers
'82 32%
'92 41%

A survey of 1,002 adults with a margin of error of 3%.
SOURCE: Gallup Polls

U.S. Energy Research Spending

Between 1948 and 1992, the federal government provided nearly \$78.6 billion in research and development (R&D) funding for various energy sources. Although it now supplies less than 10% of the nation's energy demand, nuclear power received 65% of all federal energy R&D subsidies.



Source: Congressional Research Service
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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.
 Danny Burchett, 42, AI (third or more), \$57.50 and one day public

service;
 Christopher P. Terwellen, 18, possession of alcohol by minor, AI (first or second offense), \$72.50;
 Laverne Sexton, 27, drugs not in proper container, \$57.50 and 30 days probation.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

V.L. Pelphrey to J.V. Pelphrey, property in Richmond Subdivision; Donald Martin to Amarine Collins Martin, property near Ned's Fork Road;
 Shalious and Judith Carol Hager to Polly Ann and Randall Lee Hager II, property on Bull Creek; Dorothy Adkins Hall to Emzy and Carol Rogers, Pauline and Shelby Jean McCall, property on Ferguson Hill, Harold;

The First Guaranty National Bank to Harold G. and Sherrie L. Dixon, property on Brush Creek; Montana L. Brooks to Charles A. and Teresa G. Conn, property on Mud Creek; John Edward Hicks to Charles Ray Hicks, property on Brush Creek of Right Beaver Creek;

Paul Franklin and Ella Dean Litz to Jerry A. and Nellie L. Music, property in Auxier; Metz Sizemore (A/K/A Medta Ford Sizemore) and Jan Gunnels to Jerry S. and Virginia Ford Fannin, property location not listed; Sabrina Jo Little to Eugene Wells, property in Lancer; Larry Charles to Lona Charles, quitclaim deed to property in Prestonsburg;

Sherry P. Slone (Shepherd) and Greg Shepherd to Agnes Rice, property in Jeff Wells Subdivision, Auxier.

Highlands gives the green light to Earth Day

The environment will take center stage on April 22 with the celebration of Earth Day. People all over the world will be taking the time to acknowledge the importance of preserving our planet. Recycling, conservation, and pollution control programs are continuing to grow in number and recognition proving society's commitment to environmental protection. Here at home, Highlands is doing its part through the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) "Green Lights" program.

The Green Lights program encourages large users of electric lighting to install energy-efficient lighting systems. By using new technologies, program members can reduce energy consumption while improving lighting. Reduced electric consumption means decreased air pollution caused by electric generation, including carbon dioxide, sulfur dioxide, and nitrogen oxide emissions. It also means cost savings that can be passed on to consumers.

The Green Lights program, which is managed by Environmental Services, adds to Highlands already strong conservation record. The hospital has reduced energy consumption by 46% over the last five years and cut carbon dioxide emissions by 232 million tons (equivalent to eliminating 42 millions cars.) Now that's good news for the environment.

Through efforts such as Green Lights, Highlands continues to be an area leader in environmental protection. Our hospitals' commitment to the environment will help to insure that many successful Earth Days are celebrated in the future.

Court

(Continued from page one)

be constructed adjacent to the track, with the exception of the intertrack wagering portion of the building. That portion would be bid separately and financed through private funds, Ross said, most of which have already been secured.

Under the agreement, Ross said, the Public Properties Corporation would purchase the track itself from the county in three to five years, but the county would retain ownership of the multipurpose convention center/grandstand.

Among other topics discussed at Friday's meeting:

- Magistrates approved a new ordinance that will allow the sale of alcoholic beverages after midnight in certain facilities.

- Magistrates voted to hire Deborah Terry to work in the county attorney's office.

All magistrates were present for Friday's meeting.

Reading in the aisles

A comparison of five health and diet surveys conducted in the 1980s by the Food and Drug Administration's Division of Consumer Studies, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, found that more than four out of five U.S. consumers report that they pay attention to both the ingredient list and nutrition panel on food labels. These people are more likely to be young, white, female and better educated.



The elite meet to eat

Fifth Congressional District Representative Harold "Hal" Rogers addressed Governor Brereton Jones controversial health care reform at a Highlands Regional Medical Center awards banquet Friday at Jenny Wiley State Park's Wilkinson-Stumbo Convention Center. (photo by Geoff Belcher)

County judge, magistrate candidates will participate in political forum

Candidates for the offices of Floyd County Judge/Executive and all district magistrate positions will have the opportunity to "meet the people" on Tuesday, May 4 at a Floyd County Chamber of Commerce-sponsored candidates' forum.

According to a press release issued Tuesday by the chamber of commerce, the forum has been designed to give voters an opportunity to acquaint themselves with the candidates.

The forum, to be moderated by Prestonsburg Community College professor Robert Looney, will be televised on Cablevision and WPRG.

Each candidate will be given equal, ample time to introduce his or her platform and to answer the question "Affordable garbage disposal, the

creation of new jobs, and a government that is responsive to needs rather than politics are issues that concern Floyd County voters. What ideas would you bring to county government to address these concerns?"

The candidates' forum will be held Tuesday, May 4 at 6 p.m. at Jenny Wiley State Park's May Lodge. For information on how to participate in the event, please call the Floyd County Chamber of Commerce office at 886-1341.

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KERA explored in national program

The Kentucky Education Reform Act is proclaimed a success in "America's Education Revolution: A Report from the Front," airing on KET at 9 p.m. Monday, April 26 with a repeat at 1 p.m. Saturday, May 1.

The national program takes a look at the educational changes that have been implemented in several states during the 10 years since the release of the "Nation At Risk" study. The program reports on reform efforts in New York and Florida as well as Kentucky.

Kentucky officials interviewed in the program are Chief Justice Robert Stephens, state senators David Karem of Louisville and Ed Ford of Cynthiana, Education Commissioner Thomas Boysen and Prichard Committee for Academic Excellence official Robert Sexton.

"We are Floyd County" work session set

Interested members of the area development group "We Are Floyd County" are invited to attend a work session Thursday, April 22 at 6 p.m. at the Jenny Wiley Convention Center to offer their input into a long range plan for Floyd County's development.

The meeting has been set by the county planning committee of Kentucky 2001, a project mandated by Governor Brereton Jones to coordinate ideas for social and economic development in the state.

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Local author releases heartfelt poetry



Ernestine Adkins Collins

by Janice Shepherd
Managing Editor

*If my heart could speak,
The tales that it could tell;
The sorrows it could share;
The wails that it could wail.*

*If my heart could speak,
The world would understand...*

From: "If My Heart Could Speak"

The heart of Ernestine Adkins Collins of Honaker speaks in her book *Down Mare Creek Road*.

The poetry deals with relationships — "with living," Collins said. "It is a reflection of my life."

In her lyrics to "A Happy Song": *But in divers places there are nameless faces who'll appreciate my empathy*, she lets the reader know her poems release the pain she feels. The words reveal love and betrayal and evoke emotions that lead the reader from darkness and despair to the triumph of overcoming tragedy.

"My poems are a way of getting my thoughts out of my head so I can deal with things," she explained. "Once I put it on paper, it doesn't disturb me anymore."

She also discloses her deep religious commitment and her love for her children.

Collins has been writing poems for 20 years. The last three years, she has been working on her book. In 1990-91, while she lived in Texas, she published a small poetry magazine called "Poetry Plain and Pure."

Before moving to Texas, she was "too ashamed" to let people read her poetry. As her love for Texas grew, so did her confidence. Her poem "Texas Prayers" proclaims that her "heart will long for Texas till I die."

Collins was born on Mare Creek at Stanville. Her father, Leonard, died in 1967 and her mother, Mary Adkins, moved the family to Pikeville. Collins went to Prestonsburg High School for two and a half years and then to Pikeville City School where she graduated in 1970 as class valedictorian. She received her B.S. de-

gree from Pikeville College in 1974, graduating Summa Cum Laude.

She is a substitute teacher in the Floyd County school system and is the mother of four children: Seth, Aaron, Rebecca and Rachel Collins.

Down Mare Creek Road may be purchased from the publisher: M. F. Sohn Publications, 103 Honeysuckle Drive, Pikeville, Kentucky; or at Brooks Pharmacy at Betsy Layne, Hometown IGA and Hazel's Flower and Gift Shop at Harold, the Bookworm in Prestonsburg and stores throughout Pikeville.

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JUDGE—In case you've forgotten...the Solid Waste Commission is a part of the Floyd County Fiscal Court, which you are over...**"Remember, John?"**

But, knowing the shape it's in...**"bankrupt"** equipment repossessed...I can see where you would want to disown it!

REMEMBER, TOO—The man "you" pay that \$1,980.00 a month to...you appointed him to the Solid Waste Commission...plus, John, you hired his son at \$30,000 a year. You are a true Family Man, Judge! You keep it...**"all in the family!"**

I WILL ADMIT—That land transactions seem to confuse you...For example...You "sold" **COSTAIN COAL** all that property at **IVEL** for them to "dump" fly and bottom ash and...who knows what else on us!

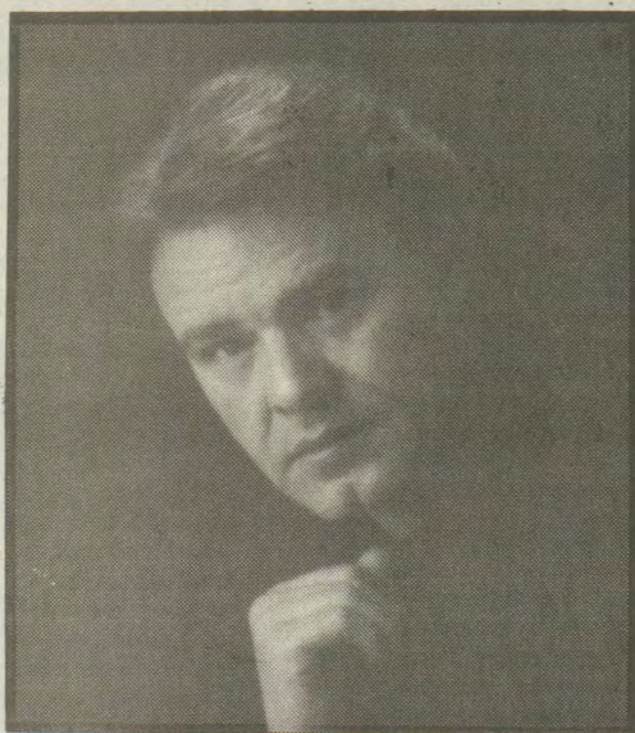
FINALLY—You say that I am either "willfully lying or totally ignorant." Well, I am not lying. I stand by everything I said...So, maybe I am ignorant. However, I am not afraid of you or your dug-in political machine...who would turn our County into a "dumping ground."

LOOK AT THE CALENDAR— It's 1993...

Our people today are better informed...more aware of what's happening. I believe they're tired of your failed, gravel government!

NOW—Till Election Day, we will tell the people of this County what we intend to do to give this County...Pride and Dignity...

We will not respond to, or mention, you and your "government" again...
We don't want to "confuse" you any more than you already are!!



Regards,

FACTS OF LAW

By
Ira
Edsel
Branham



It is illegal for an employee to be harassed, coerced, discharged, or discriminated against in any respect whatsoever for filing or pursuing a claim for workers' compensation benefits.

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Obituaries

Frank Warrix

Frank Warrix, 79, of Town Branch, Prestonsburg, died Monday, April 19, at the Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington, following an extended illness.

Born February 5, 1914 at Water Gap, he was the son of the late Bob and Callie Wallen Warrix. He was a veteran of World War II, a coal miner and worked for the Kentucky State Highway Department.

Survivors include his wife, Evelyn Scutchfield Warrix; one daughter, Margaret Ann May of Salersville; one brother, Charles Warrix of Prestonsburg; one sister, Minerva Calhoun of Prestonsburg; one half-brother, Bill Prater of Huntington, Indiana; one granddaughter and three step-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Thursday, April 22, at 2 p.m. at the Floyd Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Dick VanHoose and Rev. Jack DeRossett officiating.

Burial will be in Richmond Memorial Cemetery, Prestonsburg, under the direction of Floyd Funeral Home.

C. Collins

C. Collins, 55, of Kendallville, Indiana, formerly of Knott County, died Thursday, April 15, at Ligonier, Indiana, following an extended illness.

Born in Knott County in 1937, he was the son of the late Robert and Arminda Short Collins.

Survivors include six sons, Larry Collins of Cromwell, Indiana, Gary Collins of Ligonier, Indiana, Timmy Collins of Rogersville, Tennessee, Ronnie Collins of Topmost, and Lonnie Collins and Danny Collins, both of Weeksburg; five daughters, Kathleen Short and Agaline Slone, both of Rogersville, Tennessee, and Ruby Wallen, Linda Collins, and Tina Collins, all of Weeksburg; one brother, Bennie Collins of Topmost; one sister, Thelma Caudill of Kendallville, Indiana; 16 grandchildren, three step-grandchildren, and one step-granddaughter.

Funeral services were Monday, April 19, at 10 a.m., at the Providence Old Regular Baptist Church with the ministers Curtie Hall and Cluett Hall officiating.

Burial was in the Reen Hall Cemetery at Topmost under the direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home.

Ada Lynn Endicott

Ada Lynn Endicott, 22, of David, died Sunday, April 18, at Highlands Regional Medical Center following an extended illness.

Born February 23, 1971 in Prestonsburg, she was the daughter of Inalene Jarrell Shepherd of David.

Survivors include her step-father, Earlie Shepherd of David; maternal grandmother, Ada Jarrell of Prestonsburg; and paternal grandfather, John Endicott of Prestonsburg.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, April 21, at 1 p.m., at the Floyd Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. David Garrett officiating.

Burial will be in the Ezra Jarrell Family Cemetery at Slick Rock in Prestonsburg under the direction of Floyd Funeral Home.

Serving as active pallbearers will be Timothy W. Robinson, Henry Jarrell, Jackie Lee Jarrell, Paul Goble, Otis Goble and Andy Jarrell.

I.B. Tuttle

I.B. Tuttle, 86, of McDowell, died Monday, April 19, at his residence at McDowell, following a long illness.

Born March 2, 1907 at Knott County, he was the son of the late James L. and Sally Tuttle. He was a retired coal miner and a member of the Old Regular Baptist Church, and a member of the UMWA Local No. 5967 at McDowell. He was preceded in death by his wife, Bessie King.

Survivors include four sons, Bumice Tuttle of Lucasville, Ohio, Thurman Tuttle of Brooksville, Florida, Cornelius Tuttle of Auxier, and Lonnie Tuttle of McDowell; five daughters, Birdie Senna of Sacramento, California, Opal Carter Wheelersburg, Ohio, Cleda Adams of Woodville, Ohio, Patricia Lawson of Pikeville, and Shirley Lawson of McDowell; one sister, Marie S. Moore of Plymouth, Ohio; 39 grandchildren, 60 great-grandchildren and several great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Thursday, April 22, at 2:30 p.m., at the Hall Funeral Home chapel with the Regular Baptist Church ministers officiating.

Burial will be in the Tuttle Cemetery at Minnie under the direction of Hall Funeral Home.

Hobert Hoskins

Hobert Hoskins, 75, of Hurricane Creek, Pikeville, died Monday, April 19, at St. Joseph Hospital, following an extended illness.

Born March 25, 1918 in Bell County, he was the son of the late Esau and Minnie Miracle Hoskins. He was a Marine veteran.

Survivors include his wife, Leona Hoskins; two sons, Mike Hoskins of Betsy Layne and David Hoskins of Pikeville; three daughters, Judy Stevens of Betsy Layne, Mildred Miller of Columbus, Ohio, and Sharon Compton of Pikeville; one brother, Robert Hoskins of Columbus, Ohio; one sister, Juanita Parrigan of Clintwood, Virginia; 12 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Thursday, April 22, at 1 p.m. at the Perry A. Justice Memorial Chapel with the ministers Tim McClanahan, David Daniels, Ralph Bernard and Ronnie Roberts officiating.

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

Alice Kinney

Alice Kinney, 92, of Warren, Ohio, formerly of McDowell, died Thursday, April 15, at the Warren General Hospital, Warren, Ohio, following a short illness.

Born January 31, 1901 at Maytown, she was the daughter of the late Joel and Margaret Coburn Turner. She was a member of the Old Beaver Regular Baptist Church at Minnie. She was preceded in death by her husband, Hatler Kinney.

Survivors include two sons, Teddy Kinney at McDowell and Harvey Kinney of Nashville, Tennessee; four daughters, Emogene Conley of Warner Robbins, Georgia, Geraldene Conley of Oregon House, California, Ethel Castle of Niles, Ohio, and Charlene Wireman of Warren, Ohio; 27 grandchildren, 39 great-grandchildren and 15 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, April 19, at 10 a.m., at the Little Rosa Regular Baptist Church at McDowell with the Regular Baptist Church ministers officiating.

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

Ethel Akers Hall

Ethel Akers Hall, 83, of Prestonsburg, died Monday, April 19, at Highlands Regional Medical Center following an extended illness.

Born September 20, 1909 in Floyd County, she was the daughter of the late Albert Lee and Octavia Burchett Akers. She was a dental assistant for Dr. Edward B. Leslie.

Survivors include one son, Albert Nunnery of Ironton, Ohio; one daughter, Mary Lucille Noakes of Prestonsburg; one brother, Marvin Akers of Berea; two sisters, Ella Belle Moore and Shirley Davis, both of Prestonsburg; 10 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Thursday, April 22, at 1 p.m. at the Carter Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Ray Snider officiating.

Burial will be in Richmond Memorial Cemetery at Prestonsburg under the direction of Carter Funeral Home.

Visitation will be Wednesday (today) from 10 a.m. until 9 p.m. at the funeral home.

Harry Lowell Prater

Harry Lowell Prater, 56, of Slaine, Michigan, died Friday, April 16, at Slaine Community Hospital.

Born August 8, 1936 in Bonanza, he was the son of Mollie Sparks Prater of Prestonsburg and the late Sherman Prater. He was an employee of the Ford Motor Company. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and a member of the UAW Local No. 892, Michigan.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by his wife, Ruth Butts Prater; one son, Michael Prater of Clinton, Michigan; one daughter, Debra Lee Savage of LaVale, Maryland; four brothers, Robert S. Prater of Ann Arbor, Michigan, Wesley E. Prater of Ypsilanti, Michigan, Derral Prater of Tecumseh, Michigan, and Dallas "Scott" Prater of Winchester; one sister, Mary Katherine Music of Prestonsburg; and one granddaughter.

Funeral services were Tuesday, April 20, at 1 p.m. at the Carter Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Mike Taylor officiating.

Burial was in the Conley Cemetery at Bonanza under the direction of Carter Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers were Michael Prater, Mike Savage, Donald Merritt, Ronald Merritt, Johnny Grimm, Phillip Coleman, David Music, Keith Blair.

Franklin Scalf

Military rites for Franklin Scalf were held Friday, April 16, at Davidson Memorial Gardens at Ivel by DAV Chapter No. 18.

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The family of Jacqueline Johnson 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, or spoke comforting words. A special thanks to Clergyman J. M. Slone for his comforting words, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic control and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service.

The Family of Jacqueline Johnson

CARD OF THANKS

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

The Family of Lorene Mullins Hamilton

CARD OF THANKS

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

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We are eternally grateful and wish to express our sincere and heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our relatives, friends, and neighbors for their sympathy, kindness, beautiful flowers, food and cards during the most difficult time of our lives, the illness and loss of our beloved mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, Ena Pigman Mills. Thanks to all who gave their time and support and visited her during her extended illness. It was a comfort to us knowing she had so many wonderful friends. Thanks to the Regular Baptist Ministers for their comforting words and the singers. And to the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service. A special thanks to her sisters Jean Lafferty and Francis Banks, your caring, sharing and kindness will never be forgotten. Thanks to the pallbearers, Alger Pigman, Keith Short, Steven Mills, Jerry Mills, Pete Mills and Harold Mills. We wish we could thank each of you personally. We remember you with sincere appreciation.

The Family of Ena Pigman Mills

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Florence Ann Robinson Nelson would like to extend their appreciation and respect to all those friends, neighbors and loved ones who helped comfort them in any way during the passing of their mother. A special thanks to Rev. Doug Kessner for his service, and kind memorable efforts. Also their sincere gratitude to Mr. and Mrs. John and Mable Walters for their well-beloved hymns. They would also like to thank the pallbearers, the Floyd County Sheriff's Department and the Allen Police Department for traffic control. Also, Harold Auxier, Highlands Regional, P&B Ambulance, and Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home for their kind, understanding and professional service.

The Family

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Purvis Riley 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 Samaria Church, the Sheriff's Department for their assistance in traffic and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and professional service.

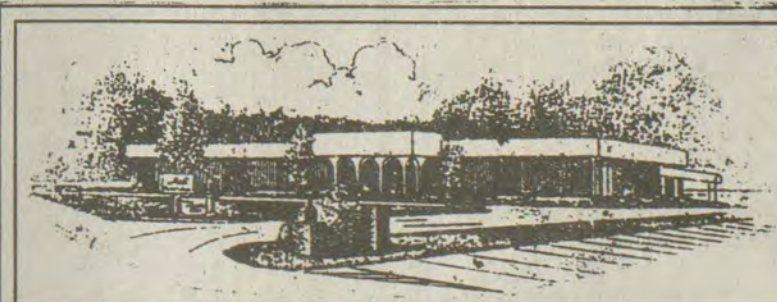
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JOB coordinator visits literacy center

Department for Social Insurance JOBS coordinator, Frank Salyers visited the Grethel "Mudcreek" Literacy Center to express appreciation for the outstanding job the center is doing and to the students for their dedication and progress.

The center has had a few of their students visiting local schools telling of their experience as adults in the employment world and the fact that little opportunity is available for those without a high school education. The center is supervised and sponsored by the David School.



Pictured above, from left to right, 1st row are Debbie Cole, Lonetta Sallsbury; 2nd row, instructor Peg Smith, James Hamilton and Polly Frazier; 3rd row, Rodney Newsome, instructor Vivian Whitehead, Jeff Williams, Jeff Williams, Fannie Lawson and Tammy Coleman.

"Healthy Kids Camp" registration begins

Our Lady of the Way Hospital and Christian Appalachian Project are collaborating to offer a special summer health camp for kids again this year at Camp Shawnee.

"Healthy Kids Camp" will be held August 2-6 for children ages 6-14 who have asthma, diabetes or who are obese. This year, the camp will be a week-long overnigher hosting lots of outdoor activities, evening campfires and education sessions for both children and parents.

Some of the outdoor activities which will take place are swimming, canoeing, hiking, volleyball, paddleboating, land/water olympics and many others. Arts/crafts will also be part of the day's activities.

The camp staff will include a registered nurse, respiratory therapist, registered dietitian, lifeguard, cook and camp counselors. (Volunteers for the positions would be appreciated.)

Registrations are now being accepted and interested parents are encouraged to contact the Community Health Education Department at 285-5181 Ext. 388 as soon as possible for further information or to register children.

Students earn EMT certification at PCC

On March 27, twenty-two students received EMT certification in the Prestonsburg Community college Emergency Medical Training Program.

To receive certification, the students completed 145 hours of training and passed both of Kentucky's written test and practical skills test. According to Larry Adams, PCC EMT instructor, "the students worked and studied very hard, and they should be very pleased with their recently acquired EMT knowledge and skills which they can now use in ambulance companies, fire departments, mining companies, and rescue squads in their home communities."

The newly certified EMT's and the counties in which they reside are as follows: Floyd County — James Allen, Paul Burke, Debbie Collier, Virginia Conley, Charles Horn, Mary Keel, Steven Parker and Mark Perkins; Johnson County — Edgar Pack, Linda Piercy and Kyle Williams; Magoffin County — Tim Grayson; Martin County — Carolyn Copley, Rex Endicott, Steven Gauze, Bonnie Grace, Doug Hinkle, Deborah Marcum, Estill Meeks Jr. and Michael Nichols.

Job candidates prepared to meet the challenge

Staff of the Prestonsburg office of the Kentucky Department for Employment Services helped 1,344 people find jobs in 1992 and provided additional job services to area employers and applicants.

"Placing more than 70,000 Kentuckians in jobs during 1992 required hard work and innovative approaches to the job market," said Margaret Whittet, commissioner of the Kentucky Department for Employment Services. "That effort is especially important at our 27 local offices where our job placement interviewers work daily with job seekers and employers."

Deborah Allen, manager of the Prestonsburg Employment Services office, said, "When we place someone in a job, the process is more involved than just finding any available work. We try to match that person with a position that will meet his or her skills, education and career goals and that takes time and effort. In order to do those things more efficiently, we have fully automated our job matching system."

"The job search process also may require some preparation such as job training, counseling or testing the applicant before he or she begins a job search. We want job candidates to be ready to meet the challenges they'll face in a new position, and we want the employer to be satisfied."

Employers and job-seekers may

obtain information about screening, testing and placement services through the Prestonsburg Office of the Department for Employment Services by visiting the office at 443 North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Ky. or by calling (606) 886-2396.

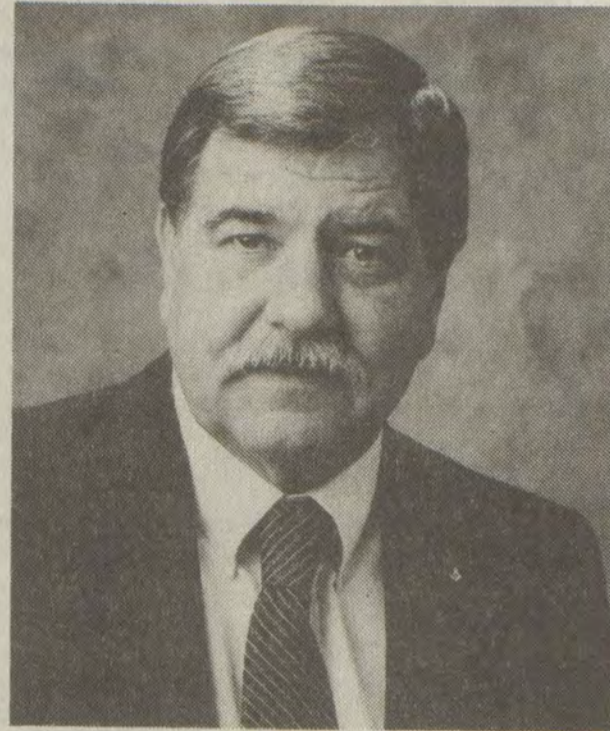
They also have full time offices located in Salyersville, first floor, courthouse, telephone number (606) 349-3120; Paintsville, second floor, courthouse, telephone number (606) 789-6692; and an itinerant office in Inez each Thursday from 9:00 am to 2 pm, telephone number (606) 298-5981.

Super 8 Motel honored for excellence

The Prestonsburg Super 8 Motel, located at 550 U.S. 23 South, was awarded a "Certificate of Excellence" by the chain's international headquarters for greatly exceeding company standards of cleanliness, service, and quality for the first quarter of 1993.

Dennis Shawd, vice president of Quality Assurance for the Aberdeen, South Dakota-based, economy motel chain, presented the award to the manager and staff. The 80-unit motel is managed by Stanual Mullins.

Action speaks louder than words



Others promise to be a good sheriff, and talk about what they can do if elected. But Sheriff Paul Hunt Thompson has already proven he can get the job done.

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- * Destroyed over \$30 million worth of marijuana and other illegal drugs
- * Educated over 3,400 students this school year about the danger of drug and alcohol abuse
- * Over 3,000 arrests made
- * Over 500 investigations worked
- * Over 5,000 special details/activities worked
- * Over 1,500 funeral escorts
- * Over 500 accidents worked
- * 24-hour dispatching implemented
- * Toll-free number for Mud Creek/Harold area
- * All full-time deputies professionally trained
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Community Calendar



Leadership training

Students from Prestonsburg Community College and Pikeville College attended the Leadership Training Conference in Madisonville April 2-4. Front row: Rachael Ousley, Marenda Coleman and Angie Lockhard. Back row: Jamie Hall, Todd Maynard and French Harmon, Baptist Campus minister at the two campuses.

Rebuilding primary care is key to health care reform

As first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton readies the White House health care reform package for release, a major medical specialty society is warning of a crisis in access to primary health care. According to a new report from the American Society of Internal Medicine, the success of health care reform could depend largely on whether sufficient numbers of internists and other primary care specialists are available to deliver quality patient care in the future.

The ASIM report, "Rebuilding Primary Care: A Blueprint for the Future," details a growing shortage of physicians practicing in the primary care specialties (general internal medicine, family practice and pediatrics). Calling primary care "the foundation of the health care system," ASIM reports that the foundation has been long neglected, and as a result, is crumbling.

"Only 30 years ago, some 50% of U.S. physicians were primary care doctors. Now, only one-third are," says ASIM Executive Vice President Alan R. Nelson, MD. "With only one-sixth of medical school graduates currently choosing careers in primary care, policy-makers should start asking: 'Who is going to treat the tens of millions of Americans that we hope to bring into the health care system under comprehensive reform?'"

Dr. Nelson says, in particular, internists, who specialize in the continuing care of adults and adolescents, will be in high demand in the future. Internists, he says, are uniquely suited to treat the health care problems of the elderly—a group that is expected to make up over one-fifth of the U.S. population early in the next century.

Experts say the gradual decline in the percentage of physicians practicing primary care is linked to a number of factors, one of which is the amount of red tape involved in day-to-day practice. ASIM's report cites internists who say they are becoming increasingly frustrated with what they view as an explosion in recent years in government regulation and bureaucratic meddling from insurance companies. Primary care physicians say they feel the brunt of the so-called "hassle factor" because, compared to other specialists, they see more patients and handle more paperwork.

The low pay associated with primary care is another reason why medical students are flocking toward higher paying medical specialties. According to ASIM, from 1983 to 1988 the incomes of non-primary care physicians grew at four times the rate of that for physicians in the primary care specialties. Private insurers and government programs like Medicare pay much more for surgical procedures and high-tech care than for the patient management and preventive care offered by primary care physicians.

ASIM's Dr. Nelson says medical training programs are also oriented more toward highly specialized physician training. He says as a result, students interested in primary care often "see very few positive role models, and get very little encouragement to pursue a career in internal medicine or some other type primary care."

Ironically, the trend away from primary care comes at a time when more and more health economists are touting the value of it. Several studies have shown that primary care physicians practice a more cost-effective brand of medicine than other specialists. In particular, primary care doc-

tors emphasize preventive medicine that helps diagnose and treat illness in the early stages, when it can be treated more effectively and less expensively. ASIM and other organizations believe incentives that encourage more physicians to practice primary care will quickly pay dividends in cost savings for the entire health care system.

"To reap these dividends (of cost example), policy-makers have to do more to bring more primary care physicians into the health care system," said Dr. Nelson. "That's going to mean making a commitment to get insurers and regulators off our backs, paying us fairly for our services and reconfiguring the medical education process to encourage more medical students to become primary care physicians."

ASIM's "Rebuilding Primary Care" report concludes with 44 specific recommendations to improve the economic, regulatory and training environment of primary care physicians. The recommendations range from offering bonus Medicare payments for primary care to loan forgiveness for medical students who choose to practice primary care. Dr. Nelson says legislative action on ASIM's proposals could provide a cornerstone for a larger health care reform bill.

"Just like you can't build a house on a weak foundation, you can't reform the health care system without a solid foundation of primary care. Rebuilding that foundation is critical if we are to provide the cost-effective, quality health care that all Americans want and deserve," says Dr. Nelson.

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.

Dieting doesn't work? Try TOPS

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) will meet 5 p.m. Thursday at the Little Paint First Church of God, Rt. 1100, at East Point. The group is a non-profit national organization.

Call Barbara Rice at 886-2027 or Carole Rice at 886-6626 for complete details.

Big Sandy Annual Labor-Management event

Big Sandy Annual Labor-Management event will be held Monday, April 26 at Jenny Wiley State Park.

Lt. Gov. Paul Patton will be the featured speaker at the event's breakfast, which starts at 8:30 a.m. Also speaking will be Carol Palmore, secretary of the Kentucky Labor Cabinet and Gary Moberly, executive director of the Kentucky Labor Cabinet.

Prestonsburg PTO meeting

The Prestonsburg High School PTO will meet 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 22, at the high school. All parents, teachers and other interested persons are invited to attend.

P.H.S. reunion committee to meet

The reunion committee 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.

Big Sandy Senior Games

The Big Sandy Senior Games will be held Friday, May 21, at the Downstream Recreation Area at Dewey Lake. Opening ceremonies will begin at 9:30 a.m.

Registration and details are available at your local senior citizens center. Registration fee is \$3. Deadline to register is May 1.

Trash Bash '93

The Dewey Lake Trash Bash '93

will be held Saturday, April 24. The Jenny Wiley State Resort Park and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers invite the public to participate in the 1993 lakeshore cleanup.

Registration will be from 10-11 a.m. at the Jenny Wiley State Resort Park, Wilkinson/Stumbo Convention Center parking lot. There will be a cookout at 2:30 p.m. at Picnic Hollow Recreation area located at the top of the dam.

For more information, contact Ron R. Vanover at 886-2711 or Johnny Martin at 886-6709 or 789-4521.

Allen Family Resource Center's upcoming events

•G.E.D. day classes Tuesdays, 9 a.m.-2 p.m.; and night classes Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6-9 p.m.

•After school child care program now available from 2:30-5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Call the new number at 874-0621.

For more information, call the Allen Family Resource Center at 874-2165.

Betsy Layne Resource Center's upcoming events

•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.

•Need after school care for children? For more information, call the center at 478-5550 and ask for Terisa Hall.

School based meeting at Clark

A meeting of the Clark Elementary School Based Decision Making Council will be held 6 p.m., April 26 in the school library. All concerned parents and citizens are welcome.

Clark Family Resource Center's upcoming events

•GED classes, from 8:30-11:30 a.m. each Monday.

•April 23: Family Fun Night from 7-9 p.m.

•April 28: Advisory Council meeting, 3 p.m.

•April 30: Family Fun Night, 7-9 p.m., with line dancing.

For more information, call the resource center at 886-0815.

Maytown Family Resource Center's upcoming events

•Maytown Family Resource Center is sponsoring GED classes every Thursday starting at 9 a.m. upstairs over the Maytown Fire Department. It is open to the public.

•May 4: Introduction to Parenting by Lenny Cieslak with the Department of Social Services at 6:30 p.m. in the school library. Everyone is invited to attend.

For more information, call 285-0321.

McDowell Family Resource Center's 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 is available for school-age children. The hours are 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.

Magical version of "Aladdin" at Paramount Arts Center

The Paramount Arts Center 1993 Family Series presents Louisville's critically acclaimed children's theater, Stage One, in its own mystical, magical version of "Aladdin" on Sunday, April 25 at 2 p.m.

Tickets for this live, on-stage production of the season's most popular story are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children.

For information contact Paramount Arts Center, 1300 Winchester Ave., Ashland, Ky. or call (606) 324-3174 weekdays from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Diabetes classes to be offered

Diabetes classes will be offered at the Floyd County Health Department on April 21, 28, and May 5, from 10 a.m. until noon. The participants will learn about diet, exercise, medications, self-blood glucose monitoring, complications, and other information about diabetes. Participants should attend each class. The classes are free of charge and open to anyone with diabetes, their families, and anyone interested in learning more about diabetes.

PACE computer group to meet

PACE (Prestonsburg Area Com-

puter Enthusiasts) will meet Thursday, April 22, at Morehead State University Extension Computer Lab, University Plaza, University Avenue, Prestonsburg.

The program topic will be "WordPerfect Tips and Hints" by John R. McIntosh.

PACE operates a community, electronic BBS, phone 886-8403 with settings of N-8-1.

Regular meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of every month. Due to circumstances, they have changed the meeting dates for this semester.

National Secretary Day observed

In recognition of National Secretary Day, Our Lady of the Way Hospital is sponsoring its annual "Healthy Secretary Day" on Wednesday, April 21, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the Jenny Wiley Lodge.

Employers are encouraged to give office personnel a special gift for attending. The program will include lunch buffet, health screenings and a variety of presentations on health/professional topics. To register your secretary, receptionists or clerk, call 285-5181, ext. 388.

Youth conference to be held

The Johnson County Youth Conference will be held at the Cow Creek Free Will Baptist Church on Friday, April 23. Services will begin at 7 p.m. Refreshments will be served. Everyone is invited to attend.

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Winners of the engineering competition

Winning the sixth grade bridge construction competition at Mountain Christian Academy was Steven Allen, whose bridge held 57 lbs. before collapsing. Jonathan Senter's bridge held 29 lbs. Model car design winner was Josh Hall, whose car design did run but did not complete the course. Krista Castle's car design was correct but would not leave the starting line. The eighth grade crash survivability (egg drop) contest winner was Gary Hinkle, whose successful design dropped in 1.6 seconds without breaking. Hope Newport's egg dropped in at 1.8 seconds. Left to right, sitting are Stephen Allen, Josh Hall and Krista Castle; standing are Hope Newport and Gary Hinkle.

Adopt-A-Highway cleanup scheduled

Over 4,150 civic groups and organizations throughout the Commonwealth will be making Kentucky "Cleanly A Winner" as they participate in the Fifth Annual Adopt-A-Highway Spring Cleanup, sponsored by the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet. Citizens from all walks of life, including scout troops, civic clubs, businesses, college students and veterans, will demonstrate unified support for a clean environment as they take part in this one-day event Saturday, April 24.

The Cabinet's Annual Adopt-A-Highway Spring Cleanup is held each year during the week of Earth Day, April 20, but program participants continue to maintain their adopted section of roadway throughout the year.

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Young associates will train during the week of April 19 and then on Saturday, April 24, they will slip on their managers' vests and take over as location manager and co-managers in each store and as managers in virtually every department, including: produce, market, seafood, deli/bakery, etc. Their responsibilities will include merchandising, supervising associates, handling customer service inquiries, and much more. "Real" managers will take an armchair, observational role.

"It has always been our policy to help develop pride and self-esteem in

our young associates," George added. "Youth Management Day allows us an opportunity to do just that."

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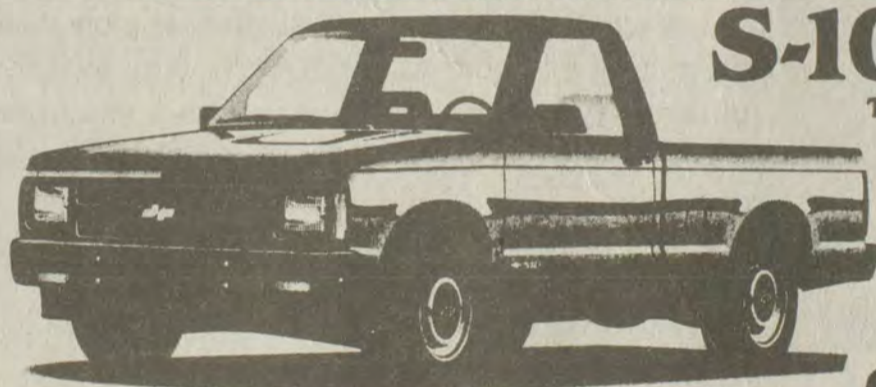
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Toys with attitudes

By Jo Ann Webb
Smithsonian News Service

Meet Shani and her friends Asha and Nichelle. With skin tones ranging from light brown to mahogany and fashions that feature warm spice tones and ethnic print fabrics, these dolls were designed by Mattel to "reflect the natural beauty of African American women." While blonde, blue-eyed Barbies and Kens may be here to stay, so are Shani, Asha and Nichelle.

Today, more and more manufacturers are answering the call for products that teach children not only about themselves, but about the diverse cultures with which they live.

"The whole issue of ethnic toys has exploded in the last 15 years," says Fath Ruffins, historian at the Archives Center of the Smithsonian's National Museum of American History in Washington, D.C. "It's affected children's literature, television programs and the way advertisers market their products to parents." Ruffins, who is currently researching ethnic imagery in the commercial market, plans to use her findings for an exhibition and book project in 1995.

Toys can tell us a great deal about changing cultural attitudes, Ruffins adds. Advertisers in the late 19th century through the mid-20th century used images that were already recognizable in society. "Toy makers were often expressing the norms of the times," she explains.

Prior to the Civil War, there were few commercial toys. As America industrialized after the war, toys were mass-produced. The boom in the toy industry coincided with a period in American history when there was massive immigration.



BETWEEN THE 1940s and the 1960s, the overall trend in toys was white, non-ethnic images, such as the doll shown here in this 1942 photo.

"This influx of immigrants created racial fears among Anglo-Americans and other American-born citizens," says Pamela Nelson, curator at the Balch Institute for Ethnic Studies in Philadelphia.

The poor and less-educated became

prime targets for racial hatred. African Americans, Asian Americans and many immigrant groups new to the United States were grossly caricatured in toys. One example was the "Reclining Chinaman," a mechanical bank produced in 1882 that featured a smiling Chinese man lying against a log and holding playing cards in one hand. At the base of the log was a rat, a reference to the notion that rats were rumored to have been eaten by Chinese immigrants. When a lever was pressed, a penny fell from the man's hip into the bank while his hands moved to reveal that all the cards were aces.

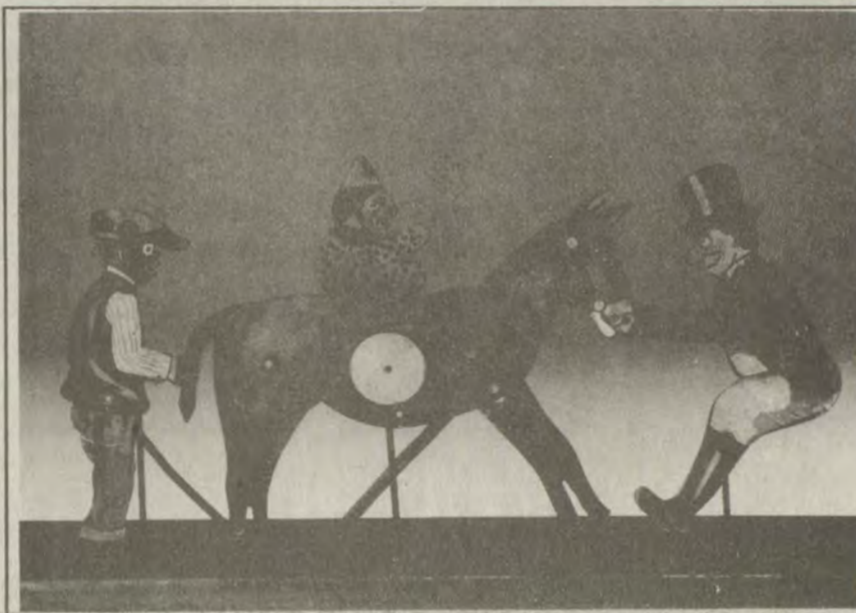
"At the time it was produced, 'Reclining Chinaman' reinforced the image of the Chinese as crafty tricksters who cheated American working men out of jobs by accepting lower wages and an inferior standard of living," Nelson writes in *Ethnic Images in Toys and Games*, a catalog to the exhibition of the same name, which she curated in 1990 and is now traveling.

Despite the continuation of negative portrayals, there was a definite shift in how toys depicted ethnicity, beginning in the 1920s. This change in cultural attitudes toward ethnic groups was a combination of many factors, according to Ruffins. Movie-going became a popular form of public entertainment. Advertisers felt that once people saw more realistic images, they would want those images in the

products they purchased, including toys, she explains.

Nelson offers another explanation as to why toys and dolls became more realistic: "Cultural attitudes toward ethnic groups apparently softened as World War I and the passage of extremely restrictive laws brought massive immigration to an end by 1924. Rather than attacking and degrading groups, toys encouraged assimilation and supported token positive expressions of ethnicity."

There were, however, some exceptions. In 1924, a major retail chain advertised a wind-up toy called "Chicken Snatcher." The ad read: "When the strong spring motor is wound up, the scared negro shuffles along with a chicken dangling in his hand and a dog hanging on the seat of his



THE OBJECTIVE OF this 1918 Donkey Shooting Game was to hit the bull's eye, which caused the donkey to rear its hind legs and kick the back carriage, making him a victim of abuse that appeared to be acceptable.

pants. Very funny action toy which will delight the kiddies."

From the mid-1940s to the mid-1960s, the toy industry underwent another major shift. The trend in toys was white, non-ethnic images. "Americans were into the 'melting-pot' syndrome," Nelson says. Dolls, for example, were mostly blonde and blue-eyed. "This era could have been damaging for an ethnic child because, typically, a child's doll is an extension of herself or himself.

"Children do not have the experience to understand the difference between a realistic image and an unrealistic one," Nelson adds. "Whatever they see in their toys, they accept as being real. Through the process of play, they act out life as they see it."

"People don't understand that toys that have negative images can really be damaging to young people," says Dr. JoAllyn Archambault, director of the Native American Indian Program in the Smithsonian's National Museum of Natural History. "Children playact, in part, to learn how to become adults."

American Indians are the only racial group that today consistently appears in a negative light in large toy-manufacturing lines, says Archambault, who has been collecting



JO ALLYN ARCHAMBAULT, the director of the Native American Indian Program at the Smithsonian's National Museum of Natural History, shows off her collection of toys and dolls that portray American Indians negatively. She has been collecting these objects for 20 years.

stereotypical toys for the last 20 years. A lot of American Indian toys still depict semi-naked figures living in teepees, she points out.

"These stereotypes freeze, in the minds of children, images of American Indians as racial groups that still live in a pristine past unaffected and unchanged by the 20th century," she says, adding that it's important for children to understand that American Indians today live in houses, drive cars and shop in department stores.

The Civil Rights movement of the 1960s created many changes in American society, including changes in the toy industry. Manufacturers realized that African Americans, other people of color and society in general would no longer tolerate overtly negative images. Out of necessity, manufacturers began increasing their supply of positive ethnic toys.

During the late 1960s, Mattel's black Barbie dolls began to show up in stores, along with black GI Joes. The Barbie line was expanded to include Asian American and Hispanic dolls and GI Joe was given a "rainbow coalition" of fighters.

The ethnic market is extremely lucrative, Donna Gibbs, director of media relations at Mattel, says. In 1990, when the company launched an advertising campaign geared specifically at African American mothers, it watched sales double. "That proved to us the economic viability of the African American market." The company introduced Shani, Asha and Nichelle in 1991.

Companies devoted solely to making toys for a particular ethnic group are springing up all over the country. In 1985, Yvonne Rubie, founder of Golden Ribbon Playthings, a black-owned company in Queens, N.Y., popularized "Huggy Bear," a mass-produced, mass-marketed black doll.

Cynthia's Toys and Games, owned and operated by Cynthia Whitfield, opened about seven years ago for the sole purpose of providing multicultural toys, none of which promote violence in any way.

According to Whitfield, a professor of child psychology at Merritt College in Oakland, Calif., there was a need to fill a gap that left children of color without positive images. "Without positive images," Whitfield says, "the child has no way of validating his or her existence." Because children neither understand nor comprehend how they fit into their environment, positive images in toys help them learn, she adds.

Positive imagery was important enough to Mel Whitfield and his wife, Loretta, founders of Washington, D.C.-based Lomel Enterprises, that they spent seven years researching and developing Baby Whitney, an African American doll. The Whitfields (who are not related to Cynthia Whitfield) even hired an African art historian to design the doll's face, which is based on a fertility doll in West Africa. The doll, which sold out in 1991, has taken the commercial market by storm, inspiring T-shirts, notecards and a calendar.

The toy market has come a long way. According to Black Enterprise magazine, the spending power of ethnic groups has reached an all-time high. Consequently, children of all color are reaping the benefits.

Toy companies are being forced to meet the demands of the market. "You need to give children a sense of self," Cynthia Whitfield says. "Once you love yourself, you open up to many things."



TOY MANUFACTURERS CONTINUE to create Indian images that have little to do with the way Native Americans live today. Here, Snoopy and a Smurf wear headdresses, items that are often sacred in Native American cultures.

Betsy Layne FBLA wins at Morehead

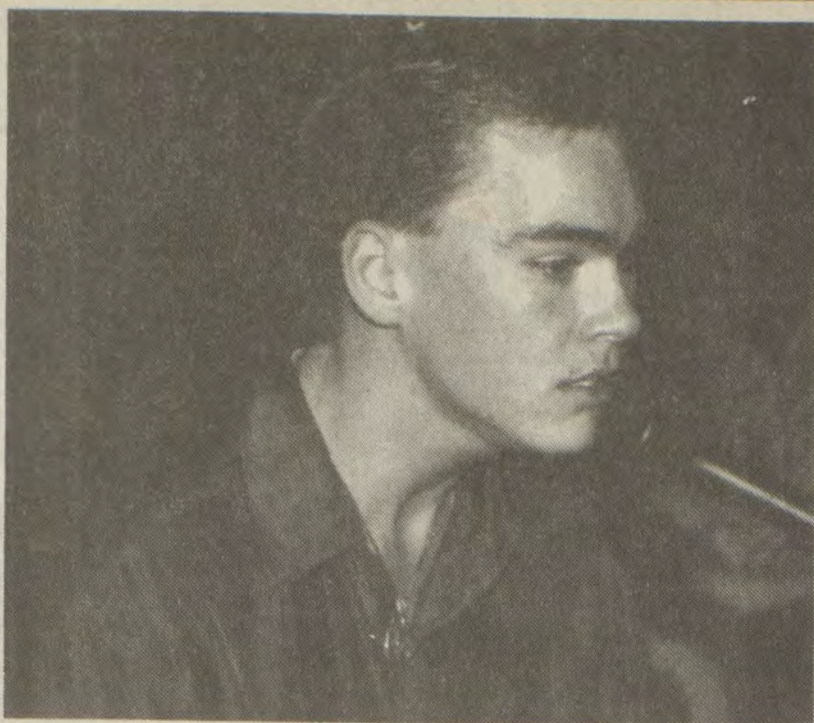
by Brock Harmon

The Betsy Layne High School Chapter of Future Business Leaders of America competed in a regional competition which convened at Morehead State University in mid-March against FBLA chapters from many surrounding counties.

The students competed in such areas as computer concepts, typing, impromptu speaking, and other business related fields. There was also a talent competition which featured such diverse acts as country singing, opera, piano medleys, and dancing.

The Betsy Layne Chapter walked away with numerous awards. Brock Harmon ranked first place in Computer Concepts, the Parliamentary Procedure team won second place, and Chris Lafferty was awarded "Most Entertaining" in the talent portion for his rendition of "Great Balls of Fire" by Jerry Lee Lewis. Also, the BLHS chapter was awarded first place for largest FBLA chapter enrollment.

Chris Lafferty, Brock Harmon, and the Parliamentary Procedures team will go on to compete at the state competition which will be held in Louisville on April 22-24.



Entertaining student

Betsy Layne High School senior Chris Lafferty was chosen as "Most Entertaining" in the talent portion of the FBLA regional competition held in Morehead this past March.

American studies class at work on projects

by Rhonda Thornsburry
Michelle Horn

At this present time, the American studies class at Wheelwright High School is working on their community based projects.

Their projects include working with environment, senior citizens, the economy and cross age tutoring. The projects were started at the beginning of the year and will continue until the end of the school year. This class teaches us how to work with other members of the class and how to solve problems that may come along with groups. It has been rough, but we have finally adjusted to this style of teaching.



Solving problems

Pictured are members of the Wheelwright American Studies Class Rhonda Thornsburry, Sherry Johnson, Carrie Miller, Amy Cox, Michelle Horn and Stephanie Boyd.

Poems wanted for anthology and contest

Dorrance Publishing Co. is pleased to announce that poems are now being accepted for submission to its Fall 1993 Contemporary Poets of America and Britain poetry contest. There is no contest entry fee. A total of 100 cash prizes valued at \$5,000 will be awarded. Also 100 gifts of recognition will be conferred.

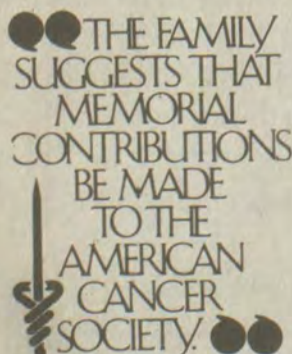
All poets, regardless of previous publication or experience, are cordially invited to submit their work for inclusion in this contest. All 100 winners of cash prizes will be guaranteed publication in the Contemporary Poets of America and Britain, Fall 1993 anthology, a hardbound volume featuring poets from both sides of the Atlantic. Non-winning entries may be published at the author's request with purchase of a copy of the anthology.

Interested poets are encouraged to submit one poem, 20 lines or less, any style or subject. All poems entered into the contest will be reviewed by a panel of qualified, impartial judges.

First prize will be \$1,500. A second prize of \$500, third prize of \$100, and 97 honorable mentions of \$30 will also be awarded.

The deadline for submission of poems for the Fall 1993 Contemporary Poets of America and Britain contest is May 31, 1993, but poets are invited to submit their poems as soon as possible. Contest awards will be announced on August 31, 1993. Late submissions will be entered into the next contest.

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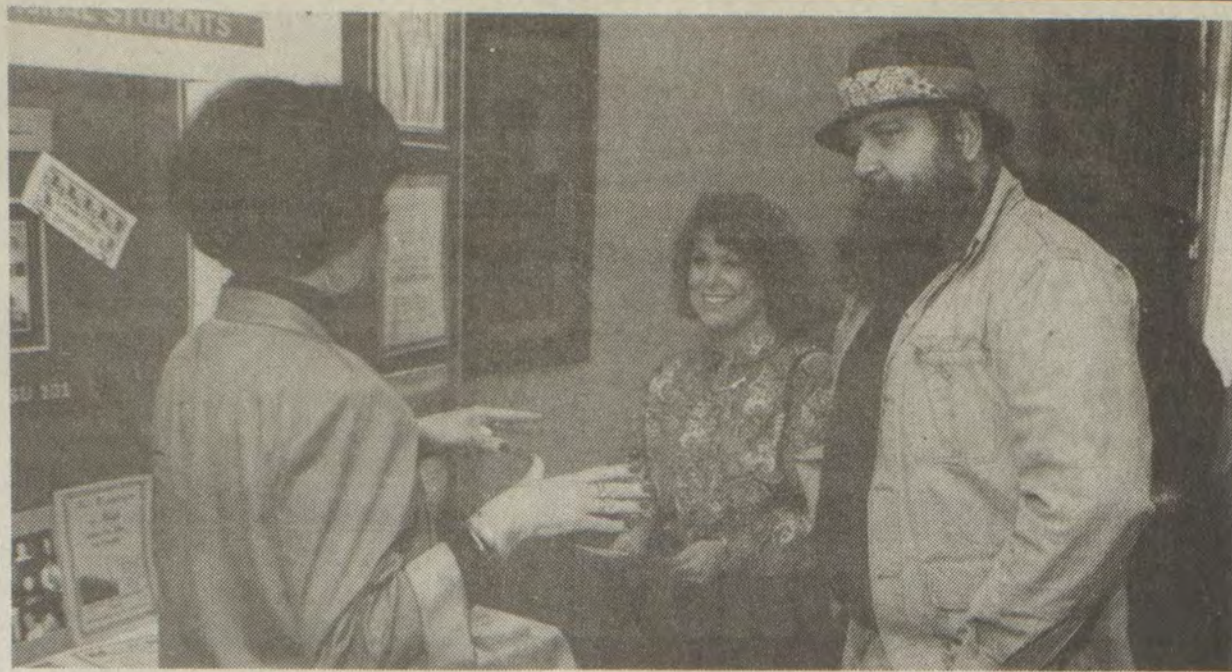
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MSU hosts "open house"

Morehead State University recently welcomed approximately 400 prospective students and parents to campus for an informational "open house." Gaining a perspective on the services offered non-traditional students from Jackie Scott, at left, non-traditional student counselor for MSU, are Kathy Bailey of Salyersville and Tim Sizemore of Prestonsburg. The open house program is designed to provide students and their families with answers to questions that they may have about academic programs, financial aid and campus life. Additional information on MSU's programs and admissions procedure may be obtained by calling the MSU Admissions Office toll-free at 1-800-262-7474. (MSU photo by Eric Shindelbower)

Allen Central academic team sends five to regional competition, two to state

The Allen Central Academic team recently participated in the regional academic competition.

Heather Watson, a senior, was awarded a trip to the regional after placing second place in district competition in Language Arts. At the regional level, she placed third, which awarded her a trip to the state academic competition. This marked her fourth straight trip to state competition.

She is the daughter of Joyce and Stanton Watson of Hueysville.

Roy John Martin, a sophomore, will be taking his second consecutive trip to the state academic meet. He placed third in district competition, then went on to finish fourth in regional competition, which earned him a trip to the state meet. His academic

specialty is Social Studies. He is the son of Johnny and Zeda Martin of Garrett.

Three other academic team members competed in regional competition. They are Nathan Elliott, Tonya Griffith, and Cathy Hall. Elliott competed in Science, where he finished third in district competition. He is the son of Wiley and Phyllis Elliott. Griffith competed in Language Arts, in which she finished fourth in district competition. She participated in creative writing. She is the daughter of Reba Griffith of Maytown. Hall competed in English Composition, and placed third in the district competition. She is the daughter of Jesse and Lila Hall of Martin.

With the exception of Watson, all of these students are sophomores, a

fact that has coach Joyce Watson looking forward to a bright future. "I expect these students to do well in competition for the next two years," says Coach Watson. Heather Watson and Roy John Martin participated in the state competition held April 8 in Louisville.

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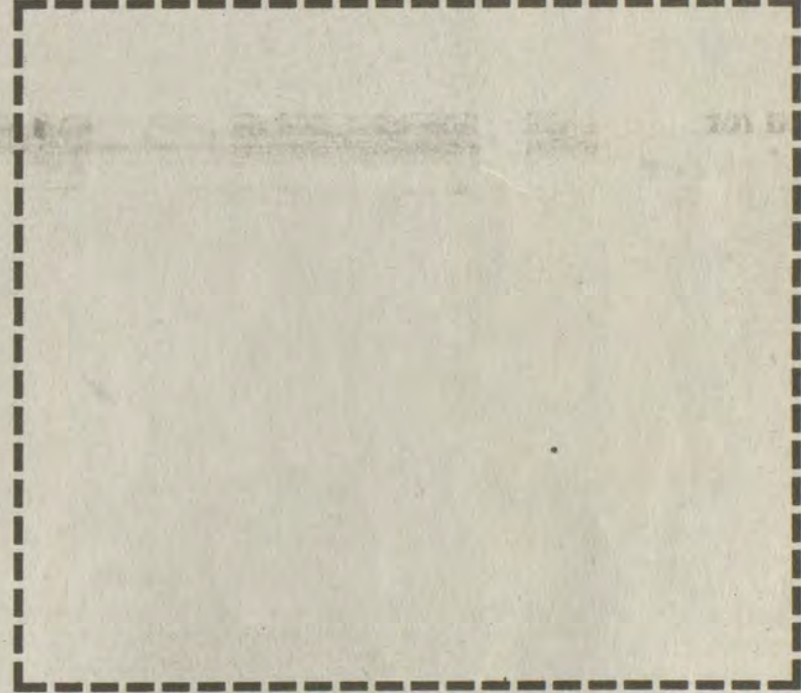
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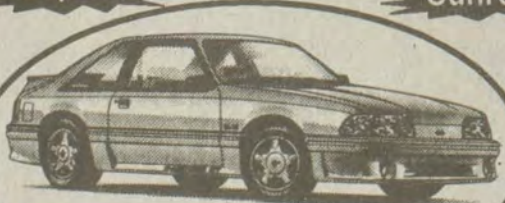
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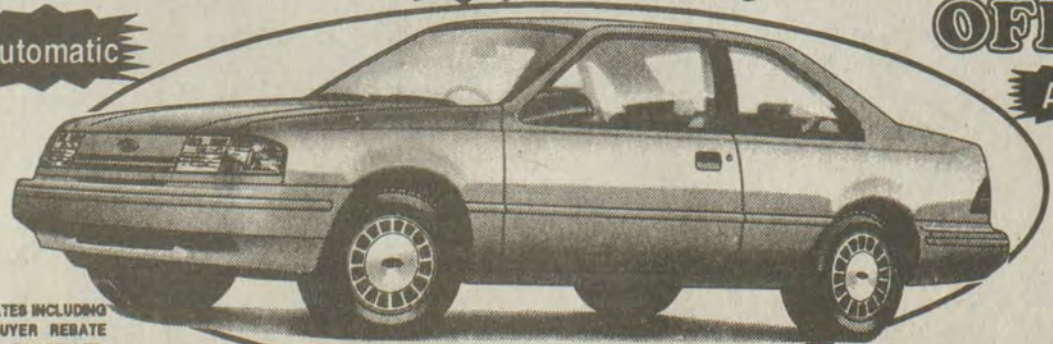
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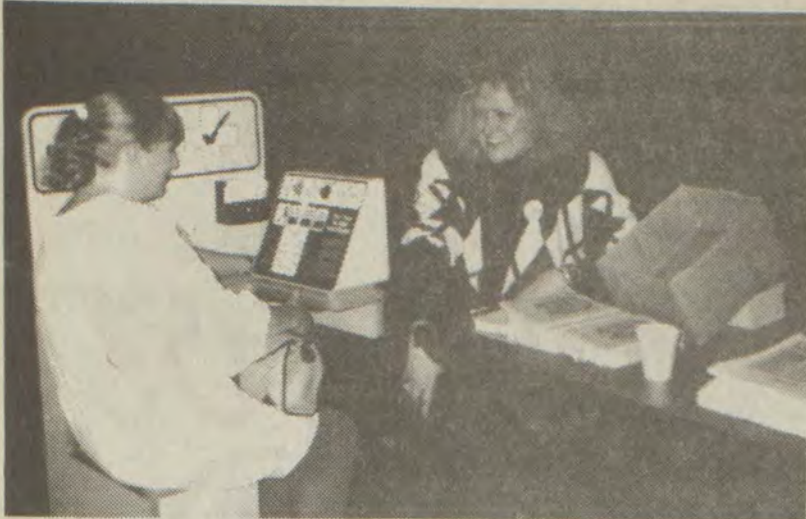
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Sandi Brooks of Brooks Pharmacy administered a blood pressure check on Georganne Case, kindergarten teacher at Betsy Layne Elementary School.



Lifesaver

Meryl Baker of Betsy Layne Fire Department demonstrated the Jaws of Life to a preschool class during a health fair held at the Betsy Layne

Health Fair held at Betsy Layne

On Thursday, March 25, approximately 400 individuals roamed the floor of the Betsy Layne dome gymnasium to take advantage of a variety of free health-related services.

Over twenty health organizations and related agencies were represented providing a wide array of services and information. The Floyd County Health Department administered cholesterol screenings on 102 individuals. Additionally, 84 diabetes screenings were conducted by Pikeville Methodist Hospital.

At least one individual was glad he utilized the health fair, said Michael Rodriguez, director of the resource center. After the hospital completed the tests, they discovered the man was in danger of having a stroke, Rodriguez said.

To complement the screenings many organization were present with a variety of exhibits. Which included the Jaws of Life demonstration by the Betsy Layne Fire Department; information tables from Big Sandy Family Abuse Center, Hospice of Pike County, Mable Rowe Lineberger, a Registered Psychologist, Cooley Medical, Brooks Pharmacy, Alternatives, Inc., and the Pike County Adult Reading Program.

Also, Our Lady of the Way Hospital, Kentucky Homecare, Mountain Comprehensive Care Center, Kentucky Department of the Blind, Betsy Layne Senior Citizens Center, Mud Creek Clinic, Floyd and Pike Counties Extension Services, and Betsy Layne Elementary Family Resource Center has information tables. Also present was Smokey Bear representing the Department of Forestry.

The event was co-sponsored by the Betsy Layne Family Resource Center and the Betsy Layne Senior Citizens Center.



Solar system

Mary Murphy's seventh grade class recently completed working on a three-dimensional solar system bulletin board they created using styrofoam balls, paint, and colored paper.

Army College fund increases, Congress approves up to \$30,000 in benefits

The Army recently announced it is increasing to \$30,000 the maximum amount of money for college available to qualified applicants who enlist for the new Army College Fund (ACF).

This substantial boost from the previous maximum of \$25,200 for a four-year enlistment was initiated, with Congressional approval, to restore the fund's buying power to its fiscal year 1985 origination level. College money is a potent enlistment incentive for the Army in attracting higher-quality recruits. Last fiscal year 100 percent of new Army recruits were high school graduates, while 78 percent scored in the top half of the entrance aptitude test.

The \$30,000 amount, like its \$25,200 predecessor, is a special incentive which is created by combining money from the Montgomery GI Bill (\$13,200) with a \$1,200 contribution from the soldier, and the remaining \$15,600 provided by the new ACF. Similar increases have been made for a three year enlistment providing \$25,000 for college tuition, and a two year enlistment providing \$20,000.

Annual college costs have been rising since the start of the ACF in 1985. A year of college then was about \$5,000 for public colleges and nearly \$10,000 for private institutions. Currently a year of public college costs an average of \$7,600, while

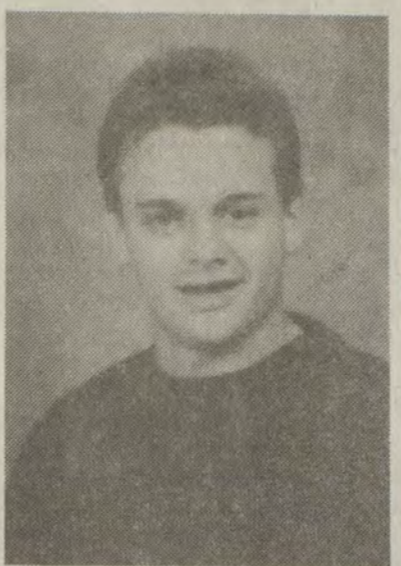
a private institution will cost about \$16,300. By 1995 these expenses are expected to jump to \$11,000 and \$23,700 respectively (USA Today, 02/19/92).

College expenses have steadily increased, but so has the importance of a college education to succeed in many career fields. At the same time, sources for funding college educations have declined. Some have experienced near collapse. The new ACF provides qualified individuals opportunities to obtain guaranteed funding for college.

A soldier who successfully completes a four-year enlistment with the money for college option would have \$833.31 per month for each of four years of college, based on a nine-month academic year. The money may also be used for any schooling approved by the Veterans Administration, he said.

To qualify for the Montgomery GI Bill and the new Army College Fund an applicant must have a high school diploma, achieve a score of at least 50 on the entrance aptitude test, enlist in a designated critical job skill, have no prior military service, and meet the other enlistment eligibility requirements. Army recruiters are now accepting applications for this option.

For more information on the new Army College Fund, call your local Army recruiter.



Young leader

An Allen Central student, Glenn Floyd, was invited to Washington, D.C. to attend the National Young Leaders Conference along with 337 other students from all different states.

He was only one of seven students from Kentucky chosen for this honor. The conference was a meeting where the students debated on current issues. Two of these issues were gun control and school choice.

Before leaving Washington, Floyd got to talk to Mitch McConnell and Wendell Ford. The group also got to visit the Lincoln Memorial and the Washington Monument.

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Single parents, homemakers learn auto repair

Auto Tune-Up and Repair is the name of the eight week workshop where participants in PCC's Single Parent and Homemaker Career Development Program signed up for in March. Under the watchful eye and expertise of Floyd County Technical High School instructor Gary Mullins, these women have learned about oil pan gaskets from the underside of their own vehicles. This hands-on approach has given these consumers a new set of skills and a greater appreciation for the vocational possibilities of skilled trades.

The PCC grant that makes this workshop possible focuses on presenting career opportunities which represent high demand employment in our area. Career planning is always on the agenda as part of the support services offered. Since most individuals who contact this program are undecided about their plans, workshops are scheduled to help them explore their options.



Service job

Gary Mullins, instructor, explains the inner workings of an automobile to Barbara Yates of Wayland, Sherri Arms of Paintsville, Bertha Carr of Prestonsburg and Mareda Stevens of Inez.

Hands-on work gives new slant to learning process

All across Kentucky, students and teachers are experiencing a new attitude in learning. It was once enough to make a lesson plan, put notes on a chalkboard or overhead projector and lecture to a sea of blank faces.

Now, however, those schools days are behind us. Teachers and students alike are finding a very different atmosphere inside the classroom. Now students are working more in groups, helping each other to learn as well as relying on the teacher to guide their education. Students are now writing more to prepare them for their spring portfolio assessment, science teachers are drawing upon more hands-on work in areas that would be normally textbook assignments alone, and math teachers are now expected to have their students not only find the right answer but also to explain why it is the right answer. Math departments, too, are keeping portfolios that show their students' analytical skills. The days of memorization and objective testing are all but over. Today, Kentucky's "kids" can expect more from an education and have more fun getting there.

Critical care nurses honored at Highlands

The "In Search of Excellence" award banquet was held Wednesday, March 24, at Highlands Regional Medical Center. This annual event is held to recognize and honor the hospital's critical care nurses.

The award for excellence is based on a peer evaluation process whereby each nurse rates her co-workers in areas of knowledge, critical thinking skills, professionalism, and interpersonal relationships. The award consists of a plaque that is permanently displayed in the Critical Care Unit, a pin which identifies the recipients and a trip to the National Teaching Institute of Critical Care Nurses. Sponsored annually by the American Association of Critical Care Nurses, this year's NTI is being held in Anaheim, California.

Penny Tiller, RN Clinician I and CCU Charge Nurse, was selected by her peers to receive this year's award for the nurse who best represents the

values and skills inherent to critical care nursing at Highlands. Ms. Tiller, a native of Martin County, "is an excellent role model, teacher, and resource to her co-workers," states Sharon Dingus, CCU Clinical Manager who along with Medical Director Rodney Handshoe made the presentation to Ms. Tiller.

Keynote speaker for the evening was Chalmer Frazier, former HRMC administrator, who gave a brief history of development of the Critical Care Unit at the Medical Center. Clarence Traum, current CEO/President, spoke to the future of the medical center, and Dr. Ragu Sundaram expressed appreciation and respect from the medical staff for the high standard of care consistently provided by the critical care nurses at Highlands. Margaret Ackerman, retired director of nursing, was also honored for her support in the unit's early years of development.

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Dr. Duane Sanders is show working with elementary students in PCC's Big Sandy Natural Science Center.

PCC faculty members receive fellowships

Two faculty members at Prestonsburg Community College received Community College System Summer Teaching Improvement Fellowships.

Dr. Duane Sanders and Randall Watts were selected from among the many faculty members in the 14 University of Kentucky community colleges who applied for these fellowship awards.

Randall Watts received funds to allow him to take more mathematics courses this summer and Dr. Sanders proposed a project to assist visually impaired students.

Dr. Sanders received \$1700 to develop a resource list of materials, teaching strategies, and support personnel that can be used by biology

teachers in the Community College System to enhance the learning experience of visually impaired students. Specific teaching aids will be purchased and/or constructed for use in the classroom or laboratory. Since material in biology as well as other subjects is frequently communicated through graphs, charts, diagrams, and other visual media, a way must be developed to deliver this information to those students who can not see a graph.

Charles J. Givens Money Strategies

A man from Indiana wants to know, "If a Social Security disability beneficiary has a trial work period but is still considered disabled, can he or she get another trial period later?"

No, during a single period of disability, a disabled beneficiary is allowed only one trial period. A trial work period is a nine-month period in which a disabled individual tests his/her ability to work while receiving full disability benefit.

A gentlemen from Chicago says, "I want to start a small business. Should I begin as a sole proprietorship or as a corporation?" The easiest and least expensive form of business to create is a "sole proprietorship." Your Social Security number becomes your tax ID and you don't even report to the IRS that you are a business until you file your Schedule C the following year. A "sole proprietorship" can be you or you and your spouse as owners.

A Connecticut woman asks, "my financial advisor talked me into starting a Keogh last year. I have eight employees, but none of them has been with me more than 1 1/2 years. I am putting 10% of their salaries into the plan. The administrator is charging me \$800 annually. Is that too high?" You can, if you choose, discontinue the Keogh, change to and roll that money into a SEP IRA account as defined in IRS Code Section 408. Unlike the Keogh, you can wait to fund the employee accounts until they have been with you three years. Also, there is no IRS filing required with a SEP; therefore, you will have no administration fees.

A man from Pittsburgh asks: I have an annually with joint and last survivor benefits. How does it work if I die? The plan makes payments as long as one or both of two "annuitants" (usually a wife and husband) live. When one dies, the amount of the payments to the survivor is either the same or changed in accordance with the terms of the contract.

Tips for setting up home, community recycling projects

The Central States Glass Recycling Program has provided Tips on Setting Up a Home Recycling Project as well as a check list for community groups.

In a home recycling project, it is recommended that you decided on a storage area. The kitchen, where most household refuse originates, is an ideal place for a home recycling center. An area under the sink, or a closet or pantry can easily be outfitted as a storage place. A location about 3-feet by 3-feet can also be used for storage.

A very simple system calls for lining up grocery bags, cardboard boxes, plastic wastebaskets or other containers and filling them with materials. Before filling these containers, remember to properly sort and prepare the materials in the following manner.

GLASS: Rinse bottles and jars of all food residue and remove metal rings and caps. Sort the bottles by color; clear, green and brown. It is not necessary to remove labels. One full-sized grocery bag of whole glass containers will weigh approximately 16 pounds. A 55-gallon drum of loose, whole bottles weighs approximately 175 pounds.

NEWSPAPER: Place newspaper in neat stacks no higher than 12 inches and tie securely with sturdy string.

They may also be bundled in brown grocery bags. Be sure to store them in a dry area. A 12-inch stack weighs about 35 pounds and a loosely packed grocery sack about half that.

BEVERAGE AND FOOD CONTAINERS: Much of the packaging your family uses every day is easily recycled. This includes aluminum beer and soda cans, and in some areas, their bi-metal counterparts. Some recycling programs or businesses also accept steel food cans, plastic milk bottles or two-liter pop containers. Check what's accepted in your area.

ORGANIC MATERIALS: Consider composting grass clippings, leaves and wood chips for use in your garden or for landscaping. A properly prepared compost pile generates no odor, and makes for excellent fertilizer sources.

The following is a checklist for community groups who are considering a Recycling Day in their community. The objectives of such an R-Day program should be to:

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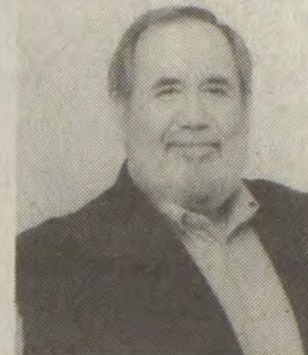
How does the present magistrate of District #1 get by using county trucks, and county employees, to haul gravel for private use?

Why did the present magistrate of District #1, being a part of Floyd County Fiscal Court, be a party to having private driveways blacktopped and the Fiscal Court taking same into the county road system.

Why is the present magistrate of District #1 not willing to stand up for the people and voters concerning the incinerator for out-of-county and state waste?

Why did the present magistrate of District #1 take a tank car (for culvert use) take some from the Cliff community and take to Bull Creek for private use?

Why is the present magistrate of District #1 advertising for voters elect him for four more years when the office of magistrate in this election is for (5) years? Forgetful Forgetful



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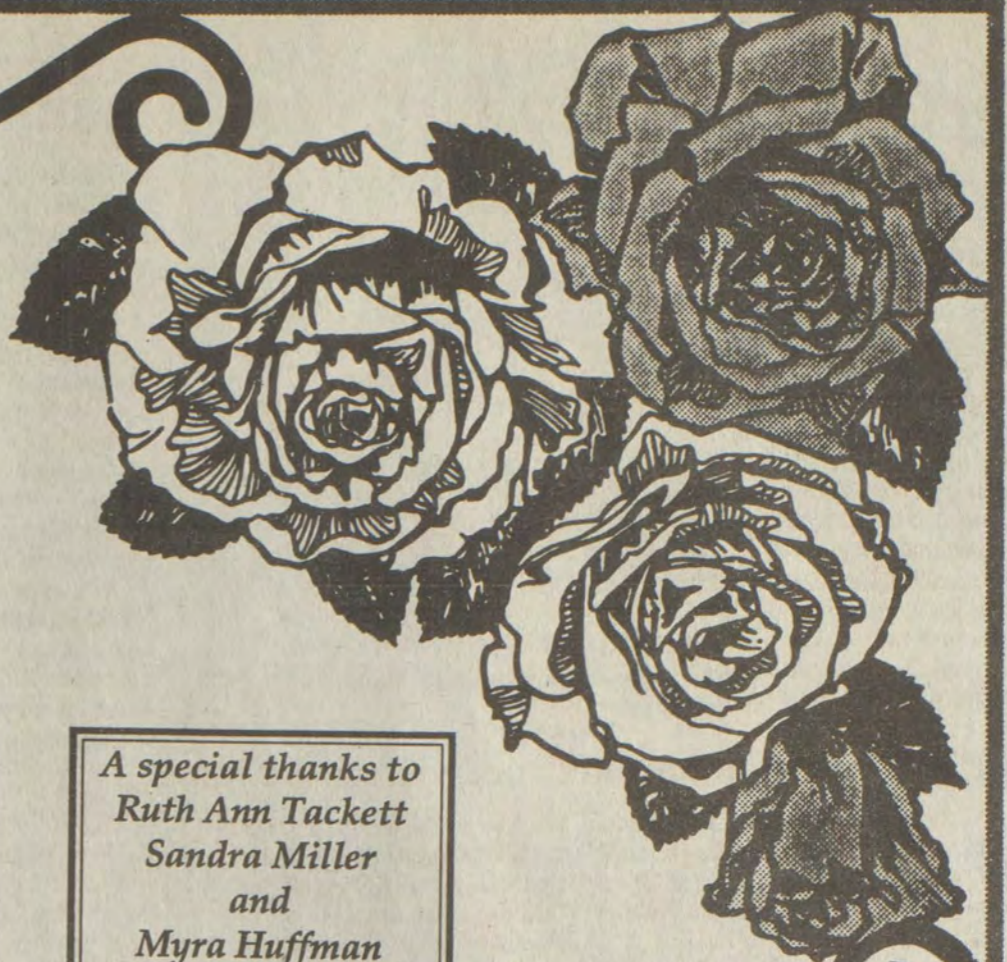
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Margaret, I couldn't do it without you. Thanks for your hard work.

Larry Brown

A special thanks to Ruth Ann Tackett Sandra Miller and Myra Huffman

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To all the Secretaries that do a little work every now and then

Happy Secretaries' Day

The Floyd County Times

The First Commonwealth Bank

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Have a great day and another great year.

Happy Secretaries' Day

To all the Secretaries Cheryl, Norma, Iris, Teresa, Velvet, and Karla who have done a fabulous job this year.

We wish you the best

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Happy Secretaries' Day To the Secretaries & Clerks of McDowell Appalachian Regional Hospital

Happy Secretaries' Day to Minnie Hamilton Who does all the work she can handle plus more.

From Marlean and all the gang at Sears

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Happy Secretaries' Day!

The Floyd County Health Department

To Imo: Thanks for making me look good!

From Jay

Vanessa Conn, Thanks for being here- you're doing great!

From Janie

Debbie and Pat, Thanks for keeping things under control.

Jerald, Ned and Jay

Mary Lou, Heather, Edna, Pam

HAPPY SECRETARIES' DAY!

Thanks for everything!

John Earl and Barkley

Happy Secretaries' Day

Thanks for doing such a great job all year long.

From The Floyd County Board of Education

To all the Secretaries at the Circuit Court Clerks Office

HAPPY SECRETARIES' DAY

You do your jobs well!

Happy Secretaries' Day

Marquetta Spears!

From Robert Rowe

Happy Secretaries' Day

Sandy Belcher

Thanks for being there and doing a great job.

Dan Rowland

Happy Secretaries' Day

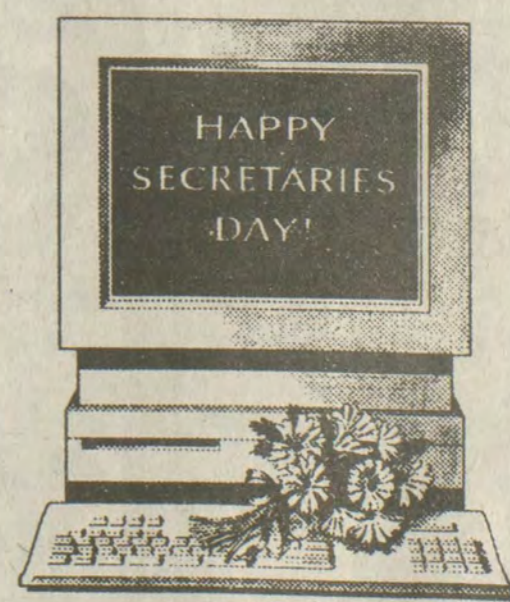
to Donna Thompson and Peggy Compton from Sheriff Thompson & Office Manager Chuck Hall



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Three ACHS students to be in state art exhibition

Each year, the Kentucky Art Education Association chooses work from the top art students in the state. This is done by qualified judges at four regional sites throughout the state. This region's show will be held at Morehead State University in conjunction with High School Art Day. During this event, students participate in workshops, tour the campus, talk with instructors, receive scholarship information, have competitions and view the art exhibit.

Those students' works which win at the regional level will then become a part of the Kentucky All-State High School Art Exhibit which is shown throughout the state at various loca-

tions.

Allen Central High School has three students who will be part of the all-state exhibit this year.

Chad and Chuck Compton, twin sons of Joyce and Fred Post of Hagar Hill, will have their work shown. Chad was chosen for his photography and Chuck for acrylic painting. Micheal Ousley will have two pictures in the exhibit; one pencil drawing and one watercolor. He is the son of Jerry and Ramona Ousley of Hippo.

All three boys are enrolled in Independent Study Studio Art at Allen Central High School. Their works were submitted by Mrs. Caralita O'Quinn.



Dr. Nnamdi Anosike

PCC professor selected to address national committee

Last August, Dr. Nnamdi Anosike, assistant professor of Socioeconomics at Prestonsburg Community College, organized and chaired two sessions of the American Rural Sociology Association Conference. His sessions concerned "Agricultural Development Strategies and Issues in The Third World and Africa." He also presented a paper on "Agricultural Development Experiences of Selected Dub-Saharan African countries in the Post Colonial Period."

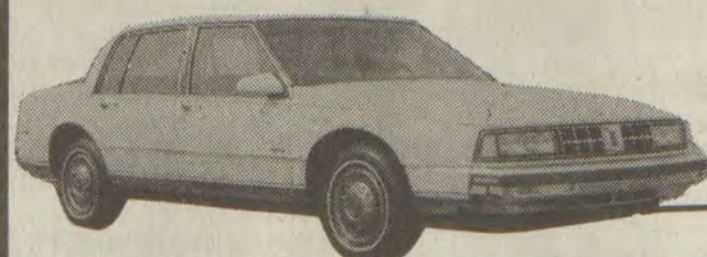
In addition, he served as chair of a Prestonsburg Community College panel for World Food Day. The program at PCC was so successful that Dr. Anosike was among 15 site coordinators selected from about 1000 in the United States. He and the other 14 coordinators were invited to address a meeting of the U.S. National Committee for World Food Day, in Washington, D.C. They shared their experiences with the World Food Day programs at their sites and planned for this year's World Food Day programs and activities.



All State artists

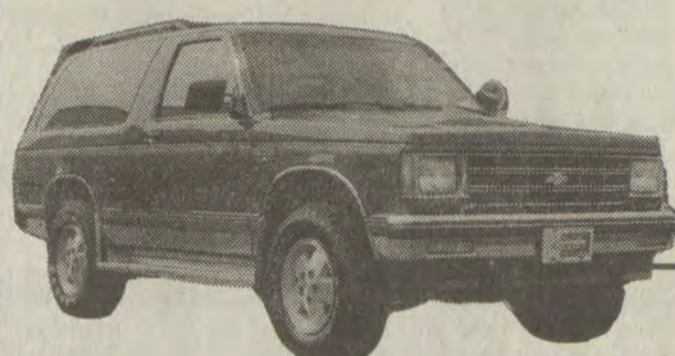
Chuck Compton, Micheal Ousley and Chad Compton of Allen Central High School will be participating in the Kentucky All-State High School Art Exhibit at Morehead State University.

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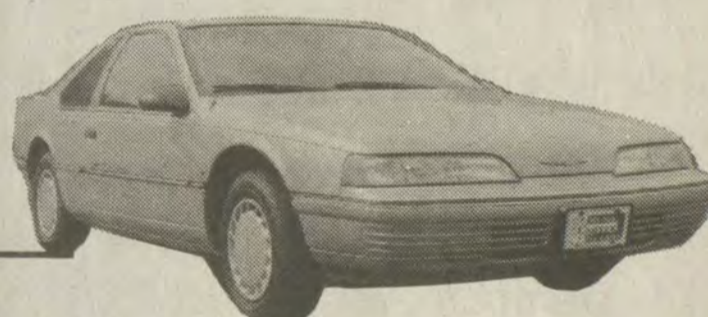
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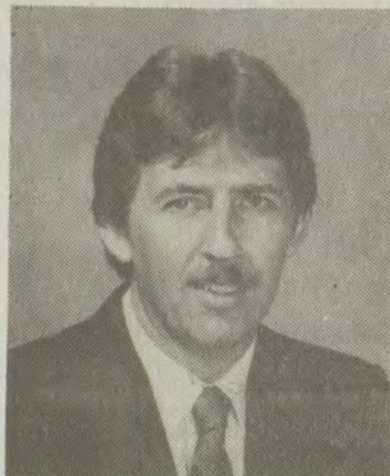


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#3 ON THE BALLOT

In the March 24th, 1993, Floyd County Times, Paul H. Thompson stated he had destroyed over 30 million dollars worth of marijuana, and other illegal drugs. I did not see it destroyed, DID YOU? With so much dope/drugs seized, you would think that Sheriff Thompson has arrested 40 or 50 illegal drug dealers, and used all that dope as evidence to get those illegal drug offenders convicted and sent to prison; but as I look back through the news, I can only find one person that was arrested and convicted and sent to prison for selling illegal drugs/dope since you took office, Sheriff Thompson. That was your very own deputy, Larry Newsome, and even that one was not arrested by you or your department. Why did you not have him arrested? Were you turning your head, like John Blackburn said he did for over seven years when he was chief?

REMEMBER, PEOPLE, that same deputy Larry Newsome worked several years under John K. Blackburn; also, I wonder how many school kids came into contact with some of the dope Deputy Newsome sold.

When Sheriff Thompson's Deputy Larry Newsome was arrested by the F.B.I. for selling illegal drugs, in the June 17th 1991 Floyd County Times it reads: F.B.I. agent Sam Smith said, however, that the investigation is continuing.

I wonder who else they were investigating; we all have a good idea, don't we? The case is still open as far as I know.

I don't have signs everywhere or those huge bill-boards, yard signs, caps, fly flaps, etc. etc. I know they look impressive but they also cost a lot of money. I DON'T HAVE THE DOPE DEALERS MONEY. If we are going to elect our officials of the money and by the money, then why do we even have elections, just sell our official offices to the highest bidder, which will be illegal drug dealers. They got the money and did not sweat and toil for it, so they don't care to spend it, or support a candidate that they can control and will turn his head so the illegal drug offenders can continue to sell their dope and ruin the lives of our kids and loved ones.

It has taken Sheriff Thompson two elections to get elected. How much money have you spent Sheriff, \$250,000 or \$300,000? The Sheriff's salary is approximately \$35,000 each year; after four years that totals \$140,000? Why would anyone work four years and still lose \$160,000? There are no legal ways a sheriff can make that much money back; he could turn his head for the illegal dope dealers and make a lot of money.

My opponents think the people in Floyd County are stupid. I DON'T THINK SO. We know when something stinks and something sure stinks here.

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Preventative medicine

PCC President Dr. Deborah L. Floyd (left) discussed the college's proposed health center with Jim Norton, Dr. Wayne Meyers and Dr. Emery Wilson. Also pictured is Robert R. Allen.

Officials from UK College of Medicine visit PCC

On Tuesday, March 30, Dr. Emery Wilson, Dean of the University of Kentucky College of Medicine, Jim Norton, program administrator for Area Health Education, and Dr. Wayne Meyers, director of the UK Rural Health Center, visited Prestonsburg Community College at President Deborah L. Floyd's invitation.

The visitors were on campus to explore opportunities for Prestonsburg Community College and UK College of Medicine to work more closely together in health, fitness and wellness programs.

After a tour of the Campbell Science Building and the Big Sandy Natural Science Center, the group met with high school students, college students, and employees in the PCC Fitness Center.

The next day the group met with area dentists, physicians and other members of the health community to discuss aspects of the college's proposed rural health initiatives. In a concept paper entitled Project Health, the college is proposing a Regional

Center for Health Education and Wellness as one of the projects in its STAR (Strategic Advancement for Results) development program.

Among the initiatives in this proposal are the following: wellness and health programming; curriculum expansion in health related careers; a student health clinic; community based health, education, and wellness programming; telecommunications in medicine (Telemedia) and distance learning from the college of medicine.

These groups were all discussing ways in which to cooperate and collaborate on aspects of preventative medicine.

Dr. Floyd had met with officials of the College of Medicine in Lexington previously to talk about the need for their assistance in the development of a Rural Center for Health Education and Wellness. Dr. Wilson, Jim Norton, and Dr. Wayne Meyers all came at her request to explore the possibilities for partnership.

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Lottery players win Jackpot, Bingo prizes

For the month of March, lottery players have claimed over \$66,301 in lottery prizes. Lottery players must claim a prize over \$600 at a lottery regional office, lottery headquarters, or an authorized cashing agent. Prizes under \$600 can be cashed at any lottery retailer.

Winners reported for the Southeastern Region March 1 through March 31, are as follows:

Ramona Hall of Blue River, \$500, Bingo; Brenda Davis of Pikeville, \$721, Lotto KY; Juanita Adkins of Shelbiana, \$610, Lotto KY; Larry Wheeler of Pikeville, \$610, Lotto KY; Paul Miller of Steele, \$10,000, Bingo; Stacey Blackburn of West Liberty, \$1000, Coal Hard Cash; Earl Ritz of Van Lear, \$1000, Bingo; Candy Young of Allen, \$991, Lotto KY; Tina Williams of Dwayne, \$500, Couch Potato; Billy McCray of Phelps, \$5000, Powerball; Johnnie Morgan, Jr. of Stinnett, \$1181, Lotto KY; Sheila Ratliff of Honaker, \$1000, Break Fort Knox; Laverne Sexton of Martin, \$1000, Jackpot; Beulah Conn of Martin, \$400, Pick 3; Carol Wells of Van Lear, \$600, Pick 3; Madeline Ratliff of Shelbiana, \$1058, Lotto KY; Phyllis Yokum of Pikeville, \$1000, Bingo; Denise May of Martin, \$600, Pick 3; Columbus Hall of Pippa Passes, \$2000, Magic Money; Brenda Castle of Nippa, \$600, Pick 3; Juanita Rigby of Keaton, \$1000, Lucky Spin; Shirley Caudill of Melvin, \$500, Bingo; Peggy Brown of Van Lear, \$700,

Pick 3; Sandra Robbins of Evarts, \$1000, Bingo; Thomas Shehee of Jenkins, \$1000, Cash Surprise; Shelby Morgan of Hazard, \$1000, Lucky Spin; Charles Schultz of Middlesboro, \$1000, Bingo; Betty West of Murfreesboro, TN, \$1000, Lucky Spin; Brenda Luckadoo of Harroгат, TN, \$1000, Lucky Spin; Dianna Dukes of Pineville, \$1000, Bingo; Sheldene Rose of Woodbine, \$1000, Cash Surprise; Caroline Vaughn of London, \$1000, Coal Hard Cash; Steve Ascher of Corbin, \$1000, 3 Card Cash; James Partin of Corbin, \$1000, Bingo; Wilma McKeehan of Corbin, \$1000, Bingo; Herald Nickles of Pinetop, \$1000, Jackpot; Mollie Cox of Jellico, TN, \$1000, Bingo; Joe Whittikar of Whitesburg, \$1400, Pick 3; Henry Partin of Pineville, \$610, Lotto KY; Roy Northern of Knoxville, TN, \$610, Lotto KY; J.P. Orick of Middlesboro, \$721, Lotto KY; Luther Johnson of Danridge, TN, \$610, Lotto KY; Bobby Haum of Bybee, TN, \$1028, Lotto KY; Pleaz Davidson of Oneida, \$610, Lotto KY; Richard Greene of Seymour, \$610, Lotto KY; Douglas Pace of Jamestown, \$1900, Pick 3; Lisa Perkins of Slemp, \$1061, Lotto KY; Billie Combs of Bulin, \$2000, The Pick; Dewey Bentley of Mallie, \$2000, The Pick; Brenda Moses of Wallins, \$1058, Lotto KY; Laurence Foister of London, \$1181, Lotto KY; Tom Stidham, Jr. of Chavies, \$670, Lotto KY; Roy Knoble of Chavies, \$1600, Pick 3.

World AIDS cases

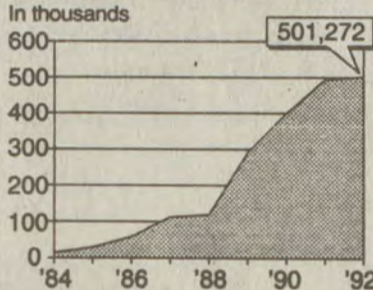
The number of reported AIDS cases is dramatically lower than the estimates because of under reporting, delays in reporting and under diagnosis.

Estimated AIDS and HIV cases

AIDS 2 million
HIV infections 9-11 million

Reported AIDS cases

Cumulative number of cases reported to the World Health Organization as of March 1992:



Total number of cases by continent, 1992:

Americas	277,000
Africa	150,000
Europe	67,000
Oceania	3,700
Asia	1,600

SOURCE: World Health Organization

Elect

Roger Webb

Floyd County Jailer


No. 4 on the Ballot

Citizens of Floyd County

Floyd County is on the threshold of having a new, modern jail. I ask you to think very seriously about who you elect as your next jailer. We need someone who is qualified and responsible.

Having attended Eastern Kentucky University, and being a former Kentucky State Police officer, I feel I am qualified to be your jailer.

If elected, I promise to be an honest and dedicated jailer for Floyd County.



Paid for by Roger Webb, H.C. 68, Box 207, Prestonsburg

LEE FRAZIER

Democrat for District 2 MAGISTRATE

#4 on the Ballot

Over the last few months I have traveled throughout the county and listened to your concerns about our county. Most of you have told me that your biggest concern is jobs. Like you, I believe that we need jobs, jobs, and more jobs. With over 30% of our families, friends, and neighbors living in poverty, we need a magistrate that will address this problem. Any one of the candidates can wave to you from on top the county grader, but we need someone that will work toward finding answers to these problems. If I am elected, I promise to make this my primary concern.

Some of you have said that roads should be our number one concern. I agree that we need to improve our roads, but if you had a six-lane road going to your house and no job, how would this help your family? Would it pay your rent, car payment, or put food on your table? The more people we have working, the more money we have to spend on improving our roads, water, sewer, and Volunteer Fire Departments.

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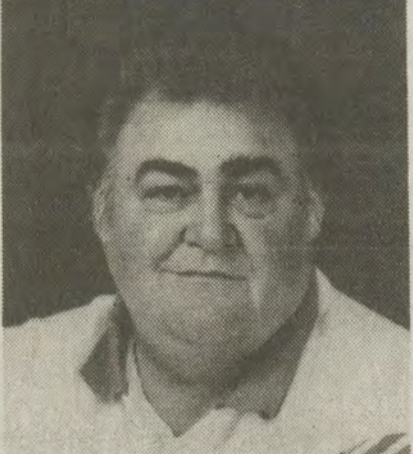
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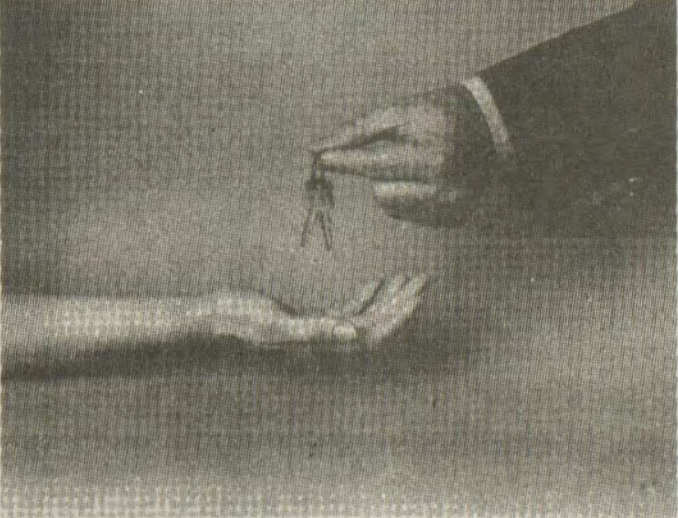
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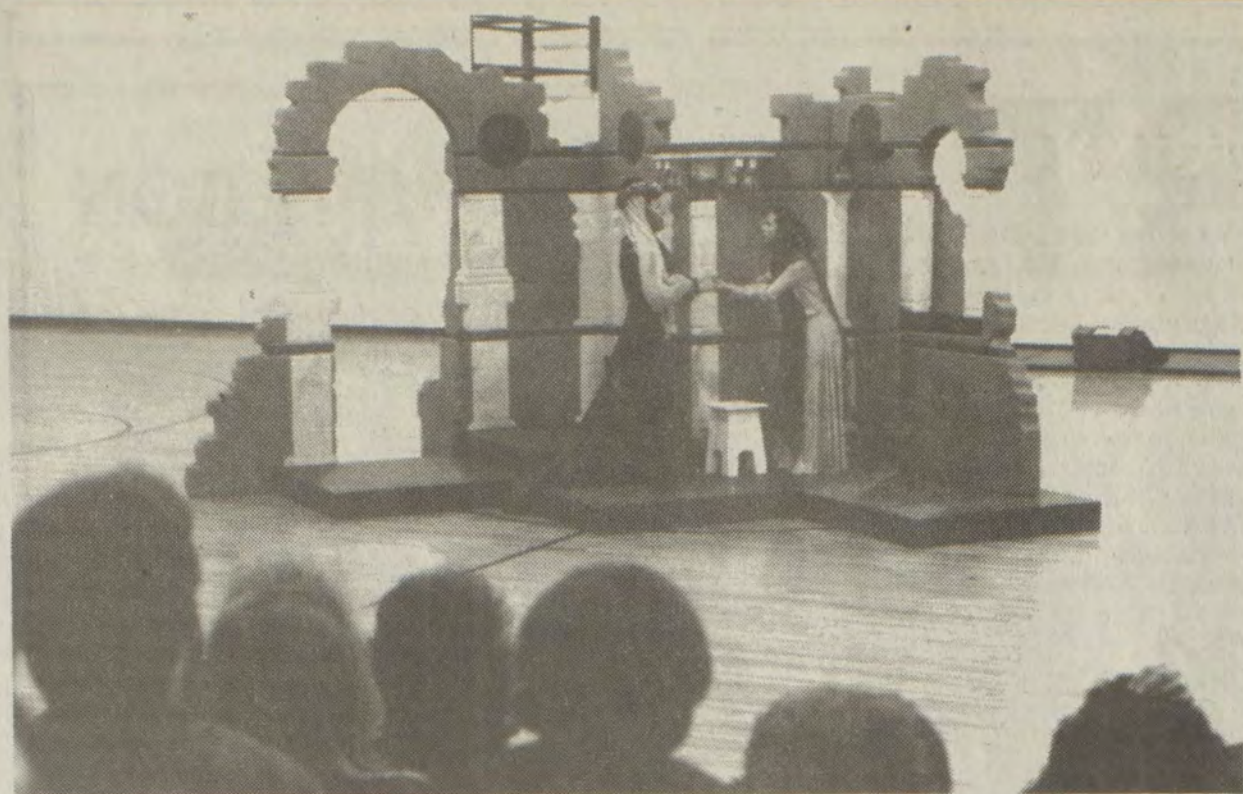
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Romeo and Juliet

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Parents can help obtain school equipment

To prepare today's students for the 21st century, they need exciting and motivating tools that will help them make the most of time spent in the classroom. However, as spending cuts are forcing schools across the country to reduce their budgets, it is becoming increasingly difficult to provide students with the best available study aids.

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Floyd trombonist to perform at Marshall College

The final concert of the Montclair String Quartet Series for the 1992-93 season will begin at 8 p.m. April 21 in Marshall University's Smith Recital Hall.

Joining the quartet will be two Marshall University graduate students: Branita Holbrook, soprano, will perform Virgil Thomson's "Stabat Mater" and Gary Clark, trombonist, will perform Vincent Persichetti's "Suite for trombone, viola and cello."

Clark, a native of Floyd County, received undergraduate training at Cincinnati Conservatory. He is the son of James D. and Anna S. Clark of Harold.

Holbrook, a native of Alum Creek, W.Va., graduated from Duval High School and received a bachelor of fine arts degree from Marshall University.

Also featured on the program will be "Haydn's Quartet, Op.71, No.2 in D Major," "Bartok's Quartet No.3" and "Dvorak's Quartet, Op.51, No.10 in E-flat Major."

Admission is \$8 adults, \$5 MU teachers, staff and public schoolteachers, \$2 students and free with MU student ID. Tickets are available only at the door. For more information, call the MU Music Department at (304) 696-3117.

ues until May 31, 1993. All U.S. public, private and parochial schools with any grades K-12 (plus pre-schools) are eligible to participate in the Educate America program.

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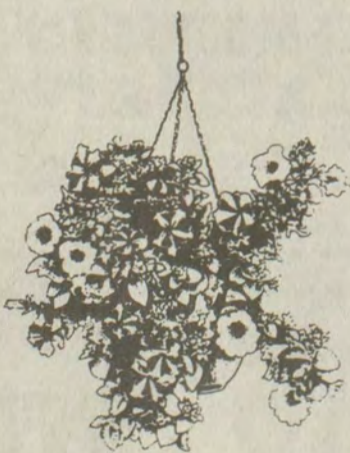
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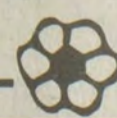


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A Look At Sports
by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

HOPEFULLY THEY WILL RECONSIDER...

That is board members in their attempt to eliminate the job of Floyd County Athletic Director. The case is simply this. The board members have voted to do away with the position of Athletic Director here in the county as of July 1.

The responsibility of overseeing all athletics in the county after that date will lie with a committee made up of the district coaches.

The committee is suppose to consist of one person from the four major sports (basketball, football and baseball). Plus, the grade schools are to have a representative also.

I certainly hope that our board members along with Dr. Steven Towler will take a closer look at what they are proposing to do.

They need to think of all the confusion that is going to be created by such a move. Daily problems are going to surface in some form or another and can a committee meet every day to solve those problems? I think not!

Some of the coaches that I have spoken to are not too keen on the idea. They don't like the thought of a committee. They feel there are too many already.

Floyd County continues to get away from what once made it the strongest athletic program in the region. We are continuing to down grade our programs and it is the kids that are going to suffer because someone wants to change things.

I don't know what brought on the idea in the first place but it certainly won't work. And because it won't work, it is time for our board members to change something else — their minds. Floyd County deserves an athletic director the same as all the surrounding counties.

If this goes through, we will be the only county that does not have a director or coordinator. Floyd County needs someone, a single person who will coordinate the athletics in our county. Why do we have to be different than the others?

What committee wants to be constantly on the telephone explaining rules and regulations to upset parents? What head of a committee wants to have to answer for problems that come up concerning cheerleading in our county?

Our coaches have more important things to do than to be meeting all the time trying to solve some of the petty problems that will pop up. They need to be building a championship team.

Board members please reconsider the matter!

GOOD TO SEE JAMIE DOING WELL...

Jamie Ratcliff had to miss the first part of the softball season because of knee surgery but I saw Jamie at the softball field and she says that she is doing well and may be able to return to playing sooner than she had expected.

She seemed to be in good spirits (must have been the hamburger she was eating). She is a super person and we hope that she is on the diamond real soon.

WHAT A BUSY WEEK-END...

The Hillbilly Classic kept me busy last Thursday, Friday and all day Saturday. I took in 17 baseball games and, except for the cold weather, I certainly enjoyed it.

The hot chocolate was very good and it was a big seller at the tournament.

Congratulations go to the Betsy Layne Bobcats for winning the classic and the Lady Blackcats of Prestonsburg for bringing home the championship in the women's softball division.

Pikeville head baseball coach Dave Thomas had a different format for the tournament this year and I liked it. It was good competition all the way.

Two no-hitters were thrown and several games went into extra

(See A Look At Sports, B7)

Despite anemic bats....

Betsy Layne wins Hillbilly Classic in 2-0 win over Tigers

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

The weather was anything but baseball weather as the annual Hillbilly Days Classic high school baseball tournament finished this past Saturday night as Betsy Layne and Paintsville emerged from their respective divisions as the top two teams.

Betsy Layne scored two runs in the bottom of the third inning and Shannon Newsome made it hold up for a 2-0 shutout of the Tigers and the tournament's championship.

The game did not get underway until 10:30 p.m. Saturday night and the temperatures had fans bringing out the blankets and gulping down coffee and hot chocolate.

Betsy Layne finished the tournament with a sparkling 3-1 record as fans were treated to some exciting baseball.

Brent Holbrook started on the mound for the Tigers and was very impressive as he fanned four of the first six batters he faced.

Betsy Layne's two runs in the bottom of the third were not the doing of Hamilton as second baseman Morgan Cyrus slipped in an attempt to catch the pop fly off the bat of Chris Potter. The ball landed fair for the only hit that Betsy Layne would collect off Hamilton.

But the base hit proved to be what the Bobcats needed as their bats were silent for most of the tournament. Coach Junior Newsome was ready to accept anything that his team could put together.

Greg Hunter, the designated hitter, led off the third by working Hamilton for a walk. With Derrick Newsome at the plate, Newsome squared to bunt with Hunter breaking for second. The ball landed in front of home plate where the alert Tigers catcher, Mike Peters, fielded the ball and threw a strike to second to force the sliding Hunter.

With Newsome on second after stealing a base, Potter lofted a pop fly in the infield between first and second. Cyrus lost his footing and fell to the ground. The ball landed in front of him and Newsome moved to third on the hit. Leadoff batter Barry Collins then drove the ball to deep center where Ashley Blanton hauled in the long drive but Newsome tagged and scored on the play. Potter, who had stolen second, went to third after the catch and scored when the ball got away from third baseman P.D. Kincheloe.

Newsome pitched a brilliant game for the Bobcats. His good pitch location kept Paintsville off stride. He retired the first eight batters he faced until Peters singled with two out in the third.

A double play and a great running catch by Collins in center field kept the Tigers at bay in the fourth after they put their leadoff batter on.

After Betsy Layne went out in order in their half of the fourth, Potter turned in some sparkling fielding in

the fifth.

Cyrus led off the Tigers fifth with a line drive that was heading to left center. Potter leaped high and to his right to spear the baseball.

Hamilton then singled up the middle but Craig Ratliff bounced to Potter at short who tossed to second baseman Derrick Newsome for the force. An interference call on the sliding Hamilton resulted in Ratliff being called out at first for the double

play.

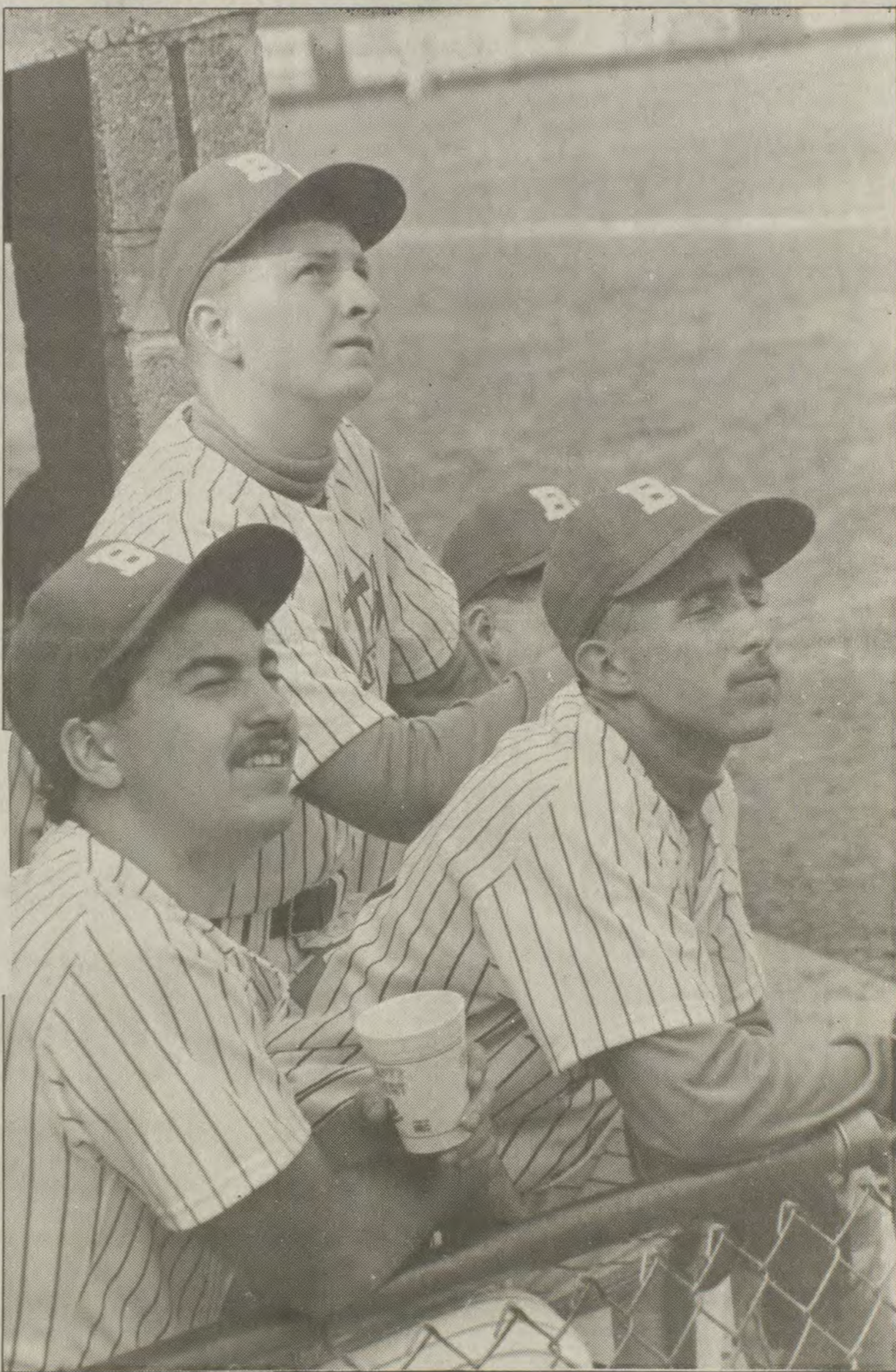
Newsome gave up a leadoff walk to Peters in the sixth but got designated hitter John Holbrook on a long drive to left and Don Montgomery on a fly to centerfield. Byron Dixon ended the inning by grounding to Newsome at second.

Kincheloe reached first on a one-out error by Potter at short in the seventh inning, stole second and moved to third on a wild pitch but he

was left stranded as Morgan grounded weakly back to the pitcher and Newsome struck out Hamilton to end the game.

Newsome, in picking up the win, went the distance for Betsy Layne and allowed only two hits in shutting out Paintsville. He faced 25 batters in the game with two strikeouts and two walks.

(See Betsy Layne, B 4)



"Look, up in the sky..."

While rain drops fell and the weather was cool, the Betsy Layne Bobcats were a group of happy campers as their team won the Hillbilly Days Classic over Paintsville Saturday evening 2-0. Betsy Layne finished the tournament with a 3-1 record. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Reffitt's grand slam helps Prestonsburg slam door on Pikeville in Classic, 12-11

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Coach Bridget Clay's Prestonsburg Lady Blackcats continue to roll in women's softball as her squad captured the fifth annual Hillbilly Days Classic Softball Tournament last Saturday at Pikeville.

The Lady Blackcats pulled out a 12-11 squeaker over the Lady Panthers in the championship game to run their overall record to 5-3.

Carolyn Reffitt and Amy Reed carried the heavy bats for Prestonsburg in the title game.

After Prestonsburg took a 1-0 lead in the first inning, Pikeville came back to push home seven runs in the third for a 7-1 game.

Prestonsburg wasn't ready to ad-

mit defeat as they returned with eight of their own in the fourth inning. The big blow was Carolyn Reffitt's grand slam home run.

Stephanie Music led off the Prestonsburg fourth as the first of 11 batters that would parade to the plate. Music tripled and scored on Camille Robinson's base hit.

Kerrie Merion and Raquel Cain collected back-to-back singles to load the bases and Donna Hall walked, forcing Robinson home with a run.

After Deana Lafferty popped out, Misty Price picked up an RBI by drawing a bases-loaded walk, scoring Cain. It was then that Reffitt strolled to the plate and blasted her home run that gave Prestonsburg a 9-7 lead. Reed collected a base hit but Music bounced into a double play to

end the inning.

Pikeville came back to tie the game at 9-9 with a two-run fourth on base hits by Bishop, Boyd and a two run single by Huffman.

Prestonsburg went out in order in the fifth inning but came back with three in the sixth to take a 12-9 lead. Lafferty started the Prestonsburg rally with a one-out base hit. Price hit a slow roller to third that she beat out for an infield hit. Jamie Clay flied out to right but Reffitt lined a base hit to center to load the bases for the Lady Blackcats.

With two out, Reed drilled the ball in the gap and three runs scored as she ended up on third base with a triple.

Pikeville threatened in the bottom of the seventh when Pikeville's first two batters walked. After Boyd

popped out, Huffman grounded into a force play at second. However, McAnallen then grounded a ball up the middle that trickled off of the glove of shortstop Jamie Clay, scoring two runs for a 12-11 game.

The tying and winning runs were stranded at second and third base as Combs grounded to Robinson at second base who flipped to Reed for the final out and the championship.

Prestonsburg took a 1-0 lead in the first on a one-out base hit by Reffitt, a single by Music and a little confusion on a pop fly down the first base line.

Robinson hit the ball off the end of the bat and popped the ball in the air down the first base line. The Betsy (See Prestonsburg, B 5)

Hillbilly Classic...

Paintsville scores five in first; defeats Prestonsburg, 6-5

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

The Paintsville Tigers scored five times in the first inning against a startled Sean Damron and held off a comeback attempt from the Prestonsburg Blackcats in their 6-5 win.

The two clubs met in the Hillbilly Day Classic Friday evening, marking the first time the two schools have met in any sport since the brawl last year at Paintsville during basketball season.

Damron got off to a rocky start in the first as he gave up five runs on four hits but the Tigers found him tough after the first inning.

Paintsville pushed across the winning run in the bottom of the seventh inning when two were out. Jimmy Frazier lined a base hit down the left field line that tailed away from left fielder Cory Reitz. Reitz slipped as he fielded the ball and Blanton, who was safe on a one out error at short, scored the winning run.

A one-out walk to Morgan Cyrus opened things up for Paintsville in the first as Don Montgomery drove the baseball deep to right center for a triple and an RBI. Montgomery scored when Byron Dixon hit Damron's first pitch for a single. Ashley Blanton bounced out to third baseman Seth Hyden. On the next ground ball to third, P.D. Kincheloe was safe on Hyden's error, putting runners on second and third. Craig Ratliff then roped a two-run double, scoring Dixon and Kincheloe to make it 4-0. The fifth run scored on Frazier's base hit.

Damron only allowed three hits over the next five innings. Meanwhile, Prestonsburg chipped away at the 5-0 lead.

The Blackcats scored three times in the third with the help of two Paintsville errors. Brian Horn's ground ball leading off the third found its way through the legs of third baseman Frazier. Reitz went to the opposite field for a base hit and both runners moved up when Jason Crisp laid down a bunt.

Robbie Risner picked up an RBI when Ryan Ortega, who was running for Horn, scored on his ground ball to shortstop. Damron then dropped a

bloop single into centerfield, scoring Reitz. Damron scored on an throwing error by third baseman P.D. Kincheloe.

Paintsville put two runners on against Damron in the fourth inning but was unable to score as both were left stranded.

Prestonsburg caught the Tigers in the fifth when, with two outs, Aaron Tucker was hit by a pitch. Anthony Howell drilled a long drive to left center for a run scoring triple. He came in to score when the throw from the outfield was missed by the cut off man.

Both teams went out in order in their half of the sixth and Prestonsburg put their leadoff batter on when Crisp singled to open the frame. Crisp was cut down by Mike Peters while attempting to steal second. Risner fanned and Damron collected his second hit of the game. Tucker popped out to second to end the inning.

Morgan Cyrus picked up the win, going all the way for Paintsville. Cyrus allowed all five runs on six hits. He struck out nine and did not walk a batter.

Damron, who certainly pitched well enough to win outside the first inning, took the loss in going the seven innings for Prestonsburg. Damron faced 35 batters, striking out four. He issued three walks and gave up seven hits.

Prestonsburg fell to 5-3 on the season.

Paintsville				Prestonsburg					
players	ab	r	h	rbt	players	ab	r	h	rbt
Holbrook dh	3	0	1	0	Crisp cf	3	0	1	0
Hamilton 2b	0	0	0	0	Risner ss	4	0	0	0
Cyrus p	3	1	0	0	Damron p	4	1	2	1
Montgomery rf	4	1	1	1	Tucker c	2	1	0	0
Dixon lf	4	1	1	1	Howell rf	3	1	1	1
Blanton cf	3	1	0	0	Ratliff 2b	3	0	0	0
Kincheloe 3b	4	1	2	0	Hyden 3b	3	0	0	0
Ratliff 1b	2	1	1	1	Horn 1b	3	1	0	0
Hill 1b	2	0	0	0	Reitz lf	3	1	2	0
Frazier ss	4	0	2	1	Peters c	3	0	1	0

Prestonsburg...0030200 5 6 2
Paintsville.....5000001 8 8 5
LOB - Prestonsburg 5, Paintsville 8
LOB - Montgomery, Howell 2B - Ratliff WP - Ratliff LP - Damron SB - Holbrook Errors - Hyden (2), Kincheloe, Frazier Umpires: HP - Dale Conn Bases - Jimmy Blankenship

Lowe tosses no-hitter as....

Blackcats fall in 10-0 mercy game

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

The Williamson, W. Va. Wolfpack scored eight runs in the bottom of the fifth inning to post a 10-0 mercy win over the Prestonsburg Blackcats in the Hillbilly Days Classic at Pikeville Saturday evening.

Brian Lowe tossed a no-hitter for the Wolfpack as they won for the second time in the tournament.

Lowe fanned 10 Blackcat batters in football weather temperatures. Lowe faced only 18 batters in the five-inning game.

Cory Reitz started on the hill for Prestonsburg and was effective through the first four innings, holding Williamson to two runs. Reitz suffered the setback.

Reitz ran into some trouble as his defense crumbled behind him in the

fifth. Designated hitter Mike Henson hit a shot to third baseman Seth Hyden who missed the grounder for an error. Steve Watson singled and Adam Estep also grounded to third and the ball was again misplayed to load the bases with no one out.

Phillip Watson got a scratch hit sending home Henson, leaving the bases loaded.

Aaron Tucker came to the mound to relieve Reitz and was greeted by a sacrifice fly off the bat of Jason Catler. Tucker could not retire anyone else in the inning as Williamson sent 12 batters to the plate and scored eight times.

Williamson took a 2-0 lead in the third inning off Reitz. A leadoff walk to Shawn Adkins and Joey Jewell's long double to right center scored the

first run. Jewel scored on Watson's two out single.

Reitz retired the next seven batters he faced before running into trouble in the fifth.

Lowe came up two batters short of a perfect game by walking two batters. He gave up a leadoff walk to Hyden in the third inning and walked Sean Damron with one out in the fourth. Hyden stole second and third to be the only runner to reach third base.

Lowe struck out the side in the first and got the side in order in the second for six consecutive batters retired. After walking Hyden leading off the third, Lowe fanned Reitz, Brian Horn and Jason Crisp to end the inning.

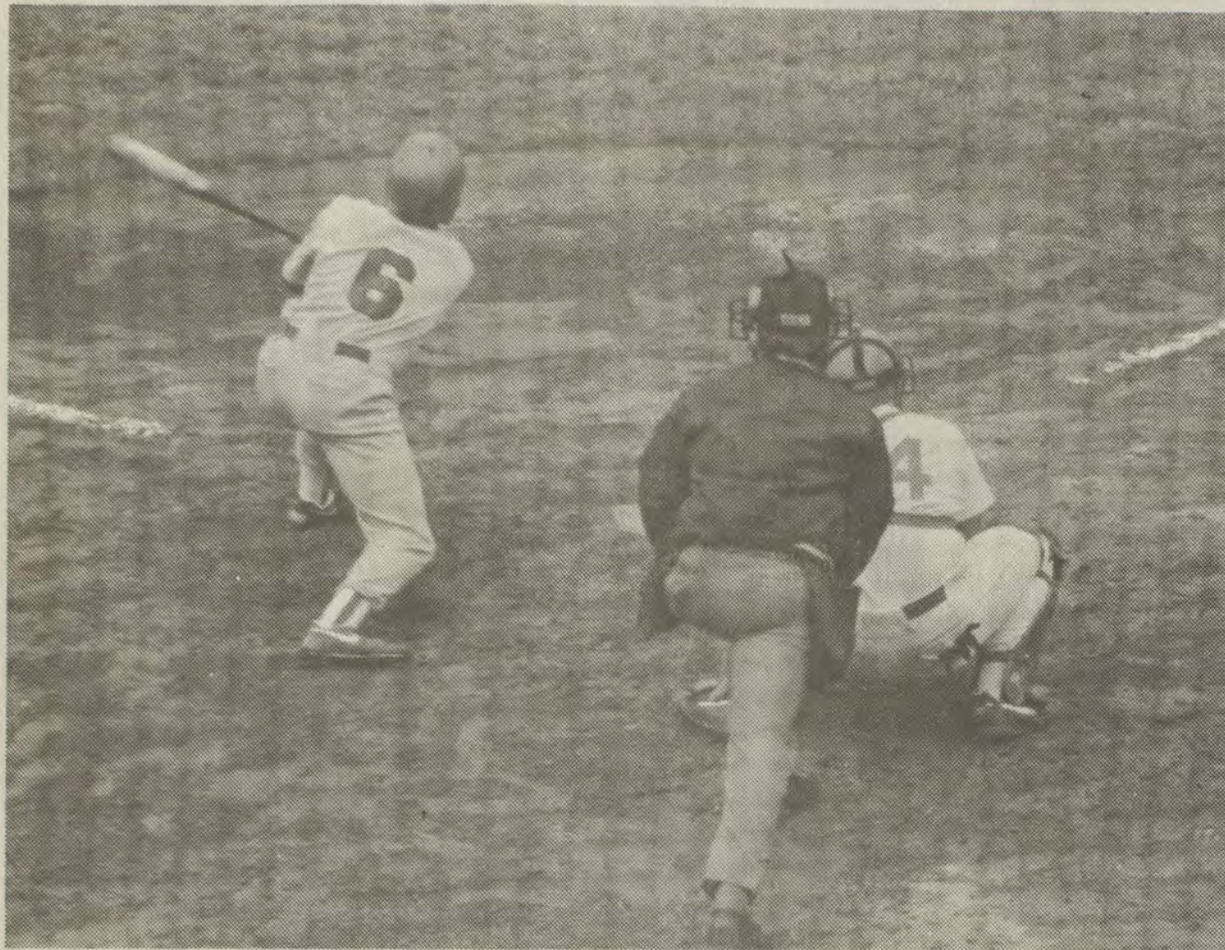
The 10-run rule took effect when Estep hit a sacrifice fly to right field,

plating Nathan Bevins, who had doubled home two runs earlier.

Prestonsburg (5-4) will face Pikeville tonight at Pikeville. The Blackcats will host McDowell in a doubleheader tomorrow night.

Prestonsburg				Williamson					
players	ab	r	h	rbi	players	ab	r	h	rbi
Crisp	2	0	0	0	Estep	3	1	0	0
Risner	2	0	0	0	Watson, P	3	1	1	1
Damron	1	0	0	0	Catler	1	0	0	1
Tucker	2	0	0	0	Lowe	3	1	1	1
Howell	2	0	0	0	Adkins	2	2	1	1
Ratliff	2	0	0	0	Jewell	2	2	1	1
Hyden	1	0	0	0	Bevins	3	1	1	2
Reitz	2	0	0	0	Henson	3	1	1	1
Horn	2	0	0	0	Watson, S	2	1	2	1

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2B - Jewell, Adkins, Bevins LOB - Prestonsburg, 3
Williamson, 4 SF - Estep WP - Brian Lowe LP - Cory Reitz



A big swing!

Prestonsburg's Sean Damron takes a big cut at a pitch from a Paintsville pitcher. Damron started on the mound for the Blackcats and allowed five runs in the first inning. Prestonsburg came back to tie the game but fell 6-5. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Paintsville Tigers scratch out 3-1 win over Allen Central in Classic

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

The Paintsville Tigers and Allen Central Rebels hooked up in a good old fashioned high school baseball game Saturday in the fifth annual Hillbilly Days Classic at Pikeville. The game highlighted good defense and good pitching on both sides.

While the offense was quiet for both sides, the defense was the talk of the game. Rebel third baseman Arlen Shelton turned in two outstanding plays at third and Jason Martin kept the Tigers off stride by mixing up his pitches. He picked one runner off first.

Allen Central took advantage of an error on third baseman P.D. Kincheloe and turned it into a run to go ahead 1-0 in the top of the first.

After Kevin Allen led the game off striking out, Jeremy Hall walked and stole second. With two out, Glenn Floyd hit a hot shot to third and Kincheloe booted the ball, allowing it to roll into short left field. Hall scored on the play for the 1-0 lead.

Paintsville tied the game in their half of the first on a leadoff triple by John Holbrook. The ball was a gapper between right and center, rolling to the wall. Don Montgomery then hit a sacrifice fly to center, scoring Holbrook. Martin then retired the side with Paintsville leaving one runner on base.

After the Rebels went out in order against Craig Ratliff, Paintsville had to endure the play of Shelton at third base. Morgan Cyrus led off and hit a shot down the third base line that Sheldon backhanded, throwing to first where first baseman Kevin Martin made an excellent pickup of the low throw to nail Cyrus.

Hamilton singled and moved to second when Martin's pickoff attempt went past Martin at first. Jimmy Frazier then decided to try Shelton at third. He rocketed one down the third base line only to watch Shelton make another good play, throwing out Frazier. Hamilton was left stranded when Martin struck out Mike Peters.

Hamilton had retired seven Rebels in a row until Floyd collected their first base hit in the fourth inning. Floyd singled with one out, stole sec-

ond and advanced to third on a wild pitch. After Jason Martin walked, Hamilton got Shelton and Roy John Martin on strikes to end the threat.

Paintsville snapped the 1-1 tie with a run in the bottom of the third. Martin walked Holbrook to open the third and then got Montgomery to pop to short and Dixon to ground out to second. Martin walked Blanton with Holbrook scoring on Kincheloe's RBI single.

It was 3-1 after Paintsville batted in the fifth. Dixon walked with one out but was forced at second as Blanton bounced back to the pitcher. Blanton moved to third base when Shelton was guilty of a fielding error at third, allowing Blanton to come all the way to third.

A balk was called against Martin, moving both runners up a base with Blanton scoring. Martin struck out Cyrus to end the inning.

The Rebels put two runners on in the sixth when Jeremy Hall led off with a single, only his second hit of the year. Hall was then picked off first for the first out. After Frank Martin struck out for the third straight time, Floyd doubled to right center but was left stranded when Jason Martin fanned.

Allen Central put one runner on in the top of the seventh but could not get him around.

Martin went six innings for Allen Central in absorbing the defeat. He allowed just three hits to the Tigers in giving up three runs. The Rebels committed two errors behind Martin.

Ratliff got credit for the win, going the distance for Charlie Adkins' ball club. Ratliff gave up one run in scattering three hits. He struck out a tournament high 16 batters and walked two.

Paintsville stranded five runners and Allen Central left seven on base.

Allen Central (2-5) travels to Wheelwright tonight and Magoffin County Thursday evening.

Paintsville				Allen Central					
players	ab	r	h	rbi	players	ab	r	h	rbi
Holbrook	2	2	1	0	Allen	3	0	0	0
Ratliff	0	0	0	0	Hall	2	1	1	0
Montgomery	2	0	0	1	F. Martin	3	0	0	0
Dixon	2	0	0	0	Floyd	3	0	2	0
Blanton	2	1	0	0	J. Martin	2	0	0	0
Kincheloe	3	0	1	1	Shelton	3	0	0	0
Cyrus	3	0	0	0	Martin, R.	3	0	0	0
Hamilton	2	0	1	0	K. Martin	3	0	0	0
Frazier	3	0	0	0	Cathers	3	0	0	0
Peters	3	0	0	0					

Central.....1 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 2
Pville.....1 0 1 0 1 0 x 3 3 1
LOB - Paintsville, 7 Allen Central 5 2B - Floyd 3B -
Holbrook SF - Montgomery JWP - Ratliff LP - J. Martin



A little late!

Betsy Layne's third baseman Shannon Newsome puts the tag on a Belfry runner in the opening game of the Hillbilly Days Classic Thursday evening at Pikeville. The throw to third was a little late. Betsy Layne won 2-1 in 10 innings. (photo by Ed Taylor)

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Kentucky Rifles to hold tryouts at Hambley Field

by Noel Crum
Herald sports editor

In the fall of 1991, Bud Bickel had a dream of starting a professional baseball league.

That dream will become a reality in two months when the Frontier League begins play.

For Paintsville, the new league has brought the opportunity for professional baseball to make its return to the city in the form of the Kentucky Rifles.

Last week, the Rifles selected their coaching staff and made final decisions on team colors, ticket prices, and dates for tryouts.

Pikeville College head coach Roy Cutright was named manager of the new team. Joining Cutright's staff will be Union head coach Wayne Albury and Pikeville assistant Robert Staggs.

Albury will be third base coach while Staggs will hold down the first base coaching duties.

Raymond Ferrell, the Kentucky Rifles general manager, feels that his coaching staff will bring the experience and enthusiasm needed for success on the field.

"I think we have assembled a very knowledgeable coaching staff," said

Ferrell. "They will be very enthusiastic and aggressive in their style of play. Their experience level will help the Rifles in achieving the talent level needed to win."

Ferrell also recently announced that the team colors will be royal blue, black and white.

Season tickets are already on sale for the inaugural season. Box seat season tickets will be \$95 for all 28 games in both Paintsville and Pikeville, and \$50 for just the 14 games to be played at Charlie Adkins Park.

General admission season tickets will be \$70 for both parks and \$37.50 just for the games in Paintsville. At the door, box seats will be \$4 and general admission tickets will be \$3.

Any questions about ticket sales or about becoming a sponsor of the team should be directed to Raymond Ferrell at 432-9904.

Also, Ferrell would like to announce that tryouts for the Rifles will be held at W. C. Hambley Field in Pikeville on May 22.

On June 5, the entire Frontier League will have a tryout at Charlie Adkins Park in Paintsville. The league will then have a tryout camp June 17-19 in Chillicothe, Ohio.

KENTUCKY RIFLES

Frontier League - Eastern Division

Exhibition Season
June 25 at West Virginia
June 26 Tri-State (Paintsville)
June 27 Tri-State (Pikeville)
June 28 Ohio Valley (Paintsville)

Regular Season			
June 30	OHIO VALLEY	Aug. 4	at West Virginia
July 1	OHIO VALLEY	Aug. 5	OHIO VALLEY
July 2	WEST VIRGINIA	Aug. 6	OHIO VALLEY
July 3	WEST VIRGINIA	Aug. 7	at Ohio Valley
July 4	WEST VIRGINIA	Aug. 8	at Ohio Valley
July 5	at Tri-State	Aug. 9	CHILLICOTHE
July 6	at Tri-State	Aug. 10	CHILLICOTHE
July 7	at Tri-State	Aug. 11	at Tri-State (OH)
July 8	at Tri-State	Aug. 12	at West Virginia
July 9	at Zanesville	Aug. 13	at West Virginia
July 10	OHIO VALLEY	Aug. 14	at West Virginia
July 11	OHIO VALLEY	Aug. 15	at West Virginia
July 12	OHIO VALLEY	Aug. 16	at Chillicothe
July 13	at Portsmouth	Aug. 17	at Chillicothe
July 14	at Portsmouth	Aug. 18	OHIO VALLEY
July 15	at Portsmouth	Aug. 19	TRI-STATE
July 16	at Portsmouth	Aug. 20	TRI-STATE
July 17	at Portsmouth	Aug. 21	at Tri-State
July 18	at Portsmouth	Aug. 22	at Tri-State
July 19	at Portsmouth	Aug. 23	WEST VIRGINIA
July 20	at Portsmouth	Aug. 24	WEST VIRGINIA
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Hall's Construction	783
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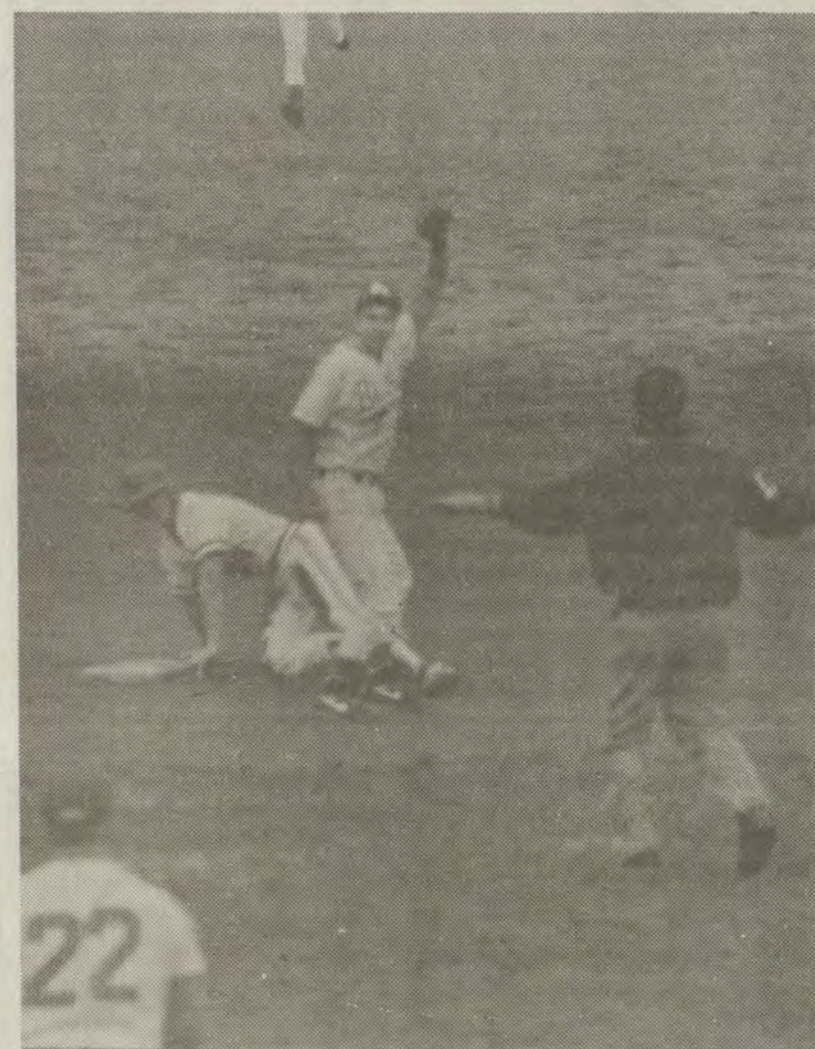


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Betsy Layne's shortstop, Chris Potter, wanted the out call on a close play at second base. But umpire Roy Bogar disagreed and called the Belfry runner safe. The Cats went on to post a 2-1 win over the Pirates in extra innings. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Bassin' with the pros

Earl Bentz
Steve Price

FORMER WORLD CHAMPION JACK CHANCELLOR ANNOUNCES RETIREMENT

One of bass fishing's greatest stars, former world champion Jack Chancellor, recently announced his retirement from active competitive bass fishing.

Chancellor, winner of the 1985 Bass Masters Classic, is credited with almost single-handedly reviving Carolina rig fishing, which today ranks as one of the most popular fishing techniques among tournament pros and weekend anglers alike.

"I'm not retiring completely," laughs Chancellor, a longtime member of the Johnson Outboards' Pro Staff and a well-known lure designer. "I still plan to fish, but now it will be with my grandchildren."

"And, you never know. I'll probably enter an occasional tournament just to renew friendships with the people I've known and fished against for so many years."

Although he is best remembered for his 1985 Classic win on the Arkansas River, Chancellor carved an impressive tournament record during his years of competition. He finished third in the 1981 Classic, and second in 1982.

It was his 1985 victory that helped change the face of bass fishing forever. Although the Carolina rig technique had been started many years earlier, it had lost its popularity. Chancellor used the Carolina rig to win the world championship and in the months that followed, helped explain its versatility.

"I had been experimenting with leader lengths and slip sinker weights for several years on Lake Eufaula in

Alabama," explains the Johnson pro, "and that's how I began using the heavier 3/4 and one ounce sinkers. Everyone else at the time was still using much lighter sinkers."

"After I won the Classic, other fishermen began to recognize the tremendous versatility in locating and catching bass the Carolina rig has, especially with heavier sinkers, and its popularity has continued to grow."

"I didn't invent the technique," says Chancellor, "I simply adapted it to my style of fishing, and other fishermen have taken it from there."

The popularity of the Carolina rig has led to the development of special rods, lures, and sinkers and rare indeed is the fisherman today who doesn't know how to use the method.

One reason Chancellor is retiring is to devote more time to teaching his young grandchildren how to fish. His own fishing career began as a baby when his mother would carry him to a pond in a basket and leave him in the shade while she fished.

"I want to teach them how to enjoy bass fishing the way I have," he says, "as well as teach them some of the tricks I've learned. In a few years, I wouldn't be surprised if there's another Chancellor fishing in the tournaments."

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The sign...the wind...the pitch!

Betsy Layne starting pitcher Barry Clark shows his stuff as he prepares to deliver a pitch in a game against Belfry. Clark worked nine innings of baseball before exiting. Betsy Layne posted a 2-1 win over the Pirates in 10 innings. (photos by Ed Taylor)

Betsy Layne Bobcats drop Belfry Pirates in 10 innings, 2-1

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

High school baseball at its best. The game had everything. Stong pitching, good defense and timely hitting.

It also was very cold and rainy as the Belfry Pirates and Betsy Layne Bobcats opened up the fifth annual Hillbilly Days Classic Tournament Thursday evening.

Shane Hensley pitched nine strong innings before giving way to Peyton Roberts in the tenth. Roberts could not hold the Bobcats as they scored on a bang-bang play at the plate to defeat the Pirates 2-1.

Hensley, after the fourth inning, was at his best as he retired 15 straight batters before giving way to Roberts. Barry Collins' base hit in the fourth inning was the last Bobcat batter to reach against Hensley.

Collins led off the Betsy Layne tenth with a walk on a 3-2 pitch. Roberts kept Collins busy at first base and finally had him picked off but the first baseman could not hold onto the ball. That proved costly as Collins moved to second on a passed ball and later scored the winning run.

Brandon Castle, an eighth grader, singled to left field but the ball was hit too sharply for Collins to score. Derrick Newsome walked to fill the bases.

With Collins standing on third and only one out, Betsy Layne coach Junior Newsome called for the squeeze play with Chris Potter at the plate. Potter attempted the bunt with Collins coming home regardless. The ball in the dirt eluded catcher Kevin Varney and Collins scored the winning run.

Betsy Layne had a chance to get to Hensley earlier but failed to get the hard throwing righthander out of the game.

Hensley showed the only wildness he had in the game when he gave up a leadoff single to Shannon Newsome and issued back-to-back walks to Barry Clark and Shawn Newsome to load the bases.

Hensley did a very good piece of pitching as he got Collins and Scott Ousley on pop outs to short. Brandon Castle, the designated hitter, grounded to second for the third out as Betsy Layne left all three runners stranded.

Belfry took the initial lead when they pushed across a run in the top of the fourth inning. A one-out base hit by Varney and Shane Lockhart's bloop hit to left put runners on first

and second. Clark, who started on the mound for Betsy Layne, was called for a balk moving each runner a base. Clark got Jeff Adkins on strikes but Phillip Fitch lined a base hit to center, scoring Varney. A strong throw from Collins in center and Chris Potter's relay throw to the plate nailed pinch runner Brent Lee for the third out.

The Bobcats tied the game at 1-1 with Shannon Newsome scoring on Collins' RBI single in the bottom of the fourth inning.

Hensley then struck out five of the next six batters he faced keeping Betsy Layne off the base paths.

The Pirates missed a chance to score in their half of the seventh when Jeff Adkins led off with a base hit. Phillip Fitch lofted a fly ball to rightfielder Scott Ousley who made the catch and quickly threw the ball to first to double up Adkins who seemed stunned to be caught unaware.

Betsy Layne went out in order against Hensley and the top of the eighth proved to be exciting.

Hensley tried to help his own cause by leading off with a long triple to right center. The Pirates also got to see some good strong pitching by Clark as he got Denzil Young on a weak grounder to the mound, Mark Carroll on a pop out to short and Roberts on a pop to third.

The consecutive string by Hensley ended when Clark collected a two-out single in the bottom of the ninth inning. However, Clark was left on base after Shawn Newsome struck out.

Collins made the defensive play of the game when he went a long way to haul in Varney's long drive leading off the tenth for Belfry. Clark retired Lockhart on a grounder to short and after Adkins was safe on an error, Fitch groundered to second for the final out.

Clark worked nine strong innings before leaving the game. Derrick Newsome picked up the win in relief, working the tenth inning.

Clark gave up the lone run while scattering eight Belfry hits. He struck out six and walked one.

Newsome hurled a perfect tenth with one strikeout.

Roberts, in getting the loss, went the tenth and gave up one run on one hit. He had two walks and one strikeout.

Hensley's numbers were very impressive with nine innings of work, one run on just three hits. He fanned

nine and walked two. Betsy Layne left seven runners on base as did Belfry. Belfry committed one error.

Belfry				Betsy Layne					
players	ab	r	h	rbi	player	ab	r	h	rbi
Hensley p	5	0	2	0	D. Newsome	4	0	0	0
Young rf	5	0	2	0	Potter ss	4	0	0	0
Carroll ss	3	0	0	0	Kidd c	4	0	0	0
Roberts 1b	4	0	0	0	S. Newsome	4	1	1	0
Varney c	4	1	1	0	Clark p	4	0	1	0
Lockhart cf	4	0	1	0	Meads pr	0	0	0	0
Lee pr	0	0	0	0	S. Newsome	3	0	0	0
Adkins lf	4	0	1	0	Collins cf	3	1	1	1
Carroll pr	0	0	0	0	Ousley rf	4	0	0	0
Fitch 3b	4	0	1	1	Harmon 1b	0	0	0	0
Rollins 2b	0	0	0	0	Castle dh	4	0	1	0
Bostic dh	4	0	0	0					

Belfry.....0001000000 1 8 0
 B.Layne...0001000001 2 3 1
 LOB - Belfry 7, Betsy Layne 7 3B - Hensley WP - D. Newsome LP - Roberts DP - Betsy Layne 1 Umpires: HP - Jason Howell Bases - Roy Bogar



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Betsy Layne

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Hamilton suffered the setback for the Tigers, also going the distance. Hamilton gave up the lone hit to Potter facing 21 batters. He had nine strikeouts and he issued two bases on balls.

Paintsville played errorless baseball while Betsy Layne committed one. The Tigers stranded three base runners and Betsy Layne left one on base.

Newsome had Paintsville hitting the ball in the air. The Bobcats' outfield recorded 10 putouts.

Betsy Layne (12-8) will travel to Johnson Central tonight and will entertain the Shelby Valley Wildcats tomorrow evening at Stumbo Park.

Pville				Betsy Layne					
players	ab	r	h	rbi	player	ab	r	h	rbi
Frazier ss	0	0	0	0	Collins cf	1	0	0	1
Hobbrook dh	2	0	0	0	Ousley rf	3	0	0	0
M'gomey rf	3	0	0	0	Kidd c	3	0	0	0
Dixon lf	2	0	0	0	Clark 1b	2	0	0	0
Blanton cf	3	0	0	0	Newsome p	2	0	0	0
Kirchhoe 3b	3	0	0	0	Newsome lf	2	0	0	0
Cyrus 2b	3	0	0	0	Castle 3b	0	0	0	0
Hamilton p	3	0	1	0	Hurlier dh	1	0	0	0
Ratliff 1b	2	0	0	0	Newsome 2b	1	0	0	0
Peters c	1	0	1	0	Potter ss	2	1	1	0

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 LOB - Paintsville, 3 Betsy Layne, 1 SF - Collins WP - Shannon Newsome LP - Brent Hamilton



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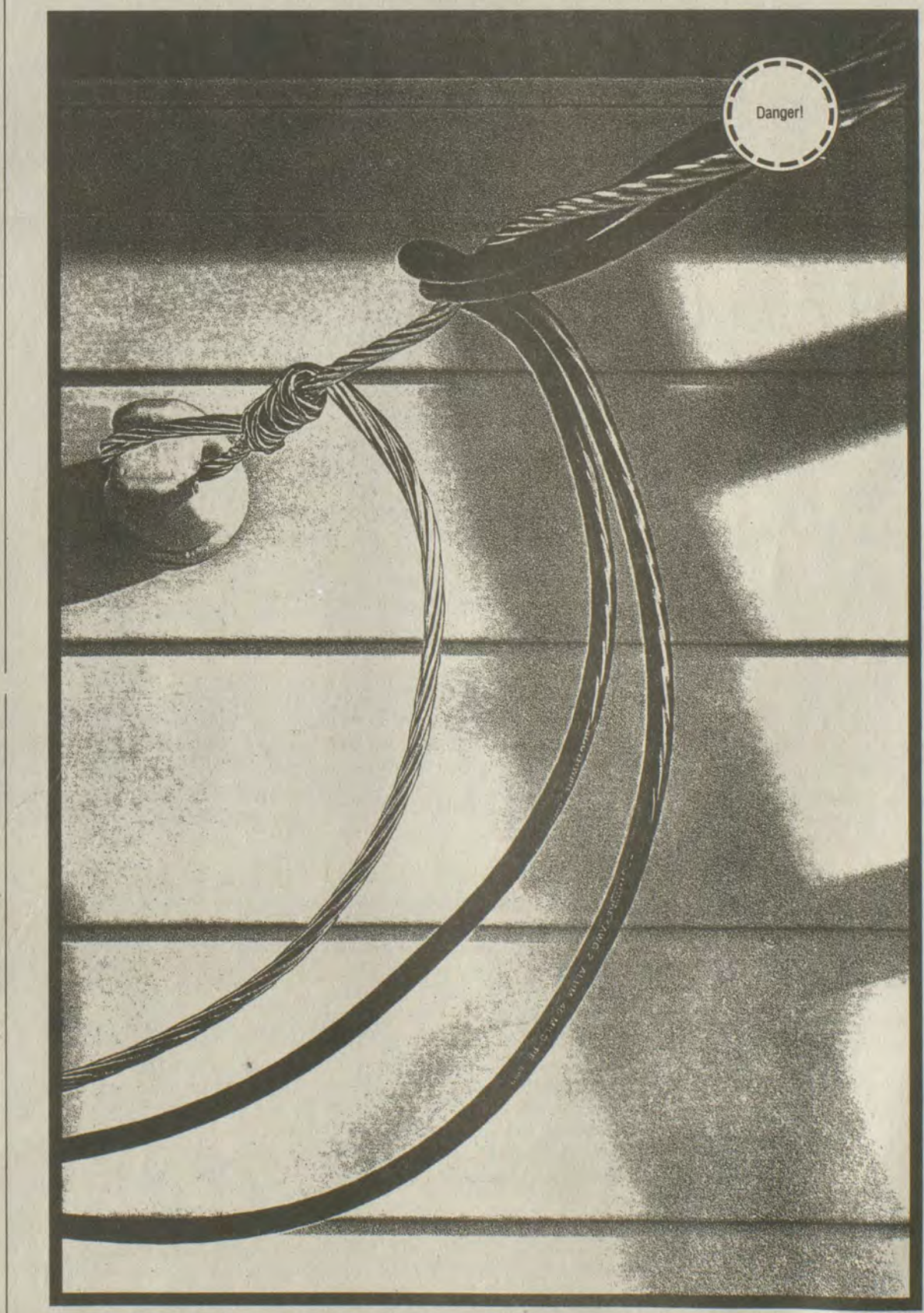
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Prestonsburg Lady Blackcats

Prestonsburg

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Layne catcher and pitcher collided going for the ball and heads up base running by Reed resulted in a run as she scored all the way from second base.

In the first game of the tournament, Prestonsburg rolled past McDowell 20-12 as Reed hit a home run in the fifth inning.

Prestonsburg took a 3-0 lead in the first inning and added three more runs in the second for a 6-0 game.

McDowell cut the lead in half with three runs of their own in the third inning. Four runs scored in the

top of the fourth for the Lady Blackcats as they went up 10-3.

In the Prestonsburg fifth, Misty Price singled and scored on Clay's run producing triple. Reffitt then singled home Clay and Reed blasted her two-run homerun. Prestonsburg added two more runs as Music and Robinson scored to give Prestonsburg a 16-3 lead.

McDowell, a traditionally strong regional team, scored seven times in the bottom of the fifth to narrow the margin to 16-10. Consecutive singles by Nikki Mullins, Lisa Hobson, Lisa

Brown and Missy Shannon got the inning started for the Lady Daredevils.

The Lady Blackcats added four runs in the sixth inning with Clay getting an RBI double in the frame.

McDowell added their final two runs in the seventh with Reynolds and Hamilton scoring.

Prestonsburg (5-3) will travel to Magoffin County tomorrow night (Thursday) for two games. Mullins visits Prestonsburg on Saturday at noon.

Allen Central mercies Mullins Tigers in five innings, 13-3

Chuck Rowe
Sports Writer

The Allen Central Rebels had been struggling early this season as they posted a 2-7 record going into Monday night's match-up with the Mullins Tigers.

Austin Shelton took the mound for the Rebels as he picked up the win but only worked one and one-third innings. Shelton gave up two runs on three hits, one strikeout, three walks and one hits batsman.

Allen Central's Donny Combs relieved Shelton as he pitched three and two-third innings of great baseball as he picked up the save. Combs struck out his first five batters. Combs recorded one run on three hits, 10 strikeouts and two walks.

Mullins' Mullins recorded the loss as he worked only two innings giving up eight runs. Mullins recorded three hits, one strikeout, and four walks.

Howell relieved Mullins in the third inning. Howell allowed five runs on five hits and six walks.

Mullins went on top early as two batters crossed the plate with two outs in the top of the first inning. The Tigers led 2-0.

Allen Central's Kevin Allen led off the bottom of the first inning with a walk. Allen stole second and third with Jeremy Hall at the plate. A Hall single brought Allen home as the Rebels started their comeback. A Frank Martin double sent Hall to third base. Glenn Floyd's grounder to the shortstop drove Hall home as the Rebels tied the game at two.

Jason Martin singled Frank Martin home and an error on the centerfielder allowed Martin to go to second. Austin Shelton drove Martin around to homeplate as his third strike was mishandled by the catcher which allowed him to beat the throw to first.

The Rebels led after the first inning 4-2.

Following a fly out to the centerfielder for the first out of the second inning, Allen Central's Shelton gave up two singles and a walk as the bases were loaded and one out. Combs replaced Shelton on the mound as he struck out the next two Mullins' batters.

Two leadoff walks in the bottom of the second inning resulted in two runs for the Rebels as Kevin Martin and Allen crossed the plate. The Rebels extended their lead out to 6-2.

Allen Central's Combs struck out the three Mullins batters he faced in the top of the third inning.

After a single and two stolen bases by Combs, R.J. Martin reached base on a walk and moved to second on a stolen base. A Ben Moore double drove both runners across the plate as the Rebels extended their lead to 8-2.

After Moore stole third base, Kevin Martin drove Moore in on a single. A Jeremy Hall one-out double drove Martin across the plate as the Rebels led 10-2 after the third inning.

Rodney King reached base on an error and stole second base. A single by Edmonds scored King. Combs struck out the next three batters as Mullins left bases loaded. Rebels led

10-3. The Rebels only had one base runner in the bottom of the fourth inning. A two-out Martin walk was the one runner that got on board for the Rebels.

The Tigers had runners on second and third in the top of the fifth but came away with no runs.


Two singles and a walk resulted in two straight runs in the bottom of the fifth inning. With bases loaded and one out, Combs reached on a walk which scored the run and resulted in the 10-run mercy rule as the Rebels won 13-3.

Mullins		Allen Central	
player	ab r h rbi	player	ab r h rbi
B'Stello	3 0 1 0	Allen cf	1 3 0 0
Roberts	3 0 1 0	Hall ss	3 1 2 2
Edmonds	3 1 3 0	Martin lf	2 1 1 0
Stump	2 1 0 0	Floyd ca	2 0 0 1
Conway	2 0 0 0	Martin 3b	3 1 1 1
Hamilton	2 0 0 0	Shelton p	1 0 0 1
Justice	1 0 0 0	Martin 2b	0 1 0 0
Edmonds	3 0 0 0	Moore rf	3 1 1 2
King	2 1 1 0	Martin 1b	1 2 1 1
		Allen dh	1 1 1 1
		Hicks dh	1 0 0 0
		Hall dh	1 1 1 0

MHS 20 01 0 3 6 4
ACHS 42 40 3 13 9 2

wp-Shelton b-Mullins 2b-Edmonds, Hall, F. Martin, Moore
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An investigation conducted through the Attorney General's office uncovered a fraud operation in Indiana that is placing bogus ads in a number of small papers in surrounding states. Evidently, not only are jobs as state conservation officers being falsely advertised, but jobs with the U.S. Postal Service and a variety of others as well. Shortly after the investigation, the ads stopped running for a while, but have now again starting showing up in the past few weeks.

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Anderson retires last 13 as:

Pikeville edges Betsy Layne 3-2 in Hillbilly Classic

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Scott Anderson was tough for the Betsy Layne Bobcats to solve as they faced the Pikeville Panthers in the

Hillbilly Days Classic Saturday morning under cloudy skies and very cool temperatures.

Anderson didn't give the Bobcats much to hit in the first three innings. He got stingier in the final four in-

nings as he retired the last 13 batters he faced in recording a 3-1 victory over Junior Newsome's ball club.

The game determined what team would advance from Division One to play the winner of Division Two in the round robin tournament's finals.

Although the Bobcats fell to the Panthers for only their first loss of the tournament, they were the top team in their division because of the number of runs they scored in the previous two games. Pikeville and Belfry were also losers of one game but Betsy Layne handed the Pirates their loss and against Millard the Bobcats scored 19 runs.

Pikeville spotted the Bobcats a 2-0 lead and then came back with two runs in the third inning to tie the game and pushed across a run in the bottom of the sixth for the 3-2 win.

In picking up the win, Anderson went the distance for Pikeville, facing 27 batters. Anderson allowed two runs on just three hits. He struck out eight while issuing two walks.

Greg Hunter, who pitched well enough to win, was the losing pitcher, going all the way for Betsy Layne. Hunter gave up the three runs to Pikeville while allowing five hits. He fanned six and walked two.

Back-to-back walks to Barry Clark and Shawn Newsome to open the Bobcats' second led to the 2-0 score.

After the two Bobcats walked, both runners moved up on a wild pitch as Anderson struggled with his control.

Barry Collins grounded hard to short and J.P. Blair held Clark at third before throwing out Collins. Scott Ousley drove the ball deep into the right center field gap, scoring both Clark and Newsome with a two-run double.

Pikeville put their leadoff batter on in the second but Hunter caught Jonathan Pruitt napping and picked him off for the out. Hunter retired the next two.

Betsy Layne put two runners on against Anderson in the third as Bud Kidd was safe on a throwing error by third baseman Brock Justice and Barry Clark reached Anderson for a base hit. Little did the Bobcats realize that Clark would be their final base runner.

Anderson's streak of 13 straight started when Shawn Newsome popped out to short to end the third inning. Anderson was untouchable after that as he got the Bobcats in order in the fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh innings.

Pikeville tied the game in the third inning on a leadoff double by designated hitter Scott Harrison. An in-field base hit from Anderson moved Harrison to third. Harrison scored on a fielder's choice off the bat of Jason McCoy. McCoy eventually scored an unearned run on an error at short-stop.

The Panthers scored the winning run in the sixth inning on a leadoff walk and stolen base by Blair. Kidd called for a pitchout in anticipating a steal attempt from Blair. Blair went

but Kidd's throw was wide to the third base side.

Pruitt then delivered the game winning hit as he singled up the middle. Centerfielder Barry Collins made an excellent throw to the plate and Kidd had Blair in plenty of time but could not hold on to the ball.

Ousley had the only extra base hit in the game in driving in two runs.

Betsy Layne fell to 11-8 on the season.

Corps of Engineers announces opening of lake recreation areas

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Louisville District, recently announced that all facilities at Barren River Lake, Rough River Lake, Taylorsville Lake, Cave Run Lake, Buckhorn Lake and Carr Fork Lake are now open.

Fee collection at campgrounds began on April 15. Rates run from \$6 to \$12 depending on the location of the site and whether its has electricity.

Green River Lake has opened Pike's Ridge campground. Holmes Bend and Smith Ridge campgrounds are scheduled to open on May 7.

Many Nolin River Lake recreation areas cannot be opened until further notice due to a bid protest. The protest is on the annual contract for operating sewage treatment facilities, cleaning restrooms and providing other services necessary to operate public areas.

At Nolin, areas that will not be opened on schedule are the boat ramps at Dog Creek and Iberia, as well as the Wax, Moutardier and Dog Creek campgrounds. All beaches will remain closed. These areas will remain closed until the Corps can provide necessary services that will ensure safe and sanitary use of the facilities.

The boat ramps at Site 1, Moutardier, Wax and Bier Creek at Nolin are currently open and will remain so. All picnic shelters will be open and available for reservation. Although these areas will remain open, no mowing will be done at any recreation sites until the contract protest is settled.

The Corps is working to resolve this problem as quickly as possible. Once the protest is resolved, opening dates for the closed areas will be announced.



Big target!

Paintsville first baseman Morgan Cyrus (21) is a big target as he holds Allen Central's Jeremy Hall on first base after a single. The Rebels played Paintsville close but fell 3-1 in the Hillbilly Days Classic at Pikeville. (photo by Ed Taylor)

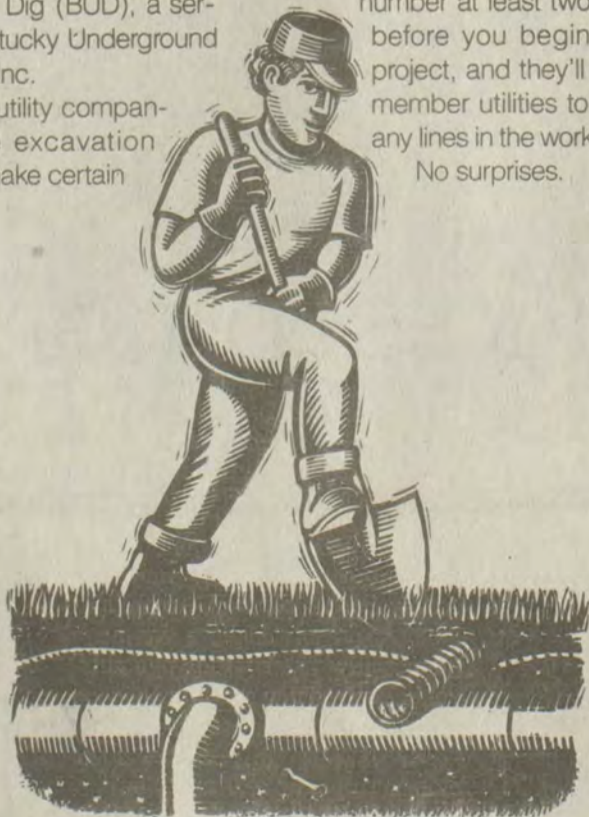
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Has good swing!

Allen Central's Roy John Martin takes a healthy cut at a pitch against Paintsville as Tigers catcher Mike Peters holds the target. The Rebels couldn't hold their lead and fell 3-1 to Paintsville. (photo by Ed Taylor)

Trio of pitchers shut out Allen Central on two hits

by Ed Taylor
Sports Editor

Prestonsburg coach Russell Shepherd used three pitchers in shutting out the Allen Central Rebels 10-0 in a mercy outing.

The Blackcats pushed across two runs in the bottom of the sixth inning to add to an already 8-0 lead.

Cory Reitz started on the mound for the Blackcats and was followed by C.D. Poston and Jason Spencer.

Reitz worked the first two innings in shutting out Allen Central on no hits. Reitz struck out one batter and had no walks.

Poston duplicated the feat of Reitz, going the third and fourth innings and picking up the win. Poston allowed no hits and no runs while striking out three. He gave up only one base on balls.

Spencer, while shutting the door on Allen Central the rest of the way, did give up the two hits. He had four strikeouts in the two innings he worked and did not walk anyone.

Kevin Martin started on the mound for Allen Central and did not survive the first inning as he was able to only retire the one batter. Jeff Hicks replaced Martin on the mound and went the rest of the way.

Martin allowed five runs on four hits in facing just seven batters. He did not strike out a batter and walked one.

Hicks, who was impressive in relief, gave up five runs on just two hits while striking out six and walking five.

The first four batters reached for the Blackcats and all four scored. A leadoff walk to Jason Crisp and a base hit by Robbie Risner set the stage for Prestonsburg. Damron followed with an RBI single and Aaron Tucker walked.

One run crossed the plate when Anthony Howell grounded to short. Thomas Ratliff hit a run-producing double and Seth Hyden followed with a base hit.

Hicks then came on in relief of Martin and got Ryan Ortega on strikes and Brian Horn on ground to short, ending the inning.

Reitz mixed his pitches well in the first two innings and got the Rebels in order in each of the frames.

Prestonsburg came back with three

against Hicks in the second as seven batters paraded to the plate. Walks to Crisp and Damron sandwiched between Risner's second hit of the game sent in two runs. The third scored when Tucker singled home Damron.

Poston, with the help of a double play, faced the minimum six in the next two innings, getting the Rebels in order in the third. Prestonsburg got an unusual double play when Hicks walked with one out. Kevin Allen popped to second where Ratliff made the catch and Hicks was slow getting back on base and a quick throw from Ratliff doubled off Hicks.

Hicks shut Prestonsburg down the next three innings before they scored twice in the sixth for the mercy rule win.

Nathan Moore took over for Hicks on the mound in the sixth inning after Hicks gave up a lead off walk to Risner. Moore walked Damron and Tucker's ground ball forced Risner at third base. A balk call on Moore moved the runners up, scoring Damron from third base. Tucker scored on an error at first base and the game was called.

Allen Central fell to 2-5 on the season, losing their fifth consecutive game. Prestonsburg moved to 5-3 on the year.

Allen Central				Prestonsburg					
players	ab	r	h	rbi	players	ab	r	h	rbi
Hall ss	3	0	0	0	Crisp cf	2	2	0	0
Cathers	2	0	0	0	Risner as	3	2	0	0
Floyd c	2	0	0	0	Damron	2	3	1	1
J. Martin 1b	2	0	0	0	Tucker c	3	2	1	1
Hansford 3b	2	0	0	0	Howell rf	3	0	0	1
F. Martin rf	2	0	1	0	Ratliff 1b	4	1	1	1
R. Martin 2b	2	0	0	0	Hyden 3b	3	0	1	1
K. Martin p	0	0	0	0	Ortega lf	3	0	0	0
Hicks	1	0	1	0	Horn dh	3	0	0	0
Allen cf	2	0	0	0	Poston p	0	0	0	0
					Spencer p	0	0	0	0

Allen Central.....0 0 0 0 0 0 2 4
Prestonsburg...5 3 0 0 0 2 10 6 0
LOB - Allen Central 1, Prestonsburg 6 2B - Ratliff WP - Poston LP - K. Martin

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A Look At Sports

(Continued from B1)

innings. Great defense as well as pitching highlighted the tournament.

Fans brought their blankets, gloves and heavy coats (except for the brave ones that showed up in shorts).

Despite the weather, the tournament was well attended with Prestonsburg, Betsy Layne and Allen Central fans turning out in support of their teams.

The Pikeville Hillbilly Day Classic is certainly that - a classic. We have some very talented baseball players in the 15th Region and that will make for a strong regional tournament later in May.

Paintsville, Belfry, Pikeville and Betsy Layne have to be the strong contenders for the regional title.

FORMER JCHS STANDOUT TO INK WITH ALICE LLOYD...

Jody Salisbury, former standout at Johnson Central High School, will sign with Alice Lloyd College today at 2:30 p.m.

Salisbury left Eastern Kentucky University where he played basketball one season. The 6-8 Salisbury will rejoin former teammate Avery Fairchild at Alice Lloyd.

15th REGION ALL MEDIA TEAM TO BE HONORED...

Friday night the media's 15th All-region team will be feted and honored at the Holiday Inn in Prestonsburg as the four area newspapers bring 34 players and coaches together for the special night.

Todd Conley of Elkhorn City was voted as the Player of the Year in boys' basketball with Jenny Wiley of Allen Central receiving the same honors in girls' basketball.

Phillip Wireman of Johnson Central was Co-Coach of the Year in girls' basketball with Elkhorn City's Randy McCoy receiving the honor in boys' basketball.

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Sport Briefs

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Fish must be checked and weighed between 8 and 9 p.m. Each team may fish all night Saturday.

All persons entering the tournament must check in by 2:30 p.m. with all persons disqualified after the 2:30 p.m. deadline.

Hunt's Bait and Tackle will conduct registration and weigh-ins during the tournament.

Entry fee is \$20 per team with awards for the top five entries.

For more information on the hunt contact Dean Franklin at 886-8530 or call Hunt's Bait and Tackle at 886-6531.

Kenneth Huffman Memorial Tennis Tournament...

The Kenneth Huffman Memorial Scholarship Tennis Tournament will be held May 17 through May 23 at the Pikeville College courts next to the

gymnasium. Events will include men's A & B singles; men's A & B doubles, men's 35+ singles, women's A & B singles, women's doubles, mixed doubles.

A junior division for boys and girls age 18 and under will also be held.

A \$10 entry fee is required for all A & B singles and \$20 per team for doubles. Entrants must provide a can of Championship Penn or Wilson tennis balls.

USTA rules will be observed. Players must check in at the Pikeville College tennis courts before each match.

The drawing will be held at 6 p.m. on Thursday, May 13. Results will be posted at the Pikeville College tennis courts on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

For more information, contact director Rick Scruggs at 432-9231 or Larry Judd at 437-3415.

Morehead Cheerleaders place number one

Morehead State University's varsity cheerleaders are number one, again! For the third consecutive year the MSU squad won the national title in Division I competition at the Na-

tional College Cheerleading Championships in San Diego, California on April 17.

The MSU squad was making their sixth consecutive trip in the competition which they won in 1988, 1991 and 1992.

Roberts wins One-Mile race

You know that spring has arrived because veteran runner Rick Roberts has already taken part in two races this season.

Roberts ran a 5:42 in winning the Citizens National Bank one-mile run and placed 10th overall in the 10K trot.

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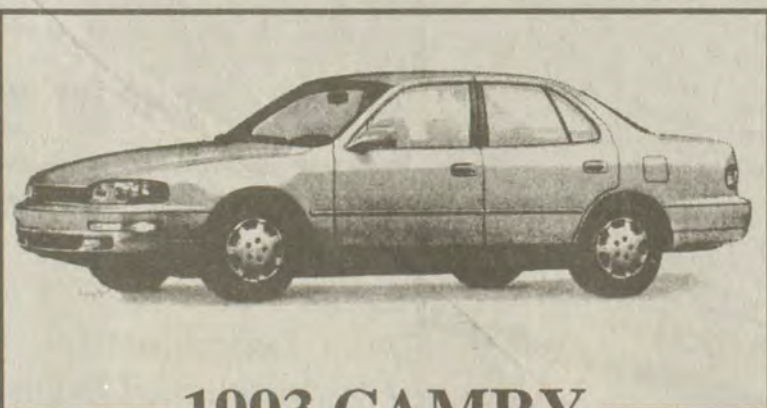
Roberts said that he lost 10 seconds off his time because he was directed the wrong way during the race.

It was the second race of the year for Roberts who has logged over 500 races in his career.

Tim Goble of Staffordsville ran a 6:53 in the one-mile run.

Roberts placed 10th in the 10K run with a time of 40:58. Paintsville's Marvin McFaddin finished 14th overall with a time of 43:39.

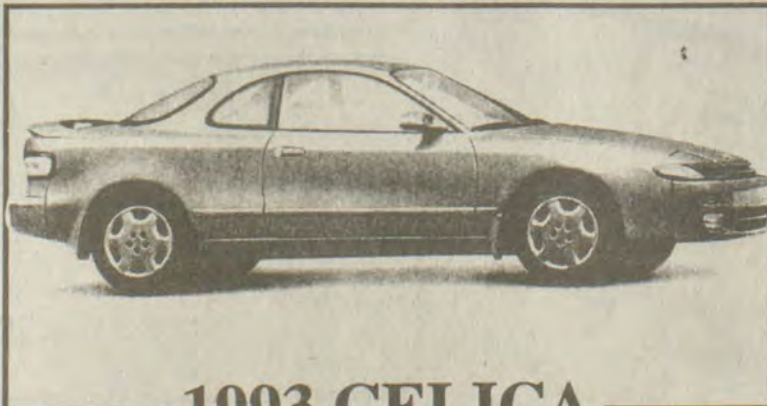
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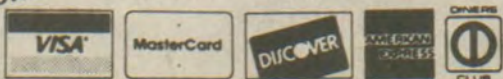
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Ask Dr. Bubba

Editor's note: Dr. Bubba is not a licensed, practicing therapist, but has earned Ph.D.s in analytical psychology and advanced theoretical hog-calling from the prestigious University of Hooterville. Dr. Bubba has also recently become a televangelist and has founded his own church, The First United Church of Seclusion and Self-Righteousness for the Mildly Disturbed. Dr. Bubba and his followers have also recently blockaded themselves in his Bugtussel compound, where they are staging a protest against the new tax hike on Budweiser, the Holy Water of Kings.

Dear Dr. Bubba: As you may or may not know, a Greenup County judge recently ruled that cockfighting should remain legal because chickens and other birds are not considered animals in the state of Kentucky. How could such a travesty of justice be allowed in this day and age? The Friends of Foghorn, Auxier

Dear Friends: Where've you people been? Chickens is vegetables. You just think they meet all the requirements o' bein' animals, like eatin', breathin', reproducin' an' messin' up the yard. It's all an optical illusion, so just put it outta yer silly little heads.

Dear Dr. Bubba: I've become increasingly upset lately. Everyday when you pick up the newspaper or turn on CNN, you see more and more death, destruction, murder, mayhem and chaos. Brother stabs brother. Father beats mother. Teenager kills and eats family of four. I just don't understand it. Whatever happened to that old Biblical tenet "The meek shall inherit the Earth?" Doom, Despair and Agony on Me, Prestonsburg

Dear Doom: Somebody contested the will.

Dear Dr. Bubba: I have witnessed a miracle!!! It seems that all the plywood that was sent to Florida after Hurricane Andrew struck has miraculously found its way to Floyd County in the form of campaign signs. Why, I have even seen some pieces with Coppertone stains still on them. Does this mean that major insurance companies have an interest in Floyd County politics? Or is divine intervention the cause? Bewildered in Beaver

Dear Bewildered: Well, that's a purty good question. I couldn't figger it out muhself, so I called up the good folks down to the National Weather Service. They told me that actually, this is a fairly common natural phenomenon, whatever that means. What happens is that all the hot air generated by the politicians creates a "warm front" that causes the air to circulate, enter the Gulf Stream, swoop down on trailer parks in a big black funnel cloud an' pick up ever'thang that ain't nailed down. Then it swoops all that junk back here, an' ever'thang what ain't dropped in the creeks gets sucked all the way back to the politicians who created the "warm front," who then save some o' that bribe money an' make the stuff into campaign signs. As far as the process bein' a miracle, the weather service guys told me that it would only be miraculous if one o' them little gals who had all that Coppertone on 'em come back with the air mass and landed on your "warm front."

Well, that's about all the space we got fer today, kids. Tune in next week, same Bubba Time, same Bubba Channel, fer more excitin' adventures an' pity-ful little sob stories. If ya fell like whinin' a little bit yerself, ya can write me, Dr. Bubba, at The Floyd County Times, P.O. Box 391, Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653.

In the meantime, always remember to be kind ta animals. And I guess ya can be nice ta chickens too, if ya really feel like it.

Hands Of Healing

An eroding farm field or vacant city lot, creeks strewn with old diapers, tires, and other refuse, or an illegal trash dump by a roadside are all signs that the need for resource conservation is enormous. Still, it's easy to feel small and helpless, as though what we do as individuals and families can't possibly help. The truth is that each person can make a very big difference in conserving resources.

The last Sunday in April marks the beginning of national Soil and Water Stewardship Week, an annual country-wide observance promoting wise use of natural resources. To gear up for the special week, local conservation district officials have been doing their part to get the message out to the public through the "Hands of Healing" publicity campaign.

"Stewardship Week is pushed to make people aware of conservation and wise use of water and soil and our natural resources," said Jim Carter, II, of Prestonsburg who has served as chairperson of the local water conservation district the last five years. "I think we need to conserve land and water for future generations."

The 1993 "Healing Hands" Stewardship Week theme emphasizes that, although the task of resource conservation is enormous, each person can do something special to help heal the environment.

The conservation district, which works throughout the year on soil and water conservation measures, is providing literature, educational materials and speakers encouraging individual responsibility and care for natural resources. The district is also encouraging individuals and local school, camp, church and organizational leaders to join in the observance of Stewardship Week.

As a means towards that end, last week Judge/Executive John M. Stumbo signed a proclamation declaring April 25 through May 2 as Soil and Water Stewardship Week. The signing took place at the conservation district's annual Stewardship Breakfast last week at May Lodge at Jenny Wiley State Park. At the breakfast, Stewardship Week materials consisting of church bulletins, bookmarks, and booklets were

given to 16 ministers of the Floyd County Ministerial Association. The material will be used in Sunday School classes and



church services "to reach people" with the message of wise conservation, said Carter. He added, "The Floyd County Ministerial Association has

been very helpful every year with conservation programs and are actively helping us with this."

Other publicity measures

be distributing 3,000 "Show You Care With Buddy Bear" educational activity books to children in grades K-3. Also colorful "Hands of Healing" posters are being distributed to schools and businesses.

Carter said he hopes Stewardship Week will challenge individuals to begin or continue individual conservation actions that heal the area in which they live.

"The fact that you may now run less water to brush your teeth is just as important to our environment as a builder installing sediment control basins in a major urban development. Both require individual action...both make a difference."

The local district is one of nearly 3,000 conservation districts nationwide that works with the National Association of Conservation Districts to encourage the wise use of natural resources.

in-clude distributing educational materials to county schools during Stewardship Week. A representative of the state conservation office will

YOU AND YOUR FAMILY CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

(A Checklist for Families)

When we take care of our soil, water and air, we are really taking care of ourselves. Our food, clothing, shelter and the air we breathe all depend on having healthy natural resources. But just as we need natural resources for survival, they need us for protection. Here are 10 things we all can do in our homes and neighborhoods to protect and save natural resources. Check off the things you're doing already and the things you can do in the future. Then take another look at that "Can do in the future" list. Could that "future" start now?

Doing Can do now in the future

1. Use Less Energy?

- Set back thermostats
- Insulate the water heater
- Buy energy-efficient appliances

2. Recycle

- Recycle paper, glass, plastic, aluminum, scrap metal, motor oil, yard wastes
- Buy recycled and recyclable products

3. Plant Vegetation

- Plant trees, shrubs, grass and flowers to add oxygen, clean the air, control erosion and offer food and habitat for wildlife

4. Save Soil

- Grow plants to keep soil from blowing and washing away
- Ride motor bikes, bicycles and horses in designated areas

5. Compost

- Start a compost pile using table scraps and law clippings
- Participate in curbside leaf recycling programs

Bonus Challenge

Name one place in your neighborhood where the soil, water, or air is being damaged, or could be better conserved.*

What is one thing you or your family could do to help heal the situation?

How and when could you do it?

*Can't think of any? Take a look around; don't forget your own yard! Is there a gully, an eroding ditch, a place where people drop trash near a river, a bare spot where a tree could shade your house and save on air-conditioning?

Doing Can do now in the future

6. Use Pesticides Carefully

- Don't use at all unless really necessary
- Adults only use them

7. Reduce Consumption

- Use public transportation, car pool, bicycle or walk
- Purchase products in bulk to reduce packaging
- Buy only what is needed

8. Reuse and Repair

- Buy products that can be reused
- Fix up and use things again

9. Save Water

- Turn off the water when washing dishes, wiping counters, brushing teeth
- Install water-saving faucet aerators and shower heads
- Take shorter showers, shallower baths
- Landscape with plants requiring low water consumption

10. Get Involved

- Start a school program or outdoor classroom
- Teach friends and family by example
- Share this information with them

WRONG NUMBER

As soon as the party on the other end of the line picked up the receiver and said hello, I knew that I'd dialed the wrong number. I excused myself and dialed again...this time more slowly and got who I wanted.

Dialing wrong numbers, though, seems to be something I do more and more lately, and it's probably due to a number of reasons, the first being my vision. I know, one would think that by now a fellow would have the buttons memorized. I mean, so what if a 6 looks like an 8, or a 3 looks like an 8, or a zero looks like an 8? They're all on different rows and stuff. So how could one get them

confused?

Another reason I often end up talking to strangers when I let my fingers do the walking is that my fingers are too big and the little buttons are too small and too close together. If I don't punch the numbers straight on, I sometimes hit two at once and the one that rings will be the wrong one.

Finally, if I can believe my wife, another reason that I sometimes reach out and touch the wrong someone is that I'm careless.

"You don't pay attention to what you're doing," she'll say. "Well," I'll say, "I was paying

attention that day nearly 30 years ago when you promised to obey." (Of course, I say that to myself. Just because I dial a wrong number once in a while, don't think I'm stupid.)

Anyway, for whatever reason, whenever I do dial wrong, I always know it immediately and hang up. Unfortunately,

nately, everybody's not like that, as the incident occurring last weekend proves.

Ringggggg! "Hello," I answered. "Elmer?" the lady's voice asked.

"No, I'm sorry, you have the wrong number," I said. Then I

hung up.

Within seconds, it rang again.

"Hello."

"Elmer, is that you? Why'd you hang up on me? Where's Doris?" "I'm sorry, you have the wrong number." I hung up again.

Ringgg! (She must be punching redial.)

"Hello."

"Let me speak to Doris."

I thought I'd try a different approach, so I said, "She's not here."

"Where is she?"

"Uh...uh... she's gone to the beauty parlor."

"Oh! Well, tell her to call me."

"I will. Bye."

Just so I'm not caught in a lie, Doris, whoever, wherever you are, call her. (If you don't, old Elmer's liable to be in a bunch of trouble.)

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BEWARE OF 99¢ TATTOOS



by Kim Frasure

This past weekend my oldest daughter Ashleigh and friend Ladonna persuaded me to rent some movies.

After we made our six selections, we decided to stop at A.J.'s for popcorn and pop. After all, one can't possibly watch a movie without popcorn.

As we were checking out, there on the counter lay one package of tattoos.

"Oh, let's get these, it'll be fun," I heard. "Girls, come on. Those things will rub off as soon as you put them on, let's not," I said.

"Ah, come on mom, just for fun."

"Yeah Kim, come on," they continued.

So alright already, I'll get it, as long as I get the butterfly, I told them.

Well, Ashleigh just thought that was hilarious, and so did Ladonna.

On the way home all I could hear was "are you really gonna put a tattoo on?"

Well, I wasn't about to back out so after we put our things away I read the directions.

The girls were at their normal place—on the phone—so I went into the bathroom, cut out the butterfly tattoo, placed it on my right ankle, pressed firmly with a wet cloth, and voila! Instant tattoo!

I then went into Ash's room to show the girls.

I almost had to pick them up off the floor.

They couldn't believe I really would do such a thing.

And just knowing this little butterfly was gonna rub right off—why not?

We proceeded with their chosen tattoos and I must admit it was fun.

That is until I got out of the shower and noticed the butterfly was still there, brighter than ever.

I screamed for the girls, "Look at this, look at this, this thing didn't offer to fade, what am I going to do?"

Well, they loved it to say the least. My hysteria was evidently entertaining.

I scrubbed with soap and water. It was still there. Oh, come on now, I'd talk to this butterfly, don't do this to me.

As I sat on the couch taking off my nail polish, Ladonna said, "Kim try that remover on your tattoo."

Good idea, I said, forgetting the fact I'd just shaved my legs. I soaked the paper towel in polish remover began to rub as hard as I could and it worked! It was coming off!

Set my leg on fire, but hey, it brought that darn butterfly off!

The things I can get myself into, and all so my daughter and her friends can be amused. Yeah, right!

Till next week, I think I'll try a round-off back tuck next...Not!

Society Events

AARP meeting held

The Jenny Wiley chapter #3528 of AARP met April 16 at Highlands Hospital Cafeteria.

President Otela Smiley called the meeting to order and Orville Cooley led the prayer and Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. Dorothy Osborne gave the secretary's report and introduced the speaker, John Rosenberg.

Rosenberg is the director of Appalachian Research and Defense Fund of Prestonsburg, a legal services program serving 37 Kentucky counties and 260,000 persons. Last year 6,000 cases were served in Floyd County. Legal advice and poverty law problems including family law, housing, public benefits (such as Social Security, Supplemental Security system, AFDC, Medicaid and food stamps) and consumer law were discussed. In the coalfield counties, ARDF staff represented clients in coal-related matters.

Rosenberg spoke on service for elderly care, legal services, coal mining compensation and health care. He distributed literature on these subjects.

Happy birthday was sung to Jack Freed.

The next meeting is May 21 at the same place.

Present were E.H. and Marlene Stumbo, Eulavene and L.R. Conn, John and Jean Rosenberg, Jack Freed, Herbert and Elva Spradlin, Dorothy Osborne, Otela Smiley, Matilda Johnson, Hager White, James E. and Marie Goble, Flem and Sina Blanton, Fannie Runnels, Alice Harris, Margaret Ackerman, Orville Cooley, Delmas and Edna Saunders, Pearl Robertson and Burieta Gayheart.

KFWC 98th annual convention

Members of Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs met April 7-10 at the Galt House East in Louisville. The executive committee, headed by state president Trulla Poynter, chose the theme "Swing to Success" for the annual convention.

The officers and clubwomen of District 7 and 8 served as hostess at this meeting. Announcements of various awards from the federation and reports of projects carried out in the communities of Kentucky were highlights of the convention. A reception and tour of Kentucky Federation

Headquarters at 1228 Cherokee Road was enjoyed on April 8. Honorary presidents of the organization served as hostesses.

The women's clubs of the seventh district had the following officers and delegates present: Ruby Akers, Drift Women's Club; Connie Gilpin, governor Karen Hall and Marilyn Thomas, Pikeville Woman's Club; Vernell Mullins, vice-governor, Whitesburg Woman's Club.

The Drift Woman's Club won awards in the following categories: 100 percent Honor Club, Economics Division in Home Life and 100 percent Subscribing to General Federation and Kentucky Clubwoman magazine. Hoby Celia Little was awarded ribbons for embroidery and patchwork quilts.

Flowers honor friends and family

Lilies and assorted flowers decorated the sanctuary of the Community United Methodist Church, Prestonsburg, on Easter, Sunday, April 11.

Flowers were given in memory of Bill Cooley by Minerva Cooley; T.E. Neeley and daughter by Marie, Carol, Jerry, Kim and Craig; Buster Patton by wife and children; Mr. and Mrs. Z.S. Dickerson by family; Joyce Weddington by Christina Simpson; Kay Fannin by Opal Fannin; Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Burke by Johnny and Helen Burke; Floyd Tackett by grandson, Trevor Compton; and David Vaughan by Orbie Vaughan.

Flowers were also placed in honor of prayer partners: Jean Burke, Ernestine Collins, Cheryl Sexton, Carolyn Stout, Esther Ward and Glenna Sexton.

Mrs. Ethel Colvin donated six silk palms and two silk peace lilies in memory of Roger Colvin.

Attend meeting

Mrs. Marietta Crager, Ethel Sammons and Willia Mae Branham attended the district meeting of United Methodist Women at Vogel Day Methodist Church March 27. Dr. Mary Cox and Dr. Weis gave a very interesting talk on "The Whole Body." The ladies of the church served a delicious lunch to 105 ladies in attendance.

Prestonsburg Day Homemakers hold monthly meeting

Members of the Prestonsburg Day Homemakers met Tuesday, April 13, at the First United Methodist Church, Prestonsburg.

The club's president, Mary Sue Moore, presided. Due to the absence of Dorothy Stover, secretary-treasurer, Nancy Webb gave the roll-call, read the minutes of the March meeting and gave the financial report. The devotions were given by Fannie Runnels, who read from Genesis 4 and a poem entitled "The Lord's Work" and discussed "Homemakers Today and Tomorrow."

Reports regarding open house, held recently at the new location of the Floyd County Homemakers headquarters were presented by some of the members who attended.

"Get well" cards for Lucy C. Regan, Roberta Sloan and Maman Leslie were signed.



National award winner

The United States Achievement Academy announced recently that Stephanie Erin Reid has been named a United States National Award Winner in Art for 2 years. Miss Reid, who attends McDowell High School, was nominated for this national award by Jeff Stratton, an art instructor at the school. Her picture along with her biography will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published nationally. She is the daughter of Ramona S. Stewart and the granddaughter of Chester Shelton of Drift.

A discussion regarding the possibility of discontinuing the serving of refreshments at future meetings was held and, by a vote of 9-8, it was agreed that, beginning in the fall of this year, refreshments would not be served.

The following members agreed to serve on the nominating committee to select officers for 1993-94: Dorothy Osborne, Alleen Fitch and Phyllis Stanley.

President Moore announced that the topic for discussion at the May meeting will be "Reduce, Reuse and Recycle." Phyllis Stanley will be in charge of the presentation of this lesson.

Rose Glenn gave an informative discussion on "How to Buy Poultry." Food bulletins were distributed by her and President Moore.

Hostesses for this meeting were Eleanor Horn, Rose Glenn and Mabel Donahue. A delicious salad course was served with coffee and soft drinks to Mary Sue Moore, Nancy Webb, Dorothy Osborne, Julia Curtis, Gypsy Jones, Myrtle Allen, Jane Wallace, Ann Alley, Fannie Runnels, Alice Harris, Alleen Fitch, Hope Whitten, Phyllis Stanley, Rebecca Rasnick and Docia Woods.

The next (and last) meeting of this club year will be held on the second Tuesday in May at 1 p.m. with Dorothy Osborne, Gypsy Jones and Alleen Fitch as hostesses.

All members and prospective members are urged to attend.

Methodist women meet

The United Methodist Women, Horn Chapel Church held its monthly meeting at the church, Thursday, April 8.

The meeting was called to order by the president Margaret Ratliff, minutes of last meeting were read; treasurer's report was given and approved by Ethel Sammons.

A surprise stork shower for Dawn McFadden was the event of the evening. Teddy Bear cakes, one blue, one pink made by Maggie Ratliff were served with punch.

Those attending were Willia Mae Branham, Ethel Sammons, Sue Crum, Tina Branham, Evelyn Goble, Beth Branham, Margaret Ratliff (guest), Myra Branham, Michelle Branham and Katie Branham.



Mr. and Mrs. Greg Skeens

Cantrell, Skeens exchange vows

Crystal Lynn Cantrell, daughter of Henry F. and Deborah Cantrell of Oil Springs, and Gregory Paul Skeens, son of Paul and Sharon Skeens of Prestonsburg, were married on March 27 at 3:30 p.m. in the National Guard Armory with Shermie Williams officiating.

Soloists were Dave and Terri Sipple. The bride was given in marriage by her father, Henry F. Cantrell. She wore a white satin floor length gown with beaded neckline. She carried peach and ivory roses with baby's breath.

Beth Ann Castle served as maid of honor and Kelly Cantrell served as the flower girl. Best man was John F. Sizemore; ushers were Jeff Williams and Patrick Cantrell.

The bride is a 1992 graduate of Johnson Central High School. The groom is a 1989 graduate of Prestonsburg High School and a member of the Kentucky National Guard since 1988. He is self-employed at

Skeens Machinery Repair.

The reception was held at the National Guard Armory. The couple resides in Prestonsburg.

Priselac awarded "Silver Snoopy"

Department of the Air Force Civilian Edward D. Priselac has received the NASA Astronauts "Silver Snoopy" personal achievement award at Cape Canaveral Air Force Station.

Priselac, a shuttle weather officer, was cited for his work in redesigning and streamlining the weather support process for space shuttle launches and his exceptional skill in supporting shuttle launches, landings and ferry flights from California.

He is a 1958 graduate of Alliance High School, Ohio, and a 1968 graduate of the University of Oklahoma, Norman.

He is married to Sidney Crider, formerly of Endicott.

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GRANDPARENTING

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Dear Dee and Tom: My grandparents, my mother's parents, are from Germany and have just moved to the United States. Whenever they visit us and I have friends in the house, my friends all giggle behind their backs because they think they talk "funny."

It is so embarrassing. I do love my grandparents very much, but I wish they could talk like us. Sometimes I want to hide when I see them coming. I haven't mentioned this to my parents. What should I do?—Anna, age 12, Texas

A: You, young lady, should grow up! And so should your friends. You are mighty lucky to have two grandparents who love their family so much they left their homeland. That isn't easy at any age—especially when you are older. You should be proud of them.

Talk to your parents if you like. But better still, you should learn more

about your grandparents' country. It is your heritage as well. You are now an American, but you are also half-German. Diversity has made this country great. After all, you Texans talk "funny," when compared to "Yankees."

Read books about Germany and learn about its customs, its rich culture. Don't be like everyone else. Your grandparents may be a bit different at first, but it's all right to be different. You'll learn this more and more as you grow up.

And why don't you try to learn German? Knowing another language is a wonderful asset. Your grandparents would probably be thrilled to teach their grandchild their native language. It would also be fun. You and your grandparents would develop a special bond. You don't have to go to school to learn another language; you can learn right at home with them, discovering your roots.

When you are older, you may want to visit Germany. Think how much easier it will be, knowing how to say "please" and "thank you" in the language of your grandparents.

We are constantly amazed by the youthful vitality and vim-and-vigor of many of our "older" readers.

We recently wrote about a septuagenarian, Frank P. Mueller, of Sarasota, Fla., a mere 77, who had written an amusing, highly detailed account of his wife's family. We thought that all 560 of its pages should be a model for other family histories.

We have just heard back from our hero of the week. He writes:

"Possibly, you have never before interviewed anyone in the nude! Here's what happened. When you called on the phone, I was just coming out of the shower. There I was in my birthday suit. Courtesy prompted me not to cut you short.

"So, I stood there for about a half-hour, going back and forth. Bet you (and I) never had that experience before. Let's see you write a story about that!"

Yes, Frank, that was a "first" for both of us. Actually, Tom did try to interview a gorgeous "Bluebell" girl backstage at the Lido nightclub in Paris some years ago. He has always claimed that she was only nude to the waist, but he was still so distracted he didn't get a very good story.



Swingle Singers to highlight concert season

The next concert in the Eastern Community Concert Series will be The Swingle Singers. The concert will be presented on Friday, April 23 at 7:30 p.m. at the Jenny Wiley State Park Convention Center. The Swingle Singers are eight vocalists who sing organ fugues to overtures, big band favorites to piano pieces—all without accompaniment. The Swingle Singers today continue a tradition of outstanding musical achievement that began 30 years ago in Paris. The Boston Herald proclaimed that they are "the world's most unique vocal group." Members of the concert association will be admitted with their membership card. The general public may purchase admission at the door. As a special incentive, anyone who joins for the next season may attend this concert at no extra charge.

Farler, Sammons to wed August 27



Tracy Leann
Gary Lee Sammons

Stan and Nellie Farler, of Auxier, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Tracy Leann, to Gary Lee Sammons, son of Alex and Alberta Sammons of Drift.

Miss Farler is an early 1993 graduate of Prestonsburg High School. She is presently attending Prestonsburg Community College.

Mr. Sammons is a 1991 graduate of Allen Central High School and is now employed by Jenny Wiley Lodge.

Vows will be exchanged at 6 p.m., August 27, at the Auxier Freewill Baptist Church. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Child find underway

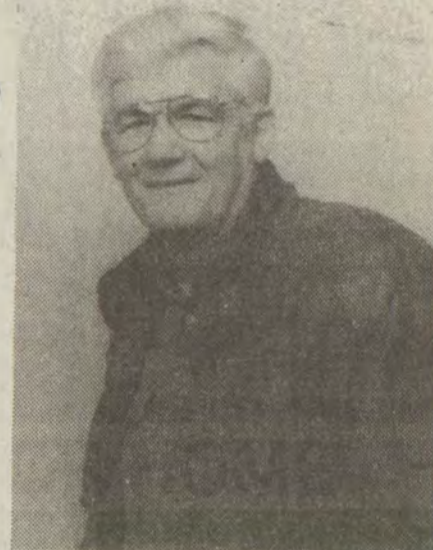
It isn't easy to spot the child with a special need. The child who needs special education isn't always in a wheelchair...or blind...or deaf.

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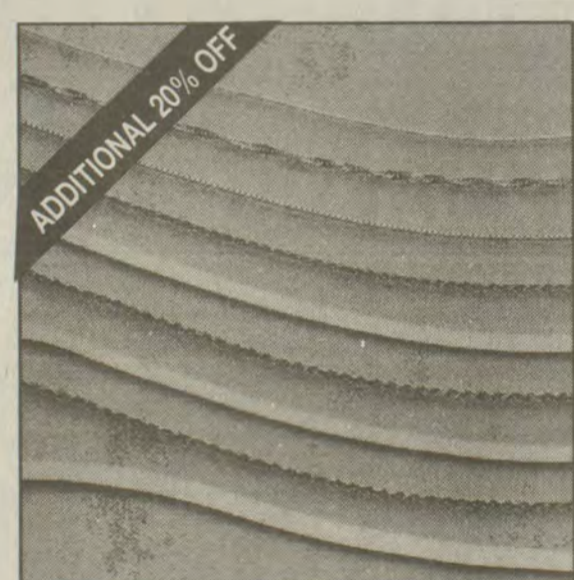
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March 16: A son, Richard Glen, to Tammy Kay and Richard Hudson of Mousie; a son, Jon Madison Kennedy, to Tracey Shawn and John Anthony Justice of Wheelwright; a daughter, Tiffany Michelle, to Stephanie Renee and Timothy Wayne Mullins of Minnie.

March 17: Twins, Justin and Janet Ashley, to Janice Rose and Darrell Lee Ashley of Pippa Passes.

March 18: A son, David Tanner Blake, to Teresa Brewer of Hazard.

March 25: A daughter, Lauren Madonna, to Zoe and Jeff Schommer of Prestonsburg; a daughter, Maretha Jean, to Retha and Carter Stacy Jr. of Elmrock.

March 26: A daughter, Alisha, to Lydia Johnson of Topmost; a daughter, Keisha Lashele, to Sarah M. Stone of Pippa Passes.

March 27: A son, Christopher Solomon, to Sherry L. Akers of Harold.

March 31: A daughter, Keisha Shavone, to Mary Ellen and Alburn Johnson of Wheelwright.

April 1: A son, Zackary Lee, to Jamie Lynn and Joseph Oliver of Pine Top.

April 4: A daughter, Deanna Dawn Nicole, to Debra Ann and Everett Carroll of Grethel; a son, Dustin Ryker, to Teresa Lynn and Benny Keith Terry of Hager Hill.

PIKEVILLE METHODIST HOSPITAL

March 2: A daughter, Kambra Denise, to Cynthia Kay and Tandy Howell of Pikeville.

April 6: Twins, Jordan Allen and Joseph Aaron, to Melanie Lynn and Benjamin Harrison Welch of Paintsville.

April 7: A daughter, Judith Breanna Grace, to Lara Anne and Eric Martin Mullins of Pikeville.

April 8: A son, Michael Cody, to James Geordella and Michael Dean Eldridge of Freeburn; a daughter, Kayla Brianna, to Jennifer Gail and Allen Bradley Parsley of Turkey Creek; a son, William Bryant Keith,

to Gloria Lee and Lora Keith Conway of Shelbiana.

April 9: A son, Gavin Nathaniel, to Leatha and Bud McKinzie Gibson of Harold; a son, Jordan Randall, to Donna Lynn and Jerry Randall Hurley of Kimper; a daughter, Sheena Paige, to Barbara Ann and William Matthew Thacker of Raccoon.

April 10: A son, Bobby Dewayne, to Vickie Lynn and James Dean Hopkins of Pikeville; a son, Joshua Dean, to Pluma Thacker of Kimper; a daughter, Hollie Marie, to Melanie Joy Hanger and Michael Lee Hottinger of Pikeville.

April 11: A daughter, Sara Nicole, to Anita Marlene and Robbie Lee Porter of Pikeville; a son, Madison Clark, to Jennifer Ann and Jerry Keith Coleman of Pikeville; a daughter, Kara Breann Patrick, to Lisa Ann Helton of Pikeville.

April 12: A daughter, Kaitlyn Rashelle, to Tina Lois and Mark Vincent Bartley of Pikeville; a daughter, Deanna Lynn, to Jelinda Ann and David Williams of Craynor; a daughter, Rachel Nell, to Tracy Lynn and Douglas MacArthur Belcher of Shelbiana.

April 13: A son, Michael Shawn Hampton, to Elizabeth Ann Chaney of Virgie; a son, Matthew Scott Hampton, to Elizabeth Ann Chaney of Virgie; a son, Harold Kiefer, to Victoria Denise and Harold McCarty of Salyersville; a son, Charles Timothy Brennan, to Eugena and Timothy Ray Minor of Pikeville.

April 14: A daughter, Brittany LeAnn, to Nannie Jane and Clyde Douglas Lucas of Pikeville; a son, Luke Martin, to Brenda Joyce and John Doug Hays of Pikeville.

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April 7: A son, Ronnie Lee, to Ronnie and Jennifer Mollett of Tomahawk; a daughter, Mary Estill Louise, to Mary Lou and Wendell Burchett of Salyersville.

April 8: A daughter, Brandi LeAnn, to Charles and Mona Preston of Boonscamp; and a son, Justin Jacob, to Timmy and Theresa Hall of Harold.



Five generations

The five generations of Mrs. Rebecca (Granny) Wireman Miller and the late Ted Miller. Seated: Rebecca (Granny) Wireman Miller of Prestonsburg holding Kelvie Sh'nae Brooks, great-great-granddaughter of Brooklyn, Michigan. Standing: Georgia Meadows Brooks, granddaughter, of Brooklyn, Michigan; Ida Belle Miller Meadows, daughter, of Ypsilanti, Michigan; and Tina Sh'lee Brooks, great-granddaughter, of Brooklyn, Michigan.

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Health check-up

Pikeville Methodist Hospital staff administers diabetes screening on a Betsy Layne senior citizen during a health fair at Betsy Layne Family Resource Center.

New Adult Readers

Floyd County Adult Literacy Program 886-READ

I am the wife of a student who attends the adult literacy class. My husband, who is now 31 years old, dropped out of school when he was 16 years old. Last August, he was given the opportunity to attend the Adult Literacy Program. We both are filled with so much enthusiasm because of the progress he has made in learning to read.

He has come a long way in this short length of time. I am proud to say that I have played a part in his learning. I go to class with my husband and help him with his work. I would like to let other couples know that they can also go to classes with their spouse.

I think encouragement from a

spouse is very important and it makes for a special kind of closeness.

When my husband dropped out of school, he had the reading ability of a second or third grader. He was in the tenth grade in school. How can our schools promote our children on and on into higher grades with them not knowing how to read? Yes, this was quite a few years ago when this happened to my husband, but it is still happening.

To all parents: Take a few minutes and let your child read you a story.

This parent is enrolled with the Floyd County Literacy Council. If anyone would like to enroll as a student or help someone learn to read, please call 886-READ. We need you!

PHS Class of '53 plans reunion

The Prestonsburg High School Class of 1953 is having its 40th year class reunion on August 27 and 28. The planning committee has been unable to locate the following classmates: Bobby Brown, Ruey Cavins, Buford Gibson, Mary Ellen Gibson, James Harless, James Harris, Billy Hicks, Angeleen Perry, Glenda Jean Robinson, Rose Mildred Smith, Joy Waddle, Anna Ruth Walker and Ethel Grace Thomas.

Anyone having information pertaining to the whereabouts of these individuals, please contact Nancy Tackett at 874-2112, between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., or after 5 p.m. at 886-1206.

JOBS program visits GED learning center

The JOBS coordinator and supervisor visited the Drift GED Learning Center. A video tape entitled, "Where there is a Will, There is an A," was shown. This is a two part tape which was finished April 7.

The tape gave procedures and ideas of how the students could help themselves and their children with their studies. The students all seemed real interested and seemed to enjoy the tapes.

The Drift Learning Center's instructor is Mitzi Crisp and is managed by the David School-Adult Education Classes.

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Golden Ages

Spotlight on health

Encouraging progress against Parkinson's disease

Here's good news for a change: People with Parkinson's disease—a disorder of the nervous system that leads to loss of muscular control—have a better chance of living longer and better, thanks to progress in medical research. Some of the latest developments:

• Scientists can now measure the extent of nerve damage to the dopamine-producing neurons in the brain through a process called PET scan.

• A new medication called Eldepryl appears to slow the progression of the illness in the early stages.

• Scientists are working to develop improved methods of diagnosis. If

diagnosed early, treatment for the disease could begin much earlier and could be much more successful.

• Scientists are working on different methods of delivering anti-Parkinson medication—infusion pumps, transdermal skin patches and slow-release forms of Sinemet, which contains levodopa.

For more information about PD, write: Parkinson's Disease Foundation at Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center, 650 West 168th St., New York, NY 10032 or call 1-800-457-6676. In New York, call (212) 923-4700.



Birthday celebrants

Betsy Layne senior citizens were honored with a birthday party. Seniors who celebrated birthdays in February and March were, from right, Stella Stumbo, Avery Akers, Norma Mullins, Norma Spencer, Ted Stumbo, and Selintia Howard.



Artist at work

At the Betsy Layne Senior Center on March 26, 1993 Jerry Meade visited the center to add an artistic touch. His art is displayed for viewing by seniors as well as the public. Meade is a self-taught painter who creates beautiful nature portraits.

Celebrating 90 years

Anna Martin of Harold celebrated her 90th birthday March 20 at her home with family and friends.

Those present were daughter, Helene Martin Joseph and husband, Paul, of Toledo, Ohio; daughter, Lucy Martin Stephenson and husband, Ed, of Westland, Michigan; daughter, Marlene Martin Jones and son, Elmer Martin, and his wife, Eileen of Grethel.

Others attending were her granddaughter, Carolyn Jones Sylvia of New Bedford, Massachusetts; Ruth Martin of Cedarville, Ohio; and Pamela Gross of Harold. Also present were Eleanor Acker of Dana, Dr. Cheryl Fawcett of Cedarville, Ohio, Lisa Lawson and daughter of Harold. Mrs. Martin received phone calls from Ohio, Michigan, Florida, Maryland, Tennessee and Arizona.



90th birthday

Celebrating the 90th birthday of Anna Martin (pictured third from left) were Helene Joseph, Lucy Stephenson, Marlene Jones, and Elmer Martin.

Youth Management, The Next Generation



Saturday April, 24 is Youth Management Day

Our next generation of leaders is getting a chance to boldly step into the future by taking on the responsibility of a \$10-billion supermarket retailer. On April 24, Winn-Dixie will give 10,000 young associates, who throughout the year, check out groceries, stock shelves and carry out bags, the opportunities to step into their managers shoes and show their stuff for a day.

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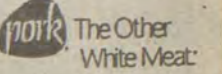
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FOR

W-D Brand Select Lean 1/4" Trim
Bnls. Center Cut Pork Chops

\$3.88

Lb.

Family Pak
Prospect Farms Chicken Wings

68¢

Lb.

16-oz.
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12-oz. W-D Brand
Meat Franks

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1-Lb. Hickory Sweet
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Superbrand Citrus Punch

\$1.68

5-Lb. Bag
Ore Ida Golden Crinkles

\$2.98

18-oz.
Kraft Barbecue Sauce

2\$1.88

32-oz.
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\$1.18

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Tylenol Jr. Strength Tablets 24-Ct.	\$3.51	\$4.19	\$4.18
Johnson's Eeyore's Detangler 13.5-oz.	\$2.68	\$3.99	\$3.28
Kotex Overnites Pads 14-Ct.	\$2.61	\$3.19	\$2.74
Pepto Bismol Original 8-oz.	\$2.41	\$3.09	\$2.64
Studio Pumping Curls 8-oz.	\$2.71	\$3.99	\$2.88
Riopan Plus 2 12-oz.	\$4.65	\$5.99	\$4.97
N'ice Sore Throat Lozenges 16-Ct.	\$1.51	\$1.79	\$1.94
Alberto VO 5 Conditioner 15-oz.	.87	\$1.25	.97
Soft Sense Shave Gel 7-oz.	\$1.81	\$1.97	\$2.12
Phillips' Milk of Magnesia 12-oz.	\$3.41	\$4.09	\$3.92
A&D Ointment 1.5-oz.	\$2.11	\$2.29	\$2.79
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Tylenol Children's Liquid 2-oz.	\$2.98	\$3.29	\$3.28

Winn-Dixie Total

\$47.09

Food City Total

\$58.45

Wal-Mart Total

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U.S. 1-2	104-125 lbs.	\$41.00-\$48.50
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PER HEAD		
U.S. 1-2	pen 36 lbs.	\$27.00
	pen 80 lbs.	\$42.50
U.S. 3	pen 92 lbs.	\$28.00

UK cider workshop to focus on safety/marketing of product

Consumers are asking more questions about the cider they buy than ever before. Not only are they concerned about its taste and appearance, they are concerned about its safety.

"Cider safety became more important when scientists found in 1991 E. coli bacteria contaminating cider made in another state. As a result of these consumer concerns, cider producers need to take care to avoid contaminating their product," said Jerry Brown, extension horticulturist with the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture. He also serves as chair of UK's Extension Food Safety and Quality Task Force.

To help Kentucky producers press cider that is both tasty and wholesome, the Kentucky State Horticulture Society, the Kentucky Cabinet for Human Resources and the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture will sponsor a day-long workshop on cider production, June 16 at UK's South Farm near Lexington.

"The workshop will provide expert discussions of microorganisms that contaminate cider, as well as tips on pressing a quality cider and selling the product," Brown said.

In addition, the experts will press cider using equipment typically used by small producers during the afternoon session.

Many of Kentucky's cider producers are small operators who press apples from their orchard as another way of marketing their crop. They use rather simple equipment and depend on orchard sales to move their products to consumers, he said.

The school has a limited enrollment capacity, but Brown said that a manual being developed for the school will be available for others later in the summer.

For more information about the school, contact Brown at (502) 365-7541.

Sorghum can be extra money maker

For some farmers, producing sweet sorghum could be a good way to sweeten the financial picture for the overall farm operation.

"Sorghum production is increasing on many farms in the upper South," said Morris Bitzer, extension grains specialist with the University of Kentucky College of Agriculture. "As more people learn to use sorghum in everyday cooking, the demand for sorghum syrup will increase."

Farmers should start planning now for this year's sorghum crop, Bitzer said. Direct seeding of sorghum should begin when the soil is near 60 degrees. However, a new float system developed for tobacco producers to grow their bed plants has proven effective also to grow sorghum transplants.

"If a farmer has access to this system, he can produce seedlings for transplant in about three weeks," Bitzer said. "Several had very good results last year."

But because some growers did not have such good results, Bitzer recommended growers not grow all their sorghum by this method until they gain some experience.

Prospective new sorghum growers should make sure they know which varieties are best for the Kentucky climate, Bitzer said. Four varieties have been proven to give a top quality syrup.

"One variety, called Sugar Drip, matures earlier than the others," he said. "It doesn't yield as much as some other varieties, but for those who want an early harvest or for some more northern areas, it is good variety."

Later maturing varieties that produce high-quality syrup in Kentucky include Dale, M81E and Della. Dale should not be grown in areas north of southern Indiana or Ohio, Bitzer said. M81E should only be seeded south of central to southern Kentucky. Della is a new variety that matures about two weeks earlier than Dale and is said to be excellent for Kentucky and areas just north of it.

For further information, those interested in beginning sorghum production should contact the county agricultural Extension agent.

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New addition

Wheelwright has gotten its largest attraction in recent years, a baby Python. It arrived at our Wheelwright High School several weeks ago and so far the snake, Reginald, has been a major attraction. It was donated to the Biology II class by a former student, Johnny Younce. The caretakers of Reginald are Terry Crager, Jeremy Johnson and Kevin Slone. Reginald is being kept in the Biology II class and will be returned to its owner after the school year is through. Some students are still reluctant to go near Reginald but most of the students are becoming very attached to him.

Federal-State Market News Wednesday, April 14, 1993 Gateway Livestock Market

Cattle and calf receipts: 848.

Total livestock receipts for the week: 1703.

Cattle weighed at time of sale. (Compared to last week) Slaughter cows, \$2-3 higher; slaughter bulls, steady to \$1.00 higher; feeder steers steady to \$1 higher; feeder heifers, steady to \$2 higher.

SLAUGHTER COWS: breaking Utility and Commercial, 2-4, \$47.50-50.50; high Cutter and boning Utility, 1-3, \$49-53; high dressing individuals, \$54-56.50; Cutter 1-2, \$44-49; Canner and low Cutter \$38.50-44.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: yield grade 1, 1720-1830 lbs. indicating 81-82 carcass boning percent, \$65-67; yield grade 1-2, 1375-1660 lbs. indicating 78-80 percent, \$58-63.75.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium to Large Frame No. 1, 300-400 lbs., \$107-118, 400-500 lbs., \$97-111; 500-600 lbs., \$90-101; 600-700 lbs., \$84.50-90; few 750-845 lbs., \$75.25-81; Small Frame No. 1, 295-400 lbs., \$93-102.50; 400-500 lbs., \$87.50-95; 500-600 lbs., \$82-87.50; Medium Frame No. 2, package 329 lbs., \$98; 500-600 lbs., \$80-87; 600-725 lbs., \$75-80; Large Frame No. 2, Holsteins, 335-465 lbs; \$77-83.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium to Large Frame No. 1, 300-400 lbs., \$90-99; 400-500 lbs., \$88-96; 500-600 lbs., \$83-91; includes package 506 lbs., \$91; 600-700 lbs., \$76-83; Small Frame No. 1, 300-400 lbs., \$80-87.50; 400-500 lbs., \$75-81; 500-645 lbs., \$73-77; Medium Frame No. 2, 365-500 lbs., \$75-80; 500-650 lbs., \$70-77.

STOCK COWS AND CALVES: Medium and Small Frame No. 1-2, indicating 3-10 years of age, with 125-300 lb. calves at side, \$480-820 per pair.

STOCK COWS: Medium and Small Frame No. 1-2, indicating 3-10 years of age and bred 2-8 months, \$340-620 per head.

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Thelma Howard Conn is my wife of 32 years, and we have raised seven children here in Floyd County and have 12 grandchildren. I know the problems each of us face as parents and children. I know the difficulty of providing food and shelter and giving our children proper guidance and an education.

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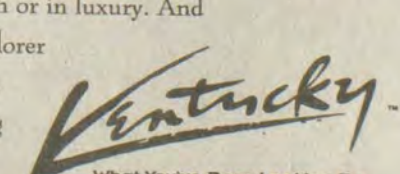
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Cancer prevention dependent upon exercise and lifestyle

Cancer is a topic that surfaces in the news media everyday. From causes to prevention, we hear about everything including diet, activity levels, tobacco and alcohol use, sun exposure and even our thoughts and feelings. Despite the multiple messages one thing is clear our lifestyles have an obvious impact on the causes and prevention of this life-threatening disease. In fact, some scientists have estimated that 80 percent of all cancer cases are related to those factors.

Although it has not been proven conclusively that exercise prevents cancer, many recent studies concluded that physically active people are less likely to get certain types of cancer than those who do not exercise regularly. Researchers have found that moderate amounts of exercise may strengthen the immune system, improving its ability to destroy circulating cancer cells. This evidence even led the American Cancer Society to recommend exercise as a possible way to reduce the risk of cancer.

I-Min Lee, co-author of a study published in the Journal of the National Cancer Institute, said, "The message is to go out and exercise. Exercise seems to be good for almost everything—heart disease, diabetes and cancer."

Lee and two co-authors studied the health and exercise patterns of 17,148 men enrolled in the Harvard Alumni Health Study. The men, ages 30-79, have been participants in the program since 1962. The study compared the rate of colon and rectal cancers among the alumni who were physically inactive to those who were either active or highly active. According to Lee, "We found that if they were moderately high or highly active, they had about half the risk of colon cancer compared to those who were inactive."

Regular exercise may be the best health, wellness and positive lifestyle promoter there is. There is some evidence that exercise may exert a protective effect by preventing certain types of cancer such as those of the colon and breast. Those who exercise are less likely to have certain lifestyle factors such as obesity that are associated with increased cancer risk. These people also have more nutritious diets and less body fat—two factors associated with lower risks of several types of cancers.

Since cancer is actually many diseases, exercise will influence different types of cancer differently. The likely mechanism behind the apparent protective effect of exercise on colon cancer is the most straightforward. Cancer-causing substances, or carcinogens, in fecal waste tend to promote colon cancer. For physical and possibly chemical reasons, exercise speeds waste through the colon. The less time waste spends in the colon the less likely it is to cause cancer.

The more estrogen in a woman's body, the greater her risk of breast cancer. For example, women who begin menstruating at a later age or

who reach menopause earlier than usual—and thus have a lower lifetime level of estrogen—tend to have a lower risk of breast cancer. Some researchers believe that regular exercise may also lower the risk of the disease by decreasing estrogen levels. Women who exercise generally have more lean muscle tissue and less fat tissue than women who don't exercise, and leaner women tend to produce less estrogen.

Research suggests that higher levels of the male hormone testosterone may contribute to the development of prostate cancer. Since physical activity may lower testosterone levels, that could explain why very active men may have a reduced risk of prostate cancer.

The National Exercise For Life Institute, a non-profit organization that promotes the benefits of regular exercise, recommends implementing a program of regular aerobic exercise into daily routines a minimum of three days a week for only twenty minutes. A more frequent regimen may be necessary for optimum results. "No matter what type of exercise you do, the evidence suggest that regular aerobic exercise can be an important deterrent to some forms of cancer," said Jeff Zwiemel, director of The National Exercise For Life Institute.

The Minnesota-based National Exercise For Life Institute (NEFLI) is dedicated to providing current and relevant information on fitness, exercise and health. For more information on exercise and cancer prevention contact NEFLI at 1-800-358-3636.



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Matthew DeRossett

Click, DeRossett exchange vows

Patricia Ann Click, daughter of Randy and Jo Ann Crum of Prestonsburg and the late Melvin Click Jr., and Robert Matthew DeRossett, son of Robert and Virginia DeRossett of Prestonsburg, exchanged vows December 12.

The Rev. French Harmon officiated at the 4:30 p.m. ceremony at Allen Baptist Church.

Ron Wright performed the Lord's Prayer and accompanied Mary Wright with "Let It Be Me." Larry Hyden provided piano music. Michelle Blair

served as maid of honor; Dena Powell and Angie Mayfield served as bridesmaids and Heather Gray, cousin of the bride, was flower girl.

Dale Powell, friend of the groom, was best man. Dale Crum and Rusty Duty were groomsmen. Steven Brian Click, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer. Guest book keepers were Stephanie Gray, cousin of the bride, and Jessica Patton, niece of the groom.

A reception was held at the church following the ceremony. The couple resides in Auxier.

Engagement announced

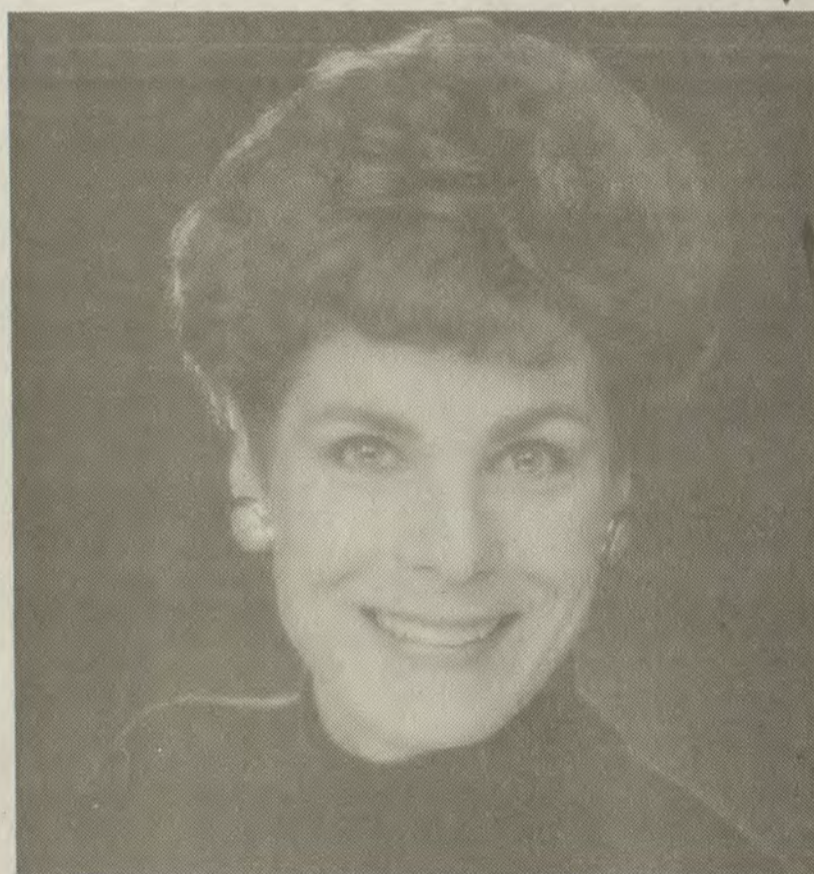
Mr. and Mrs. Omar Easom of Carrollton announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Ellen Elaine, to Barkley J. Sturgill Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Barkley J. Sturgill.

Miss Easom is a 1988 graduate of the University of Kentucky and a 1991 graduate of Chase College of Law. She is a member of the Alpha Delta Pi sorority. She is employed as an attorney with Clark, Ward and

Cave of Lexington.

Mr. Sturgill is a 1987 graduate of Washington and Lee University in Lexington, Virginia, and a 1991 graduate of Chase College of Law. He is a member of the Kappa Alpha fraternity. He is employed as an attorney with Robinson and McElwee of Lexington.

The wedding will be held May 29 at 7 p.m. at the St. Peter Catholic Church in Lexington.



Ellen Elaine Easom

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These tips to get extra nutrition are as follows:

* Buy the freshest possible produce. Fruits and vegetables are low-fat, high-fiber foods, as well as good sources of many vitamins. However, some nutrients are easily destroyed after harvest. Produce that is wilted or shows other signs of long storage may have lost one-third or more of its vitamin content.

* At the dairy case, select low-fat milk, yogurt and cheese products. Low-fat cheeses include mozzarella made from part-skim milk, neufchatel, ricotta and cottage cheese. If you must have ice cream, choose regular ice cream with 10 to 11 percent fat. The premium brands contain 16 percent, or more, fat.

* Lean meat trimmed of fat is a good choice at the meat counter. The leanest beef and pork are the round and loin.

When selecting ground beef, check the label for the percentage of fat or lean. Although the price is usually higher for a leaner product, it may be a better buy healthwise and costwise—depending upon how you plan to prepare it. If you are going to grill beef patties and allow the fat to cook out, or if you plan to make a sauce where fat rises to the top and can be removed, the cheaper product will do just as well as an expensive one.

* Whole-grain breads and cereals are good sources of fiber and complex carbohydrates. Try English muffins, bagels, and crackers made from wholewheat flour. Remember that croissants, muffins and biscuits often are high in fat.

* Some cereals, such as granola, may have hidden fat. Read the label to discover the fat content.

(Information provided by Floyd County Extension Service)

RITZ CRACKER COOKIE

Cook until thick:
1 can Eagle Brand milk
1 cup chopped dates
Then add 1 cup chopped pecans. Cool this mixture and spread on Ritz crackers. Bake at 350° degrees for 5 minutes.

Have 1 (8 oz.) cream cheese at room temperature and mix it with 1 pound confectioners sugar. Add 1 tsp. vanilla. Ice cookies when they're cold. Store in an air-tight container at room temperature.

(Information provided by the Floyd County Extension Service)

QUICK CRESCENT PE-CAN PIE BARS

Crust:
1 (8 oz.) can Pillsbury refrigerated Quick Crescent Dinner Rolls
Filling:
1/2 c. chopped pecans
1/2 c. sugar
1/2 c. corn syrup
1 tsp. margarine or butter, melted
1/2 tsp. vanilla
1 egg, beaten

Heat oven to 375 degrees. Unroll dough into 2 long rectangles. Place in ungreased 13x9-inch pan; press over bottom and 1/2 inch up sides to form crust. Firmly press perforations to seal. Bake at 375° degrees for 5 minutes. Meanwhile, in medium bowl combine all filling ingredients. Pour over partially baked crust. Return to oven and bake for an additional 18 to 22 minutes. Cool. Cut into bars.

(Information provided by the Floyd County Extension Service)

STRAWBERRY-LEMON CREAM PARFAIT

1/2 cup whipping cream
1/2 cup prepared lemon curd*
Grated peel of 1 lemon
2 pint baskets California strawberries, stemmed and sliced
Mint sprigs, for garnish

In medium bowl whip cream to form stiff peaks. In another medium bowl mix about one-fourth of the cream into lemon curd to blend thoroughly, then fold in remaining cream and the lemon peel. Chill. To serve, arrange 3 layers strawberries and 2 layers lemon cream in each of 4 stemmed glasses, beginning and ending with strawberries. Garnish with mint. Serve with small crisp cookies, if desired. Makes 4 servings.

* Lemon curd is available in the jam and jelly section or gourmet foods section of most supermarkets.

TROPICAL SANDWICHES

6 servings
1 1/2 cups cottage cheese
1/2 cup dairy sour cream
1 cup finely diced ham
2/3 cup diced celery

2 tablespoons snipped fresh chives
1 teaspoon seasoned salt
Dash pepper

6 slices whole wheat bread
Butter
Fresh spinach leaves, washed and chilled

12 pineapple slices, chilled
Toasted coconut
Beat cottage cheese until almost smooth; beat in sour cream until fluffy. Fold in ham, celery, chives, seasoned salt and pepper. Chill 1 to 2 hours to allow flavors to blend. To serve, spread one side of bread with butter. Cover buttered side of bread with spinach leaves. Arrange 2 slices of pineapple over spinach. Spoon cottage cheese mixture over pineapple. Sprinkle with toasted coconut. Serve immediately.

Serving size: 1/6 of recipe
Calories per serving: 306
Protein 18 g, fat 10 g, carbohydrate 39 g
Calcium 114 mg, riboflavin (B2) .3 mg

HAWAIIAN MILK DRINK

makes about 7 cups
1 1/2 cups pineapple juice, chilled
2/3 cup orange juice, chilled
1 tablespoon fresh lemon juice
2 pints vanilla ice cream, softened
2 1/2 cups cold milk
Orange slices, if desired
Gradually add fruit juices to ice cream; stir until blended. Stir in milk. Serve immediately in tall chilled glasses garnished with orange slice.

Serving size: 1 cup
Calories per serving: 229
Protein 6 g, fat 9 g, carbohydrate 32g

Calcium 216 mg, riboflavin (B2) .35 mg

BAKED POTATOES FOR TOPPINGS

4 (about 8 ounces each)
Colorado Baking Potatoes
Wash potatoes; using fork, pierce each in several places. With paper towel, wipe skins with salad oil. Place on baking sheet. Bake at 450°F. for 1 hour or until potatoes are tender.

FOR MICROWAVE: Place on paper towel and cook on high for 16 to 20 minutes, until tender. After 10 minutes-turn over and rearrange. Let stand 5 minutes.

Cut potatoes in half or open top and fluff with fork. Top with one of the following toppings:

PARTHENON POTATOES

1 cup sliced mushrooms
1 tsp. olive oil
1/2 lb. fresh spinach, torn into bite size pieces
1/4 cup sliced pitted ripe olives
2 tsp. Caesar salad dressing
1/2 cup crumbled feta cheese or shredded Mozzarella cheese
1/3 cup julienne pepper strips (red, green, and yellow)
1 small onion, sliced and separated into rings

1 tsp. salad oil
1 1/2 cups cut-up vegetables (broccoli, carrots, celery, green beans)
1/4 cup Italian dressing

In 10-inch skillet, saute peppers and onions in oil until just tender. Add remaining vegetables and cook 5 minutes longer until all vegetables are tender. Blend in dressing. Spoon onto hot Colorado potatoes.

MICROWAVE DIRECTIONS: Combine all ingredients in 2-quart microwave-safe dish. Cover loosely with plastic wrap and cook on high 3 to 5 minutes until vegetables are crisp and tender.

CHILI POTATOES

1/4 cup chopped onion
1 small clove garlic, minced
1/2 teaspoon chili powder
1 tsp. salad oil
1 can (19 ounces) chili before soup
1 can (16 ounces) kidney beans, drained

3/4 cup shredded Cheddar cheese
In 2-quart saucepan, cook onion, garlic and chili powder in oil until onion is tender. Add soup and beans. Cook until heated through, stirring often. Spoon over hot Colorado potatoes. Garnish with cheese.

MICROWAVE DIRECTIONS: In 2-quart microwave-safe dish, combine onion, garlic, chili powder and oil. Loosely cover with plastic wrap and cook 2 minutes. Blend in soup and beans. Cook 3 minutes or until heated through, stir and turn once.

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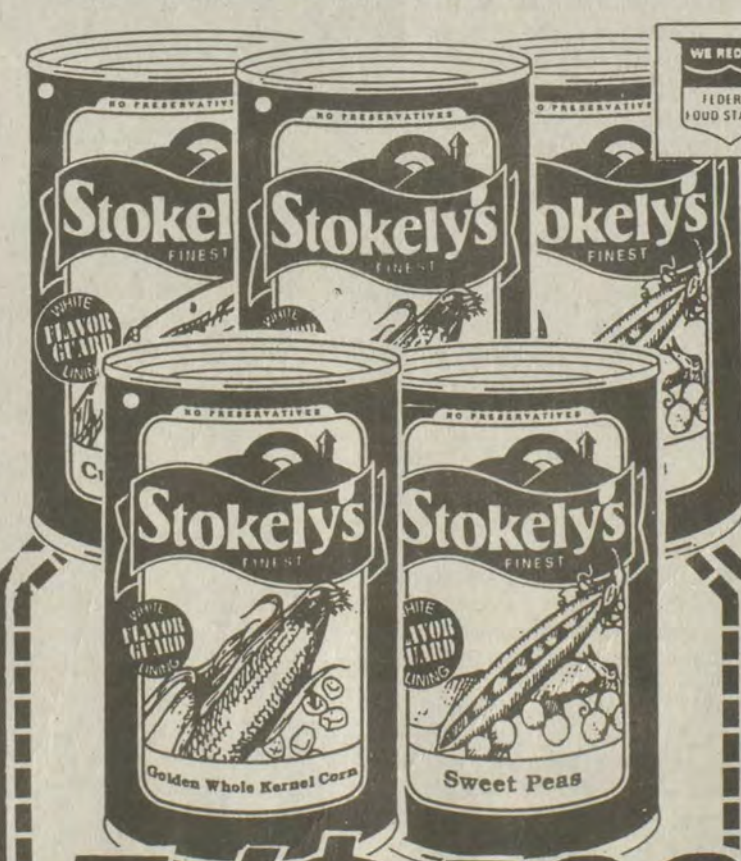
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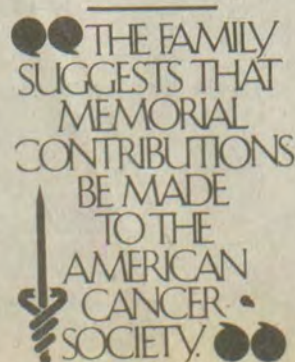
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Business

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SMART MONEY



BRUCE WILLIAMS

What you must know about fences

DEAR BRUCE: You've written several times about fences, but you haven't said how close a wooden fence can be to a property line.

If your neighbor puts a fence on the property line, who is responsible for maintaining your side? Can he come over onto your property to paint it or otherwise maintain it?—M.S., Attleboro, Mass.

DEAR M.S.: Unhappily, there is no set answer for your question.

Many communities require that a fence be set back 6 inches or more, just to avoid the problem you describe. Others will specifically allow a neighbor to cross a property line to maintain a dividing fence.

Your best shot is to consult the building code official in your community. Find out precisely where the responsibilities for maintenance, set backs, and whatever, lie in your community.

The variations around the nation are enormous. One broad answer would not be appropriate, since it would not apply uniformly.

One warning does apply—never, ever put a fence in until you have had an accurate survey of lot lines. This way, you know, indeed, that the fence is where it is supposed to be.

DEAR BRUCE: I am buying a home on a mortgage that I entered into in 1972. My payments are due on the 1st of the month, and if the payment is not made before the 17th, a late fee is added.

This is what the contract states, and I understood this. I've always sent payments in the form of cashier's checks, and when I've passed the grace period, I've added the late fee. I've been doing this for nearly 20 years.

Some time ago, I went to make a payment in the Dallas office, and was told they could no longer accept them. I would have to send it to Nevada, Mo. I sent a payment in the form of a cashier's check in the regular amount, due the 16th of the month. I received letters stating that I owed a late charge because it was not on their books until the 21st.

This change in payment policy, along with not being able to make the payment here in Dallas, should have been told to me. Nothing was ever said, but still, I have to suffer. I would like your response.—J.B., Mesquite, Texas.

DEAR J.B.: Unlike taxes, most business obligations are due in the hands of the recipient by the due date, rather than being postmarked by the due date.

Clearly it would be in the public interest to have a law passed that would make a postmark sufficient evidence of payment. Mail can be delayed, a payment could land on the wrong desk, etc.

In the absence of being able to drop off your payment at a local office and get a receipt, I'm afraid your only recourse is to send it in a bit early—so as to be certain that it reaches their office well before the due date.

Like you, I make my payments as late as possible. Happily, most of mine are made locally, where I can send a courier or drop them off myself.

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Enchanted World Travel Agency adds new feature to make life easier

by Janice Shepherd
Managing Editor

Enchanted World Travel Agency has added another feature to its diverse services that should make life a little easier and hopefully, safer, for Eastern Kentucky travelers, according to owner Inez Baldrige of Paintsville.

The agency purchased a tour bus and a limousine earlier this year. It is the only licensed tour bus in Eastern Kentucky, Baldrige said. The agency is one of a few full service travel agencies — "if not the only agency" — in the U.S. that offers bus charter and limousine services, she explained.

Baldrige, wife of Harold "Bud" Baldrige of Baldrige Engineering, said one of the main reasons she added the bus excursion to her line of services was because she was concerned about the safety of area school children and of her clients.

"Once there's an accident, it's too late," Baldrige said. "Anyone can haul kids, but it takes years and is costly to do it legally."

Baldrige explained that there are groups that use buses to haul chil-

dren, but they don't have the state authority or the insurance coverage.

"There are good bus services available besides ours," said Baldrige,

lize a tour bus service to request proof of state authority, ICC authority, and a certificate of insurance. "Have them fax or mail you a copy," she said.

Since January, the bus has logged quite a few miles with trips to Lexington, Louisville and beyond. A group of UK fans was also taken to Charlotte for the Final Four elimination.

Groups have already scheduled trips to Missouri, Bardstow, Florida, Canada. Baldrige has plans for a New England tour this fall, but she especially hopes to use the bus service for schools.

She offers discounts to schools, churches and senior citizens groups. Marvin Miller of Salyersville is the bus driver and Jimmy Pelphrey of Paintsville is the limousine driver.

The limousine service is used for airport pickups, funerals, proms, weddings and special occasions such as taking great-grandma out to dinner, said Baldrige.

The limousine and bus are housed in Prestonsburg and can be seen near Carter-Hughes-Toyota lot.

For more information about the service, contact Baldrige at 1-800-467-5547.



Enchanted World takes to the road

Enchanted World Travel with offices in Paintsville and Hazard has added a tour bus and limousine to its line of services. The agency is owned by Inez Baldrige. (photo by Janice Shepherd)

Anyone who provides a bus service for a group should have state authority, ICC (Interstate Commerce Commission) and adequate insurance coverage, she said.

who explained that she uses a Lexington bus service when she has a large group touring. "Just make sure they're covered."

She advises those planning to uti-

Shoe Show celebrates opening of 300th store

Thirty-two years and 300 stores ago, Robert Tucker opened the first Shoe Show in Kannapolis, N.C.

The 300th opening in Greenville, N.C. will be quite different from the first. The first store opened with used carpeting bought from a church and racks that were spray painted by Tucker and others. The 300th store is a product of a three-man design staff and a state-of-the-art computer aided design system which fully automates the store design process. The fixturing is also done in-house at the home office in Concord, N.C.

Bob Tucker used a utility trailer in the early 60's to pick up close-outs from prestigious stores. In 1993, the company runs a fleet of its own delivery trucks.

The first pricing system consisted of hand-stamped prices; now the system consists of two large laser printers capable of 20 pages per minute. In addition, using a PC attached to an AS400, ticket information is transmitted to Hong Kong for printing of tickets for shoes bought in the Orient.

Robert Tucker purchased a used cash register for his first store; now the company uses PC based registers supported by an IBM AS400D50.

With this system, sales information is transmitted daily and refilled on a weekly basis out of the 100,000 square foot warehouse.

The first store employed Tucker, his wife, and one part-time employee. The company now employs 2600 people in 17 states.

Some of Shoe Show's growth has been through acquisitions of ailing companies such as Burlington Shoes in 1986. This division, which began with the purchase of seven stores, has grown to 80 and continues to expand. The Burlington/Shoe Dept. stores offer customers an impressive lineup of Rockport, Dexter, Aigner, Proxy, Jasmin, Jazz, Impo, Florsheim, Sebago, Bostonian, and Eastland, as well as branded athletics such as Reebok, Nike, Asics, Keds, and L.A. Gear.

The Shoe Show division carries its own brands as well as Nike, Reebok, Keds, L.A. Gear, Asics, Fila, Hi-Tec, K-Swiss, and Adidas.

Shoe Show's 100,000 square foot corporate headquarters and warehouse are located in Concord, which is 15 miles north of Charlotte, N.C. Here the company's diverse and expanding staff includes 190 people.



Current campaign

Lt. Gov. Paul Patton greets Tina McFarland, executive director of United Way of Eastern Kentucky, as they prepare to film a promotional video for United Way's current campaign. Lt. Gov. Patton is the 1993-1994 spokesperson for United Way of Eastern Kentucky. (photo by Allen Bolling)

Lt. Gov. named spokesman for United Way for 1993-94

Lt. Governor Paul Patton has been named spokesperson for United Way of Eastern Kentucky for the 1993-94 campaign which begins this month.

In accepting the nomination, Patton recognized United Way's role in Eastern Kentucky. "Over the years, United Way, through its emphasis on health and human services, has helped improve the quality of life for some of the neediest among us."

Among the programs which received United Way funding are God's Pantry, Hospice of Big Sandy, Kentucky Homecare, The Salvation Army, Literacy Programs, Special Olympics, the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, and the Family Abuse Shelter to name a few.

This year, under the chairmanship of Butch Bradley and the day-to-day direction of Tina McFarland, executive director, United Way of Eastern Kentucky has set sights on new levels of contributions and greater assistance to this area's service organizations. Lt. Gov. Patton pointed out that all donations made in Eastern Kentucky stay here. "Only one hour's pay a month or one percent of your annual salary can make a world of difference in the lives of our fellow Eastern Kentuckians. As a native of Eastern Kentucky myself, I have seen an outstanding quality which sets us apart in a most positive

way—it's our willingness to generously help one another, giving when giving is needed."

United Way of Eastern Kentucky serves Floyd, Johnson, Magoffin, Martin and Pike county. It is an independent service organization which operates solely on contributions pledged specifically for its service area.

Administration costs are kept to a minimum and all contributions received by United Way of Eastern Kentucky are used to fund local service agencies.

Funeral directors hold spring meeting

The Eastern District Funeral Directors Association of Kentucky's spring meeting was held Tuesday, April 6, at Greenbo State Park at Greenup. The annual election of officers was held. Elected were: Jim Carter, Carter Funeral Home of Prestonsburg, president; Jim Cain, Pike County Funeral Home of Pikeville, vice-president; Denver Bailey, Bailey Funeral Home of Elkhorn City, secretary-treasurer; Gene Hall, Roger Funeral Home of Belfry, district representative to the state board.

BY CHARLES J. GIVENS MONEY STRATEGIES

Medigap, or what could better be called "medicrap" insurance appears to be just the supplemental policy needed to pick up what federal Medicare coverage doesn't.

Strategy: Don't waste money on medigap or any insurance that covers only deductibles.

Companies choose names meant to deceive you into believing that the mailing you receive is from a government or non-profit agency. Such names include: Senior Citizens Health Services, Retired Persons Information Center, Medicare Division: Information Distribution Office.

Companies also masquerade as information services. This pitch talks about information you must have on Medicare, Social Security or retirement. Nowhere does it say that the information will come in the form of a insurance salesperson.

Half truths or remote possibilities peppered with words meant to terrify have a tremendous impact.

"Congress and the President have proposed new stop gaps in your Medicare coverage—previous information is invalid...respond now for important changes in your coverage." In truth, there are no adverse changes pending.

"The federal Medicare system pays only about 50 percent of your medical expenses and your benefits are being significantly reduced."

Actually, Medicare pays for 100 percent of the hospital bill plus doctor's fees, except for the deductibles, whether you are in or out of the hospital.

Medigap insurance covers only Medicare deductibles at a cost that is overpriced by 1,000 percent for the coverage. But even then, their policies have significant exclusions.

One trick is to guarantee that the policy will be issued without a medical check-up to anyone who applies. The policy itself excludes coverage for custodial care, alcohol and drug addictions, and even mental disorders.

Policies often contain an additional time deductible. Coverage might not begin until the eighth day of hospitalization. The average hospital stay is seven days or less, which minimizes your chance of collecting.

Your best weapon against all forms of gimmick insurance is knowledge. If you have such insurance, get rid of it. If you're told you can't live without it, you know you can—and save a lot of money in the process.

New mortgage interest rate announced

Kentucky Housing Corporation (KHC) recently announced its new mortgage interest rate for low- to moderate-income first-time homebuyers. Effective immediately, the interest rate will be 6.70 percent fixed for thirty years with either FHA mortgage insurance or VA guarantee, and the required down payment is less than 5 percent.

Fifteen million dollars has been set aside statewide and will be available through participating lenders on a first-come, first-served basis until all funds have been exhausted.

"Along with the recent increase in our purchase price limits to \$64,000 for an existing home and \$67,000 for a newly-built home, this new interest rate will allow many more Kentuckians the opportunity to move into homeownership," stated Lynn Luallen, KHC's executive director.

For those potential homebuyers who have problems saving for the down payment and closing costs, KHC's Equity Partners Investing in the Commonwealth (EPIC) program offers assistance. The program allows qualified homebuyers to borrow up to 60 percent of their down payment and closing costs (up to \$3,000) at a 4.50 percent interest rate for 7 years.

For more information about homebuyer eligibility and participating lenders, contact KHC's Homeownership Department at (502) 564-7630, (800) 633-8896 or (800) 247-2510 (for the hearing impaired only).



Banker's seminar

Pictured (left to right) are Bruce Coleman, BSADD; Hal Rogers, Fifth District US Congressman; and Linda Pierce, SKED.

Big Sandy ADD participates in Southeast Ky. Bankers' Seminar

Bruce Coleman with the Big Sandy Area Development District participated in the first Southeast Kentucky Bankers' Seminar held last month in Prestonsburg.

Approximately 100 bank CEO's and commercial loan officers attended the meetings to learn about business/industry financial incentive programs offered by state and federal agencies. U.S. Congressman Hal Rogers was the featured speaker. He urged banking industry leaders to be supportive of sound entrepreneurial efforts to boost the economy and create new jobs.

The seminar was the first in a series to be offered as part of the SBA funded Business Enhancement and Export Program (BEEP). BEEP is a unique program that assists small businesses in their efforts to grow by increasing sales in international and domestic markets.

For more information to help your business grow in either domestic or foreign markets please call Bruce Coleman with the BSADD at 606/886-23743 or Linda Pierce, regional director of the Business Enhancement and Export Program at (606) 679-1952.

Business/Real Estate

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April 16, 1993

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Job Guide

JOB TITLE	EXPERIENCE	EDUCATION	SALARY	COUNTY
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER	4 YEARS	18	\$20,000 YEAR	AREA
BASKETBALL COACH, GIRLS TEAM	CERTIFIED	16	NEGOTIABLE	AREA
CASHIER-CHECKER	6 MONTHS	10	\$4.25 HOUR	AREA
CHEERLEADING SPONSOR	CERTIFIED	16	\$3,000 YEAR	AREA
DIRECTOR, CHILD CARE PROGRAM	CERTIFIED	14	NEGOTIABLE	AREA
EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN	CERTIFIED	10	NEGOTIABLE	FLOYD
FAST FOOD WORKER, PART-TIME	NONE	10	\$4.25 HOUR	AREA
FOOTBALL COACH	CERTIFIED	16	NEGOTIABLE	AREA
INSURANCE SALES REP.	NONE	12	COMMISSION	AREA
MECHANICAL ENGINEER	NONE	16	NEGOTIABLE	AREA
NURSE AIDE, CERTIFIED	CERTIFIED	12	\$4.60 HOUR	AREA
NURSE, L P N.	LICENSED	14	\$8.00 HOUR	LAWRENCE
MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIST	LICENSED	19	\$11.80 HOUR	AREA
PEDIATRICIAN	LICENSED	19	\$70,000 YEAR	AREA
PHYSICIAN INTERNIST	LICENSED	19	\$90,000 YEAR	AREA
PRINCIPAL	CERTIFIED	17	NEGOTIABLE	AREA
PROGRAM AIDE, PART-TIME	AGE 55 OR OLDER	10	\$4.25 HOUR	FLOYD
ROTC INSTRUCTOR	CERTIFIED ROTC INST.	16	NEGOTIABLE	AREA
SCOOP OPERATOR, ELKHORN	1 YEAR	08	NEGOTIABLE	PIKE
WELDER, INSTALLATION	6 MONTHS	12	\$5.50 HOUR	AREA
WELDER, MACHINE SHOP	1 YEAR	08	\$6.00 HOUR	AREA

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 INEZ...ROOM 100...OLD COURTHOUSE...THURSDAYS ONLY...9AM-2:00PM
 SALYERSVILLE...FIRST FLOOR...COURTHOUSE...MONDAY THRU FRIDAY...8AM-4:30PM

KENTUCKY JOB SERVICE TIP OF THE WEEK

The TIP is ACCURACY. Answer all the employers questions accurately, honestly, frankly and promptly. Never say anything on which you would be unable to make good.

New workplace key to American competitiveness

Secretary of Labor Robert B. Reich asked a group of business leaders for their help in closing a chapter in labor-management relations which, since 1981, "has been marked by growing mistrust, increasing hostility and mounting litigation."

"It's time to end this second chapter, and move on to one based on workplace teamwork and mutual respect between management and the workforce," said Reich.

Reich's March 19 comments before the National Association of Manufacturers (NAM) paralleled those he delivered earlier in the week before legislative conferees of organized labor. "Good relations between workers and employers make good business sense," said Reich. "The most profitable companies over the long term are those which regard their employees as key assets to be developed rather than costs to be cut."

"In a rapidly globalizing and technological economy, competitive advantage increasingly depends on the skills and motivations of a company's workforce. Competitors share access to the same machines, they can 'reverse engineer' around the same patents, or they can reduce payrolls by automating, or moving to low-wage countries," said Reich.

"A dedicated and innovative workforce is far more difficult to replicate," Reich told the conferees. "Workers on the front line have access to information which is crucial for quick response and high quality."

Reich cited successful examples of the new workplace. He noted, "At National Steel, for example, a labor-management partnership helped generate operating profits of \$11 a ton last year, compared to a \$19 loss at major rivals. At Xerox, another such partnership has cut product costs by millions of dollars, and stopped the Japanese advance."

"A new partnership between management and the workforce demands trust and responsibility on your part," Reich said as he challenged the members of NAM to be collaborating authors of the new workforce. "The Clinton Administration will support your efforts—but it is each of you here today who has to help get us there."

Reich reiterated his intention to unveil over the next few weeks a series of initiatives designed to encourage managers and workers in creating a new workplace partnership.

Prestonsburg Labor Force Profile

TOTAL EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT

Estimates of Civilian Labor Force, Employment, Unemployment, and Unemployment Rates for Kentucky and Prestonsburg Local Office.

	Civilian Labor Force	Total Employment	Total Unemployment
KENTUCKY	1,740,382	1,616,388	123,994
Prestonsburg	30,406	27,244	3,162
Floyd	15,494	14,105	1,389
Johnson	8,630	7,941	689
Magoffin	3,342	2,620	722
Martin	2,940	2,578	362

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McDOWELL—This 3-year-old home consists of 3 bedrooms and 1 3/4 baths with a attached 2-car garage. Call Hansel or Frances today on this super-nice home.

PRESTONSBURG—Convenient and affordable, priced in the 30's, a nice neighborhood. These are a few good reasons this 3-bedroom, 1-bath home should be on your list of homes to see before making that final decision.

COMMERCIAL INVESTMENT, RT. 114, MIDDLE CREEK—Tract 1—(3/4 acre) includes 2 single-wide mobile homes, producing over \$500 in monthly income. A duplex having 1,500 sq. ft. renting for \$500 monthly.

Tract 2—Nice building lots or 2-3 mobile home sites. Call today for more details.

PINHOOK—This apartment building offers 3 apartments. All 3 apartments offer 2 bedrooms with 1 1/2 baths. Heatpump heat and air, landscaped, French doors leading to deck area.

BANNER (MAPLEWOOD SUB.)—Townhouses—2-units each consisting of 3 bedrooms and 1 1/2 baths, 1,350 sq. ft., 2-car garage, re-carpeted, painted within the last year, 1 1/2 miles to US. 23. Lot size 3/4 acre. Heat and air with Heatpump.

NEW LISTING—MIDDLE CREEK—Investment opportunity—3 rentals—live in one and rent the other two! First—1 bedroom, 1 bath, fully customized cathedral ceilings, sprinkler system in every room, double pane windows, 20x24 storage building. Second—1973 Glenbrook 12x60 with 2 bedrooms and 1 bath. Used for a rental, monthly income of \$275. Has a new gas hot water heater and new furnace.

Realtor joins Century 21 Masters Club

CENTURY 21 Classic Realty's Juanita Thacker Lowe has been added to the list of Regional "Masters Club" members, according to Regional Director Steve Becker of Century 21 of Indiana/Kentucky, Inc.

The Masters Club, Becker says, is a recognition program exclusively for consistent top producers, "an opportunity for outstanding brokers and sales associates to be recognized for their repeated high levels of production and quality service."

Lowe is a 15-year real estate veteran and lifelong resident of the market she serves. She has logged honors as: office Top Listing Associate, Million Dollar Club member, Multi-Million Dollar Club member, Pacesetter and Top Associate (1991 and 1992).

Prior to entering real estate, she owned and operated Thacker Furniture & Appliance and Thacker Cable Division and is known in the community as a member of the Pike County Chamber of Commerce, Past President and Charter President of Demolay and a Pikeville College supporter.

Lowe received a gold lapel pin and a certificate of recognition as a newly-inducted Masters Club member and can be reached at CENTURY 21 Classic Realty, 311 North Mayo Trail.

JC Penney manager receives Chairman's Award

Homer S. (Sam) Spradling, manager of the J C Penney department store at the Weddington Plaza, Pikeville, was named a winner of the 1992 Chairman's Award, the company has announced.

William R. Howell, chairman and chief executive officer, congratulated the Weddington Plaza store for an outstanding year that he attributed to their impressive and extremely successful management team's efforts. "Mr. Spradling's team achieved record breaking results while providing our customers with excellent service. This award recognizes the top stores nationwide," the chairman said.

Ranked in the top 15 percent of J C Penney's 1265 stores nationwide, the Weddington Plaza store was selected based on sales and profit productivity per square foot of store space. Mr. Spradling was honored with the other winners on April 18 at an awards presentation in Dallas.

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Auctions

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JENNY WILEY HEALTH CARE PAINTSVILLE
11,872 sq. ft. +/- facility has 51 beds and is situated on a 3.4 acre tract of land which leaves room for expansion. Just 4 miles south of Paintsville.

AUCTION LOCATION: The auction will be held in the Carriage House Motor Lodge, 105 2nd Street, Paintsville, KY. (606-789-4242)

DEPOSITS & CLOSING: 10% down payment on auction day, of which the following amounts are required in the form of cash or certified funds made payable to yourself.

Jenny Wiley Rest Home	\$10,000
Paintsville Health Care	\$10,000
Apartment Building	\$ 5,000

The remainder of the 10% may be made by personal check. Balance due at closing within 30 days.

AUCTIONEERS NOTE: The auctioneer reserves the right to group and regroup. Broker participation welcome, call for details.

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CITY LIMITS: 2-bedroom brick with new carpet, wallpaper and paint throughout. L-007-F.

DAVID: FmHA home with 3 bedrooms, 1 bath & new carpet throughout. H-017-F.

PRESTONSBURG: 3-bdrm., 2-bath brick beauty with extra lg. back yard. M-010-F.

ABBOTT CREEK: Quality-built brick home with 4 bedrooms, 2 baths and family room with a fireplace. L-006-F.

PRESTONSBURG: 3-bedroom, 2-bath with large walk-through closet in master bedroom. S-015-F.

COAL RUN VILLAGE: 2-bedroom home with fireplace on 200x100 level lot. C-016-P.

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Wheelchair accessibility and a large home office with a private entrance are two noteworthy features of the Ainsley. But you needn't be in a wheelchair, or have a home business, to appreciate this plan.

Both the front and office entrances are equipped with ramps. At the rear of the home, sliders in the master suite and a French door in the kitchen open onto a patio at ground level. Interior halls and doorways are designed for ample clearance. Stately columns mark the boundaries of the formal living spaces, creating an open feeling that is enhanced by 10-foot-high ceilings in the living room and entry.

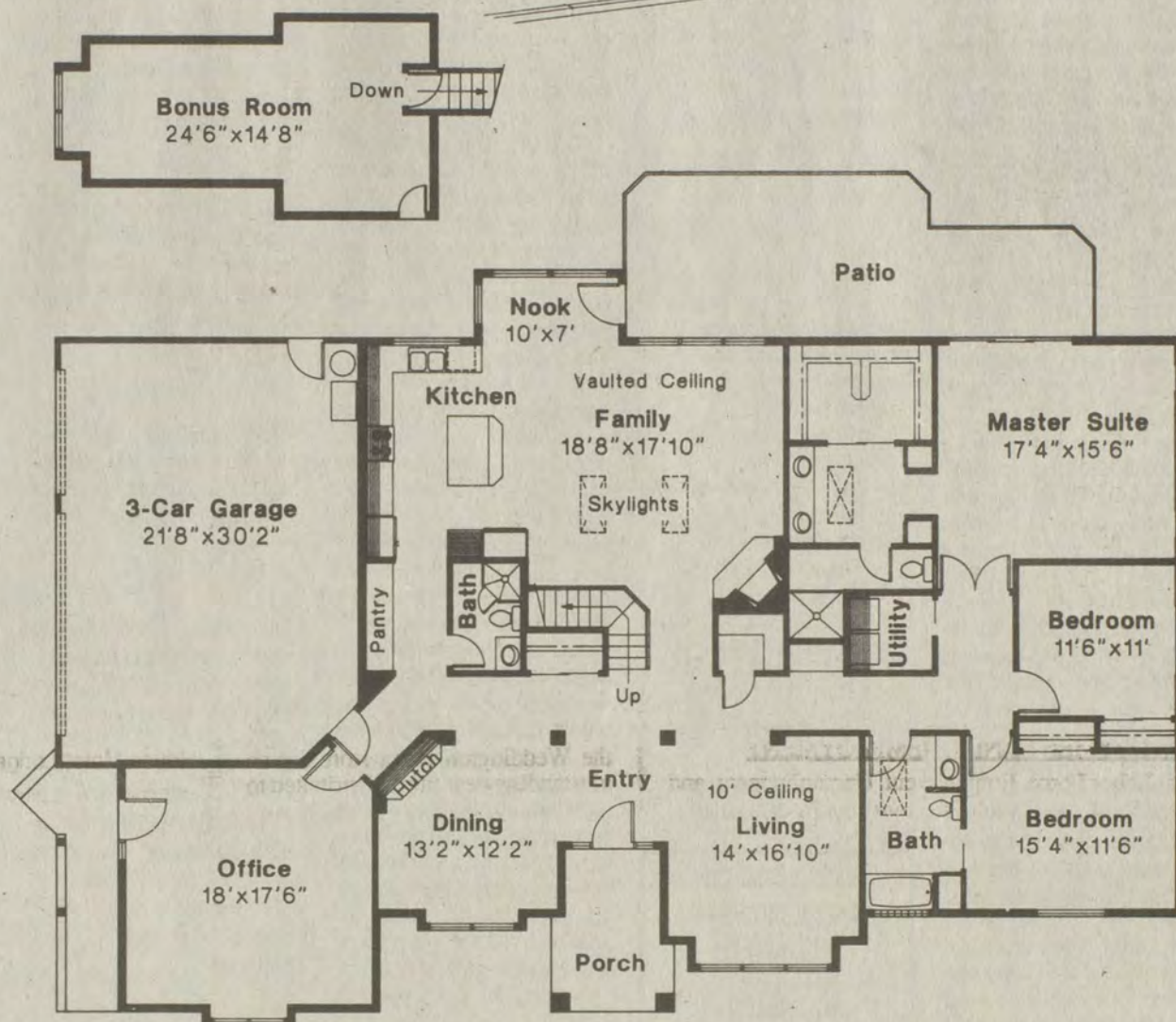
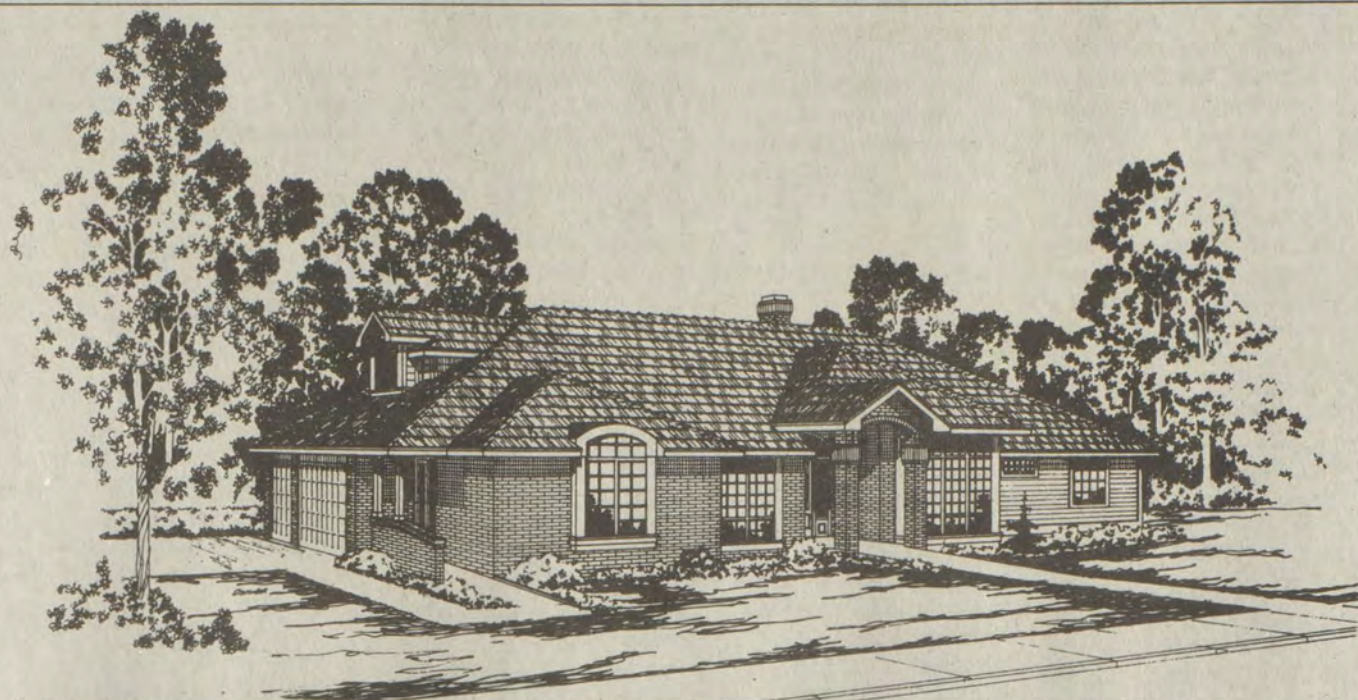
A high graceful arched window brightens the office, still leaving plenty of wall space for desks, files, bookcases, or display cases. This room could also be put to other uses.

The sunny nook expands a kitchen that comes equipped with every convenience and is open to a spacious family room with a corner fireplace. An open stairway leads to a 300-square-foot bonus room, over the garage — the only room you can't get to in a wheelchair.

Luxury features in the master suite include a huge walk-in closet and skylit master bathroom with twin basins, twin linen cabinets, and an enclosed toilet and shower.

The bathroom shared by the Ainsley's secondary bedrooms is wheelchair accessible. A pocket door in the front bedroom provides direct access — convenient if a disabled child or aging parent occupies this room.

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 Ainsley 10-008 and include a return address when ordering.



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"Making Do" Beautifully With Interior Wood Finishes

It's been said that the art of wood finishing is "making do" with what you have, rather than buying new. Thanks to the recession, back-to-nature movement, casual styles and new technologies, "making do" has never been more popular.

As proof, most manufacturers of wood-finishing products are projecting a 10 to 30 percent sales increase for '93. And a few are predicting their best year yet.

Also positioning their products are some of the newer finishes, such as tintable stains, pastels, whitewashes and pickling stains, according to *Decorating Retailer*, the trade magazine of the National Decorating Products Association.

The look of pickled wood on kitchen cabinetry is a case in point. Clean and fresh-looking, the finish is a top seller, particularly in model homes. In addition to cabinetry, these products are being used increasingly on flooring, furniture, paneling, railings and trim.

As the economy has tightened, consumers have found a variety of other uses for wood finishes. An application that continues to gain popularity, for example, is wood graining on steel and fiberglass entry doors to

resemble expensive woods such as oak and mahogany.

But at the same time, the real thing is gaining interest. Clear finishes, in particular, are in big demand because they allow the natural grain of the wood to show through. A favorite finish for flooring, ceiling beams and trim, clears are popular not only in country decors but wherever a warm, inviting ambiance is desired. Tinted stains, which are transparent but with just a touch of color, likewise are on the rise.

While nature's "imperfections"—knots, deep grains and soft spots—may add rusticity, some consumers prefer a bit more polish. To meet this need are a variety of products that improve on Mother Nature, such as stain controller and wood filler. Suitable for all woods, this last product is especially useful for oak which has a deeper grain.

Yet another popular style is the combination of paint and stain. Combinations of the two on coffee and end tables, bedroom ensembles, dining suites and other furniture pieces are now common. Usually a pairing of a clear finish and white latex enamel, the combination is appearing with stains and brighter colors as well.



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FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT C.A. NO. 92-CI-00462

Jim Walter Homes, Inc. Plaintiff
VS: NOTICE OF SALE
Todd Daniels and Dinah Daniels Defendant

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the March 12 term, 1993, in the above styled cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Prestonsburg, Kentucky, to the highest and best bidder, at public auction, on the 22nd day of April, 1993, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., same being a day of the regular term of the Floyd Circuit Court, for cash or upon a credit of 30 days—8.65% per annum, the following described property, to-wit:

BEGINNING at an iron stake on U.S. Government line; thence up a small drain 200 feet to an iron stake; thence around the hill 200 feet from and parallel to the Government line a distance of 950 feet to a stake; thence down the hill 200 feet to a stake at the Government line approximately 950 feet to the place of beginning.

Being the same property conveyed to the parties of the first part, Woodrow H. Ratliff and Deloris J. Ratliff, his wife, from Ronald Roop and Ola Mae Roop, his wife, by deed executed December 14, 1977, of record in Deed Book 232, Page 284, in the office of the Floyd County Court Clerk, and being the same real property in which Deloris Ratliff, Mark Ratliff and Michelle Ratliff inherited the undivided interest of Woodrow H. Ratliff, who died intestate on February 9, 1988, and being a certain tract or parcel of land lying in Floyd County, Kentucky, on Johns Creek.

This property is sold, subject to property taxes due Floyd County, Kentucky. The amount of money to be raised by this sale shall be \$20,459.71, with a per diem thereon of \$4.84 from August 18, 1992, and continuing thereafter until fully paid, and the costs of this action, including costs of advertising of this sale and the fees and commissions for conducting this sale.

For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

Given under my hand, this 1st day of April, 1993. James R. Allen, Master Commissioner Floyd Circuit Court
W-4/7, 4/14, 4/21

Should the full bid price not be paid at the time of the Commissioner's Sale, then and in that event, twenty percent (20%) of the bid price shall be paid in cash with the remaining eighty percent (80%) to be paid within the thirty (30) day credit period. For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or sureties, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a judgment with a lien retained upon said property as a further security. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms.

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FLOYD CIRCUIT COURT C.A. NO. 92-CI-00738

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Deloris Ratliff; Mark Ratliff and his unknown spouse, if any, Michelle Ratliff, and her unknown spouse, if any, Commonwealth of Kentucky and Floyd County Defendants

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of sale of the Floyd Circuit Court rendered at the March 18 term, 1993, in the above styled cause, I shall

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NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE 836-5058

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that FCDC Coal, Inc., P.O. Box 159, Drift, KY, 41619, intends to apply for bond release on permit number 836-5058 which was last issued on 09/14/92. The application covers an area of approximately 2.66 acres located 0.70 miles east of Teaberry in Floyd County.

The permit area is approximately 0.50 miles east from State Route 979 junction with Red Morg Branch Road and located 0.0 miles North of Red Morg Branch. The latitude is 37° 25' 30". The longitude is 82° 37' 53".

The total bond now in effect is \$10,000.00 dollars, 65 percent of the total is to be included in this application for Phase I release.

Reclamation work performed includes: back-filling, seeding and grading as per approved plan. This work was completed on November 11, 1992.

A public hearing has been scheduled for June 1, 1993 at 9:00 a.m. at the Prestonsburg Regional Office for the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. If a written request for a public hearing has not been received within thirty

(30) days after the publication of the final notice for this advertisement, the hearing will be cancelled.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing may be submitted to the cabinet at Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, #2 Hudson Hollow, Frankfort, KY 40601. Written comments, objections or requests for a public hearing must be received within 30 days of the final advertisement of this application.

W-4/7, 4/14, 4/21, 4/28

NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE 836-5218

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The permit area is approximately 1.0 mile east from State Route 979 junction with Morg Branch Road and located 1.0 mile east of Big Mud Creek. The latitude is 37° 25' 25". The longitude is 82° 37' 44".

The total bond now in effect is \$16,000.00 dollars, 65 percent of the total is to be included in this application for Phase I release.

Reclamation work performed includes: back-filling, seeding and grading as per approved plan. This work was completed on November 5, 1992.

A public hearing has been scheduled for June 1, 1993 at 1:00 p.m. at the Prestonsburg Regional Office for the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, 1346 South Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, KY 41653. If a written request for a public hearing has not been received within thirty (30) days after the publication of the final notice for this advertisement, the hearing will be cancelled.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

April 30, 1993 at 11:15 a.m. a 1984 Dodge Charger, serial number 1B3B764-86ED154537 will be sold to the highest bidder for CASH "as is where is" at the First Guaranty National Bank, Martin, Ky. to satisfy the unpaid balance of a Installment Contract signed of August 14, 1992. 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-4/14, 4/21, 4/28

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

I, The Floyd County Sheriff or one of his deputies will offer for sale a 1992 Clayton Mobile Home Serial #CLH0116020TNAE per execution order #91-S-00416. Said trailer can be viewed at the property of Glenda Sue Blanton, McDowell, Ky. Sale date: April 30, 1993, 10 a.m. Sale will be conducted on Floyd County Courthouse steps. Sheriff Paul H. Thompson
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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. JOSEPH E. BOCCOOK
307 Davis St.
Prestonsburg, Ky. 41653
W-4/21, F-4/23

An amendment to the Annual FY 92-93 Budget Ordinance estimating revenues and resources and appropriating funds for the operation of city government.

Be it ordained by the City of Martin, Kentucky as follows:

Annual FY 92-93 budget ordinance section appropriations shall be amended to read as follows:
Appropriations:
General Government

Police	\$130,000
Fire	\$109,000
Streets	\$22,500
Sanitation	\$10,000
UTI & Capital	
Outlay	
Parks and Recreation	\$20,000
Water	
Total appropriations	\$289,000

Excess of resources over/under appropriations

Transfers in	\$0
Transfers out	\$0
Estimated fund balances end of fiscal year	\$0
1st reading 3/10/93	\$0
2nd reading 4/14/93	\$0

Raymond Griffith, Mayor
ATTEST:
Johnnie B. Stephens, Clerk
W-4/21

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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.

NOTICE OF BLASTING SCHEDULE

In accordance with the provisions of 405 KAR 16:120 Section 3 (2) Kentucky May Coal Company, Inc., P.O. Box 728, Martin, Ky. 41649, Telephone # (606) 285-0350 proposes the following blasting schedule. The blasting site consists of approximately 1.80 acres located in Floyd County. The area is located 0.78 miles southwest of Weeksbury, Kentucky, and 2.20 miles southwest of the intersection of KY 466's junction with KY 122. The latitude is 37° 19' 09" and the longitude is 82° 41' 56". Blasting is proposed for 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

Entry to the area will be via two access roads, appropriate signs and markers will be erected at the entrances. Access to the blasting area will be blocked prior to any detonation.

The warning signals will be three long sound with a siren five minutes prior to detonation and three short sounds one minute prior to detonation. The All-Clear Signal will be one long sound following inspection of the blasting area.

All blasting will be conducted during the designated time periods except in the case of emergency conditions. Emergency conditions include but are not limited to rain, lightning or other atmospheric conditions or deteriorated explosives which involve personnel, operational or public safety. In such cases all residents, within 1/2 mile of the site will be verbally notified. The permit number is 836-5276.

NOTE: Thirty days prior to any blasting the appropriate DSMRE regional office, Floyd County Fiscal Court, and all residents within 1/2 mile of the operation will be notified, in writing, of the proposed blasting schedule and informed of the warning signals of the company.
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For Sale

COMPUTER FOR SALE: \$550. Call 886-2367 for more information.

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FOR SALE: 1979 Pace Arrow RV. 440 V-8 Dodge. Elderbrock high riser. Fully contained, air and furnace. Like new steel belted radial Bridgestones. Call 587-2243.

FOR SALE: Two boxed Rockford Falsgate 15" subs, \$300; Double Dare RC truck, \$250; Radio Shack Golden Arrow, both ready to run, \$50. 874-2767.

FOR SALE: 1990 Glassport Bass Boat. 17 ft. 120 HP motor with all options. \$8,500 or \$4,000 and take over payments. Call 452-2268 or 452-9352.

FOR SALE: Gravelly tractor. Pull start. All attachments included (except circle bar). \$1,200. Call 606-478-9711.

FOR SALE: Two Peavey columns, four 12" speakers, 200W each. \$500. Call 886-2006, leave name and number.

FOR SALE: 286 RLX Tandy 1000 Computer. 40 meg hard drive, Word Perfect 5.1, VGA monitor, and other software. Asking \$600. Call 886-8266.

FOR SALE: Men's 10-speed bicycle. \$25. Call 886-0081.

For Sale

FOR SALE: 142 Scanner and antenna; Cobra 19 Plus CB, band, antenna and coax. Call 358-2561.

FOR SALE: 309 Corn Planter. Two row. Like new. Call 946-2454 or 358-9407.

FOR SALE: 9x14 Hillman tent. Sears brand. Like new. Call 946-2454 or 358-9407.

FOR SALE: Pool table; saddle; VCR; water purifier; drumset. Call 886-2367.

FOR SALE: 1978 Lincoln Town Car; 1976 Toyota station wagon; antique wardrobe cabinet; drafting machine and table. Call 358-9752.

FOR SALE: 1992 Clayton 14x60 mobile home, \$13,500; 1983 Olds Cutlass with tilt, cruise, air, bucket seats, \$1,800; 1982 Toyota Celica GT, \$800. Call 874-9838.

FOR SALE: 1985 V-45 Magna. Great shape. 3,000 miles. \$1,400. Serious inquiries only. Call 886-3835.

FOR SALE: One breakfast set and a lot of glass stuff for flea market items. Phone 886-0928.

FOR SALE: La-Z-Boy recliner and sofa. \$100 each. Call 886-0081.

FOR SALE: Magnavox stereo. 30 watt output, wood grain, glass front cabinet. \$100. Call 886-0081.

FOR SALE: Black, snap-on truck cover. Custom fit for a Ford flareside. Used six months. Take half of original price. Call 478-2180.

FOR SALE: 1987 GlassStream 16 ft. boat. 90 HP Mercury motor. Excellent condition. Call 946-2454 or 358-9407.

PROM DRESS FOR SALE: Sequin and beaded, full length, black/teal. Size 3-4. \$300. Call 452-9330.

Real Estate For Sale

FOR SALE: Cave Run Lake area. Seven room house. 1/2 acre lot. Other acreage available. Three miles from Longbow Boat Dock. Twin Oaks, Inc. Call 606-768-3204.

THREE BEDROOM BRICK RANCH. One full bath, two half baths. Carport, utility shed. Located beside Mousie Market in Mousie. Call 606-679-7033.

THREE BEDROOM HOUSE for sale. Located at Cow Creek. Call 874-0694.

TWO VACANT LOTS FOR SALE at Wayland. (1) 45x80 on Back Street on (2) .08 acre on Front Street. Call 285-0173.

Real Estate For Sale

2-3 BEDROOM HOUSE AND LOT located near Rt. 114. Convenient to town, shopping center. Asking \$54,000. Call 789-3191.

GOVERNMENT HOMES from \$1 (U repair). Delinquent tax property. Repossessions. Your area 1-805-962-8000, ext. GH-4680 for current repo list.

FOR SALE BY OWNERS: House in West Garrett. May consider renting. Serious inquiries only. Call 358-9650 or 358-4383.

FOR SALE: Two acres, Estill area. Property would make good home location. Interested person only. Call 285-9281.

FOR SALE: 16.78 acres near Prestonsburg. Beautiful setting for mobile home or house. Natural gas. Small pond on property. \$21,000. Call 606-285-5087 for more information.

FOR SALE: Prestonsburg area. Two-story country-style home. Three large bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths. Nine years old. Call 886-8222 for appointment.

HOUSE FOR SALE: Rt. 122, McDowell. Hillside property. Conveniently located near bank, post office, hospital, market and school. Call 377-2431.

HOUSE FOR SALE: Six rooms plus bath and utility. Outside storage building, central heat/air. Located at Wheelwright Junction. Call 452-2761.

HOUSE FOR SALE: Two story home located at Martin. Free gas. Call 886-2914.

HOUSE FOR SALE: Located at Galveston. Garage. Nice location. Call 587-1757.

HOUSE FOR SALE in Prestonsburg (across from the House of Flowers). \$45,000. Call 886-0928.

LOTS FOR SALE: Cave Run Lake. 1/2-10 acres. Three miles from Longbow Boat Dock. Rt. 1693. Twin Oaks, Inc. Call 606-768-3204.

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THREE BEDROOM BRICK. One full bath, two half baths, fireplace in living room, central heat/air. Half acre lot on Abbott Creek. MUST SEE! Call 886-6800.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

To all natural gas customers of Martin Gas, Inc.

To recognize a gas pipeline emergency:

(a) Natural gas has a distinct smell, any odor of gas smell inside your home—immediately turn off gas appliances—leave your home and call the gas company, do not re-enter your home until the gas company has made its inspection on all gas piping inside your home.

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Autos For Sale

1981 FORD F-150 4x4 PICKUP. Four speed w/ overdrive. 300 six cylinder. Brown/white. Excellent condition. \$2,600. Call 886-9493 or 886-0535.

1983 TOYOTA PICKUP. Red, 4x4, 5-speed. New tires. Just broken in with 124,000 miles. Excellent condition. \$2,800. Call 886-9493 or 886-0535.

1984 MUSTANG: V-6 engine. Good condition. Call 886-6738, leave message.

1985 CHEVYS-10 BLAZER 4x4. Tahoe package. A/C, power door locks, power windows, sport wheels. Excellent condition. \$5,200 or best offer. Call 874-2749.

FOR SALE: 1975 VW Beetle. Runs and looks good. Red. Good tires. \$1,200. Call 377-1105.

Autos For Sale

1985 CHEVY SILVERADO BLAZER. 4x4, full size, V-8, automatic, AM/FM cassette, tilt, sunvisor, running boards. New tires and shocks. LOADED! \$5,500 or will trade. SHARP! Call 478-5872 after 6 or leave message.

1985 TOYOTA TRUCK SR5. Extra cab. Automatic, AM/FM radio cassette, air conditioning. Engine and body in perfect condition. \$3,500. Call 377-1145 or 377-2455. Serious inquiries only.

1989 CHEVY CAVALIER. 54,000 miles. Good condition. \$3,900. Call 886-8584.

CHEAP! FBI/U.S. SEIZED 89 Mercedes, \$200; 86 VW, \$50; 87 Mercedes, \$100; 65 Mustang, \$50. Choose from thousands starting \$50. FREE information—24 hour hotline. 801-379-2929, Copyright, #KY016510.

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Bad credit, no credit.
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Call Mr. Sanders at 886-3861 or 1-800-489-3861.

FOR SALE: 1985 Plymouth Station Wagon. \$2,200. Like new. 50,000 miles on motor. Call 886-0560.

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For Rent

1,000 SQ. FT. RETAIL OR OFFICE SPACE for rent. Call Jim at 886-4001 for more information.

FOR RENT: Two bedroom mobile home. Good condition. New carpet. Stove and refrigerator. U.S. 23 (behind airport). Call 886-9007.

FOR RENT: Two bedroom house. Fully carpeted. Gas, water and electric already hooked up. \$250/month plus utilities. \$150 deposit. Located about one mile below Wayland. Call 358-2566.

FOR RENT: 30x60 commercial building located at Banner. \$500 per month. Call 478-9091 or 874-0370.

FOR RENT: Three bedroom, 2 1/2 bath brick. One car garage. Three miles west of town. \$550/month. Call 886-0081.

For Rent

12x65 TRAILER FOR RENT: Near Prestonsburg. Gas furnished. References and deposit required. No pets. Call 886-8675 after 5 p.m.

FOR RENT AT MCDOWELL: One bedroom furnished apartment. HUD accepted. \$300/month includes utilities. Deposit required. No pets. Call 377-6881.

FOR RENT: Near college. Furnished and unfurnished one bedroom apartments. Lease and security deposit. No pets. Carlos Neeley, 886-3565.

TRAILER FOR RENT: Winchester Trailer Court on Rt. 1428 (three miles from Prestonsburg). \$250/month. HUD not accepted. Call 886-6061 from 9-5; or 886-1368 after 5.

For Rent

FOR RENT: Two bedroom house in nice neighborhood. 3/4 mile across Harold Bridge. \$250/month plus deposit. Utilities extra. Call 478-5483.

FOR RENT: Three bedroom furnished mobile home. Large deck, carpet, heat/air, washer/dryer, 1 1/2 bathrooms, yard and parking. No pets. References and deposit. 874-9794.

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CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY
Combined Balance Sheet
All Fund Types and Account Groups
June 30, 1992

Governmental Fund Types	Fiduciary Fund Types			Account Groups		Totals (Memorandum Only)
	General	Special Revenue	Debt Service	Trust	General Long-Term Debt	
Assets						
Cash	\$195,657	\$90,307	\$383	\$	\$	\$ 286,347
Investments (Note 7)	115,578	32,711		85,284		303,573
Property Taxes Receivable-Net of Allowance for Uncollectibles (Notes 1 & 8)	10,754					10,754
Sanitation Fees Receivable	39,405					39,405
Grant Proceeds Receivable (Note 1)	45,336					45,336
Due From Other Funds (Note 12)	61,899	41,441		85,941		189,281
Amount To Be Provided					381,455	381,455
Total Assets	\$538,629	\$164,459	\$383	\$171,225	\$381,455	\$1,256,151
Liabilities						
Accounts Payable	\$ 56,230	\$ 8,082	\$	\$	\$	\$ 64,312
Accrued Interest Payable			258			258
Compensated Absences (Note 10)	37,373	4,304				41,677
Other Accrued Liabilities	13,234					13,234
Due to Other Funds (Note 12)	197,056	103,340				300,396
Deferred Revenues (Note 1)	45,878					45,878
Judgements Payable (Note 14)	150,000					150,000
Special Assessments					500	500
Bonds Payable					58,075	58,075
Pension Obligation (Note 4)					322,880	322,880
Notes Payable (Note 4)						
Total Liabilities	499,771	115,726	258		381,455	997,210
Fund Equity						
Fund Balances (Deficit)						
Reserved for Loan Fund				170,000		170,000
Administration				1,225		1,225
Fund Balances Unreserved	38,858	48,733	125	171,225		258,941
Total Fund Balances	38,858	48,733	125	171,225		258,941
Total Liabilities and Fund Equity	\$538,629	\$164,459	\$383	\$171,225	\$381,455	\$1,256,151

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY
Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
All Governmental Fund Types
For the Year Ended June 30, 1992

Revenues	General Fund		Special Revenue Funds		Debt Service Fund		Totals (Memorandum Only)
	Budget	Actual	Budget	Actual	Budget	Actual	
Property Taxes	\$ 273,260	\$ 273,260	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$ 273,260
License Fees and Permits	1,276,089	1,276,089	268,828	268,828			1,544,917
Intergovernmental Revenue	462,132	462,132	3,140	3,140			465,272
Charges for Services	264,651	264,651	104,124	104,124			368,775
Fines and Forfeitures	2,432	2,432					2,432
Other Revenues (Note 14)	167,547	167,547	10,225	10,225			177,772
Total Revenues	2,446,111	2,446,111	386,317	386,317			2,832,428
Expenditures							
Mayor and Council		191,546					191,546
Administration		928,007					928,007
Police		367,356					367,356
Fire		375,044					375,044
Public Works							
Street Department		315,977					315,977
Sanitation Department		160,975					160,975
Recreation		2,820					311,971
Capital Outlay (Note 3)		40,660					220,273
Debt Service (Notes 4 & 6)		140,745			60		140,805
Judgements (Note 14)		150,000					150,000
Total Expenditures	2,673,130	488,764	60	60			3,161,954
Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	(227,019)	(102,447)	(60)	(60)			(329,526)
Other Financing Sources (Uses)							
Loan Proceeds (Note 4)		139,493					139,493
Operating Transfers In (Note 9)		3,390			151,881	8,853	164,124
Operating Transfers Out (Notes 9)		(8,853)			(155,271)		(164,124)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	134,030	(3,390)	8,853	8,853			139,493
Excess of Revenues and Other Sources Over (Under) Expenditures and Other Uses	(92,989)	(105,837)	8,793	8,793			(190,033)
Fund Balances (Deficit) 06/30/91	138,916	147,501	(8,668)				277,749
Prior Period Adjustment (Note 13)	(7,069)	7,069					
Adjusted Fund Balances 06/30/91	131,847	154,570	(8,668)				277,749
Fund Balances (Deficit) 06/30/92	\$ 38,858	\$ 48,733	\$ 125	\$			\$ 87,716

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Honorable Ann Latta, Mayor and the City Council
City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky
We have audited the accompanying general purpose financial statements of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky as of June 30, 1992, and for the year then ended as listed in the table of contents. These general purpose financial statements are the responsibility of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these general purpose financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and Governmental Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the general purpose financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the general purpose financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

The general purpose financial statements referred to above do not include the financial statements of the Prestonsburg City Utility Commission (enterprise fund) nor the general fixed assets account group, which should be included in order to conform with generally accepted accounting principles. The omitted enterprise fund has assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses of \$12,570,928, \$1,670,792, \$2,927,079, and \$2,175,521, respectively. The amount that should be recorded in the general fixed assets account group is not known.

In our opinion, except for the effects on the financial statements of the omission described in the preceding paragraph, the general purpose financial statements referred to in the first paragraph present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky as of June 30, 1992, and the results of its operations for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the general purpose financial statements taken as a whole. The combining and account group statements and schedules listed in the table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the general purpose financial statements of the City of Prestonsburg, Kentucky. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the general purpose financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly presented in all material respects in relation to the general purpose financial statements taken as a whole.

Jones, Pack & Associates, CPAs
Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653
January 11, 1993
Copies of the complete audit are available to the public at City Hall. Copies of the audit may be picked up during normal business hours daily.

CITY OF PRESTONSBURG, KENTUCKY
Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances-Budget and Actual
General and Special Revenue Funds
For the Year Ended June 30, 1992

Revenues	General Fund		Special Revenue Funds		Totals (Memorandum Only)	
	Budget	Actual	Budget	Actual	Budget	Actual
		Over (Under) Budget		Over (Under) Budget		Over (Under) Budget
Property Taxes	\$ 262,000	\$ 273,260	\$ 11,260	\$	\$ 262,000	\$ 273,260
License Fees and Permits	1,204,000	1,276,089	72,089	240,000	1,444,000	1,544,917
Intergovernmental Revenue	624,000	462,132	(161,868)	3,000	627,000	465,272
Charges for Services	301,000	264,651	(36,349)	101,220	402,220	368,775
Fines and Forfeitures	4,500	2,432	(2,068)		4,500	2,432
Other Revenues	23,000	167,547	144,547	1,500	24,500	177,772
Total Revenues	2,418,500	2,446,111	27,611	345,720	2,764,220	2,832,428
Expenditures						
Mayor and Council	142,500	191,546	49,046		142,500	191,546
Administration	1,009,990	928,007	(81,983)		1,009,990	928,007
Police	333,460	367,356	33,896		333,460	367,356
Fire	394,350	375,044	(19,306)		394,350	375,044
Public Works						
Street Dept.	304,800	315,977	11,177		304,800	315,977
Sanitation Dept.	122,700	160,975	38,275		122,700	160,975
Recreation	15,000	2,820	(12,180)	277,520	31,631	311,971
Capital Outlay	33,000	40,660	7,660	199,400	179,613	220,273
Debt Service	67,700	140,745	73,045		67,700	140,745
Judgements		150,000	150,000			150,000
Total Expenditures	2,423,500	2,673,130	249,630	476,920	2,900,420	3,161,954
Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	(5,000)	(227,019)	(222,019)	(131,200)	(102,447)	(329,526)
Other Financing Sources (Uses)						
Loan Proceeds		139,493	139,493			139,493
Operating Transfers In	5,000	3,390	(1,610)	142,500	151,881	155,271
Operating Transfers Out		(8,853)	(8,853)	(142,500)	(155,271)	(164,124)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	5,000	134,030	129,030	(3,390)	(3,390)	130,640
Excess of Revenues and Other Sources Over (Under) Expenditures and Other Uses	-0-	(92,989)	(92,989)	(131,200)	(105,837)	(198,826)
Fund Balance 06/30/91	138,916	147,501		147,501	286,417	286,417
Prior Period Adjustment	(7,069)	7,069		7,069		
Adjusted Fund Balances 06/30/91	131,847	154,570		154,570	286,417	286,417
Fund Balances 06/30/92	\$ 131,847	\$ 38,858	\$(92,989)	\$ 23,370	\$ 48,733	\$ 87,716

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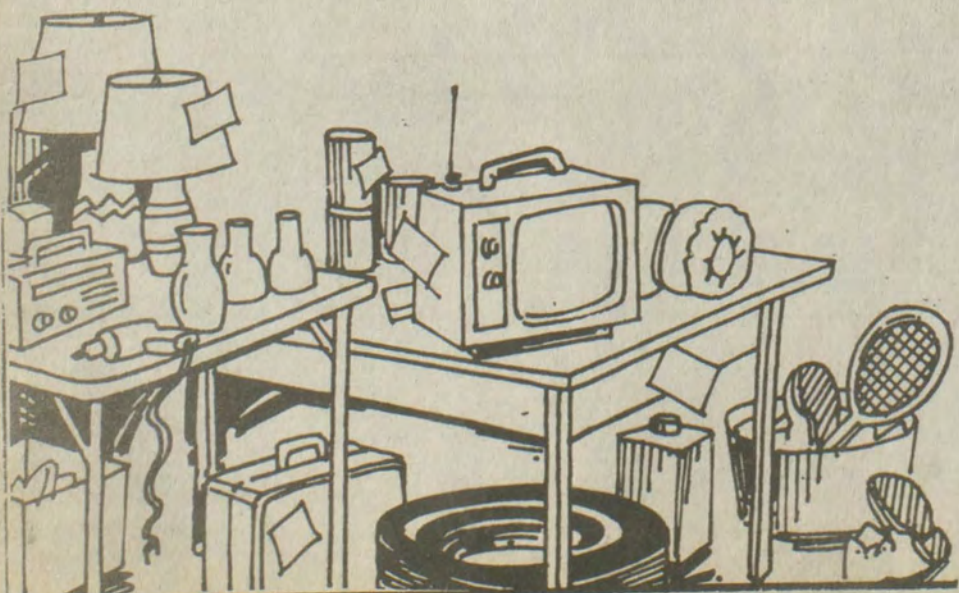
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TRAILER LOT FOR RENT in New Allen. Out of flood plain. City water and other utilities available. Call 874-2212.

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MEDICAL RECEPTIONIST WANTED: Appt in person at Minix Optical, Mayo Plaza, Paintsville, or Glyn View Plaza, Prestonsburg; or phone 789-3717.

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Services

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NEED A RIDE? Call Martin City Cab Service, Inc. 24 Hour Service. Now accepting Medicaid. 285-0320. Also, stop by Judy's Produce at railroad track in Martin.

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Lawn Service

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Grade and Salary Grade 49, \$2,195 Per Hour
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Apply by submitting a state application (which can be obtained at the local Department of Employment Services or any other state government office) to: Kentucky Department of Personnel Room 384, Capitol Annex Frankfort, KY 40601
Attention: Job Announcement No. 93-64(A) Job announcement number should also be placed in the upper right-hand corner of the application in the "Special Announcement No." blank. Official documents verifying education must be submitted with the current application (i.e. original college transcripts, original high school diploma, or original GED certificate). Original documents will be returned if a self-addressed envelope is included. Deadline for applying: You must qualify, test,* and be placed on the register by May 14, 1993. *Test not required. Filling this position is subject to any state government hiring restrictions.
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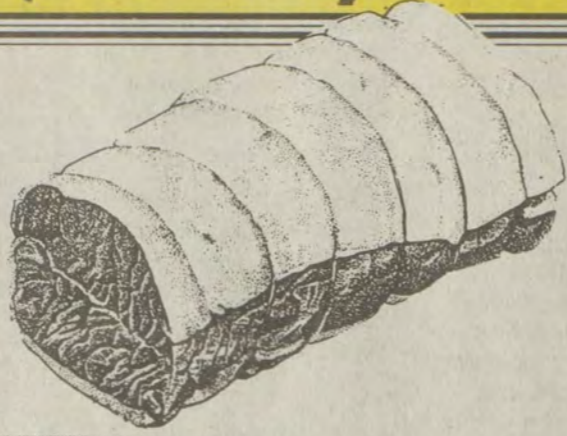


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